



## Brothers of

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### Priest of the French Revolution

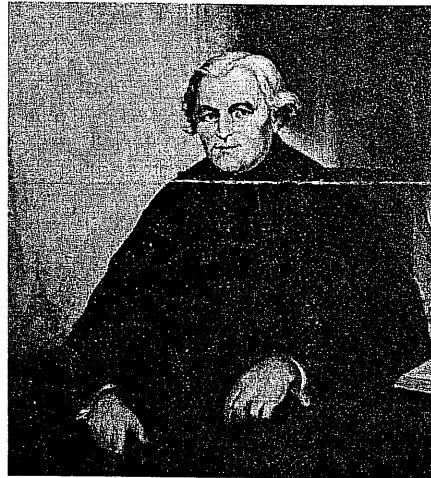
When death came to Father James Francis Dujarie at Le Mans, France, in February, 1838, it erased forever the kindly and resourceful personality of a man who had served God and man extraordinarily well. Fortunately for man, the nature of Dujarie's work and the strength with which he endowed it was such that it has grown and flourished even beyond his dreams.

This French priest was born nine years before the American colonies declared their independence. France herself was rumbling with unrest. Actually, Father Dujarie's studies were interrupted by the frightful French Revolution, and he himself was not ordained until 1795. He said his first Mass in a farm house cellar, not daring to expose himself to the anti-clerical mobs which still roamed the countryside. Dujarie saw what mis-education, or no education at all, could do to a populace led by a rabble, and in the early years of the nineteenth century he planned his counter-attack.

After several years as a pastor at Ruille, France, he founded the Sisters of Providence and finally in 1820, the Brothers of St. Joseph whom he intended should teach youth. In 1835, because of infirmity, he relinquished direction of his Brothers to a "second founder" as the late Father François called Father Moreau. This latter priest subsequently founded the Congregation of Holy Cross by uniting the Brothers of St. Joseph and the Auxiliary Priests of Le Mans. Thus the Brothers eventually became the Brothers of Holy Cross.

The picture reproduced on this page is taken from a photograph of a painting which hangs in the Generalate of the Congregation of Holy Cross, New York City. It was painted by Peter Gruys.

Brother Reginald Juszczak, Principal of Holy Trinity High School, Chicago, attended the meeting of the mathematics section of the Chicago Catholic Science Teachers Association at St. Augustine High School, Chicago, recently.



James Francis Dujarie  
First Founder

### Personals

Brother Elmer Brummer, C.S.C., member of the faculty of St. Anthony High School, Long Beach, California, was discussion leader of the Life Science Group at the Annual Convention of the Secondary Section, California Unit of the N.C.E.A. held at Immaculate Heart College, Los Angeles, during the holidays. Brother's topic was "Life Science and Life Adjustment." All the Brothers at St. Anthony attended the convention.

Brother Germain Faddoul, C.S.C., Principal of the Boys' Department of St. Thomas Aquanias School, Brooklyn, has announced that one of the two Bishop's Scholarships to St. Augustine's High School, Brooklyn, was won by a St. Thomas student, Robert Guinan.

Brother Christian Stinnett, C.S.C., writes that Vincentian Institute, Albany, New York, won the Diocesan Football Championship this past season.

Brother Hilarion Brezik, C.S.C., Superior of Boysville, Clinton, P.O., Michigan, has announced the publication of a new monthly in the interests of the school. It has been named the "Boysville Journal."

### Annual Retreat At St. Joseph's Farm

The annual retreat of six days for the members of the faculty of the St. Joseph's Farm, Notre Dame, Indiana, was held the second week of January. Besides the twenty-two Brothers residing at the farm, four other Brothers from other Houses of the Community made the retreat this year. They are as follows: Brother Nilus Grix, C.S.C., and Brother Roderic Grix, C.S.C., of the Notre Dame Farm, Notre Dame, Indiana; Brother Gilbert Scher, C.S.C., of the Gibault School for Boys, Terre Haute, Indiana, and Brother Donald Hecox, C.S.C., of Sacred Heart Juniorate, Watertown, Wisconsin. Rev. Richard J. Kennedy, C.S.C., of the Holy Cross Mission Band, Notre Dame, Indiana, was the retreat master.

### Symbols in Glass

Seven stained glass inserts, exemplifying the Gifts of the Holy Ghost, were recently installed in the cathedral glass windows of the Gilmour Academy Chapel, Gates Mills, Ohio.

The shape of the inserts is that of heraldic shields, used to keep the decorative element in harmony with the architecture of the chapel. The medallions were designed by Brother Loyola Christoph, C.S.C., assistant headmaster of the Academy and executed in the studios of William H. Burnham, Boston, Massachusetts. The windows were donated by students and friends.

### Guest At St. Edward's

The Very Reverend Christopher O'Toole, C.S.C., Superior General of the Congregation of Holy Cross, was a guest of the Brothers of Holy Cross at St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas, when he was in that city for the dedication of the new Holy Cross Hospital. The Brothers of the Scholasticate at St. Edward's sang for the occasion.

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## The Family of Holy Cross

The circulation of this little newsette, *Brothers of Holy Cross*, is practically confined to a family made up of the Brothers of Holy Cross, their near relatives and the students they teach. Its purpose is to keep all three elements united in one family. There is an operating and logical tie-up.

Some years ago certain fathers and mothers gave up their boys so that as religious teachers they might spread the kingdom of Christ outside the little home in which they learned to love God. And now to these same men other parents send their sons to be instructed in the things useful for time and eternity. Thus fathers and mothers and teachers and students constitute a corporate family closely linked together by the ideals of Catholic education.

Unity in that family today is more essential than ever before. The world presents a sad and disturbing spectacle brought about by philosophies that are paganistic, brutal and immoral. The world cannot be saved even by the might of armies of Christian peoples. It can be saved only by the prayers and penances of those who have a lively faith in God and in the intercession of the Queen of Peace, who at Fatima called on all to repent for the sins committed against her Son, Jesus Christ.

God could stop the communistic hordes overnight, but that would save only the material world. It is the spiritual world that is more in need of being saved. The powers of evil are cast out by prayer and fasting, by religious living, by a Christian philosophy of life, by faith in God and love for one's fellowman. The calamity is not in a devastated earth but in the devastated minds of men, made such by seeking the material instead of the spiritual. Men may be butchered and

## The Need Is Great

A burse is a capital sum of money which is invested and which returns to its owner every year an amount of interest he can spend without reducing or impairing the burse itself. A system of burses would greatly aid the Brothers of Holy Cross in maintaining their Juniorates, Novitiate and Scholasticates. Because the income is steady, the task of providing housing and appropriate living to young aspirants would be made somewhat easier. Then, income from schools or auxiliary activities, such as farms, could be used to build new schools and improve the old ones. The hard fact is that schools little more than pay for themselves. That is, what tuition is taken in must be spent to operate the school and pay a very modest salary to the Brother for his living expenses. The problem of training new men, supporting them until a university degree is obtained, the care of the sick and aged religious, advanced study and all such things, the Brothers of Holy Cross must solve by some other means. You see, burses are really a great need and a great help. A contribution towards any one of the open burses will be gratefully acknowledged by the Editor.

Brother Daniel Schott Memorial Burse .....	\$4644.22
Brother Engelbert Leisse Memorial Burse .....	1271.17
Holy Cross Brothers Burse .....	4659.18
Brother George Biadaszkiewicz Memorial Burse .....	1316.50*
Brother Marcian Karsky Memorial Burse .....	3636.50
Our Lady of Seven Dolors .....	1477.09
Poor Souls Burse .....	1152.12
Brother Raymond Ott Memorial Burse .....	5000.00*
Brother Columba O'Neill Memorial Burse .....	1322.27
St. Joseph Burse, No. 2 .....	1535.02
Father James Dujarie Burse .....	1500.00
Brother Venard Gorman Memorial Burse .....	2835.00
Brother Louis Brennan Memorial Burse .....	5000.00*

\* Completed during the past year by gifts from the late Brother Louis Brennan, C.S.C.

cities burned, but that is not the end of immortal man. There is another world that is eternal, and happiness there is contingent on prayer and penance here.

We are suffering the penalties of a materialistic philosophy that seeks only power and pleasure and wealth and a happy ending in the cremation of a dead body, forgetting or unwilling to believe that the body's living soul is still the same man now standing without a wedding garment before the judgment seat of Christ.

Let us, the family of Holy Cross, parents, Brothers and students, join in prayer and penance for our own salvation and that of mankind, for Heaven's forgiveness of the sins of men, for peace upon earth, for the restoration of our fighting men to their homes, for comfort to those families whose sons have died to maintain a Christian way of life.

## Personals

Brothers Donard Steffes, Wendel Adam and Albertus Smith of the science faculty of Gilmour Academy, Gates Mills, Ohio, attended the 117th annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science held in Cleveland.

At the third annual Chicago area "Career Conference," held on the campus of

the Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, Brothers Cajetan Holland and Jerome Feldman acted as chairmen of sections on Politics and Government, Law and Advertising.

Brother Columba Curran, C.S.C., professor of chemistry at Notre Dame, delivered one of the annual Canisius College Alumni Chemical Society lectures in Horan-O'Donnell Science Hall, Canisius College, Buffalo, New York, in January. He spoke on his specialty, "Electric Moments, Ultraviolet Absorption and the Interactions Between Donor and Acceptor Molecules" to about fifty chemists in the Buffalo area.

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BROTHER SIMON SCRIBNER, C.S.C., P.I.D.,

Registrar.

## Silver Anniversary

Every year it is the privilege of the members and friends of the Congregation of Holy Cross to join in the celebration of the silver anniversary of some of the Brothers and thank Almighty God for the blessing of a quarter of a century in His employ. This year seven Brothers celebrate their silver anniversaries.

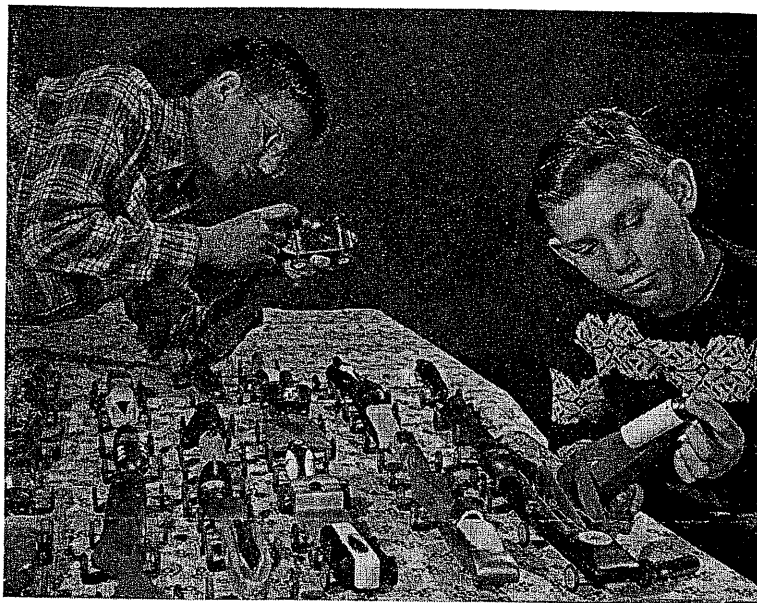
Brother Bernardine Mosier was born in 1908 and spent his boyhood at Kersey, Pennsylvania. He came to the Brothers of Holy Cross in 1921 and was professed in 1926. He was graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 1933 and spent ten years in India as a missionary. He returned in 1945 and in one year had earned a master's degree in Education. Brother has taught at Holy Trinity High, Chicago, St. Joseph's Juniorate, Valatie, New York, and is at present Assistant Superior at Sacred Heart Juniorate, Watertown, Wisconsin. He is well known for the fluency of his Bengali and often teaches it to prospective missionaries to Bengal.

Brother Hubert Koeppen entered the Brothers of Holy Cross from Mishawaka, Indiana, in October, 1924. He obtained his degree from St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas, and he has done graduate work at the University of Notre Dame. Brother Hubert has earned himself quite a reputation as a general repairman besides his regular teaching at St. Edward's University High School, Austin.

After receiving his early schooling in St. Louis, Missouri, Brother Patrick Cain finished his novitiate and was professed in 1926. He has taught at Sacred Heart Juniorate, Watertown, Wisconsin, St. Charles Boys' Home, Milwaukee, and was for several years Rector of Brownson Hall and a teacher of English at the University of Notre Dame. He is now professor of English at St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas.

Brother Vianney Dillon was born at Hagerstown, Maryland, and came to the Brothers of Holy Cross in September, 1924. He has lived at Notre Dame most of his religious life and has had the singular privilege of carrying on in the shoe repair work made famous by Brother Columba O'Neill.

Chicago, Illinois, provided the scene of the early life of Brother Benjamin McNulty. He attended school there until he entered the Brothers of Holy Cross in October, 1924. For many years now, Brother Benjamin has traveled up and down the Mississippi Valley in the interests of "The Ave Maria" magazine. It means long periods away from his congenial friends but Brother has carried out his



RONNIE AND TOMMIE

These and other boys at St. Charles Boys' Home, Milwaukee, enjoy building and displaying their model cars and airplanes.

assignment with distinction and patience.

Brother Placidus Carroll came to the Brothers of Holy Cross from Baltimore, Maryland, in March, 1925. He was graduated from the University of Notre Dame and spent nearly ten years as a missionary in India. He has taught at Gibault School for Boys, Terre Haute, Indiana, where he was also Superior, and at St. Charles Boys' Home, Milwaukee. At the present time he teaches at Notre Dame High School, Biloxi, Mississippi.

Born at Evansville, Indiana, and a graduate of the Brothers' school there, Brother Eymard Salzman went to Sacred Heart Juniorate, Watertown, Wisconsin, in March, 1925. He has both a bachelor's and master's degree from the University of Notre Dame. Brother has taught at Cathedral High School, Indianapolis, Central Catholic High School, South Bend, St. Charles Boys' Home, Milwaukee, and he was superior at St. Joseph's Juniorate, Valatie, New York. At present he is Director of Vocations with headquarters at Watertown, Wisconsin.

Best wishes in behalf of these Brothers are extended by their friends and the Brothers of Holy Cross. Especially will they merit a place in our prayers.

The Community House Ensemble, composed of Brothers Jacob Eppley, cellist, Sabinus Herbert and Linus Voigt, violinists, and Louis Gazagne, piano, provided concerts of semi-classical music for St. Joseph's Novitiate, Rolling Prairie, Du-jarie Hall, Notre Dame and the Community House during the holidays.

## Students Enjoy Crafts

Brother Warren Shea, C.S.C., member of the faculty of St. Charles Boys' Home, Milwaukee, has for several years believed that the nature of the St. Charles boy demanded some work which would coordinate the mind and the hands. Accordingly, he has developed an immensely popular class in the arts and crafts which these "boys with problems" enjoy.

The variety of the work is somewhat surprising. It includes shellcraft, woodcraft, plastic model building of boats, automobiles, airplanes, and houses. During the cold weather model airplanes and racing cars with tiny engines are built and adjusted for racing and flying in the summer. A great deal of leather work is done and the usual billfolds, purses and the like are turned out in attractive design and tooling.

A new activity in the process of development is weaving. There are a number of looms, the largest of which is 36", and they are used in rug weaving. Only lack of room has impeded the development of this craft.

Last fall, craft students were given the opportunity to display their work in an open house. Many favorable comments were received and have proved an inspiration to even more resourceful building.

Brother Finbarr Buckley, C.S.C., Community House, Notre Dame, is a regular reviewer for "Books on Trial," famous book evaluating publication of Chicago.

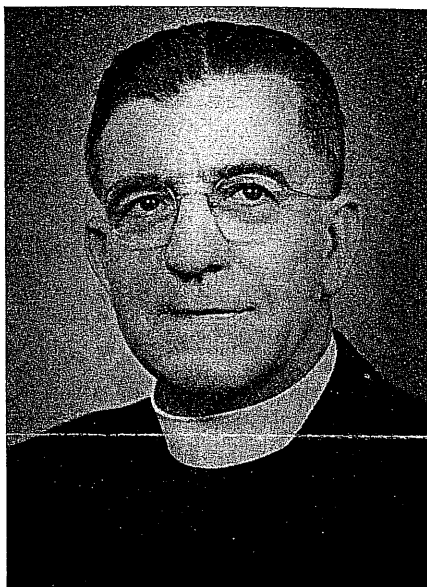
## Brothers at Work—1

### ST. JOSEPH'S HAMMER

Brother Flavian Lambert, C.S.C., carpenter, was born at Lowell, Massachusetts. As early as he can remember he followed his dad, a professional builder, around construction jobs with a hammer in his hand and a pocket full of nails. He learned the interesting trade of carpentering by the careful teaching of his father.

Brother Flavian insists that work was not by any means all that propelled the Lambert family. His father was a musician in the classical tradition and was good enough to play in the better orchestras. The result was that many of the family of ten children played some instrument. In the early days, Brother played the cornet, but now he confines his artistry to the piano. Music has provided him with an inexhaustible source of contentment and diversion.

After serving in World War I in the artificers' corps of the Navy, Brother Flavian came to the Brothers of Holy Cross in 1925. He made the usual novitiate, and in 1930 he was perpetually professed as a Brother with the three vows of Poverty, Chastity and Obedience. He laughs when he recalls that his first job was to build a chicken house on the farm at Dujarie Hall, Notre Dame. Since that time he has traveled to many of the foundations of the Congregation of Holy Cross and done extensive remodeling or built new structures. The first building at the summer camp of the Holy Cross Seminarians at Deer Park, Maryland, the Annex building at the Juniorate at Valatie, New York, St. Joseph Hall at Bankson Lake, Michigan, are among the



Brother Flavian Lambert, C.S.C.

*No Stranger to Hard Work*

larger of his undertakings. Small jobs include utility buildings, remodeling jobs and repairs. Brother has found the work hard but always satisfying.

One other member of the Lambert family entered the religious life. She is Sister Veronica, a member of the Sisters of the Humility of Mary. A married brother lives in the East.

Brother Flavian is especially proud to have been able to follow St. Joseph's own trade in the Brothers of Holy Cross, who are in a special way dedicated to that great Saint.

### The Scholasticate, St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas

*One of Three Houses of Study for the Brothers*



FIRST ROW (l to r): Brothers John Stout, William Geenen, Philip Cistone, James Newell, Father James Gibbons (Chaplain), Brothers Elmo Bransby (Director), Raphael Wilson, Edward Boyle, Robert Reiniche, and Harold Naudet. SECOND ROW (l to r): Brothers Ralph Legath, Ronald Sharkey, Leo Kowalski, Leo Gallagher, Nicholas Lyddane, John Fos, Walter Foley, Leo Gilman and Patrick Fleming. THIRD ROW (l to r): Brothers James Premont, Thomas Crilly, Walton Mallerich, John Snoddy, Albert Martin, Donald Burkhard, Louis Coe and George Stefanik.

## Brother Roman Re-elected to Polish Post

Brother Roman Witowski, C.S.C., of the faculty of Holy Trinity High School, Chicago, was re-elected First Vice President of the Polish American Historical Association which met in Nazareth Academy, (Torresdale), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, December 27 and 28th. At this seventh annual meeting of PAHA, Brother Roman acted as chairman of one of the sessions and of the Rules and Constitutional Amendments committee. He too, was responsible for much of the Polish language convention publicity releases in the national Polish American press.

The PAHA group numbers about five hundred members, many of whom are priests and nuns of various religious orders and congregations. Brother Roman is the only active religious Brother member; the only Chicago representative in the Executive Council of this national association that promotes study and research in the history and social background of Americans of Polish descent in the United States.

## National Society at Gilmour

Brother Hyacinth Sniatecki, C.S.C., Director of Studies at Gilmour Academy, Gates Mills, Ohio, announced that the Gilmour honor society had its constitution approved by the National Society of Secondary Schools. The Gilmour Chapter is now under organization with Brother Laurian LaForest, C.S.C., as the sponsor.

Academically a student may qualify for the Gilmour Chapter if his average is 87% and he has thirteen honor points. To be elected, however, the faculty council must agree that the student applicant has been a service to his school and has displayed active leadership.

The National Honor Society of Secondary schools was founded by the National Association of Secondary Schools principals in 1921.

## Obituary

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of the following:

Sister of Brother Anthony Houser, C.S.C.  
Mother of Brother Angelo Trettel, C.S.C.  
Mother of Brother Andrew Sukenik, C.S.C.