

chapel, instead of costing the Sisters three thousand dollars, cost them only three hundred.

If men wondered at the success of his works, he received one day from heaven a much more solemn and really miraculous approval. While at Rome on the occasion of a general chapter of the Order, he went to Naples to venerate the relic of the coagulated blood of St Alphonsus. Before kissing the relic of St Alphonsus, he said : « O my Father, St Alphonsus, if you are satisfied with me, manifest it to me in a perceptible manner. » At once the blood became liquid and bubbled in the holy phial in which it is kept.

This true son of St Alphonsus was destined to imitate his glorious Father in his obedience and abnegation. In 1898 at the triennial appointments, Very Reverend Father Catulle was recalled to Belgium to become Rector of the convent of St Joseph at Brussels. His heart bled but his will was resigned. In order not to let his tears be seen and to give an example of religious obedience, he left Montreal without hardly anybody knowing it. He received the news at 11 A. M. on the 29th April. He set all his temporal affairs in order and at 6 P. M. he was on his way to Boston, whence he sailed in the *Canada* for his new residence, leaving his parish and his community in tears. At Brussels he did not forget Canada ; he sent to Brandon two large cases of ornaments and sacred vessels and two fine bells. He had already given the Manitoba mission a small boat called the « *St Alphonse* » for the use of the missionaries.

On the eve of his death he wrote again to Very Reverend Father Lemieux, his successor, begging him to admit a young Canadian student to our house of study free of charge. This was his last public act.

The faith and good works of so devoted a soul console a dying man at the moment of the last passage ; they reassure and comfort his friends. That priestly and religious life, adorned with all the virtues, embalmed with every devotion, blessed by God and by man, had an almost sudden ending. Reverend Father Catulle fell a victim to heart disease, and there was barely time to give him the last sacraments. And yet death did not surprise him for he was always prepared for