## Messenger Items

The lists of new Promoters should be prepared and sent in without delay. No Promoter of six months' standing, who has given satisfaction, should be forgotten. The crosses and diplomas should be ordered in time, as all else necessary for the semi-annual reception. This ceremony should take place, when it is possible, either on the feast of the Sacred Heart or within the octave. Let it be as solemm as loving hearts can \_nake it. and when exterior pomp and costly decoration are beyond the resources of the Local Centre it is to be hoped additional interior fervour will fully compensate for the less essential pageantry.

We have had less cause to complain during the last six months of absent-minded secretaries who send in their Intention Sheets without name of place, parish, or institution. There are yet a few delinquents.

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On the first of every month, and not later, everything intended for publication in the MESSENGER should have reached us. Those who are most remiss in this particular are the most persistent in their complaints when they fail to find in the MESSENGER what they have sent us too late. Lengthy communications should be mailed a week. or so earlier, otherwise they are liable to be crowded out.

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As we are at present publishing a census of the League throughout the Dominion, we beg Secretaries to call our attention to any error relating to their Local Centre, that we may correct it in our reprint. We take this occasion to rectify a misprint in connection with our own English Local Centre of the Gesù. The number of names registered (for until very lately both French and English were inscribed on the same register) should be 27,626, while the present membership of the first degree should be 2,005.