

gone to Communion. He knew Saint Ann would give him strength, and his confidence was not in vain. At 11. 30 A. M. the pilgrim-students marched around the park: they were carrying the sacred relic, playing sweet music, singing and praying at intervals. After Benediction and the veneration of the relic, the collegians took the *long* road to return to their Alma Mater. They rounded the eastern point of Orleans Island, arriving home at 7.30 P. M.

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup>.**—The annual pilgrimage of the Ladies of the Holy Family, came from Notre Dame parish, Quebec. They numbered three hundred and fifty members.

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>.**—At 4 o'clock A. M. the pilgrim boat « Trois Rivières » could be seen nearing the pier. It brought five hundred female pilgrims from the parish of the Immaculate Conception, Montreal. The English speaking people were under the special care of the well known and amiable Father Devine, S. J. Being the only pilgrims that day they had the church all to themselves and prayed to their heart's content. We feel confident that Good Saint Ann heard their fervent prayers, for it was the first time that the parish came to pay its homage to Saint Ann, Mother of the « Immaculate Conception »; the special graces that they obtained will fill their hearts with a longing to return again.

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup>.**—The female students of the Normal School, Quebec, paid their annual visit to Saint Ann; and on the following day, it was the turn of the young men. Most assuredly our Glorious Saint obtained them the grace to understand the manifold obligations of the great and noble career awaiting them. May they be true to their vocation of teaching children the way to truth, to justice and to salvation by a thorough christian education.

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup>.**—More than two thousand people visited the Shrine. The first to arrive were eight hundred women of the Third Order from Montreal. They landed from the « Three Rivers » at 5.30 A. M., assisted at six o'clock mass, had the final exercise at 10. 15 A. M., and left on their return trip shortly before noon.

At 9.15 a. m. the tolling of the large bell announced the arrival of the League of the Sacred Heart from Saint Roch, Quebec. They had come one thousand strong, and were headed by the Champlain Guard Band, playing its sweetest music. At 2 o'clock, the ordinary closing exercises began; sermon, procession in the park with recitation of the