



ORDINATION OF FATHER J. BURKE, '10.

One of the most pleasing ceremonies which it has been our good fortune to witness was that one, which, performed by the Apostolic Delegate, Mons. Stagni, raised Rev. John Burke, of Ottawa, to the dignity of the Holy Priesthood.

Father Burke was born at Braeside, and received his early education at the Arnprior Separate School, where he passed his entrance examination. After attending the Almonte High School for one year, he came to Ottawa University. When he had completed his classical course here he decided to study for the priesthood. With this end in view, he entered the Seminary here four years ago under the directorship of Rev. Father Poli.

The successful completion of his theological studies was materially demonstrated in the celebration of his first Solemn High Mass in St. Mary's Church, in Hintonburg, Sunday, May 10th. The students of the University felt very much flattered when the Rector announced that Father Burke would celebrate Mass in our Chapel on May 12th. After Mass, Mr. Burke had breakfast in "Big Yard" refectory, when Mr. J. Sullivan, on behalf of the students, presented the new priest with a pair of military brushes as a small token of our esteem and appreciation, and with the best of wishes for all success in his new field of labors. Father Burke made a very appropriate reply, and promised to remember us while he was saying Mass.

In addition to the many messages of congratulation and good wishes already received by Father Burke, *The Review* wishes to add its hearty congratulations and express the wish that Alma Mater's newest priest will attain the success and happiness to which every good priest is entitled.