

throughout the unsurveyed wastes of the Canadas and the North-West. His noble generosity was not to be fully gratified in this direction. For the first two years, however, of his priesthood he rendered valuable service in the several posts, ministered to at that time by the Oblate Fathers along the Canadian Pacific Railway. Then his useful qualities of mind and heart called him elsewhere. In 1884, we find him transferred to Tewksbury, Mass., there to act as Master of Novices, and later on, Superior of the Oblate College established at this point. For nine years Fr. Emery worked in these positions with splendid results. They were nine years of valuable preparation for the more important charges of the future. Here were accumulated all those treasures of experience in the workings of the human heart; here also, was obtained that profound insight into the intricacies of the boy nature which will undoubtedly prove immensely serviceable in the present incumbency.

Father Emery leaves Tewksbury to take up again the difficult work of the missionary, this time in the south, in the sultry atmosphere of Texas. The labor on those sandy, sparsely inhabited plains was hard, the comforts and conveniences of life were rare, but the self-devoted missionary shows the undismayed spirit of the apostle, making himself all for all. Holy Angels, Buffalo, to which church the Rev. Father Fallon, O.M.I., was transferred last summer, next becomes the theatre of Father Emery's zeal. Here after rendering eminent services in parochial work along with occasional missionary excursions, Father Emery returns to fill once more the old position in Tewksbury, whence he is called to accept the rectorship of the University of Ottawa.

Thus the new Rector comes fully equipped in ripened qualities and in wide experience of the world for the successful discharge of his new and important obligations. Possessed of an imposing presence and pleasing address, he is bound to gain many friends in Ottawa. Earnest, enthusiastic in temperament, he has shown himself at all times wide awake, practical, painstaking, throwing himself heart and soul into his work. In his efforts for the training of youth he has invariably met with success. His devotion to the cause of higher education has been shown in the advocacy of