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Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres wholly owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

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A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead rights and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$500.00.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior

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- (b) Name
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- (d) Company, Squadron, Battery or other unit
- (e) Battalion
- (f) Brigade
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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MAY 3rd, 1915.

Trains Outward, Read Down.				Trains Inward, Read Up.			
P.M.	Noon.	A.M.	ATLANTIC STANDARD TIME.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
3.45	12.00	7.35	Dep. Charlottetown Ar.	11.40	10.50	10.20	
5.00	1.20	8.30	" Hunter River "	10.36	9.52	9.03	
5.45	2.10	9.02	" Emerald Jet. "	9.59	9.21	5.45	8.10
6.22	2.55	9.27	" Kensington "	9.27	8.55	5.02	
7.00	3.30	9.50	Ar. Summerside Dep.	9.09	8.30	4.30	
P.M.							
8.40	12.10		Dep. Summerside Ar.	8.45	8.30		
9.38	1.42		" Port Hill "	7.48	4.00		
10.27	3.10		" O'Leary "	7.04	2.40		
11.08	4.22		" Alberton "	6.19	1.35		
11.45	5.20		Ar. Tignish Dep.	5.45	12.30		
A.M.							
9.25	6.00		Dep. Emerald Jct. Ar.	9.15	8.00		
10.00	7.00		Ar. Cape Traverse Dep.	8.40	7.00		
P.M.							
3.00	6.50		Dep. Charlottetown Ar.	8.05	5.45		
4.10	8.40		" Mt. Stewart "	7.02	4.10		
4.36	9.17		" Morell "	6.33	3.27		
4.57	9.46		" St. Peter's "	6.11	2.55		
6.00	11.15		Ar. Souris Dep.	5.10	1.30		
7.10			Ar. Elmira Dep.	4.00			
A.M.							
4.20	8.45		Dep. Mt. Stewart Ar.	7.00	3.55		
5.09	9.55		" Cardigan "	6.11	2.48		
5.30	10.25		" Montague "	5.49	2.20		
6.05	11.05		Ar. Georgetown Dep.	5.15	1.30		
Daily ex. Sat. & Sun.							
3.10	3.10		Dep. Charlottetown Ar.	10.00	9.45		
4.25	4.57		" Vernon River "	8.23	8.31		
5.55	7.00		Ar. Murray Harbor Dep.	6.30	7.00		

The Breviary

WHAT THE PRIEST'S OFFICE BOOK IS—ITS COMPOSITION AND PARTS.

The word Breviary signifies abridgment or resume, and in connection with the familiar and indeed indispensable vade-mecum of the priest, means the abridged form of the entire Canon Office of the Church.

This office is the official prayer of the Church and with the Mass makes up the liturgical service of God upon earth. This liturgy is partly said every day by all who say their prayers, and portions of it are also said when prayers which follow the celebration of Mass are read by those who assist at it. As we are bound to assist at Mass on Sundays and days of obligation, we virtually give our assent to the "declaration" of principles and beliefs of the Church, and every one who does so performs the solemn attestation of fealty to his religion which was in similar wise connoted by the famous jurisdiction, or right to swear, of the Roman soldier.

Priests are doubly bound as officers in that vast army (265 millions) to swear every day their allegiance to that religion, or bond of union based on belief or oath, which is the meaning of the word religion. A priest must celebrate Mass a stated number of times in the year under pain of mortal sin, and all in Orders (including a subdeacon's Order) are bound daily to say in full the Office contained in the Breviary. Nor is this obligation confined to priests only; in many institutes nuns are bound by the rule to recite the Office.

We must go back to the days of the Catacombs to find anything like the origin of the Office, although it is certain that in Apostolic and sub-Apostolic days an especial "office" was part of the duties of each teacher of the Master's tenets.

It was not until about the sixth century that St. Benedict drew up a form of Liturgy for the monks, and almost exactly as it is read today, the Office said by every priest was first conceived by the Monastic pioneers.

The Psalter of the 150 Psalms of David, form the real groundwork of the office which as you know is divided into "Hours," the daily recital of all these Psalms is so arranged that every week the priest says the entire Psalter through. Naturally the Roman division of the day was adopted; Lauds, Prime, Terce, Sext, None, Vespers and Compline.

The Roman Breviary—for certain orders and rites possess their own special Breviaries—is divided into four parts according to the season of the year which for the Church, begins with Advent, the order of the volumes being consequently Winter, Spring, Summer and Autumn. It is made up of the following elements: (a) The Psalter; (b) The Proper of the Season; (c) The Proper of the Saints; (d) The Common; (e) certain special Offices.

We have seen that the Psalter is composed of the 150 Psalms of David and is the most ancient part of the Office. It is also of importance to note that Pius X had effected a new arrangement of the Psalter, the first made in three centuries.

The Proper of Seasons means the special liturgy set aside for different times of the year and the great feasts which they include: Advent, Christmas, Septuagesima, Lent, Holy Week, Paschal time and Pentecost. The Proper of Saints explains itself as being the liturgy for the festivals of Saints. The Common of Saints is employed for groups of festivals. The Office of the Dead is also a very venerable portion of the Breviary. The whole recital includes the Pater, Ave and Credo which are said (or ought to be said) at least once a day by all Catholics as members of the vast army. It is not necessary to go into details as to the whole recital beyond saying that even the "procedures" invol-

ed in the saying of the daily Office requires in the priest an exercise of memory and indeed patience which are not common to all mortals. Many of the Psalms and other parts of the Office have to be recited several times over and the number of repetitions is very large. Many Catholics who have had much experience of the company of priests may have noticed on occasions when one of them has taken up his Breviary in order to complete his Office, that at times he raised the voice in such a way that his words, without being spoken, are clearly heard. Very few are however, aware that this raising of the voice is part of the rule by which he is bound in its recital.

In regard to the changes in the Office which were effected by the late Pope, it may be pointed out that in the Office for the Dead, Pius Tenth made it known that a Commission would be entrusted with the delicate work of thoroughly revising some portions of these orders. There is a double object in view in this, the first being to shorten them as much as possible, the second to eliminate any matter considered to be of doubtful authenticity. The present generation of users of the Breviary is, however, hardly likely to see the results of these critical labors which will hardly be less extensive than was the revision of the Vulgate.

Many Troubles Arise From Wrong Action Of The Liver.

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Visits of Departed Spirits

Sir—Our servants say that in these days they have been seeing the ghost of a sweeper woman who during her life time served in this building. My companions say that they quite believe the story and on maintains that he actually saw a ghost.

Will you please let me know whether the departed are allowed to visit the scenes of their former activity, and whether belief in ghosts is consistent with Christian doctrine? Yours, etc.

(SIGNED)
Father Hall's Comment
on the foregoing Letter.

(1) Humanity in general has always believed that the departed are allowed to visit the scenes of their former activity—not that every departed spirit does so, but some at least. It is always difficult to verify instances, unless one sees them oneself, and it is certain that many such apparitions are the product of imagination. This is often considered a rather damaging fact; for it leads the sceptical to take for granted that the whole matter of apparitions is a delusion of the imagination, springing from a deep-rooted instinct for superstition. In our God, Man and Religion, we worked out the matter in a different way, and showed that the belief in the unseen, though instinctive, was a sound instinct to believe in apparitions was in itself merely a form of that instinct, having a basis of truth at the bottom of it; and that this propensity sank down into superstition only through too ready a following of the imagination unchecked by reason. For all we know, a ghost of a sweeper might have appeared as described. But it may just as well be a fancy, and as nothing serious turns on the matter it is not worth investigating, except for those concerned with the party.

(2) Belief in "ghosts" is itself quite consistent with Christian doctrine. By a ghost we mean literally a spirit—either an angel or a devil or a departed soul, or even the soul of a living but absent person—projecting itself as it were in space so as to give a visible impress to some beholder. Apparitions of various sorts are vouchered for in the Bible. In some cases angels appeared, e. g., to Abraham. In other cases departed souls, e. g., the spirit of Samuel at Endor. In other cases the devil himself, e. g., in Our Lord's temptation. It is by no means a rare occurrence for departed souls to appear to Catholics asking for prayers; and some of these cases are so well verified as to give no reasonable ground for doubt. It is con-

Church of St. Prisca

The Church of St. Prisca, on the Eastern slope of The Aventine, Rome, is built on the site where stood the house of Aquila and Priscilla, his wife, to whom Saint Paul alludes in his Epistle to the Romans.

We read that St. Eutychius brought the body of Santa Prisca here in 820 and dedicated the church to her. It has three naves with fourteen columns embedded in pilasters. The frescoes on the walls are by Fontebuono; the Baptism of the Saint over the altar by Passigioni. Steps lead down to a "Confessio" where there is a mosaic of St. Peter, dating from the thirteenth century.

The side altars are dedicated on the right to St. John Gualberto and to Our Lady; on the left to Our Saviour, Crucified; and to St. Anthony of Padua.

The new General of the Franciscan Order, recently elected at the general chapter of the Order, held in Rome, is the Very Rev. Serafino Cimino, O. F. M., Custos of the Holy Lands. The new General was born October 3, 1875, at Capri, in the Diocese of Sorrento in southern Italy. He entered the Franciscan Order in 1893, and was ordained priest in 1898. In 1911 he came to the United States, and was professor at St. Anthony's College at Catskill, N. Y. At the age of thirty-nine years he is head of the whole Franciscan Order.

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