



Bulletin of the Archconfraternity

Affiliations. — On the 23rd May, the parish of Ste Anne de Chicoutimi, diocese of Chicoutimi ; on the 9th June, the parish of St. Michel de Mistassini, Lake St. John, diocese of Chicoutimi ; on the 10th June, the parish of St. Léon, Manitoba, diocese of St. Boniface : on the 24th June the parish of Beauport, district of Quebec.

These four new affiliations bring up the total number since the beginning of the year to 9. Several other parishes also solicit the same favor.

Favors due to the Archconfraternity.—Rvd A. M. Clément, rector of the parish of Ste Anne at Fiskdale, Mass. writes us : « Several miracles or signal favors have been obtained in our shrine of St. Anne. It is the finest of the whole diocese and we possess relics of St. Anne given us by Monsignor Marquis. A great many pilgrims come here in fulfilment of vows to St. Anne. The only drawback is that our shrine is far from the railway. St. Anne is greatly beloved and honored here. »

This is what the Rvd pastor of the parish of St. Louis, New Haven, Conn. writes us : « The archconfraternity stimulates piety generally, and devotion to St. Anne in particular. »

Echo of the missions. — The Rvd pastor of St. Michel of Mistassini writes us : « I am very well satisfied with the retreat ; it has been a complete success. Since that time I see many men and women making the way of the cross every day. »

J. F. R. GAUTHIER, priest.

One of our missionary fathers writes us from the CONGO (AFRICA) : « The tribulations of the journey are already fully compensated by the joy we have felt since our arrival at Matadi. Twenty six blacks have received communion for the first time, from the hand of Monsignor Van Rouslé and have been confirmed. Several other black brothers are preparing for baptism by attending catechism daily. We may therefore hope for a fine harvest from this new field confided to our beloved Congregation. »

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