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Current Events



glance at the pilgrimages. — From the 15th June to the 16th July, pilgrimages have succeeded one another in our Basilica. They have been very fine and have been performed with edifying piety. Would that we had the space for a complete description of each of those imposing displays! We hope, however, that a brief review of them will manifest to no less a degree the great love borne to St. Anne by her children in Canada and the United States.

June

Three pilgrimages. — Sunday the 18th June was a great day. As early at 5.30 a. m. the steamer, *Three Rivers* brought us the *Third Order of Montreal* (women) under the direction of the Reverend Franciscan fathers. They numbered 900. Then came the *Third Order of St. Sauveur (Quebec)* to the number of 550. Finally the *League of the Sacred Heart of St. Roch, (Quebec)*, numbering from 1,800 to 2,000. The *Garde Champlain* marched at the head of the latter. General communions, brilliant processions and public prayers constituted a most touching spectacle. On that day over 3,000 pilgrims gladdened St. Anne's heart.