

THE VIOLET
OF
OUR VILLA,
CONG. DE NOTRE DAME.

THE large family of the Congregation of N. D., composed of upward of 15,700 members including the pupils, is, we are proud to say, the garden of the Immaculate Virgin. This celestial Queen cultivates, with truly maternal solicitude, each little flower in order to render it worthy to be presented to her divine Son. With what complacency does she not consider their variegated beauty, when she sees each and all correspond with her care, and raising towards Heaven their beautiful corollas. Oh! it is then we behold that amiable mother surveying with pleasure her delicious parterre, culling some-