SISTER M. IRMENGARD MOSS

276. DECEMBER 10, 1946

Sister M. Irmengard, formerly Frances Moss of Los Angeles, California, daughter of Leonard Moss and Anna Schiltz Moss, died at St. Margaret's Hospital, Spring Valley, IL, on Tuesday, December 10, 1946, at 11:25 a.m., having Extreme Unction administered while unconscious. Death was due to a skull fracture in an auto collision on December 8.

Sister M. Irmengard was born in Aurora, IL, on January 12, 1907. She was one of fourteen children: four boys and ten girls. Four of the girls were members of religious communities; Sisters Anysia and Hermenegild were also in our community, another Sister joined Maryknoll in New York. After completing her postulancy on August 12, 1928 she entered the Novitiate and made her Profession of Vows on August 12, 1930. Her ministry included teaching at the following schools of the Congregation:

St. Bernard, Joliet	1930-33	Grades 1,2,3
Immaculate Conception, Toledo	1933-36	Grade 3
St. John, Joliet	1936-37	Grade 2
St. Joseph, Elgin	1937-39	Grades 3,4
St. John, Joliet	1939-40	Grade 3
St. Francis Convent, Joliet	1940-41	Substitute teacher
Sacred Heart, Hubbard Woods	1941-42	Grades 3,4
Immaculate Conception, Columbia	us1942-46	Grades 3.2

St. Benedict Catechetical, Ladd Sept.-Dec. 8, 1946
Sisters M. Irmengard and M. Georgia were the first of our Sisters to be assigned full time to the teaching of religion for children enrolled in Public Schools. Their ministry included many parishes in the Peoria Diocese with the center at St. Benedict, Ladd, IL. The account of the accident, the two deaths and funerals is given in Sister Georgia's account that follows as # 277.