A Well-Earned Holiday

FATHER GALERNE LEAVES FOR EUROPE.

After many years of strenuous labor in various parts of the Dominion, we are delighted—as will be his very numerous friends throughout New Zealand—to learn that Father A. Galerne, S.M., now of Temuka, has been granted leave of absence, and, at the request of the Superior-General at Turin, Italy, leaves shortly for Europe. Father Galerne



came to New Zealand in 1890, close on 34 years ago, and during that lengthy period, except to Fiji, his travels have not extended beyond the limits of the various districts to which duty called him.

In company with Archbishop O'Shea, Father S. Mahony, the late Father Malone, and a French student (now on the mission in the New Hebridies), he studied theology at Mecance, and the five of them were ordained together by Bishop Grimes, on December 3, 1893.

Ordained for the Marist Missions among the islands of the South Seas, Father Galerne went to Fiji, but owing to his health being affected by the trying climate, he was obliged, to his great sorrow, to return after seven weeks, to New Zealand. He subsequently spent 12 years in the extensive parish of Reefton, 5 years in the Cathedral parish of Christchurch, 6 years in Temuka, 3 years in Hastings, 2 years in Fairlie, close on 2 years in Timaru, and one year in Wellington. Father Galerne has made many sincere friends in every district in which he has so devotedly labored, and all will wish him a pleasant holiday abroad, and the enjoyment of the best of health.

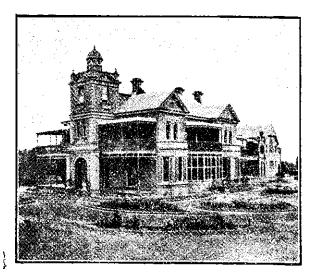
Timaru (From our own correspondent.)

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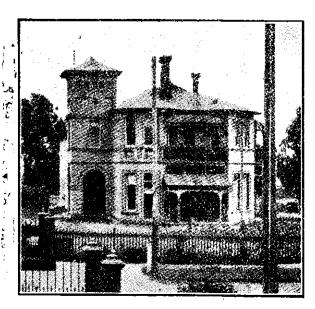
One of the very useful adjuncts to the parish is the workroom in connection with the Convent technical school, attached to the Girls' School, Craigie Avenue, where dressmaking has been carried on for many years. A large number of girls have received valuable instruction in the intricacies of dressmaking and designing, and several have thus been enabled to commence business on their own account, and to take charge of large departments elsewhere. The ruling rate of wages is paid, and apart from possessing the advantages of any ordinary workroom there is the additional benefit of the truly Catholic atmosphere amongst the workers.

The Christian Brothers' Novitiate and Juniorate Strathfield, N.S.W.

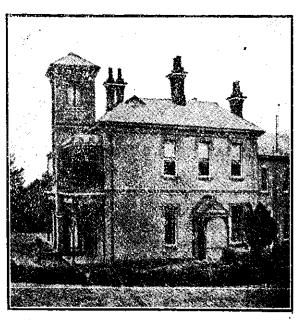
The three Houses in the Christian Brothers' beautiful home at Strathfield, where many Dunedin boys are doing honor to their birthplace and their Alma Mater.



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