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J. M. J. +

[redacted] dau. of [redacted]

Born Kilmeedy, Middlesex, Co. Cork.

Entered Religion

Sep. 16th 1948

Received as Novice

May 24th 1949

Religious Name Sister [redacted]

SR 5

Professed

August 15th 1950

The vows were received by Rev. Thos. Hand O.S.A.

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Pronounced 2nd year Vows. August 15th 1951. ~~Manchester.~~ ^{Hammersmith.}

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Pronounced 3rd year Vows. August 15th 1952 Southsea

P

Pronounced Triennial Vows. August 15th 1953, Romsey.

F

Pronounced Final Vows. August 15th 1956 - Hammersmith

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Sister

SR 5

died on

[redacted] 1990, in Nottingham
R. I. P.

J. J.

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1971

TERMONBACCA

1	SR 7	Superior
2	SR 12	L. b. linen Room. Parlour
3	SR 5	Boys. Bureau
4	SR 8	Bureau later
5	SR 2	Boys
6	SR 3	Nursery and Girls
	SR 36	later

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1912

TERMONBACCA

SR 7
SR 12

SR 5

SR 36
SR 2
SR 3

Superior, Cluck

Cunella, Lin. Rm

Bison, Graft

Cotton, from

Graft, landing

Heavy, gila

47.

1974

TERMONBACCA

1	1	SR 7	Superior, Church, C.C.C.	1
2	2	SR 12	Councillor, Parlour, linen room	2
3	3	SR 5	Bursar Group	3
4	4	SR 36	Cakehouse farm	
5	5	SR 2	Group, laundry	1
6	6	SR 3	Nursery gals N.N.E.B.	2

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J. M. J. +

SR 11

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Born Blonclad, Ballyvoige, Co. Cork

Entered Religion

Oct. 19th 1945

Received as Novice

May 24th 1946.

Religious Name Sister

SR 11

Professed

Aug. 15th 1947.

The Vows were received by Rev. B.J. Donohue, O.S.A.

Pronounced 2nd Vows, August 15th 1948. Sheffield English.Pronounced 3rd year Vows, August 15th 1949. Sheffield English.Pronounced Quinquennial Vows, August 16th 1950, Hammesburgh.Pronounced Final Vows, August 15th 1952, Hammesburgh.

Sister

SR 11

died

1992, in Bonyrigg, R.I.P.

J.M.

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St Joseph's. Immonbacca. 1950.

SR 78

SR 88

SR 12

Superior. Church.
1st L.C. Parlour. Farm Boys

2nd L.C. Children

Babies.

Bursar. Kitchens

Linen Room.

Work Room. Laundry.

Linen Room

3 37

Yermombacca, 1960.

SR 13

*Superior**Farm*

SR 11

*1st LC.**Boys*

SR 16

Invalid

SR 94

*Linen Room
in Hospital*

SR 38

*Bursar**Nursery*

SR 8

Kitchen

SR 3

Boys.

2

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1961

Yermombacca

SR 13

Superior Farm Chapel

SR 11

Councillor Childrens

SR 16

Invalid

SR 94

Linen Room

SR 38

BussarNursery

SR 8

Kitchen

SR 3

Boys

8

SR 95

SR 136

Nursery

SR 1

BussarChildren

At 6.55 p.m. on Feb:16th [redacted] fell off his bed and had a double fracture of the wrist. SR 86 [redacted] reported the accident to me immediately and asked for the car to send him straight to hospital. I telephoned Dr. [redacted] and was told to send [redacted] to his surgery, that he would be there until 7.30. I told Sr. A. to have him down at the surgery at 7.15 if possible.

The previous day [redacted] had fallen on a haystile and got a thorn in his hand. It was poulticed for 24 hrs, but there was some inflammatic and he, too, was sent to the Dr. [redacted] did not wait to wash him or change his clothing. The car with the two boys left the house at 7.11. Dr. [redacted] saw them and sent them to the City Hospital. Our driver was to stay with them and bring them home, but the Dr. in the O.P. Dept. sent him back here for a written permission to administer an anaesthetic. When this was being written the driver went to get his overcoat as he had been rushed out without it the first time. As he was about to leave for the hospital Dr. [redacted] telephoned and asked me to go to the hospital. SR 86 [redacted] and I went at once in the car. We went to the O.P. dept and Dr. [redacted] came signed to us to go out with him to the corridor. He asked if I were Rev. Mother and went on to say that [redacted] had told him a very strange story and if it got to the authorities it would go to the extreme limit, and that he wanted to shield us, and he would if we told him the truth. I asked what was the story and he replied that the boy had told him that the accident had happened the night before, and when he asked [redacted] why he did not go first thing in the morning to have it seen to he said that he had to work all day. I told Dr. [redacted] that the accident had happened that evening less than two hours before and I asked SR 86 [redacted] to tell him what happened. She did so and again he asked us to tell the truth and that he would shield us. I repeated that we were telling the truth and had nothing to hide. We left him and went into the room to the boys. Dr. [redacted] came in after us and in his presence I asked [redacted] when did the accident happen and he said tonight. SR 86 [redacted]

then spoke to the boy and he said that he had hurt his arm that night. [redacted] asked me again to tell the truth and that even if we did not own up the Xray would reveal the truth, that he would have to get a surgeon to attend to the boy's arm and that if this story got out it would go to the extreme limit and that he as a catholic wanted to shield us. I replied that there was nothing to hide from any surgeon and that surely an accident could happen at Termonbacca as well as at the City and County Hospital.

Dr. [redacted] did not accept the written permission we had with us, he asked the nurse who was present to get a hospital form which I signed. He told us that he was keeping the boys in the hospital. I asked [redacted] to give me the names of the boys who were in the dormitory when he fell. We left the hospital and when we came in we questioned the three boys about the accident. One boy said that when SR 86 [redacted] left the dormitory [redacted] began to play and got up in his bed and tried to walk along the top rail and fell off on his arm. The other boys said they did not see him fall, but they heard him scream and they ran to tell Sister that he was hurt. [redacted] had had a slight fracture of the same wrist at Christmas and had been attended to at the hospital.

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St. Joseph's Termonebucca - 1951

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SR 78

SR 88

SR 12

SR 86

SR 11

Superior Church

1st L.C. Farm

2nd L.C. Boys

Babies

Linen Room

Barber Kitchen

Workroom Laundry

Boys

Barber Kitchen

COPY (Original on T.172)

T.172

I had already heard of this case via Co. Derry Welfare Authority, earlier this week.

The Home concerned is St. Joseph's Boys' Home, Termonbarroca, run by the Nazareth Order. I understand that two boys were placed out to work on a farm in the Feeny-Dungiven area, from which two sons of the house had been "lifted" by the Police as internees or detainees.

Voluntary Homes are required under sec. 103 of the C. and Y.P. Act, 1950, to inform the Welfare Authority in whose area a child over school age proposes to reside on leaving the Home and the Welfare Authority is required to advise and befriend the child unless satisfied that the Home has its own after-care facilities. For children of school age and under, the Child Life Protection provisions in Part I of the Act would apply. For children over school age, prior approval to the placement is not required.

Homes have of course been made aware of these provisions, but it is the kind of thing that tends to lapse when management of a Home changes. It might be possible to issue a further circular letter on the subject to Voluntary Homes as was done on 16.3.51 in Circ. No. T.C.7.

Miss Wright will be visiting this Home in the near future and could be asked to take up the question of sec. 103 notification with them and in particular the placement of these two boys.

(Sgd.) K.B. FORREST

21.11.58

(See further correspondence on T.172.)

The Minister of Home Affairs (Mr. Topping) was approached by the Minister of Agriculture (Rev. Moore) about two boys who had been boarded out somewhere in Feeny from St. Joseph's Boys' Home, Termontbarra. P.S.(i) passed a note into this branch asking for details of this case. No clue was given as to why there should be any query so the matter was passed to Miss Forrest to see if she could throw any light on the case. A copy of her minute of 21/11/58 is filed above. The original alongwith P.S.(i)'s note of 20/11/58 and the Minister's jottings (undated) were returned to P.S.(i) today.

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