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INTRODUCTION

This is the special issue of LASALLIANA for 1998 and 1999. It contains the List of the Circulars of the Superiors General as far as it was possible to compile from the Institute Archives.

Evidently it is not a work to be read through, but one for help with study, and as a reference for students and specialists in Lasallian questions. It is published with this in mind.

We have received several requests on this matter and many Brothers have asked if such lists existed and how they could be accessed. Evidently this would not be easy unless you lived in Rome.

This is what persuaded us to offer such a rich tool for those who feel the need for it, or will do so. It will undoubtedly be useful to other Brothers in the future, or to those researching Lasallian topics.

To compile the list we made use of three sources:

- Firstly, the bound collection of circulars in the Institute Archives.
- Secondly, a ready-made list used in CIL, in which no author's name appears. It is found in two sets of note-books. When reading them it is plain that there are different authors because the criteria used for making the résumés are different, as is the vocabulary used to summarise the topics.
- Thirdly, an incomplete list from 1875 to 1912, which used to be in the Procure General of the Institute, and including the Generalates of Brothers Irlide, Joseph and Gabriel-Marie. It is a 106-page manuscript note-book, drawn up in an excellent handwriting and with admirable conciseness. On the cover someone has written in pencil: «Sent by Br. Victorin, Archivist in the Mother House in about 1910».

Whoever uses this work of reference will see that the Circulars of the Institute cover four periods.

- The first goes from the origins of the Institute to 1805, to the time of Br. Frumence. The Circulars and communications which appear are rarely numbered. In many instances they are handwritten. Certain ones are known through the biographers and historians of the Founder or the Superiors. Many others are unknown, certainly, but those which are known, are listed in chronological order.
- The second period runs from 1805 with Br. Frumence until 1822, the end of Br. Gerbaud's mandate.
- The third begins with the Generalate of Br. Guillaume de Jésus. At this point they began to number the circulars, starting at n° 1. This period lasts until the end of Br. Jean-Olympe's Generalate in 1875.
- The fourth period begins with Br. Irlide in 1875. It starts again at number 1 under the generic title of instructive and administrative Circulars, and has continued to the present day.

It will be noticed that between one number and another of successive circulars, there is sometimes a series of circulars, letters or communications which are given the number of the preceding circular followed by a letter. They are not numbered as circulars, properly so-called, although some could be the appendices of certain circulars. Some of them were merely handwritten documents. They are not normally bound with the collection of circulars, but are to be found in the files of the corresponding Generalate. To have them listed here may be of great use for students.

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**TABLE OF THE CIRCULARS OF THE SUPERIORS
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FIRST SERIES

Number	Date	Topics dealt with
Saint John-Baptist de La Salle		
<i>N.B. In the first series, this sign (*) refers to the pages at the end of Saint John-B. De La Salle by Canon Blain, 1733 edition.</i>		
a.	April, 1684, Rheims	Convocation of the principal Brothers to Rheims for the Feast of the Ascension. Blain, 1733, I, p232.
b.	May, 1684, Rheims	Results of the General Assembly. Blain, I, 232. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions. General Chapters.
c.	May, 1684, Rheims	Circular letter announcing the death of Br. Jean-François. Blain, I, 252.
d.	May, 1685, Rheims	Convocation of the Brothers to Rheims before the Feast of the Holy Trinity. Blain, I, 237.
e.	May, 1686, Rheims	Circular letter recommending to their prayers the soul of Rev. Fr. Barré, who died on 13th May, in Paris. Blain, I, 283.
f.	August, 1686, Rheims	Convocation of the Brothers to Rheims. Blain, I, 262.
g.	Sept., 1686, Rheims	Results of the General Meeting. Election of Br. Henri L'Heureux as Superior. Blain, I, 262. Maillefer, 50. Rule of Government 1845 and 1875. General Chapters.
h.	Sept., 1686, Rheims	Circular letter announcing the death of Br. Nicolas Bourlette (known as Br. Modeste), who died in Laon on 16th (Gabriel Drolin is given as a witness in the Parish Register of Saint-Pierre). Blain, I, 255.
i.	May, 1686, Rheims	Circular letter announcing the death of Br. Maurice on 1st May, aged 22. Blain, I 257.
j.	June, 1687, Rheims	Circular letter ordering prayers for the repose of the soul of Mr Adrien Nyel, who died in Rouen on 31st May. Blain, I, 282.
k.	July, 1687, Rheims	Circular letter announcing the death of a Brother who died at home. Blain, I, 257
l.	June?, 1691, Rheims	Circular letter to recommend to their prayers, the soul of Br. Henri L'Heureux who died in Paris at the age of 29. Blain, I, 308.
1	August, 1691, Paris	Convocation of the Brothers of Vaugirard for a month's retreat. Blain, I, 314,315; II, 69*
1a	Sept., 1691, Paris	Paper written by Mr de La Salle on the origins of the Institute. Life of Venerable De La Salle by Abbé Salvan, 1852, p407.
1b	8th Oct., 1691, Paris	Opening of the Vaugirard Novitiate. Blain, I, 315.
1c	21st Nov., 1691, Par.	Act of Perseverance. Blain, I, 313.
1d	August, 1692, Paris	Calling the Brothers of Rheims, Laon, Guise and Rethel to Vaugirard for a retreat and the exercises of the Novitiate during September. Blain, I, 326, 328.

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1e	August, 1693, Paris	Circular letter asking for prayers for the repose of the soul of Mme de Maillefer, who died in Rouen in the Parish of Saint Nicaise. Blain, I, 153, 158. Salvan 57.
2	January, 1694, Paris	Convocation of the 1st General Chapter in Vaugirard. Blain, I, 342.
2a	May, 1694, Paris	Summoning to the preparatory retreat of the General Chapter. Blain, I, 343, 356. Life of Mr De La Salle by Fr. Garreau p.277
2b	June, 1694, Paris	Results of the General Chapter. Declaration concerning the future Superior of the Institute. Blain, I, 236, 244,348.
2c	Nov., 1694, Paris	Circular letter recommending to their prayers the soul of Br. Paris, known as Br. Joseph, who died in Laon. Blain, II, 69*.
2d	August, 1696, Paris	Summoning the Brothers of Vaugirard. Sending of the manuscripts of the Recollection and the Rules. Blain, I, 339, 343. Maillefer, 77.
2e	1696, Paris	Printing of the book: Exercises of piety for the use of the Christian Schools; in-16 of 88 pages, at the printers, Jaq. Langlois, a printer in Paris. (Approved by Mr de Précelles, 21st March, 1696; permission to print by Mgr le Chancelier), Blain, I, 341, Paris, Bibliothèque Nationale, Ms Register n° 21.939.
2f	April?, 1698, Paris	Transfer of the Novitiate from Vaugirard to N.D. des Vertus in the Grand'Maison. Blain, I, 360.
2g	?1698, Paris	Printing of the book: Instructions and prayers for Holy Mass, in-16 of 152 pages. Printed by Langlois (with permission, on the approval of Mr de Précelles, 16th January, 1698). Blain, I, 341. Paris, Bibliothèque Nationale, Ms Register n° 21.939.
2h	?1698, Paris	Printing of a French Syllabary in-16 of 72 pages, by Jaq. Langlois, Printer in Paris (without permission). Blain, I, 341. Paris, Bibliothèque Nationale, Ms Register n° 21.939).
3	July, 1699, Paris	Circular obituary letter concerning Br. Jean-Henry. Blain, II, 76*
3a	15th Feb., 1700, Paris	Approval of the Translation of the Christian Doctrine of Saint Augustine, for an in -8°. (Presented by Mr De La Salle, the translator). Blain, I, 341. Paris, Bibliothèque Nationale, Ms Register n° 21.399, f.9.
3b	?1702, Paris	Circular letter sent with the manuscript Rule for Br. Directors. Blain, II, 146.
3c	23rd Jan., 1703, Paris	Approval for the printing or reprinting of the «Instructions and exercises of piety for the use of the Christian Schools, C. by the Superior of the Christian Schools. Presented on 2nd November, 1702, for a P.S. This collection contains: 1. A <i>French Syllabary</i> printed in 72 pages in-16 by Jaq. Langlois, in Paris, without permission. 2. Another printing by the same printer in 88 pages in-16 by permission of Mgr le Chanr. Approved by Mr de Précelles, 21st March, 1696 entitled <i>Exercises of Piety</i> . 3. Another in-16 in 152 pages printed by the same printer with permission, on the approval of Mr de Précelles, 16th January, 1698, entitled <i>Instructions and Prayers for Holy Mass</i> . 4. <i>Catechism of the Brothers of the Christian Schools or the Duties of a Christian to God, in question and answer form</i> . Two big mss. in-12, printed as one in-12. 5. <i>Two abridged versions of the above Catechism: large and small abridged versions</i> for an in-12 and an in-16. Two manuscripts in-12. 6. Another ms. entitled <i>Christian Instruction or the Duties of a Christian to God</i> and the means of fulfilling them, in a series of articles. Three mss. vol. in-12 to be printed in one vol. in-12. 7. Another ms. <i>Methodical instruction for teaching how to make a good confession</i> , printed and forming part of a small in-12 and n° 3 above. 8. <i>Christian Civility</i> . It is a small in-8 printed in a type-face imitating Gothic writing. 9. (On the register before 8th we read:) <i>Instructions and Prayers for Confession and Communion</i> in 8e was given on 17th January, 1703. Simple permission to Mr De la Salle, Superior of the Christian Schools. For five years, 23rd January, 1703. Blain, I, 341.
3d	20th August, 1703	Departure from the Grand Maison. Blain, II, 5.
3e	20th August, 1703	Approval by the Rev. Fr. Inquisitor of Avignon of all the works written by the Holy Founder for the Brothers and their Schools. Letter to Br. Gabriel Drolin, 4th September, 1705.
3f	August, 1705	Transfer of the Novitiate of the Institute from Paris to Saint-Yon near Rouen. Blain, II, 30.
3g	28th August, 1705, Paris	Circular letter to recommend to their prayers Bros. Michael and Jacques who died in Chartres during an epidemic. Blain, I, 379. Salvan, 256.
3h	September, 1705	Convocation of the Brothers to Saint-Yon for the retreat. Blain, II, 31. Maillefer 109.
3i	August, 1706	Dispatch of manuscript copies of the Rules and the Conduct of Schools. Blain, II, 143; I, 245; II, 359, 360, 367.

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3j	1707	Circular letter to announce the death of Br. Dominique at Saint-Yon. Blain, II, 80*.
3k	June?, 1707?	Order to take out a passage in the daily prayers. Blain, II, 222.
3l	15th July, 1708, Paris	Appointment of Br. Joseph to visit the Houses of Rethel, Guise, Laon and Rheims (Br. Joseph was the Director in Rheims). Collection of Letters, p76.
3m	30th July, 1709, Paris	Appointment of Br Joseph as Visitor of the Houses of Guise, Laon, Rheims, Rethel and Troyes. Collection of Letters, p109.
3n	?1710	Instructive Circular on Confidence in God. Salvan, 438.
3o	?1711, Avignon	Printing of the <i>Collection of various short treatises for the use of the Brothers of the Christian Schools</i> . A plate, by Joseph Charles Chastanier, Printer and bookseller. Blain, I, 341.
3p	16th Nov., 1711, Paris	Appointment of Br. Joseph as Visitor of the «Houses of Moulins, Dijon, Troyes, Rheims, Rethel, Laon, Guise, Boulogne, Rouen, Saint-Yon, Darnétal, Chartres, Versailles and Saint-Denis, dependants of the aforementioned Society of the Christian Schools»... (with the seal or monogram of the Name of Jesus and the caption: the Brothers of the Christian Schools). Collection of Letters, p32.
3q	10th Dec., 1711, Paris	Permission to print «Instructions and <i>Exercises of Piety for the use of the Christian Schools</i> , namely: A French syllabary A short Exercise of piety Instructions and Prayers for Mass Methodical Instruction on teaching how to make a good confession Catechism of the Brothers of the Christian Schools in question and answer form The large and small abridged versions of the above Catechism The Duties of a Christian through a series of treatises Instructions and prayers for confession and communion Rules of Decorum and Christian civility Christian life or the means of living as a Christian Hymns, And the Office of Our Lady with the Psalter all for the use of the Christian Schools. Presented by Mr De La Salle on 10th December, 1711. Approved earlier. Simple permission to the S*** for five years. On Thursday, 10th December, 1711. Paris, Bibliothèque Nationale. Mss Register n° 21.942, p64.
3r	April, 1712, Paris	Circular letter from Br. Barthélemy to console the Brothers over the absence of the Founder and to let them know that while awaiting his return, they could approach him in accordance with the intentions of their common Father, and he would do his best to satisfy everyone. Blain, II, 17.
3s	February, 1713, Paris	Circular letter announcing the death of Br. Hilarion while on a journey. Blain, II, 79*.
3t	November, 1913	Circular letter sent with the Bull Unigenitus which they were told to read. Salvan, 412
3u	Dec., 1713	Circular letter from Br. Barthélemy, Director in Paris, to the Bros. Directors of the Houses in the provinces. Salvan, 357
3v	Dec., 1713	Circular letter about the death of a Brother in the House at Alais. Blain, II, III*
3w	1st April, 1714, Paris	Collective letter from the Bros. of Paris, Saint-Denis and Versailles to Mr De La Salle in Provence begging him and ordering him to take charge of the general government of the society. Blain, II, 118. Salvan, 357.
3x	Sept., 1714, Paris	Circular letter from Br. Barthélemy to the Brothers in the Houses in Provence asking for their agreement, in writing, to the collective letter of 1st April, 1714, of the Bros. Directors of Paris, Saint-Denis and Versailles. Blain, II, 19*.
4	Dec., 1714	Circular concerning the death of Br. Placide in Rethel, on 11th December, aged 23 and a half (entered in 1710). Blain, II, 42*. Thoughts, p59.
4a	5th Sept., 1715	Death of King Louis XIV. The Founder had prayers said for him as the Protector of the Institute. Blain, II, 127.
5	4th Dec., 1716, St-Yon	Circular letter from the principal Brothers of Saint-Yon and signed by the Founder to announce the visit of Br. Barthélemy. Register n° 1, p1. Blain, II, 132.
6	April, 1717, St-Yon	Convocation of a General Chapter at Saint-Yon on 23rd May. Blain, II, 134.
7	May, 1717, St-Yon	Results of the Assembly of Brothers with the right to vote, or of the 2nd General Chapter. Election of a Superior General. Blain, II, 135, 150. Garreau, 527. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.

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7a	November?, 1717	Circular letter from the Holy Founder asking for prayers for a happy outcome of a matter concerning the House of Sain-Yon. Salvan, 371.
7b	March, 1718, St-Yon	Circular letter concerning the death of two Brothers novices. Life of Br. Irénée, 1774, p62.
8	31st Oct., 1718, St-Yon	Circular letter from Br. Barthélemy sent with a copy of the Rules to the different Houses of the Institute. See the copy sent to the community in Troyes.
9	28th Jan., 1719 St-Yon	Circular and open letter from the Founder of the Brothers against Jansenism. Blain, II. 224.

Br. Barthélemy, Superior General

10	13th April, 1719, Saint-Yon	Circular letter from Br. Barthélemy announcing the death of the Holy Founder at Saint-Yon on 7th, Good Friday. Blain, II, 179, 22*, 38*. Thoughts, 48-53.
10a	1719	Circular letter concerning submission to Our Holy Father the Pope and to the Church. Blain, II. 32.
11	September, 1719	Circular letter about a Brother leaving. Blain, II. 54*. Thoughts, 68*.
12	October?, 1719	Circular letter with reference to perseverance. Blain, 54*.
13	October, 1719	Precautionary Circular letter and Memorandum bringing together all the possible questions about the new doctrine with the answers to be given, with the advice not to engage in long discussions and to draw one's replies from the catechism. Blain, II. 34*
13a	1719	Circular letter asking for prayers on an important matter. Blain, II. 46*.
14	16th June, 1720	Circular letter from the two Bros. Assistants announcing the death of the M.H.B. Barthélemy and including a convocation of the Chapter. Blain, II. 26*.

Br. Timothée, Superior General

15	August, 1720	Results of the 3rd General Chapter. Blain, II, 184. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
16	September, 1720	Circular sent at the same time as the Conduct of Schools. See volume of the aforementioned publication.
16a	September, 1720	Circular letter recommending to their prayers a Brother who had died in Marseilles. Blain, II, 12.
16b	March, 1721	Circular letter from the M.H.B. Timothée to gather together the documents necessary for writing the life of the Holy Founder. Blain, II. 155.
16c	August, 1721	Circular letter recommending to their prayers Brother Honoré, who died in Paris at the age of 60, in an extraordinary display of piety, after having lived 15 years in the Society as a serving Brother. Blain, II. 190.
16d	August, 1722	Circular letter recommending to their prayers some Brothers who had died in Marseilles.
17	June, 1725	Convocation of a General Chapter to receive the Bull of Approbation of the Institute and the Rules. Blain, II, 147, 192.
18	August, 1725	Results of the 4th General Chapter held in Saint-Yon. Blain, II. 193. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
19	1st April, 1726, Saint-Yon	Circular letter and preface to the volume of the Rules sent to each community. See the copy sent to the House at Meaux.
19a	May, 1726	Circular letter announcing the death of a Brother in Rouen, on the eve of the Sunday in the octave of the Ascension. Blain, II. 105*.

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20b	June, 1731	Circular letter announcing the death on 4th of a Brother with triennial vows. Blain, II. 110*.
21	November, 1731	Obituary circular of Br. Stanislas who died in Marseilles on 4th November, 1731. Blain, II. 95*. See his obituary notice.
21a	1733	Circular of M.H.B. Timothée announcing the general visitation of the houses of the Institute by Br. Irénée. Life of Br. Irénée, 1774, p.26.
21b	1733	Circular of M.H.B. Timothée to make known the publication of the Life of the Holy Founder and an abridged version of the Lives of some Brothers who died in the odour of sanctity.
22	28th Apr., 1734, St-Y.	Obituary circular of Br. Isidore who died in Versailles. Ms. of Br. Irénée.
23	June, 1734, St-Yon	Circular letter from Br. Timothée inviting the Bros. Directors to the transfer of the relics of the Founder on 16th July. Blain, II, account, p3. Garreau, 326. Salvan, 484. Maillefer. at the end.
24	August, 1734	Results of the 5th General Chapter opened on 1st August in Saint-Yon. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
25	1734	Circular from the M.H.B. Timothée accompanying the Letter from the Author of the Life of Mr. De La Salle with reference to the critical remarks on his Work. Blain, II, at the end. Rare copies.
26	June, 1737, St-Yon	Obituary circular of Br. Dosithée, Assistant and Procurator General. Manuscript. Thoughts, p80.
26a	1738	Circular announcing the general visitation of the Houses of the Institute by Br. Irénée, Assistant. Life of Br. Irénée, 1774, p.31.
26b	1739	Printing of the work <i>Explanation of the Method of Mental Prayer</i> . See the aforementioned work.
26c	May, 1742	Attestation of Br. Bernardin to the orthodoxy, selflessness and the spirit of poverty of the Founder. Salvan, 341.
26d	April, 1745	Convocation of the General Chapter due to be held on 30th May in Rheims. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
26e	June, 1745	Results of the 6th General Chapter. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
27	7th October, 1747, Saint-Yon	Circular letter on the death of Brother Irénée, 1st Assistant, on 3rd, aged 56, and after 34 years in community. Life of Br. Irénée, 1774.
27a	November, 1747	Circular letter announcing the election of Brother Daniel, as Assistant replacing Br. Irénée. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
27b	June, 1751	Convocation of the General Chapter in Saint-Yon. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.

Br. Claude, Superior General

28	August, 1751	Results of the 7th General Chapter. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
28a	January, 1752	Obituary circular recommending to their prayers the M.H.B. Timothée, ex- Superior General, who died in Saint-Yon, on 7th.
28b	August, 1752	Circular letter announcing the election of Br. Généreux on 3rd August, to replace Br. Étienne, Assistant, whose resignation had been accepted that same day. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
28c	November, 1754	Circular letter announcing the favour accorded by the decree of Our H.F. Pope Benedict XIV, of the indulgence of the privileged altar for Masses celebrated for deceased Brothers. R. de B. (1907), p25.
28C	1760	Printing of the <i>Life of Mr. De La Salle</i> by R. Fr. J-Cl. Garreau, S.J. Rouen, Dumesnil. 2t. in 1 vol. in -12. The approvals are from 1753. New edition in 1825, with Précis and portrait. On page 46 of the preface, the author expressly states that it was necessary to reduce the work (2 vol. in 4°) of Mr Bellin (Blain), Canon of Rouen and Legislator of the gratuitous Schools of the Daughters of Ernemont.

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28d	May, 1761	Convocation of the 8th General Chapter. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
29	July, 1761	Results of the 8th General Chapter. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, General Chapters.
29a	January, 1762	List of the Brothers, on this side of Lyons and beyond Lyons, who had died in the second half of 1761. Rule of Government or General Chapters, Chap. 1761.
30	April, 1767	Convocation of the General Chapter in Saint-Yon. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, or General Chapters.

Br. Florence, Superior General

31	June, 1767	Results of the 9th General Chapter. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions, or General Chapters.
32	26th July, 1771	Convocation by M.H.B. Florence of the Directors and of some older Brothers of the Province of Avignon to a provincial Chapter in Avignon on 25th August, 1771. Register ms. n° 1 (= Chapter book n° 1)
32a	May, 1772	Superior is taking up residence in Paris. Short Life of Mr. De La Salle, 1825, II. p331. Montis, p185.
33	22nd July, 1772, Paris	Letter from M.H.B. Florence sent with the circular from Br. Anaclet, Assistant, asking for his resignation to be accepted. Register ms. n° 1.
34	12th Dec., 1772, Par.	Instructive Circular on Regularity. Ms.
34a	1774	Printing of the Life of Br. Irénée.
35	12th November, 1774	Circular letter from the M.H.B. Florence with regard to the books in use in the Christian Schools. See the Allusion of Br. Agathon in his letter of 12th January, 1781.
36	April, 1775, Paris	Circular letter from Br. Exupère, Assistant, to the Bros. Directors of the Houses of the Provinces offering his resignation because of his advanced age. Register ms. n° 1.
36a	October, 1775	Obituary circular of Br. Claude, retired Superior General, who died in Saint-Yon, aged 85. Short Life of Mr. De La Salle, 1825, II. p333. Montis, p184.
36b	1776	Prospectus and Rule of the Novitiate.
37	April, 1777	Convocation of the General Chapter on 3rd August, in Rheims. Rule of Government, 1845 and 1875 editions. General Chapters.

Br. Agathon, Superior General

38	19th Oct., 1777, Paris	Circular letter from Br. Agathon, new Superior General, to the Brothers of the Christian Schools, Directors and inferiors. Dispatch of the decrees of the 10th General Chapter. Small in -8° of 24 pages.
39	21st Feb., 1778, Paris	Instructive circular treating: + relationships between Major Superiors and inferiors; + what should be revealed about conduct and dispositions for Vows. Small fascicule in -8° of 8 pages. Thoughts, p30.
39a	July, 1778	Transfer of the Headquarters of the Institute from Paris to Melun. Short Life, 1825, II. 349.
39b	September, 1778	Brief of Our H.F. Pope Pius VI granting a plenary indulgence on the day of the taking of the Habit. R. de B. (1907) p35.
39c	29th Oct., 1781	Circular concerning the projected enlarging of the provincial House in Avignon. Rome,

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		archives of the old community of the Trinité des Monts (known as Saint Thérèse, in 1910).
40	1st Dec., 1781, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Olimpiade, who died on 9th September in Martinique, aged 36, after 19 years in community and 9 in profession. This letter also gives general observations on the division to put in correspondence with Superiors. Ms. with signature of Br. Agathon. Obituary reports, I, p6.
42	9th March, 1782	Instructive circular having as its aim: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> + the enumeration of good qualities to require from aspirants to Vows; + prayers requested for the Sovereign Pontiff; + the desire expressed by several Brothers to see edifying details gathered together of the lives of Bros. Timothée and Claude, Superiors General, of Br. Raymond, Assistant, and of Br. Adrien. Notes requested on this subject. Ms. copy of Br. Lucard in the archives of Compiègne.
43	16th February, 1783	Instructive circular dealing with: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. notes and the examination of aspirants to Vows before the retreat; 2. division of correspondence with Superiors; 3. the naming of the order of classes; the youngest being called the first, etc. according to custom; 4. of the notebook or manuscript for each Brother; 5. informing of a death; 6. transcribing of Circulars on a Register in each House; 7. some notes concerning Compiègne. Ms. with Br. Agathon's signature.
44	6th Feb., 1784, Melun	Convocation of the provincial Chapter in Avignon, for Pentecost Sunday. List of aspirants to Vows from the southern province. Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
45	10th March, 1784, Saint-Yon	Instructive circular for the edition of the <i>Collection</i> . See the preface to the volume.
46	21st March, 1784	Obituary circular of Br. Innocent, who died in Saint-Yon on 20th March, aged 73. Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
47	1st August, 1784, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Zacharie, who died in Toulon on 16th July, aged 69, 9 months in that community and 40 years in profession. Ms. signed by Br. Agathon and addressed to Br. Eutrope, Director in Nancy.
48	1st August, 1784	Circular to the Bros. Directors of the Houses of the southern Province giving a report of the provincial Chapter (Br. Agathon). Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
49	15th August, 1784	Obituary circular of Br. Jean-Jacques who died in Aigues-Mortes on 9th August, aged 43 (signed by Br. Florence). Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
50	22nd September, 1784	Obituary circular of Br. Venance, a novice, who died in Carcassonne at the age of 20. (Long and lovely circular, signed by Br. Bernardin). Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
51	1st January, 1785	Two instructive circulars from the M.H.B. Agathon, the 1st treating of: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. some preconceived opinions on stability in the Institute; 2. what is needed to correct or prevent carelessness in teaching; 3. abuses with regard to gratuity. Boarding school situation explained. The second Letter develops the themes of Poverty, Chastity and Obedience, dispensation from which is reserved to the Sovereign Pontiff. The conclusion speaks of the nature of the Institute and urges unswerving fidelity. These two Letters are to be read: 1. when they are received; 2. each year at the beginning of Lent; 3. during the Retreat. Vol. in -12 of 300 pages.
52	12th February, 1785	Circular letter as a preface to the Book on the twelve virtues of a good Master, addressed to the communities.
53	12th February, 1785	Dispatch of the Copy of a writing signed by Br. Jean-Colombin, who died in Maréville: they are his last very edifying thoughts. Ms. obituary accounts, I, p7.
53a	1785	Printing of the <i>Life of Mr De La Salle</i> by the priest of Montis. Paris, Guillot. 1 vol. in -12.
54	22nd Feb., 1786, Melun	Instructive Circular on the Vows. Special recommendations: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. for Brothers under the age of 21; 2. on the use of the Naples catechism in 3 vol. in -12; 3. with reference to requests for Renewal of triennial Vows; requests always to be submitted one month before the feast of the M.H. Trinity; 4. on art. 10 of Chapter IV of the 1st part of the Conduct of Schools for masters of writing classes. List of Aspirants to triennial Vows in the southern Province. Ms.

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55	10th April, 1786, Maréville	Remarks against public Performances which take place at the end of the school year. Vol. in -12 of 60 pages (reprinted in 1826).
56	21st Nov. or Dec., 1786	Circular letter and Notice to all the Brothers. By Brief of Our H.F. Pope Pius VI an Indulgence was granted for the invocation: Live Jesus in our hearts! A few words on indulgences. See brochure sent from Saint-Yon, Oct., 1787. Thoughts, p104.
57	17th January, 1787	Convocation of the Directors and Professed Brothers of the southern Province to elect 10 delegates to the General Chapter in Melun, on 6th May. (An obedience as Delegate in the name of Br. Bernardin, signed on 15th February, by the members of the provincial Assembly).
58	21st May, 1787, Melun	Circular letter sent from the Chapter itself by Br. Salomon, secretary, announcing the reelection, on 10th, of Bros. Pascal and Silvestre, Assistants, and the election of Br. Lothaire, 3rd Assistant.
59	19th October, 1787	Instructive Circular giving: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Result of the 11th General Chapter; 2. General notices, dated 4th October, as supplementary to the Resolutions of the Chapter. This brochure in -12, of 104 pages, printed in Rouen, also contains: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. an article concerning the Br. Sub-Director of a community; 2. a Prospectus concerning the Institute; 3. an Extract from the Rule on the Daily exercises of the Novitiate, etc. 4. the Brief on the Indulgence for the invocation: Live Jesus in our hearts! 5. the circulars of 1777 and 1778.
59a	1787	Reprinting of the Rules and Constitutions of the Institute.
60	6th Feb., 1778, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Dosithée, superior of the College of Martinique, who died in Port-Royal on 31st October. Information concerning Bros. Juste and François Xavier, professed Brothers, and Br. Astier, a novice of the southern Province, who died during the last six months of 1787. Ms.
61	15th March, 1788, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Maure who died on 9th March, in Châteaudun, aged 65, of which 50 years were in community. Ms. of Br. Salomon, signed by Br. Agathon. Mortuary reports, I p8.
62	6th May, 1788	List of aspirants to Vows. Obituary circular of Br. Robert who died in Saint-Yon on 9th May. Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
63	25th Nov., 1788, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Simon-Pierre who died on 22nd in Saint-Yon. Ms. signed by Br. Lothaire, Assistant.
64	31st Jan., 1789, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Valentin who died on 26th in Langres. Ms.
65	27th Feb., 1789, Melun	Instructive and administrative circular. Obituary circular of Br. Martial who died on 24th, in Saint-Yon. Notice of a correction of a word in the Rescript printed at the end of the new edition of the Rule: replace constitutione by contentione. French copy of a Brief of Pius VI to Br. Agathon, dated 28th January. Reply to New Year wishes. Announcement of a second establishment in Rome. Ms.
66	11th July, 1789, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Gérard who died on 4th July, in Carentan. List of Brothers who had died during the previous six months in the southern and western Provinces. A request for perpetual vows. Ms. signed by Br. Agathon.
67	23rd August, 1789, Melun	Instructive Circular on: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. the current difficulty in travelling: «Several Brothers have been hassled, imprisoned, robbed; others have run very great risks to their lives»; 2. delay of Vows requested in December; 3. the greatest care at present in what is said, especially in the presence of certain persons outsiders. Ms. signed by Br. Agathon.
68	5th March, 1790, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Anicet, who died in Saint-Yon on 13th April. Ms.
69	1790, Angers	General idea of the Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools with a word, in the 2nd part, on the establishment in Angers. Brochure in -12, 48 pages; Angers, Mame print., 1790
70	16th April, 1790, Melun	Obituary circular of Br. Hugues, who died in Saint-Yon on 13th April. Ms.
71	April, 1790, Melun	Supplement to the idea of the Institute. The Melun day-book, for the 30th April, says that 100 copies of this circular were printed: there is a copy in the national Archives.
72	12th May, 1790, Melun	Instructive Circular on the present state of affairs. There will be no renewal of triennial Vows. Printed.

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73	July, 1790	Address to the national Assembly signed by 20 Brothers, Directors and professed Brothers of the Houses of Paris and by Br. Philippe de Jésus, Procurator General. Printed. Short Life, 1825, II. p345.
74	October, 1790	Address to the national Assembly from the General Regime of the Institute. Printed. According to the Melun Day-book, art. of 29th July and 3rd October, 120 copies of this Address were printed.
75	February, 1791	Reflection on the traps set for the religion and the sincerity of the Brothers. Different consequences arising from the oath, and the probable dispersal of the Congregation. How to observe the Vows. Brochure in -12, 20 pages, without date or signature, with handwritten corrections. See Melun Day-book, 8th February, 1791. see Short Life of Mr De La Salle (1825) 2nd vol. p346.
75a	April, 1791	After the closure of the establishment on 1st April, 1791, Br. Jonas, Director of Soissons, was sent by the M.H.B. Agathon to open an establishment in Belgium. He finally settled in Verriers in 1792 and held classes there with another Brother. (Arrested as an emigrant on 30th October, 1798, by the captain of the gendarmerie in Liège, he was imprisoned then taken from prison to prison, as far as Besançon). Life of Br. Salomon, p352. See Letter of Br. Jonas to the prefect of the Haute-Marne.
75b	September, 1791	In accordance with the wishes of the M.H.B. Agathon, Br. Amaranthe, ex-Director of the House in Boulogne-sur-Mer, opened an establishment in Brussels; it prospered at first, but was soon targeted and closed by persecution. Life of Br. Salomon, p352.
76	November, 1791	Address to the national Assembly. The Melun Day-book says that 1,500 copies were made: art. of 11th November.
76a	15th August, 1792	Arrest in Paris and imprisonment of Br. Salomon, Secretary General of the Institute. See the Life of Br. Salomon, by Abbé H. Chassagnon.
76b	2nd September, 1792	Death of Br. Salomon in the prison of the Carmelites. See as above.
76c	27th July, 1793	Arrest and imprisonment of the M.H.B. Agathon, Superior General; he was first taken to the prison of Saint Pélagie.
76d	14th Feb., 1794, Rome	Motu proprio of Our H.F. Pope Pius VI with reference to the founding of the House of Saint-Sauveur in Rome. R. de B. (1907) p84.
76e	16th Feb., 1794, Rome	Motu proprio of Pope Pius VI allocating a House and suitable allowances to the Brothers of the C. Schools for the establishment of a Novitiate and school in Orvieto. R. des B. (1907) p90.
76f	Jan. or Feb., 1794	Br. Jean-Marie opens a boarding-school in Liège. (He left prison in Nancy on 19th August, 1793, and arrived in Luxembourg on 19th November). In July, 1794, he made his way to Rome.
76g	14th September, 1794	In Lyons the town Council gave a certificate of public-spiritedness to Thèvenin Barthélemi (Br. Silvestre, Assistant) and to Besson André (Br. Adélaré). The former then pronounced the opening of a school where, in accordance with the official act of school inspection of 11th May, 1798, he brought up his pupils in the principles of the old regime, but telling them to be submissive to the constituted authorities.
76h	22nd September, 1794	Freeing of M.H.B. Agathon, who left the Luxembourg prison in Paris; he soon withdrew to Chilleurs, near Orleans.
76i	7th August, Rome	Decree of Our H.F. Pope Pius VI appointing Br. Frumence as Vicar General of the Institute and Director of the House of San Salvatore in Lauro; Br. Philadelphie, Director of the House near the Church of the Trinité des Monts; Br. Éloge de Jésus, Director of the House in Ferrara; Br. Rieul, Director of the House in Orvieto, and Br. Dominique, Director of the House in Estavayer, in the Diocese of Lausanne. R. des B. (1907) p99.
76j	18th August, 1795	Sale of the Holy Spirit Chapel (declared national property on 24th October, 1794). On 24th October, 1796, citizen J.-B. Cossart claimed the land of this chapel. The House next to it was the residence of the Mother House under the M.H.B. Florence, Superior General.
76k	11th February, 1796	Sale of the furniture from the Brothers' school of Gros-Caillou (Grenelle street and fence).
76l	August, 1796	Circular letter announcing the death of Br. Dominique, Director of Estavayer. Register of the House of Orvieto.
76m	22nd August, 1796, Tours	Letter from the M.H.B. Agathon to citizen Gaudenne (Br. Vivien) a military employee in the park of Montreuil-sous-Laon. He had just received a letter dated 6th June. He had received one in Chilleurs which he had left in Passion week. He had been 6 months in Tours with 4 (other Brothers) among whom was Borgia. He left the Luxembourg prison, his 4th prison. He was, at the same time, writing to (Br.) Leufroy, a neighbour of Br. Vivien. He wanted news of (Br.)

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		Aubert; he did not know that (Br.) Julien was in the neighbouring districts of Laon; he knew about (Br.) Aquilas' position. (Sign.) Gonlieu. Ms.
76n	29th August	Holding of the law-suit of the sale of furniture and other artefacts from the aforementioned Petites Écoles, situated in Aveugles, (rue Saint-Sulpice).
76o	1796, Fribourg	Publication of the book: Duties of a Christian ... (Switzerland) Louis Pilles, printer, bookseller.
76p	5th Nov., 1796, Tours	Letter from M.H.B. Agathon to citizen (Br.) Vivien Gaudenne in Rheims (answer to his letter of 13th September received that day). He repeats that he has left Chilleurs for Tours where they are 4 including (Br.) Borgia and (Br.) Lisimaque who are going to start classes. He sends greetings to (Br.) Damascène. (Sign.) Agathon with the seal of the Institute. Ms.
76q	1797, Rouen	Publication of the work: <i>Rules of politeness</i> , etc. in two parts by Mr. Jean-Baptiste De La Salle. For the use of the Christian Schools for Boys. Rouen, Seyer et Behourt, printers-booksellers.
76r	1797	Manuale (II) di <i>Maestri de Scuola</i> or <i>The twelve virtues of a good Master</i> . Work translated into Italian by Br. Regolo (Rieuil).
76s	1797, Rome	Italian edition of the book: Duties of a Christian...
77	23rd August, 1797 (Tours)	Letter from the M.H.B. Agathon to Br. Frumence, Vicar General, in Rome. Ms. See Thoughts, p83.
77a	13th Sept., 1797, (Tours)	Letter from the M.H.B. Agathon to citizen Gaudenne in Rheims, in reply to a letter of 12th August. The previous letters not marked with a cross, were not received by citizen Dubois (in Paris) (for transmission to Tours). If circumstances did not require anything contrary to conscience, there were other Brothers available for Rheims. The M.H.B. Agathon congratulated his correspondent on his association with the Brothers of the area. He thought that the prizegiving in Rheims would have reminded people of the Brothers. He asked him to write to (Br.) Jean Damascène whose address was: J. Louis Martinez, teacher in Rethel, and to suggest care in his letters and also the other (Brothers) in the neighbourhood. (Sign.) F.A. Ms.
77b	16th Sept., 1798 (Tours)	Death of the M.H.B. Agathon, in Tours.

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(c)	October, 1799	Circular letter to recommend to their prayers the soul of Br. Jean-Marie. Register of Orvieto.
(d)	5th March, 1801, Paris	Sale of furniture of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, rue N.D. des Champs. Inventory book of the Property of the estates, p.78, pV.
(e)	October?, 1801	Circular letter to recommend to their prayers the M.H.B. Florence, ex-Superior General, who died in Avignon on 15th January, 1800. Short Life, 1825, II. 334. The Very Dear Brother Sylvestre, Assistant, who died in Lyons on 6th December, 1799, the Very Dear Brother Paschal, Assistant. Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community (formerly of the Trinité des Monts).
(f)	January?, 1802	Circular letter to recommend to their prayers Br. Nilammon. Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
(g)	25th Feb., 1802, Lyons	Letter from Bros. François de Jésus and Pigménion to the Brothers scattered in the Lyons area, suggesting that they come and join them in order to begin classes. Short Life, 1825, II, pp359-360.
(h)	16th April, 1802, Lyons	Obituary letter of Br. François de Jésus, who died in Lyons aged 79. Short Life, 1825, II. p361. Obituaries I, p12.
(i)	May, 1802	Setting up of the communal primary schools in Lyons by virtue of the law of the 11th floréal in year 10 (1st May, 1802). Rome, archives of Saint Thérèse's community.
(k)	25th Feb., 1803	Approval of the school of Gros Caillou, in Paris to be run by the Brothers: Br. Gerbaud was the Director.
(l)	3rd June, 1803, Paris	Reply from Br. Gerbaud, Director of the school of Gros Caillou, to the M.H.B. Frumence, on the state of the Institute in France and on the opinion of the Government and the municipal authorities. The Brothers, by A. Chevalier, 1887, p83.

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(m)	5th August, 1803, Rome	Letter from Our H.F. Pope Pius VII to Br. Vivien and to the others in the college of Rheims. R. des B. (1907) p107.
(n)	7th Sept., 1803, Lyons	Letter from the Brothers' community in Lyons to H.E. Cardinal Fesch in Rome to obtain permission for the Centre of the Institute, in France, to be established henceforth in Lyons, his metropolitan. The Brothers by A. Chevalier, 1887, p.85.
(o)	? Sept., 1803, Rome	Circular letter from M.H.B. Frumence, Vicar General, to inform the Brothers that he was going to take up residence in Lyons. See Cahier de Lyon, p.4. Letter from Cardinal Fesch (5th Oct., 1803).
(p)	3rd Dec., 1803	Approval of the Institute by Bonaparte, First Consul, upon the Report of Portalis, State Counsellor, responsible for the Department of Worship. The signature of the first Consul, in the function of consular legislation, constituted a sovereign decision by the Head of State. The Brothers by A. Chevalier, 1887, p.91.
(q)	4th Feb., 1804, Lyons	Report from the Mayor of Lyons (Western District) to Portalis, Minister for Worship of the 14th pluviöse year XII (4th February, 1804). He had found, in the Society of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, all the necessary components for the setting up of a teaching establishment for the labouring or manufacturing population which made up a great section of the Western District of which he was in charge. Eulogy of the Brothers. Plan to unite them with the Petit-Collège. The Cardinal Archbishop wanted to develop this institution. See 5th Cahier de Lyon, p21.
(r)	25th August, 1804, Lyons	Letter from the Mayor of Lyons to the Mayor of Rheims, on the 7 fructidor year XII (25th August, 1804) to ask him to commit Br. Vivien to come and spend the holidays in Lyons to talk about the establishment of the Brothers of Christian Doctrine. See 5th Cahier de Lyon, p23. The Brothers by A. Chevalier, 1887, p112.
(s)	22nd Sept., 1804, Lyons	Letter from the Mayor of Lyons to the Mayor of Rheims concerning the arrival in Lyons of Br. Vivien who had agreed to prolong his stay until the imminent arrival of His Holiness. See 5th Cahier de Lyon, p24. The Brothers by A. Chevalier, 1887, p125.
(t)	18th Oct., 1804, Lyons	Letter from the Mayor of Lyons to the Archbishop of Toulouse to ask for his help in persuading Br. Bernardin to go from Toulouse to Lyons with two Brothers of his choice to be presented to His Holiness during his imminent visit to Lyons. Eulogy of the Institute. See 5th Cahier de Lyon, p25. The Brothers by A. Chevalier, 1887, p117.
(u)	31st Oct., 1804, Rome	Circular letter announcing the departure of the M.H.B. Frumence. He arrived in Lyons on 19th November. Short Life, 1825, II, 364.
(v)	20th Nov., 1804	The Holy Father makes a brief stop in Lyons.
(w)	28th Nov., 1804, Lyons	Announcement of the dispatch to Br. Frumence of the Certified copy of the Decree of His Imperial Majesty approving the establishment of the Brothers of the Christian Schools throughout the French empire and authorising the appointment of a Head. See 5th Cahier de Lyon, p26. The Brothers by A. Chevalier, 1887, p121.
(x)	27th Feb., 1805, Lyons	Letter to H.E. the Cardinal Archbishop of Lyons to remind him of his concern for the Brothers of Christian Doctrine who were waiting impatiently for the imperial Decree concerning the definitive organisation of their Institution. See 5th Cahier de Lyon, p27.
(y)	18th April, 1805	Blessing of the church of the Petit-Collège by Our H.F. Pope Pius VII. See 3rd Cahier de Lyon, p3
(z)	1st May, 1805	Extract from a letter of Mr. Duchâtel, Counsellor of State, Director General of the Administration for registration and estates «The Emperor's intention is that the Institution of the Brothers and Sisters of the Christian Schools should be reestablished. On 30 ventose (21st March, 1805) H.I.M. decided that the sale of the houses used by these Institutions should be suspended». (Printed, small leaflet in -4°).
(z1)	1805	Circular letter announcing that the Brothers will again wear their former dress to go to school on 8th September. Short Life, 1825, II. p366.

SECOND SERIES

Br. Frumence, Vicar General

1	19th July, 1806, Paris	Circular letter from His Eminence Cardinal Fesch to former Brothers, inviting them to go to Br. Frumence, Vicar General, in Lyons. He assures them of His Royal Imperial Majesty's very favourable intentions. There is a manuscript copy in the Archives, as well as a copy in the Collection of the former community of Orleans.
2	15th Dec., 1806, Lyons	To Br. Libère, Director in Orleans: «Joy at the happy start of the Brothers' Schools in Orleans, encouragement of zeal in recruiting young helpers». Dispatch of one of the circular Letters of the Cardinal Archbishop of Lyons for the meeting of the Brothers.
2a	1807	<i>Explanation of the 12 virtues of a good Master</i> , by Br. Agathon; new edition in -16. Le Puy, J.-B. Lacombe.
2b	January, 1808, Lyons	Celebration of the Feast of Saint Joseph, Patron of the Brothers of the C. S., in the church of the Petit-Collège on Wednesday, 6th January. Bulletin de Lyon, n.1.
3	19th April, 1808, Lyons	To encourage vocations and to attract Postulants, to the Parish Priests of the following Parishes in the Isère: Saint-Marcellin, Bourgoin, Beaurepaire; in the Saône-et-Loire: Semur-en-Brionnois, Tournus, Chavolles; in the Jura: Noseroy, Champagnole, Saint Julien, Saint Amour, Saint Claude, Arinthod.
4	20th April, 1808, Lyons	To attract Postulants. To the Parish Priests of the Haute-Loire, Brioude, Monistrol, Yssingeaux.
5	23rd April, 1808, Lyons	For Postulants. To the Parish Priests: of the Isère: Verpillière, Heyrieux, Crémien; of the Jura: Poligny, Clairvaux; of the Allier: Gannat
6	28th April, 1808, Lyons	For Postulants. To the Parish Priests: of the Jura: Arbois, Salins; of the Doubs: Pontparlier, Omans; of the Haute-Loire: Tence, Ciaponne, Dumière.
7	3rd June, 1808, Lyons	For Postulants. To the Parish Priests of the Jura: Commenailles; of the Doubs: Mont-Benoît, Morteau, Pontparlier.
8	24th June, 1808, Lyons	For Postulants. To the Parish Priests of the Jura: Gendrey, Willersfarb, Saint-Aubin, and 7 others...
9	1808, Lyons	List of Aspirants to Vows.
10	9th August, 1808, Lyons	For Postulants (Jura).
11	18th August, 1808, Lyons	For Novices. To the Parish Priests of the Franche-Comté: 7 places.
12	19th August, 1808, Lyons	For Novices. To the Parish Priests of the Franche-Comté: 6 places.
13	23rd or 30th August, 1808, Lyons	Concerning the rabato. Invitation to wear it. To the Communities of Condrieu, Saint-Chamond, Saint-Étienne, Trévoux, etc.
15	16th Oct., 1808, Lyons	To make it known that it is planned to recommence the old custom of supplying habits to houses of the Institute, and at a cost of 50fr per brother. Request for comments.
18	2nd June, 1808, Lyons	Circular letter from the Régime to announce that the Emperor was permitting the election of a Superior General. Information on measures concerning the perusal of bulletins.
19	8th June, 1810, Lyons	Circular letter signed by Brothers Barthélemy, Émery and Pierre-Celestin. Convocation of the chapter in Lyons.
20	16th July, 1810, Lyons	Circular letter of the provisional Régime to the 22 Brothers delegates to the Chapter.

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Br. Gerbaud, seventh Superior General

21	18th Sept., 1810, Lyons	Circular letter on the Chapter held on 8th, 9th, 10th September. Recommendations to stick to the old writings, to the letters of Br. Agathon, to make copies from those who have them while waiting for them to be printed, dependent on the Institute funds.
22	2nd Oct., 1810, Lyons	Circular letter addressed to Brothers Florentin, François de Paule, Honorat, Castor and François de Borgia about their vocation.
24	1811	Circular accompanying the dispatch of the Conduct of Schools (new edition). See before the Preface: What a Brother should think of his state. See also the Preface to the Collection, edition of the same year.
27	11th Dec., 1813, Lyons	Circular letter. Cautionary notice touching on journeys undertaken without permission and without an order.
30	13th April, 1814, Ly.	Circular letter. A few lines on events and List of Vows.
32	25th August, 1814, Lyons	Circular letter addressed to Br. Médard de Jésus, Director of Orleans. Dear Br. Charles Borromée, Visitor, will be visiting the house of Orleans and those of Paris, and he will preside the Retreat. Recommendations.
33	19th Sept., 1814, Chartres	Letter from Br. Raymond, Director of Chartres to Br. Médard de Jésus, Director of Orleans. Reception by the king.
34	25th Sept., 1814, Lyons	Circular letter. Two requests: 1. A certificate from the Parish Priests and Magistrates in order to obtain ratification of the Letters Patent from the King. 2. The names of six zealous Brothers to go to the Île Bourbon.
38	20th July, 1815, Lyons	Circular of the M.H.B. to the Brothers. Referred to in the Letter of 13th May, 1816. See the Box of the General Chapters. Id. Library of Passy-Froyennes (in 1912). Marked: Archives of the Régime.
41	1816, Lyons	Circular letter to the Bros. Directors, to ask for Brothers willing to go abroad to catechise.
42	13th May, 1816, Ly.	Circular letter concerning the opening of the Chapter put back to 8th September.
44	28th June, 1816, Lyons	Instructive Circular, dated Lyons, 28th June, 1816, certif. Vicar General. Sent with a large printed in-folio sheet entitled: Extract from the Brief of Our H.F. Pope Pius VII of 1st June, 1816, which renewed and confirmed all the Graces and Indulgences granted by the Sovereign Pontiffs to the Religious Brothers of the Christian Schools. Library of Passy-Froyennes.
45	1st October, 1816	Circular letter. It gives the results of the General Chapter. Br. Superior felt obliged to add that «This little boat of Mr De La Salle arouses envy in those who are opposed to any good». On the other hand, the offer of only 6 Brothers to go on the Missions could be accepted; but soon others would be needed for Louisiana. (The House of Saint-Omer possesses the text of this circular, see the history).
46	12th Dec., 1816, Lyons	Communication of the Replies from the Holy See referring to an article of the preceding General Chapter concerning dress. Some comments on the various correspondance with the Superiors. Archives. General collection of circulars.
47	March or April, 1817, Lyons	General circular to promote and guide vocations towards the Institute's establishments. Printed copy, not signed, to be dated.
57	July, 1818	Circular letter by Mr. Dubois, theologian of the church of Orleans. Reply that the Members of the Cantonal Committee would be able to propose Diplomas for the Brothers of the Christian Schools.
59	1818, Lyons	Circular letter. Desire to see the <i>Meditations and the Method of Mental Prayer</i> of Mr. De La Salle in each house. Advice about the cloak or mantle.
60	24th Oct., 1818, Ly.	Written instructions from Br. Gerbaud for the starting of an establishment.
62	1819	Circular letter on the occasion of the dispatch of the Conduct of Schools and printed at the beginning of the book.
63	26th Feb., 1819, Lyons	Circular letter. Pater, Ave and Gloria Patri will be continued in thanksgiving until Easter. The King has been pleased to pronounce in favour of the Congregation on the subject of Individual Diplomas.

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64	18th May, 1819	An encouraging reply from Fr. Sambucy, French secretary of the Sacred College, to the consultative letter of Br. Gerbaud, dated the previous 3rd March with regard to the special question of diplomas.
65	12th June, 1819, Ly.	Circular letter. Renewal of the veto on public and ostentatious manifestations.
66	30th June, 1819, Lyons	Circular letter from the M.H.B. Gerbaud, addressed especially to the Parish Priests and Magistrates to further vocations.
71	5th Feb., 1820, Paris	Circular letter. Communication from the Commission for Public Instruction. Information from Br. Gerbaud on the ten-year contract.
74	1st August, 1820	Circular letter. Request from the Minister for Brothers for Corsica and Cayenne. Shortage of subjects.
78	19th Feb., 1821, Dôle	Circular letter. Note on some feast-days.
79	31st March, 1821	Circular letter on exemption from military service.
80	April, 1821	Circular from the M.H.B. Gerbaud. The Bros. Directors must send the list of Brothers born in 1800 to be entered on the list to be presented to the Minister, President of the Council, concerning exemption from military service.
83	16th June, 1821, Ly.	List of Aspirants to perpetual and triennial vows.
84	4th August, 1821, Ly.	Circular. Invitations to the retreats in Paris and Lyons from 7th to 15th September.
92	19th Feb., 1822, Paris	Circular. Names of young Brothers are requested for the 1822 conscription.
94	June, 1822	List of perpetual and triennial vows.
95	15th June, 1822	Circular. Renewed request for Brothers for Cayenne, with details of the journey and the climate of the country.
96	July, 1822, Paris	List of perpetual and triennial vows. Request for prayers for the M.H.B. Superior, who had been ill since 13th July.
97	11th August, 1822, Paris	Letter announcing the death of the M.H.B. Superior General. Signed by the dear Brothers Assistants.
98	13th August, 1822, Paris	Circular letter from Bros. Émery and Guillaume de Jésus. Of the same date, 13th August: Convocation of the General Chapter for which elections would be held. List of Brothers. Date of the opening of the Chapter to be announced later.

Br. Guillaume de Jésus, eighth Superior General

1	2nd Dec., 1822, Paris	Circular letter from the M.H.B. Guillaume de Jésus. The names of Brothers due for the next conscription were requested, and also the names, ages and vows of non-professed Brothers.
1a	2nd Dec., 1822, Paris	Administrative circular letter from the M.H.B. Guillaume de Jésus, concerning his election to the Generalate. Explanations of different points of Regularity and transmission of Decrees of the Chapters of 1816 and 1822.
2	4th Jan., 1823, Paris	Circular letter. Invitation to say exactly the prayers for deceased Brothers. Henceforward, the Superiors, aware that a Brother has died, will have the printed circular sent to all houses. Indication of time for rendering accounts.
3	8th Feb., 1823, Paris	Circular letter. Care concerning the possessions of Brothers who died in poor houses, good habits, place of the date of letters and prayers requested by Benefactors.
4	22nd March, 1823, Paris	Circular letter. Arrangements for prayers for deceased Brothers. Rule for public holidays and private tuition in the holidays. Arrangements for requests and renewal of vows.
5	7th May, 1823, Paris	Circular letter. Reason for the Superior's short answers; correspondance of the 2 months. The Bros. Directors must be vigilant about discarding new practices in Community or School, and in seeing to the observance of the Rules. Names necessary for the list to be sent to Mgr. le Grand Maître de l'Université.
6	11th June, 1823, Par.	Circular letter. Renewed call for the Brothers born in 1801 to send the information.
7	14th July, 1823, Par.	Circular letter. Dispatch of the List of Aspirants to Vows and a few remarks. * Four reasons why some were not included. Way in which the list was drawn up and the

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		grounds; date of the retreat; to whom notes should be sent; other arrangements made. * Prayers requested for the success of the three Brothers going as missionaries to Cayenne. * Renewed remark about avoiding any ostentation in prizes, and concerning printing. A list of books for the community library was included
8	20th Sept., 1823, Paris	Circular letter. Observations arising from reports made by the Brothers Visitors: * Gratitude for the wishes offered at the end of the year. * Communication about the visit paid by the new Pope to the main House of the Brothers in Rome.
9	18th Feb., 1824, Paris	Circular letter. * Decision on the use of money left over from heating; the time to recite the last 3 decades of the rosary on half-holidays; safe arrival of 3 Brothers in Cayenne, details. * Mgr Le Ministre asked for Brothers for the Île Bourbon, 3 Brothers for Martinique, Guadeloupe, proposals to Professed Brothers. * Remarks concerning class supervisors. * Care to be taken in keeping circulars. * Vigilance over the choice of Postulants and admission to vows.
10	18th March, 1824, Paris	Circular letter. Remarks: Avoid travelling on Sundays, acknowledge receipt of a Circular, etc.
11	11th May, 1824, Paris	Circular letter. Desire expressed that Brothers Directors should not deviate from the List used for building up a Community Library.
12	5th July, 1824, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the List of Aspirants for vows. Dispositions which aspirants should show. On this subject refer to the preceding circular n° 7. Holidays everywhere will be from 13th September to 14th October; the annual retreat will begin on 23rd September in the morning, and will end in the evening of 30th.
15	14th Jan., 1825, Paris	Circular letter. * Words and exercises of Thanksgiving for the centenary year of the Approbation of the Rules by the Holy See. Conduct of the Brothers. Numerous taking of vows. * Recommending the soul of the aforementioned Br. Avit. * Observations on petitions. * Innovation: printing of privileges; the list; bursars' offices will have a stock. * Thanks.
16	13th Feb., 1825, Paris	Circular letter. * Way of naming classes: the youngest should be called first class, etc. * Renewal of the permission to have Mass and to reserve the Blessed Sacrament in the houses, except the Novitiates. A new request had to be made. * Two special permissions were granted with respect to the daily timetable.
17	31st March, 1825, Paris	Circular letter. * Reserve in welcoming outsiders; the Rule of Government on this and other points was to be observed; remarks to Brothers Directors on superfluous expenditure. * Request to Bros. Directors to make known abuses existing in the regular period of the summer holidays. * Time for request of renewal of triennial vows; considered remarks which should be sent on this point.
18	11th May, 1825, Paris	Circular letter. * Unexpected complaints about the changing of Brothers. * Praise for the warm welcome given to Brothers travelling with permission. * Advice given to Brothers who travel about the problems to avoid, and the edification in word and deed to be given everywhere.
19	30th June, 1825, Paris	Circular letter. * Announcement of the List of Aspirants to Vows. * Holidays are reestablished for the month of September. * Brothers who have renewed their vows should let the Brother Superior know in their next letter. * Rule of the study of Catechism for certain Brothers engaged in non-academic work. * Renewal of the veto with regard to detaining children. * Notes to Brothers Directors on a condition for sending Postulants.
20	5th August, 1825, Paris	Circular letter. Fixing of days of retreat. Remark: manner of travelling, in general. Exhortation to make a good retreat.
21	2nd Sept., 1825, Paris	Circular letter. Manner of conducting oneself with regard to Brothers arriving from the Novitiate.

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24	24th Oct., 1825, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommending the soul of the aforementioned Brother Numérien who had died recently. * Announcement of the new edition of the <i>Life of Mr. De La Salle</i> , in 2 volumes in -12; with a historical summary, use that could be made of certain copies. * Request for the civilian status of Brothers born in 1805.
24a	16th Jan., 1826, Paris	Circular letter. * Repetition of certain remarks: accounts, travelling on Sundays; holiday for the feast of the Epiphany; use of very black ink and of a quite strong handwriting. * Recommendations of maxims as models for handwriting, books for prizes. * Note on Mr. Fort Grangier, founder of the House of Bazas and affiliated to the Institute.
25	31st March, 1826, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommending to their prayers the 5 Brothers sent to the Île Bourbon at the request of H.E. the Minister. * Information to be obtained on the health of Postulants. * Recommending the soul of the mother of the 2nd Brother Assistant, who had died at the age of 87.
26	28th April, 1826, Paris	Circular letter. * Reflection on the shortness of life. * Strong request for the signed formulas of triennial vows to be sent.
26a	1826	Circular. Reprinting in 1826 of the Observations of Br. Agathon, Superior General, on the public Performances at the end of the school year in different houses of the Institute.
28	11th July, 1826, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows; reflections on the merit of Aspirants and the importance of the vows. * Repeating useful remarks and that the names of Aspirants and the place where they will make their vows are to be kept; the different retreat centres for those houses where no Brother will be making vows; discretion while travelling. * Observations already made by Br. Guillaume de Jésus, on detention of pupils, ostentation at prize-giving. * Order of prayers for deceased Brothers, etc., etc.
31	17th Jan., 1827, Paris	Circular letter. Repeated request to use very black ink and to take all precautions not to travel on Sundays.
32	30th Jan., 1827, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommending the soul of the Sister of the M.H.B. Gerbaud, benefactress of our Institute, and also the soul of the aforementioned Brother Hilarion de Jésus. * Freedom left to the Bros. Directors for prayers requested but not specified. * Requests to the Procurator must be dated.
34	9th May, 1827, Paris, Clermont-Ferrand	Circular letter. * Recommendations, especially one on dress. * Safe arrival, on 20th October, 1826 of 5 brothers in the Île Bourbon; details of the journey.
35	18th May, 1827	Circular letter. Two observations on Renewal and Aspirants to Vows.
36	3rd July, 1827, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of the List of Aspirants to Vows. * Recommendation to read the Letter of Br. Agathon, referring to admission to vows. * Opening date of the retreat.
37	23rd July, 1827, Paris	Circular letter. Supplement to the List of Aspirants to Vows.
38	6th Sept., 1827, Paris	Circular letter. Renewed remark about black ink and stronger handwriting.
39	6th Nov., 1827, Paris	Circular letter. * Request to the Bros. Directors not to delay carrying out orders. * Remarks on charity in speech; the public reading of circulars; what decision to make when certain answers are deferred. * Thanksgiving for a favour obtained from the M.B. Virgin in one of the houses of the Institute. * A new edition of the <i>Conduct</i> is going to appear.
40	30th Nov. 1827, Paris	Circular letter. * Prudence recommended in giving letters to people passing through. * True objects of study for a Brother; in what he should especially excel.

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42	28th Feb., 1828, Par.	Circular letter. * Time for requesting a renewal of triennial vows. * What to do when a postman brings a letter for a Brother who has changed community. * At the request of the Pope and the King, 4 Brothers were sent to Rome; prayers requested for them and for others.
42a	9th April, 1828, Paris	Circular letter. * After a delay, meeting of the 3 members appointed by the Chapter and their work. Division of the <i>Conduct</i> into 3 parts; basis of corrections given; obligation of the <i>Conduct</i> . * Thanksgiving for God's blessings on the Institute.
45	6th July, 1826, Paris	Circular letter. Indication of the opening day of the retreat.
46	21st October, 1828, Paris	Circular letter. Request to the Bros. Directors to give the number of their pupils.
48	18th Feb., 1829	Circular letter. Request for Information for exemption from military service.
50	30th March, 1829, Paris	Circular letter. * Remarks on certain deviations from the simplicity demanded by our kind of teaching. * Prayers for the journey of two Brothers in Nantes awaiting departure for the Île Bourbon. * Welcome to be accorded to the Inspectors and other members of the district committees.
51	6th May, 1829, Paris	Circular letter. Notice to certain Directors on the importance of religious poverty.
52	30th June, 1829, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommending the soul of Mr Brette, surgeon in Lyons, affiliated member. * Several particular Aspirants to Triennial vows. * Opening date of the retreat. * Correction and printing of a new edition of the book: <i>The duties of a Christian</i> .
54	30th Oct., 1829	Circular letter. * Reflection on the number of dead, the extension of the Institute. * Remarks on gentleness in the <i>Conduct of Schools</i> .
55	9th Jan., 1830, Paris	Circular letter. Request for information for the list of exemptions to be presented to his Exc. the Minister for ecclesiastical affairs.
56	3rd Feb., 1830, Paris	Circular letter. Serious examination of the conduct of postulants.
58	26th April, 1830, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommendations for the renewal of vows; conditions necessary for the admission of postulants. * Indication of the source of information on the inferiors. * Notices on debts and on the reading of the text of the Old Testament. * Recommendation of the double project concerning the sending of 4 Brothers to Rome and 4 to the Île Bourbon.
59	10th June, 1830, Paris	Circular letter from Bros. Éloi and Anaclet. * Date of the Paris retreat. * Recommendation to read the circular on Aspirants to vows, by Br. Agathon.
59a	10th June, 1830, Paris	Circular letter from Bros. Éloi and Anaclet, Assistants. * Convocation of the General Chapter for Thursday, 2nd September, with the list of Brothers who were eligible. (Sign. Bros. Éloi and Anaclet).

Br. Anaclet, ninth Superior General

59b	13th Sept., 1830, Paris	Circular letter. * Recitation of special prayers by decree of the Chapter. * Communication of decrees (see them all). * Some advice.
60	24th Nov., 1830, Paris	Circular letter. * Publication of a few decrees of the last Chapter. * Words of advice on piety, regularity.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Protection of the M.B. Virgin over the Institute. Reference to the cure of Br. Abdon, Visitor of Saint-Omer, elected Assistant, cured at Our Lady of Liesse; etc. * Remarks on discretion in speech and the behaviour to adopt.
61	26th Jan., 1831, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * The requests for establishments in Piedmont, Savoy and Belgium would compensate for some lost in France; the numbers in the houses of Rome and Turin. * Day fixed for gaining the indulgence granted in 1786 by Pope Pius VI. * End to the recitation of the supplementary Credo at the end of school. * Permission to use eggs, and exercise in spelling. * Renewed recommendation of prudence with regard to travelling. * Request for the State of all the houses.
62	17th March, 1831, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>On the communication from the Minister of Public Instruction recommending great gentleness in the Conduct of the young.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Forbidding the use of points with «lys flower» and the last hymn of the Songs collection. * Exhortation to prudence in speech. * Conditions of Postulants at this time. * Formalities for Certificates and Obediences. * Fixing of general prices of class books, privilege of Mr Moronval. * Reason for request of preceding information.
63	12th April, 1831, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Good wishes and information on the rounds of the Brothers Visitors. * Arrangements for the requests for vows. * Indications to give to priests about the favour granted to deceased Brothers, by Pope Pius VII, in 1816. * It is in keeping to have Pupils recite prayers before High Mass on Sundays and Feastdays. * Continue to pray for the intentions requested.
64	1st June, 1831, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Observations presented to the Minister for Public Instruction on the Decree of 18th April; warm welcome and dispositions its regard. * Refutation in the Law Gazette; vigilance and prudence with regard to children in class. * Other pieces of advice on method. * Recommendation of the soul of Miss Lambruschini, sister of the Nuncio in Paris. * Remark concerning the purchase of books from Mr. Moronval. * The list of Aspirants to vows will appear before 1st August.
65	21st July, 1835, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Communication of the list of Aspirants to Vows; necessary qualities for admission; admiration of the bravery of Aspirants who are not deterred in any way despite some anxiety. * Fixing of the opening date of the retreat; Brothers who go to retreat in Paris in their religious habit, can wear it in the streets of the capital. * Treatise on linear Drawing for the use of those Brothers obliged to introduce this subject, will appear about 1st September.
66	26th Oct., 1836, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Announcement of the sale of the Treatise on linear Drawing; the time for studying it. * Remarks on the necessity of sensible reading; the opportunity of buying manuscripts. * Example of what is needed for mailing.
66a	29th Nov., 1831, Paris	<p>Circular from the M.H.B. to the Brothers Directors. Correction to the model teaching contract in the last circular.</p> <p>Brothers have not experienced any harrassment but fear for the future. Library of Passy-Froyennes (1912).</p>
67	16th Jan., 1832, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Recommendation to give to linear drawing only the importance it deserves. * Send the number of pupils and even give the number of pupils in supervised schools.
68	20th March, 1832, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Observations on a request from certain Brothers Directors and measures taken by certain municipal councils. * Immense gratitude deserved by the Protectors of Establishments for their dedication and sacrifices: grounds.
69	10th April, 1832, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Appropriate measures to take to avoid the scourge of the disease which is causing losses. Vow by the Institute.</p>

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70	25th June, 1832, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommendation of the souls of 2 affiliated members: Messieurs Dubois-Bergeron and Pélitier. * Renewed recommendation of great prudence in conversation with everyone, and warning about the reading of newspapers. * Given the lack of supernumeraries, the novitiates are almost empty; the novices being employed before the end of their novitiate: a course to take.
71	30th Sept., 1832, Paris	Circular letter. * Exhortation to fulfil the holy functions of one's work; important remark. * Request for arrangements of visit to the Brothers Directors. * Request for a statement on each house; grounds in support of this. * Way to communicate with the Procurator General by writing to the Superior General. * Advice to the Brother Director. * Departure on 21st April, of Br. Scubilion and two others for the Île Bourbon.
75	6th Sept., 1833, Paris	Circular letter. Line to follow with regard to the new law on public Instruction.
76	26th Sept., 1833, Paris	Circular letter. * Collection of documents and line to take in carrying out the new Law on public Instruction. * Information on the way that cloth sellers and paper sellers operate.
76a	11th Nov., 1833, Paris	Circular letter. * On gravity of Teaching prescribed by the Statutes of the Order and brought into line with the law of 28th June, 1833. * Enclosed is an important extract, of several dates, from the Echo, a newspaper from Rouen, reinforcing the above Circular.
77	17th Dec., 1833, Paris	Circular letter. * Remarks concerning the wearing of the religious habit from now on, given the calm situation in Paris. * Observations on the acts of engagement and Certificates. * Requests for community opinions on certain points before the reprinting of the Conduct. * Observations regarding linear drawing. * Goodwill with respect to contribution to teaching. * Safe arrival of Br. Scubilion and his two companions. * Obligations created by the blessings of the Lord.
78	20th March, 1834, Paris	Circular letter. Reflections on the virtues of Jean-Baptiste De La Salle, on the occasion of the date recalling his death.
79	17th July, 1834, Paris	* Recommendation of the soul of Miss Devilliers, benefactress of Avranches. * Reflections added for the list of Aspirants to Vows. * Pleasant expansion of the Institute. * Abuses to avoid in different matters.
79a		A brochure prepared by Br. Anaclet, general Remarks about the year 1787, addressed to: the Brothers.
80	5th August, 1834, Par.	Circular letter. Invitation to prepare for retreat and advice thereon.
80a	7th August, 1834, Paris	Circular letter. * Convocation of a General Committee to examine the printing of the new Conduct. * State of eligible Brothers: List of Brothers and List of Houses.
80b	Dec., 1834, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of decrees of the General Committee with those of the last 4 General Chapters and Extracts from Circulars from 1822 to the present. * Development on the introduction of Linear drawing, Geography and History primers in Schools.
82	25th Jan., 1835, Paris	Circular letter. * Correction of an error and change of arrangements for Masses for the Dead. * Prayers for the 6 named Brothers setting sail for the Île Bourbon.
83	24th June, 1835, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommendation of the soul of Fr. Mérault, Vicar General of Orleans. * An English boat gave news of the Brothers who had set off for Bourbon. * Dispatch of the first two parts of the Conduct in Proof form. * Remarks on notes for vows and requests to the Br. Procurator. * Information about the retreat: remark. * Date of the opening of the Juniorate in Paris.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * What will become of the deductions from salaries. * Steps in the process of Beatification and Canonisation of J.-B. De La Salle. * Notes on Saint Sever.
85	1st Sept., 1835, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Safe arrival of the 6 Brothers in Bourbon. * Thanksgiving for the exemplary lives of our deceased Brothers. * Favourable conditions for Junior Novices.
86	24th March, 1836, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Prayers for Mr. Guy de Conflauday, worthy benefactor, Founder of the House of Vesoul. * Remarks for the Novitiate Houses. * Also to make a distinction in the paragraphs of a letter according to their purpose; several other points about correspondance.
86a	5th May, 1836, Paris	Information on the objections on the deduction of the twentieth part.
87	3rd July, 1836, Paris	* Edifying reflections on the deaths of Bros. Guido and Amaranthe.
87a	27th July, 1836, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * On an autographed sheet of 28th July, is added the name of Chevalier-Deomena, founder of Vigevano, who died on 19th.
87b	6th August, 1836, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Seven important articles highlighted: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Scrupulousness about leaving class. 2. Begin Catechism at the time set. 3. Observance of silence, so often recommended. 4. Negligence in rendering accounts. 5. The presence of the Brothers Directors at the head of the community. 6. The preference given to less important lessons. 7. The abuse of work in class beyond the time allotted by the Rule.
88	20th Oct., 1836, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Death of a novice, postulant of the Queen of Piedmont who had asked that he should have the name of the late king. * Information to be given to the Superior upon the admission of a postulant for the Senior or Junior Novitiates.
89	19th Dec., 1836, Par.	Circular letter. Template for a ten-year contract.
89a	Feb., 1837, Paris	Circular letter to Bros. Directors announcing the Work and prospectus to support the Junior Novitiate. Signed Br. Philippe.
90	14th March, 1837, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Br. Laurent is appointed Procurator General for the Institute. * How to compile the requests for property in the Superior's letters. * Write letters in paragraphs and indicate the points requiring an answer. * Remarks from some Brothers Visitors on the observance or lack of observance of the project of the Conduct, and the intention of the Br. Superior General.
92	8th July, 1837, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Results of the General Chapter held in Paris from 10th to 17th July. * Decrees of the Chapter.
94a	23rd Sept., 1837	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Regarding the request for statistics from the Minister. * Information for the Institute.
95	30th Nov., 1837, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Recommendation for the judicious use of Mass intentions. * Departure on 9th October of Brothers Aidant, Adalbertus, etc. for Montreal; intentions for prayers. <p>Note referring to Mr. Ardant and to the Procure.</p>
96	30th Jan., 1838, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Recommendation of the soul of Mr. Gualtieri of Orvieto, affiliated member. * Results of the Information of Brothers' Establishments. * Renewed request for the list of pupils for the term, how to do it. * Points about the public demonstrations concerning the Brothers. * Class books are approved. * State of progress of the cause of Beatification. * Good news of the Brothers who had set off for Canada.

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97	2nd April, 1838, Paris	Circular letter. * Count Cozzaluri of Bolsena, affiliated member, died on 3rd March. * The Biographical notes on Mr. De La Salle, Founder, will be finished during the month: to be distributed.
97a	7th April, 1838, Paris	Circular letter. How to go about obtaining a refund of the deductions made during the last year on the fixed salaries of the Brothers.
97b	1838	Copy of a letter addressed to the Holy Father requesting the Beatification of Mr. De La Salle.
98	1st July, 1838, Paris	Circular letter. Lesson to be learned from the circumstances of the death of Brothers.
99	8th Sept., 1838, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Announcement of the death of Br. Anaclæt, Superior General.
100	25th Sept., 1838, Paris	Circular letter from the Very Dear Brothers Assistants. Recommendation of the souls of Mrs de Grulleville, benefactress of the house in Orleans, and the Chevalier Deomini, founder of the establishment of Vigevano. Circular to convoke the Chapter.
101	3rd Nov., 1838, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Recommendation of the souls of Mrs Amourrouye, foundress of Villeneuve-lez-Avignon, and the Marquis de Barol, benefactor of Turin. See the manuscript note attached to the collection. Request for up-to-date information of the Communities for 15th December at the latest. Problems caused by the delay in sending the Information of Brothers liable for conscription.

Br Philippe, tenth Superior General

101a	28th Dec., 1838, Paris	Circular letter. * About the chapter and exhortation on different points. * Prescribed novena. * Wish of the chapter on the use of 2 pairs of cotton stockings. * Permission of the Superior concerning the use of eggs and the half-hour of evening recreation during Lent.
102	3rd Jan., 1839, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommendation of the soul of Mr Sentetz, priest, benefactor of Auch. * Wish concerning the naming of classes; the most advanced class will be the first class or Top Class, etc. Important remarks concerning the circular of the Chapter and the Rule of Government. * Letter to address to the Prefect by the Br. Director when a 20th is deducted. * General exhortation regarding New Year wishes.
104	21st March, 1839, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Communication of the Forms to be completed on the points of regularity in communities and uniformity in classes. * At the same time, 2 letters relative to the Beatification of Mr. De La Salle. Use to be made of them.
105	16th July, 1839, Paris	Circular letter. Aim: two important subjects: 1. The Retreat; 2. Admission to Vows. Recommendation of the souls of MM. Ducos from Auch-Goulard, Canon of Cambrai, and Sainson, priest of Orleans, affiliated members of the Institute.
105a	12th Oct., 1839, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Conduct of the Superior General with the authorities when Brothers are changed.
106	24th Nov., 1839, Paris	Circular letter. * Invitation to recite the Litany of the Heart of Mary. * Recommendation of the souls of Messrs. Lagrevol, from Yssingeaux... * Care in the study of Catechism, how to do it; moments. * Administrative reasons. * Good recitation of prayers. * Assistance at Holy Mass. * Manner of recreations in winter. Printing of Spelling Exercises. What to do about printing

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		errors.
		* Introduction of the legal system of Weights and Measures.
107	26th Jan., 1840, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reason for pleasure in exchanging New Year wishes. * Recommendation of the souls of Mr Rusaud, affiliated member of our Institute, in Lyons, and Mrs. Sylvestre, in Marmande. * One Franc per brother in the Institute for the Propagation of the Faith. * Division of letters of the Brothers Directors and inferiors by n^o. * List of Aspirants to Vows will be closed on 30th June. * The art of taking notes to avoid sending letters for no good reason. * The new edition of arithmetic. * The young communicant, brochure for Preparation for Holy Communion. * Exact measurements for habits. * Special subject of meditation for the Brothers Directors. * Sending a word on Mental Prayer. * Living Rosary in class. * Zeal and fruitful outcome of the Brothers happy in the Community where obedience has placed them. * Motives and virtue of prudence in our relationships with our pupils.
107a	26th Jan., 1840, Paris	Circular letter. A word on Mental Prayer.
108	7th April, 1840, Paris	Circular letter. Announcement and Prayers regarding the examination in Rome of the Cause of Mr. De La Salle.
108a	5th May, 1840, Paris	Circular letter. About the fire in the small town of Sallanches, in Savoy. (Another circular to the Brothers Directors had already spoken of it).
109	5th May, 1840, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Circular letter. * Recommendation of the souls of the Chevalier Geunaro and the Marquis Solari, in Loreto. * Mr Niel Saint-Étienne, affiliated member of the Institute... * Importunity of requests for help from the Minister. * Serious reasons for the Superiors vetoes. * Renewal of the request for a summary for answers at the end of each letter from Brothers. * Favourable opinion in the cause of Mr. De La Salle.
110	26th May, 1840, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Circular letter. * Dispatch of the Decree of 8th May, 1840: For the introduction of the Cause of Mr. J-B De La Salle. * Reflections on this topic. * Drawing in Rome of the portrait of our Founder.
111	7th July, 1840, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Circular letter. * Dispatch of the List of Aspirants to Vows. * Reflection on the Vows. <p>Three Brothers, including Br. Parascève, leaving for Bourbon, ask for prayers.</p>
112	6th Nov., 1840, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Circular letter. * Recommendation: the keeping of accurate Accounts of Finances, Community and Classes. * To the Brothers Directors: Warn Br. Bruno, the assistant procurator, before the end of the month, if the accounts cannot be closed. * Template for a ten-year contract.
113	5th Dec., 1840, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Circular letter. <p>Flooding of area on the banks of the Rhone and the Saône. Renewed appeals for charity. Subscription.</p>
114	15th Jan., 1841, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Circular letter. * Affectionate recommendation for the Vows. * Some considerations on the preparation for the spiritual battle, by vigilance and prayer. * Note on daily timetable. * Brothers Directors can use this letter as a theme for talks.
115	15th Feb., 1841, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Remark on the morality of prize Books. * Change to the small volume: <i>The Young Communicant</i>. The title of the first draft has changed. * Prayers to say for affiliated members and benefactors. * A novena is asked for. * Embarrassment caused by not following procedures in the ten-year contract. * Asking for prayers of thanksgiving: the journey of the 3 brothers for Bourbon (including Br. Parascève) has been successfully completed. * The work: <i>Arithmetical Solutions</i> has ended.

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115a	25th March, 1841, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Warnings as to the imprudent sale of Institute books to other than pupils. * Printing and publication handed to Messieurs Mame et Poussielgue. * Importance of Superiors' recommendations.
116	19th April, 1841, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommending the journey of Br. Stanislas Kostka and his companions, going to Smyrna, to their prayers. * Table for the accounts of the houses.
117	1st July, 1841, Paris	Circular letter. * Obligatory prayers for affiliated members. * Inconvenience arising from certain conversations and dress. * Drawing attention to the numbered résumé of letters. * Thanksgiving for the successful voyage of the Brothers sent to Smyrna. * Request for detailed reasons for wanting a change.
118	1st July, 1841, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of the List of Aspirants to Vows. * Reminder of two great matters: the retreat and admission to vows. * Separate motives and reflections on these two subjects. * Each professed Brother will make two copies of his notes. The date of the Chapters, 19th August. * Some points on the subject of meeting for the retreat.
119	24th August, 1841, Paris	Circular letter. The Brothers Directors must send the State of the communities, as soon as classes resume.
120	3rd Nov., 1841, Paris	Circular letter. * Necessity for some information. * Anticipated good wishes for the New Year: motives. * Numerous points including Recommending the mission of 6 Brothers going to join three others for Smyrna and Constantinople. * Indication of the practical way of making Novenas in the Institute.
120a	With circular 120.	* Invocation of Venerable De La Salle, polycopied sheet concerning favours obtained and those to ask for by novenas of prayer. * Manner and reasons for making them.
121	22nd Feb., 1842, Par.	Circular letter. Reflections on the dead of the present circular.
121a	21st March, 1842, Par.	Circular letter. Reasons for the Master's reserve with regard to his pupils. 8 pages in -8°.
122	21st April, 1842, Par.	Circular letter. Notes inserted in a catechism, a Grammar and an Arithmetic book.
123	12th July, 1842, Paris	Circular letter. * Advice on the use of a Diary. * Renewed recommendations on prize giving. * Retreats to be presided by Br. Superior. * Observations on Vows.
124	15th Oct., 1842, Paris	Circular letter. Announcement of the dispatch of a Decree of the Sacred Congregation of Rites concerning the cause of Venerable De La Salle.
125	31st Oct., 1842, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of copies of the Decree on the Reputation for holiness of life of Ven. De La Salle. * Use to be made of them. * Gratitude to God.
126	15th Jan., 1843, Paris	Circular letter. * Reflections on the New Year good wishes. * Use of this letter as a subject for conferences, as well as that of 21st March, 1842. * Joy at favours obtained through the intercession of Venerable De La Salle, on this subject. Cause in process in Rouen. * Observations on the deduction of the 20th for requests for vows. * Plans for a retreat before Profession. * Simplicity in Prize-giving.
127	31st Jan., 1843, Paris	Circular letter. * The journey of 6 Brothers (their names are given) for the Île Bourbon and 2 for Smyrna.
128	16th June, 1843, Par.	Circular letter. * Recommendation about the Prospectus on the Holy Childhood sent with the circular.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Observation on simplicity and order in preparing Prize-giving. * Invitation to the Clergy for exams on catechism and the Brothers. * Preparation of the Formulas of Renovation of Vows for a future dispatch.
129	16th July, 1843, Paris	<p>Letter from the M.H. Brother.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * New directive, on seeing the List of Vows, to read Circular 118. * Also a reminder of the way to write notes on Aspirants. * Indication of the retreats at which the Br. Superior would be present. * Date of Chapters of admission.
130	31st Oct., 1843, Paris	Letter of the M.H. Brother. Dispatch of the template for a ten-year contract.
131	8th Dec., 1843, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Dispatch of the list of the Brothers who were to meet to form the new General Chapter to be held on 2nd February, 1844. Observations and information.</p>
132	2nd Jan., 1844, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Time flies, etc. Development of this thought. * At the end, a few intentions for prayer: children, novices, Our H.F. the Pope having allowed two members to be appointed to the Regime, process of the cause of Venerable De La Salle.
134	20th Feb., 1844, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Results of the Chapter which ended 15th February: 3 new Assistants. * Attention called to different observances: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. reddition. 2. inclusion of sheet for accounts. 3. attention of the Bros. Directors drawn to the spiritual and material needs of the Brothers. 4. suppression of corporal punishment. 5. collection of notes useful to the administration of the Institute. 6. fidelity to spiritual reading. 7. travelling. 8. recitation of the rosary in class. 9. mutual charity. * The Chapter, known as the General Chapter of Charity. * Announcement of a circular on charity. * Request for a general novena to Saint-Joseph. * Stamping of letters
135	29th April, 1844, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Thanksgiving for the Work of Venerable De La Salle. * Recruiting of the Novitiates. * The fruit of the Establishments. * Christian results of Schools for adults in Paris. * Successful beginning of Brothers in Fontevault, and in Nîmes also. * Oft repeated requests for an establishment in Madagascar. * Deserved encouragement of Schools regarding the suppression of corporal punishment. * 2 testimonies of cures obtained through Venerable De La Salle. * Announcement of the dispatch of a form for the accounts and personnel of the houses. * Request for Brothers with a knowledge of sign language to teach the deaf and dumb.
136	27th May, 1844, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to vows. * Dates of Chapters. * Observation on the teaching of chemistry, physics, instrumental music and foreign languages. * Reminder of the circular on charity. * Repeated recommendation not to become involved in matters outside the Institution, and particularly in politics. * To be vigilant about books to be given as prizes. * In letters, separate the special subjects with lines. * Be particularly careful that the accounts returned are completed exactly. * Negligence of some Directors. * Act of piety for workers in Paris, led by the Brothers. * A cure, in Orleans, attributed to Venerable De La Salle. * Communication of a reply from Our H.F. Pope Gregory XVI to Brother Philippe, S.G.
137	20th August, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Recommending a novena for the success of the retreats. * Remarks concerning the reports from the Brothers Visitors. * Devotion to the souls in Purgatory. * The present ups-and-downs of the Work of the Holy Childhood: Advice.

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		* Recruitment: Certificate for the ten-year contract.
138	22nd Oct., 1844, Paris	Circular letter. * Good that the retreats should produce. * Request for any works or writings of Venerable De La Salle. * 4 works named.
139	15th Jan., 1845, Paris	Circular letter: CHARITY. 1. What charity consists of: union. 2. Necessity of charity: 3 reasons. 3. Advantages: 1st, 2nd, 3rd. 4. Qualities. 5. Duties imposed: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th. 6. Opposite faults: 1st, 2nd, 3rd 4th, 5th. 7. Means of maintaining charity: 1st, 2nd, 3rd 4th, 5th. * Advice of Venerable De La Salle. * What Brothers were to do if they wanted a copy of the circular. This circular would be reprinted with the same n° in July.
140	15th Jan., 1845, Paris	Circular letter. * Announcement of the imminent dispatch of the Rule of Government (new edition). * Invitation to honour Saint Joseph more.
141	8th April, 1845, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the List of Aspirants to Vows had been brought forward in order to obtain a few months of Novitiate for the Brothers admitted (wish of the last General Chapter). * Imminent dispatch of the Rule of Government with some interesting additions. * Circulars of all Superiors General wanted. * Recommending 10 named Brothers to their prayers, before their departure from Toulon for the Île Bourbon.
142	22nd June, 1845, Paris	Circular letter. * Esteem and advantage enjoyed by the Institute. * Spiritual recommendations, and for the school, quite wide ranging practices. * Recommendation: Brothers going into town. * Catastrophe in Bas (Haute-Loire): request for help.
142a	24th July, 1845	Circular. Reprinting, 24th July, 1845. CHARITY.
143	24th July, 1845, Paris	Circular letter. * Recommendation for behaviour in class and for visits by authorities. * Reminder of recommendations: going out, prize-giving. * Dispatch of corrections to rectify the forgetfulness when sending the new edition of the Rule of Government. * Opening of the next retreat in Paris.
145	14th Jan., 1846, Paris	Circular letter. * Grace obtained through Venerable De La Salle. * Intercession in the Mother House to the Most Blessed Virgin and Saint Joseph. * Use of the familiar «thou». * After some concern, thanksgiving for the Brothers departure for the Île Bourbon. * Request from Bishops for Brothers for the United States, not counting those from France, Belgium, etc.: exhortation. * The Rule of Government should be put at the disposal of the Brothers. * Remark on Lent: Friday Fast. * Good effect of the means of encouragement other than the cane. * Reprinting of the circular on charity-fervour.
146	14th Jan., 1846, Paris	Circular letter. * Impression made by the New Year greetings. FERVOUR. 1. Reason for fervour with regard to God: 1st, 2nd, 3rd 4th. 2. We ought to be fervent because our best interests demand it: 1st to 9th. Conclusion.
147	14th April, 1846, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of the procedure under way in Orleans on the favour obtained through Venerable De La Salle. * Recommendation of the devotion to Saint Joseph; favours. Month of May. * 2 words on the line to take for the Work of the Holy Childhood.
148	26th May, 1846, Paris	Circular letter: * Recommendation to read Br. Agathon's circular on the vows and that of 1st July, 1841, n°

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		118. * Order to follow for the forms concerning the vows. * Admission chapter. * Correction of 3 serious assertions in some newspapers on: 1. music. 2. prayers said in class. 3. use of the book: Duties of a Christian. * Reflections on the means of increasing good in class: 1. prayer. 2. vigilance. 3. teaching. 4. example.
149	1st July, 1846, Paris	Circular letter. * On the death of Pope Gregory XVI, a few details. * Novena requested for the safe journey of 10 Brothers (named) going to the Île Bourbon.
150	8th August, 1846, Paris	Circular letter. * Request for prayers for retreats. * No new practices. * Dates of the retreats.
151	30th Oct., 1846, Paris	Circular letter. * Renewed request for help for flood victims. * Reply of the newly-elected Pope Pius IX, to the letter of Br. Philippe in the name of the Institute.
152	15th Jan., 1847, Paris	Circular letter. * Happiness in the vocation of Brother of the Christian Schools. Grounds. 1. Union with God 2. Conformity to the Holy Will of God, abandonment to his Providence. 3. The life of Our Lord, working and suffering for our salvation. 4. The desire to increase merit for heaven. 5. Love of the vocation. 6. Doing one's duty. 7. Spirit of sacrifice. 8. Consideration of the hardships of others. 9. Avoidance of sin. 10. Victory over our passions. This can be used by the Brothers Directors as subjects for conferences: * How to express oneself in written reports. * Love for the Institute. * Disturbance from music lessons, and how to avoid it. * Idea of drawing up the Annals of the Institute: information requested: 1. the foundation, the directors. 2. suppression. 3. the decisions of the Municipal Councils. 4. unusual events. 5. for prior to 1792, see archives. * Request for names of Deputies who would be useful to the Brothers. * Recommendation to read Br. Agathon's letter, added to by Br. Anaclet.
152a	15th April, 1847	Autographed note. * Regarding recruitment to the Junior Novitiate by youngsters who are very young. * Arrangements made in this respect.
153	18th April, 1847	Circular letter. * Brothers Directors should have the Sketches approved, and any other plays for prizes, another veto expressed. * Care to give to reading: young classes to be smaller. * Note on the numerous entries for certificates (Brothers). * Information that every Brother should have. * Thanksgiving for the safe arrival of the 10 Brothers in Bourbon; details. * Request for some Brothers with pharmaceutical knowledge to be infirmarians in community.
154	10th June, 1847, Paris	Circular letter. * Note for the forms of the Professed members; date of Chapters for admission. * Recommendations to Bros. Directors on repair and improvement of houses. * Recommendations to Brothers Directors changing residence. * Address for letters: maison Saint Joseph, rue Plumet, 33, Paris. * Request for prayers for the needs of the Institute.
154b	10th June, 1847, Par.	Circular letter.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Allusion to a previous word sent to settle minds over the Toulouse affair. * Communication of the letter from 4 Directors of the School, Boarding School, Teacher Training School, and the Novitiate of Toulouse, to the newspaper «Le Droit». * Advice to pray when in need of support and consolation.
155	7th Sept., 1847, Paris	Circular letter. Reminder to Brothers Directors to send the extract of the renewal of vows.
156	8th Jan., 1848, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Recommendations for New Year good wishes; resolutions to take. * Prayers requested.
156a	7th March, 1848, Paris	Circular letter. «Our Very dear Brothers. Here are great events, great lessons given to everyone. Upon seeing them, we need to cry out: the finger of God is here». Recommendations to follow; advice; thoughts.
156b	9th March, 1848, Paris	<p>Communication of the letter of the Superior General of the Brothers of the Christian Schools to the Minister of Justice.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Protest at the measure raised against members of the Community. * Br. Philippe speaks of his letter of last 30th April, which had been made public.
157	10th March, 1848, Paris	Circular letter. Information on the 2 preceding letters.
157a	18th March, 1848, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Rule regarding the government intentions as made known to the Bishops. * Those novices who might be immediately useful to us have been retained. * The pupils of the houses of Paris, Passy, Lyons, Toulouse, etc... returned after a few days holiday. * Stamping letters. * How to deal with a con-man and a crook.
158	6th June, 1848, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Joy upon seeing the numerous aspirants to vows despite the uncertain future. * Encouragement, advice. * Wish to know the members of the national Assembly; request for information. * Calm and prayer.
159	20th July, 1848, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Retreat in community or with neighbouring communities, within 10 or 11 miles; a preacher or a good confessor at least who would say a few words each day.</p>
161	27th Sept., 1848, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Thanksgiving for the tranquility enjoyed by the Institute. * Deserve God's continued protection by: 1° fervent prayer; 2° spirit of sacrifice; 3° complete regularity; 4° greatest zeal for the good education of children. * Development of these means. * Remark about necessary purchases, with reference to travelling salesmen. * Remark about journeys and leaving the house.
163	15th Jan., 1849, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reflection on exchanging good wishes. <p style="text-align: center;">ZEAL AND SANCTIFICATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Development on the subject of sanctification. * A word on the children's dress and the increasing problem of punishments. * Those Brothers who would like this letter for their personal use could make a request to the Brother Procurator through their Brother Director.
163a	5th Feb., 1849, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Communication of the letter addressed to His Holiness Pius IX, who was being persecuted. Reply from the Pope.</p>
164	11th June, 1849, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Joy expressed at the great number of aspirants to vows. * Means of perseverance. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To have the highest ideas of God so that no creature could turn us away from Him. 2. To maintain great willingness. 3. To have a very correct and pure intention. 4. Detachment from earthly things. 5. To take delight in piety. 6. To offer a daily sacrifice to God. 7. Not to be discouraged in spite of one's failings. 8. To mistrust one's strength, to hope for Grace, to ask for it and to aspire to Heaven. * Every professed Brother of the school must send two forms for vows.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Date of admissions Chapters. * Prayers for the end to the epidemic, and to follow the directives of the bishops in fasting and abstinence.
166	15th Oct., 1849, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Remarks on stamping letters. * Nothing troublesome had happened to our Brothers in Rome: hope of seeing the work for the Beatification resumed. * It is intended to review the school books. * Observations and model for acts concerning military service.
167	15th Oct., 1849, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Ill-founded fears up to that time, of the necessity of convoking a General Chapter. * Convocation of a commission for next 15th December. * List of eligible, elderly Brothers and the Brothers Directors of the main houses of France and of Provinces outside France.
168	1st Feb., 1850, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of the deliberations of the Commission of 1849; results of elections and decrees. Developments on the means of spiritual life and for work. * Letter to send to the Minister of Instruction acknowledging receipt of the law on the appointment of teachers. * 2nd remark on stamping letters and exactness concerning the Geography manual.
169a	4th Feb., 1850, Paris	<p>Circular letter. Communication of the letter from Mr. Marin, prison chaplain in Toulon, on the subject of the conduct and of the death of Br. Léotard.</p>
170	25th April, 1850, Par.	<p>Circular letter. Some reflections on the subject of the obituaries n° 170.</p>
171	30th June, 1850	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reminder of the procedure of the two written forms on one side only for aspirants to vows. Date. * Thoughts on retreat and mental prayer. * Topics for mental prayer suggested for each day of the week: Creation and dispatch of a collection of Summaries of meditations. * Call to Paris, for the Retreat of Directors of the Districts of Paris, Saint-Omer and Belgium: information on the different centres, of each District for inferiors. * Numerous requests for establishments. * Promoting vocations. * Some administrative recommendations for the Brothers Directors. * Use of a notebook to write down the reasons for correspondence with the Br. Superior.
173a	10th Oct., 1850, Paris	<p>Circular letter (by Br. Léon, Secretary General) to the Brothers Directors. Dispatch of the template for the ten-year contract for the class of 1850, drawn up in accordance with art. 79 of the law of 15th March, 1850.</p>
174	12th Nov., 1850, Paris	<p>Circular letter. Request for the year-book of each Department, and Almanacs or departmental statistics, to correct the Geography manuals.</p>
175	19th Jan., 1851, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * A word about our chief duties to God, the Institute, the Rules, ourselves, our Brothers, outsiders, the children. * Summary of some earlier recommendations: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Faithfulness in community exercises. 2. Concerning invocations. 3. Request for the blessings of heaven for the Institute as regards membership and development. 4. Use of the familiar «thou», use of the Rule of Government. 5. Friday fast. 6. correspondance with the Superiors; its different qualities shown. * Acknowledgment of receipt of circulars. Con-men and letters of recommendation; journeys; going out; books during trips; watches; useless studies; aim of circulars; needless trips; receptions and meals; etc. topic for several conferences; dispatch of several copies.
176	20th Feb., 1851, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>The Brothers Directors of principal schools must request that their school be declared a school at a stage in studies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Recommendation for Brothers in lower classes. * Explanation of the exemption from military service with the changes in the new law. * Measures taken with unstamped mail.
177	8th May, 1851, Paris	<p>Notes of the Procure General, n° 24.</p>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Art. 84. Indication of the proportional number of Masses for each Community. * Art. 85. Drawing sheets, summary of lessons of a Brother from Paris at evening classes. * Art. 86. Treatises and extracts from books to be delivered in hardback. * Dictionary, reworked and corrected. Br. Narbot.
177a	30th June, 1851, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Safeguards urged for the preservation of health.
178	30th June, 1851, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Joy at the great number of aspirants to vows, in spite of certain circumstances. * Dates of chapters; and retreats at which the Br. Superior expects to assist. * Permission which certain Brothers Directors might ask for in this regard.
179a	22nd August, 1851, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reduction granted by the Railway Companies to Brothers travelling in 2nd or 3rd class. From Paris to Rouen, Le Havre Dieppe, the sole condition is to wear the religious habit and have an authorisation. * Conditions for other companies and coaches. * Discretion in using these privileges.
180	23rd August, 1851, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dates of retreats: have the books. * Remark from the Procure for the present circular. * Number of Masses for each house.
180a	6th Nov., 1851, Paris	Circular from the M.H.B. Philippe. Situation calm in Paris.
181	12th Nov., 1851, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Indulgences granted by H.H. Pius IX. * Dispatch of the tables of indulgences proper to our Institute and of the translation of the Encyclical of Pius IX to the Superiors of Religious Orders.
182	12th Nov., 1851, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Recommendation 1°, 2°, 3°, 4° for the Christian instruction of children. * Information on the request for apostolate in far-off countries: 2 main conditions. * Remarks from the Procure about Masses.
182a	14th Nov., 1851, Paris	General view of Indulgences granted to the Institute. (Library of Passy-Froyennes)
182b	6th Dec., 1851, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Concerning the versions of the situation in Paris. * Hope that Brothers everywhere have been able to continue exercising their apostolate. * Request for information.
183	28th Feb., 1852, Paris	Circular letter. Encouragement to profit by the permission of the Bishops concerning abstinence because of fatigue from class and the state of health of some Brothers.
183a	18th March, 1852. Paris	Circular letter. To the Brothers Directors. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Change of pension from 5% to 4.5%. * Advice on this matter. * Confidence in Providence.
183b	29th May, 1852, Paris	Circular letter. Recommendation of prayers for his intention (when the Superior fell ill).
184	31st May, 1852, Paris	Circular letter. Note 1° on the musical pieces for Prizes. 2° on the emblems on exercise-book covers.
185	18th June, 1852, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of the list for vows. * Short considerations. * Date of chapters of admission. * Recommendations: 1° mission of 6 Brothers in Malaysia; 2° 6 others in Réunion; 3° success of the retreats.
185a	January, 1852	Manuscript circular. To the Brothers Directors. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Asking for detailed information of the establishments or Boarding Schools, Day Schools and Chambermaids. * Request for a copy of the Prospectus.
185b	29th July, 1852, Par.	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Request for help because of the fire in Montreal (Canada). * State of income and divided into 3 categories: Community - Children - Benefactors

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186	30th Sept., 1852, Par.	Circular letter. Remarks. Dispatch of an amendment sheet to insert into the large History of France. * Unpleasantness caused by thoughtless or irregular purchases. * Order in correspondence with Superiors. * Report for vows, certificates, etc. to be sent by a fixed date. * Disquiet about dealings with crooks. * What is meant by a book of devotion, as 3rd book for reading in the refectory. * Care to have parish catechisms for the children. * Remark from the Procure about Masses: information.
187	1st Jan, 1853, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Duties of the Brother Director.
187a	1st Jan., 1853, Paris	Circular letter. Main duties and advice on spirituality and work.
188	7th Feb., 1853, Paris	Circular letter. * Announcement that the Process on the writings of Venerable De La Salle had had a favourable outcome. * Preparation of the one on miracles. A collection of the cures obtained since 1838, is going to be sent for distribution. * Dispensation from fasting for those with a weak constitution. * Remark from the Procure about Masses to have said.
189	23rd March, 1853	Circular letter. * Given the reasons of the Brothers Capitulants, the General Chapter arranged for 2nd February, 1854, has been fixed for 16th June. * Dispatch of the list of eligible Brothers. * Information and regulation. * Prayers requested.
190	7th April, 1853, Paris	Circular letter. Information on the two indulgences to be gained on communion days. * Remark from the Procure about Masses to have said.
190a	23rd April, 1853, Paris	Circular letter. Request from Br. Superior to know if the lay schools in each town are completely non-paying; after discreet enquiries, send an immediate reply.
190b	1st May, 1853, Paris	Circular letter from the M.H. Brother. Announcement of a small Memorial for each Brother. (Lib of Passy-Froyennes, 1912)
191	5th July, 1853, Paris	Circular letter. * Results of the deliberation of the Chapter: Explanations. 1. Way of the Cross on Fridays, replacing evening prayer. 2. Reddition to Bros. Visitors. 3. Prayers for deceased Brothers. 4. Great clarity in the way of proceeding to admission to vows. 5. Reply to make concerning Boarding Schools in the Institute. * Remarks: 1. on regularity, 2. on charity, union, supporting faults, 3. on relationships with the pupils. * Points concerning prayers in class, catechism in class, school. * Different points (reminder): on piety and prayers, recitation of the office and prayers for the dead, letters, health precautions, etc.
191b	12th July, 1853, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of the list of aspirants to vows. * Next dispatch of Chapter decrees. * Correction of a sentence in a text which had been sent.
192	20th July, 1853	Circular letter. Explanation of prayers for the dead which are to be said henceforth.
193	15th Sept., 1853, Paris	Circular letter. * Epidemic in New Orleans. * Dispatch of corrections to replace certain pages of the Common Rules. * For Brothers travelling by coaches of Laffite et Gaillard or Messageries Générales.
194	18th Nov., 1853, Paris	Circular letter. * Instructions for bequests and donations.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Remarks on classes: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prayers and study of Catechism. 2. To follow the timetable for other subjects.
194a	18th Nov., 1853, Paris	<p>Circular letter. Contribution to the erection of a statue (55ft high) of Our Lady of France, on the Corneille rock, near the town of Le Puy. Subscription: community, children, benefactors.</p>
195	23rd Dec., 1853, Paris	<p>Circular letter. * With regard to the Booklet or Memorial of each Brother, the loose sheet should be returned. * Urgent remark regarding steps for recruitment.</p>
196	2nd Jan., 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. * Convocation of the General Chapter sent at the same time as the circular. * Reminder about a subscription to Our Lady of Puy. * Insistence on taking advantage of episcopal permission relating to fasting. * Remark on the reductions in salaries. * How to keep current accounts. * Prudence regarding travelling salesmen. * Requests for prayers for the establishments of Algeria, Cairo, Alexandria, Smyrna. Constantinople, helped by the Propagation of the Faith; recommendation of this work. * Communication of the Pastoral Letter of the Bishop of Algiers of 22nd December, 1853. * Extract from the Imperial Decree of 31st December, 1853. Title III of the teaching Salary.</p>
197	2nd Jan., 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. * Convocation of a General Chapter for 2nd March on the subject of an Imperial Edict on primary teaching in France. * Title III concerning gratuity should interest the Institute. * State and list of eligible Brothers.</p>
199	10th March, 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. On the subject of the Imperial Edict of 31st December, by which the mayor in each commune, invites the admission of pupils who henceforth apply to the school, to be submitted. How to act.</p>
200	15th March, 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. * Given the thinking of the General Chapter: «considering the powerful protection of the government on which we dare count with the greatest confidence, and the goodwill of the local authorities» for the present, we have nothing to alter in our established practices, in the teaching given to the children. * Reminder of points already made. * Other points: Desire of the Chapter to celebrate the Patronage of Saint Joseph. * Well prepared lessons for class.</p>
201	4th May, 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. Explanation that the law of 9th June, 1853, on civil pensions is not applicable to religious teachers: details.</p>
201a	May or June, 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. Please pay attention to the points, on one side of the page. Communication of the law of 4th May, 1854, on postage of letters. In the other column, remarks on this subject or on the obligatory register for the members of the community, correspondence and sending of renewals.</p>
202	11th June, 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. * On the renovation of Vows. * Development on the Formula of making or renewal of the vows of the Institute.</p>
203	19th June, 1854, Par.	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of vows.
204	12th August, 1854, Paris	Dispatch and communication of the Advice and Means of Doctor Verjus regarding the present illness.
206	12th August, 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. * Points and advice on local retreats. * Invitation to omit what would be too cheerful at prize-giving. * Conduct of children in certain localities.</p>
207	12th Sept., 1854, Par.	Circular letter. Dispatch of the Instruction on Recruitment; dispatch announced.
208	25th Sept., 1854, Paris	<p>Circular letter. * Development on the Means of retaining the fruits of a retreat:</p>

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		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. acts of piety at the start of the day. 2. assiduity in exercises 1,2,3,4. 3. Mental Prayer. 4. spirit of faith. 5. presence of God. 6. love of solitude and retreat. 7. modesty of the eyes. 8. good use of time. 9. guarding the tongue. 10. avoiding danger. 11. learning from experience. 12. listening to one's conscience. 13. fidelity in little things. 14. devotion to Mary. 15. goodwill. <p>* Invitation to the Brothers Directors to use them as topics for conferences in community.</p>
208a	29th Sept., 1854, Paris	(short) Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Agree with the desire to fulfil the duties of their post. Invitation to take the different articles of the Rule of Government as the special subject of spiritual reading.
209	14th Sept., 1854, Paris	Circular letter. * Modification of the circular of 10th August on recruitment: new information. * Dispatch of models.
210	28th Nov., 1854, Paris	Circular letter. * Renewed recommendation to keep the History of the house up to date, and what it should contain; 1,2,3,4,5,6,7. Personnel register; what should be written down. * Possession of the Birth Certificate and Booklet of each Brother. * Reminder of the articles of correspondence with Superiors. * Stamping: remark.
211	30th Nov., 1854, Par.	Circular letter. Important advice for conduct outside.
212	30th Nov., 1854, Par.	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. On the fulfilment of numerous important duties.
212a	10th Dec., 1854, Par.	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Little agreement between the information taken from the Memorial and that supplied by the Brothers Directors of the Novitiate. * Reflections to transcribe on to the sheets enclosed.
213	1st Jan., 1855, Paris	Circular letter. * Beauty of union in the Institute. Response to vows. * Exhortations to become men of faith, of the rule, of good example, of prayer. * Advice. Invitation to the Brothers Directors to take advantage of the dispensation granted by the bishops, for fatty foods, and also to make use of the dispensation from fasting.
214	18th Jan., 1855, Paris	Circular letter. * Discussion on the definition of the Dogma of the Immaculate Conception. * Allusion to the vows of the first Brothers of the Institute, if they obtained the approbation of the Rules. * Protection of the Most Blessed Virgin on the Institute. * History of this protection up to 1854. * Way of celebrating this solemnity.
215	30th Jan., 1855, Paris	Circular letter. Indication for the ten-year contract.
216	5th April, 1855, Paris	Circular letter. * Printing of a life of Venerable De La Salle to give as a reward. * Request for information on selection by lot. * Remarks on the admission of children: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Avoid too great a number of pupils. 2. Not to admit them too young; reasons. * To do nothing or ask for anything that may possibly suggest to the authorities any idea of retribution. * General invitation to read circulars 211 and 212. * Not to introduce anything new into class or teaching. * To act in such a way as to ensure uniformity.
217	25th April, 1855, Par.	Circular from the Regime, with the signatures of the Bros. Assistants, to the Brothers Directors.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To redress Sieur Thavanet's letter against the M.H.B. Philippe: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Letter from the Regime, dated 25th April. 2. Letter from Fr. Daure, dated 23rd April. 3. Letter from Mr Nogent-Saint-Laurent, Lawyer and Deputy, dear Brothers Assistants. 4. Declaration and Correction of Sieur Thavanet de Bellevue.
218	30th April, 1855, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Br. Nabort, Procurator General, resigned through ill-health. * Br. Benoît, ex-Assistant, was appointed Procurator General of the Institute and Director of Saint Joseph's house.
219	18th June, 1855, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows. * Recommendation to the professed Brothers to read Br. Agathon's circular. <p>P.S. What every novice ought to do upon arriving in a community; remark.</p>
220	30th July, 1855, Paris	Circular letter. Correction of the prayer «Maria, Mater gratiae».
221	18th Oct., 1855, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Renewed remark about separating topics in correspondence. * To get rid of whatever might cause a disturbance to the community or class. * Note about the weekly reading of circulars 211 and 212. * List of Brothers of the 1855 class to be sent to Br. Léon, Secretary General.
221a	18th Nov., 1855, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <p>Detailed recommendations on the State of personnel in communities.</p>
222	19th Nov., 1855	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Dispatch of several things connected to the Institute administration.</p>
223	31st. Dec., 1855, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reminder of the dispatch of a questionnaire to the houses for historical notes. * Communication of an observation from the Postmaster General.
223a	1st Jan., 1856, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reply to New Year good wishes. * Some reflections on the edifying lives of the Brothers in the enclosed circular.
223b	4th Feb., 1856, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Publication of two volumes of Obituary notices or Collection of circulars of 1822. * Other volumes will follow. * Remarks will be grouped in a special volume. * New edition of the Conduct of Schools. * The plates for Drawing and Mechanics of Br. Arcadius are ready. * Approximate date when the Dialogue and music pieces for prizes will be ready. * Creation of a catalogue of the Procure General.
224	5th Feb., 1856, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reflections preceding the notices at the beginning of the 3rd volume of the Obituary notices. * Warning to the Brothers Directors about travellers, etc.; some details. * Recommendation for the choice of books for prizes.
225	15th May, 1856, Par.	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of the pink slips to be filled in on the day of the renovation of vows and to be sent to the Regime. * Dispatch with the present circular of a Notice on the Institute which contains answers to be given to respectable people asking about the Congregation. * Exclusive use of the catalogue of non-class items from the Procure, for our houses.
226	27th June, 1856, Par.	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows. * Obituary notices. Interesting and historical notices. * P.S. for the Procure General. Books: Politeness in practice. Nice hobbies for youngsters. * Gone to print: chronological table of scientific literary and industrial discoveries. * Date of the Paris retreat.
227	28th June, 1856, Par.	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Importance of the Study of the dispositions of Aspirants to Vows. * Development. * Dates of the chapters.
228	1st August, 1856, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Vexatious problems as a result of certain journeys at holiday time.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Note: Retreats at which the Brother Superior hopes to be present. * Invitation to prepare for the coming retreat by a novena of prayers.
229	9th Dec., 1856, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Obituaries. * At the beginning, some quotations from Holy Scripture on sudden death.
229a	2nd Jan., 1857, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Exchange of wishes. * A few thoughts on the way of acting and its result.
230	2nd March, 1857, Paris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Invitation to profit by time and to pray for the Brothers whose obituaries were given. * Recommendation to limit the choice of books for the Library or for prizes to the two catalogues from the Procure General. * Reminder of page 56 of the volume of Recommendations and Remarks, Saint Ignatius of Loyola. * How to build up our pupils' library. * The list of vows will, in future, be sent about three weeks after Easter. * Wish to see a redoubling of piety and devotion to Saint Joseph, protector of the Institute, in view of the day by day expansion of the Congregation.
230a	15th May, 1857, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Knowledge of the character of souls before choosing books to buy. * Dispatch, for the exclusive use of the Brother Director, of a list or catalogue of ascetic or pious books.
231	21st May, 1857, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Reminder about selection by lot.</p>
232	22nd May, 1857, Paris	<p>Circular letter: THE VOWS.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What the vows are: the historicity and excellence of the vows. 2. Advantages which the religious finds in making vows: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1° By the vows the religious is consecrated to God in a special way. 2° The religious gives God a great proof of his love and devotion. 3° His acts become more meritorious and worthy of a greater reward. 4° The vows support the religious in the trials and temptations of life and ensure his perseverance in his vocation. 3. Obligations imposed by the vows 1°, 2°, 3°, 4°, 5°. 4. Five pretexts of poor religious to excuse their breaking the vows. 5. Means to take for observing the vows 1°, 2°, 3°, 4°, 5°, 6°, 7.
233	23rd May, 1857, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reminder of the arrangements fixed by the circular 227 concerning admission to vows. * Remarks about stamps. * Reading of circular n° 232.
235a	2nd Dec., 1857, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Reminder to a few Brothers Directors who had not fulfilled the directions on recruitment.</p>
236	16th Dec., 1857, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of a statement on personnel and asking for various pieces of information on the houses. * Note for the houses started in the last two years and a copy of the letter of 20th November, 1855. * Dispatch of the prospectus of an important house.
237	1st Jan., 1858, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Answering the New Year wishes. * Request for a practice of the virtues which lead to perfection: 1° faith; 2° charity; 3° perfect harmony; 4° angelic purity; 5° strong hope; 6° profound humility; 7° blind obedience; 8° spirit of poverty; 9° fidelity to little things; 10° regularity; 11° fear of God; 12° prudence; 13° holiness of life; 14° finally the perfect gift to God; 15° a happy death, through Saint Joseph. <p>P.S. For the reading of the second book on Saturdays.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Request for the result of the communication of the prospectus on the work of epileptics.
238	20th Jan., 1858, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * On a communication from the Ministry of Public Instruction, of reports of certain prefects speaking of punishments inflicted by Brothers; reason given by the Brothers. * Development and Reminder of the Recommendation and Remarks. * Note. On certain industrial travellers introducing themselves at houses, based on subscriptions to certain newspapers.
239	25th Feb., 1858, Par.	<p>Circular letter.</p>

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		P.S. Prayer and mark of devotion for the month of March in honour of Saint Joseph.
240	14th April, 1858, Paris	Circular letter. Communication of the letter from Br. Exupère, Visitor of the Establishments in the Papal States concerning the audience he had with His Holiness Pope Pius IX: to show it to benefactors, the Parish Priest, Mgr Défense to be given to the press.
241	3rd May, 1858, Paris	Circular letter. Notice from Br. Abdon, Assistant. Very interesting for the history of the Institute.
242	8th May, 1858, Paris	Circular letter. * Convocation of a General Chapter for the 10th July, to fill vacancies in the Regime. * Information and request for prayers. * List of eligible Brothers. * The Bros. Deputies to the Chapter will keep an account of expenses in order to be reimbursed.
243	25th May, 1858, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of forms on pink paper, to be filled in on the day vows are renewed. * Reminder to the Brothers Directors to submit the pieces for recitation for prize-giving. * Heightened care in the monthly rewards, and prizes * Be careful about bookshop catalogues. * Important remark for Brothers subject to selection by lot.
244	29th May, 1858, Paris	Circular letter. Importance of the admission chapter. 1° What an admission Chapter is. 2° Obligation of all professed members, to give their reasoned opinion about each Aspirant. 3° The dangers of admitting unsuitable candidates: how they can be recognised. 4° The qualities of the proposed candidates. 5° How to draw up the report.
244a	24th July, 1858, Paris	Circular of the M.H.B. to the Bros. Visitors. Request for sharing in the construction of the chapel by the bishop of Alger to whom thanks are due for the entry of the Institute into Algeria and of a law on entry to the Institute.
245	11th August, 1858, Paris	Circular letter. * Communication of an approach to the Holy See to increase the number of Assistants. * Substance of decrees taken by the General Chapter * Revision of the book of Exercises of piety. * Use of the scapular of the Immaculate Conception. * New distribution of prayers for the dead. * Limiting of private circulars in the Institute. * Correspondence from Brothers to the Br. Visitor of the District, etc., and thoughts.
246a	1858 or Sept. 1861	Circular note on GRATUITY from M.H.B. Philippe
246b	20th Oct., 1858	Circular letter (very lengthy and detailed). Instructions on recruitment; class of 1858.
247	21st Oct., 1858, Paris	Circular letter. Commending the journey of 8 Brothers, who had set out in September for the island of Réunion. Delay in sending out the new edition of daily prayers.
248	10th Dec., 1858, Paris	Circular letter. Reminder and list of Masses prescribed for deceased Brothers by each house.
249	1st Jan., 1859, Paris	Circular letter. * Joy at and reciprocity of New Year good wishes. * Some thoughts on perseverance.
250	5th Feb., 1859, Paris	Circular letter. Notice of Br. Théotique, Assistant.
251	9th Feb., 1859, Paris	Circular letter. Recommending to their prayers the journey of 4 Brothers going to open the establishment of Mangalore after repeated entreaties to the Emperor's government by H.E. the Cardinal Prefect of Propaganda and the Apostolic Nuncio.
252	7th March, 1859, Paris	Circular letter. * Realisation of the desire shown by the Chapter for a collection to be put at the disposal of each Brother for the particular examen. * Development on this exercise of piety. * Its necessity. * Choice of theme.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * How to make the particular examen. * Some ways of ensuring the results. * Main reasons for neglecting particular examen. * How to apply for inclusion in the list of Aspirants to Vows. * Concerning the book of Exercises of piety in larger type.
256	12th August, 1859, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Request for prayers for the journey and the mission of 10 Brothers setting off from Marseilles for India, and of 4 others going to Santa F� (New Mexico). * Thoughts on faith and zeal. * P.S. Recommendation of the retreats to the prayers of each one, what one should derive.
256a	25th Oct., 1859, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Rendering of accounts according to the instructions given. * Correspondence by each Brother with the Br. Superior every two months. * What reddition made to the Br. Visitor replaces. * By whom the bi-monthly accounts must be signed, etc.
257	25th Oct., 1859, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Announcement that the Br. Superior is having a marble statue sculpted, of Venerable De La Salle. * Proposal of a smaller, plaster copy for each house. * Request for the certificates of the year. * Recommendation to send notice of deaths immediately, and within a week, details for the obituary circulars. * Note about selection by lot.
257a	4th Nov., 1859, Paris	<p>Circular.</p> <p>Reminder to the Brothers Directors of the instructions and information about recruiting.</p>
258	15th Dec., 1859, Par.	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Dispatch of Obituaries with the States of the Brothers Directors.</p>
259	1st Jan., 1860, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Gratitude for the New Year wishes. * Encouragement. * Publication of a Manual of Piety.
260	18th Jan., 1860, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Invitation to show confidence in and piety towards Saint Joseph. * Reasons. * Practices. * Communication of the letter addressed to the Bishop of Saint Denis (island of Reunion), by Mr de Vill�le at the time of the extraordinary cure of Mrs Vill�le. <p>Date of the letter: Saint-Gilles (island of Reunion) 23rd February, 1860. Certificate of the bishop, Amand-Ren� Maupoint; Saint Denis, 5th March, 1860.</p>
261	29th Feb., 1860, Par.	Biographical notes on several deceased Brothers.
262	1st March, 1860, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * About changes to make in the formula on making and renewing vows. * Explanations. * Request for the names of Brothers who had qualified since August, 1854.
263	5th May, 1860, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * With the list of Aspirants to Vows, dispatch of Obituaries. * Recommending the soul of Ambroise Rendu; special prayers. * Dispatch of the brochure: Notes and Recommendations; Extracts from circulars.
263a	5th May, 1860, Paris	<p>Dispatch with the circular 263 (of 25th May, 1860)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Notes and Recommendations. * Extracts from the circulars of the Superiors of the Brothers of the Christian Schools (2nd edition).
264	2nd May, 1860, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows. * Remark that it is very short: reasons. * Communication of Mr Vill�le's letter, according to the last lines of the circular.
265	20th July, 1860, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Result, for the teacher, of corporal punishment. * Wisdom of the recommendation of the Rule. * This letter has to be placed in the common Rule.

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265 twice	20th July, 1860, Paris	Circular letter. * Reminder of the absolute ban on corporal punishment. * Observations in this regard. * Action of the the Brother Director.
266	20th July, 1860, Paris	Circular letter. * Faculty granted to the Institute by Our H.F. the Pope to gain the Portiuncula indulgence. * Historicity of this Atonement indulgence. * Rescript given to the Institute by Pope Pius IX to be put into the archives. * This circular will be kept in the common Rule.
267	21st July, 1860, Paris	Circular letter. Obituaries. Among others, there was Br. Thomas's, nephew of Br. Gerbaud, Superior General.
268	13th Sept., 1860, Paris	Circular letter. * Promptness and exactness in replying to the requests for administrative business to be carried out. * Dispatch of annual Returns: precise indications.
269	2nd Jan., 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Exchange of prayers at New Year, and also of good wishes. * Reminder that to support the zeal of the Brothers during 1860 there were given: 1° The Explanation of the Epistles and Gospels. 2° A new edition of the <i>Conduct of Instructors</i> . 3° The Essay of the <i>Conduct of Schools</i> and that a few changes had been made to several class books. * Exhortations and means of preserving the spirit of the Institute and of the Founder. PUBLICATIONS: 1° Thoughts of Venerable De La Salle and some circulars. 2° Little book of <i>Meditations</i> . 3° A booklet to help appreciate confession and communion. * Request for prayer until further notice.
269a	17th Jan., 1861, Paris	Circular of the M.H.B. Superior to the Brothers Directors. By decision of the Regime, an order to have a new edition drawn up immediately of all the prospectuses concerning each house with the syllabus laid down in the circular. Distribution of all other prospectuses to be stopped straight away.
270	26th Jan., 1861, Paris	Circular letter. Various remarks. Request for remarks on the Trial copy of Conduct. Use of circulars 211 and 212. Reading for the 3rd book in the refectory: list of readings for February and March.
270 twice	26th Jan., 1861, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Remarks about the topics for talks for February and March.
270a	19th March 1861, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * About expenses concerning communal Schools. * General measure taken by Brother Superior. * List of classics.
271	21st March, 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Changes to make to the admission to vows and the form for renovation. * Explanation judged useful and necessary. * Renewed request for remarks on the Trial copy of Conduct. * List of readings for the 3rd book, in April and May.
271 tw.	21st March, 1861, Par.	Remarks and topics for talks in April and May.
271a	4th April, 1861, Paris	Circular of the M.H. Brother to the Brothers Directors. * About the painful situation concerning Boarding schools. * Increase of the support given to Our H.F. the Pope. (Library of Passy-Froyennes, 1912).
272	20th April, 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Second wish added to the ordinary wish of the circular Letters. * Thoughts with reference to the devotion to the M.B. Virgin, on the eve of the month of May. 1° Study and veneration of her greatness. 2° Imitation of her virtues. 3° Confidence in her intercession and gratitude for her blessings. 4° Spirit which should fill the prayers addressed to her. 5° Zeal for her glory and service.

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		* Advice (Lovely and good circular).
273	2nd May, 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Serious letter linked to 261. * Recommendation to the Brothers Directors for reading this letter.
273 twice	2nd May, 1861, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. (same topic as preceding one). P.S. Negligence by the Brothers Directors exposes them to another problem.
274	20th May, 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Reminder of letters 272 and 273. * Note: request for certificates obtained in March. * Numbers of selection by lot outstanding for the Brothers of the class of 1860. * List of readings for the 3rd book, in June and July.
274 tw.	20th May, 1861, Par.	Remarks and topics of talks.
275	21st May, 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Reason for the short list of Aspirants to Vows. * Remarks. * Communication of the list.
276	2nd July, 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Convocation of the General Chapter for 4th September (because of the death of Br. Théotique, Assistant). * List of eligible Brothers. * Announcement of a circular ruling what must be done for retreats.
277	31st July, 1861, Paris	Circular letter. Remark. Request from houses which have been able to set up perseverance groupings. * Special information on this subject. * A word about stamps. * The Brothers Visitors will announce the place for retreats. * List of readings for the 3rd book, in August and September.
277 tw.	31st July, 1861, Paris	Remarks and topics for talks in August and September.
278	1st Oct., 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Summary and Result of the deliberations of the General Chapter. * Decision of the Chapter that 7 Articles should be published.
279a	6th Oct., 1861, Paris	Circular letter. Remarks about: 1° Dispensation of Brothers. 2° Departure of certain subjects who have not fulfilled their ten-year, or other, contract. 3° Request for certificates.
279 tw.	10th Oct., 1861, Paris	Remarks and topics for talks in October and November.
280	26th Nov., 1861, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Thoughts to supplement the talks that the Brother Superior had not been able to make during the retreat. * (Genuine treatise on the Conduct of a Brother Director) 28p. * Wish to have information sent by the the Brother Director rather than to learn through the authorities about certain things taking place in the houses: reasons. * Readings at table, 3rd book. * Perodical circulars 2 every 2 months starting from the end of December. * New request for documents for recruitment.
280	26th Nov., 1861, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Translated into English.
281	26th Dec., 1861, Paris	Circular letter. * Please make known immediately anything agreeable or unpleasant in each community: reasons. * Annual reports to be filled in only on the appointed day; serious attention to the notes. * Special details for boarding schools.
281 tw.	20th Dec., 1861, Paris	XXIII topics for talks for January and February.
282	3rd Jan., 1862, Paris	Circular letter. * Reply to the New Year good wishes. * Considerations on grace. * Its necessity. * Excellence and effects of grace.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Excellence and effects of habitual grace. * Actual grace and its effects. * The grace of vocation. * Confidence we should have in the help of grace. * Conclusion.
283	20th Feb., 1862, Paris	Circular letter. Readings indicated for the 3rd book in March and April.
283 tw.	20th Feb., 1862, Par.	Topics for talks for March and April.
284	10th April, 1862, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * About the subject of monthly or annual distribution of rewards; especially of prize-giving. * A list of books of piety. Remarks on the decision of the General Chapter of 1858: there will be 3 kinds of vows in the Institute.
285	23rd April, 1862, Paris	Circular letter. Readings indicated for the 3rd book in May and June.
285a	23rd April, 1862, Par.	Topics for talks for May and June.
286	26th May, 1862, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. * Origin and establishment. * Object of the devotion. * Reasons 1,2,3,4. * Practice of the devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. * Conclusion. Remark: The Trial copy of Conduct will not be changed further before the next Chapter; a second edition is the same as the first, except that a few minor corrections were made; extra printing of the 3rd part under the title of List of virtues and qualities of a good Master. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Edition of small sheets about the devotion to the Sacred Heart.
287	5th June, 1862, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * This year the list of Aspirants to Vows contains three categories: perpetual vows, triennial vows, annual vows. * This will always be so in future.
288	25th June, 1862, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Remarkable thoughts which begin all the obituary circulars. * Obituary of Br. Léon, Secretary General of the Institute. * Request for certificates obtained in the last exams. * Schedule of readings at table for the 3rd book in July and August.
288 tw.	25th June, 1862, Par.	Topics for talks for July and August.
289	29th July, 1862, Paris	Circular letter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of changes relative to corrections, Vows, daily Timetable and prayers for the dead, made by different General Chapters: use. * Rescript for our chaplains, boarders and domestic staff. * Indulgence of the Portiuncula. * Indulgence when the M.B. Sacrament is carried to the sick of the house. * By indult, the feasts of the Patronage of the M.B. Virgin and of Saint Joseph may be solemnized as doubles of the 1st class. * Printing of Summaries for the Meditations of Venerable De La Salle. * How to make use of them.
289 twice	29th July, 1862, Paris	Topics for talks for September. Rescript for the feasts of the Patronage of the M.B. Virgin and Saint Joseph as doubles of the 1st class with octave.
290	29th July, 1862, Paris	* Schedule of readings for the 3rd book in September and October.
290 twice	20th August, 1862, Paris	Topics for talks for October. Notes from the Procure General n° 77. Paris 25th August, 1862. 3rd edition of the Manual of piety by Br. Superior. Base with «Signum Fidei» for the statue of Venerable J.B.S..
—	15th Oct., 1862, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of instructions about recruitment.
291	25th Oct., 1862, Paris	Circular letter. Schedule of readings for the 3rd book in November and December.

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291 tw.	28th Oct., 1862, Paris	Topics for talks for November and December.
292	20th Dec., 1862, Paris	Circular letter. Observations to the Brothers Directors. * A copy of the date of the prefectoral decree appointing them communal Inspectors is to be sent to the Secretary General. * Reasons. * Inferiors to be inscribed in the list for selection by lot. * Schedule of readings for the 3rd book in January and February.
292 tw.	20th Dec., 1862, Paris	Topics for talks for January and February.
293	2nd Jan., 1863, Paris	Circular letter. * Reply to the New Year good wishes. * Publication of two Collections of meditations, on the Passion and on the last Ends. * Use to make of them and others. * List that could be used for daily meditations. * A Rescript of 13th November, 1862, granted a plenary Indulgence when a regular visit was made by a superior.
295	23rd Feb., 1863, Paris	Circular letter. * About the pictures of Our Lord and the saints. * Advantages. * Practices. * Announcement of the publication of Meditations on the religious Life. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in March and April. * Recommending to their prayers 10 Brothers who had left for the Republic of Ecuador.
295 tw.	23rd Jan., 1863, Paris	Topics for talks for March and April.
296	7th March, 1863, Paris	Circular letter. * Indulgence granted at the request of Br. Anaclet, Procurator General, by Our H.F. the Pope to the little devotional leaflet to Saint Joseph, distributed in classes. * A few thoughts. Announcement of the dispatch of a short work for the evening meditation.
298	23rd April, 1863, Paris	Circular letter. * Referring to a list of Books of piety (already sent); short commentary on each book. * Reflections. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in May and June. * An omission in the Memorial or religious Calendar.
298 tw.	24th April, 1863, Par.	Topics for talks for May and June.
298a	24th April, 1863, Paris	Circular of remarks to the Brothers Directors. * List of class Books to be presented to the primary Inspector, if he requests it.
298b	May, 1863	Practical advice on how to make evening Mental Prayer. Brochure in -12°.
299	1st June, 1863, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows (in 3 categories).
300	25th June, 1863, Paris	Remarks on the means of emulation of the crosses of honour. List of certificates in March or April.
303	24th Dec., 1863, Paris	Circular letter. As introduction to the Memorial or religious calendar for 1864.
303a	29th Dec., 1863, Paris	Circular letter. Permission given by the V. Rev. Fr. Raphael, Superior General of the Friars Minor of the Observance of Saint Francis, to erect the Stations of the Cross in our houses and to have them blessed, either by the Parish Priest, or by our Chaplains or confessors.
304	5th Jan., 1864, Paris	Circular letter. * Reply to the New Year good wishes. * Some words on the spirit of faith. 1° nature of the spirit of faith. 2° its necessity. 3° its advantages. 4° means of acquiring the spirit of faith. * Conclusion Remarks. * Indulgence of 50 days for the sign of the cross with the words.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Request that one of the Forms sent on 24th December be returned by 10th of this month. * Regulation for the monthly day of recollection. * Topics for talks for January and February. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) circular n° 60.
305	20th Feb., 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch of a book of Meditations on Saint Joseph. <p>Remarks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Dispatch (a few days late) of pictures to be given out on 19th March, etc. * Announcement of another little brochure on Saint Joseph. <p>Exhortations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Reminder of the monthly Retreat. * Reminder of the consideration due to the academic authorities. * Some faults reported in some classes. * Communication of the Letter of His Holiness Pius IX in reply to one from the Br Superior. * Remarks on the choice of books as prizes. * Topics for talks for March and April. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in March and April.
306	29th Feb., 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Notice from Br. Honoré, Visitor of Saint-Omer. Remarkable beginning. * Request for the dates of the decrees of appointments as teachers.
307	13th May, 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * A reminder: request for the formulae of vows. * Topics for talks for May, June and July. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in May, June and July.
308	1st June, 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <p>Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.</p>
308 twice	20th June, 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * On the summons taken out by the bookshops against the Brothers of Nevers and so the Institute, for the sale of books and other class objects. * The court of Nevers, the court of appeal of Bourges and the supreme Court of Appeal dismissed the bookshops' appeal, reasons. * Recommendation. * The present circular has to be glued inside the common Rule.
308 thrice	25th July, 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Remarks and topics for talks. * Books that should be used for the retreat. * Dates of the retreat. * Topics for talks for August, September and October. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in August, September and October.
309	30th July, 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * With circular 309, Dispatch of notes from the procure, n° 83. * Elementary course in decorative art. * Guide for the Master in the Method of handwriting. * Manual of Piety for young people, etc. * Catalogue of the Procure General.
310	25th August, 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Concerning the rescript making us members of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1° the Archconfraternity of Saint Joseph of Beauvais. 2° the Archconfraternity of the Heart of Mary, established in the church of Our Lady of Victories, in Paris. * Obligations. * Favour of H.H. Pope Pius IX: authorisation for Mass on Holy Thursday and Christmas Night. * Communication of the Rescript which should be kept.
311	22nd Oct., 1864, Paris	<p>Circular letter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Advising of the printing of a 2nd part of Meditations on the religious life. * Request for comments. * Announcement of the 4th volume of Obituaries. * Dispatch to each house of the 4 volumes, if any are missing. * Note about sending manuscript notes, as printed matter or business papers.

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		* Schedule of readings (3rd book) in November and December. * Topics for talks for November and December.
312	20th Dec., 1864, Paris	Circular letter. * Note concerning new authorisations at half-price with railway Companies. * Request for Lists of the Community. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in January and February. * Topics for talks for January and February.
313	5th Jan., 1865, Paris	Circular letter. * Reply to the New Year good wishes. * A few thoughts on discouragement. 1. Nature and effects. 2. Causes of discouragement. 3. Means of preventing discouragement.
314	24th Feb., 1865, Paris	Circular letter. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in March and April. * Topics for talks for March and April.
315	25th April, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. * Very important notice. * Prospectus with requests and acknowledgements of receipt of class objects and rewards. * Renewed recommendation to apply to the Procure General to avoid problems. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in May and June. * Topics for talks for May and June.
315a	1st May, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. How to act regarding the list of prize books spoken of in the ministerial circular of 11th January, 1865.
315b	2nd May, 1865, Paris	Circular notice. About list n° 2 to be presented to the primary Inspector for the class books one would like to use.
315c	3rd May, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. Thanks for the promise of prayers and the good wishes sent for the feast of Saint Philippe.
316	3rd May, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. * Encouragement to join in the practice of devotion to the Sacred Heart. * Means indicated.
316a	3rd May, 1865, Paris	Note from the Procure General, n° 87, to the Brothers Directors. * Concerning the list of books mentioned by the Br. Superior. * Motifs for singing by Br. Léonce, for prizes. * The brochure of Devotion to the Sacred Heart for young people, is about to appear. * List of volumes for prizes. * List of books in use in classes run by the Brothers of the C.S.
316 twice	20th June, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
317	22nd June, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. * A page on the renewal of vows. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in July and August. * Topics for talks for July and August.
318	20th July, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. Announcement of the dispatch of the 2nd edition of the circular on the Portiuncula Indulgence.
318a	20th July, 1865, Paris	Circular letter. * On the Portiuncula Indulgence. * Bringing together, on this subject, the instructions of circulars 266 and 289.
319a	15th Oct., 1865, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the form and instructions for recruitment as concerns military service.
320	20th Oct., 1865, Paris	Circular letter (with dispatch of instructions relative to recruitment). N.B. The Brothers Directors should have circular n° 212 and the others, n° 211. * Invitation to request the little weekly booklet to note the examens. * Requests to the Brothers Directors who have no relic of Saint Joseph for their chapel. * Note (with details) of 20th October, 1865, concerning the journey of 6 Brothers to Saigon and two to Singapore. Request for prayers.

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321	20th Dec., 1865, Par.	Circular letter. * Dispatch of two copies of the Form on yellow paper for State of the community. * Observations for the Brothers of the class of 1865.
321a	Year 1866	Letter from the M.H. Brother. As introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar.
321 twice	5th Jan., 1866, Paris	Circular letter. * Reply to the New Year good wishes: announcement of a circular on the motives for encouragement. P.S. Note to the Brothers Directors about the request for adult classes. * Consoling information from Rome about the cause of Venerable De La Salle. * Schedule of readings (3rd book) in January and February.
322	5th Jan., 1866, Paris	Circular letter. (good and historical) * On some motives for encouragement. 1° drawn from the good at work in the Church. 2° drawn more particularly from what concerns the Institute. 3° more personal.
323	1st March, 1866, Paris	Circular letter. Note about conscripts of 1865 and school appointments.
324	14th May, 1866, Paris	Circular letter. Request for triple invocation to Saint Joseph, every evening, for 30 days in the community, and once a day in class.
324 twice	26th May, 1866, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
326a	12th Oct., 1866, Paris	Instructions about military service.
327	15th Dec., 1866, Paris	Circular letter. Br. Flavian, an elderly dean, to the Brothers Directors. * Dispatch of an account of the deliberations of the General Chapter of 1861. * To be inserted into the Rule of Government. * Urgent observation on the selection by lot.
327a	21st Dec., 1866, Paris	Circular letter. For the Brothers of public or communal Schools, to the Brothers Directors communicating a Ministerial Instruction on the preparation and the dispatch in primary Schools for the universal Exhibition of 1867.
327b	Dec., 1866	Historical notice on the Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools with extracts from the statutes of the Brothers and Conditions for the creation of an establishment.
327c	Dec., 1866	For the use of Brothers Visitors. Notes on Visits in vogue in the Institute of the the Brothers of the Christian Schools.
327d	Dec., 1866, Paris	Circular letter of 25th December, 1863 (new edition), as an Introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar for 1867. The table also contains the weekly schedule of ordinary subjects of meditation, various remarks and three lists of indulgences.
328	3rd Jan., 1867, Paris	Circular letter. New Year good wishes.
328 twice	3rd Jan., 1867, Paris	Circular letter. Invitation to mark the first Friday of the month with some outward practices.
328 thrice	3rd Jan., 1867, Paris	Circular letter on the Eucharist. 1. Love of Jesus Christ for us in the Eucharist. 2. Holy Communion. 1. Necessity of Communion. 2. Pretexts for avoiding it. 3. Preparation. 4. Thanksgiving. 3. Main obligations of the Christian teacher regarding the Eucharist. Conclusion.
329	10th Jan., 1867, Paris	Circular letter on Teaching. With reference to a circular from the Minister. 1° Abuses reported. 2° Guidance given. * Instructions on the conduct of Christian Schools.

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		* Survey of the book of Spelling Exercises compiled from the one published in 1836 and another in 1849 but with modifications. * Use of the book and method of teaching French.
329a	4th Feb., 1867, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. On the decree from the Minister of Public Instruction with Regulation for the Examination for the Certificate of Ability. Communication of the decree.
330 twice	12th Feb., 1867, Paris	Circular letter. Reminder of the observation and exhortations as March approached, the month consecrated to Saint Joseph. Recommended practices.
330a	20th March, 1867, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Invitation to be grateful for but decline the offer to go to the Exhibition. Reason.
332	18th June, 1867, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
333	22nd August, 1867, Paris	Circular letter. Thoughts on the retreat. Books needed for the retreat.
334	22nd Oct., 1867, Paris	Circular letter. Devotion to the souls in Purgatory.
334 twice	2nd Dec., 1867, Paris	Circular letter. * Request for prayers for the success of the cause of Beatification of Venerable De La Salle; novena in community, and also in class. * Indication of prayers. * Little leaflet (with picture) of the True friend of children.
334a	14th Dec., 1867, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. On New Year's Day. * Dispatch with the circular of two brochures: 1. Gifts offered to youth, for the pupils. 2. Esteem for perfection, for the members of the community.
334b	18th Dec., 1867, Paris	Letter from the M.H.B. Philippe, Superior General of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, to the Ministers and Deputies. Congregations dedicated to primary teaching faced with the new difficulties that the law on army recruitment will cause.
335	25th Dec., 1867, Paris	Letter from the M.H.B. Introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar. (Republication of 1863).
335 twice	4th Jan., 1868, Paris	Circular letter. New Year wishes. * Some thoughts on God's blessings and how to deserve their continuation. Reasons.
335 thrice	10th Feb., 1868, Paris	Circular letter. * On the plan for a law on army recruitment and organisation of the national guard, presented to the Legislative Body, on 12th December last. * Dangerous plan. * Address of a note to the Ministers and Deputies. * Mass promised for every first Monday of the month for the souls in Purgatory. * Protection of Saint Joseph. * The Government has accepted an amendment to its plan. * Instructions included with this circular.
335 thrice-b	10th Feb., 1868, Paris	Letter from the M.H.B. Very important instructions following circular 335 thrice on the promulgation of the new military law promulgated on 3rd February, 1868.
335 four times	15th Feb., 1868, Paris	Circular letter. Experience, in the Institute, of the protection of Saint Joseph, homage to show him in the month consecrated to him. Practices: reasons.
335b	2nd March, 1868, Paris	Circular letter. * Important observation on the circular from H.E. the Minister for War. * How to deal with travelling Salesmen. New recommendation.

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335c	24th March, 1868, Paris	Circular letter. Instructions on the formalities to fulfil, for dispensation from national anti-riot squads, by Brothers from the classes of 1866, 1865, 1864.
337	29th April, 1868, Paris	Circular letter. * Encouragement to pray harder to the M.B. Virgin. * Renewed remark about buying from travelling salesmen; embarrassing problems caused.
337a	8th May, 1868, Paris	Circular from Br. Benoît, Procurator General to the Brothers Directors. * On a new kind of handwriting, authorised by the M.H.B. Superior to be studied for class. * Request for trials and remarks.
339	13th August, 1868, Paris	Circular letter. Note. Books needed to be brought to the retreat. The Procure General had just sent the volume of Meditations on the M.B. Virgin to the headquarters of the Districts.
340a	30th Oct., 1868, Paris	Circular letter - Important observation. * Information by the Marketing Director of the P.L.M. Railway that the authorisations needed to bear the n° 7, the number of our Institute in the station handbook. * Recommendation.
340c	Nov., 1868	Dispatch of Instructions on the formalities of the ten-year contract for the class of 1868. Recommendation to the the Brothers Directors.
340d	21st Nov., 1868, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Request for an offering in return for the sending of the life of Elizabeth Canori Mora, at the behest of the Postulator of the Cause.
340 twice	1st Dec., 1868, Paris	Circular letter. * Communication of reports of cures attributed to the intercession of Venerable De La Salle. 1. Br. Aldhelminien, Director in Paris. 2. Étienne de Suzanne d'Évreux. * Novena of prayers: information.
341	31st Dec., 1868, Paris	Circular letter. Repeat sending for an explanation to circular 335 thrice, 10th February, 1868.
341a	25th Dec., 1868, Paris	Circular letter. Serving as introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar. (Reedited 1863).
341b	4th Jan., 1869, Paris	Circular letter. Helping one another spiritually. * Differing situations. * Those who are prey to mental sufferings, especially the sick, the elderly, the weak and the dying.
342	5th March, 1869, Paris	Circular letter. Note. On the method of stimulating, the cross similar to the Legion of Honour; forbidden. Recommendations on corporal punishment and familiarity with the pupils.
343a	3rd May, 1869, Paris	Circular letter. Reply to the good wishes for the feast of Saint Philip.
343b	4th May, 1869, Paris	Circular letter after 4th May, 1869. * Communication of the letter of the M.H.B. Philippe to H.H. Pope Pius IX, sending him (in March) the addresses and offerings of the boarding pupils of the Institute. * Indulgence requested. * In April, reply from Our H.F. the Pope.
343 twice	24th May, 1869, Paris	Circular letter. * Announcement of the meeting on 15th June, of the antepreparatory Congregation on the question of the heroicity of the theological and cardinal virtues of Venerable J.-B. De La Salle. * Practices of piety.
343 thrice	12th June, 1869, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
344 twice	28th June, 1869, Paris	Circular letter. * Information that the antepreparatory Congregation was held on 15th, and communication of many thanksgivings in Rouen, in response to spiritual favours attributed to the intercession of Venerable J.-B. De La Salle. * Exhortations to prayer.

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345a	2nd Nov., 1869, Paris	Circular letter. * Advising of the Brother Superior's journey to Rome. * Request for the money put at the disposal of the Br. Procurator for Peter's Pence.
347a	25th Dec., 1869, Paris	Circular letter. As introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar (Reedited 1863).
347b	3rd Jan., 1870, Paris	Circular letter. * Reply to the New Year good wishes. * Announcement of the circular: «We must consider the end in all things». * Desire that the Brothers Directors should have at their disposal the leaflet: Resolutions for the 1869 Retreat; cf circular 212; and the other Brothers circular 211.
347 twice	3rd Jan., 1870, Paris	Circular letter. * In all things, consider that it will be the last. * Summary. P.S. This circular could serve for several talks by the Brothers Directors.
347c	3rd Jan., 1870, Paris	Circular letter. New dispatch of the permission of April, 1863, for the erection of the Stations of the Cross.
348 twice	10th March, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. Account of the reception of Br. Superior and Br. Mamert, Assistant, by H.H. Pius IX. * Prayers indicated. * Prayers for the 6 Brothers who left for Ecuador on 8th March (their names are given).
349	1st May, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. A page on the month of Mary.
349 twice	4th May, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. Thanks for the good wishes for the feast of Saint Philip.
349 thrice	3rd June, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
350a	18th July, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. For the Brothers who fulfil certain conditions for military service.
350b	22nd July, 1870, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Referring to the law promulgated on 20th of this month calling up young people of the class of 1870. Dispatch of instructions. Remark: Books necessary for the retreat, blank paper and pencil; toilet articles, etc.
350c	1st August, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. New urgent information sent in an envelope replacing the preceding information. Instructions which did not reach their destination.
350d	8th August, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. * Concerning young men in the national riot squad called to service. * Instructions.
350e	13th August, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. Concerning the Call-up and departure of Brothers, ex-servicemen, and those under 35 who had to join their regiment.
350f	16th August, 1870, Paris	Personal letter to the Brothers Directors of Paris(?). Recommendations about leaving town and the Brothers' work.
	16th August, 1870, Paris	350g Circular letter. * Concerning the selection by lot at the end of the month or the beginning of September. * Remark about the Postulants who had intended entering the Institute during the holidays and who would be in the class of 1870. * Hope that the other Brothers would be exempt from active service and the national riot squad.
350 twice	18th August, 1870, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Retreats will be made in each community. * The Brothers Visitors will receive Instructions for Vows. * Do not travel unnecessarily; about permissions to go to the family. * Exhortation to offer to tend the sick or wounded of the army.
350h	18th Aug., 1870, Par.	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors.

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		Instructions for the renewal of the ten-year contract because of the law promulgated on 10th August.
350i	25th August, 1870, Paris	Circular letter. Referring to Brothers, aged 25 to 35, who have been in military service or the reserve; steps to take.
350j	12th Sept., 1870, Paris	Circular letter. * About the very considerable worries concerning the painful journeys across France. * Exhortation and advice. * Brothers Directors: rules of conduct for correspondance with the Brothers Assistants. * Br. Philastre, delegate to the Br. Procurator General, will be in Tours, at Mr. Mame's, the publisher. * Request for numbers of soldiers taken in, cared for, etc.
351a	18th Sept., 1870, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Dispatch of instructions to allay the fears of the Brothers of the class of 1870 and also those aged between 25 and 35 affected by the law of 10th August.
351b	3rd Oct., 1870, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Some details about Paris, especially about classes. * Instructions concerning relationships with the authorities.
351c	16th Oct., 1870, Tours	Circular letter from Brothers Péloguin, Mamert, Agapet, Assistants. * Instructions for regularising the position of Brothers between 35 and 40. * Some news from Paris received by hot air balloon.
351d	2nd Nov., 1870, Toulouse	Circular letter from Br. Judore, Assistant, to the Brothers Directors. Included a letter from the M.H.B. Superior, dated in Paris, 20th October and arrived by balloon, in Toulouse on 2nd November. The Brothers were doing well in ambulances. Classes are full, except in two postal districts where the Brothers have been replaced by lay-people. Christian death of the sick in the Mother House.
352a	24th Nov., 1870, Paris	Letter from the M.H.B. Philippe to the Brothers Assistants.
352b	20th Dec., 1870, Toulouse	Circular letter from V.D.B. Judore, Assistant, to the Brothers Directors. (Interesting though short). Communicating a letter from M.H.B. Philippe, Superior, Paris, end (24th) November, 1870, to the Dear Brothers Assistants. Some details on the numerous Paris newspapers which attacked a laicising mayor.
—	25th Dec., 1870, Paris	Letter from the M.H.B. Philippe. Introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar for 1871.
353b	17th Jan., 1871, Paris	Letter from the M.H.B. Philippe.
353c	5th Feb., 1871, Paris	Letter from the M.H.B. Philippe to the Dear Brothers Assistants. * Dispatch of the list of deceased Brothers, asking for it to be signed; omitted names to be sent, in order to rectify the list. * The present circular speaks of a letter from the Brother Superior of 11th February and raises the hopes of the 6 Assistants in Avignon of seeing him soon.
354c	14th March, 1871, Paris	* Happiness at receiving news. * Requests for vows (making, renewing). * Renewed request for those admitted last year with the remark. * Information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brothers' Schools laicised. • The number of present pupils. • Regulations imposed on teachers. • If laicised communal schools have been replaced by private schools, who is running them? * The number of pupils of the Brothers in their communal school of the past; in the present private schools. * Successes of the past. * Add the evidence to back this up; at the request of a Commission of the National Assembly.
354d	22nd April, 1871, Béziers	Circular letter from Brothers Firmillien and Judore, Assistants to the Brothers Directors. Communication of a letter of the M.H.B., of 14th April, 1871, and extract of a letter from a Brother in Paris on the arrest of Br. Calixte instead of Br. Philippe.
354e	10th May, 1871, Nantes	Circular letter from Br. Cyprius, secretary general, by order of the Br. Superior General to the Brothers Directors. * Please complete the following information:

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		1° on the Brothers of the class of 1871. 2° on the ten-year contract.
355a	18th June, 1871, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Wish to have a report produced of the services rendered by the Brothers during the recent times. * Request for full details. * Questionnaire.
355b	21st June, 1871, Paris	Circular letter. General considerations: (in a good form). trials of the Country, trials of the Church, trials of the Institute. * History of 10 months in the Mother House in Paris. * Thanksgiving: novena of thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart. * Request for names of deceased Brothers.
356	5th July, 1871, Paris	Circular letter. On the same circular, remark printed on 22 February, 1872: request to the Brothers not to sign any petition and even less not to have one signed by the pupils, children or adults: the Superiors will take all necessary steps in this respect.
356a	20th July, 1871, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows. * Invitation to read the brochure of Remarks and Recommendations.
356b	2nd August, 1871, Paris	Circular letter. See allusion in the circular of 15th January, 1872.
356c	16th August, 1871, Paris	Circular letter. * Because of the Chapter being prevented, the M.H.B. Superior made it known that he had requested from the Holy Father an extension of the powers of the Brothers Assistants. * Communication of the request and a word from H.H. Pius IX.
358a	15th Dec., 1871, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * The Minister of Public Instruction had just sent a circular to the Inspectors of the Academy saying that every teacher should draw up his Regulation and his syllabus for his school. * Thought of a general syllabus to maintain uniformity as much as possible. * Special things relative to the locality; need to take note of local geography. * Model questionnaire. * Other pedagogical advice. * Remark on the delayed circular n° 354 and exactness in Reports of changes.
358b	15th Dec, 1871, Paris	Circular letter to Brothers Visitors. * About the Regulation and programme that the central school Administration had demanded from each teacher. * Dispatch of several proofs of a Trial.
358c	25th Dec, 1871, Paris	Circular letter. Introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar for 1872.
358d	3rd Jan., 1872, Paris	Circular letter. * Thanks for the New Year good wishes. * Expounding on some thoughts full of encouragement with regard to the present events and circumstances.
358d-2	4th Jan., 1872, Paris	Note from the Procure. Rise in prices of books and other class items because of the tax and rise in workers' salaries.
358e	3rd Jan., 1872, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Dispatch of a programme of studies which could be applied in several combinations. P.S. I Desiring a Report of successes of the Brothers' Schools in competitions and exhibitions, asking that necessary information should be sent as soon as possible. II Observations on the use of passes on the railway.
358f	13th Jan., 1872, Paris	Circular letter. While awaiting the compilation of obituaries, interrupted by the siege of Paris and the Commune, dispatch of a list to give information of the professed Brothers who had died. * Present mailing is the 4th list.
359	15th Jan., 1872, Paris	Circular letter. Important remarks: Marked or underlined article in a newspaper is considered by the Adminis-

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		tration as correspondance. * Invitation given in the circular of 2nd August concerning the option of nationality for the Brothers
359a	4th Feb., 1872, Paris	Circular letter. * It contains: National work organised to help the State and hasten the freeing of the departments still occupied by the German armies. * Encouragement to sign on: reasons. * Dispatch of a template.
360a	22nd March, 1872, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Request for information on the entries to the certificate exams. * The different kinds of candidates. * Admissions.
360b	4th May, 1872, Paris	Circular letter. * Concerning the goodwill displayed on the occasion of Saint Philip's feastday. * Reflections on two themes: union among the Brothers, esteem and love for our holy state. * Remark on the admission of candidates over 20. * Announcing the printing of two volumes of Meditations on the religious life.
360c	10th May, 1872, Paris	Circular letter. Announcement that on 4th June next, what is called the preparatory Congregation will take place for the Cause of Venerable J.-B.De La Salle concerning the heroicity of the virtues.
361b	22nd May, 1872, Paris	Circular letter. Dispatch of the List of Aspirants to Vows.
361c	13th June, 1872, Paris	Circular. * Dispatch of an Extract from the Official Journal of the National Assembly of 13th June, 1872. * Proposed law regarding recruitment to the army. * Session of Wednesday, 12th June, 1872. Role of the Brothers during war, etc.
362b	2nd August, 1872, Paris	Circular letter. Remarks and instructions regarding the option of nationality.
362c	9th August, 1872, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Class of 1871: selection by lot.
363a	30th Sept., 1872, Paris	Note from the Procure General n° 110 to the Brothers Directors. * Ten articles on Geography. * Ten relief maps of Europe by Br. A.M.G.
363b	30th Nov., 1872, Par.	Details of a vow made by the Regime of the Institute, faced with difficulties in recent times.
363c	30th Nov., 1872, Paris	Dispatch of the circular of the priest of Beauvoir, Rouen, 30th November, 1872, to the Brothers Directors. * Project of a subscription for a public monument in Rouen in honour of Venerable De La Salle.
363d	2nd Dec., 1872, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * With regard to the Circular of the subscription Committee for the creation of a statue of Venerable De La Salle in Rouen.
363e	2nd Dec., 1872, Paris	Remarks in a circular. * Recommendations referring to: 1. the sale of class items to strangers. 2. the admission of postulants. 3. subjects who leave after signing the 10-year contract.
363f	16th Dec., 1872, Par.	Instructions on the Formalities of the 10-year contract, class of 1872.
363g	16th Dec., 1872, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Reason for the delay in sending instructions for the 10-year contract * Calmness. * Instructions
364a	25th Dec., 1872, Paris	Letter from the M.H.Brother. * Introduction to the Memorial or religious Calendar for 1873.
364b	3rd Jan., 1873, Paris	Circular letter. * Gratitude for the New Year good wishes. * Reflections on this thought: Take seriously everything relating to religious life. * Announcement of Two volumes of Meditations on the religious life.

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364c	3rd Jan., 1873, Paris	Circular letter. * Regarding contribution to the national subscription for the freeing of the departments still occupied by the German armies. Explanation. * Dispatch of the list of professed members who died in the 2nd half of 1872. * Reminder of the sending of circular n° 381, of the speech to Mr. de Noailles in the French Academy on 8th August, 1873. * Recommendation to keep this brochure in the Community archives with the war documents.
364d	6th Jan., 1873, Paris	Circular of remarks to the Brothers Directors. Second announcement of the death of V.D.Br. Péloguin, Assistant.
364e	24th Jan., 1873, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Dispatch of the Instructions on recruitment and of the awaited formula approved by the Ministers of War and Public Instruction (for the 10-year contract).
364f	25th Jan., 1873, Paris	Instructive and Administrative Circular to the Brothers Directors. Request for some examples of teaching for the universal exhibition in Vienna.
364g	4th Feb., 1873, Paris	Circular of remarks. Concerning the Masses decided by the decrees of the Chapters or Circulars. * Clarification of some points. * List of Masses that each house should have said.
364h	10th Feb., 1873, Paris	Remarks by the M.H. Brother to the Brothers Directors. Concerning crooks who go round with merchandise and obtain signatures.
364i	11th Feb., 1873, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Concerning the Brothers of the classes of the active section of the territorial army. * Instruction. * Reminder not to include correspondence in with business papers.
364j	12th Feb., 1873, Par.	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. It concerns the Brothers of the classes of the active section of the territorial army. Instructions.
364k	22nd March, 1873, Paris	Circular letter. * It is a reminder about the different Congregations which meet and their dates for the Cause of the Beatification of Venerable De La Salle; note that the next one is set for Tuesday, 29th April. * Prayers and many things requested. * Exhortation to intercession and to the distribution of brochures or booklets to increase confidence and to cause people to turn to God through the intermediary of Venerable De La Salle. * Contents of the message addressed to D. Br. Floride, Procurator in Rome and Postulator.
364l	22nd March, 1873, Paris	Circular of remarks. Printed in part (and answer in part). * Request for information: schools which could show that teaching in the congregation schools was not inferior to lay education and was possibly less expensive. * Detailed questions.
364m	25th March, 1873, Paris	Note from the Procurator General, n° 112, to the Brothers Directors. * The two volumes of Meditations on religious life are ready. * New Manual of Piety for use in houses of Education. (approved by the Bishops). * Manual of piety for the use of the Brothers: new edition. * Catalogue of Prize-giving books. * Epistles and Gospels: new edition
364n	5th April, 1873, Paris	Circular letter. Convocation of a General Chapter for 12th June. * List of eligible Brothers.
365a	25th April, 1873, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * The General Congregation due to meet on 29th April, has been deferred to 20th May. * The practices and prayers for 29th April, have been deferred to 20th May.
365b	10th May, 1873, Paris	Circular letter. * Gratitude for the many letters received for the feast of Saint Philip. Prayers in return. * Communication of the letter of Our Holy Father the Pope, of 21st April to Brother Philippe.
365c	31st May, 1873, Paris	Note from the Procure General, n° 113, to the Brothers Directors. * Concerning a painting showing the Holy Family with the Regime at prayer. * Allusion of the Br. Superior in his circular of 30th November, 1872. * Sketches, songs, domestic manual. * Reports of new favours.

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365d	31st May, 1873, Par.	Circular letter. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
366a	21st July, 1873, Paris	Circular letter. * Dispatch of a specimen plan for Boarding and Day Schools. * Request for notes and recommendations for the publications Committee.
366b	25th July, 1873, Paris	Circular letter. Note from the Procure General to the Brothers Directors. * Dispatch of the book: Simple readings on things of everyday knowledge, for use in Christian Schools. * Atlas. Geography exercise books. * Prize-giving works. * Works for the library.
366c	August, 1873	Instructive and Administrative Circular. * Petition of the M.H.Br. Philippe to Our H.F. Pope Pius IX for the six-decade Rosary. * Affectionate and affirmative reply of 21 July, 1873
366d	July/August, 1873	Circular letter. * Communication of the petition addressed to Our H.F. the Pope as desired by the General Chapter for the 6-decade Rosary. * On the Indulgences of the Holy Rosary and of Saint Brigitte and the faculty for the priests attached to the chapels to bless them for indulgences. * Granted in Rome on 21st July, 1873.
366f	5th August, 1873, Paris	Circular letter. Communication of the decrees of the last General Chapter: development, information, remarks.
366	20th Oct., 1873, twice Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Dispatch of instructions concerning some articles of the law of 27th July, 1872, on recruitment into the army.
367	20th Oct., 1873, Paris	Circular letter. * Introduction: thoughts on the retreat. * Recommendations: 1° for separate correspondence and indication of addressee. 2° for the reading of Remarks and Recommendations.
367a	1st Nov., 1873, Paris	Circular letter. * Knowledge of the happy outcome of the cause of the Venerable Founder. * Decree of heroicity of the Virtues of J.-B. De La Salle. * A copy of the decree can be offered to the Bishop, the Parish Priest, one or other benefactor; ask for a sufficient number, in Latin or in French.
367	1st Dec., 1873, Paris twice	Circular letter. * Account of 1st November, in Rome, when the Br. Superior was there. * Cardinal Barilli requests an establishment for New Grenada; and Cardinal Barnabo in agreement with Mgr Raimond, apostolic prefect, asked for one for Hong Kong.
367b	25th Dec., 1873, Paris	Letter from the M.H. Brother. * Introduction to the religious Calendar for 1874.
367c	5th Jan., 1874, Paris	Circular letter. Reply to the New Year good wishes and announcement of a notice on what took place in Rome on the occasion of the Decree on the heroicity of the Virtues of Venerable De La Salle.
367d	6th Jan., 1874, Paris	Circular letter from the dear Brothers Assistants. To various communities in Paris recommending the health of the Bro. Superior to their prayers.
367e	25th Jan., 1874	Circular. First year n° 1. Education Teaching paper, 4th January, 1874.
367f	5th Jan., 1874, Paris	Circular letter from the dear Brothers Assistants. Details on the health of the Brother. Superior, indisposed since 30th December. * Prayers are requested. * For all the Brothers Assistants, Br. Calixte.
367g	8th Jan., 1874, Paris	Circular letter from the dear Brothers Assistants. Details on the death of the M.H.B. Philippe, on 7th January, 1874. The signatures of the Brothers Assistants follow.
367h	10th Jan., 1874	Circular letter from the Dear Brothers Assistants. Death of the M.H.Br. Philippe.

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		His funeral will take place in Saint-Sulpice, 10th January, 1874.
367i	12th Jan., 1874, Paris	Circular letter from the Dear Brothers Assistants. Letter of request for prayers.
367j	15th Jan., 1874, Paris	Circular letter from the Dear Brothers Assistants. Convocation of a General Chapter for Tuesday, 7th April. List of eligible Brothers.
368a	Feb., 1874, Paris	Circular letter from Br. Calixte to the Brothers Directors. On the establishments acquired in the name of the M.H.B. Philippe and the rights of succession to be completed.
369a	24th March, 1874, Paris	Circular letter from Br. Calixte, Assistant, to the dear Brothers Directors. Concerning a circular from the Minister for War, of 13th February ordering a census of men in the territorial army.
369b	4th May, 1874, Paris	Circular letter from D. Br. Joseph, Assistant, to the Brothers Directors of boarding Schools, on behalf of the Br. Superior. * A duplicate of the circular of 21st July, 1873, with reference to the plan for the Running of Boarding Schools. * Request for reports, of teaching processes, of works and syllabuses, destined to be centralised. * The duplicate of the circular is enclosed.

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368 twice	5th May, 1874, Paris	Circular letter. * Gratitude for the first letters received. * Union and charity. * General assemblies. * Running Boarding Schools. * Newspapers, their polemics with regard to the Brothers. * Examinations for the certificates. * Some observations.
369d	May, 1874	Circular. Dispatch of pages taken from a book published by Rev. Fr. Cros, confessor to youth and children, addressed to the Directors and Chaplains of houses of Education to attempt to establish the pious practice of weekly Communion.
369e	15th May, 1874, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Wish of the General Chapter to set up Commissions to examine and compose books still needing to be done. * List of works adopted in principle by the commission for Mathematics. * Formation of a Commission for works of French, etc. * formation of a Commission for History and Geography.
369f	10th May, 1874, Paris	Circular Notes from the Procure General, n° 117. * The Newspaper L'Éducation published a method of style: please send remarks to Br. Paphnucius. * Songs and speeches for prize-giving. * New method of English by a Brother. * Relief map of France. * <i>Life of Venerable De La Salle</i> by Br. Lucard. * <i>Life of Venerable De La Salle</i> by Armand Ravelet. * Atlas. * Biography of Br. Philippe and pious brochures.
369g	23rd May, 1874, Paris	Circular letter. List of Aspirants to Vows.
370a	July, 1874	Brochure.. * On the 24th General Chapter.

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		* Work of the Chapter.
370b	26th August, 1874, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * Changes in the Prospectus for the setting-up of Communities. Reasons. * Dispatches, explanations, etc.
370c	29th August, 1874, Paris	Notes from the Procure General, n° 118, to the Brothers Directors. * Notable addition to the new Syllabary. * Advantages. * Printing of the book: present-day readings. * Life of Brother Philippe. by Mr. Poujoulat. * Mathematical works, gone to press.
370d	15th Oct., 1874, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Instructions on some articles of the law of 1872; allusion to the formalities of the ten-year contract sent the same day.
370e	15th Oct., 1874, Paris	Dispatch of Instructions on the formalities for the ten-year contract. * Class of 1874.
371a	28th Oct., 1874, Paris	Note from the Procure General to the Brothers Directors. * Collection of 10 wall maps without printed text. * Bust of Br. Philippe by Mr. Oliva, etc. * Institute books translated into English.
371b	5th Nov., 1874, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. Return of the certificates for the dispensation of Brothers who are in the territorial army.
371d	4th Dec., 1874, Paris	Circular letter. * On the improvements and perfections that could be brought to a 2nd edition of the Elements of Geometry. * Details.
371e	15th Dec., 1874, Paris	Circular letter. * Consoling fruits of retreats. * Audience of Pope Pius IX with the Brother Superior.
371f	25th Dec., 1874, Paris	Circular letter. * Introduction to the religious Calendar for 1875.
371g	5th Jan., 1875, Paris	Circular letter. * Reply to the New Year good wishes. * Reflections on the observation of the Rule in general.
371h	25th Jan., 1875, Paris	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors. * About the Commission on Geography due to be convoked for the Easter holidays. * Programme.
372	29th Jan., 1875, Paris	Circular letter. Repeat of the remark to send in notes for obituaries promptly.
372a	5th Feb., 1875, Paris	Circular letter. Remark. About the sale of habit coupons. * The Procures will no longer be able to replace them for cash. * Gifts of habit coupons will be authorised in only three instances.
372b	6th Feb., 1875, Paris	Notes from the Procure General, n° 121, to the Brothers Directors. * Printing of the solutions for Geometry and Arithmetic for Boarding Schools. * Notices for the picture-books. * Edifying life of Br. Bérin-Denis. * New edition of the domestic Manual. * Portrait of Venerable De La Salle teaching in class. * Engraving. * New edition, etc.
372c	15th Feb., 1875, Paris	Communication of a circular letter for the work of Venerable De La Salle. Aim: The foundation of a work destined to ensure recruitment to the Brothers of the Christian Schools by developing their Juniorates.
373a	12th April, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Request for prayers for the health of the Br. Superior.
373b	14th April, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants to the Parish Priests of Paris. * To recommend the health of the Br. Superior General.

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373c	14th April, 1875, Par.	Circular letter to the Brothers Directors of Paris. * Request for union of prayers for the health of the Brother Superior General. * The M.B. Sacrament is exposed in the Mother House.
373d	17th April, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Death of the M.H.B. Jean-Olympe, Superior General.
373e	xxx	Obituary letter of the M.H.Br. Jean-Olympe, whose funeral was to be on Monday, 19th April, 1875, in the Chapel of the Mother House.
373f	19th April, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants to the Friends of the Institute, to recommend to their prayers the M.H.Br. Jean-Olympe, who died on 17th April
373g	26th April, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Very important observation. About the strict use of the new railway passes n° 7 for the Paris-Lyons-Mediterranean Company.
373h	1st May, 1875, Paris	Circular letter. Remark. Announcement of the sending of the list with reference to the coming Chapter. Sent on 5th May.
373i	3rd May, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Convocation of the General Chapter for 29th June and dispatch of the List of eligible Brothers.
373j	4th May, 1875, Paris	Works of Venerable De La Salle, rue Oudinot. Meeting, Chapel of the Dames de la Retraite, 15, rue du Regard, 24th May.
373k	8th May, 1875, Paris	Commission on Geography to the Brothers Directors. Dispatch of a certain number of resolutions.
373l	8th May, 1875, Paris	Circular letter, Commission on drawing. * Dispatch of a summary of court cases. * Request for information.
373m	18th May, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Dispatch of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
373n	15th May, 1875, Paris	Circular letter, Work of Venerable De La Salle for the recruitment of the Brothers of the Christian Schools. * Dispatch of the notice to make his work and the foundation known in Paris. * To the Bishops.
373o	20th May, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Announcement that the subscription for the erection of the Monument of Venerable De La Salle, in Rouen, has been completely successful and that the inauguration will take place on 2nd June.
373p	20th May, 1875, Paris	Circular. Notes from the Procure General, n° 122. Announcement, Simple readings on everyday knowledge, 2nd edition. * Catechism by example, 2nd part. * Some musical pieces. * Life of Br. Bérin-Denis, abridged 2nd edition. * Two plastic medals 0,30 x 0,17 of the Blessed Virgin and Saint Joseph.
373s	2nd June, 1875, Rouen	Programme Inauguration of the Monument of Venerable De La Salle.
373t	8th June, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. Notice: Names of Brothers elected for the next General Chapter.
373u	28th June, 1875, Paris	Circular letter from the Brothers Assistants. * Picture of the flooding in the south of France. * A few details. * Request for a donation.
373v	2nd July, 1875, Paris	Note from the Procure General, n° 123 * Announcement of the work relative to the inauguration of the Monument of Venerable J.-B. De La Salle. * Heroicity of virtues.

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1 twice	8th August, 1875(6?)	Remark and explanations for the Great Exercises.
375	4th Nov., 1875, Paris	Obituaries. (at the beginning, an innovation: list of the names of Professed Brothers; Brothers with temporary vows).
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1h	30th Dec., 1875, Paris	Reminder of the circular of 4th December, 1874, of Br Jean-Olympe. Details. Dispatch of the subscription Form for the descriptive Geometry due to appear in the holidays of 1876.
2	6th Jan., 1876, Paris	New Year; Visit to the Mother House by Cardinal Pitra (Protector); Visit of the M.H.B. to Rome.
2a	17th Jan., 1876, Paris	To the Brothers Directors: Dispatch of a Trial copy of an elementary treatise on Cosmography. Request for comments by the end of February.
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5d	30th April, 1876, Paris	Notes on the collections made in our houses. The Procure General will collect the determined amount each year for the work of the Propagation of the Faith.
377	5th May, 1876, Paris	Obituaries.

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5f	24th May, 1876, Paris	Rescript of 13th November, 1862, of H.H. Pius IX obtained by Br. Philippe.
5g	5th June, 1876, Paris	At the beginning of the list of Aspirants to Vows.
5h	19th June, 1876, Paris	Observation. Request for the return of table of school results since 1870.
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5j	2nd August, 1876, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. Announcement of a regulation for the Great Exercises.
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5m	16th Oct., 1876, Paris	Annotated extracts of the law of 27th July, 1872, on recruitment into the army. Instructions.
379	5th Nov., 1876, Paris	Obituaries.
5n	5th Nov., 1876, Paris	Appeal to charitable persons for an establishment in Jerusalem.
5o	8th Nov., 1876, Paris	Recalling attention to the Work of Ven. De La Salle. Observations on the reports of Visits.
5p	Dec., 1876	The true friends of the people, 4th ed. Notice on the Institute of the Brothers.
5q	Dec., 1876	Illustrated tract: Venerable Jean-Baptiste De La Salle.
5r	2nd Dec., 1876, Paris	Repeat sending of the Rescript of 5th June, 1862, obtained by Br. Philippe.
6	3rd Jan., 1877	New Year; Reflections on the Great Exercises; various Observations.
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8	10th Feb., 1877	Information for the universal Exhibition of 1878.
8 (b)	13th April, 1877, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: To draw up a Regulation for the Juniorates.
9	16th May, 1877	Replies to give to the Academy Inspectors.
9a	24th May, 1877	Special instructions on the Great Exercises.
9b	14th August, 1877, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. Dispatch of a provisional Regulation for the Juniorates.
9c	End Sept., 1877, Paris	Notice of a Novena of Prayers in the Mother House from 6th to 14th October. Invitation to join with them.
10 (384)	16th Nov., 1877	Further information for the Universal Exhibition of 1878. Remark concerning the establishment under construction in Jerusalem.
10a	6th Dec., 1877	Exercise book of examples of transparent models of cursive writing.
10b	15th Dec., 1877, Paris	The month of the Divine Child. Formula of consecration for the Novices.
10c	24th Dec., 1877, Paris	On subscriptions to the newspaper L'Éducation.
10A	1880	<i>Method of Mental Prayer</i> of the Ven. J.-B. De La Salle.
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11	5th Jan., 1878	New Year; Grace; Peace.
11a	8th Jan., 1878, Paris	Results of the study of the material sent in by schools for the Exhibition: appreciations.
12	8th Feb., 1878	Death of H.H. Pius IX.
12a	3rd May, 1878, Paris	Blue scapular of the Immaculate Conception. Novitiates of Europe.
13	15th June, 1878	Leo XIII, Pope: obligations which his favours and his trust impose on us.
13a	Summer, 1878, Paris	To the Bros. Directors and Visitors. Recommendations of what to do during the Retreat.
13b	Summer, 1878	Recommendations of what to do during the Retreat: Administration, Regularity, Examinations, Schools.
14	10th Jan., 1879	New Year; more reflections on Grace and Peace.
14a	23rd Jan., 1879, Paris	Communicating the newspapers which had produced articles against the Institute.

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15	25th Jan., 1879	Universal Exhibition: results.
15a	26th Feb., 1879, Paris	Remarks on fasting. Sheet to be placed in the Rule of Government.
15c	4th March, 1879, Paris	To the Bros. Directors: request for local and regional information on the two forms of education, lay and congregational: expenses, results obtained, etc.
15b	19th March, 1879, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: Dispatch of a document from the S.C. for Bishops and Regulars.
16	20th June, 1879	Our duties to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.
16a	11th August, 1879, Par.	Noting the apostolic blessing for the Brothers making the Retreat.
16c	21st Nov., 1879, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: dispatch of two forms to fill in, on the work of the Ven. De La Salle and on the suppression of congregational schools.
17	6th Jan., 1880	New Year; IInd Centenary of the Foundation of the Institute.
17a	March, 1880	Month of St Joseph. Practices. General intentions.
18	24th May, 1880	Spiritual preparation for the IInd centenary.
19	30th May, 1880	Certificate of Studies.
19a	31st May, 1880, Paris	To the Bros. Directors: dispatch of information of partiality in the official exams.
19b	June, 1880	Letter of invitation to the celebration of the 2nd Centenary of the Institute, Thursday, 24th June, 1880.
20	26th June, 1880	Choice of books for use in the primary schools.
20a	28th June, 1880, Paris	To the Bros. Directors: model of a letter to urge the Bishop to write to Our H.F. the Pope in order to speed up the Beatification of the Ven. De La Salle.
20b	1st July, 1880, Paris	To the Bros. Directors: Plan for a lithographed letter of entreaty mentioned in 20a.
20c	1880, Paris	On the feast of St Peter in Chains. Retreats of 1880. Moral likeness to the Founder. Zeal for the glory of God. Means of internal and external renewal.
20d	12th Oct., 1880, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: religious information; Lack of subjects. Recruitment of Novices ...
20e	13th Oct., 1880, Paris	Advising of the dispatch of a new edition of the Bull on very fine paper.
20g	30th Oct., 1880, Paris	Announcement of the death of Br. Firmilien, 1st Assistant.
21	6th Jan., 1881	Happy New Year. Consequences of the IInd Centenary.
21a	6th Jan., 1881	<i>Method of Mental Prayer</i> by the Ven. J.-B. De La Salle, reviewed by Br. Irlide.
21b	4th April, 1881, Paris	Union of prayers because of the laws concerning Teaching and Recruitment into the army.
22	27th April, 1881	Extraordinary Jubilee.
22a	20th May, 1881, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: Retreat for 21st June. Request for a Report on each District.
23	28th May, 1881	Non-qualified teachers.
23b	20th June, 1881, Paris	To the Bros. Directors: Request for information on indirect income, in accordance with the law of 28th December, 1880.
23c	26th July, 1881, Paris	To the Bros. Directors: Making the Brothers aware of the law on qualifications.
23e	20th August, 1881, Paris	Letter stating the new proof of the Pope's esteem for the Institute.
23f	August 1881	Timetable of studies during holiday time.
23h	9th Oct., 1881, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: List of the Brothers of the District under 31 having a ten-year contract.
23i	17th Oct., 1881, Paris	To the Bros. Presidents of the Great Retreats: information on the fruits of the Retreat.
23m	End of year, 1881	Certificate of teaching ability. Conditions, usefulness. Observations. Advice.
23n	12th Dec., 1881, Paris	To the Bros. Directors of the Novitiate. Dispatch of a relic of the Holy Manger. Request for prayers.
23o	13th Dec., 1881, Paris	Announcing the dispatch of the act by which the Br. S.G. appoints the administrative Council of each house.
23p	28th Dec., 1881, Paris	Documents to be produced to determine the basis of the 3% tax (law of 28th December, 1880).
24	3rd Jan., 1882, Paris	New Year; Obligations to fulfil.

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24a	3rd Jan., 1882, Paris	Treatise on the Spirit of Faith (p.29 to 68).
24b	17th March, 1882, Paris	To the Bros. Directors. Invitation to a short retreat in the Mother House.
24c	31st March, 1882	Affirmative reply of the H.F. with reference to the situation created by the law of compulsory Education.
25	7th April, 1882, Paris	Law on compulsory primary Teaching. Comments.
25a	22nd April, 1882, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors and Directors. Remarks concerning journeys.
25 cont.	8th July, 1882, Paris	Further observations on the Circular of 7th April, 1882.
26	2nd June, 1882, Paris	General Chapters; Announcement of a General Chapter for 21st October, 1882.
26a	8th July, 1882, Paris	Further remarks on the law of 28th March, 1882. Summary of the articles.
26b	4th Sept., 1882, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. On the collective school declarations forbidden by the Minister.
27	3rd Jan., 1883, Paris	General Chapter of 1882; New Year.
28	7th April, 1883, Paris	Decree relating to the Beatification of the Venerable De La Salle.
28a	7th May, 1883, Paris	Testimonial letters from the Bishops that Postulants must provide.
29	10th May, 1883, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1883.
29a	5th July, 1883, Paris	Directory of Brothers who need to have treatment in a spa resort.
29b	26th July, 1883, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. Remarks on permissions obtained from the Holy See concerning gratuity.
29c	1st August, 1883, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. About the approaching end of the delay in practising, for unqualified teachers. Change to the Holiday Regulations for one year.
29d	29th Sept., 1883, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. Satisfaction about holiday studies. Restricted official examinations for the certificate. Rosary recommended.
30	4th Jan., 1884, Paris	New Year.
31	11th Feb., 1884, Paris	To the Bros. Directors. International school exhibition in London.
31a	23rd April, 1884, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. On dispensations from the Great Retreats.
31 (2nd)	21st May, 1884, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows.
31 (2a)	6th June, 1884, Paris	Remarks about the 30-day Retreats.
32	20th July, 1884, Paris	Convocation of the General Chapter 15th October, 1884. Br. Superior's illness.
32a	21st July, 1884, Paris	From Br. Exupérien in the name of the Régime. Request to the Parish Priests of Paris for prayers for Br. Irlide.
32b	21st July, 1884, Paris	From the Bros. Assistants. Request for prayers for Br. Irlide, dangerously ill.
32c	26th July, 1884, Paris	From the Bros. Assistants, announcing the death of Br. Irlide, the Superior General.
32d	20th Sept., 1884, Paris	Note on the titles of ability, referring to the ministerial circular of 13th September.
—	8th Nov., 1884, Paris	Circular to everyone from the Mother House. Announcing the election of Br. Joseph as Superior General.

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33	21st Nov., 1884, Paris	General Chapter and its results.
33c	6th Jan., 1885, Paris	Care for the formation of subjects.
33f	—	Note relating to the 4 Retreats to be made at Athis in 1885.
33g	3rd Feb., 1885, Paris	How to fill in an Inventory of goods belonging to the Institute.
33h	7th Feb., 1885, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. Dispatch of forms to fill in on the situation of each school.
33j	March, 1885, Paris	Letter to the future 30-day Retreatants on the advantages of the holy exercises.
33k	1st May, 1885, Paris	Request for notes and remarks for the new edition of the Collection of hymns.

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34	1st May, 1885, Paris	Pilgrimage to Rome. Reception by the S. Pontiff on 3rd March.
35	21st May, 1885, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1885. Age of admission to vows.
35a	23rd May, 1885, Paris	Convocation of the Commission for the revision of Pious Songs.
36	25th July, 1885, Paris	Cause of Beatification of the V. De La Salle
36a	28th July, 1885, Paris	To the Directors of the Juniorates: Prayers for the cause of the Ven. De La Salle.
36b	3rd Sept., 1885, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: on a compulsory Examination in religion to be established for the Brothers Scholastics.
37	24th Sept., 1885, Paris	Jubilee of the Juniorate. Origin of the Juniorate in Paris. Celebration on 29th September.
38	30th Oct., 1885, Paris	Examination in Religion in the Scholasticate.
38a	25th Nov., 1885, Paris	Announcement of an Instruction to fulfil the 3% tax law (29th Dec., 1884).
38 tw.	15th Jan., 1886, Paris	New Year. Visits of the Bros. Assistants in the East and in America.
38 tw-a	3rd Feb., 1886, Paris	On the consequences of the new law. Completely voluntary intercession.
38 tw-b	6th Feb., 1886, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: recommendation to organise the intercession in favour of the Institute.
38 tw-c	12th April, 1886, Paris	Petition from Catholics in France against the oppressive laws concerning religious freedom.
38 tw-d	20th April, 1886, Paris	Letter addressed by the Committee of Religious Defence to the Superiors General.
38 tw-e	1st May, 1886, Paris	Remarks concerning the Brothers and Bulletins of friendly Associations.
38 tw-f	6th June, 1886, Paris	Invitation to the retreat in Athis, 25th June to 2nd July.
39	15th June, 1886, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1886.
40	9th July, 1886, Paris	Cause of the Beatification of V. De La Salle; Scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.
40a	15th Oct., 1886, Paris	Need for prayers concerning the coming vote on the law on primary teaching.
40c	25th Nov., 1886, Paris	Documents sent concerning the law of 30th October, 1886, on primary teaching.
40e	30th Nov., 1886, Paris	Concerning the election of a representative of congregational schools to the departmental Council.
40g	21st Dec., 1886, Paris	On some qualified Brothers of the class of 1886 who had to renew their ten-year contract.
40h	7th Jan., 1887, Paris	Request for the Monographs of the large establishments for the Archives of the Institute.
40i	13th Jan., 1887, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. On some points of the law of 30th October, 1886.
40j	14th Jan., 1887, Paris	Same subject as preceding one.
41	18th Jan., 1887, Paris	New Year.
41a	21st Jan., 1887, Paris	Request for information on certain laicised schools.
41c	15th Jan., 1887, Paris	Observations for the representative in youth Organisations.
41d	25th Feb., 1887, Paris	School successes at the New Orleans exhibition. Order to remove the leaflet mentioning classical languages, from the English translation of the <i>Conduct</i> .
42	24th March, 1887, Paris	Cause of the Beatification of V. De La Salle.
42a	24th March, 1887, Paris	Recommendation to refrain from any publicity regarding the Cause of the Ven. Founder.
43	20th May, 1887, Paris	Republishing of the <i>Life of the V. De La Salle</i> .
43 tw.	20th May, 1887, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1887.
44	6th June, 1887, Paris	Priestly jubilee of Our H.F. Pope Leo XIII.
44a	10th June, 1887, Paris	Information about the priestly jubilee of the Supreme Pontiff.
44b	23rd June, 1887, Paris	Resolution taken by the Regime to test the Trial of the Second Novitiate. Conditions.
44c	24th June, 1887, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. Further information about the Pontifical Jubilee.
44d	16th July, 1887, Paris	Request for historical Article on each house.
45	16th July, 1887, Paris	Cause of V. De La Salle: judgement on the miracles.
45a	17th August, 1887, Paris	Establishments of the Institute to which one could direct pupils wishing to continue special studies.
45b	18th August, 1887, Paris	Invitation to members of Associations to join in a pilgrimage to Rome, in October.

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46	7th Nov., 1887, Paris	Cause of V. De La Salle: decree on the miracles.
46a	11th Nov., 1887, Paris	Recommendations of the circular of 23rd March about the Congregation de Tuto.
46b	12th Nov., 1887, Paris	Announcement of a calendar entitled «Christian Schools» and containing maxims of the Founder.
46c	29th Nov., 1887, Paris	Dispatch of the most recent Decree on the Cause of V. De La Salle.
46e	26th Dec., 1887, Paris	Union of prayers for the coming priestly jubilee of Pope Leo XIII. Practices.
47	6th Jan., 1888, Paris	New Year; Immediate preparation for the Beatification of the Ven. De La Salle.
47a	2nd Feb., 1888, Paris	Invitation to the Beatification of the Ven. De La Salle.
47b	1888, Rome	Apostolic letters for the Beatification. Dated 14th Feb., 1888. Office of 4th May.
47c	14th Feb., 1888, Paris	Announcement of the dispatch of a Study of Mgr d'Hulst, Introduction to the illustrated Life of the Founder.
47d	17th Feb., 1888, Paris	Faculty to place a picture or statue of the Founder behind the altar, on 19th February.
47e	2nd March, 1888, Paris	Invitation and information to the Brothers of Paris of the Triduum in St. Sulpice from 13th to 15th March.
48	19th March, 1888, Paris	Beatification of the Venerable J.-B. De La Salle: celebrations in his honour.
48a	22nd March, 1888, Paris	Bringing forward of the Retreat for the Regime and the Brothers Visitors.
48c/48tw	18th May, 1888, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1888.
49	28th May, 1888, Paris	Apostleship of Prayer. Another edition in English.
49a	9th July, 1888, Paris	Intercession on the occasion of the military law. Instructions.
49b	16th July, 1888, Paris	Retreat in Athis for the Brothers responsible for perseverance Organisations. Houses with a congregation of children. Youth Organisations in the Houses.
49c	30th July, 1888, Paris	Various remarks: registers, relationships with pupils, journeys, Apostleship of Prayer ...
49d	30th July, 1888, Paris	Reminder of points concerning community and school.
49e	30th July, 1888, Paris	To Brothers Presidents of the annual Retreats. Recommendations.
49f	13th August, 1888, Paris	To the Bros. Directors of Novices: private prayer and perpetual exposition.
49h	8th Dec., 1888, Paris	Perseverance of the pupils after leaving school.
49i	1888	Remarks and Instructions for Brothers travelling by sea.
50	15th Dec., 1888, Paris	End of the Jubilee year of H.H. Pope Leo XIII. Recommended practices.
50a	10th Jan., 1889, Paris	Appeal for prayers because of an expected official decision on 10-year contracts.
51	20th Jan., 1889, Paris	New Year; Novena of prayers.
51a	16th Feb., 1889, Paris	Prayers for the soul of Cardinal Petra, Protector of the Institute, who died on 9th February.
52	15th March, 1889, Paris	Preparation of children for their First Communion.
53	7th April., 1889, Paris	Office of Blessed John Baptist De La Salle; Feast of the 4th day of May. Also in Italian.
53a	29th May, 1889, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1889.
54	14th June, 1889, Paris	Feast of the Sacred Heart.
54a	July, 1889	Apostolic blessing, granted on 11th July, for Brothers making a Retreat.
54b	6th August, 1889, Paris	To the Bros. Directors of Paris: the Mother House will put up Brothers passing through Paris.
54c	23rd August, 1889, Paris	To the Bros. Directors of the Novitiates and Scholasticates: request for prayers for the retreats.
54d	15th Nov., 1889, Paris	Recalling attention to the choice of class Books.
54f	16th Nov., 1889, Paris	To the Bros. Directors of Novitiates and Scholasticates: request for prayers for a particular intention.
54g	3rd Dec., 1889, Paris	Circular letter to Our Dear Brothers in Spain.
55	20th Jan., 1890, Paris	New Year. Abandonment to Providence. Prayers for our young Brothers.
55a	1890	Remarks on Lent, 1890. Dispensations granted to the Bishops.

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—	13th Feb., 1890, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors. (No copy; see allusion in circular 55c).
55b	24th Feb., 1890, Paris	On the death of Cardinal Pecci, brother of the Pope, who died on 8th of this month.
55c	12th March, 1890, Paris	Information concerning the Apostolate to exercise through prize books.
55d	31st March, 1890, Paris	On discernment in Prize Books.
56	31st March, 1890, Paris	Decree for the resumption of the Cause of Canonisation of B. J.-B. De La Salle; Rescripts relating to the Feast of the Blessed.
56a	22nd May, 1890, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows.
56b	28th May, 1890, Paris	Regular dispatch of documents for the general administration of the Institute.
56c	1st Nov., 1890, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors (no copy).
56d	31st Dec., 1890, Paris	List of the Meetings of young people on Sundays by departments.
57	6th Jan., 1891, Paris	New Year; special Undertakings; Works; Catechism. Also in Italian.
57b	17th Feb., 1891, Paris	Dispatch of the catalogue of new Books for Prizes in 1891.
57c	4th March., 1891, Paris	Inscription for the Archconfraternities of St Joseph and Our Lady of Victories.
58	19th March, 1891, Paris	Decree of Our H.F. Pope Leo XIII, 17th December, 1890.
58a	3rd April, 1891, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: On the occasion of the retreat of 21st April.
58c	12th May, 1891, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows.
58d	21st May, 1891, Paris	Republication of the Letter of 1st May, 1886: Bulletins or Reports of the associations.
58e	26th May, 1891, Paris	Notice of the deaths of Bros. Patrick and Phileter, Assistants.
59	19th July, 1891, Paris	Dispatch of a copy of the Decree of 17th December, 1890; Various remarks.
59a	—	Copy of the Decree indicated, Circular n° 59.
59b	July, 1891	To the Bros. Directors: Remarks relating to their discussions with their inferiors.
59c	July, 1891, Paris	Note establishing the annual reading of the Decree of 17th December, 1890.
59g	27th Oct., 1891, Paris	The delay for the 10-year contracts is continued up to 31st December.
60	28th Oct., 1891, Paris	Convocation of the elective Commission to elect two Assistants.
61	17th Nov., 1891, Paris	Election of two Bros. Assistants: Reticus and Clémentian.
61a	18th Jan., 1892, Paris	Intention of sending a copy of the Life of Bl. De La Salle to benefactors.
61b	16th Jan., 1892, Paris	Renewal in a spirit of prayer and mortification.
62a	25th Jan., 1892, Paris	Recommendations to the young Brothers called to the colours. Numerous practical remarks.
62c	1892	Observations concerning Lent 1892.
62d	4th April, 1892, Paris	On the Apostolate of Prize books. Reservations by reasons of economy.
62e	4th June, 1892, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1892.
62f	29th June, 1892, Paris	Further information on the measures adopted for Prize Books.
62g	5th July, 1892, Paris	Request for comments on a Pilot Study for the new edition of the Conduct.
62h	15th July, 1892, Paris	Announcement of the death of Br. Raphaélis, Assistant, in the catastrophe of St Gervais, 12th July.
62i	16th July, 1892, Paris	Request made to the Institute for its participation in the International Exhibition of Chicago.
62j	22nd Sept., 1892, Paris	About a possible retreat in Athis for the soldier Brothers on 30th September.
62k	18th Oct., 1892, Paris	Reminder of the letter of 24th October, 1891: concerning Brothers called to the colours.
62l	18th Oct., 1892, Paris	Reminder of the recommendation relating to the study of catechism.
63	18th Dec., 1892, Paris	Episcopal jubilee of Leo XIII.
64	1st Jan., 1893, Marseilles	New Year. New courage at the sight of Brothers united in prayer.
65	19th Feb., 1893, Paris	Pilgrimage to Rome. Audience of 23rd January, 1893.
65a	27th Feb., 1893, Paris	Proposal to establish a regular communication with Brothers in military service.
65b	24th May, 1893, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1893.

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65c	4th August, 1893, Paris	Remarks relating to the young soldier Brothers and to the most advantageous placing.
65d	8th August, 1893, Paris	Union of prayers at the approach of the renewal of the Chamber of Deputies. Reasons.
66	1st Jan., 1894, Paris	New Year. Devotion to the Holy Childhood.
66a	February, 1894, Paris	Golden jubilee of the youth Organisations.
66b	16th Feb., 1894, Paris	Meeting of a Commission of Studies in Paris on 27th March about books and syllabuses.
67	7th April, 1894, Paris	New favours granted by the Holy See.
67a	19th April, 1894	Announcing the dispatch of an extract of the circular of the Date of the 1894 General Chapter.
67b	19th June, 1894, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1894.
67c	19th June, 1894, Paris	Prayers and Masses to be said on the occasion of the death of Br. Jurson, retired Assistant.
68	24th June, 1894, Paris	Convocation of the General Chapter.
68a	1894, Paris	Summary of the Rules and Customs of the Institute regarding the religious formation.
69	21st Nov., 1894, Paris	Results of the 1894 General Chapter.
69a	19th Feb., 1895, Paris	Fervent celebration of the month of St Joseph.
69b	15th April, 1895, Paris	Prayers on the occasion of the death of Br. Osée, Assistant, who died on 14th April.
69c	11th June, 1895, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1895.
69d	28th June, 1895, Paris	Request for notes in view of preparing a new edition of the Conduct of Schools.
70	2nd July, 1895, Paris	Favours granted by the Holy See.
70a	11th June, 1895, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1895.
71	18th Oct., 1895, Paris	Publication of the Exposition of Christian doctrine.
71a	23rd Oct., 1895	Remarks to the Brothers Directors responsible for the leaving Retreats. Programme.
71b	23rd Oct., 1895	Leaving Retreat. Advice to the soldier Brothers.
71c	23rd Oct., 1895	Remarks on the Christian life of the soldier Brothers.
72	24th Oct., 1895, Paris	Letter to Our H. Father Pope Leo XIII, about the new fiscal law.
72a	15th Dec., 1895, Paris	Note on the support to give the soldier Brothers.
73	19th Jan., 1896, Paris	Good wishes and recommendations for the New Year.
73a	23rd April, 1896, Paris	Institute pilgrimage to Rheims on the occasion of the 14th cent. of the Baptism of Clovis.
73b	1st May, 1896, Paris	Reminder of the observations relating to the Bulletins of the Past Pupils' Associations.
73c	28th May, 1896, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1896.
73d	18th Dec., 1896, Paris	Letter from the Regime: Request for prayers for the Brother Superior, ill.
73e	23rd Dec., 1896, Paris	Br. Joseph, S.G. received the Last Sacraments on 18th December.
73f	2nd Jan., 1897, Paris	Letter from the Bros. Assistants: death of the M.H.B. Joseph.
74	8th Jan., 1897, Paris	Letter from the Bros. Assistants: Convocation of the General Chapter for 15th March.
74a	19th March, 1897, Paris	Communication of the election on 19th March of Br. Gabriel-Marie as Superior General.

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75	26th April, 1897, Paris	The General Chapter and its results.
75a	7th May, 1897, Paris	Note on the choice of spiritual Books. Refer to the Catalogue.
75b	3rd June, 1897, Paris	Announcement of the death of Br. Cyrus, Assistant.
75c	4th June, 1897	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1897.

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76	7th July, 1897, Paris	Journey to Rome; Cause of Canonisation of B. J.-B. De La Salle.
76b	18th Oct., 1897, Paris	Result of the elective Commission: appointment of Br. Dosithée-Marie, Assistant.
77	28th Oct., 1897, Paris	Recommendations concerning young Brothers called to the colours.
78	1st Nov., 1897, Paris	History of the elective Commission and the composition of the Regime; election of a new Assistant.
78a	30th Nov., 1897, Paris	Information requested of the Directors of certain establishments.
79	1st Jan., 1898, Paris	New Year.
80	2nd Feb., 1898, Paris	The Servant of God Brother Bénilde, ex-Director of Saugues (Diocese of Le Puy).
81	19th Feb., 1898, Paris	Circular letter to our Dear Brothers of the United States of America. (With an English translation opposite the French text).
81a	23rd Feb., 1898, Paris	Double aim of the Communication of the preceding circular.
81b	25th March, 1898, Paris	Proposal of a recollection for the soldier Brothers.
81c	25th March, 1898, Paris	Remarks and information about the soldier Brothers.
81d	12th April, 1898, Paris	To the Bros. Directors. About the Universal Exhibition of 1900.
81e	18th May, 1898, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1898.
81f	24th May, 1898, Paris	To distribute to the soldier Brothers the brochure «Remote preparation for military service».
81g	25th June, 1898, Paris	Announcing the dispatch of the programme of work for the 1900 Exhibition.
81 tw.	19th July, 1898, Paris	To the Bros. Directors about the teaching of Latin. (English text with French translation).
82	25th July, 1898, Paris	Preparatory Congregation; Formulae of Consecration; Apostleship of Prayer; Exercises of Piety.
82b	21st Nov., 1898, Paris	Announcing the dispatch of several copies of the Regulation for the soldier Brother.
82c	8th Dec., 1898, Paris	Cause of the Beatification and Canonisation of Brother Bénilde: examination of the writings.
84	15th Jan., 1899, Paris	New Year; General Congregation (for the Canonisation of Our B. Father).
84a	25th Jan., 1899, Paris	Recommendations regarding the young Brothers called to the colours.
84 tw.	29th Jan., 1899, Paris	General Congregation (for the Canonisation of Our B. Father).
85	3rd March, 1899, Paris	Instructions relating to obituaries.
85a	April, 1899	Br. Justinus's deposition in the enquiry into secondary Teaching.
86	11th May, 1899, Paris	Cause of Canonisation of B. John Baptist De La Salle: Decree on the miracles: Congregation <i>de Tuto</i> .
87	15th May, 1899, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1899.
87a	1st June, 1899, Paris	Triduum ordered by the S. Pontiff in honour of the Sacred Heart.
87 tw.	9th July, 1899, Paris	Letter to the Bros. Directors on the question of Latin. (French text with English translation).
88	26th July, 1899, Paris	Cause of Canonisation of Blessed J.-B. De La Salle: Decree <i>de Tuto</i> .
88a	4th August, 1899, Paris	Choice of works for the 1900 exhibition in Paris.
88b	15th Oct., 1899, Paris	Reminder of the Circulars on the 1900 exhibition.
89	22nd Oct., 1899, Paris	Retreats: First part. Also in English.
89a	2nd Nov., 1899, Paris	To the Bros. Directors of Houses of Formation: Triduum of intercession.
89b	3rd Nov., 1899, Paris	Request for elements for the 2nd part of the Circular on Retreats.
89d	1899	Br. Director and the soldier Brother.
90	15th Dec., 1899, Paris	Preparation for the Canonisation of Blessed J.-B. De La Salle. Also in English.
91	18th Jan., 1900, Paris	Decision on the teaching of Latin. (French text with English translation opposite).
91c	1st Feb., 1900, Paris	Two forms relating to participation in the Universal Exhibition.
91d	26th Feb., 1900, Paris	(Prospectus of the Pilgrimage to Rome for the Canonisation of B. J.-B. De La Salle).
91e	5th March, 1900, Paris	Paris Appeal Court's ruling of 6th December, enforcing the evacuation of the Mother House.

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92	19th March, 1900, Paris	Retreats: Second part.
92 tw.	3rd April, 1900, Paris	Letter to the Bros. Directors on accompanying pupils on holiday; also on soldier Brothers.
93	7th April, 1900, Paris	Observations relating to the celebration of the festivals of the Canonisation of B. J.-B. De La Salle.
93b	3rd May, 1900, Paris	Questions relating to the groups of pilgrims for Rome.
94	18th May, 1900, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1900.
94 tw-a	31st May, 1900, Paris	Canonisation of Saint John Baptist De La Salle. Also in English.
94 thr.	June, 1900, Paris	Instruction and Indult concerning the celebration of the Feast of S.J.B. De La Salle.
94 tw-b	2nd July., 1900, Paris	Extract from the list of Awards from the Exhibition referring to the Institute.
94 tw-d	— 1900, Paris	Universal Exhibition of 1900: Classes and section in which the Institute featured.
95	24th Sept., 1900, Paris	Celebrations of the Canonisation of 24th May, 1900.
96	2nd Oct., 1900, Paris	Results of the 1900 Universal Exhibition.
96b	8th Nov., 1900, Paris	To the Brothers of the District of Lyons: Creation of 3 definite areas for the District.
96c	21st Nov., 1900, Paris	Request for pious practices in the houses at the time when persecution was being prepared.
96d	21st Nov., 1900, Paris	Novena from 29th Nov. to 8th Dec. for the future of the teaching Undertakings and of the Congregations.
97	21st Nov., 1900, Paris	Visits (French text with English translation opposite).
97 tw.	15th Dec., 1900, Paris	Visitors.
98	25th Dec., 1900, Paris	Bull of Canonisation of St J.-B. De La Salle. Also in English.
98a	— 1900	Letter from Leo XIII on the dangers threatening religious Congregations in France.
99	2nd Feb., 1901, Paris	Reflections on the Canonisation of Saint J.-B. De La Salle.
99a	February, 1901	Reply from the S.C. on the question of teaching the poor and the vow of teaching.
100	11th April, 1901, Paris	Announcement of a work: Elements of practical Pedagogy.
101	11th April, 1901, Paris	Consequences of the Suppression of Latin. (Letter to the V.D. Brothers of the United States of America. French text with English translation opposite).
102	26th April, 1901, Paris	Devotion to the Most Blessed Virgin in our Institute.
103	3rd May, 1901, Paris	Office and feast of S. J.-B. De La Salle.
103a	8th May, 1901, Paris	Announcement of the death of Br. Narcellien, Assistant.
104	22nd May, 1901, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1901.
105	14th June, 1901, Paris	Convocation of the General Chapter (French text with English translation opposite).
105b	June, 1901	Exhibition of Childhood, Paris, mid-June, 1901.
105c	18th July, 1901, Paris	Request from the archbishop of Cambrai and the Institute's reply on the subject of Latin classes.
106	15th August, 1901, Paris	Preparation for the General Chapter.
106a	15th August, 1901	Prayers and practices for the General Chapter.
106e	8th Sept., 1901, Paris	To the Bros Capitulants: Note on the new edition of the Rules and of the Rule of Government.
107	22nd Sept., 1901, Paris	Methodology of Teaching Religion.
108	25th Oct., 1901, Paris	Renewal of devotion to the Divine Childhood
109	25th Dec., 1901, Paris	The General Chapter and its results. Also in English.
109a	28th Dec., 1901, Paris	Second Note on the application to the Institute of the law of Association.
110	2nd Feb., 1902, Paris	Celebration of the month of St Joseph.
110a	2nd Feb., 1902, Paris	Note on the coincidence of the feast of the Founder and the octave of the Ascension.
110b	15th March, 1902, Paris	Note for the dispatch to the principal house of the District the preceding editions of the Rules and the Rule of Government.
111	19th March, 1902, Paris	Publication of the new editions of the Rules; Rescript.

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111a	31st March, 1902, Paris	New note for the dispatch to the principal house of the District the preceding editions of the Rules.
112	15th April, 1902, Paris	Centenary of the restoration of the Institute.
112a	15th April, 1902, Paris	Appeal for intercession at the approach of the month of May and because of the elections.
112b	23rd April, 1902, Paris	To the Bros. Directors of Paris: Invitation to show gratitude to and trust in God.
113	26th April, 1902, Rome	Pilgrimage to Rome.
114	8th May, 1902, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1902
114a	24th May, 1902, Paris	Collection on the occasion of the catastrophe in Martinique. Invitation to prayer.
114b	24th May, 1902, Paris	Errata for the 1882 handwritten copy of the Rule of 1718.
114c	24th May, 1902, Paris	Errata concerning the 1901 handwritten copy of the Rule of 1718.
115	6th June, 1902, Paris	Explanation of Chapter XVIII of the Common Rule.
115 tw.	2nd July, 1902	Annual retreat of the Visitors in 1901. Conferences from 2nd to 10th May.
116	2nd August, 1902, Paris	Charitable donations for Martinique.
116a	October, 1902, Paris	Some means of preserving the fruits of the Retreat.
116b	— 1902, Paris	Some reflections on the means to use to ensure the fruits of the Retreat.
116d	End Nov., 1902, Paris	Remarks on requests for registration for the catechism Examinations for 1903.
116e	11th Dec., 1902, Paris	Remarks on the situation where the Director of the Community is not the head of the school.
116f	28th Dec., 1902, Paris	Reminder of the remarks about publication from Past Pupils' Associations.
116g	30th Dec., 1902, Paris	Remarks about the ban on any printed material constituting an act of political propaganda.
117	6th Jan., 1903, Paris	New Year; Notices of Bros. Barthelemy, Irénée, Bérain-Denis, Barmier.
117b	15th Jan., 1903, Paris	Questionnaire to complete about spiritual talks.
117c	18th Jan., 1903, Paris	Death on 16th January of H.E. Cardinal Parocchi, Protector of the Institute. Prescribed prayers.
117d	26th Jan., 1903, Paris	Remarks about the soldier Brothers. Sharing out of expenses.
118	11th Feb., 1903, Paris	Various documents.
119	19th Feb., 1903, Paris	History of the Bull of Approbation.
119a	21st Feb., 1903, Paris	Testimonial letters. Reminder of the Instruction of Br Irlide on the Declaration of Br. Philippe.
120	19th March., 1903, Paris	Office of S. J.-B. De La Salle.
120a	15th April, 1903, Paris	Prayers for the 1st meeting in Rome for the process of Beatification of Br. Bénilde.
121	30th April, 1903, Paris	Notice on Brother Arnould. (Br. Victorin gives the date of 15th May).
122	15th May, 1903, Paris	Cause of Venerable Br. Bénilde; Rescripts. Decree of introduction of the Cause.
122 tw.	24th May, 1903, Paris	Notes of Retreats.
123	25th May, 1903, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1903.
124	21st July, 1903, Paris	Death of His Holiness, Leo XIII.
125	18th Oct., 1903, Rome	Pilgrimage to Rome.
126	21st Nov., 1903, Paris	History of the ordinary, affirmative Process of Venerable Bénilde.
127	3rd Dec., 1903, Paris	New edition of the <i>Conduct of Schools</i> ; The studies of the Religious educator.
128	15th Dec., 1903, Paris	Prayers and practices of intercession.
129	25th March, 1904, Paris	Prayers for the Institute.
130	20th May, 1904, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1904.
131	29th May, 1904, Paris	General Chapter.
131a	July, 1904	Law relating to the suppression of teaching congregations in France.
132	29th July, 1904, Paris	Feasts of the Maternity and Purity of the M.B. Virgin.
132a	End August, 1904, Paris	Remarks concerning soldier Brothers because of the closure of many communities.

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132b	20th Oct., 1904, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: Note for a short meeting in Paris on 8th November.
133	25th Dec., 1904, Paris	New Year; Visit of Groups of Retreats; Journey to Rome; and various Documents.
133b	January, 1905, Paris	Elimination of teaching Congregations.
133d	1st Feb., 1905, Paris	Announcement of the death on 31st January, of Br. Exupérien, Assistant.
133g	1st March, 1905, Paris	Follow-up to Circular 131, of 29th May, 1904, relating to Capitular Elections.
133h	8th March, 1905, Paris	Remarks to the Bros. Visitors on the two consultations previously sent.
133i	March, 1905	Prayer to Saint John Baptist De La Salle, our Model and Legislator. Various translations.
133k	April, 1905, Paris	Arrangements for the Meeting of the General Chapter, in May, at Lembecq-lez-Hal.
133l	May, 1905, Paris	Apostolic blessing on the occasion of the Retreats.
133m	15th June, 1905	Arrangements for Retreats in 1905.
133p	June, 1905, Paris	Note and arrangements to the Bros. Visitors for their meeting in Paris.
134	25th June, 1905, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1905.
135	29th June, 1905, Paris	The General Chapter and its results. Also in English.
135a	August, 1905, Paris	Ruling of the Appeal court of Rouen, on 22nd June, 1905, in favour of the Town of Paris against the Institute: a delay of 4 months to leave the house, 27 rue Oudinot.
135b	21st Sept., 1905, Paris	Condition of opening and arrangements concerning the English Scholasticate.
135d	Sept., 1905, Paris	Extra itinerary of the Br. Superior in September and October, 1905.
135e	15th Oct., 1905, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors: concentration of historic documents of the Communities of France.
135g	18th Nov., 1905, Paris	Changes made to the organisation of the Districts of the Middle East.
136	21st Nov., 1905, Paris	History of the preceding Examinations for the catechist Diplomas. List of Diplomas.
137	25th Dec., 1905, Paris	Historical essay on the Mother House of the Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools from 1682 to 1905.
137a	30th Dec., 1905, Paris	Announcement of the death of Br. Bernard-Marie, who had spent many years working in the accounts office.
138	1st Jan., 1906, Paris	New Year wishes; Rescript of indulgences.
138b	3rd Feb., 1906, Paris	About taxes and help for the Novitiates and the Elderly.
138c	21st Feb., 1906, Paris	Letter to the Bros. Visitors on the quarterly payment to the Procure General by the Bros. of France.
138 tw.	15th March, 1906, Paris	Changes for the quarterly Accounts and making of habits.
139	30th March, 1906, Paris	Notice on a young Brother (Br. Amance-Henri, 1883-1905).
140	1st May, 1906, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1906.
141	6th May, 1906, Lemb.	Decree on Daily Communion.
142	15th May, 1906, Lemb.	Eucharistic mission of St J.-B. De La Salle.
143	2nd July, 1906, Lemb.	Double category of Masses that each Community had to have celebrated.
143a	8th July, 1906, Athis	Correspondence for Br. Aimarus, Assistant, should be addressed to the Bros. Visitors, because of Br. Aimarus's state of health.
143b	17th July, 1906, Paris	To the Bros. Visitors and other Presidents of Retreats, in France: Letter from H.H. Pius X, April, 1906.
143d	25th July, 1906, Paris	Announcement of the next publication of the forthcoming Bulletin of the Christian Schools. Programme.
143g	10th Sept., 1906, Paris	Announcement of the death of Br Aimarus, Assistant, on 8th September, at Athis.
144	7th Oct., 1906, Lemb.	A few words on the Relics of Saint J.-B. De La Salle: Their transfer to Lembecq-lez-Hal.
144a	15th Oct., 1906, Paris	Announcement of the 1st issue of the Bulletin of the Christian Schools. Its general programme.
144c	2nd Nov., 1906, Paris	Regular information service to establish for the Bulletin F.S.C.
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144d	November, 1906, Paris	The meeting of the Bros. Visitors set for 14th December at Lembecq-lez-Hal.

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144 thr.	2nd Nov., 1906	Complementing Circular 144 twice.
145	8th Dec., 1906, Lemb.	Catechist Diplomas.
145 tw.	26th Dec., 1906, Paris	How to contact the habit makers in France.
145b	31st Dec., 1906, Paris	List of habits delivered to the Districts of France, March-December, 1906.
146	6th Jan., 1907, Lemb.	Pilgrimage to Rome.
147	2nd Feb., 1907, Lemb.	Convocation of the General Chapter for 28th April, 1907. List of all the members.
147a	15th Feb., 1907, Lemb.	Letter to the Bros. Visitors: renewed appeal for historic documents relating to the Communities of France.
147b	12th March, 1907, Paris	Dispatch of two forms to fill in concerning Personnel.
147 tw.	25th March, 1907, Lemb.	Testimonial letters: Confirmation by Pope Pius X of <i>Oraculum vivae vocis</i> of Pius IX.
148	7th April, 1907, Lemb.	Works of Perseverance in the Institute.
148 tw.	24th May, 1907, Lemb.	The General Chapter and its Results.
149	25th May, 1907, Paris	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1907.
149a	July, 1907	Apostolic blessing for Retreats in the Institute in 1907.
150	2nd August, 1907, Paris	Catechist's Manual; Brief of H.H. Pius X.
150a	10th Oct., 1907, Paris	Convocation of the Bros. Visitors of France at Athis for 22nd October.
150b	15th Nov., 1907, Lemb.	Indication of the period for requests for making and renewing Vows. 5 languages.
150c	20th Nov., 1907, Lemb.	Dispatch of list of special Retreats which would take place at Lembecq in 1908.
151	21st Nov., 1907, Lemb.	Retreats of 1907 and Visits.
152	8th Dec., 1907	Retirement of Br. Liacim, Procurator General, in October, because of his advancing years.
153	19th Jan., 1908, Lemb.	Study of the French language. (Trans. Eng. Ger. Sp. It.).
153a	— 1908	List of Retreats of the Institute for 1908.
153b	January, 1908	List of habits delivered to the Districts from January to December, 1907.
153c	25th Jan., 1908, Lemb.	Reply to New Year wishes.
154	26th Jan., 1908, Lemb.	Favours granted to the Institute.
154a	12th Feb., 1908, Lemb.	To the Bros. Directors of Juniorates: census form to complete.
155	25th March., 1908, Lemb.	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1908.
155a	10th May., 1908, Lemb.	Note for the meeting of the Bros. Visitors of France at Athis on 1st July.
156	22nd May., 1908, Lemb.	Jubilee of Our L. of Lourdes; priestly Golden Jubilee of the Sovereign Pontiff Pius X.
156a	July, 1908,	Apostolic blessing granted for Retreats in 1908.
157	15th August, 1908, Lemb.	Cause of Venerable Br. Bénilde: New Rescript.
157a	17th August, 1908, Paris	Notice of the gift of a statue of the Founder, by Aureli, to each house.
157c	22nd August, 1908, Athis	Invitation or authorisation for the Pilgrimage to Rome. Practical arrangements.
157d	22nd Sept., 1908, Paris	Remarks on the compiling of works in Spanish.
158	25th Oct., 1908, Lemb.	Pilgrimage to Rome.
158a	15th Nov., 1908, Lemb.	Remarks on request for admission to and renewal of vows.
159	21st Nov., 1908, Lemb.	Catechist Diplomas.
160	6th Jan., 1909, Paris	New Year; Catastrophy in Sicily.
161	25th March, 1909, Lemb.	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1909.
161a	10th April, 1909, Paris	The death of Br Dosithée-Marie, Assistant, at Fleury-Meudon, on 8th April, 1909.
162	16th July., 1909, Lemb.	New favours granted by the Holy See.
163	21st Nov., 1909, Lemb.	Catechist Diplomas.
163a	Nov., 1909	Decree concerning certain postulants who must not be admitted. Latin-French.
164	28th Jan., 1910, Lemb.	Notice on Brother Aidan.

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165	5th April, 1910, Lemb.	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1910.
165a	6th May, 1910, Lemb.	Doubts regarding the religious profession of members leaving one Order for another.
165b	6th May, 1910, Lemb.	Decree concerning certain postulants who must not be admitted. Latin-English.
165c	6th May, 1910, Lemb.	Remarks on the economic question of communities in the Institute.
165d	7th May, 1910, Lemb.	To Brothers of Austria-Germany. Division into two Districts. In German.
165e	15th May, 1910, Lemb.	The District of Austria/Germany will form two Districts.
166	16th July, 1910, Lemb.	75th Anniversary of Juniorates. Indulgences for the Brothers «setting off». Also in English.
167	15th August, 1910, Lemb.	Archconfraternity of the Most Holy Child Jesus. Also in English.
168	23rd Oct., 1910, Lemb.	Notice on Brother Prime.
169	15th Nov., 1910, Lemb.	Catechist Diplomas.
169a	15th Nov., 1910, Lemb.	Letter to the Bros. Visitors reminding them of the need to gather together the historic documents of the houses in France.
170	21st Nov., 1910, Lemb.	Decree on Studies in the Novitiates. (Trans.Ger.Eng.It.Sp.).
170a	15th Dec., 1910, Lemb.	Notes on studies in the Novitiates, concerning postulants who are too far behind.
171	6th Jan., 1911, Lemb.	New Year; Pontifical Audience.
171 tw.	10th Feb., 1911, Lemb.	Rescript for the celebration of St Joan of Arc in French communities outside France.
172	25th March, 1911, Lemb.	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1911.
173	30th April, 1911, Lemb.	Notice on Brother Brendan Amedy.
174	7th May, 1911, Lemb.	Financial management of Communities. (Trans.Ger.Eng.It.Sp.).
174a	22nd Oct., 1911, Lemb.	Retirement of Br. Clémentian, Assistant, on health grounds.
175	28th Oct., 1911, Lemb.	Election of two Brothers Assistants.
176	15th Nov., 1911, Lemb.	Catechist Diplomas.
177	6th Jan., 1912, Lemb.	New Year; Meditations on School.
178	25th March, 1912	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1912.
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n.n.	no date	Note relating to the financial question of our Communities.
n.n.	no date	Remark concerning Returns.
180	15th Nov., 1912	Catechist Diplomas.
181	8th Dec., 1912	Convocation of the General Chapter. (Trans.Ger.Eng.It.Sp.).
182	6th Jan., 1913	New Year.
183	18th Jan., 1913	Documents of the H. Roman Congregations.
n.n.	24th Jan., 1913	Communication to the Italian Communities.
184	25th March, 1913	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1913.
185	7th April, 1913	Notice on Brother Herman-Joseph.
186	26th April, 1913	Pontifical Brief for the Juniorates.
187	4th May, 1913	The Mother House from 1819 to 1913.
n.n.	17th May, 1913	Announcement by the three Brothers Secretaries of the Chapter, of the election of Br. Imier-de-Jésus as Superior General.

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188	30th May, 1913	Election of the Superior General.
189	8th Sept. 1913	Results of the General Chapter.

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190	8th Nov., 1913	Catechist Diplomas.
191	27th Dec., 1913	Cause of Venerable Brother Bénilde: Validity of the Apostolic and Ordinary Processes.
192	18th Jan., 1914	New Year; Holiness.
n.n.	26th Jan., 1914	Death of Br. Apronien-Marie, ex-Assistant.
193	21st May, 1914	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1914.
194	29th Sept., 1914	Death of His Holiness Pius X; Accession of His Holiness Benedict XV.
195	2nd Oct., 1914	Prayers for the Institute.
196	25th Oct., 1914	Death of H.E. Cardinal Ferrata (Protector).
197	6th Jan., 1915	New Year; Apostolate of the Religious Educator.
198	1st May, 1915	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1915.
199	6th Jan., 1916	New Year; our holy Rules and regular Observance.
n.n.	1st Jan., 1916	Causes of the saintly Brothers.
200	19th March., 1916	Election of an Assistant.
n.n.	12th April, 1916	Death of Br. Assistant Godefroy-des-Anges.
n.n.	17th April, 1916	Introduction of the Cause of 213 Servants of God massacred in Paris, in September, 1792.
202	29th April, 1916	Election of an Assistant.
203	24th May, 1916	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1916.
n.n.	1st Oct., 1916	Death of Br. Macaire-Joseph, Assistant.
204	15th Nov., 1916	Results of the Catechism Examinations.
205	1st Jan., 1917	New Year; Examples of Holiness and Apostolate according to the Rule.
206	25th March, 1917	Election of an Assistant.
207	9th April, 1917	Feast of Saint John Baptist De La Salle: Brief of Our H.F. Pope Benedict XV.
208	25th April, 1917	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1917.
209	2nd August, 1917	Indulgences granted to the Prayer of the Master before School.
n.n.	28th Dec. 1917	Death of Br. Junien, retired Assistant.
210	1st Jan., 1918	New Year; Spirit of Faith; Life of Union with Jesus Christ.
211	15th Jan., 1918	Results of the Catechism Examinations.
212	7th April, 1918	Cause of Venerable Brother Bénilde.
212 tw.	25th April, 1918	Some articles of the new Code of Canon Law.
213	15th April, 1918	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1918.
214	2nd August, 1918	Some articles of Canon Law applying to our Institute.
215	20th August, 1918	Indulgence granted to our Prayer to the Holy Founder; Prayers for our soldier Brothers.
216	6th Jan., 1919	Second Centenary of the Rule and of the Death of Saint John Baptist De La Salle.
217	16th Feb., 1919	Second Centenary of the Death of Saint John Baptist De La Salle.
218	20th April, 1919	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1919.
219	1st April, 1919	Catechist Diplomas.
n.n.	21st Dec., 1919	Communication to the Bros. Visitors on the documents to send.
220	6th Jan., 1920	Interior Life; Its means.
221	15th Dec., 1919	Catechist Diplomas.
222	20th April, 1920	Decrees relating to Religious conscripted into military service.
223	26th April, 1920	Election of an Assistant.
224	— Nov., 1920	Catechist Diplomas.
225	6th Jan., 1921	Interior Life; Its means (2nd Part).
226	16th Dec., 1920	Election of an assistant.

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227	10th Jan., 1921	Rescripts on the Vows.
227 tw.	15th Dec., 1925	Note on the vows of soldier Brothers.
228	3rd May, 1921	Rescripts and Decisions of the Sacred Roman Congregations.
229	10th May, 1921	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1921.
230	— Nov., 1921	Catechist Diplomas.
231	6th Jan., 1922	Interior Life; Its means (end).
n.n.	20th Jan., 1922	Cause of Venerable Brother Bénilde.
232	19th March, 1922	Cause of Beatification and Canonisation of Brothers Exupérien and Miguel.
233	1st May, 1922	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1922.
234	25th July, 1922	Writings of the Holy Founder; his Meditations.
n.n.	30th Nov., 1922	Death of Br. Louis de Poissy, retired Assistant.
n.n.	— Nov., 1922	Catechist Diplomas.
235	1st Jan., 1923	Convocation of the General Chapter.

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236	29th June, 1923	Results of the General Chapter.
237	14th Nov., 1923	Journey to Rome.
n.n.	Nov., 1923	Catechist Diplomas, 28th Session
n.n.	11th May, 1923	Remarks on the Vows.
238	1st Jan., 1924	New Year. The exterior supports of the Institute.
239	30th Jan., 1924	Biographical notice on Brother Mutien-Marie
n.n.	15th May, 1924	Letter to the Broş. Visitors on the importance of the annual return of histories, accounts and other states of the Communities.
240	2nd Oct., 1924	For our D.B. Visitors and Directors
241	1st Nov., 1924	Second Centenary of the obtaining of the Bull of Approbation of the Institute.
241 tw.	28th Dec., 1924	Communication of a letter received from H.H. Pius XI on the occasion of the celebration of the 2nd centenary of obtaining the Bull of Approbation.
n.n.	15th Feb., 1924	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1924.
n.n.	Nov., 1924	Catechist Diplomas, 29th Session.
242	1st Jan., 1925	New Year. The interior supports of the Institute.
243	24th May, 1925	State of the causes of Beatification of our Brothers.
244	21st August, 1925	Cause of Beatification of the Servant of God Brother Mutien-Marie: investigation into the writings.
245	8th Oct., 1925	For our D.B. Visitors and Directors. The good government of religious houses.
246	24th Oct., 1925	Visit to our houses in North America.
n.n.	15th March, 1925	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1925.
n.n.	15th Dec., 1925	Note on the Vows of soldier Brothers.
247	1st Jan., 1926	New Year. Our promises at the Taking of the habit.
248	26th Jan., 1926	Biography of Venerable Brother Bénilde. Our causes of Beatification. Three rescripts from the Holy See.
249	24th May, 1926	Beatification of Brother Salomon. Three rescripts from the Holy See.

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250	24th June, 1926	Work of Recruiting.
251	2nd Sept., 1926	For our D.B. Visitors and Directors. Some qualities and virtues of the good Superior (according to Saint Bonaventure).
252	24th Oct. 1926	Visit to the Districts of Central Europe and the Near East.
253	1st Nov., 1926	Beatification of Brother Salomon, martyred in the Carmelite convent (Paris), on 2nd September, 1792.
254	26th Dec., 1926	Documents relating to the Beatification of Brother Salomon.
n.n.	March, 1926	Catechist Diplomas, 30th Session
255	1st Jan., 1927	Our formula of Vows
256	19th March, 1927	Cause of Venerable Bénilde. Various information. Commentary on the collect of the Office of Blessed Salomon.
n.n.	19th March, 1927	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1927.
257	15th May, 1927	Work of recruiting. The Congregations in our Schools.
258	8th Oct., 1927	For our D.B. Visitors and Directors. Main duties and means of government of a Religious Superior.
259	1st Dec., 1927	Visits to the Districts of Central America: Panama, Ecuador, Colombia.
n.n.	28th Dec., 1927	Announcement of the death of the M.H.B. Imier de Jésus.
260	1st Jan., 1928	The Brother of the Christian Schools (the implication of the name).
261	6th Jan., 1928	Cause of V. Bénilde: Heroicity of Virtues. Audience of the Holy Father and other visits. Plenary indulgences attached to the recitation of the Rosary before the Blessed Sacrament.
262	30th April, 1928	The perseverance of our Past Pupils. Various information.
263	4th May, 1928	For our D.B. Visitors and Directors: The Perseverance of the young Brothers.
n.n.	25th May, 1928	Letter from the Regime announcing the death of the M.H.B. Allais-Charles.
264	15th June., 1928	Letter from the Regime convoking the General Chapter.
265	8th July, 1928	Letter from V.D.B. Viventien-Aimé, dean of the Regime, on the cause of Br. Alpert: investigation into the writings.
n.n.	26th Oct., 1928	Letter from the Regime announcing the death of V.D.B. Benezet Thomas, retired Assistant.
n.n.	11th Nov., 1928	Letter from the Secretaries of the Chapter, announcing the election of the M.H.B. Adrien.
n.n.	no date	Catechist Diplomas, 33rd Session, December, 1928.

M.H.B. Adrien, Superior General

266	6th Jan., 1929	Results of the General Chapter.
267	12th Jan., 1929	New Year. Our motives for loving God and our neighbour. (The 2nd subject is the last circular of the M.H.B. Allais-Charles, found among his papers after his death and sent at this time by the M.H.B. Adrien).
268	19th March, 1929	Faculty of celebrating the feast of Saint John Baptist De La Salle on Sundays. Death of His Eminence Cardinal Vico, Protector of the Institute.
n.n.	25th March, 1929	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1929.
269	2nd July, 1929	Journey to Rome.
270	12th Jan., 1930	New Year. The 1st Commandment of the Institute.
271	19th March, 1930	Death of H.Em. Cardinal Merry del Val, Protector of the Institute.
n.n.	19th March, 1930	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1930.
272	8th Sept., 1930	Biographical notice on Brother Maixence-Vital.

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273	17th Oct., 1930	Report on the Causes of Beatification of our saintly Brothers. Decrees approving the writings of the Servants of God, Bros. Mutien-Marie, Exupérien and Miguel. Assumption of his title by our new Cardinal Protector.
n.n.	no date	Catechist Diplomas, 34th Session
274	11th Jan., 1931	New Year. The Second Commandment of the Society.
n.n.	19th March, 1931	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1931.
275	21st Nov., 1931	Distinction in the Religious educator. (With English translation).
276	26th Jan., 1932	New Year. The Third Commandment of the Society (1st Part).
n.n.	19th March, 1932	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1932
n.n.	17th May, 1932	Announcement of the death of V.D.B. Médard-Camille, Assistant.
276 tw.	7th Oct., 1932	For our D.B. Visitors and Directors: On the choice and formation of Brothers Directors.
277	17th Oct., 1932	Election for Brother Assistant. (Br. Dionysius v J.).
n.n.	no date	Catechist Diplomas, 36th Session
278	8th Jan., 1933	New Year. The 3rd Commandment of the Society (2nd Part).
n.n.	19th March, 1933	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1933
279	25th May, 1933	Announcement of the death of H.E. Cardinal Cerretti, Protector of the Institute.
280	7th Oct., 1933	Journey to Rome. Our new Cardinal Protector. Causes of Ven. Bénilde and Br. Exupérien.
281	7th Jan., 1934	The 4th Commandment of the Institute.
282	13th March, 1934	Convocation of the General Chapter. Letter from the Regime.
n.n.	19th March, 1934	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1934.
n.n.	17th June, 1934	Letter from the Secretaries of the Chapter announcing the election of the B. Junien-Victor.

M.H.B. Junien-Victor, Superior General

n.n.	27th July, 1934	Letter announcing the death of Br. Anacletus, Assistant.
283	6th August, 1934	Results of the General Chapter. (Eng. Trans. also).
284	13th August, 1934	Introduction of the Cause of Brother Exupérien.
285	1st Nov., 1934	Election of an Assistant.
286	6th Jan., 1935	New Year. Journey to Rome. Devotion to the Passion.
287	6th Jan., 1935	Chapters of Vows. Remarks on the Vows.
288	19th March, 1935	Catechism examinations. New syllabuses of the Higher course.
n.n.	19th March, 1935	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1935.
289	28th June, 1935	Celebration of the Feasts of Saint Cassien and of Saint Marie-Madeleine Postel. Indulgence of the Seven Roman Basilicas. Invocations to our saintly Brothers. Our non-incumbent Chaplains.
290	21st June, 1935	Introduction of the Cause of Brother Miguel.
n.n.	no date	Catechist Diplomas, 39th Session
291	12th Jan., 1936	Catechism Exams: New syllabuses for the Higher Course (2nd and 3rd exams). (Eng. Trans).
292	26th Jan., 1936	New Year. The 5th Commandment of the Society.
n.n.	19th March, 1936	List of Aspirants to Vows for 1936.
n.n.	8th June, 1936	Letter on the Cause of Br. Mutien-Marie.
293	15th August, 1936	Introduction of the Cause of Brother Mutien-Marie.
294	1st Nov., 1936	Election of a Brother Assistant.

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n.n.	7th April, 1936	Catechist Diplomas, 40th Session
295	10th Jan., 1937	New Year. The Sixth Commandment of the Society.
n.n.	19th March, 1937	Announcement of the death of Br. Viventien-Aimé, ex-Assistant.
297	24th May., 1937	Statement concerning Catholic Action. (French version?).
n.n.	24th May, 1937	Notice to the Brothers Visitors concerning the List of Aspirants to Vows.
n.n.	1st July, 1937	Announcement of the death of Br. Hyacinth-Maria, Assistant.
298	21st Nov., 1937	Election of three Brothers Assistants. New recognition of the relics of the Holy Founder. Feast of the Translation of the Relics of the Holy Founder.
299	9th Jan., 1938	New Year. The Seventh Commandment of the Society (1st Part).
n.n.	17th Jan., 1938	Announcement of the death of Br. Cosme-Dominique, Assistant.
300	19th Feb., 1938	The work of the Brother of the Christian Schools as catechist.
301	7th April, 1938	Cause of Beatification and Canonisation of the Servant of God Brother Arnould.
302	6th Jan., 1939	New Year. The Seventh Commandment of the Society (IIInd Part). Rescript relating to the Postulator General.
302 tw.	6th Jan., 1939	Notice on the General History of Mr. Rigault.
303	11th Feb., 1939	Death of His Holiness Pius XI.
304	30th April, 1939	Directions of the S.C. for the Sacraments on the frequent reception of the Sacraments. (This circular is not found in the bound volumes.
n.n.	14th Sept., 1939	Request for prayers in the face of the great European disaster, the war of 1939. (This circular is not found in the bound volumes.).
305	8th Dec., 1939	The Eighth Commandment of the Society.
306	1st Jan., 1940	Directions relating to the soldier Brothers with Temporary Vows.
307	18th Jan., 1940	New Year
308	15th March, 1940	Brother Director and Silence.
n.n.	18th Oct. 1940	Letter from the Regime announcing the death of the M.H.B. Junien-Victor.

M.H.B. Arèse-Casimir, Vicar General

309	12th Jan., 1941	New Year 1941.
310	11th Feb., 1942	New Year. The Christian School. Journey to Rome. General survey.
311	27th Feb., 1942	Episcopal Jubilee of His Holiness Pope Pius XII.
312	25th Jan., 1943	New Year. Religious Renewal. Journey to Spain. General survey. Consecration to Mary Immaculate. Documents from Rome.
313	20th August, 1943	The Cause of Venerable Bénilde.
314	6th Jan., 1944	New Year. Education and State of Grace. General Survey.
315	11th Feb., 1945	New Year. Our mission as educators. Catholic action and Catechism. General Survey.
315 tw.	3rd April, 1945	The Cause of Venerable Bénilde.
316	8th Oct., 1945	Convocation of the General Chapter.
317	11th Feb., 1946	New Year. Regularity. General Survey.

M.H.B. Athanase-Émile, Superior General

318	16th July, 1946	Results of the General Chapter. (English translation also).
318 tw.	25th Nov., 1946	Announcement of the death of Br. Judore, retired Assistant.
318 thr.	18th Dec., 1946	Cause of Venerable Br. Bénilde.
319	6th Jan., 1947	New Year. Ninth precept of the Institute. (English and Flemish translations also).
320	19th Feb., 1947	Cause of Venerable Br. Bénilde. (English translation also).
320 tw.	19th March, 1947	The Institute and the priesthood.
321	24th May, 1947	New edition of the holy Rule.
322	5th June, 1947	Cause of Venerable Br. Bénilde (unbound copy).
323	21st Nov., 1947	Fiftieth anniversary of our Examination in Religious Instruction (unbound copy).
324	6th Jan., 1948	Tenth Commandment of the Institute (unbound copy).
325	10th Jan., 1948	Preparation for the Beatification of Venerable Bénilde.
325 tw.	19th March, 1948	For our D.B. Visitors: Letter from the Sacred Congregation for Religious.
326	7th April, 1948	Beatification of Brother Bénilde.
327	6th Jan., 1949	New Year. General Survey. Virtue of Poverty.
328	19th March, 1949	The Pious Union of Jesus Crucified and of Mary Immaculate.
329	3rd Oct., 1949	Missionary Apostolate.
329 tw.	4th Oct. 1949	Announcement of the death of Br. Francesco di Maria, retired Assistant.
329 thr.	3rd Nov., 1949	Announcement of the death of H.E. Cardinal Francesco Marmaggi, Protector of the Institute.
330	6th Jan., 1950	New Year. General survey. Tercentenary of the birth of the holy Founder.
331	6th August, 1950	New Cardinal Protector. Saint John Baptist De La Salle special Patron of all teachers of youth.
332	6th Jan., 1951	New Year. General survey. Our vow of teaching the poor gratuitously.
333	7th April, 1951	Situation of our Procures following the Decree of the S.C. of the Council on 1st May, 1950
334	6th Jan., 1952	New Year. General survey 1951.
335	26th Jan., 1952	The Letters of our Holy Founder.
336	19th March, 1952	Publication of the 1st volume (Dogma) of our new intermediate Course of religious Instruction.
337	31st July, 1952	Health of the Brother Superior.

M.H.B. Dionisius van Jésus, Vicar General

338	11th Sept., 1952	Death of the M.H.Brother Athanase-Émile.
339	11th Oct., 1952	Meeting of the election Commission (1st - 3rd October, 1952).
340	6th Jan., 1953	New Year wishes. Our life as religious educators.
341	15th May, 1953	Preparation for the first Centenary of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception.
341 tw.	12th June, 1953	Personal letter to our D.B. Directors on the duty of reedition.
n.n.	25th July, 1953	Note for the D.B. Visitors of France on the frequentation of Universities by our Brothers of the French Districts.

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342	6th January, 1954	New Year wishes. Our duty to pray. Appendix I: The practices of piety of Religious. Appendix II: Bull «Ineffabilis» of Pius IX on the dogmatic definition of the Immaculate conception of the Most Blessed Virgin.
343	2nd March, 1954	Children's world Day of prayer for Peace. Prayers for the Pope's recovery.
344	25th June, 1954	Letter from H.H. Pius XII on the mission of the Institutes of teaching Brothers.
344 thr.	1st Oct., 1954	Death of the M.H.B. Arèse-Casimir, ex-Vicar General.
345	15th Dec., 1954	Lasallian notices.
346	6th Jan., 1955	New Year. «... by the Instructions ...». Appendix: Encyclical letter of our H.F. Pius XII «Acerbo nimis» on the Teaching of Christian doctrine.
346 tw.	3rd Feb., 1955	Death of V.D.B. Romuald Mosea, ex-Assistant.
347	15th Jan., 1955	On the use of tobacco in our Institute.
348	15th Sept., 1955	On Reddition.
349	11th Oct., 1955	Devotion to the M.H. Child Jesus and Archconfraternity of Bethlehem.
350	13th Nov., 1955	Convocation of the General Chapter.
351	8th Dec., 1955	Our daily prayers.
352	6th Jan., 1956	Vigilance and good Example.
352 tw.	2nd Feb., 1956	Jubilee of His Holiness Pius XII.
352 thr.	25th Feb., 1956	Death of V.D.B. Gordien-Désirée, ex-Assistant.

M.H.B. Nicet-Joseph, Superior General

353	17th June, 1956	Our Vocation of Religious Educators.
354	16th July, 1956	Results of the General Chapter.
355	6th Jan., 1957	New Year wishes. Life of the Institute. Remarks and recommendations. Appendices.
356	25th March, 1957	O.L. of the Star. Holy Week. Prayer of the Master before School. Two feasts in 1958.
357	29th June, 1957	Institutum Jesus Magister. Higher Institute of Religious and Apostolic Culture of teaching Brothers.
358	10th Nov. 1957	1958: Year of Poverty.
359	6th Jan., 1958	New Year wishes. Various communications.
359 tw.	9th Oct., 1958	Death of V.D.B. Assistant Pedro Luis.
360	14th June, 1958	Documents. Remarks and Recommendations.
360 tw.	9th Oct., 1958	Death of His Holiness Pius XII.
361	21st Nov., 1958	New Year wishes. World-wide Association. Loyalty to the Holy See. Document.
362	11th April, 1959	Journey of the M.H. Brother Superior to Cuba and South America. Documents.
363	25th Oct., 1959	Various communications.
364	6th Jan., 1960	New Year wishes. News of the Institute. Fraternal Charity. Documents.
365	19th March, 1960	Crowning of Our Lady of the Star.
366	12th June, 1960	The celebrations of the Crowning of O.L. of the Star in Montebourg. Various documents.
367	23rd Oct., 1960	Journey of the M.H. Brother to Africa. Worldwide Congress of our Past Pupils.
368	6th Jan., 1961	New Year. Fidelity to the Religious Vocation. Communications.
369	20th July, 1961	Meeting of Major Superiors. Pontifical Audience. Election of Bro. Charles Henry as an

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		Assistant.
370	8th Dec., 1961	For our D.B. Visitors and Directors. Reports on Perseverance in the Institute and Education in Chastity.
371	2nd Feb., 1962	New Year wishes. Brother Superior's journeys. Our mission as Catechists.
372	2nd April, 1962	Death of V.D.B. Eliphus Victor, retired Assistant.
373	25th May, 1962	Various communications.
374	22nd August, 1962	Prayers for the Council.
375	11th Oct., 1962	Journey of the Brother Superior to the Far East.
376	6th Jan., 1963	New Year wishes. Audience of the Holy Father. Address to His Holiness. Prayers for the Council. Our duties towards the Church.
377	4th June, 1963	Death of His Holiness John XXIII.
378	20th Oct., 1963	Journey of the Brother Superior General to Latin America. Pontifical Audience.
379	18th Dec., 1963	New Year. Preparation for the General Chapter of 1966.
380	30th April, 1964	Ceremony of religious profession. Second project of Constitution and Directory. Vocal prayers. Indulgence for the invocation «Regina et Mater».
381	6th Jan., 1965	New Year. The Council and ourselves. Journey to Spain. Discourse of H.H. Paul VI.
382	7th March, 1965	Our participation in liturgical renewal.
383	20th Oct., 1965	Convocation of the 39th General Chapter.
384	6th Jan., 1966	New Year wishes. After the Council. Before the General Chapter.

Br. Charles Henry, Superior General

385	6th June, 1966	Death of V.D.B. Dominikus-Norbert, Assistant.
386	2nd July, 1966	A First Report of the 39th General Chapter: The lay character of the Institute.
387	11th Oct., 1966	39th General Chapter. History of the First Session. The Proposals voted on. Documents from the Holy See.
388	26th Jan., 1967	New Year wishes and message. (English text with the French text opposite).
389	18th March, 1967	Process of Beatification: Brother Miguel. Process of Canonisation: Blessed Bénilde.
390	6th June, 1967	39th General Chapter: Second Session.
391	2nd Feb., 1968	Reports of the 39th General Chapter.
392	15th June, 1969	Application of «Renovationis causam».
393	1st June, 1971	Meeting of Brothers Visitors, October, 1971.
394	15h Nov., 1971	Guidelines for the next five years.
395	15th May, 1972	Our life of prayer: Interpretation and commentary on Chapter X of the Rules and Constitutions.
396	29th June, 1973	Preparation for the General Chapter of 1976.
397	8th Sept., 1973	Objective and style of the General Chapter of 1976.
398	7th April, 1974	General Chapter of 1976: approximate date; subjects to study.
399	15th March, 1975	Convocation of the General Chapter.
400	2nd April, 1975	Death of Brother Ruggero di Maria, Assistant.
401	28th April, 1975	Election of Brother Leone di Gesù as Assistant. Appointment of the Postulator General.
—	8th Dec., 1973	Christmas letter of the Brother Superior.
—	8th Dec., 1974	Christmas letter of the Brother Superior.

Br. José Pablo Basterrechea, Superior General

402	29th June, 1976	Presentation of the Message of the Brothers Capitulants.
403	8th Sept., 1976	XIth General Chapter.
404	15th May, 1977	The Care of Vocations. Formation.
405	15th Sept., 1977	Beatification of Brothers Miguel and Mutien-Marie.
406	25th Dec., 1977	Our Consecrated Life.
407	2nd June, 1978	Death of Brother Charles, ex-Assistant.
408	29th June, 1978	Our Mission. The Institute in the young Churches.
409	1st Nov., 1978	Death of Brother Adolphe-Marie, ex-Pro-Vicar.
410	30th April, 1979	Our Community Life.
411	1st Nov., 1979	Death of Brother Zacharias, ex-Assistant.
412	15th Sept., 1980	Service of the Poor through education and the Promotion of Justice.
413	1st Feb., 1981	Death of Brother Damien-Louis, ex-Assistant.
414	8th Sept., 1981	Death of Brother Aloysius Carmody, ex-Assistant and Secretary General.
415	1st Oct., 1981	Perspectives for 1986. Intercapitulary meeting of 1981.
416	25th July, 1982	Examination of the Rules and Constitutions.
417	23rd Dec., 1982	Death of Brother Charles Henry, ex-Superior General, from 1966 to 1976.
418	19th March, 1983	Directions for the Care of Vocations and for the Initial Formation.
419	30th April, 1984	Canonisation of Blessed Brother Miguel and Preparation for the 41st General Chapter: Approximate Date; Appointment of Commissions; subjects for study.
420	7th April, 1985	Convocation of the 41st General Chapter (1986).
421	1st June, 1985	Death of Brother Francisco Alberto, Assistant from 1966 to 1976.
—	8th Dec., 1976	Christmas Letter - 1976
—	15th May, 1977	Letter from the Brother Superior.
—	30th Oct., 1977	Blessed Mutien and Miguel (without signature).
—	8th Dec., 1977	Christmas Letter - 1977
—	15th May, 1978	Letter from the Brother Superior.
—	31st Dec., 1978	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	15th May, 1979	Letter from the Brother Superior General
—	31st Dec., 1979	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	15th May, 1980	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	8th Dec., 1980	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	8th Dec., 1981	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	8th Dec., 1982	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	15th May, 1983	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	8th Dec., 1983	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	25th Dec., 1984	Letter from the Brother Superior General.
—	8th Dec., 1985	Letter from the Brother Superior General.

Br. John Johnston, Superior General

422	1st July, 1986	41st General Chapter: Proposals and Messages.
423	7th Oct., 1986	The Point of the Situation.
424	30th April, 1987	Our Rule.
425	7th Oct., 1988	Death of Brother Fabriciano Luis, Assistant from 1956 to 1966.
426	3rd Feb., 1989	Death of Brother Maurice-Auguste, Assistant from 1966 to 1976.
427	3rd Feb., 1989	Death of Brother Lawrence O'Toole, Assistant from 1946 to 1966.
428	3rd March, 1989	Death of Brother Eugene Bodel, General Counsellor from 1986 to 1987.
429	24th June, 1990	Personal Plan.
430	1st July, 1990	Death of Brother Fernando Izaguirre, Assistant from 1966 to 1976.
431	20th Dec., 1990	Death of Brother René Hamel, Assistant from 1966 to 1986.
432	7th April, 1991	Announcement of the 42nd General Chapter (1993).
433	5th April, 1992	Convocation of the 42nd General Chapter (1993).
434	20th Dec., 1992	Death of Brother Patrice, Maurice Marey, Assistant from 1966 to 1986.
435	24th June, 1993	42nd General Chapter (5th April - 15th May, 1993).
436	30th Nov., 1993	Deaths of Brothers Aubert-Joseph, Hervé-Matteau, Leo Kirby and Paulus Adams.
437	8th Dec., 1993	Towards the Year 2000.
438	24th June, 1994	The chapter of admission to vows.
439	10th Oct., 1995	Death of Brother José Pablo Basterrechea, ex-Superior General.
440	7th April, 1996	Death of Brother Guillermo Felix, ex-Assistant.
441	24th June, 1996	Death of Brother Philip Antoon, ex-Assistant-Vicar General.
442	1st Oct., 1997	Announcement of the 43rd General Chapter (2000).
443	1st Oct., 1998	Reflection on the missionary policy of the Institute.
444	20th July, 1998	Death of Brother Allen Richard (John McNamee), Assistant from 1966 to 1976.
445	1st Oct., 1998	Convocation of the 43rd General Chapter (2000).
—	1st Jan., 1987	Pastoral letter. Peace - Identity - Conversion.
—	1st Jan., 1988	Pastoral letter. The destiny of the Institute: our responsibility.
—	1st Jan., 1989	Pastoral letter. Solidarity.
—	1st Jan., 1990	Pastoral letter. «As representing Jesus Christ Himself». Identity and Prayer.
—	1st Jan., 1991	Pastoral letter. «Irrevocably engaged» to follow Christ yesterday, today, tomorrow.
—	1st Jan., 1992	Pastoral letter. Our community life. Some reflections.
—	1st Jan., 1993	Pastoral letter. Transformation. Reflections on our future.
—	1st Jan., 1994	Pastoral letter. To live authentically in Christ Jesus.
—	1st Jan., 1995	Pastoral letter. Our Charism in the light of the Synod. Some reflections.
—	1st Jan., 1996	Pastoral letter. The Year of Prayer. Postscript.
—	1st Jan., 1997	Pastoral letter. Being Brothers today. The permanent challenge of the Declaration 1967 - 1997.
—	1st Jan., 1998	Pastoral letter. Look to the future: Build communities Today that are innovative, creative and holy.

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Some abbreviations:

Par.	Paris
Ly.	Lyons
Lemb.	Lembecq-lez-Hal
n.n.	no number
tw.	twice
thr.	thrice