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Hi Mr. O'Rear,

Thank you for contacting the Archives of the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas. We do have a file for Sister Mary Anastasia Garvin. I've scanned some things from it for you.

If there's anything else I can assist you with, please let me know.

Best,
Emily Reed-Jordan

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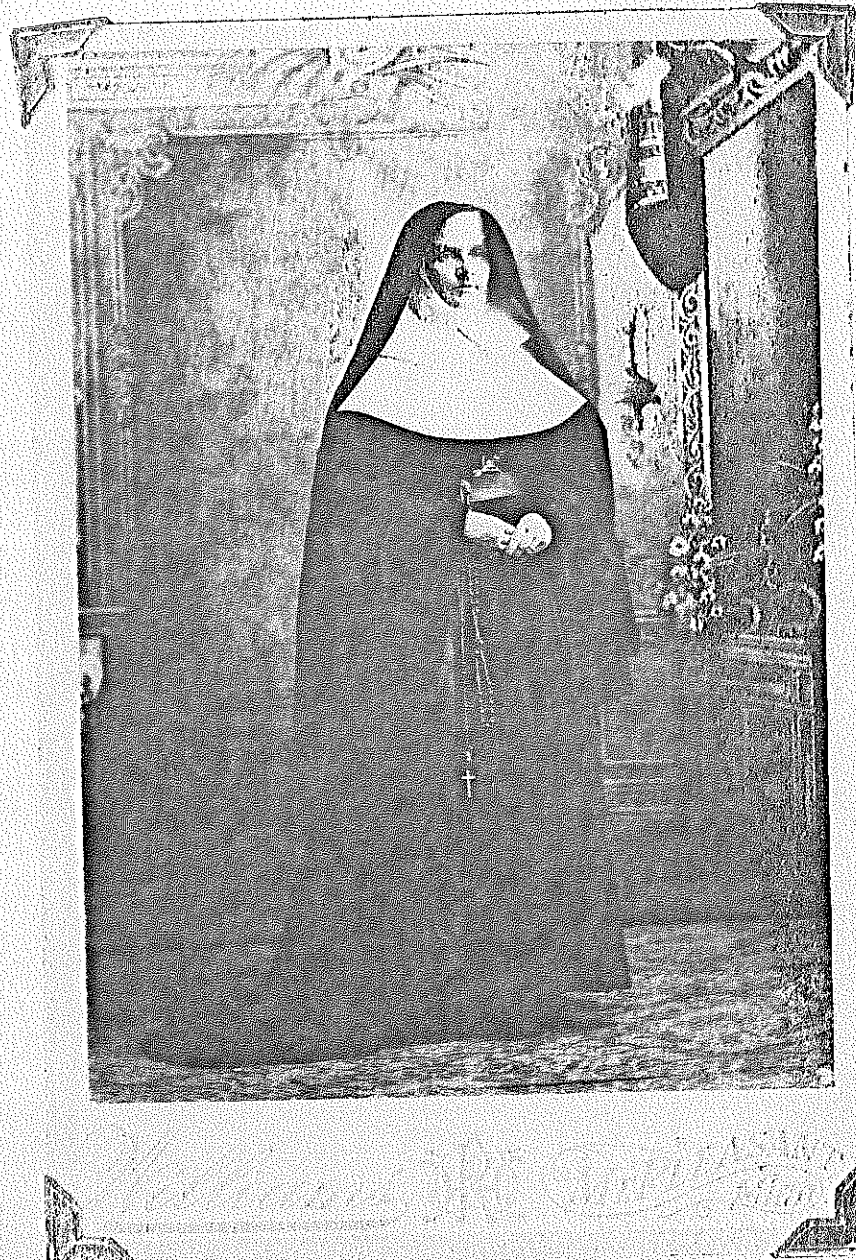
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SISTER MARY ANASTASIA GARVIN
Pioneer member, entered 1890
Member of great usefulness in the department of housekeeping,
supervising and often cooking for the various institutions.
Sister Mary Anastasia was a nun of prayer and industry and
labor thus in the service of the Community and the sick in
hospitals she spent her life to age in God's special calling.

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HISTORY OF SISTER MARY ANASTASIA GARVIN

Secular Name Jane Garvin Home Address Denver, Colorado
 Date of Birth Feb. 24, 1858 Place of Birth Ontario, Canada
 Date & Place of Baptism March 10, 1858, Westport, Canada Convert? No
 Father's Name William Garvin Place of Birth. City State Co. Mayo Country Ireland
 Mother's Maiden Name Elizabeth Lavelle Place of Birth. City State Co. Mayo Country Ireland
 Name of nearest kin Dr. F. J. McCue (Nephew) Address Hudson, Michigan
 Novitiate Durango, Colorado Entrance date Sept. 7, 1890 Reception date April 19, 1891
 Temporary Vows. Date Place Perpetual Vows. Date Apr. 20, 1893 Place Durango Transfer date
 Departure date Dismissal date
 Death date July 26, 1932 Place Mercy Hospital, Denver, Colorado
 Remarks:—

YEAR	LOCAL HOUSE	SCHOOL—HOSPITAL—HOME—ETC.	ASSIGNED DUTY
1890 - 1893	Motherhouse, Denver	Novitiate	Domestic Duties
1893	Mercy Hospital	Denver	Cooking and Assisting in Hospital
	St. Nicholas Hospital	Cripple Creek, Colorado	Cooking
	St. Joseph's Hospital	Ouray, Colorado	Cooking
	Mercy Hospital	Denver, Colorado	Ill - No duty
1924 - 1932	Mercy Hospital	Denver	Patient continuously Very aged and helpless



With the eighth grade graduation class from front row. The high school was taught by the St. Joseph's School in 1926, the future Bishop Sisters of Mercy. Sister Mary Theresa is at the is shown seated as end man on the right in the left and Sister Mary Anastasia is at the right.

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SISTER MARY ANASTASIA GARVIN, R.S.M. died in Mercy Hospital, Denver, on July 26, 1932, and was buried from the chapel with Solemn Requiem Mass. Her interment is in the Sisters of Mercy first plot, Mt. Olivet cemetery. Sister came to the missions of Colorado in 1890 and made her religious vows in 1893 in the Motherhouse of the Sisters of Mercy, Denver; she was a good whole-souled sister, a hard worker, managing the cooking department, and often doing the cooking in the hospitals of Cripple Creek, Ouray, and Durango. Kind, pleasant, agreeable, ready to help others, most of all she was a prayerful sister. In her age sister suffered long from rheumatism which crippled her hands, yet her fingers tried to make lace for the altar linens or slipping those fingers on the rosary for gaining souls to Christ. May she rest in peace. (42 years in religion)

Sr. M. Scholastica C.M. Book

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