



Cincinnati, 9<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1872

Very Res. Dear Friend

A Letter today, dated 6<sup>th</sup> Feb. from  
Card. Barnabò Secretary  
Limeoni, informs me  
that Rev. Joseph DeWeger,  
O. S. P. has been elected bishop  
of Fort Wayne. I am known  
he is a Native Buckeye, &  
a student of our Seminary,  
a thorough Missianary,  
a man of Herculean powers,  
a good priest. He will surely  
cherish V. institutions.

God Dear Barnabò would  
have done well - but the  
die is cast and we must accept

Low to the Divine will.  
The Bulls have not yet  
reached me. But the news  
is certain. "Quod fabis puer,  
tamen sit."

Rev. R. Gilman is the  
Choice for Cleveland.  
Affectionate regards to  
all at the University and  
Academy.

Yrs. Devotedly  
J. B. Fernald  
A. G. C. M.

Very Res. E. Torrey  
Superior Sem. I. H. C.  
J. B. F.