Named to Sacred College

23 Raised to Cardinalate

Cardinal-Designate
John Francis O'Hara, C.S.C., D.D.

Those who were up early this morning heard the news on the early morning news broadcasts. Some of you heard it announced at the late Masses in Sacred Heart Church.

His Holiness, Pope John XXIII, has elevated 23 to the College of Cardinals. Among those honored are two Americans, the archbishop of Boston, Cardinal-Designate Richard J. Cushing and the archbishop of Philadelphia, Cardinal-Designate John F. O'Hara, C.S.C.

Most of you know that Cardinal-Designate O'Hara was formerly President of Notre Dame, and in his early days founded the Religious Bulletin.

For the first time in the University's 117 year history, a Notre Dame alumnus takes a place among the eminent lord cardinals of the Holy Roman Catholic Church. Accordingly, this is a day of great rejoicing for Notre Dame men everywhere. It is also a day of great rejoicing for the Congregation of Holy Cross which for the first time in its history sees one of its sons elevated to the Sacred College.

Consecrated titular bishop of Milasa and Auxiliary Bishop of the Armed Forces in Sacred Heart Church here on the campus, January 15, 1941, Cardinal-designate O'Hara's rise has been rapid. On V-E day, 1945, he was appointed bishop of Buffalo. Then, upon the death of Cardinal Dougherty, he was transferred to Philadelphia and elevated to the rank of an archbishop.

On December 15th, alongwith twenty-two other new cardinals-designate, he will receive the red hat from the Holy Father. On that occasion, we hope to have a generous offering of prayers for him.
Historic Scenes in Career of Cardinal-Designate

As Catholic Hour marked its Tenth Anniversary

At the Vatican with Cardinal Spellman and the Holy Father

As Military-Delegate to the Armed Forces

On the occasion of Cardinal Pacelli's visit to Notre Dame.

As President of the University at cornerstone laying of Rockne Memorial.

As Prefect of Religion at the University, 1917-34.