

TWO CARDINALS SAIL.

Dougherty and Begin Do Not Expect to Arrive in Time to Vote.

Cardinal Dougherty sailed yesterday at noon on the French liner Lorraine on his way to Rome. He expressed his thanks to the Federal officials and others who assisted him on Friday, when he arrived from the West Indies to make a quick trip to Philadelphia and transact some important business.

When asked for a statement before sailing by the reporters in his cabin on the promenade deck, Cardinal Dougherty said:

"It is very improbable that we shall reach Rome in time to attend the Conclave. The likelihood is by that time, ten days from now, a Pope will have been selected. Who no one knows. All the reports of who he may be are mere conjecture. I expect to be here again for Holy Week in April."

"I was much pleased," Cardinal Dougherty continued, "by the courtesy shown me by every one in New York whereby I received every facility which enabled me to reach Philadelphia last night, where it was necessary that I should attend to some affairs before leaving for Europe."

The Cardinal was accompanied to the ship by the Very Rev. Joseph A. Whitaker, S. P. L., Chancellor of the Diocese of Philadelphia, and many dignitaries of the Church from the Quaker City. They traveled in a special car placed at their disposal by the railroad company. Among those who accompanied him to the Lorraine at Pier 57, North River, to see him away were: The Rt. Rev. M. J. Crane, Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia; Mgr. Michael Donovan of St. Agatha's Church, Mgr. James Mullen of Our Lady of Lourdes, Mgr. Burton J. Fitzpatrick of St. Malachy's, all of Philadelphia; Mgr. Edmond Fitzmaurice, rector of St. Charles Seminary, Overbrook, Pa.; the Rev. Dennis J. Broughal of the Church of the Ascension, the Rev. John J. Greensill of St. Edmond's, the Rev. Joseph McCollough of St. Gabriel's, all of Philadelphia; Mgr. F. J. Suttle of Boston, Father Bernard McKenna of the Catholic University of Washington, Mgr. J. C. Kelly of the Church Extension Society, Chicago, and the Rt. Rev. Edmond Obrecht, Abbot of Gethsemane, Ky. Representing Mayor Hylan, Grover A. Whalen, Commissioner of Plant and Structures, was at the pier.

A short time after Cardinal Dougherty had reached his cabin Cardinal Begin of Quebec arrived on the ship with his Chancellor, Canon Jules Laberge, and stepped up the gangway to the deck in a sprightly manner despite his having passed the fourscore-year mark two years ago. He shared the opinion expressed by Cardinal Dougherty that they would reach Rome doubtless too late to participate in the conclave. When congratulated upon his healthy vigor at his advanced age Cardinal Begin replied: "You see I come of a long-lived race. My father lived 97 years and my grandfather 97 years, and I hope to follow in their footsteps."

Cardinal Begin arrived in New York on Friday morning and stopped with the Fathers of the Blessed Sacrament, 184 East Seventy-sixth Street. He was accompanied to the ship by the Rev. Alphonse Pelletier, Superior of the Order, and one of the priests of the Church of St. Jean Baptiste. Mgr. Cossa, Chancellor of Archbishop Bonzano, Apostolic Delegate in Washington, was at the ship to extend salutations.