

Sister M. Anthusa

ROSE HOLTHAUS Daughter of Aloys and Josephine Funke Holthaus . In January of 1914 the family moved to Cottonwood, Idaho

Born: November 1892, Winneshiek County, Washington Township Section 13, Festina, Iowa

Died: October 3, 1925, Pulmonary Tuberculosis, 33 years, Sparta Wisconsin

Rose Holthaus entered Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration, St. Rose Convent, La Crosse, Wisconsin on February 3, 1916 from Cottonwood, Idaho. She was received as a novice on June 22, 1918. As Sister M. Anthusa, her principal occupation was nursing, graduating from nurses training at St. Francis Hospital. Places of occupation outside of the motherhouse:

St. Francis Hospital 5 years

St. Joseph's Ridge 2 years

Sparta Wisconsin 2 years

Sister M. Anthusa Passed away October 3, 1925 at the age of 33 years , a victim of Pulmonary Tuberculosis. Internment at Sparta, Wisconsin.

Sister Anacleta

CHRISTINA HOLTHAUS Daughter of Thedor and Elisabetha Vierhaus Holthaus

Born July 13, 1866, Winneshiek County, Washington Township Section 13, Festina Iowa

Died: May 16, 1950, arteriosclerotic heart disease, 84 yrs. 10 mo. 3 da. St. Francis Hospital, LaCrosse, Wisconsin. Buried in LaCrosse May 19, 1950.

March 25, 1891, entered convent Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration and as Sister Anacleta enjoyed 58 years of religious profession. Date of profession July 13, 1893; date of final vows July 9, 1903.

Principal Occupation: Nursing and Housework

Source: Genealogy of Thedor and Elisabetha Vierhaus Holthaus

By Dorothy Beer Cremer

Rev. HENRY A. HOLTAUS Son of August and Caroline Kleisath Holthaus

Born January 30, 1884, Washington Township, Winneshiek County, Festina, Iowa