

Salesian College,
Battersea,
London.

12th February 1908.

Dear Confreres,

Yesterday, at 10. a. m. our dear

BROTHER MICHAEL HUGHES. S. D. B.

suffered a massive heart attack and died.

Michael was born at Crossboyne, Ireland on August 28th 1853. His life before entering the Congregation was one of many and great difficulties, all of which he endured patiently and offered to God.

He started his novitiate at Battersea in February 1902 and he made his first Religious Profession on the 4th April 1904. As a member of the Congregation he showed himself to be an example of a living and practical faith, both in the fulfilment of his duties and in the frequenting of the Sacraments. On the morning of his death he had attended Mass and received Holy Communion.

We trust that he is already in the possession of his eternal rest; but since the judgements of God are hidden from us, it is our duty to pray earnestly for the repose of his good soul.

Yours devotedly in Christ,

C. B. Macey (Provincial)