NAME: PLAGENS, Joseph Casimir

BORN: January 29, 1880; Czeszewo (Poznań), Poland
(Detroit: St. Casimir)
Andrew Joseph Plagens, Constance Grygier

EDUCATION: U. of Detroit, Detroit (M.A., 1899)
St. Mary's Sem., Baltimore
(S.T.B., 1903; S.T.D., 1923)

ORDINATION: July 5, 1903; Ss. Peter & Paul Cathedral, Detroit;
Bp. John S. Foley

CONSECRATION: September 30, 1924
Sweetest Heart of Mary Church, Detroit
Bp. Michael J. Gallagher (Detroit, MI)
Bp. Peter P. Rhode (Green Bay, WI)
Bp. Edward F. Hoban (Auxiliary of Chicago, IL)

DIED: March 31, 1943 (Wed.); 11:38am
St. Mary's Hospital, GR, MI (heart ailment)

BURIAL: Mount Calvary Cem., GR, MI
Resurrection Cem., Wyoming, MI (reinterment)

July 20, 1903 Asst., Sweetest Heart (Sacred Heart of Mary), Detroit, MI
Sept. 13, 1906 Pastor, St. Michael, Port Austin
Dec. 20, 1911 Pastor, St. Florian, Hamtramck
1919 Pastor, Sweetest Heart of Mary, Detroit, MI
June 1, 1923 Dometic Prelate
May 22, 1924 Auxiliary Bishop and Vicar General of Detroit
Titular Bishop of Rhodiopolis
Nov. 16, 1935 Appointed Bishop of Marquette, MI
Jan. 29, 1936 Installed as Bishop of Marquette, MI
Dec. 16, 1940 Bishop of Grand Rapids, MI
Feb. 18, 1941 Installed as Bishop of Grand Rapids, MI