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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

1894 August 30	Born, Bolota village, Russia (Poland)
1915	Graduated, seminary
1915	Student, Legal faculty, Rostov-on-Don University
1921	Priest, Kobrin, Poland
1934	Archpriest
1942	Archpriest, Orthodox church in Skidle village, Bielostok province, Poland
1945	Archpriest, various parishes of Displaced Persons' camps in Bavaria
1947	Archpriest, St. Nicholas Cathedral, Sao Paolo, Brazil
1960	Archpriest, Protection of the Holy Virgin Church, Los Angeles, California
1968	Archpriest, St. Myrrh Bearing Women Church, Bryte, California
?	Died

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

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	4	File 8. Igumen Kallist, Priest Leontii Kvartiruk, Archdeacon V. Kirik, N. V. Karpov, Rev. G. Kravchina, I. and E. Levitskii, Archpriest I. Ol'khovskii, Archpriest S. Starikov, A. Biriuk
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