

OUR BOYS' AND GIRLS' CORNER.

A Good Investment.

Several winters ago a woman was coming out from a public building where the heavy doors swung back and made egress somewhat difficult. A little urchin sprang to the rescue, and as she held open the door, she said, "Thank you," and passed on. "D'ye hear that?" said the boy to a companion standing near by him. "No; what?" "Why, the lady said 'Thank ye' to the likes o' me."

Danville News.

Miss Kate Rowan has gone to Erie, to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Crothy. Frank Reap, Philip Schumbel, Will McGrath and Miss Mary Murphy, of Rochester, M. J. Rowan, of Hammondsport, and Miss Tillie Barrett of Buffalo, all came home to spend Christmas. Sylvester Morgan, of Lock Haven, Pa., is visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burke. At the mass in St. Patrick's church on Christmas night some fine singing was rendered by a quartette composed of Mr. M. J. McLane, Mr. Will Dowling, and Misses Fannie Jordan and Kittie Powers.

Reports have been received from the Sisters of Charity who left New York over a year ago, to establish a Catholic mission at Nassau, in the Bahama Islands, stating they have opened a day school and an academy. Seventy-five children attend the school and twenty the academy. The Rev. Dennis P. Flynn, of Saugerties, has taken charge of the church of St. Francis Xavier. He will act as its pastor until the spring when a number of Benedictine Fathers from Newark will reach Nassau and will take charge of the church, which will form the nucleus of an abbey of their order.

Catholic Society Notes.

The C. M. B. A. Monthly has the following: At a regular meeting in each branch of the C. M. B. A. in the city of Erie, Pa., the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to confer with similar committees from each of the other branches of the C. M. B. A. in the city of Erie, to adopt resolutions protesting against the new style of assessment notices, and to communicate the same to the other branches of the C. M. B. A.

WHEREAS, the new style of assessment notice, said to have been adopted by the Supreme Trustees at their last meeting, is clumsy, uncalled for, unnecessary, expensive, unjust, arbitrary and unconstitutional; and

WHEREAS, Such intrigues, schemes and devices tend to corruption, jobbery and demoralization; therefore be it

Resolved, That we most earnestly and emphatically protest against the change in the style of assessment notice, and demand that the old assessment postal card be returned to its former place.

Resolved, that the hasty and unwarranted action of the authors of this scheme deserves the severest condemnation of every well-wisher of the C. M. B. A.

Resolved, That all changes should first be approved by the different branches of the association before they are allowed to go into effect.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to all branches in the Pennsylvania Grand Council and to the officers of the Supreme and Grand Councils of the C. M. B. A.; that they be published in the official organs and that all members of the association are hereby invited to join us in opposition to a scheme that must eventually lead to the disruption and disorganization of the society.

These resolutions were signed by representatives from Branches 9, 12, 15, 18, 20, 25, representing 800 members of the C. M. B. A. in the State of Pennsylvania.

Secretaries and members of the C. M. B. A., C. B. L. and other Catholic organizations, are requested to send us in any items of news that come under their notice. Address such communications, Editor CATHOLIC JOURNAL.

Branch 81, C. M. B. A., initiated three new members at its last meeting. At the first meeting of the C. M. B. A., in January, the newly elected officers for 1890 will be installed.

Immediately after the first meeting of the C. M. B. A., in 1890, the presidents of the various branches will meet and select the physicians for the coming year.

District Deputy Loizeau is visiting the C. M. B. A. branches in his jurisdiction. On Monday evening he was at Fairport; on Tuesday he paid a visit to Branch 12, and to Branch 121 last evening. Mr. Loizeau was accompanied in his visits by Grand Deputy James L. Whalen.

Any member of the C. M. B. A. sending in the names of fifteen subscribers to the JOURNAL will receive a handsome gold C. M. B. A. badge. It will not be found a difficult task to obtain that many subscribers. Try it and see.

The following officers have been elected by Branch 128, C. M. B. A., of Warsaw:

- Pres. - T. H. O'Brien. 1st Vice-Pres. - John Ledden. 2nd Vice-Pres. - M. E. Hanrahan. Rec. Sec'y - J. J. Flynn. Assistant Sec'y - Jas. Chute. Financial Sec'y - J. E. Cheney. Treas. - W. H. Cheney. Marshal - Jas. Collins. Guard - John Carmody. Trustees - W. Derrick, James Chute, M. E. Hanrahan. Representative to Grand Council - Rev. J. J. Leddy. Alternate - W. H. Cheney.

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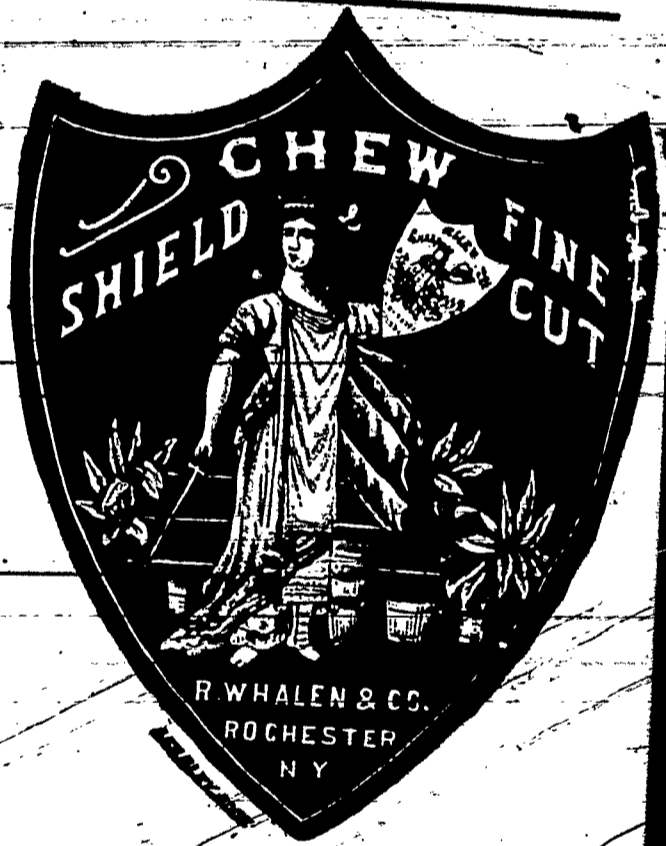
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