

LOCAL HAPPENINGS:

Many Items of Interest To Rochester Catholics

John Hirschman of 44 Colvt. street was drowned at the bay last Sunday.

W. Bell's playing mill on Cayuga Island suffered \$500 damage by fire early Sunday morning.

The will of Mary C. Cannon was admitted to probate Monday. She left \$25,000 to her son, Michael Cannon.

A. J. Galvin and George Hoher have been appointed train agents for the Charlotte road.

Patrick Clancy of Lindsay, Ont. and Miss Mary C. Egan of this city were married Monday at the Church of the Immaculate Conception by Rev. W. Atkinson.

Charles F. Mertz and Miss Annie Elizabeth Sheil were married at St. Patrick's church Wednesday by Rev. J. J. O'Connor.

Patrick J. Quinn and Ella Dalton were married at St. Mary's church Tuesday afternoon by Rev. O'Halloran.

The Knights of St. John the Baptist have decided to hold their annual convention at Glen Haven, Tuesday, June 21th.

The closing exercises at St. Patrick's parochial school will be held on Friday evening at Cathedral hall.

His Honor, Mayor Carroll, was one of the guests at the laying of the corner stone of the Sacred Heart chapel Monday.

Howard A. Taylor of New York defeated A. E. Wright, also of New York, in the Middle States tennis tournament held here last week.

The Merchant Tailors' Exchange has adopted resolutions condemning the clause in the Mc Kinley bill allowing a person to bring with him \$500 worth of clothing into the country free.

At the half-past 8 o'clock mass Monday morning, which was held in the present chapel of the Sacred Heart convent, Bishop McQuaid was celebrant, assisted by Fathers Kiernan and McGrath. After the services confirmation was administered by the bishop to seventeen children, who received their first communion two weeks ago. No invitations to attend the ceremony were issued and only the relatives of those confirmed were present.

C. L. Kirk of the firm of Weaver, Thomas & Kirk, manufacturers, has formed a copartnership with J. G. Grieb & Sons, the largest wholesale jobbers of robes and shoes in Philadelphia. A factory has been secured at Mt. Holly, N. J., and operations will begin at once.

Rev. Mother Pardow, who was formerly in charge of the Academy of the Sacred Heart in this city and who is now Mother Superior of the institution at Grosse Pointe, Mich. attended the ceremonies at the laying of the corner stone here Monday. She left for Grosse Pointe Thursday morning and was escorted to the train by Mayor Carroll.

The Church of the Most Holy Redeemer was the scene of a happy wedding Monday morning. The contracting parties were Miss Catherine Churchill and Lawrence A. Matt. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. C. Oberholzer, assisted by Revs. Jos. McGuire and H. Regenbogen. Miss Heil was well known in German circles in this city and Mr. Matt is a popular young man of Buffalo. The bride was led to the altar by Joseph F. Matt, brother of the groom. Otto A. Hoffman and Joseph F. Matt were best men. Father Oberholzer made a few remarks, touching upon the religious and efficient service of the bride as a member of the church choir. The wedding party consisted of Revs. Joseph Schell and John Holbert. A reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, 223 Madison street. The guests from out of town were the family at the groom's and Henry Miller, Thomas Lee, Frank Gallagher and Angus A. Kelly of Buffalo. The happy couple have gone on a western trip.

June 21th the closing exercises of the Academy of the Sisters of Mercy will be held.

James Sills of Port Hope, Ont. and Miss Bridget T. Moynihan of this city, were united in marriage at St. Mary's Monday.

Joseph J. Cameron, of Hornellsville, grand secretary of the P. M. B. A., was in the city this week.

Miss Mary A. Riley, who has been visiting relatives in Lockport, departed Wednesday for her home at Richfield Springs.

This week's deaths include: George Conway, 20 years old; Mrs. Margaret McComb, 20 Munge street, aged 38 years; Daniel Coffey, Emmett street, aged 27 years.

Another new member was received in Branch 129 Wednesday evening. This is the youngest branch in the city, but is increasing in its membership rapidly.

Mrs. W. H. McCarthy and children, of 15 Bartlett street, departed for the country Wednesday, to enjoy the bracing air of Richfield Springs and vicinity during the warm season.

St. Joseph's school will hold its annual picnic at Maple Grove, next Monday. A fine programme has been arranged. It will include a 50-yard dash, jumping contests, tug of war, polo vaulting, hammer throwing, sack and potato races, long distance throwing etc. A game of ball will be played by two clubs from the school—the Murrains and the Bryans. The judges will be Frank M. House, Lederer and John A. Mittle.

The Grand Jury scandal unfolded this week is a serious one. No doubt an attempt was made to influence that body in its action upon a certain case. Whoever the guilty may be, he or they should be punished to the extent of the law. Regarding the three jurors discharged from the grand jury, we doubt their intention to do anything wrong. They may and undoubtedly have been imprudent, but we are confident one of them, at least, had no intention of committing a deliberate wrong.

The following are the plans for the Ellwanger & Barry memorial pavilion to be erected in Highland park.

The general plan of the building is twelve sided, and sixty-four feet in diameter. The building will be three stories high, the third story being only partially covered by the roof. The structure will have no walls the upper story and roof being supported by rows of columns. Each floor is surrounded by a colonnade. The ground floor will be 116 feet above the level of the aqueduct, and the structure will be forty-five feet in height. It will be placed at a point 250 feet northeast of the northeast corner of the reservoir, and will be surrounded by a circular carriage concourse.

AT HOLY REDEEMER.

A Large Class Confirmed by the Rt. Rev. Bishop.

Last Sunday afternoon the Holy Redeemer church was filled to its utmost capacity to witness the confirmation of a large class.

At 1 o'clock the members of the class were in their appointed places in the center of the church. Shortly after the Rt. Rev. Bishop appeared, vested in cope and mitre. Turning to the congregation he addressed himself to them and the class, impressing upon them the importance of the sacrament about to be conferred and the necessity of receiving it in a proper spirit. The class and congregation then bowed their heads in prayer while the Bishop invoked the Holy Spirit. The class, numbering 200, marched up and were confirmed. They presented a pretty appearance, the girls being arrayed in white, with wreaths and carrying bouquets of flowers. Taken in all they made a splendid showing and were a credit to the parish, its pastor, and the good Sisters who prepared them.

After the confirmation, the Bishop addressed himself to those who had received the sacrament and admonished them to stand firm and steady to the end.

Among the priests present were the Very Rev. Mgr. De Reggio, Revs. F. Oberholzer and J. Staub of the Holy Redeemer, J. P. Schmitt and H. Regenbogen of St. Michael's, Dr. F. S. Sicuti of St. Peter and Paul's, H. Laurentz of Holy Family church, A. A. Notabaert of the Church of Our Lady of Victory, J. J. Leary of Corpus Christi.

As it was but two years ago that the Bishop confirmed a large class at the Holy Redeemer church, Sunday ceremony was especially noteworthy.

Obituary.

In the death of Mrs. Mary A. Bryan, which occurred at her home, 81 Kent street, on Thursday, the Cathedral parish loses a devoted member. The surviving members of the family, O. J. and J. A. and Misses Elizabeth and Mary Bryan, of this city, and Chas. V. and John L. Bryan, of Detroit, will have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

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Benevolence.
Mr. Ed. Connor of Oswego visited with his family for a few days last week.

Miss Mary McDonald of Latta visited with her brother, Terrence, last week.

Mr. E. C. O'Callahan of this village, who has been attending school at Harvard, has been elected manager of the Harvard freshmen crew.

The following are the names of the Catholic graduates at the Normal school of this village last Tuesday: Mary Kinsella of Trumansburg, Julia De McGraw of Angelica, Helen R. Carney of Le Roy, Mary Egan of Victor, Catherine Moran of Clyde, Margaret O'Scanlon of Le Roy, Margaret J. Carry of Clyde, and Wm. S. Long, L. C. Casanova, and Frank K. Tutley of East Java.

Baby Carriages.

At factory prices to clear out stock, "The Adams," 116 and 118 State street.

A Wealthy Oil Man.

The richest man among the guild of oil producers is John McKean, of Washington, Pa. At the time of the breaking out of the oil excitement on Oil Creek he landed at Castle Garden with no more of this world's goods than thousands of other immigrants. His first work in the country was as a day laborer, with a pick and shovel, grading seats for oil tanks near Petroleum Centre. He became a contractor and built derricks and tanks for oil producers. When oil was found in the great Bradford basin in McKean county he got hold of some property and entered the list of producers. He had amazing good fortune and after operating in Bradford for several years left McKean county a comparatively rich man. He also made a fortune in Butler county and then went to Washington county where he opened up a great oil bonanza. The biggest wells in that wonderful territory have been his and it times has come from his waters has been five times as fast as other wells. Mr. McKean puts on no airs, and might be mistaken any day about his wealth for one of his workmen. His wealth runs into the millions. The oil producer who ranks second to him in wealth is Thomas W. Phillips, of New Castle, Pa.—New York.

A Word About Globe Trotting.

For my part I protest against all this struggling and globe trotting. If there was any limit or end or any legitimate purpose to it, it might be tolerated. But there is not. It is simply a game to gratify vanity and nomadism. The same people who are doing all this struggling this year will be at it again next year or the year after at the outside, once the habit is formed they never stay at home, except for so long as suffices for necessary measures of financial retrenchment. Of course there is some use in travel, but it is restrictive to have seen the world and know what it is in. It gives the means of making comparisons, imparting culture and opens the eyes generally. But these contemporary tramps of ours have long since passed the stage of learning anything. Their notion of travel is to see as much of the world as possible, to see things in their way, but by this generalization inordinately pursued. I say they are a frivolous lot—our tramps that they try to disguise life, think by keeping perpetually on the go they succeed in evading the battle of work and life; the natural duty of every man to work and to earn his living, and the responsibilities that they have to share—STRENGTH.

Ruining Upon the Floor in Spades.

It would seem almost incredible that any one could suffer so much as does the one I have just described. It is equally difficult to conceive of one so stupid as to allow himself to suffer when this is not necessary. A lady, who wishes her name withheld for the present, living on Courtland street, has for years been an extreme sufferer from dyspepsia, the catarrh of the stomach. Each quart of food, each swallow of wine, produced such extreme pain that she could not eat or drink, and the doctor's commands or was, without effect, until one day she had a sudden spasm, and becoming unconscious, she was laid on a table in a large hall, distant from the street, and she lay there for hours, the agony increasing. She was then removed to the hospital, and after several days of treatment with the doctor's aid a very slight spasm again occurred, and she knew for the first time, although under the doctor's care for only a few days, the cause of her trouble. The doctor's treatment with the doctor's aid a very slight spasm again occurred, and she knew for the first time, although under the doctor's care for only a few days, the cause of her trouble. The doctor's treatment with the doctor's aid a very slight spasm again occurred, and she knew for the first time, although under the doctor's care for only a few days, the cause of her trouble.

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