

OUR CITY PARISHES.

NOTES JOTTED DOWN BY THE JOURNAL'S REPORTERS.

A New Parish Hall—Blessing of a Statue—Forty Hours Devotion—New Rector at St. Joseph's—Weddings, Deaths, Etc.—IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

The people of the Immaculate Conception church were agreeably informed on Sunday at the several masses by their zealous pastor, Father O'Hare, that owing to the large and increasing attendance at the parochial schools, averaging 700 daily, he felt the time had arrived when it was necessary to procure more commodious quarters, but in doing so felt that before incurring the necessary expense, he had plans prepared for a building which would not alone fulfill their requirements, but also have a hall in connection therewith, where the young men and women of the parish and their parents could assemble from time to time in social gatherings and cultivate a spirit of sociability, and be the medium of bringing them together. With this end in view, he has had the plans prepared for a hall capable of accommodating and seating 1,000 persons, the estimated cost being from \$25,000 to \$30,000. The Rev. gentleman dwelt in an able and forcible manner on the great existing necessity for such a place, and on a show of hands being taken only one person voted in the negative. The building will be commenced at an early date, and the structure will rank second to none in this diocese. The Rev. gentleman also eulogized his flock for the help they had afforded in the past, practically wiping away an indebtedness of \$35,000 within seven years, and purchasing a valuable property on Edinburg street. It is safe to say the matter will be a success, as Father O'Hare has the undivided support and implicit confidence of his flock.

St. Peter and Paul's.

The new and handsome statue representing St. Paul was blessed by Rev. Dr. Sinclair last Sunday evening. The members of St. Paul's Society were invited and a large number of them were present at the ceremony. The statue is a valuable addition to the group already in the church. It was made by a Tyrol artist after a model of Thorwaldsen, the most famous sculptor of this century, and the original is in the Royal Chapel in Copenhagen with the other Apostles, all made in marble. It was donated by Mr. Mathias Kendolf.

Louis Ertl and Miss Mary Shove were married on the 21st instant.

Mr. Menning Fleischmann and Miss Barbara Buchle were married Thursday morning at 1:30 at mass. Rev. Dr. Sinclair officiated at both ceremonies.

George Fleckenstein died last Monday, aged 47 years. He leaves a wife, and four children, Charles, Frank, Aba, and Maria, and two brothers, Valentine and Joseph, and one sister, Rose, who is in the Notre Dame convent at Baltimore. Mr. Fleckenstein was at one time one of the prominent men of the old 11th ward, but for several years he had resided out of the city. The funeral took place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Sinclair was celebrant of the mass and was assisted by Rev. Fathers Boppel and Miller. A large circle of friends sympathized with the surviving family.

The bowling contest was ended on Wednesday evening at the Y. M. C. C. rooms. The standing of the clubs is as follows:

Club	Won	Lost
Sterlings	6	3
Upper Tens	5	4
Monroes	4	5
Standards	3	6

The Standards started out as winners, but after winning the first three games they lost their grip and are now in last place. The members who win the pennant are: Kanech, captain; Voy, Mehle, Baumert, Reidman, Yawman, A. O. Dengler, F. Hargrether.

The funeral of Frank Kellerson took place last Sunday morning at 7:30 o'clock. The deceased leaves a wife and six children to mourn his loss. Deceased was 44 years of age and was a member of St. Paul's Society, Workmen's Society, and the A. O. U. W.

CORPUS CHRISTI.

Forty Hours Devotion opened on Sunday at 10:30 mass. Sunday evening there was a sermon by Rev. Edward Hanna, D. D., and Monday evening one by Rev. Father Harrington. Each evening the church was crowded. The Devotions closed on Wednesday morning.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Maggie Legler to Mr. D. McKinna.

Frances Florence Galvin died on Monday evening at the family residence, 200 North Union street, aged 2 years.

Frederick W. Armbruster will on Sunday start for Chicago to attend the World's Fair. He will be absent about two weeks.

St. Joseph's.

Among the transfers and appointments of Rev. Father Rectors and Superiors of the congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer in the Eastern Province of the United States and Canada, made last week, was that of Rev. Joseph Wirth, C. S. R., for the past year's rector of St. Joseph's church, to St. Michael's church, Baltimore, Md. Rev. August Pingl, one of the assistant priests at St. Joseph's church, is made rector of St. Bonifacius' church, Philadelphia. Father Wirth is succeeded by Rev. F. W. Wayrich; Father Pingl's successor is Rev. Seb. Briehof, recently of St. Alphonsus' church, Baltimore, Md. Fathers Wirth and Pingl left for the scene of their future labors on Tuesday of this week. The prayers and good wishes of the people for whose spiritual welfare both of the reverend gentlemen have so faithfully labored, accompany them to their new home; and many warm friends are left in other Rochester parishes. During their stay at St. Joseph's the beautiful parish hall was built and both priests took a warm interest in the Catholic Societies which met there. Father Pingl was the staunch friend of the Young Men's Association and spared no efforts to advance its welfare. Fathers Wayrich and Briehof will receive the cordial support of the congregation, and we trust their lot in Rochester will be a pleasant one.

CLERICAL TRANSFERS.

Rev. James Dougherty, who for the past few years has been doing excellent work in Stanley, is appointed pastor of St. Patrick's church in Danville.

Rev. John Hopkins, chaplain at St. Mary's Hospital, will succeed Father Dougherty as pastor of Stanley.

Rev. Thomas Rossiter, now at the Immaculate Conception, this city, will succeed Father Hopkins at St. Mary's Hospital.

Rev. James E. Hartley, who has officiated at Holy Rosary Mission Church since it was built and has also acted as an assistant at the Cathedral, has been appointed pastor of St. Ann's Church at Palmyra. He succeeds Rev. William Casey who, because of infirmities, has retired from active duties of the priesthood.

It gives us much pleasure to announce that the health of Rev. Wm. Casey is much better than it has been in some time past.

Bishop McQuaid's Work.

On Sunday, June 4th, our Rt. Rev. Bishop will administer Confirmation to a class at the Cathedral.

On Sunday, June 11th, Confirmation will be given at Victor and East Bloomfield.

June 6th, the parochial school children of the city will meet at Cathedral Hall and hold exercises in honor of the Bishop's silver jubilee.

Local.

Rev. J. J. Hartly has arrived home from his European tour.

Ex-Mayor William Carroll is mentioned as a possible Democratic postmaster.

A little infant son of Alfred and Catherine Montgomery died Saturday morning, May 20, aged 5 months, and was buried at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Michael J. Hendrick, of Union Springs, has received appointment to the consulate at Belleville, Ont. Mr. Hendrick is a brother of Rev. T. A. Hendrick, of this city, and Rev. J. W. Hendrick, of Livonia, and is a personal friend of Assistant Postmaster-General Robert A. Maxwell, of Batavia, and ex-Collector James Hanlon, of Medina.

The Knights of St. Eustace gave an interesting entertainment in Germania Hall Wednesday evening. In the exercises the following persons participated: Fred Mingee, Jr., Mrs. J. D. Vogt, Miss Amelia Vogt, John Klubertanz, C. O'Brien, F. M. Young, George W. Gaeb and Joseph Stadler. The committee having charge of the entertainment was M. Voeltinger, Alphonse Groh, J. J. Nunold, A. J. Heinze and John Kiester.

Edward M. Doran, aged 54 years, a member of Branch 93, C. M. B. A., died at his home, 53 Seward street, Tuesday. He leaves a wife and six children, Maurice J., John F., E. Theobald, Maggie, Minnie and Agnes Doran. The funeral took place on Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the house and at 9 o'clock from Immaculate Conception church.

Mrs. Ann Monaghan, widow of David Monaghan, died Tuesday at her home, 32 Emerson street, after a lingering illness. She leaves five sons—Charles J. and Peter Monaghan, of California, Joseph, of Chicago, Frank and David Monaghan, and one daughter, Minnie Monaghan of this city. Her other immediate relatives are three brothers, P. Frank, John and Peter Quinn, and two sisters, Mrs. P. Judge and Miss B. Quinn, all of this city. The funeral took place on Friday morning at 8:30 from the house and from St. Patrick's Cathedral at 9 o'clock.

SILVER JUBILEE.

Its Observance by the R. C. C. C.

Monday evening last the Rochester Catholic Reading Circle held exercises in honor of our Rt. Rev. Bishop's silver jubilee.

With the assistance of Prof. W. Pabst, director, and Misses Taylor and O'Loughlin, accompanists, the following excellent literary and musical programme was given: "May Angela Guard Thy Way," ladies' chorus; solo, "O Loving Heart," Miss Cook; recitation, Miss Leary; solo, "Ave Maria," Mrs. J. B. O'Connor; solo, "Approach of Spring," Mrs. C. E. Cunningham; vocal duet, "Calm as the Night," the Misses O'Connor; "I waited for the Lord," ladies' chorus. The programmes were appropriately printed in silver. After the final number had been given, Mrs. M. C. Mahon addressed Bishop McQuaid in appropriate words, to which the Rt. Rev. Bishop responded as follows:

"It is easy for me to respond to this cheerful address by the kind lady, as it speaks to my heart and to my feelings. I have dreaded this anniversary, because my humility cannot be spared. In my people I find my glory; I find the kind regards and affectionate love in so many that have grown up to womanhood since I came to Rochester.

"This seems to say that my labors have not been in vain. I know that you are beautiful Christian women. I am glad also to know that you adorn your Christian homes with those virtues that befit you. You are gentle of heart and pious of soul. The intellect the good Lord has given you does not lie fallow and uncared for.

"I have one consolation in the weeks that are to come. It is not only the silver jubilee of the Bishop, but the silver jubilee of the Diocese of Rochester, and the silver jubilee of good work will be done by Christian people. I have fair knowledge of what is being done elsewhere and I am not ashamed to compare with it what is being done by the people here. In these years, when I have been presiding over the children, much success has been attained. This success is due mostly to priests and opportunities. What could I have done, what could any bishop have done, with a slow, half-believing people? I have known bishops, excellent and capable men, but when thrown on some narrow plane with no help, what could they do but watch and pray?

"There was no need for watching here, with such good help from my priests. Here in this assembly I find what gives my heart so much pride. The people of Rochester are a zealous, a God loving people. I am glad to be here, for this little entertainment gives me an idea of your literary labors of the past season. This is what gives joy to my heart. When I am called to my last resting place and an abler man comes in, you will still be here to help and to aid him.

"This very morning, long before any of you, I presume, were up, I arose and sitting at my desk wrote, the early dawn guiding my pen, a letter to you, which I will soon read from the pulpit. In it I took occasion to say that I could permit no public parade, procession or banquet; but to meet the orphans, school children and our parishioners, these are the things that I care for, the ones whose hearts are near my own. It will always be a pleasure to meet you, as it is a pleasure for you to meet me.

"I ring out the call for St. Bernard's Seminary, the monument of the diocese. I ring the call without a blush, without a moment's hesitation, for it is to guarantee the stability, honor and glory of this church of Rochester. I could invite to its shelter, care and teaching, the children of the wealthiest families of this diocese. I could call upon them to come into its walls and find all the appliances to build them up spiritually, mentally and physically, and they would feel that they were in a house of education, and in coming out they would feel that it was their alma mater, the place of training for the priesthood. Next September I will bring within its walls five young men who have been thoroughly trained abroad, and thoroughly competent to go on with its work. I will pass away, but this work, I might say, will not in ages pass away. With that sacred spot on one side consecrated with the ashes of so many saints gone from earth, and cared for by the living, it will stand there as a grand monument. In the years to come you will remember the words of the old bishop and the joy of his soul when he spoke of the work of religion for your children, and those that come after you.

"I thank you for this kind expression of affection from your hearts, and for this kind reception."

Not only pie but cake, bread, crackers and all other baked goods of superior quality sold at the Calross Bakeseries, 30 and 499 State street.

Ice Cream and Strawberries in the Tea Room.

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Every day plans for summer are being matured. Now you know pretty nearly what you need for your home-stay and for the vacation trip or outing.

Straw Mattings.

Pictures of the summer cottage already fit before the eye. No doubt they are marred by the knowledge that floors are bare. Something necessary; allow us to suggest mattings—China or Japanese, always cool, always clean; costs but little, anywhere from 15c to 50c a yard.

Tea Room

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Dress Goods.

A combination of circumstances of little interest to the public except in effects produced, has made it possible for us to place on the counters the choicest line of dress fabrics at the lowest prices we have known in years, as this list shows;

Half-wool mixtures in desirable weights and colorings, at 12½c. A few more pieces of those beiges at 15c.

Twelve styles in large double-checked poplins, majority in bright summer colorings, regular 40c fabric, for 25c.

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50-inch diagonals, in light and dark colors, 41 weaves, for 59c.

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Domestic challies, in bright pretty patterns at 10 and 12½c, dark colors at 17c and 21c. All our 50c all-wool French challies are now marked 54c.

The best for the last; all-wool mixtures in summer colors and close copies in weave of the expensive hopsackings, actually worth 50c but selling for 29c.

Books.

No comments are needed when names of such well-known authors follow titles.

"The Tragedy of Wild River Valley," by Martha Finley, author of "The Elsie Books."

"Twenty Minutes Late," by Pansy.

"Mr. Tommy Dove and other Stories," by Margaret Deland.

"A Cathedral Courtship and Penelope's English Experiences," by Kate Douglass Wiggin.

"Little Paul and the Frisbie School," by Margaret Sidney.

"Sally Dows," and other stories, by Brete Hart.

Hammocks.

Swing low or high, always just the right motion to those hammocks you find down in the basement; regular care-away-drivers and sleep-coaxers, and only cost a trifle, anywhere from 65c up.

Parasols.

If you don't want to be tempted keep away from that parasol section; looking means coveting; but then it's no sin to covet when they're there to buy. All the pretty combinations of silk and lace conceivable are found in those sunshades of this season.

Men's Furnishings.

Not in one day or a dozen could justice be done to that assortment of summer neckwear—wash ties in large and small band bows, shield bows, four-in-hands, straight and with flowing ends, club ties and puffs in white and all the refined shades to harmonize with summer suitings and negligé shirt patterns.

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Scotch traveling shawls, warm and comfortable, and extra value at \$4, \$4.89, \$5, \$6 and \$6.50.

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The Ellwood Park Company was incorporated under the Laws of New York, in October, 1892. Its purpose is to build a residence suburb in the vicinity of Buffalo, there being a demand for such a suburb with a certainty of large profits to the company undertaking the work.

The authorized capital was fixed at \$250,000, this being considered the least amount under which such a work could be successfully accomplished.

The capital is divided into 2,500 shares of \$100 each, to be FULL PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE, all of the same class, and shareholders will have NO PERSONAL LIABILITY.

The site selected for the proposed suburb is just north and west of Main street, and on the Niagara Falls and Lockport Branch of the Erie Railroad.

This land lies high and dry, is in the DIRECTION OF THE CITY'S SURE AND BEST GROWTH, and is easily reached both from the city and Tonawanda.

A RAILROAD STATION IS NOW BUILT, and a dozen passenger trains a day each way will furnish rapid and cheap transportation to the great working districts of East Buffalo and Tonawanda.

The Company has now secured perfect title to seventy-two acres of this valuable land, for which it paid \$2,045 per acre. This price included all the cost of organization, attorney and incorporation fees, expense of selling the shares, etc.

There are more than 500 lots with an average of thirty-five feet front and 140 feet deep.

The property lies nearest to the station, and in the entire tract, which will be known as Ellwood Park, there are from thirty to fifty other owners, land companies and individuals, who will co-operate in the building of a suburb.

The policy of this Company is to PAY OFF ALL MORTGAGES on the property, as this is considered much safer and saves interest.

After the mortgages are paid, now amounting to about \$50,000, the proceeds from the sale of shares will be used for the improvement of the property and the building of houses.

It is expected within one year to have not less than fifty houses in course of construction. This will insure success and greatly increase the value of lots. These lots will sell first and last at an average of not less than \$20 per foot front, which, with the profits on houses built, will return THREE DOLLARS FOR EVERY DOLLAR INVESTED.

Adjoining lots in the Ellwood Park District are now selling rapidly at \$15 per foot front.

Electric lines to connect with suburban lines now building between Buffalo and Tonawanda are being planned, and will be built as soon as it is practical to complete such work.

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With a 4-hole range, the price of which is \$28 00

Is given 15,000 cu. ft. of gas, which at \$1.00

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Making a total value of \$43.00

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