

DIOCESAN NEWS.

From Our Special Correspondents.

Greene.

Wm. W. Fetzner and wife, of Rochester, spent Sunday here.

Owing to the fine weather Sunday the drive was extremely large on the Ridge road here.

Dr. Wallie B. Hillman has bought a very fine horse of John O'Connor, of this place.

Peter Knipper, who recently rented the blacksmith shop, formerly occupied by A. Fetzner, is doing a rushing business.

Genesee.

Barney McGinney has been quite sick, but is recovering.

Miss Mary Hickey visited her parents in Weedsport this week.

Miss Hattie Gibbons spent Sunday in Fowlerville with her parents.

We had about fourteen inches of the "beautiful snow" here Wednesday.

Miss Mary Courtney left last week to accept a position as teacher in a district school near Lima.

John O'Leary, of Buffalo, was in town on Monday.

Miss Mary Higgins was the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. O'Brien, in Avon, this week.

Miss Elizabeth O'Grady, of Webster, was home this week on a vacation.

Miss Hannah O'Leary, who has been at St. Paul, Minn., for the past eight or nine months, arrived home on Saturday last. A party was given to Miss O'Leary on Monday evening, and about thirty couples were present.

Mrs. J. L. Kelly spent a few days last week with her parents in Avon.

Martin O'Meara is going into business for himself, and will open a cigar store in the Killip Block. His many friends wish him success.

Miss Lizzie Kelly is on the sick list.

On Sunday last a meeting was called of the St. Mary's Catholic Total Abstinence Association for organization at the rooms of the C. M. B. A., and the following officers and committees were elected for the ensuing year: Chaplain and director, Rev. J. A. Hickey; president, Frederick Thompson; vice president, James Hosen; secretary, William Conroy; corresponding secretary, J. A. Burns; treasurer, Peter O'Raghrig; trustees, Michael Manion, Edward Conlin, C. O. O'Brien; committee on constitution and by-laws, Rev. J. A. Hickey, Michael Manion, William Hoston, Wm. Quirk, J. J. O'Brien; committee on rooms, John Toole, J. E. Kelly, J. A. O'Hara. About forty members were present, and several new members will be added this week.

Newark.

Thomas Roche, of Rochester, was in town on business Monday.

Miss Ogan, of Danville, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Minnie Farrell, of Buffalo, is spending a few weeks at her home here.

Ray Tournier, of Mansfield, formerly of this place, has a position in the Gazette office.

Several from here attended the funeral of Edward Miles in Lyons, Tuesday.

Cans are now being made at the factory of the Wayne County Preserving Company.

At about eight o'clock last Friday evening an alarm of fire was given. It proved to be the Van Dusen evaporator just east of the Northern Central Railway. The building was totally destroyed. The loss was about \$1,000 with no insurance.

The college students returned on Monday last, after a brief vacation. "The Burglar" was played last Saturday night in Sherman Opera House. Little Editha, the six year old girl was greatly admired by the audience.

Canandaigua.

Two very pleasing weddings took place at St. Mary's Church, Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Lawrence Smith and Miss Ida Wynants were married at three o'clock. The bride wore a very light shade of lavender silk; the bridesmaid's dress was of the same shade.

Mary Cuddy and Mr. James Flynn were respectively bridesmaid and groomsmen. Shortly after this bridal party left the church, Mr. Thos. O'Brien and Miss Catherine Morris were then married. The bride wore a pearl gray dress, and the bridesmaid old rose. The bridesmaid was Miss Mary Long; the groomsmen Mr. P. Turner.

Father English has an Assistant. The congregation of St. Mary's Church in this village were highly gratified when it became generally known that the Rev. Father Thomas E. O'Brien of Rochester, had been regularly appointed assistant to Father English in this village. Father O'Brien has assisted at St. Mary's Church during the recent Lenten season, and his pleasant face and eloquent voice made him very

popular with the congregation.

Father O'Brien was born at Rochester, N. Y., in 1883. He graduated from St. Andrew's Preparatory Seminary in that city, and afterwards from St. Joseph's Theological seminary at Troy, N. Y. His first mission was as assistant to Father Seymour, at Auburn, where he also had the spiritual care of the Catholic portion of the State prison. After a time he was compelled to relinquish his charge, on account of impaired health, and leaving Auburn he went to the Peoria, Illinois, diocese, where he stayed two and a half years. He recently returned to Rochester.

St. Mary's congregation has long felt the want of an assistant for Father English, for while time has touched the good priest with a gentle hand, yet it is apparent that the increasing cares of the large congregation are too many and too onerous for his strength. The assistance of Father O'Brien will afford him a well deserved relief.—*Canandaigua Paper*

Caledonia.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Andrew Connor Jr. and Miss Mary Connor for April 18.

Mr. Peter Kregle and Miss Jennie Taffo of Mumford were married last Wednesday at St. Columba's church.

M. J. Lee sold out his livery business Tuesday, and has rented the store owned by P. Coffey. He will take possession May 1st.

Honolulu Falls.

Mrs. James Conklin died at her home in Mendon on Friday April 8th. By her death three small children are left motherless. Her funeral was held from St. Paul's Church on Sunday afternoon. Father Clancy officiating.

The forty hours devotion was held at St. Joseph's church East Rust, during the past week.

Avon.

A very pretty church wedding took place Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at St. Agnes' Church. Rev. Thomas A. Hendrick officiating. The contracting parties were William Laverty and Miss Julia McManus, both of this place. Thomas Gibbons was best man and Miss Laverty of Rochester, a sister of the groom, was bridesmaid.

The bride was dressed in cream white cashmere and carried a large bunch of white flowers. The bridesmaid was dressed in light blue silk and carried pink roses. The wedding party entered the church to Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." A reception was held at the bride's home Tuesday afternoon.

Lyons.

The new pottery of Lyons has once more begun operations with a full force of employees.

Sad indeed was the news that Edward Miles had passed from our midst. His death has cast a gloom over the homes of his parents and many friends.

He had not been feeling well since last December, and with the effects of the grippe still clinging to him, he was unable to withstand the attack of malaria and typhoid fever, and six weeks ago took to his bed, from which he never arose.

Although surrounded by every comfort and attended by the best nurses and physicians, their efforts were all in vain, and last Saturday at 10:16 p. m. he passed away as quietly and peacefully as if he was falling asleep.

Ed was assistant yardmaster of the N. Y. Central railroad, was a general favorite with all with whom he came in contact, and proved himself a loving son, a kind and affectionate brother, and a true friend.

The funeral which was held Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock at St. Michael's Church was largely attended. The Tucker House Co. No. 4, of which he was a member turned out, and have draped the engine house in mourning, in honor of his memory.

Besides hosts of friends he leaves to mourn his loss, a father, mother, two brothers and two sisters, who have the sympathy of the entire community in their great affliction.

The floral tributes were costly and beautiful, among the handsomest pieces were: The Gates Ajar, a broken column and a printer's stick.

Among those from out of town who were in attendance at the funeral were: Mr. Barry and daughter Birdie, Miss Ellen Barry and Miss Harvey of Syracuse, Mrs. Howe and daughter Maggie, and James McGovern of Rochester, Mrs. McGovern of Utica, D. F. Driscoll of New York, Thomas McNamara of Buffalo and the Misses Denning and Gray of Newark, Clifton Springs.

Dr. and Mrs. Foster returned on Friday morning, after spending the winter in Florida.

Born, to Stephen Malone and wife, on April 5th a son.

The marriage of Mr. Gregory Lindner and Miss Susie Congrove was solemnized, on Tuesday afternoon, at four o'clock, at St. Agnes' church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. Leo assisted by Rev. A. M. O'Neill of Phelps. George Lindner, cousin of the groom, acted as groomsmen, and Miss Minnie O'Brien

as bridesmaid. The bride was very becomingly gowned, and is one of our most charming young ladies. The happy couple left on the 4:30 train for the west, amid a shower of rice. They will be at home after April 17th on Telt Ave. Auburn.

"Molly Bawn" was presented, at the Burtis Opera House Tuesday night by the Holy Family Temperance Society. The play although in the hands of amateurs was well handled and pleased the large audience present. "Molly Bawn" was personated by Miss Mayne Cummings, of Syracuse, who carried the part through with a flow and Miss Anna L. Hughes, as the widow Bawn, was equally as pleasing assuming the character in a most natural style and winning many plaudits during the evening. The young men who filled the remainder of the cast were all good, showing by their ease on the stage the careful training they had undergone. William Quinn, as Patrick O'Farrell, the villain, and John Hickey as Morgan his associate and slave in villainy, were especially fine. The former, without a doubt, being the most capable man on the stage. James White, as Mr. Grip, the naturally ungrateful American, and George Lee as Terry Desmond, Molly's lover, were both deserving of special mention. James Murry, as the officer, and John Mullen, the Magistrate, although having light parts, were well up to the standard. The latter making one of the best falls ever made on the Burtis stage. The members of the temperance society are talking of producing the play in some of the out lying villages in the near future. They are surely deserving of the most liberal patronage.

The young ladies of St. Mary's church gave a musical and literary entertainment in the gymnasium last night. The affair was a decided success and reflects much credit upon the participants and the sisters who had the charge. A delightful evening. The Country Club's visit to the City, as reported by five young ladies, each of whom deserved the liberal applause accorded. The group, composed of little boys from the Auburn orphan asylum was one of the leading features of the evening. The little fellows are drilled in line, shape and can render pleasing and fairly difficult music with perfect expression and time.

A large sum was realized which will be given to the St. Vincent de Paul society for the poor of the congregation.

Martin A. Reardon, of this city, a line man employed by the Western Union with a tragic death in Syracuse Monday morning. He was working on a six story building and falling from that to another building, the plank on which he was walking snapped and hurled him to the pavement below killing him instantly. He was brought to this city and his funeral held from the residence of his mother Mrs. Owen Reardon in Walnut street at 9 o'clock and from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Waterville.

Miss Quaid of Auburn visited at the residence of Martin E. Malony Jr., for a few days.

Mrs. John Finn died at her late residence on Elizabeth St. Wednesday afternoon. She leaves a husband and two daughters to mourn her loss, the funeral was held from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock Friday morning.

William Gibbon of the firm of Gibbon & Hull who for the past few days was ill, is some what improved.

Joseph Brooks has been in New York on business for a few days.

Miss Anna Gibson of Rochester visited friends in town on Sunday.

William Brown and wife have returned from Denver Colorado and will take up their residence in Fayette, Seneca Co., N. Y.

St. Morris.

Miss Katie Kingston of Canaseraga was a guest of Annie Kingston of this place last week.

Miss Margaret and Mollie Shefflin spent Sunday at their home in Moscow.

The Post Office has been removed from the old block, and placed in Village Hall and the new post master Mr. N. A. Seymour has taken possession.

David Curran and wife, Elmina spent last week with his sister Mrs. Cannon of Sonoma.

Mr. Frank Hannigan who came home to attend the funeral of his mother returned to Chicago Sunday Eve.

Livonia.

Snow foot and a half on the level.

Mrs. T. R. Perl is seriously sick.

Charles Clancy and Miss Maria Martin were married Monday morning, and Frank Snyder and Alice Kerwin, on Wednesday, at St. Michael's Church, by the Rev. J. W. Hendricks.

The little child of Peter Murphy, Jr., who was injured at school, while at play, were glad to hear he is recovering.

Martin Kinney has bought the Joel Stone homestead farm. Consideration \$8000.

John Perl, Jr. has gone to Rochester to take charge of the blacksmithing department of one of the largest boarding and sale stables in the country.

Cut This Out.

World's Fair Coupon.

Art Series.

FOR ONE COUPON.

And Ten Cents, mailed to us or presented at our office, you will receive one part of our beautiful

Photographic Views

OF THE

World's Fair

AND

Midway Plaisance.

Consisting of over 50 entirely different and distinct views.

Persons sending coupons and money by mail should be careful to write their addresses plain. No extra charge for mailing single copies.

FOUR PARTS NOW READY.

The entire collection of 220 Views can be secured for 50 cents, without coupons.

Sixteen cents is required for mailing the four copies, bound.

Nunda.

Miss Kate Rotchford has gone to Colorado.

Patrick Daly and family have moved to Castle, N. Y.

Mr. Ora Fuller has gone to Buffalo to reside.

Mr. C. T. Daggett has returned from the Jackson Sanatorium at Danville, not much improved in health.

Arthur Deeming's Minstrels will be at the Academy of Music April 30th.

An effort is being made to have Rev. Father Hickey of Moravia N. Y. deliver his lecture on "Ireland" here in the near future.

Mr. W. M. Campbell, the singer has returned from New York. He is arranging for a concert to be given here shortly in which such distinguished artists as John Francis Gildea, composer and pianist of Boston, and Master Charles McMan, boy soprano, of New York will take part.

Amusements.

COOK OPERA HOUSE.

Commencing Monday Matinee April 16th The Wilbur Opera Company will inaugurate their fourth and last week at the Cook Opera House producing Nellwynne, both matinee and evening performances, Tuesday evening Falsa, Wednesday Matinee and evening, Thursday Matinee and evening, Indiana, Friday evening Dorothy, Saturday, matinee Bohemian Girl, Saturday evening Royal Middy. Crowded houses will be the rule all week long without saying as each individual member of this talented organization has on other particular following and they will be the best of the season.

Matinees as usual will be given on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

The Bowry will be given as a special attraction at every performance.

Academy.

The patrons of the Academy of Music will be sure to be pleased with the promised presentation of the popular play "The Burglar" all of next week.

"The Burglar" is one of those charming stage pictures, the like of which is too seldom offered now-a-days. The play combines pathos and such other elements as an audience regard with more than ordinary favor. It is because of its power to command a sympathetic response from all parts of the theatre that "The Burglar" is today one of the most substantial successes known.

The leading lady of the company playing the piece is Miss Ruth Macauley, a clever young lady who was proficient reader and elocutionist in society circles. She has marked ability and will no doubt do her native town honor.

THE WONDERLAND MUSEE THEATRE.

A surprisingly good combination bill, and one that is certain to give enjoyment to all high lovers of high class specialties and clean Vaudeville performances, has been selected for the coming week.

One of the features, and one that should be met with considerable enthusiasm is that of Mr. H. Barber, the "Great Cyclist," whose act is too well known in Rochester, and needs no explanation or eulogizing.

The big novelty act which will attract its share of attention, is that of Conway & Leland, the Monopodes, or the one-legged acrobats. Then there will be that funny Juggler, Horgan.

Bessie Gilbert, America's female cornet soloist, the only lady in the world who can compare with Leroy.

Vernon and Hawthorne in their comedy "Our Aristocrats." In the lecture hall Nicola Cordana known under the sobriquet of the One Man Band, will prove his claim to the title.

Robert Dietrick will hold down another stage with his spirit cabinet act, which always proves an interesting act. There will also be an orchestra of music to please the visitors. With all these novelties and features the Wonderland should have her share of spectators for the coming week.

Four performances are given daily at this popular house, in afternoon and evening.

To Subscribers.

We desire a correspondent in all parishes in the diocese. If you do not see any news from your parish and would like to act as a special correspondent, write us, and make the necessary arrangements. We want all the interesting Catholic news, up to the time of going to press.

Get Your Art Series Bound.

We will take orders for binding the complete set (4 numbers) for 75 cents and upwards. Prices according to grade. Sample may be seen at our office.

Special Notice.

For the benefit of quite a number of our readers, we will state that should they choose to send in 4 coupons with 10 cts. for each part, all at one time, they can do so, and the four parts will be mailed them.

Conflicting Emotions.

She looked upon the pale, slender youth kneeling before her and was moved to pity. There was tender sympathy in her bearing as she told him she could never be his wife. He heard her answer with a bowed head. "May I," he asked simply when she had spoken, "propound to you one other question before I rise from my knees?" "Yes." His glittering eyes were fastened upon her face now. "Have you—any corns, bunions, or inverted nails?" She shrieked as it dawned upon her that after all he was a chiropodist. When he strode away forever the snow crushed beneath his feet with a merry sound.

A Culpable Cook.

In a convent where Cardinal Manning—the thinnest of mortals—honored with a visit, there was a cook who begged and prayed for the blessing of the cardinal, and brought in, knelt down before him and received his blessing; whereupon she looked up at him and said: "May the Lord preserve your empanada, and oh, may God forgive your cook."

MGR. DE REGGE.

(Continued from last page.)

tribute to the prayers of the orphans.

Next came the distribution of the individual presents to the orphans. The number and variety of these gifts was simply astounding. Nothing that the ingenuity of man has devised seemed to be wanting to the rare and unrivalled collection made by Mgr. DeRegge. The hearts of the little ones were gladdened, and their joy found expression in a beautiful and touching address to their kindest benefactor. Mgr. DeRegge made a pathetic and truly eloquent response. He enlarged on the parental relation and the consolation that the holy Church affords the orphan in its doctrine of spiritual paternity.

Father DeRegge is a great lover of music and, indeed, of all the fine arts. The Orphan Boys' Band played their choicest selections, and Mgr. DeRegge was so pleased with the excellency of their execution that he expressed a wish to become their honorary President. The invocation or hymn to St. Joseph was excellently rendered by the chorus composed of the orphan boys and girls. The students of St. Andrews Seminary were in attendance. It has afforded them an object lesson in charity.

It is a common thing to hear the duty of doing good work inculcated in an abstract manner; it is not so common to see the subject treated in the way that Mgr. DeRegge is accustomed to handle it. Mgr. DeRegge is filled with the conviction and invariably acts upon it that example teaches much better than precept.

May the prayer of the orphans long avail to prolong the life of Mgr. DeRegge and enable him to discharge his duties as beloved President of St. Andrews Seminary, the worthy Chancellor of the Rochester Diocese, the great exemplar of a true friend, the generous benefactor of the poor and the homeless.

VERY REV. FATHER.—Yesterday the sun, shone with all his radiance and cast his ever resplendent rays upon the palm branches. Birds sang with all their accustomed sweetness. Soft blew the winds. Ten o'clock sawing zephyrs what message bring you in St. Patrick's Home? And they replied: Tomorrow will be a day of joy. We herald a visit of one who has ever been a friend to you, who brings joy and happiness. God loves and blesses the cheerful giver accept from those little ones to whom you have been a helping hand and friend the love and prayers which they offer you on this glad occasion. Your kind and generous heart has spoken often and your generosity has been seen upon numerous occasions. We thank you kind Father for your interest on our behalf. We shall continue to pray for you the future as we have in the past and that prayer will be that Joy and Happiness may be yours.

May long years be yours as the Bishop's Chancellor tried and true.

The address was well delivered and the Rev. Father listened attentively to its every word. He was visibly affected by its kind words, wishes, and promises.

A little while ago one of you, a wise little girl addressed me as Father and I think I have justly the right to call you my children. It is now 31 years since I paid my first visit to St. Patrick's Asylum Sister James can vouch for the correctness of my statement. I used to collect all the pennies which I could and give them to the Asylum. My dear children, I did it with cheerfulness, for as a young priest just commencing my pastorate in America, I knew what the little Orphan could do at the throne of God. The Bishop had assigned me to the French church. I had many trials and difficulties with which to contend. The church had been in existence for 14 years and in this time it had 14 different priests at its head, a priest every year. I was the first to stand by them. They were poor but they each had a rich heart. They knew how to pray, and that was sufficient for me. They loved the Blessed Virgin and St. Joseph. They could not beseech these in vain. I did not come to them to gather money. I had no pride. My pride is to be a child of God, to be his instrument to bring souls to Heaven with him. Whom have they to assist them in this? They have the prayers of the little orphans. How many times have I visited the little girls of St. Patrick's asylum? They have ever been dear to me, and the boys too. I have always visited them when possible, when I did not go, the reason was because I could not reach them. And did I not always sweeten your voices by candies? My dear children, the blessings of Heaven came down upon me, and it is all your fault. I thank you with all my heart. I have always been your friend.

Trusses at Cut Prices.

The Duke Drug Co. will for the next sixty days sell you a truss and fit same for 15. Don't buy until you call on us.

Cook Opera House.

Jess Burns, Manager.

People's Popular Prices Prevail, Week of April 16th, 17th and Positively Last Week.

WILBUR OPERA CO. and Susie Kirwin.

STANDING ROOM EVERY PERFORMANCE.

Monday Mat., and night—NELL GWYNNE, Tuesday night—FALSA, Wed. Mat., and night, Thursday Mat. and night—INDIANA GIRL, Sat. night—ROYAL MIDDY, Next Week—The Diamond Breaker.

Academy of Music.

L. C. COOK, Manager.

Matinees Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 25c.

WEEK COMMENCING APRIL 16

The greatest of American plays as

produced at the Madison

Square Theatre.

The Burglar

A Drama of Intermingled laughter and tears, presented with a great cast, including

THE TALENTED YOUNG ACTOR

MR. HORACE MITCHELL,

And the leading emotional actress

MISS RUTH MACAULEY,

Next attraction Davis's Uncle Tom's Cabin.

WONDERLAND

MUSEE THEATRE.

J. H. MOORE, Proprietor.

L. E. McFADDEN, Manager.

ALL WEEK COMMENCING MON. APRIL 16.

The Greatest of the Great.

CONWAY and LELAND,

MONOPEDES.

One Legged Acrobats.

The Clever HARRIGAN, the "Bum Juggler," "O'Pretty Good," A Marvel.

BESSIE GILBERT, Cornetist Superior. None can equal.

The Great BARBER, World's Champion Truck Bicycleist. Rochester's own.

The Artistic Duo, VERNON and HAWTHORNE, "Our Aristocrats."

In the Cario.

CORDANA, One Man Band.

DIEDRICK, Spiritualistic Cabinet.

Grandest Specialty Company Rochester has Ever Seen.

PERFORMANCES DAILY, 6

Afternoon, 3.15 and 4. Evening, 8 & 9.15

10c. Admit Always, 10c.

Never Changing.

TO LOOK AROUND BEFORE YOU BUY.

Every lady and every man that comes into our Mammoth Credit House, tell us that we have the largest and finest stock of Spring goods in Rochester.

SEE OUR Nobly Capes for \$1.95 up, Stylish Jackets for \$2.50, Elegant Tailor-Made Dresses from \$7.50 up, Silks, Waists, Millinery, Mens and Boys Suits and Overcoats at 10 per cent less than any house in town.

U-CAN Get anything you want of us on our Famous Easy Weekly Payment Plan.

Hogan Bros

235 E. Main st., opp. Musee

Open Also Evenings.

WOULDN'T WORK BOTH WAYS.

A Poor Joke Played by a Pittsburgh Man and its Sequel.

Some people have a poor