

CITY PARISH NEWS

What is Going on in the Various Parishes.

CATHEDRAL

The funeral of the late Julia A. McCall, wife of Oliver Nicoll, took place Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the residence of her sister, Mrs. H. P. Millington, 85 Platt street, and at 9 o'clock from the church. A large congregation was present, and solemn requiem mass was conducted by Rev. Father Brophy. The music of the mass was sung by the choir under the leadership of Prof. Bonn. The last absolutions were pronounced by Father Brophy, after which the casket was lifted from the catafalque in front of the sanctuary by the bearers, William Banson, John Bryson, Morris Doran, Charles Davis, Frank Palmer and John O'Brien. The burial took place at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Mgr. De Reggo has returned after several months' absence in Belgium, his native home. We welcome him back, the friend of the afflicted.

Miss Rose M. McArthur, a graduate of Nazareth convent, has returned home after spending the summer at Avon Springs.

CORPUS CHRISTI

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hynes, who died on the 19th inst., took place on Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the residence of Police Officer Hynes, 50 Woodward avenue, and at 9 o'clock from the church. Solemn high mass was sung by Father Leary. The floral offerings were many and extremely beautiful. They included offerings from Chief of Police J. P. Cleary, Assistant Chief Hayden, Capt. McDermott, T. A. Whittle, Mr. and Mrs. T. Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Asst. Mrs. Kittell, Mr. and Mrs. Cavanaugh, O. A. Matthews, H. Bareham and many other friends. The bearers were T. Whitley, Mr. Rapp, and Officers Frank, Canfield, Cummings and Williamson.

SS. PETER AND PAUL'S

Ellie Kittie, daughter of David and Rosa Klein, died Thursday morning at the family residence, 32 Hawley street, aged 5 years. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house and at 2:30 o'clock from the church.

Albert Hahling died last Thursday morning at his home, 78 Campbell street, aged 74 years and 3 months. Besides his wife he leaves one son, John Hahling, and five daughters, Mrs. Charles Finzer, Mrs. Joseph Wolff, Mrs. Edward Wischmeyer, Mrs. Charles Spahn and Miss Barbara Hahling. The funeral took place this (Saturday) morning at 8:30 from the house, and at 9 o'clock from the church.

ST. JOSEPH'S

The funeral of Amelia Rauber, who died last Monday, took place Thursday morning at 8 from the residence of her parents, 14 Charlotte street, and at 9 o'clock from the church.

The Young Ladies Auxiliary of this church are making great preparations for their second grand entertainment, to be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week. On Monday Rosa von Tannenburgh will be presented, and on Tuesday and Wednesday, Marie Stuart, Queen of Scots. The costumes for both plays are said to be very elaborate. The Y. M. I. will act as ushers for the three evenings.

OUR LADY OF VICTORY

Last Sunday evening Rev. A. A. Notabart lectured on "Lourdes and Modern Miracles." The church was crowded to overflowing. Every available space, even in the sanctuary, was occupied by additional seats. Father Notabart has visited Lourdes several times, and during his recent trip to Europe he spent a week before the shrine. Lourdes is a small town located in the lower Pyrenees in France. It is now known all over the world through the eighteen apparitions of the Virgin Mary Bernadette Soubirous, a young maiden of 14 years, and through the many miraculous cures that have occurred in the last few years. The lecturer said the apparitions are not a legend or a fairy tale. With the wisdom that is characteristic of the Catholic church, Rome has examined carefully into these apparitions, and has given its doctrinal sanction, and no person need hesitate in believing the visions and using the water of the miraculous fountain for the restoration of health. Rome is not in need of additional proofs of its faith, but for the sake of truth and for the comfort of the members of the church it has condescended to receive all documents connected with the history of the miracle of Lourdes and has pronounced it to be merely a corroboration of the belief of the church of Rome.

The lecturer gave a clear explanation of the definition of miracles and said: "He who has made the laws of nature can suspend them when in His wisdom He deems it advisable." The

narration of the eighteen apparitions was listened to with marked interest. The lecturer then told of the two first miraculous cures—one of a 3-year-old child that was agonizing, the other of an old citizen of Lourdes who had lost an eye in blasting the rock. He finished his discourse with the history of the conversion of a physician of Lourdes who had been until then a materialist and an unbeliever. His presence at the apparition on the 7th of April, known as the miracle of the candle, satisfied him of his erroneous views. Until his death he remained a faithful member of the church. Father Notabart announced for next Sunday evening a lecture on "Lourdes and the Medical Profession."

PERSONALS

Miss Alice McGovern has returned from a pleasant visit to Clifton Springs.

Miss Laura Nadeau of Cleveland, O., who has been visiting friends at 105 Weld street, has returned to her home.

Attention, Bicycle Boys

The Western New York Fair will offer the following prizes for bicycle races to be completed for on Tuesday, Sept. 29, (that being children's day at the fair, open to all school children of Monroe county in the 6th, 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th grades. They can compete only in the grade to which they belong, and must be attending some graded school.

Three prizes will be offered in each grade: First prize, \$5; second prize, \$3; third prize, \$2; entrance fee. Entries must be made on or before 12 o'clock Tuesday, Sept. 29. Also a ladies' bicycle race, open to any lady in Monroe county. First prize, silk dress; second prize, silk umbrella.

H. A. KINGSLEY, Sec'y.

Cook Opera House

At the Cook next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Monday and Wednesday matinees, September 28th, 29th and 30th, "The Prodigal Father" will be given. An exchange says: The Prodigal Father was received with uproarious applause. The episodes of Stanley Dodge, the supposed African explorer, kept the audience in a continual roar of laughter.

Lovers of soul stirring music and elegant display, watch the streets at noon on October 1st, 2d and 3d, and you will witness the swell parade of H. Henry's new colossal minstrel aggregation, fifty in number, and you will hear the largest, finest military band ever connected with a minstrel organization, which will remind you that they play at Cook Opera house in the evening, and that they present a program which has everywhere received the highest compliment as being foremost in the minstrel line.

Academy of Music

The engagement of J. E. Toole, the eminent German dialect comedian at the Academy next week will be undoubtedly one of the most pleasing events of the season. Mr. Toole is a favorite throughout England and America, and it is very evident his performance will be signalized by crowded houses during his engagement.

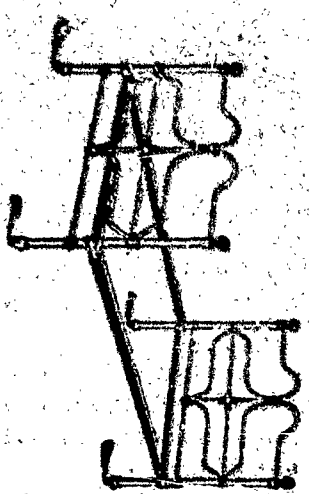
The "Gypsy German," the play in which he appears, is one of the best works of this talented author. The play, as the name suggests, is a curious combination of scenes and incidents peculiar to the lives of the Gypsies of the olden times. There is a strong comedy line running through the story, but not enough to mar the even unraveling of an intensely interesting narrative. Mr. Toole has not lost sight of the fact. The genius of a stagecraft have put together a number of novel effects, entirely new to the local stage, and in an environment of beautiful settings, the "Gypsy German" gives promise of becoming one of the popular successes of these "stringent times," which are few and far between. Mr. Toole is too well known to our theatregoers to require any criticism. He will best be remembered for his excellent work with some of the leading dramatic organizations that have started out of the metropolis in years. His style is similar to the lamented J. K. Emmet, the elder. He is a sweet singer, a graceful dancer, and a thorough dramatic artist. Miss Lillian De Wolf, the talented actress and brilliant singer, is with Mr. Toole this season, and has created a strong impression wherever she has appeared. She has a rich cultivated voice, rarely found in a dramatic play. Miss Blanche Booth, who is a niece of the lamented tragedian, Edwin Booth, has been especially engaged to play the Gypsy Queen in the production. Oliver L. Jenkins, who was associated with Roland Reed for years, has also been especially engaged for "Gypsy German," a comedy part suited to his peculiar style. The balance of the cast are above the standard of ordinary travelling combinations, making this production one of the strongest on the road.

Wonderland Theatre

The following excellent programs will be presented at this theatre next week: A Decided Novelty, McCloud and Melville, electrical harp, song and dance. Magic and Criminals in their athletic comedy sketch, "Fun in a Gymnasium." Chas. R. Sweet, the funny tramp. Burns and Coakley in their great plantation act, "Aunt Hannah's Wash Day," introducing genuine plantation songs and their wonderful buck and wing dancing. America's Premier club artist, Katherine Gyles, in her unique and dainty specialty. Sisters Leigh, in their famous umbrella dance. Leo and Chapman in their new and original musical sketch, entitled "The Enchanted Farm."

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