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DIOCESAN NEWS.

What Our Friends in the Surrounding Parishes are Doing.

Savannah. Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn, Miss Rose Conroy and John Ne-dham of Lyons, spent Sunday at Savannah, the guests of J. S. Conroy and family.

M. M. McGinnis has accepted a position as foreman in Syracuse. Mr. Burns, of Troupville, called on friends in town Sunday.

Several from here attended the ordination of Rev. Father Farrell in Rochester, Saturday.

Miss Anna Conroy returned home from Lyons Saturday, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Quinn.

Lima. The funerals of Mrs. Curran and Mrs. Walsh, who died in West Bloomfield last Saturday, were held here on Monday.

St. Rose's School will close this week for the summer vacation.

Mr. Patriok Hendrick of this place, spent a couple of days in Buffalo last week.

Last Saturday the G. W. L. students went to Brockport to take part in a dual field day against the Brockport Normal school team.

Brockport. A reception was given the Rev. Father Story pastor of the Church of the Nativity Tuesday evening on his return from his extended European tour.

The following are the names of the Catholic young ladies and gentlemen of the class of '97, who graduated from the Normal School on Tuesday last: Anna L. Breen, Rochester; Margaret C. Clancy, Scuylerville; Margaret O. Dwyer; and William H. Quirk, Geneseo. English Course—Anna R. Denning, Newark, N. Y.; Margaret V. Souci, Keene, Ont.; Ella A. Shea, Trumansburg; Mary E. Rawlin, West Bloomfield; Mary E. Rowan, Dansville; Anna Monia, Genesee; Helen M. Munchy and Alice T. Sullivan, Auburn; Agnes D. Hendricks, Margaret B. Morann and Laura V. Perry, Rochester; Catherine McNamara, Julia A. McGraw and Magdalena C. Schantz, Avon; Agnes H. Brogan and Martin E. Burke, Geneseo. Instrumental Music—Hildegard M. Sherlock, Geneseo.

Mrs. T. Costello of Rochester, was the guest of Mrs. J. B. Costello on Friday of last week.

Wm. Connor of Skeneateles, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Mary E. Mallon, of Rochester, visited friends on Saturday of last week.

Miss Mary Galligan, of Batavia, was the guest of Miss Margaret Souci this week.

Miss Anna M. O'Connor, of Rochester, sang a solo at the entertainment of the Archdiocese and Gamma Sigma Fraternity, at Normal Hall the 10th inst.

Dr. Green, of Rochester, attended the commencement exercises at the Normal school on Tuesday.

A class which Father Hickey has been preparing for communion, received on Sunday last.

The Geneseo Valley Hunt Club, will hold their annual sports at "The Homestead," on Saturday, July 30, at 3 p. m.

The Geneseo base ball club will play their first game with the Cuban Giants in this village on Friday, July 2.

The marriage of Miss Katherine Hanna, of Leicester, and William Hunt, formerly of this village, but now at Craig Colony, Sonysa, was solemnized with High Mass at Mt. Morris, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Father Day, officiating.

The new high altar put in St. Felix church last week was blessed on Sunday morning. Hitherto the old altar was one thing lacking in appearance to make our church complete, and the necessity has now been supplied by the liberality of our pastor, Father O'Hanlon, and his father, Felix O'Hanlon of Ovid.

This altar was designed by Father O'Hanlon himself and made in Rochester by a well-known artist renowned for this kind of work. In point of beauty it is an architectural gem. The coloring which is a delicate cream, trimmed with gold leaf and the daintiest shade of green, harmonizes well with the surroundings. At either side of the tabernacle will stand a statue of St. Joseph and St. Felix. These statues are being made in France. The fine new candleabra, used for the first time last Sunday, also enhances its beauty. Our people have reason to feel deeply grateful to the donors for this magnificent altar, and prouder than ever of our beautiful church, so dear to the Catholic heart.

OUR AGENT. Mr. A. Herman, our traveling agent, will call on subscribers in Fairport, Macedon, Palmyra, Newark, Clyde, Savannah, Port Byron, Montezuma and Woodsport.

RESOLUTIONS FOR THE YEAR.

With Milton "live as ever in our great Task-master's Eye." And omit from conversation that most selfish expression "I." Let us lighten weary hearts with simple kindly deeds; And live in peace with relatives which much forbearance needs. Let us keep a strict account of every penny we expend; And spare a trifle cheerfully the needy to befriend; Let us not walk in shadows vain to gather store of gold; God send our needs and scatter wide His blessings manifold. —Marion Litchford.

The Thirty Pieces of Gold.

Some of our readers may remember a story which told of the value God's love set on "Thirty Pieces of Silver" when offered by a generous heart, and to day we are going to tell them what may be bought or sold for "Thirty Pieces of Gold."

It is the year of grace, 590, and we must take our readers to a far distant land—that of Alexandria, in Egypt. A scene awaits us there such as, thank God, may still be seen wherever the continuity of the Catholic Church can find its free and natural expression, only with the difference in costumes and manners incidental to the nineteenth century.

It is Easter Tuesday, and great preparations for a banquet are being made at the palace of the Patriarch of Alexandria. But who were to be his guests? St. John the Almoner as he was called, from his great love of almsgiving, had obeyed literally his Master's commands and invited all the poor, the maimed, the lame, and the blind of that great city to an Easter feast with him.

Long tables were placed from one end to the other of the large square in front of the palace. Cooks and attendants were hurrying backwards and forwards with joints of meat and long rolls of bread, and a thousand voices filled the air with blessings on the good Patriarch. When all are seated, he himself came out with some friends to see his happy guests. Venerable in appearance and full of kindness in voice and gesture, he had a word for each as he passed along their ranks. "Sit down, sit down, my good friends," he said, "I did not come to interrupt you and shall return if you are not seated at once. Ah! Sophronia, I am glad to see you here and better; the physician has with God's blessing done you much good, and there is Aquila; when do you expect your son home? Before Pentecost? That's well, may you have a happy meeting!

"Trophimus, you are the very man I wanted; come to me to-morrow morning; I have something to tell you that will be of service to you," showing at each step his perfect knowledge of his flock and interest in their welfare.

Then, turning to a Bishop who accompanied him, "This is a sight to make us old men young again! Thanks be to God who put it into the heart of our benefactors so to enrich this See that I have it in my power to eat this. It would be a shame, indeed, if I kept for myself that which Christ's poor have need of!"

Trollius, Bishop of Metella, made some inaudible answer and turned away. Now he was well known as the very opposite to St. John the Almoner, and the Patriarch's private secretary (as we should probably have called him), Artemus, whispered to him: "The Bishop Trollius is not in good report for his charities. Your Blessedness (come such title being the one used to the Patriarch) may not know that he gives much scandal by faring sumptuously himself daily, and only once a year giving some trifling sum to the poor."

The Patriarch looked grieved. "I had heard of this, and must see into it further, but at any rate I can give him an opportunity of repairing his fault even now."

"He can easily do it," replied the secretary, "for I heard him speak of buying some piece of chased silver to-morrow which he had seen and admired at the price of thirty pieces of gold."

"May God forgive him!" answered the Patriarch, and soon after crossed the square to Trollius, who was still looking on at the dinner. St. John addressed the Bishop courteously, saying, "Our treasures are great but not inexhaustible, and to-day's feast will empty our purses for the present, while the poor of this large city are numerous, and the winter has been a sore time of sickness to many. I hear that you, my brother, have some thirty pieces of gold for which you have no pressing need, and I would fain ask you for the love of God in His poor to bestow it on them."

Trollius looked much annoyed and said, "I certainly have as much about me, but I had another purpose for it—"

FACTS IN A FEW LINES.

In Sweden women vote for all elective officers except representatives. Mules are expert swimmers. Their broad paws operate as paddles. Prussian blue paint is made from the ashes of the burned hoofs of horses. In France the women teachers elect women members on all boards of education.

In the United States 28 states and territories have given women some form of suffrage. The ants of South America have been known to construct a tunnel three miles in length. India ink is made by some secret process which is closely guarded by its inventors, the Chinese.

One hundred and twenty firemen are required to heat the furnaces of a first class Atlantic steamer. In England, Scotland and Wales women vote at all elections except for members of parliament. The world's pianos are mostly German, and German factories are largely run with English money.

A whistling moth is an Australian rarity. There is a glassy space on the wings, crossed with ribs. When the moth wants to whistle, it strikes these ribs with its antennae, which have a knob at the end. The sound is a love call from the male to the female.

The camel's foot is like a soft cushion, peculiarly well adapted to the stones and gravel over which it is constantly walking. During a single journey through the Sahara, horses have worn out three sets of shoes, while the camel's feet were not even sore.

Experiments have been made in Austria in order to test the likelihood of a balloon being hit when fired at. A captive balloon, at an altitude of about 4,265 feet, was fired at from a distance of 4,400 yards and was struck nine times without being brought down.

In the islands of New Britain a man must not speak to his mother-in-law. Not only is speech forbidden to this relative, but she must be avoided, and if by any chance the lady is met the son-in-law must hide himself or cover his face. Suicide of both parties is the outcome if the rule is broken.

BASE BALL.

The following was the standing of the Eastern League clubs up to Friday morning.

Table with 2 columns: Club Name and Standing. Syracuse 27, Buffalo 25, Springfield 19, Providence 19, Scranton 16, Rochester 18, Toronto 18, Wilkesbarre 12.

Society Calendars. C. M. B. A. Monday—134, Tuesday—82, 139, Wednesday—34, 88, 117, 131, Thursday—40, Friday—87.

C. R. & B. A. Monday—25, 88, Tuesday—18, 27, Wednesday—23, 50, 66, Thursday—44, 56, Friday—39, 40.

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