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DIOCESAN NEWS.

What Our Friends in the Surrounding Parishes are Doing.

From Our Special Correspondents.

(Continued from 7th page.)

TO OUR CORRESPONDENTS
We wish to impress upon our correspondents the necessity of sending in their communications not later than Tuesday, as delay will result in their non-appearance. Be prompt with your communications.

Honeoye Falls.

A fair is to be held at Village hall for the benefit of St. Paul's church on the evening of Dec. 28th, 29th and 30th. A musical and literary programme has been arranged for each evening, after which dancing will be indulged in. Following are the prizes which will be awarded to the most successful candidates: The contestants for a silver tea service are Mrs. M. E. Wrenn, Mrs. J. Burke, Miss Maggie Regan. Those for a gold watch are Misses Lily Lawton, Mionie Moran, Lizzie Doyle and Jennie Kenney. The contestants are working very zealously, and the people in this place have responded very generously. All are working very earnestly to make the fair a financial success. The proceeds are to be devoted toward the payment of expenses of recent improvements on the church.
Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Julia McLaughlin of this place, to Mr. John Ryan of Lima, at St. Paul's church, Dec. 29th.

Avon.

For the second time in this passing year has the Angel of Death entered the home of William Carroll, and taken from their midst another treasure. John, aged 10 years, on Sunday last. He was laid beside his mother who had preceded him but a few months. The stricken family have the sympathy of the entire community in their late bereavement.

Isabella McLaughlin, a highly respected young lady, of this village, died at the home of her parents Tuesday morning at the age of 21 years. Although ill for some months her death was unexpected and came like a shock to relatives and friends. She leaves to mourn her loss, her parents, three sisters, and one brother. The funeral will take place at St. Agnes' church Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Miss Kate Yope of Caledonia, spent several days this week with her sister, Mrs. John McGinty of this village.
Miss Mamie Colvin who has been spending a few days with relatives in this place returned to her home in Rochester, Tuesday.

Canandaigua

The annual fair for the benefit of St. Mary's orphans, passed off successfully. The reports are not yet ready. In the contest, by Walter Taylor and James Fogarty for the gold-headed cane, Mr. Taylor won. The proceeds of the contest were \$401.11.
Miss Halpin of Pen Yan, was the guest of Miss Sarah Kelly last week.

Miss O'Brien of Rochester, visited her brother, Father O'Brien, during the fair.
Miss Margaret Griffith of this place, is acting as saleslady in Sibley, Lindsay & Curr, Rochester during the holidays.
Mr. William Brady is home from College for the holidays.

Seneca Falls.

Philip Mahoney of Auburn, formerly of Seneca Falls, was in town Sunday.
St. Patrick's school closed on Thursday afternoon for the Christmas vacation.

William Vanallestine, formerly of Seneca Falls, died at 11:00 Monday evening. He remains were brought here for burial. He is survived by a wife and three children. The funeral was held at St. Patrick's church.
John Dooley has been appointed local manager for the E. Gately & Co. of Rochester. He will also represent a wholesale Chicago furniture house.

Victor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dwyer of Rochester were in town Saturday.
Walter O'Neill is clerking in the new store at East Bloomfield.

Oscar Smith, who is taking a course at Cornell, was at home Tuesday.
John Driscoll and wife, who have been touring the western states on their honeymoon, returned home Monday.
Palmira.

Miss Mamie B. Walsh and Miss Minnie Hickey of Rochester are home for the holidays.
Miss Anna Louise Ryan is spending her holiday vacation in Rochester.

Miss Myrtle Brick is spending the holidays in Mt. Morris and Nunda.
There will be a series of musicals here this winter for the benefit of St. Ann's church.

Mrs. George Hudson is seriously ill.
Willie Maley of Manchester will be the guest of his mother, Christmas.

J. Denning and L. Kelly of Newark were in town last week.
Kittie Sullivan was in Rochester Sunday.

Mrs. John Ennis will have a family gathering Christmas.
Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Webster, last Monday, a daughter.
Hugh Hackett of Rochester was the guest of J. M. Ryan over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martion of Rochester are spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary Martion.
Mrs. J. M. Ryan entertained a few of her friends Tuesday evening at whist.

News was received here Sunday of the serious illness of Father Casey, formerly pastor, and the prayers of the congregation were offered for a speedy recovery or happy death.
Spencerport.

Miss M. Meakill of Rochester spent Sunday with her parents.
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Turner are rejoicing over the arrival of a little daughter.
Sylvester Roach is seriously ill.

P. J. Keegan of the Cottage hotel has accepted a position in Rochester.
Midnight mass will be celebrated here Christmas eve for the first time in years. The late mass will be at 11 o'clock.

Sodus Point.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Field have gone to New York to spend the winter with their son.
A very destructive fire started last Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in the large evaporator of Daniel Seely, completely destroying it with over \$800 worth of apples. It is partly covered by insurance.

Mr. Thomas Doyle has purchased the eighty acre farm of Myron Prouseus on the Geneva road. He is remodeling the house and will move there in the spring with his family.
Mrs. E. B. Parsons spent last week with friends in Fairport.
Mr. E. Hills and son are building a large cottage on Bay street overlooking the Ray. Master Verne Biden is very ill at his home with a severe attack of tonsillitis.
Miss Lottie Hills is visiting friends in Rochester for the past two weeks.
Mr. A. E. Williams of Newark, was in town last Wednesday.
Miss Alma LeFebvre spent last week in Rochester, the guest of her brother, Wm. LeFebvre.

Lima

Last Wednesday the remains of Mrs. Michael Connors, who died in West Bloomfield on Monday, were interred here.
The fair has been postponed from Dec. 27th until Jan. 2, and will continue for five nights.
The many friends of Mrs. Clary will be glad to learn that she is rapidly recovering from her sickness.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the proprietor of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co. doing business in the city of Toledo in Ohio and State aforesaid and that the said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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Illustrating sacred history.

J. J. Tissot, a French artist, spent ten or twelve years in illustrating the life of Christ, the result being a set of water color which are exciting considerable comment in London. They are now on exhibition in the Dore Gallery, and there are 300 of them supplemented by 150 pen-and-ink drawings by the same artist.

One of these illustrations is here reproduced from the London Daily Graphic. It represents a typical Jew of Jerusalem. "The Christian world has for a

long time past had its imagination misled by the fancies of painters; and there is a whole stock of images that must be driven out of its mind" and with this idea in his mind the artist went to the Holy Land to make one step toward the truth, to study his subject, to gather material, to dispel inaccurate and vague views, and without losing the poetry of the lofty theme to combine it with reality.

Man Who Wore a Daisy.
They were giddy girls of the kittenish age, and being out on a lark without chaperones they spoke their thoughts aloud and made game of every one and everything they saw on the principle that all was fish that came to their nets.

One passenger on the elevated railroad particularly amused them, from the fact that, although it was the month of bleak November, he wore a white daisy in his buttonhole, a fine specimen of the ragged edge variety. It was conspicuous from its size, and the girls regarded it as a legitimate object of sport. Not being deaf nor blind, the man who wore the modest flower with the yellow heart grew embarrassed over the attention he received. At last one of the girls made a discovery.

"It isn't genuine," she suggested to the others in a loud whisper.
"W-h-a-t!" they trilled in chorus.
"It's a base counterfeit."
"No! Never!"
"Yes, it's a cloth daisy!"
"By this time the man upon whom all eyes were focused was ready to leave the car. Before he went he touched his hat to his tormentors.

"Yes," he said pleasantly, "this is a cloth daisy. My little daughter, who is an invalid, made it and planned it on. She asked me to wear it, and I had not the heart to refuse her. I hope I have your permission?"
A group of shame-faced girls sneaked out of the car at the next station.

Fortified Cities Useless.
According to the present state of fortification and of gunnery the ancient walls and towers of a score of German fortified cities are no longer of practical use, and negotiations are pending between those cities and the military authorities of the empire to obtain permission for tearing down these walls and erect streets, parks and houses in their stead.



A TYPICAL JEW.

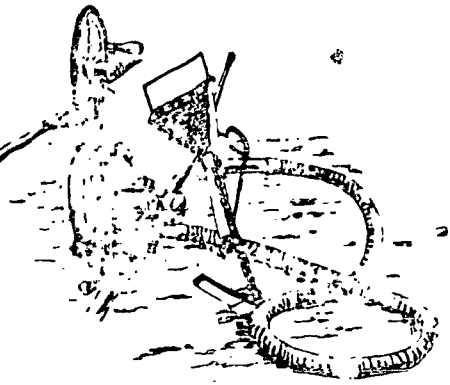
STEEL ROADWAYS.

IDEA OF BUILDING TRACKS FOR TRUCKS PUT INTO PRACTICE.

Highways Turned Into Ideal Roads by the Use of a Simple Contrivance—The Government Has sanctioned the Matter and Success Has Followed.

An army of 200,000 men is kept constantly at work upon the roadbeds of the railroads of the United States. The importance of this work may be judged from the fact that these men have about 550,000,000 ties to look after and their labor alone costs the railroads nearly \$70,000,000 a year. These are the section men. Approximately, there is one section man employed for each mile of track.

A generation ago, when the heaviest locomotive did not weigh more than fifty tons and a freight car load was ten tons, a good dirt roadbed sufficed. To-day, with 110-ton locomotives tearing over the roads at sixty miles or more an hour, with trains of Pullman cars or hauling freight cars with loads of from 60,000 to 80,000 pounds each, the strain on the track and roadbed is something which an old railroad never thought of. One hundred pound steel rails have replaced the old iron 56-pound rails, stone roadbeds have replaced those of dirt.



PNEUMATIC TRACK SURFACE MACHINE.

and ties are put only about half as far apart as they used to be. With all these improvements section men are constantly at work keeping the track in proper shape. Where the depressions are found the rails are raised by forcing earth or broken stone under the ties with tamping irons. This method is crude, and there are many objections to it. One of them is that it involves the breaking up of the bed of each tie disturbed. Now an inventor comes forward who proposes to do the work so much more expeditiously that a saving of more than \$10,000,000 worth of time can be effected every year.

The machine consists of a Root blower driven at the rate of perhaps 800 revolutions a minute. It is set on top of one rail, and has two small wheels on which it can be trundled along the rail like a wheelbarrow. When it is to be used a lever clips it fast to the rail. Attached to it is a hose about twelve feet long, ending in a metal feeder for the broken stone, which has a hopper at the top, where the stone or other suitable ballasting material is shoveled in, and a bent end at the bottom, which is set under the ties to direct the stream of filling. In using it one of the ballast between the ties need be removed. A shovelful is removed at one end of the raised tie until the bent end of the hopper tube can be poked under, and then the filling material is blown in and packed tight by the machine. Experimental machines were kept at work nearly all summer, sometimes on the Hudson River Railroad tracks, and sometimes on those of the New York, New Haven and Hartford line. As a practical result, the reports say that a progress of about 8 1/2 feet an hour can be made for each man employed, while the railroad text books say that by the ordinary methods from 2 1/2 to 4 feet an hour is the best that can be done. In placing new ties it is claimed that its work is equally ahead of the older method.

Sawdust as a Dressing for Wounds.

Fine, soft sawdust has been suggested as a dressing for wounds, and as a vehicle for medicaments or antiseptics. It is said that the dust, freed from splinters and sharp bits of wood by sifting, when used alone and dry, makes a clean and grateful dressing, that it really takes up and holds the discharges without packing or adhering, and that it is easily rendered antiseptic by any of the methods used in preparing antiseptic cotton or wool. The St. Louis Medical and Surgical Journal suggests that yellow pine sawdust, rich as it is in turpentine, would prove of itself a valuable antiseptic application.

Dramatic Incident of the Soudan Campaign

One of the most striking incidents of the late fight of Abu Hamed took place before a shot was fired. Hassan Effendi, a captain in the Egyptian cavalry, on being told to do so by General Hunter, rode up to the Derwish intrenchment with the utmost coolness and called on them to surrender. The only answer was a hoarse shout of defiance, but Hassan Effendi showed not the slightest movement of fear, and slowly walked his horse back to the British lines. Immediately afterward the action began.

Loyal to His Adopted Flag.

A remarkable instance of loyalty to an adopted flag is reported from India. The native Indian Subadar who commanded Fort Luddi-Kotal vigorously conducted its defense, as it ultimately proved at the cost of his own life, although among the attacking force of tribesmen were two of his own sons.

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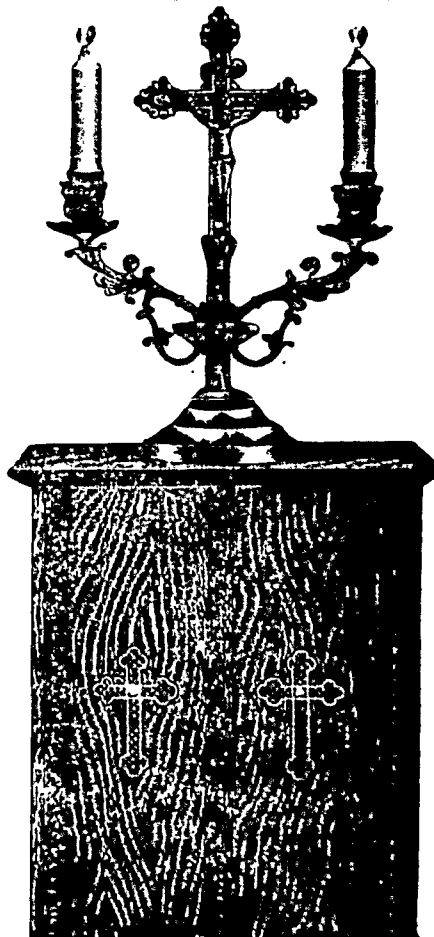
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It is a terrible thought, nevertheless a true one, that if the cow's milk fed to babies were only clean, thousands and thousands of little lives would be spared each year. But the milk, in the majority of cases, is not clean. To this fact is largely due the enormous death rate among children thus artificially fed. The uncleanliness begins with the process of milking and continues until the milk is swallowed as food. Is it not strange that such a simple lesson of cleanliness cannot be learned? How many of those who do the milking take the trouble to thoroughly cleanse the hands before engaging in that process? How often is the udder of the cow carefully washed before milking? To both these questions the answer could be truthfully given, "Very rarely indeed." Yet these cleansing processes should be rigidly insisted upon.
Germs cannot be removed from a liquid by running it through a sieve, no matter how fine its meshes may be. Indeed, the question should not be how to get the germs out, but rather how to keep them from getting in.

Cement for Crockery.

By mixing litharge-dry white lead with glycerine to the consistency of putty you can make a cement that will mend a great many things. Crockery, earthen ware and glass is readily united. It will stop leaks in the wash-bowls, in tinware, tighten loose joints in wood and iron, fasten on lampposts, secure bolts where the nut is lost and tighten loose ones. Never use the article mended under five or six days, and you will find it will resist heat and water, either hot or cold, also acids of the ordinary kind.

Utility of Cheap China.

"If you are troubled as we are you will never buy dishes that are anything but cheap for common use," said a housekeeper. "We select crockery that is pretty and in good taste, but it is never expensive. We have too many things broken for that. Our cups and saucers seem to go by the half dozen. We limited ourselves, at one time, to ten cents apiece for cups and saucers, and never went above that price."

Nests of Birds.

"Whenever you come across a pretty nest of birds that is cheap," said the housekeeper, "never fail to buy them. There is nothing that you will find more convenient in the family."

Taking Grease Off Sewing.

If grease from the machine gets on the sewing remove it from cotton with cold water, and from silk or woolen goods with naphtha or magnesia.

HOUSE DECORATING IDEAS.

Don't put borders on carpets for small rooms.
Don't hang chandeliers or lamps in low-ceiled rooms.
Don't be chary of rich, warm tints in northern rooms.