

CITY PARISH NEWS.

(Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporters.)

CATHEDRAL.

The annual retreat for the men of the parish will open Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Rev. Father Scully, S. J., former president of Fordham college, will be the preacher. During the week the masses will be at 5, 6.30 and 8 o'clock; and the evening services, consisting of Rosary, sermon and benediction at 7.30.

The R. C. C. will hold its regular monthly meeting next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is requested, as there is business of importance to be transacted.

The Cathedral Ladies' Aid society have about completed their work for the season. On next Friday afternoon they will hold their business meeting for the month of April. At this meeting the annual report of the society will be read. We are glad to announce that on Thursday evening, April 14th, the ladies will hold another of their delightful entertainments at this hall.

The comic opera "Iolanthe" is being rehearsed by the choir, under the direction of Prof. Eugene Bonn, and will be given at cathedral hall soon after Easter.

William C. Free, aged 35 years, died Tuesday morning at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Matthew McCormick, 33 Briggs Place. He is survived by his father, John Free, two brothers, Captain Michael T. Free, of steamer 5, and John Free and his sister, Mrs. Matthew McCormick, all of Rochester. The funeral took place at 9 o'clock from the house and at 9.30 o'clock from St. Patrick's cathedral, Friday morning.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

The Rev. Dr. Hanna will give the last one of his course of lectures on "The English Essayists," before the Columbian Reading Circle, next Monday evening, March 28th. This course has been largely attended and greatly enjoyed by all who had the good fortune to hear the lectures and the numerous fine selections exquisitely read.

Auxiliary 7, A. O. H., will have a high mass at this church next Thursday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Mary E. Arthur. All members are requested to be present.

Mary J. Lawn died last Sunday morning at her home, 8 Violetta street. She is survived by her father, one brother and three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Guinan, Helen A. Lawn and Sarah Lawn.

ST. MARY'S.

John O'Callaghan, an old and respected member of this parish died at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home, 1 Oakland street, aged 73 years. The deceased was born in County Cork, Ireland, and came to America when quite young. He found employment at Cincinnati and other southern points at his profession that of propagating roses. Some forty years ago he settled in Rochester and entered the employment of Ellwanger & Barry, with whom he remained for over thirty years as foreman of the rose department. He had special charge of the propagating of roses and other flowers, and his knowledge of their habits was second to none in the United States. Thirty years ago Mr. O'Callaghan was married in the Immaculate Conception church to Hannah O'Neil, who died eleven years ago. Ten children were born of this union, of whom six survive: John L., Katherine, Nannie, Mrs. William T. O'Connor, Mrs. William A. Marakle of Rochester, and Mrs. Thomas H. Donovan of Albany. Mr. O'Callaghan was a man of sterling character and respected by a host of friends. The funeral was held Friday morning and was largely attended.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER.

The funeral of Miss Lillian Brill was held Tuesday at 7.30 o'clock from the house, 7 Duke street, and at 8 o'clock from St. Francis Xavier church.

Funeral of Mary E. Arthur.

The funeral of Mary E. Arthur who died Tuesday in Chili, aged 30 years took place from the residence of Mrs. Mary Arthur in Chili Friday morning at 9 o'clock and from the Catholic church in Scottsville at 10 o'clock. She is survived by a mother, Mary Arthur of Chili, two sisters, Anna and Katie Arthur of this city, and five brothers, Peter H. and Thomas E. Arthur of this city, and John, James and Charles Arthur of Chili. She was a member of Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 7, A. O. H.

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AT NAZARETH CONVENT.

Nine Postulants Entered the Order of the Sisters of St. Joseph. First Vows Taken by Four Candidates.

At Nazareth convent last Saturday morning nine postulants entered upon a two years' novitiate for admission to the Sisters of St. Joseph, and four young women took the first vows. The ceremonies were held in the convent chapel and were largely attended by the friends and relatives of the young women. Bishop McQuaid performed the ceremonies, and there were present in the sanctuary with him Revs. Mgr. DeRegge, T. F. Hickey, J. P. Kiernan, A. A. Hughes, J. J. Leary, T. A. Hendrick and J. G. VanNess.

At 8 o'clock the postulants, dressed in white satin and wearing white veils, entered the chapel, preceded by Misses Laura Hubner and Loretta Baker as cross-bearers, and Hortense Glasser, Marie Curran, Adelaide Calihan, Katherine Whalen May Deering and Irene Ryan. Kneeling at the altar railing the postulants preferred their request for admittance to the order in the prescribed form. They then filed out from the chapel and their places at the railing were taken by the four young women who were to take the first vows. At the conclusion of this ceremony the novices returned clothed in the regulation habit of the order, and were formally received as novices.

The bishop then addressed the young women, saying in part: "Sisters, it occurred to my mind when you were standing before the altar awaiting admission to the novitiate of the order of St. Joseph that if this chapel had been filled with worldly people they would have been shocked when you were called upon to renounce the world and all its vanities and pleasures. They do not know Christ and have no conception of the reward intended for you. It is natural for them to be shocked at your renunciation of the world and its pleasures. But the bargain is not a one-sided one. The young women realize that it is not something given by them alone. They have a good idea of what this renunciation means, and know that it is but fitting them in the fullest sense for the life to which they intend to devote themselves. During the period of the two years' novitiate the sacrifice is put before them in the fullest detail. They leave parents, friends and the world, and learn their duties and test themselves in the discipline of the order."

The following were received as novices for choir religious and will bear the following names: Miss Alice Keogh, Sister Mary Elinor; Miss Letitia Douglas, Sister Mary Angelica; Miss Elizabeth Welson, Sister Mary Alida; Miss Rose Stahlberger, Sister Joseph Irene; Miss Sophia Bosch, Sister Mary Dominic; Miss Marie Schell, Sister Mary Bernard. The following were received as novices as domestic sisters: Miss Agatha Prinz, Sister Mary Norberta; Miss Mary Smyth, Sister Mary Patricia; and Miss Alice Smyth, Sister Mary Bride.

Those who took their first vows were Sisters Mary Demetria Whalen, Rose Alice Conway, Philida Deniffs and B. Mahany.

Invited to Lecture Here.

Dr. J. W. Casey acted as chairman and R. J. Lennon secretary of a meeting of Irish-American citizens held in the Union Club rooms last Sunday afternoon, which invited John Daly, the Irish leader and political sufferer now lecturing in this country, to deliver an address in this city on a date to be set down.

PERSONALS.

Detective Kavanagh, who has been spending the past month in Georgia for his health, has returned to this city much improved.

LOST HIS MONTH'S WAGES.

Lewis Gammach is a Poor Man, and He Hopes the Finder of His Purse Will Return It.

Lewis Gammach of 15 Wolf park, reported to Chief Cleary that while his wife was shopping on Saturday last she lost her pocketbook somewhere between Eastwood's and the 5 and 10 cent store on East Main street. The purse contained \$26—Mr. Gammach's entire wages for a month—and five street car tickets. Mr. Gammach said that he was a poor man and could ill afford such a loss, and that if the person who found the purse would return it he would gladly pay a reward.

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SOCIETY NEWS.

(Continued from 1st page.)

On Tuesday evening our members were agreeably surprised on seeing Comrade Thomas Maguire present for roll call, as they did not expect him so soon from the last reports, as he has been confined to his house with pneumonia for four months. It is needless to say that he received a hearty welcome.

Council 18, C. R. & B. A., has moved from room 22 to room 16 in the Durand building, and will hold its regular meetings on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month, instead of every other Tuesday as heretofore.

A pedro party is to be given by this council April 12th, to which it cordially invites the members and friends of the council, together with members of sister councils.

Neighbors of Columbus.

A council is to be organized in Batavia on Palm Sunday.

The first and second degrees will be conferred by Rochester council on Wednesday evening.

Society Calendar.

C. M. B. A.

Monday—58, 81.

Tuesday—12.

C. R. & B. A.

Monday—25, 52.

Wednesday—59.

D. O. E.

Monday—1.

THE BISHOP'S PICTURE.

Every Catholic Family in the Diocese Should Have One.

As this year marks the fiftieth anniversary of the ordination of Rt. Rev. Bishop McQuaid as a priest and his thirtieth as a bishop, every Catholic family in the diocese should be in possession of our beautiful large photograph (not lithograph), 11x14 inches of the Rt. Rev. Bishop. The picture will be given to every subscriber of THE CATHOLIC JOURNAL, who, until further notice pays a full year's subscription for 1898 in advance, and send us fifty cents extra to cover part of the cost of framing. The photograph is a reproduction of the picture of the Bishop which hangs in St. Bernard's Seminary and is certainly a work of art. It was made by Mr. E. E. Niet, the celebrated artist of Powers Block. The photograph will be handsomely framed with an elegant gold-bordered white frame, glass and back. Those who have received the premium are more than satisfied, and say that they do not see how we can give so much for so little money. Now is the time to send in your orders.

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CATHOLIC SUMMER SCHOOL AT CHIFF HAVEN.

The Rochester Cottage Association has Just Issued the Following Circular Letter.

Last year we sent out circular letters to many of the laity and all the priests of the diocese, asking them to co-operate with us in securing a site and erecting a "Rochester Cottage" on the grounds of the Catholic Summer School at Chiff Haven, N. Y. We had already formed the "Rochester Cottage association" and had put on the market six hundred shares of stock at ten dollars a share. If these shares were all disposed of, we would be able to purchase the site, erect and furnish the cottage and pay a handsome interest to the stockholders from the earnings of the cottage during the summer school season. At that time, we received subscriptions for 180 shares, and on these subscriptions about \$1,200 were paid. With the money thus received we purchased a beautiful lot on the Summer School grounds, for which we paid one thousand dollars. We are now anxious to erect the cottage and have it completed before the opening of the session of 1898 (July 10th).

We feel that the Catholics of Rochester diocese should not be behind the Catholics of other large cities in the Eastern part of the United States, especially when there is a question of promoting the cause of higher Catholic education and advancing the social status of our people. While our chief motive in urging this work is the advancement of Catholic education, we have entire confidence in it as a business transaction and believe it to be a safe investment.

The accommodations last year were entirely inadequate for the number who attended the summer school and there is promise this year of a greatly increased attendance. We have already received applications from New York City, Syracuse, and other places, for rooms in the Rochester cottage during the coming season, and every room may be rented, even though there should not be enough Rochesterians to secure them. The plan will be to rent each room for one dollar per day. The rooms will be large and furnished for the accommodation of two persons.

If you have already responded to our call, you are grateful to you and now ask you to interest in the work some of your friends who may be able to take one, two, or more shares of stock.

If you have not already subscribed, we earnestly solicit your co-operation in this educational movement which we deem worthy of the support and encouragement of our Catholic laity. An early answer is respectfully requested.

Yours very sincerely,

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Liebig's Extract of Beef

HIS HAIR FOR AN OFFICE.

Had to Sacrifice It Before He Could Win a Good Position in the Government.

One of the brightest lights of the editorial profession in Iowa has entered the consular service under the auspices of the present administration. He is as tall as a young aspen and as straight as a hemlock. His face is long, his features are large and his skin is tawny, as if his race had been bred under a desert sun. His cheek bones are high and his nose of thought projects over his eyes and throws a shadow upon the lower part of his face, like that of a North American Indian. This resemblance has given ground for a legend that the blood of the noble red man pulsates in his veins. To accentuate the likeness he formerly wore his glossy hair so long that it hid the collar of his coat and fell upon his shoulders like the water of a black cataraet.

The editor's appearance was peculiar and very much admired by the people, but there were some exceptions. It made him a conspicuous figure in every assembly that he honored with his presence, but there are those who prefer the commonplace and Senator Allison is one of them. When the editor came to Washington in search of official honors and emoluments and asked to be appointed to the White House and be presented to the President, Senator Allison said emphatically: "I won't present you to anybody until you cut your hair." The editor sighed, took a long last look at himself in a mirror and sought a barber shop. Like Samson, he may have been shorn of some of his strength, but he got an office and occupies one of the best consulates in South America.

Shearing 50,000 Sheep by Steam.

A force of expert operators did the work of shearing the 50,000 sheep penned in the yards of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad at Montgomery, Ill., this season. The shears used are operated by steam power, and the lambs and sheep alike are shorn at the rate of nearly a thousand a day. The members of the local Humane Society have protested to President Shorrel of the Illinois Humane Society against the shearing of the sheep in winter, and Mr. Shorrel to-day notified the shears that he would interfere in the matter as a violation of the law relating to the proper protection of animals from heat or cold. The sheep men claim that the animals are kept in a warm shed after being shorn, and are there less than a week before being shipped to Chicago for slaughter. They also point to the fact that the sheep fatten more readily after losing their wool.

A Pathetic Letter.

The Secretary of Agriculture at Washington, has received the following pathetic communication from Bell county, Texas:

"Dear Sir: I want to ask you a question. It my vest on the horse trough the money is the interest. A young horse of mine eat up \$40 of green back notes last night. We picked up a few bits of mangled money to-day. I carelessly left my vest on the horse trough the money on the inside pocket hence the result. In there any way for me to have the money replaced? If you can tell me what to do will you kindly sit me to some one who can as I used the money bid and have to work hard to support my family. I anxiously wait your answer."

The Secretary of Agriculture proposes to refer this matter to the committee in charge of the bill to retire the greenbacks.

A Wedding Ring in a Horse's Head. Some woman is wondering where her wedding ring is and also whether she will ever regain possession of it. Stephen S. Cook, of St. Paul, Minn., ordered his driving horse Major, a smart-looking brown gelding, brought to his office at the Bryan Hotel. After taking a drive Mr. Cook instructed his man to take the animal to a blacksmith shop to be shod. The blacksmith found wedged in between the frog and the diamond-shaped caulk, on one of the shoes with which the horse was shod, the ring, bent up into the shape of an ellipse. On the inside of the ring it was engraved: "E. B. Oct. 20, '87." That the ring was not in the least scratched or injured, beyond the bending, is rather remarkable.

His Tomb in Living Trees.

Lumbermen cut down a large oak tree on the Baker farm, near Dunick, Ohio, this. And probably been standing for over 100 years. They discovered after the tree was hewn, that it was hollow, and they cut several feet off the end. They did not go far until they came across the skeleton of a human being. From the growth of the tree it is apparent that this man who is supposed to have been an Indian, had crawled into this tree at least seventy-five years ago and had died the tree having grown over him. The bones were in a good state of preservation.

An Alligator with Stinking Teeth.

A big alligator was caught recently at the mouth of Salt Creek, in the Osage county, Oklahoma. Its mouth was full of teeth and they all aint inward. One of the Franklin boys had its coat caught in the gator's mouth and came very near being a victim of the big fish. He measured about six feet in length. The gator was brought to town by Mr. Northing.

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