

CITY PARISH NEWS.

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporters

ST. BRIDGET'S

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard O'Rourke of Detroit Mich., formerly members of this parish, are visiting Miss Bertie O'Rourke of Emmett street.

The Misses Drury of Hart avenue gave a theatre party on Friday evening in honor of their guests, Miss Winnifred Drury of Bergen and Miss Edith Brown of Buffalo.

Miss Mary Murphy, who has been the guest of Mrs. A. Wallace for the past two weeks, has returned to Java, N. Y.

Rev. Gilbert C. McDonald of Baltimore spent a few days in the city the past week.

Miss Louise Bessinger of Hudson park is spending her vacation at Lynn, Mass.

Miss Anna Horrigan has returned to her home in Oswego.

Mrs. J. McFadden and family of Gorham park, has gone to Kingston, Ont., for the remainder of the summer.

Miss Mayme Doyle of Ward street, who has been in New York the past year, returned on Thursday.

Misses Esther Donovan and Martha Siebert are enjoying an outing at Lakeside.

Master Charles Haaze, who was the guest of Master Fred Love of Marietta street, returned to Elmira August 2d.

Miss Kate Donovan of Hand street is visiting friends in Auburn.

ST. JOSEPH'S

The annual outing of the pupils of St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum was held Tuesday at Bay View. About 100 of the children were present and enjoyed a pleasant time. A number of the members of St. Joseph's church also attended.

Juliana Foeller, widow of Roman Schlitzer, died Monday afternoon at her home, at the corner of North Clinton, Andrews and Franklin streets. She had attained the ripe old age of 85 years. Mrs. Schlitzer was born in Blankenau, Hessen, Germany, but as a young woman she came to this country and after living in Buffalo a few years, where she met and married Roman Schlitzer, she came to Rochester. She had lived in the present family home for over 50 years.

Mrs. Schlitzer was one of the oldest members of St. Joseph's church and was always a constant and devoted member. She lives three sons and seven daughters, Miss Minnie, Leo A., Valentine L., and Joseph H., Mrs. Regina Gommenginger, Mrs. John C. Koesterer, Mrs. Julia Harings, Mrs. Chas. Meng and Venerable Sister M. Hildegadis of Milwaukee, Wis., and Venerable Sister M. Helpedia of Longwood, Ill., besides sixty-three grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the family home, and later from the church. Mrs. W. F. Rampe sang the offertory. Interment was made at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Widman celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedded life Tuesday evening at the residence of their daughter, Mrs. C. Noll, 50 Henry Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Widman were born in Wurtemberg, Germany, she in the year 1823, he in 1816. The two families emigrated from Germany in 1848, came to America and settled in Rochester. The marriage took place in that year. They were the first couple married in St. Joseph church, which was but half completed. Since then Rochester has always been their home.

Besides Mrs. Noll, their seven other children were present at the golden wedding. They were Chas. Widman of this city, A. G. Widman of Buffalo and Mrs. Mary Wiest, Mrs. A. Weiler, Mrs. Anthony Meyer and Mrs. J. Gaul, all of this city. Many of their 39 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren, with other friends and relatives, were also present to join in the celebration.

In the morning at 8 o'clock the aged couple proceeded to St. Joseph's church where the marriage ceremony was repeated. Rev. Philip Rosbach officiated. A reception was given in the evening to a large party of relatives and friends.

HOLY REDEEMER

The members of the Young Ladies' Sodality of Holy Redeemer church celebrated the blessing of their society banner Sunday afternoon with appropriate exercises at the church. Rev. T. Sczadzinski, celebrant, assisted by Rev. J. Shellhorn, held solemn vespers at 4.30 o'clock. Rev. W. Ryan delivered the sermon. In the sanctuary were Rev. F. O. Oberholzer, Rev. J. Miller and Rev. B. Gommenginger.

The banner was woven in Europe, and is a beautiful production.

ST. MICHAEL'S

Over 500 persons attended the outing of Branch 34 of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association and Flower City Council, Catholic Benevolent Legion of St. Michael's church, Monday at Bay View. The committee of arrangements consisted of president, Joseph A. Schneider, secretary, Louis Heindel, treasurer, Frank J. Koch, jr.; and Louis W. Maier, John J. Klinger, transportation, August Klinger, Adam Kleher and James Winkler; reception, M. J. Whitman, Charles J. Stephany and George Klinger; sport, Frank Koch, Joseph Kesselring, John B. Nichol, John Eiselsohn and August Klinger. The following is the result of the athletic sports: Race for school girls won by Mary Weismiller; the great "Shafter" race, for fat men of 300 pounds and under, won by Peter Kuhn; married ladies race, won by Mrs. Joseph Vogel; marriageable ladies race, won by Miss Frances Heindel; one legged race, won by Harry Weigman; 100 yard dash, won by John O'Neil.

CATHEDRAL

The many friends of Hugh Hackett, sr., will be pained to know he is seriously ill at St. Mary's hospital, from injuries he received a few days ago.

The third week of the session of the Catholic Summer School of Cliff Haven, opened on Sunday last. Owing to the fact that the chapel on the grounds will accommodate only about 100 people, it is necessary to hold the Sunday services at St. John's church, Plattsburg. On last Sunday the mass was celebrated by Rev. Thomas McMillan, C. S. P. of New York, and the sermon was delivered by Rev. James P. Kiernan of this city, subject "The Interests of Christ."

The Rochester cottage is reported to be very popular, and judging by the register it is as fully appreciated by our neighbors from Buffalo and Syracuse, as it is by Rochesterians.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Cogswell have taken a cottage at Charlotte for the remainder of the season.

Mrs. James F. McCauley and Miss Madeline, are at Lake Side for the month of August.

Bradley Carroll left yesterday for a trip to the Thousand Islands.

Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Maher of Jay street, are at Oak Orchard.

Miss Mary McAnarney is visiting friends at Watkins.

George and Miss Mary Howard of Oak street are at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dolan of Alexander street, are at their cottage at Chautauqua Lake.

Miss Helen Cooke of New York city, is at her home on Spencer street, for the month of August.

Mrs. Mary Teresa McCormick died Thursday at the family home, No. 74 Jones street, aged 47 years. She was the widow of Patrick McCormick, a at one time a well known contractor and builder, who erected the cathedral in this city. She leaves five sons and one daughter.

CORPUS CHRISTI

Corpus Christi church choir held their annual outing at the Newport, which was attended by 30 of the members. Rev. J. J. O'Leary the pastor of the church, was present.

An ice cream festival for the benefit of the building fund will be held on the school grounds Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Ladies' O. B. A. 251, of this parish held its annual outing at Glen Haven Wednesday. One hundred members were present. The ladies enjoyed a ride around the bay on the electric launches, and took supper at the hotel.

HOLY APOSTLES

Holy Apostles Branch, 121, C. M. B. A., held an enjoyable picnic at Island cottage, Manitou Beach, last Thursday. Three hundred persons were present. A ball game between the Dutch and the Irish resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 16 to 14. Athletics were a feature of the occasion.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
Miss Kathryn Cox of East avenue is spending the summer on the New Jersey coast.

Harry McMahon of Ford street is visiting his brother, John McMahon of Buffalo.

The Manilla cycle club had its first run Wednesday afternoon. The members of the club went to Maplewood, where an excellent lunch was served.

Mrs. Thomas Ford of Glasgow street is spending the summer in Canada.

Miss Helen Reilly of Tremont street is expected home from Auburn this week.

Mrs. Eugene Sackett and family, Mrs. Charles Malloy and family and Mrs. John Connors and family are spending the summer at Conesus lake.

The choir of this church spent Wednesday enjoyably, picnicking at South park. The ladies spread lunch in the groves. Boating, music and dancing formed important features in the evening's entertainment. Misses McMa-

hon, Shears, and Mrs. Edward Nier acted as the entertainment committee.

Last Sunday a collection was taken up in this church for the benefit of the Pope.

Miss Coughlin of Second street is the guest of Miss Maud Penny at Long Pond.

ST. MONICA

The contract for the work on the new church and school has been let. The mason work will be done by Joseph Fleckenstein, and carpenter work by Michael Mahoney. The cost will be \$10,000. The school is to be ready October 1st, and the church November 1st.

For Sick and Wounded Soldiers.

The ladies of the Rochester Catholic Reading Circle have been actively engaged in war relief work for the past two or three weeks. They have met and have done considerable sewing, and the meetings have been liberal in their donations. The result of their labors have been sent through the D. A. R. to Cuba, Porto Rico and the various camp hospitals.

Other Catholic women who wish to aid may send contributions to Mrs. K. C. Mahon, chairman; Miss Amelia Purcell, treasurer; Miss McMannis, secretary; or to any of the following members: Mrs. A. B. Hone, Mrs. T. J. Devine, Mrs. C. V. FitzSimons, Mrs. Chas. H. Wilkin, Mrs. Joseph McLean, Mrs. Richard Ford, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. F. C. Smith, Mrs. Otto Friede, Mrs. Anna Brook, Mrs. J. F. McCauley, Mrs. C. B. Kenning, Miss O'Rourke, Miss Moran, Miss Jennings, Miss O'Reilly, Miss Sheridan, Miss Madden, Miss Joyce, Miss Natalia Kirley, Miss Corinne Mahon and Miss Casey.

PERSONALS

The Misses Anna and Agnes Oullen of Saratoga avenue, are the guests of their uncle, J. Cullen, of Titusville, Pa.

Miss Kathryn Deneen of Corning, who has been visiting relatives, left Thursday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Hardiman of Avon.

Miss Sophia Schlick entertained a few friends Friday evening in honor of Miss Kathryn Deneen of Corning, N. Y.

Rocco V. Garramone and Miss Angeline Mauro, were united in marriage at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at St. Bridget's church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. A. Hendrick in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives.

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GONE TO REST.

DEATH OF THE VICAR GENERAL OF THE DIOCESE.

Very Rev. James F. O'Hare Attacked With Appendicitis Wednesday—He Does Not Survive an Operation.

Rev. James F. O'Hare, D. D., vicar general of the diocese, and rector of the Immaculate Conception church, died at St. Mary's hospital Friday morning.

While out riding Wednesday noon Father O'Hare was suddenly taken ill. He complained of pains in his abdomen which soon became very severe. He returned to his home and when he became worse his brother, Dr. Thomas O'Hare, was sent for. The priest gradually grew worse and Dr. David Little of Plymouth avenue, was called into consultation with Dr. O'Hare.

There was no improvement in his condition Thursday morning, and in the afternoon his condition became critical and at 4:15 o'clock a council of physicians was held. Besides Drs. O'Hare and Little, Dr. W. S. Ely, E. W. Mulligan and G. G. Carroll were present. The council decided that an operation should be performed and that it would be best that the sick priest be removed to St. Mary's hospital, which was at once done.

Dr. Mulligan performed the operation, and was assisted by the above named physicians and Dr. Lane. Father O'Hare was suffering from appendicitis, which developed into general peritonitis. Father O'Hare rallied somewhat after the operation, but later he began to sink, and his condition became extremely critical.

Drs. O'Hare, Carroll, Mulligan and house physicians were constantly at the bedside until the last breath of life had sighed away. The two sisters of the dying priest, the Misses Catherine and Mary O'Hare, of 194 Frank street, this city, were also at the bedside, as were Revs. William Gleeson and Bernard W. Gommenginger, Father O'Hare's assistants. They prayed constantly and unceasingly at the bedside.

Father O'Hare was born in this city fifty-two years ago, and except for a few years spent at the Troy seminary, he had always made his home here. His early education was obtained in Rochester and later he went to Troy. He graduated from the seminary there with honors, and September 5, 1869, he was ordained by Rt. Rev. Bishop McQuaid, who appointed him to serve as an assistant at St. Patrick's cathedral.

Two years afterwards he was made pastor of St. Bridget's church, after which he became rector of the cathedral. When he assumed charge of the cathedral there was an indebtedness of about \$80,000 overhanging it. This he liquidated before his rectorship ceased.

In 1886 Father O'Hare became pastor of the church of the Immaculate Conception, where he worked until death ended his labors. At this last charge were his great executive and pastoral abilities most pronounced. He built the church up until it now it has one of the largest congregations in the diocese. In this work he was ably assisted by Fathers Gleason and Gommenginger.

September 5, 1894, Father O'Hare celebrated the silver jubilee of his priesthood, at his parochial residence, 267 Plymouth avenue, at which time many of the priests from this and other dioceses were present to congratulate him. He received from them at the time a present of \$1,000 in gold, and that same day he received a present of \$1,520 from his congregation.

Father O'Hare's predecessors were Rev. Father Patrick Byrne who served about 10 years as pastor, he died March 26, 1875, and Rev. Michael M. Mesagher, who also was pastor a little over ten years. He died January 22, 1886. Father O'Hare was pastor over twelve years. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

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RETREAT.

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