

The Catholic Journal

The Only Catholic Newspaper Published in the Diocese.

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY AT 334 1/2 East Main Street, Rochester, N. Y.

CATHOLIC JOURNAL PUBLISHING COMPANY

If paper is not received Saturday notify the office Report without delay any change of address giving both old and new.

Communications solicited from all Catholics, accompanied in every instance by the name of the contributor. Names of contributors withheld if desired.

Subscription Rates: For Year, In Advance, \$1.00 Entered as second class mail matter.

SATURDAY, OCT. 8, 1898.



City News Agents

The CATHOLIC JOURNAL is sold by the following newsdealers, and can be obtained of them Saturday mornings.

THE CELEBRATION.

This week has been a glorious one for the Catholic people of the Diocese. The triple celebration at St. Patrick's cathedral was one of magnitude and splendor, and its equal was never seen in this city before.

The bishop has paid particular attention to building up a system of a parochial schools which assure every Catholic child a good religious as well as secular education.

Many of the faithful offered up a prayer last Wednesday for the venerable jubilarian that he might live to see the full fruition of his noble endeavors among us.

ANOTHER CONVERT.

Mrs. Rosa Dichter, a Jewess, announces her conversion to the Catholic faith, all the objections of her husband who is a devout Jew to the contrary notwithstanding.

Mrs. Dichter was suffering from an apparently incurable disease when she was admitted to St. Agnes' hospital, which is under the supervision of the Catholic church.

OUR NEW PREMIUM

We have had a number of calls for the picture of St. Anthony lately and in order to satisfy our subscribers we have decided to give to each subscriber who pays one dollar in advance a beautiful picture of the saint, 12 x 16 inches, also an artistic aluminum medal.

FORTY HOURS' ADORATION.

October 9—St. Joseph's, Rochester; Dundee, Geneseo; St. Alphonsus, Auburn.

bration of the jubilee of the church. Papal Delegate Martinelli came to Pittsburg to officiate at the pontifical high mass.

The Rev. Father Patrick F. McSweeney, rector of St. Bridget's church, has inaugurated open air evangelistic meetings in New York, an experiment never before tried by the Catholic church in this country.

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. Notable October holy days are the Guardian Angel's, 3; St. Francis of Assisi's, 4; St. Bridget of Sweden's, 8; St. Francis Borgia's, 10; St. Edward's, 13; St. Teresa's, 15; St. Luke's, 18; St. Raphael's, 24; St. Simon of Jude's, 28; and St. Alphonsus of Rodriguez's, 30.

NOTABLE CONVERTS

On the list of converts to the Catholic church, as prepared by the Paulist Fathers, are names of persons distinguished in social and political life in this country and Europe.

Among those mentioned are Henry Dillon, former District Attorney for Los Angeles, Cal.; Edward L. Pugh, son of Senator Pugh of Alabama, and member of the Inter-State Commerce commission; the Viscomtesse L. de Dampierre, baptized at St. Joseph's, Paris; Mrs. Anna Trakall, of Vienna, in the church of the Salesians, Turin; Miss Sybil Thorold, youngest daughter of the late bishop of Winchester, of the church of England; the Rev. Thomas Barnes, curate of the church of England; Reginald Bruce Fellows, son of Col. Robert Bruce Fellows, O. B.; E. W. Howard, late of the British Embassy at Rome; the Rev. A. B. Sharpe, late rector of St. Peter's church, Vauxhall, London, and William Ralph Cator, nephew of the Rev. H. Cator of the Brompton Oratory, London.

We have had a number of calls for the picture of St. Anthony lately and in order to satisfy our subscribers we have decided to give to each subscriber who pays one dollar in advance a beautiful picture of the saint, 12 x 16 inches, also an artistic aluminum medal.

October 9—St. Joseph's, Rochester; Dundee, Geneseo; St. Alphonsus, Auburn. October 16—Lima, Farmersville, Phelps, Coldwater, Owego. October 19—Perkinsville. October 23—Livonia, Northville, Charlotte. October 30—St. Francis Xavier's, Rochester; Honeye Flats.

THE GOSPELS

GOSPEL: St. Matthew xxii. 2-14. —At that time, Jesus spoke to the chief priests and Pharisees in parables, saying: "The kingdom of heaven is likened to a certain king, who made a marriage for his son. And he sent his servants to call them that were invited to the marriage; and they would not come. Again he sent other servants, saying: 'Tell them that were invited: Behold, I have prepared my dinner; my beves and fattings are killed, and all things are ready: come ye to the wedding. But they neglected, and went their ways, one to his farm, and another to his merchandise. And the rest laid hands on his servants, and, having treated them contemptuously, put them to death. But when the king had heard of it he was angry, and sending his armies, he destroyed those murderers, and burnt their city. Then he saith to his servants: The marriage indeed is ready; but they that were invited were not worthy. Go ye therefore into the highways; and as many as you shall find, call to the marriage. And his servants, going forth into the highways, gathered together all that they found, both bad and good; and the marriage was filled with guests. And the king went in to see the guests; and he saw there a man who had not on a wedding garment. And he saith to him, Friend, how camest thou in hither not having on a wedding garment? But he was silent. Then the king said to the waiters: Bind his hands and feet, and cast him into the exterior darkness: there shall he weeping and gnashing of teeth. For many are called, but few are chosen."

From this we may learn that God hates sin but not the sinner; because, although he is His enemy by sin, still he is His creature, created unto His likeness, and redeemed by the blood of Jesus Christ; therefore He is inclined to treat him in a friendly manner whenever, accepting the invitation of His grace, he will ask pardon for his sins and provide himself by repentance with the nuptial garment, which he has not when in the state of sin.

Weekly Church Calendar Sunday, October 9—Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost. Epist. Eph iv 23-28. Gosp. Matt xxii. 2-14. Monday, 10—St. Francis Borgia, confessor. Tuesday, 11—Feria. Wednesday, 12—Feria. Thursday, 13—St. Edward the Confessor, King of England. Friday, 14—St. Callistus I. Pope and martyr. Saturday, 15—St. Theresa, virgin.

TWENTY YEARS A PRIEST.

Rev. J. J. Leary of Corpus Christi Church Celebrates a Double Anniversary. Last Sunday Rev. James J. Leary, pastor of Corpus Christi church, celebrated the twentieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood and the tenth of his pastorate at this parish. Solemn high mass was celebrated by Father Leary with Rev. Dr. DeMaurier of St. Bernard's as deacon and Rev. Ludlow E. Lapham of St. Bernard's as sub-deacon. Special music was rendered by a choir under the direction of Mrs. Mary Vogt. In his sermon Father Leary briefly reviewed his pastorate, and thanked the parishioners for the manner in which they had always responded to requests made upon them for the maintenance of the church.

During the day he was the recipient of hearty congratulations from his many friends and acquaintances. Rev. J. J. Leary was born in Rochester and has resided here nearly all his life. He was educated in the parochial schools of the city and was afterwards connected with a business house in the city. His preparatory training was received at St. Andrew's seminary and he finished his course in 1872. The remainder of his education was received at the Provincial seminary at Troy, N. Y.

In October, 1878, he received the holy orders from Bishop McQuaid at St. Patrick's cathedral. He was immediately appointed assistant rector of the Immaculate Conception church in this city. The late Father Maher was rector of the church at the time. After remaining here for a year the young priest was appointed pastor of St. Paul's church in Honeye Falls. In addition to the duties of pastor at this place he had charge of the East Rush mission. He remained in charge of these parishes until 1888, when he was appointed rector of Corpus Christi church when that parish was formed from St. Mary's. The parish was very small in numbers at that time, but under Father Leary's care has greatly increased in membership.

To Give a Reception. A grand reception will be given by the Zella Vocal Club at Cox Hall Wednesday evening, October 12th, by the following members: Misses Tillie Staley, Laura Maloney, Katherine Fink, Margaret Drummond, Marie Dorsey, Laura Mutter, Mrs. W. J. O'Leary. Directress, Mrs. M. Vogt.

HEROINE OF CHARITY

BY MARY ROWENA COTTER. Author of "The Two Cousins."

CHAPTER IV. [Continued from last week.]

"On Christmas eve when my dear little Bessie kissed me good night and asked God to bless papa and mamma and give them a merry Christmas, it seemed as if the innocent child were cursing me and I must break my promise to that cowardly man, but no, the money was in my possession and I must do his work or lose it and perhaps he might do me some great injury if I refused."

"My wife was not feeling very well that evening and could not go to midnight mass, but I went out just as the bell rang for mass and made her believe that I went. Instead of going to the church I went and hid myself in one of the outhouses belonging to the mansion until it was time for mass to be over, then took my place under the window where I had been told to wait for the company to return to the hall. The man who had hired me to commit the crime was one of your most honored guests that evening and he took special pains to see that his victim stood in front of the window where he had told me to wait. He, himself, had called him there and was talking to him when I drew my pistol and fired the fatal shot."

"It was the work of only a moment and the next thing for me to do was to make my escape. I did not even dare to look in the window to see the effect of the shot, but ran across the lots, throwing my pistol in the river as I passed it, and did not stop until I had reached home. I retired, but not to rest, for it was a long and miserable night to me and it seemed to me as if morning would never come. Every sound I heard I thought was some one coming to arrest me, even the howling of the wind I imagined was the echo of the cry my victim must have uttered if the ball struck him, but, oh! how I hoped it had not."

No one came near my home, for the author of my crime kept his promise in trying to divert suspicion from anyone living in my part of the village."

"In the morning when the news of the murder reached me and I had heard the words of sympathy spoken in your behalf by my wife, it seemed as if I could not bear the remorse and in my misery I wished that I, myself, had been the victim. Oh! for that perfect tranquility and peace of mind I had felt the Christmas before, but it was gone, never to return. My wife knelt down and prayed for the departed soul, also for the repentance and forgiveness of the murderer, little dreaming that she was offering up prayers for her own wretched husband; I had to go to mass with her and my dear little Bessie and listen to the prayers said for him there, (I cannot mention his name) but harder still was it for me to attend the funeral with them and there meet the assassin face to face. That afternoon he called on me to assure me that I was not suspected and to tell me to keep up my courage and I would probably never be found out. He left Torrence the same week and it was three years before I heard from him again."

The sick man paused from exhaustion, and Inez fearing that his voice had left him, turned to beckon to the priest who was sitting near the door in the next room, when he laid his hand upon her arm and said in a hoarse whisper, "I have not finished yet, I have not told you who that cold-hearted criminal was."

"In the name of Walter Tracy I forgive you," said Inez with a great effort, "and pray God to do the same as Walter did with his dying breath. I feel very sorry for you and do not think you are as much to be blamed as the one who caused you to commit the deed, but please grant me this favor. I'd rather not have you mention his name, for I do not want to know who he is."

"But you must know, for it may save you many years of unhappiness. I cannot die without telling you, and that was one reason why I was so anxious to see you. Do you remember the night that my little girl died?"

Inez bowed in the affirmative, and he continued, "It was then that I heard from that man for the first time after he went away. I was thinking of him and of the just punishment it would be for me to lose my darling who was the greatest treasure I had on earth. I cursed him in my heart and was wondering where he was, hoping that he might yet suffer more than I had when you came in with his name on your lips. You said that you could not come before because Sir Edward Sarsdale had been at your home. How I longed to tell you all then, and put you on your guard against that cold-hearted villain whose only motive for the crime was jealousy, for he wished to fill the place of his victim. In my misery I cared not for his wrath, but dreaded, for the sake of my dear wife and child to let it be known that I was murderer."

[To be continued.] Send your job printing to this office.

SIBLEY, LINDSAY & CURR CO.

DRESS GOODS.

Receiving doors are still wide open; each day this center aisle Dress Goods section shows the brightness of new comers. One day it's Novelties, Fancy Weaves, into which the Frenchman has worked all his cunning and his genius, and right here we would add that the greatest surprise of this Dress Goods Department to those familiar with the New York market, is the values we present in French pattern novelties. The next day the plain weaves receive recruits. It's two lines of these that we have in mind for your particular notice here.

50-inch Broadcloths, fine, good weight, cloths that have a much better right to retail for \$1 than 75c; at least twenty-five different shades—blues, reds, greens, browns, tans, grays, castor purple.

Ten colors in 43-inch and 44-inch French poplins; two greens, three blues, two brown, three reds; you'll be surprised at the quality, 75c a yard.

Snug Blanket Weather.

We meet this Snug Blanket weather with generous Blanket bargains. We look for unprecedented Blanket selling. Blankets have jumped over usual boundaries here, there's a department for Blanket selling opened in the Basement, back of the stairway.

Good Bed Blankets from 29c to \$3.98 a pair are here. At 29c a pair, At 37c a pair, At 50c a pair, At 59c a pair, At 65c a pair, At 75c a pair, At 87c a pair, At \$1.25 a pair, At \$1.50 a pair, At \$2.00 a pair, At \$2.69 a pair, At \$3.19 a pair, At \$3.98 a pair.

Fine generous size, white Bed Blankets with pink, blue and red borders, full 5 lb. weight by the scales, a good pair of blankets at \$1.25 will buy anywhere, for 87c.

Tan Bed Blankets with colored borders, size 64 x 80 in., 3 1/2 lb weight, for 59c a pair. Fancy brown mixed, tan and light grey Blankets, for wrappers at 89c a pair.

White, fine, soft Bed Blankets, 68 x 80 in., weight 5 1/4 lbs., for \$2.69 a pair. 5 1/2 lb Bed Blankets, all pure wool, measuring 72 x 78 in., for \$3.98 a pair.

BANNER OIL HEATERS.

W. J. Thompson never attempt to foster false fashion views in order to doesn't keep warm can easily be made comfortable with a Banner Heater, which costs \$5.

There are cheaper Oil Heaters, but these are costing more. It would be false economy to pay less, not necessary to give a higher price. Fashion's decree this fall is for Fancy Silks—Taffetas and here they are in most generous assortments. 75c, 85c, \$1.15, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50, and \$3 a yard.

Banner Heaters are constructed on the correct principle—draw the air in, heat it, and throw it out; give more warmth than any other Oil Heater of which we know.

Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Co.

CATHOLIC SOCIETIES. What is Transpiring in the Diocese. Profraternities—Current Calendar. PICKINGS FOR THE GOOD OF THE C. M. B. A. BY J. J. H., 3-81. FRIENDSHIP. The value of friendship is, beyond question, one to be greatly prized. It appeals to the personality of the individual in its true sense, and only by an understanding of its inter-helpful relations.

W. J. MORSE, Manufacturing OPTICIAN. 109-111 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Examination Free. Rochester, N. Y.

D. J. Ryan, Real Estate and Fire Insurance. MONEY TO LOAN. 224 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

Cook Opera House. J. H. Moore, Manager. TWICE DAILY. Week October 10th, 3 to 5.30 to 11 p. m. Daily MODERN VAUDEVILLES. All Stars. CHAS. E. GRAPWIN. ANNA CHANCE. COOK & CLINTON. FLORENCE MOORE. BILLY McCLAIN. CORDELIA McCLAIN. MAZZIOTTA. THE GREAT JUDGE. On the Great BIOGRAPH. Rough Riders. Troops Landing at Santiago. Conway, England. Big Gun. 10 in all. Parquette, 30c. Balcony, 15c. Gallery, 10c. BICYCLES CARED FOR FREE.

Loomer & Sykes, Lawn Mowers Sharpened Called for and delivered. Telephone 1409. 16 FRONT ST.