

## CITY PARISH NEWS.

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporters

### HOLY AT STYLES

The devotion of the Forty Hours will commence in this church next Sunday after the high mass and close on Tuesday morning. The preachers will be, Dr. Owen McGuire on Sunday evening, Father A. M. O'Neill on Monday evening and Dr. Andrew Brown on Tuesday evening.

A very handsome pulpit, the work of the W. J. Feeley Co., of Providence, has been received and is greatly admired by all who have seen it.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen McDonald of Gates, was recently held at the church. Brother Baldwin of Manhattan College, New York city, a brother of the deceased attended the services. Father Murphy celebrated the mass.

A class of children is preparing for first communion which will take place on the Feast of Corpus Christi, June 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Burns, of 95 Sherman street, are afflicted by the death of their little daughter, Claire, aged 17 months. They have the sympathy of the members of the parish.

George McKay of Anglo street, brother of the late Dr. McKay, who will be remembered by many of the older inhabitants as a prominent physician of Rochester, is quite sick.

### ST. ANTHONY'S

In a letter to Father Breanihan, Father Hendrick stated he would be at Bristow, Va., May 11th, the guest of Father Julius, whose new church will be dedicated upon that day.

Father Hogan of South Dakota, was celebrant of the high mass last Sunday.

Sister Florence of Seneca Falls, formerly member of this parish, is at Nazareth Hall recovering from a severe illness.

Daniel L. Moriarty and Miss Elizabeth Krautwurst were married at the rectory last week, Father Breanihan officiating. Mr. Moriarty is an optician at Bauch & Lomb's.

The meeting of the Cardinal Newman Reading Circle was postponed last Monday as it was impossible for Father Hickey to attend. His lecture will be delivered Monday evening May 22nd. Several musical selections will also be rendered.

A new rule has been made for the school children in regard to approaching the sacraments. The girls are to receive upon the first Sunday of the month and the boys upon the second Sunday. It is hoped the parents will see that this rule will be strictly observed. All the children are free to approach the sacraments upon the first Friday who desire to do so.

A requiem mass was offered Friday morning for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Minnie Gumbert, late member of Branch 27 L. C. B. A.

Miss Anna Lewis of Avenue D, has been called to Janesville, Wis., on account of the death of her sister.

Mrs. Nolan of Soranton street, is recovering from her illness.

Miss Winnie Drury of Bergen, was the guest of her cousin the Misses Drury of Hart avenue, this week.

Miss Mary Buckley of North St. Paul street, is dangerously ill.

Miss Anna Hogan spent this week in New York city.

Mrs. M. A. Stupp of Gorham street, will entertain the fortnightly pedro club next Wednesday evening.

The May party, given under the auspices of the Young Men's Society, last evening at Culver hall, was a very pleasant and enjoyable affair. The members of this society have formed a ball club.

Brothers Wendelin of the Society of the Divine Word, made a short visit at the rectory this week. This order has moved from Pennsylvania to Illinois. They will open a home for destitute boys in the vicinity of Chicago.

The petition box of St. Anthony is an excellent source of making pleas heard. Miss Wallace has the gratitude of many in their prayers to St. Anthony.

### HOLY REDEMPTION

Miss Maria Schneider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Schneider of 414 Hudson avenue, and Mr. Peter Herman, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. F. Oberholzer, on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The bride was attired in a silver gray dress and wore feather ornaments carrying a shower bouquet of sweet peas. The bridesmaid, Miss Adeline Herman, was dressed in white chiffon and carried pink and lavender bouquet. The maid of honor was Miss Lizzie Mantle of Auburn, N. Y. Frank Schneider was best man and Edward Herman and Arthur Finzer ushers. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride where the happy couple received the congratulations of a score of friends.

### EMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Mrs. M. J. McMahon of 600 Plymouth avenue, has returned from New York.

On Friday evening the amusing drama "A Useful Change" was admirably presented by eight young people of the Alumni of this parish. The large hall was comfortably occupied by an appreciative audience. The following young people's efforts to furnish funds for the purpose of purchasing books for a school library deserve commendation: Misses C. Hughes, M. McDonald, M. Courneen, Messrs. R. Connors, H. Sheam, F. Connors, J. Predmore and J. Collins.

On Sunday a large class of girls and boys will receive first communion at the 8.30 o'clock mass.

The children of the school are rehearsing for exercises to be held in June.

The Forty Hours devotion closed in this church Wednesday morning.

On May 18, in accordance with custom, the alumni will hold a banquet in the school hall.

### ST. SPANISLAUS

Rev. T. Szadinski is visiting his brother in the old country.

### ST. MARY'S

At the meeting of the Santa Marie Reading Circle on Monday evening Father Kiernan read an interesting paper on "Martin Luther." Vocal selections were sung by Miss Cosgrove and Miss Frank.

Father Kiernan and Father Connors attended the funeral of Mrs. Hanna, mother of Dr. Hanna, on Tuesday morning.

Mr. John Howe is in a critical condition at his home on Alexander street.

### ST. BONIFACE

Rev. Father Rauber is preparing a large class for first holy communion.

George Klee of 278 Meigs street, died Sunday morning, aged 70 years. He leaves a widow, six sons and two daughters and one brother. Funeral was held Wednesday morning.

The Knights of St. Boniface, commandery 25 Knights of St. John, held a complimentary May party Monday evening at Weider's hall, corner Grand and Cayuga streets. The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity and besides the staff nearly every commandery and auxiliary in the city was represented.

### ST. PETER AND PAUL'S

Miss Laura Stephan and Frank Dietrick were united in marriage at St. Peter and Paul's church Tuesday morning. The nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. F. X. Sinclair, D. D., pastor of the church, and the choir of which both bride and groom are members, assisted in the services.

The bridesmaids were Miss Alice Stephan, sister of the bride, and Miss Ida Kirsch and the groom was attended by Messrs. George Forest and Charles Klein. A reception followed the wedding breakfast at the home of the bride, No. 202 Orange street. The young couple's future home will be at No. 177 West Maple street.

### ST. MONICA

Rt. Rev. Bishop B. J. McQuaid administered holy communion to a class of forty boys and girls at the early mass, which was celebrated at 8.30 o'clock at this church last Sunday. During the mass Miss Kittie Moran sang Bellini's "O Salutaris." During the communion Misses Anna and Alice Brophy sang "O Lord I Am not worthy." After the consecration Alexander Mills sang "O Jesu Vive." The Te Deum was sung by the congregation after the ceremonies.

High mass was celebrated at 10.30 o'clock by Rev. Charles Fischer of St. Andrew's Seminary. In the Sanctuary were Very Rev. Rev. Monsignor H. De Regge, Very Rev. James P. Kiernan, V. G.; Rev. A. J. McMahon of St. Bernard's Seminary and Rev. Father Ryan of New Foundland. Rev. J. Brophy pastor of the church, acted as master of ceremonies. Bishop McQuaid preached the sermon, drawing a comparison between the life of St. Monica and that of the women of the nineteenth century.

The evening services began at 7.30 o'clock. The children of the first communion class renewed their baptismal vows. Rev. Father Brophy spoke on "The Christian of the Nineteenth Century." J. P. F. MacGreeney sang "O Salutaris" and "Holy God" was sung as closing hymn by the entire congregation.

### CATHEDRAL

To-morrow, the second Sunday of the month, the regular meeting of the Young Men's Society will be held at Lady Chapel at 7.30 p. m. Vespers and benediction in the Cathedral also at 7.30 p. m.

The lecture on "The Drama" by Henry Austin Adams at Cathedral hall at 8.15.

The feast of the Ascension is also set aside as "First Communion day" at the cathedral. On last Thursday morning, the children's mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Hickey and the band of children who received numbered 85 boys and 80 girls. The 9.30 mass was celebrated by Rev. Wm. Ryan with Rev. A. A. Hughes

as deacon and Rev. J. Fisher as sub-deacon. An eloquent sermon on the gospel of the day was preached by Rev. Emil Geifel. The renewal of baptismal vows for the children took place at 2.30 in the afternoon, and vespers and benediction at 7.30 in the evening.

### MRS. ANNA HANNA.

Prominent Resident of Rochester Passed Peacefully Away.

Mrs. Anna Clark Hanna, mother of Rev. Dr. Hanna of St. Bernard's Seminary, died Sunday at the family residence, 187 Brown street. Mrs. Hanna suffered with an attack of the grip about Christmas time, from which she never entirely recovered and last Friday the disease culminated in acute pneumonia, which proved fatal. The deceased lady was born in Ireland in 1835 and came to this country with her parents when a small child. The family settled in Rochester and here she received her early education and training.

In 1859 she was married to Edward Hanna, who carried on an extensive cooperage business in this city. Mrs. Hanna was a member of the Cathedral congregation and was actively interested in the benevolent and charitable enterprises of the church and city. She was especially active in her devotion to the hospitals and gave largely to their development and maintenance. She was a woman of rare judgment and indomitable will and in her quiet way exerted a strong influence for good in the community.

She was an ideal Christian woman and constant in her endeavors to uplift humanity. Deceased was blessed with five children, Madame Anna Hanna of the religious community of the Sacred Heart, Mrs. William Bassett of this city, Frank and James Hanna, well known to the business circles of Rochester, and Dr. Edward Hanna, professor of dogmatic theology in St. Bernard's Seminary.

The funeral was held Tuesday morning from her late home, at 9.30 o'clock, and from St. Patrick's cathedral at 10 o'clock. The mass was celebrated by Rev. E. J. Hanna, D. D., son of the deceased, assisted by Father Thomas Hickey, rector of the cathedral, and Father Andrew E. Breen, D. D., of St. Bernard's Seminary, as sub-deacon. Very Rev. H. De Regge, chancellor of the diocese, acted as sub-deacon. Special music was rendered by the choir. The bearers were James Fee, Thomas Flannery, John Kiley, E. J. Gavin, John L. Madden and John McAnarney.

### A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

We regret to have to print in this issue, that Mr. C. J. Dollen while out for a ride on his wheel on last Sunday, met with a very painful accident by being thrown from his wheel. The young man who is an enthusiastic wheelman, very narrowly escaped death, and even yet lies at his home in a very critical condition, with scalp wounds and sprains which will take weeks before he is again well. We hope through the skill and untiring efforts of Dr. Guinan he will pull through with only a few marks as a reminder of his terrible accident.

### FIRST CONCERT OF THE POLYHYMNISTS.

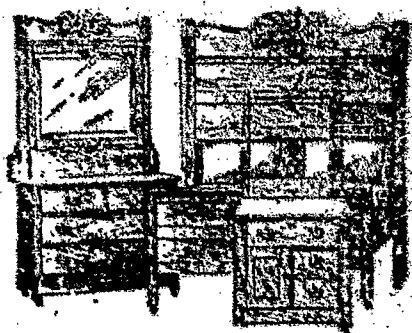
The Polyhymnists are to hold their first concert of the season at Cathedral hall on Monday evening next. An excellent program has been prepared and all who attend will be assured of hearing a first class concert. Among those who will take part are Miss Grace Buell, Marie Hale Loevy and Flavie Van Dey Hende.

### COOK OPERA HOUSE.

The vaudeville offering at Cook Opera House the coming week opening Monday, May 15th, includes almost every style of amusement in the variety field. There is comedy, music, gymnastic feats and dramatic sketch. While in New York a few weeks ago in search of novelties, Manager Moore secured Williams and Tucker who were then creating quite a stir in the Metropolis and their appearance here next week in their sketch entitled "Skinny's Finish" will be a treat to his local patrons. The name of Samuel Siegel is well known to every musician throughout the country and the management is to be congratulated on securing such a refined and artistic act. Miss Lucretia Moser the noted operatic singer and star will reappear. The Columbian Four a musical novelty of note is also a strong and entertaining feature. In Wilson and Halpin there is a good laugh coming. Keeley Brothers the double ball punning act complete the bill. Four complete performances are given daily.

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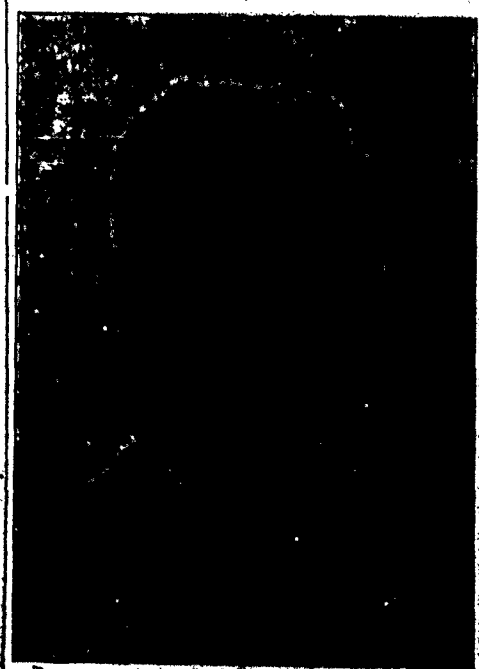
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