

**CITY PARISH NEWS.**

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporters

**ST. BRIDGET'S**

Father Hendrick will be in retreat at St. Bernard's Seminary next week. The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Heveron, one of the oldest members of this parish, took place last Saturday, Father Hendrick officiating, Father Joseph Hendrick of Ovid, and Father Gommengier being present in the sanctuary. Her six grand nephews, Joseph and Michael Brennan, John and Thomas Carey, Edward Devany and Andrew Highland were pall bearers. The choir was assisted by Mrs. Rampe, Miss Madden, Mr. J. H. MacSweeney, Mr. D. Clark and Mr. Thomas Cashman. Frederick Rauber presided at the organ in the absence of Miss Connell.

A high mass of requiem was offered Monday at 8 a. m. for Mrs. Heveron, given by the Rosary society of which she was a member.

High mass will be resumed next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.

Luke Skelly, formerly a pupil of our school, is confined to his home by a severe attack of rheumatism.

Cornelius Lowe and Miss Mary Welch were married last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. K. Collins of Elmira street, is visiting friends at Toronto.

Miss Winifred Drury of Bergen, is the guest of her cousins, the Misses Drury of Hart avenue.

Miss Anna Hogan of Gordon Park, spent this week in New York.

Two or three of the boys of the class of 1900 will attend St. Andrew's Seminary this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brophy and daughter Clara of Elmira, have returned home from a visit to Mrs. Brophy's sisters, the Misses Madden of North St. Paul street.

Mrs. Thos. Buckley of Hand street, has been visiting friends in Buffalo.

Miss Margaret Rauber has returned from a six week's visit to friends in Canada.

Officer Golding is spending his vacation in Canada. The officer is a great sufferer from hay fever and seeks his cure in "the border land."

We were pleased to have Father Bronkhan of Churohville, with us one day this week.

The funeral of Miss Mary Rigney took place from this church Wednesday at 9 a. m.

We are sorry to learn that Sister Ephrasia, principal of our school for the past several years, will not return this fall. She has been assigned to the principalship of the Normal school on Dewey avenue. We congratulate her on her promotion but we are very sorry to lose her from our corps of teachers. Her place will be supplied by Sister Fabian, of Brockport.

**ST. MARY'S**

The funeral of John Logan took place on Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Patrick Mooney and Margaret Carey were married on Wednesday morning, by Father Murphy.

There was an anniversary mass this morning for Jas. C. Barry.

There will be an anniversary mass on Monday for Father Stewart.

The funeral of Thomas Barrett, whose death occurred Sunday night as the result of a fall from the toboggan chute at Charlotte, took place on Wednesday morning.

Miss Fannie Moran will preside at the organ during the absence of Miss Madden.

Father Connors is in retreat at St. Bernard's Seminary.

John Sheil of Arbutis avenue, Brighton, is spending a few weeks in Chicago.

Miss Elizabeth Toban is visiting a her home in Addison.

George Knapp, Jr. is spending a few weeks with a camping party at Manitow.

The "None Such" pedro club held a picnic last week at Windsor Beach. It was a very successful affair. Prizes for various sports being awarded to the Misses Cecelia Carey, Catherine Watson, Cecelia Hughes, Mildred Knapp, May Stupp and Messrs. Carey, Jones, Hughes, Powers and McAnally.

Mrs. Schooley, son Richard, and daughter, are spending a few weeks at Onesus Lake.

Rev. Father Griffin who has been visiting with his parents on Hamilton street since his ordination, will leave for his field of labor, about Sept. 6th. He goes to Winona, Minn.

**CORPUS CHRISTI**

Rev. Dr. Meehan and Rev. Father Connors assisted at this church on Sunday last.

Patrick Finn, a member of Branch 189, C. M. B. A., was injured quite severely on Wednesday last, at the New York Central train yards in East Rochester.

Mrs. B. McFarlin of Scio street, has returned home from Grand View Beach, where she has been staying for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cleary of Meng Park, have returned from a trip to the Thousand Islands.

C. H. Crowley and family have returned home from the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brady of Alexander street, are spending a few weeks with friends in Quebec, Canada.

William McCarthy of North Union street, is spending several days at the lake at the T. J. Sullivan cottage.

Henry Hebing, Jr., will leave on Monday morning for Elmira, N. Y., where he goes as a representative from Branch 189 C. M. B. A. at the New York State Grand Council convention.

Mrs. H. B. Reynolds and daughter, Miss Madeline, of Merriman street, have returned home from Chicago, Ill., where they spent several days the guest of Mr. William Reynolds.

James Maguire and family of Alexander street, have returned from the lake.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of John Cleary and Anna Culhane.

**ST. JOSEPH'S**

The Young Ladies' Aid Society and altar boys enjoyed themselves immensely at their picnic Monday at Mr. Zinks' farm. The ladies showed themselves most kindly to the little lads by treating them with goodies. They took part in the many games and sports.

On August 28th the Young Ladies' Aid Society had a pleasant social in their rooms. The celebration being the names day of Rev. August Fingel, the director of the society. Revs. Father Oler and Ott, were present on the occasion.

Next Sunday afternoon the conferences of the Holy Family will be opened.

Tuesday, Sept. 4th, school will be opened. Parents are requested to send their children on the first day of the school so that the organization of the classes may not be disturbed by late comers.

Next Friday the usual Sacred Heart devotions will be held at 5.30 o'clock.

The funeral of George Elbs took place last Monday morning at 8.30 from family residence, 454 1/2 Central avenue, and 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church. Rev. C. Oler celebrated the solemn mass, Prof. Bauer organist, and Miss Zegewitz sang a solo as the remains were borne from the church. There was a large delegation of members of Branch 81, C. M. B. A., of which he was a charter member. The floral tributes were many. The honorary bearers were Col. Henry Schlick, Fred Armsbruster, Joseph Aspenleiter, J. F. Ritz. The following were active bearers: John Hettlerich, John Klem, Isidore Schlitzers, John Schmitt, Ed. Koichoff and Peter Reichert.

**CATHEDRAL**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ryan, and Miss McLaughlin of Montreal, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Culkins, last week.

The remains of Andrew Breen, who was killed by electricity in Baltimore last week Thursday, were brought to Rochester and interred in Holy Sepulchre cemetery Sunday. He was the son of Andrew Breen of 178 Jay street and was 27 years of age.

The Misses Carrie and Katherine Baldwin of Yonkers, N. Y., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Galvin of Terry street.

Miss Catherine Smith of Brooklyn, is spending the summer with her mother.

Miss Minnie O'Laughlin is at Cliff Haven.

The second retreat for the Nazareth sisters is being conducted at the Dewey avenue convent.

Miss Kathryn Goodyear of Brown street, has returned after her summer vacation.

The priests of the diocese will be on retreat at St. Bernard's next week.

**HOLY REDEEMER**

The Knights of St. Louis received holy communion in a body last Sunday morning.

The funeral of Mrs. Michaels took place last Monday morning at 8.30.

Cards are out for the marriage of Mr. Michael Storandt and Miss Anna Sobicker.

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**

Henry Holloran and Miss Ella Snider were married Saturday evening at Immaculate Conception church by the Rev. Father Gleeson. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Mamie Snider, and the groom by P. Pungent. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's uncle, Enos Snider, 101 Jay street. Mr. and Mrs. Holloran will be a home after September 1st at 70 Waverley Place.

Mrs. E. M. Benjamin left for Chicago, Ill., last Saturday, after a two months' visit with her sister, Mrs. Jno. Diehl of 281 Plymouth avenue.

**BIGGER AND BETTER ATTRACTIONS**

Will be Presented by Manager Moore This Season at Cook Opera House.

Manager Moore, of Rochester's prettiest and popular playhouse has just established an elegant looking office in the metropolis and will devote nearly all of his time in Greater New York in securing the best of refined vaudeville features. Under the new policy which Manager Moore will inaugurate this season, only two complete performances will be given daily, afternoon and evening. This enables managers to obtain far better artists than heretofore and the long list of celebrities offered, starting with the opening performances Monday afternoon, Sept. 3rd, will be unprecedented in the annals of high-class amusements. The theatre is now receiving its finishing touches. The extensive new decoration will be elaborate and handsome. The walls are unique and pretty, the ceiling is frescoed in empire red, gold and old ivory. The boxes are white and gold trimmings. All new bright effects will be displayed throughout the entire house. Grand stage effects, novel scenery, dazzling draperies, carpets, rugs, etc. The latest electrical devices. Better and more complete seating accommodations, superb ventilation, and many other valuable adjuncts have been made and when the theatre opens Monday afternoon, Sept. 3rd, there will be found the most complete and approved playhouse of America. As nothing will be found wanting in any essential detail, as it is strictly a modern twentieth century theatre operated on high-grade principals. The sale of tickets is now open and under the new policy tickets can be secured one week in advance. The scale of prices are as follows: Matinees, 10, 15 and 20 cents; box and divan seats 25 cents. Evening, 10, 20 and 30 cents, box and divan seats 50 cents. Two complete performances daily. Box offices open daily from 9 a. m. to 9.30 p. m. In the annex will be found a bureau of information, also cloak, check and bicycle room, all for the convenience of the Cook Opera House patrons free of charge. The following high-class programme has been arranged and the excellent coterie of attractions all new to Rochester vaudeville patrons will appear and they are all "top notchers": Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew, the well known stars in their successful comedietta, "When Two Hearts are Won," written by Kenneth Cox. The peerless comedienne, Lizzie B. Raymond, direct from her highly successful European engagement. Stinson and Merton, the autocrats of polite vaudeville. Hamilton Hill, the phenomenal Australian baritone vocalist in classic and popular songs of the twentieth century order. Hal Merritt and Florence Murdock, in their latest playlet, "A Friend in Need." The Bates Musical Trio. The amusing Buknells in amusing "Knick Knack" dancers. Farrell and Stark comedy bicycle experts. The Aherns in marvelous serial achievements. The box plan for reserved seats open at 9 a. m. daily and tickets can now be secured in advance.

**The Baker Theatre**

The Baker theatre opens its regular season on Monday, Sept. 3rd, with a special Labor day matinee. The initial attraction is Wm. Gillette's great comedy success "Because She Loved Him So," which will run for the first three days of the week with matinees daily. It will be given for the first time at popular prices, and the cast will remain the same as last season. It is a bright, clean and deservedly popular comedy which has achieved long runs in New York, Chicago and Boston. The last half of the week, with matinees on Thursday, and Saturday, Charles E. Blaney's latest effort "Across the Pacific," a sensational melodrama, will be the attraction. In all more than 100 people are employed on the stage and two carloads of special scenery are carried by the company.

**MRS. JOHN B. MEISCH**

Mary Meisch, wife of John B. Meisch, superintendent of the Holy Sepulchre cemetery, died at her home on the boulevard Tuesday morning, aged 30 years. Mrs. Meisch had been a sufferer with pneumonia and attendant ill, but despite her sickness had always been an active church worker, and was a kind friend to all who needed assistance. She lived for others more than herself, and her death affects many hearts. The funeral was held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the house and at 10 o'clock from Holy Cross church in Charlotte. The interment was in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

**Notice to Subscribers**

Our City collector Mr. C. A. Hudon will collect in all parishes next week.

**ST. STANISLAUS**

The closing of the forty hours took place Sunday evening. The following priests were in attendance: Rev. Fidelis Oberholzer, Rev. Hofschneider, Rev. J. A. Miller and Rev. Reganbogan.

**BAR ON WOODMEN**

Kansas Bishop Includes Maccabees in Sweeping Order.

Bishop Fink of the diocese of Leavenworth, Kan., has created a sensation in religious and lodge circles in that state by placing the ban on the Modern Woodmen and Maccabees, and forbidding all Catholics joining these secret orders.

Bishop Fink believes that practical and faithful Catholics are not allowed to join these societies, and are not allowed to remain in them after becoming members. On this account he holds that belonging to these orders tends to injure the Church.

The following is the order which he has sent to all the deans of the diocese:

"Very Rev. Dear Father—Please make known to the priests of your deanery that the Right Rev. Bishop on examination has found that the society of the Modern Woodmen and Maccabees are, in his opinion, societies which no practical Catholic is allowed to join or remain a member thereof. He desires the priests of his diocese to keep the faithful in their charge from entering them.

The Maccabees had already been put under the ban in several dioceses.

**Hibernian Rifles**

The regular monthly business meeting of Company A, Hibernian Rifles will be held at their head quarters, the City Bldg., on Tuesday evening, September 4th, at 8 p. m. All members are requested to be present. Several matters of importance will come up and final arrangements will be made for the installation banquet, also biennial reports to county convention and state president.

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