

# Correspondence

## OUR AGENT.

Mr. A. Herman will visit subscribers in Auburn, N. Y. next week.

## BARNARD'S CROSSING.

The church choir are receiving instructions regarding the Christmas and holiday music, which will be rendered in an appropriate manner.

Matthew Hogan, who was severely injured by a fall caused by a runaway team, will soon recover.

Mrs. Thomas Eddy and family of this place left last week to visit relatives in New York and transacting other business before returning home.

We feel it a duty to announce the death of Mrs. Charlotte Vanness, wife of the late Edward Van Ness, at the family home, Eagle Hollow, at the age of 84. The deceased was a model woman, kind and loving, giving her aid and sympathy to those in distress, and always willing to devote her services in the cause of the poor, sick or dying, regardless of any creed whatever. The attendance at her funeral was evidence of the esteem in which she was held.

## BATH.

The first of a series of progressive entertainment parties to be held during the winter, under the auspices of the L. C. B. A. of this village, was held last Friday evening in their parlors in the Hallock building. A most enjoyable evening was spent by those in attendance. The prizes were won by Miss Mary Convery and Mr. O'Connor.

Miss Margaret L. McNamara is clerk in the Ladies' Central bookstore, and Miss Lena Landgraf in Conley's during the holidays.

On Thursday evening of last week the Ladies' Auxiliary of Division 8, A. O. H., of Bath, held a most enjoyable dancing party in their parlors in the Hallock building. A large crowd of young people were in attendance, and the affair proved one of the most successful, both socially and financially, held in Bath this season.

St. Mary's Branch, 220, L. C. B. A., elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Spiritual adviser, Rev. J. J. Griffin; president, Mrs. W. F. Lindsay; first vice president, Nellie Lannon; second vice president, Mrs. Dennis Coffey; recorder, Margaret L. McNamara; assistant recorder, Mrs. Frederick Murray; financial secretary, Henry Convery; treasurer, Mary E. McNamara; marshal, Mrs. Charles Grattan; guard, Mary Quiry; trustees, Sarah Lannon and Matilda Convery.

Miss Mary Hogan and Genevieve Carr are visiting friends in Corning.

A term of County court was held here this week, Judge Robinson of Hornellsville presiding.

The special committee appointed to investigate the purchase of provisions for the Soldiers' Home reported that they found, after talking with the quartermaster and examining vouchers on file in his office, that large quantities of products were purchased outside of the state which in former years were purchased in this state. The committee recommended that a copy of the report be mailed to Gov. Odell and Assemblyman Frank C. Platt.

Dr. James T. Burdick, surgeon-in-chief at the Home, suspended on charges, will be given a hearing next Tuesday.

Elizabeth, the 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart died at their home in Campbell Creek last Sunday.

John Powers, distributing agent for Sing Sing prison, visited the Home last Saturday.

Jane E. Joy, mother of L. B. Joy of Bath, died at Buffalo the first of the week, aged 90 years.

## CANANDAIGUA.

The Holy Name society, organized during the mission, held its first meeting Sunday and elected officers as follows: President, John A. Taylor; vice president, W. Wilman; secretary, Henry Kelly; treasurer, Thomas Connell.

The coming holiday fair promises to be a great success. The entertainment on the evening will be a drawing card. Local and Rochester talent will be presented. Mrs. C. E. Stewart is training twelve young ladies and gentlemen to produce "The Vagabonds." Considerable rivalry has developed between the two booths, and both sides give promise of handsome returns. The first night will be "Holy Name" night, and the other societies will follow, each having a separate night.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop is expected to administer confirmation at the late mass next Sunday. The class consists of about one hundred.

Patrick Craven, killed at Medina by the falling of a wall, was buried here Saturday. It is consoling to feel that long death came suddenly he was not anticipating having made the mission here two weeks before. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Patrick Craven, and several nephews and nieces, besides a brother and two sisters in Ireland.

## EAST BLOOMFIELD.

On Sunday afternoon about five o'clock occurred the sad death of Mrs. John O'Neil after only a few days illness of pneumonia. Although her health had been greatly impaired for a number of years, for some time prior to her last illness she seemed quite well, not until Thursday of last week was her sickness considered serious. From that day however she failed rapidly until Sunday afternoon when she passed quietly and peacefully to her reward for a long well spent life. She is survived by her husband, four daughters, one son and two grandchildren all of whom were with her during her last hours. Deceased was a perfect example of a true Christian wife and mother, blessed with a kind loving disposition. She bore her many spells of sickness without complaint. The funeral was held Thursday morning at St. Bridget's church, solemn high mass being celebrated by Father Neville, assisted by Father Garvey of Lyons and Father Donnelly of Victor. When hearts of worth are proven, like mine are laid to rest, the world's death is never realized. Services at present are being held in O'Neil hall.

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Miss Kathryn Toomey visited friends in Rochester Junction last week.

Miss Blake, the nurse who had been with Miss Neville during her illness returned to her home in Rochester last Sunday.

Mrs. H. Toomey, of Buffalo, returned to her former home here where she expects to make an extended visit. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Welch have the sympathy of their many friends on the sudden death of their young son Walter aged sixteen years. Apparently as well as usual Saturday, on Sunday morning however he complained of a headache and remained in bed. Early in the afternoon a physician was called who pronounced the disease pneumonia. Walter grew worse each hour during the night and in spite of medicine or other aid died at three o'clock Monday afternoon CHILL.

A fair for the benefit of St. Feochan's church, Chill, was held during Thanksgiving week. The hall which is situated on the church lot was beautifully festooned for the occasion and enlivened every evening with the strains of sweet music. A very satisfactory report is on hand showing that the amount realized netted seven hundred and twenty dollars. The Chill people have reason to be proud of the result and thankful to their pastor and other friends who so largely contributed towards making this undertaking an enjoyable event and a financial success. In the voting contest for the Morris chair, Mr. James Fitzsimmons is the winner; for the Kodak, master Charlie Green, and for the handsome doll, little Dorothy Maxwell. Miss Kathryn Traverser won the Raglan for obtaining the largest cash returns for prize numbers and Mr. John Sheridan held the lucky number entitling him to the Mineral Clock composed of precious specimens from the mountains of Colorado.

## AUBURN.

The Holy Family church bazaar closed last Wednesday and was a success, notwithstanding the other churches had something for their benefit during the time. The bazaar was opened by His Honor Mayor Burgess, who paid a handsome tribute to Father Hickey's great work since he became pastor of the Holy Family church; that he had practically started the boom for building in Auburn after a great depression. The Hon. Theodore M. Pomeroy ex-speaker of the House of Representatives, was the next speaker. His address was most interesting. As an old resident of Auburn he knew the history of the Holy Family church as well as any church in the city and he was proud of Father Hickey, an old High School boy, who had returned to the home of his youth to build up and make both the interior and exterior one of the handsomest church edifices in the city. He said not only the Catholics, but the Protestants of Auburn were indebted to him for the grand work he had accomplished since he came to preside over the Holy Family congregation. He also spoke of Father Creedon, one Sunday at late mass forming a company in that church to go to war, and appointed Owen Garrigan as captain, and that company did honor to their country. He concluded by asking all to help the bazaar. Father Hickey then introduced the Hon. Judge Underwood, as he had previously introduced the others. Judge Underwood spoke of Father Hickey and himself being classmates in the High School when he remembered him as being acknowledged one of the school's most brilliant speakers. He said all the citizens of Auburn admired Father Hickey's work in the Holy Family church—how he beautified the city by removing the unsightly buildings on the corner and giving to our city a beautiful park which is the admiration of all visitors. He hoped the bazaar would wipe out some of the indebtedness incurred by the extensive improvements made. The "Sisters" was the banner table, trimmed in blue and white. The Holy Name was trimmed in red, white and blue, while the Rosary and Sacred Heart was beautifully decorated in crimson.

The Forty Hours devotion closed in St. Mary's church last Wednesday. The services were well attended. The euchre parties for the benefit of the new Catholic church to be built at 160 Vananden street have proved very remunerative, and a good sum has been realized. Services at present are being held in O'Neil hall. Rev. Father Kelly was the guest of relatives in Bath on Thursday. A very pleasant dancing party was held in O'Neil hall on Sunday evening by the

young ladies of the Holy Family church, which was a success both socially and financially. Much credit is due Miss McNamara and those who had the affair in charge for the large amount realized.

Charles Brennan proprietor of the Central Hotel died suddenly in his apartments on Wednesday. The deceased was a very popular man and the sympathy of the entire community is extended to his wife in her affliction. He was a member of Branch 35, C. M. B. A. and a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. His funeral was a very largely attended affair at the Holy Family Church on Saturday morning. Burial was at St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Robert Costello of Nebraska is the guest of his sister Mrs. Peter Dalton of State St. This is Mr. Costello's first visit here after an absence of seventeen years.

The Holy Name Society of the Holy Family Church in Bath, were their regular meeting on Friday Dec. 21 for the benefit of the Auburn Orphan Asylum. All who can do so are earnestly requested to be present.

The annual election of officers in Branch 179, L. C. B. A. on Thursday resulted as follows: Chancellor, Rev. Wm. Mulhern, past president. Mr. J. Mansell, president. Elizabeth Convery, first vice president. Mrs. M. Quiry, second vice president. Elizabeth Kavanaugh, recorder. Marie Murphy, Asst. Rec. Jennie Long. Financial Secretary, Miss M. Quiry. Treasurer, Mrs. John Bush. Marshal, Mrs. Mary Smith. Guard, Mrs. J. J. Powers, trustee. A. M. Tibbottson, Mrs. Doyle.

Mrs. Eliza Morrissey and William Wilder were quietly married at the residence of Rev. McGrath on November 27.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Carr were in attendance at the funeral of Timothy Maloney at Waterloo on Saturday.

Miss Kittie Woods of Seneca Falls is the guest of friends here for a few weeks.

## DANVILLE.

The "Pan American Fair" held for the benefit of the Holy Family church, Danville, was a success. The fair was held in the Danville school house and was a financial success. The proceeds of the fair were used for the building of the Holy Family church in Danville.

The Dining Hall was under the excellent management of Mrs. D. Foley. It was handsomely decorated and excellent suppers were served every evening. The artistic taste of the only booth in O'Connell Hall was the "Pan-American Tidings" booth prettily decorated in colors.

The Red-Letter Staff was composed of Misses Kathryn Perry, Matilda Barrett and Messrs. J. M. and R. J. Brogan. About \$112 was made on the fair paper which was the most ever made. Our president Mr. D. Foley certainly did all in his power to make the fair a success. The fair was held in the Danville school house and was a financial success. The proceeds of the fair were used for the building of the Holy Family church in Danville.

Master Richard Kelly won first prize for selling the most fair papers. The entertainment committee did excellent work and their efforts were rewarded by the fine crowd each evening. After the entertainment each evening dancing was enjoyed by the young folks.

The sum receipts were over \$1000 of which sum Rev. Wm. T. Dunn is visiting his old home in Elmira.

## LEROY.

Saturday morning the people of this vicinity were called together to pay their last respects to the memory of William Carney, one of the most highly respected and highly esteemed citizens of western New York.

Mr. Carney was born in Ireland 71 years ago, but adopted this country as his home. In early manhood he settled in LeRoy and here he spent the best part of his life. He was a thinker, well informed on all the topics of the day, his ready wit won him many staunch admirers, while the church itself can attest to the beneficence of his kindly nature. He had a strong, healthy constitution, but financial straits present advantages commending to the favorable attention of all travelers.

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and Mrs. Charles Bellmer of Auburn. A great and generous heart was his. Above the things of earth. And long indeed will he be mourned by those who knew his worth.

## LIMA.

On next Sunday evening (12th) the new statue recently placed in the choir will be blessed. Father Hickey of the Cathedral will preach the sermon on that occasion.

An anniversary mass was offered on Monday morning for the repose of the soul of Michael Burns.

Through the skillful treatment of Dr. Morrissey, Mrs. Margaret Kelly rapidly improving in an attack of typhoid fever. Our stores are taking on a festive appearance for the coming holidays. Windows are resplendent with gay furnishings which will help fill the stockings on that long, wished-for night.

## PERKINSVILLE.

The Catholics in this section are not idle to improve their church property. A sidewalk has been laid in front of St. Patrick's Church in Danville. The parishioners have shown their loyalty to their Rev. pastor by a very successful fair of \$1000. The Sacred Heart Church in Perkinsville received a new heating apparatus which costs \$1,000. An up-to-date steam heating took the place of the old-fashioned hot air furnace boiler.

## COOK OPERA HOUSE.

The big head-liner of next week's bill at the Cook Opera House will be Papinta, a dancer who is said to be better than the average. Wilfred Clarke and company appear in a farcical sketch called "In the Biograph". There are five people in the cast. The sketch is an adaption from the German, and the western papers say it is very bright and amusing.

Armour and Baguley give a singing turn in which they appear in a sketch called "The Brigand's Bride". John Kernell is a famous Irish comedian and story teller. Kreisel's dogs and monkeys will no doubt make a big hit with the children, as the animals do a lot of amusing tricks. There is a whistler by the name of Carroll, and Hendrix and Prescott close the bill.

This should prove a good drawing show. Matinees are given at the Cook every day in the year, except on the Sabbath.

## BAKER THEATRE.

Next Sunday night December 15th, will be given the fifth of popular Sunday night Sacred concerts by De Robert's Orchestra at the Baker Theatre.

For the first three days of next week with matinees on Tuesday and Wednesday the Baker Theatre will offer as its attraction Dan McCarthy's popular Irish play "True Irish Hearts" with a great cast headed by Kitty Coleman, the favorite little comedienne.

Many numerous specialties are introduced during the play and the entire production is said to be equipped with a complete new outfit. Seats are now selling for this engagement. One of the greatest and biggest successes ever scored at the New York Casino was that of the merry musical jungle "The Telephone Girl". It will be seen at the Baker Theatre the last three days of next week, with the usual matinees on Thursday and Saturday, and in its new form it is said to be better, brighter funnier than ever before.

## CLERICAL ORDERS FOR 1902.

Clerical orders for the year 1902 will be issued by the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway Co as in former years to ordained clergymen having regular charge of churches located on or near the line of its road. Application blanks will be furnished by ticket agents of the company and should be forwarded to the General Passenger Agent at Rochester, N. Y. as early as possible. No orders will be issued except on individual application of clergymen, made on blanks furnished by the company and certified to by one of our agents.

## A GREAT OPPORTUNITY.

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## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

Seaboard Air Line Railway to Florida, Cuba, Savannah, Camden, Southern Pines and Pinehurst.

Winter excursion tickets were placed on sale to resort points on this line in North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida, on October 15th, and will remain on sale during the season. Exceptionally low rates are in effect this year to Pinehurst and Southern Pines, N. C., Camden, S. C., Savannah, Ga., and all points in Florida and Cuba. To reach any of these points, the service of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, "Capital City Route," will be found the best and most attractive. In addition to the superior service now operated, it is announced that Cafe cars will be placed in service on the Washington-Atlanta Line about November 1st, and on the Florida Line about January 1st, 1902. Following this the Florida & Metropolitan Limited will be inaugurated about January 15th, 1902, with sumptuous appointments and superb equipment, including dining and club cars, constituting it beyond a doubt, the peer of any train in the world. The service of the Seaboard Air Line Railway to Cuba is most attractive. Its Cafe car service and many other features present advantages commending to the favorable attention of all travelers.

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## C. B. & B. A.

The Central Council will hold their monthly meeting Wednesday evening, December 18th, at the rooms of Council 74 on Jay street. All members are requested to be present. Five candidates are to be initiated by the Central Board degree team.

Council 74, C. B. & B. A., elected officers as follows: President, George J. Miller; first vice president, Miss Mary Magin; second vice president, Miss Kittie Wagner; recording secretary, John Hamm; treasurer, Mrs. Catherine Miller; marshal, Miss Barbara Warner; guard, Joseph Baugh; trustee, Joseph Baugh, John Schroth; delegate to supreme council, George J. Miller; alternate, August Schubert; delegates to central council, August Schubert, Catherine Miller, George J. Miller.

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