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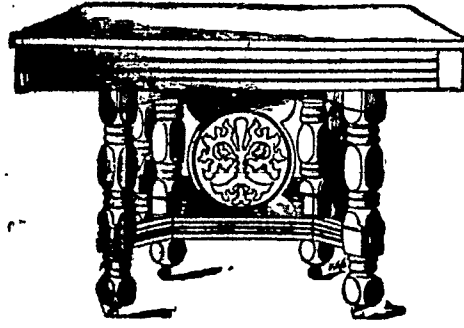
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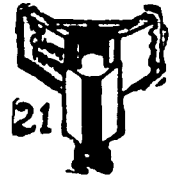
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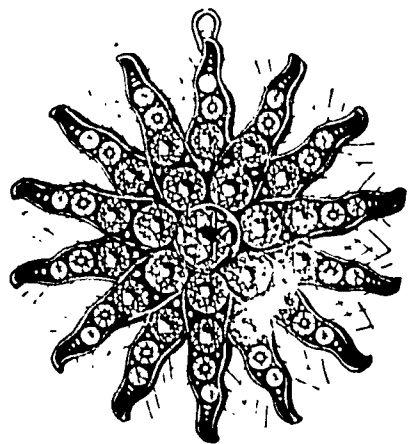
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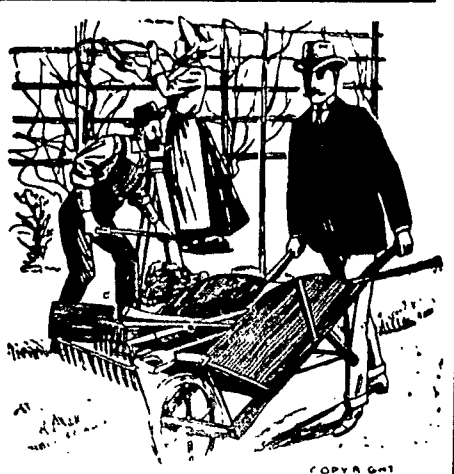
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AUBURN.

Rev. Edward M. Hennessey of Delaware, Ohio, returned home on Friday after spending a few days with his mother and brother Alderman G. F. Hennessey.

The Young Men's Catholic club of St. Mary's church which is now an active and healthy organization does not intend to let interest lag during the summer months but proposes to be represented on the diamond by a very strong baseball team to compete with other organizations for the championship of the city. At a meeting last Friday night Stephen Murphy was chosen captain and B. Frank Long, manager for the coming year.

On next Thursday night Auburn Council K. of C. will entertain for their members and lady friends in the Council rooms. The program will be under the direction of Lecturer James A. Hennessey.

The minstrel performance for the benefit of the C. R. & B. A. which will be held in Lyceum hall on Friday night will surpass any show given in that line in the city.

The funeral of the late Thomas Vaughn was held from the family residence on Saturday with services at the Holy Family church at 9:30 a. m. and was largely attended. The funeral offerings were many. The services at the church consisted of a requiem mass and burial services conducted by Rev. Patrick McArdle.

The funeral of the late Michael Madon was held at St. Aloysius church on Friday morning and was attended by a large gathering of the deceased's friends. Rev. J. J. McGrath read the mass and funeral services. The flowers were beautiful and many. Before and after the services the children's choir sang several hymns.

The members of the D. K. I. A. club of the young ladies society of St. Mary's church held an indoor picnic in Lyceum Hall on Friday night and was a decided success. This club is something new.

On next Friday night at St. Aloysius church the altar boys will give an entertainment.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Margaret Dorothy Smith of Buffalo to Charles Murphy of the same place. Miss Smith is well known here having spent several summers visiting friends.

The ball of the Knights of St. John on Wednesday night was one of the most elaborate functions ever held in this city. There were over 200 couples present. The crack military organization of the Knights of the Cross of Syracuse were the guests of honor and gave an exhibition drill.

The ladies of St. Aloysius church desire to thank all patrons who helped them in any way for the success of the rummage sale which they held last week.

DANVILLE.

Rev. Father Dunn assisted at the Hornellsville and Caledonia Forty Hours devotion last week.

The Children of Mary held a special meeting on last Sunday to arrange for the May opening.

William E. Murphy of Mt. Morris was home last Sunday.

On last Friday Rev. Father Dunn said a month's mind mass for the repose of the soul of Dennis J. Murphy Jr. at 8:30 o'clock.

Phillip E. Blum has entered his Main St. residence.

On Tuesday evening April 19 at Heckman Opera House was held the annual prize speaking contest of the Dansville High School in which contest three very bright young students former pupils of St. Patrick's parochial school took active parts. They were Misses M. Grace Brogan and Mary F. Heiman and William E. Driscoll. Miss Brogan rendered in a most pleasing and very effective manner the thrilling story of "Engineer's Corner's Son" Miss Heiman recited the humorous story of "The Joneses Telephone" in a pleasing style. Mr. Driscoll concluded the programme with a most powerful and dramatic interpretation of "The Fight with the Surocks" a selection from "Quo Vadis". Mr. Driscoll took the first gentlemen's prize. We are proud of our three students who are all to be graduates of our high school. Misses Brogan and Heiman are members of the D. H. S. class '04 and Mr. Driscoll class '05.

NEWARK.

Monday, May 30 is the date set for the opening of the baseball season at the athletic field in this village, and on that date the local team will be pitted against the Corpus Christi nine of Rochester. Manager Mains has had the grounds put in fine shape and every thing will be in readiness for a most auspicious opening. There will be games morning and afternoon.

The Sherman Opera House has been secured by the Knights of Columbus for Monday, May 30, for the purpose of holding a meeting in this village preparatory to the organizing of a council of that organization in Newark. There are several old members here but in all about fifty-two will be taken in and three degrees worked during this day. Fully four hundred visiting members will be present.

CALEDONIA.

The devotion of the Forty Hours opened at St. Columba church last Sunday and closed on Wednesday morning. Sunday evening the sermon was delivered by Rev. Father Cluney of Honeyoye Falls. Monday evening by Rev. Father Eckl of Rochester, and Tuesday evening by Rev. Father Farron of Avon. Several other priests also assisted. The devotions were well attended and a large number received the sacraments.

Ruth Loveridge Coffey, wife of Attorney John D. Coffey, died at her home on East Avenue, Sunday night. Mrs. Coffey was married at Cuba, N. Y. about five years ago to John D. Coffey of this village, who with four small children survive her.

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SHORT SERMONS.

What we call evils, as poverty, neglect and suffering, are, if we are wise, opportunities for good.

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The night is the day for us when God is in our hearts, and the day is the night for us when He is not there.

Defer not charities till death, for certainly, if a man weigh it rightly, he that doth so is rather liberal of another man's than his own.

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