

CITY PARISH NEWS

Interesting Budget of Happenings
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ST. JOSEPH'S.

The usual monthly school collection will be taken up after the elevation at all the masses Sunday.

Sunday will be communion and monthly conference day for the married women of the Holy Family.

A popular concert under the auspices of the Literary was given in the school hall last night. Many of Rochester's most prominent musicians took part. The affair netted a tidy sum to be added to the school fund. On February twenty-first, Rev. J. V. Murphy of the faculty of St. Bernard's Seminary, will lecture before the Literary on "Julius Caesar." Father Murphy has a knowledge of Shakesperiana that is most profound and extensive and his talks on the works of the bard furnish food for plenty of reflection.

The annual C. Y. M. A. smoker took place last Wednesday evening in the club gymnasium. Many were present and all had a most pleasant time. There was a series of athletic events followed by a number of vaudeville specialties. There was good singing and some good things in the way of eatables and smokeables.

Next Sunday will be monthly communion and conference day for the young men of the Holy Family and monthly communion day for the Sunday School boys.

ST. MICHAEL'S.

Sunday morning after the 10:30 o'clock mass the first quarterly pew rent diagram will be given out.

The boys of the Christian Doctrine class will receive holy communion at 7:30 o'clock mass Sunday morning.

A month's mind requiem mass was read for Mr. Schwind, Mr. Scheuk, Mr. Gebhardt, Mrs. Lowenguth and Mr. Geisler this week.

The marriage of Mr. Joseph Niebling and Miss Laura George took place Tuesday morning. The young couple left in the evening for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their home.

The marriage of Miss May Neulman and Charles Wurtz took place last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ferdinand Sheid of Clifford St., is seriously ill at her home.

ST. BRIDGET'S.

Father Keenan of the Cathedral, celebrated the high mass Sunday.

Prayers were requested for Sister Raphael and Sister Edwina who was formerly a teacher in our school.

The blessing of the throats took place in the afternoon and at 7:30 in the evening.

The meeting of the Rosary Society was postponed Sunday.

The diagrams for July and October quarters were distributed Sunday.

The funeral of Frederick D. Dean took place Monday at 9 o'clock.

The marriage of Miss Catherine Duffy and Thomas McMullen took place Thursday.

Next Sunday is communion day for the members of St. Anthony's Aid Society. The meeting will take place after vespers.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Neil of Ward St., are rejoicing over the advent of a little daughter.

The Advisory Senate L. C. B. A. will hold a banquet at Teall's next Monday evening. Our Sup. Pres. Mrs. E. B. McGown of Buffalo, and our Sup. Vice Pres. Mrs. M. Flanagan formerly of Syracuse, now of this city, are expected to be present. Supper will be served precisely at 8 p. m.

Next Wednesday will be Ash Wednesday. The services during Lent will be as usual upon Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Mrs. M. A. Stupp is in New York. Mrs. M. Willis is ill at St. Mary's Hospital.

The Misses Drury of Hart St., entertained friends last Saturday evening. An elegant supper was served and an enjoyable evening spent.

Mrs. Brophy and daughter Clara, of Elmira, are guests of Miss Madden of St. Paul St. Miss Marian Burns of Buffalo, is the guest of Miss Margaret Rauber of Gorham St.

HOLY FAMILY.

The young men and boys are invited to receive holy communion next Sunday at the 6:30 and 8 o'clock masses.

Ans. No. 48, Knights of St. John held their regular meeting Tuesday evening and after the transaction of regular business the finance committee's yearly report was read. It showed a balance of \$875 and 175 members.

SS. PETER & PAUL'S.

The members of the Alumni held their annual banquet at the parish hall last Wednesday evening. Rev. Joseph Gefell was chairman of the committee.

The funeral of Phillip Miller was held Monday morning at 8:30 from his home, corner Jay and Sexton Sts., and at nine o'clock from this church. He leaves his wife, three sons, one daughter, one brother and two sisters.

CATHEDRAL.

Coadjutor Bishop, Rt. Rev. Thos. F. Hickey, left Rochester at noon on Sunday, accompanied by a party of friends. Monday at 9 o'clock he embarked on the Deutschland in company with Archbishop Quigley for Europe. They will remain in the Eternal City until after Easter. Bishop Hickey intends to visit the Holy Land after leaving Rome. He will return to the United States by way of Germany, France and Ireland, and expects to be home some time in May.

ST. MARY'S.

The Alumni held their seventh annual banquet Wednesday evening at Teal's Hall. There were about 150 present. Geo. W. Brown acted as toastmaster. He was introduced with a few remarks by the Pres. Dr. Carey. Leo Dwyer welcomed the class of 1900. Anna Davin spoke on "The Sunnyside of Life." Kathryn Huddy toasted "The Gentlemen" while Thomas Martin took care of "The Ladies." Rev. Fr. Gleeson gave a few pleasing remarks. The banquet was closed with the singing of "Holy God." Dancing was indulged in for the remainder of the evening.

A social will be given by the Confraternity of Mary under the direction of Misses Ella Dowling, Mary D. Lewis and Lelia Phalen, Monday evening, Feb. 11th, at St. Mary's Hall.

The L. C. B. A. Br. 246 held their annual banquet Feb. 7th at Teal's Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Mahon of Rowley St., are spending a few weeks in Chicago.

BLESSED SACRAMENT.

A meeting of the Holy Name Society will take place next Sunday evening at a quarter to 8 o'clock.

The first banquet of the Young Ladies' Sodality held last Tuesday evening in the School Hall, was a very enjoyable affair. Miss Anna McKenty acted as toastmaster. The following were the speakers: Miss Anna Lorchelder gave an interesting talk on the Sodality. Miss Julia Howley spoke on "Success." Miss Marie Loughney's subject was Our Model—"The Blessed Virgin," and Miss May Murray composed and delivered a poem on the Sodality which received much merited appreciation. During the evening Miss Katherine Burns gave several recitations which were thoroughly enjoyed. Solos were given by Miss Katherine Freidell, the president of the Sodality and Mrs. W. J. E. O'Leary. A piano solo was given by Miss May Foley, Miss Katherine Butler was the accompanist of the evening.

The banquet came to a close with the most pleasant feature of the evening when Father Connors gave a most complimentary and practical address to the members on the occasion of their first banquet. It was decided to have a banquet each year and the young ladies are looking forward to the next one. Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Corbett of this parish entertained a number of their friends last Thursday evening, the occasion being the thirtieth anniversary of their marriage.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER.

The alumni of St. Francis Xavier School held their third annual banquet on Wednesday evening in the parish hall in Bay Street. Edward Bott was toastmaster and the speakers were Frederick C. Armbruster, president of the association, who welcomed the class of 1900. Miss Emma Saalwachter, who made the response, and Miss Leona Kress, who gave clever recitations.

Rev. Father Krieg told the alumni to hold true to the association and to keep its objective point in view. Rev. Joseph Netzel, pastor of St. Francis Xavier Church, warned the members of the responsibility resting upon them as graduates of the school. Frederick C. Armbruster also made an address and presented an alumni medal to Miss Emma Saalwachter for maintaining a perfect degree of scholarship.

The officers of the Alumni Association for the ensuing year are: Spiritual adviser, Rev. Joseph Netzel; president, Frederick C. Armbruster; vice president, George A. Schwalbach; secretary, Miss Emma Boehly; treasurer, Herbert Mussbacher.

CORPUS CHRISTI.

Branch 139, C. M. B. A., will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The meeting of the Rosary Society was postponed from last Sunday to this Sunday at 4 o'clock. This was necessary because of the custom of the blessing the throats took place at the time of meeting.

Miss Elizabeth Manilli Bosworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Henry Bosworth, was married to Louis Albert Hennick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hennick of Baltimore, at 11 o'clock, Thursday morning in the rectory of this church by Rev. Father Curran.

After the wedding a breakfast was served for friends and relatives at the home of the bride, 39 Upton Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Hennick left for the Bermudas, returning from which they will take up their residence in Worcester, Mass.

Branch 25, L. C. B. A., will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

GIFT OF MONEY TO ST. ANN'S HOME.

Sum of \$225 Contributed by Branches of the C. M. B. A.

The sisters in charge of St. Ann's Home for the Aged gratefully acknowledge the receipt, from the Central Council of the C. M. B. A., of a donation of \$225, contributed by the various branches as follows:

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Bear in mind, the sale concerns South African ostrich feathers—the finest in the world. Yet we own them to such advantage that we are passing them on at less than cost of domestic productions. To wit:

12 inch Plumage, worth \$1.50, for 98c 18 in. Plumage, worth \$7.50, for \$4.50
16 in. Plumage, worth \$4.50, for \$2.98 18 1-2 in. Plumage, worth \$8, for \$5.00
16 1-2 in. Plumage, worth \$6, for \$3.98 20 in. Plumage, worth \$10.50, for \$6.50

The 12 inch plumage is in black only, the others in black, white and colors. In the world are shown magnificent specimens of the South African camel bird—male and female—the male being one of the largest specimens ever exhibited in this country. Then there are ostrich eggs, if they may so be styled, as well as ostrich eggs, unfinished feathers and a profusion of more. By all means see the show, even if not interested in the sale. Everybody welcome.

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