

CITY NEWS PARISH

Interesting Budget of Happenings
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CATHEDRAL

Bishop McQuaid was in Springfield, Mass., this week attending the L. C. B. A. convention of which order he is supreme spiritual adviser.

Mrs. Catherine Hackett, widow of the late Hugh Hackett, died Thursday at the home of her daughter, 24 Elizabeth Street. She leaves two sons, Hugh Hackett of Albany and Michael Hackett of this city, and two daughters, Mrs. Thomas Quinn and Miss Alicia Hackett of this city. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 8.30 o'clock from the house and at 9 o'clock from Lady Chapel of the Cathedral.

CORPUS CHRISTI

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

Mrs. John McParlin is in Springfield, Mass., in attendance at the convention of the Supreme Council of the L. C. B. A.

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

Adelaide McMahon, aged 8 years, was crushed and instantly killed by a trolley car near her home in Main Street East, on Saturday afternoon. The funeral was held from this church on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Branch 251, L. C. B. A., will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The branch's representation will give a full report of the proceedings at the convention.

ST. MARY'S

The Confraternity of Mary held their fourth annual outing at Maplewood Tuesday afternoon. A large number were present. The prizes for the different contests were won as follows: Throwing ball, Miss Mayme McCort; potato race, Miss May O'Brien; throwing ball through hoop, Margaret Huddy; peanut hunt, Miss Mary Loughney; driving nails, Miss Mary Raligan; needle and thread race, Miss May O'Brien and Francis Connors; dodge ball, Miss Mayme McCort; skidoo race, Pauline Pierce.

Miss Mary Welch of the local branch, 246 of the L. C. B. A., is attending the convention at Springfield, Mass.

Miss Essie Trant is spending a few days in Geneva.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Francis McGrath to Mr. William Maloney.

The St. Mary's baseball team of the Catholic League have at last struck their gait, having defeated the Immaculates Saturday by the score of 7 to 1.

ST. MICHAEL'S

The monthly collection will be taken up at all masses Sunday morning.

The boys of the Christian Doctrine classes will receive Holy Communion Sunday morning.

Requiem masses this week were for Mr. J. Schenich, Mr. Gebhardt, Mr. M. Engle, Mr. Gassner.

Last Monday morning the Young Ladies' Sodality held their annual outing at S. A. Breeze. Dinner was served at noon and at 4 o'clock a number of races were run off in which many members took part. The committee in charge was Misses Anna Beck, Anna Matthews, Caroline Morhardt, Florence M. Staub, Marion Imo, Delia Beck.

Mrs. Mary A. Roth of Clinton Avenue North, has gone to Springfield, Mass., as a delegate of Branch 104, L. C. B. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koch of Oakman Street, are rejoicing over the advent of a little daughter.

HOLY FAMILY

The funeral of Nicholas Fess took place Saturday morning from his late residence, Kussouth Street, at 8.30 o'clock from the house and 9 o'clock from the church. Solemn requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. D. Laurens, assisted by Rev. J. Giffell, as deacon, and Rev. F. Ziegan as sub-deacon. The deceased was a member of Branch 117, C. M. B. A., and the St. Francis Society.

The funeral of George Ferstos took place from the residence of his parents, 49 Hague Street, Monday morning at 8.30 from the house and 9 o'clock from the church.

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ST. PETER & PAUL

The diagram of the pew rents will be distributed at all the masses on Sunday.

At the request of the woman's society a requiem mass was said on Wednesday morning for Elizabeth Strassner.

On Friday morning a requiem mass was celebrated for all deceased members of St. Peter's society, and on Saturday morning for Mr. Philip Zuern.

Sister Georgia, teacher in the ninth grade, is spending her vacation with her sister in Cantonville, near Baltimore, Md.

Mr. Henry Martzhauser of the Order of Christian Brothers, engaged in teaching in one of the schools of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting his mother on Jefferson Avenue.

Members of the Scapular Society are invited to holy communion Sunday morning at the 6 o'clock mass, new members will be enrolled after Vespers.

Sister Xavier, formerly Barbara Schoenweitz, of our parochial school, was a guest at the Convent the past week. She returned to Pittsburgh where she will resume teaching when school opens.

The members of Branch 82, C. M. B. A., and their families enjoyed their annual picnic last week at Float Bridge.

ST. BRIDGET'S

The 9 o'clock mass last Sunday was celebrated by Father Keenan, of the Cathedral. He also gave an instruction to the children on the privilege, as well as necessity of assisting at mass. Father Leibert of St. Bernard's celebrated the 10.30 o'clock mass.

Prayers were requested for Walter Biddle, whose funeral took place the day previous.

Sunday will be communion day for the women and girls of the parish.

The school collection will be taken up Sunday.

The meeting of Branch 27, L. C. B. A., took place Friday evening. The delegates who left here last Sunday are now in session in Springfield, Mass.

The pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre for the benefit of St. Ann's Home for the Aged, to take place next Monday and Tuesday, was announced last Sunday. It is expected many will attend for the interest of the Home as well as for their own interests.

The funeral of Miss Cecelia Meyers of Kelly Street, took place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rauber of Gorham Street, have gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich.

The Misses Nellie and Mary Clancy and Misses Alice and Blanche Drury, left Thursday for a visit to Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia. They will return by the way of Old Point Comfort, Va., to New York.

Rev. Thomas Kelly of Smith's Falls, Ontario, Canada, was the guest this week of Mrs. W. F. Kelly. He accompanied his sisters, the Misses Kelly of Waterford, Ireland, to the city.

ST. JOSEPH'S

Sunday will be monthly communion day for the young men of the Holy Family.

Sunday will be the feast of the Most Holy Redeemer, titular feast of the Redemptorist Order. At 10.30 o'clock in the morning there will be solemn high mass. In the evening at 7.30 there will be solemn vespers and benediction. A plenary indulgence may be gained under the usual conditions.

The Sunday School boys are invited to the sacraments Sunday.

The annual picnic of the C. Y. M. A. will be held next Wednesday at Manitou Beach.

Next Sunday will be monthly communion day for the married men of the Holy Family and for the Sunday School girls.

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Catholic Summer School

(Special Correspondence to Catholic Journal.)

Third Week at Cliff Haven.

The third week of the sixteenth session of the Catholic Summer School opened auspiciously on Sunday evening with the reception to the famous writer, lecturer and traveler, Abbe Felix Klein of Paris. At the reception held in his honor on Sunday evening, a musical programme consisting of songs by Madame Patee-Wallach of Virginia, Rev. Henry Laudenschach of Buffalo and Miss Pearson of New York, and a recitation by Miss Gwendoline Burke of Montreal. Rev. Thomas McMillan, C. S. P., made a brief speech and Abbe Klein after expressing the pleasure which his visit to the Summer School afforded him, gave some interesting facts concerning the present conditions existing between the Church and the State in France. The Abbe said in part:

"You know very well that the state has already suppressed the so-called Budget of Public Worship and confiscated all the properties and funds of the church, the seminaries, the houses of the bishops and of the priests, under the pretext that all those properties belonged to the nation. But what worries me most is not the loss of our former properties, but the absolute impossibility of acquiring new ones and of organizing anything at all."

"The property of the churches, nominally and legally, belongs to the municipalities, except the cathedrals, which belong to the state. But the municipalities can only use them for the purpose of worship, and they do not generally care about doing so, especially when they are anti-clerical; they perfectly realize that this is not their business. So it can just last as long as no repairs are wanted."

"We ask for liberty as it is in Brazil, the last republic which has made the separation between Church and State, and which has done very well with it. Or if that is too much, we ask for liberty as it is in Mexico, whose legislation on the subject was quoted as being the most perfect of all by M. Briand himself, and where notwithstanding certain vexatious measures, the buildings for Catholic worship are left to the disposition of the bishop."

"There is a liberty which we dare not ask for, so greatly does it surpass the hopes of a Frenchman of the present day. It is liberty as it exists in the United States. It would be too grand for our customs, impregnated as they are with the habits of Caesar's and of absolute monarchs."

The entertainment on Saturday night proved a great success. It consisted of a sketch and a farce. The sketch "Twenty Minutes under an Umbrella," opened the entertainment. The two characters, Cousin Frank and Cousin Kate, were taken by John C. Armstrong of Plattsburg and Miss Loretta Hayes of Waterbury, Conn. The latter filled her role well, and for an amateur hand led an exceptionally difficult part in excellent fashion. The farce "Who's Who," was acted well, and it would be hard to pick out any one of the actors for special mention. Philip Tracey of Albany as Mr. Brambleton, the father of Cicely, Miss Frances Keenan, Dr. Alexander Schmitt of New York as Simonides Swanhopper, the model young bachelor; Welcome W. Bender of Elizabeth, N. J., as Lawrence Lavender, the new man servant, and Miss Marie Ross Rogers as Matilda Jane, the maid, were all good. Between the sketch and the farce several vocal selections were rendered by Rev. H. Laudenschach of Buffalo.

The Solemn High Mass on Sunday was celebrated by Rev. Thomas McMillan, C. S. P., assisted by Rev. Henry Weber of Buffalo as deacon and Rev. Mr. Brock, S. J., of Boston, as sub-deacon. Rev. Mr. Ahern, S. J., of Woodstock, Md., acted as master of ceremonies. The sermon was preached by Rev. Wm. Dwyer of Boston from the text: "Behold I am with you all days." The music of the Mass was rendered by Miss Frances Keenan, soprano; Madame Patee-Wallach, contralto; James W. Brady, tenor; and Merrill Greene, basso. Prof. Camille W. Zeckwer presided at the organ.

The lectures of the third week were unusually interesting. The morning lectures were a series, five in number, by Rev. Robert Schwickerath, S. J., of St. Andrews-on-the-Hudson, on "Great Epochs in the History of Education." The evening lectures on Monday and Tuesday were on "Humor in Literature," by John I. Nicholson of New York City, and those of Thursday and Friday by Rev. D. P. McGillicuddy of Worcester, Mass., on Tibet, the mysterious and hidden land.

Hon. George Monahan of Detroit was for several days the guest of Frank Keenan, the well known actor, who is occupying a cottage on the grounds for the season.

OAKMANAQUA

The Young Defenders will receive Holy Communion, next Sunday.

The new house subscription taken last Sunday reached \$302.36. A few day's delay in the work of the building has been occasioned by some slight change in the plans and the ordering of new material. It is expected that work can be resumed before the end of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Blum and Mrs. Wade Pexler, of Dansville, staying at the Pealer cottage near Woodville, attended mass here Sunday.

Father Baier was called to Buffalo on Tuesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

It is interesting to note that Cardinal Logue while commending the Parliamentary party and the Gaelic League for their good work in behalf of the welfare of Ireland, says that real regeneration will come from the temperance movement and that without this movement all other reforms will fail.

The pastor spoke Sunday upon the necessity of assisting at mass during vacation time the same as during the rest of the year, and urged people to select for such purposes a locality where opportunity for the practice of religion might be found.

Public picnics and public appeals of any kind by beneficiary societies connected with the church are put under the ban by a new diocesan order issued by Rt. Rev. Ignatius F. Horstmann, bishop of the Cleveland diocese. The Bishop also prohibits moonlight excursions. All picnics and excursions of Catholic societies hereafter must have the written permission of the ordinary.

St. Mary's Hospital

Patients in Hospital June 1, 1907: 126; admitted, 160; births, 12; died, 6; discharged, 167; patients in hospital, July 1, 135.

Charity patients, 30; private, 87; city, county and town, 21; ward pay, 45; total, 183.

Total number of calls, 99; hurry, 22; No. of cases transferred to St. Mary's Hospital, 68; homes and stations, 21; taken to other hospitals, 5; not taken or cared for, 5.

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