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## Catholic News Notes

On June 16-18 the Knights of Lel'Espee, a national organization of the Catholic deaf, will meet in second convention in Boston.

May 18, Rt. Rev. Daniel F. Feehan, D. D., Bishop of Fall River blessed the addition to the Bethlehem Home in Taunton.

The "Kenner Fisher Place," Galveston, Texas, has been dedicated as a children's playground, by Rt. Rev. N. A. Gallagher, D. D., Bishop of the diocese. The ground adjoins St. Mary's Orphanage.

Twelve of the clergy of the Philadelphia diocese May 20 celebrated the silver jubilee of their ordination.

The late Mgr. Robinson, V. G., of Denver, left his insurance and the little cash money he possessed to Denver's St. Vincent Orphanage.

The handsome combined church auditorium and school building of St. Joseph's parish, Frackville, Pa., has been dedicated by Most Rev. E. F. Prendergast, D. D., Rev. Thomas J. Hurton is the rector.

On Castle Island, Boston Harbor, a solemn military mass was celebrated for deceased Spanish War Veterans, on the 25th ult.

St. Mary's Church in Phoenix, Arizona, when it is completed, will have, it is said, one of the most beautifully decorated interiors of any edifice, religious or secular, in the entire Southwest.

Cardinal Farley some days ago, dedicated the fine chapel of the Sacred Heart for Consumptives on Blackwell's Island. He made a short address and Mgr. Hayes preached the sermon.

The Benedictine Fathers are erecting a \$50,000 "Capitol University" at Shawnee, Okla.

The Sisters of the Good Shepherd in St. Paul, Minn., observed a few days ago the 45th anniversary of their establishment there.

Catholics of New Orleans, under the direction of the Archbishop, are considering ways and means for the restoration of the ancient St. Louis Cathedral in that city.

The contract for the erection of the new club house for St. Peter's parish, Jersey City, has been awarded. The building will be of brick, and will cost \$47,000.

A valley in the San Jacinto mountains, Cal., long lost to modern history, has been re-discovered by Rev. B. Florian Hahn, M. A., rector of the Indian school and mission at Banning.

SS. Cyril and Methodius Slavonian Church at Sheboygan, is to have an Australian chime of bells.

Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul and Archbishop Germain of Toulouse, France, were fellow-students at the College of St. Chamard, France.

The King of Spain signed the decree providing for religious instruction in all the schools of Spain.

The expelled hospital Sisters of Paris, have been recalled. Even the Radicals voted for their return.

The civil authorities of Rome are now being censured and criticized for permitting, during the illness of the Pope, news vendors to go through the streets crying "The Pope's last hour," "The Pope in Agony," "Pius X. dying."

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## News From Ireland

The Most Rev. Dr. Tohill, Bishop of Down and Connor, is seriously ill at the Palace, Belfast.

At Glenarm Petty Sessions, Hugh McEvoy, jr., Glenard, was appointed clerk of petty sessions, in room of Mr. Hunter, resigned.

James Kelly has resigned his position as town clerk of Carlow, Co. Wick.

Mr. Beattie, Crossroads, died May 9 from tetanus as the result of having cut his hand against the wheel of a cart. He was only three days under medical treatment.

As a result of a gun exploding on May 6, Patrick Murphy, a farmer of Boherbuque, has lost his left hand.

A man named James Gibbons fell from the roof of the buildings adjoining McPeake's hotel in Canal street, Newry, on May 8, and sustained severe injuries.

Dr. Grealy, one of the best known men in the county died at the home of his sister, on Seaside road, Galway, on May 7.

Dr. Ahern has been elected medical officer of Broshna No. 1 District in succession of his late father.

Miss Elizabeth McElligott of Main St., Glin, has been elected nurse for the Ardferd district by Tralee Guardians.

Deep regret was caused in the United Parishes of Banagher and Cloghan by the death of Rev. Patrick McNamara, P. P., which occurred on May 8. The deceased had not been in very good health for some time past. He was a favorite with his parishioners.

A meeting was held at Glencar, recently for the purpose of re-organizing the local branch of the U. T. L. Rev. M. McLoughlin was elected president, and all the old officers and committee were re-elected.

Dr. J. J. McGrath of Limerick has been elected resident medical superintendent of the Pearmount sanatorium.

Miss Heslin, trained nurse in Granard union, has resigned her position.

The death has taken place, at an advanced age of P. Keilly, a well-known Drogheda merchant, who has been long and honorably connected with the life of that town.

P. A. Heraty, Westport, has been elected master of Westport union.

A child, named Millie Carruthers, aged 7 years, residing with her parents at Corhelshina, Ballytrain, died on May 1, as the result of a burning accident.

A waterworks scheme has been completed in Carrick-on-Suir at a cost of \$54,000.

Boushel's Drapery establishment in Cahir was completely destroyed by fire on May 3.

The death has occurred in her 20th year of Sister Mary Finbar Mennis of the Mercy Order, Waterford. The deceased lady was a native of Cork.

Recent heavy rains, floods and bitterly cold weather in the Midlands are having a disastrous result on farming operations, and a late and unsatisfactory harvest is anticipated.

The Wexford County council has elected James H. O'Connor, Mountwater, to the position of assistant county surveyor.

## Knights of Columbus Close Convention

Auburn, June 11. The Knights of Columbus state convention closed Wednesday evening after selecting Schenectady for next year's convention and electing the following officers and delegates to the national convention: State deputy, Robert J. Powers, Binghamton; state secretary, Michael J. Quigley, New York; state treasurer, Thomas P. Rigwood, Brooklyn; state advocate, George J. Moore, Malone; state warden, Robert J. Walker, Albany; state chaplain, Rev. Wm. Dwyer, Syracuse.

The delegates to the national convention are: State Deputy, Robert J. Powers, Binghamton; Past state deputy Daniel Griffin of New York, Congressman from the Eighth District; Mayor Thomas H. O'Neill of Auburn, James Shea of Troy, Richard F. Murphy and Frank W. Smith of New York and W. J. Corcoran and Joseph Powers of Brooklyn. The convention voted against moving national headquarters to Washington.

Bishop Hickey at Bath Bath, June 9.—Bishop Hickey, officiated at St. Mary's church Sunday and conferred the rite of confirmation upon a large class presented by the rector, Rev. Philip Golding.

An Eye For Lines. "The last time I was here I saw that same woman," said the man who was waiting for his eyeglasses to be adjusted. The optician looked across the room to a little woman in faded black. "Yes," he said, "and if you should be here three months from today you would see her again. She comes every three months. She is a palmist. Nobody gives closer attention to the eyes than the professional palmist. Most of them wear glasses, and they visit an optician regularly. With every change in their eyes their glasses are changed. They have to do that to keep track of all the fine lines in their clients' hands."

They have been eyes themselves, those persons who patronize palmists, and are apt to pick out any number of little straggling lines and ask what they mean. If the palmist can't see the lines herself she is likely to get into trouble.—New York Times.

Modest Marie. "In November, 1875," writes Marie Bashkirtseff, "the great day of the opera, I was nervous all day. I wore a white muslin jupe une (whatever that may be) with a wide frill at the bottom; corsage Marie Stuart and cologne in harmony with the gown. A very beautiful affair. Every one admired me. About the middle of the performance the feeling swept over me that I was beautiful to distraction. At the close I made my way out between two lines of gentlemen who stare themselves blind, and their verdict is not an unfavorable one. One feels that, coming home, I looked at myself in the glass. I was like a queen, like a portrait that had stepped out of its frame. What a misfortune it is that instead of these pen scratches I cannot draw my portrait as I was then—my marvelous complexion, my golden hair, my eyes black like the night, my mouth, my figure!"

A Quibble. "These people obey the letter, perhaps, but they don't obey the spirit of the law." The speaker was discussing certain troublesome and wily transgressors. He continued: "And they don't even interpret the letter of the law correctly. They and their attorneys quibble like the young man in Pike county."

"A young man and his girl were strolling in a Pike county meadow when a bull dashed upon them."

"Stay here and protect my retreat," cried the girl. "You know, Reggie, you've often said you'd face death for my sake."

"But Reggie, who had already sprinted fifty yards, called back over his shoulder: "Do you call that bull dead?"—New York Press.

Why Rubber Tires Grow Hot. When an automobile is running at high speed the rubber tires are rapidly warmed, and the heat sometimes becomes very great, with resultant injury to the rubber. The cause of this accumulation of heat in the tire is ascribed to the kneading of the rubber, which generates heat faster than it can be radiated away. For this reason manufacturers have found it to be an advantage to have metal parts in the tread, such as the ends of rivets, in contact with the tire, because the metal being a good radiator, helps to carry off the heat of the outer air.

## On the Nez Perce Road

"Better not go this morning," said Mrs. Shoemaker anxiously. Miss Gallagher looked out of the window absently, making no reply. She was acutely conscious that the high sheriff who had brought the news was watching her curiously, though the sheriff was not at all aware that she perceived his scrutiny. Miss Gallagher was a school teacher of long experience and she had found this seeming unconsciousness to be an advantage in her school work. Many times as she stood silent for a moment in her schoolroom, hands quietly folded, eyes directed into space, she was inwardly bracing herself for the onslaught upon some of her unruly flock. This inward struggle was never suspected by her pupils; all that they perceived was a moment of peculiar quiet during which she seemed to acquire some occult knowledge of their wrongdoing—then came a sudden swift descent upon the offender. Miss Gallagher's recommendations all said "especially strong on discipline." From long use in the schoolroom this habit of making a calm manner to conceal her emotions had come to be a second nature.

As she looked out of the window at the words of her landlady she had mentally reviewed the situation in weary conflict between inclination and necessity. She must be in Nez Perce that day to take the examination in school law; Sheriff Dwyer had just brought the news that a desperate character was in hiding in the draws of the Bitar Roots somewhere about the very road that she must take. She was afraid; yet she must take the examination or her certificate would cease to be valid.

"I must go this morning," she said quietly. Mrs. Shoemaker looked at her in unspoken admiration, little dreaming that the chill of fear had already seized the girl's heart.

"You've certainly got good grit," ventured the sheriff somewhat timidly. "Not that he was a timid man at all, this big brown-faced fellow, but the new teacher of the Ridge school was generally regarded as 'unapproachable.' Long years of 'being' especially strong on discipline had left their mark in a certain severity of expression, and their was a primness about the mouth that sometimes comes from an earnest endeavor to keep out of neighborhood quarrels. Repeated experiences of social criticism in her earlier years of teaching had driven her to take refuge at last in a colorless personality; this the pale hair gathered into a tight knot, and the fine, regular features seemed to accentuate. Now she answered the sheriff's remark with a half smile and spoke of something else. The sheriff mentally observed, "Squelched again," and became silent. He could not know that his little compliment had given her a keen glow of pleasure.

But she was inquiring about the man who was hiding in the ravines—who was he and what had he done? Very little seemed to be known about him, Mr. Shoemaker explained. The man had but recently come across the border into Idaho; he had been working at the sawmill at Clearwater.

"Quiet enough sort of fellow's far's I see," Mr. Shoemaker went on, "till he up an' held up Carter; lifted fifty plunks, an' put a bullet in his arm, too."

Then the sheriff contributed, speaking ostensibly to Mrs. Shoemaker. "He has a queer scar on his left cheek, like a large cross mark. It wouldn't be hard to know him."

As Miss Gallagher busied herself with preparations for the long walk the sheriff took his departure, murmuring that he had some plans to complete.

ject of overtaking her accidentally and guarding her over the dangerous way.

The chill of the late fall morning still lingered in the air. Sadie Gallagher pulled the white wool sweater close up around her chin and settled the blue felt hat well down over her blonde hair. As the road wound in among the dense pines she had soon passed from sight of the Ridge post office and the few buildings that made up the town. Now she strode forward with a brisk step, and a determined attempt at bravery, for already her heart began to tremble with nervous apprehensions; yet it was only four miles, she told herself, and she had been through trying experiences before.

Her mind slipped back over the many schools of the past—the summer she had taught in North Dakota, where yellow wheat fields stretched for miles and miles. There had been a certain "Cow-boy Joe," ranch hand, evil of countenance—ah, she must remember something pleasant! She turned to the year she had homesteaded in the Black Hills, teaching a small school at the same time.

To be continued

## St. Ann's Donation Big Success

Neat Sum Realized for Home

The donation for St. Ann's Home for the Aged held at Convention Hall Tuesday afternoon and evening was a big success, both artistically and financially. No official announcement of the amount netted for the home has been made, but it is safe to say that it is a very neat sum, judging from the manner in which the donation was patronized. The largest of the money donations was \$1,000 from J. A. Kraag, of Blessed Sacrament parish.

The women representing the various parishes who were in charge of the dinner were Miss M. L. Madden, Mrs. J. M. Murphy, Miss Mary O'Connor, Miss Celia Yawman, Mrs. F. J. Kane, Mrs. Mary G. Staub, Mrs. Frank Hellen, Mrs. B. Ginnity, Mrs. E. Ribstein, Mrs. Frank Jaynes, Mrs. Deavenport, Mrs. Edward Julian, Miss L. Richardson, Mrs. G. Drumm, Miss L. Warth, Mrs. Haitz, and Mrs. J. J. Kenny.

The other booths and the women who had charge of them were as follows: Victorian circle, fancy articles, Katherine Brandt; Minnie Dow, Mrs. T. T. McCarthy; apron booth, Sadie Murray, E. O'Kane, Mrs. F. McGill; candy booth, Katherine Dunn, Helen McGrath; dolls, E. Julian, Mrs. J. Cochrane; ice cream, Mrs. F. Hellen, Mrs. Wm. Rosenbach; Bernardino Circle, aprons, Mrs. J. J. Kenny, Mrs. J. C. Rosenbach; fishpond, Gertrude Gurry, Misses M. and C. Carey, Mrs. F. Hallin; flowers, Miss Julia Cleary, Mrs. J. F. Hunt.

More than \$150 was taken in Tuesday afternoon at a concert given at the home of Mrs. E. B. Angell, 235 Alexander St.

A gift to a prospective bride must always be sent to her individually, whether she is personally known to the sender or not—this, of course, where the bridegroom is a friend, but the girl he is to marry not known. If there is silver and it is marked it should be with the name or initials of the bride to be. Table or bed linen, an embroidered centerpiece or anything that has the name must be in her name.

There is a reason for these laws. The old saying of "many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip" applies. Something may happen to prevent the marriage. Death or even a misunderstanding that cannot be straightened may mean that the marriage will never take place. Then would come the difficulty of the bride elect having assumed beforehand a name that is not legitimately hers.

In sending a gift the donor's card without any writing at all is enclosed with the present; if sent after marriage, a short note of congratulations may accompany the same. Husband and wife may send a gift jointly; then the calling card must have "Mr. and Mrs." on it, but always the gift is sent to the bride to be.

Of course in a note of congratulation the name of the bridegroom must be included, and the more simple and friendly such notes are the better.

## Want "Menace" Barred From Mails

Clergy and Laity of Pennsylvania To Bring Question Before President Wilson

Catholic clergy and laity will take an active part in the movement, inaugurated to have the government bar from the mails publications which devote their columns to attacks upon their church. Members of committees representing various dioceses of the church in Philadelphia made this statement recently. It is expected that the recent publication of "Menace," a magazine which had carried an attack on the Catholic Church, are being read before the postal authorities, representatives of committees having a membership of more than 5,000,000 will be asked to participate in the petition to have them barred as being "obscene and scurrilous."

The movement against "Menace" has started in various parts of Philadelphia, and according to members of the committee in charge will be taken up by Catholics throughout the country.

Joseph P. Gaffney, an attorney of Philadelphia, will take an active part in the movement against "Menace." He says that representatives of many states will be interested in the movement to have the postal authorities bar it from the mails. A delegation will go to Washington within the next few weeks to present the case to President Wilson and members of his cabinet—Wilkes-Barre Times.

## IN MEMORIAM

At the last regular meeting of Council 22, held Tuesday evening, June 10th, 1914, the following resolutions were adopted: Whereas, Alvin J. ... from our Brethren ... Frank E. Conroy ... Catherine Conroy ... as members of Council 22 ... to our brothers and sisters ... sincere sympathy in this hour of sorrow, commending them for consolation to Him who doeth all things well. Also that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes and published in the Catholic Journal.

Mrs. Winifred ...  
Mrs. Nora Gavin ...  
Mrs. M. B. Sharp ...  
Committee

## Bishop Hickey at Corning

Corning, June 8.—Right Rev. Bishop Hickey, confirmed large classes at St. Mary's and St. Patrick's churches in this city Sunday. At a special mass at 6 o'clock at St. Patrick's church were confirmed. At St. Mary's church the class numbered 104. The bishop preached a sermon.

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## Great Lakes Map

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