

City Parish News

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporter

St. Peter and Paul's. The annual charity collection will be taken up at all the masses on Sunday.

On Tuesday the feast of the Purification of our Lady, a high mass was celebrated for the members of the Women's Sodality, the candles were blessed before the mass at 8 o'clock.

On Wednesday the feast of St. Blaise, the blessing of throats took place.

At the meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary No. 44, held on Monday evening, eleven candidates were obligated. Luncheon was served and Pedro was enjoyed. The following won prizes, Mrs. Emma Brayer, Miss M. Hetzler and Emma Ruttkowski and the following served lunch Anna Whily, Catherine Schwartz, Margaret Reger, Margaret Carlin, Emma Ruttkowski.

The funeral of John Culligan, who died at Sea Breeze on January 25th, was held on Thursday morning of last week from the residence of his mother-in-law Mrs. Elizabeth Fischer, 55 Madison St., and at 9 o'clock from the church. Requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Edward Eschrich. Burial was made in Holy Sepulcher cemetery.

The funeral of Peter Spang took place on Saturday morning at 8.30 from his home 78 Wilder St., and at 9 o'clock from the church. Requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Wm. Stauder, assisted by Rev. Edward Eschrich and Rev. J. P. Scheilhorn. The active bearers were the following members of St. Francis Xavier Society of which Mr. Spang was a member, Joseph Weber, Joseph Amering, Jos. Fleck, John Arnold, George Glaser and Joseph Eberhardt. Burial was made in the family lot in Holy Sepulcher cemetery. Rev. E. Burke gave the blessing at the grave.

St. Boniface. The Knights of St. John Commandery of our church who are so strongly represented in the Knights Bowling League of this city met and defeated the St. Louis Commandery at Genesee Hall on Monday night, taking all three games by a good margin. Our pin artists have been giving some clever exhibitions on the tables recently and the rapid sport have put them within a few points for first place honors and their many admirers are staking high hopes for them winning the pennant and valuable trophies which will be awarded the champions of the league in the near future.

The Swatsika Social club were entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tallman. Miss Mollie Miller of 634 South Ave., left the city last Tuesday for an extended Southern trip and will stop enroute at Baltimore and Washington to visit several of her former schoolmates who are Sisters of Charity.

The C. M. B. A., Br. 80, will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening. The Knights of St. John on Tuesday and the St. Boniface Young Men's club on Wednesday evening.

The death of Philip Miller, age 53 years, of 166 Clinton Ave., N., took place at his residence on last Saturday morning. The funeral was held from this church at 9.30 o'clock on Tuesday morning. He leaves three sisters, Mrs. Albert Yaeckel and Mrs. Geo. W. Niebling of this city and Mrs. B. Diringer of Binghamton.

Mr. James Sturm is making a tour of the western states and at present visiting friends in Juarez Mexico.

Corpus Christi. The first of a series of lectures accompanied by lantern slide views covering a trip from New York to Naples was given Wednesday evening in the church hall by Rev. Byrne and Rev. Jas. T. Woods. If you have not taken the opportunity to attend this one do not miss the remaining lectures and views they are well worth seeing.

Sunday, Feb. 7th, a collection will be taken up at all the masses for Diocesan Charities.

There will be a meeting of the Young Ladies' Sodality next Sunday at 4 p. m. Tickets for the annual banquet will be on sale which will be held on Feb. 10th at Hotel Rochester. All the young ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

Prayers were offered for the repose of the soul of Jas. Camp-

bell. The list of contributors to the church debt fund will be published every three months.

St. Michael's. The requiem masses for this week were for Joseph Wolf, Geo. Heindl, Catharine Schande, Marie Pero and Teresa Messmer.

Sunday at all the masses the annual charity collection will be taken up.

A month's mind requiem mass was read this week for the repose of the soul of Andreas Schults at the request of the Rosary Society.

The members of St. Michael's choir held their annual banquet Tuesday evening. The members of the choir presented the librarian Mr. Christ. Berwind with a five dollar gold piece. The presentation being made by the pastor, Rev. M. J. Hargather. A pleasant evening was spent by all present.

The marriage of Miss Marie Stephany to Mr. Charles Servas took place Thursday morning, Jan. 25th at 9 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Francis Hoefen. The bride was attended by Miss Matilda Servas, niece of the groom, as flower girl. The bridesmaid was Miss Florence Stephany, sister of the bride. The groom was attended by Mr. Alfred Amtinger, cousin of the bride and the ushers were Mr. John Stephany and Mr. Norman Wahl, brother and cousin of the bride. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the brides parents, 723 Clinton Ave. No. Mr. and Mrs. Servas will spend their honeymoon in the West and will be at home after Feb. 15th at 12 Cole St.

The bans of matrimony were announced Sunday between Mr. Francis Thomas and Miss Mary Keller.

HOLY FAMILY. Tuesday morning at 7.45 a solemn high mass and blessing of the candles took place. In the evening vespers and benediction were held.

Wednesday at 3 o'clock the blessing of the throats of the school children were held.

Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock confessions were heard.

Friday, being the first Friday of the month Stations of the Cross will be held on Friday night.

Next Sunday the collection will be taken up for the Diocesan Charities.

St. Mary's. The Confraternity of Mary held its installation of officers in the church hall, Wednesday evening. About 125 members were present and a very pleasant evening was spent by all present. Miss Laura M. Hedges, retiring president, was presented with a very beautiful brooch by Miss Marie Duffy, the newly elected president, in behalf of the members for her very efficient work during the past year. Miss Duffy appointed her executive committee as follows: Miss Laura M. Hedges, chairman; Misses Minnie Burley, Anna Connolly, Marion Dunn and Helen Leflet.

Miss Cecelia Belle Worthy and Mr. Charles Green were married in this church Thursday afternoon by Rev. Simon Fitzsimons.

Sunday will be communion day for the members of the Rosary Society. The regular monthly meeting will be held in the afternoon at 4 o'clock.

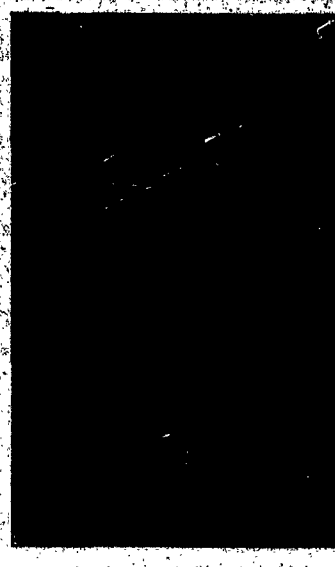
OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP. The requiem masses for this week were for Gustave Krause, Peter Baldes and Cornelius Engler.

The monthly meeting of the Rosary Society will take place Sunday afternoon after vespers. The members of the Young Ladies' Sodality will hold a sleigh-ride party on Wednesday evening, Feb. 10th. After the ride, supper will be served in the parish hall. All members are cordially.

Will Present Comedy. Miss Tillie Straub who is taking the part of Mrs. Goodly in "What Happened to Jones." The play will take place in the parish hall, February 8, 9 and 10th. It is under the direction of Prof. Leon R. Richmond who had charge of their last play. It is for the benefit of the new school. Other members of the dramatic club are Marie Bennett, Emmett McGrath, Isabel Glynn, Walter Major, Geo. Nier, Agnes Ennis, Walter Duffy, Marie Vogt, Ed. Brown, Isabel Oakes and Norman Laragy.

Eight priests died in Colorado last year.

To Aid Italian Poor. On account of the many applications for relief among the Italian poor the choir of St. Carmel church has arranged a benefit to be given on February 11th in Concordia Hall.



Rev. John Rabotti

The choir will sing two pretentious numbers, the "Bridal Chorus" from the "Rose Maiden," and the well known "Praise Ye the Father." Another musical number will be "O Solo Mio," by Mary DeVito, Lucy DeVito, Josephine Dispensa, Margaret Scheuring, Stella Faneli, Margaret Battaglia, Mary and Jennie Polvino, Millie Herney, Joe. Consalvi and Samuel Bovinza. It will be given in Italian costume.

Other musical numbers are: "Sympathy," by Richard Margenzahl; "Amarella," by Margaret Scheuring and Mary Polvino; solos by Daisy Streb and Samuel Bovinza; "For All Eternity," by Joseph Consalvi, with violin obbligato by Richard Streb.

The dramatic feature of the programme is the one-act play, "Waiting for the Trolley," written by Edward Mumford and staged under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Clark. The leading parts are taken by Louise Mussey and Charles M. Dispensa.

Miss Daisy Streb, organist of the church is directing the musical part of the program. A solo will be given by Miss Margaret Gilbert and the Standard Quartet Delos Hoff, Joseph Kuntz, Elmer Schoepfel and Joseph Consalvi will render selections.

Br. 279, C. M. B. A., Elect Their Officers.

At the regular meeting of Br. 279, C. M. B. A., at Mt. Carmel Hall, Ontario St., the following officers for the year 1915 were elected: Pres., Frank Cappellino; 1st vice-president, Anthony Currying; 2nd vice-pres., Chas. Casseretti; Rec. Sect., Dr. Guido Gianfranceschi; Financial Sect., Chas. M. Dispensa; Treas., Paul Paolone; marshal, John Mondo; Guard, Antonio Rivituo. The following will constitute the board of trustees, Antonio Mancuso, Frank Tartaglia, Domenico Trapani, Chas. Casseretti and Antonio Curingha. Chas. M. Dispensa was elected Branch organizer and was also chosen for representative to the Grand Council convention. Paul Paolone was chosen as alternating representative.

The election and installation was conducted by Grand Deputy Michael C. Butler, assisted by Paul Paolone and Chas. M. Dispensa. Refreshments were served.

Ladies' Auxiliary A. O. H.

The ladies' auxiliary, Ancient Order of Hibernians held their regular meeting at the A. O. H. Hall, Thursday evening, Jan. 21. Three candidates were initiated and four applications were received.

This auxiliary is doing good work, the members are trying to reach the 100 mark before April 1st.

The auxiliary held a reception and ball Thursday evening, Feb. 4th.

A Flourishing School

The L. L. Williams Rochester Commercial School had the largest enrollment Monday of the present school year with the exception of that of September 1st. Additions to the classes will be received at any time—Adv.

In St. Peter's, a choir estimated at 60,000 answered "Amen" to the blessing imparted them by the Holy Father.

Order of Alabamas. Miss Caravan, Order of the Alabamas, held a smoker last Tuesday evening, February 2nd, at their hall in Main St. East. About 100 members attended.

Mr. Henney gave a humorous selection; G. Frank York gave a selection from Dr. Jeckell and Mr. Hyde; Mr. John Fredmore sang several songs. A buffet luncheon was served by the master of the case, Dennis Karanough.

The Caravan will hold a reception and ball the week of April 12th, for which a committee was appointed.

Knights of Columbus. A meeting of the Building Committee will be held at K. of C. rooms on Sunday, February 7th, at 11 a. m.

Annual Dinner of C. Y. M. A.

The annual dinner of the C. Y. M. A. will be held at 7 o'clock February 10th, the gymnasium. Lawrence Glaser is chairman of the banquet committee. Leo Waring, chairman of the decorating committee, promises new scenic effects. After Monday the gymnasium classes will be temporarily discontinued to permit the placing of hundreds of incandescent lights. E. Fred Henricus is chairman of the committee on stunts. Joseph L. Ernst is issuing the invitations.

St. Patrick's Day Dinner.

Plans for the dinner to be held by the Gaelic society of Rochester on the evening of St. Patrick's day, March 17th, are being prepared by President Edward J. Donnelly, and the following committee has been appointed to engage speakers: Eugene J. Dwyer, chairman; William E. Love, Charles E. Callahan, and W. A. Marable. On the entertainment committee are Oswald Hughes, chairman; John J. Farron, Chas. Cullinan, Frank Rosney, Joseph P. MacSweeney and J. H. Finn.

St. James' Church, Baltimore, has liquidated its debt of \$40,000, and invested \$6,000 in a fund for a new church.

The late Archbishop of San Francisco was one of the five Arch-episcopal alumni of the American College in Louvain.

Very Rev. C. A. McEvoy, O. S. A., former provincial of the Augustinians, is dead at the age of 74 years.

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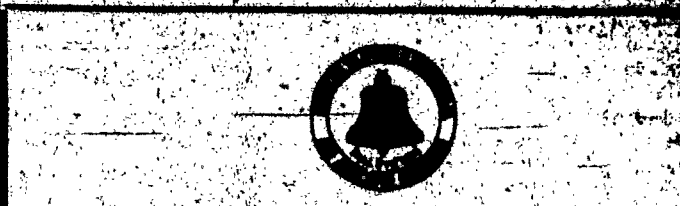
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