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Advice To Colleges.

An article from the late Thomas M. Mulry on the Ozanam Association appears in the Ozanam Bulletin.

Let us always recollect that God helps those who help themselves; hence, we must expect no sympathy if we stand idly by with folded arms.

Abundant recruits for this work, he believed, should go forth from our Catholic colleges and universities.

Poor, Free of Charge.

Magnificent work has been accomplished by the Sisters of the Poor of St. Francis of St. Francis Hospital, New York.

The Sisters had no means whatever, and no financial support, but simply willing hands and stout hearts.

the people, which have ever been the strong staff of these Sisters. The loaf of bread that the postulant brought was their sole food supply for the first day.

So the great work was begun, and in this spirit it has been carried on to the present day. Harboring 351 patients during the year 1865, the Sisters, after half a century of devoted labor, are able to show a record of 3,808 cases cared for in 1915, with 2,037 operations performed and 122,559 days' treatment given in that single year.

"Troop H" has a warm spot in the hearts of the people of Rochester, likewise all the other companies gone forth to the Mexican frontier.

Under the pen-name of "Solomon Aleichem", Solomon Rabinowitz, a Russian Jew from Kiev, charmed and cheered the Yiddish East side of New York.

This is President Wilson's conception of a truly human man: a man in whom there is a just balance of the faculties.

Many a respectable and staid newspaper these days appears in saffron coat through no fault of its own.

In the death of Judge Murphy this city loses an efficient official, and one that always had a kind word for everyone.

The Policy Guarantee League of the C. M. B. A., will hold its next meeting at Holy Redeemer hall on Sunday, Aug. 13th.

Miss Veronica Keller of 55 Oneida St., and Miss Mary Schost of 13 Borchard St., are spending their vacation with friends in Buffalo.

Irish Press and News Service.

Great Britain Refuses Appeal of American Government.

New York, Aug. 1.—Thomas Hughes Kelly and Joseph Smith remain on board the S. S. Philadelphia in Liverpool harbor, where the boat has been docked for nine days and must return to New York on the same ship Thursday.

The Irish Relief Fund Committee consists of several hundred prominent Americans and is organized solely to relieve the sufferers in Ireland.

The appeal for contributions was narrowed down to no class, but was presented to all Americans in the following words: To the Charitable People of America:

The terrible scourge of war which has devastated so many countries in Europe, has fallen with fury upon Ireland. At the present moment the Irish Capital and other cities and towns are largely in ruins.

To relieve the families of those massacred and slain, as well as those who are actually starving or in danger of starvation, a fund is being raised.

The funeral of Catharine Spahe was held Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

The boys of the lower grades will receive Holy Communion on Saturday morning.

The requiem masses this week are for Very Rev. James F. O'Hare, V. G., James McDonnell and Kathryn Miller.

There will be a collection taken up at all the masses next Sunday for the war sufferers.

The Misses Arlene and Loretta Bohrer, of 97 Woodward street, are spending their vacation in the Adirondacks.

The next regular meeting of Branch 139, C. M. B. A., Council 40, C. R. & B. A. and Branch 251, L. C. B. A., will be held Tuesday evening, August 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCarty, of North Union street, are in Atlantic City.

Bishop Asks Aid For European Sufferers

The following letter by Bishop Hickey was read in the churches last Sunday:

It is one of the consequences of war that even the nonbelligerents—the women and the children, the old and the incapacitated—are made to feel, and acutely, the hardships that follows it.

We have, therefore, determined to present to our clergy and laity a most urgent request for a collection to be taken up in all the churches of the diocese on a given Sunday, and for that purpose we now designate Sunday, August 6th, and we direct that the moneys then received be sent to the American Cardinals and most of the Bishops are officers of the following office within the week following the date of the collection.

We take occasion to emphasize the fact that this appeal is made without any reference to causes of suffering, and solely on the plea of charity for our fellowman who needs our help.

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