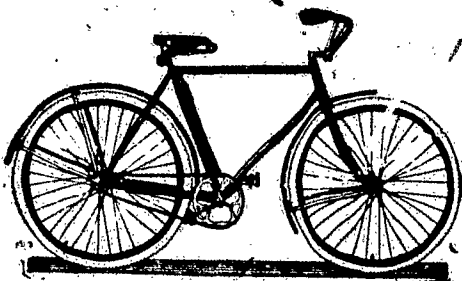


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## City Parish News

Interesting Budget of Happenings Gathered by Our City Reporter  
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At the weekly meeting of the jubilee workers for the Centennial Fund which was held Wednesday evening, reports were received from about twenty solicitors, giving a total of over \$19,000 to date towards the \$25,000 fund.

The report totaled \$1,708 as follows: Mrs. Margaret Norman, \$290; Mrs. James Sullivan, \$213; Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Hanna, \$211; Mrs. William J. Trimble, \$210; Miss Helen Sickmond, \$174; Mrs. Patrick Downs, \$134; John E. Garrity, \$130; Miss Lois Tracy, \$125; Miss Gertrude O'Hern, \$101; Miss May Burke, \$95; Mrs. John Connors, \$55; John H. Gilmore, \$45; Miss Sarah Feeney, \$36; Miss Clara Gallery, \$30; Daniel Regan, \$34; Miss Alice Murphy, \$15; Miss Ella McAnarney, \$10; Mrs. James P. B. Duffy, \$10; Miss Mattie Howard, \$5; William Lurz, \$5; Miss Mary O'Leary, \$5; Rev. J. Francis O'Hern, \$25.

This makes the grand total to date \$19,004.21, with prospects still to be heard from.

Letters were read at the meeting from Brother Jasper, of the Christian Brothers of New York city, giving an account of their teachers in St. Patrick's School in the early days, only one of whom still survives, Brother Betteline, who is now in his ninetieth year, and is still "comparatively hale and hearty."

A letter was also read from Miss Katherine E. Conway, of Roxbury, Mass., authoress and journalist of national reputation and a former child of the parish, who paid a beautiful tribute to Rochester, her home city, and its standing in the United States. Among other things she said:

"It has been an unceasing delight to me to watch the magnificent growth and the ever-spreading influence of the Church of Rochester, as a glowing center of Catholic life and light. When I think of how in every crisis in our country's history she brings to the front a host of patriotic men and women, soldiers and nurses, led by patriotic churchmen, how can we of the little Rochester colony in Boston do otherwise than rejoice together as natives of no mean city?"

Headquarters are still open for subscriptions and pledges until the final reports will be made in the next eight days.

Mary Conway, widow of Peter Conway, died at the family residence, No. 17 Fulton avenue, December 2, 1919. She is survived by two sons, Frederick J. Conway, of this city and John J. Conway, stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.; one daughter, Mary E. Conway, her mother, Mrs. Ellen Lawler, of Belleville, Ont.; three sisters, Mrs. William E. Holmes, of Cobourg, Ont.; Miss Alice Callaghan and Miss Anna Lawler, of Belleville, Ont.; two brothers, Thomas Lawler, of California and James Lawler, of Churchville, N. Y.

Funeral took place Friday morning at 8:15 o'clock from the home and at 8:30 o'clock at Lady Chapel. Interment was made in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

### Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

The requiem masses for this week were for: John Maier, Gustave Krause, Thomas Braun and the Poor Souls.

Confessions were heard on Thursday afternoon and evening in preparation for the First Friday.

Friday, being the first Friday of the month, a low mass was celebrated at 6 and a high mass at 8 o'clock.

Members of the Women's Sodality will receive Holy Communion in a body Sunday morning at 7:30 o'clock mass.

Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be held.

The Bazaar which was held for the benefit of the church was a grand success.

St. Peter and Paul.

Masses on Sunday will be held at 6:30, 8:15, 9:30 and high mass at 10:45 o'clock.

Services will be held Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

At the request of the Rosary Society, a requiem mass was celebrated on Tuesday morning for Elizabeth Voelkl.

Saturday morning at 7 o'clock a requiem high mass was celebrated for Mary Meyers Danzer, at the request of the Women's Federation of Catholic Societies.

A memorial mass was celebrated on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock for all deceased members of the L. C. B. A.

Mrs. Eva Boss died last Saturday morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Hener of 43 Dengler Street. She leaves six sons, four daughters, one brother, one sister and thirty-six grandchildren. The funeral was held on Tuesday morning at 8:30 from the home and at 9 o'clock from this church. She was a member of the Ladies' Sodality. Interment was made in the family lot at Holy Sepulcher cemetery.

A very pretty wedding took place on Thanksgiving morning in this church, when Miss Selinda O'Keefe, daughter of Mr. A. E. O'Keefe of Brown street, and Mr. Richard FitzHarris of Plymouth Avenue South were united in marriage by Rev. J. E. Gefell assisted by Rex. William Stauder, who sang the nuptial mass. Rev. Wm. Heisel, cousin of the bride was in the sanctuary. The attendants were Miss Marion Rogers as maid of honor, Miss Mary FitzHarris as bridesmaid and Helen Brueckel Schoen as flower girl. The groom was attended by Mr. Andrew O'Keefe as best man and the ushers were Mr. Edward FitzHarris and Mr. Bernard O'Keefe. After the ceremony a breakfast was served at the home of the bride's father, covers being laid for forty. Mr. and Mrs. FitzHarris left for New York and Philadelphia. After December 15 they will reside at 368 Brown St.

At the annual election of officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 44, Knights of St. John, held last Monday evening the following officers were elected: Spiritual adviser, Rev. J. E. Gefell; past president, Margaret Reger; president, Louise Meyers; 1st vice president, Margaret Carlin; 2nd vice president, Anna McGrath; recording secretary, Harriet Schoen; financial secretary, Emma Ring; treasurer, Mary Smith; messenger, Marie Reger; sentinel, Dora Diehl; guard, Susie Stritt; trustees, Catharine Schwarz, Emma Rutkowski and Mrs. Haungs; delegate to convention, Louise Meyers; alternate, Margaret Reger; delegate to district auxiliary, Teresa Ganster and Margaret Reger.

St. Michael's.

Sunday morning at the 7:30 o'clock mass the members of the Ladies' Sodality and all ladies of the parish are invited to receive Holy Communion in a body.

The requiem masses for this week were for John Meiter, Caspar Vogel, Rosina Nientimp, Albert Kausch, Rosalia Froelicher, John Reinhart and Joseph Gall.

On Monday and Tuesday evening, Dec. 15 and 16th, a bazaar will be held at the parish hall for the poor of the parish under the auspices of the Ladies and Young Ladies Sodalities. A shower was held on Friday evening by the members of Ladies Sodality. On Thursday evening, Dec. 11th, a shower will be held for the Young Ladies Sodality and all young ladies of the parish are cordially invited to attend.

Next Wednesday evening the Ladies Sodality will hold a drive for new members with a social and entertainment given by several members of the Young Ladies' Sodality. All the ladies of the parish are invited. Luncheon will be served.

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