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Nerves and Blood Are Life

According to how you have lived, your life are found the strength mentally and physically. So if you have weakened or poisoned either or both the nerves and blood better take care of yourself in time—go to a doctor at once, and when you pick your doctor go to a specialist who knows how to tell what ails you, and just what to do to get quick alleviation and at a reasonable cost.

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ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Weekly Calendar Of Feast Days

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

Sunday, Dec. 11.—St. Damasus, Pope, who after putting down the schism of Ursinus, turned his attention to the expiation of Arianism in the west and Apollinarianism in the east. He drained all the springs of the Vatican and decorated the sepulchres of many martyrs before his death in 384.

Mon., Dec. 13.—St. Finian at Leinster, who was instructed by the disciples of St. Patrick. He converted many in Wales and later returned to Ireland and was consecrated Bishop of Clonard. He died in 552.

Tues., Dec. 13.—St. Lucy, virgin and martyr, whose mother, through the intercession of the saint, was healed of an issue of blood. Lucy was sentenced to die, but the flames kindled around her could not harm her. Finally a sword was plunged in her heart and she expired.

Wed., Dec. 14.—St. Nicasius, archbishop, and his companions martyrs. When the barbarians sacked Rheims, he went from door to door, encouraging all to patience. He finally exposed himself to the sword of the infidels, who cut off his head.

Thurs., Dec. 15.—St. Mesmin of Verdun, who was appointed abbot of a monastery by the Bishop of Orleans, and who, during a terrible famine, fed nearly the whole city with grain from his own monastery without perceptibly diminishing his store. He died in 520.

Fri., Dec. 16.—St. Eusebius, born of a noble family in Sardinia, and who served the Church of Vercelli with such zeal that he was appointed bishop. He fought against heretics, who banished him to Egypt in the fourth century. Here he suffered so grievously as to win for himself the title of martyr.

Sat., Dec. 17.—St. Olympias, the glory of the widows of the eastern church. She was married when quite young, but her husband dying within twenty days of the wedding, devoted the remainder of her life in Constantinople to prayer and good works.

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Fourth Degree Assembly Will Hold Ladies' Party At East Maplewood

The December Ladies' Party will be held at Maplewood, East avenue, on Tuesday night, December 13th, at 7 o'clock. There will be a very fine dinner, followed by an address by one of great repute, after which there will be dancing and cards.

Members will meet at the K. of C. home at 6:30 o'clock and go to the Inn in a body.

Cars will be provided for those who have none. Tickets can be secured from the Committee or the Comptroller.

On Sunday, December 11th, the members of the assembly will meet at the K. of C. home at 10:30 o'clock and proceed to the new Catholic Church on Culver Road, to take part in the dedication service. Let's turn out a big delegation to this affair and by so doing please the Pastor, Rev. W. B. McCarthy, who has so kindly extended the invitation.

Bishop to Address New Citizens

The Right Reverend Thomas F. Hickey will be the principal speaker at the Chamber of Commerce at noon next Friday.

Still Work To Do For

Irish Republic Speaker Declares

A closed meeting of Padraic Pearce Council, American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, was held Wednesday night in the hall at Main and Swan streets. Daniel O'Conner Makin, of Syracuse, state director of the association and secretary of the Syracuse council addressed the meeting.

Dr. J. S. Clifford of this city spoke on the progress of the A. A. for the R. I. R., and said that there were now 2,000,000 members in this country. Rochester council has more than 5,000 members, he said.

Blessed Sacrament

"The Blasphemer," a photoplay which teaches a strong moral lesson, was presented in Blessed Sacrament parish hall, in the basement of the church on Oxford street, Monday night Dec. 5, at 8:15 o'clock by the Catholic Art Association and under the auspices of the Holy Name Society.

ST. AUGUSTINES.

The Rosary Society of this parish served a chicken supper on Wednesday evening from 5:30 until 8 o'clock in the parish hall.

Sisters Of St. Joseph

Hold Christmas Sale

A Christmas sale, which will continue to and include December 10, is being conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph in the gymnasium of Nazareth Academy.

The proceeds of the sale will go to the fund for the new Mothers' Home, which is to be started soon, and which will be located on East avenue, Pittsford.

Special Service at

Sacred Heart Convent

The usual Procession of Lillies, in celebration of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, took place at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon, December 8, at the Sacred Heart Convent in Prince street.

A Desk Set for "Him"

Well easily be selected here, as well as other gifts especially suitable to the men of the house. Dudley, Given & Co., 11 East Avenue.—Advertisement.

"Out of the Mouths of Babies."

A schoolboy was asked how "virgin" was derived, and he replied: "From the Latin word vir, a man, and gin, a trap." Remember the boy's reply to the question, "What were the marriage customs of the ancient Greeks?"—"The marriage customs of the ancient Greeks were that a man married only one wife, and this was called Monotony." Republican, a sinner mentioned in the Bible.—"Howlers," from Pearson's.

Campaign For St. Mary's Nurses' Home

Arrangements for the campaign to provide \$200,000 for the new nurses' home to be erected at St. Mary's Hospital were made Sunday afternoon at a meeting at the hospital. It was originally planned to raise \$250,000, but the officials of the hospital decided that the smaller sum would be sufficient to build the home, equipped with 80 beds. Chairman James M. E. O'Grady read letters from the Community Chest and from Bishop Thomas F. Hickey sanctioning the plan and expressing hopes of its success. The campaign will start December 12 and will last for one week, ending December 19. No solicitations will be made before that date.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB

At the December meeting of the Catholic Women's Club Wednesday evening the members learned that the bazaar held some weeks ago in St. Joseph's Hall had brought in \$3,136.

It was announced that Miss Mary McCarthy, of the University, of Rochester, would give lessons in parliamentary law on Saturday evenings from 7 to 8 o'clock beginning January 14th.

The custom of having open house on Tuesday evenings will be resumed after New Year's Day. The card parties now held on Friday afternoons at 2:45 o'clock will be continued. The Glee Club plans to give a concert before Lent. New members will be welcome. Mrs. M. H. Keogh reported that much work was to be done by the club's group that represents it in the Big Sister organization, of which she is chairman.

The annual meeting will take place on the second Wednesday in January at 7 o'clock.

Recital at Nazareth Academy

The first appearance at the Nazareth Academy auditorium of the new recital ensemble of the Eastman School of Music faculty on December 12, a quartet, piano and strings, is the culmination of many weeks of preparation. This quartet is made up of Alf Klingenberg, director of the school and pianist; Gerald Kunz, violinist; Gerald Maas, cellist, and Samuel Belev, viola. Not one of the four has played in public thus far this season. All of them are veteran musicians.

Beautiful Sea Shells.

It is a very pleasant hobby for those people who live by the sea to gather on suitable shores the delightful sea shells that lie on the beach among the pebbles or glitter beneath the water. No understanding of conchology is necessary to appreciate the beauty of the shells that invite attention. There is none more delightful to look at for perfection of design than the nautilus, which reminds us vividly of the illustrations to the stories of Charles Dickens. The painted top, the Venus, and lace sea shells are equally attractive. Many artists have derived direct inspiration from these little wonders. The fan tracery in European architecture must have owed its origin to the fan shells, with their exquisite markings. The colors frequently seem to have been put on by hand, so geometrically do they encircle the tiny home.—Christian Science Monitor.

A Century and a Half Ago.

That pleasant word "picnic," so popular at all times in our country, played havoc with the spelling powers of the French. Their ways of rendering it were various, of which let "pique-nique" be a sample. Their appreciation, however, of that rustic entertainment was as enthusiastic as their spelling of it was uncertain. Nor was this the only word to be mangled, for Baron Closen writes "Jankey Doodle" as the nickname given us by the English! Milford effectively disguises two of our Indian tribes, the Cherokees and the Choctaws, by calling them the Scherokys and the Tchoctacs, and spells Norwich (Connecticut) both Norege and Norage; and Volney delights to tell of "Kentokey."—Charles H. Sherrill.

Don't forget that a shallow brain often operates a fluent tongue.

If a man fails to get what he deserves he ought to be thankful.

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GRAMMAR AS IT IS WRIT

Evidently the Third Man Had "Slipped Up" on the Spelling of Some-what Familiar Word.

First Sergeant Grizzell of the Spokane recruiting station vouches for the following incident, which occurred when three of the applicants of that station were making an application to the director United States Marine Corps Institute, Quantico, Va.

Two of the applicants had spelled the word grammar as "grammer," and were busily making corrections when the third applicant came along. He asked:

"What are you changing the word grammar for?"

"Why, we spelled it wrong," answered one of the applicants.

"Give me that rubber," said the third man. "Darned if I ain't spelled it with two -m's myself."—Recruiter's Bulletin.



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