

Father Powers' Cousins Living In Ireland

Dublin, Jan. 24.—The Cork Examiner recently published the following: "Father Patrick Power, at whose grave in the cemetery of the Holy Cross, Malden, Mass., many miracles are alleged to have taken place, was born in Dundry on October 20, 1844 by his parents, Patrick and Mary, being of the farming class. He studied at Louvain, where he was ordained in 1867. After his ordination, he paid a visit to some friends in Dundry and Durrus.

"While in Durrus, he was presented with a tabernacle by his first cousin, Mr. Richard Power, who was a master cabinetmaker, and a well-known citizen of Dundry. This tabernacle remained in the house after his friends had sold it. The lady who bought the premises, and who is now living in Dundry, and who well remembers Father Power, headed the tabernacle to the parish priest residing in Durrus. In all probability this tabernacle is still in existence.

"Photographs of Father Power, with his autographs, are in the possession of Miss Mary Barrett, the Quaker, Dundry, a relation of Father Power. Many cousins of his are still living in the district, including at least two first cousins, William Power, Derryconery, Glenhill, and Mr. Walter Durrus, Dundry, Bantry. One of his first cousins, John Sullivan, born in Dundry, was awarded the Victoria Cross in the Crimean War, and was also decorated with the Legion of Honor. His first cousin, the late Richard Power, exhibited his works at the Dublin and Cork exhibitions, the point now in the Dundry church being one of his exhibits. It was presented by him to the parish priest on the completion of the new church. Another writing desk, was presented by him to the St. Vincent de Paul Society, Dundry.

"It is recorded that the Powers were a notably brilliant family, and the few who are now living, and who remember Father Power, testify highly of his saintly disposition. The cousin of Father Power, who won the Victoria Cross (the highest award for gallantry within the gift of Great Britain), was Bontswain's Mate John Sullivan, Royal Navy. He was recommended by Sir S. Lushington "for having on or about the 10th of April, 1855, deliberately placed a flag on a mound, in a very exposed position, under a heavy fire, to enable Battery No. 5 to open fire upon a concealed Russian battery that was doing great execution on one of our advanced works." Commander Kennedy, in charge of the battery, who reported this, observed that John Sullivan's "gallantry was always conspicuous."

Notre Dame Has Best Track Team In Its History

Notre Dame, Jan. 24.—What looks like the best track team in Notre Dame's history is now being developed by Coach John P. Nicholson in preparation for the late winter and spring meets. Coach Nicholson is starting his third year as teacher of the Irish bachelors. More than a hundred candidates responded to Coach Nicholson's first call for indoor work, and in this squad are many veterans from last year, and many sophomores of established talent. From all indications the squad will have a finely balanced team, with a sprinkling of flashy individual stars.

Feb. 1, Butler at Notre Dame; Feb. 8, Melrose games at New York; two-mile relay team; Feb. 15, Illinois and Notre Dame; Feb. 22, Indiana at Bloomington.

March 1, Wisconsin at Madison; March 7 and 8, Central Intercollegiate conference at Notre Dame; March 15, Illinois indoor relays at Champaign.

Outdoors—April 19, Kansas relays at Lawrence; April 26, Penn relays at Philadelphia; Drake relays at Des Moines.

March 3, Ohio relays at Columbus; May 10, Michigan State at Lansing; May 12, Indiana State meet at Notre Dame; May 14, Central Intercollegiate conference at Milwaukee; June 7, 11th of Champions at Baltimore; June 13 and 14, National Intercollegiate at Chicago.

Rockne Tackles Florida Ozon For Two Months

Miami, Jan. 24.—Greatly improved in health, Knute Rockne, Notre Dame football coach, is in Florida for further recuperation and sunbathing. Rockne who has been suffering from a blood clot in his right leg, is able to walk with the aid of a cane. He was accompanied by Mrs. Rockne, their two young boys, and the wife of a friend who will help him in his recuperation.

John Law Named Assistant Coach At Manhattan

John Law, captain and star of the 1923 Notre Dame football team, has been appointed assistant coach at the Manhattan College, New York City.

Sports Tid-Bits

By JOHN LARIMER

Displaying the speed which featured his 95-yard run against Army last fall, Jack Elder, Notre Dame's football and track luminary, sprinted to victories in the 60 and 75-yard races at the Brooklyn college games in New York last Saturday.

Jack set a record in the 60-yard dash to notch a decisive victory. Due to an exceptionally close finish in the 75-yard race, a judges' vote was necessary. Three of five judges gave Elder first place over Karl Wildermuth, Georgetown speedster, but the verdict did not appeal to the fans who staged a lengthy demonstration of boozing.

No, folks, that rumble you heard wasn't a storm in the offing; it's only the vibrations from Philbo Camera's number 20 profs as he goes through his daily road work in the "Big Town." The Italian giant has been getting in trim for his 10-round debut against K. O. Peterson at the Garden.

It has been discovered that Primo is a fine singer and that he can sing through the intricate tango without a falter. But if the band one giant leads with his right, as is customary, he will be forced to continue along the former lines, instead of depending upon boxing for a livelihood.

At Marlboro, All-American Bill Back at Dartmouth during the past three seasons, has just signed a coach for Boston University, "Special Delivery" can come there as he did when playing, he was an outstanding success. Best of luck, Al!

Mort Leary was given a severe jolt last Saturday night when his team lost a hotly contested football game to High School on the Aquinas gymnasium floor. Dan Dowling and his mates were decidedly in form, and their usually powerful offense was not in evidence. The towners made good on most of their free shots to sway the verdict in their favor. Scoring from the field was even, but the Irish missed the majority of the goals.

Arthur (The Great) Shire came off second best in a verbal tiff with the Cuban pitcher, who was in the line of baseball, last week and as a result agreed to forego his boxing activities. Landis decided that baseball and boxing do not mix and that any ball player entering the ring automatically renounces his baseball career. The referee and photographer, Whelan, refused to be interviewed or have his picture taken after his talk with Landis. The Judge explained that Chicago's first baseman was receiving too much notoriety and that this should be done away with.

Freddy "Butch" Hoefner, local athletic bowler, topped over the maples for a total of 1,078 in five games to lead the field in the week-end singles competition at Syracuse and carry off the first prize of \$250. "Butch" rolled consistent scores of 150, 224, 224, 206 and 214 to have a 34 pin margin over Lefty Long of Buffalo, who placed second.

Syracuse established itself as one of the outstanding court teams in the nation when it gained a 30-27 triumph over Pennsylvania at Philadelphia last Saturday. Previously Penn had been undefeated.

Pittsburgh, with Charley Hyatt at the helm, is courting through its schedule rather easily, Notre Dame being its latest victim by a 33-13 count. Troubled waters will gather at the final half of the schedule, however, when they take on teams of the highest caliber.

Loyola of Chicago is stinging up claims for the national Catholic championship, for they are undefeated thus far and are fresh from a 12-10 win over Detroit.

Way out in the Western Conference, Indiana has tied the Purdue Boilermakers in the championship race after a 36-22 triumph over Northwestern.

In a couple of weeks St. Bonaventure begins a series of trips, playing N. Y. U., Georgetown, St. Francis, Fordham, Temple and St. Thomas. The results of these contests ought to clear up the Catholic college football and make the selection of a national Catholic champion much easier.

Priest Killed By Automobile; Another Hurt

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 24.—Rev. Alexis Udacah, aged 30, of East Pittsburgh, professor of botany and biology in St. Vincent's College, was killed and the Rev. Paul Odella, 33, pastor of St. Florian Church, near here, was injured in an automobile accident on the Lincoln highway, four miles east of here Monday.

State police were told that an automobile sideswiped the car in which the clergymen were on their way to the college. Father Odella suffered a laceration on the head and one shoulder. He was brought to a hospital here.

German Historian Pays High Tribute To Nuns Who Nurse In Hospitals

Berlin, Jan. 21.—Prof. Eduard Engel, a Jew, and one of the best known of Germany's literary historians, has just published his memoirs in which he pays high tribute to the Catholic nuns who devote their lives to nursing in hospitals. Prof. Engel, who is 78 years old, has been a leader in the movement to purify German by removing from the language all words of non-German origin. "Whatever he says concerning the Sisters must be regarded as the testimony of an impartial witness.

In his memoirs, a highly interesting book, Professor Engel devotes an entire chapter to his experiences in Catholic hospitals, and leads it with this title, "Human Beings from Heaven."

"A serious misfortune brought me in touch with these beings whom I wish to call the celestial ones. My wife had suffered an accident and had been taken to the nearest hospital. It was a Catholic hospital, in charge of the Sisters of the Order of St. Borromeus. My wife had to undergo an operation, to have a broken bone and her knee cap set. Then she was in bed for five weeks, and she was cured.

"Round her bed stood those heavenly-like women. Her every movement was watched, every assistance was given her with kindness, and even the most unpleasant help was rendered by these celestial beings. Who they may have been, I do not ask, nor were we told, by their external appearance, their speech, they might well have been princesses, or the daughters of some count, hardly, however, the daughters of a merchant prince.

"Brides of Heaven  
"What is that that presses us down with heavy loads into the vileness of this life? That we expect life to offer us pleasures which are earthly. For such pleasures of earth those brides of heaven no longer strive. They still live on earth they work on it from morning to evening, or even through the night, for earthly life, they may never more be fit to enjoy the pleasures of earth. For themselves, however, they know of only one pleasure—to sacrifice themselves completely for others, and to see God. These were their words to the letter, when my wife asked them what was the aim of their souls. "To see God!"

Catholic Bowling League

The Catholic Bowling League will meet on Saturday evening at the Columbus Club. The league is composed of the following teams: St. Boniface, St. Andrew, St. Salome, St. Francis, St. George, St. Michael, St. Anthony, St. Joseph, St. Peter, St. Paul, St. John, St. James, St. Matthew, St. Mark, St. Luke, St. John the Baptist, St. John the Evangelist, St. Thomas, St. Philip, St. James the Greater, St. James the Lesser, St. James the Younger, St. James the Elder, St. James the Apostle, St. James the Evangelist, St. James the Prophet, St. James the Martyr, St. James the Confessor, St. James the Priest, St. James the Bishop, St. James the Monk, St. James the Hermit, St. James the Anchorite, St. James the Desert Father, St. James the Desert Mother, St. James the Desert Child, St. James the Desert Girl, St. James the Desert Boy, St. James the Desert Man, St. James the Desert Woman, St. James the Desert Child, St. James the Desert Girl, St. James the Desert Boy, St. James the Desert Man, St. James the Desert Woman.

Columbus Club Amateur Bouts Will Be Snappy

Beginning Saturday evening this week the Columbus Club will stage a series of amateur boxing bouts in the Auditorium of the Columbus Building, corner Chestnut and Lava streets. Jack Madison, an expert in his line, has been engaged as referee. Rounds will be of two minutes and bouts of these rounds will be under the sanction of the Amateur Athletic Union, Niagara district.

First classes will be shown on the first program. Events on the 112, 118, 126 and 135 pound classes are on top with bouts in all four to make for 12 bouts, each bout of 12 minutes to show twice during the evening. Rounds will be of two minutes and bouts of these rounds will be an extra round to decide any draws. Amateur boxing has been popular in Rochester in the past, and in some cities is one of the best drawing attractions of all in-door sports. It is expected that the bouts at the Columbus Club will measure up to equally that will attract and please a widely audience for the entire city.

Young People of St. Charles Church Plan Party, Jan. 28

The young people of St. Charles Borromeo Church, Dewey Avenue, will hold a party on Saturday, Jan. 28, at the Lake Theater on Lake Avenue, near the Stone Road, on Tuesday evening, January 28th. All members and all friends of the parish are cordially invited to attend. Tickets may be obtained at the door on the evening of the party.

The Immaculate Conception orchestra will furnish music for the event, there will be a capable committee in charge, and refreshments will be served. Tickets will be made reasonably, only 50 cents per person. A pleasant evening is assured all who attend. The proceeds of this party will be for the benefit of the debt fund on the church. The new rectory of the church, the Rev. William A. Doran, will appreciate all assistance given the young people in making this event a good success.

Sacred Heart Pastor On Trip To Coast

Rev. George V. Burns, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, left Rochester Monday evening for a western trip which will carry him to the Pacific Coast. Father Burns is now in Denver where he will spend several weeks with his nephew, George V. Burns, formerly of Rochester and now a member of the staff of the Rocky Mountain News.

Jesuit Order Gets Estate of \$400,000  
Marshall, N. C., Jan. 24.—Jesuit Fathers will receive the entire estate of the late Mrs. Bessie Sanford, estimated at between \$300,000 and \$400,000, according to terms of her will. Mrs. Sanford, a resident of Hot Springs, was found dead of asphyxiation recently. She was 72 years old.

Admiral Benson Urges Catholics To Set Example

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

Richmond, Va., Jan. 24. More than 400 members of the Laymen's Retreat League tendered the Rt. Rev. Andrew J. Brennan, Bishop of Richmond, a testimonial dinner here recently, in honor of his silver jubilee in the priesthood. Bishop Brennan celebrated his ordination on December 12th, when clergy of his diocese presented him with a purse of \$5,000.

At the dinner, which was given in Murphy's Hotel, Admiral William S. Benson delivered the principal address, concerning the duties and responsibilities facing American Catholics today. Admiral Benson was introduced by John Farrell, State Treasurer of Virginia. Bishop Brennan responded to the Admiral's address.

Admiral Benson reminded his hearers of the admonition of Pope Pius XI to Americans: that the future of the world is in large part, in the hands of the youth of this country, and the Church expects Catholic youth to do more than its share.

Tells Pressing Problems  
"You may ask what are the most pressing problems of the day," said Admiral Benson, "and I answer, not in preaching form, but in the language you understand and I understand, that is to get back to the ground work of our free institutions, back to the point where we respect our own and our neighbor's rights under the law."

The speaker pointed out to his audience what constitutes the law, according to Christ's teachings, and urged application of the Golden Rule in all human contacts. He declared that "at no time in the world's history should men counsel with one another in the light of an unshaken conscience as in this day and generation."

Gives Rules For Catholics  
"Knowing as we do the feelings that exist in this country against Catholics, what have we done to dispel that feeling, to change it into one of respect and admiration? We claim and we know that we have the true Faith, the Sacraments established by our Divine Founder. Do we stand out prominently before our fellow men as observers of the law for individual piety, for private devotion, in business, in charity, in word and deed, in gentleness of speech, abstinence from profanity and unclean speech? The only way we can change the feelings of our separated fellow citizens is by doing the above things. And we must not imagine or take for granted that our separate fellow citizens are naturally prejudiced. Many of them are honest in their prejudices. They have a sane conception of us to begin with, and seeing that we are no better than the average man, they see no reason for changing their views. The few devout Catholics, of course, help but our separated fellow citizens are not better than they are. It is our duty to help them to see the truth and our Church."

Holy Name Men To Hold Banquet On January 30

The annual banquet of the Holy Name Society of the Blessed Sacrament Church will be held in the school hall on Oxford Street on Thursday evening, January 30th, beginning at 7 o'clock. Rev. Thomas P. Connors, rector of the church and spiritual director of the society, will be the guest of honor. The Holy Name men of his church will be present.

John A. Doyle, Grand Knight of Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus, is general chairman of the banquet, and is arranging a program that will be appreciated by the men of the society. The Rt. Rev. John Francis O'Hern, Bishop of Rochester, will be a guest of honor, and will speak. District Attorney William F. Love will be the toast master. Addresses will be given by Judge B. Cunningham, and by Judge Arthur E. Sutherland, of the law firm of Sutherland & Dwyer. There will be clever witty entertainment, interspersed with the dinner should be made in advance.

St. Philip Neri Party Planned For January 31

The first social party to be given by St. Philip Neri Church, 111 E. 23rd St., for the benefit of the church, will be a St. Philip Neri Church party, to be given on Friday evening, January 31st, at the Columbus Club. The party will be a social affair, and will be held from 7 to 11 o'clock. The party will be a social affair, and will be held from 7 to 11 o'clock. The party will be a social affair, and will be held from 7 to 11 o'clock.

James J. O'Brien Killed in Wreck Near Syracuse

James J. O'Brien, aged 35, of 5 Mildred Street, member of Corpus Christi parish, was killed in a freight wreck near Syracuse last Sunday night. Matthew Hare of Syracuse, was also killed, and H. L. Ford of Iroquois was seriously injured. All three were employees of the Central Railroad, O'Brien and Ford, brakemen, and Hare a conductor. A shifting engine rammed a passenger car in which they were riding, and crushed them, killing the two men almost instantly.

Mr. O'Brien had been employed by the Central Railroad for the past 20 years. He was a dependable and likable man, and his death is sincerely mourned. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Sobrey O'Brien, two sons, Frank and Joseph O'Brien, three brothers, Thomas, Michael and William O'Brien, and a sister, Miss Mary O'Brien, all of Rochester.

New York C. D. A. Holds Conference

(By N.C.W.C. News Service)  
New York, Jan. 24.—Several hundred state officials, district deputies and regional leaders, grand regents and court officials attended a conference of the New York State Jurisdiction of the Catholic Daughters of America, held here Sunday at the call of the new State Regent, Mrs. Margaret Schreyer O'Brien. Between 100 and 500 officials attended the conference, the first to be held since Mrs. Tynan assumed office recently.

Nun Made Member Of The Order Of The British Empire

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

London, Jan. 24.—A Sister of Notre Dame, headmistress of a Liverpool school, is in the King's New Year honors list, in which she is created a Member of the Order of the British Empire.

It is believed that she is the first English nun to be thus honored. From time to time nuns in the mission field have been decorated.

The recipient of this honor is Sister Clare, who is now entitled to carry M.B.E. after her name. Before her profession she was Jane Elizabeth Clare.

She has been a teacher for thirty years and the King's honor may be taken as being a recognition by the Board of Education of her remarkable work as headmistress of the Demonstration school at Liverpool and, since 1928, as headmistress of the Notre Dame Catholic Central School, Liverpool.

and enlarging it for better school facilities.  
"I need not stop this morning to dwell on the beauty and practicality of this new structure of mission style, possibly the only one in the diocese of this particular type, which speaks louder than any words of mine of the zeal, the ability, and the faith of your beloved priest, in providing you with the house of God, in which to worship. It is a characteristic of Father Hughes that, loving the beauty and glory of the house of God, whatever touches he beautifies, and here you come to have your souls lifted up and exalted in prayer by the beauty and architectural beauty of this sacred place."

A Wonderful Growth  
"During all these years Holy Rosary has grown from 200 parishioners to 800 families, although a new parish to the north, the Church of the Sacred Heart, was taken on its territory, and shortly a second parish of the Precious Blood will be placed to the west of Holy Rosary. And you members of this parish which you love so well, remember that as at many of our women and children who make up its membership are celebrating 10 years of parochial history, parochial activity, and parochial development."

In the administration of a church there are two things to be considered, the temporal and the spiritual side. In the temporal side there is a magnificent group of buildings, which have arisen one by one through the faith, loyalty, and spirit of a devoted congregation, and all is paid for except a moderate indebtedness which in no way is a burden to pastor or people. Your church and rectory are architectural gems, in fact, the whole layout here shows careful planning and forethought on the part of him who is charged with the responsibility of administering to your wants.

The Heart of the Parish  
"This church and school," he said, "and convent and rectory may be well called the heart of the parish because of the spiritual life which goes out from here. Think of the Masses which have been offered up on this spot, and the sacraments administered in the past 40 years. During this time, Holy Rosary parish has sent forth into the priesthood eight young men who are doing God's work in the ministry, and 22 young women to enter the religious life, settling practically all religious communities in the country. Besides, there are at present four young men in St. Bernard's preparing for the priesthood and eight boys at St. Andrew's Preparatory Seminary."

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First Spiritual Record Of Holy Rosary Parish Stressed by Bishop O'Hern

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who always bore very special affection for Holy Rosary and who watched over and rejoiced in its growth and development as the years went by.

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"Twenty-six years ago the cornerstone of the second church was laid, which building also served as a school, and remains a splendid structure even to this day. Two months after the completion of the building, the Angel of Death took the new pastor in the very prime of life and his passing meant a great loss to the church and Diocese of Rochester. At this time the Sisters of St. Joseph also took over the school, and it has been conducted by them efficiently for all these years.

Father Van Ness was succeeded by Rev. James H. Day, who came from St. Patrick's Church, Mt. Morris, and who administered the parish for eight years, during which time the new convent on Oriole Street was built by him. This convent was in its day the outstanding building of its kind in Rochester and provides, even to the present, for its large number of Sisters a pleasant and comfortable home.

Cardinal Turned First Sod  
"The first sod of earth for Holy Rosary convent was turned by His Eminence, Cardinal Vincenzo Vannetti, now dean of the Sacred College of Cardinals, on the occasion of his visit to Canada and America for the Escharistic Congress.

"In 1916, after the death of Father Day, the second Bishop of Rochester, now His Grace, Archbishop Thomas F. Hickey, transferred the Rev. Arthur A. Hughes from St. Mary's, Geneseo, to become the new pastor of Holy Rosary, and in 1924 your pastor established the new church and rectory, at the same time remodeling the former building.

Additional Personals  
Mrs. Bernard F. Dunn of Keeler Street, entertained at luncheon recently at the Century Club.

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