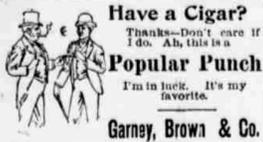


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BURGERS AT WORK. Entered the Coal Office of Divine, McGuire & Co.

REV. MR. SANTEE INJURED. Sustained a Broken Hip By Overturning of Wagon.

A Large Sale will be held today and Monday at 127 Penn avenue.

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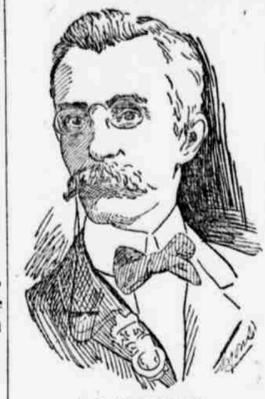
FATHER MATHEW MEN FINISH THEIR WORK

Business Sessions Brought to a Close Yesterday Morning.

THREE RECEPTIONS ARE TENDERED

Ladies Entertained at the Jermyon During the Afternoon--West Side Societies and St. John's of Pine Brook Extend Hospitality in the Evening--Many Delegates Remain Over for the Excursion to Farview To-day.

The Catholic Total Abstinence union convention came to a close with yesterday morning's session.



J. C. GALLAGHER, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, to Whose Energetic Work Not a Little of the Success of the Convention is Due.

general secretary, Rev. A. P. Doyle. It was in the nature of a plea for renewed effort and an advisory talk on plans for the coming year.

JUVENILE SOCIETIES. He earnestly urged the delegates to work for the formation of juvenile societies next year.

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as chairman of the committee, also was among those who assisted in entertaining. Others about the room were: Miss Katherine Maher, Mrs. Manley, Miss Gibbons and Miss Henderson.

Among the guests from out of town were: St. Paul, Minn.—Mrs. M. T. Marshall, Mrs. M. E. Gooden, Mrs. Margaret Kelly, Miss Mary L. A. Smith.

ST. LEO'S RECEPTION.

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Outlook Offers Little Encouragement to the Democrats.

THE SITUATION AT THIS TIME

Refusal of George S. Horn to Be a Candidate Caused a Democratic Cold Wave--It Was Followed by the Dropping Out of Durkin, Griffin, Wheeler and Norton--Primaries Will Be Held This Afternoon.

This afternoon the Democratic primaries will be held between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock to elect delegates to the county convention.

Two weeks ago such a plan had almost developed but events since then have completely changed the aspect of affairs.

For a long time many prominent members of the party were confident that this was going to be a great year for Democracy.

THINK DIFFERENT NOW. The better they became acquainted with the facts and the more they analyzed the situation the more they became convinced that they had taken the wrong view of Democracy's future.

Democratic leaders admit that the more they consider the alleged disaffection in the Republican party the more they are convinced that it offers little or no hope of advantage to the Democrats.

THEY ARE DROPPING OUT.

A week ago John J. Durkin stepped down and out of the fight or the clerk of the courts nomination, and yesterday M. H. Griffin, who was the other prominent candidate for the nomination, informed a Tribune reporter that he was out of the race.

County Chairman T. J. Jennings is spoken of for permanent chairman of the convention.

Music lovers and those interested in the fine art of languages will find much that is interesting and instructive in the new Conservatory Prospectus.

There will be a special meeting of the Junior Republican club held at the rooms of the Crystal Republican club.

Low rates to Buffalo on account of National Encampment G. A. R. Single fare for the round trip.

The members of Schiller lodge, No. 245, F. and A. M., are requested to attend the funeral of Brother Philip Kirt.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

Well Dressed Men wear laundered linen. The place to obtain it is at the Crystal. Telephone.

PICNIC AND BALL.

The Guteseppe Mazzini Society Will Hold Fourth at Harmony Garden.

The committee presided over by John Coston, who is one of the founders of the Guteseppe Mazzini society, and has been for many years at the head of the society.

The committee extend a cordial invitation to all to attend.

MAVOR BAILEY WENT EAST.

Attended the National Fire Chiefs Convention at New Haven.

Mayor Bailey returned Thursday from New Haven, where he accompanied Chief Hickey of the fire department, to the national convention of fire chiefs.

PRICE OF ELECTRIC LIGHT REDUCED. Suburban Electric Light Company Lowers the Rate Per Lamp Hour.

The Suburban Electric Light company gives notice that on Sept. 1 the price of incandescent lights within the city limits will be reduced to five-eighths (5/8) of a cent per lamp hour.

The Binghamton Fair.

The annual exhibit of the Binghamton Industrial Exposition will this year be held from Aug. 31 to Sept. 3 inclusive.

The opening of "Hotel Nash," 416 Adams avenue, is hereby announced for September 1, 1897.

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