ST. AGNES'S CONSECRATION.

AN IMPRESSIVE ECCLESIASTICAL FUNCTION IN BROOKLYN.

The Picturesque Old-time Ceremony Followed by a Pontifical Mass, in Which Mgr. Satolli and Four Other Archbishops, Nine Bishops, and a Score of Other Clerical Dignitaries Take Part—The Church Crowded by Lay Folk.

Yesterday was a great day for the members of St. Agnes's Church in Brooklyn, for their beautiful edifice was consecrated by Bishop McDonnell in the presence of some of the greatest Catholic dignitaries in the land. The consecration service lasted from 7 o'clock A. M. until 10:30 o'clock. At 11 o'clock Pontifical mass was celebrated by Mgr. Satolli, Delegate Apostolic, and at the solemn high vespers in the evening Archbishop Edward C. Fabre of Montreal officiated.

From the East and the West, from the North and the South, Archbishops, Bishops, Monsignori, and priests came to the consecration, and the result was a gathering of ecclesiastic cloth such as has rarely been seen before in America.

The consecration ceremony was conducted by Bishop McDonnell, assisted by Fathers Kirby and Barrett and by twenty-two seminarians from St. Julius Seminary of Brooklyn. The side altars were consecrated by Archbishops Fabre and Chapelle. The ceremony of consecration is one of the most imposing and impressing of all those in the Latin Church. It is the dedication of an edifice to the service of God, and is only employed when there is every guarantee that the church will never be used for any profane purpose. When the church is ready for the ceremony, due notice is given by the Archbishop, and the Bishop and the people generally abstain from food on the evening of the consecration.

The relics to be enclosed in the altar of the church are prepared by the Bishop, who places them in a parchment with incense and puts with them another strip of parchment bearing the date of the consecration, the name of the Bishop, and the name of the priest and church. Everything to be used by the consecrating Bishop is placed in the church at the same time, and on the morning of the consecration the Bishops, with the clergy and the people, proceed to the place where the relics were deposited, and, with the clergy robed in the solemn vestments prescribed by the rubrics for the occasion, prayers are intoned and the litanies chanted. The Bishop then blesses the ashes, water, wine, salt, and other things to be used, after which he places his mitre on his head, and with his staff begins the circuit of the exterior of the church, accompanied by the clergy and people. It is during this procession that the outer walls of the church are blessed. When the complete circuit has been made the Bishop goes to the front door of the church and, kneeling, demands admission in the name of the Lord.

The door is opened by the deacon, and the Bishop and his retinue enter, followed by the choir and the masons who are to place and cement the stone which closes the sepulchre of the relics in the altar table. Then there are prayers, after which attendants strew ashes on the floor in two lines crossing each other, one beginning at the corner on the left and running transversely to the opposite corner, and the other beginning at the right and crossing the first line. The litanies are sung during this celebration, and then the Bishop blesses the church. Then, with mitre and crosier, he begins at the left-hand corner of the church door and with the tip of the pastoral staff traces the letters of the Greek alphabet on the ashes. Then, beginning at the right-hand door, he traces in a similar manner the letters of the Latin alphabet. This ceremony is after the customs of the early Fathers and symbolizes the instruction and the catechising of the newly baptized in the elements of faith and piety. The crossing of the two lines point to the cross and Christ as the central point of Christian teaching. Next the bishop anoints the church walls, and, with the end of his staff, traces a cross on the upper part and another on the lower part inside; then he proceeds to the altar and takes the place reserved for him; the choir intones antiphones, the sepulchre is anointed, and the relics placed inside, the masons seal the sepulchre and the altar is blessed with holy oils; after which the bishop anoints each of the twelve crosses placed on the side of the walls. These crosses are to represent the apostles, the pillars of the Church. After this ceremony the consecration is made complete; the altar cloths, vases, and ornaments for the consecrated church are blessed and the Bishop appoints a prelate to celebrate the grand Pontifical mass of thanksgiving. This concludes the ceremony of consecration.

Mgr. Satolli celebrated the mass, assisted by the Rev. D. J. L. Mangien of Baltimore. The Rev. J. J. McAleer was deacon of the mass, while the Rev. J. L. Belford of St. Augustine's Church acted as subdeacon. The Rev. John C. York and the Rev. William S. Kirby were masters of ceremonies. By courtesy of Bishop McDonnell the Apostolic Delegate occupied the throne on the gospel side of the altar, while Archbishop Corrigan was seated upon a throne on the epistle side. Bishop McDonnell also occupied a throne on the gospel side, as did also Archbishops Fabre, Cross, and Chapelle. The Bishops occupied seats with the Monsignori and heads of seminaries within the sanctuary.

The Rev. Sylvester Malone, the oldest priest in Brooklyn, also had a seat within the chancel, while the clergy occupied the front pews in the church. It took nearly an hour and a half to celebrate the mass. It was concluded by Mgr. Satolli giving the Pope's blessing to the church.

Father Duffy, the pastor of the church, then thanked all the ecclesiastical guests for their cooperation in the ceremonies, and, in giving a short review of the history of the parish, said:

"This monument to the glory of God needs no announcement from me. It speaks for itself."

Father Duffy said, in conclusion, that it had been published in one of the Brooklyn newspapers that the debt recently paid by the church amounted to $120,000.

"In justice to my parishioners who have worked for so many years to clear this church from debt," he declared, "I feel that I ought to correct this error, and let the public know that the debt recently paid amounted to nearly $275,000."

Archbishop Gross of Oregon preached for about an hour on "The prophecies of Christ."

A full list of the members of the clergy present follows:

Charles Edward McDonnell, D. D., Bishop of Brooklyn; Mgr. Francis Satolli, Archbishop of Lepanto and Apostolic Delegate; Archbishops M. A. Corrigan of New York; Fabre, Montreal; William H. Gross, Oregon; P. L. Chappelle, Santa Fe; Bishops Wienard Wigger, Newark; M. J. O'Farrell, Trenton; Conroy, Curium; Francis McSherry, Albany; Stephen Vincent Ryan, Buffalo; Henry Gabriels, Ogdensburg; R. J. McQuaid, Rochester; P. A. Ludden, Syracuse; Mgrs. May, Farley, H. D., and Sharrette, auditor of the Papal delegation; heads or superiors and vicars-general, the Very Rev. Thomas J. Campbell, Provincial of the Jesuits; the Very Rev. A. Magnienn, D. D., superior of St. Mary's, Baltimore; the Very Rev. Charles H. Rex, Superior St. John's Seminary, Brighton, Mass.; the Very Rev. C. Jerome, D. D., Superior Grand Seminary, Montreal; the Rev. Dr. Hetor, Secretary to the Apostolic Delegate. Among the clergy present were the Revs. J. I. Barrett, Bishop McDonnell's secretary; M. J. Kennedy, M. J. Lavelle, pastor of the New York Cathedral, Jas. F. Mealie, Jos. H. Mitchell, Chancellor of the diocese; Sylvester Malone, and the Very Rev. P. J. McNamara, V. G.

At the vespers in the evening Archbishop Fabre officiated. The sermon was preached by Archbishop Chapelle. The church was illuminated by nearly a thousand incandescent lights. Fifty and 75 cents admission was charged at the evening service.

The parish of St. Agnes was organized by Father Duffy in 1878, and the first mass was said in the temporary wooden church then erected on Degraw street, and services were held there for the four years following. In 1882 the corner stone of the new church was laid by Bishop Loughlin, and in a short time after services were held in the lower part of the church, which is now known as the lower church, continuing for several years. On the completion of the upper part of the church it was solemnly dedicated on Trinity Sunday, which occurred on the last Sunday of May, 1898.

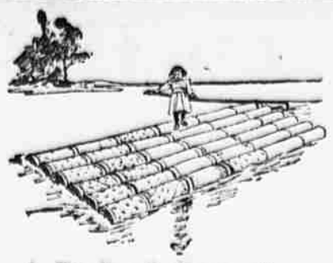
The parish is composed of parts of St. Augustine's and St. Mary's parishes, and when created by the late Bishop the people went right to work to erect for themselves a place of worship. The church is large and handsome. Among the interior features is the main altar, it cost $30,000, and was the gift of a Mrs. Hoyt. The pulpit, a magnificent piece of work, was the gift to the church of Mrs. J. W. Marbury, wife of the millionaire paint manufacturer. The organ of the church was built expressly for the church by the great organ makers, the Jardines, and cost $25,000. The total cost of the church is estimated at about $350,000.

Stole Father Duffy's Beretta.

Joseph Gerrbach, 40 years old, who says he lives on Bowers avenue, Cincinnati, was arrested last night on complaint of Francis Quinn, sexton of St. Agnes's Church, Brooklyn. During the consecration of St. Agnes's Church yesterday morning Gerrbach entered the vestry room and stole Father Duffy's beretta.

244 Baltimore Prisoners Let Go.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 14.—As a result of the fire in the jail on Friday night 244 prisoners were discharged this afternoon from the city prison. They were mostly short-term men, although one had a year yet to serve. The discharges were due to insufficient room in which to quarter the men since the destruction of the south wing. Four prisoners are still at the hospital seriously injured. John T. Milwor cannot recover.



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IMRO FOX TRACED.

A Sudden Whim Led the Conjurer to Vanish on the Spree.

Imro Fox, the conjurer, who disappeared on Monday, is now supposed to be on the steamer Spree bound for Bremen.

Fox was travelling on the Southern circuit with a company of which he was the star, and was to appear in Bethlehem, Pa., on Monday night. On Saturday, after the performance at Wilmington, Del., he asked Mr. Clark, his brother-in-law, the manager of the company, to go to New York and pay the Gill Lithograph Company a bill for printing, and also pay Martinka & Co., dealers in magical apparatus on Sixth avenue, $300. As Mr. Clark could not go, Fox came himself on the 10:30 o'clock train Saturday night, first paying the hotel bill of the company, however, and giving, in addition, $45 to Mr. Clark for the expenses of the company to Bethlehem. On Sunday he was at his home, 1,477 Lexington avenue. He left home in the afternoon, ostensibly for Bethlehem to rejoin the troupe.

Monday night came, but as Mr. Fox did not appear in Bethlehem the performance was given up. A telegram was sent to his home here and Mr. Clark himself came on. Mr. Fox was seen in the Café Figaro on Fourteenth street on Sunday night. From there he was traced to Boston. On Monday night he returned to this city by boat, and he sailed in the morning, under the name of I. Fuchs, on the Spree.

It is supposed by his friends that he is temporarily insane. His company, in which he had invested all of his money, was doing well. Nearly all the members had been paid in advance, and he had enough on hand to cancel all outstanding debts. For some time Mr. Fox has been in poor health. Although the company has had to cancel a number of engagements, another man will take Mr. Fox's place in time for the November trip.

MRS. WHITE'S IMAGINATION.

The Foxes, Father and Son, Were Falsely Accused of Attempting to Kill Her.

Michael Fox, 62 years old, and his son David, 28 years old, of 323 East Seventy-second street, the father and brother of Dennis Fox, who on Friday shot his wife in the cheek and then committed suicide on the sidewalk at Madison avenue and Ninety-third street, were in Yorkville Police Court yesterday on a charge of felonious assault brought by Albert White and his wife, Elizabeth, of 1,890 Third avenue. Mrs. White is a sister-in-law of Dennis Fox.

White went to the East Sixty-seventh street police station on Saturday night and said that the prisoners had attempted to shoot his wife. He had found her in hysterics and completely prostrated when he came home from work. When questioned, she said she had gone to the Foxes to see the body of her brother-in-law. While there Mrs. White said that the father and son had come into the room, and the latter had drawn a revolver, threatening to shoot her. Just then the young man's mother threw her arms about him to prevent his shooting. The father, seeing this, also drew a revolver, and fired three shots at Mrs. White, none of which took effect.

The detectives investigated and found no bullet marks or other evidence of the shooting, but they placed the two men under arrest. Mrs. White did not appear in court yesterday, and her husband told Justice Burke that she had confessed that the charge against the men was false, and merely the result of intense nervous excitement.

The prisoners were therefore discharged.

A DRUNKEN WOMAN IN CHURCH

Gives Father Yessner an Opportunity to Point a Political Moral.

ELIZABETH, Oct. 15.—A commotion was caused in St. Patrick's Church, Elizabethport, at early mass this morning by Ann Ford, a drunken woman, who got up after Father Yessner had finished preaching and began a furious tirade which could be heard all over the edifice. The people were shocked at the unseemly interruption. Attempts to quiet the woman proved useless, and she had to be put out of the church.

After this was done Father Yessner denounced the Mayor and police for not closing the saloons on Sunday, and said that if they did their duty such a spectacle as had been witnessed in the house of God would not have occurred.

Jealous of a Policeman.

Patrick Maroney of 220 East Ninety-ninth street and his sister Ellen, who had been arrested by Policeman Richard J. Daly of the East 104th street station, were arraigned in the Harlem Court yesterday. Daly said that while he was on duty on Saturday Maroney's wife came and told him that her husband had beaten her. Daly advised her to go to court and get a warrant. Soon afterward, he says, she came back and said her husband had knocked her down and driven her out of the house.

Daly then arrested Maroney, who resisted, and was clubbed into submission.

When the policeman got back from the station house, he says, Ellen came out of the house and abused him for arresting her brother. He arrested her for disorderly conduct.

Mrs. Maroney was not in court. Maroney said that Daly had given him cause to be jealous, and had arrested him because he remonstrated with him about his conduct. Patrick was sent to the Island for a month. Ellen was discharged.

Robbed a Man While Pretending to Teach Him Wrestling.

Thomas Hannon, an athletic young man, who lives at 321 East 106th street, was arraigned in Essex Market Police Court yesterday. John C. Begley of 49 West Sixteenth street was the complainant. He said that while he was taking exercise in the rooms of the Capitol Athletic Club, at 96 Sixth avenue, last Saturday night, Hannon came up and volunteered to show him a new fall in wrestling. He showed Begley the trick two or three times, and then went away. After a short time Begley found that his $50 watch was missing. Begley had Hannon arrested. The prisoner was held in default of $1,000 bail, charged with grand larceny.

Two Men Struck by a Train and Killed.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Paul Victor Neuenschwanger and Frank Rebsomer (Swiss) were struck and instantly killed by a train on the Pennsylvania Railroad near Magruders, a small station one mile from this city, this morning. Another Swiss of the name of Hassenfratz was also struck by the train and severely injured, and is not expected to live. The men were walking along the tracks, and stepped from one track to let a northbound train pass, when an express train suddenly rounded a curve on the track where they stood, striking them with fatal effect. They were laborers out of work, and were tramping about to find employment.

A Lunatic Arrested for Pocket Picking.

A man who gave his name as Frank North was caught stealing a woman's pocketbook in front of Hearn's dry goods store on Fourteenth street on Friday. He was arrested, and yesterday morning was arraigned in Essex Market Court. He talked incoherently, and some of his relatives who came to court told Judge Ryan that the man had escaped from the lunatic asylum at Middletown. North will be taken back to the asylum.

A Diver, Being Out of Work, Kills Himself.

James Leavans, 47 years old, a diver by occupation, killed himself yesterday. Leavans was married, and lived at 210 Prospect street, Brooklyn. Several days ago he lost his situation. At a few minutes past 10 o'clock yesterday morning he got a pistol, and, going into his bedroom, fired a bullet into his forehead. He was removed to the City Hospital, where he died at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

SAILOR'S WORK WELL DONE.

COMMANDER MILLER'S REPORT OF THE FIRST BATTALION'S CRUISE.

He Explains Why the New Hampshire Was Used and Declares that the Men Were Much Benefited by Their Week of Work—Praise for Individual Officers.

When Lieut. Schuetze of the navy made his report on the cruise of the First Naval Battalion he offended some of the amateur tars of that organization. They had swabbed down decks and dragged very heavy boats across the sands, and they had eaten food they didn't like. In other ways they had proved their enthusiasm. It wasn't their fault that their bravery had not been tested also. Every one who knows anything about this organization knows that when a war with Chili was threatened some of the naval reserve officers planned a masterly campaign and stood ready to execute it at the first gun. That a naval officer who had seen them on the cruise should disparage their work was unpleasant.

Commander Miller was a naval officer once upon a time himself, and his report, which has just been made to the Adjutant-General, differs in its conclusions from the report of Lieut. Schuetze. He says, in part:

"As there has been some adverse criticism because the battalion did not go to sea in men-of-war, it may be well to recount the principal reasons why the cruise was made in the New Hampshire: First—The State and city have spent large amounts upon that vessel, and it was well to test her efficiency as an armory. Second—The battalion has had no opportunity heretofore to perfect its organization under its own officers; many of these officers have served for long periods in the navy, and it was their unanimous wish to teach the men the rudiments of navy usage before sending them to sea; men, moreover, are unable to act singly until they have had the experience of a perfected system as a body, and have learned esprit de corps as a united whole; this is especially true of a volunteer organization. Third—While a naval militia should ultimately result in the formation of a national naval reserve, its first duty is to learn 'long-shore work within the boundaries of its own State, and to obtain knowledge of the coast for defensive and offensive operations. Fourth—It is highly advantageous both for the State and the general Government that the seafaring community along our coast should be thoroughly conversant with the work of its organization."

The Commander then gives in general the routine for the cruise, showing that all the details of a man-of-war were carried out on the various days; these details included the handling of the chains, the keeping of the log, the entire cleaning of the ship, coaling the ship, watering ship, lashing and stowing of hammocks, instruction of petty officers, sweeping down decks, heaving up anchor, posting sentries, a large amount of boat duty; also signalling, instruction in swimming, in the keeping of State blanks and books, washing clothes, scrubbing ladders and boat gear with sand, instruction of messmen by commissary department and baymen by surgeon's department; in short, eight days of continual manof-war and sailor-like work.

Commander Miller gives the officers and men of the First and Fourth divisions great credit for their work. He refers to the individual work of several of the men. For instance: "Lieut. Duncan states that Seaman C. J. Shearn got into the woods in the rear of Hearn's camp, went along the shore, and, finding Shearn's boats unprotected, shoved two of them off, and towing one, rowed the heavy man-of-war cutter himself two miles to Mr. Duncan's camp."

Commander Miller, in conclusion, says:

"The results of the cruise fully bear out the reasons given for having it on board this vessel. The officers and crew showed marked improvement in a knowledge of ship life. The work performed was much greater and more arduous than any eight days' corresponding labor on a Government vessel, and each division has become better acquainted with every other one; the various expeditions assigned to each promoting a spirit of rivalry and friendship, which is of great service in any volunteer organization.

"Besides the officers and men heretofore mentioned in this report, I would specially commend Lieuts. Stayton and Forshew for the systematic and excellent manner in which they handled their expeditions and the time and labor they gave prior to the cruise in preparing for it, and Lieut. Greene, across Long Island. Lieut. Greene's report shows what thoroughly good work he could do in case of actual hostilities, but his modesty prevents him from dwelling upon the very difficult task which he and his division had in transporting his boats across the sand spit at Centre Island.

"Lieut. Duncan's intimate knowledge of seamanship has been invaluable to me in all the work connected with fitting out the cutters and in improving the men in boat work. This was notably shown in his handling of the whale boat during the gale of wind on Tuesday.

"I desire to call your special attention to the fact that this command lived during its tour afloat upon the ship's provisions, and the credit is due to Paymaster John G. Agar for the business-like way in which he made up his accounts and provided the command with better meals than we had last year when employing a caterer.

"During the unavoidable absence of the Navigator and Ordnance Officer, Messrs. Renwick and Dockey filled the above positions in a most satisfactory manner.

"Master-at-Arms Welling, Chief Quartermaster White, Ship's Yeoman Anderson, Paymaster's Yeoman Candler had very arduous duties and performed them exceedingly well.

"Lieut. Wm. H. Schuetze of the United States Navy was with us during the entire cruise, and I am indebted to him for many personal and official courtesies. The Long Island Railroad Company, the citizens of Cold Spring, Oyster Bay, and the members of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht Club gave the command many facilities on shore and showed much interest in the development of this command."

Alive, Though His Neck Is Probably Broken.

Joseph Coffi, an Italian laborer, 25 years old, who lives at 328 West 115th street, fell fifteen feet into the cellar of a new building in West 120th street, upon which he was working, on Saturday. He was taken to Manhattan Hospital, where it was found that the base of his skull was fractured and his left wrist broken. Further examination showed that the man was paralyzed from the neck down. The surgeons have not yet been able to make a thorough examination, but they feel confident that the Italian's neck is broken.

Court Calendars This Day.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.—Recess. CHAMBERS.—Motion calendar called at 11 o'clock. SPECIAL TERM.—Part I.—Clear. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12. Demurrers—Nos. 1263, 1264. Law and fact—Nos. 998, 722, 1034, 984, 1080, 1227, 1249, 89, 221, 238, 122, 123, 404, 740, 57, 71. Part II.—Clear. Demurrers—Nos. 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20. Demurrers—Nos. 1263, 1264. Law and fact—Nos. 916, 825, 411, 412, 267, 823, 94, 227, 272, 240, 236, 160, 275, 279, 280, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 132, 1294. SPECIAL TERM. Part I.—Case on interveneat. New York Elevated Railroad Company.

CIRCUIT COURT—Part III.—Clear. Nos. 1036, 1037, 993, 991, 578, 996, 961, 966, 966, 1033, 1034, 2421, 2422, 2423, 878, 879, 1246. Part IV.—Cases from Part III. Part II.—Clear. Cases from Part III. Part IV.—Clear. Cases from Part III.

SURROGATE'S COURT—TRIAL TERM.—Will of Joseph F. Johnson, 10:30 A. M. Will of Thomas—Estate of Julia J. Downey, 10:30 A. M. For probate—Wills of Henry Hornidge, John Harrington, Catharine Berbenich, Timothy C. Kimball, Sarah Cooper, Charles H. Herrymen, Elizabeth M. Harvey, Julia Menic, 10:30 A. M.

COMMON PLEAS—GENERAL TERM.—Adjourned until Oct. 25. SPECIAL TERM.—No. 22. EQUITY TERM.—Clear. Nos. 103, 26, 32, 72, 80, 89, 34, 100, 93, 96, 40, 58, 88, 92, 95, 99, 81, 59, 24, 44, 91, 28, 30, 37, 41, 43, 91, 87, 77, 86, 76, 70. TRIAL TERM.—Part I.—Clear. Nos. 1366, 1299, 1318, 933, 1340, 986, 1259, 834, 1102, 1374, 1390, 1257, 1302, 1304, 1260, 1441, 1420, 585, 1321, 1065, 1401, 1348, 1408, 1365, 1252, 1452, 1376, 1198, 610, 724. Part II.—Clear. Cases from Part I. Part III.—Clear. Cases from Part I.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.—Clear. Nos. 409, 417, 419, 420, 438, 440, 434, 504, 507, 439, 444, 346, 526, 528. EQUITY TERM.—Case unfinished. Nos. 150, 116, 117, 118, 119, 411, 412, 101, 91, 99, 94, 142, 106, 52, 82, 337, 338, 414, 415, 416, 417, 26, 29, 32, 43, 41, 87, 77, 86, 76, 70. TRIAL TERM.—Part I.—Clear. Nos. 1366, 1299, 1318, 933, 1340, 986, 1259, 834, 1102, 1374, 1390, 1257, 1302, 1304, 1260, 1441, 1420, 585, 1321, 1065, 1401, 1348, 1408, 1365, 1252, 1452, 1376, 1198, 610, 724. Part II.—Clear. Cases from Part I. Part III.—Clear. Cases from Part I.

CITY COURT—SPECIAL TERM.—Motions. TRIAL TERM.—Part I.—Clear. Nos. 57, 807, 808, 809, 810, 591, 1409, 816, 2, 542, 527, 496, 477, 2053, 814, 815, 1000, 529, 1436, 1439, 635, 697, 93, 41, 53, 64, 81, 105, 650, 651, 653, 658, 670, 687, 688, 692, 694, 696, 777, 785, 795, 826, 802, 809, 866, 504, 628, 658, 715, 771, 1401, 1404, 840, 874. Part II.—Clear. Nos. 913, 638, 497, 887, 881, 1011, 871, 315, 507, 858, 883, 888, 890, 895, 915, 403, 579, 882, 573. Part III.—Clear. Nos. 940, 1872, 1042, 1059, 485, 245, 783, 445, 721, 726, 727, 744, 746, 624, 1024, 1025, 939, 946, 956, 1067, 1087, 1095. Part IV.—Clear. Short causes—Nos. 1707, 1680, 1151, 1011, 1783, 1569, 1399, 1145, 1381, 1020, 626, 1514, 1534, 1182, 1088, 1387, 1805, 1840, 1059, 1057, 1040, 1820, 1388, 1549, 1857, 1814, 1896, 1963, 1401.

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IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

The market continues to show activity, and its healthy condition is indicated by the prices asked and obtained. In this field, at least, the financial depression has not manifested itself seriously. Brokers' sales include:

NEW YORK.

Hoffman Bros. have negotiated a sale of business property "north of Chambers street," the details of which are for the present withheld. The sale was for about $200,000, the price paid being $10,000 less than the seller was offered for the property in the spring.

Henry D. Winans & May have sold the residence property, 25x95 and small extension x100, No. 8 East Forty-fourth street, at $75,000, all cash, for Dr. John S. White. They have also sold the Columbia College leasehold dwelling, 25x60x100, No. 21 West Forty-eighth street, for Mrs. Rachel B. Brown.

George J. Lenny & Bro. with R. N. Marasco have purchased the two five-story brick double stores and tenements Nos. 244 and 246 Elizabeth street, between Prince and Houston streets. The price paid was about $30,000.

C. R. Gregor & Son have resold for Dr. W. F. Duller the three-story 20-foot brown-stone house, No. 223 East Fifteenth street.

Charles Gertliner's Sons were the purchasers of the Glenham Hotel property, Nos. 153 and 155 Fifth avenue, east side, north of Twenty-first street, at $275,000, the sale of which by Richard V. Harnett & Co. was reported last week. They will build a six or seven-story business building upon the site.

L. J. Phillips & Co. have sold for George H. Barnes the four-story dwelling and lot, No. 142 East Thirty-fourth street, for $30,000.

John G. Suydam is reported to have sold the four-story brown-story dwelling, No. 14 East Forty-first street.

R. Tehlemann has sold for John Casey the five-story brick flats, size 42.6x100, Nos. 493 and 495 Columbus avenue, at the southeast corner of Eighty-fourth street, for $150,000, to Messrs. Berger.

Frank L. Fisher has sold for John Casey the two five-story apartment houses with stores, 27.6x90x100 each, Nos. 487 and 489 Columbus avenue, south of Eighty-fourth street, for $150,000.

Charles E. Sennyler has sold for John S. Hawley the four-story brown stone and brick dwelling, No. 62 West Seventy-first street, 25x90x100, to Salvator nos. for about $65,000.

Jacob H. Halstead has purchased from the Mercantile Building Company the French basement dwelling No. 267 West 42d avenue, adjoining the northwest corner of Seventy-seventh street, and having a frontage of 30 feet, for $39,000.

Bennett & Graff have sold for Samuel Colcord the four-story brown-stone and Tiffany brick dwelling No. 414 West 23d avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, 19x50x100, to C. Vacantine, on private terms, and for Charles Gillett, the three-story brown-stone-front dwelling No. 319 West 101st street, 20x55x102, to F. Douglass at $25,000.

Henry D. Winans & May have sold the dwelling property, 25x100 and extension x100, No. 41 East Sixtieth street, for samuel Hammerslough for $36,000, and No. 318 West Eighty-ninth street, 20x60 and extension x100, for Mrs. Lydia Devins at $35,000.

Walter & Lawson have sold No. 308 West Ninety-first street to Rufus Darrow.

Wm. J. Merritt has sold the four-story limestone front dwelling, 25x76, on Park avenue, south of Seventy-seventh street, to Albert Johnson for $30,000.

Andrew Powell has sold for John C. Heney the four-story brick and stone dwelling on the northeast corner of West end avenue and Sixty-ninth street, 22x70, for about $36,000, to Mrs. R. S. Richmond.

Charles H. Lindsley has sold the four-story dwelling No. 7 West Eighty-third street to William C. McGibbon, of No. 911 Broadway, at $35,250.

Charles F. White has sold No. 105 West 105th street, a five-story double flat, 25x70x100.11, for Joseph Hassell, to Margaretha Keller for $20,000.

Holding & Pinkney have sold for Cutler Bros. the two five-story brick and brown-stone flats, with stores, Nos. 624 and 626 East 138th street, each 25x100, to Bernard French on private terms.

William Cohen has sold to James Walsh the five-story double flat house, with store, 24.6x82x100, No. 627 Amsterdam avenue, for about $28,000.

Joseph Brach has sold two lots on the south side of Seventy-first street, 225 feet west of West End avenue, to William Bradley, for improvement.

Henry Duchardt has purchased the three story brick dwelling, No. 206 East Seventy-second street, next to the corner of 1st street, at about $11,250.

Van Wagener & Card have sold to Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart Wells the three-story stone and brick private stable, 25x100, No. 25 East Sixty-ninth street.

William S. Anderson & Co. have sold the four-story tenement property, No. 219 East Seventy-fourth street, for Mrs. M. A. Stone to John Graham.

J. Clarence Davies has sold the lot on the northeast corner of 156th street and Prospect avenue to James W. Ogden for $4,000; one lot on the south side of Dawson street, east of Prospect avenue, to Robert Hazard for $1,000; one lot on the west side of Prospect avenue, 100 feet south of 156th street, to Jacques Joel for $1,800, and two lots on the southeast corner of Dawson street and Tinton avenue to Timothy Higgins for $4,500.

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Foley & Co. have sold the two-and-a-half-story and basement brick dwelling, 17.6x45x100, No. 66 Bainbridge street, for A. H. Wagner to E. Menendez, for $6,000, and the two-story frame dwelling, 25x40x127, No. 1,001 St. Mark's avenue, for the estate of James Blake to James Farrell for $1,450.

R. A. Frost & Co. have sold the two-story and basement brick and stone dwelling, 17.8x45x100, No. 914 Butler street, for A. L. Sands to R. A. Frost.

The D. A. M. Chauncey Real Estate Company, Prospect Park branch, have exchanged for C. F. Burgell two four-story brick double flats, 25x60x90 each, Nos. 475 and 479 Fourth avenue, valued at $15,000 each, with Marion Thompson for the three-story and basement brown-stone dwelling, 22x45x100, No. 493 Third street, valued at $13,000, and have exchanged for E. O'Brien the four-story brick apartment house, 20x65x80, No. 108 Seventh avenue, valued at $13,000, with M. L. Burrell, for the four-story brick double flat, 28x50x90, Nos. 418 418 Fifth avenue, valued at $18,000.

Corwith Brothers have sold the three-story frame dwelling, 17.6x50x100, No. 121 Bedford street, for Thomas Hasem to George Ferguson, for $5,000.

Thomas Boscrans has sold the two-story frame flat, 15.7x80, No. 708 Seventh avenue, for Mary Wall to Frederick Meyers, at a nominal price.

J. H. Lane & Son have sold the lot, 200x100, on the north side of Eighty-eighth street, 275 feet west of Narrows avenue, for J. H. Hanley to Charles A. Thompson, for $4,000.

M. Bennett & Sons have sold the three-story and basement frame dwelling, lot 20x100, No. 411 Dean street, for Miss M. H. Desmond to William B. Lomas, for $5,000; also the two-story frame dwelling, lot 25x100, No. 1,536 Bergen street, for $2,400, and the two story and basement brick dwelling, lot 20x100, for J. F. Rhinelander of Flatlands, to Fred Lowe, for $6,000.

John Pullman has sold the two-story and basement brown-stone dwelling, with stable on rear, 36x45x100, No. 30 Lime st place, for Anna C. Brown to S. C. Johnston for $9,000; the four-story brick store and flat, 28x100.4, southeast corner Bergen street and Franklin avenue, for William Lawrence, of Conway to Martha Kuhlen for $27,500, and exchanged the three-story and basement brown-stone dwelling on the north side of Union street, 258 feet east of 4th avenue, valued at $9,000, for Robert Valentine, with James A. Townsend for a two-story and attic dwelling and nine lots of ground on the north side of Fifty-third street, 220 feet east of Twenty-fourth avenue, Bay Ridge, valued at $7,000.

Joseph G. Hunington has sold the four-story brick flat, 25.6x78x100, on the north side of State street, 126 feet west of Nevins street, for Thomas J. Smith to Mary Shafer, for $36,000; also the three-story brick flat, 19.6x74x100, on the south side of Thirteenth street, 175 feet west of Eighth avenue, for David J. Atkin, to Magdalene Engler for $6,000, and a lot on the south side of Ninth street, 125 feet west of Third avenue, for H. Griggs to Mary T. Smith for $2,000.

T. J. Bryant has sold the two-and-a-half-story and basement brown-stone dwelling, 20x43x100, No. 790 Greene avenue, for a Miss Sheridan of New York.

William H. H. Pinckney has exchanged for Mrs. C. J. Lord the two-story and cellar brick dwelling, 17.6x40x100, No. 774 Putnam avenue, valued at $7,000, with A. Purdy for a plot, 102x100, on the southeast corner of Forty-second street and Sixteenth avenue, valued at $2,500; also exchanged for E. Bennett the two-story and basement frame dwelling, 20x45x100, No. 508 Madison street, with William Harvey for a lot, 25x100, on the west side of Hendrix street, 175 feet south of Blake avenue.

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