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Regarding the Construction and

Fundraising For the First

Christian Brothers High School



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St. Patrick's Day Celebration.

The Irish-American citizens of this city generally observed this day as a holiday in honor of St. Patrick and in commemoration of the land of their birth, although there was no general parade or other public demonstration. Divine services were held in St. Rose Church at 10 o'clock in the morning, when Rev. N. D. Slattery pronounced an eloquent and stirring panegyric upon the Saint whose memory is ever green in the hearts of the natives of the Emerald Isle. The Ancient Order of Hibernians assembled in force in their hall at half-past 9 o'clock and marched thence to the church in full regalia and bearing with them their magnificent banner. Altogether the observance of the occasion was highly complimentary to all parties concerned.

There will be a grand ladies' festival at the Pavilion this evening, and the attendance will certainly be very large. The hall has been tastefully and appropriately decorated with flowers and ever-

Europe, and the universal cause of England and America blended together in the most suggestive manner. Many new features of excellence will be introduced, and, taken all together, it will be one of the most enjoyable affairs of the present season. Frank D. Ryan, a pupil of the Christian Brothers' College and a fine elocutionist, will recite an extract from Robert Emmet's thrilling reply to Lord Norbury on his being found guilty of high treason. The California Concert Troupe will furnish the music required for the occasion.

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THE SACRAMENTS.—Fifty-five boys, pupils of the Christian Brothers' College, and seventy-five young ladies from St. Joseph's Convent made their first Communion at St. Rose Church yesterday. Many youths of both sexes were confirmed at each of the German Lutheran Churches in this city yesterday.

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Sacramento Institute Exam- inations.

The first annual examination of the Sacramento Institute, under the superintendence of that famous order of teachers, the Christian Brothers, commenced to-day, when the scholars in the Fourth Department were examined in Christian Doctrine, reading, spelling, writing, and the principles of arithmetic. To-morrow the scholars in the Third Department will be examined.

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Sacramento Institute Exercises.

The first annual commencement exercises of the Christian Brothers' College take place at the Assembly Chamber this evening. A large number of invitation tickets have been issued, and the hall will undoubtedly be crowded. An elegant work on the British poets, presented by Father Sistler, will be awarded to the scholar in the First Department who has, during the year, made the best average in all studies. Following is the programme: Music, due — violin and piano, Bernard Earle and Arnold Heyman; declamation, Peter Shields; essay, "The Great American Soldier," F. L. Smith; vocal solo, "Whisper Softly, Mother's Dying," John Campbell; extract, John W. Dotie; essay, "True Patriotism," Henry Rynd; vocal solo, "Cottage by the Sea," Charles Wait; declamation, John L. Hughes; vocal solo, "We Parted by the River Side," John F. Webster; essay, "The Age of

Pericles," John Suny: chorus, "The Military Parade," singing class; declamation. Roland E. Hazlley: duet, violin and piano. A. L. Lyon and Arnold Heyman. Part Second—Extract. Edgar T. Price: vocal solo. "Come Back to Erin." Willie Hanlon: essay, "Inauguration in Public Life," Edward J. Figg: declamation, Edgar Lee Brown: vocal solo—comic—John Stocner; essay, "The Great American Patriot." Isaac J. Trainor: duet—guitar—Prof. P. C. Dorrego and E. J. Figg; essay, "The Hero of Limerick." Francis D. Ryan: chorus, "Tell me where do Fairies Dwell," singing class; conferring of diplomas and certificates; address to the students, Hon. Creed Hammond.

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Sacramento Institute Commencement Exercises.

The Assembly Chamber was filled last evening with an audience appreciative as it was large, on the occasion of the first annual commencement of the Sacramento Institute, which is conducted by the Christian Brothers. The auditors were drawn with remarkable unanimity from all classes of society and everyone was highly pleased with the entertainment, which was a grand success in every respect. The decorations of the stage were superior, being arranged with much taste and skill. The school has been in existence but a single year and yet the pupils show marks of culture and training that could hardly be expected in such a short space of time. The essays showed that principles which an American citizen should always cherish are being inculcated into the minds of the youth under training, and the literary efforts of the young men generally displayed evidences of ability and thought.

while the oratorical powers of all who participated were far above mediocre and several of the youth gave evidence of real genius in this respect. The solos by tiny youths and the choruses by the juvenile class were rapturously applauded, while the guitar duet by Prof. Dorrego and E. J. Figg received two encores. A. L. Lyon and Bernard Kerle each gave some choice selections on the violin, being accompanied on the piano by Master Arnold Heyman, all winning the highest praise. The exercises were conducted by Isaac J. Trainor, one of the pupils.

The College Faculty then took charge of the stage, and introduced his Excellency, Governor Irwin, who presented diplomas to Francis D. Ryan and John Sney and certificates to Henry Kyan, Isaac J. Trainor, Edward J. Figg, J. L. Hughes, J. Bow, J. Murphy and E. F. Smith. Three volumes of poems, elegantly bound, offered by Rev. Father Siattier for best scholarship, were awarded to Francis D. Ryan, and Edgar Lee Brown carried off the prize for declamation.

The evening's exercises closed by Hon. Czedd Haywood delivering a very eloquent and appropriate address to the pupils. He spoke of the good fortune attending the pupils in having

such able instructors; referred to the organization of the Order for educational purposes two hundred years ago and then traced the mighty progress of events for the past two centuries and clearly depicted the blessings and advantages now so common to all. but a few years ago only attainable by princes and potentates. Speaking of the Christian Brothers he said that they numbered 7,000 teachers, have 1,227 schools, and 326,000 pupils. These schools are not confined to any one country or climate, but are scattered throughout the world, in every land and zone. He concluded his brilliant address with an exhortation to the pupils to labor steadily and become blessings to the world and ornaments to society.

At the close of the interesting entertainment a party of about 75 gentlemen friends of the college, Faculty and clergy, repaired to the school building, where they enjoyed the hospitality of generous hosts. Remarks were made by Governor Irwin, Hon. N. Greene Curtis, Adjutant General Walsh, Superintendent of Public Schools Hinckson, President Feltier of the Board of Education, Mayor Green, Trustee McCleery, Secretary of State Beck, Samuel Poorman, Secretary Maslin, Creed Hammond.

W. B. C. Brown, Rev. Father Scanlan, Brother Ciadan (President of the College), Rev. Father Slattery, Rev. Father Keechland of Australia, General Horan, Dr. Terrell, James Maguire, Judge Kearon of Nevada, C. T. Jones, W. A. Anderson, and a representative of the Bee was called upon to tell what we knew about the press. The party retired with the best of feelings towards their guests and the institution under their charge.

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