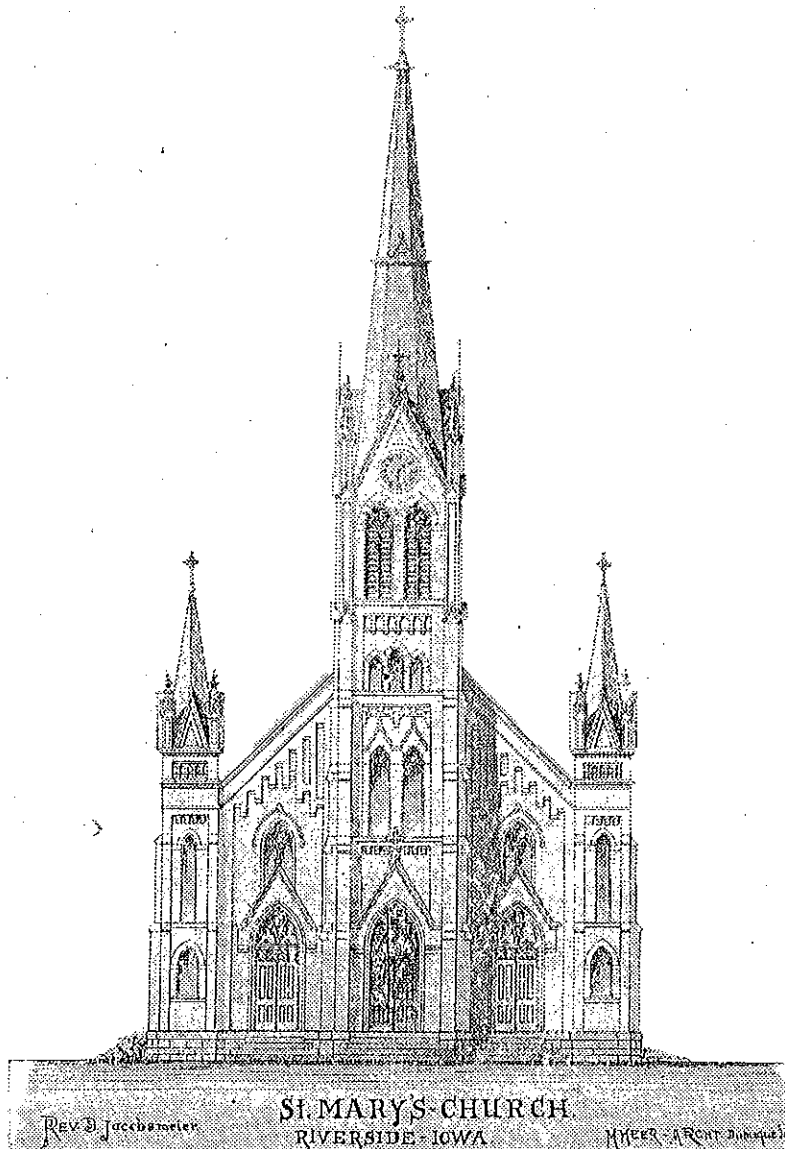


# DAILY FAIR REPORTER

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The REPORTER presents above a perspective of the new St. Mary's church, which gives a good idea of the appearance of the front when completed. This building is 60 feet wide by 128 feet long, including the sanctuary. The main nave is 40 feet high and the tower 145 feet. The foundation is constructed of concrete except the range work above grade, which is of Bedford stone, including the water table. The contract for the foundation was awarded to J. J. McKeone, of Washington, Iowa, his bid being \$3,710. This work has been completed and accepted by the building committee. The entire cost of the foundation, including the joists and rough floor, was about \$4,500, which is all paid. The walls above the water table will be of brick; the outside facing of Gladbrook pressed brick with Bedford stone trimmings.

The corner stone was laid by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Davis on the 8th of last month, which event attracted a large gathering of people and marked a new epoch in the history of this parish of Riverside. Nearly two-thirds of the cost of the church proper has been subscribed by the members of the congregation and others. This, with the proceeds of this fair and the bazars held the past year, will net quite a large sum, which will all be applied to the church fund. All are working faithfully in union and harmony under the leadership of our faithful pastor, Rev. B. Jacobsmeier, and as in "union there is strength," we are assured that this work will soon be completed.

We are looking forward to the day when this edifice will be free from

debt—when we can again invite our friends from far and near to take part in dedicating it to the honor and glory of God, and mark another event in the annals of our parish and town. This done, we will have accomplished a work which will reflect great credit on the congregation and Riverside.

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## The Daily Fair Reporter

Published in the interest of St. Mary's Fair  
From Dec. 27 to Dec. 29, 1905.

Fair Committee, Publishers  
Rob't. H. Heitzman, Editor

The FAIR REPORTER again comes to life, and will be published in the interest of St. Mary's Fair, as in the past. The last issue was published Dec. 29, 1892, by E. A. McKree; Swift and Baschnage) were its editors. These editors furnished you with reading that was interesting, and we will do all in our power to keep the REPORTER up to its original standing.

Everyone should attend the Fair. Come with a good spirit and enjoy yourself; eat, drink and be merry. Let order, harmony and good will prevail. Lay aside prejudice and ill will; meet all with a glad hand. Make this a time of pleasure; have a good time; joke, laugh, and grow fat.

There seems to be a misunderstanding in regard to the team of horses that was donated to the Fair. The Fair committee wants it distinctly understood that this team is an absolutely free gift without any restriction, condition or expectation of compensation whatsoever on the part of the donor. Any intimation to the contrary will harm the good cause we have in view. FAIR COMMITTEE.

The bids on contract for construction of the church will be received and opened tomorrow. The contractors that have figured on this work will probably all be here. We will give a report of this meeting in our next issue.

A Short program will be rendered every evening of the fair beginning at 9 o'clock. Following is the program for this evening:

Music.....Swift's Orchestra  
Professor at Home.....Comic  
Mixed Quartet  
Grand Valse.....Piano Solo  
Irene Thomann  
Mermaids Song.....Ladies Quartet  
Music.....Swift's Orchestra

The three issues of the REPORTER will be sent to any one out of town for 10 cents. Give your subscriptions to the reporters.

### A Tour of the Fair Room.

On entering the hall we behold a great throng of people who have come together to see the beautifully decorated hall, likewise the different booths, and to help in the great cause for which the Fair is being held.

In the southwest corner of the hall our eye is attracted by the Ice Cream parlor, whose windows and walls are tastefully decorated with white lace curtains and pictures.

Here the waiters are busy, serving the numbers who wish to partake of the delicious ice cream that has been made for the occasion.

Passing northward, on the west side of the hall, we come to "a bunch of sweetness" that is taken care of by two of the young ladies of the parish. Here the palate is satisfied with the delicacies of confectionery that were prepared by the young ladies of the Sodality.

Then, as we stroll onward again, we come to the "Country Store," which is conducted by the young married ladies and members of the ladies' Sodality. This Country Store has two departments; the first being the drawing section and the other the selling. We now have a chance to secure our groceries, and with each package a present is given. In the second a great many useful and fancy articles can be purchased. The Candy Department and the Country Store are nicely decorated in white and green.

We now cross the hall to the east and here we find the "Twenty-five Cent Drawing Table," which is in charge of the elderly ladies, members of the Rosary Society. This booth is decorated in the same colors as used by this grand United States—Red, White and Blue.

Wending our way toward the south we come to the Children's table. The school children have this in charge. These little busy bodies have been working faithfully to make their booth a success, and have succeeded in making it very attractive by decorating it in pink and green. The gentlemen of the committee built all of these booths, and the ladies knew how to decorate them to make a beautiful appearance.

And "last, but not least," is the

refreshment stand, which has a great graft—"The Balls in the Barrel." This is a very scientific game, and is where the loser pays for his experience.

We have now completed our tour through the hall and find that all are straining every effort to make the Fair a success.

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The tables are so arranged that you can be promptly waited upon by the ladies, who include the Misses Rita Dautremont and Marcella Schnoebelen as head waiters.

Following are the ladies who will wait on us today: Albia Kos, Albia Hora, Rose Dautremont, Grace Mottet, Mrs. Mary Dean, Mrs. Lena Droll, Catherine Laney, Esther Rummelhart, Philomena Sueppel, Cecelia Schnoebelen, Mary Leihenguth, Agnes Brennan, Rosa Beatch, Mary Mottet, Esther Swift, Lena Florang.

Below we give you a list of the table waiters for tomorrow: Anna Bushek, Barbara Skubal, Rosalia Sueppel, Anna Smith, Marv Laney, Matilda Wieland, Mrs. Agnes Strabala, Blanche Critz, Gertrude Schnoebelen, Deborah Brennan, Nellie Bauer, Irma Critz, Stella Schnoebelen, Rosanna Yeggy, Zelta Waldschmidt.

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### Local Gleanings

Take your meals at the fair.

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Buy your groceries at the country store.

Mr. Maass of Washington attended the fair today.

Mr. and Mrs. H Green and Alice Luckey of Haskins were visitors at the fair today.

Oysters will be served at the Dining Hall every day at supper and until 10 o'clock in the evening.

Ice cream will be served at the ice cream parlor every afternoon and evening of the fair. Sandwiches, pie, and coffee every evening after 7:30.

The editor of this paper is ably assisted by Richard Dautremont, Leo Critz, Blanche Critz and Mariella Schnoebelen as reporters; give your subscriptions to them.

### Donations to the Fair.

The following are the donators and donations to the fair.

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