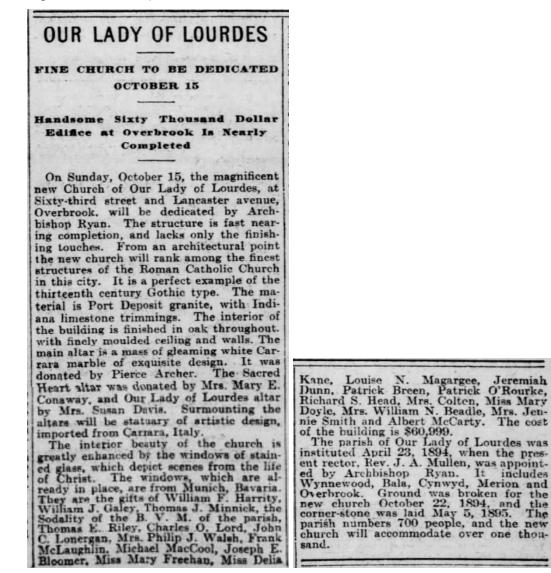
J.B. DIDINGER & CO. (1899); presumably dedicated with the building, Sunday, October 15, 1899

Our Lady of Lourdes Church, R.C. Sixty-Third Street and Lancaster Avenue Philadelphia [Overbrook], Pennsylvania

"Our Lady of Lourdes / Fine Church to be Dedicated October 15," *The Philadelphia (Pa.) Inquirer* (Saturday, September 30, 1899): 11.



[Except from:] "Lady of Lourdes / Overbrook's Handsome New Church Dedicated by Archbishop Ryan," *The Philadelphia Inquirer* 141, no, 108 (Monday, October 16, 1899): 5.

The interior of the church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and ferms, while evergreen entwined the pure white marble columns. The three altars of pure white marble were almost hidden from view by solid bank of choice cut flowers, and the flickering of the many lighted tapers lent additional beauty to the scene.

Gounod's "Messe des Orpheonistas" was sung by a choir of forty students from the Seminary of St. Charles Borromeo, under the direction of Rev. Hugh T. Henry, organist. The dedication sermon was delivered by Right Rev. Monsignor James F. Loughlin, chancellor of the archdiocese of Philadelphia. Rev. Dennis A. Corbett acted as master of ceremonies, assisted by Hugh Bowen and Edgar Cook.

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