

IRISH CATHOLIC FEDERATION PLAN MEETS APPROVAL

National Hibernian Convention Indorses Affiliation Plan of Those Organizations That Stand for Home Rule.

The plan to federate all Irish Catholic organizations in America was unanimously indorsed by the national Hibernian convention meeting in the Masonic temple this morning.

Another subject dear to Irish hearts was introduced in the report of Professor Michael G. Rohan, chairman of the national commission on the teaching of Irish history.

"The crusade for which we stand here today is dear to us by every consideration that can enhance virtue or soothe the restless spirit of reminiscence. It has been the dream of our youth, the joy of our manhood, and we trust, if please God, the solace of our declining years.

"We asked no questions as to the 'how' this was to be done. 'Ours not to reason why' Nor impelled by that order, did we first examine the field of our labor to find obstacles to the successful prosecution of our work.

"From all quarters of this broad land, men, eminent by reason of sanctity, of learning and of patriotism, advancing the pillars in the hierarchy of the Catholic church in America have voiced our sentiments and placed their seal of approbation upon a cause so intimately connected with religion, so redolent with martyrdom and sacrifice as the kingdom of heaven itself.

"There are in these United States of America today for boys to the number of 250; academies for girls, 678; while the number of parochial schools, relieving the public debt of millions of dollars of increased burden, equal 4545. Of this number, and here is the vital and interesting consideration for us, 1700 are Irish parochial schools which harbor about half a million of children of Irish descent.

"Let us then firmly resolve, fellow Hibernians, on returning to the success of this great and far-reaching movement, so that the Irish-American youth of this continent may study the Catholic and national spirit of the land of the cross and the shamrock, a spirit which neither coercion nor oppression, chicanery nor preferment, the scaffold or the sword has ever been able to vanquish, and which, may God grant, shall live in its full strength and here in the vital roll of the nations is called at the seat of Almighty omnipotence, Ireland's epithet will then be written in characters of eternal light.

Table with financial data: Secretary shows at close of 1907, 122,000 members, per capita was only collected on 131,246. Total membership Dec. 31, 1908, 174,628. Total membership Dec. 31, 1909, 183,028. Net increase in four years, 61,828.

CAMPAIGN GROWS HOTTER-AS ELECTION TIME DRAWS NEAR

The election of national Hibernian officers, which will probably be held tomorrow morning, remains the overshadowing issue of the convention.

Friends of Professor Rohan said today that they had little hope of his election. It is probable that much of his support will be turned to Vice President Regan, who comes from St. Paul and who is understood to stand for a more conservative policy than that advocated by President Cummings.

A measure to protect the people was introduced by a member of the convention and saved by a brave president to whom honor is due for his protection.

Two or three large oil companies might 'combine and conspire' to freeze out a small dealer.

These electricians belong to a union formed under the arbitration plan some time ago and kept their jobs. The employers afterward contracted, under pressure, with the big trust and were told to join the Labor Trust.

No trust has ever 'restrained' such volumes of work or stopped the payment of so much money.

No trust has maimed and killed so many men or blown up and destroyed so much property and yet the attorney general has been held back from prosecutions for some unexplained reason.

ship. This is a piece of much work and comparatively little honor. National Secretary James T. McGinnis is a candidate for selection and will probably not be opposed.

HIBERNIAN PARADE OCCURS THIS EVENING IN BUSINESS STREETS

Thousands of Portland people will witness the big parade to be given tonight by the Ancient Order of Hibernians, beginning at Tenth and Alder streets at 8 o'clock.

Division one—Chief of police, platoon of police, band, J. D. Mann, grand marshal; F. Hogan, chief-of-staff automobile No. 2, containing Rev. Father York, of San Francisco; Father O'Hara, Father Donnelly, Father Maloney; automobile No. 3, containing staff officers A. O. H.; automobile No. 4, containing federal judges, federal officers; automobile No. 5, containing Postmaster C. B. Merrick, Colonel David Dunne, General Summers, P. S. Malcom.

Division two—Float, American shield; band; Marshal T. Minogue, J. V. Dillon; side, national delegates on foot; float, 'All Ireland.'

Division three—Band; Marshal M. J. Murruane, J. T. Naughton, aide; Hibernians in uniform; division No. 1, A. O. H.; float, 'Castle and Harp of Ireland.'

The authorities forget there are about thirty million workers in this country and only about 1,700,000 members of the Labor Trust and that most of them are coerced into membership.

How can the authorities answer to the vast army of 25 million free workers, farmers and householders whose affairs are from time to time interfered with and who have to bear the loss of wages and the general heavy loss of stopped industries brought about by the leaders of the Labor Trust in their manipulation of men seeking to drive them into fee-paying slavery?

These men did not want to pay fees to the trust leaders and be subject to their whims so they formed their own union for self protection. Thereupon the big trust called a strike, blew up and burned cars, attacked and slaughtered men, kept people from getting to and from work, forced their other slaves to quit work and cost the people of Phil. several million dollars and untold suffering and inconvenience solely for the purpose of 'showing' them the power of the Labor Trust to 'force' people to 'mind' and force these independent men to join the trust, 'obey' and pay fees to the leaders.

Why were these Congressmen cowardly? you ask. Because the trust managers sent word to their local managers in all parts of the country instructing them to fire in letters and telegrams to Congressmen whenever a bill to give the trust more power is introduced.

entertainment which the Hibernians will undertake until the excursion up the Columbia to the Bailey Gatzert, Saturday. Nearly all the delegates to the convention are arranging to take the trip as they had been advised before coming that it would be one of the leading features of the convention.

HIBERNIANS RECEIVE GREETINGS FROM FAR CORNERS OF EARTH

To the Rt. Rev. John T. Carroll, bishop of Helena, belongs the distinction of having made Irish history a compulsory study in all Catholic schools and academies in his diocese.

St. Louis, Mo.—The bishop and officers of the American Federation of Catholic Societies extend to the Ancient Order of Hibernians cordial greetings and best wishes for a successful convention. We trust that your powerful organization will renew affiliations with federation which has been so cordially approved by the holy father.

STRIKER SHOT IN LEG; CLASH WITH STRIKEBREAKERS (Continued from Page Ten.)

ered, and from there was removed to St. Vincent's hospital. Before Captain Baky and a police detail arrived on the scene, Trullite had disappeared, but later he was found at St. Vincent's hospital, where friends had sent him. The bullet passed through the flesh of the leg and the wound is not serious.

In this particular case the President induced Congress to reconsider the vote and protect the masses from the proposed tyranny.

These freemen will not soon forget the effort of their representatives in Congress to force them into the irksome slavery of the big Labor Trust which seeks to dictate first, monthly fees, then, when and where they can work, for whom, or what wages and how long.

That kind of 'hand tying' is not relished by the millions of free men or by thousands of 'free' men now forced into membership in order to get jobs and not slugged, yet they are ordered on strike from time to time and made to boycott, picket and act as law-breakers at the behest of the leaders fighting to hold power over them.

Experience in the past has shown that the great big factor known as the 'common man' may not be so quick as local Labor Trust leaders to write his congressman for protection, yet he reads and votes; that is why many a candidate who thought he could help push through trust laws of either Capital or Labor, seeking gain or control of the average citizen has met defeat when he comes up for reelection.

I became so strongly impressed with the honesty of purpose and progressive principles of this labor organization that I considered it worth while offering him \$100,000.00 a year if he would accept.

the police could learn nothing there concerning it.

IF POLICEMAN DOES NOT FIND OFFENDER HE WILL LOSE HIS COMMISSION

Unless Andy Capon, former special officer, finds the man who assaulted John Tucker, a Northwest Transfer company teamster, he will be permanently deprived of his commission.

Mrs. Sutton En Route to Portland. (United Press Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, Cal., July 21.—Determined upon another effort to clear the mystery surrounding the death of her son, Lieutenant J. N. Sutton, on the campus of the United States naval academy at Annapolis two years ago, Mrs. Rose B. Sutton started today for her home in Portland.

RUSSO-JAP AGREEMENT CAUSE FOR ANXIETY

(United Press Leased Wire.) London, July 21.—Doubt and anxiety concerning the new Russo-Japanese agreement is growing daily, rather than diminishing, in British government circles. The doubt is expressed in the columns of certain newspapers, most prominent among which is the London Morning News.

conclude," says the News, "that China will perceive in the new agreement a menace to her sovereignty in Manchuria. This is a matter which affects other powers, not only sentimentally but commercially."

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prove especially unsatisfactory in the United States. The absorption of Manchuria by Russia and Japan, it is indicated, will lead to the closing of the 'open door' in that province, which would affect the United States commercially.

Other comment indicates that the British fear the new agreement will

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