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CATHOLICS AND THE LIBRARY DEMAND FOR CATHOLIC BOOKS MUST BE CREATED. Rt. Rev. Bishop M. J. Hoban Told the Members of the Catholic Historical Society Last Night That the Reason There Are Not More Catholic Works in the Library Is Because Catholics Don't Ask for Them—The Church and the Bible. Other Addresses Made.

Rt. Rev. Bishop M. J. Hoban, Rev. Dr. John J. Loughran and Rev. Dr. J. W. Malone were tendered a reception last night by the Catholic Historical society in the Knights of Columbus club house, and several hundred of the city's most prominent Catholics gathered to all of them here and to welcome the two last named clergymen back from their studies in Europe.

Second Vice President John J. Murphy presided and made a happy introductory speech of welcome, in which he extended a hearty greeting to the visitors. A brief musical programme was rendered, including a selection by the Schubert quartette and a soprano solo by Miss Mary Niland. Rev. Dr. Loughran made a brief address in which he endeavored to give a passing sketch of the religious side of Rome. He mentioned its hundreds of churches and described some of their beauties. He was fortunate in seeing Pope Leo XIII a number of times and had several private interviews with him. He described the wonderful personality of the pontiff and told of the spiritual atmosphere which surrounds him and which leads even non-Catholics who have seen him to always ever afterwards think of him with feelings of the deepest reverence.

Historical Side of Rome. Rev. Dr. Malone took up the historical side of Rome briefly and told of some of the places of historical interest which are to be seen there. He told of the recent excavation of the old church of St. Mary, which was used by the Christians of the second century and how the paintings and frescoes which are being uncovered in it prove the ancient origin of many of the dogmas of the Catholic church. Bishop Hoban made an extended plea for a more general knowledge of the history of the Catholic church by Catholics. He referred to the absence of many important Catholic books from the shelves of the Albright library, and said that these books are not there because there is no demand on the part of Catholics for them. He urged the appointment of a committee to formulate a list of the Catholic books which are to be found in the library and to add to this list the titles of those standard works which are not to be found there. This list should be placed in the hands of the members of the society and a demand thus created for the books which it enumerated.

"Only recently," said the bishop, "I discovered that there are three lives of St. Francis of Assisi in the library and that all three are written by Protestants. Just think of it. Not a Catholic life of one of Catholicism's greatest saints! It is not possible for any well-intentioned Protestant to understand the psychology of Catholic saints; to appreciate intelligently their spiritual life. There was no Catholic life of St. Francis in the library because there was no demand on the part of Catholics for a Catholic life. That's your fault and not the fault of the library directors. If space is given on the shelves to a Protestant history of the Reformation space should be given alongside to a Catholic history of the Reformation, but this will not be done until Catholics demand it."

Said It Is a Duty. The bishop declared the study of Catholic history to be a duty incumbent upon every intelligent Catholic, that they may be prepared to successfully resist any attack upon the church. In this connection he replied in a most interesting manner to a recent charge made by a Lutheran professor who lectured here, that prior to Luther's time the church kept the Bible from the people. The bishop said that intelligent Protestant scholars know better than this and do not hesitate to say so. He recounted at length the names of a number of German printers, some of whom published as many as sixteen German editions of the Bible before Luther, and these, too, were all printed and distributed at the instigation of the bishops of the church, he declared. No less than a hundred Latin editions of the Bible were published before Luther's time, and a copy of an edition published and distributed the year the reformer was born, the bishop said, he has in his own library. "The man stood up in a pulpit in this city," said the bishop, "and made these statements to an audience which I have no doubt swallowed down every word, but I am glad to say that representative Protestant scholars do not approve of such absurd notions. It is the old, old story that has grown threadbare from use, the story that the Catholic church has always been the enemy of the scriptures. On the contrary, if it had not been for the Catholic church and her Christian monks of the middle ages, we would have no Bible today."

Spirit of Intolerance. The bishop expressed his gratification at the growing spirit of tolerance among Protestants and their growing desire to seek after the real truth regarding Catholic doctrines and dogmas. He told a story of a young Boston woman of education whom he met on the steamer when he last crossed the ocean and who defined an indulgence as "a permission to commit sin." He expressed satisfaction at the fact that this altogether erroneous idea was instantly corrected by a Methodist clergyman before he could say a word. The bishop announced in conclusion that he sails the first of the year for Egypt and will visit Rome during the celebration of Pope Leo's twentieth anniversary in March. He hoped to be able to welcome some of the members of the historical society in the Eternal City at that time. Bauer's orchestra furnished music between the hours of 10:30 and 12 o'clock.

The Elite Studio. Lyceum entrance, will be open all day Thanksgiving. Maillard's chocolates, 25c lb. Courser's.

THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE. New Students Admitted at Any Time. TALK BY MISS LYDIA HAYES. Delivered at the Home of Hon. and Mrs. Alfred Hand.

Hon. and Mrs. Alfred Hand entertained a small company of guests last night at their home on Jefferson avenue, in honor of Miss Lydia Hayes, who has been at work in New Mexico for a number of years among the Indians and Mexicans. Miss Hayes is a most attractive woman, who told a fascinating story, full of dramatic incidents and significant of the neglect which this country shows toward its legitimate responsibilities. She gave a brief review of the history of New Mexico since the natives were first enslaved by Spain, telling of Coronado's search for gold and Espejo's early visits to the region. She said that the tendency of the Indian in this vicinity had been backward, since his infancy. She spoke in emphatic protest against our apathy regarding Mormonism and its encroachments. While we seem to be sleeping, Mormonism is wide-awake. The Mexican is a manna person; the Mexican woman, surely works hard enough to make up for all his idleness. Miss Hayes described the homes of the natives of various classes and told of Alamogordo, where had the Scranton capitalists located more than five years ago they would have found no church. One was there when they arrived. The religion of Mexico is not so much Catholicism as it is conglomerations of ignorant superstitions, and like all countries once governed by Spain, there is actually no school system worth the mention.

She plead for awakened interest in this land, where there are more church pews than worshippers; for the land and the poor people who are hungry for all things and most for the gospel, and for whom there is such meagre room in church and school. She told a most pathetic story of Ramona, a little girl who was denied room in the mission school and who, sent back to her village, was killed while still a child by a man who sought her in marriage and was refused. The money sent by a rich woman came too late to rescue the beautiful girl, who had wept so bitterly when she was refused admission to the overcrowded school. In Albuquerque the little boys came from far away, bringing in their arms the pet kid that they have reared to pay for a few months in school, so anxious are they for education and so eager are they to learn how to better the condition of their race. At the conclusion of Miss Hayes' talk, refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in a social way, the influence of the address being the keynote of the conversation.

A TALENTED SINGER. Miss Florence Robertson Made Her Debut Last Night. The auditorium of St. Luke's Parish house was crowded to overflowing last night with the friends of Miss Florence Robertson, of Dunmore, a pupil of Miss Cornelia West Freeman, who made her debut as a concert singer, assisted by Miss Julia C. Allen, of this city, violinist; Harold Stewart Briggs, of New York, pianist, and Karl Kirk, of New York, cellist. Miss Freeman considers Miss Robertson to be one of the most promising singers in this part of the state, and the latter's efforts last night compelled not only the admiration but the intelligent appreciation of the music lovers who heard her. She is a tall, stately young woman with a most individual personality and possesses a voice which, though not of extraordinary range, is nevertheless vibrant and full of tender feeling. Her first selection, a dramatic recitation by Von Weber, was not suited to her temperament, but she sang it exceedingly well. She was more at ease in the rendering of Novin's sprightly little song, "The Merry Lark," which she sang with a melodious fluency that was delightful to the ear, and in the rendering of a beautiful lullaby by Chadwick. Other songs which she sang were Dell Riego's "O, Dry Those Tears" and a selection from Schumann, the latter to the accompaniment of both piano and cello. There is not a carelessly controlled note in Miss Robertson's voice, and the peculiar tonal quality of her pianissimo was very evident in Lisa Lehmann's "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes." The Bohm song, "My All" was exquisitely interpreted. Miss Robertson has the exceptionally fine enunciation which characterizes all the work of those trained by Miss Freeman. Mr. Briggs, who comes from the Power studio in New York, is an accomplished young musician with a brilliant technique which he displayed in the rendering of a beautiful lullaby by Chadwick. Other songs which she sang were Dell Riego's "O, Dry Those Tears" and a selection from Schumann, the latter to the accompaniment of both piano and cello.

KILLED IN PITTSBURG. Remains of William Loughney Brought to This City. William Loughney, of 963 Albright avenue, met with a serious accident while engaged as switchman in the yard of the Pennsylvania railroad at Pittsburg, Pa., on Sunday morning at 6:40. He was taken to the Pennsylvania hospital at Pittsburg and died at 4:40 Monday morning. His remains were brought to this city by his brothers, Mathew and Anthony, last evening. They arrived on the Delaware and Hudson train at 5:25 o'clock. The funeral will take place from the residence of his mother, Mrs. Bridget Loughney, 963 Albright avenue, at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning. Services will be held at St. Paul's church, Green Ridge, and interment will be made in the Cathedral cemetery.

PERSONALS. Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Toohy, of Chestnut street, quietly celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the wedding yesterday. Attorney W. Henry Davis has gone to Philadelphia to witness the Pennsylvania-Cornell and West Point-Annapolis games. At the annual election of the New York Press club held last week, Paul Weir, a well known Wyoming young man who has been connected with the Associated Press in New York for half a dozen years, was elected to the office of librarian. The library of the Press club is considered one of the finest reference libraries in New York city and contains a valuable collection of old newspaper files besides an excellent equipment of reference books for the purpose of buying which Andrew Carnegie presented the club with \$5,000. It is an invaluable aid to the working newspaper man of New York. The Ladies' auxiliary of the Madison avenue temple will give a turkey supper on Thanksgiving night at the vestry rooms from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. All are welcome. Sunshine kisses, 25c per pound. Courser's.

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SEEMS ITS UP TO MACVEAGH. AMICABLE ADJUSTMENT NEGOTIATIONS OFF. Independent Operators Find Little or No Argument Necessary to Convince the Coal Road Presidents That a Settlement "Out of Court" Is Out of the Question—Apparently Mr. MacVeagh Took Too Much for Granted or Has Been Repudiated. Commission Fortified Itself.

Whether it was the protest of the independent operators or a realization on the part of the coal road presidents that a settlement "out of court" of the strike controversy was not to the liking of the thinking public, the fact now develops that the proposed amicable adjustment is all off. Both the mathematics and the ethics of the strike dispute are to be threshed out before the commission. It was thought all along, until yesterday, that all the big companies were acquiescing, at least in Wayne MacVeagh's activities towards amicable adjustment. It now seems as if Mr. MacVeagh was acting on his own account in every step he took beyond making arrangements for conferences, at which the parties might agree as to facts concerning wage and labor statistics. Maybe this is doing Mr. MacVeagh an injustice, but if it is the blame lies with the coal presidents. Either he has been borne beyond his authority by his enthusiasm, or the coal presidents have repudiated him after giving the authority he has been acting under, presumably.

Negotiations Are Off. Be that as it may, the negotiations, authorized or unauthorized for amicable adjustment, are all off. The committee of independent operators, which went to New York to have a conference with the coal presidents yesterday, returned last night, wretched in spirit. The afternoon dispatches told in detail of the big companies having coincided in their views. They one and all confirmed these dispatches. "One of the committee said last night: "We gained our point. Everything we sought was conceded to us. It required little or no argument on our part to convince the coal presidents that the hearings before the commission should be proceeded with. They had about come to this conclusion themselves. "It is a great victory for us," he continued. "Under the amicable adjustment plan we were to have been engineered out of court, without being given an opportunity of defending our declaration of May last, that we were prepared to give up our right to work and to hire and discharge men without the consent of the United Mine Workers. We want to show this, and we can show it."

Developments Anticipated. The commissioners, it would seem, half anticipated yesterday's developments. Ostensibly they adjourned to give the parties opportunity to argue on figures bearing on the wage question, and for nothing else. Chairman Gray expressed the hope that when the parties came together they might reach an agreement "on nearly all, if not all," of the points in dispute. If no word or sign did indicate that the commission expected they would do more than that for which the adjournment was specifically granted, namely, the agreement of the parties to figures on wages. It is far from certain, however, the commission, in a statement from its sub-committee, Saturday afternoon, declared that no matter what agreement the parties might arrive at the commission was not bound to accept it in cooperation in its award. If any agreements the parties arrived at met with the full approval of the commission, such agreement or agreements would be made part of the commission's award. If the commission did not approve, the amicable adjustment efforts were all in vain.

What They Expected. It is certain that Mr. Mitchell and the other miners' representatives went to Washington expecting to deal with duly accredited representatives of all the big companies. They had been led to believe that Mr. MacVeagh had been authorized to offer as a basis of settlement a ten per cent. advance in wages, a nine hour day, and the other concessions previously told about. The fact that they found the apparently repudiated Mr. MacVeagh the only one in Washington to deal with them and that he had nothing to offer except his good offices left them with nothing to do but return to Scranton the way they came. Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Darrow and Mr. Lloyd will be back here today to prepare for a continuation of their fight before the commissioners.

Proceedings in Book Form. Recognizing the widespread interest felt all over the country in the testimony and argument before the Anthracite Strike Commission, The Tribune will print in convenient book form the reports appearing in its columns from day to day, and will offer a limited edition of copies for sale at \$1 each. The volume will consist of several hundred pages, eight by eleven inches, and will appear as soon as the commissioners render their decision. The daily reports in The Tribune miss nothing of essential interest and are the fullest and most accurate reports printed in any newspaper. Orders should be sent to The Tribune now as the edition is liable to be exhausted.

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