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ARCHBISHOP IRELAND'S SPEECH.

Archbishop Ireland deserves especial commendation for his sermon delivered on Sunday at the Roman Catholic cathedral in St. Paul, Minn. Ordinarily it would be intrusion on the part of a secular newspaper to concern itself with the sermon of a priest or minister of religion to his congregation, but Archbishop Ireland's sermon was a special discourse dealing with great matters of National and church concern and the duty of the citizen and the Catholic.

The archbishop took occasion to rebuke "the fiery zeal in defense of Catholic interests" which seems to be prevalent among certain classes of American Catholics and to be directed against the government because of its actions in its dependencies where there are large Catholic interests. Bishop Blenck of Porto Rico, he points out, makes no complaint against the American government. The hierarchy in Cuba, he states "are thanking God that church interests were settled by the government at Washington before a Cuban parliament was allowed to sit down in Havana." Leo XIII himself, the sovereign pontiff, the archbishop concludes, is attending to the question of the friars in the Philippines, having transferred the negotiations from Rome to Manila.

Many democrats agree with the republicans that the removal of the friars from the Philippines would be a good thing. If the republican policy prevails and the islands are to be retained, the removal of the friars is desirable because they are pro-Spanish and are liked neither by the natives nor the Americans. If the democratic policy prevails and the islands are not retained, the Americans will have done the Filipinos a service in relieving them of the friars, who should, of course, be compensated for their lands and their places filled by other Roman Catholic Clergy.

But Archbishop Ireland deserves commendation for the position he takes with regard to mixing up religion and politics. His positon is that of the constitution of the United States, which separates church and state. Says the archbishop:

Nothing is to be more dreaded in America than hatred and warring among citizens in the name of religion, and it behooves all classes of the population to do their utmost to nurture and maintain peace and harmony.

Agitation among Catholics as Catholics in America concerning political questions, even though they touch the interests of the church, is to be deprecated. Archbishop Ireland points out that Catholic interests have not been jeopardized, but have been carefully protected by the government. Even if this were not so, opposition to the government must be made by Catholics as citizens, not as religionists. While the archbishop points out that Catholic interests have been respected by the government and that they have no reason for agitation, even if that were the proper remedy, he leaves them free to oppose the administration for political reasons, and democratic Catholics, just as democrats of other religions, see such reasons in abundance.—*Houston Post.*

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Brennan was one of the detail chosen to guard the Governor's cottage during the visit of the President and his party. When the carriage containing Mrs. Roosevelt and other ladies of the Presidential party was returning from the review of the troops, Brennan halted the equipage as it reached the inclosure, and, leveling his bayonet, commanded Mrs. Roosevelt to produce a pass.

In answer to Brennan's demand the President's wife made known her identity, but his commanding officer had told the young militiaman that no one was to cross the line without a pass, and he refused to allow Mrs. Roosevelt to be driven on. The coachman several times tried to force his way through the line, but Brennan was there with the bayonet, which he planted against the driver's stomach.

One of the staff officers noticing the trouble, came to the party's rescue, and after vouching for Mrs. Roosevelt and assuming all responsibility in case there was trouble, Brennan ordered Mrs. Roosevelt to pass on, saluting with due military ceremony as she passed.

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Thus spoke Senator Matthew Stanley Quay today. And there are not lacking signs of the times to support the Pennsylvanian's prediction, which undoubtedly must be considered that of an expert.

Minnesota is the fifth State to declare so explicitly as to include the name of Theodore Roosevelt in its platform, in favor of his nomination to the next presidency. The other States whose Republican conventions have gone so far are Pennsylvania, Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri. Every other Republican State convention that has met so far has indorsed without reservation the administration of Roosevelt. These are signs that it is impossible to ignore.—Philadelphia North American.

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