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Tuesday Evening 1872

My dear Engels

I really cannot attend the Council meeting to-night as I have a very large number of letters to write and I have had very little spare time during the past fortnight. Will you be good enough for me to announce the establishment of Irish sections in Soho, Marylebone, Bradford, Cork and Dublin and to ask for their recognition. The London sections are in a very flourishing state, taking everything into consideration. The Cork section is a very strong one and has amongst its members some of the best men in Cork. M[r] De Morgan[a] the Corresponding Secretary says they will have 500 members in less than three months. Their meeting has been reported in several Irish papers. The men who have commenced the work in Dublin are earnest, resolute men but they will have a good deal to contend against from some of the unliked, ignorant factionists in Dublin, who tried to break up their meeting on Sunday last. These fellows declared that | Irishmen had enough to do to mind their own affairs etc. etc. However the work is in good hands and cannot be defeated. Sections are also in course of formation in Chelsea and Southwark. By next week I will be able to announce the establishmen[t] of sections in Middlesboro in Yorkshire and Cootehill in the north of Ireland and also to place before the General Council the correspondence which I have received. [1]I want from M[r] Hales[b] about one or two dozen copies of the Conference resolutions[c] and some

headed notepaper. Please see the same given to Bearer M[r] Coleman[d] who is secretar[y] of the Soho Section, also my copies of the Eastern Post[e] and the I. Herald[f]—if you have any— I want one dozen of the "I. Herald["] for Cork and also 100 copies of the "Civil War in France[g]". They wish to know what they will have to pay for the 100 copies. I wish Mr Coleman to be given all these things tonight, if possible. I really must also get a few copies of the reports of past congresses etc. as I cannot do without them. I will endeavour to see you to-morrow evening as I want your kind advice on several matters. If possible drop a few lines by bearer

Always yours truly

JP M[c]Donnell

Erläuterungen

a) De Morgan, John Francis (-)

b) Hales, John (1839-nach 1882)

c) Zotero Link für: Conference resolutions

d) Coleman, (-)

e) The Eastern Post

f) The International Herald

g) Zotero Link für: Civil War in France

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