

3,000 TO MARCH IN MONUMENT RITES FRIDAY

Italian Ambassador Will Speak at Unveiling of Columbus

The monument to Christopher Columbus in St. Mary's circle will be unveiled next Friday afternoon, Columbus day, and 3,000 men are expected to march in the parade to be held in connection with the Columbus day celebration.

Cpl. Guido F. Verbeck will be grand marshal of the parade. There will be 12 floats in line. Various military, civic, fraternal and religious organizations will march. Nine bands will furnish music.

Augusto Rossi, Italian ambassador to the United States, will deliver the principal address, and the program will be broadcast by radio.

The monument and the entire setting was designed in collaboration by Dwight James Baum, architect of New York city, and Prof. Renzo Baldi, sculptor, of Florence, Italy.

Mrs. Marvita to Officiate

The monument will be unveiled by Mrs. Rolland B. Marvita, wife of the mayor, and when she pulls the string releasing the covering of white cloth which has hidden the statue of Columbus this will also let flutter into the air the American and Italian flags.

The parade will start at 1:30 o'clock, and the exercises at the monument will begin at 2:30 o'clock. School children will sing "America" and 200 girls of Italian ancestry will sing "Glovenezza."

Nicholas Casale, chairman of the parade committee, announced yesterday that units taking part in the parade will assemble at 12:30 o'clock in North State street, facing north from North Salina street to Kirkpatrick street.

The line of march will be thru North and South Salina street from Kirkpatrick street to East Onondaga street to St. Mary's circle. The parade will be headed by six mounted police, Chief Cadin and Commissioner Rapp.

Captain Verbeck, the grand marshal, will be followed by Joseph J. Pietrafesa, general chairman; Mayor Marvita, Dwight James Baum, Antonio Grossardi, general consul; Dr. Pier Spinelli and the Italian consul of Syracuse, Corrado Armeri.

Organizations in Line

Next in line will be officers of the Columbus Monument association and its women's auxiliary. Others in the parade will include the following:

Two platoons of firemen, Company C with the 108th infantry band, cadets from the Manlius school, 104th field artillery headed by Capt. Charles F. Stanton; Fifth field artillery from Madison barracks, American Legion, Mooney Post 348, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Daughters of the American Revolution, Italian-American war veterans, Knights of the Cross of Holy Trinity and Assumption churches, San Juan post, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Loggia Avanti Savoia, with Luigi Conti, venerable, and Loggia G. Garibaldi, P. Romano, president, both of Utica; Societa Giuseppe Garibaldi, P. Greco, president, of Rome; the Italian society of Auburn, with a band; the Piemontese club, Societa Internazionale, Societa Guglielmo Marconi, Societa Francesco Giuseppe and Tarroll club, all of Solway.

Other Participants

Order of Sons of Italy, Loggia Ruggero Settimo, Loggia Maria Montecoro, Loggia Gustave Lavoro, Loggia Progresso 1047, Loggia Excelsior Junior, Loggia Junior Progresso, Principe Amedeo, Bel Paese, Abruzzi e Molise Senior, Abruzzi e Molise Junior, Labor Union 333, Associazione Nazionale Combattenti, Societa Vittorio Emanuele III, Societa Nuova Monopoli, Societa Cristoforo Colombo, Maddonna della Assunda Societa, Boy Scout Troop 47.

Societa Roma, Princess Clotilda of Companions of the Forest of America, Societa Camillo Cauro, Learbury club, Amicitia club, Nuova Vita Loggia, Young People's Italian club, Virgil lodge, Duca degli Abruzzi, Societa Lingua Glosessa, S. Rocco Societa, Gabriele Pepe, Principe di Piemonte of Foresters of America, Amicitia women's auxiliary, Sezione Combattenti Duca D'Awta, St. Anthony's society and Societa Lingua Glosessa auxiliary, all of Syracuse.

Rotary club, Lions club, Zonta club, Liederkranz and Harugari Temple association, the Americanization league with a float, the Greek group with a float and floats of various Syracuse stores, business houses and factories.

The Onondaga Indians under Chief Jesse Lyon will march in the parade and sing at the circle.

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