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IRISH TRADE UNIONS IN THE NINETEEN SIXTIES

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s in the Republic of Ireland.
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some of the major industrial
the nineteen sixties, tracing
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ts in the context of a
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adical change, a decade of
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