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LORD MAYOR MCSWEENEY AGAIN SAID TO BE DYING

Now Twenty-One Days Fasting and Life Seems to be Ebbing Away. Propaganda for his Release Still in Progress.

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, Sept. 3.—The condition of Lord Mayor MacSweeney announced late last night was without change. He was said to be extremely weak. Mrs. MacSweeney, the Mayor's two sisters, Mary and Annie, took turns at his bedside watching during the day. "I feel that the end is near," said one of the sisters this morning. He realizes he is very low and asked me this morning to read to him from a devotional manual certain thoughts of death. But for two hours sleep last night the

CONDENSED SPECIALS

- LOW SET HORSES WANTED** at Easter Hotel stables 4 foot, 8, and 5 feet high. John J. MacDougall, John Horne. 2531-9-1-31.
- TEACHER — WANTED FOR** Richmond Station School, No 136. Second or third class. Supplement \$75.00. I. P. Gaudet, Secy. 2635-9-7-21.
- TOILET—TWO STORY WARE-** house centrally situated. Phone 150. 2616-9-44f.
- FOR SALE—SLIGHTLY USED** rubber betting. Prices very reasonable. Chas. Todd, Bradbaldie. 2634-9-4-4f.
- I HAVE TOO MANY BLACK SIL-** vers and will sell or exchange one for good male fox. Rancher Guardian Office. 2624
- FARM FOR SALE. I WILL SELL** my farm of 70 acres of land in the vicinity of North Wiltshire. For further particulars apply to Chas. Pollard. 2625-9-4-21
- WANTED—SECOND CLASS TEA-** cher for Albion Cross. Supplement \$100.00 A.D. Matheson, Secy. 201 Charlottetown. 2544-9-1-31
- LOST—A PAIR OF GLASSES.** Finder please at Bayer's Studio, Reward. 2098-9-3-21
- GIRL WANTED—AT THE EL-** don Hotel. Sept. 3.
- MAID WANTED—LIGHT WORK** in family of two. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. Wm. Moran 10 Water St. city. 2092-9-3-31
- BOARDERS WANTED—GEN-** tlemen boarders can be accommodated at 210 Murray Street near Prince of Wales College. 2572-9-2-41
- HAY—PARTIES WHO HAVE** baled first class timothy and clover, old and new hay for sale. Please name prices. Address F. O. Box 201 Charlottetown. 2544-9-1-31
- MCMILLAN'S MILLS, WOOD IS-** lands will open for business Sept. 15th, not on the 7th as previously stated. 2562-9-2-31.
- FOUND, SUM OF MONEY ON** Summerfield picnic grounds. Owner of same may apply at Guardian Office. 2525-8-31-1f.
- WANTED AT ONCE, Maid to as-** sist in small family. Good wages. Apply at Guardian Office. 2524-8-31-1f.
- MR. ALFRED MCDONALD,** Land Surveyor, Her Majesty's. 2077-8-10-121
- WANTED TWO OR THREE** rooms for light housekeeping in central locality. Apply to Guardian Office. 2123-8-12-12
- POSITIVELY NO ADVERTISE-** ments accepted at this office for next day's issue after 6 p.m. unless paid for in advance.
- WANTED BY SECOND WEEK** of September a cook to do plain cooking. Good wages. References required. Apply Mrs. H. W. Long, north, care of Guardian Office. 2246-8-19-1f.
- THERE IS ON THE PREMISES OF** Edward McKenna one bull molly red and white one year and a half old and 2 heifers same age red and white. Owner can have same by paying all expenses. If not called for before the 15th. of September they will be sold to pay expenses. 2614

Religious Riots Still Continue

CATHOLICS SAID TO BE EVICTED BY PROTESTANTS. BRITISH COMMANDER IN-TERRIFERS.

(Special to The Guardian.) DUBLIN, Sept. 3.—Numerous private houses, stores, public buildings and schools were raided by the police military of Dublin last night. The places raided included the offices of Arthur Griffith's paper, "Young Ireland," Clontarf Town Hall, residences of relatives of Sinn Feiners and the publishing establishment of M. H. Gill and Son, who are the principal Catholic publishers in Dublin. A constable and a civilian were killed at Claremore, Ireland.

BELFAST, Sept. 3.—Yesterday was quieter than for a fortnight owing to the steady rain which had fallen. Two more victims of rioting died at hospital today making the total 29. More than two hundred and fifty wounded distributed among hospitals and many of the cases are serious.

CLAREMORRIS, Ireland, Sept. 2.—Two policemen were shot dead last evening while patrolling near Ballaghader. BELFAST, Sept. 2.—Troubles in Belfast yesterday resolved themselves into sniping on an extensive scale. Only Ballymacarrick District was not affected. The worst spot was in North Street.

BELFAST, September 3.—Whole sale evictions of Catholic families by Protestants continued in Belfast and vicinity today. Written notices were sent to all Catholics directing them to leave within 12 hours or their homes would be attacked. Catholics who are greatly outnumbered were leaving by hundreds. General Bamberg, commanding the British troops, issued a proclamation vainly attempting to halt the evictions. At a mass meeting of Protestant shipyard workers today a resolution was adopted demanding mobilization and arming of Ulster volunteers.

BOLSHEVIKI AND POLES EACH CLAIM SUCCESS

Bolsheviki Again Express Willingness to Negotiate for Peace. Poles also Willing but Fighting Proceeds Uninterruptedly.

(Special to The Guardian.) WARSAW, Sept. 3.—M. Tschichner, Bolsheviki Foreign Minister, has agreed to send a peace delegation to Riga to negotiate with the Poles.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—Russian Soviet forces endeavoring to encircle Lemberg have retired to the eastward under Polish pressure, says a Soviet official statement on Wednesday received here today by wireless. Some successes for Soviet troops are reported on the centre of the fighting front.

WARSAW, Sept. 3.—The Bolsheviki army under General Budenny, noted cavalry leader was annihilated during the operations in Lemberg sector which began August 29th and ended Sept. 1, says the Polish official statement of military operations issued today. An isolated detachment of Budenny forces succeeded in escaping and are now in disorderly retreat.

WARSAW, Sept. 3.—Negotiations for joint operations by the Polish and South Russian forces are going on between the government here and General Baron Wrangel. Co-operation between the Poles and Ukrainians are declared to be a grave menace to the Bolsheviki and it is said the latter have shown their appreciation of this by offering important concessions to Poland at the expense of Lithuania.

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London Miners To Go On Strike

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Fifteen Coal Miners Idle

LAMSFORD, Pt., Sept. 2.—All fifteen collieries of the Lehigh Valley and Navigation Co. were idle today with a total of 7,000 men out. The loss in this territory will average about 12,500 tons daily.

NEW YORK, September 3.—In protest against the English attitude toward Ireland 2,000 Longshoremen refused to load British ships today. The British steamship companies denied they were affected by the strike although many of their men failed to report today. The International Longshoremen's Union claimed all responsibility for the strike.

LONDON, September 3.—The posting of strike notices in the mining districts of the United Kingdom which it is feared will be a signal for the "greatest industrial war ever seen in England" was taken place not later than September 25. The government was still hopeful. Thursday night, that a compromise could be effected soon.

WELLSBARRRE, Pa., September 3.—With estimates of number of men on strike varying from 75,000 to 100,000 anthracite coal mining operations continued crippled. The production of anthracite was reduced fifty per cent, half mines being closed. Mine officials denied the strike was spreading.

HON. W. M. LEA REPLIES TO DR. CYRUS J. MCMILLAN

The Commissioner of Agriculture Takes Exception to Dr. McMillan's Criticisms of the Present Educational System and Prospective Developments.

Sir—In this morning's Guardian a report is given of an address on education in which Dr. Cyrus J. McMillan is quoted as stating that he had read in a newspaper "that the Rena McLean Hospital was to be converted into a Technical School at a cost of \$18,000,000" and in the Doctor's opinion "it was rather peculiar that such a sum could be spent on a technical college in the face of the fact that the Superintendent of Education was obliged to go to such a place as Wilkie, Sask., to obtain a livelihood at his profession." No such sum nor will the entire cost reach anything like that amount. Dr. McMillan should know that two-thirds of the cost of this institution coming as it does from Federal grants for Agricultural and Technical Education cannot be spent as he suggests on rural schools. These the people are expected and are well able to support. Federal Grants are available only for the purpose of giving technical training to boys over fourteen years of age and to those who have not been privileged to receive a common school education from the fact that the district school may not have had a regular teacher or that their school work was broken up by having to help their parents on the farm. The improvement in being brought about in every respect and even hotchkiss are now served in a number of them. The best evidence of the interest taken by the people is in the greatly increased supplement voted from year to year. In fact there never was a time in the history of the Province when the people were taking such an active and deep interest in Education and no good purpose is served by such exaggerations as that "if matters are allowed to go on as at present a condition will develop which is almost too serious to contemplate."

We all realize that teachers are not paid sufficient salary, nor for that matter are any others on salary receiving as much as those who have the privilege of fixing their price for their services and taxing the laborer or productive ability of others. How much higher salary do the class of girls working in our stores and offices receive than those who are teaching school? Even though they fitted themselves by the cost of a good business education? Men in business life enjoying incomes from five to ten thousand dollars by levy on the wealth of salaried and other producers and consumers consider it quite proper for those of equal ability to give their services for one quarter the amount they could earn in private life. The professional man, laborer and those who have the privilege of pricing their services are now receiving at least double that paid them in 1914 while few of the salaried men or women have received over 25 or 50 per cent increases, they are the ones who have been hit hardest by the H.C. L. and the sentiment of our people must undergo a rapid change in this respect if our cleverest people can be expected to fit themselves for the teaching profession. The Doctor is not correct however in assuming that Superintendent Campbell was forced to go abroad to earn a living as those who heard or read his reply to the address on his leaving can remember. He, moreover stated to the different members of the Government that remuneration was not the reason for his resignation. He appreciated the recent increase in salary given him. "The education of our younger generation is the first duty of the State. Education means efficiency in commercial enterprise the development of a broader citizenship and the wealth many people are saving up and passing on from generation to generation would be much better spent in the intellectual improvement of the generation that we live in and when we realize that our best men and women are being lost to the child that great riches we will see that more money is spent on education. We certainly need better rural schools, but increasing and exaggerating their present conditions will only antagonize those who are earnestly striving to better them, as a majority of our best men and women are now doing but when funds are made available from federal sources for special technical education the government would be less in its duty to the citizens of this agricultural Province if it failed to take full advantage of them."

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Italian Workmen Seize Factories

(Special to The Guardian.) ROME, Sept. 2.—Five factories in Rome District, Italy, were taken over by workmen without violence. At the same time it was reported that metal workers in Turin following a lockout seized the factories. In Milan where the movement first started, the workmen were still in undisturbed possession of the factories.

Parliament House Nears Completion

(Special to The Guardian.) OTTAWA, Sept. 2.—Work is being rushed on Parliament buildings and is well under way. A large force is engaged on hall of fame which it is hoped to have nearly completed for the session. The Senate Chamber is ready for the woodwork which will be shipped next week while work on the grand tower will be begun on September 11th. It will run up to the roof before frost sets in.

Germany Accepts French Demands

(Special to The Guardian.) PARIS, Sept. 3.—Germany has accepted French demands concerning incidents at Breslau, which included an attack by a German mob on a French Consulate at that place. Dr. Simons, German Foreign Minister, informed the French Embassy to this effect, this afternoon.

C. N. R. Ships For The Atlantic

(Special to The Guardian.) OTTAWA, Sept. 3.—Passenger fleets on the Atlantic and Pacific operating in connection with the Canadian National Railway system is planned by the government. Recently negotiations were carried on for the purchase of four fast boats but these fell through. The intention, however is to go ahead with the plan on the Atlantic and to watch the situation from a government viewpoint. This route is more favorable than on the Pacific.

NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT THE BIG CONTEST CLOSES

Subscriber's Contest Closes Tonight. \$5,000 in Valuable Prizes Awaiting Owners.

Are you a regular subscriber to the Guardian or Examiner? If so then there is a \$100 cash prize waiting for you for the asking. All you have to do is to give your renewal subscription to one of the candidates in the big \$5,000 Prize Contest and make a guess as to how many subscriptions you think the candidates will secure during the eight week contest. If you are not a subscriber to one of the two papers, then become one. Send or bring in your subscription in favor of one of the candidates and make your guess. It is not every day that you have the chance to make a hundred dollars so easily. Besides the \$100 cash prize there are eleven other prizes for subscribers in the subscribers' guessing contest so you are almost sure to win one of them. Every subscriber to either paper should take advantage of this guessing contest. Remember, you are doing two things by subscribing during the contest. You are helping one of the candidates to win one of the big prizes and you are making for yourself the opportunity of winning the \$100 cash or one of the other prizes given in connection with the subscribers' guessing contest. Business is all-right in its way but we should have a little fun mixed in with it once in a while. Do you remember the story about the old apple party? How interesting of hiring a dozen men to do the apple paring they offered prizes to those who could pare the most apples. Everybody thought it was great fun and worked with a vim with the result that the apples were pared in double quick time and everybody had a good time. Well, our contest is run on the same lines. Instead of hiring a dozen canvassers to cover the Island securing subscriptions we believe in giving the young people a chance to reap the benefit the canvassers would. The candidates are all hustling young people with their homes on the Island and all are so anxious to win big prize that during the rush at the finish you might be overlooked. If this is the case, send in your subscription to the contest office in favor of your favorite candidate and send in your guess, along with it. You may be the lucky one to win the \$100 in cash. WHO DO YOU WANT TO WIN THE GREAT DORT TONIGHT? MAKE YOUR CHOICE. SEND IN YOUR SUBSCRIPTION WITH YOUR FAVORITE'S NAME ON IT AND WE WILL SEE THAT THEY GET CREDIT FOR IT.

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 - Currie & Murnaghan, 20.00
 - Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. McLeod, 5.00
 - Wm. Inman DeSable, 10.00
 - George White, 5.00

Big Increase In Canadian Revenue

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