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JASON LEE PICTURE IS DEDICATED

Church Dignitaries and Men of Prominence in Northwest Gather for Unveiling Event Here Today

FIRST WHITE CHILD TO TELL OF OLD DAYS

Hundreds of Pastors Summoned by Bishop Shepherd for Retreat

By MOLLY BRUNK

Church dignitaries, pastors and laymen numbering several hundred will arrive in Salem this morning from all over the state to take part in, and witness the formal unveiling and presentation of the portrait of Jason Lee, first white child born in Oregon. Governor Olcott will present the portrait to the state.

The portrait, which is life-size, was painted by Hester L. George, a Boston artist, the commission being given by the historical society of the Oregon Conference of Methodists.

Through this society also the gift of the portrait was made to the state of Oregon. Dr. R. N. Avison, was the originator of the idea, the state commission named Governor Olcott upon the arrival of the portrait, asking his suggestion in the matter of a permanent place for it, and he immediately suggested the space just above the speaker's chair in the house of representatives.

The money for the purchasing of the work was raised by apportioning the various districts in the Oregon conference.

A local committee composed of Dr. R. N. Avison, Prof. E. S. Hammond, Dr. E. E. Gilbert and the late Rev. H. J. Talbot, waited upon Governor Olcott upon the arrival of the portrait, asking his suggestion in the matter of a permanent place for it, and he immediately suggested the space just above the speaker's chair in the house of representatives.

Program Outlined
The formal dedicatory program will be as follows:
Singing of hymn, "Jason Lee."
Prayer by President Carl Gregg Doney of Willamette university.

Presentation of the painting to Governor Olcott by unveiling, by Judge T. A. McBride, chief justice of the Oregon supreme court.

Reception and unveiling of painting by Governor Olcott.
Address by Bishop W. O. Shepherd.

Reminiscences of Jason Lee and "My Mother," by Mrs. Maria Campbell Smith, first female white child born in Oregon.
Original poem by W. S. Gordon.

"Courage and Hardships of Jason Lee," by Hon. Robert A. Booth.
"Jason Lee and Education in Oregon," by Congressman Willis C. Hawley.
"Jason Lee Had Not Come," by Edgar B. Piper, editor of the Oregonian.
Singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee."
Devotional and benediction, Rev. W. C. Wire.
Ministers To Assemble
During the two-day assembly in Salem, the members of the conference will attend a ministerial retreat, which has been called by Bishop Shogren in the First Methodist church. Tuesday evening the bishop will speak to the members of the church upon church and ministerial work in general, and on Wednesday evening, he will emphasize the necessity for renewed interest and activity in behalf of the \$100,000 endowment fund for Willamette university and the centenary campaign, which was inaugurated internationally two years ago. An effort will also be made to arouse larger support of the Pacific Christian Advocate, the western official organ of the church.

Wednesday afternoon Bishop Shepherd will address the ministers on "Evangelism." At this district of the Oregon conference, which is the "Rural Evangelism;" Dr. W. W. Young, of the northern district, "Evangelism in the Sunday School," and Dr. F. A. Bamford, of the southern district, will use

HAPNEY HAS BIGGEST UNION HIGH SCHOOL

TERRITORY BIG AS DELAWARE AND VERMONT

Board Has Thirty Members, Some of Whom Travel Over 150 Miles to Attend Meetings

At the annual school meeting last June the largest union high school district in Oregon, if not in the United States, was organized in Harney county. J. A. Churchhill, superintendent of public instruction, who visited the district recently, says that the union high school district comprises 30 school districts in the eastern part of the county. The high school district is 140 miles long north and south and 50 miles wide. It has an area of over 7200 square miles, or 4,608,000 square acres. It is as large as Delaware and Connecticut combined and almost as large as the state of Vermont.

Under the law the board is composed of the chairmen of all of the school districts embraced in the union district. This makes a board of 30 members, with 16 required as a quorum. Some have to travel as far as 152 miles to attend.

The district has an assessed valuation of \$7,640,000, and a tax of only 1.2 mills equips the building and is sufficient for the expenses of this year. The district has a new modern school building at Crane, the terminal town of the Oregon Eastern West road from Ontario. Crane, while being only four years old and having a population of less than 300, boasts of the most modern and best equipped school building in eastern Oregon. The school has installed the Empire chairs, desks in the assembly room, the latest in school furniture. It is equipped for domestic science, manual training, and a full four year high school course. The laboratories are equipped for general science, biology and physics. A commercial course which includes bookkeeping and typewriting.

Professor Roy H. Cain, the first principal of the union high school, was formerly superintendent of schools at Goldendale, Wash., and principal of the Weiser, Ida., high school for three years. Professor Cain also taught for several years in Nebraska and Colorado.

Professor Theodore Forcier, who teaches French and commercial subjects, has taught eight years in Harney county schools.

Miss Margaret Morocca teaches domestic science. She is a graduate of Oregon Agricultural college.

KNOWLAND MAY BE NEXT KING

Salem Booster is Mentioned as Bing Clancey's Probable Successor

In Charrier political circles the name of Charley Knowland is being mentioned with favor as a probable successor to C. B. Clancey as King Bing of the organization. Little has been said about the kingship, although the election date is only about three weeks away, but should Knowland go into the office without opposition it would occasion no great surprise.

While he is not seeking the post Knowland's friends declare he has earned it as a consistent worker for the welfare of the unformed boosters, and his qualifications for the job are enumerated. Knowland is one of Salem's ready wits. He is an easy speaker who can arise to most any occasion and is considered to have organizing ability.

Election Date Near.
The Cherrians will elect their King Bing at their monthly meeting of the second Tuesday of November, or November 9, or that King Bing Clancey must call a special meeting later in the month or early in December to elect his successor.

The Cherrian organization is a part of the Commercial club and the by-laws and constitution provide that their King Bing at their meeting prior to the annual meeting of the Commercial club, which this year falls on December 8, the second Wednesday of the month.

The King Bing of the Cherrians becomes, by virtue of his office, one of the five directors of the Salem Commercial club, as head of the tourist publicity and conventions department. The by-laws and constitution of the Commercial club provide that the Cherrians shall elect their King Bing at their last regular call meeting just prior to the annual meeting of the Commercial club.

Policy to Continue.
During the past year, King Bing Clancey has had a most active time with the many special events, including the visit of the Shriners to Salem, the Cherrians taking part in the Rose festival, the amouevr visit, trips to Eugene and Corvallis and many other affairs.

There is a general impression that the Cherrians will continue to take an active part in the city's affairs as in the past year and that those who remain on the roll will be expected to take the organization's active part in the organization's activities or give way to those who are willing to work and respond to the call of King Bing.

COX FAVORS CLARIFYING OF LEAGUE

Governor Takes New Stand on League Reservations and Asserts Control by Executive Unthinkable

TOILERS VOCIFEROUS IN THEIR APPLAUSE

Candidate Declares Big Business Opposed to His Progressiveness

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Oct. 25.—Governor Cox of Ohio announced today that if elected president he would sit down with the senate and make an "agreement" upon the league of nations and that his agreement should be determined by the senatorial elections.

"Control by Executive Approved." "The executive will," the Democratic presidential candidate said, "should not control and it is 'unthinkable,' he declared, that American membership in the league should be postponed two years, when the next senatorial election is held. American membership, he indicated, was the primary consideration. He reiterated he favored American participation with "clarifying reservations."

Hailed by members of the governor's party as one of the most important of campaign developments, his announcement was in response to an open letter sent today to him and his Republican opponent, Senator Harding, by 50 of their supporters urging them to accept whatever revision of the league of nations they could get. The governor's statement, issued during a rushing West Virginia tour today, read:

Clarifying Reservations.
"The situation is this: I favor going into the existing league with clarifying reservations. Senator Harding has said that he was not interested in clarification, but in rejection. I have every expectation that after November 2 much of the partisan spirit that has been visited upon discussion of the league will have subsided. One-third of the seats of the senate are to be filled this year. The people understand the issue and we will accept their expression at face value. I will, therefore, sit down with the senate and reach an agreement about our going into this league. There is no other, and any talk of a new association is but an idle phrase. The important thing is to get a start and help to stabilize world conditions which vitally affect the interest and welfare of America. For us to remain out of the league for two years or until another election could be held would be unthinkable. Much has to be given in compromise now, in order to insure our entrance into the league, the people themselves will have an opportunity to modify and correct later. It cannot be a matter of the exercise of merely the executive will. The popular will, as voiced at the polls, must control. The sort of agreement which I shall be enabled to obtain will be determined by the senatorial elections."

Cox Willing to Compromise.
The governor's announcement follows on the heels of his statement in his speech Saturday in New York that he would compromise with the senate regarding the league of nations. Attention also was called to the circumstances that followed Elihu Root's statement that Governor Cox was an "unyielding" regarding article ten as President Wilson.

More than a dozen speeches were made through the West Virginia mountain country by Governor Cox and the state gave him one of the most enthusiastic receptions of the campaign. Miners, railroad men and other toilers were prominent among the thousands which cheered him vociferously.

Senator Harding's league statements came in for special attack by the governor. Denouncing Senator Harding, Senator Lodge of Massachusetts and other senators who signed the "round robin" as "conspirators," he asked:

"How can we reasonably expect one of the conspirators, if elected, to overturn the conspiracy?"

Fourteen Different Stands.
Declaring Senator Harding has taken 14 different league stands, Governor Cox said his adversary's position was "very much like a shell game."

"There are three shells," he said. "One is the mild reservationists; one is the death to the league, and one is the new association of nations. When you vote for him (Senator Harding) you don't know where the pea is. You don't know what shell it's under."

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ADMINISTRATION IS ATTACKED BY TAFT

CHARGES DEMOCRATS WITH ABSOLUTE FAILURE

Commander of "Lost Battalion" and Yale Professor Support League

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 25.—The Wilson administration was attacked in an address here tonight at the Mormon tabernacle by William H. Taft who declared that in his opinion the democratic administration had proven a failure. He laid special emphasis on war-time aviation.

Re-election. United States Senator Reed Smoot, republican of Utah, was urged by Mr. Taft and he said the primary purpose of his visit to Salt Lake City was to make a speech in his behalf. Senator Smoot was referred to as "one of the most able members of the American congress."

The league of nations, Mr. Taft said, was not a paramount issue of the campaign.

"He declared he had no objection to the covenant as it now stands but thirty-five senators (hold overs) were pledged to vote against article X and that he believed the article was not essential to the covenant that would be adopted by the republican senate and would be effectual in preventing war."

Professor Irving Fisher of Yale University and Colonel Charles M. Whittlesey, commander of the "Lost Battalion," leaders of pro-league of nations adherents, spoke in a local theatre and urged the election of Governor James M. Cox for his league of nations stand.

ARTICLE TEN IS NOT VITAL

M. Bourgeois is Astounded at Political Quarrels Over Non-essential

BRUSSELS, Oct. 25.—Leon Bourgeois, president of the council of the league of nations, gave his views to American newspaper correspondents last night on article ten of the covenant of the league of nations. Today the following authorized statement regarding the interview was issued through M. Comert, the principal press officer of the league of nations who had originally arranged the interviews:

"M. Bourgeois, to the American correspondents, last night, said he had been astonished to see the political discussion in America centered around article ten of the covenant.

"Article ten is not, in fact, anything more than the moral foundation of the covenant. All that is efficacious in the covenant is set forth in other articles indicating penalties and sanctions."

M. Bourgeois, in the course of his statement to the correspondents, said that article ten could be eliminated without in any way modifying the effectiveness of the league, and declared that it was not considered so important by Europeans as Americans.

At the close of the interview and after M. Bourgeois had withdrawn, the question was raised among the American correspondents as to the effect of his utterances on the presidential election in the United States. It was thereupon agreed to withhold the statement until M. Bourgeois could review it in this light and give his authority for its publication.

M. Comert informed the correspondents this morning that he had explained to M. Bourgeois the importance of what he was saying and was quite willing the interview should be printed.

The official statement today approved that part of the conversation of last night, in which M. Bourgeois, replying to questions regarding the prospect of revisions of the covenant by the general assembly of the league of nations which will meet at Geneva November 15 next, said:

"The council of the league being guardians of the covenant, are, of course, unable to vote for the assembly with any project that alters the covenant. But individual states which are members of the league may, of course, propose such amendments as they see fit."

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ONCE A DEMOCRAT NOW FOR HARDING

SENATOR IS TROUBLED WITH SLIGHT COLD

Pirates That Control Good Ship Democracy to be Overthrown by Voters

MARION, O., Oct. 25.—Senator Harding virtually completed preparations of his last campaign speeches today and planned to take a rest tomorrow before starting on the swing of Ohio cities which will occupy the remainder of the week.

Tonight he retired early, hoping a long sleep would rid him of a slight cold contracted on his last speaking trip. His physician there was nothing serious in the affliction, but that precautions were being taken to get his voice in as good shape as possible.

Harding headquarters made public tonight a statement by Judge John G. Gorman of Wilkesbarre, Pa., former chairman of the Democratic central committee of Pennsylvania, pleading support of the republican national ticket and declaring that the "pirates" now controlling the good ship Democracy, were to be thrown overboard.

"I favor Harding for president," said the statement, "first because I am a Democrat. His platform and other addresses show that he is supporting the constitution and is safer than any other openly commends efforts to subvert that grand old document."

POST EDITOR FLAYS COX

Governor Over Steps Newspaper Etiquette and He's a Millionaire

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—George Horace Lorimer, editor of the Saturday Evening Post, tonight gave out the following reply to the statement made public Sunday night by Governor Cox relative to a cartoon to appear in this week's issue of the Post:

There could be no better vindication of the cartoon comment than the statement of this week's number of the Saturday Evening Post, no clearer demonstration of Governor Cox's fitness for high office, than his misleading remarks on the advance copy of the cartoon which has come into his possession.

"Governor Cox is a millionaire newspaper editor and publisher of long experience. He must therefore understand that it is a first point of honor among newspapermen not to make use of advance copies of publications that are sent out with the understanding that they will not be released until a fixed date in the future. He must know, as a publisher, that at the postal rate now being charged periodicals and newspapers, no question of a subsidy by the government is involved; that the periodicals are not only paying their way, but that under any kind of an efficient administration of the postoffice there is a handsome profit in carrying them.

The editor of the Saturday Evening Post has always had something to say editorially on other sections of the revenue bill, he has accepted and consistently refrained from attacking the raise in postal rates, even though he has urged its repeal. If Governor Cox has studied the advertising columns of the Saturday Evening Post with the intelligence and knowledge that a man in his position should have, he must know that it has been the policy of that newspaper to do with advertising growing out of the acceptance of profits tax and has insisted on a well-considered, well-formulated campaign behind commodities that can use advertising profitably and economically.

The policy of the Saturday Evening Post is now and always has been formulated by its editor. Neither any politician or group of politicians, nor any interest of any kind or description have suggested what stanzas it should take in this election, or had anything to do with its advertising in this election. It is the policy of the Saturday Evening Post to stand consistent and unwavering stand behind the president during the years of the great war."

"Propaganda has come, in the minds of shallow thinkers like Governor Cox, to mean any view that does not square with theirs. Neither Governor Cox nor any other Democrat found anything in the Saturday Evening Post consistent and unwavering stand behind the president during the years of the great war."

Makes Home Brew Gets Six Months

Indictment Demurrers Overruled in Court

PORTLAND, Oct. 25.—M. F. Phipps was sentenced in the federal court today to serve six months in jail on conviction of having operated a still in his home. While he was in federal court he was served with a warrant from the police court charging him with wife beating. Simultaneously a suit against him was filed in the state circuit court claiming \$2900 damages on the allegation that he had damaged the house where he had been living by enlarging windows and doors and cutting holes in the walls in furtherance of his alleged distilling operations.

PORTLAND, Oct. 25.—Judge Wolverton in the federal court here today overruled demurrers in indictments filed against Richard Adams, L. M. Starr, and Parrott and company, charging profiting in sugar and the case was ordered tried. The men and the firm are charged with having purchased three carloads of sugar in San Francisco and sold it at an excessive profit in Omaha and Chicago while the recent sugar shortage was prevalent.

Mixed Into World Affairs.
Instead of setting itself to remedying these conditions, the administration has devoted itself from the day of the armistice, to promoting a project of world reorganization in which America should bear the largest responsibilities of guaranteeing a new scheme of things. Instead of making legal peace as soon as actual peace had been won, the American people, alone of all the warring nations, were denied by their government the privilege of a re-

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CERTIFICATE OF TRUST TO BE UPHOLD

Republican Party Proposes Association of Nations to Insure Peace Without Sacrificing Independence

DEMOCRATS LOOKED AT EUROPE; FORGET U. S.

Administrative Policies Threatened Ruin Before War

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Senator Harding in a pre-election statement to the American people made public here tonight, declared the republican party "goes to the people assured that they will recognize its superiority as an instrumentality of administration and that in the election now impending they will give it the certificate of their confidence and trust."

Exploitation to be Riddled.
The republican party nominee criticized the democratic administration of governmental affairs, declaring "the nation is determined to be done with Democracy under the guise of democratic forms." The republican party, he asserted, "has proposed in its platform and developed in the utterances of its leaders, a program which contemplates equal opportunity for all" and "recognizes the vices of exploitation and profiteering."

As to the league of nations issue, Senator Harding summarized his party's position as favorable: "Party Favorable to League." "The republican party proposes such an association of nations as will most effectively further the aspiration for worldwide and permanent peace without sacrificing any part of the independence of the American nation. It believes America can and must bear its full part in the responsibilities of the world but it always believes that America alone must decide what that part shall be."

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Policies Bring to Disaster.
"Democratic economic and administrative policies have brought this country to the danger of disaster before the outbreak of the war in Europe. The vast expansion of our export trade and demands upon our producing facilities, which came with the war, saved us from immediate participation in that disaster. But that phase has now passed and nothing but a return to those constructive and progressive policies which have always characterized the republican administration can save us from early realization of the danger that confronted us at the middle of 1914.

From the beginning of the war in Europe the democratic administration steadfastly refused to prepare for the national defense in case we should be involved. In 1916 when it was apparent to most people that our country was in immediate danger of being drawn into the struggle, the democratic party made its campaign on the boast that it had kept us out of war, and was promised to keep us out. This was our failure to ourselves at last in the struggle, we were utterly unready for it, and our participation cost immeasurably more than it should have cost.

An administration that when all the world was in conflagration, refused to realize the importance of preparedness, of course could not be expected to realize what we were at war the necessity of preparing for peace. So we entered into peace quite as unready for it as we had been for war, and our economies were disorganized, our debt enormous, our foreign commerce devoted largely to supplying the necessities of war.

Dry Victory Predicted for Nova Scotia Vote
BULLETIN, HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 25.—Returns received up to 8:30 o'clock tonight from various sections of Nova Scotia indicate a dry victory in today's plebiscite upon the question of prohibiting importation of liquor from other provinces.

Thus far Halifax is the only place which shows a wet majority and returns here are not complete.

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MURPHY THIRD HUNGER STRIKER TO DIE

PRISONER CLAIMED TO BE AMERICAN BORN

Eleven Men Were Incarcerated in Cork Jail Before Lord Mayor Went to Brixton

CORK, Oct. 25.—Joseph Murphy, one of the hunger strikers in Cork jail, died tonight.

The death of Murphy occurred at 8:35 p. m. He was 25 years old and unmarried.

Murphy was a member of the Irish volunteers and was well known as an athlete.

Joseph Murphy was one of 11 men incarcerated in Cork jail two days before Lord Mayor MacSwiney was sent to Brixton prison in London. All the men in Cork jail immediately went on a hunger strike. Last week, one of them, Michael Fitzgerald, died.

There were reports last month that Murphy was an American citizen. It was asserted that he was born in Lynn, Mass. Secretary of State Colby was declared to be investigating the claim.

A dispatch from Cork September 10, asserted that the American consul there had established the fact that Murphy was born in Lynn, but that he had been brought to Ireland when an infant by his father, who is a British subject. Murphy's father, Timothy Murphy, a shoemaker, resides in Pouladuff, a suburb of Cork. He said that he was the father of fifteen children, only six of whom are living. He emigrated to America in 1891, settling in Lynn, where three of his children, including Joseph, were born. His father declared that he took out his first citizenship papers in 1895, but that he left the United States before the naturalization became complete.

At the beginning of the war, one son, born in Lynn, according to Mr. Murphy, registered at the American consulate in Queenstown as an American. Joseph, however, failed to register.

It is asserted that the government accusation against Murphy was that he had a bomb in his possession.

KING OF GREECE DIES OF WOUND

Death is Result of Injuries Inflicted by Pet Monkey

ATHENS, Oct. 25.—(By The Associated Press)—King Alexander of Greece died at 5:20 p. m. today. His death was due to wounds received when a pet monkey attacked him early in October, the king being badly mutilated.

Throughout last night, the heart action grew weaker, his general debility became more pronounced and pulmonary symptoms were intense. Breathing at times was most difficult and alarming, and at noon today it was announced that the king's condition was hopeless.

The death of King Alexander gives rise to the question of succession to the Greek throne. Former King Constantine was reported, according to Swiss dispatches of October 17, as intending to take advantage of the situation created by his son's grave illness, by returning to Greece and claim the throne.

About the same time a regency was suggested and Constantine gave his opinion of this as follows: "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof. I will not think of a regency yet. My plans are those of my people."

Premier Venizelos Sunday expressed himself as confident that Prince Paul, Constantine's third son, would not be presented from taking the throne by his father.

Both Prince Arthur of Connaught and Prince Charles of Belgium have been mentioned as possible candidates. It is probable that the old chamber will be reconvened owing to the king's death to consider what steps are to be taken before the new chamber meets.

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LORD MAYOR MACSWINNEY SUCCUMBS

Death Calls Most Prominent of Hunger Strikers After 74 Days Without Food in Brixton Prison

HEART FAILURE HELD AS OFFICIAL CAUSE

End Not Unexpected for Unconsciousness Had Claimed Him Last 36 Hours

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Terence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, the most prominent of the Irish hunger strikers and said to have been the brains of the republican army in Ireland, died early today in Brixton prison.

74th Day of Fast.
The end was not unexpected, for the lord mayor had been unconscious several days. He was entering the 74th day of his hunger strike as a protest against a sentence of two years imprisonment on several charges, including one of having seditious documents in his possession.

Only his brother, John MacSwiney, and his private chaplain, Father Dominic, were with him when he died. Mrs. MacSwiney and the prisoner's two sisters, Annie and Mary, were at a nearby hotel.

The lord mayor, who was terribly emaciated as a result of his long abstinence from food, had been delirious for many hours and was unconscious when death came.

Wife Came to Death Bed.
It was several hours after he died before his brother was permitted to tell Mrs. MacSwiney. She immediately went to the prison, accompanied by her parents and the Misses MacSwiney and the family group, and dry-eyed, prayed over the body as it lay on the cot.

There were no untoward demonstrations outside the prison after the news of MacSwiney's death became generally known. A large force of police had been concentrated to put down any disorder that might occur. It was said at the prison that the reason for withholding permission to John MacSwiney to inform the dying man's relatives of his condition was that it was in the prisoner's interests.

Just before MacSwiney died, Father Dominic and John MacSwiney knelt at the bedside and offered up prayers. The priest administered the rites of extreme unction.

Body to Be Taken Secretly.
It is well within the possibilities that the body will be taken to Cork secretly in order to avoid unpleasant results from whatever demonstrations might be arranged in England and Ireland along the route traversed by a train bearing the body. There is no intimation that any official advocates refusal to send it to Cork.

The home office, in charge of prisons, which would control the movement of the body in England, said that no plan for the removal of the body has been officially considered. At the Irish office it was declared that no plan had been formulated for the transfer to Ireland, and that final decision on this point would rest with Dublin castle.

It is within the power of the home office to give up the body of a prisoner in whatever way is deemed most expedient. It is pointed out that it could legally transfer it in secret to some out of the way port and later to a government vessel and deliver it to Cork.

Murdered by English.
Deputy Lord Mayor O'Callaghan, in a statement today on Lord Mayor MacSwiney's death, referred to the assassination of Lord Mayor McCurtain, who, he declared, was "murdered by the English," and asserted that MacSwiney had followed in the same line.

"In the short interval since his imprisonment while I have been temporarily taking his place," he continued, "I have received notice of an official origin threatening me with a similar end. The only message I, on behalf of republican Cork, can give today over the body of the late lord mayor is that Cork has definitely yielded allegiance to the public; that the people of Cork will continue that allegiance unswervingly and that those of us who man the municipal council will attempt, so far as in us lies, to follow the noble and glorious lead of two martyred republican chief magistrates."

"The republican hold over the municipal chair in Cork ceased only when the last republican in Cork has followed McCurtain and MacSwiney into the grave. Murder will not terrorize us."

Visitors Restricted.
It became evident several days