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Police, in Sweep of
Ulster, Arrest Sinn
Feiners in Hundreds

DOWNING STREET
IS ANXIOUS OVER
IRISH AFFAIRS

(Canadian Press Cable)

London, May 23.—While the cabinet convened today principally to discuss results of the Geneva conference, it is understood that the serious developments in Ireland would occupy all attention.

Colonial Secretary Churchill's statement in the House of Commons regarding the agreement reached by the opposition leaders in Ireland has emphasized the anxiety prevailing here, and government's desire to invite the aid of the Anglo-Irish treaty to solve the problem.

The Daily Chronicle, editorially criticizing the incident to "the organized army" calls upon Collins and Griffiths to condemn it and declares these incidents will "set Ireland aflame unless immediately stopped."

HEY HAD IT ALL
BEFORE LLOYD
GEORGE ARRIVED

Ultra Coalition Papers Out
With Story of Welcome
While Premier was Still on
His Way.

London, May 23.—(Canadian Press)—Premier Lloyd George's reception on Friday night upon his arrival here from Geneva was admittedly organized but in any case it certainly would have been a popular display of welcome.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

The following real estate transfers have been recorded:—
H. A. Bruce to A. J. Weatherall, property in Hildale Place.
G. A. Davidson per master to Royal Trust Co., property in Union street.
S. H. Ewing and others to P. McIntyre, property at Courtenay Bay.
W. C. Sneed to E. Roche, property in Simonds.

GREATEST RAID YET MADE IN THE
TROUBLES OF IRELAND

Drive in Effort to Suppress Organizations in the Six
Counties—The Republican Army Proclaimed
Illegal Assembly by Northern Parliament.

(Canadian Press Cable.)

Belfast, May 23.—The greatest raid in the history of Ireland was carried out in the early hours of this morning when swarms of police swept through Ulster and rounded up 200 Sinn Feiners, the majority of whom were Irish Republican army officers.

The northern government's action was said, in an effort to suppress not only the Irish Republican army and the Irish Republican Brotherhood, but all other Sinn Fein organizations in the six county areas.

The government's move follows swiftly upon Irish Republican army raids and burnings of buildings in the counties of Down and Antrim and the intensified hostilities in Belfast resulting culminating in the murder of W. J. Twaddell, member of the Ulster parliament.

London, May 23.—At today's meeting of the parliament of Northern Ireland, Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, announced that the Irish Republican army had been proclaimed an illegal assembly, says a Central News despatch from Belfast.

The parliament later adjourned as a mark of respect to W. J. Twaddell, its murdered member.

Belfast, May 23.—It was officially stated at four p.m. that 300 Sinn Feiners had been taken prisoner by the Ulster authorities and that they would be interned.

Belfast, May 23.—It is reported that 1,600 officers of the Irish Republican army were arrested by the Ulster authorities early this morning in a general roundup which covered the entire six counties.

The big encircling movement was commenced at about four o'clock and the work of visiting the various houses, towns and country was rapidly and efficiently carried out. Several hundred men of the constabulary and a large staff of officers were on duty from midnight completing the arrangements. The majority of those arrested were completely surprised and in nearly every instance were aroused from sleep by the police during administrative operations.

As part of the comprehensive scheme embracing all of Ulster the special police force active in Londonderry during the night and early morning, arresting every Sinn Feiner known to be in the city, and in the surrounding districts in the Irish Republican army. Only about sixty Irish Republican army officers were captured in Londonderry, but it is learned that the authorities are making a fairly clean sweep of the men who exercised influence and control in the ranks of the army in that part of Ulster.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Horneham, "I read that a poultry farmer in Flint, Michigan has a duck that has legs on its back and on its front, and when one pair grows up it turns over and walks on the other pair. Will the Settlement allow him to get away with that?"

"He ain't got nothin' on it," said Hiram. "Gid Perkins has a goose that eats gravel all day long, and when it comes every day, Gid was goin' to build a hen-house this spring, but he's so tickled over that cement he's gonto put off on 'em." The reporter and Hiram gazed at each other in a questioning sort of way for some minutes. At length the reporter asked: "Did you see that goose yourself?" "Did you see that duck?" countered Hiram.

SEVERAL SENT
TO DORCHESTER

Terms Up to Five Years in
Sentences Imposed by Judge
Armstrong.

Several prisoners were sentenced to terms in Dorchester by His Honor Judge Armstrong, at the opening of the May term of the County Court. Among those sentenced were: John LeLachance, charged with breaking and entering John LeLachance's cottage; Levi LeLachance, charged with the same offense; Howard Hamilton, charged with the same offense; and several others.

CHANG NOW IS
NAMED REBEL

Peking, May 23.—The cabinet has held this afternoon the home of the anti-law, James Ewart 220 Rodney street, west side. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. J. A. Morrison. Besides the Rev. Dr. Morrison, who presided, were present: Rev. F. Cronin, rector of the Cathedral, where Rev. F. Cronin recited prayers for the dead. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

EXCHANGE TODAY.

New York, May 23.—Sterling exchange firm. Great Britain 448.4. Canadian dollars 13-16 per cent. discount.

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TO BATTLE TONIGHT
FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Winner Likely to Go After
Georges Carpentier

A Home Run With Three
Men on Bases Ties Score
in the 9th Inning—Earl
French to See Morvich in
Action—Late Sport.

(Canadian Press)

New York, May 23.—The U. S. light heavyweight championship title will be at stake tonight when Gene Tunney of New York, the holder and Harry Grebe of Pittsburgh, challenger, will meet over the fifteen round bout at Madison Square Garden. Tunney won the U. S. crown from Bialosky in last year's fight.

MISSING AFTER
COLLISION, 102

Fog was So Thick as to Make
Almost Complete Dark-
ness.

Brest, May 23.—The British vice-consul here today announced that 102 of those who were on board the British steamship Egypt, sunk off the island of Ushant on Saturday night, are missing, of whom sixteen were passengers and eighty-six members of the crew.

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MANY IN ROME FOR
THE CONGRESS

Pope's Desire for Special Services
Throughout World on
Next Sunday.

Rome, May 23.—Rome is crowded with pilgrims from all parts of the world who have come here to attend the eucharistic congress. Pope Pius has sent a manifesto to the executive committee of the congress expressing a desire that on May 29, when there is to be a great procession through the streets of Rome, there be celebrated in all Catholic churches of the world solemn services in honor of the Most Holy Sacrament.

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