

DEATHS YESTERDAY

By The Canadian Press

Winnipeg—Gordon C. Cumming, 58, retired general manager of the Monarch Life Assurance Co.

Toronto—Allan Stanley McLean, 82, former general superintendent of the Canadian National hotels system.

Miami, Fla.—Harry Leggett Brown, 31, a native of Niagara Falls, Ont., and a pioneer Florida publisher.

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LT.-COL. D. R. ELY, 42, of Toronto, chief instructor at the artillery school of Shilo, Man., has been chosen for a tour of duty with the United Nations truce supervision organization in Palestine.

Alaska Gold Output Rises

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP)—Alaska's gold production increased last year over 1952, but coal ran it a strong second in the mining production field.

The Bureau of Mines reported the gold yield was up 14 per cent to \$9,571,765.

Coal production was valued around \$7,000,000. It increased from about 686,000 tons to 850,000.

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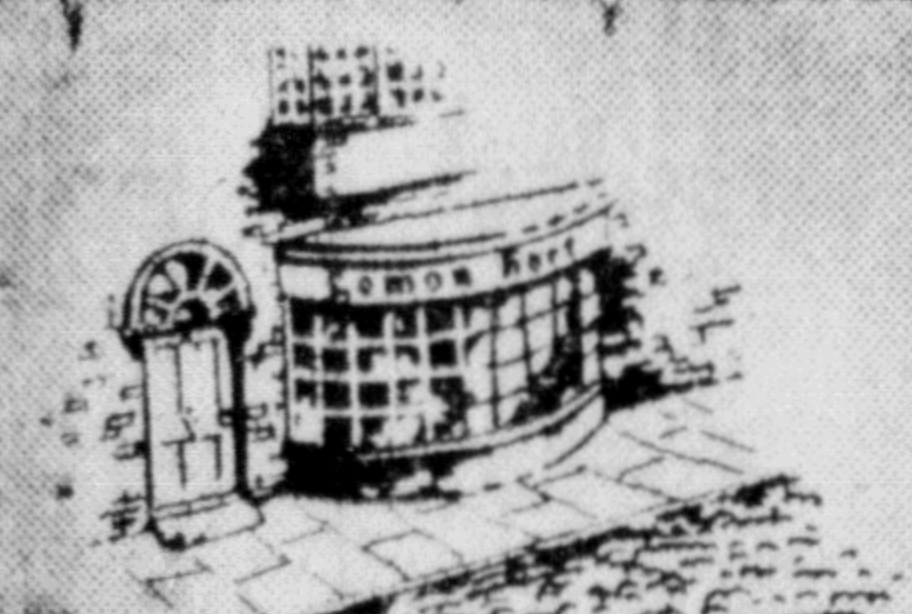
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Soviet Medicine Completely Socialized; State-Hired Doctors Given Wide Powers

By BILL BOSS

MOSCOW—The powers Soviet doctors are said to have are wider than those held by their Canadian counterparts.

They may:

1. Order a patient to have an operation when they consider life at stake;

2. Over-ride a parent's wishes should they consider a child's life at stake and an operation necessary;

3. Authorize a patient, or a working mother whose child is sick, to be absent from work with pay during the time required for treatment and convalescence;

4. Close down a state enterprise if they consider it does not meet state health standards.

Dr. Lydia Greshishnikova, a high official of the USSR health ministry, said:

"The special feature of our system is that medical assistance is given free, is available to the broad masses of the population, and is given by qualified personnel."

Continuance of salary during illness, she said, is determined by length of service in current employment. During the early years sick pay varies from 50 to 80 per cent of salary, but after six years a patient who belongs to a trade union, and practically everyone does, draws full pay while ill.

"Pregnant mothers draw 35 days fully-paid leave before delivery and have 42 days of paid post-delivery leave. They may take their annual leave after that and, if they want to, two months leave without pay."

STATE BEARS COST

Soviet citizens do not pay a direct health or social insurance, and the system's medical costs are borne by the state, municipal and regional Soviet budgets. Sick pay also is provided for in state, organization and enterprise budgets, and is turned over to the trade unions in the form of specially-allocated funds. These are administered by the trades unions.

Soviet life insurance is straight life.

If a citizen takes out a 10-year 10,000-ruble policy, premiums of 83 rubles 35 kopeks are paid monthly during the 10 years. During that period the insured's family is protected in the event



SOVIET INSTRUCTOR presides over a study session in Lenin-grad's Institute for Scientific Research in Obstetrics and Gynecology. The students are doctors pursuing advanced training.



SOVIET MEDICAL INSTITUTE of the USSR Academy of Medical Sciences in Moscow is where many Soviet doctors are trained. In Russia a general practitioner may have from 2,000 to 4,000 patients on his register.

of his death, and he is guaranteed indemnity in the event of permanent incapacity.

After 10 years he may take the 10,000 rubles he has paid, without interest, or leave the money with the agency until needed. There are no annuity or endowment programs since the state operates its own pension program.

The state and its various enterprises and industries operate convalescent and rest sanatoria for workers. Most persons recovering from illness get this service free but some pay part of the cost, usually one-third, their unions absorbing the remainder from special funds.

MANY CAMPS

Dr. Greshishnikova said 5,000,000 children attend summer camps for Pioneers, the Soviet version of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides. These camps are under the health ministry which also directs athletic activities.

Soviet doctors work a six-hour day and are paid a basic monthly salary of 800 rubles, with time-and-a-half for overtime. Most general practitioners and pediatricians are women; most senior specialists and lecturers are men. A doctor's basic salary, incidentally, is the same as that of a high school teacher.

For exchange purposes the Russians quote the ruble at 25 cents, but this does not indicate its buying power in Russia.

A doctor specializing in tuberculosis or infectious diseases draws a supplementary 15 to 20 per cent. Those assigned to distant areas, such as Siberia or the far north, draw an additional 50 to 100 per cent.

FIXED INCREASES

There are increases of 15 per cent after five years, 25 per cent after 10 years, 50 per cent after 20 years and a pension of 350 rubles monthly after 25 years. A doctor eligible for pension may continue to work and draw both salary and pension.

Until recently doctors have depended on local housing authorities for their personal accommodation, but modern medical complexes—the network of clinics, creches and other services organized around each polyclinic and hospital—now include doctors' living quarters.

Government Doesn't Want Jurisdiction Over Traffic

OTTAWA (CP)—The government after fighting for years to obtain legal jurisdiction over road traffic crossing provincial

borders, now is telling the provinces it doesn't want to use this power.

'Boss' Proud He's Canadian

WINNIPEG (CP)—Extreme pleasure at being a Canadian was voiced by Byron Ingemar Johnson, former premier of British Columbia, at a meeting of the Icelandic Canadian Club Tuesday night. Mr. Johnson said he admired the steadfastness of Canadians and thanked God his parents came to this country.

Mr. Johnson is the first Icelandic Canadian to have occupied the position of premier of one of the Canadian provinces.

The announcement was made in the Commons Tuesday by Transport Minister Chevrier, in a carefully-worded statement saying he hopes a "common understanding" will enable the provinces to control all traffic on provincial highways.

This would include both traffic within provinces—unquestionably under provincial authority from away back—and that crossing provincial boundaries, which had been under dispute in the courts up until Monday.

ISSUE SETTLED

The cross-border issue was settled Monday by the Privy Council—in the last Canadian constitutional case to go to the British body—in a decision laying down federal jurisdiction over commercial road operations from one province to another and from a province into the United States.

But Tuesday, the government made a quick shift by announcing the calling of the provincial ministers' meeting and saying it does not want "divided jurisdiction" on highway matters.

Bella Coola Pioneer Dies

BELLA COOLA, B.C.—Funeral services will be held here today for Adolph Christensen, 79, Minnesota-born pioneer who died here Saturday.

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