

P.S. I have realized
I am to take
the Committee but
I shall send them as
it will tell you how
the Land Tier

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Tuesday

Dear Mrs Fawcett -

I have just got your letter here
& I think if I ~~may~~ write at
once I may just catch you be-
fore the Committee. I have
written at great length to Mrs
Richardson of the Committee
& sent her all the correspondence
either between you & Min C. or
myself & Min C. wh. I had
in my possession. I have re-
mained hoping to hear my
father on the Church, & speak

I could not resist writing to you,
on Thursday evening I hope to
reach London, & have told
Mrs Richardson I will be
at the office about 2.30 on
Friday & ready to hear what
has passed at the Committee
& to take any action wh. the
Committee settles ought to
be taken.

I now write quite privately
to you, but I don't want you
to say anything to the Committee

I think tho' Arthur is some
what impatient with the whole
question of women's educa-
tion in Ireland, partly because
of the unsupported evidence
attacks made on the Catholic
Crown's education, he will
if he can manage it, let some
money go to the Higher &
Intermediate schools, but
he specially so he did not know
whether he could manage it, &
I was not to report it as a
promise. He read the memora-
rial, but so all memorials
are 'useless' & no Sec. pays
attention to them. I told
him I must have something
more official in tone of our
Committee, & extracted

the advice to ask of Dr. pool if
to Jackson, telling him how
much disappointment there has
been that the deputation was
not rec^d? He is very indignant
at the ^{american} ~~idea~~ ^{that} of the schoolmas-
ters being rec^d because they
have "votes". The truth is the
official mind is full of local
gov^t. Phil & nothing else, but
I know of Jackson & anything
you decide ought to be done
at the committee I will send
thru. I did not know Mrs
C's father was dead - I feel
guilty not being at the com-
mittee, but I know this will
be such a fine speech!
Yrs sincerely but in
haste & the pool RB