London Evening Advertiser LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1924. - FOURTEEN PAGES.

ATTEMPT MADE TO DISQUALIFY ANDERSON

Pepall Wins His Fight Against Deportation To Canada

CANDIDATE THREATENED BY FACTION

Attempt Made To Prevent Alderman Anderson From Running For Mayor.

READY FOR FIGHT

City Treasurer Believes No Action on Question Is Possible.

Because he occupies a butcher stall in the market house, enemies of Ald. John Anderson are opposing his candidature as mayoralty candidate in the present campaign. Seeking the withdrawal of Ald. Anderson from the election campaign, these opponents threaten to take legal steps to disqualify him in the event of his being elected to chief magistrate on Dec. 1.

Ald. Anderson late last night received a special delivery letter from a legal firm, which purported to be the representations of a ratepayer, acting for some others, suggesting that means would be found to disqualify the candidate if he opposed George A. Wenige in the coming election

Opponents of Ald. Anderson de-clare that he is a lessee of the city of London and according to the of London and according to the ruling, which they have an idea they can get, the municipal act states that such a person cannot hold office. They declare that they have seen John Anderson's signature to certain contracts at the market clerk's office and that they can find more

tain contracts at the market clerk's office and that they can find more proofs in the event of Ald. Anderson persisting to run for office.

Up to press time today Ald. Anderson and Mayor Wenige were the only two mayoralty candidates, of six nominated yesterday, to qualify for office. It is not though likely that there will be further qualifications. It would therefore appear that if Ald. there will be further qualifications. It would therefore appear that if Ald. Anderson were to become alarmed at the litigation which is threatened in the event of his being elected, his dropping from the contest would provide an acclamation for the pres-

Position Safe.

Having held office as an alderman with protest from citizens or any successful attempt to disqualify him, siders his position as a candidate today every bit as safe as when he
went to the people as an aldermanic
nominee. He told a reporter this afternoon that he had nothing to fear
and that he had secured legal advice
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the property of the present incumbent, with four
others nominated declaring that they
will not qualify.

Two Acclamations.

Two acclamations for public utilibefore qualifying. He had looked up legislator. the act and consulted lawyers last week in order to remove any techni-cal obstacles, but was much surprised at the "small potatoes" shown by his

The identity of Ald. Anderson's opponents is not indicated in the letter sent last night, the communbeing worded as follows: "We have been instructed by ratepayer, who represents son other ratepayers, that you have

contract as a lessee in the market house of the city of London and, if such be the case, that you would be ineligible to hold municipal office, under section 53, sub-section 1, sub-section. P. of the municipal act. it out to you in advance in case you should be elected to office."
"McPHERSON & PERRIN."

The Weather

FAIR

and Wednesday, becoming milder.
The storm has
passed to the eastward of Newfoundland. Pressure is now highest over the Great Lakes

PAT TOUDY 33 and the western states and low to the northward. The weather is mild in the western provinces and quite cold from Ontario eastward. Temperatures.

The highest and lowest temperatures previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Stations. High Low Weather Victoria 48 Calgary 48 Parry Sound 22

Farry Sound 22
Toronto 26
Kingston 26
Ottawa 24
Montreal 20
Quebec 22
Father Foint 24 Clear Clear

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 27; lowest, 14.

hours previous to 8 a.m. today were Highest, 24; lowest, 20 Barometric Readings. Monday—8 p.m., 29.43. Today—8 a.m., 29.37.

The official temperatures for the 12

Candidates Qualify For Civic Election

FOR MAYOR.

George Albert Wenige, merchant.

FOR PUBLIC UTILITIES. Thomas Wellington McFarland, manager.

Roger John Webster, manager. FOR ALDERMAN. WARD ONE.

Paul Lawson Doig, merchant, John Abram Greer, manufacturer Ferrier Baker Kilbourne, manufacturer. Allan Milburn Towe, merchant.

WARD TWO. Horace Harry Bottrill, merchant. James Molphy Donahue, barrister.

WARD THREE. William John Ashton, conductor. Gordon Bart Drake, grocer.

WARD FOUR. Edmund Hayden, manager.

Homer Brock Neely, barrister. Edwin Smith, insurance broker

FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION. James Thernley Bowman, physician

Arthur Evans, clerk. Frederick Henry Greenlees, barrister. Mrs. Caroline Elizabeth Hunt, housewife. Stephen Frederick Lawrason, manufacturer.

ONLY TWENTY ARE READY FOR COMING CIVIC FIGHT



TO HIS SUPPORTERS

Conservative Leader Says the People of West Dissatisfied With King Government.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Nov 18 -- Expressing his

'We thought it only right to point satisfaction with the outcome of yesterday's national conference of Conservative leaders here, at which a Donahue, formerly an unsuccessful "McPHERSON & PERRIN."

"I am not worrying over this letter," Ald. Anderson remarked laughingly. "My election is apparently ingly. "My election is apparently the opposition. If they is a proposition of the corposition of th conceded by the opposition. If they start anything after election day that

Please See Page 9, Column 4.

Hon. Arthur Meighen addressed the provincial convention of the party at its beginning this morning. He would be provinced to the party at its beginning this morning. its beginning this morning. He would promised with Ald. Drake and exconfirming him in the party leader-day.

The following five nominees have

West Hastings riding.
In his recent tour of the west, Mr.
Meighen said that he found people
Trustee Mrs. John I. A.
Trustee S. F. Lawrason. not at all satisfied with the achieve ments of the present government in its three years of office. It had shown less and less willingness to shoulder the responsibilities of office. Mr. Meighen made special reference to the taxation conference, which he said had proved abortive because the government disavowed responsibility The unemployment conference had found no solution of the problem it sought to face. That was because the one thing which could have furnished the key to the problem

that is the fiscal question, was a subject tabooed by the chairman of the conference. Hon James Murdock, who was more engrossed in more personal affairs at the time.

"Futility follows futility." said Mr. Williams, commissioner of the On-

Meighen. "while the country suffers as a consequence."

NOVA SCOTIA MINERS WILL

NOVA SCOTIA MIN NOT RECOGNIZE BIG UNION Canadian Press Despatch. Sydney, N.S., Nov. 18.—No recognithe bootlegging industry to ease up on the frontier. tion of the one big union, fraternal or otherwise was the stand taken

Mayoralty Race Between Only Herriot, who pleaded with the sen-Anderson and Wenige Appears Certain.

FIVE IN EDUCATION Stevenson Not Decided on Public Utilities Question

Today. Of 82 nominations filed yesterday for municipal offices for the city, there have been only 20 qualifications entered to date. Nominees have up to 9 o'clock tonight to qualify, and a rush of last-minute qualifications is possible after 5 o'clock this after-There were few qualifications

fields in various wards. The mayoralty lies between Ald. John A. Anderson and George Wen-

Two acclamations for public utili ties commission are possible, though Dr. Hugh Stevenson, a third nominee. commission are possible, though said this afternoon that he might contest the election. Should he qual-ify before tonight he will oppose T. W. McFarland and R. J. Webster

With sixteen nominations in Ward 1 an interesting election is promised. Ald. John Greer has returned to the field, following the nomination of John Anderson for mayor, and he and Ald. Towe have qualified in Ward 1. Two new candidates, Paul Doig and F. B. Kilbourne, also qualified in Ward 1 today.

Two Qualify. There is a slight possibility of an

acclamation in ward two, where Ald. Bottrill, Ald. Douglass and James

confirming him in the party leadership. His speech was brief, because
the Conservative leader had to leave
at noon for a speaking tour of the
West Hastings riding.

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GEN. WILLIAMS DENIES HIS HOUSE BOMBED

Provincial Commissioner Declares Story Originated From Finding of Metal.

target for a hand grenade bomb. It had been hinted that the reported attack on the commissioner's residence was an ominous warning from the bootlegging industry to ease up on the frontier.

tion of the one big union, fraternal or otherwise, was the stand taken by the district convention of district 26, United Mine Workers of America, yesterday, when a motion to admit delegates from the one big union miners of Thorburn and Stellarton was turned down by a vote of 65 to 10.

PARDON IS

French Deputies Vote Amnesty to Former Premier After Short Debate.

HERRIOT APPEALS

Advises Government Members To Forget Incidents of War.

Associated Press Despatch. former premier, who, in October, 1918, was found guilty of having "impeded prosecution of the war." was voted amnesty today by the senate 176 to 104.

The amnesty hill was classed at the senate 176 to 104. Paris, Nov. 18.-Joseph Caillaux,

The amnesty bill was adopted by the chamber of deputies last July. Louis Malvy, former minister of the interior, convicted of communica-tion with the enemy during the war and banished from France for three years, was voted amnesty by 195 to

The vote on the Caillaux case after only two hours' discussion came as a distinct surprise alike to the friends and foes of the former premier, who had expected a long and acrimonious debate lasting for days and perhaps weeks.

after a stirring speech by Premier ators to let bygones be bygones.

Herriot Makes Appeal. "France is strong enough to be

able to withstand divergencies of opinion," he said. "Let us bury for-ever in oblivion the quarrels and to be slightly improved, however, but he same time be a measure of mollification. The government is asking the senate to contribute to the work of appeasement throughout the country."

to be slightly improved, however, but he suffered a relapse this morning and death soon followed.

Mr. Shaw has been a resident of Cast London for years. He was exceptionally well known throughout the site both for pile govier.

From a legal standpoint, argued the premier, Caillaux had never been convicted of treason or even "intelligence with the enemy," but had been condemned under an antiquated clause inserted in the French penal code at the time of Napoleon's con-tinental blockade in order to prevent today, these being chiefly the entry french cit of aldermanic candidates into the the enemy. French citizens corresponding with

Restores Full Rights.

The amnesty measure restores Caillaux to full civic rights. He now may run for parliament and hold office. Upon well informed authority it is said the government intends to

Prominent Workers in

London. The new babies' ward in the children's shelter was opened with fitting ceremony this afternoon.

Those who participated in the ceremony were: Mayor G. A. Wenige, Rev. W. Leslie Armitage, M.A.; J. J. Kelso, provincial superintendent of the Children's Aid society; Warden try to be worthy of the honor paid him by yesterday's conference in confirming him in the party leader-

Moore, Miss Kompass and Miss E. S.

Emery.

The establishment of the babies' ward marks a new departure for the society, since heretofore it has been impossible to take children under two years into the shelter. The gift of the ward by the Happy Six club will thus enlarge greatly the sphere of service of the Children's Aid society in London and vicinity.

To Mrs. Egbert Wright of this city there was born shortly before noon today, at Victoria hospital. Part 18th child, a healthy eight-pound baby girl.

Mrs. Wright is now the mother of 16 children. Altogether there has been born to her eight boys and ten girls, and 16 are living. Seventeen arrived at relatively prosperous periods, but the last little mite has made her debut into the world at a time

her debut into the world at a time unpropitious both for herself and her parents, for her father is out of work and the family coffers are at a dangerously-low ebb. KILLING OF URUGUAYAN

Associated Press Despatch.

Buenos Aires. Nov. 18.—La Nacion's correspondent at Rivera, Uruguay.
Says a party of Brazilian government the Victoria, for that will probably be



Well-Known Resident of East

London grocer and father of Alderman Ernest Shaw, died this morning at his home 670 Dundas street, following a long illness.

Mr. Shaw was 57 years old. For some time he had been ill at his ever in oblivion the quarrels and political differences which during the war appeared to be sources of danger. Your decision will demonstrate your confidence in your country and at the same time be a measure of mol-

ceptionally well known throughout the city both for his genial person-ality and prominence in sporting ac-Besides his wife two sons Dr

Frank Shaw and Ernest Shaw survive.

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of Dr. Frank Shaw, 296

JURYMEN TO VISIT SCENE NEWFOUNDLAND TRAGEDY

Canadian Press Despatch St. Johns, Nfld., Nov. 18 .- All at-CHILDREN'S SHELTER

BABIES' WARD OPENED

Hence a bus, and killed two and then capsizing sent to their deaths four of its own occupants, including two officers of the H. M. S. Constance. The trial commenced vesterday.

Plans of the Topsail road, where the fatalities occurred, showed tracks for about 106 feet form the stump where the car was supposed to have struck to where it left the road and ditched.

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take the jurymen to the scene of the however, having suffered slightly from accident probably today. London Mother Gives Birth

Sixteen of Family Are Living

-Father Out of Work.

HEALTHY LITTLE GIRL

To Mrs. Egbert Wright of this city

KISS CONSTITUTES ASSAULT RULES KENT MAGISTRATE

Archie McCatherin, Colored, Convicted on Complaint of White Married Woman.

SENTENCE DEFERRED

Prisoner, in Defence, Claimed First Kiss Came From Woman.

Special to The Advertiser. Chatham, Nov. 18 .- Archie Mc-Catherin, colored, and married, in county police court this morning, was found guilty of assault complained of by a 17-year-old white girl, Mrs. Freda Bechard, wife of Solomon Bechard. McCatherin was remanded to jail for one week for sentence. The assault was a kiss.

The magistrate announced his decision following a legal brief submitted by J. M. Pike, K.C., counsel for the

Smith, K.C.

Testifying yesterday, the girl wife stated that when she returned to her father's home in Chatham township from New York, that McCatherin, who had been in the habit of visiting the family, embraced her. She testified that he wrote her notes, asking her to meet him. Complainant also told of alleged unseemly conduct

London Dies Today, After
Short Illness.

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London grocer and father of Alderman Ernest Shaw, died this morning at his home, 670 Dundas street, following a long illness.

In the mean in the street of read in court.

J. M. Pike, K.C., arguing, declared

that the case was a "frame-up against the accused. He laid empha sis on the fact that the 12-year-old girl, who had testified, made an admission in court that she had been told what to say. Crown Prosecutor Smith stressed the importance of the notes which McCatherin wrote the girl, which, he maintained, contained improper suggestions. "On the evidence, I am bound to find you guilty," said Magistrate Arnold.

Doctors Do Not Believe W. Dumaw Suffered Fractured Skull in Crash.

it is said the government intends to appoint him to the high post of tention is centered here in the trial advisor" to the ministry of of Leonard Reid, son of the late Sir condition of Wallace Dumaw, L. & P. "financial advisor" to the ministry of finance within a short time.

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S. R. crossing accident victim of yesterday, leads physicians at Victoria Hospital to believe he is not suffering from a fractured skull, as first announced.

Although Mr. Dumaw, being in a fractured skull, as first announced.

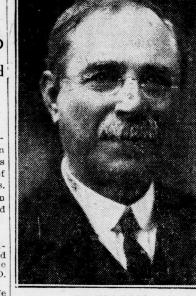
Although Mr. Dumaw, being in a state of semi-consciousness, bears the symptoms of a skull fracture, the immotor car has proved for the Unite

EARL BEATTY,

Admiral De Brock, commander of the Mediterranean squadron.

To Her Eighteenth Child

oldest son is married and her 17th birth of an 18th child is undoubtedly



prominent city merchant, who has been re-elected president of the

English Workers Issue Ultimatum That New Scale Must Start Jan. 1.

that there will be a general stoppage of the legal officers, whose opinion of the railways of this country next January, unless the railway companies live up to the terms of the settlement of the last strike, whereby the engineers and railwaymen were to receive increased pay, beginning in January, 1925.

A clause in the settlement contained the words, "unless in the meaned the legal officers, whose opinion held that Pepall is not subject to deportation.

Pepall was charged in the warrant of arrest with three counts, none of which was sustained by the lawyers.

No Evidence of Felony.

ed the words. "unless in the mean-time it is agreed otherwise." and this is regarded as a possible obstacle to the payment of the increased wages next January, but the unions

Autos Defeat Bolshevism

Arrangements have been made to however, having suffered slightly from spending their leisure however, having suffered slightly from spending their leisure suggested to however, having suffered slightly from spending their leisure suggested to however, having suffered slightly from spending their leisure suggested to however, having suffered slightly from spending their leisure suggested to how the second state of the secon rom their ordinary surrounding along with their families and friends It gives them something to which to look forward when their day work is finished, and goes a long way katchewan legislature to approach oward preventing discontent and un- the liquor question in a spirit to

HOWARD AND THORNTON'S SPEECHES TO BE SENT OUT

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 18.—Canada is to receive plenty of publicity on the air tonight. The speeches to be delivered at the annual dinner of the Canadian club, including those of Sir Esme Howard, British ambassador at Washington, and Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, will be radiocast by ton, president of the Canadian National Railways, will be radiocast by a local station. Another station has announced a special program for hunters and anglers which includes a half-hour talk by Earle Hooker Eaton, of the Canadian Pacific railway, who will tell the United States way, who will tell the United States when the control pow operating in Carles was a local station. Another station has suggestions for improvement of the legislation.

Harris Turner, leader of the operation and suggestions for improvement of the legislation.

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DESPATCH NO MAIL HERE, POSTAL OFFICIALS WARN

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No mail will be forwarded to the bove address by the postal authorifirst lord of the Admiralty, who will resign Jan. 1, to be succeeded by Admiral De Brock commander of the of an illegal nature.

ociated Press Despatch. Nov. 18.—London

THREE CENTS.

Former Toronto Broker Wins His Fight Against Return to Canada.

BONDS CANCELLED

United States Officials Find No. Justification For Charges Made.

Special to The Advertiser.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18. Andrew H. Pepall, alleged to be involved in the Ontario provincial bond scandal, has won his fight to avoid being deported to Toronto and will be allowed to remain in this country. Robert Carl White assistant secre-ary of labor, today signed an order ancelling the warrant of arrest and the \$10,000 bond which has con-fronted Pepall for the past six months in Los Angeles, California, where in May he was apprehended on the re-quest of Crown Attorney Rauer, who made a showing to the immigration officials here that Pepall was involved in the famous Jarvis bonding case, which stirred Canada over a year

Charges Not Sustained.

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In behalf of Pepall, Attorney Ben S. Hunter of Los Angeles, and a prominent Toronto attorney, whose name was not disclosed, appealed to the legal department of the immigration services here to prevent Pepall's deportation to Canada. The case first went to Solicitor Risley, of the department, who set some of his legal advisers to work in meeting the case presented by Pepall's coun-Associated Press Despatch.
London, Nov. 18.—The locomotive engineers and railwaymen threaten that there will be a general stoppage that there will be a general stoppage of this country next described.

No evidence was shown that he committed a felony or other crime or misdemeanor before entering the United States, which constituted the

rages next January, but the unions clare that the new scale must come nto operation at the beginning of the likely to become a public charge was found by the law division to be "not justified," and the final count, which argued that Pepali entered the country without inspection, was surnded with such doubt that the department felt that it would not be sustained should Pepall seek his re-lease on habeas corpus proceedings. In fact it was shown that Pepall had frequently crossed the international border and had been questioned by immigration officers. immigration officers

DUNNING ASKS FAIRNESS IN LIQUOR SETTLEMENT

Saskatchewan Premier Sure People Will Observe Reasonable Laws.

Canadian Press Despatch. Regina, Nov. 18 .- An appeal to members on both sides of the Sas evolve a settlement in accordance with the wishes of the people as ex-pressed by the plebiscite last sum-mer, was made by Premier Dunning during the speech from the throne in

ment control now operating in Can-

ELKS OF QUEBEC FROLIC IN HOTEL FRONTENAC

Quebec, Nov. 18.—The anniversary of the foundation of lodge No. 71 of orated last evening at the Chateau frontenac, when over 200 members of the local lodge, accompanied by their wives and lady friends, gathered in one of the large banquet halls of the hotel.

The association in 85 lodges has a ing for the betterment of social conditions in the dominion