

CARDINAL MERCIER IN TORONTO

THERE ARE 288 CANDIDATES
RUNNING IN ONTARIO

OF THESE 116 ARE INDEPENDENTS
(Special to The Record)
TORONTO, Oct. 14.—For the 111 seats in the Ontario legislature, no less than 288 candidates were nominated yesterday. They are made up in this way:

Candidates by acclamations: 4.
48 straight fights: 96.
8 four-cornered fights: 32.
50 three-cornered fights: 150.
1 six-cornered fight (N. Waterloo): 6.
Total number of candidates in running: 288.
The morning papers did not agree as to the number of party candidates in the field, some counting Sir Adam Beck as a Hearst supporter instead

of an Independent and also including Lieut.-Col. Pratt, who is running as an Independent Conservative. The fact works out this way:
Hearst candidate nominated: 102.
Liberals nominated: 70.
Independents nominated: 116.
Total number of candidates: 288.
The U.F.O. have 73 candidates in the field, including a half dozen who are running on the Labor Ticket with the backing of the organized farmers. The Independent Labor party has 22 candidates in the running. There are 41 ridings which the Dewart party is not contesting or considerably more than one third of the total. In 40 ridings the Liberals are running candidates against the U.F.O. nominees.

BOARD OF COMMERCE MEETS
SHORTLY AT OTTAWA

CLOTHING AND SHOE ORDER EXPECTED
Toronto, Oct. 14.—There will be no sitting of the Board of Commerce in Toronto this week but a full session of the Board in Ottawa within the next few days promises to be of the most interest and importance to the public and business houses of Canada alike.

As soon as W.F.O'Connor K.C., Vice-Chairman of the Board has returned from the east he will be met by his conference at the capital, where the audience of the shoe and clothing probes, which have been in progress in Toronto, will be reviewed. An order for orders of a somewhat drastic nature is expected by those most closely in touch with the member of the board.

"Do you think an order will be issued," J.S. Lundy, of the Ontario Attorney-General's Department was asked.
There is no question of it," was the answer.
The Ottawa session may be held this week or at the latest early next week and it is understood that the main question for settlement is as to whether the edict of the Board will be local or Dominion-wide. As yet the investigations into clothing, shoes etc. have been almost entirely of a local nature and have been conducted only in Toronto. It is felt that considerable injustice might have been done other sections in the far west and east where business conditions differ by a Canada-wide order based upon an Ontario investigation.

URGE GETTING
AFTER EXPORTS

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HIT BY TRAIN
TWO INJURED

TAXI CROSSING LANCASTER STREET IN MISHAP YESTERDAY

One Man Has Fractured Leg and Other Shaking Up
One serious misfortune occurred in the city on the holiday as the result of which two gentlemen are in the hospital. Mr. Charles Kouhla, taxi driver, and his passenger, Mr. Herbert Himburg, were injured when the 9.10 a.m. G.T.R. eastbound train struck the former's car as it was crossing Lancaster Street.

Mr. Kouhla is suffering from a compound fracture of the right leg and scalp injuries while Mr. Himburg is laid up with scratches and bruises, who otherwise escaped with a shaking up. The two men were in the car of Mr. Kouhla, who conducts the taxi service of the American Hotel. They had come from Bridgeport and were stopping on the northwest side of the G.T.R. tracks until the Elmhurst train going east had crossed the street. While the danger bell was still ringing, the train having passed, no thought was held that there would be another train coming. They proceeded to cross the tracks and as they were doing so the 9.10 a.m. train which had just left the station came along at a fair rate of speed and caught the rear end of the motor car. The latter was carried over the wooden cow catcher on the tracks and thrown into the ditch about three feet from the tracks and fifteen feet from the street, on the southeast side of the tracks. The machine was badly smashed, in fact it was broken into kindling wood and bent into scrap iron. Fortunately the top of the taxi was broken off and Mr. Himburg was thrown out and clear from the wreckage, landing in the field; Mr. Kouhla was pinned underneath the car.

The train was brought to a standstill within four telegraph poles and it did not leave the scene until about half an hour later. It happened that a medical man from Waterloo was on the train. He gave his attention to the injured men who had been taken in charge by eyewitnesses. The ambulance arrived soon afterwards and also two other medical men.
Mr. Kouhla and Mr. Himburg were then removed to the hospital. Their condition to-day, it has been learned, is favorable.

CARDINAL MERCIER
ON VISIT TO CANADA
REACHES TORONTO

GIVEN A HEARTY RECEPTION BY PROMINENT PERSONAGES

TORONTO, Oct. 14.—Cardinal Mercier, the heroic Belgian prelate, visited Canada for the first time to-day, arriving here this morning from the United States. A large gathering of civic and ecclesiastical dignitaries met His Eminence at the station and following a short visit to the residence of Archbishop McNeil he was tendered a civic reception at the city hall and luncheon with members of the Empire club.

This afternoon he was given degree of LL.D. at Toronto University. His Eminence expressed his deepest gratitude for the help of the Canadian people to Belgium in her distress and his highest admiration for the valor of the Canadian troops.

TWO MEETINGS
LAST EVENING

Electors of Bamberg and Wellesley Heard Addresses.

Two meetings in the interest of Ald. Asmusen, the Independent Liberal candidate, were held last evening. The first took place at Bamberg between 7 and 8 o'clock. It was well attended. The second was at Wellesley where also there were many electors present.

Addresses were delivered by the candidate, and Aldermen Bowman and Jitter.

This evening a meeting will be held in Linwood.
leader of the Liberals and the leaders of the Farmers, Labor, Soldiers and other organizations, who have nominated men for the legislature, have arranged for a series of meetings this week. In addition the leaders of the opposing sides on the referendum question have prepared for a tremendous campaign this week.

S. J. FARMER TO RUN
FOR MAYOR'S SEAT

IN WINNIPEG MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

(Special to The Record)
WINNIPEG, Oct. 14.—S. J. Farmer is the Labor candidate for mayor, vice Wm. Ivens, who declined to accept the nomination. The point was definitely settled at a representative gathering of labor men from all wards of the city last night, at the labor temple. The meeting also arranged for the formation of a central electing committee, with F. J. Dixon as chairman.

Endorsement of Mr. Farmer as mayoralty candidate is in line with the action taken at a labor nomination convention held on Oct. 6. At this convention the names of Ivens and Farmer were placed in nomination for mayor, the former winning by about 16 votes. The convention then went on record to the effect that if for any reason Mr. Ivens did not accept the nomination Mr. Farmer should be the convention's choice.

Before breaking up the gathering it was unanimously decided to form a permanent organization to arrange for further annual gatherings of the section, the committee who handled this year's election to retain that capacity for the next one. The opinion was general that next year the re-nomination will be held on the same night and will be in the form of a picnic. Saturday night's guests represented nearly every branch of the service, the signallers having managed to get into all lines of work, following the breaking up of the 118th. While the majority of the sixty or so signallers were at the gathering, the 118th's section managed to stop a few bits of "Heinie's Hardware", the section was fortunate in that they only lost three of their number. Those included in the toast to "Our Fallen Comrades" were Lieut. W.L. Clemens, R.A.F., Signaller, Milton Springs, E. Benton, and Signaller Ernest Tew, 25th Battalion.

RUSSIAN SOVIET
ORDERS EVERYBODY
TO BEGIN TRAINING

EVEN PEASANTS MUST GOOSE-STEP.

Helsingfors, Oct. 14.—The Soviet government of Russia has ordered the entire population of that country to train immediately for military service, according to reports reaching here from Russian sources.

All peasants, it is said, must devote all their time which is not occupied with agricultural work to drilling.

ALLIED TROOPS ARE
ALL OUT OF RUSSIA

GENERAL RAWLINSON CONGRATULATED

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The evacuation of North Russia has been completed. The last transport sailed from Murmansk on Sunday and General Rawlinson and his staff are expected to arrive in Glasgow to-day. King George has wired General Rawlinson congratulating him on the success of the withdrawal, which was carried out in such manner as to leave loyal Russian forces in favorable position.

NO ONE WAS HURT IN MISHAP

WINNIPEG, Oct. 14.—Two cars on an eastbound Canadian National Railway train left the rails near Seath on Saturday and rolled down a 14-foot embankment. No one was injured. One car was the Assistant-General Manager Cameron's private car, the other was a pullman.

At the last meeting of the Wellesley County Council, the following motion was unanimously passed:
Moved by W. H. Knight, seconded by L. Baehler, that this council entirely approves of the forthcoming Victory Loan and hereby wishes to encourage the support of the same by the ratepayers of the municipality. Carried.

SIGNALLERS HOLD
FIRST REUNION

GATHERED AROUND FESTIVE BOARDS

A General Picnic of Unit Annually
The first reunion of 118th Battalion boys was held on Saturday evening, when thirty former signallers of that unit gathered at Wagner's Hotel, Bridgeport, to renew old bonds of friendship.
That it will not be the last gathering though, was made clear by Col. W.M.O. Lechard, who in addressing the boys, outlined plans of a general reunion of the battalion which is to be held early next summer. A parade and field day is to be held, followed by a grand banquet in the evening. All the officers of the battalion who have been seen by Mr. Lechard are fully in accord with this idea and after they had heard of it, the signallers went on record in a most enthusiastic manner as unanimously in favor of the proposition.

Mr. B.E. Gilbert, B.A., of Toronto University and formerly Signalling Officer of the 118th, presided over the gathering, fulfilling his duties as toastmaster in an able manner. In his opening remarks he touched briefly on the doings of the section from the time it was first organized until it was broken up in Bramshot, recalling many humorous incidents and good times during the sojourn in camp and overseas.

The musical part of the evening's program was looked after by L. Knechtel, E. Woolner and G. Blood, each of whom rendered lively and appropriate vocal numbers. C. Boscombe putting up a light barrage on the piano. Others who assisted in the program included T. Woods, O. Thamer and O. Martin. The toast-list, which followed the supper, included "The King," "Our Original Section," "O.C. Signals" and "Our Fallen Comrades."

MAKER OF BOMBS IS
ARRESTED AT GARRY

HELD FOR SENDING BOMB TO MITCHELL PALMER.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—The U. S. Federal authorities at Gary, Indiana, where military control was established after the situation growing out of the strike of steelworkers became too threatening for the state authorities to handle, have arrested the alleged maker of the bomb exploded on the night of June 30 last, in the desperate attempt of Mitchell Palmer, United States Attorney-General at Washington and have obtained evidence clearing up the terrorist bomb plots of May Day and June 2, according to authoritative information given out to-day.

Evidence has also been obtained that revealed the entire terrorist organization responsible for attempts against the lives of law enforcement officials throughout the country, who had been active in the arrests and prosecution of radicals. The man held in connection with the Palmer bomb, is believed to have been the maker of thirty-six bombs sent through the mails in boxes wrapped in paper, from Gimble Bros. store in New York, timed to reach their intended victims on May 1st.

Since the 1,600 soldiers of the fourth and sixth divisions took control of Gary, the investigations have been shrouded in secrecy. There have been many arrests made and a strong stockade was built to keep the prisoners in.

BERLIN DISPATCH
SAYS GERMANY IS
TO HELP ENTENTE

TO BLOCQUE SOVIET RUSSIA

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A dispatch from Berlin reports that the Entente powers have suggested to Germany that she join in the blockade against Soviet Russia. No report of this proposal has come from Allied sources. The Berlin dispatch says the suggestion has not been officially considered by the German cabinet but it is indicated that Germany will suggest the appointment of an international commission to deliberate on the question.

SIX NAMES WILL BE ON THE
BALLOT ON ELECTION DAY

Nominees of All The Parties Will Stand. Nomination Yesterday Afternoon.

ADDRESSES OF CANDIDATES.

Six candidates are in the field for the seat for North Waterloo in the Ontario Legislature. They were nominated at the Court House between 12 o'clock noon and 2 p.m. yesterday, nomination day over the whole province.

The candidates are as follows:
Ald. N. Asmusen, Independent Liberal, city, who is present member.
Gavin Barbour the United Farmer's nominee, Crosshill.
George C. Haehnel, Independent Labor, of Waterloo.
C. H. Mills, M.P.P., Liberal-Conservative, city, the present member.
James M. Reid, Socialist, of Toronto.
Walter J. Snider, Liberal, of Conestogo.

The spectators who filled the seats in the court room resolved themselves into a public meeting with Returning Officer C. H. Froehlich as chairman, after the close of the nomination. Each candidate was given ten minutes to speak and the list was taken alphabetically.

The Independent Liberal Candidates.
Ald. N. Asmusen, Independent Liberal, briefly reiterated his statement that the present member, Mr. Mills, had always supported his party and had never voted against it. There had been extravagance on the part of the government he said. He mentioned the expending of \$2,000,000 on the purchase of a hydro power plant so that munition factories could be given power, only to be scrapped afterwards. Instead of the munition manufacturers paying for this the public had to pay.

The selling of timber areas at ridiculously low prices was mentioned. There was the cost of the Hamilton-Toronto highway which had cost \$25,000,000 as compared to the original \$15,000,000 estimate. The government should furnish the material at cost.

The same was true of the housing question. First the timber limits were set at an insignificant figure, then the government undertook the housing scheme and one has to pay enormous high prices for lumber.

The candidate referring to the farmer's party in this riding, said he did not think that in this constituency where the farmers comprised only one fifth of the population, it was right to have a party which was not the riding. Their platform was good and no doubt they are entitled to more representation in the House, but they should not hope for special representation in this riding.

As to the Independent Labor party no party could claim to have a monopoly on labor. There was no difference between the Labor and Liberal platforms. The Liberal party's platform was very broad. He would support Mr. Dewart because a man had to follow a leader, but he would not be a blind follower. He would vote according to his convictions.

As to the referendum he would vote four times yes. He did not think it right for, say 51 per cent. of the people, to deprive the other 49 of their liberties. Some government regulation was wanted.

The U. F. O. Candidates.
Mr. Gavin Barbour said the first four instances of congratulations to him for entering the field had come from Kitchener and Waterloo. This convinced him and had given him encouragement.

The farmers' party were not after class legislation.
The Hon. W. D. McPherson had termed their entry as aiming at class legislation. If the farmers' party encouraged a man to grow a patch of potatoes in his backyard it would be no more class legislation than some of the legislation that Hon. W. D. McPherson and his fellow members had put through. More production was wanted, that was the only solution out of the unrest to-day.

The farmers objected to being made the scapegoat for the canners and others who hoisted prices outrageously.
One cause of unrest to-day was extravagant legislation. To-day Ontario had a debt of \$100,000,000 whereas 20 to 22 years ago the province had no debt.

Rural depopulation had to be met. While this was not so much in evidence in this country where there was a home market, it was in many others. In this country, however, Waterloo Township was the only one to show an increase in recent years. Thousands of abandoned farms were to be found in the province, which he himself had seen.

The retrenchment of public expenditures was necessary. The fact was that one cannot expect men accustomed to war expenditures to retrench in peace.

Abolition of patronage in filling of offices was in the U. F. O. plank.
In regard to agriculture considerable money had been expended by the government, but this was not what was wanted. Encouragement in such a way as to stimulate production was what was needed.

He paid a tribute to Sir Adam Beck who had fought hard for the Hydro power project. Credit went to him and to the municipalities, not to the government. The U. F. O. stood behind Sir Adam.

Regarding the referendum, the temperance question had been placed outside of politics but it seemed it had been mixed with it in this riding. Since one of the previous speakers had alluded to it he also would. He declared he had always been and was to-day, a temperance supporter. But he would abide by the will of the people to be ascertained in this referendum and in any future one.

The U. F. O. party supported direct legislation and the referendum. Had the legislators in the past, had to con-

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ON INCREASE IN PAST YEAR

ANNUAL REPORT BY GOVERNOR J. COOK ON COUNTY GAOL.

Governor J. Cook, of the County Gaol, has completed his annual report on the gaol.

The report shows that there is a slight increase in the cost of the maintenance of prisoners over last year's figures due to the higher cost of living. Crime seems to be on the increase, although drunkenness is on the decrease.

1st Oct. 1918:—1 male, 1 female in gaol; during the year 96 males were and 6 females were committed to the jail. Of this number 1 was under 16 years of age. 74 were committed for the first time, 19 for the second, 5 for the third and 4 for more than the third time. 19 were sentenced to the Ontario Reformatory, 12 to the gaol, 5 to the penitentiary, 1 to the Andrew Mercer Reformatory and to the jail and afterwards removed to the Ontario Reformatory; 4 were sentenced for a period under 30 days, 4 for 30 days, 4 for 3 months, 1 for 5 months, 6 for 6 months, 16 for 1 year and over, and 3 for 2 years and over, 1 for 3 years and over. One was sentenced to corporal punishment. For 48 of the prisoners committed, maintenance was defrayed by the government and 54 by the municipalities. Government prisoners were in custody 1877 days. Municipal prisoners were in custody 911 days. The total number of days for year 2788 days.

49 were Canadians, 8 English, 4 Scotch, 3 United States and 38 from other countries.
38 were Roman Catholics, 21 Methodists, 25 other denominations.
35 of the prisoners were married, 67 single.
85 were reported as being temperate, 17 reported intemperate.
The greatest number in the gaol at one time was 21, the least number 2, 6 were in custody on October 1st, 1919.

Three were committed for assault 4 for assault felonious, 37 for contempt of court, 2 for destroying property, 1 detained as a witness, 1 for drunk and disorderly, 1 for forgery, 4 for fraud, 11 for housebreaking and robbery, 7 for indecent assault and exposure, 1 for keeping a disorderly house, 27 for theft, 5 for insanity, 2 for murder, 1 for attempted rape, 6 for receiving stolen goods, 1 for seduction, 1 for shooting with intent, 1 for threatening, 1 for trespass, 10 for vagrancy, 9 for other offences.

1 was an agent; 2, barbers; 7, shoemakers; 2, upholsterers; 4, machinists; 3, farmers; 54, laborers; 1, mason; 3, moulders; 2, painters; 2, trainmen; 2, servants; 2, tailors; 5, teamsters; 2, woodworkers; 4, with no occupation; 6, with other occupations.

Cost of food, clothing, fuel and all other items of maintenance, \$1,772.35. Officers salaries, \$2,085. For ordinary repairs, \$236.97. The daily cost for prisoners for rations was 18 2-5 cents.

EX-PREMIER CAILLAUX TO BE
TRIED

PARIS, Oct. 14.—Le Journal says that former premier Joseph Caillaux will be placed on trial before the high court on October twenty-third.

FRANCE LOST 23 WARSHIPS
DURING WAR

PARIS, Oct. 14.—Minister of Marine announced that France lost twenty-seven war vessels during the war including three battleships.