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Nominations Were Plentiful

All previous records in Ontario, for the number of candidates seeking election to the Legislature, were broken on Thursday last (Nomination Day) when 294 nominees filed their papers with the Returning Officers of Ontario's 111 Constituencies. The Conservatives lead in the field with 102 candidates, Liberals with 77, United Farmers with 76, Labor with 21, and Independents 18.

But two candidates were elected by acclamation—One to the Government (Peter Heenan, U. F. O. Labor member for Kenora), and the other to the Conservatives (W. F. Nickle, K. C., former Conservative member for Kingston.)

Four women are in the field—Mrs. A. E. Baker, in North East Toronto, Seat "B," and Mrs. W. E. Groves, in Northwest Toronto, Seat "B," are supporting the Government as Progressives. The two other women are Liberals—Mrs. B. O. Allen at Fort William, and Miss Isabel Armstrong, at London.

East York has four candidates in the field: Harry S. Clarry, Liberal; A. W. Roebuck, U. F. O.; Hon. G. B. Henry, Conservative; and J. Galbraith, Labor-Independent.

The fight promises to be a very warm one in several constituencies.

The Old Boys' Cry—"We'll Be There"

Yes, replies are coming in nicely from those who have received Invitation Letters from the Richmond Hill Old Boys and Girls Association to be with us upon the occasion of the Old Boys and Girls Reunion on August 5th, 6th, and 7th. Below will be found the reply received from "Charlie Storey," of Brockton, Mass. It reads as follows:

Brockton, Mass., June 11, 1923.
Richmond Hill Old Boys and Girls Association,

Richmond Hill, Ont.:

My Dear Friends,—

While I do not know, personally, any of the honorable officers whose names appear on the head of the splendid invitation sent me, yet it is from Dear Old Richmond Hill, and, as I read this kind invitation to come home and be with you on those days next August, tears of happy memories flow freely down my cheeks. I will always love and cherish, with no small degree of pride, the old home of my younger days.

I use the word "pride" advisedly, for, on the whole continent of North America, no village of its size can boast of greater accomplishments—(Richmond Hill, you must remember, won two first prizes at the Great Semi-Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia in 1876). This was only one in passing in her daily course of events. I can recall many events that in one way or another Richmond Hill not only put herself on the map, but, by continuous accomplishments, absolutely refused to be taken off the map, and today I understand it is only a question of time when you will consider the annexation of Toronto—But don't do it.

As a suggestion I offer the following: If you are to hold a banquet or a get-together evening's entertainment, secure a few of the old boys who will be home; allow them, say about ten minutes each, to tell some of the old interesting things that happened when they were boys.

Of course you will want money if you are to have a good celebration. What is it—voluntary contribution or assessments? I want to contribute my share. What shall I send you?

With all kind wishes,
Sincerely yours,
"Charlie Storey,"
C. R. STOREY.

The writer shows the right spirit in every way, and the citizens of Richmond Hill have great reason to feel proud of the town's former sons and daughters and to prepare for them such a welcome as will never be forgotten by them so long as life lasts.

What are you doing to assist the different committees in their work?

Send It In

If you have a bit of news,
Send it in;
Or a joke that will amuse,
Send it in;
A story that is true,
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Death of James Ryan

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The funeral, which was largely attended, took place from the family residence York Mills, to St. Luke's Church, Thornhill, where high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Kelly. The pallbearers were: J. Ryan, W. Herrington, J. Sheppard, J. Deegan, A. W. McRae, and W. Carson, the first four named being nephews of the deceased.

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