

## PRESIDENCY OF COUNCIL KEPT IN BACKGROUND

Jewett and Anti Forces Seem to Be on Still Hunt for Support.

ELECTION DUE JAN. 3

If there is any pronounced desire on the part of any member of the city council to become president of that body next year he is keeping silent about it. A canvass of councilmen shows that though there are but two regular term left before the annual election on Jan. 3, council leaders declare they have not even given the matter any serious thought. What the leaders declare, and what they may be considering, are, of course, different matters, observers say.

The presidency of the council, always an important position, because of the power to appoint committees and refer measures to them, is of more than usual importance next year. With the municipal primary in May and election in November in sight, it will be the advantage to either of the two contending factions, which have existed in the council for the past three years, to control the chair. The factions are composed of those councilmen who favor the Jewett administration and those who do not.

**ANTIS HAMPER ADMINISTRATION.**

The administration has been more or less successfully hampered in some of its pet schemes by the anti-faction ever since it took office. If this condition could be eliminated in the remaining year of Jewett tenure of office administration men feel they could get through some of the projects which must be completed if pre-election pledges are to be fulfilled. If these promises are not redeemed it is patent the administration candidate for mayor must go into the primary with this disadvantage, and if nominated must face the voters in the election with the weight of the Jewett failure about his neck.

The wing of the Republican party which has been doing everything in its power in the last year to unseat Mayor Charles W. Jewett and County Treasurer Ralph Lemcke, are not so much interested in the election as they are in the face and fanning which all may see. It would go far toward the nomination of an anti-administration candidate, which practically would mean the success of the anti-faction in its designs on the county organization.

**TWO DEMONSTRATIONS OF ANTI POWER.**

That it is entirely possible for the council to block administration moves when it so wills was demonstrated through the summer when dozens of ordinances ordering the board of works to resurface streets over "reconstruction" of property owners were killed, when the council threatened to refuse to ratify a contract for the purchase of equipment with which to complete the motorization of the fire department and on summer other occasions. The street resurfacing program was cut in half and motorization was not finally put through until those who favored it ate out of the anti councilmen's hands.

The failure to repair streets badly in need of it is one of the numerous blows from which the administration will have to recover if it hopes to bank in the public gaze to the extent that the approval of a candidate for mayor will be an asset instead of a liability to that man. The anti-faction has been able to choke the administration measures often because they have a majority and because every committee of any importance includes a majority of their members.

If an administration councilman made president he could fill important committees like those of public works, finance and public safety with administration members and save many measures from death in committee, even though it might be impossible to get them past the anti majority in the council as a whole. An administration man in the chair also might prevent many of the attacks on the mayor and his aides such as the anti-faction have made during the last three years.

There is little possibility, however, of an administration man receiving the of-

ice, Louis W. Carndiff, William B. Peake and Gustav G. Schmidt, all anti-administration, have held the chair since Mayor Jewett took office. This leaves Lee J. Kirsch and Dr. O. B. Pettijohn as anti-faction who have not held the chair. Mr. Kirsch is understood not to want the job and Dr. Pettijohn's health has been such that it is thought he, too, would not care for it. It is not denied by anti councilmen, however, that he is a possible candidate. He has announced himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for mayor. The election of one of the three former presidents is considered more likely since the anti-faction would want the most vigorous leader in the saddle.

The four councilmen considered as Jewett men are Russell Willson, Dr. Sumner A. Furness, Jacob P. Brown and Jesse E. Miller. Mr. Willson has twice been a candidate for the presidency without success. During the last few months

he has voted with the anti faction on some important matters and the anti-faction have been displaying an increasing willingness to listen to him. This is particularly true of President Gustav G. Schmidt, admittedly the most bitter opponent of Mayor Jewett and his followers in the council. Mr. Schmidt has been extending many favors to Mr. Willson, the latest of which is his appointment as chairman of the council committee of the whole considering the ratification of the proposed amendments to the franchise of the Citizens Gas Company. This is taken to mean not so much that Mr. Schmidt is becoming an administration man as it is that Mr. Willson is not so much of an administration man as formerly.

**SILENCE MAY PROVE ASSET.**

Mr. Willson is a possibility for the presidency, the strongest in the administration camp for the very reason that he has become less outspoken in his defense of the administration. The five anti-faction members, or enough of them to elect him, out of their fast forming friendship for Mr. Willson might consent to pass the honor on to him. This would be a slight victory for the administration and a loss control of the Republican organization. No anti-faction desires to jump off the bandwagon just when it is about to arrive at the bandstand.

One of the three former presidents or Dr. Pettijohn appear to be the favorites in the race.

**Wilson Gives Pardon to Ohio Still Runner**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—President Wilson granted a pardon Thursday to John F. Schweinsberg, who pleaded guilty several weeks ago in Cincinnati to a charge of operating a liquor still.

The court and prosecuting attorney commended Schweinsberg be pardoned on the ground that he had been making liquor only for his own use and was ignorant of the law.

**RUN ON JAPANESE BANK.**

TOKIO, Nov. 26.—The Aikai Bank of Tokyo, a small establishment, with deposits of 300,000 yen, is experiencing a run. The Bank of Japan is assisting and the run is subsiding.

**MURINE Night and Morning.**

Have Strong, Healthy Eyes. If they're Tired, Smart or Burn, If Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine.

Often Soothes, Refreshes, Safe for Infant or Adult. At All Drugists. Write for Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

**OUT O' ORDER STOMACHS**

Indigestion, Acidity, Sourness and Gases ended with "Pape's Diapiesin"

The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapiesin all the lumps of indigestion pain, the sourness, heartburn and belching of gases, due to acidity, vanish—truly wonderful.

Millions of people know that it is needless to be bothered with indigestion, dyspepsia or a disordered stomach. A few tablets of Pape's Diapiesin neutralize acidity and give relief at once—no waiting! Buy a box of Pape's Diapiesin now! Don't stay dyspeptic! Try to regulate your stomach so you can eat favorite foods without causing distress. There is little possibility, however, of an administration man receiving the of-

**Eye Specialist and Medical Author**

Report on Wonderful Remedy To Strengthen Eyesight

Say It Strengthens Eyesight 50% in One Week's Time in Many Instances

New York.—Dr. Smith, a well known eye specialist, and Dr. Judkins, a Massachusetts physician and medical author, have written the following reports after a thorough test of a popular remedy for the eyes:

Dr. Smith: "When my attention was first called to it I was inclined to be skeptical. But it is a rule of mine to give every new treatment a chance to prove its value. Having specialized in eye work for many years I feel qualified to express an opinion on the merits of the remedy for the eyes. Since this remedy was created such a sensation I welcomed the opportunity to test it. I began to use it in my practice a little over a year ago and I am frank to say that some of the results I have secured have been truly remarkable. In my practice I have had many cases of eye trouble which have been cured by the use of Bon-Opto. In my own practice I have seen it strengthen the eyesight more than 50 per cent in one week's time. I have also used it with successful results in cases of work-stained eyes, pink eye, inflamed lids, catarrhal conjunctivitis, smarting, painful, itching eyes, eyes weakened from colds, dust and wind, watery eyes, blurred vision and, in fact, many other conditions too numerous to mention in this report. A new and striking case that has just been brought to my attention is that of a girl 12 years of age. Two prominent eye specialists, after a thorough examination, decided, according to her father, that in order to save the sight of her right eye, the left must be removed. While awaiting an opportunity for her operation, her father decided as to his wisdom, her father was told it would do no harm to use Bon-Opto three times a day. The result was almost instantaneous. After two weeks the inflammation had almost disappeared, and the eye was saved. Just think what the saving of that eye meant to this little girl! Her father is that of a lady 63 years old. She came to me with dull vision and extreme inflammation of the lids and the conjunctiva was almost raw. After two weeks of use of Bon-Opto the lids were absolutely normal and her eyes are as bright as many a girl of 16."

Dr. Judkins, Massachusetts physician and medical author, formerly chief of clinic in the Union General Hospital, Boston, Mass., and formerly house surgeon at the New England Eye and Ear Infirmary of Portland, Maine, says: "I have found oculists too prone to operate and opticians too willing to prescribe glasses, while neglecting the simple formulas which form the basis of Bon-Opto, which, in my opinion, is a remarkable remedy for the cure and prevention of many eye disorders. Its success in developing and strengthening the eyesight will soon make eye-glasses old-fashioned and the use of Bon-Opto as common as that of the tooth brush."

am thoroughly convinced from my experience with Bon-Opto that it will strengthen the eyesight at last 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances."

Victims of eye strain and other eye weaknesses and many who wear glasses will be glad to know that according to Drs. Smith and Judkins there is real hope and help for them. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored by this remarkable remedy. Express an opinion on the merits of the remedy for the eyes. Since this remedy was created such a sensation I welcomed the opportunity to test it. I began to use it in my practice a little over a year ago and I am frank to say that some of the results I have secured have been truly remarkable. In my practice I have had many cases of eye trouble which have been cured by the use of Bon-Opto. In my own practice I have seen it strengthen the eyesight more than 50 per cent in one week's time. I have also used it with successful results in cases of work-stained eyes, pink eye, inflamed lids, catarrhal conjunctivitis, smarting, painful, itching eyes, eyes weakened from colds, dust and wind, watery eyes, blurred vision and, in fact, many other conditions too numerous to mention in this report. A new and striking case that has just been brought to my attention is that of a girl 12 years of age. Two prominent eye specialists, after a thorough examination, decided, according to her father, that in order to save the sight of her right eye, the left must be removed. While awaiting an opportunity for her operation, her father decided as to his wisdom, her father was told it would do no harm to use Bon-Opto three times a day. The result was almost instantaneous. After two weeks the inflammation had almost disappeared, and the eye was saved. Just think what the saving of that eye meant to this little girl! Her father is that of a lady 63 years old. She came to me with dull vision and extreme inflammation of the lids and the conjunctiva was almost raw. After two weeks of use of Bon-Opto the lids were absolutely normal and her eyes are as bright as many a girl of 16."

NOTE: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Yes, the Bon-Opto prescription is truly a wonderful eye remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. I have used it very successfully in my own practice on patients whose eyes were strained through overwork or misfit glasses. It is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." Bon-Opto referred to above is not a patent medicine or a secret remedy. It is an ethical preparation, the formula being printed on the package. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It is dispensed under guaranty by all good druggists in this city, including the Haag and the Haag stores.

**Hot Water Bottles, Fountain Syringes and Combinations at Cut Prices**

25c Haag's Water Glass Preserves Eggs 10 to 12 Months. Haag's Insot Pump Kills Bed Bugs, Fleas, Roaches, Ants, Plant Lice

Haag's Pills for Indigestion, Stomach Disorders, Bloating and Constipation

The 7 Haag Cut-Price Drug Stores are Located in the Center of the Shopping District of Indianapolis

The Haag Drug Store at 156 N. Illinois is only Six Doors North of Interurban Station

The Haag Drug Stores at 27 and 53 South Illinois St. are in the first Square South of Washington St. The Haag Drug Store, 101 W. Washington St., is in the Point Room of the Lincoln Hotel. The Three Other Haag Drug Stores are located 114 North Pennsylvania St., 55 Virginia Ave., and 802 Massachusetts Ave., Indianapolis.

## ROCKEFELLER IS CHAMPION GIVER

Donations to Public Total Near Half Billion.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The world's record for stupendous public donations is held by John D. Rockefeller, whose latest gift of \$3,763,357 to the Laura Spellman Rockefeller Memorial brings his total donations up to nearly a half billion dollars.

The aggregate amount given away by Mr. Rockefeller to various institutions and organizations is estimated at \$475,000,000, which exceeds the late Andrew Carnegie's gifts by \$125,000,000.

The donation to the Laura Spellman Rockefeller Memorial, an organization founded in memory of the oil magnate's wife to support religious and charitable work in which she was interested, was announced by John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Women and children will be chiefly benefited. The money will be divided among more than twenty different institutions.

Announcement was made that there will be no religious limitations upon the distribution of the money. Some of it will be used for missionary work abroad; part will be used for the relief of poor Italian families at the Rockefeller Foundation in the Palisades Interstate Park reservation. The foregoing use up only a fraction of the whole, however.

Mr. Rockefeller's donations for philanthropic work up to 1915, totaled \$230,000,000. The gifts announced since then follow:

Rockefeller Foundation, \$82,000,000.

General Education Board, \$70,000,000.

Rockefeller Institute, \$10,000,000.

Laura Spellman Rockefeller Memorial, \$3,763,357.

A large portion of the aggregate donations is for scientific work in fighting disease and for the spread of education.

**Many Teachers Attend Evansville Meeting**

Special to The Times.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 26.—The annual meeting of the Southwestern Teachers' Association opened at the Central High School auditorium here today and will remain in session until tomorrow.

Between 1,000 and 1,400 teachers from counties in the southwestern part of the State are in attendance.

The teachers were welcomed to the city by Mayor Benjamin Bosse. B. E. Eckert, county superintendent of schools of Dubois County, is the retiring president of the association. New officers will be elected at the closing session Saturday.

L. N. Hines, State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Indiana; E. B. Bryan, president of Colgate College of Hamilton, N. Y., and Amos W. Butler, secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, will be among the speakers.

**Boys' Brown Elk Two-Buckle Boots**

Sizes 1 to 8

\$4.85

Sizes 9 to 13 1/2

\$3.85

Kistner's

133 South Illinois St.

"Where Good Shoes Are Cheaper."

**HAAG'S CUT-PRICE DRUGS**

No Mail Orders Filled at the Reduced Prices

Everything Fresh, Genuine, of the Purest and Best Quality. Prices Subject to Change Without Notice

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

15c Abbott's Saline Laxative.....13.10

## Buy It Now!

If you expect to buy a New Edison phonograph for Christmas, our earnest advice to you is—buy it now!

As Christmas approaches the store becomes too busy to give you the perfect service we'd like to give you, the stock becomes depleted, and it is often impossible to secure the exact style and finish you want. The last minute phonograph buyer takes what is left.

Right now you can buy in perfect comfort. Stocks are complete and the service excellent. To make buying now even more interesting, we are offering these remarkably liberal terms:

Pay Nothing Down on  
**The New Edison**  
Just Buy a Few Re-Creations

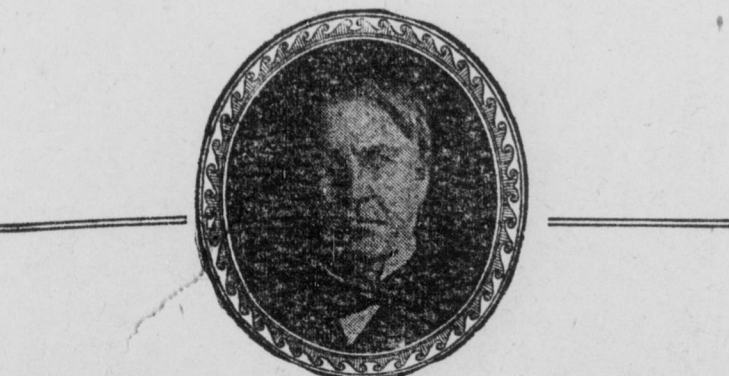
Both Instrument and Re-Creations Will Be Delivered at Once—or Held for Christmas, Just as You Prefer.

We Reserve the Right to Withdraw This Offer at Any Time

**The Edison Shop**

122 North Pennsylvania St. Opposite Keith's

See Us for Q-R-S Player Rolls



See Us for Q-R-S Player Rolls