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## Judd In Field for Mayor; Matthews May Also Run

While There Is a Possibility  
of Cooper Also Getting in  
the Race.

Though the municipal election is still a long way off, interest in the contest was created in city hall circles today by the announcement of ex-Ald. Judd that it is his intention to run for mayor for 1906, while Ald. Matthews has announced that he is in the hands of his friends. And added to these statements is that of Ald. Cooper, that if Matthews runs he'll run, too.

Thus at this distance the game looks interesting. All this is only surface talk, however, and the wise ones say that there will be but one candidate on the Conservative ticket next January, and that candidate's name will be Judd.

Today an advertiser reporter asked Ald. Matthews if it is true that he is considering running for the mayoralty.

"Well, yes," he replied. "I may tell you that every day I am being urged by my friends to run, and I really don't know what to do about the matter."

"How do you stand now?"

"I am simply in the hands of my friends."

"It has been said that you expect Mayor Campbell to drop out, and that you are figuring on having for your opponent Ald. Stevens."

"Well, if Mayor Campbell runs he will have opposition, anyway."

"Does that mean that you will run against Mayor Campbell if he should offer himself for a second time?"

"I do not care to say. I am, as I said before, in the hands of my friends."

"How about ex-Ald. Judd?"

"I didn't know he wanted to run."

"Will you run if he runs? Which of you could carry the Conservative coalition?"

"I'm not looking for any convention. I would like to have both parties support me."

"That's quite natural, but it is hardly probable. How about the convention?"

"Well, I believe I could carry the convention if I wanted to go after it."

Ald. Matthews then went on to say that this year there has been but very little politics in the council. He referred to the big fuss raised over the assessment given by Mayor Campbell in order to complete the assessment in the proper time, and he said that he was not actuated by any political motive when he brought the matter up. Ald. Matthews confers dispute this, however, and one of the Conservative al-

dermen is authority for the statement that it was a "damned small piece of business."

Judd Will Run.

The reporter then saw Mr. Judd, and he, without hesitation, gave his answer.

"You may say that it is my intention at present to run for mayor," he said.

"Ald. Matthews thinks he can secure the nomination of your party," the reporter told him.

"I don't care to say anything on the subject."

Mr. Judd appeared much interested when told that Ald. Matthews had practically announced himself for the mayoralty, and he had a "Well, we'll see about it" look on his face.

As the matter for stands, there are three Conservatives in the field, but Ald. Cooper's announcement is not taken seriously. Ald. Cooper is too closely wedded to his permanent seat to jeopardize it by taking a chance at the mayoralty. This fact is well known.

This year Ald. Cooper was rather badly treated by his political confederates, and he does not hold a place of honor in the club bodies. He is, of course, anxious to get even, but he knows where he is at, and he will be again on the Conservative ticket for alderman.

There is not one chance in a hundred that Ald. Matthews will run for mayor, as this would mean that the Conservative Club would have to turn Mr. Judd down, in which case the latter might threaten to run also, and divide the ticket. Then the party managers would be knocked into a three-cocked hat. Mr. Judd says it is his intention to run at present, and those who have talked with him know that this means that he will run.

It is barely possible that he might drop out for the sake of satisfying someone whom the party pushes look upon as a "big gun," and sure of election, but drop out for Ald. Matthews if anything he will not do.

One time he did drop out to make way for Hon. Adam Beck for a third term, and this great loss has been made up with a section of the party, which may be relied upon to see that he gets another chance at the mayoralty.

Mr. Beck, and now it looks as though he is in the hands of his friends.

From present indications, it looks as though there will be half a dozen new faces on next year's council, as the Conservative Club have already announced their intention of dropping out, while Ald. Carson says he will run for water commissioner.

From Mr. Carson's friends are already using their influence to have him run again, and it may be that he will be able to leave his council seat for a while yet.

## OPINION WILL BE GIVEN WEDNESDAY

City Solicitor's Views on License Bylaw To Be Laid Before No. 3 Committee.

It is understood that a deputation from the Local Temperance League will wait upon the members of No. 3 committee on Wednesday evening, when it is expected City Solicitor Meredith's opinion on the bylaw reduction and its submission to the people will be read. Mr. Meredith has promised the mayor that he will present his opinion to the committee on Wednesday.

The announcement which appeared in a local paper that Mr. Foy had told Mr. Haverson that the bylaw could not be submitted to the people is a little far fetched, though the noteholder aver that Mr. Haverson and Mr. Foy are very close friends.

Attorney-General has given the trade reason to believe that it is not legal for the people to vote on a bylaw which has been passed by the council.

In the face of this argument is the statement of the provincial inspector that the bylaw can be legally submitted.

Mr. Haverson maintains that as the law does not specify that a bylaw shall be submitted to the people for the reduction of licenses, the city has no power to do anything which is not specified in the act. He points out that if the licenses were to be raised to more than \$20 a bylaw may be submitted, but he insists that on the simple question of reducing the number of licenses all the city council can do is to submit the plain question of reduction to the voters, the matter of the bylaw being left to the council of 1906 to deal with.

Mr. Haverson points out that the council, not the people, pass bylaws.

## FATHER WOULDN'T PROSECUTE SON

Although the Latter Gave Him a Severe Hammering—Drunks in Court.

David Mason had an unusual way of showing his filial affection the other day, when he battered his father's face until it looked like a pound of beefsteak. In the police court this morning the older Mason's countenance showed a faint trace of its original color and size. Notwithstanding all the punning he received the father did not attach much weight to his son's. The son, not so devoted, accused his father of being drunk on the occasion of the assault.

William Bentley "had a drop but was not drunk, your honor." With profuse promises to sign a pledge, the plaintiff, signing was prominent, he entreated the court to let him go.

Give me a chance this time and I'll never take any more, your honor."

Bentley will have an enforced abstinence for 21 days.

Jenny Bentley has been neglecting her household duties lately and besides being drunk the other day she was charged with vagrancy.

"Don't give me a long sentence, please. I'll sign the pledge and get down on my knees to you and swear," said the woman, but the magistrate didn't attach much weight to her statements. She was remanded a week.

Thomas Kerby, Toronto, a molder, drunk and begging, was also remanded. He will go down for some time if he has not been working recently.

William Reeves, for acting disorderly in a downtown restaurant, was fined \$2 and costs.

The case of assault against Thomas McEachern was withdrawn by the plaintiff, Fred Temple, costs being paid.

MONARCHY OR REPUBLIC?

A Pibiscite Is Now Being Taken Throughout Norway.

Christiania, Nov. 12.—A pibiscite for and against the choice of Prince Charles of Denmark as the new king of Norway began yesterday under favorable weather conditions, and people everywhere voting in large numbers. In Christiania, out of a total electorate of 90,000, fully 25,000 already voted, and the poll will be continued today and the result will be announced Tuesday. Saturday saw the culmination of a fortnight's agitation in a storm of oratory by party leaders all over the country for and against a republic.

Fear for Tug's Safety.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Nov. 12.—No word has been received from the tug W. A. Rooth, which left here for Caribou Island, Lake Superior, on Saturday, Nov. 4, and grave fears for her safety are entertained. Another tug will go up the lake to look for her.

## ASSAULTED AND ROBBED HIMSELF

Insurance Agent Told Thrilling Story of Being Held Up by Thugs.

Galt, Nov. 12.—Guy M. Graham, a sub-insurance agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, who claimed to have been the victim of a brutal hold-up and robbery Wednesday night last, on Saturday confessed that the story was a fabrication and that he had wounded himself with a knife found on a neighbor's lawn about 7:30 p.m. Wednesday night apparently unconscious and with a confused consciousness on his temple. He was carried to his home and a physician treated him for supposed injuries to the head, Graham lay in a stupor some time, but finally told of being struck from behind, while he was about to enter the neighbor's house. He had been robbed of \$50, some \$20 of which belonged to the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

The chief of police and Inspector Niles, of Hamilton, did not believe the story, and after several days of protestations that the assault actually occurred, Graham while under examination by the chief suddenly broke into tears and said that he had concocted the scheme to cover up some debts he owed.

He had made up a story of being held up by thugs, and had had a college friend in Winnipeg to make the story of the robbery seem more plausible. On Sunday a locomotive was used to haul his head with a small stone and had then laid down where he was found.

His scheme succeeded until the police became suspicious, and his wife, the neighbors and the physician were completely deceived. No prosecution of Graham has yet been begun.

CHRISTENED ON THE DRAKE

Unusual Honor Conferred on Little Daughter of a Gunner.

New York, Nov. 12.—Little Louise Beatrice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Chadwick, has the distinction of being the principal of the first christening to occur on the Drake.

From the gun of the battleship, Louise Beatrice is six weeks old, and she cried lustily all unconscious of the honor conferred on her.

The christening was a most unusual event, and in the fact that she was given the names of the two sisters of the King. The christening was celebrated yesterday in the gunroom of the battleship, and the starboard battery. Prince Louis was to have stood up as godfather, but his Sunday was so full of social engagements that at the moment he had to decline, and his cousin Albert Mann, was godfather in his stead.

The great silver cup won by the Drake in the gunnery contest served as the font, and Chaplain Robinson, of the ship, officiated.

MORRIS NATHAN FREED

Lover of Victim in Suit-Case Mystery Given Liberty.

Boston, Nov. 12.—Morris Nathan, who was arrested two weeks ago today in Pittsburg, in connection with the death in this city of Susanna Geary, the Cambridge, Mass., chorus girl, was given his freedom in the municipal court today when his case came up. The reason for this action was that the grand jury had failed to find any indictment against him. As soon as Nathan was released, he was served with a subpoena to appear before the superior court at the trial of the persons who have been indicted as one of the important witnesses.

LESS SCOTCH WHISKY

Output Has Fallen Off Ten Million Gallons Since 1899.

Glasgow, Nov. 12.—The production of whisky in Scotland has now fallen back to what it was about nine years ago, and since 1898-9, the year of the record output, it has been reduced by 10,000,000 gallons.

The figures to date show a reduction this year of close on 2,000,000 gallons, and at the same time 350,000 gallons have been added to stocks, bringing these up to the enormous total of 121,750,000 gallons.

This addition to stocks is due not to overproduction but to a falling in consumption. Had the removals from bond remained the same as in 1904, the bonded warehouses would have been reduced by \$70,700 gallons, which would have been the first reduction recorded in many years.

The opinion is general that unless the consumption takes an upward turn before long the production of both malt and whisky will have to be greatly restricted.

WANT TO JOIN US

People of St. Vincent Denounce the Union With Grenada.

Kingston, Island of St. Vincent, Nov. 12.—Business here suspended today, the stores were closed, and at a public meeting, attended by thousands of the inhabitants, resolutions were passed denouncing the proposed union of St. Vincent and the Island of Grenada under one government, and demanding a separate government. The people afterwards marched through the city with banners and flags. The police were concentrated and prepared for any emergency, but the demonstration, although entirely peaceful, was confined to singing the National Anthem. The people here prefer a general federation of the West Indies and Canada, or increased intercourse and closer relations with the United States.

Disaster in Transvaal.

Johannesburg, Transvaal, Nov. 12.—A vertical shaft in the Brie-Fontein mine collapsed today. One white man and 67 natives were killed.

## NO ASSISTANCE FOR SPECULATION

U. S. Treasury Will Relieve Money Market in Cases of Legitimate Business Only.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw has not yet decided to come to the relief of the money market. He authorizes the statement that he will not interfere unless convinced that business interests are likely to suffer. Thus far no productive business interest, manufacturer, transporter, merchant or banker has asked it. He will not come to the relief of speculation. Should any business concern deserve credit at reasonable rates, the secretary wants to know the facts. He believes the majority of New York loans are still made at or below 1 per cent. Call money and speculation long time money, in other words market money, is distinguished from customers money, is higher.

A HEAVY FREIGHT TRAFFIC

Grand Trunk Handles Many Trains on Sunday—New Engines.

The quantity of freight handled by the Grand Trunk on the last two Sundays has been unusually heavy.

Under the new engines, it has been found almost impossible on week days (when so many locomotives are required) to handle the traffic as speedily as desired, and on Sundays everything is done to clean up the backlog.

To accomplish this, numerous double-enders were run both east and west on the Grand Trunk, and under ordinary circumstances, are idle on Sundays—being brought into use wherever possible. By this means anything resembling a congestion has been avoided.

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A TRIPLE LYNCHING

Three Texas Negroes Hanged for Murder of White Man.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 12.—A mob at 2 o'clock this morning broke into the jail at Henderson, Texas, overpowered the jail officers, and took from the cells five negroes being held on charges of murder. Three of the negroes, John Reese, Robt. Asberry, and Henry Schor, were hanged, and the fourth, a white, last Thursday, ten miles from Henderson. Three of the negroes—John Reese, Robt. Asberry, and Henry Schor, were hanged, and the fourth, a white, last Thursday, ten miles from Henderson.

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THE PILOT TO BLAME

Minister of Marine Inspects Steamship Bavarian on the Rocks.

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, returned from Gros Ile, where he inspected the Allan Line Bavarian, now on the rocks. The Minister left Quebec on Friday night at 8 o'clock and arrived at the wreck at 10 o'clock, returning to Quebec after making a minute inspection. Mr. Prefontaine declared that the Bavarian would be got off this week. As soon as float the vessel will be taken to Levis drydock for repairs. Mr. Prefontaine says the responsibility for the accident lies on the pilot, Mr. Cowie, who visited the wreck in company with the minister, expressed the opinion that the Bavarian is in no worse position than the Victorian was.

O'Donovan Rossa Goes Home.

New York, Nov. 12.—Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa, the Irish agitator, sailed for Ireland on the Etruria to pass the remainder of his days. Rossa, who is 74 years old, is going to Cork to become secretary of the common council. About 500 friends and sympathizers were at the pier to bid Rossa farewell, and he was sailing before he would continue to give his time to working for the freedom of his native land.

"Socker" Breaks into Paris.

Paris, Nov. 12.—The contests for the Herald Cup greatly have stimulated the interest in football in Paris. It is announced that England next year will send over four first-class teams to play a series of games, just to show the Frenchmen what good Association football is like. A valuable trophy will be awarded the victors.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Fair and Cold.

FORECASTS.

Monday, Nov. 12.—3-5 a.m. Today—Strong winds and moderate gales, westerly to northerly, turning much colder, with light local snowfalls and drizzle.

Tuesday—Fair and cold, with decreasing winds.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Calgary ..... 30 38 Fair

Winnipeg ..... 15 25 Fair

Perry Sound ..... 25 35 Rain

Toronto ..... 40 40 Rain

Ottawa ..... 40 40 Rain

Montreal ..... 48 48 Rain

Quebec ..... 25 25 Rain

Father Point ..... 25 25 Fair

RELIEF FOR JEWS.

New York, Nov. 12.—The American fund for the relief of the pillaged Jews in Russia based on acknowledgments made by the national relief committee up to this morning, is estimated at \$200,000. It is hoped to raise \$1,000,000.

Three Passengers Overboard.

London, Nov. 11.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph writes from the Russian steamer Ismail, bound out from Odessa, on Nov. 8, with refugees, that the national relief committee has been notified that three passengers with death unless they gave them money and jewelry, and that those unable to do so were thrown overboard.

## NAVAL MILITIA FOR THE DOMINION; AND SCHOOLS OF NAVIGATION

Hon. Mr. Prefontaine Goes to England to Discuss It With Imperial Authorities.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Ottawa, Nov. 12.—The Hon. Raymond Prefontaine leaves for England a week from tomorrow to discuss with the imperial authorities a naval militia for Canada. The minister intends getting all the information he can to assist him in carrying out his proposition to establish schools of navigation in Canada.

Mr. Prefontaine expects that the inquiry before Judge Routhier into the Bavarian accident will open on Thursday next, Commander Spain and the sailing master of the North Atlantic squadron will be the assessors. The Government will be represented by the Deputy Minister of Justice and Mr. Cook of Quebec. Andrew Allen, of the Allen line, denies that he ever authorized the statement appearing in the newspaper that the accident was caused by the light being dark at Grosse Isle quarantine. It appears that the vessel lost her course after passing the buoy at the eastern end of the Island of Orleans.

HATER OF ENGLAND

RECANTS VIEWS

French Editor Now Believes John Bull Is Not So Bad—Finds Him Broad-Minded.

Paris, Nov. 12.—M. Massard, the editor of the violently Anglophobe Patrie, one of the members of the Paris Municipal Council, who visited London last week, has made a public recantation of his views on England. To his amazement, he says, he found that the dwellers on the English side of the channel had none of the offensive insularity with which he had credited them, and that they were broad-minded, and that they bore the most friendly sentiments toward the French.

The profoundest lesson of this friendliness profoundly moved him, he says. He declared now that the councilors' visit to London has helped to clear away many misunderstandings, and has shown that not only can Frenchmen trust their English neighbors, but that they can work harmoniously together for their mutual benefit.

M. Massard concludes by saying in the fact that he has groined the hand so cordially stretched out to him, and that he is not ashamed to own it publicly.

ALEXANDRA TO TAKE HAND

British Queen Will Play Part in International Politics.

London, November 12.—Queen Alexandra will play a very important part in international politics in the near future. Thus far her majesty has taken a little interest in the grouping of the European powers apart from the very natural desire which she entertains to see her relatives in power, and above all, happily married. In fact, her interests in politics have hitherto been entirely domestic.

Queen Alexandra, however, the home in Copenhagen, however, the Queen has been more influenced than ever by her sister, the Empress Dowager of Russia, and her majesty has told her intimate friends that she intends to do all she can to influence King Edward in securing an Anglo-Russian rapprochement.

Not that the Empress Dowager loves England, but she dislikes Germany cordially, and she knows that Russia's interests would best be served by an understanding with England.

QUEEN HELPS UNEMPLOYED

With Contribution of \$10,000 Heads a Relief Movement.

London, Nov. 12.—Queen Alexandra has contributed \$10,000, and has initiated a movement for the relief of the unemployed in England by issuing an appeal, through Earl de Grey, treasurer of the Queen's household.

Her majesty says:

I appeal to the people of the empire, men and women, to assist me in alleviating the sufferings of the poor, starving and unemployed during the winter. For this purpose I head the list with \$20,000. All contributions should be sent to Earl de Grey. (Signed), Alexandra.

LABOR IN CONVENTION

American Federation Gather for Big Meeting at Pittsburgh.

Pittsburg, Nov. 12.—All the plans for the opening of the 25th annual convention of the American Federation of Labor have been completed, and this morning the delegates will march to old city hall, where the formal ceremonies will take place. The list of delegates was completed last night by the arrival of Wm. Mosses, from Leeds, England, general secretary of the Patternmakers' Association of England; David Gilmore, general secretary of the Miners' Union of Scotland, and Wm. V. Todd, of Toronto, Ontario, representing the building trades up to the Dominion.

It was stated last night that John Mangin, national president of the Steamfitters' Association, will arrive from Chicago this morning, and will seek admission to the convention. Plumbers' Union have declared that the steamfitters will not be represented and that Mr. Mangin will be ejected by force, if necessary.

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## Kaiser Wilhelm HAS BUTTED IN

Sends a Message Offering His Aid to the Czar.

THE ARMY AS SCAPEGOAT

Regiments Are Openly Contemptuous in Their Attitude Toward Sovereign.

Saint Petersburg, Nov. 12.—The dreaded intervention of Germany in the Russian crisis has come. The Kaiser, when he learned of the Cronstadt riots, sent a wireless message to the Czar offering to place the German northern squadron at his disposal. The Czar sent back a message of thanks. It is not known whether the offer goes beyond safeguarding the sovereign's person, but inasmuch as a German warship has been stationed off Peterhoff for several days, it is inferred that Emperor William's proposal has a wider significance.

In the chaos now existing there are beginning to develop certain features which leave little hope of averting a general political cataclysm in Russia.

The contending forces are divided into four camps.

First—The reactionaries, including the court party, some military leaders and some bureaucrats who for the last ten days have been inciting the drag of the population to murder and outrage, to frighten the Czar into a withdrawal of the recent concessions.

Second—Count Witte and his followers, including many bureaucrats and some upper-class liberals.

Third—The whole commercial class and the moderate reformers who are best described as the zemstvo party.

Fourth—The socialists, workers who created the present situation by a general strike.

The peasantry do not figure in the problem as yet and the rank and file of the army is still an uncertain quantity. The reactionaries are the smallest in numbers and their strength depends solely on how far they can command military support. They are desperately opposed to Count Witte and, in the present situation, to the Czar himself. This last is one of the most crucial facts of the moment.

Little has been said publicly of the contemptuous illwill of the fashionable regiments toward the sovereign since the outbreak of the Cronstadt riots. It was soon evident that the army would seek a scapegoat and it is now becoming manifest that it will be the Czar himself. This found the loudest expression over the explosion of the Grand Duke Cyril from the navy. The decrees ordering his expulsion evoked such outbursts of indignation that the army and navy would have to leave the malcontents being court-martialed and shot if they had been servants of the Kaiser.

The Grand Duke Vladimir took the side of the Czar energetically, and promptly resigned. Now Vladimir's personal character, has the support of the Imperial Guards Brigade, which is especially devoted to the protection of the Emperor's person.

The high world here began to ridicule the avowed and spurious devotion of his character. From that began to say that there was no possible future for him as the Russian sovereign. The next stage has now been reached, and the question of his successor is being discussed with amazing boldness.

The names constantly heard in military circles for a regency or the head of a dynasty are Nicholas II, the Emperor, and Constantine Constantinovich, both grandsons of Nicholas I. The former is the oldest of the council of imperial defense, and a supporter of Count Witte, who finds his character stronger than that of Constantine. The latter is the cultured Romanoff like his father.

Count Witte and his supporters are still almost helpless, but their collapse is by no means certain. His attempt to secure the cooperation of the zemstvo party has completely failed. Every member of his cabinet is a member of the bureaucracy. The only useful link is that they remain adherents of Count Witte's policy in recent years when they were the main independent provincial statesmen have refused office, and continue their campaign independently of the bureaucracy.

The zemstvo leaders have now decided to defy Count Witte's policy. They will openly proclaim that the zemstvo congress, which meets on Nov. 12, to which certain members of the professional and industrial classes have been chosen by the zemstvo assembly, is itself a constituent assembly. They will claim for it the right to supervise national elections and that the central government should abstain from interference. It is certain that the zemstvo will not submit to that, even though the reactionaries are attacking him from the other side.

Count Witte's position in this way, between two fires, is to a certain degree adding to his strength among the moderates, who are beginning to realize that he is Continued on page 3.

STATUE OF SATAN MUST GO

Authorities Will Compel German to Remove Monument of Devil.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 12.—It is probable that Herman Menz, who has erected a statue to Satan on his own premises, will be compelled to remove the offending monument by the city authorities. Ald. Wing, in whose ward Menz lives, today called on the corporation counsel for an opinion regarding the case.

A statute was dug up providing for a prison sentence or fine for blasphemous acts. It is held that the statue under that head. Ald. Wing will demand of Menz that he remove the statue, and if he refuses will proceed through the police court to compel its removal.

Detroit turns today visited Menz to express their admiration for the statue. They drank toasts to the statue and its sculptor.

THE BOMBAY SLAVES