

DURBIN IS NOT A CANDIDATE.

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understands the political game locally very well, but he has not been tried in state politics.

Says It Is Doubtful.

It is very likely that something will be done within the next three months toward reorganizing the republican party. The more the republican leaders analyze the returns the worse the outlook appears. On every hand it is being conceded that Indiana has become a doubtful state, with the odds in favor of the democrats because of their recent victory.

The fact that Judge Taft received less than 11,000 plurality has aroused the republicans to the gravity of the situation. The few that have taken the time to go over the vote for the congressional candidates have found that the democratic candidates for congress had a plurality of 27,000 over their republican opponents.

In other words, while the state was 11,000 republican for Judge Taft, it was 27,000 democratic on the congressional candidates who made the race on their national platform. There is no doubt that the republican congressional candidates last many votes because they were on the county tickets, but the democrats had the same handicap.

One of the managers of the republic-

can campaign admitted today that if it had not been for the work done in Lake, St. Joseph and other northern Indiana counties among the new foreign voters, Bryan would have carried Indiana by a small plurality. It is estimated that in Lake county alone over 2,000 foreigners were voted for Taft who could have been voted for Bryan if the democratic organization had been as strong as the opposition. The republicans outgeneraled the democrats at South Bend, where hundreds of ignorant foreigners were voted for Judge Taft.

In Indianapolis, however, where Judge Taft pulled through by a plurality of less than 300, the democrats had an organization superior to the republicans, and the result was that the republicans were unable to get by with all of their foreigners.

The fact that many are declaring that Judge Taft's victory in Indiana was due more to the fears entertained by the business classes regarding Bryan than to any positive strength of the republican nominee or his party, is adding to the misery of the republican leaders who are inclined to believe that the democrats won by a "chance blow," and that it would not be difficult to put the mouth of the running two years hence.

In the calm that has followed the election storm the republicans have had opportunity to compare the vote with that of other years. They have discovered without going far that county after county has returned to the place it held before Bryan became a candidate for president in 1896.

ESTIMATES \$12,930,000 FOR TAKING NEXT U. S. CENSUS.

Director North Requests Application of Civil Service Rules in Making Appointments.

Washington, Nov. 29.—The cost of taking the next census, as estimated by Director North in his annual report, will be \$12,930,000. The director points out this sum is but \$410,000 more than the cost of the same census in 1900, and says this will be accomplished "in spite of the enormous growth in the population during the last decade, a growth largely composed of foreign-born people who do not speak English, a class which it is very expensive and very difficult to enumerate."

The enormous saving, says the director, will be effected by reason of the existence of the permanent census bureau and the installation of the bureau's own tabulating machines.

Notwithstanding the congressional requirement that appointments must be made on the basis of noncompetitive examinations, the director says personal and political pressure in the end become the determining factor, and he asks to be relieved "from this unfortunate situation." He favors the appointment of clerks on the basis of their standing on the list of eligibles.

It Will Be Claimed So. We defy the Chinese to show that they invented the aeroplane 6,832 years ago.—Chicago News.

"FLY" MEN LOOKING FOR COKE FIENDS.

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he, took, takes the assertion that the Chicago police are bailed in their efforts to put an end to the traffic by the laxity of the Hammond and Lake county druggists.

In fact an attack was made on the lax laws of the state and the finger of shame was unmistakably pointed at druggists in Hammond who are responsible for the fact that this city has become the center of the "coke" traffic in this part of the country.

The following extracts from the article printed yesterday contain a terrible indictment against certain Hammond men and against the whole community for tolerating such a state of affairs:

Dr. L. Blake Baldwin, Chicago city physician, estimates that there are 100,000 users of "coke" in that city alone.

Pursue an Investigation. Dr. Baldwin and his assistant, Dr. John J. Mahoney, and the chief investigator of the city physician's office, Detective Harry L. Cullitt, have been pursuing a quiet investigation during recent months friendly with, and confidential too, a general inquiry being made by the state board of health and the state board of pharmacy. The report of the findings of this inquiry is to be made public very shortly, and will indicate conditions in vogue in states adjacent to Illinois where there are no cocaine laws which will, at least, prove surprising.

These investigators, as well as those of the police force, have discovered, for instance, that when it becomes impossible through the most strict vigilance on the part of police and other watchers for the habitue to procure the drug in Chicago, all that is necessary is for a group of them—and there is a free masonry among them which usually makes one known to the other—to club together, send one of their number to Hammond, Ind., and there procure the "flake" in any quantity desired.

The police are continually on the watch for peddlers of the little white drug, for druggists who sell it and for so-called doctors who advertise such remedies as "Dr. Gary's Catarrh Cure," which is said by Dr. Baldwin to be composed of acetanilid and cocaine in equal parts.

Local Druggists Prosper. There is no drug sold which yields a better profit to the unscrupulous vendor than cocaine. Most of the peddlers of the drug are themselves victims of its use, but there are many unscrupulous druggists and doctors whom the lure of money induces to engage in its sale. Between the wholesaler and the eventual seller of the "flake," which is the name by which the paper tablet selling ordinarily at 25 cents, passed from hand to hand in the street, is invested is multiplied three or four times.

The "coke" fiend doesn't stagger or reel; he walks lightly, with head erect and eyes bright and clear. Every faculty is alert; there is nothing of the drunkard about him. He laughs; he weeps; he tells funny stories; he boasts; he tells you his troubles. His wit is nimble. His ideas are logical; his tongue is eloquent; he is wide-awake and that is the fatal call of cocaine.

Those who are addicted to it cannot sleep. They whip themselves up to a point where the human organism cannot stand the pace. They go without rest and think they are wonderful. Nature cannot make the call for sleep or food; the victim imagines himself in the finest fettle.

Day and night are alike to him—or her. He does not feel the need of sleep; every faculty is working rhythmically. He is ready for anything—hard work or amusement or mental effort. He has put all these things behind him—pain, hunger, fatigue, thirst, the desire for rest—little reminders of nature that our bodies cannot stand everything.

If he is a confirmed "fiend" four days finds the reaction setting in. Wherever he is he instantly topples down into sleep. He sleeps like a dead man; fire a cannon off at his ear and he would not wake up. You could roll him off a precipice; it would make no difference.

Grown Wary. "Mandy," said Farmer Cornstossel, "I wonder what has become of this here movement for upliftin' the farmer."

"I don't know, I'm sure. Were you doopin' for benefit from it?"

"Not exactly. But after all the things that's been circled-in in print about it an' all the advertisin' it's been doin', I don't understand why nobody's been around yet to sell us somethin' on the strength of it, on the installment plan."

His Mind Was Made Up. It was during a trial in an Alabama city more than 20 years ago that one of the jurors suddenly rose from his seat and precipitately fled from the court room. He was arrested in his flight before he had left the building, and brought back.

"What do you mean by running off in that way?" asked the judge, who knew the man to be a simple, honest farmer.

"It's like this, your honor," said the man, earnestly. "When Mr. Hobbs finished talking my mind was all clear, but when Mr. Clayton began I was all confused again, and I said to myself 'I'd better leave at once, and stay away till he's done,' for to tell the truth, I didn't like the way the argument was going, your honor."

Youth's Companion.

Gloomy View of Mankind. "I may be kind of harsh in my judgment of men," observed Uncle Jerry Peebles, "but I've noticed, as a general thing, that a man ain't any better than his hat."

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Am. Sugar	47	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Am. Tobacco	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Am. Cotton	85 1/2	86 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2
Am. Smelt	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
Anaconda	51 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2
B. & O.	108 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/2	109 1/2
Brook R. T.	55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Ches. & O.	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
C. & P.	175 1/2	176 1/2	175 1/2	176 1/2
Gen. Elec.	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2
Ill. Central	141 1/2	142 1/2	141 1/2	142 1/2
L. & N.	122 1/2	123 1/2	122 1/2	123 1/2
M. & P.	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Nat. Lead	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	118 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
No. Pac.	143 1/2	144 1/2	143 1/2	144 1/2
Ont. & W.	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2
Pennsylv.	120 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	121 1/2
Reading	140 1/2	141 1/2	140 1/2	141 1/2
Rock Isl.	51 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2
St. Paul	115 1/2	116 1/2	115 1/2	116 1/2
St. P. & N. W.	151 1/2	152 1/2	151 1/2	152 1/2
U. S. Steel	184 1/2	185 1/2	184 1/2	185 1/2
U. S. Steel	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/2	114 1/2
Money	closed, 1 1/2 per cent.			
Total sales, 1,031,000.				

GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Dec.	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
May	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
July	101 1/2	102 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Dec.	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
May	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
July	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Dec.	48 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
May	48 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
July	46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Dec.	1597	1605	1597	1602-05
May	1625	1627	1617	1627 1/2
July	925	925	920	925
Dec.	937	942	937	942
May	840	840	837	840
July	860-62	865	857	860-62

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PRODUCE MARKETS.

Butter—Receipts, 5,181 tubs; creamery, extra, 30c; price to retail dealers, 32c; extra, 31c; firsts, 30c; second, 29c; 20c; firsts, 28c; seconds, 19c; ladies, No. 1, 20c; receipts, 5,415 cases; miscellaneous lots, cases returned, 21c; 20c; cases included, 22c; 20c; firsts, 25c; firsts, must be 45 per cent fresh, 25c; prime firsts, packed in 10 lb. cans, and must be 45 per cent fresh, 25c; extra firsts, packed especially for city trade and must be 45 per cent fresh, 25c; refrigerator firsts, 20c; checks, 14c; refrigerator firsts, 20c.

Potatoes—Receipts, 65 cars; choice to fancy, 67c; fair to good, 63c to 65c. Sweet potatoes—Illinois, \$2.00 to \$3.00; Virginia, \$2.50.

Veal—Quotations for veals in good order were as follows: 50 to 60 lbs. 60c to 100 lbs. 84c; fancy, 94c. Dressed beef—No. 1 ribs, 16c; No. 1 loins, 18c; No. 1 round, 7c; No. 1 chuck, 8c; No. 1 plate, 6c.

Live poultry—No. 1 broilers, 14c; chickens, fowls, 9c; springs, 11c; roosters, 7c; geese, \$5.00 to 7.00; ducks, 10c.

Beans—Pea beans, hand picked, choice, \$2.20 to \$2.25; fair to good, \$2.00 to \$2.10; lower grades, depending on quality, \$1.75 to \$2.00; brown Swedish, \$2.25 to \$2.50; green, \$2.00 to \$2.20; lima, California, per 100 lbs. \$1.90.

Berries—Cranberries, per brl. \$9.50 to \$12.00; boxes, \$2.00 to \$3.50; strawberries, California, 10c to 12c; grapes, 6c to \$1.70.

Fruit—Apples, \$1.00 to 4.00 per brl.; 50c to \$1.00 per bu.; bananas, jumbo, per bunch, \$1.60; straight, \$1.10 to \$1.40; culls, 50c to \$1.15; bouquets, \$2.00 to \$3.00; lemons, \$2.25 to \$2.50; oranges, \$2.50 to \$3.25.

Green vegetables—Beets, 30c to 60c per sack; cabbages, \$1.25 to 2.00 per brl.; carrots, 50c to 65c per sack; 100c per ton; cauliflower, 25c to 75c per box; celery, 25c to \$1.15; cucumbers, 75c to \$1.10 per doz.; horseradish, 65c to 75c per bunch; lettuce, head, per box, 40c to 50c; leaf, box, \$1.10 to \$1.20; mushrooms, 25c to 30c per lb.; parsley, 20c per doz.; onions, 45c per bu.; radishes, home grown, 25c to 50c per doz.; string beans, green, \$3.00 to 4.00 per bu.; wax, \$2.00 to 4.00 per bu.; tomatoes, 50c per bu.; turnips, 10c to 65c per sack; watercress, 25c to 35c per basket.

GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Carlots today: Wheat, 21, 6, 11; corn, 170, 3, 164; oats, 157, 1, 15.

Visible Supply: Wheat, increase, 1,248,000; corn, increase, 1,784,000; oats, decrease, 87,000 bu.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Estimates for tomorrow: Wheat, 95 cars; corn, 333 cars; oats, 194 cars; hogs, 26,000 head.

Northwest Cars. This wk Last wk Last Yr. Duluth 372 642 472 Minneapolis 372 642 472 Chicago 81 36 11

Primary Movement. Ship. Wheat, today 1,481,000 607,000 Last week 1,514,000 1,238,000 Last year 1,558,000 1,266,000 Corn, today 608,000 206,000 Last week 623,000 233,000 Last year 667,000 283,000

Total Visible Supply. This Year. Last Year. Wheat 48,373,000 34,371,000 Corn 2,651,000 2,448,000 Oats 8,694,000 7,143,000

LIVERPOOL MARKET. Liverpool, Nov. 30.—Wheat opened firm, 3d higher; corn opened steady, unchanged. Liverpool, Nov. 30.—Wheat closed 1/4d higher; corn closed 3/4d lower.

WEATHER FORECAST. Weather map—Extreme northwest, below to 3 above, partly cloudy; Minnesota, snowing; 20, Winnipeg, snowing; Regina, 20; Batteford, 15; Medicine Hat, 20; Prince Albert, trace; Northwest, 4 to 42, cloudy; Bismarck, snowing, 34; Devils Lake, snowing, 01; Moorhead, 40; Huron, 24; Pierre, snowing, 20; Rapid City, trace; St. Paul, 12; West, 26 to 56, cloudy; Valentine

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WANTED—Girl for light housework. Apply tonight or tomorrow before noon at 227 Indiana avenue, Mrs. S. Clark.

WANTED—By middle-aged gentleman, widower with no family, a middle-aged woman as housekeeper; no objection to one with one child. Address in English Box 48, Lake Station, Ind.

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FOR SALE—Six-room cottages; gas, bath, modern; on 50-foot lot; Indiana avenue near Oakley; easy terms. 138 S. Hohman, phone 3082.

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FOR SALE—Shoe store; good location; very cheap, on account of other business. Inquire M. L. Lake County Times.

FOR SALE—Horses and mules; four buggies, three spring wagons, timothy hay, 65c; Upland, 55c; corn, 65c per bu.; wood, \$7 per cord. Hammond Horse Market, 226 Calumet Ave. 25-1

FOR RENT—House at 414 Fred street. Whiting. Apply E. Gehrke, 310 Sheridan avenue. 30-2

FOR RENT—For light housekeeping, three-room flat, nicely furnished, gas, toilet; convenient to Standard Steel and Conkey plant; references, R. L. Dillaback, 664 East Carroll St. 28-3

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room. Phone 3144 or call at 19 Carroll street. 28-2

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, one single and one double room; hot water heat, electric light and bath. Apply 135 Clinton. 27-4

FOR RENT—An eight-room flat; all modern conveniences, including gas, heat and fine heating plant; three minutes' walk from First National Bank. Call at 11 W. State street. 27-1

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms at 353 South Hohman street. 14-1

FOR RENT—Six-room brick flat; modern conveniences. Apply 10 Warren street. 12-1

FOR RENT—Two five-room cottages. Inquire O. C. Trout, second floor Hammond Bldg.; phones 111 and 1613.

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FOUND—Store key on Hohman street. Owner may have same by calling at Times office and paying charges. 28-1

FOUND—Straw cow at Stockton, Ind. Owner can have same by describing property and paying customary expenses. Apply R. P. Stults, Stockton, Ind. 27-5

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