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**Republican Candidates Feel
Sure That Democrats Will
Not Be Able to Oust them**

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 10.—The successful Republican candidates at the recent state election whose seats the democratic aspirants to the same offices threaten to contest at the coming session of the legislature believe that the contest will not interfere with their keeping their places.

The figures giving the returns from those counties which showed a close vote between democrats and republicans have been gone over and the officers believe that the vote is sufficiently substantial to withstand any attack that might be made in the contest.

Point to Official Returns.

As an argument in defense of their contention that they are safe from being counted out by a contesting committee, the republicans say that in the counties where a recount has been made from the first official returns

their pluralities show up better than in the original count. The figures from these counties were the ones that the officers looked over last night, and they have borne out their contention.

In an article on the lotteries the lottery Tagblatt says there are three ways by which wealth is acquired—by work, which is long and tedious, by dishonesty, which is a precarious proceeding and by gambling. The number of persons who prefer the last named method, says the writer, is large in the German realm, for there the great lotteries thrive the best. There are seven of these under the management of the government, and they distribute \$160,000,000 in prizes.

The anxiety to secure a part of this amount has destroyed the happiness of thousands of households, and has diverted thousands of good men from honest industry and thrift to idleness and poverty.

TWO VICTIMS OF FANATIC WAR DEAD

"Adam God" Arrested While
Sleeping.

Kansas City, Dec. 11.—Two more names were added to the list of dead as a result of Tuesday's battle between religious fanatics and the police here, the total number of dead now being four.

Shortly before noon yesterday, Louis Pratt, 45 years old, the foremost disciple of James Sharp, died at the General hospital, and an hour later Michael Mullane, a policeman, succumbed to his wounds at St. Joseph's hospital. Policeman Albert O. Dalbow and Luis Pratt died immediately after being shot Tuesday.

James Sharp, who led the fanatics in their fight with officers, was arrested at Monticello, Johnson county, Kan. He gave himself up without showing any resistance. "Adam God" was wounded in both hands; a shot had pierced his sleeve, while another bullet had passed through his cap. When found he was asleep beneath a haystack. He told the officers that he was willing to be taken now that he had "finished the work God sent me to do."

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GREAT DEMAND FOR RICHMONDFLOWERS

Florists Send Thousands of
Blooms to Meet Foreign
Demand.

THE SHIPMENTS TO CEASE

DEMAND LOCALLY FOR CHRIST-
MAS FLOWERS WILL BE MET BY
FLORISTS WHO HAVE NOTI-
FIED OUTSIDE BUYERS

The florists of Richmond, known as "the original flower city," are experiencing the heaviest Christmas business in years. Thousands and thousands of cut flowers and plants are now being exported to all parts of the country, but the home demand is so heavy that this export trade will be discontinued at the beginning of Christmas week.

"The heaviest demand is for carnations, then comes roses. There is also an exceptionally heavy demand for all other kinds of cut flowers and for plants," stated an employee of the Hill Floral company today. "It is hard to estimate the number of cut flowers that will be sold but it will run up into the hundreds of thousands."

It is stated that the supply of the west end and the east end greenhouses of the Hill company will be completely exhausted by Christmas. Out of town retailers have been informed by this company that after December 19, no foreign orders will be filled, owing to the demand of the local trade.

All the other local florists are enjoying the same heavy trade that the Hill company is, and they state that orders for flowers to be delivered Christmas or Christmas week have been steadily pouring in for several days and, with the heavy foreign demand, the output of their greenhouses will, in all probability, be exhausted by Christmas.

SAVES SHIPMATE FROM DEATH IN THE SEA



MRS. WM. ANGUS.

Mrs. Angus, of Haywood, Cal., recently saved the life of David Bearn, while on the steamship California, bound for this country. He was struck by a great wave and was about to be washed overboard when she seized him.

INJUNCTION GRANTED

Liberals of Richmond Delight-
ed Over Columbia City
Judge's Action.

RESTRAINS COMMISSIONERS

The liberal element of the city was delighted today over the announcement that Judge Luke Wright of Columbia City, judge of the Whitley circuit court, had granted a temporary restraining order preventing the county commissioners from calling a special county local option election. The case will be argued February 4.

Temperance workers point out that this decision has no bearing on the local situation as the reasons Judge Wright had for issuing the restraining order may not apply in this country. They also point out that this week the judge of the Wabash circuit court refused to grant a restraining order, holding that the county local option law was constitutional.

It is now the general understanding that should the required petition for a local option election be presented to the commissioners of Wayne county, no effort will be made to have Judge Fox issue an order restraining the commissioners from ordering an election until after it is ascertained what action the legislature will take in regard to the county local option law. This action seemed probable a few weeks ago.

GOVERNOR-ELECT VIOLATED LAWS

G. L. Lilley's Mazuma Used
In Election.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 11.—Representative George L. Lilley, governor-elect of Connecticut, has been served with a subpoena to answer a complaint that, in the recent ante-election campaign, he violated the corrupt practices act passed by the general assembly four years ago.

The complaint, which is made by George L. Fox, of this city, who drafted the corrupt practices law, enumerates alleged acts of Mr. Lilley and of his agent, Colonel L. M. Ullman, in distributing money for campaign purposes through certain saloon keepers in Waterbury, for the purpose of treating electors on the day of election, and of placing certain sums with individuals in social clubs for "treating" purposes.

THREE NEW MEMBERS ADMITTED LAST NIGHT

Boys' Department of Y. M. C.
A. Is Growing.

Prof. Boggs of the Garfield school, gave a very interesting lecture to the members of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. last evening at the commercial club rooms. Notwithstanding the inclement weather there was 85 boys present and three new members were admitted, which gives the boys' department a total of 175.

It was announced that Dr. Allen L. Bramkamp will be the speaker at the next meeting. His subject will be the "Benefits Derived from Bible Study."

Secretary Orville Brunson is well pleased with the work being accomplished by the boys' department.

COW GIVES BIRTH TO THREE CALVES

This is no nature fake story. It is vouched for by Will Robbins, county recorder elect, and others. A cow on the farm of John Fender, in Abington township, has given birth to three calves. The trio was born within a few minutes of each other. One calf died, but the others survived and are in fine condition. The claim was registered at the Court House that Abington township can produce something besides democrats.

"CUSS" WORDS ARE COMMON AT CAMBRIDGE

Women Not Respected in That
City.

Cambridge City, Ind., Dec. 11.—The use of profanity on the streets has become very annoying lately. It is a common thing to hear the vilest oaths and foul remarks on prominent corners and places of business and when women are obliged to pass along near groups of men they are not respected. This occurs mostly in the early evening or at night when there are many people on the streets. An enforcement of the law against public profanity in a few cases would undoubtedly bring forth good results.

PAINFULLY INJURED.

Hagerstown Man Struck on Chin by
Crank.

Hagerstown, Ind., Dec. 11.—While engaged in pumping the gas well which supplies the municipal light plant, Harry Cain was painfully but not seriously injured. A crank loosened and in ying from the pump, it struck Cain on the chin, cutting a long gash. Several stitches were required to close the wound.

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