

NEW SLUMP IN POPULATION ON FARMS SHOWN

Loss of 479,000 in Year Revealed by Department of Agriculture.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, April 6.—Farm population of the United States continues to decrease, a loss of 479,000 being reported today by the Department of Agriculture for the year of 1925.

Farm population Jan. 1 was 30,650,000, compared with 31,134,000 a year previous—a decrease of 1½ per cent—according to the estimates, which include all men, women and children living on farms.

The decrease was found in varying proportions in all parts of the Nation, ranging from one-fifth of 1 per cent in the west, south and central States to 3.9 per cent in the mountain States.

The farm-to-city movement of approximately 2,000,000 persons a year, which started in 1922, apparently is continuing unabated. The decrease in farm population was found from the following statistics for 1925:

From farms to cities, towns and villages, 2,035,000.

From cities, towns and villages to farms, 1,135,000.

Births on farms 710,000.

Deaths on farmers, 288,000.

TWO MEN HELD

Fortville (Ind.) authorities today are expected to take Byron Helfin, 21, of 664 Arch St., and James Williams, 23, 805 N. East St., there for trial. The pair, arrested here as fugitives Monday, by Detectives Roche and Young, are said to be wanted in Fortville on charges of fire thefts.

IF HAIR IS DRY
BLAME CONSTANT
CURLING, WAVING

STRIKE WAR RESUMED
Fighting Breaks Out Between Textile Workers and Police.

By United Press
PASADENA, N. J., April 6.—Fighting between police and textile mill strikers broke out anew here today.

Fifty policemen barred the way of 2,000 strikers who were attempting to cross a bridge separating the town of Wallington from Passaic.

The strikers, when they met the police, were said to have opened hostilities by throwing stones and batons.

The police answered with their clubs and fists and a free-for-all fight.

Ten strikers were arrested.



Our old friend Boots is about to have her hair cut. What style will it be? You can depend on it being the very latest in bobs, for Boots has gone to New York with Edgar Martin, the artist, to do a little spring shopping. And one of the first things she did was to have her hair bobbed. Follow Boots' adventure in New York every day in The Indianapolis Times. Turn to the comic page today.

HUMORIST WILL GIVE TALK HERE

Strickland Gillilan to Be Entertainment Feature.

Strickland Gillilan, author, humorist and former newspaper man, will be featured at an entertainment to be given by the Woman's Aid of the Pennsylvania Railroad at the Masonic Temple on Tuesday, April 13, at 8 p.m. As a humorist Gillilan ranks high and as a lecturer he is probably one of the best in the country.

In addition to Gillilan, Gilbert Morris, a dramatic tenor, will be heard in a repertoire of classical and semi-classical song numbers. Miss Margaret Stillwell, pianist, will be accompanist.

An advanced sale of seats will be held at the Merchants Heat and Light Company on Wednesday and Thursday.

LAW ENFORCEMENT PLEA

Caris Adams Makes Non-Political Speech.

By United Press
CEOTHERSVILLE, Ind., April 6.—A plea for more strict adherence to the laws of the nation today faced the people of this section of the State, following an address here by Caris Adams, candidate for the Republican long term senatorial nomination.

"Danderine" is a dependable tonic and will do wonders for any girl's hair. It nourishes, stimulates and strengthens each hair, bringing back that youthful gleam, glint and vigorous luxuriance. Falling hair stops and dandruff disappears. "Danderine" is pleasant and easy to use.—Advertisement.

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To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder forms for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

JUDGESHIP CREATED
By United Press
RICHMOND, Ind., April 6.—Fred Pickett, local lawyer, today was offered the appointment as city judge to fill the office created by the council Monday night. Salary was fixed at \$1,200 a year.

AGREEMENT IS REACHED
Chief to Recommend Dismissal of Charges Against Officer.

Recommendation that charges against Motorcycle Officer William Miller be dismissed will be made by Police Chief Claude F. Johnson, at safety board meeting today.

Charges of conduct unbecoming an officer were preferred after it was alleged he struck Stephen Fullen, 1031 Blaine Ave., after placing him under arrest on a traffic violation charge. Fullen in a letter to the board said he would not appear against Miller as the trouble had been settled in a "gentlemanly manner."

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INCREASE FOR VETERANS
Spanish-War Pension Bill Passed by House.

By Times Special

WASHINGTON, April 6.—In spite of a warning by President Coolidge, the House late Monday passed a bill authorizing an increase of \$18,555,000 in pensions for Spanish-American War Veterans.

Recently was made known at the White House that Coolidge believed about \$10,000,000 a sufficient increase in the face of the large tax cut.

TWO YOUTHS MISSING

EARL S. COX, 20, of 511 Bell St., and Omer Hawkins, 15, of 739 Buchanan St., reported missing by relatives, were sought by police today.

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