

STATE TOWNS ARE PROUD OF GROWTH SHOWN BY FIGURES

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The United States Census Bureau is no respecter of cities. It is trampling on the pride and boasts of many cities as it reveals official census figures from day to day.

Every proud inhabitant of every proud city is prone to brag and exaggerate a bit when you ask him the population of his home town. But along comes the United States census, taken each decade, and shatters the hopes and ambitions and exaggerated claims of many cities.

Less than a dozen Indiana towns and cities have received their count so far. Muncie, much to the envy of her old rival, Anderson, has shown the greatest gain of any of the Indiana cities yet announced. The Muncie-Anderson figures were announced 10 days ago.

Newcastle Still Growing.

The figures of last week revealed that Newcastle, Ind., over which George A. Elliott, newspaper editor, presides as the mayor, is still enjoying a healthy growth. It now points with pride to Uncle Sam's count of 14,458 inhabitants. This is a gain of 5.1 per cent over the figures for ten years ago. Twenty years ago it was a town of only 3,406 men, women and children. But between 1900 and 1910 it had a growth that represented a gain of 17.3 per cent. Its gain in the past ten years has not been quite so remarkable, but sufficiently large to prove to the world that it is healthy, vigorous and still growing. Locally it is known as a city of pride, two good newspapers, plenty of Republicans, one editor who is the mayor, and a second editor who is a state senator.

Seymour, Ind., included Ambassador Joe Shea, who is America's diplomatic representative in Chile, when it counted 7,348 noses, representing a gain of 16.5 per cent in comparison with the 1910 count.

Lafayette Alive

Lafayette, Ind., isn't becoming, but it can point to the census figures announced this week as evidence that it is alive and growing. The preliminary official count credits the Purdue University city with a population of 22,456, a gain within the decade of 11.8 per cent. Its per cent of gain is a wee bit bigger than that shown by Cincinnati. Lafayette is an Indiana

city that is widely known throughout the country because of its great university. Lafayette also is the home of Representative in Congress Will R. Wood.

The fact that practically every city, Kingston, N. Y., being an exception, so far reported shows an increase in population, leads to speculation as to whether the agricultural sections, when finally reported, will show a decrease. However, the number of census returns so far is scarcely sufficient to reveal much along this line.

To Hold Meetings

Charles W. Brubaker, secretary of the Sunday school board of the United Brethren church and chairman of the evangelistic committee and the United Enlistment movement of the church will conduct evangelistic services at the Richmond church next week.

Mr. Brubaker will preach his first sermon on Palm Sunday morning, March 27, and will hold meetings each evening at 7:30. The public is invited.

The meetings are held as part of the United Brethren church's contribution to the Interchurch World Movement.

Census Statistics

St. Paul, Minn., 234,595, an increase of 19,851, or 9.2 per cent over 1910.

Albany, N. Y., 113,244, increase 13,091, or 13.1 per cent.

Rock Island, Ill., 35,177, increase of 10,842, or 44.6 per cent.

Watervliet, N. Y., 15,073, increase 999, or 6.6 per cent.

Rensselaer, N. Y., 10,823, increase 112, or 1 per cent.

Here is great relief from Headache, Neuralgia DR. JONES' LINIMENT Rub it in, pain goes out

MAY 1 LIMIT ON REASSESSMENT PLEA

Application for reassessment of real estate will be received by the state board of tax commissioners from any taxpayer before May 1, the board has announced.

Where a taxpayer believes his real estate has been assessed at less than its true value, he may appeal for a change before April 20. The county assessor, treasurer, auditor or any two of the three, may make an appeal independent of a taxpayer. The board also has initiative of its own in such cases.

Ruling of the Board.

The board's rule covering the applications says:

"An application for reassessment shall contain: (1) The description of the property; (2) the name of the taxing unit where it is located; (3) the assessed value; (4) the true cash value of same March 1, of the current year; (5) waiver of the notice required by the provisions of Sec. 152 of 'An Act Concerning Taxation.' * * Approved March 11, 1919, and (6) the approval of the county assessor, county auditor and county treasurer, or any two of these officers of the county wherein such real estate is located.

On receiving such application duly verified, if approved by the board, the board will order a reassessment of the real estate to be made by the proper local assessing officer. Such officer shall assess the said real estate and notify the owner of the amount of the assessment made.

Such taxpayer, if he is not satisfied, may appear before the county board of review at its regular session in June and make such objection as he may deem necessary.

Unincorporated Businesses.

"The state board of tax commission-

ers also will receive recommendations of the three county officers herein mentioned, or any two of them, without the joining of any taxpayer in such recommendation, when it is shown by such officers that a reassessment of real estate is necessary in order to maintain an equitable and just valuation, but such recommendation shall be made not later than April 20."

Under another rule of the board, unincorporated businesses, heretofore not required to give detailed information about their affairs, will be required to do so.

Four Colored Boys and Chaperon, to Meeting

Four Richmond older colored boys will be present at the first state conference for older colored boys in the Indianapolis Y. M. C. A., April 2, 3 and 4. The boys with a chaperon were elected from the four colored Sunday schools of the city Sunday

Grant Spears was elected at the Bethel A. M. E. church, Clyde Delaney from Mount Moriah Baptist, James Saunders from the Second Baptist, and Elmer Clapp from the Wesleyan Methodist. A. M. Gilmer of Bethel A. M. E. was elected to act as chaperone for the boys. The conference will be attended by at least 300 boys of the colored Sunday schools of the state, and an interesting program has been prepared, "Training for Service"; "The Fourfold Boy"; "The Basic Relationship of a Boy";

YOUNGSTERS!

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"Life", and "Choosing a Lifework," being some of the subjects of discussion.

Indiana Brevities

HAMMOND — Frank McLaughlin, athletic director of the East Chicago high school, died at a hospital here as a result of a fractured skull, sustained in an auto accident.

ANDERSON — The coal shortage has been reported as serious among retail dealers here that consumers have been compelled to buy coal in neighboring towns and pay high hauling charges, or suffer from the cold.

ANDERSON — Merriam Shimer, 15-year-old son of Mrs. Clarence Shimer, of this city, was accidentally drowned while swimming in the Y. M. C. A. pool with an athletic class.

ATTICA — About 40 automobiles and trucks were destroyed by fire which burned to the ground the Clove garage, about eight miles east of here.

MUNCIE — Edward J. Gainor, head of the National Letter Carriers' Asso-

ciation, and one of the most widely acquainted residents in the state, will be a candidate for congress in the Eighth district. It has been announced.

BLOOMINGTON — Announcement has been made that Prof. John J. Pritchett, director, and Prof. Walter S. Bittner, assistant director of the Indiana University extension division, have been appointed special collaborators in the United States Bureau of Education.

REID FIELD TO BE USED BY HIGH SCHOOL

Warm weather will cause Richmond high school track candidates to swarm towards Reid Field, as enthusiasm is at a high pitch. The four coaches will be able to take care of the swarm of expected candidates, however, and rapidly separate the enthusiastic from

those of ability. Coach Mowe, of Earlham, has sent word that high school is welcome to use Reid Field every afternoon of the week.

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CARPENTER SAYS, "HITS THE SPOT" WHEN HE IS ASKED IN REGARD TO PEPGEN TONIC

According to good authority it is quite natural for plumbers to get "stiff joints," for carpenters to get "knocks," for masons to feel as if they are carrying a "brick" in their stomachs, for stove men to think their intestines are "on fire," for engineers to lose their "steam," and for conductors to dislike their "daily fare."

The being the case it was not unusual for E. A. Stover's stomach to go on a "strike." Mr. Stover is a carpenter. He lives at 117 South 8th St., Richmond.

He says: "For several years my stomach was out of order. Almost

everything I ate disagreed with me. Since taking Pepgen I feel like a new man. I am glad to recommend Pepgen because it improved me in a general way. I have a fine appetite.

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3 small cans of any Milk in stock	19c
5 lbs. Pure Can Granulated Sugar	99c
1 dozen boxes Matches, special	59c
10 Bars Fels Naptha Soap	75c
10 Bars Star Soap for	79c
10 bars Rub-No-More Soap for	75c
Bowlene a disinfectant and deodorizer for the closet bowl only, per can	19c
1 lb. Argo Corn Starch for	9c
Easter Egg Dyes, six colors; per package	5c
5 lbs. Navy Beans for	45c

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Just received a new assortment of Mandeville and King Co. Flower Seeds. Make your selection while the assortment is good.

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*35c Zonite, the world war antiseptic 29c	
*30c Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine 24c	
*30c Vick's Vapo Rub for	24c
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