

## FORMER INDIANA REPORTER RELEASES "DOPE" ON CENSUS

WASHINGTON, April 13.—At 10:30 and at 9 p. m. Miller Hamden, former South Bend (Indiana) newspaper man in charge of census publicity, stands with watch in hand and says "Go." On the second, telegraph instruments of press associations installed in the Census Bureau building, begin to click and ambitious cities throughout the country receive the flash that they have increased or decreased, usually the former, within the past decade.

Every inhabitant of every town has an interest in the census figures. This unusual interest is recognized by newspapers in the facilities they have provided, whereby the census news can be flashed at the earliest moment after the release hour at the Census Bureau.

Mr. Hamilton, the bureau's publicity director, formerly was a newspaper man at South Bend, and for many years an assistant in the state legislative reference bureau in the State House at Indianapolis. It is his word "Go" which starts the census news over the wire each week day.

**Laporte Gains 44 Per Cent**  
Laporte, Ind., which John F. Hay, secretary to Senator Watson, claims as his home town and which also is the city which gives the Indiana Legislature its Senator Beardsley, should be swelled with pride that the census figures show that it has made a 44 per cent increase since 1910. In 20 years it has a little more than doubled its population. The 1920 figures are 15,158.

Huntington, Ind., also has made a highly creditable increase. Its 1920 population is an even 14,000, which is an increase of 36.3 per cent. Between 1900 and 1910 Huntington gained only 1,081 inhabitants, but between 1910 and 1920 it has become the home of 3,728 new citizens.

**Comparisons Shown**  
The following shows the census releases for the last week, with a comparison of population between 1910 and 1920:

City	1920	1910
Memphis, Tenn.	162,351	131,195
Johnson City, Tenn.	12,442	8,502
Cleveland, Tenn.	6,522	5,549
Morristown, Tenn.	5,881	4,007
Vallejo, Cal.	16,853	11,340
Richmond, Cal.	16,843	6,802
Auburn, N. Y.	36,142	34,668
Brooklyn, Mass.	65,138	56,878
Marshalltown, Ia.	15,721	12,374
Broken Bow, Okla.	1,983	1,374
Collinsville, Ill.	9,753	7,478
Duquoin, Ill.	7,285	5,454
Secaucus, N. J.	5,423	4,740
Cheneyville, O.	295	229
Felicity, O.	606	578
Manatee, Fla.	1,076	988
McKinney, Tex.	6,677	4,714
Logan, Utah	9,439	7,522
Grand Junction, Col.	8,665	7,754
Albany, Ga.	11,555	8,190
Marshallfield, Mo.	1,371	1,193
Houston, Mo.	3,779	3,644
Neosho, Mo.	3,968	3,661
Vinita, Okla.	4,961	4,082
Glassport, Pa.	6,959	5,540
Avalon, Pa.	5,277	4,317
Bellevue, Pa.	8,198	6,323
Carroll, Pa.	10,504	6,117
Etna, Pa.	6,341	5,830
Salina, Kas.	5,085	4,688
Kirkville, Mo.	7,213	6,347
Hudson, N. Y.	11,745	11,417
Roaring Springs, Pa.	2,379	1,903
Greenville, S. C.	23,127	15,741
Spartanburg, S. C.	22,638	17,517
Mullins, S. C.	2,379	1,832
Northwell, N. Y.	2,257	2,121
Corning, N. Y.	15,829	13,730
Ond du Lac, Wis.	23,427	18,797
Monomonee, Wis.	5,104	5,036
Laporte, Ind.	15,158	10,525
Cape Girardeau, Mo.	10,262	8,475
Caruthersville, Mo.	4,750	3,655
Slater, Mo.	3,767	3,287
Kennett, Mo.	3,622	3,093
Charleston, Mo.	3,384	3,144
Farmington, Mo.	2,656	2,615
St. Genevieve, Mo.	2,046	1,967
Jackson, Mo.	2,108	2,105
Middletown, O.	23,594	13,152
Jonesboro, Ark.	9,384	7,123
Bytheville, Ark.	6,147	3,849
Payetteville, N. C.	8,877	7,045
St. Albans, Vt.	7,582	6,381
Corapolis, Pa.	6,162	5,252
Portland, Me.	69,196	58,571
Biddeford, Me.	18,008	17,079
Saco, Me.	9,817	6,583
Brewster, Me.	5,064	3,904
Quincy, Mass.	47,611	32,642
Maynard, Mass.	7,086	6,290
Lancaster, O.	14,706	13,093
Wellsville, O.	8,899	7,769
Wooster, O.	8,204	6,136
Milford, O.	1,525	1,321
Bahel, O.	1,340	1,201
Batavia, O.	1,088	1,004
Williamsburg, O.	969	948
Williamston, N. C.	33,372	25,748
South Milwaukee, Wis.	7,598	6,092
Cudahy, Wis.	6,723	5,691
Oreola, Utah	32,583	25,580
Lubbock, Tex.	2,958	1,528
Huntington, Ind.	14,000	10,272
Zanesville, O.	29,569	28,026
Cambridge, O.	13,104	11,327
Greensburg, Pa.	15,033	13,012
Oregon, Ill.	2,227	2,180
Gardiner, Me.	5,475	5,331
Belfast, Me.	5,083	4,918
Minneapolis, Minn.	380,498	301,408
Kansas City, Mo.	101,073	82,331
Yakima, Wash.	18,539	14,082
Chico, Cal.	8,722	3,750
Nagales, Ariz.	5,199	3,514
Rome, Ga.	12,252	12,099

**PRESIDENT TO CHOOSE  
NEW HOME FOR SUMMER**  
WASHINGTON, April 13.—President Wilson will not establish the summer White House at Woods Hole, Mass., as had been expected, but probably will select some other place where more accommodations are available for the large staff of secretaries and attaches.

## For the Thin and Bloodless!

The thin and bloodless, with pale cheeks, white lips and frail angular physique, of this community have been much interested in the reports of physicians and others concerning the effectiveness of the treatment for increasing the red and white corpuscles of the blood, thus adding color and weight with its accompanying vigor to the depleted system. A gain of from 10 to 20 pounds is not at all unusual where the treatment is regularly used for several months, while the color improves almost from the beginning. Most good apothecaries supply it in the form of three-grain hyponitrate tablets, put up in sealed packets with directions for home use. Its action aids assimilation and absorption of the food eaten very promptly.—Advertisement.

## Pipe Organ Player



DR. M. C. BALDWIN  
Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, a musician of international repute, will give a pipe organ recital at St. Mary's church Friday night. Technically his work is perfect. His fingering is miraculous, his tone shading beautiful. The way in which Dr. Baldwin operates the foot pedals is wonderfully clever.

## Birds of Indiana You May Not Know

(Furnished by the State Department of Conservation)

The brown thrasher is a cousin of the catbird. Like the golden winged woodpecker, it has many names, some of which are "brown thrush," "ground thrush," "tawny thrush," "red thrush," "brown mockingbird," "French mockingbird" and "English mockingbird." The upper part of the body is a reddish-brown, darkest on the wings; wings short, heavy and reaching back only to the base of the tail, tail long and well rounded and opens and shuts like a fan; under parts of the body white, with black spots forming longitudinal streaks. The female may be distinguished from the male by the white on the wings being much narrower, and the spots in the breast less. They have a length of about eleven and a half inches and a wing extent of about thirteen inches.

The brown thrasher is a migrant whose range extends from the Gulf States north to Manitoba, Maine and Ontario, and west to the Rocky Mountains. It comes north in the latter part of March and in April, and returns south in September and October. According to Professor Judd the proportion of the different elements of their food, as determined by an examination of 121 stomachs collected, showed: Animal matter, 62 per cent, vegetable matter 35 and mineral 2. He adds that their economical relation to agriculture may be summed up as follows: Two-thirds of the bird's food is animal; the vegetable food is mostly fruit but taken from cultivated crops is offset by three times the volume of insects which disturbs the balance of nature and threatens our welfare.

## TWO FARM CLUBS TO MEET AT OXFORD, O.

OXFORD, O., April 13.—The Oxford Farmers' Club will hold its April meeting Thursday at the home of W. K. Swan, west of town. The program will include a paper on "Outdoor Ornamentation" by Mrs. G. W. Fudge, and a discussion of the diseases and enemies of plants, their prevention and cure, by Harry L. Brown, Wayne Stephenson, C. E. Schultz, William H. Stephenson and G. W. Fudge.

## DENISON CLOSING SUNDAY; THEATRE TO BE BUILT

The Denison hotel, for 58 years one of the leading hotels of Indianapolis, will close its doors Sunday, according to announcement made yesterday by Crawford Fairbanks, owner of the hotel. Guests will be received at the hotel Saturday night, but must leave Sunday.

Samuel O. Dowden, counsel for the heirs of D. P. Erwin, who own the building, said that negotiations for sale of the property are pending. It is understood that a group of capitalists is negotiating for the lease and plans to erect a combination theatre and office building on the site.

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## HUMBLE SPUD KITIN' IN HIGH COMPANY; SEEDS ARE HIGHER

There was a time when Irish potatoes were as plentiful and cheap as the dirt in which they grew, but that time has passed, and today the price of seed potatoes vary from \$4.00 to \$6.00 a bushel, and are scarce at that price.

With high prices now, it is evident that the crop this fall will be short, and potatoes will be higher than ever before. Many people have hesitated in purchasing seed potatoes because of the high price, thinking that the price may come down, but many local dealers look for the price to go higher per bushel.

Many of the small growers, or gardeners, will probably not plant seed potatoes because of the high cost, with no assurance of a bountiful crop.

But while the seed potatoes are advancing, the kind that people use on their table as a food are gone almost out of sight, and will probably go higher.

## Acres to Be Small.

Farmers who have investigated the seed potato market predict that the acreage will be much smaller than usual because of the high price. Especially will this be true in the case of farmers who are forced to buy their seed, it is said.

Potatoes are not regarded as a certain crop in this locality and it is said that the exceedingly high price for seed will cause many growers to plant only what they will need for their own use during the coming winter.

It is pointed out that when seed potatoes are so exorbitantly high in price the grower does not feel justified in risking much investment in a crop that is generally regarded as uncertain in its return.

Then there may be a big crop in Michigan and other potato growing states during the summer which would mean that the price next fall would be considerably less and the total cost of the seed and work in tending the crop would not be sufficient to pay a revenue to the land owners.

Local gardeners, and the indications are that there will be many of them this summer, are finding that the prices of nearly all kinds of garden seed have advanced. Onions are slightly higher than a year ago, and packers of seed are somewhat smaller, while the price on the average is a little higher or about the same.

Because of the high price of vegetables last summer and the prospects for higher prices next summer many Richmond people expect to make the best use of their back lots in growing all the vegetables possible for their own consumption.

## USES FINGER NAILS TO OPEN ARTERIES; DIES

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 13.—Using the long, sharp finger nails on his right hand as his only weapon, William S. Thompson, 79 years old, an inmate of the Marion County Hospital for the Incurable Insane, at Julietta, committed suicide Sunday afternoon by tearing open an artery in his left arm.

Dr. Paul F. Robinson, coroner, who investigated, said it was one of the most unusual suicides that had come to his attention.

## NO TEACHERS LISTED ON SENIOR ROLL AT VASSAR

NEW YORK, April 13.—Vassar college will not graduate a single "school marm" this year, according to results of a survey of the senior class made public by the New York Principals' association. Low salaries, it was said, had caused students to turn to business, social service and other professions.

## Make Your Own BUG KILLER P. D. Q.

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## SELECT VAUDEVILLE —BETTER COME EARLY— Positively the Greatest Laughing Bill We Have Ever Booked and Feature Picture Today and Wednesday

## 7 People Laugh Galore THE CORNER STORE Four men and three girls in the most hilariously funny act in vaudeville. See The Grocery Store, the Three Rubes and The Mischievous Lad. Funnier than "Peck's Bad Boy." Songs and dances by pretty girls.

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## COMING THURSDAY— ALICE TEDDY "World's famous roller skating and wrestling bear." Reception for the kiddies on the stage Saturday.

## State Dairymen Object To Proposed Grading

Proposed milk grading rules advocated by the state board of health were attacked at a special meeting of the executive committee of the state dairymen's association and representatives of the four state breeders' associations, milk producers' associations from several counties, Monday.

The regulations proposed by the dairy association is to make four grades of milk, two of which would be known as Grade A, Raw, and Grade A, Pasteurized, this milk to be from tuberculin tested cows and from dairies measuring up to a high standard of sanitation. The only difference in these two grades would be that one is pasteurized and the other sold as raw milk.

Two other grades would be known as Grade B, raw, and Grade B, pasteurized. It would be labeled to indicate that it is not milk of the best quality. Objections raised to the grades as established by the board of health are that they cannot be adequately enforced in the smaller cities and towns.

## The Theatres

WASHINGTON.

The young of Olive Thomas, beautiful young star of the new Schenck picture, "Youthful Folly," has been pictured in the famous old guest book in "The Louisiana," the old New Orleans cafe renowned in song and story. The signatures of many famous visitors have been written in this book.

It was in "The Louisiana" that Miss Thomas gave a birthday party to Hugh Huntley, the English actor, who plays Jimmy Blake in the picture. A group of artists sitting at a nearby table made a lovely color sketch of Miss Thomas and sent it over with their compliments.

"Youthful Folly" is showing the last times today at the Washington Theatre.

## MURRAY VAUDEVILLE.

"The Corner Store," a rural combination of "Peck's Bad Boy," Fatty Arbuckle and Chaplin comedy is headlining the new bill at The Murray Theatre.

## A Square Meal AND A Square Deal

Here's a square deal for the people who can't eat a square meal without pain and distress.

Go to your druggist today and get a 60 cent box of MIO-NA Tablets, the great prescription for indigestion and stomach troubles.

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In a corking good laugh maker.  
Pipe organ for music.

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which opened yesterday for the first half. The scene represents a typical country grocery store, with four men and three women in the cast. During the one scene where the three rubes and the boy paint the counter, the audience was bordering upon hysteria last evening. This act was built for laughing purposes, and they succeed admirably. Carl and Inez have an act of the "nut" variety, registering a multitude of laughs, and their steel guitar playing with the man's eccentric dance, went over so big that the audience was still applauding when

the lights were lowered for the succeeding act. Bentley and Walsh "The Athlete and The Bell-Boy," have an unusually clever offering of comedy talk and athletic feats. Lewis Stone in "Man's Desire," a five-reel production is the screen offering, and com

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