

G. O. P. AS ONE ON LEAGUE, CLAIM; WHITE OPENS NEW QUARTERS

(By Associated Press)
MARION, O., Aug. 2.—A claim of complete Republican unity behind Senator Harding on the League issue was made in an official statement issued today at Harding headquarters here.

Chairman White of the Democratic national committee, the statement said, "has undertaken to answer some questions recently addressed to Gov. Cox. His statement is chiefly a complaint. Both Senator Hiram Johnson and former President Taft have expressed approval of Senator Harding's position. It is easy understanding how such evidence of unity is displeasing to Mr. White. Republicans of all sections and groups are solidly in favor of Harding's attitude. Chairman White has made a correct discovery that the Republican party is completely unified."

Mayor of Indianapolis There
Senator Harding held a string of conferences today and worked at snatches between times on the next front door speech to be given Wednesday. Among those on his list was Mayor Charles Jewett, of Indianapolis.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 2.—Senator Harry S. New, of Indiana, chairman of the Republican speakers bureau, left today for Marion, O., where he will confer with Senator Warren G. Harding preparatory to mapping out the speaking tour.

Before his departure Senator New held a long conference with Representative James W. Good, of Iowa, who will be in charge of the bureau at the central regional headquarters here.

They will meet again Thursday, after Senator New's return from Ohio to start assigning the more than 15,000 speakers who have been enlisted in behalf of the Republican ticket.

MARION, O., Aug. 2.—A prediction that Irish sympathizers will support Harding and Coolidge was made by Representative William F. Mason, of Illinois, one of the leaders of the fight in congress for Irish recognition of a statement made public by Harding headquarters today after he had conferred with the nominee. "Friends of Ireland of course have to be for Harding," the statement said, "because they know what Article 10 of the league of nations covenant means. It would hitch Ireland to England forever, and bind us to help keep it there; and Governor Cox has pledged himself to support the Wilson program." Representative Mason predicted the Republicans would carry Illinois by at least 200,000.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic vice presidential candidate, held a pre-campaign conference here today with George White, chairman of the Democratic national committee, and Senator Harrison, of Mississippi, chairman of the committee speakers' bureau. The conference was held in the committee's new headquarters in the Grand Central place here, owned by T. Coleman Dupont interests, generally identified with Republican politics. In negotiating the lease for the new quarters, White said both parties to the contract "apparently were ignorant of each other's identity." A Democratic speakers' bureau will be opened in Chicago, next week, Senator Harrison said.

DAYTON, O., Aug. 2.—Announcement of the formal program for next Saturday notifying Governor Cox of his nomination for president by the Democrats was expected, following a conference late today between the nominee and the Dayton arrangements committee.

A parade of visiting delegations is the principal event scheduled to precede the notification address of Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas, chairman of the San Francisco convention, and the acceptance speech of Governor Cox.

The governor has not been in communication with Senator Robinson for some time and the Democratic national committee is trying to reach him. Governor Cox set aside today to confer with the notification planning committee and, with an extra stenographic force to clear his desk, prepare for Saturday's ceremonies and visitors. Completion of the Democratic campaign organization late this week, when many leaders are expected here for conferences with the presidential nominee, is expected, including announcement, after approval of Governor Cox, of the special campaign committee of 15.

Census Statistics
(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Wood River in Madison county, Illinois, whose population was announced today as 3,476, has shown an increase of 4.028 per cent in the last 10 years. That is the highest rate of growth shown by any place in the United States thus far in the 14th census.

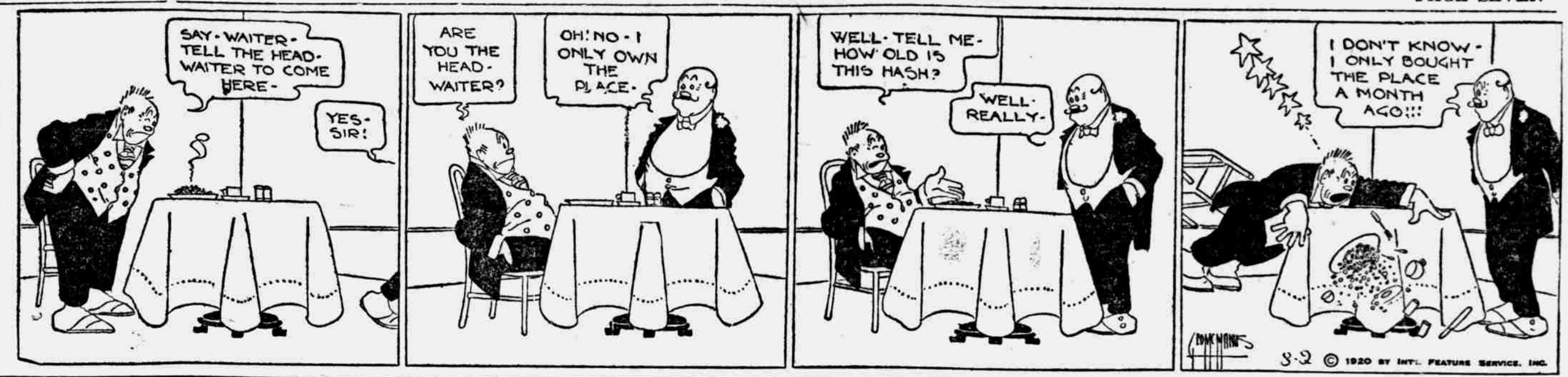
State of Georgia, 2,893,601; increase 284,450 or 10.9 per cent. (Incomplete because of omission of one enumeration district).

Mrs. Ella Kelly is Hurt
In Collision of Automobiles
Mrs. Ella Kelly, colored, 615 South Thirtieth street, suffered concussion of the brain from a cut on the forehead received when the automobile in which she was riding Sunday evening was struck by a street car at Eighth and South E street.

She was returning from church, going east on South E, when her car and the street car collided. She sustained several cuts on her forehead, one of which caused the brain concussion. The city ambulance hurried her to her home where under the care of a local physician she regained consciousness. It was said Monday that she was rapidly recovering.

FLIER DIES IN CRASH.
LANCASTER, Pa., Aug. 2.—Capt. J. Newmiller, 28 years old, of Shamokin, was killed and Ray S. Nutt, mechanic, of India was seriously injured when their airplane crashed to the ground near Marietta, this county, Sunday afternoon. Newmiller was attached to the Middletown, Pa., aviation grounds.

BRINGING UP FATHER BY McMANUS



PLATOON SYSTEM IN EFFECT; FIREMEN TO HAVE HALF TIME OFF

The two platoon system for the Richmond fire department was established Sunday. The size of the department is doubled.

On recommendation of Fire Chief Ed. Miller, the board of public works authorized the appointment of a second assistant chief and five lieutenants. Under the reorganization plan there will be an assistant chief, second assistant chief, four captains and six lieutenants. The two assistants will alternate on day and night duty, each serving as a company captain.

The other officers and the firemen will alternate on day and night work. Chief Miller will recommend Captain Harry Williams for appointment as second assistant chief. Men on day duty will work 11 hours, men on night duty 13 hours. The following assignments have been made by Chief Miller:

No. 1 Company—Day force, Frank Carter, assistant chief; John Smith, H. E. Miller, Night force, Everett Ogborn, lieutenant; William Kenny, Clifford D. McCoy.

Griffith is Captain
Hook and Ladder Company—Day force, Albert Griffith, captain; Ira Slick, Charles Brown, Night force, Oliver Staub, lieutenant; Charles Graham, Frank Davis.

No. 2 Company—Day force, Earl Mann, lieutenant; Elmer Longthorn, Benjamin Knollenberg, Night force, Harry Williams, captain; Fred Heathcote, Clyde Lake.

No. 3 Company—Day force, John Brown, lieutenant; Norman J. Wilson, James Hahn, Night force, Harry Adams, captain; Harman Miller, Ed Strothaus.

No. 4 Company—Day force, Morton Swisher, lieutenant; Lowe J. Long, Ed. Cook, Night force, Jerry Miller, captain; Daniel Clerk, Harry Bradford.

No. 5 Company—Day force, John Brusher, captain; William Toney, Clem A. Turner, Night force, Walter Muey, lieutenant; Clarence Footill, Earl Williams, Extra, George Baker. Every fireman will be off duty every other Sunday.

Young Wife Succumbs; Funeral at Centerville

Mrs. C. Frances Smith, 19 years old, died at 3 a. m. Monday, at her home, 221 South B street.

She is survived by her husband, Otto Smith; one son, Otto Smith, Jr.; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Dearth; one sister, Mrs. Anna George, and two brothers, Clarence and Hisey Brooks.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. from the Friends' church at Centerville, Ind. Burial will be in Centerville cemetery. The Rev. Ira Johnson, of Lynn, Ind., will officiate. Coffin will leave the home at 1:15 p. m. Wednesday.

Shinn is Held for Alleged Crime; Thought Innocent

A charge of securing money under false pretense has been filed against Robert Shinn, of this city, Monday by a man in Pontiac, Mich., but Chief Wenger believes that no criminal offense was committed by Shinn. It is stated that Shinn had been engaged to organize a show company and that money was telegraphed to him to bring the company to Pontiac.

Shinn states that he was not able to organize the company and never collected the money which was wired to him. Chief Wenger states that his investigation satisfied him that Shinn's statement is correct.

News of Railroad and Industrial Workers

Three box cars belonging to the Pennsy railroad and the Pennsy water tank were destroyed in the \$500,000 Kokomo fire which occurred late Sunday night. The cars were standing on a siding near the factory and the tank was at one corner of the building.

David Bradshaw, 67, Held For Attack on Girl, 13

David Bradshaw, aged 67 years, was arrested by Chief Wenger Monday afternoon on a charge of having made a criminal assault on a 13-year-old girl, in a barn near police headquarters.

Bradshaw is being held without bond and will be bound over to circuit court. It is alleged he enticed the child to enter the barn and then attacked her.

OESTERLIN CHILDREN ENJOYING HOSPITALITY ST. PAUL CHURCH

Nineteen new members were received into the St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday. A record attendance for August was registered. Children of the Oesterlin orphanage, together with the superintendent and his wife, attended Sunday school and church.

In the afternoon the children were taken for a visit to the Wernle Orphan Home, where they spent a pleasant hour. The two weeks' stay of the children will come to an end Wednesday of this week. At 11:30 a. m. on that day they will be given a chicken dinner at the church, after which they will take the interurban for the orphanage in Springfield, O., at 1 p. m.

Funeral Arrangements

Geler—Thomas Clarence Geler, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence S. Geler, 100 North Thirtieth street, died Sunday at 2 p. m. Funeral services were conducted from the home Monday at 3 p. m. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery. The Rev. W. J. Cronin officiated. Mrs. Geler, mother of the child, was formerly Genevieve O'Neal.

Zwissler—Francis George Zwissler, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zwissler, National Road west, died at his home Sunday at 11 p. m. Surviving him is his parents, three sisters and one brother. Funeral services were conducted Monday at 4:30 p. m. from the St. Andrews church. The Rev. F. A. Roell officiated. Burial was in St. Andrews cemetery.

COMMISSIONERS NAME REGISTRATION MEN

The board of county commissioners Monday appointed 67 Republican and 66 Democratic registration commissioners for the registration of voters in September and October.

One Democratic clerk is yet to be appointed. The lists were submitted to the commissioners by the Republican and Democratic organizations. The Republicans will act as chief clerks.

The question of providing additional precinct polling places, or to enlarge the present polling places by adding additional booths to take care of the anticipated increased number of voters resulting from the enfranchisement of women will not be considered by the commissioners until it is definitely known what changes are to be made by the legislature in the election laws.

Short News of City

Speeds is Fined—E. R. Gard was fined \$1 and costs in city court Monday on a charge of having driven his automobile in the city at a rate of 30 miles an hour.

37 July Arrests—There were 37 arrests made by the Richmond police in July. Only 10 fire alarms were received by the fire department and the total loss from blazes during July was less than \$50.

Motoring to Texas—Mackenzie Monarch son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Monarch, of Glen View, and George Kennedy and Charles Mohann left Saturday evening for a motor trip to Fort Worth, Texas. They had been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Monarch.

Dr. Schilling Back—Dr. Richard Schilling and family, and Mrs. Frank Land have returned from a three week's vacation.

Miss Gaston Better—Miss Laura Gaston, formerly head of the piano department of Earlham college, but who resigned because of ill health, has greatly improved and will soon resume her private classes.

No License Needed—No license is required to peddle food stuff in this city, according to Marketmaster William A. Hunt. This has been true since 1911 and anyone can peddle at any and all times.

Are Visiting Lakes—Ora Stegall and wife, and Mrs. Irene Gorman Ryan have left on a two weeks' visit at Indiana Lakes.

Preaches on Education—President David M. Edwards of Earlham college, preached on "The Obligation of the Church to Higher Education," at the morning service of East Main Street Friends church Sunday. Dr. Edwards said that Education without Christianity was instrumental in bringing Germany to its ultimate crisis.

Webb Will Preach—Norval Webb, graduate of Earlham, and in charge of the boys' department at the Y. M. C. A., will preach at the evening service of the East Main Street Friends church next Sunday, Aug. 8.

Business Meeting Coming—The business meeting of the East Main Street Friends church will be held at the church, Thursday evening, Aug. 5.

Williams Praises Earlham—Words of praise followed a recent inspection of Earlham college by Oscar H. Williams, supervisor of Teacher Training, of the state department of public instruction. He said that as a great spiritual as well as intellectual force in the educational work, this institution is among the best educational assets of our people. He was impressed with the stress that is now being placed upon the practical and vocational side of education.

Dahlia Seven Inches—An unusually large dahlia has been grown by Mrs. C. E. Bond, 114 Chestnut street. The flower is salmon color, and measures seven inches in diameter.

Ladies' Aid Meeting—The Ladies' Aid society of Third M. E. church will hold its monthly social and business meeting on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Leedy, 522 North Seventeenth street. Every member is asked to bring some one as a prospective member.

Enlist in Army—Charles and George Rodent, of Kentucky, enlisted at the local army recruiting office in the field artillery and will be sent to Germany. George Brown, of Franklin, N. C., also enlisted for service in Germany.

Conover to N. C.—Chase Conover, field secretary of the Friends, has gone to North Carolina to attend the yearly meeting. He will return in a week or 10 days.

Rain gambling is common among the natives of India.

D. H. CUMMINS BUYS FRY COACH PLANT

Purchase of the Fry Brothers' manufacturing plant at 615-621 South H street by D. H. Cummins, of the Lorraine Motor company, for approximately \$50,000, was announced Monday.

The Fry plant has been engaged in the manufacture of hearse and pleasure car bodies in Richmond for more than 40 years, and has occupied the present building since 1905. During the last few years the entire output of the Fry company has been used by the Pilot Motor Car company.

The purchase was made by Mr. Cummins personally. He will give the Lorraine company the exclusive use of the plant. The buildings now occupied by the Lorraine company on North Eighth street will also be used in the manufacture of their cars.

"I do not think it will be necessary to make any change in the personnel of the Fry plant," Mr. Cummins said Monday.

"We want to keep the organization as nearly intact as possible and probably the only change will be the appointment of a new supervisor of the plant, who will be Mr. Frank D. Wirtz of Elkhart."

Steady growth in business and increasing demands for the product necessitated the purchase, Mr. Cummins said, in order to provide room for enlargement.

It is understood that Mr. Fry has been planning to retire for some time. He broached the matter to Mr. Cummins, Friday, it is said, and the deal was completed.

SEN. WATSON LIKES EARLHAM CAMPAIGN

Senator James E. Watson, of Indiana, has written to President David M. Edwards, of Earlham, in which he offers to render any and every service that he can in the Earlham campaign for increasing the endowment.

He writes: "Your institution is one that has accomplished splendid results and gives promise of still greater achievement, and all people who believe in the eradication of illiteracy, in the intellectual and moral betterment of the youth of the land, and in elevating the standards of citizenship should take a deep interest in the welfare of your institution."

I shall be very glad to be at some meeting held for the purpose of furthering the interests of your college and express myself with reference to it."

Very sincerely yours,
James E. Watson.

Circuit Court

Suit for divorce has been filed by Ethel H. Pegz against Elmer L. Pegz, charging abandonment. She asks for the custody of the child.

Lucile Konfakis has filed suit for divorce against James Konfakis, a North E street restaurant proprietor, charging cruel and inhuman treatment. She asks alimony.

Wenger believes that no criminal offense was committed by Shinn. It is stated that Shinn had been engaged to organize a show company and that money was telegraphed to him to bring the company to Pontiac.

Culverts Contract Let By County Commissioners

Ellis I. Frame was awarded a contract by the board of county commissioners Monday on a bid of \$4,500 for the construction of the following culverts: Miller, Hunt, Schroeder, Parris, Smithfield, and Schaefer.

The Z. B. Pyle Co. was given the contract for making repairs to the Study bridge on a bid of \$493. Contract to provide ladders and tracks for a record filing system in the county clerk's office was awarded to Nicholson & Brother on a bid of \$310.

No bids for the construction of the new Franklin bridge nor for making repairs to the Abington and Goshen bridges were received.

Merritt Nicholson was appointed county drainage commissioner to succeed Levi Peacock. His term is for two years.

FLOUR TAKES ANOTHER DROP; COTTON HIGHER

(By Associated Press)
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 2.—Flour took a further drop of 50 cents a barrel at the principal mills here today. Quotations of Family Patent, 98 pound, were \$12.35 to \$12.75. Today's drop follows a recession of 40 cents last Saturday.

Freight Car Delayed.
The Pennsy wrecking train was called out shortly before 7 a. m. Monday on account of the derailling of a freight car on the G. & I. division, near Fountain City.

COTTON MARKET ADVANCES.
(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A sharp advance in the cotton market followed receipt here today of the government crop report. December contracts sold up from 29.75 cents a pound to 30.85 cents, or more than \$1 a bale more than the closing last Saturday. May

showed even greater advances, selling at 29.55 cents, or more than a cent a pound above last week's final quotation.

Suburban

HOLLANSBURG, O.—Mr. and Mrs. David Coppel, of Arba, Ind., called on Mr. and Mrs. Elza Coppel and Mrs. Jane Coppel, Wednesday afternoon.

They were called on by Mrs. George Duter, of Pin-Tuesday evening. Mrs. Pearl Peolan and daughter, Donna, Miss Mary Pukerson and Mrs. Henrietta Williams, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chenoweth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Thurston of Glen Kar, spent Friday with Mrs. Anna Whiteman.

The family of Dayton, are spending a few days this week with Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chenoweth and daughter, Lillis, and Mrs. W. F. Harrison and children, spent Thursday with Henry Chenoweth and family of Richmond.

Rayley White has purchased the Van White property on North Main street. Mont Simpson and daughters, Mrs. Ben Richards, and son, Scott Zedial, Miss Roma Simpson and Mrs. S. D. Chenoweth and family, were Richmond visitors Friday.

Albert Freeman and family spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Richards.

Mrs. Cora Williams spent Thursday evening with Dale Williams and family.

Mrs. Alva Murphy and son and daughter, of Cincinnati, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Eastman.

WEST ALEXANDRIA, O.—F. E. Reinhart and family, Mrs. Mary Burt, spent Sunday with friends in Greenville.

Emory and Leonard Glander spent the week-end with relatives in Dayton.

Miss Margaret Lish of Springfield, is spending several weeks here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashworth.

Mrs. Cora Williams spent Thursday evening with Dale Williams and family.

Mrs. Alva Murphy and son and daughter, of Cincinnati, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Eastman.

WEST ALEXANDRIA, O.—F. E. Reinhart and family, Mrs. Mary Burt, spent Sunday with friends in Greenville.

Emory and Leonard Glander spent the week-end with relatives in Dayton.

Miss Margaret Lish of Springfield, is spending several weeks here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashworth.

Mrs. Cora Williams spent Thursday evening with Dale Williams and family.

Mrs. Alva Murphy and son and daughter, of Cincinnati, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Eastman.

WEST ALEXANDRIA, O.—F. E. Reinhart and family, Mrs. Mary Burt, spent Sunday with friends in Greenville.

Emory and Leonard Glander spent the week-end with relatives in Dayton.

Miss Margaret Lish of Springfield, is spending several weeks here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashworth.

Mrs. Cora Williams spent Thursday evening with Dale Williams and family.

Fruit Good in Henry; Pear Crop To Be Bumper of 1920

The prospects for a bumper fruit crop over the county this year are looking good, according to the large fruit growers in the different parts of the county. The peaches will probably be the largest crop in the county this year with the outlook very encouraging for a big production.

The first of the home-grown peaches will probably be put on the local markets by next week, with the greater part of the crop coming several days later. Fifty of the Modlin trees will ripen by next week and probably 150 more by the following week.

This will only be a fair apple year and some think that the crop will not run much over a half production.

The pear crop gives promise of being the bumper crop for production. The trees are now overladen and in many cases the weight of the large amount of fruit on the trees is too much for them.

JENKINS WILL SUE SOMEONE HE CLAIMS

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, Aug. 2.—William O. Jenkins, former United States consular agent at Puebla, Mexico will institute a damage suit for his recent imprisonment, according to a Puebla dispatch today to El Universal.

The identity of the defendants is not disclosed. Mr. Jenkins is said to have copies of alleged false testimony, and other documents.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Disappearance of Jose Bruzas Perez, of San Antonio, Tex., following a conference with Francisco Villa, was reported to the state department today by the American consul at Villahuahu.

Perez "a wife says he is an American citizen."

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 1.—Only a new minor disorder marked the congressional elections throughout Mexico today. Detailed reports of the results are not as yet available, but there were indications that the Liberal Constitutionalists or government party was victorious.

An urgent request for postponement of the presidential elections for at least three months, has been wired to Provisional President de la Huerta by Esteban Cantu, governor of Lower California, according to advices received by the newspaper Excelsior.

RAIL RAISE TO COST YOU \$30 EACH YEAR

This is how the new railway rates affect the American public, including every man, woman and child in Richmond.

It will mean \$30 additional expenditure per capita a year. The present high cost of living prices will be boosted still further to the tune of from \$4,500,000,000 to \$7,500,000,000 annually.

The per capita increase to the approximately 1,000,000 persons who use the railroads, will be \$4.75 annually.

The freight rate increase per capita will be \$9.75. The ordinary fare from New York to San Francisco now is \$93.08; sleeper fare is \$22.25; total \$115.33, plus 8 per cent war tax, or \$126.62.

Under the new passenger rates the straight fare will be \$111.69; sleeper fare \$33.38; total \$145.07, plus 8 per cent war tax, or \$156.67.

Adrianople, Stunned, Is Taken Over by Greeks

(By Associated Press)
ATHENS, July 30.—Adrianople is quiet at present, according to a received here. Turkish and other elements being either stunned by the presence of Greek troops in the city or resigned to the fate that has come to them. Large numbers are said to be preparing to leave Adrianople. The Greeks are restoring civil administration, in some cases retaining Turkish officials, and telegraph service between Adrianople and the outside world is being resumed. The work of rounding up prisoners, who, for the most part, are officers or regular soldiers, continues.

Figg Denounces Profiteers

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Howard E. Figg, special assistant to the attorney-general in the enforcement of the Lever law against profiteering, charged today that manufacturers and jobbers of wearing apparel are attempting through propaganda to stampede retailers and the public into a renewed fictitious demand for clothing and thereby force higher prices.

Final Talks in the Red Trial

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 2.—Twenty members of the Communist labor party on trial since May 10 on charges of conspiring to advocate the overthrow of the government by force may know their fate by night. Frank Rummerford, special assistant attorney, resumed the final argument today.

Australian wines are popular in England.

QUIET AND DULL IS CONTINUED TALE OF TEXTILE MARKETING

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The majority of reports from important primary markets allude to small dealings, curtailed production, and transportation difficulties.

The principal reasons given are a more general disposition among wholesalers and retail buyers to anticipate still lower prices, the unsatisfactory financial situation, and the acute shortage of freight cars.

The latter item, coupled with serious fuel shortage growing out of another coal strike, led to serious operations in many plants, throwing thousands out of work. New inquiries have fallen off, as a rule, although there are some exceptions.

Primary textile markets have been inactive and unsettled. Merchants who price cotton domestics for the jobbing trade are convinced that they cannot make very sharp price reductions at this time. During the week new prices will be made, at which it is hoped buyers will come in and purchase their requirements for the next 60 to 90 days.

It is contended that if prices were reduced to a parity with the decline in unfinished goods, the volume of trading would not be enhanced 10 per cent over the amount that will be ordered if a moderate revision is made at this time.

Look For Cheaper Cotton.
In some quarters of the market there is a feeling that cotton may be much lower this fall. If a change of that character comes about it is believed that buyers who predicate their operations on cotton will insist on reductions in percentages amounting to the percentage of drop that will occur in raw material.

The impossibility of agents meeting any such condition can bring about a hesitation of serious import, so that they contend that nothing is to be gained by attempting at this time to discount future merchandising plans to carry into spring on staple goods.

It is true beyond question that no surplus of standard domestics is pressing on the markets. Goods can be had at prices, but even when full prices are offered large quantities are unobtainable.

This applies to standard bleached and brown muslins, wide sheeting, sheets and pillow cases, many of the colored domestics and other staples. There are still many goods to be delivered on old orders and the pressure that makes for really low prices is wanting at the selling end.

Buyers of large calibre do not want to see drastic revisions now. They have said so to agents and others. This is due to the fact that they are not ready to operate.

Hesitation Widespread.
The hesitation in trade has been widespread, and, while many houses are exceedingly optimistic on prospects to follow the settlement of transportation questions and crop yields, they believe that it is prudent to move conservatively during the balance of the summer. They will not make normal commitments for the long future and they therefore urge agents not to unsettle markets when they can respond very fully to new prices.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted in several quarters where good judgment usually prevails.

Recovery from the immediate stagnation in the trade in many lines is predicted