

93,402,151
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NOW LIVE
SAM'S LAND

Census Does Not Include
"Little Brown Brothers"
of Philippines, Which
Would Make the Total
101,100,000.

Cities Show Heavy Growth
and Agricultural States
Corresponding Decline.
Many Remarkable In-
creases Noted.

By JAMES A. EDGERTON.
THE population of the United States is 93,402,151. This includes Alaska, Porto Rico and Hawaii, but excludes the Philippines, Guam, Samoa and the Panama canal zone. Including the Philippines according to the census of 1903 and an estimate of Guam, Samoa and the canal zone, the population for the nation and its possessions is 101,100,000. The population of the United States proper, exclusive of Alaska and the island possessions, is 92,035,871.

N. C.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Lynchburg, Va.; Macon, Ga.; Norfolk, Va.; Portsmouth, Va.; Roanoke, Va.; Shreveport, La., and several other cities, in addition to those already mentioned, show something of the advance movement in the new south.

San Francisco Undaunted.
Another pleasing fact is that despite her disastrous earthquake and fire San Francisco has increased from 312,782 in 1900 to 416,912 in 1910. Oakland and Berkeley are virtually parts of San Francisco, and both have grown prodigiously. If the two be added to the larger city the total population is increased to more than 600,000. Moreover, the enormous increase of Los Angeles and other California cities shows something of the growth that might have taken place in San Francisco had it not been for her disaster.

THE UNITED STATES TOTAL POPULATION COMPARATIVE SUMMARY
MAY 1910, 1900 AND 1890.

Table with 5 columns: States, 1910, 1900, 1890, Increase 1910 to 1900, % 1910 to 1900. Lists states from Alabama to Puerto Rico and total US population.

The figures for 1890 given in the preceding table are adjustments and include the Indians specially enumerated.

According to the census of Porto Rico, there were 1,141,942 inhabitants in that island in 1910.

Taking the cities of Los Angeles, Oakland, Berkeley, Sacramento, San Diego, San Jose and Pasadena, they show an average increase from 230,252 in 1900 to 525,317 in 1910, or 125 per cent. If San Francisco had existed in 1900 a total of 394,381.

While it is not much to claim that but for her calamities she might have reached this condition as a large city. It is not up to show as great a percentage of increase as a small city under similar conditions. It is entirely within bounds to say that the city beside the Golden Gate would have gone up to a half million or 500,000 but for her disaster. The more force is lent to this contention by the fact that some of the increases in other California cities leading to the flight from San Francisco.

Boston's Suburbs Separate.
The recent census claim that the census takers counted only a part of the population of their city, the Boston census takers counted a number of other cities that are not separated from Boston.

One most gratifying feature of the returns is the growth of the south, especially of southern cities. Charlotte,

Minnesota can contend that the two are essentially one in all but name and that a true rating can only be given them by consolidation. Thus if Minneapolis and St. Paul were combined we should have 516,152, ranking as the ninth city in the country.

There are many other cities that would considerably augment their population by a little expansion. The case of San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley has already been mentioned. Likewise Omaha and South Omaha practically constitute one city. If the two were joined together they would have 150,007 instead of the 124,000 given to Omaha now. The cities in northern New Jersey would be most affected by consolidation, however. Thus Elizabeth, the Oranges and several smaller villages contiguous to Newark would give the metropolis of New Jersey more than half a million. Bayonne, Hoboken, West Hoboken and several other towns are really a continuation of Jersey City. If these were added the total population would run a close second to the greater Newark.

State Lines Retard.

All the expansions mentioned could be readily made, since the cities to be consolidated are in the same states. There are a number of cases, however, where state lines intervene. Notable among these are Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas City, Kan.; Omaha, Neb., and Council Bluffs, Ia.; furnish an other case in point, and so do St. Louis, Mo., and East St. Louis, Ill. Then there are Chattanooga, O., and Covington, Ky.; also Philadelphia, Pa., and Camden, N. J. Chicago would also gain enormously by adding contiguous Indian territory.

The most conspicuous cause of the

POPULATION OF FIFTY LARGEST CITIES IN UNITED STATES.

Table with 3 columns: Rank, City, 1910, 1900, P. C. Lists 50 largest cities including New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Boston, Cleveland, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Buffalo, San Francisco, Milwaukee, Worcester, Cincinnati, Newark, New Orleans, Washington, Los Angeles, Minneapolis, Jersey City, Kansas City, Seattle, Indianapolis, Providence, Louisville, Rochester, St. Paul, Denver, Portland, Columbus, Toledo, Atlanta, Oakland, Worcester, Syracuse, New Haven, Birmingham, Memphis, Scranton, Richmond, Paterson, Omaha, Fall River, Dayton, Grand Rapids, Nashville, Lowell, Cambridge, Spokane, Bridgeport, Albany.

New York commuters, but the vast majority are.

Getham's Radius Large.
Besides, Yonkers, Mount Vernon, New Rochelle and other cities in New York state are really a part of New York city, although not in the corporate limits. A large number of commuters also go into Connecticut. If all of these were added to the metropolis its total population would probably exceed 4,000,000.

The states likewise show gains. New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Ohio retain their relative rank as first, second, third and fourth respectively, but there is a shift in fifth place and in most of the others. Texas has taken place, Massachusetts to sixth, and Missouri becomes seventh. The state of Washington shows the greatest gain in the decade, with Oklahoma a second. Both have more than doubled their populations. Nevada has also shown a great growth, although the remains of the foot of the Hot Springs for gain. Ohio that show phenomenal growth are New Mexico, California, Colorado, Florida, Oregon, the two Dakotas and Washington. The average increase the country over is approximately 20 per cent. A comparison shows that the great industrial states are well over this figure, with the agricultural states usually fall behind.

The most phenomenal growth in the entire nation, outside of one or two of the recently admitted commonwealths, is on the Pacific coast. The south averages well and has led almost of the entire country. The states without industries other than farming are the ones that suffer most. A close analysis shows that the loss here has not been so much in the rural districts as themselves as in the small villages and towns.

Padding Causes Recounts.
Several western cities were points of padding and recounts were entered. The most conspicuous cases were those of Seattle, Tacoma and one other city in Washington. Portland, Ore. had also introduced a bill as was done by the recounts, and a few minor ones occurred in Atlanta, Ga., N. J. There the mayor combated the recounting showing was too small, and a recount showed a slight increase.

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RANK OF STATES.

Table with 2 columns: Rank, State. Lists 50 states in order of population.

GROWTH IN 120 YEARS.

The first census of the United States was taken in 1790. There were at that time seventeen states. The total population of that time was 3,929,214.

By the census of 1910 the population of the United States had increased to 93,402,151. This is an increase of 23,000,000 in 120 years.

CONGRESSMAN TAWNEY.

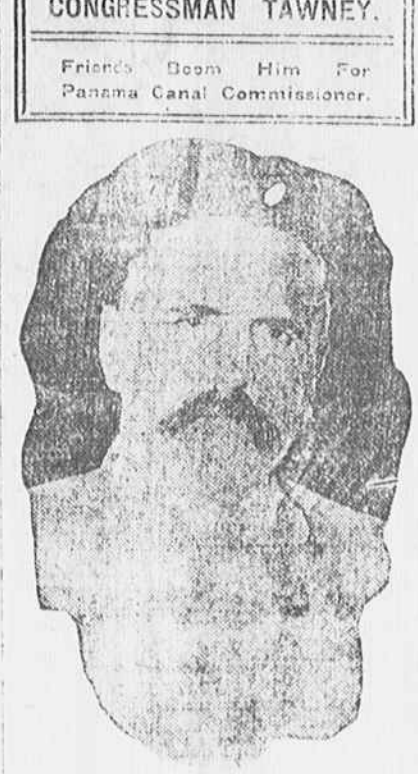
MARIETTA ROUTE 2.
The following from Lonely Sweetheart was received too late for publication last week.

It is rainy weather up here in the mountains.
The much talked of Christmas will soon be here and we are confidently expecting a joyous day and hope that Santa will remember every child who hangs up their stockings expecting old Santa to remember them. I expect it to be very dull with me.

Rumor says that there will be several wedding bells in our burr for Christmas. Mr. Johnnie Capell visited Mr. W. M. Jones last Sunday. And Mr. Emery Jones paid Mr. Jonds a pleasant call on the same day. There was much stirring on that day for it to be so rough and rainy.

Mrs. W. M. Jones visited Mrs. P. B. Griffin, one day last week. Mr. Griffin who is a former resident of Anderson county will return to his first love Anderson county on the 19th inst. They will be very much missed in this section. Mr. Jonnie Capell and family will move in the house where Mr. G. vacates.

WORLD'S COSTLIEST HOUSE.



Ex-Senator Clark's \$7,000,000 Fifth Avenue Mansion is Completed.

The \$7,000,000 Fifth Avenue home of ex-Senator W. A. Clark, of Montana, has been completed after eight years of work and will be occupied early in the next year. It is to be the costliest residence ever built in America. The taxes assessed on it by New York city amount to more than \$200 a day.

The mansion contains 121 rooms, 31 baths and four picture galleries. No building in the world, according to experts who have inspected the interior, carries so much bronze as has been worked into this mansion. Although the best architects and decorators in this country were employed, Senator Clark himself designed much of the interior, as well as the exterior of the mansion.

The building contains one of the largest pipe organs in the world, which was installed at a cost of \$300,000. There are \$2,000,000 worth of pictures and \$500,000 worth of rugs.

NEGRO KILLS THREE, THEN BURNS THEM

Brutal Crime Near Durham, North Carolina.

NEGRO HAS BEEN CAPTURED

Negro Said to Have Assaulted Little Girl, Killed Her Father and His Daughter, Then Set Fire to Their Home.

Several of the blackest crimes ever committed in North Carolina was the case of a negro who was arrested on the 11th inst. at Durham, N. C., and charged with the murder of his father and daughter, and the assault on a little girl.

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REMARKABLE GIRL.

Deaf, Dumb, Blind, She Performs Wonders.

A bill will be presented to the next Wisconsin legislature asking for an appropriation of \$1,000 a year to further the education of V. A. Mabel Gammon, 16 years old, who has been unable to speak, hear or see since her birth. Miss Gammon has been in the Parham school only three years, yet she writes on the typewriter with skill, has a vocabulary of 3,000 words, and recently wrote an essay of 5,000 words. She makes her own clothes, threading her own needles, and is skilled in fancy work.

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Auditor's Notice.

The time for taking the returns for fiscal year 1911 will open January 1st and close February 28th, 1911.

The Auditor of his county will be at the following places to take returns: Canton Monday (a. m.) Jan. 16, 1911. Central, Toos & W. (a. m.) 17 & 18. Careless, Thursday (a. m.) Jan. 19. Nears Thursday (a. m.) Jan. 19. Liberty Hill & Sat. noon Jan. 20 & 21. Easley, Tilton Hill Wed. (a. m.) Jan. 25. Glenwood (a. m.) (p. m.) Jan. 25. Cross Plains Thu. (a. m.) Jan. 26. Lewisville Thu. (p. m.) 26. The Grove Fri. (a. m.) 26. Pataskia Fri. (p. m.) 27. Parkersburg Sat. (a. m.) 28. Holly Springs (a. m.) 28. Mile Creek Tuesday (p. m.) 31. Six Mile Wed. (a. m.) February 1. Parkersburg (p. m.) 1. Easley Saturday (p. m.) 4. Returns can be taken in office during whole time, as desired.

N. A. CHRISTOPHER, Auditor of Pickens County.

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City Council meets Tuesday nights after first Mondays.

You are cordially invited to attend the Thanksgiving entertainment at the home of Mrs. J. P. Wakefield Thursday October 24th.