Census Workers Must Know All About Geography, Recent History

100,000 Will Begin Work Counting People In America On April 2.

The 100,000 census enumerators who will begin on April 2 to collect facts about the people of the United States will need to know their geography and also something about the recent history of the world, according to instructions which are being sent out from the census bureau in Washington. Among the most important questions to be asked of everybody in the coming census are those relating to the place of birth of the person enumerated and the place of birth of his father and mother. Each person must be credited in the census records to the state, territory, or foreign country in which his birthplace is now located, regardless of what the birthplace was called or what nation owned that territory at the time the person was born.

If the person or his parents were born in Europe, the census taker may have to get out his atlas to find out what nation now owns the locality. If, for example, a person was born 20 years ago in the province of Bohemia, which was at that time a part of the Austro-Hungarian empire, the census enumerator should put down Czechoslovakia as the person's birthplace, although no such country existed when the person was born. If the person was born in Bessarabia 30 years ago and his father was born in exactly the same place 30 years before that, the person will probably tell the census taker that his father was born in Turkey while he was born in Russia, but the wise census taker will put down Rumania as the birthplace of both.

By reason of changes brought about by the World War and the Treaty of Versailles, boundary lines in Europe have wavered like ribbons in the wind. On the present day map of Europe there are seven countries and one free city which did not exist in 1914; and the boundary lines of most of the old nations have changed considerably. In the Near East, five new nations have sprung from the territory which was formerly called the Ottoman Empire.

In most instances, the person enumerated will know what government now controls his place of birth, for immigrants and their children usually retain a lively interest in the affairs of that part of the old world from which they come. When the person does not know what has happened to the place of his birth, the census enumerator will be expected to be able to supply the information. In case neither is familiar with the facts in the case, the enumerator will put down the city or province in which the person was born, and the census bureau in Washington will insert the name of the country.

If both the person and his parents were born in the United States, the answer will be fairly easy, because all the enumerator will have to do will be to put down the state or territory in which a person was born, and there have been comparatively few changes in state boundary lines or names within the lifetime of people now living. If a person was born in the old Indian Territory, the birthplace should go down on the census records under Oklahoma, its present name. A person whose father or mother was born in the old Louisiana or Oregon territory will be asked to name the state in which his parent's birthplace is now situated.

In the white population of the United States as enumerated at the census of 1920 there were 13,712,754 persons who were born in foreign countries; and there were 22,686,204 persons born in the United States whose parents were born in foreign countries. These two classes comprised 38.5 per cent of the total white population; so it may be seen that the census takers may wear our several atlases finding where all these people and their parents were born.

To our foreign-born population Russia contributed a larger share than any other of the countries as they existed before the World war, the total number of persons born in Russia being 2,020,564; Germany ranked next with 1,915,864; then came Italy, 1,615,180; then old Austria, 1,445,141 (of whom only about 575,000 were born within the confines of the present Austria); and next Ireland, 1,164,707. The coming census will show the changes that are taking place in the composition of our foreign-born population as the result of immigration restriction and other influences, census officials have pointed out.

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Southern Railway System.

Infant of Mr. Sankey Haynes Passes Away

(Special to The Star.)

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sankey Haynes at Mooresboro, March 17, and claimed as its victim their little 18-day old son Sankey Kenneth. The funeral was conducted Tuesday at 3 o'clock at Oak Grove church, the service being in charge of Rev. C. E. Ridge.

The little body was tenderly laid to rest in the cemetery beneath a beautiful mound of flowers. He leaves to mourn his departure, mother and father, three sisters and one brother.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that J. O. Proust heretofore a half owner in the Swofford Grocery Co., of Shelby, N. C. has sold his interest in the same to Roy Proust who has associated himself with the other partner, C. H. Swofford and the said store will continue to operate under the same name with C. H. Swofford and Roy Propst as owners. The said J. O. Propst is no longer responsible for any obligations contracted in the name of said firm. The said Swofford Grocery Co under the ownership of C. H. Swofford and Roy Propst will pay all outstanding bills and collect all accounts due the said firm.

This February 21, 1930.

J. O. PROPST, ROY PROPST and C. H. SWOFFORD trading as Swofford Grocery Co. 4t Feb 26c

ORDER FOR CEDAR GROVE SCHOOL ELECTION.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to the board of commissioners of Cleveland county, signed by twenty-five qualified voters within the Cedar Grove non-local tax district, the metes and bounds of which are hereinafter set forth, requesting this board to order an election in the territory embraced within the boundaries of said non-local taxing district, the exact metes and bounds of which non-local taxing district are as follows:

Beginning on highway No. 18 at the South Carolina-North Carolina line, and following said road north to the southern boundary of the Earl special tax district line—on the north side of C. E. Scaggs farm—thence northwest with the Earl district line to the Ellis Ferry road, to the head of a branch south of R. F. Borders' residence; thence, south following said branch to Bowen river; thence, south following Bowen river to the South Carolina line; thence, with said line to the beginning.

To ascertain the will of the majority of the qualified voters residing within the said non-local taxing district on the question of creating a special school taxing district comprising the said boundaries, and of levying a special school tax of (30c) thirty cents, on the one hundred dollars valuation of property, both real and personal, in said district and whereas said petition has been duly approved and endorsed by the county board of education.

Now, therefore, the board of commissioners of Cleveland county, at their regular session held on Monday, March 3, 1930, do grant said petition and order that an election be held at the Cedar Grove school house on Monday, April 21, 1930, for the purpose of ascertaining the will of electors residing in the Cedar Grove non-local school taxing district upon the question of levying a special school tax of (30c) thirty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property both real and personal.

It is further ordered that Hacket Byers be, and is hereby appointed registrar of said election and that he is furnished with a copy of this order and that R. R. Crawford and L. M. McSwain be, and they are hereby appointed judges of said election.

It is further ordered that at said election those who are in favor of levying a special school tax in said district shall vote a ticket on which shall be printed or written the words "For Special Tax," and those who are opposed shall vote a ticket on which shall be printed or written the words "Against Special Tax." It being understood that if a majority of the qualified electors at said election shall vote in favor of levying special tax then the special school tax of (30c) on the one hundred dollars valuation shall be levied for school purposes.

It is further ordered that a new registration of voters residing within said non-local school taxing district shall be had and that the registration books shall be kept open between the hours of nine a. m. and sunset on each day, Sunday excepted, for twenty days preceding the day for the closing of the registration books for the registration of any electors residing within the aforesaid boundary and entitled to register and that said books shall be open for registration on Thursday, March 20, 1930, and on each Saturday during the period of registration the register shall attend with his registration book at the polling place in said district for the registration of voters and that on the day of election the polls shall be open from sunrise to sunset and the election shall be held as near as may be under the law governing general elections.

It is further ordered that after the close of the polls the registrar and poll holders shall duly certify over their hands the number of registered voters at said election and the number of votes for and against levying of special tax and transmit same to the board of commissioners and same shall be filed and the board of commissioners shall canvass and judicially determine the result of said election and record said determination on their records.

It is further ordered that due publication of this order and of said election and new registration shall be made by publishing this order in the Cleveland Star once a week for three weeks the first publication to be made in the issue of Wednesday, March 12, 1930.

A. F. NEWTON, Clerk to the Board of Commissioners. Mar 12-19 26

Blond Killer Will Ask For New Trial

Woman Bandit Calm in Jalf After Conviction of Death of Road Patrolman.

Newcastle, Pa.—Irene Schroeder, condemned to die in the electric chair, sat emotionless in her cell, as her attorney prepared to renew their fight to save her life.

The verdict which pronounced the death penalty for the 21-year-old woman bandit was returned by a jury after less than three hours of deliberation.

"The cards were stacked against me," was all Mrs. Schroeder had to say. She sat quietly in her cell, awaiting the call to court where Judge Hilderbrand will formally impose the death sentence. The former waitress will be the first woman ever sentenced to die in the electric chair in Pennsylvania.

Notice of application for a new trial was filed by her attorneys. They said that if their request was refused they would appeal to the highest court.

Mrs. Schroeder was convicted of the murder of Corporal Brady Paul of the State Highway police in a gun battle on the Butler-Newcastle highway Dec. 27.

Daniels Asks 100-Year Trial of Prohibition

Josephus Daniels, a veteran prohibitionist, whose order as Secretary of the Navy made the navy dry, charged that the Federal Government itself, and particularly some departments of the government, have failed to use the power they possess to enforce prohibition. Daniels appeared as one of the dry witnesses before the House Judiciary Committee, which is considering modification legislation.

(International Newsreel)

Karl Getrzen of Hamburg had his wife's grave covered with glass in order that he might be able to look at her face any time.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS IN NO. ELEVEN TOWNSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that it is a violation of the law for land owners to collect surface water by terraces and ditches and discharge the same into public highways maintained either by the county or the state. Those parties who are now conveying their water into the highways are notified to change same at once as we to comply with the law; as it is the duty of the road officials to see that the law is enforced.

A. M. PRUETT, Chairman.
JOHN S. HUNT, Secretary.
Board of Road Commissioners No 11 Township. Feb 26-Mar 12-19

NOTICE OF SALE AND LAND.

Under authority conferred by deed of trust executed by W. C. Oates and wife Fannie M. Oates, to the First National bank of Durham, North Carolina, trustee, dated the 1st day of April 1928 and recorded in book 150, page 501 in the office of the register of deeds of Cleveland county, the said trustee will at 12 o'clock noon on

Wednesday, March 26, 1930

at the court house door of Cleveland county in Shelby, North Carolina, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property situated in the town of Kings Mountain county of Cleveland, state of North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stone on the west edge of City street, northeast corner of Jones' lot; and runs thence with the west edge of said street north 3 west 8 chains to an iron stake, John Oates corner; thence with his line south 83½ west 2.54 chains to an iron stake; thence south 3 east 3 chains to an iron stake in the Jones line; thence with the Jones line north 83½ east 2.54 chains to a stake in the west edge of City street the place of beginning, same being all that piece or portion of land conveyed to W. C. Oates by deed recorded in book 4-S at page 26 in the office of the register of deeds of Cleveland county, North Carolina, reference to which deed is hereby made for further identification and description of the above described parcel of land.

This sale is made on account of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust and is subject to all taxes and paving assessments against said property whether now due or become due.

This 15th day of February 1930.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA, Trustee.
Newton & Newton and B. W. Cobb, Jr. Attorneys 4t 1oc

NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATION OF UNION TRUST COMPANY OF SHELBY NORTH CAROLINA, AND THE CLEVELAND BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, OF SHELBY, NORTH CAROLINA.

Notice is hereby given that the Union Trust company of Shelby, North Carolina, and the Cleveland Bank and Trust Company of Shelby, North Carolina, have consolidated and are now operating as one merged bank under the name of Union Trust company of Shelby, North Carolina, with principal office and banking house on N. LaFayette street in the city of Shelby, North Carolina, in the building heretofore owned and occupied by the Cleveland Bank and Trust company of Shelby, North Carolina, and with branch banks in the towns of Lawndale, Fallston and Lattimore in Cleveland county, and with branch banks in the towns of Forest City, Rutherfordton and Caroleen in Rutherford county, North Carolina. That all of the property and assets of said two merged banks are now the property and assets of the consolidated Union Trust company of Shelby, North Carolina, and said bank has assumed and is responsible for all of the liabilities of said two consolidating banks. That Articles of Consolidation have been filed with the Corporation Commission of the state of North Carolina as required by law and same have been approved by the Corporation Commission and have likewise been filed with the secretary of state of North Carolina and recorded in the office of the clerk of the superior court of Cleveland county, North Carolina That the actual physical merger of the said two banking corporations was consummated on March 1, 1930 and this notice is given of same pursuant to order of the Corporation Commission and the laws of the state of North Carolina. This March 4, 1930

UNION TRUST COMPANY of Shelby, N. C., Chas. C. Blanton President.
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Stirring Debate on Liquor Law

Clarence Darrow, famous Chicago criminal lawyer (left), who urges a repeal of the liquor law, with Senator Smith W. Brookheart, the dry champion from Iowa, as they appeared during their debate on prohibition at Mecca Temple, New York. The Senator declared that the dry law was here to stay while Mr. Darrow insisted a repeal of the Volstead Act would solve the present problem.

(International Newsreel)

Kills Self After Experiment In Love With Wife Of Another Man

Husband of Woman Agrees to Love Test Between Wife and Another Man.

Detroit—An experiment in love, in which a man permitted his wife to go away for a three weeks' trip with another man, has brought death to one of the principals, but it also seems to have brought happiness into the life of a Detroit professional man, his wife and their small child.

Thomas A. Newton, wealthy married Detroit resident, ended his life in a Miami, Fla., hotel last week allegedly because of the love affair. He was the man who allegedly went away with another man's wife—but with the other's consent.

The husband said he and his wife met Newton and his wife through mutual friends two years ago. A friendship sprang up between Newton and the man's wife that grew into a "wild infatuation."

Quoting the husband, the Detroit News says:

"They became increasingly intimate and I made no move to check their intimacy. It has always been obvious to me that external prohibitions and denials are not intelligent solutions of serious problems.

"By February 22 they had come to the conclusion that what each wanted most in life was the other. They proposed to go away together.

"I agreed to their proposal . . . The condition that it be regarded experimentally. I believe that if the experimental method is scientifically valid in the labratory, it ought to have a certain validity in life."

The husband told his wife that if after a month with Newton she wished to leave him and her baby permanently she might have her wish, and two days later she and Newton left for New York. Then they went to Bermuda and Miami. Friday the husband received a telegram from his wife saying she would return to Detroit. Friday afternoon Newton ended his life, the paper said.

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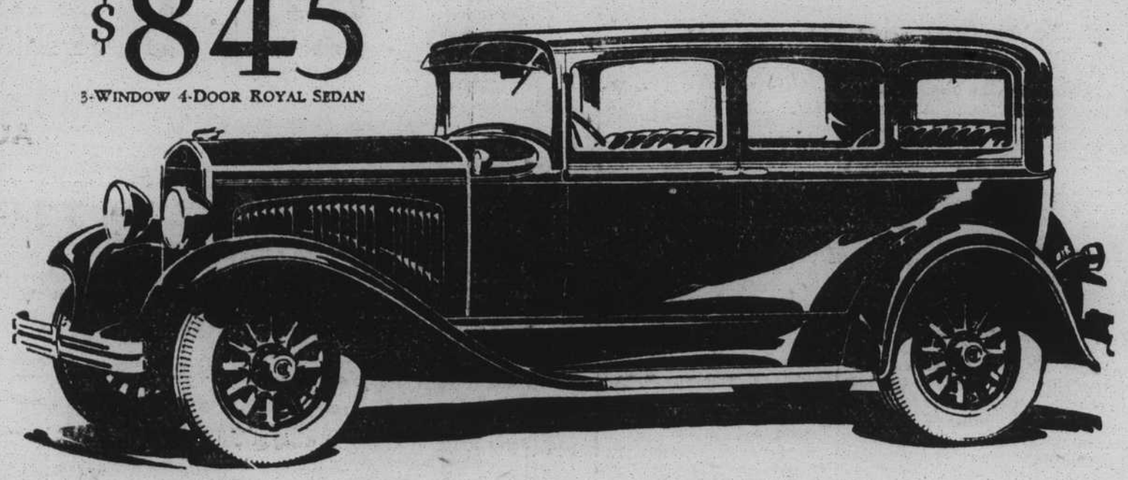
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