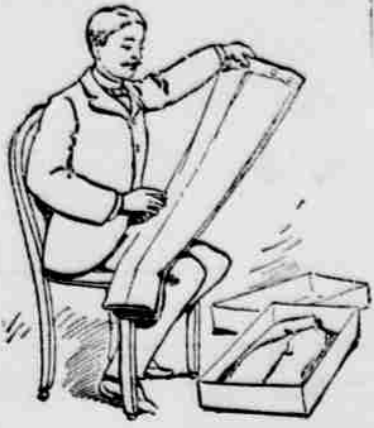


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CENTER OF POPULATION.

In 1790 the center of population was 23 miles east of Baltimore; 18 miles west of Baltimore in 1800; 16 miles north of Woodstock, Va., in 1820; 19 miles southwest of Moorefield, W. Va., in 1830; 16 miles south of Clarksburg, W. Va., in 1840; 23 miles southeast of Parkersburg, W. Va., in 1850; 20 miles south of Chillicothe, O., in 1860; 48 miles east of Cincinnati in 1880; 20 miles west of Columbus, Ind., in 1890. This represents a western movement of 505 miles.

An explanation as to how the center of population is obtained was recently given by a writer in the Northwest Magazine, who said: "When the late General Francis A. Walker was superintendent of the census, he explained the method of ascertaining the center of population somewhat as follows: Upon an imaginary board shaped exactly like the map of the United States, and having no weight, the population is grouped in accordance with the distribution shown by the census returns. Each inhabitant is supposed to have exactly the same weight. Then the point at which the board balances is the center of population." The movement of the center of population towards the West is what has made it a matter peculiar interest. Just where it will be shown to be by the census of 1900 it is hard to say, but it is not likely it will cross the Mississippi. There has been an increase in the population of what was termed the "far West," but it has hardly been as large proportionately during the past ten years as it was during the previous decade.

It is not known whether the Puerto Ricans and Filipinos are to be taken into account in determining the new center; if they are, it will be found to be considerably to the southwest of the point named in 1890. But the westward movement in 1900 is not likely to be as really pronounced as that shown by the center of population in 1910. For the next ten years the large growth of the United States is to be on the Pacific coast and at the end of that time it is likely that the center of population will be found to be in that section which only a few years ago was described as "wild and woolly."—Spokesman-Review.

The East has recently suffered from a hot spell. While the Pacific Northwest has been soaked with too much rain the East has had too much heat. The heat in the big cities in the Atlantic states recently has been so intense that a number of persons have been driven to suicide and madness. Those who are despondent or low spirited lose all hope in an atmosphere that saps the vitality. Weak

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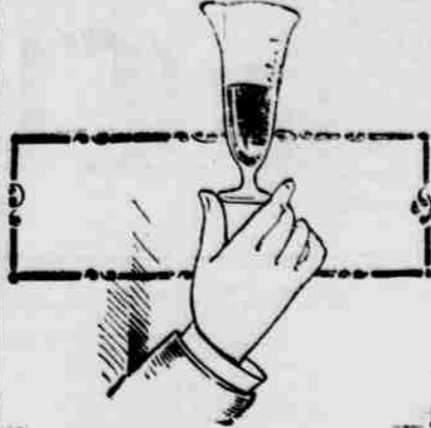
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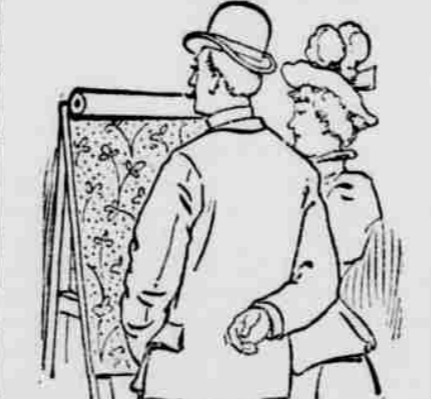
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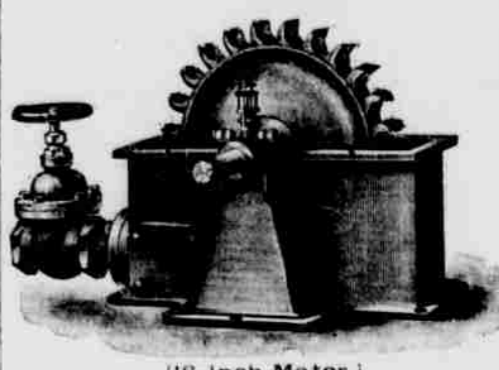
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