

Census of
Proposed Town
of "Shitley City"
February 11, 1897

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Now known as
Woodburn, Allen Co., Indiana

Township thirty-one North,
range fifteen East

[Maumee Township,
Allen County, Indiana]

A census of the resident population embraced within the following territory, situate within the county of Allen, State of Indiana, to-wit: Commencing at a point ²⁷⁰ feet West of the North-east corner of the East half of the NorthWest quarter of section twenty-nine in township thirty-one North, range fifteen East, 2nd. principal meridian of Indiana, thence South at right angles to the North line of said section 1850 feet, thence East parallel to the North line of said section 2768 feet, thence North at right angles to the South line of said section 2769 feet, thence West parallel to the South line of said section 2768 feet, thence South 1859 feet to the place of beginning, containing 172.13/100 acres, taken by the undersigned on the 11th day of February, 1897.

Heads of Families

William Gernhardt
Charles Langham
Charles Herber
George Stapleton
David Scheidegger
Robert B. Shirley
George Stenger
Joseph W. Syphers
Bernard P. Harris
Abraham Stiner
Isaac Sprunger
Jacob Meyer
John D. Hill
William H. Warden
William Wallace
Adam W. Miller
Frederick Kerns, Sr.
Ernest Kohli
James M. Jobs
John Friedt
James W. Garver
William Thompson
Andrew Young
Herman A. Miller
George F. Roberts
Clarence R. Thomas
Noah Bergman
Henry Yaggy

heads of Families.	Number of each : Family.	Number of voters.
William Gernhardt	5	1
Charles Langham	3	1
Charles Herber	7	1
George Stapleton	3	1
David Scheidegger	4	1
Robert B. Shirley	3	1
George Stenger	3	1
Joseph W. Syphers	3	1
Bernard P. Harris	5	1
Abraham Stiner	4	1
Isaac Sprunger	6	1
Jacob Meyer	4	1
John D. Hill	4	1
William H. Warden	4	1
William Wallace	3	1
Adam W. Miller	3	1
Frederick Kerns, Sr.	5	3
Ernest Kohli	4	1
James M. Jobs	6	1
John Friedt	9	1
James W. Garver	2	1
William Thompson	5	2
Andrew Young	3	1
Herman A. Miller	2	1
George F. Roberts	2	1
Clarence R. Thomas	3	1
Noah Bergman	5	1
Henry Yaggy	4	1

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Christian Rosener
Conrad Nagel
John R. Hill
Thomas Mullenix
John Rielly
David Routledge
Mary Kock
Otto Knoblauch
Charles Killin
Henry Care
James W. Barnes
Frank L. Thompson
Albert Bets
Henry Finkbore
Joseph A. Faulkner
Noah Wulliman
John Boswell
Samuel Myers

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Christian Rosener	5	1
Conrad Nagel	6	1
John R. Hill	4	1
Thomas Mullenix	4	1
John Rielly	6	1
David Routledge	3	1
Mary Kock	5	0
Otto Knoblauch	8	1
Charles Killin	2	1
Henry Care	3	1
James W. Barnes	2	1
Frank L. Thompson	7	1
Albert Bets	2	1
Henry Finkbore	2	2
Joseph A. Faulkner	6	1
Noah Wulliman	2	1
John Boswell	2	1
Samuel Myers	3	2
Samuel Myers		

Persons not heads of Families

Edward Ertelt
 Peter Bernhardt, Edward Ertelt
 Frank Clawson, Joseph A. Faulkner
 George Miller, Joseph A. Faulkner
 Peter Ables
 David Lochner
 Peter Lochner
 Frank Yahne, Conrad Nagel
 Reuben Yarian, Conrad Nagel
 Charles Rolley, Conrad Nagel
 Arnold Houriet, David Routledge
 Solomon Lehman, Noah Wulliman
 David Moser, George Stenger
 Samuel Gehring, George Stenger
 Gideon Stiner, George Stenger
 Louis Crone, George Stenger
 Arnold Van Almen, Charles Huber
 John Schenk, Charles Huber
 John Stapleton, George Stapleton
 Peter Scheidegger, David Scheidegger
 John Stout, Robert B. Shirley
 Cain Baker, Robert B. Shirley
 Harry Kelley, Frederick Kerne
 Albert Marsh, Andrew Young
 John Nill

Persons not heads of Families.	With whom residing.	Voter.
Edward Ertelt	Himself	1
Peter Bernhardt	Edward Ertelt	1
Frank Clawson	Joseph A. Faulkner	0
George Miller	Joseph A. Faulkner	1
Peter Ables	Himself	1
David Lochner	Himself	1
Peter Lochner	Himself	1
Frank Yahne	Conrad Nagel	1
Reuben Yarian	Conrad Nagel	1
Charles Rolley	Conrad Nagel	1
Arnold Houriet	David Routledge	1
Solomon Lehman	Noah Wulliman	1
David Moser	George Stenger	1
Samuel Gehring	George Stenger	1
Gideon Stiner	George Stenger	1
Louis Crone	George Stenger	1
Arnold Van Almen	Charles Huber	0
John Schenk	Charles Huber	1
John Stapleton	George Stapleton	1
Peter Scheidegger	David Scheidegger	1
John Stout	Robert B. Shirley	1
Cain Baker	Robert B. Shirley	1
Harry Kelley	Frederick Kerne	1
Albert Marsh	Andrew Young	1
John Nill	Himself	1

Total number of heads of families,46...
Total number of resident population.214.....
Total number of Voters.73.....

State of Indiana, County of Allen, SS.

Robert B. Shirley, being duly sworn, on his oath says that the above and foregoing contains a correct census of the heads of families, the resident population, and legal voters of the territory therein described, taken by him upon said 11 day of February, 1897.

Robert B. Shirley.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ^{13th}~~11th~~ day of February, 1897.

Noah Bergman
Notary Public.

Robert B. Shirley

11 day of February, 1897

Robert B. Shirley

Noah Bergman