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Knights of Columbus	72,400
Iola Kopsichka	61,100
St. Mary's Guild	56,500
Plattsmouth Library	50,800
Blacksmith Local No. 377	30,200
Murray Library	23,800
Boy Scouts	22,600
W. B. A. Macabees	22,500
John Bukacek	11,200
United Brethren church	11,000
Joe Adams	8,400
Miles Altman	7,800
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CONSIDER APPORTIONMENT PROBLEM

Give Communities in That Part of State Best of It When It Comes to Membership in House.

The house committee of thirteen that has been busying itself making a reapportionment of the state for the lower house of the future is working on a tentative layout, and will report it to that body for debate and decision. Although the eastern and central sections have a majority on the committee, the report as decided on distinctly favors the western part.

There has been some talk of a bill that will reduce the membership of the house from 109 to seventy-five and that of the senate from thirty-three to twenty-five, but this has not yet taken form. If it does it may be used largely as a counter attack on a plan of the senate to increase its membership to fifty, as the new constitution provides.

With a house of 100 members it means one representative for every 12,955 persons, whereas the existing ratio is one to every 11,922. Under this ratio Douglas would get fifty instead of twelve, and Lancaster six instead of six. But the aliens don't count in Nebraska, and until these figures are ascertained it is no certain Douglas should have three more.

At any rate the committee is not planning to give her three, but to keep her and Lancaster as they now are and give the left-overs to the western part. In planning the new apportionment the committee seeks to get away from the float proposition that has prevailed for many years. A float is where a county that has one or two representatives is given a share with one or more other counties in a representative elected from them as a district. In order to do this it is necessary to adopt the major fraction basis. That is to give a county or a district that does not have enough for one or two, but which can present a population representing the major fraction of the number used as a divisor.

Thus some counties with 9,000 plus gets one representative where the larger counties are based on a 12,955 representation.

In this tentative layout Box Butte is taken from Sheridan and attached to Sioux.

Kimball and Cheyenne, where considerable growth in population, are given one representative, where they now divide with Garden, Banner and Deuel.

Banner and Morrill are linked as one, the latter being detached from Scottsbluff.

Loup, Grant, Hooker, Thomas Blaine, Logan, McPherson, and Arthur, each of which have between 1,000 and 2,000 population, are made into one.

Garden, Deuel and Keith are linked as one, Keith being taken from Lincoln and Dawson.

Perkins, Chase and Dundy are made into one. Hayes being taken from the two first-named and attached to Hitchcock, which now share one representative with Dundy.

Frontier and Gosper are allowed to remain as now.

Greeley and Wheeler are to share one representative. Garfield, which is now their partner in a legislator is attached to Valley, which now boasts of one all by itself.

Rock, Keya Paha and Brown are linked together as now.

Douglas county gets 12, Lancaster 6, Hall 2, Adams 2, Gage 2, Saunders 2, Dodge 2, Madison 2, Otoe 2, Scottsbluff 2, Lincoln 2, Custer 2, Buffalo 2.

These counties get one apiece: Holt, Boyd, Knox, Antelope, Pierce, Boone, Platte, Merrick, Polk, York, Hamilton, Clay, Fillmore, Thayer, Nuckolls, Webster, Jefferson, Saline, Butler, Colfax, Stanton, Cuming, Wayne, Cedar, Dixon, Dakota, Thurston, Bart, Washington, Sarpy, Cass, Nemaha, Johnson, Pawnee and Richardson, Cherry, Sheridan and Dawes, Red Willow, Furnas, Phelps, Harlan, Franklin, Kearney, Dawson, Sherman and Howard.

Although counties like Platte, Cass and Richardson have enough to qualify for two, they get only one. As these are ordinarily democratic counties, democrats suspect that there is method in this plan.

REPAIR PLATTE RIVER BRIDGE

Louisville, Jan. 25.—A gang of men has been put to work repairing the Platte river auto bridge at this place. Some of the pillars had been dislodged by the ice and these are being pulled back into place, the sand being pumped out by a force pump. The bridge will be put in good condition.

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LEWIS RETAINS THE HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE

Iowa Boy Comes Within Seconds of Winning Back the Title With Toe Hold.

New York, Jan. 24.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis of San Jose, Cal., successfully defended his world's heavyweight catch as catch can wrestling title tonight by throwing Earl Caddock, a former champion, in one hour and thirty-four minutes. Lewis won with a combined head and hip lock.

The winning fall came as a dramatic climax to one of the most terrific matches as catch can wrestling in the east. Caddock appeared winner up to the last minute.

After an hour and a half Caddock aimed a punishing toe hold and for no minute and ten seconds he struggled to force down Lewis' shoulders. The champion in his agony beat Caddock with his fists and cried aloud, but his voice was drowned in the uproar for Caddock, who was a tremendous favorite with the 10,000 spectators.

Twice Referee George Bothner asked Lewis if he would quit, but he refused, although his face was distorted and streams of perspiration were pouring from his face.

With a last desperate effort he freed himself and staggered to his feet, leaped on Caddock and clamped his famous deadly head lock around the Iowa's face. Three times Caddock broke the hold and staggered only to have Lewis regain the grip.

On the second and third lock, Lewis picked up Caddock bodily and threw him, plunging on top of the Iowa's head. The second crash, combined with the rueling punishment which Caddock had received, left him helpless, and he collapsed on his back as the referee slapped Lewis the winner.

Crowd in Frenzy.

When Lewis rolled off Caddock, the latter lay like dead, and when he was manager and others scrambled through the ropes. It was all they could do to lift him to his feet. A hair was placed beneath him, but he rolled to the floor and a call was made for a doctor.

This drove the crowd to a frenzy. Caddock had been cheered lustily, while Lewis was steadily booed. Cries of "kill the murderer" went up, and there was a rush for the ring. Caddock's manager waived the excited fans back, and when Caddock was seen to recover and walk to his corner, danger of a riot passed.

Caddock was an overwhelming favorite when he entered the ring. While Lewis' appearance was greeted with "boos." These did not stop until Caddock shook hands with the champion. The weights were announced as Lewis 228 pounds, Caddock 188 pounds.

NEBRASKA VOTE ARRIVES BY RAIL

"Flying Grandmothers" Deliver Result to Vice President—Presented by Hitchcock.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—Mrs. J. H. Wheeler of Lincoln and Mrs. Traper Smith of Omaha, the "flying grandmothers" arrived here early Sunday morning with the Nebraska electoral vote. They expressed disappointment that their plan to travel all the way by airplane was not carried out. They came by train from Iowa.

Nebraska's electoral vote was formally presented and received by the vice president just half an hour before noon. Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Smith, accompanied by the entire Nebraska delegation, except Senator Morris, who was unable to be present formally, turned over the vote. They were congratulated by the vice president for having their returns in proper form. After they had been introduced by Senator Hitchcock they were escorted to the office of the disbursing clerk, where Mrs. Wheeler was paid \$334.50, the mileage fees at 25 cents a mile from the state capital.

There was an informal reception held, during which Senator Hitchcock told some election stories, one of which was to the effect that a friend of Arthur Mullen's who had been advised by the democratic chief to bet his clothes that Harding would not receive more than 50,000 majority in Nebraska, wired, "Dear Arthur, I am naked." A social reception was given the Nebraska electoral delegates by Nebraskans here tonight.

MADISON STORE BURNED

Madison, Neb., Jan. 25.—Fire in the L. A. Johnson drug store at 2 o'clock this morning damaged the stock and fixtures several thousand dollars, and the building probably \$1,000. Fire started from the stove. When discovered the stove was lying in the basement. The stock and fixtures were insured for \$6,000 and the building, owned by Walter Planck of Omaha, for \$1,000.

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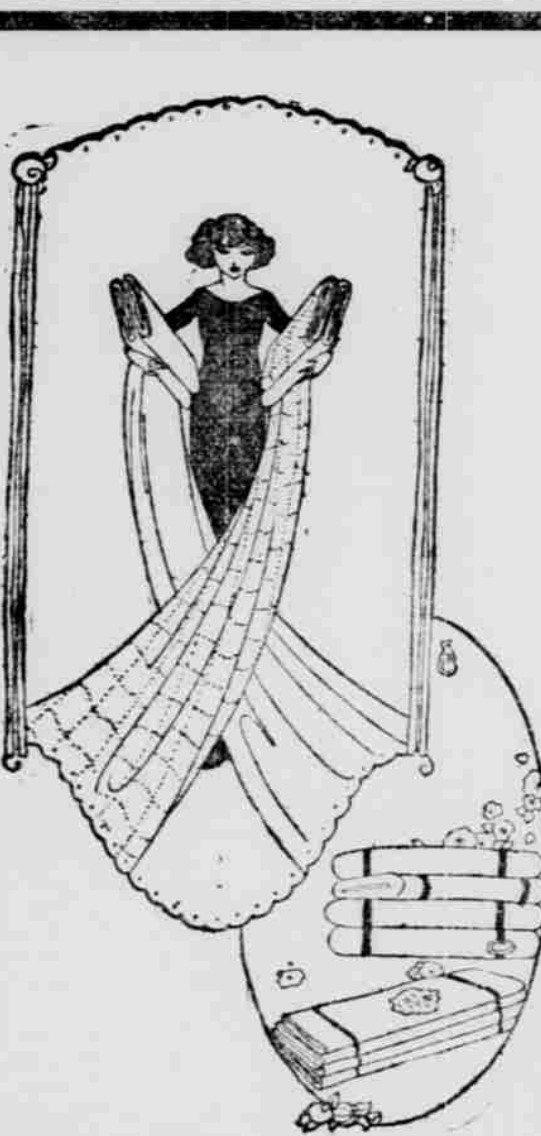
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MYNARD CHURCH NOTES.

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10:30—Sunday school.
11:15—Morning service.
7:30—Evening service.
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NEBRASKA BANKS PAID \$5,000 IN REWARDS, 1920

For the capture of bank bandits and swindlers in this state last year the Nebraska Bankers' association paid \$5,000, the largest reward in the history of the association, according to F. W. Thomas, vice president of the First National bank and treasurer of the association.

This report was made public Wednesday night at a meeting of the executive council of Nebraska Bankers' association. Among recommendations made by the council was one which asked for the appointment of Walter W. Head, president of the Omaha National bank, as vice president of the American Bankers' association when it convenes at Los Angeles, this summer.

Another recommendation made at this meeting was a request for the legislature to pass a bill framed by John M. Flannagan of Stuart, Neb., asking that all borrowers of money give an affidavit when borrowing money from banks as to their complete financial assets and liabilities. This is said to be a safeguard for bankers against fraud.

LINCOLN GAS COMPANY FIXES \$2.50 MAXIMUM

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 22.—The Lincoln Gas and Electric Light company today announced a minimum gas rate of \$2.50, effective under the temporary injunction granted last week by Federal Judge Munger against enforcement of the present \$1.50 ordinance. The new rate includes a charge of \$1.75 for the first 1,000 cubic feet of gas and a service charge on meters of 75 cents each. Above 5,000 feet the new rate is to be \$1.50.

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