

NEW CENSUS MEANS MORE CONGRESSMEN

Chance Some States Might Lose While Others Gain

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Will New Members Eventually Sit in Galleries or Occupy Shelves on Walls?

Washington, November 30.-Every ten years, following the decennial census, Congress proceeds under the Constitution to change the size of the numerical unit of population on which membership in the House of Resentatives is based.

This not only means changes in the number of Representatives which the

the popular branch of Congress, but This process of narrowing the seats in many cases it means a reapportion- cannot be carried indefinitely, of each. ment of the districts by state legisla- course. The next step, if the House tures within the states themselvesadditions or substraction of counties in some districts to fit the new unit bers (presumably the "freshmen") in even where there is no gain or loss of the galleries. districts in the state, and a much more complicated process of rearrange ment where a district may be lost or gained.

Seating Problem Troublesome.

If the United States proper shall be shown to have 107,000,000 inhabitants the figure expected the membership of 2; South Carolina 2; Georgia 2; Flori- ensuing decade by the now 495. The seats occupied by the members would have to be narrowed to take care of the overprus.

At the last change the individual

Possible Gains and Losses.

went on increasing in size, would presumably be to seat some of the mem-

Should Congress retain the present

district unit of 411,30, which in practice means that size or any other size not deviating from it more than a Illinois 3; Washington 3; Catifornia

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1; Kansas 1; Massachusetts 2; New South Dakota 1 and Wisconsin 1.

On the other hand, if Congress de- o fdisturbing labor in the South. eided to hold the membership of the When agents of the United States House to its present size, it would be Government learned that he was in necessary to increase the paulation jail here, they came and took him to to the Congressional unit to about Columbia for investigation and trial 245,000 on the basis of the new census. They said that they had been looking as estimated. Keeping the member- for him for several weeks. ship to the present total would in all Three or four other men, who were probability cause the following states suspected of being associates of Seindicated; Virginia Vermont, Nebras- they leave the county. ka, Maryland, Maine, Kentucky, Illinois, 1 each; Missouri, Iowa, and Indi ana, 2 each. At the same time gains would probably be made by the following states in the number indicated: California, Oklahoma, and Washing- photographer, who shot and morton, 2 each; New Jersey, New Mexico, tally wounded his wife on the New York, Oregon, and Texas, 1 streets of Rock Hill about ten days

An increase of the same percentage as that of 1910, when the size of the House was raised from a member shi pof 391 to 433, would give the House 482 members and would raise the unit to about 282,000. Under this plan probably no state would lose a representative.

How does it happen that the House now has 435 members, although the majority fractio the following states number was only 433 by the reapporwould gain representatives in the low-tionment of 1911? The additional two by the census of 1920, which is about er house: Virginia 1; North Carolina members were brought in during the the House would rise to 504. It is da 1; Alabama 2; Mississippi 2; Arizona and New Me , as States. Louisiana, 1; Texas 4; Maryland 1; Those two new state added over 4 West Virginia 1; Tennessee 1; Arkan- per cent to the Senate's membership, sas 2; New York 8; Pennsylvania 6; while they were affecting the House Oklahoma 4; Ohio 3; New Jersey 3; membership by less than one-half of one percent.

OCTOBER HAD RECORD TOBACCO SALES

Raleigh, Nov. 15,-"Of North Caro-

lina's present tobacco crop, estimated by the Federal Bureau of Crop Estimate at 285,000,000 pounds, already 207,206,653 pounds hav been reported sold," states the Cooperative Crop Reporting Service of the Department of Agriculture in the Monthly Tobacco report issued today. "Estimating reasonably for the few warehouses that have failed to report, 214,116,753 pounds, of 75 per cent of the farmers' tobacoe crop, has been sold at an average season's price of \$48.36 per hundred pounds. About two hundred million pounds producers' sale for September and October makes a record for the State. This matches Kentucky, our only rival, as they are first in production and North Carolina first in value.

"The October sales report amounted to 102,635,197 pounds. The total sales were 117,540,363, averaging averaging \$56.85 per hundred weight. During October, 1918, there was but 3 per cent as much reported, October, 1917, had 54 per cent as much, and in October, 1916, there was 45 per cent of this year's October first hand sales. The warehouses estimated that of last month's sales 63 per cent was grown in the counties where sold, the larger markets drawing from many counties. Those that sold over five million pounds of first hand tobacco sales were Winston-Salem 12,261,298 and total 14,534,574 pounds, averaging \$47.85; Wilson, 10,308,463 and 14,-532,339 pounds at \$57.10; Greenville, 7,861,563 and 8,635,997 pounds at \$51.72; Kinston, 7,563,040 producers and 8,321,830 pounds total sales, averaging \$55.27 per hundred weight. Bailey and Snow Hill averaging high-

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est, were over \$63 for sales.

"The fourteen markets selling over five million pounds producers tobacco for this season are Wilson, 21,488,932 pounds; Winston-Salem, 18,683,445; Kinston, 15,805,202; Greenville, 15,-233,157; Rocky Mount, 9,889,606; Farmville, 5,909,073; Warsaw, 5,532,-439; and LaGrange, 5,044,816 pounds first hand leaf this year. There have been 190 warehouses operating on 65 markets this season.

"The estimated yield of this year's obacco is 550 pounds per acre, averaging 80 per cent in quality. The final condition reported was 68 per cent of a full crop.

"The farm yield per acre of the general crop for the United States is 742 pounds, the quality averaging 82 per cent. The 1919 estimated forecasted production is 316,663,000 pound and last year's crop 1,340,019,000 lbs. total production. North Carolina pro-

ducing 320,000,000 pounds of this-

ARREST LABOR AGITATOR

Southern Tobacco Journal.

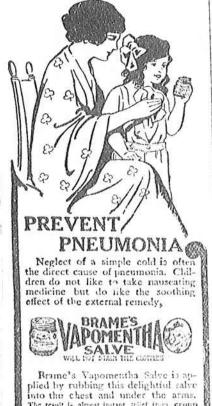
Bennettsville, Nov. 30 .-- Pan Sebos tine, a labor agitator, was arrested here Tuesday. He had secured jobs at several places here, and each time immediately begun to get the other hands to strike for higher wages He was reported to Mayor Throop Crosland who had him arrested and locked up. Papers were found on his Mexico 1; North Dakota 1; Oregon 1; person showing that he had been sent out from New York for the purpose

to lose congressmen in the number bostine, were let off on condition that

A. M. GILES IN YORK JAIL

YORK, Nov. 30 .- A. M. Giles,

ago, is in the county jail here and as yet has made no effort to obtain bond Mrs. Giles who, before her marriage was a Miss Hooks of Salisbury, N. C. died Tuesday evening, and her body



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was carried to Salisbury for interment. Giles, it is understood, is a native of North Carolina and is prominently connected in that State, having a brother who is engaged in the practice of law in Durham, and who was at one time an assistant United States district attorney of North Car olina.

He will not be tried for the killing of his wife before the April term of the court, due to the fact that the grand jury failed to act on the case before it was dismissed, Mrs. Giles be ing still laive when the jurors were discharged.

Giles, a man about fifty years of age and small of stature, does not appear to be greatly affected over his plight. He was brought into the court house Tuesday morning, where the Court of General Sessions was in session, anr he listened with some interest to the testimony in matters which were brought before the court. He was not visibly affected when notified that his wife had died. He is said to have told a county officer that his life had been "a hell for a long while." His son, a bright looking youth, who is a student in a North Carolina college, visited him in the fail here this

6 EXPRES MEN ARRESTED

Bristol, Nov. 30.—Six messengers of the American Railway Express on runs between Chattanooga and Washington are under arrest and several are under surveillance here facing charges of stealing goods in transit under the railwa yadministration, and a prominent Bristol automobile man is under bond on a charge of receiving stolen goods, resulting from investigations conducted by agents of the express company and the department of justice during the past three weeks.

Of the five prisoners who are redents of Bristol, T. H. Smith, on the Chattanooga-Bristol run, is at liberty having made bond for \$2.00. F. A Campbell and C. M. Warren, on Char tanonga and Bristol runs, and O. W. Shepherd, Bristol to Washington run, waived preliminary hearing and are held in fail, A. W. Livingstone, Bristol Chattanooga run, is held in jail after having plead guilty.

The neth ities of defaulting neesengers has covered a period of over three years, according to the statement of officials. Snipments of ginseng and automobile accessories are said to have suffered the heaviest losses.

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