

PLAN SURE THINGS

Republicans Try to Insure Solid Congressional Delegations

DISTRICTS ARE UNEQUAL

In the Effort to Shut Out Democrats, Little Attention is Paid to Law Requiring Equitable and Compact Division.

Under the apportionment for 1901 Minnesota consists of nine congressional districts, and in the next congress will be represented by nine congressmen, or just three times as many as the state was entitled to thirty years ago.

1880, an increased population of 25,680. The increase in population is proportionately smaller in the First district than in any other portion of the state, though the same general rule applies to all of the southern counties. In proportion to the population in 1880, Winona, the Houston counties show the smallest ratio of increase. In the other counties the ratio of increase is from 10 to 25 per cent.

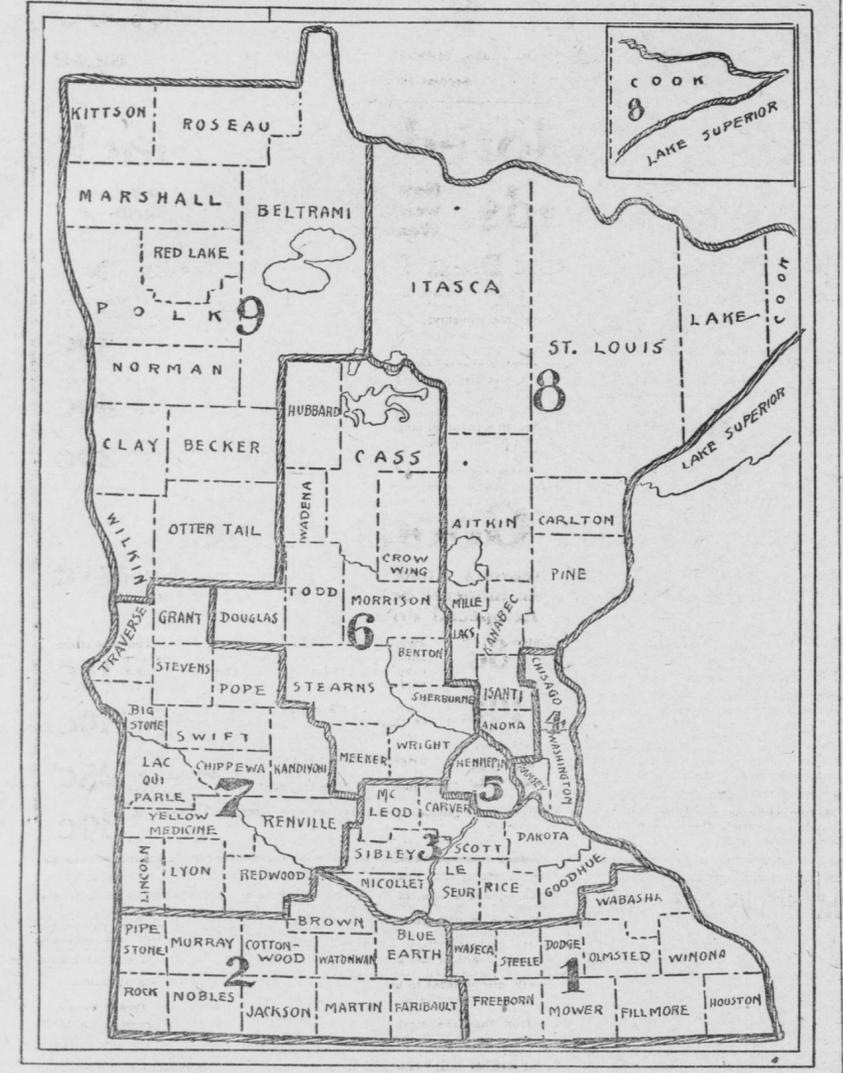
At the last two general elections have shown an average Republican majority of 22 1/2. That estimate is, however, not at all a reliable basis of computation for the new district, which is practically the keystone of the state.

DEMOCRACY OF STATE INDORSES JOHN LIND

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county convention for the selection of delegates to the Democratic state convention was held here today. A full delegation was named and unanimously instructed for John Lind for the governorship, with no second choice.

Famous Name Famous Whiskey PICKWICK RYE "I Like It - It Likes Me." Served at all the leading Clubs, Hotels and Buffets. GEO. BENZ & SONS. ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS. DISTILLERIES AT EMERSON, KY. AND BALTIMORE, MD.



CONGRESSIONAL APPOINTMENT OF MINNESOTA, 1901.

were three Democratic and one Alliance representative in congress. W. H. Harris represented the First district, O. M. Hall the Third, J. N. Castle the Fourth and Kittle Hainover the Fifth. John Lind, who represented the Second district, was the only Republican in congress from Minnesota.

Its shape is almost the same as that of the First district, but there is a difference in population of 35,000. The counties are Blue Earth, Brown, Cottonwood, Faribault, Jackson, Martin, Murray, Nobles, Pipestone, Rock and Watonwan.

ward to and including Anoka county, Aitkin, Anoka, Carlton, Cook, Itasca, Lake, Mille Lacs, Pine and St. Louis counties were included in the old Sixth district, and Isanti and Kanabec were taken from the Fourth. It is the smallest of the nine districts, having a population of only 127,000, or over 50,000 less than the First district, and 70,000 less than the Fifth.

COUNTY CONVENTIONS ARE SOLID FOR LIND

Sentiment and Action is Uniform Throughout the State.

Hennepin. The Hennepin county Democrats in convention yesterday elected 142 delegates to the state convention and had their first meeting in the history of the county. The opportunity was embraced in full and elaborate form to set before the people the conditions of the present administration, with reference to the manner in which matters have been drifting under the Republican rule of two years.

St. Louis. At St. Louis, Minn., June 21.—The St. Louis county Democratic convention was instructed by its delegates to vote for John Lind for governor when word was received here that he would not be a candidate under any circumstances.

Winona. WINONA, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention this afternoon declared in favor of the re-nomination of John Lind for governor by adopting resolutions indorsing his administration and congratulating the people of the state on the coming opportunity to re-elect him.

Blue Earth. MANKATO, Minn., June 21.—A large, enthusiastic convention of Blue Earth county Democrats this afternoon unanimously adopted resolutions indorsing Governor Lind. The resolutions in part were: Resolved, That the Democratic party of Blue Earth county is unanimously in favor of nomination for governor of this state by its state convention to be held on the 25th inst., of that citizen whose name and public record stand as an unimpeachable guarantee of the most efficient administration of the important public affairs of this state.

Brown. NEW ULM, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county in a ringing convention this afternoon passed ringing indorsements of Towne, ex-Gov. John Lind, and denouncing Republican legislation against Lind.

Polk. CROOKSTON, Minn., June 21.—The Democrats of Polk county in convention today selected twenty-five delegates to the state convention. The delegation was instructed to vote and work as a unit for the nomination of John Lind as Democratic candidate for governor.

Dakota. HASTINGS, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic convention this afternoon elected twenty delegates to the state convention. The sentiment of the delegation is unanimous for John Lind for Governor.

WABASHA, Minn., June 21.—At the Democratic county convention held today resolutions favoring the nomination of John Lind for governor were adopted.

Red Lake. REDLAKE FALLS, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention today instructed its delegates to vote for John Lind for governor.

Steele. OWATONNA, Minn., June 21.—At the Democratic county convention the sentiment was overwhelmingly in favor of the nomination of John Lind for governor. The convention was well attended.

Murray. SLAYTON, Minn., June 21.—Delegates to Democratic state convention elected this afternoon are W. J. McLeod, C. E. Weld, Walter Sweetman, H. Benter, J. Mchen, Charles Helweg, J. H. Patrick, William Rooney, John Osborn, P. L. Byrne, William O'Neill. No instructions.

Itasca. HALLOCK, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention was held today. It was one of the best attended conventions in the history of the party in Itasca county. The delegation was instructed to vote for John Lind for governor, with every delegate on his feet cheering.

McLeod. GLENCOR, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention, held here today, elected fifteen delegates to the state convention. While the delegates were instructed it is understood that they are to stand for the nomination of John Lind. The convention had no second choice.

Beltrami. BEMIDJI, Minn., June 21.—Beltrami county Democrats held their county convention in this city today, with delegates from nearly every precinct in the county present. Delegates to the convention were instructed to cast their votes for John Lind.

Scott. SHAKOPEE, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention held at Belle Plaine instructed delegates to support Lind.

Watonwan. ST. JAMES, Minn., June 21.—Delegates to the Democratic state convention at Frank Veitum, Nick Miller Jr., W. B. Hammond, St. James; C. O. Cooley, Madella; S. J. Salun, J. Harde, Buttrick; A. L. Babcock, Riverdale; C. E. Davidson, Antrim; N. J. Zender, St. James. They received no instructions.

sonal strength not only entitle him to a second term, but insure him a clear field with the Ramsey county Democracy.

Mr. Metzdorf is a young man, but he has demonstrated his fitness for the responsible position which he holds. The administration of the treasurer's office during his incumbency is universally admitted a model of public service well performed. He is a man of high character, and his admirers say will show that he has revolutionized the office and that he has saved the county thousands of dollars by his business sagacity and unflagging attention to his duties.

LE SUEUR, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention was held at Le Sueur Center today. John T. Timpaug, of Waterville, was recommended as a member of the state central committee.

Fillmore. PRESTON, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention today elected fifteen delegates to the state convention. The delegation was instructed to vote for John Lind first, last and forever. Resolutions were adopted indorsing L. J. McLeigh for congress.

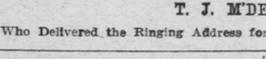
Morrison. LITTLE FALLS, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention today selected sixteen delegates, instructed for Lind for governor first, last and all the time. The delegation is instructed to support no man for one who did not in 1890 support the Democratic national ticket.

P. J. METZDORF IS IN THE FIELD. County Treasurer Has So Far No Opposition for Nomination. County Treasurer Peter J. Metzdorf yesterday filed his certificate of candidacy for the Democratic nomination for a second term. So far Mr. Metzdorf has no opposition.

Judge Olin B. Lewis yesterday filed for the Republican nomination to another term on the district bench. Judge Lewis is the only member of the district bench who will be a candidate to succeed himself this year. His colleagues, whose terms expire Jan. 1, Judge Otis, will permanently retire from the bench and active practice. Judge Lewis is a resident of the West side. He is popular with the rank and file of his party and the wheel horse Republicans freely predict that he will land the nomination.

Peter J. Quint, who filed for the constabulary in the recent spring political unpleasantness, is a candidate for Republican nomination to the board of county commissioners, and yesterday filed his certificate of candidacy with Auditor Johnson. Mr. Beckrohn conducts an undertaking establishment on East Seventh street.

Henry F. Wessels is mentioned as a Democratic candidate for clerk of the district court. Mr. Wessels, who is out late of the municipal court, M. L. Courtier, but his friends say that he will be in the running strong.



T. J. M'DERMOTT, Who Delivered the Ringing Address for John Lind and a United Democracy.

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Swift. BENSON, Minn., June 21.—Delegates to the Democratic state convention were not instructed, but are for John Lind.

Stearns. ST. CLOUD, Minn., June 21.—J. D. Sullivan, delegate to the Kansas City convention, was selected to head the Stearns county Democratic delegation to the state convention to be held at Minneapolis next Wednesday.

Meeker. LITCHFIELD, Minn., June 21.—The Democratic county convention today elected an uninstruted delegation to the state convention.

Nicollet. ST. PETER, Minn., June 21.—Owing to the fact that the farmers are very busy at this time, the attendance at the county at the Democratic convention held today was light. The delegation was not instructed in any manner, and will be free to act as it sees fit.

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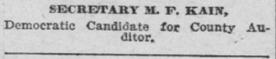
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SECRETARY M. F. KAIN, Democratic Candidate for County Auditor.

Seventh district counties are Becker, Clay, Kittson, Marshall, Norman, Otter Tail, Polk, Wilkin and Red Lake and Roseau counties, which were carved out of Kittson county after the congressional apportionment of 1891. It is also one of the districts that is expected to grow up to the apportionment standard, but it is believed to be safely Republican by 1,500. It had a population of 167,000 in 1890, and probably at least 160,000 now.

Newest in Collars. The new fold collars placed on the market by East & Wilson for this summer are in line and form in keeping with latest ideals of the mode. They have the lock front, the narrow front and a half deep. Another new style is the "retonka." It is a trifle lower than the "Missouri" and has square points. Both of these new styles have the wide stitching. These collars and the styles in fold collars already in the line complete a set that most thoroughly covers every demand, as it contains every style in every height.—The Haberdasher.