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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1907.

THE parade and jollification last Thursday night in honor of Judge Crothers' victory was the greatest ever seen in Elkton. A number were present from Kent.

MR. JAMES T. BRIGHT, leader of the Independent Citizens' party, Queen Annes, has acknowledged himself beaten and declares that he has fought his last against the Democratic party. Other independents all over the county are coming back into line, and the bitter feeling heretofore existing between the two factions of the Democratic party is gradually blowing over.

THE KENT NEWS FIRST.

The KENT NEWS certainly rejoices with the people at the nomination and election of Gov. Austin L. Crothers, but when the following letter from the able citizen came the NEWS of course takes a double interest and a double joy at having first suggested his name :

Elkton, Md., Nov. 13, 1907.

KENT NEWS, CHESTERTOWN—Gentlemen—Please accept my sincere thanks for your very kind letter of congratulations on my election as Governor. Your paper was the first to mention my name in connection with the Governorship.

With kindest regard, I am,

Yours very truly,

AUSTIN L. CROTHERS.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Mr. Charles England, a faithful worker in the Republican ranks of Kennedyville, says he has discovered the cause for the Republican misfortunes—the names on their ticket numbered *thirteen!*

In another county the Republicans blame their defeat on Skidoo number, *twenty three!*

Mr. B. F. Rash's friends are inclined to joke the popular temperance advocate. The cause of his being "cut" are blamed by some on his "position" on the ticket and this is no doubt the correct solution.

The NEWS last week referred to Mr. Ben Ashley as shedding tears over the Republican spoiled ballots at Rock Hall. This was true, but they were tears of joy! It was Capt. George who was in agony, but at this writing has become more cheerful.

Col. South, the Queen Anne's Independent enthusiast, says he "got two horses and lost a mule" and is done fighting the old party. He thinks the colored voters went back on them as well as some others. Welcome back, Colonel, you're too GOOD a Democrat to be among Republicans.

It is very gratifying to notice that the commissioners, Messrs. Davis, Loud and Dudley ran within a few votes of each other, so that the oft repeated charge of "cutting" falls flat. The vote was as follows :

Harry Davis	1452
C. B. Dudley	1459
A. C. Loud	1470
J. S. Harris	1536
H. C. Willis	1421

The Easton Gazette whose editor is one of the best temperance Republicans in the State in its last issue says: "The Prohibitionists have made no perceptible gains in many years in Maryland. If the mountain will not come to Mahomet, would it not be just as wise for Mahomet to go to the mountain? There is enough temperance sentiment in the State to carry all needed prohibition at one election. It looks like good philosophy to work along the lines of the Anti-Saloon League."

Congressman Sydney E. Mudd was in the city Saturday for the first time since the election. He took the Republican defeat good-humoredly.

"Well," he was asked, "are you glad it's all over?"

"Yes," was the reply; "and that seems to be about the only thing we Republicans have left to be glad about, too," and Mr. Mudd laughed as he went down the street.

The Centreville Record last Saturday got stung so bad that Bro. Bright wants to send all bees to Phillipines. His leading editorial was as follows :

Bumble Bees Wanted.

"Any farmer's boys who have a supply of bumble bees will confer a favor on the Agriculture Department by reporting them at once. They are for shipment to Phillippines to be used in the cross fertilization of plants. It has been found that honey bees are not strong enough for this purpose and there are no bumble bees over there."

Fine Treatment.—The Talbot Packing and Preserving Company, with a factory at Cordova, the proprietors of which are Charles C. Nickerson and Charles R. Wooters, settled with their tomato growers Saturday by giving them their checks in a neat and handsome morocco pocketbook. The amount paid to the 75 growers aggregated between $15,000 and $20,000. After settlement the company gave the growers and others present an oyster roast. Between 15 and 20 barrels of the finest oysters that could be procured, together with the trimmings that go with such a feast, was made away with. Everyone had a good time.

The Kent county packers have settled with the growers here as far as we can learn but did not give any treat. Maybe they will get Xmas presents.

SMITH'S LARGE PLURALITY.

The official vote in Maryland for U. S. Senator was as follows :

Short Term, W. P. Whyte	66,290
Long Term, John Walter Smith	48,131
Long Term, Edwin Warfield	30,300
Long Term, J. F. C. Talbott	16,214

Ex-Governor Smith had the large plurality of 17,931 over Warfield in the State and a majority of 1,717 over all. Smith's plurality in Baltimore was 4,862.

A SHINING EXAMPLE.

The NEWS is glad to report that an anti-bribery compact made before the election in several counties was kept to the letter. A notable instance of this was in Caroline county where the Democrats won by a good majority. The charge that Senator-elect Smith was elected by Warfield money was also given a knock-out blow, as for instance, in Caroline where *not a penny was used*, Senator Smith got **903** majority! The Denton Journal says :

"Tuesday's election was conducted without the expenditure of one cent in violation of the letter or the spirit of the solemn compact made between the two parties some weeks ago. There was no disposition to do this in any quarter. The pledges all were religiously kept and defended by the candidates and their friends, and all of them are to be congratulated by the good people of the county upon their splendid achievement. To throttle the bribery monster, which for half a century has been rampant throughout our county, as in many other sections, was no insignificant task. Tuesday's contest marks the beginning of a new era in the politics of Caroline which all may hail with gladness."

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

FINE STOCK.

THE undersigned will sell at the Voshell House Stables, Chestertown, on

Tuesday, November 26th, 1907

at 1 o'clock P. M., rain or shine, the following

FINE STOCK

LINWOOD 2.29¼, by Bedworth, Jr., 2.06¼, dam Fanny B., a black hawk mare. LINWOOD is 8 years old, 15¾ hands high, weighs 1100 lbs., has worked a mile in 2.14. He is a dark bay.

ONE BAY MARE, FANCY, 6 yrs. old, full sister to Linwood, splendid brood mare in foal by J. B. Hossinger's Stallion, Boxwell.

ONE SORREL MARE DOLLY, 4 yrs. old by Linwood, fine driver and good worker.

ONE BAY MARE LUCY, 13 yrs. old, sired by old Orange Blossom, colt by side, by Schley Bedworth.

ONE BROWN MARE DELORIOUS, Standardbred, 8 yrs. old by Happy George, dam Bertha. This mare is 16½ hands high and weighs 1100 pounds. In fold by Schley Bedworth. Mr. E. B. Emory says this is one of the best mares he ever owned. Pedigrees will be shown at day of sale.

ONE BAY FARM HORSE, 10 yrs old.

TWO COWS, calves by side.

TERMS—Credit of 10 months with approved security.

JOHN & W. A. BELL.

J. H. GREENWOOD, Auct. n16-ts.

☞ These horses will be sold for the high dollar as we are overstocked.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF FARM—

PERSONALTY

INTENDING to quit farming, I will sell on the W. S. Walker Farm, adjoining Chestertown, on Quaker Neck Road,

On WEDNESDAY, November 27th, 1907

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., the Following Personalty:

4 Head Horses, 2 Colts

1 Sorrel Horse, 16½ hands high, good driver and worker with plenty of style.

1 Bay Horse, 16 hands high, good driver and worker, safe for ladies to drive, fearless.

1 Black Mare, with colt by side, by Adversity.

1 Brown Horse, good worker and driver.

1 Colt, 3 years old.

3 Cows, One a Jersey

1 Jersey Bull Calf, 8 months old, he's a fine one.

1 Poland China BOAR, weighs 450 lbs., a superior one.

1 FINE BROOD SOW, weighs 400 lbs., with 10 pigs 9 weeks old, will weigh from 40 to 50 lbs., as fine a lot as you would wish to look at, by the above Boar.

One Farm Wagon (iron axle) all in order; 1 Horse Cart, iron axle, in order; 2 Dearborns, nearly new, with rigging to carry 35 baskets; 1 Leather Top Buggy, nearly new; 1 Drop-foot Carriage, 1 Carriage Pole, 2 Mowers, (1 McCormick nearly new), 1 Binder, in good order; 1 Self-Dump Tiger Hay Rake, in order; 1 Spike Tooth Harrow, nearly new; 2 Twin Harrows, 1 A. A. Harrow, 1 Diamond-tooth Harrow, 2 2-Horse Oliver Plows, nearly new; 2 1-horse Oliver Plows, 3 Iron Cultivators, 1 Planet Jr., Cultivator with Plow Attachments, 1 Buckeye Sulky Cultivator, with marker attachments; 1 Keystone Weeder, nearly new; 1 Corn Sheller, nearly new; 1 Standard Half Bushel Measure, 1 Grain Scoop, 250 new Brace Baskets, 2 Sets Wagon Harness with leather traces and breeching, 2 sets Chain Harness, 1 set Dearborn Harness, 2 Sets Carriage Harness, 2 Double Saddles, 2 pair Double Reins, Lot of Plow Harness, Collars, Bridles, Halters, Horse Blankets, Fly Nets, Etc. Lot of Forks, Shovels, Spades and Hoes. Feed boxes and chests, Hedge Axes and Knives. 1 Tomato Planter, 1 Slop Cart, 1 wheel barrow, Grindstone, Lot of Tools.

TERMS OF SALE—On all sums of $10 and under, cash; on all sums over $10 a credit of ten months will be given on note with approved security, payable at the Second National Bank of Chestertown. Three per cent. off for cash.

No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with.

If stormy the next day.

n16-ts F. H. GREENWOOD.

Are you

saving your money where you can get it when you need it most and with fully 5 per cent interest?

If you are not, it's your fault, not ours.

THE KENT BUILDING & LOAN CO.,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

T. H. TOPPING, President.

J. W. RUSSELL, Sec. and Treas

Annual Report

—OF—

MILTON MELVIN

TREASURER OF THE KENT COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD,

From August 1, 1906, to July 31, 1907.

RECEIPTS :

Balance on hand July 31st, 1906	$ 2591 51
State School Tax	16,148 30
State Free School Fund	1,562 73
Amount of Levy (County)	20,000 00
Fines	421 68
Licenses (Tongers)	612 10
Manual Training	1,500 00
Building Fund (County Tax)	5,200 00
Old School House at Edesville	125 00
Old School House at Worton	137 00
Old House at Edesville	15 60
Proceeds of Note	2,398 79
Free Book Fund	2,565 23
Received foom sale of books	32 23
Balance book money on hand July 31st, 1906	61 96
Total	$53,372 13

DISBURSEMENTS.

Rent	$ 215 64
Fuel	2,478 88
Repairs	1,577 84
Apparatus & Furniture	567 03
Teachers' Salaries	34,022 15
New Buildings	3,988 15
Sanitary	1,079 30
Incidentals	221 06
Manual Training	1,315 84
Office Expenses	222 00
Superintendent's Salary	1,500 00
Commissioners' Salary	300 00
Printing	94 85
Advertising	74 50
Freight	6 75
Institute Expenses	162 40
Expenses of State Association	45 00
School Libraries	35 25
School Supplies	304 84
Expended for Books	2,553 84
Cost of Distribution	60 17
Balance Cash in Second National Bank	2,535 69
Balance Cash in Chestertown Bank	45 41
Total	$53,372 13

We hereby certify that we have examined the aforegoing report of Milton Melvin, Treasurer of Kent County School Board and the books and vouchers upon which it is based and find it correct.

W. B. COPPER,
W. FRANK HINES,
PURNELL JUMP,
COMMISSIONERS.

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Large and Valuable

Stock of Merchandise

FOR SALE.

We, the undersigned receivers appointed by the Circuit Court to sell the stock of goods left by the late Franklin H. Harper and F. H. Harper & Son in their store at Still Pond, offer the same as a whole to any intending purchaser.

This is a stock of goods kept up to the highest point of efficiency. The goods are staple in every de department and it is thought the total value of the stock will amount to $10,000 or $15,000.

Any reasonable offer will be considered.

The Store House

is a large and valuable piece of property, and has been a place of business for over 40 years past. It is one of the best openings ever offered to any one intending to engage in merchandise in Kent county.

We will accept and consider offers for any parts of the stock as a whole.

Merchants can bid for the Groceries, for the Dry Goods, for the Boots and Shoes, for the Clothing, for the Glassware or for any other line.

We invite such bids quickly.

HARRY DAVIS,
JOHN N. BENNETT,
Receivers.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

WILLIAM H. HUGHES,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouches thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of May, 1908, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 12th day of November, 1907.

CHARLES C. HUGHES,
JOHN H. HUGHES,
Administrators, c. t. a.

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STEWART & CO.

NEW YORK CONNECTION JAS. McCREERY & CO. TWENTY THIRD ST.

Lexington, Howard and Clay Streets.

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED. BALTIMORE, MD.

Baltimore's Biggest and Best Store

Mail Orders Filled on the Day Received.

Suit Store News

$18 00 and $20.00 Suits for $10.00

Man-tailored, plain, and fancy Cheviots and plain or striped Panama Suits, with full kilt pleatsd skirts with folds.

$20.00 Suits for $15.00

Lymansville Herringbone and plain Cheviot Suits, 30-inch, fitted, fly-front coat, with best guarantee satin lining.

$25.00 Suits for 18.50

Cheviot and Broadcloth, single and double breasted, fitted and half-fitted, jackets lined with guaranteed satin.

Several different styles of full-pleated Skirts. All colors and black.

$25.00 Suits for $20.00

Fine Check Broadcloth and Fancy Stripe Serge Suits, in plain or strap trimmed styles; 26-inch coat, with best satin lining, with kilt pleated skirt with folds; Gray, Blue, Brown, Wine and Black.

Special for $25.00

Fine Broadcloth and Fancy Striped Serge Suits, in single and double breasted fitted and half-fitted and short tight-fitting styles. Some are trimmed with wide silk braid, others with velvet. The best ever offered for the price. Black and all the new fall shades.

Special for $27.50

Double-Breasted 36-inch Coat Suits of best Herringbone Serge, lined with Skinner's satin new cluster panel pleated skirt.

Chiffon Broadcloth Cutaway Coat Suits, full-fitted effects, with 19-gore high kilt pleated skirts with wide folds, Stylish and dressy.

Special for $29.50

Fine Satin-Striped Serge and Fancy Worsteds, in single or double breasted models, 19-gore kilt pleated skirts.

Broadcloth Braid-Trimmed Military Jacket Suits, vestee of fancy silk and embroidery, roll velvet collar and cuffs; skirt braided to match. Very smart and attractive.

$75.00 to $125.00 Model Suits for $45.00

IMPORTED MODEL SUITS of finest Chiffon Broadcloth, Fancy Serges and Worsteds, in this season's most fashionable colors. There are just fifteen (15), and no two are alike.

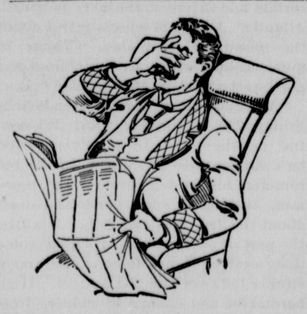
(Third Floor.)

Clements AND Co

CRUMPTON, - - MARYLAND.

During the week of 16 to 23, owing to draw being off, we will meet our customers at the bridge if they will drop us a card the day before coming. Will give a big price for Eggs and Butter and offer special inducements in prices. Come see us.

CLEMENTS & CO., - Crumpton, Md.



Those Dull Pains About The Eyes

Are plain signs that there is something wrong with your vision.

It may be nothing at all serious—probably is not. But wouldn't it be worth something to you to have these unpleasant sensations removed?

We can do it for you—accurately and at small cost, too.

Step in some day, and let us find out for you exactly what the trouble is with your eyes.

This will cost you nothing and is a service that may be of great value to you

J. H. SIDES,

Jeweler and Optician,

CHESTERTOWN.

Brown Suits

Are very Stylish for Young Men. We have them at $12, $15, $20 and up to $30 New Plain Brown and Brown Mixed Worsteds and Fancy Cheviots. Fancy Blue Worsteds and Blue Mixtures at $10 to $25 Dark Mixed Worsteds at $10 to $35. New Black Thibets and Claw Worsteds at $10 to $30. Boys' and Little Boys' New Suits, $2 50 to $10. Overcoats, $4 to $15. Reefers, $3 to $10 Men's Overcoats, $5 to $40. Reefers, $2 50 to $10. Fall Overcoats, $5 to $30 Benjamin New York Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats and Full Dress Suits.

Biggest Because Best — MULLIN'S — Clothing Hats Wilmington Shoes

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is reliable. Why try a new medicine when this old reliable remedy can be had for 25 cents, at all druggists.

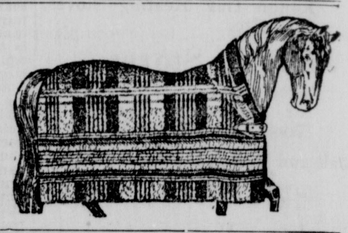
New Firm Lower Prices

AT FAIRLEE, MARYLAND.

HAVING BEEN BUSY for two weeks taking Stock and making change in our business as noted elsewhere in this paper, we are going to save you money every week. We'll have specials and can save you money. You all know dry goods are much higher, note our prices.

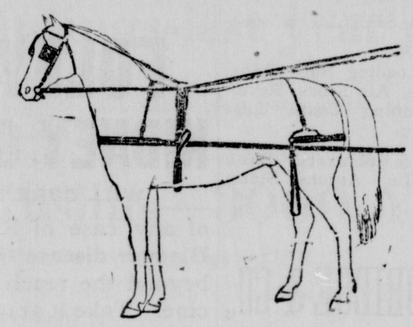
10c Outing Flannel in stripes and small Plaid,	8½c
8c Apron Gingham, Amoskeg Standard Gingham,	6¾c
12½ Flannelette, new pattern, yd,	10c
12c Dark Percales,	9c
9 4 Bleached Sheeting Muslin,	27½
14c Androscoggin Muslin,	11c
Clark's O. N. T Cotton, Spool,	5c

Horse Blankets



Special Horse Blanket 76x80 Bright plaid, 6 to sell at	$3 50
Blanket at	2 98
Rubber and Plush Blanket,	1 98
Extra long Rubber & Plush	2 75
Blankets from 1.25 to	5.00
Blizzard Apron,	2 98

We Have A Full Line of Harness.



Offer you this week 16 00 special for $14.50 Our regular 12.50, none better; Other Harness from 6 75 to 10 00

Bed Blankets and Comforts.

White and Gray Blankets from 60c to	$3 50 pr.
10 4 Special 3 50 Wool Blankets,	2.98
Comforts, for	1.25

Shoes and Boots

We sell Rice & Hutchins. Try a pair Water King, nothing better, every pair guaranteed, the best day shoe you can buy price, $2 85

All American,	3.50 and 4.00
Signet,	3 00
Excelsior	2.50

We have been selling the EDUCATOR for six months and find it the most comfortable shoe you can wear. We recommend them to those who have tender feet.

Refer you to G. E Noland, Tolchester; A. P. Emerson, Betterton; C. S Smith, Chestertown.

Mens' Rubber Boots 2 50 to 4.50

Ladies' Boys' and Children's Boots, Rubber Artics and Uppers.

Wright's Health Underwear, suit = $1.70

Clothing Clothing Clothing

Mens Suits Solid Color Brown,	7.50 to 12.50
Brown and Plaid,	12.50
Blue Serge,	7 50 to 9 00
Black Serge,	4 50 to 10 00
Tibit,	5 00 to 10.00
Overcoats	4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 6 50, 7.00
Ladies and Childrens Coats	3 75 to 10 00
Ladies Furs, from	98 to 5 00

Will Give You Furniture Bargains

Need the room. Our Xmas Goods are coming in and we need the 2nd floor for Toys and Clothing. Will give low prices on Furniture this month

GROCERIES		GROCERIES	
Sugar	5c	New Hominy	5c
Coffee,	12½c	New Buckwheat,	
Sea Gull Yeast Powder,	3½c	New Beans,	
Sunny Monday Soap,	4c	Oranges, dozen,	20c
Santa Claus Soap	4c	Bananas, dozen,	10c
Ark Soap	2c	ENAMELWARE.	
Lard,	10c	Large Pudding Pans,	10c
Matches 12 boxes for	9c	Bread Pan 18 quart,	40c
Tea,	3½c	Spoons, Saucepans, Covered Buckets.	
New Raisins	10c		

Cash paid for Poultry and Eggs. Take any kind of Produce.

KILBOURN & SMYTH

FAIRLEE, - - - MARYLAND.