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THE term of Prof. Milton Melvin as superintendent of schools in Kent county expires in July, and the School Board will likely name his successor at their first meeting in May. The applicants up to this time are Prof. Milton Melvin, Prof. J. L. Smyth and Sidney P. Townshend, Esq. The appointment will be made by Messrs. J. P. Ahern, J. N. Bennett and J. D. Urie, Esq.

SITUATION IN KENT

The Same Question at Issue as Has Been Before The People For Some Years.

THE PEOPLE VS. ONE MAN RULE

As intimated in the NEWS last week it was hoped that there would be no contest this year for State delegates inasmuch as these delegates' duties were entirely perfunctory. They have simply to record the wishes of the people as to their choice for Presidential candidates. All efforts at peace and harmony, however, were called off Saturday by Mr. Barroll who said he was going to fight for *all* the delegates! It was proposed that an agreement be reached whereby delegates would be named agreeable to both the Organization and Mr. Barroll and then a straight-out contest could be waged for Presidential preferences. Mr. Barroll declined to accept the proposition, and named three of his followers as candidates, viz., Jefferson Ayres, Rock Hall, Harry Davis, ex-commissioner, C. W. Kibler, Chestertown.

A number of prominent leaders of the Organization feeling that the autocratic, dictatorial method of saying to the people *elect my men or we'll fight*, should not be encouraged secured the consent of three estimable gentlemen, well-known Democrats and independent in action and thought to serve as candidates of the people as delegates to the State Convention. They are HERMAN B. MASSEY, of Masseys, CAPT. CURTIS E. CRANE, of Chestertown, and A. CARROLL WILSON, of Rock Hall.

These gentlemen promise that they will carry out to the letter the wishes of the voters of Kent county as recorded by ballot in Kent county May 6th. Of course these gentlemen have their personal preferences and we are frank to say that they are all believers in the wisdom of nominating that scholar and statesman HON. WOODROW WILSON, of New Jersey. These gentlemen concur in Mayor Mahool's idea, viz., "Wilson is an Organization man. He believes in parties and in organizations and that these should represent the people and not one man or one interest exclusively." He stands for what the people want. The people believe in him, they feel that he is incorruptible, that no interests, no matter how mighty could sway him from what he conceives to be his duty. He knows what the country needs and will try his best to give the people what they are entitled to have."

So that the question before the people of Kent county is the same as it has been heretofore, viz., one man rule vs. rule of the people.

Mr. Barroll refuses to aid in bringing about peace as far as possible between the factions and demands the *whole thing*.

The Organization believing in the right of the people to some choice puts before the voters Messrs. Massey, Crane and Wilson on a platform "for the candidate who gets the most votes in Kent." If you are opposed to one man domination vote for these three men and any one of the Presidential candidates you may desire—Wilson, Clark, Harmon or Underwood.

NOTHING TO DO WITH IT

Mr. Barroll has endeavored by letters sent out this week to tie up the candidacy of Judge Adkins with that of the delegates to the State Convention and with Presidential preferences. Don't be deceived by any such methods. *They have no connection whatever.* The State delegates have nothing in the world to do with the Judgeship fight, nor vice versa. The voters will have the privilege of voting for either Albert Constable, Esq., or Judge W. H. Adkins, one of whom will be nominated by a direct vote of all the voters in the circuit. There will be no convention nor delegates and the vote for either set of delegates will have no bearing on the Judgeship contest. It is indeed gratifying to learn that factionalism is at least being discarded in the contest for Judge, however hard some are trying to drive people into line. Men of both factions are lined up side by side for Mr. Constable and yet on the State delegates are divided, as well as on Presidential preferences. On the other hand, we find men in both factions lined up

REPUBLICANS SPLIT.

A Peculiar Condition of Affairs in Local Political Circles—Messrs. Urie And Townshend in a Friendly Contest.

An interesting contest is in progress in Kent county for delegates to the Republican State Convention, growing out of the candidacy of President Taft and Col. Roosevelt. The two leaders of the party, Messrs. J. D. Urie and S. P. Townshend, are arrayed in friendly contest against each other. Members of the "lilly-whites" see an opportunity here to widen the breach and are dividing their forces between the two, hoping thus to encourage the contest and in the end capture the prize, viz., the control of the Organization.

John D. Urie, Esq., will lead the Taft forces as the recognized lieutenant of Gov. Goldsborough and will have the hearty support of Col. W. J. Vannort, Capt. Dan Hill, Bartus Trew, Jas A. Cacy and other well-known Republicans. Sidney P. Townshend, Esq., is with Teddy Roosevelt and has with him a number of the "lilly-whites." Col. A. H. Suplee who is a school mate of the San Juan fighter is one of his delegates. The full list being as follows:

For Roosevelt or Townshend foction: Sidney P. Townshend, Col. A. H. Suplee, Jonas Haughton.

For Taft, or Urie faction: Bartus Trew, Capt. Daniel Hill, Henry Yorker.

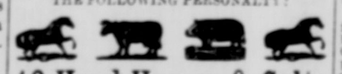
There has been no nomination papers filed for Republican candidate for Judge nor for Congress, but one may be put on the ticket on petition later.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
PERSONALTY!

The undersigned intending to quit farming and go to merchandising will sell on the Spry farm, Chesterville, on

Monday, April 29th, 1912,

BEGINNING AT 10:00 A. M.
THE FOLLOWING PERSONALTY:



12 Head Horses & Colts
ONE PAIR MULES
young and well broken.
13 Head Cattle, 2 Bulls
MOST OF THEM WITH CALF BY SIDE.
18 Head of Hogs and Shotes.

Lot of Farm Implements kept on a well equipped farm, including carriages, buggies, harness, new manure spreader, never used, etc.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over this amount a credit of six Months will be given on note with approved security

A. M. SPRY.

JACK JESTER, Auct.
J. D. URIE, Atty.

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Hundreds of the new Spring Styles, every size and big Stock for selection.

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Blue Grays
Browns

are the colors for the young fellows, and a lot of the old fellows like them, too. Plenty of plain styles for plain Men and enough of them to suit everybody.

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Biggest Because Best MULLIN'S Clothing Hats Shoes
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NOTICE OF IMPORTANCE
To The Public.

For the purpose of adjusting the present assessment, the public is hereby notified that the Board of County Commissioners will sit to hear all cases on

WENDNESDAY and THURSDAY

ELECTION OF Town Commissioner

MEMBERS OF WATER BOARD

And Vote Upon the Bonding of the Town for New Sewers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Election will be held at the Court House in Chestertown, Marland, on

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1912,

for the purpose of electing one person to serve for three years in the place of Wm. T. Duyer, one of the present commissioners, whose term expires on that date. Polls open from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Also three members of the Water Board to serve three years from May 1, 1912.

And under and by virtue of a law passed by the General Assembly of Maryland of 1912, at the said election there will be submitted to the qualified voters of Chestertown the question contained in a bill, to bond the town for sewers the provisions of which are in the following bill:

AN ACT to provide for the construction of a sewer on High street, College avenue and Cannon street, in Chestertown Maryland, and to issue bonds to pay for same, and to levy an annual tax for the payment of such bonds and the interest thereon.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Commissioners of Chestertown be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in the name of the Commissioners of Chestertown to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars in sums not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, to be signed by the Commissioners of Chestertown under the corporate seal of the said Commissioners, to be designated as "Chestertown Sewer Bonds to the highest bidder; provided, no bid less than par shall be accepted therefor, which bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and the first day of January in each year, which bonds shall be exempt from all county and municipal taxation in Kent county, and the due or overdue coupons for interest shall be received by the Commissioners of Chestertown in payment of town taxes. Said bonds shall be payable in sums of one thousand dollars in each of the years beginning with the tenth day of July, 1913, and each year thereafter until fully paid. Said bonds to be numbered consecutively and to be redeemed in the order in which they are numbered.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That said Commissioners of Chestertown are authorized and directed to advertise at least once a week four successive weeks in three newspapers published in Kent county and one newspaper published in the City of Baltimore for sealed proposals for the negotiation of said bonds, and on a certain day to be named in said advertisement said Commissioners of Chestertown shall in the presence of such persons as may be interested in said bid, open all bids received and award the bonds to the highest bidder; provided, no bid less than par shall be accepted and reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose, shall by the said Commissioners of Chestertown be used and applied for the construction of a sewer beginning on High street, in Chestertown, about opposite the Catholic Church, and from thence to College avenue; then along College avenue to Cannon street, and thence along Cannon street to Chester River at or near the end of the wharf at the foot of Cannon street.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the Commissioners of Chestertown be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to compel the owners of all properties abutting or adjacent to the sewers to be constructed under this Act, and also the owners of all adjacent or abutting properties on sewers already constructed within the limits of said Chestertown, to connect their properties with said sewers, and the commissioners of Chestertown are hereby authorized, empowered and directed forthwith to compel the owners of said adjacent properties on the streets where sewers are now laid in Chestertown, or where the sewers provided by this Act shall be laid, to remove all water closets by serving written notice through their bailiff or sheriff on the owners or occupants of said premises, notifying and requiring them forthwith to connect their property with the sewers of Chestertown, and if a the expiration of sixty days from the date of service of said notice said connection be not made and said water closets be not removed from the properties, then the owners of said properties shall forthwith be liable to arrest as for a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of two dollars for each day each water closet shall remain on said premises after the expiration of sixty days notice; and said fine shall be collectable as all other fines and penalties imposed by the authorities of Chestertown, and for the neglect or refusal to remove said water closets, the owners shall be liable to second and subsequent arrest and prosecution, and, if upon a second or subsequent conviction under the section the owners of said premises have not removed said water closets, it shall be the duty of said Commissioners of Chestertown and of the bailiff thereof to cause the arrest of the owners or occupants of said premises and they shall be liable to a fine of not less than ten dollars and not more than one hundred dollars for such refusal to connect therewith and such fine or fines shall be collectable as above provided.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That at the next regular election for Commissioners of Chestertown there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of Chestertown, the question whether bonds shall be issued for sewers and at such election the ballots cast upon that question shall have the words "For Sewer Bonds" or "Against Sewer Bonds" thereon, and if the majority of the votes cast upon said question shall be "For sewer Bonds," then the Commissioners of Chestertown, or a majority of them, shall proceed to execute the power vested in them by this act, but if the majority of the votes cast be "Against sewer Bonds," then this act shall be of no effect.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

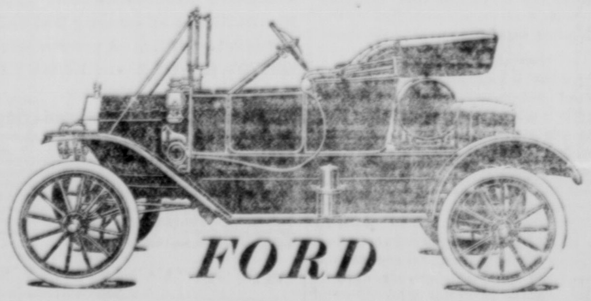
By order of Board of Chestertown Commissioners.

ap6-3t JAMES W. CROUCH, CLERK.

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Public Sale of
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Seventh Election District Kent Co.

As agent for the owner, I will offer for sale at the Court House Door, Chestertown, Md., on

Tuesday, April 30th, 1912
AT TWELVE O'CLOCK M.,

the above named property, consisting of ONE-HALF ACRE OF LAND, more or less. Has a

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Good water on the premises.

ap20 ts CHARLES S. SMITH, AGENT.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
Near Melitota, Kent County, Md.

UNDER and by virtue of the power contained in the mortgage from Robert W. Reaves to the undersigned, dated the 19th day of February, 1908, and duly recorded among the land records of Kent county, in Liber J. T. D., No. 25, Folio 269, etc., the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, May 7th, 1912
AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

The House and Grounds

near Melitota, on the public road leading to Buck Neck, adjoining the lands of the late Jos. Pierce, Walter Fletcher and others, and containing NINE ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

It being the same property conveyed to the said Robert W. Reaves by two deeds, one from William W. Beck, assignee, dated January 28th, 1908, and recorded in Liber S. G. F., No. 6, Folio 510, etc., and the other from William B. Stevens and wife, dated the 8th day of January, 1901, and recorded in Liber J. T. D., No. 4, Folios, 325, etc.

This property is improved by a

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and the land is productive.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale; the remainder in two equal installments, payable in six and twelve months from day of sale, and all deferred payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Title papers at cost of purchaser.

WILLIAM W. BECK, Mortgagee.
OHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct'r. ap13-ts

Administrator's Sale
—OF—
Personal Property
In Kent County, Md.

BY virtue of authority obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of Lieberman's Store, in Melitota, in the Sixth Election District of Kent county, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1912

Beginning at 2.30 o'clock P. M., the following Personal Property:

1 SORREL MARE

good worker and driver;

1 Two-Year Old Bay Colt.

1 Buggy, Set of Harness, 2 Guns, Cook Stove, 2 Hot-Air Stoves, Cupboard, Bedstead and other Household Goods; also, 1 Watch, 34 Chickens and 3 Ducks.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of Five Months will be given on a bankable note with proved security.

W. W. BECK, ADM'R.
J. H. GREENWOOD, Auct'r. ap13-ts.

Talk No. 1
THE EYE LIKE A KODAK

THE eye is constructed so wonderfully and ingeniously that the handicraft of man has as yet not been able to construct as delicate an instrument. It is like a camera—the lens to focus, the lid as a shutter, the iris or colar as a diaphram, the thick coating of the eye ball as a dark room, the nerve as the sensitive plate; and, strange as it may seem, the images are bottom side up, exactly as they are in the camera.

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Gents 20-Year Case, 7 and 15 Jewel, 16 and 18 size, Elgin or Waltham Movement, $12.50 to $15.

Gents—20-Year Case
Gents 20-Year Case, open face, Elgin or Waltham Movement, 15 Jewel, at $12.00.

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