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Happy New Year to all our readers

AT the special election in St. George's hundred Tuesday Franklyn J. Pennington, Democrat, was elected a Representative in the Delaware Legislature by a majority of 73 votes over Jacob H. Emerson, Republican. The result November 8 was a tie, necessitating a special election.

FREE RASIN declares that the white voters suffer much more than the colored in a "complicated" ballot. Whether they do or not there should be no such thing as a difficult ballot. Any test for a man's right to vote should be at the registration office. When once admitted to the elective franchise the matter of voting should be as simple as it is possible to make it.

SENATOR MCCOMAS is still potential with the Roosevelt administration. He selected the new Baltimore postmaster in the face of almost universal expression in favor of Gen. J. Stewart McDonald. Mr. W. Hall Harris is a lawyer and the son of the distinguished Morrison Harris and will no doubt fill his $7000 office with ability, but it does seem wrong for the President to so utterly ignore his party as he did in this case.

THERE is a movement on foot by which the young men in and near Chestertown may attend a night school. This new venture depends upon the co-operation of the young people. All who would like to attend a night school in Chestertown at little or no cost and would make an effort to do so are requested to send their names to the NEWS office. This is a rare opportunity which every boy and young man who is employed during the day should eagerly grasp.

THE people of the thriving town of Millington, which was almost wiped off the map last summer by the destructive fire which visited that section, have almost recovered from the disaster and were able to observe Christmas week with good cheer, while nearly all of the half a hundred families who were rendered homeless have been able to move into new and comportable quarters, one family was compelled to spend the Christmas holiday living in the second story of a stable, while another woman just removed from her chicken house in time to eat Christmas dinner in a more commodious building.

THOMAS W. LAWSON, the author of "Frenzied Finance," has stirred up the Standard Oil gang and insurance companies as they have never been aroused before. The writer is one of the "gang" but claims to be repentant and turns State's evidence. His articles are sensational but highly interesting from a literary standpoint. They will do good. When thieves fall out, then honest men will get their dues, is true in this case it is hoped. In one of his statements he says that the Republicans became scared at the indications for Bryan's election and the "system" put up five million dollars to carry five doubtful states, and they carried them!

GIVES CONTEST NOTICE

Congressman Jackson Files It With Mr. Smith Charges That 2,000 Of His Voters Were Disfranchised—Says Laws Are Unconstitutional.

Congressman William H. Jackson Wednesday, through his counsel, Mr. John C. Rose, filed notice with Mr. Thomas A Smith, who was returned as elected to Congress from the First Congressional district of Maryland, his determination to contest Mr. Smith's seat in the House of Representatives. The fact that Mr. Jackson intended to institute the contest was forecast in the NEWS some week ago.

Mr. Jackson, in the notice prepared by his counsel, declares that Mr. Smith was not legally elected, and that more than 2,000 qualified voters went to the polls for the purpose of voting for him either could not do so, because of election laws passed for the sole purpose of disfranchising Republican voters, or had their ballots thrown out because of the tricks of the Democratic election officials. He contends that the election law of 1901, and also the Wilson Ballot law passed at the last session of Legislature, are unconstitutional, and asserts that the election officials were partisans of Mr. Smith.

The notice then goes exhaustively into the testimony furnished by the Republican county workers, and claims wholesale violations of the law and fraud in practically every county in the district but particularly in Worcester and Somerset.

Mr. Smith Ready to Fight.

Mr. Smith said he had received the notice of contest from Mr. Jackson and will in a few days employ counsel to defend his right to the seat of which he was elected.

"I do not propose to lie down in this matter," he said, "but will make a fight to the last ditch to obtain my seat in Congress. I was clearly elected and will maintain this point to the last. The people elected me, and I will strive to serve them."

What's The Use?

It seems apparent that the proposed suffrage amendment will be defeated as it has only a divided party behind it. Do the leaders believe this? Gov. Warfield will oppose it and this means many votes against it. Senator Gorman hopes for success, but he surely has not looked into the situation as carefully as is his wont. Unless the leaders can get together the amendment is killed, let it be ever so meritorious. Other evils to the party will follow in its train. What then is the duty of the hour? Certainly it is for the party leaders to agree to some acceptable amendment. Then we believe the Governor would call the Legislature together and in a session of five days the whole matter could be settled. What's the use of wasting breath on what this or that leader ought to do? It is what he will do we shall have to deal. His action may bury him even so deep in future political oblivion but that does'nt help matters now. The party itself will have been licked to death before the leaders' political oblivion comes around. Do the wise thing now, even at the sacrifice of personal views, and a victory all round awaits the ticket next fall.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Gordon Stapleton, the 11-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Weston Welch, died on Sunday at the house of its parents, 116 North Baxter street, Baltimore. The remains were brought to the home of Mr. Welch's mother on Maple Avenue and the interment took place Wednesday in Chester Cemetery. Dr. Martin officiating; J. E. Ferguson undertaker, the bearers were P. A. M. Brooks and Medford Brooks.

Mrs. Martha A. Nickerson, widow of the late Samuel Nickerson, died at her home on Mill street, Chestertown, Monday morning aged 62 years. For two long years she had been an invalid and a great sufferer during all of which time she had the loving, faithful and tender ministrations of her devoted daughters and beloved sons. She was a Christian who exemplified in her life the truths she learned. The deceased leaves seven Children, viz., Samuel V., Margaret, Caddie, Mrs. H. T. Rash, John L., James A., Augustus L. The funeral was held Wednesday morning, at her home, Rev. D. L. Greenfield officaiting. Pall-bearers were Messrs. James W. Lambert. Joseph Guest, Thomas H. Topping. Fred. G. Usilton, Harry L. Boyd; interment at Kennedyville; John N. Dodd, funeral director.

Mrs. Nora C. beloved wife of William W. Coleman, died at her home 36 Schoeder street, Baltimore, on Tuesday, aged 29 years. The interment took place in Kent County.

Columbus S. Kelley, formerly of Skinner's Neck, this county, son of the late James and Ann Kelley died in Philadelphia on Thursday, Dec. 23rd, aged 58 years. He was a brother to Mr. James D. Kelly, of Rock Hall, and of Mrs. Rose Rambo, of Baltimore. A wife and five children survive.

The infant son of A. P and Martha M. Foreman, near Fairlee, died on Wednesday. Interment in the old Union cemetery. J. N. Dodd undertaker.

Thursday morning, at 8:30 o'clock Mrs. Catharine Merritt, Middletown's oldest citizen passed calmly away, in the 92d year of her age.

Mrs Merrittl eaves six children, two sons and four daughters and a host of warm friends and relatives to mourn her death: Mr. W. J. H. Lingo, of Philadelphia; Miss Mary Merritt, Messrs. Samuel and George Merritt, Miss Emma and Mrs. J. C. Staats, of Fairlee, Md.

ON Wednesday Governor Warfield appointed a number of deputy game wardens, among them being: Arthur J. Willis and George Millington, for Cecil county; Garner T. Reeves, Kent county

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Miss May Morgan is visiting in Middletown, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stanning, of Baltimore, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John F. Howard.

Miss Emma McFeeley is home for the holidays and has as her guest Miss Driver of Ridgely Park.

Mrs. Warren Painter of Dublin, Virginia, with little daughter Eunice, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Romie Strong, and owing to the prevalence of smallpox in will remain in Kent some time.

Alva V. Lampkin, Esq., has been the guest of friends during the holidays.

Mr. Thos. Reiche, of is guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom is an expert paperer, giving the folks a Xmas of newly papered rooms.

Mr. Robert Lusby, of Wilmington, visited friends in Kent this week.

Mr. Joseph Lambert, who has been with the Canning & Mercantile Company, Chestertown, has accepted a position as traveling salesman for R. Milton Norris, of Baltimore, dealer in carriages and blacksmith supplies. His territory will comprise the Eastern Shores of Maryland and Virginia.

We are glad to state that Mr. I. F. Walbert, of Lankford, is somewhat improved. He has been a great sufferer with a carbuncle on his neck.

Messrs. Leeds and Louis Barroll, of Philadelphia, spent the holidays at the home of H. H. Barroll, Esq.

Miss Jennie V. Copper, of Anderson, S. C., is spending the winter with her mother on High street.

Mr. Blackiston Perkins and family, of Germantown, were guests this week of Mrs. Perkins' mother, Mrs. M. A. Wilkins at "The Maples."

Miss Mary and Master Albert Pearce, of Middletown, have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Cooper on High street.

Mr. Joseph Snyder, of Baltimore, has succeeded Mr. Butler as expert horseshoer in Mr. S. Hick's shops on Cross street. He comes well recommended.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hatcherson gave a family dinner at their home on Christmas Day. The families of Messrs. John P., Robert G. and Wm. T. Nicholson, and Dr. Hessey were among those who enjoyed the splendid hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Hatcherson.

Mr. S. C. Singleton, wife and two sons, of Wilmington, Del., are spending the holidays with their parents and grandparents, Judge Edwin S. Morris and wife, of near Golts.

Miss Carolyn Ford is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. Ernest Biles, of the Tome Institute, Port Deposit, has been the guest this week of Mr. Spencer Biddle, near Chestertown.

Mr. Harper Benson and friend, of St. Michaels, Talbot county, was a visitor to Chestertown this week.

Mr. G. Hines Thomas and family, of Western Maryland, have been spending Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Brice on Washington avenue. The gift of plants to Chestertown by Mr. Thomas, announced in the NEWS several weeks ago, have been placed in the public square and are appreciated by the citizens.

Misses Nannie Dixon and Adele France have been visiting in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. Hiram M. Brown is spending the holidays with home folks in Cecil.

Mr. Thomas Fowler, of Flatlands, is spending Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Frank Truitt, in Baltimore.

Miss Maud and brother Barry Black, of Balt., and Harold C. Graham, of Easton, are guests of John N. Dodd and wife.

Miss Florence Curran, of Dover, is substituting in the telephone office here for Miss Etta Bacon, who has been sick.

"Radcliffe Manor," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown, on the Chester River is entertaining a delightful house party this week. On last evening a reception was given in honor of the guests.

Master Archer B. Stavely is spending the Xmas with his cousin Mrs. May Philipps in New Castle, Delaware.

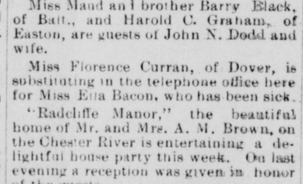
Mr. C. C. Brown, Jr., of Phila., spent Xmas with his parents near Pomona.

Mrs. James F. Vansant and daughter, of Phila., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H Lambert, Chestertown.

Miss Anna Melvin, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Sasiebelle Culp.

The home of Louis C. Ayres, near Rock Hall, was the scene of a pleasant party Wednesday given in honor of Mr. Raymond Elderdice, of Cambridge. The company were entertained by a graphaphone and various games were indulged in until 10.30 o'clock when refreshments were served. Among those present were Misses Mabel and Mattie Masin, Blanche and Agnis Lewis, Fannie Ward, Mabel and Louise Beck, Mary Groves, Helen Sutton, Nannie Sritterfield, Mary Hadaway, Rosa Ayres, Messrs. Bayard and Andrew Sutton, Howard Jones, Edgar Rice, Raymond Elderdice, Albert Groves, Robert Ayres, Marion and Walter Hadaway, and Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker.

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EARLEVILLE NOTES.

School No. 7, Miss Edith C. Alderson, teacher, held a Box Social on the evening of the 23rd. A good time was reported, and the school realized seventeen dollars, which is to be used in the purchase of an organ.

J. Powell Peacock, of Philadelphia, has been visiting his cousin, J. C. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. DuHamell dined with her brother, Templeman, on Christmas day.

Miss Ethel Loller, one of Armstrong & Cator's efficient milliners, is at her uncle's, Samuel Emmerson's.

Mr. John Oldham, on "Peach Blossom," one of Capt. A. Woodall's Cecil county farms, can beat Mr. Bartus Trew with big porkers. Mr. Oldham killed 24 hogs which averaged him 350 lbs. each.

Wm. Jones has accepted a position in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor entertained their daughters, Mrs. J. B. Bolton and family, Mrs. Thos. Creag, of this community, Miss Margaret Taylor, of Phila. and grandson, Edward Taylor, of Veasey's, Mich., on Christmas day.

H. S. DuHamell spent Sunday with Daniel Loller.

Earleville school, Miss Helen Spear teacher, held a Christmas entertainment on Friday afternoon of last week. The program consisted of music, recitations, dialogues and a cantata, a visit to Santa Clause Land. The recitations were well rendered, especially those by Emily Taylor, Mary Geisinger, Maggie Wolleyhan and all small girls. A soto by Mattie Taylor was fine, as was also a duet by Misses Helen Taylor and Anna DuHamell, after the program, was a presentation of presents to the school.

Mrs. Alice DuHamell, entertained Mrs. Hattie DuHamell and children last Saturday.

Misses Arrie and Elsie DuHamell visited their sister, Mrs. Guy Biddle, part of the past week.

Henry C. Bendler, of Wilmington, has been the guest of his grand-father, Chas. W. Clark, during the holidays.

Mr. Charles Wolleyhan and daughter Thelma, spent Sunday with her father, E. W. Biddle.

Mrs. H. P. Jones and daughter, Anna DuHamell, are guests of Philadelphia friends this week.

Misses Ellen and Emily Price are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Price, for the holidays.

Little Miss Mary Geisinger slipped on an icy porch at her home Christmas morning and received quite a deep little cut in her head. Mary did not enjoy that present.

Wm. Dempsey spent several days the first of the week the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Dempsey, in Galena.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Templeman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. DuHamell, Wednesday.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mr. Wm. S. Ellison, of St. George's, Delaware, visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander T. Laws on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. L. Ellison, of St. George's, Delaware, was entertained by his sister Mrs. Stephen A. Ford, of Ford's landing, Md., on Wednesday.

Nearly all the dealers of Cecil county have filled their storage houses with eight-inch ice.

Mr. Chas. Fillingham and family are moving to-day over in Cecil county on the Mr. Davis farm. Judge Shepherd Morris is moving to the Frank Pennington farm at Wilson Point. A very beautiful home.

Dr. E. N. Jeter and family moved on Thursday last to Millington, having purchased the beautiful home of Dr. E. G. Clark there. It is with sincere regret that Sassafras and the entire vicinity here loose Dr. Jeter and family, as they were greatly beloved here. The removal of Dr. Jeter is only because he could not rent a suitable home here. Mr. Henry Rosin was most anxious to retire from farming and thence he rented his residence here. Surely some more houses in Sassafras is needed. To think we should lose our eminent physician because there is no house. Our loss is Millington's gain.

Miss Alice Dreka entertained Miss Mary and Alice Athison, Messrs. Bayard Jones and Earle Davis on Monday for dinner at Water Ledge.

Rev. H A. Westerfield, of North East, is spoken of as successor to Rev. Dr. A. S. Mowbray as secretary of the Wilmington M. E. Conference. Dr. Mowbray will retire on account of being Presiding Elder of the M. E. Conference.

A Teacher's life certificate is to be granted to Miss Mary E. Kimball, of Appleton, Cecil County, principal of "The Big Elk" Public School. She having passed all the necessary examinations of the State Board of Education. A particular smart teacher.

Mrs. P. Newman Brooks and daughter, Miss Helen, of Philadelphia, are the guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander T. Laws.

Mr. George Bartlett, of Wilmington, is visiting his aunt Mrs. John Clothier, of Sassafras.

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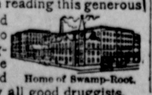
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