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POLITICAL NEWS FROM BALTIMORE.

IT IS TIME FOR DEMOCRATS TO PONDER.

Baltimore, Tuesday, Oct. 17th, 1911.

Irrespective of local conditions, the relative positions of the Republican and Democratic Parties in the State must be well considered.

The Republicans in a National sense are strongly protectionists, and they are looking and working on all sides to secure the Presidential Election next year for a Republican President, be this President, Mr. Taft or some other one of this party, who will at all times, work with and for the classes instead of the masses, and this comes home to Maryland in a very distinctive way now. Maryland is needed badly in the Republican column, and the by-play that Mr. Goldsborough (selected by one man to be the party standard-bearer, and that man the direct representative of the National Republican Administration) is making is nothing but bait to the end of carrying the State for the Republican Party next year.

No one for a moment thinks or can possibly believe that if the Democrats of the State, stand by their guns, and go to the polls and vote as they should on November 7th, that Mr. Goldsborough will be elected, he does not think so himself, because if he did, he would not make a temporary resignation of the lucrative office he holds to assume the reins again when the election is over, but his object and the sole object of the Republican Party, as seen through clear, political eyes, is to bring the Republican Vote up to a figure so close to that of the Democratic vote at this election, that with very little additional Federal patronage and Federal surveillance, that the Democratic majority, if small, can be overcome in the Presidential Election. Surely no good Democrat desires a continuation of the National Republican regime in this country. Indeed we can hardly conceive under any condition, even the most adverse, that a Democrat in Maryland, with the magnificent record of his party for 40 years in State Government to guide him, can hope to gain anything by going over to the Republican ranks. He will in no way help to clean his party of what might be termed corruption by so doing. If he is a Democrat now, he certainly will not change his inherent political opinions by going over to the Republican Party, and that party has gone on record in this State in the only administration it has had in the last half-century, as being opposed to everything progressive to the State, and its short tenor in authority brought about the most disastrous results in the history of Legislation, as the records of the Legislature will show during the Lowndes administration, and it should never be forgotten that the Democratic Party is the party of the poor man, always looking to and legislating for the interest of the working man. Just the opposite of what the Republican Party has stood for in National Government and in actions throughout the National Government protecting trusts from the time of Hays' Election as President to the present day.

The Baltimore Sun, which has not been friendly to what is known as the organization part of the Democratic Party, recently said that it would have no confidence whatever in any positive benefit from a Republican State Rule, and that what the State went through in its Republican regime from 1895 to 1899, was not a satisfactory experience, and that the very election law on which the reform campaign of 1895 was fought was passed only on the last night of the session in 1896 after a heart-breaking scrimmage against Republican resistance, and would not then have been passed without the help of the Democrats. It should also be remembered that Federal office holders are the dominant power in the Republican Party in Maryland, and that there is not an ounce of reform in the whole outfit, and to put those office holders in absolute control of our State affairs means by the turn of a crank in the City of Washington every iota of independence in Maryland can be squeezed out of the electorate and all the voters of the State made subserviant to the wish of the general government, which is practically doing away with all State Rights.

We do not know whether our friends in the Country Districts have been following the official counts of the ballot boxes as given out in Baltimore City. The differences between the official count and the Grand Jury count with the single exception of the vote between Hughes and McNulty really amounts to nothing, they are not more than the average clerical errors found in the tally sheets of election returns in the Counties. There is another feature, should the State of Maryland be turned over to the Republicans at this time, which must not be over-looked, it would mean the placing of our schools, so dear to the hearts of our people and so necessary for the formation of the character of our future citizens, under Republican control.

All decent people, and those who believe in the sanctity of the law are simply shocked at the action of the Baltimore Grand Jury in its threats as expressed in public through its foreman. Just think of a Grand Juror under the sanctity of his oath, coming out on the forum and saying before his Jury had closed its session it would put the Democratic ring out of business. We consider this extreme partisan criminality. A statement of this sort, shows a foreman of that jury so biased, it would seem almost to make a deep thinking citizen hesitate to accept the result of the jury count if it should be as he predicts. And then, think of the threat of Mr. John B. Hanna, the Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, when he says that if the ballot in the Wilson Ballot Law Counties, is arranged in any way that is not satisfactory, that he will have prosecutions instituted through the United States Courts and bases his threats on the decision of what is known as the Annapolis case. A case which is in no way like one that would occur from any election violations under the Wilson Ballot Law.

Mr. Hanna evidently forgot that the coming election is a State Election and the United States Courts have no jurisdiction even if there were violations in the Wilson Ballot Law Counties.

We think, with the Hon. Blair Lee, that this is no time for a man to change his party, and that if he is perfectly honest in his desire to have changes for what he may consider is for bettering his party, then he should get down into the ranks of the party and work to the good end because any one leaving the Democratic Party and going into the Republican Party, does not get into a cleaner nest, and naturally the deserter has to go to the bottom and work his way up, and how much easier this is to do amongst one's friends, associates and party workers than in the camp of the enemy.

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PROCLAMATION

Publication of Proposed Constitutional Amendments.

Whereas, At the January Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, held in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ten, three Acts were passed, one proposing an Amendement to Article 1 of the Constitution, by adding thereto a Section to be known as Section 8; one proposing an Amendment to Section 2 of Article 3 of said Constitution, and one proposing an Amendmen to Section 4 of Article 3 of said Constitution, said Acts being respectively Chapters 253, 303 and 318 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910, and which are in the words following, to wit:

CHAPTER 253.

An Act to propose an Amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of this State by adding thereto a new Section, to be known as Section 8, to follow Section 7 and to provide for the submission of said Amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland (three-fifths of all members of each of the two houses concurring), that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of this State, which said section, if adopted by the qualified voters of this State, shall stand as an additional section to said Article 1, to be known as Section 8, to follow Section 7, of said Article.

Section 8. All State and municipal elections shall be conducted by the system commonly known as the Australian Ballot System, and it shall be the duty of the General Assembly to provide by law for a form of ballot, uniform throughout the State, for use at all State elections in this State, and provide that on said ballot after the name of each candidate thereon who may have been duly nominated as the candidate of any political party or organization, there shall be printed the legal name of said party or organization; equal representation of the minority party among the judges and clerks of election registers or other officers performing similar functions shall not be abolished by the General Assembly unless by a vote of four-fifths of all the members of each house.

The right to be registered as a qualified voter and the right to vote at any State or municipal election in this State shall be limited to the following persons:

First: Every male white citizen not disqualified by the Second or Third Sections of this Article, possessing the qualifications as to age and residence mentioned in Section 1 of this Article.

Second: Every other male citizen not disqualified by the Second or Third Sections of this Article possessing the qualifications as to age and residence mentioned in Section 1 of this Article, who at the time of his application for registration is the bona fide owner of real or personal property, or both, in an amount of not less than five hundred dollars, is assessed therefor on the tax books of the City of Baltimore or of one of the Counties of this State, has been such owner and so assessed for two years next preceding his application for registration, shall have paid and shall produce receipts for the taxes on said property for said two years, and shall at the time of his application make affidavit before the officers of registration that he is the bona fide owner of the property so assessed to him and that he has been such owner for two years next preceding his application.

If any person other than those herein mentioned shall be or become legally entitled to be registered as voters at State Elections in this State, then this section shall be null and void and the General Assembly shall possess the same powers as if this section had never been adopted, and the laws of this State, including the local laws applicable to certain counties thereof, relating to the form of ballot to be used at elections, in force on the first day of July in the year nineteen hundred and ten, shall revive or continue in force until altered by the General Assembly notwithstanding any Acts to the contrary which may have been passed while the terms of this section shall have been in force or while the General Assembly shall have believed or assumed the provisions of this section to be valid.

Section 2. And be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid, that the aforesaid section hereby proposed as an Amendment to the Constitution shall be at the next General Election held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State, and at said General Election the vote on the said proposed Amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot shall be printed the words, "For Constitutional Amendment" and "Against Constitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed Amendment, as directed by said Fourteenth Article of the Constitution.

Approved Apr. 11, 1910.

AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
(Great Seal) Governor.
A. P. GORMAN, Jr.,
President of the Senate.
ADAM PEEPLES,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.

CHAPTER 303.

An Act to amend Section 2 of Article 3, title, "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of this State and to provide for the submission of said Amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an Amendment to Section 2 of Article 3, title, "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof, as herein provided, said section shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of Section 2 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Maryland.

2. The City of Baltimore shall be divided into four Legislative Districts as near as may be of equal population and of contiguous territory, and each of said Legislative Districts of Baltimore City, as they may from time to time be laid out, in accordance with the provisions hereof, shall each county of the State, shall be entitl to one Senator who shall be elected by qualified voters of said Legislative D tricts of Baltimore City, and of the co ties of the State, respectively, and Ba more City shall be entitled to two ad tional Senators, who shall be elected large, by the qualified voters of the s City, and all of said Senators shall se for four years from the date of their el tion, subject to the classification of Se tors hereinafter provided for.

Section 2. And be it further enacted the authority aforesaid, that the said fo going section hereby proposed as Amendment to the Constitution, shall the next election for members of the G eral Assembly of this State, to be h on the Tuesday next after the first Mond in the month of November, nineteen hu dred and eleven (1911), be submitted the legal and qualified voters thereof their adoption or rejection in pursua of the directions contained in Article 14 the Constitution of this State; and at s election the vote on said proposed Amen ment to the Constitution shall be by b lot and upon each ballot there shall written or printed the words "For Constitutional Amendment" and "Again the Constitutional Amendment," as the vo shall elect, and immediately after said el tion, due returns shall be made to Governor of the vote for and against s proposed Amendment, as directed by t said Article 14 of the Constitution.

Approved Apr. 7, 1910.

AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
(Great Seal) Governo
A. P. GORMAN, Jr.,
President of the Sena
ADAM PEEPLES,
Speaker of the House of Delegate

CHAPTER 318.

An Act to amend Section 4 of Article title "Legislative Department," of the Co stitution of this State, and to provide f the submission of said Amendment to t qualified voters of this State for adoptio or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Gener Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of the members of each of the two houses co curring, that the following section be a the same is hereby proposed as an Amen ment to Section 4 of Article 3, title "Legi lative Department," of the Constitution this State, and if adopted by the leg qualified voters thereof as herein provide said section shall supersed and stand in t place instead of Section 4 of said Artic 3 of the Constitution of Maryland.

4. As soon as may be after the takin and publishing of the National Census nineteen hundred and ten, or after t enumeration of the population of this Sta under the authority thereof, there shall an apportionment representation in t House of Delegates, to be made on the fo lowing basis, to wit:

Each of the several counties of the Sta having a population of eighteen thousan souls or less, shall be entitled to two Del gates; and every county having a popul tion of over eighteen thousand and le than twenty-eight thousand souls, shall entitled to three Delegates; and eve county having a population of twent eight thousand and less than forty tho sand souls, shall be entitled to four Del gates; and every county having a popul tion of forty thousand and less than fift five thousand souls, shall be entitled five Delegates; and every county having population of fifty-five thousand souls an upwards, shall be entitled to six Delegate and no more; and each of the four Legis lative Districts of the City of Baltimo shall be entitled to one delegate for eac one-sixth of the population of the large county in the State; provided, howeve that the representation of Baltimore Cit in the House of Delegates shall never ex ceed one-third of the membership of th House of Delegates, and, provided also that the representation of Baltimore Cit in the House of Delegates shall never b less than thirty-five in number of th membership of said House of Delegates and the General Assembly shall have th power to provide by law, from time t time, for altering and changing the boun daries of the existing legislative district of the City of Baltimore, so as to mak them as near as may be of equal popula tion but said districts shall always con sist of contiguous territory.

Section 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said fore going section hereby proposed as a Amendment to the Constitution, shall a the next election for members of the Gen eral Assembly of this State, to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Mon day in the month of November, nineteen hundred and eleven (1911), be submitte to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pur suance of the directions contained in Ar ticle 14 of the Constitution of this State and at the said election the vote on th said proposed Amendment to the Constitu tion shall be by ballot, and upon each bal lot shall be written or printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election, due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed Amendment, as di rected by the the said Article 14 of the said Constitution.

Approved April 7, 1910.

AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
(Great Seal) Governor.
A. P. GORMAN, Jr.,
President of the Senate.
ADAM PEEPLES,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Now, Therefore, I Austin L. Crothers, Governor of the State of Maryland, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of Maryland, do hereby order and direct that a copy of each of said Acts proposing said Amendments be published in at least two newspapers in each of the counties of the State, where so many may be published, in any county where not more than one newspaper may be published, then in that newspaper, and in three newspapers published in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be in the German language, once a week for at least three months preceding the election of 1911, at which said election said proposed amendments shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State, for their adoption or rejection.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland.

(Great Seal) Done at the City of Annapolis, this day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
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