THE AMERICAN UNION

Sixty-Fifth Year. DENTON, MARYLAND, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 20, 1921 $1.00 Per Year.

Winner of the Chevrolet Car Must be the Best Worker

Those Who Would Win Are Not Afraid to Ask for and to Seek for Subscriptions—They Are Bending Every Effort to Win a Grand Prize and Being Supported by Those Who Are the Town Boosters—Yesterday's Work Is But a Stepping-Stone for Good Work Today and Tomorrow—Those Who Would Be Winners Must Get Results Before the Extra Vote Periods End If They Would Win a Chevrolet Touring Car, or Other Valuable Prize—Last Extra Vote Goes Tuesday.

LAST CASH PRIZE OFFERED FOR NEXT TUESDAY

HOW THEY STAND	
Mrs. Earl White	590,000
Mrs. E. L. Hignut	585,000
Mrs. Gladys E. Roe	505,000
Mrs. C. E. Bright	500,000
Arthur McDaniel	500,000
Miss Margaret Thawley	485,000
Mrs. T. Alda Montague	390,000
Miss Fannie Saunders	390,000
Miss Sadie Garrett	495,000
Daniel Cecil	300,000
Noble W. Kelley	264,000
Morris Stevenson	200,000
Edward Towers	200,000
Miss Jessie Betson	225,000

True to the old saying "you can't keep a real man (or woman) down," the real workers in The American Union contest, those who understand the value of systematic work, are coming to the front in the standing of candidates, and staying there. They are using judgment by getting into the front rank and in this way are showing their friends that they WANT the Chevrolet Touring Car, that they are trying to win it, and that they expect the support of their friends to the extent of a subscription to their home paper.

They are realizing that they have to ASK to receive; that they have to SEEK to find; and when they ask for and seek for subscriptions, they get them, for all enterprizing citizens, those who are interested in their home town and in the various enterprizes which are assisting in its growth and advancement, are showing their appreciation of the effort made and the work being done by the local paper, and are renewing or subscribing for The American Union, now; the workers further realize that if they seek for these subscriptions early and late, The American Union will pay them liberally in prizes and cash commissions, for in this contest all are guaranteed something, either a prize or a cash commission.

The American Union Contest ends Saturday, October 29th. If prospective subscribers spoke the truth when they promised to assist a candidate with a subscription the last week, they will hand it in NOW. They will not delay so long that their subscription will not count in the way of votes, but will give it before next Tuesday, October 25th., when the last Extra Votes will be given—or better, they will subscribe TODAY.

Those candidates who are prone to think of the good work they did yesterday, the number of subscriptions they solicited yesterday, are reminded that TODAY and TOMORROW MUST SEE RESULTS, if YESTERDAY'S RECORD BE MAINTAINED. It makes no difference HOW WELL candidates worked last week, if they do not work THIS WEEK and NEXT WEEK, while the EXTRA VOTES are being given, they will be left far behind in the race for a Chevrolet Touring Car. Any worker who stops to think will realize that it is to his interest to work now while the last EXTRA VOTES are being given. He will brush from his mind the idea that the good work of yesterday will make him a winner and will oct TODAY and TOMORROW.

Awarded Cash Prize

Mrs. E. L. Hignutt was the winner of the $10.00 Cash Prize given this week. This candidate is not, however, the only one who has worked during this period. The standing of the candidates shows that there are other workers whose great goal is the winning of the Chevrolet Touring car.

Last Extra Vote

Until Saturday, October 22nd, an EXTRA VOTE of 120,000 wil be given for every $10.00 worth of subscription business turned in. Until Tuesday, October 25th, an EXTRA VOTE of 100,000 will be given for every $10.00 turned in. These are POSITIVELY the last EXTRA VOTES to be given. After Tuesday, October 25th, NO EXTRA VOTES OF ANY KIND WILL BE GIVEN. Those who would win must work UNCEASINGLY.

Last Cash Prize

There will be two Cash Prizes awarded on next Tuesday, October 25th. The first prize of $10.00 will go to the worker who does the BEST work for the week . The second prize, $5.00, will go to the worker who turns in the second greatest amount of business. The winners of these last cash prizes will not only win a prize that is good for a week's work, but will have the GREAT ADVANTAGE of the Great Number of extra votes which are given with each $10.00 turned in. The title of Best means a great deal in the American Union contest, and it is the only title a candidate can afford to wear if he expects to win a Chevrolet Touring Car.

VAUGHN C. WYATT

The remains of Vaughn C. Wyatt arrived here at his home on Monday evening from France. He was killed in action on November 5, 1918, just six days before the Armistice was signed. Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. A. Leach officiating, assisted by Rev. Melvin G. Morris. Interment took place in Harrington Cemetery. He was a member of Company C, 313th Infantry. **He was 24 years of age. Surviving are his mother and one sister. The funeral was largely attended by his many friends here.**

SPECIAL PASTURES FOR HOGS AND SHEEP PROVE EFFICIENT AND ECONOMIC

Though a considerable number of successful stockmen of Maryland have made excellent use of temporary pasture crops, it is doubtful if there is a general enough appreciation of the high value of special crops for both hogs and sheep.

Rye, wheat, soybeans, cowpeas, oats-and peas, oats-and rape, alfalfa, and clover are some of the crops that may be used in Maryland as sources of green feed for sheep and swine. At this season of the year plans may well be made for supplying green feed during late fall, winter and early spring. Indeed, it is not too early to make plans for the growing of green feeds for use during the entire year.

Either rye or wheat may be used to supply green feed during the fall and spring, and under some conditions, during at least part of the winter. If it is especially desired to secure feed in abundance during the fall, winter and very early spring, rye is probably superior to wheat. If it is desired to have a crop that will furnish pasture through a relatively long grazing period in spring and early summer, the wheat would be expected to prove superior to rye, which heads early and soon becomes too tough for grazing to good advantage.

Whatever forage crop is used, it is important to grow it on land that is fertile and well drained so that a generous production of forage may be secured, provided weather conditions are favorable.

The use of green forage crop which will supply pasturage during the fall, winter and spring is highly advantageous, (1) in supplying valuable feed (and in addition to providing protein, carbohydrates, fat and ash the green feeds are an important source of vitamines which are now known to be of great value in promoting the growth and health of animals); (2) in reducing the need for such supplemental feeds as linseed meal, cotton seed meal, wheat middlings, tankage, fish meal, or skimmed milk, which are not always readily and cheaply available; (3) in encouraging breeding animals to take adequate exercise at a time when there is often a tendency to take too little; (4) in providing better sanitary conditions than often exist when animals are confined to restricted quarters in which good ventilation and light are not provided, and in which there may be large accumulations of manure; and (5) in providing for an economical and efficient utilization of the valuable manure produced by the animals which use the pasture.

One strong indication of the value of temporary pastures for sheep and swine is furnished by the good results that are secured by the farmers who regularly make intelligent use of them. Though there are many fine illustrations of the value of this practice, yet far too many farmers confine both sheep and hogs to very small enclosures during a large part of the year, and supply little or no green feed during the time the animals are so confined. A more general adoption of th easily grown and relatively inexpensive crops suitable forth is use will be attended by a more economical production, which means increased profits as well as greater satisfaction on the part of the producer —B. E. Carmichael, Animal Husbandry Specianst, University of Maryland.

WILLIAM J. DICKERSON

Mr. William J. Dickerson, who resided on a farm near Goldsboro, died Wednesday. The funeral will be held on Sunday at 1 o'clock at his late home and interment will be made in Mt. Olive Cemetery.

J. Ed Nichols has on display a large line of ladies' coats.

ANOTHER BASE BALL GAME HERE SAT.

Base ball season in Denton ended some weeks ago, but some of the boys have arranged for another game which in all probability will be the last of the season, with Federalsburg for this Saturday.

Federalsburg was whipped last Saturday 5-0 by Ridgely, and our boys plan to repeat the process.

As most of our regular team have gone to school it has been necessary to secure a little outside help to fill up the ranks. Buck Lord at first base, Bill Rickards in centre field and Buck Herzog of the Louisville champions at second, ought to insure a good game.

Hummer will pitch for Federalsburg. He is the only pitcher who defeated the Blue Ridge league this summer.

The game is called for three o'clock and a large crowd should be there to see what promises to be a mighty interesting match.

BOYS TAKE RIBBONS IN PIG CONTEST

Although Edgar Palmer, a Harford county boy club member, had no entries in the pure bred pig contest for boy club members at the Timonium Fair, his Berkshire sow which took a ribbon last year, took first prize in the junior yearling class, captured the senior championship ribbon and won the grand championship in open competition against a fine assortment of stock shown by experienced breeders from all parts of the state.

Young Palmer's achievement shows not only the practical value of club work in teaching boys how to manage high class livestock but indicates its value in introducing into a county superior individuals as foundation stock.

While Cecil county carried off the bulk of the prize money in the boy's club contest, winning $203 and carrying off three championships, six firsts, five seconds, two thirds, two fourths and three fifths, the exhibits were far more representative and of better quality than last year, showing a greatly increased interest throughout the state in this line of work.

Championship ribbons were won by John J. Shelly of Freeland; Joseph Hornberger of Bel Air. Norwood Thornton, of Elkton, Alfred Smith of Middletown, Del., Franklin Coley of Havre de Grace and Ernest Wood of North East.

Other prizes were as follows:

Duroc Jersey junior sows—John W. Shelly, Freeland, first; Reynolds Mackie, Childs, second; Paul Baker, Churchville, third; Percy Shortall, Easton, fourth; Fred Linkous, Pylesville, fifth.

Duroc Jersey junior boars—Joseph Hornsberger, Bel Air, first; Edward Hornberger, Fallston, second; Donald Fromm, Pikesville, third; Milo Downey, Hagerstown, fourth; Joseph Williams, fifth.

Duroc Jersey senior sows—Joseph Hornsberger, Bel Air, first; Hugh Vaughn, Bel Air, second; Charles Barbon, Elkton, third; William Drinkard, Cox Station, fourth; Joseph Williams, Elkton, fifth.

Duroc Jersey senior boars—Edward Wilderson, Bel Air, first, Manlove Bouchelle, Cecilton, second.

Poland China junior sows—Norwood Thornton, Elkton, first; James Lamdin, Port Deposit, second; Harry Masemore, Freeland, third.

Poland China junior boars—James Lamdin, Port Deposit, first; William Voshell, Preston, second; Edward Edelin, Bryantown, third.

Poland China senior sows—Warren Rice, Sylmar, first; Herbert Churchman, North East, second; Jerome H. Meyer, Bryantown, third.

Poland China senior boars—Alfred Smith, Middletown, Del., first.

Berkshire junior sows—Franklin Coley, Havre de Grace, first; Edmond Scotten, Bel Air, second; Robert Pearce, Sparks, third; Alfred Wood, North East, fourth; Lester H. Martin, Hagerstown, fifth.

Berkshire junior boars — Ernest Wood, North East, first; Herbert Hoopes, Bel Air, second; Frank Hanna, Bel Air, third; Lester Norquest, Pocomoke, fourth, Hilton Cecil, Middletown, Del., fifth.

Berkshire senior sows—Charles F. Cushing, Highland, first; William Bay, White Hall, second; Marion Davidson, Middletown, Del., third; Richard Swegger, North East, fourth.

Berkshire senior boars — Joseph Hoopes, Bel Air, first; Norman Cathcart, Jarrettsville, second.

Chester White junior sows—Leoniel Ensor, Sparks, first and second.

Hampshire junior sows—Robert Jaquette, Elkton, first and second.

In an exhibit for colored boys doing club work, Mitchell Marshall won first place and Samuel Sarcon, second, with their pure bred Hampshire sows. Joseph Stevenson won first prize with his Hampshire boar.

In addition to these regular prizes offered by the Timonium Fair Association, added prize money was offered the winners in each class by the American Duroc Jersey Association, the Poland China Breed Promotion Committee, the Berkshire Swine Record Association, and the American Hampshire Record Association.

COUNT ILYA TOLSTOY TO LECTURE AT WASHINGTON COLLEGE

President Gould announces that Count Ilya Tolstoy, who tendered his services some weeks ago to the Committee for Relief of Russian American Youth and Destitute in America, and is now making a tour of the states at the invitations of Women's Clubs, Colleges, etc., for the purpose of giving free lectures as to conditions in Russia, will lecture in the Auditorium, William Smith Hall, on Wednesday, October 26th, at 8 p. m. No admission fee will be charged.

Choptank Community Exhibit

There will be a community exhibit at Choptank the 28th and 29th of October. Speakers will be secured for the first evening. Cream and cake will be on sale the last evening. The public is cordially invited.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONNAIRES

Sent to Candidates to the Legislature by the League of Women Voters

At a state convention of the League of Women Voters held in Annapolis last summer, a program of legislation, relating to child welfare, the guardianship of public health, the political status of women, etc., was adopted. These measures will come before the Legislature this winter, and the league has sought by means of questionnaires to ascertain the attitude of the candidates to both houses of the General Assembly throughout the state. In pursuance of this the Caroline County League of Women Voters submitted the questionnaires to the eight candidates in the county. All of the gentlemen have expressed themselves concerning the measures, and in most cases were glad of the opportunity of telling the public their attitude on these measures. Space does not permit us to publish all of these answers in one week's issue, but they will all be published before election and all voters are requested to save this copy of The American Union until all the answers are published for the sake of comparison and due consideration.

The questionnaire reads as follows:

1. A state children's code. At the request of the Maryland League of Women Voters a children's code commission will be appointed to codify and simplify the existing state laws concerning children and to prepare a children's code for submission to the legislature.

2. A state department of child hygiene. This department will administer the Sheppard Towner fund, an appropriation from the state to equal the amount of federal aid will be needed.

3. Equal guardianship of children. Under the present Maryland law the father is the sole guardian of a minor child. The proposed law will make father and mother equal guardians.

4. Raising the age of consent for girls to eighteen. The present Maryland law makes an offense against a girl of fourteen, or under, a crime. The proposed law will raise this age protection to eighteen.

5. A law requiring health certificates from persons applying for a marriage license. Certificate to be from a reputable physician and to cover feeble mindedness, epilepsy, insanity, active tuberculosis and venereal diseases.

6. Amending the present mothers' pension law to make it effective. The Maryland Mothers' Pension law which was passed in 1916 has certain defects that make it practically inoperative. The proposed amendments are:

Under section 1: To omit that part of the section which reads, "Provided, however, That instead of appointing the Board for Mothers' Relief of Baltimore City as provided in this section, the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City may in its discretion, devolve the duties imposed by this act upon said Board for Mothers' Relief upon the Supervisor of City Charities of Baltimore City."

Under section 5: After the words "not exceeding one tenth of a mill" to insert the words "on the dollar."

Also, under section 5 to amend to increase the amount of allowance for one child to twenty-five ($25), for the next child fifteen dollars ($15), and for each additional child ten dollars ($10), the total relief for any one family not to exceed sixty dollars ($60) a month.

The present law allows twelve dollars ($12) for the first child, ten dollars ($10) for the next and six dollars ($6) for each additional child, the total not to exceed forty dollars ($40) a month.

7. Amending the marriage and divorce law. To make the grounds of "proven unchastity of wife before marriage" apply to both husband and wife.

8. A general political disabilities bill. Removing all political disabilities of women, making it possible for them to hold any elective or appointive office.

9. Permitting women to serve on juries. Providing exemption for the mothers of young children in addition to the usual exemptions allowed men.

Mr. Lawrence B. Towers, Republican candidate for the senate answered as follows: 1, 2, 3, 4, "Favorable"; 5, favorable but adds that doctors are not to charge too large a fee; 6, favorable and under section 5 adds "also a pension for fathers"; 7, 8, 9, "favorable."

Dr. M. Bates Stevens, Democratic candidate for the senate, answered the questions as follows:

1. "I think such a code desirable and feasible." 2. "I favor the creation of such a department. It will finally be more economical than the present plan and more effective." 3. "I will support, if elected, a bill making father and mother equal guardians." 4. "I will support such a bill." 5. "Such a law seems practicable. It will promote health and help to stamp out insanity." 6. "I favor the proposed amendments." 7. "I affirm this recommendation. I don't believe in a double standard of morals." 8. "I favor this proposition and will vote for it if elected." 9 " I favor this recommendation and will vote for it if elected."

Mr. Sherman L. Tribbitt, Republican candidate for the House of Delegates answers in favor of the measures.

Mr. Martin C. Voss, Democratic candidate for the House of Delegates thinks the measures important and that should be enacted into laws and pledges his support for them, if he is elected.

Minstrel Show at Hillsboro

Saturday night a minstrel show will be presented at the Hillsboro Theatre. The program will consist of songs, dances and magic tricks all shown in dark face vaudeville.

The company producing the show is composed of young men of this locality who are expecting to go on the road shortly. Your presence Saturday night would encourage them and at the same time afford pleasure to you.

Have you seen the good quality suits mentioned in Everngam's ad?

EPWORTH LEAGUERS HELD CONVENTION

Large Gatherings Wednesday and Thursday Mark Interest Shown in Work

MISS SHIPMAN AN OFFICER

The thirty-first annual convention of the Epworth League for Middletown district of the Wilmington Conference convened at Centreville on Wednesday, October 12th in the Methodist Episcopal Church. The district president, the Rev. Mr. J. A. Leach, of Greensboro, was present and presided.

The afternoon session Wednesday was opened with devotional exercises led by the Rev. Mr. A. B. Frye and the afternoon was devoted to Junior work, covering a report by the Junior Superintendent, Miss M. E. Maddux, and an address by Miss Lelia Taylor, of Philadelphia.

The evening service opened with a praise service conducted by the choir. This was followed by a splendid address by the Rev. Mr. J. C. Beiri, D. D., of Kensington, Pa. At the close of the service a delightful social hour was spent in the Sunday School room where the convention was entertained by the Centreville League and refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

The Rev. Mr. W. A. Wise, district superintendent, led the morning watch service Thursday which was followed by a communion and testimony service. At the regular morning session "The Young Peoples Obligation to the Future League" was discussed by the Rev. Mr. O. E. Jones of Chestertown, and Dr. Wise. The reports from the various chapters of the district were presented. Miss Lena Lewis of Greensboro gave a comprehensive talk on the institute, its aims and a discription of the work and social and religious activities.

At the afternoon session, the Rev. Mr. G. E. Sterling, of Gelena, demonstrated numerous plans of social entertainment for league workers. The Rev. Mr. J. E. Crowther, pastor of Arch street M. E. Church, Philadelphia, gave his inspiring address "The Switzerland of the Soul." This was followed by a song and consecration service.

Thursday evening, the nominating committee reported the election of officers for the ensuing year.

Dr. Crowther was the speaker of the evening and made a very earnest appeal in behalf of missions, his subject being "Who Shall Rule Africa Tomorrow." The closing exercises were impressive.

An invitation to the convention to meet in Denton next year was accepted.

The cabinet is as follows:

President, Rev. J. A. Leach, of Greensboro.

First Vice President, Rev. M. E. Wheatley, Centreville.

Second Vice President, Miss Edna Shipman, Denton.

Third Vice President, Mrs. Harvey B. Moore, Betterton.

Fourth Vice President, Miss Mabel Norris, Still Pond.

Secretary, Miss Isabel Rowlenson, Sherwood.

Treasurer, Mrs. Allan Walls, Sudlersville.

Junior League Superintendent, Miss M. Eleanor Maddux, Centreville.

Assistant Junior League Superintendent, Mrs. Walter Crew, Betterton.

The convention was one of the most successful and enjoyable ever held in this district, this being particularly remarked by the district superintendent in a brief address Thursday afternoon.

The program was good and was presented without the frequent substitutions and eliminations that often mark a convention program.

The hospitality of the people of Centreville was delightful and hearty and every one was made to feel a cordial welcome.

Denton chapter was represented by the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hills, Mr. Fred Bowdle, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. C. Hegeman.

Telephone C. Increasing in Size

The property of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company in Maryland is worth more than $17,500,000, according to the latest figures of the company. It is constantly being increased, as more people request telephone service.

Three million dollars is being spent in Maryland in 1921 to extend and improve service. Every section of the State will benefit by this expenditure. The rural lines especially will feel it, because much wire is being strung in order to lessen the average number of farmers' stations on each line. In some sections where there have been from 15 to 20 stations on a line, the number is being cut to 10 or less. This is done in compliance with a promise of the company to the Maryland Public Service Commission to improve service wherever possible.

Since the company's plant is constantly increasing, as is the number of telephone subscribers, the net revenue is mounting higher than before. However, revenues are increasing only in proportion to the value of the plant. It is through the ratio of income to plant value that the Public Service Comission sets the rates of the company:

During the first six months of 1921 the company earned 5.6 per cent on its fair value.

Little Miss Green Entertains

Miss Anne Green entertained several friends on Monday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock, the occasion being her ninth birthday. Those present were the Misses Anne Green, Francis Lee Cooper, Elizabeth Dulin, Kathleen Moore, Elizabeth Wine, Francis Hignutt, Julia Wilson, Ruth Greaves, Betty Walls, Eliza Hall Goldsborough and Masters Charles Moore and George Hall Goldsborough.

All the new materials—silks, Canton crepes—at new low prices, at J. Ed Nichols' store.

REVIVAL SERVICES BEGIN SUNDAY BY M. P.S

Revival services are to be held in the M. P. Church each evening from October 23d to November 6th, at 7:30 p. m. Every one is cordially invited to come to the services for the purpose of getting a little nearer God.

There will be especially good music, led by Miss Edna Pretzman, of Baltimore. Miss Pretzman is a singer herself, and will make that feature of the service worth while.

Come out, every one, and join in this worship.

GRAND ROUND OF DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS

Meetings to start on October 21, to close on November 5th as follows:

Hickman, Friday, Oct. 21, 7.30 p. m. Federalsburg, Saturday, Oct. 29, 3.00 p. m; Henderson, Saturday, Oct. 22, 7.30 p. m; Goldsboro, Monday, Oct. 24, 7.30 p. m; Bridgetown, Tuesday, Oct. 25, 7. 30 p. m; Burrsville, Wednesday, Oct. 26, 7.30 p. m; American Corner, Thursday, Oct. 27, 7.30 p. m; Harmony, Friday, Oct. 28, 7.30 p. m; Hillsboro, Saturday, Oct. 29, 7.30 p. m; Bethlehem, Monday, Oct. 31, 7.30 p. m; Choptank, Tuesday, Nov. 1, 7.30 p. m; Preston, Wednesday, Nov. 2, 7.30 p. m; Denton, Thursday, Nov. 3, 2.00 p. m; Greensboro, Friday, Nov. 4, 7.30 p. m.; Ridgely, Saturday, Nov. 5, 7.30 p. m.

In all towns where there is no hall a large tent will be used. A band will attend all the meetings. Refreshments will be served by the ladies at all meetings. Speakers for the different meetings will be announced by separate hand-bills.

J. KENNARD JONES

J. Kennard Jones, aged 50 years, of Philadelphia, died Sunday night, October 16, of peritinitis at his home in Philadelphia after being in bad health for about a year. Mr. Jones was a telegrapher in Broad Street Station for a number of years. His father was a Methodist minister.

Twenty-three years ago he married Miss Virginia Carter, who was born and raised in Greensboro. Mrs. Jones survives her husband with one daughter, Margaret.

Burial took place Wednesday at 2 p. m. from his late home in Philadelpria. Mr. John T. Carter of this place is a brother of Mrs. Jones and he with his family went to Philadelphia Wednesday morning to attend the funeral services.

Soccer Game

There will be a soccer game on the base ball field Saturday morning, when the teams of William Cheezum and Reginald Rigens battle for supremacy. Go watch the boys play and encourage them in their work.

Public Sale

Next Monday Mr. W. W. Newcomer will sell his farm machinery and some household goods at his home on the Burrsville road about one mile east of town. The articles for sale are in good condition and should bring a good price.

BALTIMORE FIRM BUYS SCHOOL BONDS

Bids on the Caroline County school bons, advertised several weeks ago, were opened Tuesday. They ran as follows:

Wm. A. Stewart, Denton, $100; Denton National Bank, $101; Mackenbin, Goodrich & Co., Baltimore, $102.6789; Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company, Baltimore, $103.34; Werlipp, Bruton & Company, Baltimore, $103.14; Baker, Watts & Company, $104.639.

The bonds were sold to the last-named concern at o total price of $41,855.60.

SPECIAL SERVICES TO BE HELD IN CHRIST CHURCH

The Middle Convocation of the Diocese of Easton, will be held October 24 and 25 in Christ Church, Denton. The meetings will be open to the public and every one is cordially invited to hear the fine addresses.

The program follows:

Monday, 7: 30 p. m.—Short service. Addresses: "Social Service," the Rev. Mr. F. J. Bohanan; "Missions and The Centennial," the Rev. Mr. Aiward Chamberlaine.

Tuesday, 10 a. m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion.

10:30 a. m.—Business meeting.

12:15 p. m.—The Church School—Miss Helen I. Jennings.

2 p. m.—Conference on the Nation Wide Campaign, addresses by the Rev. Mr. L. I. Insley and the Rev. Mr. Charles E. Atwater.

3:15 p. m.—The Church and the Young People, by the Rev. Mr. R. B. Mathews.

Record of School Attendance

We are very glad to find that our school attendance in Caroline County shows twenty-two schools attaining the 90 per cent mark in attendance for the month of September. The schools reaching this standard are listed as follows:

Federalsburg, 90 per cent; Choptank, 90 per cent; Harmony 90 per cent; Hickory Hill, 91 per cent; Ridgely High, 91 per cent; Greensboro, 92 per cent; Preston, 92 per cent; Hickman, 92 per cent; Camp Grove, 93 per cent; Nabbs, 93 per cent; Ridgely Primary 93 per cent; Smithville, 93 per cent; Chestnut Grove 93 per cent; American Corner, 94 per cent; Denton Primary, 94 per cent; Gareys', 94 per cent; Whitby's 94 per cent; Central, 95 per cent; Caroline High, 95 per cent; Hillsboro, 95 per cent; Williston, 96 per cent; Thawley's 96 per cent.

The attendance banners were awarded to Denton Grammar and Thawley's Rural schools.

Hallowe'en Sale at Williston

There will be a Hallowe'en sale of cake, candy, and clippings at Williston school on Friday, October 28. The proceeds are for the benefit of the school. Everyone is cordially invited to attend and have a good time.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

REPLY TO AN ARTICLE PUBLISHED IN THE CAROLINE SUN AND DENTON JOURNAL, ENTITLED "DON'T BE FOOLED" AND SIGNED "OLD SUBSCRIBER"

To the Editor of The American Union:

Replying to an article published in the Caroline Sun of October First, and the Denton Journal of October the Eighth last, entitled "Don't be fooled" and signed "Old Subscriber," I wish to say, that I had hoped this campaign would be conducted on a high plane and not descend to a campaign of falsification and mud-slinging, but my hopes have been blasted, and I find myself confronted with the article above referred to, where most of the statements made are false and absolutely without foundation in fact.

The statement that I have been running over the County promising Democratic friends, if elected, that I will place STONE ROADS there, here and everywhere else in the County is untrue. I am, however, in favor of all the GOOD ROADS (Stone, Shell or Dirt) that the State and County can possibly build, (as we are in great need of many of them) without increasing the taxes, for they are as high at the present time as the people can endure under these trying times.

The statement that I put Mr. John T. Carter out of the Clerkship race is untrue, for I was for Mr. Carter and had informed our present candidate Mr. J. Alda Jackson of the fact, several weeks before we held our first Republican meeting in the Court House. At Mr. Carter's request, Mr. Willard C. Todd and myself, went in Mr. Carter's car driven by his son, Deweese Carter, to the home of Mr. Jackson to see if we could not persuade him to get out of the Clerkship race in favor of Mr. Carter.

The statement that my brother, T. Fred Towers, is slated for the Denton postmastership is equally untrue, for the Government advertised that all applications for the Denton postmastership must be filed in Washington, D. C., by August the Twelfth, last. There were only four candidates who filed their applications, namely, Messrs. Alcenus E. Cooper, John T. Carter, Somers Blake and Samuel G. Nuttle. My brother never filed an application, and this is general knowledge to everyone who keeps posted as to current events.

The statement that I boasted of owning several hundred Democratic Voters in Caroline County is a malicious lie, and was concocted by some scheming person who wished to injure me by placing me in a false light before the citizens of the County, but who did not have backbone or courage enough sign his name to his libelous article. I further state that I will donate the sum of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS to the County School Fund, if any reputable citizen will go in court and state on his oath, before a jury of twelve men, that he ever heard me make such a statement.

I have nothing to fear from anything that may be stated or published about me, if it is the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

Very respectfully,

LAWRENCE B. TOWERS

Denton, Md. Oct. 12th, 1921

P. S. The above letter was offered to the Caroline Sun and Denton Journal, and both refused to publish it, although the writer offered to pay advertising rates for same.

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