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Sixty-Fifth Year. DENTON, MARYLAND, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 10 1921 $1.00 Per Year.

TOWERS WINS BY BIG MAJORITY OVER STEPHENS

Lawrence B. Towers was elected as Senator from Caroline County by an overwhelming majority of 709 votes, defeating Dr. M. Bates Stephens, the Democratic candidate. This contest was the hottest election fight in many years in this county and was won by Mr. Towers through his personal knowledge of the people with whom he had to deal and by the cleanness of the campaign which he waged, abstaining from everythng which bordered on the mud-slinging stage.

The Democrats were determined that Mr. Towers was not going to get the election and did all in their power to defeat him and even at the end of the day Tuesday were confident

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THIRD PRIZE—$40 WRIST WATCH

MISS SADIE GARRETT

Following is the report of the exact vote cast by the workers in The American Union Subscription Contest—

	Votes
Miss Margaret Thawley	1,115,900
Mrs. T. Alda Montague	610,100
Mrs. Gladys E. Roe	1,752,300
Arthur McDaniel	1,565,700
Mrs. Earl White	7,058,000
Mrs. Effie L. Hignutt	9,280,000
Mrs. C. E. Bright	2,045,700
Miss Sadie Garrett	3,410,500
Miss Fannie Saunders	765,000

J. HOWARD PASTORFIELD,
IDA SIMMONS,
W. I. NORRIS,
Judges.

The American Union subscription campaign came to an end Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, when the contest for the three big prizes offered by the American Union closed and the ballots accredited to the candidates were turned over to Mr. W. I. Norris, Miss Ida Simmons and Mr. J. Howard Pastorfield, who acted as the official judges and made the count. Throughout the contest there was intense interest, and the friends of the various candidates stood by them loyally to the end, while the candidates worked earnestly and faithfully with the result that many new subscribers have been added to The American Union subscription list. The Union regrets that all of the candidates could not have been winners of a first prize, but each candidate made a most creditable showing, and each is to be heartily congratulated. Those not winning one of the grand prizes or not having won a cash prize during the contest, and who competed to the end, were given checks for commissions earned.

MERS ASSOCIATION PLANS CO. EXHIBIT

recent meeting of the Caroline Farmers Association it was first, that a County Exhibit ll is highly desirable and sec- give any assistance possible making such an exhibit a suc-

Association voted in favor of as prizes rather than small, icant cash prizes.

ad of having competitive exhibits from the various dis- the exhibits will simply be each kind to itself. For in- all of the corn exhibits will ther and all the canned goods together.

will be a number of special of an educational nature. One e will show the common dis- f various farm crops, fruits etables and the methods of It is believed an exhibit of nd will be of more practical han one which merely shows fruit or vegetables.

quite probable that there will educational exhibit along the women's work, such as cook- h a pressure cooker, the value as a food and the use of a orm.

hoped that the poultry exhibit oen of the main features this

planned to rent small booths to cial firms in which they may their wares. Small charges e will help to defray the ex- n connection with the exhibit. the same things may be ex- this year as at County exhib- e past.

robable that at the same time regular exhibit, there will be bit of pure bred pigs raised Boys' club members, and an of pure bred hogs and cattle. planned to hold this exhibit in onic Hall during the last week mber.

ROBERT C. RICE

leath of Robert C. Rice of occurred at his home Tues- t, following an illness of a r. Rice was one of the promi- n of the county, having served sheriff. He was a native of ania. He leaves a widow sons.

neral services will be held at e in Williston on Friday at ., and interment will be made metery at West Denton.

The Point Of View

race is not always he swift, not many wheelbarrows entered e 500-mile Speedway s.

men seem to be born on the le.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR OCTOBER

Further particulars may be obtained from the county agent.

Our per cent of school attendance for the month of October shows 22 schools reaching the 90 per cent mark. They are recorded as follows:

Nichols, 99 per cent; Baltimore Corner 97; Lowes, 97; Denton High, 97; Hillsboro, 97; Smithville, 97, American Corner, 97; Denton Grammar, 96; Williston, 96; Federalsburg High, 95; Hickman, 95; Ridgely Elem., 93; Ridgley High, 93; Nabbs', 93; Camp Grove 93; Oaks, 93; Goldsboro, 93; Garey's, 92; Federalsburg Elem., 91; Chestnut Grove, 90; Thawley's 90; Harmony, 90; Whitely's, 90.

The attendance banners were awarded to Nichols Rural and Hillsboro Elementary.

The per cent of attendance of the colored schols for thes ame month shows six schools reaching the 80 per cent mark:

Denton, 86; Mission, 85; Castle Hall 84; Washington, 83; Federalsburg, 82; Tuckahoe, 82.

The banner was awarded to the Denton school.

Eastern Shore Making Improvements

Offices of the Eastern Shore Gas & Electric Company have been enlarged, extending the front office 15 feet farther back, thus giving more room and making the office more attractive and less crowded. An addition was made to the rear of the store.

A professional booster of everything is pretty hard to believe.



LAWRENCE B. TOWERS

greater power than ever before because he spoke to the greatest audience ever gathered, upon Armistice Day the president will speak to men and women gathered to hear him in cities that span the continent.

He will have an opportunity for talking to his fellows never heretofore given to the head of this or any other nation. It will initiate a new era in oratory, heretofore undreamed of.

In addition to the President's voice, all of the solemn ceremonies, the buglers' "taps," the hymns, the words of the foreign ministers as they bestow honors upon this soldier and the solemn burial phrases will be carried surely and distinctly across the continent.

For several weeks past organizers of the American Legion and the engineers of the Bell system have been working together to bring about these meetings and the transmission of these Arlington ceremonies. Everything that the engineers have done has been dedicated by the fact that Armistice Day will be the most solemn minute in the history of America. For that reason the American Legion, veterans, who have vital part in the day's events, were asked to co-operate. Although numerous opportunities were offered by which the President's speech could be directd to miscellaneous channels, those in charge adopted a firm policy of sticking to the original plan and thus insuring success from the standpoint not only of the engineers and technical men, but from the standpoint of the solemnity of the occasion.

This opportunity for so many peo-

One of the miraculous effects of the "Loud Speaker" is in the perfect control of the power, whereby the voice can be made to carry for a mile or more but at no point is the audience aware of any mechanical effect. One can stand in front of the speaker, turn around and walk for half a mile while the speech is going on, but he will be unable to detect where he passes from the zone of actual voice into the area served by the "Loud Speaker." There is no raucous effect, one simply hears a voice as if it were coming out of the air, a perfect voice and thoroughly recognizable.

HOBBS

Mrs. Frank Adams visited her sister Mrs. Butler, of Tuckahoe Neck in the early part of the week.

Miss Nora Dunning was visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hull a few days last week.

Willard Hull has sold his flock of ducks to Mr. L. H. Thomas.

Miss Moore and Mr. Roland Trice, both of near Federalsburg, were quietly married at the parsonage by the Rev. Mr. A. W. Betts on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Robert Starkey visited his family here the first of the week.

Mr. George Henry has moved from Andersontown to his residence in this place whch he purchased from Mr. R. J. Chaffinch.

Even though you do one thing well, you probably could do it better.

BOWDLE'S MARKET

During the excitement that prevailed in town election night, thieves broke into the meat store of O. C. Bowdle and stole about $15 worth of goods. It is impossible to tell how much fruit was taken, but a whole cheese, a box of chipped beef and one of frankfurts and 10 packages of crackers were taken. Evidently the thieves were after something to eat rather than money, for the contents of the cash register had not been disturbed.

About 1:30 a. m. there was a great racket in front of the store, which apparently came from some men who were tinkering with a car. It is believed that this noise was made by confederates to cover the sound of the sawing at the lock. This was a daring robbery, for the store is so near to Main Street, where the remains of the election crowds were passing.

DISCRETION

judge, "will you have trial by judge or jury?"

"By jury, your honor," said the defendant. "I'll take no chance on you."

you mean to say that I would—"

"I don't mean to say nothing," said the prisoner, stoutly, "but I ain't takin' no chances. I done some plumbin' work for you last winter."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

You think you are taking a vacation but generally it's the vacation that's "taking" you.

CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT



GEORGE A. DEAKYNE

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