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REGISTRATION NOTICE.

To the Voters of Kent County.

In compliance with Article 33, Code of Public General Laws, titled "Elections," sub-title "Registration," as amended by Chapter 573, of the acts of 1890, notice is hereby given that the Officers of Registration for Kent county will sit for the purpose set forth in said Article.

The Sept. Sitting

will be on MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, September 19th, 20th and 21st (each day from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.), at the following-named places:

For the First Election District at Galena, on Monday and Wednesday, and at Millington on Tuesday.

For the Second Election District at Kennedyville.

For the Third Election District at Worton Station.

For the Fourth Election District, on Monday at Pomona, on Tuesday and Wednesday at the Court House, in Chestertown.

For the Fifth Election District, at Edesville.

October Sitting.

will be on MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, October 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th, and on Monday, October 17th (each day from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.), at the above places except that the First District Register will not be at Millington, nor the Fourth District Register at Pomona.

The Sitting on Monday, October 17th, will be only for revision and for hearing applications for reinstatement by persons whose names have been stricken off.

It is thought proper to publish in connection with this notice the subjoined sections of the registration law so far as they are applicable to the counties, which bear particularly upon the powers and duties of the Register and the rights of the citizen:

3. Each of the said officers of registration shall have in addition to the other powers hereinafter conferred upon him, or which may be hereafter conferred upon him by law during the respective times of his appointed sittings, the power of the justice of the peace to preserve order and enforce obedience to his lawful commands at or around his place of registration; to keep the access to such place open and unobstructed; to prevent and suppress riots, tumults, violence and disorder, and all other improper practices at, around or near to his place of registration tending to intimidation or to the obstruction of the work of registration, or the revision of the registration, and to protect and keep safe the registries of voters hereinafter referred to while in his custody and possession; he may compel the presence of witnesses before him while sitting as an officer of registration for all purposes connected with the performance of the duties of his office by summons and attachment; he may while sitting as such officer of registration commit for trial any person committing at or around his place of registration any offense forbidden by this article; he shall have the power to issue any of said summons, attachments or commitments when sitting in any county of this State to the sheriff of said county or to any constable thereof; all such processes shall be served by said respective officers in the same manner as if they were issued by a judge of a court of record having jurisdiction of the subject matter or by a justice of the peace exercising police powers within such respective jurisdiction; the sheriff or any constable in any county in this State who shall serve any of the said processes shall receive the same fees and in like manner as it is or may be by law provided that he shall receive fees in other State cases, but no officer or registration shall charge or receive any compensation for any service performed under this article except such as is provided by this article.

15. All persons who prior to the passage of this act shall have vacated or removed from or have gone with their parents from the place of their actual abode, domicile, dwelling-place or habitation within this State, and shall have taken a domicile, dwelling-place, abode or habitation out of this State, shall be conclusively presumed to have thereby intended to abandon their legal residence in this State, and to have surrendered their right to registration as legal voters in the State unless within thirty days after the passage of this act they shall go in person before the clerk of the circuit court for the county from which they shall have so removed or before the clerk of the superior court of Baltimore city, if their removal shall have been from said city, and make and acknowledge before such clerk an affidavit that when they so removed they did not intend to change their legal residence within the State, but that they had a fixed purpose to return at a definite time, and that they intend to return to this State and take up their actual domicile and habitation therein, on or before six months next preceding the Tuesday after the first Monday of November, eighteen hundred and ninety; * * * and unless the persons respectively making such affidavits shall actually return to this State and shall actually take up their abode, domicile or habitation therein six months before the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, eighteen hundred and ninety, they shall be conclusively presumed to have lost their legal residence therein and shall not be entitled to registration as legal voters, and the officers of registration shall strike off their names from the registry, if they be entered thereon; and after the passage of this act all persons who shall vacate and remove from the place of their actual domicile, abode, dwelling-place or habitation out of this State shall be conclusively presumed to have lost their residence in this State, and shall in consequence thereof become disqualified to vote, unless at or about the time of such removal or within ten days thereafter they shall go in person before the clerk of the circuit court for the county from which they shall so remove, or before the clerk of the superior court of Baltimore city, if such removal be from said city, and shall make and acknowledge before him an affidavit declaring that notwithstanding such removal from their domicile, abode, dwelling-place or habitation, they do not intend thereby to change their legal residence, but that they have a fixed and definite purpose to return to this State on or before six months preceding the next succeeding election in November; * * * and if the persons making such affidavits shall fail so to return and take up their actual abode, domicile, dwelling-place and habitation in this State on or before six months next preceding such November election, they shall be conclusively presumed to have abandoned such declared intention, and shall thereupon become disqualified to vote in this State, and the officers of registration shall refuse to register them as qualified voters, or shall strike off their names from the registry if their names be entered thereon; the clerk before whom such affidavit shall be made, shall retain, index and record the same, and shall be entitled to demand and receive for each acknowledgement the sum of thirty cents, and for indexing and recording affidavits and acknowledgements thereto, the same compensation as is allowed by law for indexing and recording deeds, such costs to be paid to said clerks by the commissioners and mayor and city council of Baltimore respectively; such affidavits shall not be admissible in evidence as evidence of the right of the persons making the same to registration, unless they are recorded within five days from the date of the acknowledgement thereto, and a duly certified copy thereof shall be receivable in evidence in the same manner as a certified copy of a deed; false swearing in any such affidavits shall be deemed to be perjury, and shall be punishable as perjury is by the Code of Public General Laws, article twenty-seven, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Perjury;" said officers of registration shall require the production of such affidavits duly recorded, or a duly certified copy thereof in all cases where they shall have reason to suspect that the person applying to be registered as a qualified voter has lost his residence by reason of his removal from the State hereinbefore mentioned, and they may also in such cases put any question which they may deem proper to such applicant, concerning the place when he dwelt in the county or legislative district before such removal out of the State, his occupation before such removal and since, the time when he so removed, and when he returned, and all other pertinent facts and circumstances touching the right of such person to be registered, and they may require the truth of the answers of all persons to such questions to be corroborated by independent evidence if in their discretion they shall think proper; and if in answer to their questions or upon testimony produced before them it shall appear to their satisfaction that the person applying to be registered had left the State without any intention of returning at some definite time in the future he shall not be entitled to be registered as a legal voter.

GEORGE W. JACOBY,
Register of Voters for First District.

L. A. PENNINGTON,
Register of Voters for Second District.

JOHN W. CARTER,
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LIFE AT GREAT AND ALMOST UNFATHOMABLE DEPTHS.

Strange and Startling Structures of the Denizens of the Deep—Creatures Way Down Have Been Crowded from the Surface of the Sea.

For a century or more naturalists have known a great deal concerning the marine organisms which dwell in the shallow water next the shore. They long ago learned the amazing richness of these littoral forms. The census of species amounts now to more than 100,000 distinct forms; it is, however, of late that they have ascertained that the deeper parts of the ocean floors have also an abundant and varied peopling. The greater part of these shore dwellers are exceedingly intolerant of the enormous pressure of the deeper waters, as well as of the low temperature and total darkness which exists there.

Certain forms have, however, acquired the ability to withstand these peculiar conditions, as generation by generation through the geologic ages they have crept away from the realms of fierce combat next the shores to the less contested fields of the open and deeper seas. Through all the geologic ages this selection of especially prepared groups for the singular stations or habits of the ocean depths has been going on, with the result that those dark and pressure burdened regions are now tenanted by eminently peculiar animals, by species which ever surprise the student who is accustomed alone to the forms which dwell near the shore.

One of the most striking features connected with the animals of the deep seas is the frequency with which we find their living specimens which remind us of kinds which in former geologic periods dwelt in the coastal districts of the oceans. It seems that many of these ancient creatures, when they could no longer hold their own against the more highly organized and developed animals which inhabited the favored stations next the shores, shrunk away into the deep water, and in that undesired part of the world found an asylum, where, amid the changeless environment, they have dwelt for ages unaltered. Thus the vast profounds of the deep have become a sort of almshouse, whereunto antiquated forms have retired before the overwhelming pressure which the newer and higher life ever imposes on its ancestors.

From the results of the relatively trifling explorations which have yet been made, there seems good reason to hope that in time we may win from the deep the nearest living representations of many creatures which once occupied a large place in the seas, but now have abandoned the fields of more active combat, which are usually the seat of the greatest advance.

In the profounder seas the invertebrate life appears to have a larger share than is secured by the vertebrate or backboned animals; yet there are a number of fishes known in these depths, and it seems likely that these tenants of the deep may be numbered by thousands of species. Among the finned tenants of the profounder parts of the ocean we find the most startling departures from the types with which we are familiar in coastal waters. In general shape they differ little from their kindred which dwell in the sunlit shallows.

The differences are largely in the mechanism of the senses, especially of the eyes. These organs undergo surprising variations with reference to the enduring of the darkness of these deeps. In certain of the species the sight not only fails, but the visual apparatus entirely disappears; in others the eyeball becomes very much enlarged and the nervous apparatus incrassated, and are evidently arranged to catch mere glimpses of the light. As it is certain that no trace of sunlight can ever penetrate through the deep which overlies the realm where these animals dwell, the adaptation of these eyes to the needs of different vision at first appeared to be a very inexplicable matter.

Some recent discoveries provide us with what seems to be an adequate explanation of the enigma. It has been found that certain of the denizens of the deep sea floors have phosphorescent parts of their bodies which serve to give light in a manner in which it is yielded by the familiar fireflies and glowworms.

The end secured by these light giving parts is probably the attraction of the sexual mates of the creatures. In the utter darkness of the ocean this indispensable end could be attained in no other way.—Professor N. S. Shaler in Scribner's.

What Indians Worship.

The natural configuration of many mountains suggests the human face, and such physiognomies cut out of the rocks on a gigantic scale are commonly regarded by savages as objects of worship. Ellen Russell Emerson says that the Thunder Bird of the Thlinkits is described by them as a giant man dwelling in the sacred hills. When in want of food he provides himself with a pair of wings and a mask in the shape of a bird's head, the latter having a beak as sharp as a knife and "a tongue that makes fire."

Thus arrayed the god spreads his wings and sails over the ocean in search of a whale. By his side and attached to his waist is the lightning demon, which darts upon the prey and fetches it to the hungry god.—Washington Star.

How Mr. Dyer Catches Seals.

Mr. Dyer lives on a small island near Seven Hundred Acre Island, Islesboro. He takes a pole several feet in length, to which is attached a number of common codfish hooks with lanyards several feet in length. The hooks are baited with a herring. This contrivance is anchored and buoyed, the hooks being just below the surface. The seals in swallowing the herring become hooked. Mr. Dyer has taken a large number in this manner.—Eastern Argus.

The Baby Was New.

At the time when the coral honeysuckle was scarlet and bright around the porch Dora made the acquaintance of her new little sister. "What shall we call her?" asked mamma. "Daisy, because she is sweet," said Rob quickly. "No," said Dora slowly; "we'd better call her honeysuckle, 'cause she's so red!" The baby was called Daisy until a name was decided upon. Shortly after a lady called. "Our baby's name is Gertrude," said Rob. "Indeed! Didn't you use to call her Daisy?" "Use to!" exclaimed Dora. "There isn't any 'use to' about our baby. She's too new."—Youth's Companion.

Making It Important.

A lecturer in Cork once began an address by remarking very solemnly: "Parents, you may have children, or if not your daughter may have," and concluded with, "There is no man, woman, or child in this audience who has arrived at the age of fifty years but that has felt these mighty truths thundering through their minds for centuries."—Indianapolis News.

"Judas Colored Hair."

The adjective "Judas colored hair" and many similar allusions are often met with in writings of the older authors. In "As You Like It" Rosalind says of Orlando, "His very hair is of that dissembling color;" to which Celia replies, "Something browner than Judas'."—St. Louis Republic.

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OF INTEREST TO TONGERS.

Some Extracts From the Oyster Law—Judge Robinson Settles It.

The oyster season opens Thursday and we take the following from the oyster law for the information of those who engage in the important industry of tonging. Any resident of this State desiring to catch oysters with rake or tongs for sale, in any of the waters of the State, shall first obtain by application to the clerk of the Circuit Court for the county wherein he may reside, a license therefore, and such license shall have effect from the fifteenth day of September, in the year in which it may have been obtained to the twentieth day of April, next succeeding; provided, that such license shall not authorize the taking or catching of oysters in any creek, cove, river, inlet bay or sound within the limits of any county, other than that wherein the license shall have been granted, and that the boundaries, of the counties bordering on navigable waters shall be strictly construed so as not to permit the residents of either county to take or catch oysters beyond the middle of the dividing channel.

The county commissioners, however, shall be authorized to give special permission to any woman who has no visible means of support, to take and catch oysters with license; and boys also under fifteen years of age shall not be required to license.

The license shall state the name, age and residence of the person to whom the same is to be granted, the number, and the county in which the same is to be used, and every applicant for such license shall pay to the clerk of the court, when such license may be granted, and before issuing and delivery of the same, the sum of three dollars, and also the sum of fifty cents as a fee to the clerk for issuing the same. The applicant shall be required to make oath, or affirmation, before the clerk authorized to issue the same, or some justice of the peace, on whose certificate of the taking of such oath or affirmation, the clerk shall issue said license, that the facts set forth in said license are strictly true: that he has been a *bona fide* resident of the county for twelve months next preceding his application for said license, that he desires and intends to use said license in in the county in which he resides, or the waters used in common, and that he will comply with and obey all the laws of this State regulating the taking or catching of oysters.

All oysters taken from any waters of the State (either with scoops, dredges or any similar instrument, or tongs or rakes) shall be culled upon the natural bed or bar as taken, and all oyster shells, measureingless than two and one-half inches in length, measuring from hinge to mouth, shall be included in said culling, and replaced upon said bed or bar as taken. Any person who shall have oysters in his possession, which contain more than five per cent. of shells and small oysters, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined a sum not less ten nor more than fifty dollars in the discretion of the judge of the court or the justice of the peace before whom such person shall be tried.

THE LAW IS NOT CLEAR.

The different constructions which have been placed upon the present oyster law is likely to lead to considerable trouble, and not a few arrests during the coming week or ten days. The law fixes the opening of the tonging season on September 15, but, it seems, is not clear in stating that oysters shall not be taken before that time. Oystermen in some sections have obtained legal interpretation of the new law, and claim that it fails to prohibit the catching oysters if no effort is made to sell them until after September 15. In other words, a tonger can catch all the oysters he pleases prior to September 15, and hold them for shipment on or after that day.

Commander Joseph B. Seth, of the State Oyster Navy, does not agree with this view, however, and will order the arrest of any person taking oysters before the legal limit has expired.

"Section fourteen of the oyster law, as amended by the act of 1892, provides that any person desiring to take oysters with rakes or tongs for sale shall first obtain a license therefor, which license shall only authorize the taking of oysters from September 15th to April 20th, and provides penalties for taking otherwise than as permitted by such license. Section 21 says it shall be unlawful for anyone to take or catch oysters, or have oysters in possession between the 20th of April and 1st of September. Some of the oystermen of the state have obtained opinions that as the twenty-first section does not make it unlawful to have oysters in possession the 1st and 15th of September, and as section 14 only prohibits taking for sale, that they can oyster from September 1st to 15th without license, provided they do not sell until after the 15th. As far-fetched as this construction appears, it has its advocates, and the question has unsettled matters, and must give great trouble.

"Repeated communications have been sent me urging me to stop any taking of oysters, and I have authorized the members of the fishery force to arrest all presons found catching oysters before Sept. 15th, and take them before the proper tribunal for hearing. I must enforce the law as I find it, and shall arrest under it until the courts shall give a different construction.

"The clear intention of the legislature was to prohibit the taking of oysters before Sept. 15th. The failure to amend Section 21 was an oversight, though it was entirely circumstantial, so far as the catcher is concerned, and what is meant by the words "for sale" is, oysters which are to become an article of commerce either today or on any day during the season.

"To say that oysters caught on the 1st or 14th and held until the 16th, or even until the 1st of November, were not taken for sale, would, I think, be an absurdity, and would authorize all persons to take during the entire season without license, provided they held them over a day before selling. I regret to find a disposition to evade the plain provisions of the law, as it engenders a disrespect for the entire law and injures greatly the cause of the oystermen by destroying the sympathy of law-abiding citizens.

"I have no personal interest in the matter and have positively refused to take any case as attorney where the oyster law is involved and believing it my sworn duty to enforce this provision, as well as all others, I shall continue to make arrests until authorized to suspend by a proper tribunal."

Judge John M. Robinson heard a test case of oyster tonging from Chester river last Wednesday and fined the fisherman $20 for catching oysters before the 15th of September, because the license does not permit it to be done.

A Natural Inference.

Teacher—When was Rome built, say, Fritzchen?

Fritzchen—Rome was built in the night.

Teacher—How do you make that out, you silly boy?

Fritzchen—Because you always said, sir, that Rome was not built in a day.—Saphirs Witzblatt.

Massachusetts has given a last resting place to two presidents, New Hampshire to one, New York to three, Pennsylvania to one, Ohio to two, Illinois to one, Kentucky to one, Tennessee to three, and Virginia—the "mother of presidents"—to five.

A heavy plate glass shade, ornamented with gold and securely locked to three staples set in the marble top of a pulpit in a church in Brussels, is said to cover one of the thorns which formed a part of the Saviour's crown.

More people were executed in England during the reign of King Henry VIII than ever before or since in the tight little island, the number reaching 71,400.

"Gentlemen," said one worthy nobleman, who loved to use the Devonshire dialect, "I wish to propose a toast; and that there is this here, 'Fox hunting!'"

"Contagious diseases," says the old philosopher of the Canebrake region, "is sometimes gen'ly always ketchin."

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On and after Monday, October 12, 1891, the Steamer

EMMA A. FORD

Will leave Chestertown daily (except Sunday) at seven o'clock A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Eastern Neck, Queenstown, Kent Island and intermediate landings on Chester river, arriving in Baltimore at noon.

RETURNING, will leave Pier 7 Light St. Wharf at 2.45 P. M. for Chestertown and intermediate landings.

STEAMER GRATITUDE.

will leave Centreville daily (Sunday except) at 7 o'clock A. M., and Rock Hall 9.30 A. M. for Baltimore.

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Round Trip Ticket $1.00.

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THE STEAMER EMMA GILES

Will leave Tolchester Beach every Saturday at 9.00 A. M. and 4.30 P. M. for Baltimore.

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This route gives the people of Kent county 3½ hours in the city to transact business and return the same day.

TOLCHESTER COMPANY.

P. S.—Steamer Louise makes her last daily trip September 6th.

Baltimore & Delaware Bay Railroad

TIME-TABLE.

To Take Effect Sept. 28th, 1896.

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 1. Daily except Sunday. A. M.	No. 3. Thursdays only. P. M.
	Read Downwards.	
Leave Chestertown	6 30	1 00
" Worton	6 45	1 15
" Lynch's	6 51	1 25
" Still Pond	6 57	1 35
" Kennedyville	7 10	1 50
" Black's	7 23	2 05
" Lambson's	7 36	2 17
" Massey's	7 50	2 29
" Delaney's	8 04	2 39
" Bingham's	8 13	2 48
Arrive Clayton	8 25	3 00

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 4 Daily except Sunday. P. M.	No. 6 Thursdays only. P. M
	Read Upwards.	
Arrive Chestertown	12 05	6 52
Leave Worton	11 50	6 37
" Lynch's	11 44	6 31
" Still Pond	11 38	6 25
" Kennedyville	11 25	6 12
" Black's	11 12	6 00
" Lambson's	10 59	5 48
" Massey's	10 45	5 35
" Delaney's	10 31	5 21
" Bingham's	10 25	5 12
" Clayton	10 10	5 00