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THE COLORED VOTER.

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A Baltimore Colored Man Advises His Race to Be Independent and Stand Together. An Interesting and Sensible Letter—Figures to Sustain His Position.

To my fellow colored citizens:

In a talk with the Sunday *Herald*, June 13, 1897, in speaking of nominating colored legislative tickets for both the City Council and Legislature, I said: "*We can certainly elect members of both Legislative bodies, and maybe the balance of power in both.*"

Since then my statement has been verified by a publication "by authority of the Maryland Democratic Editors' Association." They quote the *Sun* paper almanac for facts, and its reports show "the relative *proportion of white and colored voters which made up the Republican Party" at the last election, both in Baltimore and the counties*, also, the representation of each in our State Legislature.

Locality	Registered Colored Vote.	Total Republican Vote.	White Republican Vote.
Anne Arundel	3,295	4,039	735
Alleghany	344	5,464	5,129
Baltimore City	17,379	61,965	44,586
Baltimore County	2,705	9,211	6,506
Calvert	1,160	1,294	134
Caroline	954	1,686	732
Cecil	1,025	3,128	2,103
Carroll	591	4,047	3,546
Charles	1,897	2,117	238
Dorchester	2,127	3,048	921
Frederick	1,459	6,321	4,893
Garrett	30	2,058	2,028
Howard	989	1,981	983
Harford	1,478	3,374	1,896
Kent	1,795	2,399	604
Montgomery	2,219	3,219	1,000
Prince George's	2,343	3,250	907
Queen Anne	1,615	1,917	302
St. Mary's	1,676	2,044	368
Somerset	2,186	2,646	460
Talbot	1,778	2,542	764
Worcester	1,359	1,756	397
Wicomico	1,177	2,022	845
Washington	631	5,464	4,797
Total	51,613	187,034	83,655

This table shows that there are 14 counties that have handsome colored majorities in the Republican party, while only *nine* counties have *white* Republican majorities.

These facts collected, as stated, bear out my assertion that the colored people, if they will only stay together and assert their rights, under the present condition of affairs, politically, will come very near having the balance of power.

Will my colored friends study this table and then learn *for once* that their votes have for years been "the balance of power," while ineffective in results so far as their good was concerned. Their votes elected Governor Lowndes. What did the Governor ever do for them? When he was in Congress did he vote for the Civil Rights Bill? After being elected by our votes to his present office has he in any way benefited us? Does he expect to step into the United States Senate by colored votes? Let us say just here to him: "Blessed are they that expect little because they shall not be disappointed!"

With these facts before my colored fellow citizens, as to the political statistics of voting in our State, I again suggest the propriety of what nature teaches us, viz: "That birds of a feather (should) flock together." We colored people should know that the white people, in both parties, are politically at loggerheads, and take advantage of the opportunity to vindicate both our rights and importance as voters. It may be many years before another such opportunity presents itself to demonstrate the actual importance of our influence in elections.

The table above shows that the total Republican registered vote was 137,034 in 1896. Of this the white Rupublicans cast 83,665 and the colored voters 51,613, leaving out the entire registration only 1756 unpolled votes, that were most likely white men. Thus it will be seen that there are only 32,052 more white than colored votes registered, and that the white Republicans have enjoyed all patronage and spoils of victory, whenever won.

The following table of the Western Shore counties and Baltimore City explains itself. Because they control through a majority of 48,000 whites, they demand balance of the entire State.

Colored Vote.	White Republican Vote.	Members of Legislature.
Allegheny 344	5,120	6
Baltimore City 17,379	44,586	21
Baltimore County 2,705	6,505	7
Carroll 501	3,546	5
Frederick 1,459	4,893	6
Garrett 30	2,028	3
Howard 998	983	3
Harford 1,478	1,896	5
Washington 631	4,797	5
Total 25,525	74,355	64
Deduct colored vote,	25,525	
White Republican majority,	48,820	

Read now carefully the following table containing results in fourteen counties, in which the colored voters outnumber the whites in the Republican party.

Colored Vote.	White Republican Vote.	Members of Legislature.
Anne Arundel 3,392	735	5
Calvert 1,160	134	3
Caroline 954	732	3
Charles 1,879	228	3
Dorchester 2,127	921	4
Kent 1,795	604	3
Montgomery 2,219	1,000	4
Prince George's 2,343	907	4
Queen Anne 1,615	302	4
St. Mary's 1,675	368	3
Somerset 2,186	460	4
Talbot 1,778	764	4
Worcester 1,359	397	4
Wicomico 1,177	845	4
25,563	8,406	52
Deduct white vote, 8,406		
Colored Rep. maj. 17,157		

In the above counties you will observe that the colored vote is 25,563, or just 17,157 majority of the entire Republican vote, and that these counties have 52 members of the Legislature. With these facts and figures staring you in the face what is there to prevent you from being successful in nominating a straight colored Republican ticket?

In 1895 Governor Lowndes received 124,936 votes against Mr. Hurst's 106,169, making the former's majority in the State 18,767. Withdraw your 25,563 colored votes in the fourteen counties enumerated in table three, and where will the Republicans in Maryland be? Remember that our race have besides the above 25,525 more votes in the nine counties on the Western Shore enumerated in table two. Make it your business to study all these facts and figures, and then make up your mind whether or not it is to your interest to nominate a straight colored man's Legislative ticket in every ward in Baltimore city, and every county in Maryland. Never forget that those who would be free must first strike the blow, and that under present circumstances you are nothing more than political slaves. AMOS LOGAN.

Baltimore, Md., July 21, 1897.

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MISERIES OF MATRIMONY.

Fielding, the novelist, married a maidservant.

Sir Thomas More's wife scolded him on the eve of his execution.

Moliere, at the age of 40, married an actress aged 17, who soon ran away from him.

Hazlitt's wife cared nothing for his abilities and kept him in hot water by her temper.

Milton had trouble with each of his wives, the fault being perhaps as much his own as theirs.

Coleridge left his wife and children without apology or farewell, and never would see them again.

Catherine II. of Russia had her husband assassinated and from his death to her own ruled alone.

Napoleon often swore at Josephine, and when she cried told her to hush, "It makes your nose red."

Shelley married an innkeeper's daughter who proved uncongenial. He left her and she committed suicide.

Boswell's "Uxoriano" is a collection of his wife's sayings to him, which does no little credit to her abilities as a scold.

Alexander the Great was accustomed to beat his wives with the flat of his sword whenever they "talked back" at him.

Ben Jonson's wife went to the inn after him if he staid too long and brought him home, tongue-lashing him all the way.

Cervantes drew a picture of his own wife in the "Mistress Housekeeper for the Devil," whom Sancho Panza abused so bitterly.

Xantippe, the wife of Socrates, sometimes emptied buckets of slop from the window on his head as he entered or left the house.

The wife of Rohault, the philosopher, took her seat at the door of his lecture room and would not allow poorly dressed or ill favored people to enter.

Dr. Johnson said "No man in his senses if he could get a young girl would marry a widow." He himself married a widow many years his senior.

Dryden and his wife, Lady Elizabeth Howard, lived in a constant broil. She was clever and he was sarcastic, so that their quarrels were very animated.

Hadrian, one of the best Roman emperors, was married to Julia Sabina, Trejan's niece, but neglected her to such an tent that she went mad and killed herself.

Charles I, of England was ruined by his marriage, for his French queen persuaded him to attempt the French system of government that ended in his downfall.

The Duke of Marlborough and the famous Sarah Jennings fought like Kilkenny cats. He often threatened to horsewhip her, and she as often would vow she would leave him.

A RISING PHYSCIAN.

Short Sketch of a Young Man at One Time Practicing Madicine at Millington.

Among the former residents of this Peninsula who have pushed themselves forward to great prominence in their profession, is Dr. Britton D. Evans, well known to a large number of people in this county.

Dr. Britton D. Evans, the medical director of the New Jersey State Hospital at Morris Plains, was born in the year 1858 in Caroline county on the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

Dr. Evans received an academic education in the State of Maryland, and graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the city of Baltimore in the year 1885. He located at Millington, Kent county, Md., where he practiced for nearly two years, and was appointed upon the staff of surgeons of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Without solicitation on his part he was called to the position of assistant medical superintendent of the Maryland Hospital for the insane. He remained at this post nearly five years, and resigned this position to accept the medical superintendency of the Maryland Institute for the Feeble Minded. He was in charge of this place a short time when he was offered the position of medical director of the New Jersey State Hospital at Morris Plains. This offer came as a surprise to him, as he had made no application for the position. The Board of Managers had heard of his acceptable work at each hospital post he had occupied, and believed him a suitable man to take charge of the great hospital near Morristown. He entered upon the duties of this office on the first of Jan. 1892, since which time he has given his best energies to build up the medical work of the hospital.

In 1889, Dr. Evans was united in marriage to Miss Addie E. Dill, a native of Maryland, but at that time a resident of Wilmington, Delaware. They have three children, two girls and a boy. Mrs. Evans is the daughter of a Methodist minister and she and her husband are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

AFTER MEALS you should have simply a feeling of comfort and satisfaction. You should not feel any special indications that digestion is going on. If you do, you have *indigestion*, which means *not*-digestion. This may be the beginning of so many dangerous diseases, that it is best to take it in hand at once and treat it with Shaker Digestive Cordial. For you know that indigestion makes poison, which causes pain and sickness. And that Shaker Digestive Cordial helps digestion. Shaker Digestive Cordial does this by providing the digestive materials is which the sick stomach is wanting. It also tones up and strengthens the digestive organs and makes them perfectly healthy. This is the *rationale* of its method of cure, as the doctors would say. Sold by druggists, price 10 cents to $1.00 per bottle.

"DOLLAR WHEAT" PREDICTED.

The Southern Grain Now at Its Highest Point for the Year.

Southern wheat last week made a new high price record for this year. No. 2 red sold on Wednesday at 88½c. and steamer No. 2 red at 85½c., an advance of three cents a bushel compared with the closing quotations of the day before and a net advance of 4½ cents a bushel over Monday.

Thursday's prices for Soutnern wheat were the highest current for several years, except last December, when it touched 94½ cents, remaining at that quotation a few days only, when it broke below 75 cents.

Compared with the low price in 1894 wheat, Wednesday's price was 38½ cents a bushel higher. Western wheat is also on a boom and advancing rapidly despite the efforts of the speculators to hold the market in check.

The cereal is in urgent demand to fill foreign orders, and as this demand promises to continue for some time to come there are many who predict "dollar wheat" before the rise is over. There is no longer any doubt that European crops are seriously damaged, and in some instances totally destroyed, and as there is shortage in the crop of the Argentine Republic, the United States is the only source of supply.

There are rumors that even Japan and China may have to import wheat from this country, and if these prove true there seems little doubt that the dollar mark will be reached and probably passed

Every available ship has been or will be chartered to load grain for Europe, and freight rates are steadily advancing. A large fleet of steamers that has been laid up in England for several months have started for the United States to take out cargoes of grain.

Who Does the World's Work.

What can I give Him,
Poor as I am?
If I were a sheperd
I would bring a lamb;
If I were a wise man
I would do my part:
Yet what can I give Him?
Give Him my heart.

The work of the world must largely be done by hod carriers and hewers of wood and drawers of water. It needs more spades than gleaming swords, more servants than masters. We are reminded at times that there is always room at the top, but there is need of men and women who will not despise the lower rungs of the ladder, who will not make life one continuous slight for a nobler task or a higher round of duty. There is no task so noble as that which hearty devotion to its ennobles. Thoroughness of purpose, singleness of aim, unstinted plying of the loom and applying of one's best self to one's work make it grand and put a halo over the worker's head.

To Avoid Amputation.

A new method due to Dr. Reclus was recently described before the French Congress of Surgery, by which, it is claimed, a large proportion of limbs now amputated can be saved. Whatever the extent or gravity of the lesions, Dr. Reclus does not amputate the injured limb, but wraps it in anti-septic substances by an embalming process, leaving nature to separate the dead from the living tissues. This method is less fatal than surgical exaresis, and preserves for the patient, if not the entire limb, a much larger part than amputation would have left. After the skin has been washed and cleaned from all fatty substances by ether, a jet of hot water 60 to 62 degrees C. (140 to 144 degrees), bus not higher, is used to irrigate all the injured surfaces and penetrate the hollows and detached parts of the wound. This removes clots and washes away foreign bodies, together with micro-organisms. At this temperature, hot water is antiseptic; it is hemostatic (blood-stanching), and helps to compensate for the loss of heat from bleeding. Results obtained are said to be remarkable.

Grace M. P. Church Improvement.

A special meeting of the trustees of Grace Methodist Protestant Church was held on Monday night of last week to consider the advisability of maugurating a series of needed improvements. The plans suggested were very generally approved. It is proposed to re-carpet the floor, to enlarge the space reserved for the choir, to replace the old heating apparatus, to repair the illuminating machinery, to paint the outside, and also to adorn the interior walls by some style of decorative painting. It is expected to cost about $1000. The matter has been put into the hands of the trustees, who have been invested with power to formulate plans, receive bids and award the contract. The church itself was built during Rev. T. O. Crouse's pastorate about ten years ago. The church has had three pastors since, Rev. J. W. Balderson, Rev. S. B. Treadway, Rev. G. W. Haddaway.—*Centreville Observer*

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Convincing a Policeman.

A small boy cyclist was riding without a light and was stopped by a park officer, who asked him in gruff tones where his light was.

"Why, it's here," exclaimed the rider, in surprise.

"Yes, but it's out," asserted the patrolman.

"Well, it was light at that last turn."

"Sonny, it's cold; couldn't have been lighted this evening," triumphantly announced the officer.

"Huh! That thin metal cools in a minute. I'll light that lamp and wait until it gets red hot, put it out, then ride to the next corner and back, and when I return it'll be cold."

"Alright, try it," assented the acute policeman.

The boy lighted the lantern, waited until it grew red-hot, turned it out and started, and that kid is going yet.

IT IS ALWAYS gratifying to receive testimonials for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, and when the endorsement is from a physician it is especially so. "There is no more satisfactory or effective remedy than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy," writes Dr. R. E. Robey, physician and pharmacist, of Olney, Mo.; and as he has used the Remedy in his own family and sold it in his drug store for six years, he should certainly know. For sale by M. A. Toulson, druggist, Chestertown, Md.

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