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REPUBLICAN STATISTICANS are still trying to figure out where that big and unexpected democratic majority bobbed up from on November 2d.

SENATOR WELLINGTON has announced that he wants Governor Lowndes with him in the United States Senate. Who else wants him? Is the question.

THE HOST OF CANDIDATES for the different deputyships was largely represented in town on Tuesday, and considerable missionary work was done.

IF THE REPUBLICAN LEGISLATURE desires to acquit itself nobly and do a really good thing, let them reinstate the Eastern Shore Senatorial Law, which they two years ago outraged and then stole.

IMAGINE IT if you can! The Senatorial Cloak of Arthur P. Gorman falling upon the shoulders of Governor Lowndes. Care will have to be exercised or somebody will be deliberately smothered,

A CLEAN, ECONOMICAL and business-like administration of local affairs is the only requisite to the indefinite perpetuation of democratic control in Kent county. The people want it and the times demand it.

EASTERN SHORE REPUBLICANS are threatening an old time smash up if they are not accorded the presidency of the State Senate, and with the adoption of the unit rule, it is said they can enforce their demands.

MR. JAMES BRICE has made formal application for the position of clerk to the board of county commissioners, and stipulates a salary of five hundred dollars. The present clerk receives the snug little sum of nine hundred and sixty dollars.

IT IS NOW ex-Mayor Hooper and Mayor Malster. The new chief executive of Baltimore was sworn into office yesterday. The new mayor declares that he has made no promises. If he honors those made by the "Impecunious Charlie Wilson," that will answer perfectly well.

IT IS GIVEN OUT FROM WASHINGTON that Senator Wellington "still has the ear of the administration," and that no important appointments will be made until he has passed judgment upon the applicant. The Allegany Senator has not had all of his nine lives crushed out as yet.

MR. WILLIAM H. FORD, of Millington, who will be deputy register of wills under Register C. S. Hurlock, came to Chestertown on Tuesday, and is now informing himself as to the detail work of the office. Mr. Ford is one of the mort prominent democrats of his district and is a gentleman of unquestioned character.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE, it is stated, under direction of the Governor, has written an individual letter to each of the Supervisors of Election in the State, asking his opinion in what respects the election law can be amended so as to make it more effective. The Governor, in this way, is securing some material for his message. He intends to recommend the passage of a primary election law.

WHY NOT SEND THE VIRTUOUS Hallucination H. Parr to the United States Senate as Mr. Gorman's successor? Surely, if he has done the half to secure republican success which he claims, a United States Senatorship would be a paltry payment for his ponderous services. One trouble would be however, that the toga of Senator Gorman would scarcely be large enough to serve as a seat-marker for this, "The noblest Roman of them all."

IT IS NOW NOISED ABROAD that Capt. William D. Burchinal would prefer a Federal appointment, to the Chestertown postoffice, and only in the event of failing to secure the appointment would he enter the postoffice contest. Doubtless this preference for the Federal appointment, to the postoffice, would depend largely upon what that appointment stood for in dollars and cents. The captain is extremely practical in political matters.

EX-COUNTY COMMISSIONER THOMAS J. SHALLCROSS, in referring to his reported candidacy for the clerkship to the board of county commissioners, stated that he would certainly take the place should it be offered to him. He further said: "I would give the place my personal care, and guarantee to keep the office open as many days and as many hours in each week as the other public offices are open for the transaction of public business. There is a proper and growing demand that the people should have access to the commissioners' office oftener than once a week, and this demand should be met."

MR. JOHN K. COWAN is mentioned as a possible successor to Senator A. P. Gorman. Senator Wellington sorely needs a "silent partner;" he wants a man who can and will remain at home and draw his salary without giving value received, and what gentleman could more emphatically fill the requirements of the case. In the days of democratic supremacy in Baltimore this gentle reformer, this eloquent expounder of the glistening doctrine of anti-spoils endeared himself to every reformer's heart. Cowan, Finley and others are not to be lightly sneezed at when reform plums are to be passed round.

THE INTRODUCTION of Senator Westcott's printing law is one of the "*reforms*" expected from the next Legislature. This law will provide that all public printing required by law to be done in two newspapers, shall be placed in papers of different political opinions, irrespective of circulation. In other words, in spite of the fact that the Senator's paper has scarcely one-half the bona fide circulation of the democratic papers, the taxpayers shall be taxed to keep his campaign organ afloat, regardless of the fact that the underlying idea of advertising is to give the greatest possible publicity to the matter intended to be brought before the people. This product of the rankest sort of partizanship was promptly voted down in the last Legislature, republicans as well as democrats voting against it, and it is believed it will be repudiated by the best element of both parties in the next General Assembly. Senator Westcott as a business man must recognize that in fathering such a bill, he subjects himself to the charge of violating a most primary business principle, and of trying to shoulder upon the tax-payers the grossest injustice for purely political purposes.

IF THE MULTITUDINOUS candidates for the United States Senate from the Eastern Shore cannot agree among themselves as to which one shall have the whole Eastern Shore vote, Col. "Billy" Vannort is willing to be the "dark horse."—*Baltimore News.*

Col. "Billy" Vannort has given no one authority to make any such statement, and should Colonel Vannort at any time aspire to the United States Senatorship, it will be in an open, manly way. And should he secure the place, the interests of the people would be far safer than in the hands of some of those who have entered the lists with hope of success.

THE CENTREVILLE RECORD, with its issue of Saturday last entered upon its twenty-fourth year. To say that the *Record* is one of the very best of Maryland's long list of influential and aggressive rural papers, is to give expression to a truism recognized by every one who knows the paper directly or indirectly. Its senior editor, Col. W. Scott Boberts, is one of the most vigorous writers and thinkers in the State, and the impress of his personality is stamped upon the life of the paper which he has done so much to bring into an enviable prominence. Mr. John B. Brown, the junior in the firm of Roberts & Brown, is a hustling young business man, and is making himself felt in the financial life of the paper. Success and long life to the *Record* and its editors, is an anniversary wish of the TRANSCRIPT to its prosperous contemporary.

THERE WAS NO MORE ZEALOUS and active democratic worker at the Baltimore city bar during the recent campaign than Clarence W. Perkins, Esq., son of Eben F. Perkins, Esq., of Chestertown. Mr. Perkins' voice was raised nightly on the hustings in advocacy of Williams, democracy and good government, and it is but the logical sequence to his prominent and effective work that Mr. Perkins was last week applied to as the attorney in bringing republican partizans to justice. Messrs. Perkins and Owens, on Friday brought suit against Wm. T. Henderson, chairman of the republican city registration committee. The suit is at the instance of James J. Spearman for ten thousand dollars, claiming false arrest. It is claimed that Spearman was arrested for false registration, but that the real cause was that he might be thrown into prison and thereby be kept from voting.

SOME PROSPECTIVE political engineering is now in the embryo state. It is now given out that State's Attorney John David Urie will be the republican candidate for State Senator to succeed Senator Charles Tilden Westcott. Now, Mr Urie's time will have fully expired and as there is no other republican lawyer at the Kent county bar upon whom the distinguished senatorial aspirant's toga may fall, the question presents itself to practical republicans, whether it would be good policy or political wisdom to drop one bone in grasping after another. Then, too, Mr. Urie is less noted as a sentimentalist than as a lover of those luxuries which come as a result of the possession of numerous dollars and cents. At any rate, Mr. Urie will have an abundance of time in which to decide as to the respective claims of his conflicting interests—so far as the people are concerned they have already decided.

A TREMENDOUS RUMPUS is now being raised by the Baltimore *Evening News* because of the overshadowing presence of "Charlie Wilson" in the approaching administration of Mayor-elect Malster. The *News* says:

"'Charlie' Wilson, an impecunious and mercenary little politician, whose unsavory record as reading clerk of the last Legislature is still odorous, is posing as Mr. Malster's 'personal representative,' and, armed with a fictitious importance, is busily engaged in an attempt to boss the City Council and to distribute in advance the City Hall patronage."

Mr. Wilson bossed Mr. Malster's campaign before and after the primaries; he was the unquestioned manipulator of the republican city machine and the *News* knew it as well then as it does now, and yet its obsequious mouth was closed throughout the entire campaign as to this "mercinary little politician." The *News* has a constitutional weakness for saying the right thing at the wrong time.

THE LAW PROVIDING for the appointment of a court stenographer has as yet not been carried into effect. The importance of this new court official was emphasized in the trial of the Potts-Benedict case at Centreville last week. The standing of the case in court largely depended upon the evidence of Dr. C. H. Medders, upon whose testimony entirely the court based its action in granting a new trial. At the trial of the case in Centreville there was a material difference between Dr. Medders and Mr. Constable relative to testimony given at the former trial. Mr Constable's notes quoted the witness as making certain statements while Dr. Medders' mind was clear, he said, that he had testified differently. There was no official record of the witness' testimony and the case stands in that unhappy position. An official stenographer would be an important and valuable member of the court. Mr. Sereck Shallcross, a gentleman thoroughly qualified is an applicant for this position in the second Judicial circuit.

A REPUBLICAN AUTHORITY, after a careful canvass of the registration books, states that there were one hundred and ninety-nine duly qualified voters who failed to cast ballots at the last election. Of this number there were thirty-seven democrats, two prohibitionists and one hundred and sixty republicans—one hundred and fifteen of whom were colored. In two of the seven districts, says this same authority, not a single democrat failed to vote. A prominent life-long democrat of the fifth district until 1896, when he voted for McKinley, said on Tuesday: "It was the glaring misdeeds of the inns which brought about the great revulsion of feeling in Kent which changed the four hundred and twenty majority of last year to a one hundred and forty majority for Pearce, and a handsome majority for the entire democratic ticket this year. The democrats, as well as many republicans, appreciated the crying necessity for a change in our local administration of affairs, and took the only available means to secure such a change." This is the whole matter in a nutshell, and the figures eminating from republican sources disclose the widespread alarm which had taken possession of the public mind relative to the danger of longer continuing republican misrule and extravagance. Not until the appearance of the outstanding "certificates" and other evidences of debt which should have been provided for by the levy of this year, will the full inwardness of republican misrule become apparent. The most striking demand of the last election was that not a single democrat, unless ill or otherwise prevented, should have failed to cast his ballot for the change which was a logical outgrowth of the republican record in Kent. There are other interesting figures if the gentlemen will persistently ferrit them out, and in each case they will "point a moral and adorn a tale."

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal "This cold left me with a cough and I was expectorating all the time. The Remedy cured me, and I want all of my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do them good." Sold by M. A. Toulson, druggist.

THE "BARBARISM OF THE ROTATION SYSTEM" is the emphatic way in which the Baltimore *News* puts its demand that republican place-holders shall remain undisturbed. Kent county knows something of the republican abhorrence of the "rotation in office system." The people remember with much distinctness the time when the public schools of Kent were first outraged by being dragged into politics by the removal of such a man as Eben F. Perkins, Esq., upon purely political grounds; they remember all too well, when, acting upon the theory of "To the victor belongs the spoils," T. Waters Russell was promptly removed from an office in which he had honored himself by the efficiency with which he discharged his every duty. The people are fully prepared for the *News's* cry of this peculiar class of "Barbarism."

THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS of Anne Arundel county, on Monday, acting under the advice of their counsel, James M. Munroe, declined to count 133 unindorsed ballots. The ballots include 103 Republicans, 17 Democrats and 2 Prohibitionists, with 10 not marked by the voter. The result was that the Democratic candidates, Dr C. Morris Cheston, for County Treasurer, and William H. Brown, for County Commissioner, who were not elected otherwise, were elected—the former by the present return by 10 votes and the latter by 68. It is understood that Attorney-General Clabaugh agrees with Mr. Munroe that these ballots should not be counted by the canvassers. The position, if legally taken, elects the democratic candidates for the Legislature by majorities ranging from 161 to 223. Their majority without it is from 85 to 137. The matter will be taken to the court for a decision.

SENATOR CHARLES T. WESTCOTT, the hold-over senator from Kent county, is prominently mentioned by his friends for the presidency of the State Senate. The Baltimore *News*, which should and does know as much of the *sub rosa* sort of republican politics as any paper in the State, says that Mr. Westcott's candidacy has received the rehabilitating smiles of Governor Lowndes, Postmaster-General Garey and the temporarily dethroned Duke from Allegany. Not, the *News* insinuates that this triumvirate loves the Kent county State Senator more but Senator Scott, the Washington county senatorial aspirant, less. If Senator Westcott's name will not serve as an antidote to the poison which the success of Senator Scott would inject into the schemes of his opponent, then the strong arms of the bosses will be withdrawn and Senator Westcott will not be called to assume the responsibilities of the presidency of the Senate, and Stevenson Archer Williams, of Harford, will be horribly persecuted by being installed as the triumvirate's Moses to lead them into the promised land. But Mr. Westcott, it is claimed, has the endorsement of the four Eastern Shore Senators, those from the first and third districts of Baltimore city, from Howard, Calvert, St. Mary's, Allegany and Garrett counties, making a total of eleven votes. Some embarrassment at first presented itself as to the necessity of Senator Westcott having to vote for himself, but he will, the *News* claims, be relieved of this perplexing feature, having a majority without his own ballot.

IT IS NOW PRETTY GENERALLY BELIEVED that Capt. William D. Burchinal will be a leader in the fight for the Chestertown postmastership, whenever that position may be declared ready for a successor to the present obliging and efficient official, Joseph N. Wheatley. This promises to be one of the prettiest fights in many years. It is thought by many at this time that Mr. Wm. Henry Lambert, Jr., who will so soon step down and out from his nine hundred and sixty-dollar position as clerk to the commissioners' board, will enter the contest. William T. Matthews, too, it is believed, will be able to throw strong influence into the fight, while Mr. C. M. Lucas, the first and only original applicant, is a Gibralta so far as his staying qualities are concerned. Mr. J. Burton Burchinal, it is said, would not be averse to assuming the arduous but well-paid-for duties of the office. Col. William J. Vannort, the consistent and time-honored friend of the State administration and of Senator Wellington, and who claims to have the ear of those gentlemen, it is known will not indulge in any over-taxing of his physical forces to secure the election of some of the most prominent of these applicants. On the contrary, he may enter a ringing protest. There will doubtless be others in the fight before the lists close. The original four years for which Mr. James A. Shaw was appointed will expire next April, but upon the death of Postmaster Shaw, the present postmaster, Mr. Wheatley, was appointed for a full term of four years, expiring in 1900, and will protest removal before the expiration of his term. The office pays a salary of $1600 in addition to allowances for an assistant, office rent, fuel and lights. The full list as given by a republican authority is: Messrs. J. H. Hurtt, Wm. T. Matthews, C. M. Lucas, J. B. Burchinal, Wm. H. Lambert, Jr., S. Frank Smith, B.N.S. Wilkins and Hiram Brown.

THE JUDICIAL VOTE.

The Official Returns Give the Following as the Result of the Vote in the Secoud Judicial Circuit.

[redacted]

Pearce	12058
Russum	11132
Pearce's majority	926
Stump	12234
Haines	10929
Stump over Haines	1305
Martim	12094
Mullikin	10823
Martin over Mullikin	1271
Russum	11132
Haines	10929
Russum over Haines	203
Russum	11132
Mullikin	10823
Russum over Mullikin	309
Pearce	12058
Haines	10929
Pearce over Haines	1129
Pearce	12058
Mullikin	10823
Pearce over Mullikin	1235
Stump	12234
Pearce	12058
Stump over Pearce	176
Martin	12094
Pearce	12058
Martin over Pearce	36
Russum	11132
Haines	10929
Mullikin	10823
	2	21752
	10876
	10876
	356

Russum over the average of Haines and Mullikin.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY,

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

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Also one large "Sinclair" (No. 2½) Cutting Box for $15.00, cost $85.00.

DR. G. ALLEN JARMAN, Chestertown, Md.
n18-3t.

ART EXHIBITION.

The Epworth League of the Chestertown M. E. Church, will give what is termed an "ART EXHIBITION" in the room over the TRANSCRIPT office on

Thursday and Friday Evenings, November 25th and 26th.

The *Ladies Home Journal* series of picture sets will be shown, and after the exhibition sold at moderate prices. Each picture will be marked with its value, and all not sold during the two evenings will be sold at auction after the exhibition on the last evening. An admission of ten cents will be charged. Chocolate and coffee will be served each evening without additional cost. The exhibitions will be held also between 3 and 5 o'clock each afternoon.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are warned not to trespass with dog or gun on the premises of the undersigned. Any violation of this warning will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

GEORGE S. BIDDLE,
WILBUR MORRIS,
JACOB V. CROWDING,
BENJ. F. ROBINSON,
ROBERT MOFFETT.
o28-4t.*

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All persons are warned not to trespass upon the farm now tenanted by the undersigned, with dog, gun or *otherwise*, after the date of this notice, October 28th, 1897. All persons violating this notice will be punished according to law.

H. A. KRAFT, Galena, Md.
o28-4t.*

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

All persons are warned not to trespass upon the farms owned or tenanted by the undersigned, with dog, gun or *otherwise*, after the date of this notice, October 28th, 1897. All persons violating this notice will be punished according to law.

JOHN DEPUTY,
THOMAS QUIGLEY,
C. H. PRICE,
W. R. PRICE.
o28-4t.

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS are hereby warned not to trespass on the farm adjacent to Chertertown, or on the shores thereof, with dog, gun or otherwise. The law will be strictly enforced against all trespassers.

All persons are likewise warned not to trespass with dog, gun or otherwise upon the farms tenanted by C. W. Robinson, near Lankford; F. Hyson Dill, near Fairlee; Clarence Scotten, near Turner's Creek, nor J. Leonard Price, near Kennedyville, unless they have the permission of the tenants so to do.

HOPE H. BARROLL.
o28-3t.

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J. A. MONEY, Lynch's, Md.
W. T. MONEY, Shrewsbury Neck.
o26-4t.*

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An Intelligent young man as collector and agent for THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, for Kent county, Md. Apply at once to

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n11-2t.

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o28 6t.

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s23-tf.

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o14-3m.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

OF A VALUABLE

HOUSE and LOT

IN CHESTERTOWN, Md.,

NO. 700 HIGH STREET.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, passed in chancery cause No. 1367, entitled Susan A. B. Riggin vs. Mary C. F. Buchanan et al., wherein Hope H. Barroll was appointed trustee to make sale of certain real estate described in said cause, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, '97,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon,

—ALL THAT—

HOUSE and LOT of LAND,

situated on the easterly side of High street, at its northerly intersection with Lynchburgh street, the same being No. 700 High street, and now occupied by Annie A. Kennard.

The improvements consist of a Two-Story

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TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of the purchase money cash, and the residue in two equal installments in one and two years from the day of sale, all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from day of sale, and to be secured by note or notes of the purchaser to the satisfaction of the trustee. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser. The purchaser will be entitled to possession, and to rents from January 1st, 1898.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct.

NO. 1278 CHANCERY

ORDER NISI.

Theodore E Hayes
vs.
Margaret A. J. Stephens, Wm. W. Stephens.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity

ORDERED, this 12th day of November, 1897, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barrol, attorney named in mortgage, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 18th day of January next; Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 18th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $3,795.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
n18-4t.

NO. 1281 CHANCERY.

ORDER NISI.

Thomas Hill, assignee.
vs.
James Brown.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

ORDERED, this 16th day of November, 1897, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings of an undivided fourth interest made and reported by Thomas Hill, assignee of mortgage, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 25th day of January next—Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county aforesaid once in each of three successive weeks before the 18th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $1,750.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
SAMUAL G. FISHER, Clerk.
n18-4t.

ORDER NISI.

In the matter of the Insolvent Estate of Samuel A. Merrett.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

ORDERED, this 17th day of November, 1897, that the sale made and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, permanent trustee for the estate of Samuel A. Merritt, an insolvent, for the sale of the personal property therein mentioned, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 19th day of January next—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 19th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $5,789.25.

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BY VIRTUE of the authority of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, as a court of equity, passed in a cause in said court, wherein James A. Pearce, administrator of Price J. Patton, is complainant, and William Laning and others are defendants, the undersigned, appointed trustee by said decree, will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, on

Tuesday, November 23, '97

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In addition to the above purchase money the purchaser will be required to pay for one-half the Seed Wheat and Phosphate used on the wheat crop now seeded, the amount of which will be stated at the sale, and will be payable in cash to the persons purchasing said seed wheat and phosphate.

Possession will be given January 1st, 1898, or on ratification of the sale, deed at the purchaser's cost. The purchaser will be entitled to one-half the rent corn for the year 1897, and will pay the taxes for the current year.

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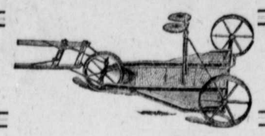
Corn  Cutters,

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