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GOOD ROAD CONVENTION.

A large and representative gathering of citizens and tax-payers met at the Court House in Chestertown Tuesday morning when an open conference with the State Road Commission was held. The official visitors arrived Monday evening, and in the party were: Governor Crothers, Mr. John M. Tucker, president of the Commission; Mr. Shoemaker, author of the Shoemaker road law; Mr Hutton, Dr. W. Bullock Clark, State geologist; W. W. Crosby, chief engineer, and Mr. J. C. Bowerman, secretary.

The meeting was called to order by Senator Wm. M. Slay who introduced Mr. A. C. Loud, president of the Board of County Commissioners, as permanent chairman. Mr. Loud called upon Gov. Crothers for a speech and in a few well-chosen remarks he stated the purpose of the meeting and the intention of the commission in improving the roads of the State. The Governor was followed by Senator Slay, Messrs. Harris and Willis, members of the last Legislature; Sidney P. Townshend, Lewin W. Wickes, Allan A. Harris. Dr. W. Frank Hines, Harrison W. Vickers, Jr., Andrew W. Woodall and other prominent citizens as to the proper location of the beginning of the road improvement. Many of the tax-payers of the county are in favor of beginning the improvement at Rock Hall, and taking in the lower part of the county where conditions of travel are far worse in winter than in any other section of the county, but a motion made by Mr. Marion De K. Smith to begin the work at Georgetown in the First District and come to Chestertown and on towards Rock Hall by way of Fairlee as far as the appropriation would go, was carried. Indeed it is the determination of the Road Commission to begin the improvement at Georgetown regardless of the agricultural interests of the county because the sole object of the commission is to use the State's money to build a continuous system of State roads from Elkton to Snow Hill, which will benefit no one other than to furnish a nice carriage drive from Georgetown to Chestertown and on to Snow Hill, if you want to go see Senator Smith. Hon. James S. Harris and others contended for the building of roads leading to the several shipping points. Mr. Harris did not mince his words at all and very truthfully said that the tax-payers money should not be expended for *an automobile boulevard*, but for the benefit of the people generally. We thoroughly agree with Mr. Harris. If the State appropriation is to do the greatest good to the greatest number, the $108,000 which Kent receives as its share of the $5,000,000 bond issue should be proportionately divided among the 427 miles of road in the county and not all put upon 25 miles of road that will only furnish a pleasant carriage ride and will lead to not one shipping center in Kent except Chestertown. Rock Hall and Tolchester, with Betterton, are the three largest shipping points in the county, and by all means the roads leading to these places should be improved *first* so as to be of most benefit to the agricultural interests of the county and which will enhance the value of our land. We sincerely hope the Road Commission will consider the matter of improving the roads of Kent from the standpoint of the greatest interest to the tax-payers and land owners. In Southern Maryland the improvement will be made with a view to improving roads leading to railroad stations and shipping points and what is the use of spending $108,000 on a road in Kent county which runs almost parallel with the railroad and over which there is little hauling. The people of Kent county want their shipping centres opened to traffic. While here Gov. Crothers and the members of the commission were entertained at the Voshell House, where the Governor received his friends and the leaders of the party in Kent. The Governor took advantage of the opportunity to visit Washington College, where he found conditions favorable, and everything being done to properly make use of the State appropriation by the college authorities.



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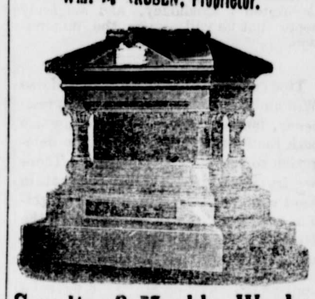
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