The Transcript.

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Democratic Ticket.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court:
JAMES T. DIXON.

For Register of Wills:
JESSE R. COPPER.

For Treasurer:
WILLIAM J. TARBUTTON.

For Sheriff:
ANDREW MEDDERS.

For County Commissioners:
T. BENJAMIN CREW,
CHARLES D. WOOD.

For House of Delegates:
JAMES S. HARRIS,
HARRY C. WILLIS.

For Surveyor:
GILBERT B. TAYLOR.

SHAKE HANDS, old boy, we got a piece too. Then let's all be happy and good to all the nominees.

IF YOU Wood vote for Crew why Crew Wood vote for Wood; but how could anybody help but vote for Wood and Crew—next fall.

DR. BEALL made his fight for the Legislature on his opposition to Usilton and Smith, according to his published card, and he polled 290 votes in the county.

THE PEOPLE of the county have vindicated the position taken by the TRANSCRIPT in running the Commissioners through the county, by nominating Messrs. Charles D. Wood and T. Benj. Crew, and there is no further necessity for us to answer any letters or to reply to any insinuations. We have implicit confidence in the sound judgment of the people. Now for a great victory in the fall.

THE FIGHT made by Mr. C. S. Hurlock and his friends in the First District against the Organization forces is a great tribute to the popularity and strength of Mr. Hurlock. Two years ago the First District gave the Organization ticket a majority of 134. Last Saturday it gave a majority of 61 for the Organization, Mr. Hurlock winning his precinct—Galena. Mr. Hurlock is to be congratulated on his great fight, as are also all those who "helped him out."

HURRAH for the Fifth, Sixth, Third and First, but shout the loudest for the Fifth. She did the work, and we take off our hats to the Fifth. Somebody said during the campaign: "What the oystermen and fishermen of the Fifth would do to Hadaway would be enough." If they had done much more that $3000 a year for the next six years would have been coming Hadaway's way for sure. The people of the Fifth have broken the record, and they have paid a great tribute to one of its sons.

THREE-CORNERED fights proved disanvantageous to the Antis in the primaries. Dr. Barwick's vote in the Second district for clerk undoubtedly defeated Mr. Hadaway. Mr. Dixon would have been defeated decently had not Dr. Barwick been in the fight. Dr. Beall's vote defeated Dr. Jarman. Mr. Clayton's vote for sheriff defeated Mr. Davis, and had it not been for Mr. W. J. Tarbutton's great popularity throughout the county, Mr. John Bell's vote for treasurer would have defeated Mr. Tarbutton. Against such odds as the Antis had to contend with in the contest, their victory is all the more remarkable.

THE ANTIS gained a great victory in the contest on Saturday. It was a hot fight from the start, but it is over, and each side has gotten enough out of the fray to cause *all* to unite solidly for the election of the ticket in the fall. The ticket nominated is a strong one, and with conditions as they exist in the county to-day and as they have existed since 1903, there is no reason why the entire Democratic ticket shall not be elected by a handsome majority. No excuse can be offered by either faction of the party for the defeat of a single candidate on the ticket, and while the TRANSCRIPT and its friends failed to get *all* it expected, yet we shall give just as loyal support to those who were opposed to us in the primaries, and will exert our best efforts to elect *every* man on the ticket. This is as it should be, and if any man on the ticket is defeated it cannot be charged to the TRANSCRIPT or its friends.

DELEGATES TO CONVENTION.

The delegates to the State Convention which meets in Baltimore August 11, are:

ORGANIZATION.

Lewis C. Ayres,
John Brice,
John H. Clendaniel,
Daniel W. Hadaway,
C. Romie Skirven.

PEOPLE'S FACTION.

Elmer E. Leary,
George E. Noland.

WHAT IT MEANS.

Harry C. Willis.
Jesse R. Copper.

Chas. D. Wood.
James S. Harris.
Gilbert B. Taylor.
William J. Tarbutton.

Andrew Medders.
T. Benjamin Crew.
James T. Dixon.

COUNTY TAX RATE.

A special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held on Monday, when a tax rate of $1.25 was declared for this year. This is 13 cents higher than it was last year. It is interesting to state that this rate was declared the first business day after the primaries, and that the Anti-Organization forces are in nowise responsible for it. The TRANSCRIPT predicted what would happen in its issue of two weeks ago, but we were censured for "letting the cat out of the bag."

MR. JAMES S. HARRIS.

The splendid vote given to Mr. James S. Harris in the primaries, 1565 out of a total of 2067 votes cast, is a splendid tribute to a fine man, and a flattering endorsement of his past record in the Legislature. Mr. Harris had the endorsement of the Anti-Organization forces in the recent contest, and his great victory is also a part of the Antis' victory. Had Mr. Harris received the full endorsement of the Organization forces he would have polled at least 400 more votes. But as it is, he received a great vote, and the Antis claim him as their man. We are confident of Mr. Harris' election in the fall, as we are also confident of Mr. Willis' election, who also received a flattering vote in the primaries.

SHOULD BE RECOGNISED.

In view of the fact that the People's faction of the party elected two delegates to the State Convention, and the remainder of their candidates for delegates were defeated by very small margins, it seems but right and proper that the faction should be given one member of the State Central Committee. We believe the vote of the people in the primaries is a strong indorsement of this claim, and the manner in which the candidates were treated a week before the primaries, when an attempt was made to keep them off the ticket, is a sufficient justification for the demand made by the People's faction for one member of the State Central Committee. In all fairness the faction should be represented on the committee.

THE DEFEAT of Mr. Charles H. Davis for sheriff is greatly regretted by his many friends throughout the county. Mr. Davis was among those who suffered the disadvantages of the three-cornered fights. He made a splendid campaign, and while he was defeated he has the satisfaction of knowing that he still has numerous friends. Mr. Davis would have discharged the duties of the office of sheriff with great satisfaction, and he has reached that period in life when the emoluments of the office would have been most acceptable to him. We are sure, however, that his successful opponent, Mr. Medders, will receive Mr. Davis' hearty support in the election. Dr. G. Allen Jarman also suffered from the same cause as did Mr. Davis. Dr. Jarman would have made an able representative in the Legislature, and the vote he received throughout the county is an evidence of his popularity with the people. We regret equally as much the defeat of Dr. Jarman, because he would have made the county one of the best representatives it has ever had in the Legislature. But we didn't get it all quite, and while we regret exceedingly the defeat of any of our candidates, all of us will do our utmost for the success of the ticket in the election.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The columns of the TRANSCRIPT are open to the proper discussion of all topics of public interest or importance. Whether the editors agree with the sentiment expressed or not, the people should and may be heard through the TRANSCRIPT's columns—the paper will be the People's Forum from which they may be heard on all subjects—purely personal matter excepted. The Editors are not responsible in any manner for articles that appear in this column.

DEAR SIR:—Four years ago, when through the efforts of the late Richard D. Hynson, the Smith & Usilton faction of the Democratic party won the primary, the Baltimore Sun, which is edited here by Mr. Fred G. Usilton, had in large bold type "The Great Victory of Usilton & Smith." This time when Usilton & Smith were so signally defeated at the primary the Baltimore Sun never mentioned "Usilton & Smith" but speaks of the equal victory of the Organization and Anti-Organization. Is it not enough to make a mule laugh? How could the result of last Saturday, in any sense be considered as a partial Organization victory? They lost control of the County Commissioners, Register, Treasurer, and Mr. Harris was nominated against their will. They secured the nomination of Mr. Willis, of Mr. Medders for Sheriff and of Mr. Dixon for Clerk, and they get five of the seven delegates to the State Convention. But how did they do even this? They polled in the Primary 2067 votes. There are certainly not 1900 Democratic votes in Kent county; at least 150 Republicans were voted by them. They voted at least 300 "Doubtful" voters. Their opponents did not vote 50 "Doubtfuls." Through the "Doubtfuls" they got what they got, and that's how they got it!

DEMOCRAT.

J. F Thompson.

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NOTIONS,
GROCERIES.

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Persian Lawns—10c, 12½c to 25c.
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Plaid Muslin—10c, 12½c and 15c.

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One Lot Ladies' Black Lace Hose—were 25c now 15c.
One Lot Ladies' White Lace Hose—were 25c now 15c.
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Respectfully,

J. F. Thompson,
Chestertown, Md.

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Sales at public auction show plainly the best bargains are bought at Private Sale, by this way of buying you are not competing with everybody who wants to buy.

Of the many desirable farms I have for sale, I have picked out these, knowing they are

BARGAINS.

464—175 acres, Cecil county, on Elk river, 6 miles from North East, which is on main line Pennsylvania R. R.; 87 acres chestnut, oak and poplar; 7-room house; barn for 8 head horses; shedding for cows; granary, corn crib; loam soil, mostly level; well fenced; fine springs on the farm; fencing and buildings good. Price, $6,500. A great bargain.

465—110 acres nice, kind land, Kent county, adjoining Fletcher Melvin. All tillable. 2 miles from Crumpton; 5 miles from Kennedyville; 7 miles from Chestertown; 4-room dwelling; usual outbuildings. Nice home. Possession January 1, 1910. This farm will no doubt be sold within two weeks. Price, $4,700.

461—6 acres. Broad Neck, Kent county. In view of oysters, fish, etc. Fertile land; 6-room frame house; outbuildings. Fine little home. Worth $1,200. Will sell for $900 and give possession at once.

459—169 acres, Queen Annes county; 140 acres tillable; fine meadow; medium soil; in high state of cultivation; fair fencing; 8-room house, outbuildings. $6,500.

450—7½ acres, 3½ miles from Chestertown on road to Kennedyville; 6-room frame house, stable. $850.

421—510 acres, Kent county; 400 acres tillable; beautifully situated on water; 5 miles from R. R. Station. $40 per acre.

402—217 acres, Kent county, on Sassafras river; 207 acres tillable, fertile land; 4 mile from Rrailroad Station; near wharf. $10,000.

396—58 acres, Queen Annes county, 5 miles from Millington, on Chester River. Buildings fair, nicely located, all tillable. $3,000.

395—60 acres, Queen Annes county, 3 miles from Millington; medium soil; all tillable; high state of cultivation; buildings fair. Price, $2,500.

On all the above a large part of the purchase price may remain on mortgage.

Nearly all farms will be withdrawn from the market in next 30 days.

J. Waters Russell,
Chestertown, Md.

A. Cohen's

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Extra Heavy 30c Matting go at..... 20c
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$10 and $15 Druggets, all wool, slightly damaged will sell to the highest bidder.

Now is the time to buy your $2.50 Porch Rockers at A. COHEN'S STORE for only.....$1.50
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50c Knives and Forks go at.....35c set
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ON GROCERIES.

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15c Ground Coffee, per lb..... 8c
5c Rice, per lb.....3½c
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Kinghams California Hams, lb.....10c
40c Tea go at, lb.....20c
German Fairbank's Soap, per bar.....4c
12½c Peaches, per lb.....8c
10c Corn or Tomatoes, per can.....7c

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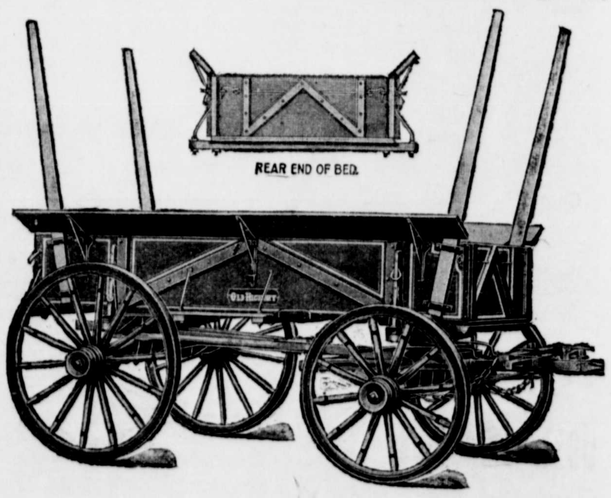

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