The Transcript.

R.H.COLLINS, T.D.BOWERS
EDITORS.

A LARGE number of Kent countians attended the State Conventions of the Democratic and Republican parties in Baltimore this week. The city was full of politicians.

Now that the Baltimore American has said about all there is to say about Taft and Roosevelt, it is endeavoring to make it appear that William Jennings Bryan is scheming to secure the Democratic nomination for President.

JUST think of it, there will be a lull in politics in good old Kent county for nearly a year. But we can scarcely resist the temptation once in a while during the cessation of hostilities to remind you that there is a fight brewing.

THE Road Engineer and the Road Law are proving exceedingly expensive luxuries to the Organization faction. Are you not sorry you did not listen to the voice of the tax-payers and repeal the iniquitious thing?

SENATOR JOHN WALTER SMITH has been instrumental in securing from Congress an appropriation of $90,000 for Salisbury and one for $65,000 for Crisfield for the erection of public buildings. Why cannot Chestertown receive a similar appropriation to either of the above towns? We believe it could if the right sort of an effort is made. Let our public spirited citizens get busy and see what can be done through Senator Smith, Senator Rayner and Congressman Covington.

IF THEY had won the delegates to the State Convention and lost out on the judgeship, they would have said that their main fight was for the delegates. That's the kind of peanut politics they play, and to fight for one part of their ticket and let the other take care of itself the best it can, is mighty poor treatment. But the fact of the business is that their judgeship has no politics in it, and they are as sore as boils because they *did* lose their delegates, they are making the best of a lost cause and saying "our main fight was on the judgeship, and we won." See the point?

TALK BETWEEN TWO "SMILERS"

"How about the Primary at Fairlee on May 6th. Were you there?"

"I was."

"Did you have the *'Pass-word ?'* What! you did not. Then you didn't get anything, did you, not even a finger or a smile?"

"No."

"Why that is a shame, you ought to have had the *'Pass-word'* "

"I had all I wanted. They put me wise early."

"You don't tell me. I never had a drop. Who handled it?"

"Can't tell you, that's a known secret. But he stands too high even to whisper it to an Anti!"

PROF. EDWARD F. BUCKNER, of the Johns Hopkins University, was in Chestertown on Wednesday in the interest of the proposed School of Technology soon to be established in connection with the University. It is the intention of those in charge of the work of the establishment of this great school to award at least one of the three scholarship to which Kent county is entitled under the law in time for the successful applicant to enter upon his four-year course of study at the opening of the University next October, though the appropriation made by the last Legislature will not become available before next year. This is done in order to get the boy started upon his life work as early as possible and due notice of the examination of applicants will be given. The establishment of this great school will undoubtedly mean much to the boys of this State. It will afford every worthy and industrious boy the opportunity to acquire such an education as will fit him for any occasion in life. Dr. Buchner called upon Supt. Melvin, Prof. J. L. Smyth of the High School, Dr. James W. Cain, president of Washington College and the TRANSCRIPT, and discussed the feature of the new school.

Delegates and Electors Named.

The following delegates to the National Convention, each with half a vote, were named at the Democratic State Convention Thursday.

AT LARGE.

Senator John Walter Smith, Worcester county.
Senator Isador Raynor, Baltimore.
Johua W. Miles, Somerset county.
John J. Mahon, Baltimore city.
Mayor Preston, Baltimore city.
Arthor P. Gorman, Howard county.
Congressman J. F. C. Talbot, Baltimore county.
Jasper N. Willison, Allegany county.

FIRST DISTRICT.

Congressman J. Harry Covington, Talbot county.
Emerson C. Harrington, Dorchester county.
Thomas J. Keating, Queen Annes county.
Emerson R. Crothers, Cecil county.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Frank A. Furst, Baltimore city.
Charles H. Dickey, Baltimore county.
John S. Young, Harford county.
Guy W. Steele, Carroll county.

THIRD DISTRICT.

S. Davies Warfield, Baltimore city.
S. S. Field, Baltimore city.
William F. O'Conor, Baltimore city.
Robert J. Padgett, Baltimore city.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Alonzo L. Miles, Baltimore city.
Max Ways, Baltimore city.
Daniel J. Loden, Baltimore city.
John S. (Frank) Kelley, Baltimore city.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Dr. George Wells, Anne Arundel county.
Aquilla T. Robinson, Prince George's county.
Dr. Walter B. Dent, St. Mary's county.
Senator Edward M. Hammond, Howard county.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

J. Augustine Mason, Washington county.
Emory C. Coblentz, Frederick county.
Gilmor S. Hamill, Garrett county.
Arthur Peter, Montgomery county.

ELECTORS NAMED.

The following Presidential electors were nominated;

At Large—James T. Truitt, Wicomico county, and Robert E. Lee, Baltimore city.
First District—Albert W. Sisk, Caroline county.
Second—Dr. Frank T. Shaw, Carroll county.
Third—William Shepard Bryan, Baltimore city.
Fourth—James McC. Trippe, Baltimore city.
Fifth—Dr. Louis C. Carrico, Charles county.
Sixth—Col. E. Austin Baughman, Frederick county.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic State Convention met in Baltimore Thursday and nominated the delegates to the National Convention and the Presidential electors. The city administration of Mayor Prestonwas endorsed and the mayor, himself, endorsed for the nomination of vice president. The national delegation was instructed for Champ Clark for president. Mayor Preston was in the saddle and he and his friends organized the convention. The Kent county delegation voted with Mayor Preston's friends.

KENT COUNTY IN THE FRONT.

The Kent County Medical Conference Will Meet Here Tuesday and Wednesday—We Are the First County in the United States to Take Up This Great Work.

Chestertown is now honored by taking the lead in a campaign which is one of the most important for years. This movement, which was first international, has been taken up by each country on the map and applied with more or less force. Kent county is now selected as the model of this movement within the State, and we hope will keep up her record by showing up bravely.

This conference takes place on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 21 and 22, in Stam's Hall, and lectures will be given by men of national distinction in their respective callings.

We hope nothing will prevent a good attendance, and feel positive each and every one will take home with him something valuable.

The programme follows:

TUESDAY, 8 P. M.

The Relation of the Fly and Other Insects to Disease. Illustrated. Dr. Wm. Royal Stokes, State and City Bacteriologist.
Impure Milk as a Cause of Disease. Illustrated. Dr. Mary Sherwood.
Moving pictures between addresses.

WEDNESDAY, 3 P. M.

Preventive of Tuberculosis ..... H. Wirt Steele
How to Keep the Babies Well, Dr. Wm. Royal Stokes, State and City Bacteriologist.

WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.

The Importance of Pure Water Supplies for Towns and County Districts. Ezra Whiteman, Water Engineer of Baltimore. Illustrated.
Sanitary Sewage Disposal for Rural Districts. Passed Assistant Surgeon L. L. Lumsden, Public Health and Marine Hospital service.
Moving pictures between Addresses.

CHURCH WORK.

Preaching services at the Presbyterian churches as follows: Westminster at 10.30 A. M., Grace at 3 P. M., Worton at 7.45 P. M., Sunday school every Sunday morning at Worton at 10 o'clock.

Bond M. E. Church, Pomona—Sunday school 9.45, preaching 11 A. M. Mowbray M. E. Church, Cliffs—Sunday school 2 P. M., Epworth League 7 P. M., preaching 7.30. Rev. W. M. McCann, pastor.

Rev. Dr. W. R. Graham and Mr. Thomas D. Bowers are attending the sessions of the General Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church in St. John's M. P. Church, Baltimore, as ministerial and lay delegates from the Maryland Annual Conference. The sessions will continue for two weeks. Dr. Graham will fill his pulpit as usual Sunday morning and evening.

At the meeting of the Juvenile Home Missionary Society of Christ M. P. Sunday school held Sunday afternoon, the following officers were elected: President, William Frazier Russell, Jr.; vice-president, Albert Wheat; secretary, Miss Reba Davis. The monthly collection amounted to $20, Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard's class winning the banner for the highest amount contributed.

Mothers' Day was appropriately observed in Christ M. P. Sunday school last Sunday afternoon. A representative of each class recited a sentiment appropriate to the occasion, Miss Reba Davis gave an impressive reading and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hydie Thompson sang very touchingly a duet entitled, "Tell Mother I'll be There." A large quantity of flowers was brought by the scholars. These were made into pretty bouquets by the members of Miss Bessie Wheatley's class and were distributed among the sick of the congregation. It was a most impressive service.

One of the largest congregations of the year heard Rev. Dr. W. R. Graham preach an able sermon on Sunday evening. Dr. Graham is a fine orator, and his sermons are gems of fine thought.

Miss Mamye Thompson was elected a delegate from Christ Church Young People's Society to the Christian Endeavor Convention held in Broadway Church, Baltimore, this week.

Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., pastor. Services next Sunday, May 19th, as follows: 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor; 2.15 P. M., Sabbath School and Pastor's Bible Class; 7 P. M., Epworth League Song Service in the auditorium, followed by a brief sermon by the pastor. All invited.

The services last Sunday at the M. E. Church were very interesting. In the morning notwithstanding the rain, a splendid audience assembled, and the pastor delivered an impressive sermon on "Motherhood." Many have requested that the sermon be repeated at an early date. Two persons united with the church. In the evening the Epworth celebrated the 22nd anniversary of the organization of the League. Special music was rendered by the Chestertown Orchestra. A beautiful solo was sung by Mrs. Merrick Clements. The choruses were sung by the League. Addresses were delivered by Mr. Norman Jefferson, president of the League, and Mr. Pardue of Washington College. Both of these young gentlemen acquitted themselves in a handsome manner. The officers elect were installed by the pastor. The program was in charge of Mr. John C. Davis, first V. P. of the League.

The Betterton Epworth League held its 22nd anniversary last Sunday evening. The church was trimmed in the Epworth League colors, it being led by Mr. Reese Young, topic, "The Coming Supremacy of Christ." The opening hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," was then sung, then a prayer by Mr. John Brice. The scripture was read by Mr. Archie Crew, another hymn, "Onward Christian Soldier," was sung and a piece read by the President, Miss Margaret Brinsfield. Organ and violin duet by Mrs. Chas. Brice and Mrs. Jones, reading by vice-president Mrs. Archie Crew; reading by Mrs. James Sutton, singing by the choir, recitation by Miss Hazel Crew, solo by Mrs. J. H. Gooding, reading by 4th vice-president, Miss Helen Crew; reading Miss Elsie Crew, singing by the choir, reading by the secretary, Miss Elizabeth Brice; solo by Mrs. John Owens, reading by the treasurer, Miss Marie Brice. After the offering another piece was sung by the choir.

There will be no services at St. James or Lynch M. P. Churchs, (Sunday), on account of the funeral of the late George Hudson.

We understand that the price of gas to consumers in Chestertown, will be $1.50 per 1,000 feet. Those contemplating using gas, however, will do well to confer with the company who will give satisfactory contracts we are quite sure.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

OF A FINE AND

VALUABLE SMALL FARM

in Piney Neck, near Rock Hall, Md.

UNDER and by virtue of the Power contained in a Mortgage from William W. Jewell to the Third National Bank of Chestertown, bearing date the 13th day of July, 1910, duly executed, acknowledged and recorded in Liber J. T. D. No, 21, folios 302, &c., one of the Land Record Books for Kent county, Maryland, and duly assigned to the undersigned, I will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, on

Tuesday, the 28th Day of May, 1912,

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

All That Farm or Tract of Land,

situated in Piney Neck, in the Fifth Election District of Kent county, which adjoins the lands of the late James H. Glenn, the public school in Piney Neck, and contains

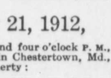
70 Acres of Land

MORE OR LESS.

It is the same farm which was conveyed to James H. Glenn in his lifetime by William R. Glenn and wife by deed recorded in Liber J. T. D. No. 2, folios 507, &c.

The soil of this farm is a medium loam, easily improved. It will grow wheat, corn, tomatoes and small fruit. It lies near a water location, close to postoffice, school, churches and Rock Hall. The improvements consist of a new

FRAME DWELLING



stable, barn and other necessary outbuildings, all in excellent condition and repair. It is one of the most desirable small farms on the market in the Fifth Election District, and will make a splendid home for anyone desiring a country residence or a small farm in this section of Kent county.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments payable in 6 months and 15 months from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser. The purchaser will receive one-half of all crops except the wheat crop which is reserved. Possession will be given January 1st, 1913, and the purhaser or his tenant will be entitled to enjoy the usual privileges of an incoming tenant.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Assignee.
JOHN T. JESTER, Auctioneer. m4-ts.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Household & Kitchen Furniture

Saturday Afternoon, May 18th, 1912,

AT 2 30 P. M.

My beloved wife having died and having no further use for my HOUSEHOLD GOODS, I will offer same for sale to the highest bidder at my home near Massey, Md., Saturday Afternoon, May 18th, 1912, the following:

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Two Bed Room Suits, 5 Rockers, nearly new; 1 Enamel Cot and Springs, 1 Mirror, 8 Small Rugs, 1 Coal Stove, 1 Dining Room Suit, 2 Small Tables, lot of Stair Carpet and Stair Pads, lot of Pictures, 2 Large Lamps, 1 Air Tight Stove, new; 1 Couch, nearly new; 2 Stands, 2 Large Rugs, 2 Clocks, 1 Cook Stove, 1 Sewing Machine, 2 Screen Doors, lot of Ornaments.

Lot of Cook Stove Fixtures & Kitchen Furniture

One Washing Machine, lot of Window Screens, 1 Clothes Basket, 2 Wash Tubs, 1 Hall Rack, 20 Hens and 1 Rooster, and a number of other goods too numerous too mention.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash on day of sale. No goods removed until terms are complied with.

m11-ts. CHARLES MULLEN, Owner.

Treasurer's Tax Sale.

BY VIRTUE of authority vested in me as Treasurer of Kent county, by Act of Assembly, and providing for the collection of State and County Taxes, I will sell on

Tuesday, May 21, 1912,

between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., the following described property, situated at Tolchester Beach, in the Sixth Election District:

One Large Elevated Gravity Platform, known as "The Tickler," containing several thousand feet of lumber, together with chain and other appliances and electric light connections. One Large Steam Boiler, about 12 H. P. and attachments. One Large Horizontal Engine, about 15 H. P., in complete order, and attachments.

The above property is assessed to the J. E. Cahill Amusement Co.

This sale will be made to pay taxes on the above property for the years 1910 and 1911, together with interest and all costs due and to become due thereon.

Amount of County Taxes $92.10
Amount of State Taxes 11 40

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

WM. J. TARBUTTON,
Apr. 27-ts. County Treasurer.

Treasurer's Tax Sale.

BY VIRTUE of authority vested in me as Treasurer of Kent county, by Act of Assembly, and providing for the collection of State and County Taxes, I will sell on

Tuesday, May 21, 1912,

between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M., at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., the following described property:

Lot of Land Containing 1 Acre,

More or Less, situated, lying and being in the Sixth Election District of Kent county, Md., on the south side of the public road leading from Melitota to Buck Neck, adjoining the lands on the east of Jacob Freeman and on the west of Jefferson Wilson.

The above property is assessed to David Dorman. This sale will be made to pay taxes on the above property for the years 1910 and 1911, together with interest and all costs due and to become due thereon.

Amount of County Taxes $3.38
Amount of State Taxes ..... .42

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

WM. J. TARBUTTON,
Apr. 27-ts. County Treasurer.

STANDARD KEEPER'S NOTICE

To Store-Keepers, Mills, Dairymen and Oyster Venders.

That I Have Been Appointed Inspector of all WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

and as the law compels me to inspect such Weights and Measures and see that they come up to the State of Maryland Standard, I will call on each for inspection in the first week in June, 1912, as follows:

MONDAY, JUNE 3rd—Melitota, Fairlee, Sandy Bottom, Rock Hall, Edesville, Pomona.

TUESDAY, JUNE 4th—Chestertown, Worton, Lynch's, Betterton, Still Pond, Kennedyville.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5th—Locust Grove, Galena, Sassafras, Golts, Massey, Millington, Chesterville, Blackwells.

All persons are notified to have same prepared for inspection.

GEO. L. CHRISFIELD,
m11-3t. Inspector.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of administration upon the personal estate of

WILLIAM S. McCRACKEN,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of Novmeber, 1912, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under our hands and seal this 14th day of May, 1912.

JAMES H. McCRACKEN,
HOPE H. BARROLL,
m18-4t. Administrators.

ABE COHEN'S DEPART. STORE!

Cohen's LOW Prices

Put Competitors on the run.

e will sell at a greater cut price than ever before, because our competitors tried to stop us from handling any kind of goods because we gave you more goods for your money than they did.

Such as the well-known $3 Water King Shoe will go at $2.49
Also the Ladies' $2 Popular Shoe will go at 1.69

If you will call you will find Record-breaking Bargains at our store.

We want you to know that we are agents for the FLINT WAGON WORKS, and we are going to cut prices on same.

$85.00 Genuine Leather Top Covered, bows extra fine finished, will go at $69.00
$50.00 Runabouts will go this week at 39.00

The best bargains you will ever get.

HARNESS

$10.00 Light Buggy Harness will go at ..... $ 8.25
13.50 Light Runabout Harness go at 10.90
16.00 Full Rubber Trimmed Kay Saddle go at 14.00
12.00 Wagon Harness go at 9.00

PAINTS

Now is the time that you will paint your house, and here is the place to buy your Paint at a cut price.

$2.00 Stag Brand Paint go at $1.59
Linseed Oil, very best, per gallon 79c
Turpentine, Varnish, Drying Wood Filler, Carriage and Wagon Paint of all kinds.

MATTING

If you want to cover your floor with good Matting at a cut price, call to see me.

25c Grade Japanese Matting, per roll $7.49
22½c China Matting, per roll 6.90

Extra big assortment to select from.

MATTING RUGS

9x12 ft. Matting Rugs got at $2.25
9x12 ft. Crex Rugs go at 7.00
Crex Matting, per yard ..... .29

We still cut the price on CRYSTAL PATENT, PATAPSCO and BEST IN THE WORLD FLOUR.

GROCERIES

Sugar is coming back to the old standard.

Granulated Sugar, per pound 5½c
Bloaters, per dozen 15c
Large Package Washington Crisps 8c
A Large Can of Horse Molasses for 75c

TOBACCO

June, What Knox, Schnapps, Early Bird, Gravely ALL GO AT **39c**

We have a big assortment of Seeds and Seed Potatoes. We will pay highest price for all Country Produce. We also will pay 1c above market price on Wednesday.

Cohen's prices means money in your pocket.

Abe Cohen's Sandy Bottom Department Store.

With all cash purchases during the week we will give premium tickets. We have a fine assortment of Chinaware which we will give for checks.



$980 f. o. b. factory
(Top extra)

Steel automobile bodies were introduced first by Maxwell in 1903. Today their use is almost universal. An excessive strain or accident which will break a wooden body beyond repair will only dent a steel body—and the latter can be made good as new with little labor or expense.

Maxwell Mascotte $980

The exceptional value of this car invites comparison with the higher priced productions. It has ample power, room for your whole family, and high-grade style. Let us show you Mascotte's exceptional value. *Come in and have a ride.*

J. H. SIDES, Agent,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

NOTICE

—TO ALL—
PROPECTIVE

Ford Automobile Buyers.

If you want your Ford Automobile by the 1st to 15th of June, it is absolutely necessary that you let me have your order not later than the 15th of May, otherwise I Cannot Guarantee any delivery for June.

J. F. THOMPSON,

Agent for Kent County,

CATALOG ON REQUEST. CHESTERTOWN, MD



Spring and Summer

CLOTHING

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NOW READY

for inspection

Large assortment and low prices prevailing as usual.

Respectfully,

MOODY & LUSBY,

DIRECTLY OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE,

CHESTERTOWN, : : : : MARYLAND.

BORDLEY'S SHOES.



"GOTHAM"

We have contemplated for a long time whether it is wiser to sell a cheap shoe and have a dissatisfied customer or to sell a high grade of shoes that will wear and hold their original shape and have our customers come back for another pair.

We have come to the conclusion that it is not wise to sell cheap shoes, and we are handling the best.

"Regal" and "Walkover" Shoes
Sold exclusively by us.

The above cut is the "Gotham" model. It is a conservative and elegant expression of good form in footwear, and the man who wears the "Gotham" can feel confident that his feet are properly clad. Note the low, comfortable toe and the low flange heel and invisible eyelets. Ask to see "Gotham." This shoe is black only.



"ARLINGTON"

The "Arlington" is the Shoe of the aristocrat. It is the incoming style. Note the distinguished flat forepart, the narrow, receding toe, the level sole and the low custom heel. Every indication of style and comfort. These are the hall-marks of a 1912 style that is the correct wear for people who know what fashion means. This shoe is a tan only. Many other styles.

OUR REDUCED CLOTHING

is going and the styles are being rapidly broken. Call soon and make your selection. Some astonishing bargains FOR YOU. See them before you go elsewhere.

'Phone us and inquire if we carry what you want and we will gladly advise.

BORDLEY & SONS,

BORDLEY'S BUSY CORNER

Corner High and Cross Streets,

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

Statement of the Condition of the
Connecticut Fire Insurance Company
of Hartford, January 1, 1912.

Cash Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve for Reinsurance 4,068,783.74
Reserve for all Outstanding Claims ... 241,021.28
Net Surplus 2,117,286.39
Total Assets $7,517,091.41

J. D. BROWNE, President.
W. T. HOWE, Secretary.
JOHN A. COSMUS, Ass't Sec'y.

EDGAR P. BECK, Resident Agent,
a20-3t. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE TO THE COMMISSIONERS.

All persons disposing of their personal property at public or private sale, and failing to report such sales to the County Commissioners before the first day of May, will be held liable for the taxes on said property in the levy of 1912.

By order of the
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.
Samuel Hicks, Clerk.

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