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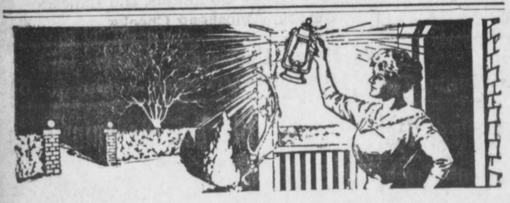
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FRANK O. SMITH FOR LEE

Congressman Thinks Him the Man to Succeed Rayner.

Congressman Frank O. Smith, of the Fifth District, announced Monday that he had enrolled himself in the camp of State Senator Blair Lee and would support Mr. Lee for the short-term Senatorship. He said:

"I have read with much interest the interview of Congressman David J. Lewis in support of Senator Blair Lee for the short-term Senatorship, published in the Sun of January 6th, and heartily endorse what he says.

"In fact, I wish to go further and give it as my humble opinion that whatever may have been Senator Lee's views, or the wishes of his friends with respect to the Governorship, or any other position, a situation is now presented which has made it nothing short of a public duty for him to stand for the short term to succeed Senator Rayner, for in that position his services would become immediately available, both to the Wilson cause and the cause of progressive Democracy in Maryland.

"We now have no other public man who, by his record and attainments, so perfectly fits the situation. And the dawn of a new era in the State simplifies the matter of his selection.

WOULD LOOK THOUGH WILSON GLASS.

"We should look at this whole matter through the glasses of our President-elect. His policies are the policies of the Democratic party. He will need men in thorough sympathy with him in the Senate to carry them through. According as he succeeds or fails the party will succeed or fail. So the Senate and the President must feel alike on public questions in order to get the best results. In other words, the party needs men in the Senate of the Wilson type. 'By their fruits ye shall know them.'

"Mr. Lewis has forcefully presented Senator Lee's public record and has clearly shown that he is distinctively a man of the required type. And I wish to add that it is largely to the recent State legislation for which Senator Lee is responsible that I attribute the redemption of the First Congressional district from Republican control, which has existed for the last 20 years. With Senator Lee in the United States Senate standing for the rights and interests of our people, I am convinced that the reclaimation of this Congressional district will be made permanent.

AS TO HIS DEVOTION TO DUTY.

"To me there is a certain charm in the personalty of Senator Lee, accentuated by his fearless devotion to public duty, which has developed a personal regard closely akin to affection. But this does not determine my course with respect to his candidacy.

"Subject, as we may, his political career to the most severe tests, Senator Lee, since the death of Governor Crothers, stands out above all others as the man of the hour. His public record for the last eight years stamps him as the leader of the progressive Democracy of the State at the present time.

"From his entrance into the State Senate he began to secure against great odds, the enactment into law of measures which then seemed to be out of jcint with the times. But looking backward now we can all see that at that early date he was leading in this State a movement for the restoration of popular control, such as kindred spirits in other States were at work upon, and that he and they were then fallowing the soil and planting the seed which resulted in the glorious harvest of 1912—Democratic control of both branches of Congress and Woodorw Wilson as President.

"A failure to avail ourselves of the services of such a man for the United States Senate at this particular time would seem to be a reflection upon our capacity to take care of ourselves and a demonstration of a lack of appreciation on the part of the Democratic party of the State, which I cannot believe to be possible in the present condition of the public mind.

"Without ill will to any other rival candidate and with due respect to all elements of the party which have contributed to my election to Congress, I may say that Mr. Lee stands for what I believe to be right and that in every legitimate way he will have my earnest and unqualified support in his candidacy for the United States Senate.—Baltimore Sun.

New Delaware College.

Plans of buildings for an affiliated college for Delaware women at Newark, prepared under the direction of a joint committee of the State Board of Education and trustees of Delaware College, consisting of Chancellor Charles M. Curtis, chairman; Dr. George W. Twitmyer, president of the State Board of Education; Daniel W. Corbitt, William T. Layman, Deputy Attorney General; W. Watson, Harrington, and Prof. Harry Hayward, have been placed on exhibition at Newark. There are two buildings provided for in the plans, a dormitory and recitation hall.

The estimated cost of the two is $100,000, and with the grounds it is thought the expense would reach $125,000. Through the Federation of Women's Clubs and the State Grange such a strong sentiment has been worked up for some provision for the higher education of the girls of the State that there seems to be but little doubt that the General Assembly, which meets next month, will make the necessary appropriation for an affiliated college.

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OPPOSITION IN HIS OWN COUNTY.

Mr. William G. Kerbin, of Snow Hill, Indorses Mr. Straus' Fight Against Senator Smith—He Says the Senator Does Not Carry the Eastern Shore in His Vest Pocket and That There are Plenty of Democrats Down There Who are Ready to Revolt Against His Dominations.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN.—*Sir:* The courage of Hon. Isaac Lobe Straus is to be commended in bringing before the voter of Maryland the true position of Senator John Walter Smith and his record in the Senate. It has not been very long ago since a Republican United States Senator said to me: "Senator Smith from your State, is just as good a Republican as we want in the Senate." One vote alone brands him as false to the Democratic party and its principles. That poor people might build their homes with as little cost as possible, the Democratic National Convention of 1908 declared for free lumber. Did Senator Smith live up to his party's platform on this plank? No, he did not; but, on the contrary, his vote was for a tax on lumber. And why was his vote thus? Simply because he is engaged in the lumber business. * * *

He voted to retain Senator Lorimer in the Senate. Here again bobs up the lumber interest, for Lorimer was sent to the Senate by the Lumber Trust. * * *

Not only has he voted against his party's declarations on the lumber question, but he has invariably opposed legislation in favor of labor. He stands too close to the trusts and corporations. He acknowledges he is a director in the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, but that he is not a stockholder. This being so, there surely must have been some very special reason why he was elected a director in this rich corporation, and one that wants its interests looked after by men in high positions. * * *

A new political era has dawned. Its great leader is our newly elected President, Woodrow Wilson. Senator Smith says he will sustain the hands of President Wilson. Does the Senator's past record show that he has moved along the same political lines that Mr. Wilson has moved? No. Worcester county, the home of the Senator, was carried for Governor Harmon, the only county in the State to go for him. We all know that this does not look much like Wilson. A man cannot change his convictions overnight. Senator Smith's past political record has been along different lines and for different purposes from that of President-elect Wilson. He cannot change his political position within a few weeks.

President-elect Wilson has been fighting in New Jersey bosses just like Senator Smith. The political ring of Worcester county is as corrupt as could well be imagined. Every conceivable trick and practice is resorted to and used to keep the voter from expressing his opinion at the polls on election day. Trick ballots, money used on election day, voters intimidated and threatened, the ring even going so for as to offer to help secure the acquittal of indicted persons if their relatives and friends would support the ring ticket. All this in the home county of Senator Smith.

Plenty of Democratic voters of old Worcester are glad to find out that Mr. Straus had the nerve to show up the political record of the Senator, and if he will only come to this county he will be cordially received in all sections of it, and not only in this county but in every county on the Eastern Shore, where the sentiment is the same as it is here.

The Senator does not carry the Eastern Shore in his vest pocket. He refused to allow his own county to have a primary ballot law so that the people of this county might say whom they wanted as county officials. No, this did not suit the Senator's views, for he believes in keeping the people from having a say in county matters. The Senator wants that privilege alone.

Some of us have been fighting the methods of the Senator in this county for some time past, and we will join hands with Mr. Straus in his fight. * * *

Reactionary methods and reactionary men to the rear—men of conviction, men for the people and representing the interests of the people to the front! The foes of progressivism must not remain nor be placed in high places. Men who do not stand squarely and honestly upon a party's platform have no business holding great and responsible official positions within the gift of the great Democratic party.

WILLIAM G. KERBIN.

Snow Hill, Md., Jan 2.

Engineers Hold Life Long.—W. W. Atterbury, vice-president of the Pennsylvania railroad, has compiled interesting statistics which show that engineers of the Pennsylvania system live longer than any other class of employes. The figures set forth that 202 engineers are on the pension roll; 7.6 per cent. of the pensioned employes are engineers and they draw 12 per cent. of the pensions. The average length of service of the engineers is 18 years. The average age of death of all employes, from officers down, is 40 years, while that of the engineers is 51. The average age at which the engineer arrives who dies as the result of an accident is 42 years, while for other employes the average is 33.

Deer Farm in Blackbird Hundred.—That Delaware is now stocked with deer is certain, provided the deer remain there. The animals swam across the Delaware river from the New Jersey side several weeks ago and are now making their home in Blackbird Hundred. Some of the deer mixed in with cattle on William Burge's farm on Blackbird creek. Wm. H. Greenwell, Jr., a milk dealer at No. 1226 Lancaster avenue, Wilmington, and his brother, Ernest G. Greenwell, a well-known ball player, saw one of the deer several days ago while hunting in Blackbird Hundred. The former was about to take a shot at the animal when it disappeared.

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In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

No. 1897.

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