The Transcript.

THE selection of Prof. H. J. Patterson as the President of the Maryland Agricultural College is a fitting recognition of a most capable man. The TRANSCRIPT indorsed Prof. Patterson for the place several weeks ago.

HON. LLOYD WILKINSON, of Baltimore, was in Chestertown Tuesday. Whether he came in the interest of his own candidacy for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, or of Senator Smith's candidacy or both, we have not heard. The presumption is that his mission was a "double" one.

SENATOR SMITH bases his claim upon the voters of the State to his campaign contributions. How many thousands of times has he been repaid by his high tariff of $2 on every 1000 feet of lumber he sells? Have not the tax-payers paid him far more tribute than he has given to the various county organizations to keep his friends in power?

NO WONDER the Organization forces could not attend the Marbury meeting in Firemen's Hall on Tuesday afternoon. The dose they got in Washington from Postmaster General Burleson, had not lost its effect when they reached Chestertown, and they were compelled to remain indoors for fear of taking cold. Poor old fellows, the only thing they have left now is the road engineer, and you bet they will use him for all they are worth while it lasts.

Senator Smith is not a particle of use to the Democrats at Washington now. He can't get a single job for his friends except Kelley, in Baltimore, and he has voted with the moneyed interests for high tariff against the people of his own State. He is clear out of touch with his party and people, and it is time for the State to have a representative who has some influence in appointments, and who is willing to place the interests of his people above his own selfish interests.

IF YOU want to be convinced of the absolute insincerity of Senator Smith and his reactionary followers in the State, just hear how they are honeying Mr. Bryan now, and compare their attitude *now* with their feeling towards Mr. Bryan during and prior to the Baltimore Convention. Senator Smith and his followers care about as much for Mr. Bryan now as they do for Senator Smith's *money barrel*—TO GET VOTES. That's all they are ringing the changes on Mr. Bryan for now.

SENATOR SMITH'S POWER AT WASHINGTON IS DEAD. The only influence left him now is MONEY, and the Democrats of this State will never allow a High Protective tariff Democrat to represent the State of Maryland in the United States Senate BY BUYING HIS SEAT. That is the way Lorimer got to the Senate and he was a representative of the lumber interests, just like Senator Smith, who voted to retain Lorimer in the Senate. Shall the State of Maryland be called upon to suffer the disgrace of another Lorimer episode?

IT IS SAID that a straw will indicate the direction of the wind. Mr. Marbury recommended W. Finley Collins for postmaster at Millington, and Postmaster-General Burleson and President Wilson will see that Mr. Collins gets the appointment. President Wilson on Tuesday appointed Mr. Snowden Marshall, a cousin of Mr. Marbury, to one of the best appointments in New York city. You don't have to knock a man in the head with a brick to make him see things, do you? Can't any one tell where President Wilson's sympathies are in the senatorial fight, without being knocked in the head?

WHEN did the Organization faction get control of the sheriff? Sheriff McKee authorizes us to say that he endorsed the petition of Mr. Finley Collins for postmaster at Millington, and that he is not allied with the Organization faction in any manner whatsoever, as was stated to Postmaster-General Burleson in Washington by one of the HIKERS on Monday. That was a *willful misrepresentation*, don't you know, and yet what is the use of making a fuss about that, when the delegation from Kent claimed all the credit for electing Congressman Covington? Leaving Mr. Covington and Sheriff McKee out of their reckoning, their strength dwindles to Messrs. Beck and Vickers and one member of the State Central Committee, which everybody knows is a hopeless minority, and has no claim to any recognition from the national administration.

THE HIKERS IN WASHINGTON.

The HIKERS went to Washington last Sunday afternoon to see about the Millington postoffice. They came home with the name of Finley Collins pinned good and hard upon their coat tails. They put up a great big bluff, and tried to make Postmaster-General Burleson believe that they are the whole show in Kent county. They claimed everything in sight as usual, but Mr. Burleson called their bluff, and let them know that he knows as much about Kent county politics as the hikers did. He showed them Mr. Collins' petition which was indorsed by most of the patrons of the Millington postoffice, by two of the three members of the State Central Committee, by the five county commissioners, the Register of Wills, his deputy, the county treasurer, by the sheriff and other influential officials, and said Mr. Burleson, "If you Democrats elect these gentlemen, you must stand by them," and the Postmaster-General gave the hikers to understand that Mr. Collins will be appointed postmaster at Millington. Said one of the delegation: "We informed Postmaster-General Burleson that we had some friends who had been elected to offices in Kent, and who did not indorse Mr. Collins. We referred him to Congressman Covington, Senator Beck, the sheriff, State's Attorney Vickers, one member of the State Central Committee and others, who as truly represent one element of the party as do two members of the State Central Committee and the five County Commissioners who indorsed Mr. Collins. BUT IT WAS USELESS. WE'RE UP AGAINST IT."

And so they are, you just guess.

Congressman Covington informed the delegation that he could not afford to oppose the national administration.

MR. MARBURY IN KENT.

Mr. Marbury's tour of Kent county and parts of Queen Anne's was a most successful one. Everywhere he went he impressed the voters with his sincerity, his ability and his genuine Democracy. Mr. Marbury's style of speaking is conversational. There is nothing bombastic about him. His style of argument is simple, plain and convincing, and his manner is such as to attract rather than repel. Mr. Marbury undoubtedly made many new friends in his tour, and the impression he made upon the people will continue to grow until, when he can "catch up" with the many falsehoods that are being circulated by his opponents concerning his past record, he will win the hearts and sympathies of the great mass of the voters, who will come to know that Marbury is brilliant, that he is honest, and that he is in thorough accord with the principles and policies of President Wilson and William Jennings Bryan, the great leaders of our modern Democracy, and that he is worthy in every respect to represent our great State in the Senate. Mr. Marbury was much pleased with his cordial reception everywhere. He spoke in the friendliest terms of his opponents, and he feels absolutely confident that he will carry Kent county by a handsome majority. His friends here are jubilant over the receptiⁿ h received, and they feel confident that his visit here has not only strengthened Mr. Marbury greatly, but that he has greatly enhanced the prospects of a Progressive Democratic victory at the primaries in September.

A FUNNY CODE OF MORALS.

In its long and "borrowed" attack upon Mr. Marbury's Democracy last Saturday the Beck Organ said:

"We will excuse Mr. Marbury's antagonism to the ticket in 1895, when many Democrats opposed it."

It seems to us to be a funny code of morals that would permit one man to do wrong because many do wrong. 'Tis true that one sinner may not do as much harm as many, but the sin is just as grievous whether *one* commits it or whether *many* are guilty. But why excuse Mr. Marbury for his alleged opposition to the Democratic ticket in 1895, and then unmercifully censure him for fighting the Democratic ring twenty years ago?

Here is the answer:

The Kent News was among the *many* who proved their disloyalty to the Democratic ticket in 1895, and the Kent News not only assisted in electing a Republican Governor, but that paper was absolutely responsible for the defeat of the County Democratic ticket in 1895, as well as in intervening years to 1903, and believing that their unjust and unwarranted attack upon Mr. Marbury, would be a strong reminder of their own political disloyalty, they are willing to excuse Mr. Marbury for fighting the Democratic ring in 1895. If we apply the Kent News' attack upon Mr. Marbury's Democracy to local politics, what right has the Kent News to suggest *anything* to Democrats when *their* OCCASIONAL DEMOCRACY is recalled? If Mr. Marbury has no right to participate in a DEMOCRATIC primaries, according to the Kent News' code of political morals, pray tell us what right has the Kent News to participate in a Democratic primaries for county offices upon its past record? We will endorse Mr. Marbury's brand of Democracy anytime and anywhere in preference to that of the Kent News, and their false and unwarranted attacks upon Mr. Marbury's Democracy are an insult to every Wilson Democrat in Kent county, especially since the Kent News and its reactionary crowd have no more loyal Democrat to offer the voters than Senator John Walter Smith, who has been voting and working with the Republican High Tariff money interests ever since he has been in the Senate. President Wilson thought enough of Mr. Marbury's Democracy to have him manage his campaign in this State, and John Walter Smith thought well enough of Mr. Marbury's Democracy so long as he could use him; and anyone whose Democracy has been so irregular as has Senator Smith's and the Kent News, has no right to sit in judgment upon any man's party loyalty. More later.

THE TAX-PAYERS BEAR THE BURDEN.

The decision of the Court of Appeals in the case of Harry Richardson vs. the Board of County Commissioners, places the burden of incompetent road management in this county upon the tax-payers. It makes no difference how much money the road engineer spends on the roads, or how incompetent his management of the roads is, it is the tax-payers who, because of the iniquitous road law which the Organization under the leadership of William W. Beck forced down the throats of our tax-payers, are forced to bear the responsibility for the condition of our roads, though they have no control over the engineer nor any supervision of the work on the roads. The present road law is about the most vicious piece of legislation ever enacted in this county, and the Organization faction is not only responsible for the passage of this law, but they are absolutely responsible for the present incompetent and negligent management of our highways. The Board of Commissioners did exactly right in testing the law in the courts. They have found out exactly what the law is, and they have convinced the tax-payers that they are absolutely helpless to relieve them of such a burden. Such a condition is a disgrace to the tax-payers, and yet the Kent News is kicking about the expenditure of a paltry $300 or $400 in an effort to relieve the tax-payers of an unjust and unprecedented burden, when they sit smilingly by and permit this injustice to be done our tax-payers, and allow an incompetent road engineer to waste $25,000 of the tax-payers money on the roads last year, and with the worst roads the county has had in its history. What are the tax-payers going to do about it? Are they going to submit to such treatment, and allow a faction to continue to force such burdens upon them for no other reason under the sun than to play politics with the tax-payers' money to the ruin of the roads? We urge our tax-payers to see to it that the Anti-Organization candidates for the Legislature are nominated and elected this fall, who will prevent the Organization from inflicting further burdens upon them, just as they did in the last session of the Legislature when Mr. Beck wanted to force through the legislature bills providing for the expenditure of $68,000 of the people's money without giving them the right to say whether this enormous sum should be spent or not. Mr. Harris and Mr. Miller saved the people this enormous expense.

The county commissioners of Cecil county have appointed former county commissioner Miller F. McDowell, of Port Deposit, road engineer to succeed Mr. Joseph Richards, who has resigned to accept another position.

Automobile Accidents.

A large 40 h. p. Overland runabout, driven by Mr. H. H. Raby, a traveling salesman, turned turtle on the State road between Kennedyville and Chestertown Monday evening. Mr. Raby was considerably bruised and his car was wrecked.

Hon. Wm. L. Marbury's automobile broke a spring on the public road while enroute to Baltimore on Monday evening. It was sent to Baltimore for repairs on the Baltimore night boat.

Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard's automobile got stuck in a soft spot at the home of Hope H. Barroll, Esq., on Tuesday afternoon and it required the assistance of two horses and several men to get it out. Several ladies were in the machine, who were enroute for the train, and the accident caused them to remain over night.

ABSTRACT FROM

Statement of Mutual Fire Insurance Company

of Chester County, Pa., December 31, 1912.

Total Admitted Assets..... $312,153.45
Surplus as regards Policyholders..... 174,680.33

E. THOMAS MASSEY, Agent,
ap. 19-3t Massey, Md.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
"Wickliffe Farm"

BY virtue of competent authority as attorney for James W. Stevens, the owner, I will offer at Public Sale in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1913,

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

VALUABLE PLANTATION

or ESTATE, containing

375 Acres

of land, known as

"WICKLIFFE."

This handsome estate is situated on Eastern Neck Island, in Kent county, Maryland, on the waters of the Chester River and the Chesapeake Bay. It is one of the handsomest and most desirable farms on the Chesapeake Bay. Its peculiar location, lying as it does at the mouth of Chester River, at this point 3 miles wide, with the waters of the Chester River on the east side and those of the Chesapeake on the west, with an unsurpassed River and Bay view, make it one of the most valuable tracts of land now on the market. For years past peaches from this farm and Eastern Neck Island have commanded the highest market prices in Baltimore and other markets.

It has been many years since any estate as fine as this in Kent county has been offered for sale. The land is well adapted to the growth of all grains, fruits, berries, grass and everything else which can be grown on the most productive soils in Kent. It is within one mile of the wharf of the Chester River Steamboat Co., on Eastern Neck Island. The shores of the farm are close to the interesting, valuable and largest oyster beds; the fisheries here are valuable, and for the last century its shores have been known for its fine swan, wild geese and duck shooting.

THE FINE DWELLING



is a large and commodious frame structure having 10 or 12 rooms with a wide attractive porch, surrounded by ample shade. There is a Barn, Stable, Dairy, Meat House and other buildings on the farm. Any one wishing a home on the SHORES OF THE CHESAPEAKE BAY, or to any one desiring a profitable investment this farm offers a most attractive opportunity. It is about 6 miles from the thrifty and thriving town of Rock Hall, the proposed terminus of the projected Kent County Railroad, and the last landing of the Chester River Line of steamers in daily communication with Baltimore.

Possession will be given January 1st, 1914, and satisfactory arrangements can be made with the owner to deliver possession at an early date.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments, payable in one and two years respectively. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the note or notes of the purchaser to the satisfaction of the undersigned. All title papers at cost of purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
Attorney for Jas. W. Stevens, Owner.
JOHN T. JESTER, Auct. a5-ts.

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UNDER and by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon the undersigned by a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, in equity, in Chancery case No. 1845, entitled Wm. Nathaniel Emory et al, vs. John Comegys Emory et al, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 26th, 1913,

between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, ALL THAT FARM, situated, lying and being on the north side of the public road leading from Black's Station to Chesterville in the Second Election District of Kent county, Maryland. This is one of the finest tracts of land in this magnificent farming district. The farm is at present occupied by Herbert Ford as tenant, and adjoins the lands of the heirs of Wm. Nathaniel Comegys, Sallie M. Lockwood and others. It contains about

200 Acres of Land,



more or less, and is improved by a Comfortable Frame Dwelling with Barn, Stable and other necessary outbuildings.

It is the same farm of which Mrs. Nannie Emory, late of the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, died seized and possessed, as will appear by reference to her last will and testament dated October 27th, 1905, duly executed, admitted to probate and recorded in the Wills Liber J. E. M., No. 1, folios 428, in the office of the Register of Wills of Kent county, Maryland, will more fully appear.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments, payable in one and two years from the day of sale; all unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee. All title papers at the cost of the purchaser.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.
JOHN T. JESTER, Auct.

NOTICE TO. CREDITORS.

In compliance with the decree and rules of the court all the creditors of Nannie Emory, decrased, are hereby on this 29th day of March, 1913, notified to file their claims duly authenticated with the clerk of this court on or before the 1st day of July, 1913, or they will, by law, be excluded from participation in the proceeds of the sale of the above real estate.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee.

Notice to Farmers!

I DESIRE TO ANNOUNCE to the farmers of Kent and Queen Annes counties that I have taken the agency for the celebrated DEERING MACHINERY, and I shall be pleased to call upon the farmers and discuss the merits of this well-known line of machinery with you. I shall keep on hand at my home, a complete supply of all repairs and will give prompt attention to all calls.

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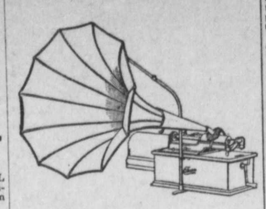
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ELECTION OF TOWN COMMISSIONER

Notice is hereby given, that an election will be held at the Court House, in Chestertown, Md., on

MONDAY, April 28, 1913,

for the purpose of electing one person to serve as Commissioner of Chestertown for three years in the place of Merrick Clements, whose term expires May 1st, 1913. Polls open from 9.00 A. M. to 6.00 P. M.

By order of the Board.
9-3t. JAS. W. CROUCH, Clerk.

TO THE VOTERS OF HESTERTOWN.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Town Commissioner at the April election. I repeat the statement made three years ago, i-e, that I am the candidate of no faction nor party, and if elected will serve Chestertown to the best of my ability.

12-tf MERRICK CLEMENTS.

Candidate for Town Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Town Commissioner in the Town Election in April for the continuation of permanent improvements in an economical way.

f8-te W. B. COLEMAN.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

JOHN D. URIE, Assignee,
vs.
JOHN P. THOMPSON, et. al.
No. 1835.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

The judgment creditors, lienors, grantees and assignees of John P. Thompson, Kate Geraghty, Michael Healy and Louise Healy, and all other persons claiming an interest in the equity of redemption in the property sold in the above cause, are hereby notified to file their claims, with vouchers thereof with the Auditor of this Court, on or before the 2nd day of June, 1913, otherwise, they will be excluded from participating in the fund to be audited in this case.

By order of the court,
Mar. 29, '13-4t. LEWIN W. WICKES, Auditor

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Specials for Tuesday, April 22nd:

Granulated Sugar, 4½c lb.
Evaporated Peaches, 7c lb.
Dried Apples, 5c lb.
Hominy (to clean up for season), 2½c quart.
15c Mouse Traps (to hold six), 10c each.
Big Lot Ladies' Summer Vests, 5c each.
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