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THE ANTI-ORGANIZATION TICKET.

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A CAUTION.

The Supervisors of Election have ordered that the official ballots must be marked with a BLACK LEAD PENCIL. If they are marked with an indelible pencil or with ink they will not be counted. So be careful to mark your ballots with a BLACK LEAD PENCIL only and it will be counted. Put your X in the block opposite the name of every Anti-Organization candidate with a black lead pencil, and you will register a vote for GOOD GOVERNMENT and LOW TAXES.

IT IS all over but counting the Antis' majority.

THE Democratic State Convention will meet in Baltimore Tuesday, Sept. 16.

THE Anti-Organization got decidedly the best of the supplemental registration throughout the county. See what happens on Monday.

MR BRYAN was brought from Tolchester to Chestertown by the Organization Democrats in a Republican machine. Goodness gracious. Just suppose Mr. Bryan had known what they were doing to him.

THE 94-cent tax rate is a very distasteful thing to the Organization faction. It is the ONE thing they want to hear the least about, and it is the ONE thing that will defeat the Organization in this primaries.

EVERY Organization leader and worker in Kent county is a reformer to-day, because they sought to make political capital out of Mr. Bryan's visit here, when Mr. Bryan was by no means a party to the transaction.

WE call upon all forward-looking men, all Democrats who believe in economy and low taxes to go to the polls and vote the straight Anti-Organization ticket on Monday. It is the *only* way you can protect your financial interests and insure good government in this county.

MR. BRYAN put a black eye on the new converts when he said there are two kinds of politicians—one who is in politics for the benefit of his own pocket and pecuniary interests, and the other, those who are in politics for the improvement and betterment of conditions.

HON. FRANK DIXON, in his great lecture at the Chautauqua on Tuesday night stated that in his judgment President Wilson is going to make the greatest president this country ever had. Mr. Voter, are you going to hinder the success of President Wilson's administration by voting for the Organization candidates, who are out of tune and harmony with the President?

THE WORST fooled man in Kent county after next Monday will be the man to whom the Organization has made a promise which they never intended, nor ever will be able to fulfill. The Organization is beat to a frazzle, and Mr. John P. Ahern's "claimed" majority of 100 in the First District, will dwindle into a safe majority of 42 for Samuel G. Caldwell and the balance of the Anti-ticket. See if that is not true.

THE Organization are the greatest *reformers* on the face of the earth now. Mr. Bryan reformad them all last Monday, and they are trying now to make votes by saying that Mr. Bryan and Congressman Covington are going to give them all the postoffices and rural routes. Don't be fooled Mr. Voter. They have no more chance of getting Mr. Bryan's support for anything than they have of flying, but yet they will tell you all that stuff.

WHEN the Republicans were in control of the county finances they spent the people's money on the roads and left a tax rate of $1.35. When the Organization Democrats had control they did the same thing and left the tax-payers to face a $1.85 tax rate. When the Antis got control they paid the Organization debt and reduced the tax rate to 94 CENTS. Mr. Tax-payer, how should you vote on Monday?

DR. J. W. HERING has resigned as a member of the Public Service Commission, and Governor Goldsborough will likely appoint Albert G. Towers, the present Naval Officer, to the vacancy. Dr. Hering's feeble health compels him to relinquish the duties of public life, and he retires to private life in the full enjoyment of the confidence and esteem of the people of this state who honor him for his life of devoted service to the public and to the church.

LOOK!

In yesterday's Sun, Wm. H. Anderson, of the Anti-Saloon League, indorsed Thomas Parran, the REPUBLICAN candidate for the United States Senate against Senator Blair Lee, the Democratic candidate. Didn't we tell you that Mr. Anderson is a Republican, and can't you see why he has indorsed HOWARD TURNER? He wants to get another Republican in the Maryland Legislature, that's all.

REMEMBER MR. VOTER, the Organization in Kent county is tied hand and foot to the State and city machine. When you vote the Organization ticket remember you vote to perpetuate John Walter Smith, Murray Vandiver, Frank Kelley, Bob Padgett and all the rest of them in power. Every Organization leader and candidate in Kent county is opposed to President Woodrow Wilson, to Blair Lee and to Wm. L. Marbury, and you just as well vote for Murray Vandiver as to vote for any of the Organization candidates. You can't be a Wilson Democrat and vote the Organization ticket.

THE BALTIMORE AMERICAN, the political organ of Senator Smith and the Baltimore City Machine, stated on Saturday. "Leaders of the regular Democratic Organization are blaming Senator Blair Lee for stirring up strife in the party against Murray Vandiver. In speaking of the fight in Kent the same paper says. "Hope H. Barroll has been exploited as the Democrat who must be seen "first" before Eastern Shore Democrats are awarded postoffices." You can see from these statements that the Kent County Organization Democrats who are allied with the State and City Organization are *against* Blair Lee and why they are opposing Hope H. Barroll. Senator Lee's fight in the State and Mr. Barroll's and the TRANSCRIPT'S fight are President Wilson's fight against the Machine politicians. Let's uphold President Wilson's hands, and vote the straight Anti ticket on Monday.

THE ORGANIZATION has dragged not only Mr. Wm. H. Anderson into the contest here in Kent, but they have even sought to drag Mr. Bryan and the Chautauqua here into their net and make it appear that Mr. Bryan's coming here was inspired by them and that he came to help them. Well, if they are so foolish as to circulate a yarn like that, every Organization man in Kent county should have heard the speech. What Mr. Bryan did to the reactionaries, to the aristocrat, whom he described as a man who is in politics for his own pecuniary interests, fairly made the Antis burst with amusement at the feast Mr. Bryan gave them after that eventful ride from Tolchester. But they want a postoffice, and they want to abolish the Board of County Commissioners, and they want to try to push Dodd and Turner over on the shoulders of Mr. Bryan, and that is why they courted Mr. Bryan. If Mr. Bryan had only known it, he may have said you plutocrats, go back and sit down. You have had your day, and I want nothing to do with you.

NO ONE can begin to estimate the moral and educational value of the Chautauqua now drawing to a close in this town after a week of the most elevating and instructive entertainment it has been our good fortune to enjoy in a life time. When a little town like Chestersown has the pleasure of hearing William Jennings Bryan, Frank Dixon, Senator Gore, Rev. Russell Perry, Rev. Dr. Cadman, Welbourn, the marvel of scientists, together with the best musical companies in the country in one week, it surely makes us pause and wonder at our marvelous opportunities for doing and being good. The Chautauqua is one of the most powerful forces in our national life for the uplift and enlightenment of humanity, and it gives us the rare chance to see and hear the country's great men, and enables us to draw the striking contrast between this kind of entertainment and the baser sort of amusement. The people of this community who contributed their time, their money and their influence to the success of the Chautauqua here deserve the thanks of our community for the great good we have done, and we wish the National Chautauqua and all connected therewith Godspeed in the great and ennobling work. The Chautauqua must become a permanency in this community.

ANDERSON'S INSINCERITY.

Mr. William H. Anderson, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, has flooded the county with letters virtually pledging Messrs. Turner and Shallcross, the Organization candidates for the legislature, to his local option bill, and attacking Hope H. Barroll, and Messrs. Charles W. Kibler and James G. Harris, the latter being the Anti-Organization candidates for the legislature, in the most disgraceful manner. Mr. Anderson is playing the part of a partisan of the most insincere type, for he is seeking to aid the very people in this county who encouraged Lloyd Wilkinson, Anderson's bitterest enemy in this state, to come here and attack the record and method of Mr. Anderson. When Mr. Wilkinson came here to deliver his speech in Fireman's Hall against Mr. Anderson, the invitations to that meeting were directed in and sent from the home of one of the Organization leaders in this town, and this fact alone should convince the temperance people of Mr. Anderson's absolute insincerity, especially as he has allowed himself to be dragged into a actional contest here by using his influence against the very people in this county who have fought Lloyd Wilkinson and his chief backer, Senator John Walter Smith, for years. How can Mr. Anderson be sincere when he rants in public print against Lloyd Wilkinson and the Baltimore city machine which is supporting Wilkinson's candi[dacy] this moment for the legislatu[re] then flood Kent county with le[t]ters assist the political interests of t[he] crowd who encouraged Wilkins[on] come here and attack Mr. Ande[rson]. The temperance people should lo[se] confidence in Mr. Anderson wh[en] employs such methods as these.

THE Organization furnished the conveyance for Mr. Bryan from Tolchester, but the Antis got the benefit of his great speech. Mr. Bryan's telling distinction between an Aristocrat and a Democrat was as good Anti-Organization doctrine as you want to listen to, but when he stated *that he came here to aid reformers, and in the interest of popular government*, he took all the puff out of the Organization sails which they endeavored to create by that ride from Tolchester.

HOW THEY LOVE MR. BRYAN.

An Organization man told a gentleman in the Second District one day recently that President Wilson has made a half-way Republican out of him by his stand on the Tariff. And yet they fell all over themselves getting into the Bryan band wagon last Monday, when they know that Mr. Bryan is thoroughly in sympathy with President Wilson's administration especially his stand on the Tariff. Now we will wager a good hat that if President Wilson were to visit the Chestertown Chautauqua, this same Organization man would be as great a Wilson man as he was a Bryan man on Monday night. Anything to get a vote.

IS TURNER TAXPAYER'S FRIEND?

Is Mr. Turner going to be the tax-payers' friend when he and his gang spent $75 or $80 of the tax-payers of Betterton's money trying to borrow $8,000 for what I would call a private sewer? Then they could not get the money. There must have been something wrong about this bill. The banks or his Republican friends would not lend him this money. Mr. Turner said that Mr. Harris should have passed that $68,000 bill two years ago without giving the tax-payers a right to vote on it. That is worse than when Mr. Urie's party worked the roads with a dogcart and a washing tub and then to shut the peoples eyes up the books disappeared out of the court house.

Mr. tax-payer are you going to vote for men like this or for men that have made their prosperity by hard work and honest business methods?

TAX-PAYER OF BETTERTON.

TURNER'S LETTER A PROOF.

If we had no other proof of Mr. Turner's insincertty and that he is a Republican, except his belated letter in the Kent News last Saturday, we should have very grave doubt as to his Democracy. Mr. Turner has sat still for months under the accusation of being a Republican and having voted the Republican ticket on numerous occasions, and he has admitted to a number of people during the campaign that he has voted Republican tickets, and never once until within a week before the primaries has he uttered a word of denial to these charges. And then he boldly boasts of his Democracy after he admitted to a gentleman at a festival held in Worton recently that he had voted the Republican ticket. Besides all this, some of the most prominent Republicans in Kent have been working like beavers for Mr. Turner's nomination, namely, John D. Urie, James A. Casey and Harry Willis, of near Betterton, and if these gentlemen did not believe and really know that Mr. Turner is a Republican, why should these leading Republicans be working so hard for Turner's nomination if they did not know their man? Turner should be the lowest man on the Organization ticket; because he is seeking to use the Democratic party to further a political ambition, when he believes the Republican party is down and out.

MR. STRAUS A TUMBLE-BUG.

Metaphorically speaking, Mr. Isaac Lobe Straus is a tumble-bug. He started out as the only Progressive in the race for the United States Senate, and everlastingly lambasted the reactionary and Republican record of Senator John Walter Smith. In a speech the other day in one of the Western Shore counties he got right on the front seat of the "Royal Family's" band wagon, and lauded Sonny Mahon, Kelley and Padgett, the Baltimore city machine leaders to the skies, and it is generally understood that the city machine will back Straus for the Senate. Mr. Straus' position is interesting, and reminds us of the fact that some men will do anything in the world to secure a vote regardless of the principle involved in the method of securing that vote. It reminds us of the Organization in Kent county. They are progressive to a progressive and they are reactionary to reactionaries. They are the greatest temperance people on the earth to the temperance people, and in league with the liquor interests when they are talking to whiskey people. Anything to get a vote, and when it is all over you will find them with the same old crowd who have been fighting the people and their welfare all these years.

A STARTLING DISCOVERY.

There has come to light during the past two weeks the astounding revelation that in nearly every county in the State where investigations of county finances have been made and where the Organization Democrats are in control of the commissioners' office, that these counties are terribly in debt. Here are a few of those the financial condition of which furnishes food for thought for every voter in this county. It has been found that the indebtedness of those counties is as follows:

Anne Arundel bonded indebtedness	$389,000
Howard county	48,000
Harford county	48,000
Cecil county (reported)	56,000
Queen Annes "	40,000

Every one of these counties is under the control of ORGANIZATION DEMOCRATS which only serves to prove to our own tax-payers the truth of the charge that Organization control is an expensive luxury, it makes no difference where it is in force. Here in Kent the Organization left the county burdened with an indebtedness of $857,000, and when our tax-payers and voters generally [illegible] bitter ex[perience] and 1910 with [illegible] they look [illegible] under the [illegible] any man, [illegible] can vote to [illegible] candidate in [illegible] from your

HOWARD TURNER VS. THE TRANSCRIPT.

Mr. Howard Turner, one of the Organization candidates for the Legisture published a letter in the Kent News on Saturday last headed: "To the Democratic Voters of Kent county," in which he refers to the TRANSCRIPT'S articles questioning his Democracy. Mr. Turner in his letter says:

"The Attack made on my Democracy by the Chestertown TRANSCRIPT can make no impression on the people who know me, but in order that the people situated remotely from me, may not be misled, I mention the following facts: Some of my family have been Republicans and some of them Democrats. As I grew to manhood, I cast my lot with the Democratic party, because I believed Democratic supremency was absolutely essential to good government south of the Mason and Dixon line, and because I was opposed to a high tariff.

"The TRANSCRIPT has been badly misinformed to say the least, and it would have been so easy for them to have ascertained the truth from the people who best know me. Having been recognized by the Democratic party in both county and State for the past twenty-three years, my Democracy was never before questioned. In the interest of 'Truth and Justice" they should have ascertained the truth from the people in those sections of Kent county who could speak with knowledge."

If the TRANSCRIPT "has been badly misinformed," as stated by Mr. Turner, then Mr. Turner himself has misinformed it, for it was from his own lips that the information came. Mr. Turner, in a political conversation with Mr. R. H. Collins and Mr. C. C. Hopper, made the following statement:

"I am a Republican; I was born a Republican, raised a Republican and all my teachings, surroundings and environments have been along that line."

Mr. Hopper was in Chestertown a few weeks ago and was asked while sitting in the TRANSCRIPT office if he remembered Mr. Howard Turner making the above statement and he replied: "Yes, I remember it very distinctly, and recall the circumstances that led up to the conversation."

Mr. Turner made the above statement in reply to a request from Messrs. Collins & Hopper to assist our faction in a primary fight in this county which was then in progress, and we were surprised at Mr. Turner's statement, because we had *thought* he was a Democrat. We then said to him: "Why, you have been a delegate from your district to Democratic conventions in Chestertown." Mr. Turner replied: "I know I have; they wanted me as a delegate, and I consented, but they knew where I stood."

From that day to this we have always regarded Mr. Turner as a Republican. Mr. Turner further says in his letter in the Kent News: "In the interest of 'Truth and Justice' they should have ascertained from the people in those sections of Kent county who could speak with knowledge."

We have interviewed many leading citizens in and around Still Pond and Betterton where Mr. Turner was born and raised, and we have found but one man, and he lives at Betterton, and is a close personal friend of Mr. Turner, who said that he believed Howard Turner was a Democrat.

We very much regret Mr. Turner waited until last Saturday, just ten days before the primary election, to deny the statement made by the TRANSCRIPT that he was a Republican. Why has not Mr. Turner denied it before? Our statement was made weeks ago, and yet he waits until the eve of the nominations to deny it.

Can any information of a man's political affiliation be more direct than from his own lips, the very source from which we obtained it? We have never thought, nor do we think now, that any man who says he is a Republican, that he was raised a Republican and that his teachings, surroundings and environments were along that line, should attempt to ride into office on a Democratic platform. We have no personal quarrel with Mr. Turner; we regard him personally as a friend, but we do not think he should be nominated and elected on a Democratic platform when he has said he was a Republican.

R. H. COLLINS.

PROOF THAT TURNER IS A REPUBLICAN.

The people of this county want no better evidence of the fact that Mr. Howard Turner is a Republican than the patronage he got from the Board of County Commissioners when the board was in control of the Republicans. A survey of the figures in the Commissioners' office showing the amount of money the firm of Turner & Son got under Republican control as compared with what it got when the Organization Democrats were in control of the office, is the most convincing and conclusive proof that the Republicans regarded the firm as Republicans, or they never would have gotten the patronage they did. Here is what the figures show:

Under REPUBLICAN CONTROL from Dec. 1st, 1895, to Dec. 1st, 1897, the firm received the sum of **$1,518.77**.

Under DEMOCRATIC CONTROL from Dec. 1st, 1897, to Dec. 1st, 1899, the firm received the small sum of **$312.27.**

When the Republicans returned to power in 1899, you will find that the firm of Turner & Son came into favor again, and from Dec. 1st, 1899, to Dec. 1st, 1901, you will find that Turner & Son received the sum of **$1,002.80.**

If Mr. Turner and his firm had been looked upon as Democrats, how is it that they did not receive any more patronage from the Board of Organization Commissioners, and if they were not good Republicans, do you suppose for one minute that Mr. John D. Urie would have allowed his Board of Commissioners to contribute **$1,518.77** to Mr. Turner's treasury from 1895 to 1899, and **$1,002.80** from 1899 to 1901?

Did you ever know Urie to favor a man to such an extent as that unless he was friendly to him?

Now, add to this the statement made by Mr. Thomas W. Trew, one of the most prominent Republicans in this county, at Betterton only two weeks ago when he said that "TURNER HAS ALWAYS BEEN REGARDED AS A REPUBLICAN, AND WE ALWAYS COULD DEPEND UPON HIM WHEN WE NEEDED HIM," and we have all the evidence that Howard Turner is not only a Republican, but that he is John D. Urie's candidate on the Organization ticket, and no Democrat should vote for him. It is also interesting to note that the year **1895**, which marks the beginning of the patronage which the firm of Turner & Son received from the Republicans is also the year when John D. Urie left the Democratic party and became State's Attorney of the county, and all during Urie's control of the Board of Commissioners the firm of Turner & Son received a big slice of money from the county, but just as soon as the Democrats came into power and the Organization got control of the Board of Commissioners, the firm got the small pittance of **$312.27** in two years. What more proof do you want of Urie's control of Turner than that?

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE DEMOCRATS OF KENT COUNTY.

To my many friends who have encouraged me in this Primary contest I wish to express my sincere thanks, and to state to them that if elected the welfare of the public of Kent county and not the enrichment of any clique of politicians will be my single aim.

My record in the last Legislature is clear.

(1). I saved the county from incurring a bonded indebtedness of some $83,000 which Mr. William W. Beck, in his zeal to obtain patronage for "Organization Leaders" tried to incorporate into a law, which Bill did not give the people any right to vote (the Referendum) as to whether or not they wished to incur such an indebtedness. I attached a referendum to this bill which seems to have defeated it.

(2). My best efforts were directed towards securing beneficial legislation for fishermen and oystermen everywhere.

(3). I passed a law repealing the "Gibbs Road Law," but the same was defeated in the Senate by Mr. Beck.

(4). I secured a Pension of $300 for an afflicted man, Mr. Jesse G. Duyer, of Chestertown, a great friend and warm political supporter of the late Richard D. Hynson. This Pension was reduced to $200 through the generous and christian efforts of the "Organization." It was only by the hardest work of myself and my friends that this pittance was obtained.

(5). On all State issues I consistently voted for Progressive Legislation.

(6). Nationally, I am a WILSON PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRAT, and, with Hon. Wm. Jennings Bryan, I believe in placing the man above the dollar.

MY RECORD IS MY PLATFORM.

My campaign has been conducted in a fair and straightforward manner. These are the issues:

(1). Are we to extend Gibbs term as Road Engineer six years longer? I am opposed to Gibbs and Gibbsism. Mr. Beck and his friends in the last campaign promised to get rid of him. They did not do as they promised.

(2). Are we to have a 94 cent tax rate as opposed to a $1.85 tax rate?

(3). Are we to permit John David Urie to "come back" in Kent, and by sending his candidates, Messrs. Turner and Shallcross to the Legislature, allow him in the Legislature to oust the present Democratic Board of County Commissioners, and by his influence with the Organization appoint in their stead a "Urie Board," such as disgraced and bankrupted this county in 1903?

You have heard the evidence. You know on which side of these questions Mr. Kibler and myself stand. I ask you to decide this case fairly and candidly. I shall cheerfully submit to your judgment.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES G. HARRIS.

A LAST WORD TO VOTERS.

We come now to that stage of the campaign when nothing remains to be done but go to the polls and vote. The Anti-Organization approaches the polls with the confidence of victury so complete that there will be no mistake as to the stand of the people upon those questions of local government which appeal so forcibly to their financial and moral welfare. We have endeavored to conduct a campaign of education. We have endeavored to show the tax-payers and voters generally where their real interests lie, and we have endeavored to prove by figures and facts that the safety of our county government and the administration of its affairs should be entrusted to those officials and that faction of the party which has proven its loyalty to the people by the economy and frugality which they have exercised in the discharge of public duty. This is a far more important campaign to the taxpayers than they may think. There are forces at work in this county to over-throw our popular government and place our county affairs in the hands of those men who have proven by the experience of the past that they are incapable of separating selfish interests from public good, and it remains for the people to guard against the return of a condition from which they were liberated in 1909. It is useless for us to dwell longer upon a fact that is well known to every one. We simply desire to state that we solemnly believe that any man who votes the Organization ticket in the primaries on Monday, does not only himself an injustice but also his neigebor and friend, because no man, after the experience of 1903 to 1909 can vote the Organization ticket without restoring those conditions which produced enormous taxes, and worked hardships upon the tax-payers. We believe the people know the situation. We believe they realize the folly of restoring the Organization to control in this county, and it is for this reason that we confidently expect to see every candidate on the Anti-Organization ticket nominated by a decisive majority. There is danger however that for purely personal and sentimental reasons some people will vote for a candidate on the Organization ticket little thinking that there lies a great danger to the people at large in the nomination of that candidate. The one great thing to remember in this campaign is the great principle that the rule of the people must be preserved is greater than any sentiment involved in a man's candidacy, and we believe that it has been domonstrated beyond question in this campaign that popular government can only be preserved in this county by voting the Anti-Organization ticket, and thus keep in power the people who have demonstrated by their administration of the county affairs that they have the interests of the people at heart. This is a fight of the people against the machine. This is a fight of ECONOMY AGAINST EXTRAVAGANCE. What are you going to do about it, Mr. Voter, on Monday? Are you going to restore HIGH TAXES and EXTRAVAGANCE, or are you going to endorse the 94 cent tax rate by your vote for the Antis? It is up to you.

☞Those farmers in the county who engaged in the potato growing business on a large scale this season are not very much pleased with results, and unless more satisfactory arrangements can be made respecting the growing and marketing of their crops, there may not be so many to engage in the business another season. Mr. Harry Stavely is reported to have had the largest crop.

WARNING TO OUR TEMPERANCE FRIENDS.

We want to warn our temperance friends in this county that the Organization forces are seeking to make them a party to one of the most gigantic schemes ever perpetrated in a political contest in this county. The Organization faction is seeking to induce the temperance people to vote for Mr. Howard Turner, not because he is a temperance man, but in order to put forward a plan to capture the Board of County Commissioners and to fasten upon the tax-payers of this county a control of county finances such as we had from 1903 to 1909, and they propose to do this by the passage of such laws as will accomplish their purpose and thereby fasten their control upon the tax-payers for years to come. The temperance question is not an issue in this campaign and if it were the past record of the Organization ought to be a convincing proof to the temperance people that they are playing with fire. The one great issue in this campaign is the future control of the county finances and the temperance element of the party is being used by the Organization faction to fasten upon the tax-payers of the county again a system of extravagance and wastefulness such as we experienced in 1909. There is no other way in the world for them to acquire this control except by an act of the legislature, and they are sacrificing every other candidate on their ticket for Turner and appealing to the temperance element to help them fasten their control of extravagance and waste upon the people. The Organization is not saying a word about their road management, or about their past extravagance. Their campaign literature is simply asking *for* votes for Turner and they have dragged Mr. Anderson into the fight here only to make our temperance friends a party to a scheme that means great injustice to our tax-payers. We warn our temperance friends of what is being done. We urge them for the protection of our county finances and for the financial welfare of our tax-payers not to allow themselves to be made a party to such a scheme.

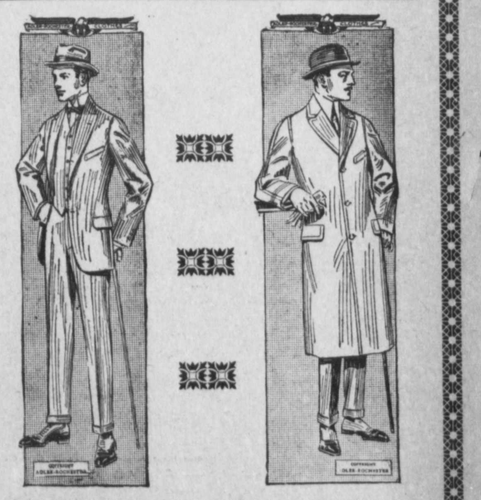
Representatives of the Anti-Saloon League have torn our churches to pieces with political speeches from our pulpits and the Organization faction has not hesitated to encourage this thing regardless of the welfare of the churches. They have done everything possible to disgust church people and everybody else with their methods, and we are sure that our temperance friends and the church people generally will not allow themselves to be used by a faction that does not hesitate to bring the church and everything else into politics.

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