Supervisors' Notice
—OF—
Election

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Election will be held in the several Election Districts or Precincts of Kent County, between the hours of 7 o'clock in the morning and 7 o'clock in the evening, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1924

The places wherein such Election upon the date aforementioned will be held in the respective Districts or precincts are as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT
Millington Precinct
At Bailey's Hotel
Second Precinct
Galena, at Davis Bros.

SECOND DISTRICT
First Precinct
At Metcalfe Bros. Building, Kennedyville
Second Precinct
D. C. Kelley's Store, Kennedyville

THIRD DISTRICT
First Precinct
B. F. Rash's Hall, Worton
Second Precinct
At Howard Turner's, Betterton

FOURTH DISTRICT
First Precinct
At Robert Moffett's, Sr., Office, Voshell House, Chestertown
First Precinct, N.
P. B. Hollis' Office, Kent News Building
Second Precinct
Eliason Building

FIFTH DISTRICT
First Precinct
Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, Rock Hall
Second Precinct
Samuel Burgess' Store, Edesville

SIXTH DISTRICT
Walter B. Barnes', Fairlee

SEVENTH DISTRICT
T. R. Starr's, Store Room, Pomona

Said Election to be held for the purpose of voting for the following:

To elect Eight Electors as members of the Electoral College who shall vote for President and Vice President of the United States.

Also to elect one person to represent the First Congressional District of Maryland in the 68th Congress of the United States.

Also at the said election and on the same ballot with the names for candidates for offices aforesaid, there will be submitted for adoption or rejection two certain proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Maryland, which said proposed Amendments are designated as Chapter 177 and 327, Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, Session of 1924, and read as follows:

CHAPTER 177

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 9 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Attorney-General and State's Attorneys," sub-title "The State's Attorneys," regulating the compensation and the expenses of the State's Attorney for Baltimore City and that of his deputy and assistants, and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Maryland for adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring, that the following be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 9 of Article V title "Attorney-General and State's Attorneys," subtitle "The State's Attorneys," of the Constitution of Maryland, the same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become Section 9 of Article V of the Constitution.

Sec. 9. The State's Attorney shall perform such duties and receive such fees and commissions or salary, not exceeding three thousand dollars, as are now or may hereafter be prescribed by law; and if any State's Attorney shall receive any other fee or reward than such as is or may be allowed by law, he shall, on conviction thereof, be removed from office; provided that the State's Attorney for Baltimore City shall have the power to appoint a Deputy and such other Assistants as the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City may authorize or approve and until otherwise provided by the General Assembly, the said State's Attorney, Deputy and Assistants shall receive the following annual salaries: State's Attorney, seven thousand five hundred dollars; Deputy State's Attorney, five thousand dollars; Assistant State's Attorneys, four thousand dollars each; said salaries, or such salaries as the General Assembly may subsequently provide, and such expense for conducting the office of the State's Attorney as the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City may authorize or approve shall be paid by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to the extent that the total of them exceeds the fees of his office, or as the General Assembly shall otherwise provide, and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall not be liable for appearance fees to the State's Attorney.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said aforegoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall at the next ensuing general election for members of Congress, to be held in this State on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection in conformity with the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said election to vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, and further proceedings had in accordance with Article 14, of the Constitution.

Approved April 9, 1924.

CHAPTER 327

AN ACT to propose an amendment Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," for the purpose of permitting the State to pledge its credit for the raising of such funds as may be needed for the aid or compensation of those citizens of the State who during the time of war have, with honor, served their country and State, and providing for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, (three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring), That the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 34 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," the same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become Section 34 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Maryland.

34. No debt shall be hereafter contracted by the General Assembly unless such debt shall be authorized by a law providing for the collection of an annual tax or taxes sufficient to pay the interests on such debt as it falls due, and also to discharge the principal thereof within fifteen years from the time of contracting the same; and the taxes laid for this purpose shall not be repealed or applied to any other object until the said debt and interest thereon shall be fully discharged. The credit of the State shall not in any manner be given or loaned to or in aid of any individual association or corporation; nor shall the General Assembly have the power in any mode to involve the State in the construction of works of internal improvements, nor in granting any aid thereto which shall involve the faith or credit of the State; nor make any appropriation therefore, except in aid of the construction of works of internal improvement in the counties of St. Mary's, Charles and Calvert, which have had no direct advantage from such works as have been heretofore aided by the State; and provided that such aid, advances or appropriations shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of five hundred thousand dollars. And they shall not use or appropriate the proceeds of the internal improvement companies, or of the State tax, now levied, or which may hereafter be levied, to pay off the public debt (or) to any other purpose until the interest and debt are fully paid or the sinking fund shall be equal to the amount of the outstanding debt; but the General Assembly may, without laying a tax, borrow an amount never to exceed fifty thousand dollars to meet temporary deficiencies in the Treasury, and may contract debts to any amount that may be necessary for the defence of the State. And provided further that nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit the raising of funds for the purpose of aiding or compensating in such manner or way as the General Assembly of the State shall deem proper, those citizens of the State who have served, with honor, their country and State in time of war; provided, however, that such action of the General Assembly shall be effective only when submitted to and approved by a vote of the people of the State at the General Election next following the enactment of such legislation.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said aforegoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, shall, at the next general election for members of Congress held in this State, be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection in pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot, there shall be printed the following synopsis of said amendment under the caption of "Constitutional Amendment Providing For Aid Or Adjusted Compensation To War Veterans." This amendment removes the prohibition now in the State Constitution which prevents the State from pledging its credit for the raising of monies which could be used for the aid or as adjusted compensation to those citizens of the State who, with honor, served their country or State in time of war, and upon each ballot there shall also be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by said, Fourteenth Article of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article Fourteen.

The Return Judges shall make their return before twelve (12) o'clock noon of the second day after election, that is to say before noon Thursday following Tuesday of the Election in the manner prescribed by law, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court, to the County Commissioners, to the Board of Supervisors of Election and to the Register of Wills of the county aforesaid.

G. E. NOLAND, President;
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Supervisors of Election for Kent Co.
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CORRUPT PRACTICES ACT

CHAPTER 122, ACTS OF 1908

171. The following persons shall be guilty of corrupt practices and shall be punished in accordance with the provisions of this act: Every person, who shall, directly or indirectly, by himself or by another give or offer or promise to any person any money, gift, advantage, preferment, entertainment, aid, emolument, or any valuable thing whatever, for the purpose of inducing or procuring any person to vote, or refrain from voting, for or against any person, or for or against any measure or proposition at any election or primary election or political convention or session of the General Assembly of Maryland or either House thereof. Every person who shall, directly or indirectly receive, accept, request or solicit from any person, candidate, committee, association, organization or corporation, any money, gift, advantage, preferment, aid, emolument or any valuable thing whatsoever, for the purpose of inducing or procuring any person to vote, or refrain from voting for or against any person, or for or against any measure or proposition at any election or primary election or political convention. Every person who in consideration of any money, gift, preferment, aid, emolument, or any valuable thing whatsoever paid, received, accepted or promised to the advantage of himesif or any other person, shall vote, or refrain from voting, for or against any person, or for or against any measure at any such election, caucus or primary election or political convention. Every person who shall, directly or indirectly, pay, give, contribute or promise any money or other valuable thing, to defray, or towards defraying the costs or expense of any campaign or election, to any person, committee, company, club, or ganization, or association other than to a treasurer or political agent; but this sub-section or paragraph shall not apply to dues regularly paid for membership in any incorporated political club if all money expended by such club for or in connection with the costs or expenses of any campaign or election shall be passed out by it only through a treasurer or political agent as provided in this Act, or to any expenses for postage, telephoning, telegrams, stationery, printing, expressage or traveling and board incurred by any candidate for office or for nomination thereto so far as they are permitted by this Act. Every person who shall, directly or indirectly, by himself or through another person, make a payment or promise of payment, to a treasurer or political agent in any other name than his own; and every treasurer or political agent, who shall knowingly receive a payment or promise of payment, and enter the same or cause the same to be entered in his accounts in any other name than that of the person by whom such payment or promise of payment is made. Every person who being an employer pays his employes the salary or wages due in "pay envelopes" upon which there is written or printed, or in which there is enclosed any political motto, device or argument containing threats, express or implied, intended or calculated to influence the political opinions or actions of such employes, or within ninety days of any election or primary puts, or otherwise exhibits, in the establishments or place where his employes are engaged in labor, any hand bill or placard containing any threat notice or information that if any particular ticket or candidate is elected defeated, work in his place or establishment will cease in whole or in par or his establishment be closed up, or the wages of his employes be reduced other threats expressed or implied, intended or calculated to influence the political opinions or actions or his employes. Every person, who, before, during or after election or primary election, by himself or by any other person, either directly or indirectly, gives or provides or pays, wholly or in part, the expenses of giving or providing any meat, drink, entertainment or provisions to or for any person, for the purpose of influencing that person or any other person, to give or refrain from giving his vote at the election or primary election, or to influence his vote in any other way therein, or on account of his having voted or refrained from voting, or being about to vote or refrain from voting, and every elector who accepts the same, or any of the same, for any of the purposes aforesaid. Every person who shall be guilty of any corrupt practices as aforesaid shall be fined not less than three hundred dollars, nor more than one thousand dollars, or be imprisoned for one year, or both, and shall be ineligible to any public office or public employment for a period of four years from and after the time of the commission of such offense.

CONCEALED WEAPONS ON ELECTION DAY

The following Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January session of 1874 and approved April 6, 1874, is published for the information of the public:

AN ACT

To prevent carrying of guns, pistols, dirks, dirk-knives, razors, billies, or bludgeons by any person in Kent, Queen Annes or Montomery counties on the day of election in said counties:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this Act it shall not be lawful for any person in Kent, Queen Annes and Montgomery counties to carry on the day of election, secretly or otherwise, any gun, pistol, dirk, dirk-knife, razor, billy, or bludgeon, and any person violating the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before any justice of the Peace, in either of said counties, shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and on refusal to pay said fine shall be committed by Justice of the Peace to the jail of the county until the same is paid.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the fines collected under this Act shall be paid by the officers collecting the same to the School Commissioners of the county where offense shall have been commited for school purposes.

SEC. 8. And be it enacted, That any constable of either of said counties or the sheriff thereof, who shall refuse to arrest any person violating any provision of this Act, upon information of said offense, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before the Circuit Court of the county shall be fined not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars and forthwith be discharged from office.

WM. W. GOODMAN,

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Poultry Notes

Every effort should be made to push the pullets ahead as fast as possible and get them laying high price eggs.

Better have a separate pen for the male birds if you have many of them. It will require no more space, and it will be an improvement all around. The females from which you expect to breed next spring, especially, should be kept free from the male birds for the next few months. Infertile eggs for market are worth more for keeping purposes than fertile eggs. Hens lay just as many eggs without male birds as with them—in fact, according to reported experiments, they will lay a few more.

It brings a thrill to have a three or four-months-old pullet begin laying; but when you look at the small size of the egg your thrill fades away. You can't help wishing she had waited a while till she was big enough to produce something worth while. Don't let them lay small eggs. Stop feeding mash and give them plenty of cracked corn. This will develop them.

Corn is great. But be careful not to feed your fowls too much of it. How would you like an exclusive diet of corn bread? Once a day you might welcome half a meal of corn feed in some form; but three times a day indefinitely would be likely to send both you and your digestion into a state of fierce rebellion. You like a variety. So do your birds.

High authorities a few years ago came to the conclusion that fecundity is not hereditary. That was a big joke. Thousands of poultrymen have laughed about it a great deal since. You may as well say that a black skin isn't hereditary, a Roman nose, a high instep, musical abilities, brains or anything else. A hen that will lay 200 eggs in a year and come thru looking as tho she had had the time of her life in doing it will produce daughters of the same kind—that is, if the father of those daughters is of like heavy-laying blood. Also, if right care is given to her and to her offspring. She may not do it every time; but the rule will hold.

BIG EVENT IN BALTIMORE

Eastern Shore Society Holds Successful Meeting On Tuesday Evening

About 300 members of the Eastern Shore Society of Baltimore City, with their wives and friends, attended the society's annual "Ladies Night" event held at the Hotel Belvedere Tuesday night. It was one of the most enjoyable social affairs ever held under the auspices of the organization.

The Eastern Shore was not only represented at the gathering by those sons and daughters now living in the city but also by a number still living on the Shore. Representative delegations were sent by all Shore chapters from Somerset to Cecil and the commingling of old friends over the card table, in the maze of the waltz, the mysteries of the newest dance steps and in general social intercourse gave them all an opportunity to renew friendships and to talk over "old times down on the peninsula."

The event opened at 8.30 p. m., when the guests were received by the reception committee. Twenty-four tables of bridge and five hundred were prepared for those who desired to play cards, and dancing also was held. A prize waltz was one of the features of the gathering, while prizes also were given to each Winning table of bridge and five hundred and for the highest scores made.

A buffett supper, which was served at 11 p. m., included on its menu Maryland biscuits made in Easton especially for the occasion. Music was furnished by an orchestra from the Hotel Belvedere.

BOY SCOUTS ACTIVE

Eastern Shore Council Boy Scouts of America Doing Good Work.

Scout Johnny Jones is going to have a series of adventures that will be reported in these columns.

These adventures are going to require Johnny to use his Scouting knowledge and Scoutmasters are asked to try these out in their troop meetings as problems, changing the Scouts giving the demonstration so that every one in the troop will have a chance.

Dr. William L. Smithe of the United States Public Health Service and member of the Court of Honor will present a new adventure for Johnny each week and beginning next week will give some explanation of the problem appearing this week.

FORBIDDING THE SALE OF OR GIVING AWAY LIQUOR ON ELECTION DAY

For the information of all persons concerned, the following Act of the Legislature, passed March 24th, 1895, is published:

AN ACT

Prohibiting the sale of Spirituous or Fermented Liquors in the counties or the State on the day of Election.

SECTION 1. Be is enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, that it shall not be lawful for the keeper of any hotel, tavern, store, drinking establishment, or any other place where liquor is sold, or any person or persons, directly or indirectly, of any kind, on the day of election hereinafter to be held in the several counties of the State.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted, That any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be liable to indictment by the Grand Jury of the county where such offense is committed, and shall, upon conviction before any judge of any of the Circuit Courts of the State, he find a sum not less than fifty dollars for each and every offense; one-half the fine is paid to the informer and the other half to the County Commissioners for the use of the public roads.

Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws, as amended by the Acts of 1900 and 1901, says:

Whoever, during the hours of registration, or revision of registration, or during the hours of election or canvas of votes or of making returns thereof in any precinct, shall bring, take, order or send into, shall or attempt to bring or take or send into any place of registration or of election any distilled or spiritous liquors, wine ale or beer, or, shall at any such time or place drink or partake of such liquors, shall upon conviction thereof be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than $100.

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ORDER NISI

Clara B. Massey et al.
versus
Julia Evans et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County
In Equity No. 2285.

Ordered, this 17th day of October 1924 by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the sale of the Real estate mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Wm. Frazier Russell, Jr., and James S. Pennington Trustees. Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a decree of this court passed Sept. 5, 1924, be Ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 20th day of December next: Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 17th day of November next.

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