## Supervisors' Notice

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## ELECTION OFFICIALS

First District—First Precinct
Alex. Powell, Dem.
Fred. C. Numbers, Rep.
Judges.

Walter E. Kulley, Dem.
S. A. Price, Rep.
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First District—Second Precinct
E. C. Walters, Dem.
Roger Williams, Rep.
Judges.

J. Raymond Mulford, Dem.
C. T. Davis, Rep.
Clerks.

Second District—First Precinct
Thomas A. Conner, Jr., Dem.
James A. Nickerson, Rep.
Judges.

Robert H VanDyke, Dem.
George E. Powell, Rep.
Clerks.

Second District—Second Precinct
Walter H. Davis, Dem.
Oliver W. Atwell, Rep.
Judges.

George Webb, Dem.
Merritt Willis, Rep.
Clerks.

Third District—First Precinct
Sutton Tarbutton, Dem.
Harrison T. Cornelius, Rep.
Judges.

Paul Joiner, Dem.
Ralph P. Williams, Rep.
Clerks.

Third District—Second Precinct
H. C. Crew, Dem.
Charles T. Willis, Rep.
Judges.

Mrs. Thomas E. Brice, Dem.
Mrs. Ida A. Willis, Rep.
Clerks.

Fourth District—First Precinct
James H. Sides, Dem.
Minnie B. Falls, Rep.
Judges.

George W. French, Dem.
Don T. Falls, Rep.
Clerks.

Fourth District—N Precinct
Thomas G. Wroth, Dem.
J. Taylor Baxter, Rep.
Judges.

J E. Pennington, Dem.
Howard Pennington, Rep.
Clerks.

Fourth District—Second Precinct
A. C. Brown, Dem.
H. Theo. Jewell, Rep.
Judges.

B. R. Bartley, Dem.
R. Clarke Davis, Rep.
Clerks.

Fifth District—First Precinct
Nelson Rodney, Dem.
H. Barnard Wilson, Rep.
Judges.

T. Bennett Wilson, Dem.
Walter H. Coleman, Rep.
Clerks.

Fifth District—Second Precinct
John F. Newcomb, Dem.
Charles H. Hudson, Rep.
Judges.

Charles B. Shirley, Dem.
Wm. H. Bryden, Rep.
Clerks.

Sixth District
J. Bayard Sutton, Dem.
H. H. Legg, Rep.
Judges.

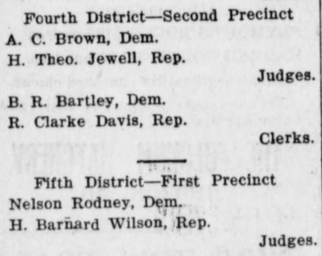
William T. J. Keyser, Dem
O. E. Eireman, Rep.
Clerks.

Seventh District
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H. M. Baker, Rep.
Judges.

William J. Maslin, Dem.
D. W. Ingersoll, Rep.
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## PROCLAMATION

### Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State, 1926

WHEREAS, at the January Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, held in the year 1924, an act was passed, to-wit: Chapter 116 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Maryland, by adding a new section to Article 4, to follow section 31 and to be known as Section 31-A, granting authority to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to pay each of the judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore additional salaries; in words and figures as follows:

CHAPTER 116

AN ACT to amend the Constitution of Maryland by adding a new section to Article 4.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of both Houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof, as hereinafter provided, the same shall stand as an additional section to Article 4 of said Constitution to follow section 31 and to be known as Section 31-A.

31-A. In addition to the authority granted to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore by the preceding section to pay to each of the judges of the Supreme Bench the annual sum of Five Hundred Dollars, authority is hereby given to said Mayor and City Council to pay to each of said judges such further annual sum as an additional to their respective salaries as the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall from time to time deem right and proper, provided, that any such sum being once granted shall not be diminished during the continuance of said judges in office.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid, that the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be, at the next general election for members of the General Assembly to be held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof, for their 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 said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment," and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," so that the voter may elect; and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said 14th Article of the Constitution.

Approved, April 9, 1924.

Now, Therefore, I, Albert C. Ritchie, Governor of the State of Maryland, in pursuance of the direction contained in Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of Maryland, do hereby order and direct that this Proclamation containing a full, true and correct copy of the text of said Chapter 116 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1924, be published in at least two newspapers in each of the counties of the State where so many may be published and where not more than one may be published then in that newspaper, and in three newspapers published in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be published in the German language, once a week for at least three months next preceding the general election to be held in the State of Maryland on Tuesday the 2nd day of November 1926, at which election the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted in form and manner prescribed by the General Assembly, to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection.

The Great Seal of Maryland

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland. Done at the City of Annapolis, this 15th day of July, in the year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-six.

ALBERT C. RITCHIE.
By the Governor:
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## BETTERTON

Dr. Walter Stone occupied the pulpit of the M. E. Church last Sunday evening for Rev. Mr. Clark, who was sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curley and daughter, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. Curleys parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Crownhart.

The members and friends of the Episcopal Sunday school held a most delightful picnic on Prices Bar last Tuesday afternoon. The trip was made in the launches of Mr. Floyd Crownhart and Mr. Merritt Sutton and after several hours of fine bathing ice cream and cake was served.

A company of Boy Scouts are encamped on the farm of Miss Nan Price for the month of August.

Six of the young men of Betterton will leave Monday for New Jersey where they will be employed in the factories of the New York Canners during the tomato season.

A young colored bay, the grandson of Joe Snowden was drowned Tuesday morning off the New York Canners Pier. His head was struck while diving from the wharf.

A swimming contest was held on Monday afternoon, under the direction of Coach Touchton. A Charlston contest was held at the dance hall on Wednesday evening. Both of these attracted large crowds of people.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Beauchamp and children of Baltimore, are at Bayside Inn for the week. Mrs. Beauchamp was formerly Miss Bessie Leigh.

Mrs. Emmitt Crew and children, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Philip Gooding of Baltimore, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis at The Wiltshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crownhart entertained Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curley and daughter and Mrs. Philip Gooding and Mrs. Emmitt Crew at dinner on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Edward Young of Wilmington is spending the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Lizzie Crew.

Mr. and Mrs. John Umluff, of Baltimore, formerly of Betterton, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Crew.



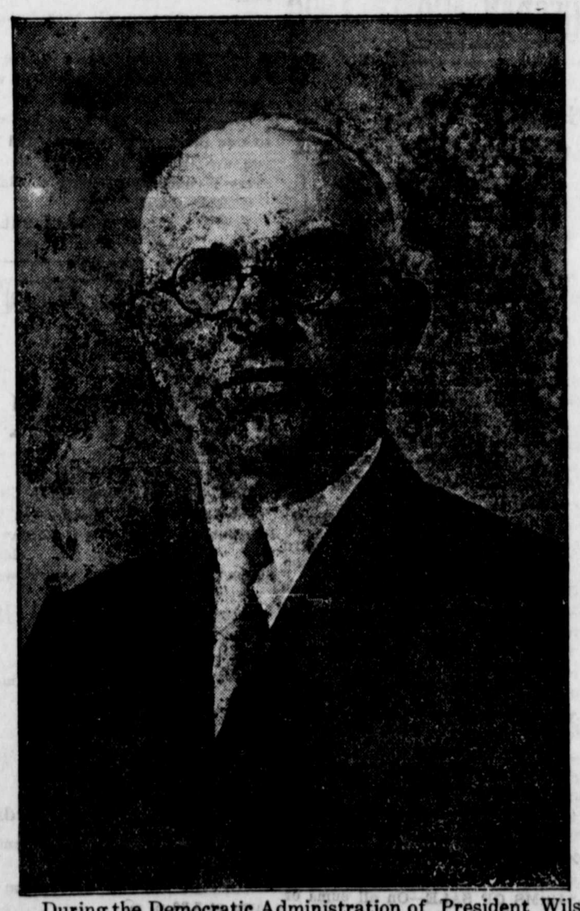

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## MESSAGE OF MR. UPSHUR

## To Tomato Growers



During the Democratic Administration of President Wilson there existed a moderate tariff on canned tomatoes of about twenty-five cents. When the Republican party came into power again, just after the war, they, as usual, passed a tariff bill and raised the tariff sky high on things manufactured in the North which we have to buy, but, repeating an old practice, they actually lowered the then existing tariff on canned tomatoes, which we produce and they buy, to about fifteen cents.

Our present representative was in Congress then, with practically nothing to watch out for but this one industry of his district, while the Great Republican Tariff was being framed and sat by and let this great injustice be done his people without a protest because, forsooth, he was a low tariff man! Well, I am a low tariff man, too, but the tariff must be low for all alike, for I also believe in that other paramount Democratic Principle of Equality for all and special privilege to none. I would not sit idly by in a situation like in which my district was vitally interested and uphold the mere empty letter of the low tariff doctrine when the spirit of fair play was being violated by the selfish interests of the northern manufacturers at the expense of my people who were at best having a struggle to make both ends meet. This lowered tariff has induced tremendous quantities of foreign canned tomatoes to flood our markets: the freight rate being as low from Europe to New York as from the Eastern Shore to New York. The canners took all the loss last year before they knew what was hitting them. This year they have been compelled to pass part of the loss along to the farmers by making his contract on tomatoes $2.00 less per ton than they would have allowed but for this lowered tariff. You are, therefore, losing $2.00 a ton on your tomatoes this year and will continue to take this loss each year to come until this gross inequality is rectified.

I invite every Democratic voter, who would like to be represented in Congress by man of sincere purposes and by a friend of the farming interests, with the courage of his convictions, to honor me with his or her vote at the primaries on September 14, 1925.

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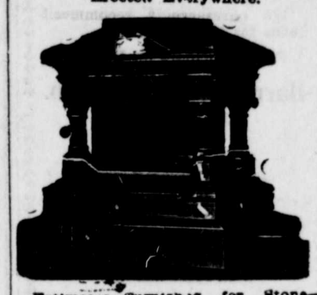
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A competitive examination for a free scholarship at Washington College including tuition, board, room and text books for a period of four years beginning September, 1926, will be held Thursday, August 19, 1926, in the Court House Chestertown, Maryland, at 10.00 a. m.

The requirements are that each applicant shall have completed successfully a four year high school course or the equivalent of the same, and be prepared to enter the Freshman class.

The examination will be given in the following subjects:

1. English—Grammer and Rhetoric
2. Elementary Algebra.
3. Plane Geometry.
4. Modern, European and American History.
5. Latin.
6. Chemistry.

Applicants will be required to take the examinations in five of the above subjects and may select either Latin or Chemistry.

Those desiring to take this examination are required to file with the Register of Wills, Chestertown, Md., not later than August 10th, 1926, their applications with certificates as to mental and moral qualifications.

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