THE TRANSCRIPT

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THE FACT THAT Kent County over subscribed its quota for Boy Scout work this week is an evidence of the interest of the public in this organization. The contributors are to be congratulated for their generousity but the real credit for scout work here goes to those men who are serving on the council, acting as scoutmasters and engaging in other activities to promote scouting in the county. The results of their work encourages the public to cooperate.

CONGRATULATIONS are in order to the management and contributors to the Outdoor Wild Life Show held in Baltimore this week. It was an excellent show in every particular, although it was very apparent that the Conservation Commission fell down on an excellent opportunity to promote the products of the Chesapeake Bay. If there was an exhibit of oysters, fish and crabs from this outstanding seaford haven it was such that could be easily overlooked among the excellent exhibits from the upland. An oyster shucking contest and the passing around of a few of the salt water bi-valves would have been an excellent publicity stunt and convinced the people of Baltimore and the many visitors from other States that Chesapeake Bay oysters are good in spite of the much publicised statements being made by political aspirants for office. Some of our champion shuckers could have put on a show that would have added to the affair. It would have helped to offset the present condition whereby a goodly portion of the oysters consumed in Baltimore are coming from other States. The show is over but there maybe another next year.

Old Timer Comments On Politics

Dear Mr. Editor:

Seeing as how everybody wants to tend to every body else's business and with the government sitting up standards of living and with people telling everybody how to farm and run their business I guess it is the thing to do these days and although I am an old-timer I might as well pep up and join the rest in tending to every body else's business. It used to be that I could stop in a store, git a easy chair or nail keg in front of a stove with a big sand box around it and keep myself in practice by loading up with a big chaw of tobacco and aiming at a chip in the far corner of the box. A feller in them days could read a little and entertain a crowd by telling how the govement ought to be run. Now adays things are different and if a feller can be lucky enough to find one of them pinch-back wire chairs in a store and git near one of them newfangled polished stoves he has got to be jumping up all the time and going to the door in order to enjoy his chew an even then there ain't no way to tell how close you come to the mark you shoot at. Then again ye can't get no listners cause with this modern system of learning everybody thinks they knows more than I do. I don't mean to be kicking cause the most of the people can't be wrong but I remember the time when people took things a lot easier and seemed to git along bout as good as they do now, and while they got a lot more book learning now they are just as easy to fool as they was back when I was a young man an I mostly refer to politics. This being a year when a lot of jobs expire it is a good cause for conversation an I kin hold up my end on that subject cause that is one thing that ain't changed much en they are using the same old balyhoo methods that was used in them days. To start with the crowd who wants to be Governor saying this en that ought to be done en how they want to help the business man, the waterman, the farmer en everybody to git what they want and then they are going to build big roads, stock the bay with fish, oysters en crabs en at the same time reduce taxes. From the talk you'd think that thing they call "Topia" or something was "just around the corner" or something was "just around the corner" or something with "$2 tags" on it or something. It's almost fit to make everybody cry to think how all these men are going to give themselves to save the people of this free State.

Course as I said before I don't expect enybody to pay no count to the ideas of an old timer but I remember pop telling me as a kid to stay away from sompin you think youre gettin fer nothing and I always found it good advice, although I did git a cigar from one of them State politicians and didn't vote for him and it was a good cigar too, but generally it don't work out. It seems now-a-days everybody wants the govment to give em something and then holler when some new tax is set. They then sit up nights en try to figure how somebody else ought to pay the taxes.

I recken as how lots of the boys who thinks as how lots of people will agree that they should have some of those county political jobs will be down to Rock Hall Saturday night to the waterman's supper cause it looks like that might be the start of a long hard overstuffed campaign. I hear one of our ambicious candidates for Governor will be there. If some of the local boys will watch his tactics they will learn a lot of the inside dope of politics cause he has been at it for a long time en has been pretty good at it too.

There seems to be a loter store political gossip going on but I'm just alistening cause I can't get warmed up to no serious talk without the sand box handy but I do hear that everybody living in the confines of the town limits of galena are going to run for some office en the same holds true for other centers, with the Sheriff's office way out in front with the most candidates.

Mr. Editor, if you don't return this I'll let you know what else I hear.

P. S. They are talking up around Galena of runnnig Judge Hicks for States Attorney. That's all.

Very truly yours,
UNCLE JAKE

(Continued next week)

Two "Cleopatra's Needles"

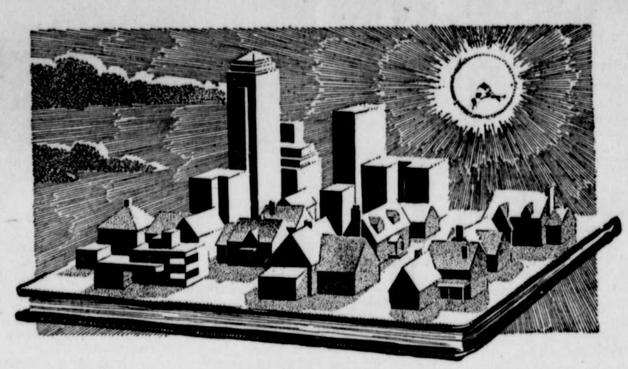
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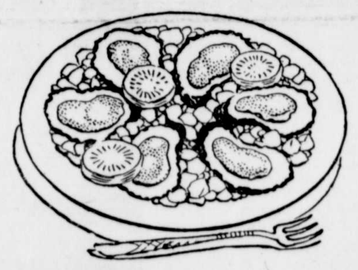


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