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"It Covers The Community Like The Dew"

TOWSON, MARYLAND, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1920

Anti-Charter Meeting At The Court House, Towson, On Wednesday Evening, October 13

RESIDENT OF CATONSVILLE OPPOSES NEW CHARTER FORM OF GOVERNMEN

Says A Careful Analysis Of The Provisions Must Lead To The Conclusion That The System Proposed Is Not Only Unwise
But Is Impracticable And Unworkable.

Thank you very much for your favor of the 17th of September, requesting my views concerning the adoption or rejection of the proposed Charter for Baltimore county, to be voted on at the election, November 2.

It is unfortunate, that whenever a proposition of this kind is presented the motives of those who contend for the motives of those who contend for against the proposition should be attacked by those of opposite opinion. For this reason, many who hold definite views, the expression of which might materially assist others in an intelligent determination of the question, are aften deterred from giving expression. I am aware that this condition exists regarding the proposed Charter, but knowing the reputation of a number of those who are actively advocating its adoption, I cannot but feel that their motives are above reproach.

HIS BARN ERECTED BY



Some weeks ago during a storm the barn on the property of Judge James G. Bentz, of the Orphans' Court, at Upperco, was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire, and immediately after the loss 85 or more of the Judge's neighbors got busy, cut timber from a nearby woods, hued out the framework and other lumber, and on Saturlay last a real and rightly old-time barn raising was held. The barn, which rests on the foundation of the bard with the staff this year are Miss Edith Hagan, who comes from the Trenton Normal to take Miss Louise Johnson's place as head of the English Department, and Miss Helen Shurtz, formerly Supervisor of Music in Westport, Connecticut, who is in charge of the music department. Miss School work practical work in the Baltimore county schools. There is a new School work practical work in the Baltimore county schools. There is a new School work practical work in the Baltimore county schools. There is a new Miss Whiting, Asst. Social Director in charge of the dormitory, Miss Wilsie Banks, from Salistury, Md., who last summer assisted Miss Whiting, Asst. Social Director (Continued on Page 4—Col. 4)

WHAT AN INDEPENDENT VOTER HAS TO SAY ABOUT THE NEW CHARTER.

"THE NEW CHARTER.

"The welfare and improvement of Baltimore county are vital factors in our continued success. I feel that there is room for improvement but do not believe it will be accomplished by overturning the present form in favor of a charter form of government. Let's spend our time and efforts in perfecting what we have rather than in tearing down and starting over. My opinion, after studying the proposed charter, is that it is less desirable than the present form of government and is certain to be more expensive."

S. DUNCAN BLACK, President THE BLACK & DECKER MFG. CO.

I have not undertaken to point out the objectionable features of the Charter, as I am aware that these can be corrected by amendment. But even this would be sufficient to cause the rejection of the Charter as presented, bearing in mind that the Charter can only be amended in the same way it is adopted.

Nevertheless, Mr. Hobbs retired from activities along this line some way it is adopted.

230 Students At State Normal School—80 Per Cent. Over Previous Year.

The Maryland State Normal School this year has the largest enrollment of students since the year 1917. Last year there were 137 students. This year the number is about 230, an increase of almost 80 per cent. over last year. Every student now is a scholarship student pledging herself to teach at least two years in the State Due to Governor Ritchie's keen insight into the State's need for training

Our Merchants!

The growth and development of any community depend to a large extent upon the character and progressiveness of its merchants.

A city chooses its merchants, for only those whom the people patronize can afford to remain in business. The man who does not "play fair" will, sooner or later, be found out and forced to quit. The honest merchant who knows his business and sticks to it is bound to succeed.

This community is fortunate in having its mercantile business in the hands of high class men. No finer body of business men can be found anywhere in the world than those with whom our people have the privilege of dealing daily.

> Second National Bank of Towson

NEW GAS RATES

Price Reduction Became Effective Yesterday in Baltimore County.

tric Light Co. will have a reduction in their rates. The new price will be 75 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, which became effective yesterday (Friday). In its order the Public Service Com-

In its order the Public Service Commission says that the continuance of the lower standard, which was in operation during the summer, "will enable the company to supply to its customers gas of a reasonably satisfactory service value at the minimum cost to such customers; and it being the further opinion and finding of the commission that at this time it does not have before it sufficient data on which to pass upon the application of the company filed on September 10, 1920, for authority to increase the rates charged for gas sold at secondary or equivalent rates, said application will hereafter be further considered by the commission.

OLDEST IN COUNTY

"Cale" Hobbs Has Distinction Of More Tournaments Than Any

only be amended in the same way it is adopted.

I am hoping therefore, that the voters of Baltimore county will reject this Charter, and by its rejection say to those who advocate its adoption, you cannot under the guise of a useful reform misinterpret the clear intention of the Legislature and people of the State, and fasten upon us a system which you know, or should know, will work nothing but trouble and harm to the people of the county.

Wery truly yours, the wind harm to the people of the county.

R. E. KANODE, Catonsville, Md.

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of nine rings each. In the "ride-off" Mr. Hobbs and Samuel Markus were left in the finals and Mr. Hobbs won first prize after having made 17 tilts through the arches. Mr. Hobbs rode as Knight of Lady Lightfoot and used a mount of Joseph Rennahan, of Carroll's Manor, Howard county. Mr. Hobbs gave the prize, a silver watch, to Mr. Rennahan for the loan of the horse. In those days, Mr. Hobbs says, he could have ridden an ox or a mule and taken the rings.

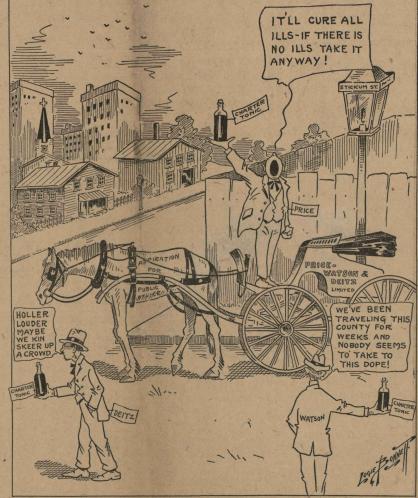
It was performances like the one at Reisterstown that classed Mr. Hobbs as being too good for the sport and later he was "voted out" of the contests. Being no longer permitted to ride in the tournaments, Mr. Hobbs took up his position as marshal and presided over his first event in Joshua F. C. Worthington's woods, Harrisonville, in 1879.

In later years he enjoyed a large following of knights, and it was only for

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YOUR VILLAGE YET? ITLL CURE ALL

HAS THE FREE MEDICINE SHOW BEEN TO



WOMEN'S DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATION OF BALTIMORE COUNTY A BIG HELP TO PARTY

The last time Mr. Hobbs was called upon to charge through the arches was in 1877 in Bank's woods, Reisterstown. There were eight knights in the contest and six had fied in the trial rides Overcome Lead Of Republicans.

Arrangements have been made by

Examined 49 Cases—Indictments Returned In 38; Nine Dismissed

HOLD CLASS INITIATION

Towson Junior Order Holds A Successful Rally And Class Initiation.

Council" of Baltimore.

The Odd Fellows' Hall had been secured for the evening and after the regular meeting in the Junior hall, in the Lee Building, the Council Marshall, James E. Dunphy, directed the procession up the York road to the adjoining Odd Fellows' Hall, where the degree work was conferred in an able and effective manner.

Council Deputy George W. Seipp re-

COCKEYSVILLE MAN ANALYSES THE MEN FOR AND AGAINST THE CHARTER

States Advocates Of New Scheme Would Be Fools To Say Anything Detrimental To Their Pet Hobby, Yet It Is Impossible, For They Are Only Defending The Measure.

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Prominent Speakers Will Address

Cockeysville.

Dr. John H. Latane, of the Johns
Hopkins University, and Mrs. Johnson
F. Poe will be the speakers of

UPPCOME Lead UI Hepublicans.

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Editor The Jeffersonian:—

The subject matter is the proposed charter. I shall not discuss its merrits of demerits. That has been and is being done by two eminent lawyors. Therefore it is not necessary that I say more, for it aeems to me the last word opposing the adoption of this charter has been and is being spoken by that eminent jurist, Judge Burke. And so it seems to me that the last word favoring the adoption of the charter has been and is being spake by that distinguished lawyer, Major Randolph Barton.

Now, since it is almost impossible for the average lay mind to discover the hidden meaning of that instrument it is the duty of some one capable of doing so to discover for them the fatal possibilities, if any, in that instrument should it become a law.

That is just what Judge Burke is doing. He tells us the charter is bad. Major Randolph Barton tells us it is good. Which of these gentlemen is right? Both of them are honest men. Their characters are unimpeachable, their integrity in their profession has never been questioned. Neither one nor the other can rightfully be charged with other motives than that of honestly and as a just judge, which his reputation for honesty, integrity, the sprickly deserves? No sir! The mattisan as to throw to the winds all his reputation for honesty, integrity, integrity, and is a just judge, which his reputation for honesty, integrity, the being spake and as a just judge, which his reputation for honesty, integrity, integrity, and is a just judge, which his reputation for honesty, integrity, and is reputation for honesty, integrity, the sprickly deserves? No sir! The matis are putation for honesty, integrity, and is reputation for honesty. Now when the fatal partition as to thive and as a just judge, which his archal as to throw a surfulation of this strain like and partition as to thought of surfulant as to throw as in the partition of his propered

Dr. John H. Latane, of the Johns Hopkins University, and Mrs, Johnson F. Poe will be the speakers at a public meeting at the Odd Fellow's Hall, Cockeysville, tonight (Saturday) at 8 P. M. This meeting should be of general interest to women and it is hoped a large gathering of both men and women will be on hand.

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