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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1914.

THE wheat market took another upward turn yesterday and $1.18 was paid for 18,000 bushels, total shipments to Baltimore on that day.

IN another column will be found an important notice from the State Live Stock Sanitary Board. If the farmers desire the obliteration of the hog cholera they will *bury the dead hogs*. The law is strict on this point and every citizen should help enforce this feature.

IF all the money spent and to be spent on this war, and the death-dealing machines which it employs, could have been wisely used in alleviating human distress and in educating human nature to higher levels, the next half-century might have been the Golden Age of the world. As it is, the war will hang crape on Europe's front door for many years to come.

THE notice of the Primary Election on September 15 appears elsewhere in this issue. There will be no registration before this primary, and those who are now on the books will be entitled to vote. As there is but one Republican candidate for United States Senate, and no Republican candidate for Congress or as delegate to the Republican State Convention, the primary will be only for Democratic voters.

A FATAL disease is prevalent among horses in Worcester and Somerset counties. So serious is the situation that many farmers have appealed to Senator John Walter Smith for assistance. As a result of Senator Smith's efforts the department has detailed two expert veterinarians, who found 12 horses had died. Senator Smith has also communicated with H. P. Skipper, of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, who sent a man there. The disease was pronounced to be spinal meningitis.

THE CHAUTAUQUA.

Like a wave of the ocean the Chautauqua movement in Kent has increased in interest and appreciativeness until its beautiful crested height stands out in all its attractiveness. It was a hard fight the two preceding years but this year the Association finds its child grown to a man of fine build.

Chairman, Dr. H. B. Simmons, committees, officers, guarantors and all concerned are to be congratulated. There were 50 more tickets sold by the active secretary, Mr. Norman Jefferson, and other faithful workers, than were guaranteed and on Tuesday there were no season tickets to be bought. There is no reason why this should not be the case every year if the community will work in harmony and co-operate in all the management. Those who toiled to make Chautauqua a success in the struggling days are to be commended and the few guarantors of the first year and those of the next year have certainly done a good thing for Chestertown and Kent county.

The Association have carried out every promise and even more. The entertainments and lectures have been of the very best, wholesome and clean while the audiences have been large, intelligent and appreciative.

The Superintendent, Mrs. Gregory, has been most efficient, bringing to us that graceful and artistic womanly bearing in all her activities.

The Juniors also had a fine week of it and found in Miss Ruth Lacy, their leader, a joy indeed.

The local Chautauqua Committee is as follows: Dr. H. B. Simmons, chairman; Thomas S. Bordley, treasurer; C. Norman Jefferson, secretary; executive committee, the above officers and Messrs. L. B. Russell and Fred. G. Usilton; guarantors, H. C. Hughes, D. D. S., H. Benge Simmons, A. Parks Rasin, Allan A. Harris, W. W. Hubbard, W. Frank Jarrell, H. H. Klinefelter, H. F. Jefferson & Bro., George R. Rouse, Bordley & Sons, Fred. G. Usilton, R. F. Parks, L. Bates Russell, Wm. F. Russell, John D. Urie, Thomas W. Eliason, Jr., Wm. B. Copper, A. L. Sparks, C. C. Jones, S. Scott Beck, William W. Beck, Harrison W. Vickers, Jr., T. D. Bowers, James G. Beck, M. Wilber Thomas, M. A. Toulson, James A. Pearce, Charles L. Dodd, W. M. Slay, Frank B. Hines, J. D. Bacchus, Jefferson L. Smyth, W. Irving Walker, J. H. Sides.

Chief Judge James A. Pearce introduced Judge Wanamaker in a most happy manner and received quite an ovation from the large audience.

CANDIDATES FILE PAPERS.

The following candidates have filed their papers with the Board of Election Supervisors:

For United States Senator—Isaac Lobe Straus, Dem.; John Walter Smith, Dem.; Edward C. Carrington, Rep.

For Congress—Jesse D. Price, Dem., for both the short and long terms; Albert W. Sisk, Dem., long term., James T. Bright, Dem., short term.

Accompanying each certificate was a check for $50 00, the amount required by law, making the cost to each candidate $450 for the nine counties for the privilege of contesting in the Democratic primaries.

Democratic Delegates to the State Convention—L. R. Vansant, Thos. P. Vandyke, J. Henry Thompson.

There will be no contest in the Democratic primaries for delegates to the State Convention for this county, as only three filed their certificates and the county is entitled to three delegates.

The Republicans will have no contest.

The Primary will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 15th.

WANTED.

A reliable energetic man to represent us in Kent County. One who will give his entire time to our business which will bring him large returns. A small amount of capital needed to carry sample stock. We prefer a man owning an automobile or a team as our proposition will necessitate him calling upon the rural trade. For particulars Address

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TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Chestertown High School and lawn has been the centre of much life this week. In the morning the excellent corp of teachers in Kent's public schools met in institute work while in the afternoon and evening they attended the Chautauqua in the big tent on the school lawn.

Prof. J. L Smyth presided at the sessions of the Institute, the following program being presented as near as possible:

MONDAY.

11.00—11 30, Opening Exercises and Organization; 11·30—11.45, Fourth Grade English and Composition, Mary Brown, Rita Cooper, Mattie Hazell, Marguerite E. Hersch; Vocal Solo, Mr. Jewell F. Armstrong; 11.45—12.15, Third Grade Geography, Sarah N. Hessey, Frances Morris, Mildred Durding.

TUESDAY.

9.00—9.10, Opening Exercises; 9.10–9.45, English or Literature, Prof. Wills Hamilton Wilcox; Vocal Solo, Mr. Jewell F. Armsttong; 9.45—10.15, Beginner's Latin, Lelia N. Ware, Walter H. Davis; 10 15—10 45, Primary Reading and Primary Spelling, Rose H. Duyer, Hannah Bell, Sue Dunbracco; recitation, Miss Carmeta Russell; 10.45—11 15 Primary Number Work, Anna P. Radnor, Miriam Leaverton, Helen Stradley; Instrumental Duett, Misses Smyth and Russell; 11.15—12 00, Beginner's Geometry, Minnie Brinsfield, Sophia Miller, Mary W. Carroll.

WEDNESDAY.

9.00—9.10, Opening Exercises; 9.10—10.00, Address, Dr. M. Battes Stevens; Vocal Solo, Miss Helen Boyd; 10 10—11 00, English or Literature, Prof. Wilcox; 11 00—11.30, Arithmetic, Florence Jewell, Mary R. Camp, Caroline I. Smyth.; Instrumental Solo, Miss Anna Mae Ayres; 11 30—12.00, Manuel Training, Owen C. Blades, Frank A. Greenhawk.

THURSDAY.

9.00—9.10, Opening Exercises; 9.10—9.40, Geography, Anna Melvin, Mattie R. Whitaker; Vocal Solo, Mr. Thomas W. Perkins; 9.40.10.20 English or Literature, Prof. Wilcox; 10.26-10.40 Civics, Barbara Anthony; Violin Solo, Mr. T. Kemp Bordley; 10.40-11 10, History, 7th Grade Susan Roberts; 11.10—11.30, Domestic Science Annie L. Cooper.

FRIDAY.

9.00—9.10, Opening Exercises; 9.10—10.00, Rhetoric, Estelle J. Biddle, Jeanette Gooding, Ruby K. Ahern; Vocal Solo, Miss Louise Armstrong; 10 00—10.15, Practical Psychology Applicable to the Schools, Susie J. Frazier; 10.15, 10.30, The Best Method of Assigning a Lesson, M. Elva Reese; Recitation, Miss Polly Westcott; 10.30—10.45, The Commercial Course, Miss Nellie E. Walters; 10.45—11.30, 'The Advantages of a Clean Up Day,' during the latter part of September, Nora V. Boston, Marietta Loud, Ethel B. Ringgold, Helen Davis; 10.30-12.00, Reports of Committees, etc.

Cut Price Sale

TWO WEEKS ONLY

Overalls, were $1.00, now..... 80c
Khaki Pants, were $1, now... 80c
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References: Merchants National Bank of Baltimore and all Commercial Agencies.

Public Sale of Personalty

THE UNDERSIGNED, will discontinue farming and move to Wilmington and will sell without reserve on the Cooper Tarbutton farm at Deep Landing, in Queen Annes on

Thursday, Sept. 10, 1914

beginning at 10.30 the following property:

3 Horses & 1 Colt

One Roan mare Nellie, in foal, 4 yrs. old.; 1 brown horse, Prince, 12 yrs. old; 1 brown horse, John or Dick, 3 yrs. old; 1 weanling colt Dandy, 6 months old.

One Cow, soon be fresh

TWO BROOD SOWS, 4 KILLING HOGS

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 Dearborn, nearly new; 1 Farm Wagon, 1-60 tooth Hinge Harrow, new; 1 A. Harrow, 1 Corn Planter, 1 Sweet Potato Cultivator, 2 Tomato Cultivators, 2 Walking Cultivators, 1-2 Horse Plow, 1 Tomato and sweet potato marker, 1 Top Buggy, 5 sets Plow Harness, 1 Set Wagon Harness, 1 Set Carriage Harness, nearly new; 1 Set Dearborn Harness, 5 horse collars, nearly new; 4 Bridles, nearly new; Chicken Coop and Feed Coop, Turkeys, Guineas and Chickens, young and old; 400 Tomato Baskets, 1 Wheel Barrow, Blacksmith Shop Outfit, Shovels, Hoes, Forks, Sweet Potato vine Cutters, lot of Tools, too numerous to mention; 1 Boat and Fyke, 1 Washing Machine, 1 Dresser Cupboard, Meat Barrolls, Incubator and Brooder, Brambles, Wagon Springs, Leveling Board, Grindstone, Wood Horse, Separator, Butter Churn, Wheel Barrow, Hot Bed Sash, Chicken Wire, Fruit Jars, Lot of Hay.

Also, lot of HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE.

TERMS—Sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months on approved note.

R. W. SKINNER.

JACK JESTER, Auct. aug29 ts

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Personal Property!

The undersigned intending to discontinue farming will sell at public sale on the farm where he now resides, on the road leading from Warwick to Sassafras on

Saturday, Sept. 5, 1914,

at 10 o'clock sharp, the following:

21 Head Horses and COLTS

in the lot are some fine drivers and work horses. In all they are a nice lot of young horses. Come and look them over you will be sure to find what you need.

38 HEAD of CATTLE

including five Guernsey Bulls, one thoroughbred and registered.

28 HEAD OF SHEEP

nineteen yearling Shropshire Ewes. two thoroughbred Shropshire rams, five young rams and 4 ewe lambs.

Forty HEAD OF HOGS,

weighing from 75 to 210 lbs.

Farming Implements
Household Goods.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $20 and under cash, over that amount a credit of twelve months will be given by purchaser giving a bankable note with approved endorser. Interest added from day of sale. Positively no goods to be removed until the above conditions are complied with.

S. T. OTHOSON, Owner.

GEO. W. PADLEY, AUCT.

The ladies of Sassafras M. E. Church will serve dinner day of sale. No stands allowed.

PUBLIC SALE

OF A CARLOAD OF

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These are extra fine Mules, from three to five years old. Weigh from 900 to 1100 pounds. We have sold over 100 carloads of mules and never had to stop a sale. They will be sold for the high dollar at ROBERT J. McWHORTER'S STABLES, at the Voshell House,

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND,

Saturday, Sept. 12th, 1914

Rain or Shine.

Sale commences at 1 30 o'clock p. m.
Will exchange Mules for Horses.

TERMS.—Four Months credit on note with approved security.

GEORGE VICKERY.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

One of the Finest Farms In Kent County

THE UNDERSIGNED wishing to dispose of his fine farm located near Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland, will offer the same at public sale on

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 16th, 1914

At 1.30 P. M., at the Court House Door in Chestertown, Kent county, aforesaid, to the highest bidder,

This Farm, consisting of

281½ Acres

MORE OR LESS.

of as fine soil as there is in the county is located immediately on the new state road building from Fairlee to Chestertown, with a school house on the opposite side of the road from the farm and is but about 3 miles from Chestertown and eight from Tolchester. The soil is easily tilled and very productive, growing every kind of grain, fruit or vegetable produced in this locality. The land is gently rolling and well watered making it especially adapted to stock raising. The drinking water is excellent also. There is a pear orchard of about 1900 trees and young apple orchard of about 100 trees, besides a quantity of other kinds of fruit trees on the farm.

The Buildings ARE GOOD

and sufficient for the use of the farm while the fields are under good fencing and laid off conveniently and advantageously for profitable cropping.

Possession of the farm will be given January 1st, 1916, with all landlords rights and privileges in the meantime. This farm would make a desirable investment or country home.

The crops for the present year are reserved, the undersigned paying all taxes for the present year.

Mr. Coleman, the tenant of the farm, is an excellent farmer and an obliging gentleman and will show any prospective buyers the farm or answer any questions relative to its farming and yield they may wish.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale and the remainder in equal installments, with interest from day of sale, in one and two years from the day of sale, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. All deferred payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned or undersigned's attorney, and policies of insurance endorsed to secure same.

Title deeds at purchaser's expense.

JAMES T. DeCORSE, Owner.

JOHN D. URIE, Attorney. ag39 ts

State Live Stock Commission

Harry P. Skipper, President
H. B. Noll, Vice-President
C. W. Melville, Secretary

NOTICE-WARNING

in relation to the

Spread of Hog Cholera

Art. 58, Sec. 19, Chap. 321, 1890, Laws of Maryland.

All hogs and other domestic animals dying of any contagious or infectious disease shall be buried at a depth of at least three feet or be burned, at the discretion of the owner, and any person or persons permitting any dead hogs or any other domestic animals having died of any contagious or infectious disease to remain unburied upon his or their premises for the space of three hours prior to sunset of said day after he has discovered the same shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace, shall be fined not less than ten dollars for each offense or imprisoned in the county jail for not less than ten days, or be both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the justice.

The above laws are in force and their observance is vital to the suppression of Hog Cholera in Maryland. All persons are warned to observe these laws for the protection of the health of farm animals, and to prevent the spread of disease.

DR. L. HICKMAN,
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(POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT)

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE CANDIDACY OF

JAMES T. BRIGHT

Of Queen Anne's County

FOR THE SHORT TERM IN CONGRESS

Centreville, Maryland,
September 1st, 1914.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF THE FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF MARYLAND:

Although I have been an avowed candidate for Congress for several weeks, I refrained from making a signed statement to the Democratic voters of the First Congressional District of Maryland, until I had filed my certificate of candidacy with the Boards of Election Supervisors of the various counties of the district.

Now, however, that I have qualified, I feel it my duty to place myself fairly and squarely before the great mass of people representing the Democracy of the Eastern Shore, and to assure all who are interested in the success of the present administration, under the guidance of that magnificent statesman, whole hearted Democrat and friend of the people, Woodrow Wilson, that I stand unswervingly, earnestly and sincerely behind those policies which he has advocated and placed in effect in the past; the work that he is now engaged in promoting, and his ideals of the future as expressed at various times in Washington.

In filing my papers with the Boards of Supervisors, I qualified for the short term in Congress only. If elected, I stand pledged to give to the people of the First Congressional District the best service of which I am capable; to earnestly and diligently endeavor to faithfully represent the section from which I am sent, and my hearty and enthusiastic support will be rendered unto the man who is now at the helm of the National Administration in Washington.

In view of the rumors that have become insistent throughout the district, to the effect that my candidacy for the short term might mean a combination with some other candidate for the long term, I take this opportunity to explain the cause that prompted my action.

Long before the time for filing my certificate, I learned that there was a strong feeling existing among the Democratic voters of the District, that the interests of Democracy would be best subserved by the nomination of two men. The belief, I am informed, is general that every effort should be made to strengthen the ticket by placing two men in nomination. It is the law of tradition and precedent in this district, that when a vacancy in Congress occurs from any cause, two candidates should be nominated—one for the short and one for the long term.

The Democrats of this district have ALWAYS nominated two candidates under conditions of this sort.

At the outset of the fight I felt confident that Senator Price would file at least for the lang term, if not for both; and I was equally certain that Colonel Sisk would do the same. Consequently, with this knowledge, and knowing the temper of the people of the district in favoring two candidates, I decided of my own volition, without any agreement, combination or allignment, to announce my candidacy and file for the short term only.

Queen Anne's county has had little recognition from the hands of Maryland Democracy in a decade, and yet she has never wavered in her support of the party of Jefferson. At this time she is asking very little at the hands of the party, when she asks for the honor of sending a Congressman to Washington for the short term.

In submitting my candidacy to the people of the district, to be voted upon in the Primary election of Tuesday, September 15th, I am not unmindful of the responsibility which will rest upon my shoulders in the event I am chosen to represent the District; and while realizing these facts I do not hesitate to assure all, that if sent to Washington my desire and ambition will be to represent ALL THE PEOPLE to the best of my ability, and to conscientiously perform those duties which the voters of the First Congressional District may entrust to my care.

JAMES T. BRIGHT.

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