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THE City has raised the issue which puts the counties on the defensive for their own existence.

THE Cecil Democrat says it looks like "an effort for the city to choke the counties to death!".

THE indications are that the Republicans will have a hot fight in the primaries. Weller will not have a walk-over.

THE Barroll organ says, "Just think of a whole barrel of whiskey coming to Chestertown on one train!" What has the Barroll organ done or advocated towards limiting the supply?

MILLINGTON is taking on a new lease of life. New streets, side-walks, new school house, new residences, a new concrete bridge are in sight and with its aggressive citizenship will make further progress. Success to you, Millington.

THE Republican press in Baltimore and in Cecil county are against the Organization, of course, because they know that with Harrington to fight they will have a poor chance of winning. This in itself is a good sign of his strength.

THE Harrington wave of victory is growing every day. Davy Lewis, of Western Maryland, has spoken in ringing tones, next comes A. P. Gorman, then Dr. George Wells, that intrepid fighter from Anne Arundel, and others will join in a few days.

THAT Senator Blair Lee is "on the run" is evident by the tone and words of his tirade against the Eastern Shore papers. Here is the way he closes a long statement, "that their unworthy attempt to stir up strife and prejudice between the counties and the city is a studied scheme put out from some central source, is shown by the fact that substantially the same statement appears in the last weeks' issue of practically all the papers allied with my opponents on the Eastern Shore". If there is no more truth in Mr. Lee's denial of a deal than there is in the above charge against the NEWS and other papers, then Mr. Lee had better kept quiet as there is not a scintilla of truth in it.

DETERMINED to break up the carrying of weapons at festivals, picnics, etc., Judge Pearson on Wednesday sentenced Daniel Graves, colored, to one year in the House of Correction, for carrying and drawing a razor on Lester Butler, at the picnic at Big Woods Wednesday. He also gave two others the same sentence Thursday for the same offense.

JUST A SAMPLE

The NEWS gives here just a *sample* of the solid (?) and convincing (?) arguments used by the Barroll organ, as its readers will recall that its editor gave notice that he would not deal in personalities nor indulge in sarcasm! The article is as follows:

"The Beck organ last Saturday contained a great long editorial about the necessity for Christian men to mingle in politics for the purpose of improving political conditions. In another column appeared the picture of Mr. Robert Lewis their candidate for the Legislature, and with it appeared a ringing endorsement from the editors of the Kent News, stamping Mr. Lewis as the kind of a man to send to the Legislature. The week before that the Rock Hall correspondent of the Kent News stated that an oyster scald had been held in Skinner's Neck on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mr. Robert Lewis, candidate for the Legislature. We have it from unquestioned authority that there were 16 gallons of beer and 1 gallon of whiskey at that "oyster scald" and that about 25 or 30 people were present, with the recognized leader in the Fifth District as the manager of the affair. Now we respectfully submit that it is high time the people of this county were being told of the deception that is being practiced upon them. We venture to say that when the representatives of the Anti Saloon League come to Kent, that every candidate on the Organization ticket for the next Legislature, from the Senator down, will promise to support the local option measure. They did so two years ago, and yet the Kent News never opened its mouth about such "oyster scalds" being given in honor of their candidate for the Legislature, but to cover up such political methods, it advises Christian men to get into politics."

In the first place the Barroll organ charges the NEWS with never opening its mouth about such "oyster scalds" and in the sentence above answers this very charge by stating that an account of this very "scald" was given in the NEWS by one who knew what he was talking about. Such consistency!

Second, the Barroll organ says, "We have it from unquestioned authority." It is said that what Walter *doesn't* know about the fifth would fill more than one book, and he is no doubt the *unquestioned* authority. Mr. Barroll says the *recognized leader* in the Fifth District is his candidate for clerk so that *according to the Barroll organ he must have been present!*

Finally to prove the injustice, to say nothing of the truthfulness of the above article, Mr. Robert Lewis, that fine, manly young Democrat of the Fifth District, *was not even present on this occasion, nor did he furnish any rum nor beer.* He is a busy man and could not be present, but in order to show his interest in his friends, he gave them the oysters for a scald and is innocent of any 16 gallons of beer or of whiskey being furnished, if such was the case.

There is just as much reason for the Barroll organ to hold Mr. Barroll to account for every drop of liquor or beer drank on his shore, near town; or to hold a church or Sunday school responsible for every drink of liquor taken on an excursion or a picnic given under their auspices. It is simply after all, a *sample argument* used by the Barroll organ to prejudice the temperance voters against Mr. Lewis and the NEWS at this early stage nips the scheme in the bud.

The temperance forces in Kent know whom to trust without advice from Mr. Barroll's organ.

THE State Tax Commission Wednesday appointed State Senator Edward M. Hammond as its attorney at a salary of $2 000 a year, the appointment to take effect at once. The Commission also appointed J. Frank Connelly as supervisor of assessment for Kent county, in place of Harry J. McWhorter, deceased.

THE NEWS, Republican, of Baltimore, seems to be intensely worried over the chances of Lee's success! It says this issue of City versus Counties is an outrage. If it is, it is up to the city to stop it. It was the city who started it. Preston demanded more than the counties could give and because Harrington refused, he and his crowd went for Lee, who no doubt *promised* anything. The counties, however, will see that they are not to be traded in any such way.

THE large audience to hear Dr. Kelley and Dr. Davis in Chestertown was quite a compliment to these gentlemen and an evidence that the people are alive to the need of Sabbath observerance. The complimentary remarks as to the record made by J. Henry Baker, Esq., a member of the police board, were heartily encored, while the statement that Wm. W. Beck, Esq, stood up and fought for the Sunday law brought a feeling of pride to his fellow citizens. These men are doing a great work in their tour of the state and results are being seen on all sides.

New cement walks will be laid soon about the Pearce fountian, near H. E. Perkins, near Wm. H. Lambert's home and in front of the Hubbard houses on Water street.

A FIRE yesterday in Cheetertown destroyed the frame work over Barnett's brick kiln.

MISREPRESENTATION

Rock Hall, Kent County.

MESSRS. EDITORS:

I saw in last week's Transcript in regards to Mr. Lewis being at oyster scald is absolutely false, and about beer and whiskey is also false. We have had these outings once every month before Mr. Lewis was a candidate. There were anti-organization as well as organization voters present.

The next time that paper publishes anything let them get better authority.

FRANK J. KEISER.
2nd Precinct 5th Elec. District.

Chestertown, Md., June 5, 1915.

MESSRS. EDITORS:

If there is any man worthy of an office which is in the hands of the county democracy to bestow, that man is Mr. Chas. L. Dodd. He is pre-eminently a *people's* man. He is a democrat of the purest type, and while arrayed on the side of the old line democracy, there isn't a citizen of this county, white or black, who would fail to receive at his hands all the courtesy, consideration and assistance that are in his power to give. Mr. Dodd, too, is a capable man. No candidate now before the voters of Kent is better qualified to fill the office to which he is aspiring than Mr. Dodd. No man has a better conception of the political, financial and business aspects of county affairs than he. No man has given more of his time and energy to the success of the democratic party in county or State than he, and no man has demanded less in way of remuneration.

Then, too, Mr. Dodd is not a lawyer—a fact which should deify him in the eyes of the people, according to the Barroll organ, and make him more than acceptable as an official.

As Clerk he would make an ideal officer. Polite, genial, courteous, alert, capable, the office could not demand a higher type, and I, for one, believe it will see him executing the duties of that responsible position as soon as the votes of the democracy of Kent can put him in possession of it.

DEMOCRAT.

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
PROPERTY IN MELITOTA
Kent County, Maryland.

UNDER and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Alexander B. Nichols, colored, to Lewin W. Wickes, Trustee, bearing date the 25th of September, 1899, duly recorded amoung the Land Records of Kent County, in Liber J. T. D. No. 2, folio 485, the undersigned will offer at public sale in front of the Court House door, on

Saturday, June 26, 1915
AT 12 O'CLOOK NOON,

All That Property In Melitota

Kent County, Maryland, known as the Alexander B. Nichols property, located on the public road leading to Hanesville and having a front age on said road of about 88½ feet and an even depth of about 170 feet, and containing ONE HALF OF AN ACRE OF LAND, more or less, which was conveyed to Alexander B. Nichols by Samuel Comegys, Jr., by deed dated February 11th, 1893, recorded among the Land Records of Kent County in Liber S. G. F. No. 1, folio 330.

The improvements consist of a one-story barber shop store room combined, and a two story FRAME DWELLING.

TERMS OF SALE—One third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, one third in six months from the day of sale and the remainder one-third, in twelve months from the day of sale. All unpaid purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale. Title papers at the cost of the purchaser.

Possession will be given upon ratification of sale.

LEWIN W. WICKES, TRUSTEE.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auctioneer. je5-ts

THE SIXTH LARGE SALE
OF THE SEASON
—OF—
175 HEAD OF STOCK

I will sell at public auction at my stables in Galena, Maryland,

On SATURDAY, JUNE 5th, 1915

beginning promptly at 10.30 A. M., without reserve, rain or shine,

40 HEAD
Horses, Mules and Mares

I have a few large blocky mares weighing from 1,000 to 1,250 lbs. each.

Have also 4 pairs of nice young sound Mules, and Horses of every kind and description. Will not mention any of this stock, but come and look for yourself and be convinced.

Nice Pony, Cart and Harness, quiet for children, 6 yrs. old; best in this county.

50 Head of Cattle

Part of them are good straight Cows, few of them have calves by side, and a few nice Heifers, springers with first calf.

I will tell you as near as I can about both my horses and cattle, and if I misrepresent any of them, bring them back and get your money back. I don't want any person to buy what is no use to him.

One Good Automobile in good running order.

100 Shotes and Pigs
from 20 to 50 lbs.

Three Sets SINGLE HARNESS, few Bridles and Blankets.

Will sell anything and any kind of stock for you on Commission.

Will begin sale promptly at 10.30 A. M. rain or shine.

Will meet all trains at Lambson's Station.

Bring your cash and you will save 20 per cent. by buying here.

TERMS CASH.

S. G. CALDWELL, Owner.

Fifty cents charged on all Horses left over night. my29 ts

One Hundred Thirty-Third
Commencement Exercises
Washington College
CHESTERTOWN, MD.,
JUNE 13-16, 1916.

PROGRAMME

SUNDAY, JUNE 13TH, 10.30 A. M.
*Baccalaureate Service.....William Smith Hall
Address by President Cain.

8.00 P. M.
*Closing exercises Y.M.C.A. William Smith Hall
Sermon by Rev. John I. Yellott, Bel Air, Md.

MONDAY, JUNE 14TH, 3.00 P. M.
Baseball Game, Washington vs. All Stars.....
....Washington Field

8.00 P. M.
Debate for the Samuel Towner Rogers Prize
William Smith Hall.

TUESDAY, JUNE 15TH, 10.00 A. M.
Declamation Contest for the Simpers Medal
William Smith Hall.

8.00 P. M.
Oratorical Contest for the Oates Medals .....
William Smith Hall.

WENDESDAY, JUNE 16TH, 10 30 A. M.
*Commencement.....William Smith Hall
Address to the Graduates by Jasper Yeates Brinton, Esq., Philadelphia, Penna.

1.00 P. M.
Alumni Luncheon..... .....West Hall

3.00 P. M.
Baseball Game.....Washington vs. Alumni
Washington Field.

9.00 P. M.
Commencement Ball.....College Gymnasium

*Academic costume will be worn at these services.

Roses In June

will be no more welcome than a New Summer Suit to the Young Man who is right on time and up-to-date.

Patchpocket Suits $10 to $25

in all the new models, cloths and colors; a lot of new ones in this week at $15, regular $20 grades that we close out from a good maker.

NEW BLUE SERGES
NEW SHEPHERD PLAIDS
NEW TARTAN PLAIDS
NEW PLAIN GREYS
NEW FANCY BLUES

in all sizes for Young Men, 33 to 40 chest; silk lined and ½ lined Suits at $15 and $20, that are just the thing for correct dressers.

New Straw Hats, $1 to $5.
New Low Shoes, $3 to $6.
New Summer Shirts, $1 to $5.
All Sizes. New Styles and Up-to-date Patterns.

Mullin's Big Home Store
6th and Market

SALE of FURNITURE
—AND—
Household Goods

The undersigned intending to remove to Baltimore will sell at my home on High street, near Dodd's Shop, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 8th,
2 O'CLOCK P. M.

Lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture consisting of everything to be found in a well furnished home.

This property must be sold as I will have no further use for it.

MRS. J. LUCY DODD.

FOR SALE.

A GOOD REFRIGERATOR, White Frost, nearly new. Not large enough for the owner's use. Apply to
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Chestertown Water Board

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED PROPOSALS are invited for laying 4,000 feet of water pipe, more or less, in Chestertown. All plans and specifications to be seen at office of Water Board.

Contract no. 1, for laying of pipe only.
Contract no. 2, for furnishing pipe and laying same.

All bids must be in on or before the 15th day of June, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon at the office of the Water Board.

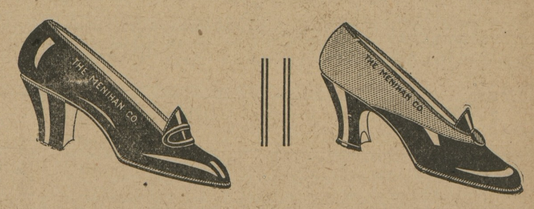
The Water Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Water Board of Chestertown.

R. HYNSON ROGERS Sect'y.

Subscribers! Look at the date on your paper.

We Can Tell You Much
But A Pair Will Show You More



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Chestertown, Maryland

A REALIZATION OF YOUR IDEAL!

A Superb Tract of Land in a Desirable Section In Any Size You Want

THE EXPERIENCE of the past is this: You have been forced to buy more or less land than you needed. And the result: You have been handicapped or burdened. No land owner cared, or could be induced, to sell off a part of his farm. In recent years The Kent County Land Company has offered to the public land in such areas or sizes as the purchasing public wanted. Our success has been achieved mainly upon the principle that we don't, by sharp practice, sell you what you had best be without. THE DECORSE FARM IS GOING TO BE SOLD IN WHOLE OR IN PART. It is located 3½ miles from Chestertown, the county seat, with its Paper Mill, Basket Factory and other industries; its splendid Churches, College, High School, Libraries, Places of Amusement.

The below diagram shows the superior location of this farm. A neighborhood remarkable for its social features. Handy to Chestertown, Fairlee and Tolchester. On new macadam road, a road maintained by the State, in good order in muddy weather as well as in dry season. It affords pleasant and quick travel. No farm in the county possesses better soil. Reference to the soil map as prepared by the Government shows this a loam soil, equaling Kent's best land. It is nearly level. Inspection of the crops now there will convince you as to the extreme kindness and productiveness of the soil.

In a Word, Where Can You Buy Better Land? Again, Where Can You Obtain Similar Land at Such Reasonable Prices as we Quote?

Write to any town around which good land is found and see if you can buy at $60.00 per acre land as well situated. The land we now offer produces the money crops—Wheat, Corn, Grass, Tomatoes. Potatoes. Send some of the soil to the Agricultural Department for analysis. This land produces 8 tons tomatoes per acre, which at $8.00 per ton means $64.00 per acre. Can you invest $60.00 or even $100.00 in bonds or stocks and get $64.00 the first year?

An acre of this land produces 30 bushels of wheat, at $1.50 per bushel, totaling $45.00. Where can you invest $60.00 and get $45.00 the first year and still have your principal?

At the present price of milk, buy 60 acres at $60.00 per acre, making $3,600.00. Add $2,000 for buildings, making you investment $5,600. Keep 12 good cows and see if with yonr other crops you can't easily put $500.00 in the bank and live as well as any other man. Can you invest $5,600 elsewhere and get not only happiness but healthful occupation, a "good living," and add $500.00 to your bank account? In Alfalfa, Potatoes, Fruit, in fact, any crop, this land is wonderfully suited. It is land that pays to own. It is the kind of land which has made the "well-to-do peopie" in every section more than "well-to-do."

Finally, THE KENT COUNTY LAND COMPANY'S POLICY is based upon the principle that we sell to please. We have no dissatisfied customers.

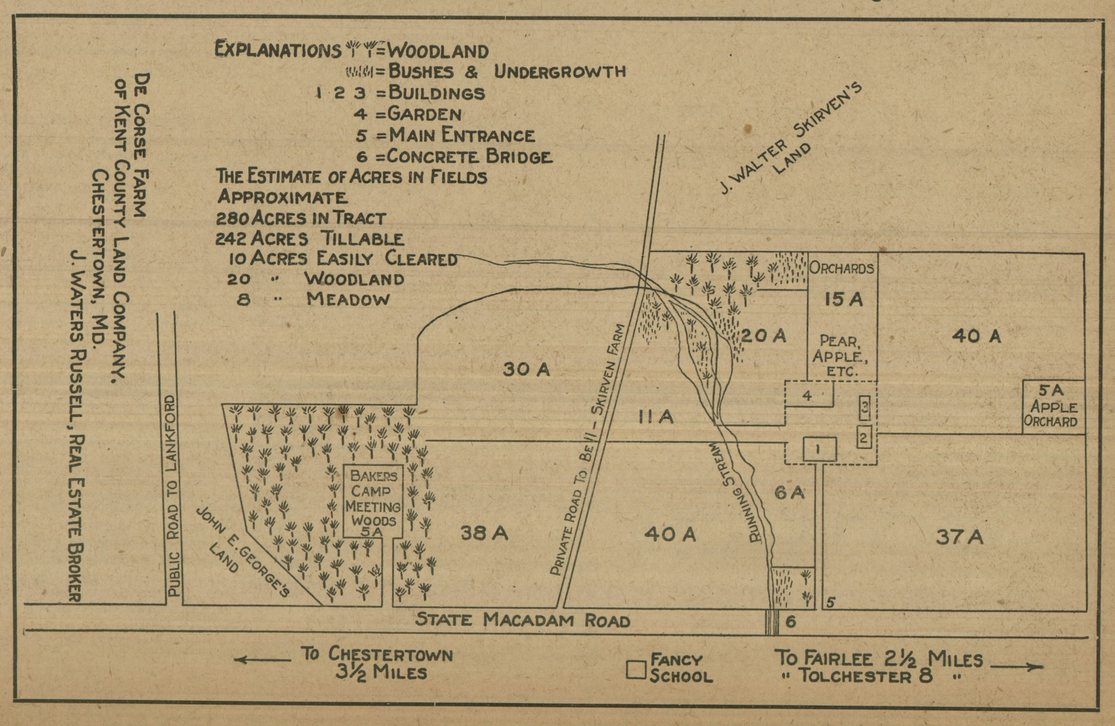
When you invest in land by the acre and at farm land prices, you invest in the great essential of life, and you INVEST, you don't SPECULATE.

We offer any of this land at $75.00 per acre without improvements, in tracts from 10 to 30 acres, to be surveyed and laid down in a manner satisfactory to the Kent County Land Company.

We offer at $58.50 per acre ANY of this land, from 30 to 100 acres, upon the above condition.

This land, or any part of it, will not be for sale after June 5, 1915.

The Kent County Land Company will make terms satisfactory to responsible parties.



J. WATERS RUSSELL, President. THE KENT COUNTY LAND COMPANY

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