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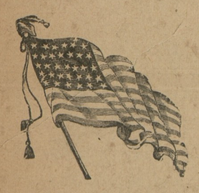

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FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION
ROBERT C. MORGAN,
of Galena.
MORRIS COOPER,
of Worton.
WM. E. DeFORD,
of Piney Neck.

THE woman suffrage league are to hold a rally at Georgetown, this county, making the pilgrimage by boat from Baltimore. They will visit several places located on the water. This cause is making rapid headway.

IT is rumored that H. H. Barroll failing to find some one to oppose Harrison W. Vickers for State's Attorney, will bring his son from Baltimore and try him. Mr. Vickers is personally objectionable to Mr. Barroll all because he would not bow the knee to him when he gave the word.

"THE best ticket the Antis have ever put in the field." This is the expression used by Mr. Hope H. Squirrel in his paper last week. This is what we say: The Antis had no more to do with that ticket than the Sultan of Turkey or the Emperor of Goose. There is not a man on it who was not selected, questioned, investigated and finally admitted to the charmed circle by Mr. Hope H. Squirrel.

MR EMERSON C. HARRINGTON is a Pennsylvania Railroad attorney says the Squirrel paper. How can the farmer get a square deal? Easily enough. By electing him governor in which case he will no longer be employed by the railroad. Shucks; ask us something hard. That was too easy. Then the paper gets at Beck. It says: "Mr. Beck's interest in the Pennsylvania Railroad is perfectly apparent by the fact that he has appealed the decision of the Kent County Commissioners relative to the railroad company's assessment to the State Tax Commission." In plain words Mr. Beck was employed in an honorable way by the railroad as its lawyer. It thought its tax assessment wrong and got its employe, Beck, to appeal, in order to establish the justice of the assessment. Mind, you, this article was directed to the farmers to show that Beck was not their friend. Now let us ask the farmers something. If you hire a farm hand to mow a field ought he to do it or not? Ought he to take your pay and go off and pick blackberries? Just settle it in your own way, gentlemen.

Isn't it queer how a girl will scream and nearly faint when she sees a hairy caterpiller, and will gladly let her beau tickle her nose with his muntache?

KENT COUNTY has the best of everything, even in weather.

THE latest report is that Hope H. Barroll is going to run his son for State's Attorney on his ticket.

E. N. ROLAND, a former well-known citizen of Kent, died in the far South. He was a man of honesty, industry and sobriety. He was a great whistler which indicated his happy disposition and shed sunshine everywhere he went.

WHEW! to think that with all the thousands spent above that spent last year in Kent, charged by the Barroll organ, it only cost two cents per hundred additional in taxes.

THE people are asked if John Walter Smith has ever done anything for the farmers of the state. We did not know that Senator Smith was running for anything. Is he? Please tell us. Also please let the paper that published that question tell us what Blair Lee, the real estate lord, has ever done for the farmers of the state. Oh, but Harrington represents Smith, will be the answer. All right. The whole Kent ticket of the Squirrels, from Lee down to the last nut-biter represents in this county the selfish and arrogant Boss who tries to erect a party of his own. Well then, what has Hope H. Barroll ever done for the farmers except to handle their law affairs and charge them for his services?

A FALSE CLAIM EXPOSED

On a par with the political trick of always being on the other side is the other political trick of pretending, after a man is elected to some high place, that you were with him from the first. There are enough of the "original Wilson man" now to make a big army. The original Wilson man now numbers many thousands and every one of them declares that he was with the president from the first crack out of the box.

It is a matter of history that Barroll was *not* at first the solid Woodrow Wilson man he now claims to have been and under which pretense he has had favors from the President. It is a matter of history that four years ago he was not for Blair Lee for governor but for Arthur P. Gorman, believing that Gorman would win out. And it is as sure as anything can be that he shaped his course this time, believing from Lee's near-success in the primary four years ago and from Lee's later sweep into the United States Senate that Lee was the proper thing for him to tie to for his own success and the consequent growth of his boss-owned faction in Kent county when Lee got so far as to pass around the plate of plums.

But mark this. Blair Lee will not be elected governor of Maryland. Why? Because he will not be the candidate. Emerson C. Harrington will be the man as many events go to show in the gradual unwinding of the campaign. We shall speak of that further on.

It is for this reason that we warn certain voters who may like some man or men on the Squirrsl ticket not to strengthen that faction and make it a power for evil and a tool of chicanery.

It is for this reason that we are denouncing the leaders of that faction for what they are but let no word go out in bitterness for honest voters who may be fooled into thinking of joining its rank and file.

It is for this reason that THE NEWS begs all Democrats of Kent to sift thoroughly and carefully the mass of untruths the Barrollites are printing and the facts they are distorting and the harsh and false statements they are making about the men who are on the Organization ticket. It is for this reason that we are showing up the leader of that faction in his true light as a selfish and designing operator.

Our peep into the future shows that Lee will not, under the best possible auspices for his cause, get anything near the county strength that he had last time. He certainly will not get Baltimore county as he did before and several other counties are sealed against him. In Western Maryland, with Congressman David J. Lewis actively at work against him there will be a different tale this time.

This then is a short synopsis of the situation as it is today and it is our intention to amplify it in the future. What it shows however is that Lee is weakened in nearly every quarter where he was strong four years ago and every indication is that Harrington will get the nomination. In that event the Squirrels will go to the topmost branches of the tall timber and rub their cunning little noses with their paws and say to the boss Squirrel: "Well, you missed your guess again. When are the nuts going to be handed around? We're hungry."

Then the boss Squirrel will not answer right out aloud but he'll do a lot of reflecting. To himself he will say: "I see now that I'm a good claimer but a mighty rank guesser. I wish I had kept still until after the nomination. Then I could have come out as the original Harrington man; like I did with the Woodrow Wilson thing."

ACCORDING to the Squirrel paper one of the candidates of the regular Democratic party in Kent told a friend of his that his party was secretly afraid that it would not elect a nominee. Let's have the name of this candidate. If he said any such thing he is a fool as well as a raitor and no time will be lost in getting him off the ticket. If he did not say it then the man, interest or sheet that put the words in his mouth is telling a lie to influence the voters. Come, tell us the truth or come out as honestly as is in your nature and admit that you told a —— no, do not put it that way—say you made a mistake or that you were misinformed. That's a good wriggle.

THE SQUIRREL FACTION

There is nothing so cocksure as the brag and bluster and predictions of the Squirrel element in this County today; and there is nothing actually so sure in this world as that they will swallow a dose of bitter defeat at the coming primary election. And, right here, let us beg the better element of that faction, when this defeat comes, not to let their pique, disappointment and resentment sway them to neglect the Democratic ticket at the general election that is to follow. That sort of indifference is what defeated Arthur P. Gorman four years ago and gave us a Republican governor.

But if Kent Democrats are urged to be true to the colors under all circumstances how much more is it your duty now to crush out bossism and every movement that might make you and your neighbor weak in your regard for your own great party and careless as to how things go when election day rolls around?

No servant can serve two masters. No man can have two opposing ideals and give equal heart to each. If one of his ideals is to get very rich by any means in his power, and if the other is to put himself before the world as a man of the strictest honesty, one ideal or the other must be shattered. Either he will not make so great a fortune as he wished or he will not be strictly honest.

We believe there are times when factions are justified if they be born to bring about some urgent reform. Nearly all of our own country was once a faction of sovereign England when the mother country put indignities upon us. That faction was right. But Liberty's task was made frightfully hard by sub-factions of Tories in our midst and the noble work of Washington was nearly undone by a faction. Those factions were wrong.

But if a faction may be condoned at times when formed for some patriotic or humane purpose, there is no excuse for the Squirrel Faction of Kent county. The members of it know, and you know and its very leader knows that it has one sole and only aim—that is to give power, prestige and ultimately money, to one man—and that man the Boss, Hope H. Barroll; to make him a great leader in state politics; to make the party organization dicker with him as the controlling force in Kent county, if he can get far with his scheme and get enough of you in the hollow of his hand.

The Squirrel Faction, always on the opposite side of the tree, is always against everything. Its leader is a regular, chronic, consistent opposer. He is like the Irishman who, after a shipwreck, was cast upon an island. The natives ran to him to give him what help they could and his first question was, "Have yez a government here?" The answer was "yes." Then he replied, "Well, begorra, I'm agin it." So with the Squirrels. They're "agin" everything, all the time, and always will be because they are professional objectors and getting on the other side of the tree is the way they get the nuts into their nests in the shape of offices.

That Bad Man, W. W. Beck!

Burglary is one of the most serious crimes from which the state protects its citizens. The presumption always is that a burglar is armed and is willing to commit murder if discovered in his thieving within a citizen's home.

As the burglar is presumed to be a murderer in his intent, so the newspaper that steals a public man's good name has as its intent outrageous lying and shameless suppression of facts to get away with the goods.

The burglar is often better than the newspaper that lives on a campaign of character-smashing, for the burglar, in his one night's work usually only robs one family or commits murder in only one house. But the character-thieving newspaper poisons a whole community in order to drive home with its loot. We are led to these conclusions by the reckless things that have been said about such men as Senator Wm. W. Beck, Delegates Howard Turner and Robert Lewis.

Kent county voters and their families have been told in late days that two of these legislators are responsible for the gallon-a-month law while the other cannot spell Annapolis. The paper which makes the unfounded charge calls it an "iniquitous" law, but whether the Boss wants no liquor or whether a gallon a month is not enough, it does not say.

It is a libel because Messrs. Beck and Turner gave the people of Kent exactly what they wanted. They did not originate the gallon-a-month law; they did not advocate it as as being right nor did they denounce it as being wrong. What they did was to vote for a measure that the people of Kent, and the temperance people at that, decided they wanted at this time. You can not make more out of it.

What is the real truth of the matter? Just this: It was the best thing that the Anti-Saloon League had in mind and there was offered no counter petition. The law was passed at the instance of a large public meeting held in the courthouse in Chestertown and by the request of nearly every county on the Eastern Shore. In two of the counties Talbot and Queen Anne's the grand juries advocated it. It was the voice of the people and Messrs. Beck and Turner hearkened to that voice as they were in duty bound to do.

"Why did they not have the county exempted, as was done for Worcester?" asks the carping critic. The answer is: Simply because these legislators had no word from the people of Kent that they wanted exemption. That's why. They are the servants of the people and carry out *their* wishes and not those of *one man!*

STRAW HATS reduced ½ to ¼ at Vansant & Newsome's. Read their adv. in this issue.

DAD was afraid to stem the current of opposition and put his son in it even if he had to go to Baltimore and get him!

AFTER a long search for a candidate the Squirrel faction has found a man in Baltimore who offers to make the sacrifice and run for State's Attorney.

THE date for the primary election in Maryland is fixed by the chairman of the State Central Committee of each party. It is most certain to be Tuesday, September 14th. My how short the time is before that day!

FRANK HOLT, the Texan, who last Friday night wrecked the reception room of the Senate wing of the United States Capital building, Washington, and on Saturday attempted to assassinate J. P. Morgan at his summer residence at Glen Cove, New York, by shooting him twice committed suicide in the county jail at Mineola, New York on Tuesday by blowing his brains out in his cell in the jail.

LETTER TO THE PUBLIC

Chestertown, Md.,
July 8, 1915.

The Editor of the KENT NEWS,

Dear Sir:—At a recent meeting of the Automobile Club of Kent County, the undersigned were appointed a Committee to voice the judgment of the Club with regard to automobilists who violate the law and endanger life by exceeding the speed limit in town, and who show a selfish disregard of the comfort of others by riding through the town with the cut-out open.

The law is very clear and specific as to both these matters. The speed limit in town is 10 miles an hour, and the open cut out is forbidden within the town limits. Life is not so short, nor time so precious as to make it necessary for any one to exceed the speed limit in riding through town, and the open cut-out is an intolerable nuisance, especially at night.

The Automobile Club of Kent County, through this Committee, puts itself on record before the public as severely condemning these abuses, and as intending to use all its influence to have them discontinued. We believe that this notice of the attitude of the Club will be sufficient to cause all club members to comply strictly with the law in the future; but we think that the Town Commissioners should see that the law is strictly enforced against all offenders, should any one be guilty of violation of it hereafter.

At the meeting of the Club referred to above, another Committee was appointed to appear before the Town Commissioners to invoke their assistance in having these two provisions of the law enforced. We feel confident that the Automobile Club will give its hearty support to the Commissioners in whatever steps they may take to that end.

Trusting that, in the interest of public safety and comfort, you will give this communication the prominence in your news columns that the matter deserves, we are Very respectfully yours

J. H. SIDES,
THOMAS W. PERKINS,
P. M. BROOKS.
Committee of The Automobile Club of Kent County, Maryland.

ALFALFA CURE FOR THE BLUES

Banishes "The Blues" and Aids Digestion, Chicago Physician Says.

Members of the American Institute of Homeopathy concluded their annual convention at Chicago last Friday and adjourned. In the closing hours of the convention, Dr. Frank Cranen, of Chicago, attacked the serum treatment of rheumatism and scored certain manufacturers who he said practically force their remedies on the profession by advertising and publishing a free testimonial, in that manner bringing sufferers to a point of belief where they demand the alleged cure regardless of the advice of their physician.

"Rheumatism is widely variable," said Dr. Branen. "Its cause is not uniform, Consequently it is not possible to obtain uniform results from any one anti-toxin. The treatment furthermore, is not devoid of danger."

Alfalfa as a remedy for indigestion and mental depression was recommended by Dr. Alexander L. Blackwood, of Chicago. He told of experiments made with the new remedy at a Chicago hospital.

"During the past year observations were made of the action of alfalfa on 17 persons," he said: "All of them noted that they grew so hungry that they could scarcely wait for their meals. Their minds were clear and bright, all bodily functions were stimulated and it was impossible to have the blues."

GRANGE NOTES.

The Kent County Pomona Grange will meet at Galena August 5th, commencing at 10 a. m. sharp. Dinner at 12 noon. Lectures program at 2 p. m.

Opening exercises, Lecture Conference conducted by State Lecturer Rauben Brigham.

Address, Farmers Place in National Prosperity by Senator H. M. McCullough, of Elkton.

Music.

Original Poem contest, each Grange in the county furnishing one poem and the one receiving the greatest number of votes will receive the prize.

Solo, Miss Lieberman.

Social and Intellectual Opportunity of Farmer, Hon. H. C. Willis, of Fairlee.

Music, Miss Bessie Newton, of Chestertown.

The Farmers' Best Crop the Children, by Mr. Joseph McVey, superintendent of Public School of Elkton.

Declamation.

Up-to-date Method in Farming, to be supplied by M. A. C.

Supper.

Followed by toasts by the Master of Pomona Grange and Masters of subordinate Granges.

Evening Session at 7 p. m.

Mr. Wolcott, of M. A. C., will talk on Dairying and Marketing Milk.

Music

State Demonstrator, Miss Pritchard, will give a talk.

Closing exercises.

MRS M. E. COREY, Lecturer

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SKIFF ALVA, 21 ft. long, 6½ ft. wide, complete with engine, in good condition, will take note or good horse.
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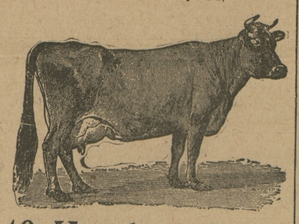

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at Chestertown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business June 23rd, 1915.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$209,637 09
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		107 12
Furniture and fixtures		1200 00
Checks and other cash items		85 74
Due from approved reserve agents		9,704 98
Lawful money reserve in bank		14,073 06
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	$12,844 00	
Gold Coin	165 00	
Silver Coin	818 75	
Nickels and Cents	245 31	
Total		$234,809 99

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$25,000 00
Surplus Fund		7,500 00
Undivided profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid		3,613 00
Deposits (Demand)		49,445 03
Deposits subject to check	$49,423 03	
Certified Checks	22 00	
Deposits (time)		134,251 96
Savings and Specials	$131,746 96	
Certificates of Deposits	2,505 00	
Bills Payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed		15,000 00
Total		$234,809 99

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss.
I, A. PARKS RASIN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
A. PARKS RASIN, CASHIER.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1915.
WILLIAM A. BURK, N. P.
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WILLIAM M. SLAY,
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10 qt. Tin Flaring Pails 15c value, Sale Price	10c
10 qt. Galvanized Buckets 25c, value, Sale Price	18c
12 qt. " " 30c, " " "	22c
14 qt. " " 35c " " "	27c
3 5c boxes Matches, 15c value, Sale Price	10c
Sculls Eastenda Coffee 30c value, sale Price	24c
7 Cakes Ivory Soap 35c value, Sale Price	29c
7 Cakes Clean Easy Soap 35c value, Sale Price	29c
3 Bottles Ammonia 15c value, Sale Price	11c

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$2.00 JAVA HATS	$1.25
$2.25 JAVA HATS	$1.50
$2 50 JAVA HATS	$1 65
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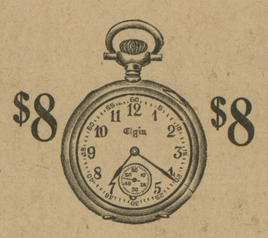

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