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In 1913 at the Baltimore convention there was written into the platform of the Democratic party a plank pledging our party to the enactment of a law that would restore to the oystermen every foot of natural bed or bar that had been taken from them by the wrongful surveys of the Shellfish Commission. During the campaign United States Senator Blair Lee and Emerson C. Harrington were on the ticket running for the offices they now hold, and were as such obligated to fulfill their party pledges, and in every tidewater county these pledges were renewed on the stump by these gentlemen. They were both elected. Then what happens? Emerson C. Harrington goes down to Annapolis and, to carry out this pledge, makes one of the greatest fights for the oystermen that our history has ever recorded, with odds against him that would have crushed a man less bold and less determined than he. He, the selected leader of the oystermen, by a unanimous vote of the Delegates and Senators of the tidewater counties, achieved a victory that even his opponents were compelled to applaud. But where was Senator Blair Lee in this fight? There is no man that can say that he came even once to Annapolis to aid in this fight he had pledged by his platform and by his speeches to make for our oyster people; and on every single vote the entire delegation of four members voted against the oystermen except "Cy" Cummings, who in the preliminary votes voted for the Sheppard bill, but, to his shame and disgrace, "dodged" the vote on the bill on its final passage when every vote was needed. This desertion was not unintentional or by reason of sickness, because he told some of those who were making the fight that he could not stay with them on this final and decisive vote, which meant the passage or defeat of the Sheppard bill.

DEMOCRATS: President Woodrow Wilson's term expires on March 4, 1917, and Senator Blair Lee's term ends on March 4, 1917. Senator Lee was elected upon the pledge to stand by President Wilson in the Senate at Washington, Every Democrat should make Senator Lee keep this pledge. A vote for Harrington, McMullen and Ritchie will do this.

THE FARMER'S FRIEND

Much has been said, and truthfully, of Hon. Emerson C. Harrington's friendship for the Oystermen of the Eastern Shore, as demonstrated by his fearless fight for their interests during all the years of his public career. And a glance at his public record shows him to have been likewise the champion of the farmers and their interests. The agriculturists of Kent County and of Maryland have no more sturdy advocate than Mr. Harrington.

Recognizing the burdens of taxation which fall upon the farm lands of our State, Mr. Harrington very appropriately urged upon the last legislature of Maryland the necessity for strict economy in the matter of State appropriations and the expenditure of public funds, with a view to decreasing the general tax rate and relieving the burden of taxation which falls so heavily upon the farmers of our State.

Aside from his efforts to relieve the farmer of the burden of taxation, Mr. Harrington was the untiring champion of every measure which had a tendency to improve agricultural conditions in Maryland.

Emerson C. Harrington is a product of the farm, and he understands the needs of those sturdy toilers who reap their livelihood from tilling the soil. Apart from his splendid record on all matters of interest to the Maryland farmers, it should be the pleasure of every Democratic farmer in the State to help elevate to the honorable office of Governor, a poor farmer boy who has made good in every public undertaking.

MILLINGTON

Miss Pollitt, of Dover, Del., spent a couple of days this week with Mrs. R. J. Taylor.

Mr. Corydon Gouman, of Mt. Airy, Md., was the guest last week of Mr. William Jacobs.

Mr. Hansen Horsey, of Galena, visited his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lockerman, this week.

Quite a few from here attended the Chautauqua, at Chestertown last week.

Mrs. W. O. Selby and two sons, Messers. Vernon and Owen, returned last Tuesday to their home in Rock Hall, after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Merritt Brice.

Mrs. Annie Benton, widow of the late Wilmer E. Benton, and Mr. George Barnes, brother of Mr. John Barnes, of near town, were quietly married last Monday night at the bride's home near town, by Rev. G. P. Smith.

Mrs B. W. Duling, who went to the Church Home, Baltimore, about six weeks ago last Sunday, for special treatment, returned home last Sunday.

Miss Clara Bryan spent last week with friends in Chestertown.

Mrs. Maria Bamburger, who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Annie Benton, near town, for the past eighteen months, moved on Wednesday of last week, into the South side of F. C. Numbers' double dwelling on North Crane street

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Conditions have been such that I have not been able to see and interview everybody as yet, and would appreciate a line from any who are interested.

Having gone to much expense and trouble in the compilation of data on Kent and its people, I feel justified in saying that those of import in Kent's past, present and future, should feel an interest in a work of this kind.

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