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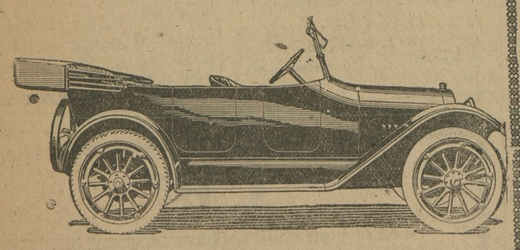

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VICTORINE POWER,

late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of April, 1923, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of deceased's estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under our hands this 24th day of October, 1922.

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ANNIE POWER,
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HENRY J. GRAY,

late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of April, 1923, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

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Two Contests In State And Four In City Scheduled For Next Year—Measures Are Explained--Governor, Comptroller And Attorney-General To Be Chosen For Three-Year Terms.

No immediate result will be affected by the quadrennial elections amendment to the State Constitution, which was adopted by the voters last Tuesday. In the State-at-large there will be two elections next year—the primary contest in September and the regular election in November. Baltimore city will have two more—the municipal primary in April and the municipal election in May.

Philip B. Perlman, Secretary of State, who drafted the quadrennial elections amendment and the one authorizing women to hold constitutional offices, as well as those created by the Legislature, explained both measures yesterday.

No Change In 1923.

"There will be no change in 1923," said Mr. Perlman, "except that the Governor, Attorney-General and Comptroller, who must be chosen next fall, all will be elected for terms of three years, instead of for four-year and two-year terms, as heretofore. This is to arrange the system so that their successors will be elected at the Congressional election of 1926.

"In 1926 the plan will have been developed so that all State and County officers, except judges of the circuit courts, the Supreme Bench of Baltimore city and the Court of Appeals, will be elected for uniform terms of four years. The term of none of these judges is affected by the amendment and the only way it may touch them is under appointments by the Governor. As all judges are elected for terms of 15 years, it always has been necessary for the Governor to appoint appoint a judge to fill the year intervening between the expriation of the term and the next general election. Hereafter the Governor still will make the appointments, but because general elections, at which members of the Legislature are chosen, will be held only once in four years, there may be times when the appointment may be for a period of upward of four years.

To Serve Three Years.

"State Senators and members of the House of Delegates who are elected next fall will be chosen for a term of three years. The General Assembly will meet as usual in January, 1924, but will not meet again until January, 1927. The Governor to be elected next fall must prepare and submit to the Legislature three budgets for the three fiscal years which will intervene before another meeting of that body. The Ligislature will, of course, fix the State tax rate for three years.

"All county officers whose terms have been two or four years will be elected next fall for three-year terms in conformity with the general plan. Beginning in 1926 Sheriff who have had two-year terms, Co. Commissioners in many counties, County Surveyors and probably most County Treasurers will be elected for four-year terms.

County Officers Six Years.

"Registers of Wills and Clerks of Courts and other county officials, to be elected in 1923 for terms which have been six years, will hold for three years. Those elected in 1923 and thereafter will serve for four years.

"Terms of all State and county officers already elected and those whose successors, under the old law, would not be elected until November, 1925, are increased one year by the adoption of the amendment, so that their successors may be elected in 1926. All six-year terms of those elected in 1919 and all four-year terms of those elected in 1921 are extended to 1926. This will apply to State Senators elected last year and Clerks of Courts and Registers of Wills elected in 1919.

Terms To Be Unchanged.

"Those county officials whose successors would have been elected in 1927 will find their terms unchanged. Their successors will be elected in 1926, but will not take office until a year after their election—and will hold for three years, that is, until 1930, when the four-year terms will begin.

"Under this amendment and the one providing for the State Comptroller and State Treasurer, the Treasurer to be chosen by the Legislature of 1924, will serve three years. After that the term will be four years.

Also Affects Appointees.

"The Quadrennial Elections amendment also affects officials who serve by appointment. Those who are to be appointed by the Governor in 1924 for terms which have been two years will hold for three years. The reason for this is that a number of these appointments must be confirmed by the Senate and the Senate will not meet in 1926. Officials who heretofore have been appointed for four years will be appointed for three years and those for terms which have been six years will be reduced to five years. After that the terms will be two, four and six years as before, but beginning on the odd year. In 1927 and thereafter the General Assembly will meet every two years on the odd year.

"This applies to county appointive officers as well, who have been appointed for specified terms. All officials appointed by County Commissioners, for instance, after the 1923 election, whether the term be two, four or six years, shall hold office for three years, and after that all appointments shall be made uniformly for four years. All State and county officials appointed for terms which expire in 1925 to 1928, inclusive, are cut one year, and their successors are to be appointed for regular terms in 1924 to 1927, inclusive."

Women's Amendment Explained.

In regard to the "women's amendment," Mr. Perlman said:

"It was designed to remove doubt rather than anything else. No one knows just what offices the Court of Appeals might declare Constitutional offices. For instance, the State Libarian is an officer designed by the Constitution, and the masculine pronoun is used in connection with it—the Constitution saying the Librarian shall hold 'his' office. Lloyd Lowndes set the example of appointing a woman and all Governors since his time have followed it. The Court of Appeals does not decline to receive books from the woman and that extent tactly admits the legality of her appointment, which has in every case been confirmed by the Senate."

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