

# SPECIAL Town Election

## FOR CHESTERTOWN, MD. MONDAY, MAY 27TH, 1929

For the purpose of voting on two bond issues, one for \$50,000 to pay off the existing indebtedness and to improve the streets of the town, and the other for \$25,000 for the purpose of erecting a Disposal Plant to carry away the sewage matter.

The taxpayer will have the privilege to vote for or against these measures.

Voting Place is at the Court House. Time of Voting is 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The following are the two Bills to be voted on:

CHAPTER NO. 203  
AN ACT to provide for the construction of curbs, gutters, roadways, sewers and sidewalks in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, and to liquidate previous debt, and to issue bonds to pay for the same, the cost of two feet of the sidewalk to be paid by the town, the balance of the cost to be paid by the adjacent property owners, and to levy an annual tax for the payment of such bonds, and the interest thereon, and submitting same to the qualified voters of Chestertown for their approval or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Commissioners of Chestertown, be and are hereby authorized and empowered to issue Bonds in the name of the Commissioners of Chestertown, to an amount not exceeding \$50,000, in sums not less than \$1,000, to be signed by the Commissioners of Chestertown under the corporate seal of the said Commissioners, to be designated as "Chestertown Curb and Gutter, Roadway, Pavement, Sewer, Liquidation of Debt Bonds," and sell same to the highest bidder, provided no bid less than par shall be accepted therefor, which bonds shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and the first day of January in each year, which bonds shall be exempted from all county and municipal taxation in Kent County, and the due or overdue coupons for interest shall be received by the Commissioners of Chestertown in payment of town taxes. Two of said bonds shall be payable on January 1st, 1932, and two of said bonds payable each year thereafter until fully paid. Said bonds to be numbered consecutively and to be redeemed in the order in which they are numbered.

Section 2. And be it enacted, That the said Commissioners of Chestertown are authorized and directed to advertise at least once a week for four successive weeks in three newspapers published in Kent County and one newspaper published in the City of Baltimore for sealed proposals for negotiation of said bonds and each bid to be accompanied by certified check for five per cent. of amount of each bid and on a certain day to be named in said advertisement said Commissioners of Chestertown shall in the presence of such persons as may be interested in said bid, open all bids received and award the bonds to the highest bidder; provided no bid less than par shall be accepted and reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Section 3. And be it enacted, That the Town Commissioners of Chestertown, Kent County, shall in each and every year levy upon the assessable property in Chestertown such sums of money as may be necessary to pay the interest on said bonds as said interest shall become due, and also to levy such sums in addition as may be necessary for the purpose, shall be used and applied as follows:

Previous debt to be liquidated \$12,000.

HIGH STREET  
Curb and Gutter

North side—Court Street to Cross Street.

South side—College Avenue to Railroad.

South side—College Avenue to Railroad.

Pavement

North side—Court Street to Cross Street.

South side—College Avenue to Railroad.

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Sewer

8 Inch Terra Cotta Sewer from Railroad to Brooks' Mill.

CANNON STREET  
Curb and Gutter

South side—Queen Street to College Avenue.

North side—Cross Street to College Avenue.

Pavement

South side—Queen Street to Mill Street.

South side—Queen Street to College Avenue.

MAPLE AVENUE  
Curb and Gutter

North side—Queen Street to Spring Street.

South side—Queen Street to Spring Street.

Pavement

8 Inch Terra Cotta Sewer from Maple Avenue to High Street.

QUEEN STREET  
Pavement

North side—High Street to Cannon Street.

CROSS STREET  
Roadway

30 Feet Wide—Maple Avenue to High Street.

SPRING STREET  
Curb and Gutter

North side—High Street to Maple Avenue.

South side—High Street to Maple Avenue.

Pavement

North side—High Street to Maple Avenue.

Roadway

Two five feet shoulders.

MILL STREET  
IX

Curb and Gutter

North side—Cannon Street to East End.

South side—Cannon Street to East End.

KENT STREET  
X

Curb and Gutter

North side—Cannon Street to High Street.

South side—Cannon Street to High Street.

South side—Cannon Street to High Street.

Pavement

North side—Cannon Street to High Street.

South side—Cannon Street to High Street.

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COLLEGE AVENUE  
XI

Curb and Gutter

North side—High Street to Prospect Street.

South side—High Street to Cannon Street.

South side—Calvert Street to Prospect Street.

WASHINGTON AVENUE  
XII

Curb and Gutter

East side—Spring Street to End of Concrete Roadway.

West side—Spring Street to End of Concrete Roadway.

Pavement

West side—Spring Street to Campus Avenue.

MT. VERNON STREET  
XIII

Pavement

East side—Kent Street to Campus Avenue.

West side—Kent Street to Campus Avenue.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That at a special election to be held the 27th day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, it shall be submitted to the qualified voters of Chestertown the question whether bonds shall be issued for "Chestertown Curb and Gutter, Roadway, Pavement, Sewer, Liquidation of Debt Bonds," and at such election the ballots cast upon that question shall have the words "For Chestertown Curb and Gutter, Roadway, Pavement, Sewer, Liquidation of Debt Bonds," or "Against Chestertown Curb and Gutter, Roadway, Pavement, Sewer, Liquidation of Debt Bonds," thereon, and if the majority of the votes cast upon said question shall be "For Chestertown Curb and Gutter, Roadway, Pavement, Sewer, Liquidation of Debt Bonds," then this Act shall be of no effect.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 223

AN ACT to provide for the construction of a Sewage Disposal Plant with intake and outlet sewers, and necessary mechanical equipment in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, and to issue bonds to pay for the same and to levy an annual tax for payment of such bonds and the interest thereon, and submitting same to the qualified voters of Chestertown for their approval or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Commissioners of Chestertown, be and are hereby authorized and empowered to issue Bonds in the name of the Commissioners of Chestertown, to an amount not exceeding \$25,000, in sums not less than \$1,000, to be signed by the Commissioners of Chestertown, under the corporate seal of said Commissioners, to be designated as "Chestertown Sewage Disposal Plant Bonds," and sell same to the highest bidder; provided no bid less than par shall be accepted therefor, which bonds shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and the first day of January in each year, which bonds shall be exempted from all county and municipal taxation in Kent County, and the due or overdue coupons for interest shall be received by the Commissioners of Chestertown in payment of town taxes. One of said bonds shall be payable January 1st, 1932, and one of said bonds shall be payable each year thereafter until fully paid. Said bonds to be numbered consecutively and to be redeemed in the order in which they are numbered.

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Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That the proceeds of the sale of said bonds or as much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose, shall be used and applied for the construction of a Sewage Disposal Plant with intake and outlet sewers and necessary mechanical equipment in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland; and the Town Commissioners of Chestertown shall have power to acquire by purchase and or condemnation a site for said Sewage Disposal Plant and such land or right or rights of way as shall be necessary to connect the said plant

with the sewers of said town.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That at a special election to be held the 27th day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, it shall be submitted to the qualified voters of Chestertown the question whether bonds shall be issued for the "Chestertown Sewage Disposal Plant," and at that election, the ballots cast upon that question shall have the words "For Chestertown Sewage Disposal Plant Bonds," or "Against Chestertown Sewage Disposal Plant Bonds," thereon, and if the majority of the votes cast upon said question shall be "For Chestertown Sewage Disposal Plant Bonds," then this Act shall be of no effect.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the day of its passage.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affixed the seal of the said Court of Appeals.

(The Great Seal of Maryland.)  
ALBERT C. RITCHIE,  
Governor.

E. BROOKE LEE,  
Speaker of the House of Delegates.  
DAVID G. MCINTOSH, JR.,  
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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

E. SCOTT TOMPSON,  
President of the Senate.

J. W. Crouch, Clerk.

## Public Local Laws Passed by the last Legislature of Maryland.

CHAPTER 146

AN ACT to repeal and reenact, with Amendments, Section 222 of Article 15 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Kent County," subtitle "County Treasurer," as said section was amended by Chapter 682 of the Acts of 1927, providing for a deputy treasurer and fixing his compensation.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 222 of Article 15 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Kent County," subtitle "County Treasurer," as said section was amended by Chapter 682 of the Acts of 1927, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

222. At the general election of delegates to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1928, and every four years thereafter, there shall be elected a County Treasurer for Kent County by the qualified voters of said county, who shall hold his office for the term of four years from the first day of June following, and until a successor is elected and qualified to take office, and shall be subject at all times to be removed for wilful neglect of duty or misdemeanor in office, upon conviction in a Court of Law he shall not be eligible to re-elect, and for this purpose of one full term, and in no event until he shall have fully settled up all business connected with his former term. It shall be the duty of said County Treasurer to collect the state and county taxes levied in Kent County, and said Treasurer shall have the power and authority to assess all new or unassessed property in said county, and for this purpose he is clothed with all the powers possessed by collectors of the taxes under the provisions of the Code of Public General Laws, and said Treasurer may appoint a deputy treasurer, who shall receive an annual salary of not more than one thousand (\$1,000) dollars to be paid by the County Commissioners of Kent County, who shall be authorized to act in his place, for whose acts he shall be responsible and said Treasurer may also appoint one or more clerks, who shall be appointed and act in his place, for whose acts he shall be responsible and to whom he may pay such compensation as he may deem proper, to be deducted from his salary and said Treasurer shall receive an annual salary of not more than one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, for the fees for selling the property of delinquents, as hereinafter provided, as are allowed collectors of taxes under the provisions of the Code of Public General Laws, and the further sum of twenty-five cents for each person's property assessed by him, and five cents for each dog or bitch returned to the County Commissioners and by them ordered to be entered on the assessment books of the county; but does in the incorporated towns which impose a tax thereon shall not be assessed by the County Commissioners; said Treasurer shall, before entering upon his duties of his office, execute to the State of Maryland, two bonds, with sureties to be approved by the County Commissioners, one for fifty thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful collection and payment to the State Treasurer of all State taxes levied and placed in his hands for collection and the faithful payment of all taxes levied and placed in his hands, and another bond for twenty-five thousand dollars, conditioned for the proper collection and payment of all taxes levied and placed in his hands for collection in Kent County, and the faithful performance of all other duties devolving upon him;

## HOW COLOR CAN SAVE SPACE IN BUILDINGS.

Saving of hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of space was cited as one of the results of the increasing use of color in building.

Henry S. Churchill, prominent New York architect, explained how this was effected. Scarcely realized by the public, or even by the owners of the buildings, the saving has been brought about by architects employing decorative color in their exteriors and similar modern materials, instead of shadow effects obtained by depressions and projections in the walls.

The beauty of a building, Mr. Churchill points out, is largely dependent upon the lines expressing its individuality. In the past this expression was achieved by the use of shadows, formed either by projections or depressions. Deep depressions in the walls, sufficient to form strong enough shadows to emphasize the proportions of the building, require the sacrifice of valuable space. On the other hand, color offers the architect the opportunity to bring out whatever lines he desires without this difficulty.

Sometimes color is combined with a shadow effect by a shallow depression, emphasizing the shadow as if it were much deeper.

## How Ether Waves Add to Velocity of Sound

Sound travels through the air at the rate of one mile in five seconds. Ether waves have a velocity a million times greater!

Big Ben can be heard to strike four miles from Westminster. Owing to the difference between the speed of ether waves and sound, the bells of London it may be heard to strike 22 times when the 11 a. m. time signal is being broadcast from Mancey—through a loud-speaker and through the air. There is an interval of four and one-half seconds between each stroke of Big Ben.

At one mile, the first two strokes by wireless would be heard before the first by sound waves, and after the last unless two would arrive through the air. At four miles, five would be heard by wireless before the first by sound waves, and the last by wireless would be followed by five carried by air waves.—London Times.

## How Barnacles Are Fought

By the use of a newly discovered paint it is expected that the bulk of clinging barnacles will be kept from clogging barnacles. The hulls of steamships are said to cost shipping firms \$100,000,000 annually.

A government commission after four years' study, found that the dark red paint used on most ships was the principal thing that attracted the barnacles. They would not collect on light-colored surfaces, but most light paints have a tendency to become dark in sea water. The new paint is said to be of the exact light shade to make a barnacle turn away in disgust.

## How Magnetic Needle Acts.

On the northern hemisphere side of the magnetic equator, the north-seeking end of the magnetic needle dips downward below the horizontal direction by increasing amounts with increasing north latitudes until it assumes a vertical position at the pole. On the southern hemisphere side of the magnetic equator the south-seeking end of the needle dips downward below the horizontal in increasing amounts with increasing south latitudes until the needle assumes a vertical direction when the magnetic South pole is reached.

## How to Mix Good Putty

A durable putty for nail holes and cracks in hardwood which is to be varnished is made by mixing a little dry white lead with high-grade linseed oil and whitening putty and adding a small amount of Japan drier to make a stiff paste. This can be tinted with burnt sienna to match mahogany, van-dyke brown to give walnut shades, and raw sienna for oak and other light woods. Either colors ground in oil or colors mixed with turpentine and turpentine, may be used for tinting the putty.

## How Sleet Hurts Wires

Damage done to telephone wires by ice and sleet runs into millions of dollars. At times sleet or ice forms on the wires to a weight of five pounds to the foot, and a mile of wire is bearing an enormous burden. It is not strange that so many wires break under the strain.

Said bonds to be filed and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county.

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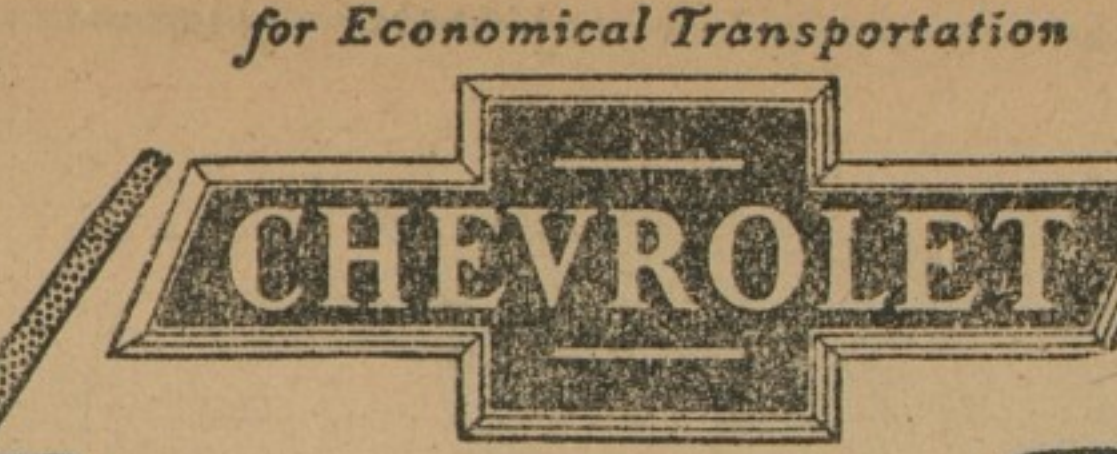
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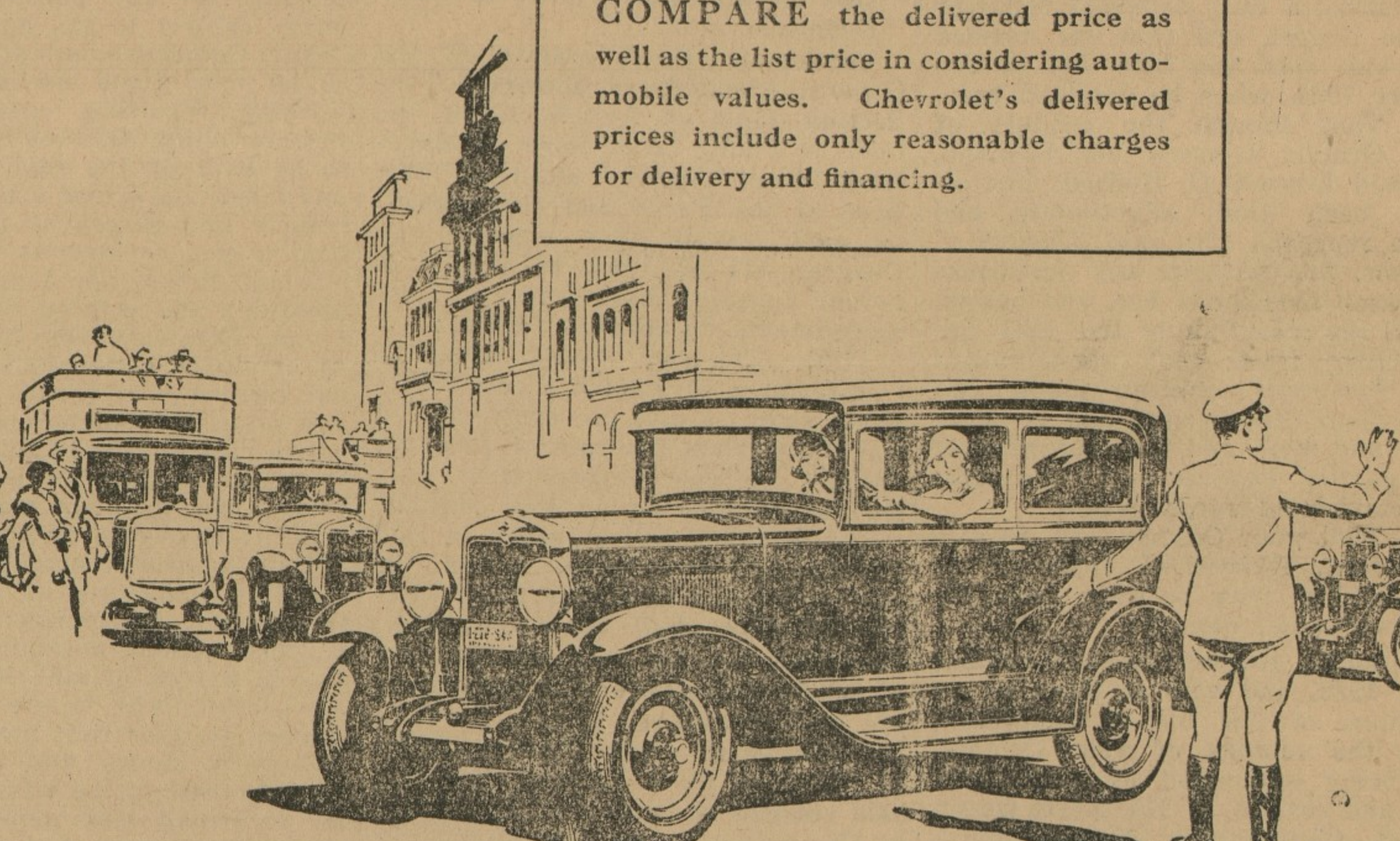
## Value for Value Price for Price!

If you are considering the purchase of an automobile, you owe it to yourself to learn the true extent of Chevrolet's value leadership. And all you need to do is check the new Chevrolet Six against any other car—value for value and price for price!

Here, in the price range of the four, is offered a smooth, powerful, six-cylinder valve-in-head motor—which delivers better than 20 miles to the gallon of gasoline—and whose smooth, quiet, velvety operation, with its complete lack of drumming and vibration, is a revelation—even to those who are accustomed to driving high-priced automobiles. Here are beautiful bodies by Fisher. Here, in all closed models, are fittings by Ternstedt... rich, deep-tufted upholstery... adjustable driver's seat... and a completely-equipped instrument panel. And throughout the entire chassis are found numerous examples of advanced engineering—such as quiet, non-locking 4-wheel brakes... ball bearing steering mechanism... automatic acceleration pump... and chromium plating on all bright metal.

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COMPARE the delivered price as well as the list price in considering automobile values. Chevrolet's delivered prices include only reasonable charges for delivery and financing.



Russell Motors Corporation, Chestertown, Md.  
Newsome's Garage, Betterton, Md.

The ROADSTER	\$525
The PHAETON	\$525
The COUPE	\$595
The SEDAN	\$675
The Sport CABRIOLET	\$695
The Convertible LANDAU	\$725
The Sedan Delivery	\$400
The Light Delivery Chassis	\$495
The 1 1/2 Ton Chassis	\$545
The 1 1/2 Ton Chassis with Cab	\$650

All prices f. o. b. factory Flint, Mich.

## CHAPTER NO. 216

AN ACT to add four new sections to Article 15 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, (1888 Edition), title "Kent County," subtitle "Roads," to read as follows:

186A. In addition to any sentence of confinement in the County Jail of Kent County which may be imposed for persons committed to the County Jail in Kent County for failure to pay fines.

186B. The labor provided for in the preceding section shall be performed, if within the corporate limits of an incorporated town, under the supervision and direction of the town commissioners and bailiff of such town, and if on the public roads of Kent County then under the supervision and direction of the County Commissioners or the road superintendent of any district who may be authorized by the County Commissioners to work the same; and the Sheriff of Kent County, upon the demand of any bailiff, superintendent or other persons duly authorized to make such demands, is hereby authorized and re-

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186C. The officer or other person having such prisoner in charge shall have power and authority to compel such labor, and shall be responsible for the safe keep and return to prison of such prisoner to the custody of the sheriff at the end of each day's labor shall be within the discretion of the officer or other person so supervising at the time, but shall not exceed ten hours' work or labor for any day he may be so employed; and any prisoner so sentenced who shall refuse to perform the labor required of him, shall incur the penalty of two days' additional imprisonment for every day he may so refuse, and this provision shall be included in the sentence of the Court of justice by whom the same may be rendered; but no prisoner shall be compelled to perform such labor whose health is not in a condition to allow the same, and the certificate of the physician to the jail or other physician in said county shall be sufficient to excuse such labor.

186D. If any officer or person having such prisoner in charge for the performance of such work or labor, connive at or by his wilful neglect permit the escape of any such prisoner, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon indictment and conviction of such offense in the Circuit Court for Kent County, be fined not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, or be confined to the county jail of the county, and be subject to the same penalty of labor, or both, in the discretion of the Court.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1929.

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