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spondently low.

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gon Harness, Body parts, 11 inch  
Traces, extra leather.  
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\$1.99 buys one 9-piece perfect  
Chamber Set.  
8c buys Enterprise Coffee  
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28c per pound buys June To-  
bacco next Tuesday, July 7th.  
20c per pound buys Job To-  
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## HONORED THEIR HERO.

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future generations. This idea received un-  
qualified approval. The matter was then  
brought before business men generally.  
Mr. Charles Cox Hopper, of Chestertown,  
Captain Columbus A. Leary, of Edes-  
ville, and Colonel William M. Marine,  
of Baltimore, were my first practical  
advisers. Many others seconded their  
valuable suggestions. Subsequently an  
informal meeting was held at the Ches-  
tertown "TRANSCRIPT" newspaper of-  
fice. It was there resolved that this re-  
ligious object should be at once and  
actively put before the whole public.

In order to further this resolution, a  
committee was formed, which edited  
500 pamphlets setting forth the promi-  
nent features of General Reed's character  
and history. A copy of it was mailed to  
everyone who might possibly be inter-  
ested.

From this pamphlet I now give you  
an instructive extract:  
"He was a gallant soldier of the Mary-  
land Line in the Revolutionary War, and  
particularly distinguished himself in the  
attack on Stony Point on the Hudson,  
July 16th, 1779.

"He was prominent in the War of  
1812, and commanded the troops which  
won a signal victory over the enemy  
at Caulk's Field, Kent county, Md., in  
1814.

"He distinguished himself for years as  
a leading spirit in the United States  
Senate and House.

"He was an estimable citizen and church  
member, and acted as vestryman in the  
Parish of I. U. Kent County, Md., for  
a lengthened period.

"An inscription on his wife's tombstone  
in the I. U. graveyard proves him to  
have been a loving husband and father.

"On January 23rd, 1819, he introduced  
a resolution in Congress to build a  
monument to General DeKalb, and thus  
became father to the movement which in  
1886, placed a monument beside the  
State House at Annapolis, Md., in grate-  
ful and historic memory of that dead  
hero.

"But, sad to say, this old hero of Mary-  
land military fame; this conspicuous  
worker in the Legislative halls of our  
country; this admirable citizen, humble  
christian, loving father and husband;  
this good man who erected a grave-stone  
to memorialize the virtues of his wife  
and was the prime mover in building  
a monument to the memory of one of  
Maryland's dead heroes; this man,  
(another dead Maryland hero), whose  
character and history so deservedly de-  
mand memorializing, HAS LAIN IN AN UN-  
MARKED GRAVE FOR OVER SEVENTY  
YEARS.

"There is not, at this time, one living  
near relation to raise a memorial stone  
at his grave. It, therefore, devolves upon  
a grateful people to have one placed  
there.

"While advocating, in the 15th Con-  
gress, the building of a monument to  
the memory of General DeKalb, General  
Reed used the following language: 'It  
has been said that, 'The page of history  
has perpetuated the glory of Washing-  
ton,' but is not a monument a history in  
stone, on which every one may read, not  
only the glory of the man, but also the  
gratitude of his country.'

"This earnest appeal is issued, respect-  
fully, to Colonial and War Societies, and  
individuals, and so that all who approve  
of this laudable purpose may have an  
opportunity to make a grateful donation  
in aid of the erection of a modestly hand-  
some and suitable head-stone in the  
burial ground of I. U. parish, Kent  
county, Md., at the grave of General  
Philip Reed, in order to perpetuate the  
memory of his devoted loyalty and illu-  
strious services; and to mark, in stone, one  
of the episodes of our country's history  
in which he enacted so prominent a part.

"In the army, in the United States  
Senate and House, and in private life,  
General Reed's character was of con-  
spicuous courage, faithful diligence, and  
unswerving loyalty.

GENERAL PHILIP REED'S RECORD AS A  
PUBLIC MAN:

As a soldier—Commissioned Lieuten-  
ant in the 3rd Regiment of the Maryland  
line, on Oct. 13, 1778, and served bravely  
throughout the whole war of the Revolu-  
tion. He commanded the militia in 1814  
which repelled the British at Caulk's  
Field, Kent County, Md., and was then  
made brigadier General of the Maryland  
Militia. In 1828 he was pensioned for  
his valuable services during the Revolu-  
tion, but died on Nov. 2, 1829, at  
Huntingfield, Kent County, Md., his  
pension being of but little use to him.

"In the U. S. Senate—He was a United  
States Senator from 1806 to 1807 (one  
year) having been elected as successor  
to the Hon. Robert Wright, who resigned  
to become governor of his State. In  
1807 he was re-elected to the Senate for  
the full term of six years till 1813, thus  
holding his senatorship for seven years.

"His colleague all through his sena-  
torial services was General Samuel  
Smith, of Baltimore, the hero of Fort  
Mifflin.

"In the House—He served during the  
15th Congress, from December, 1817, to  
March 1819; and in the 17th Congress  
from March 20th, 1822, to March 3, 1823.

"In 1819, he was an influential  
member of the committee on military  
affairs, headed by Richard M. Johnson,  
of Kentucky.

MY DEAR FRIENDS AND FELLOW-CITIZ-  
ENS—The purpose of our meeting on this  
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Forbidding the Sale of or Giv-  
ing Away Liquor on  
Election Day

For the information of all persons con-  
cerned, the following Act of the Legislature  
passed March 24th, 1895, is published:

AN ACT  
Prohibiting the sale of Spirituous or Fer-  
mented Liquors in the counties in the State  
on the day of Election.

SECTION 1.—Be it enacted by the General  
Assembly, of Maryland, That it shall not be  
lawful, for the keeper of any hotel, tavern,  
store, drinking establishment or other place  
where liquor is sold, or for any person or per-  
sons, directly or indirectly, to sell, barter,  
give or dispose of any spirituous or fermented  
liquors, ale or beer, or intoxicating drinks  
of any kind, on the day of election hereafter to  
be held in the several counties of the State.

SECTION 2.—And be it enacted, that any  
persons violating the provisions of this Act  
shall be liable to indictment by the Grand  
Jury of the county where such offense is com-  
mitted, and shall, upon conviction before any  
judge of any of the Circuit Courts of this  
State, be fined a sum not less than fifty dol-  
lars for each and every offense; one-half the  
fine is paid to the informer and the other  
half to the County Commissioners for the  
use of the public roads.

Article 38 of the Code of Public General  
Laws as amended by the Acts of 1900 and 1901,  
says:

"Whoever, during the hours of registration  
or revision of registration, or during the  
hours of election or canvass of votes, or of  
making returns thereof in any precinct, shall  
bring, take, order or send into, shall or at-  
tempt to bring or take or send into, any place  
of registration or of election, any distilled or  
spirituous liquors, wine, ale or beer, or shall  
at any such time or place, drink or partake of  
such liquor, shall, upon conviction there-  
of be fined not less than ten dollars nor more  
than \$100.

THOMAS J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

Concealed Weapons on Elec-  
tion Day

The following Act of the General Assembly  
of Maryland, passed at the January session of  
1874 and approved April 6, 1874, is published  
for the information of the public:

AN ACT  
To prevent carrying of guns, pistols, dirks,  
dick-knives, razors, billies or bludgeons by  
any person in Kent, Queen Anne's or Mont-  
gomery counties on the day of election in  
said counties.

SECTION 1.—Be it enacted by the General  
Assembly of Maryland, That from and after  
the passage of this Act it shall not be lawful  
for any person in Kent, Queen Anne's or  
Montgomery counties to carry on the days of  
election, secretly or otherwise, any gun,  
pistol, dirk, dick-knife, razor, billy or blud-  
geon, and any person violating the provisions  
of this act shall be deemed guilty of misde-  
meanor, and on conviction thereof before any  
Justice of the Peace, in either of said  
counties, shall be fined not less than five nor  
more than twenty dollars, on refusal to pay  
said fine shall be committed by said Justice  
of the Peace to the jail of the county until  
the same be paid.

SECTION 2.—And be it enacted, That the  
fines collected under this Act shall be paid  
by the officer collecting the same to the  
School Commissioners of the county where  
such offense shall have been committed, for  
school purposes.

SECTION 3.—And be it enacted, That any  
constable of either of said counties or the  
sheriff thereof, who shall refuse to arrest  
any person, violating any provision of this  
Act, upon information of such offense shall  
be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and  
upon conviction thereof before the Circuit  
Court of the county, shall be fined not less  
than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, and  
shall forthwith be discharged from office.

THOMAS J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

## Betting on Election.

The attention of all persons is particularly  
called to the following sections of Article 35,  
Code of Public Laws of Maryland.

SECTION 45.—No person shall make any bet  
or wager on the result of any election to  
take place in this State.

SECTION 46.—Any person offending against  
the last preceding section shall be liable to  
indictment to the Circuit Courts, if the  
offense be committed in any county, or in the  
Criminal Court of Baltimore; if the offense be  
committed in Baltimore; and on conviction  
shall be fined not less than fifty nor more  
than five hundred dollars, to be paid to the  
State for the use of the School Fund.

SECTION 48.—Any deposit of money in any  
part of the State as a wager or bet upon  
elections in this State or elsewhere shall be  
forfeited and paid over to the County Com-  
missioners of the county where deposited,  
for the use of the county, and if deposited in  
the city of Baltimore, to the Mayor and City  
Council.

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