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CHESTERTOWN, - SEPT. 19, 1891

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Tact is the Thing.

Tact is one of the first qualifications of a business man, and the following little incident in the history of one of the most successful merchants shows a development of this trait early in the business career.

Coming to New York from the country, without friends and very little money, he found his way to Wall street, and walking into the store of W. & Co., passed back into the counting-room and waited modestly and patiently till he should divert the attention of Mr. W., who was at that moment busily engaged with some friends. At last the frank, open face of the boy attracted his notice; and he addressed him with:

"What can I do for you, sonny?"

"I want a place' sir."

"Well, what can you do?"

The boy answered eagerly:

"Most anything sir."

Mr. W., partly for a joke and party to rid himself of the almost too confident boy, said:

"Ah, ah! Well, just go out and borrow me a couple thousand dollars."

The lad placed his hat on his head, walked out of the store, then passed slowly down Front street till he came to another large store in the same line of business, our friends of the past, Messrs. S. S. & C.; then with a bold but honest look he walked up to the head of the house and said:

"Mr. W. of W. & Co., sent me down to borrow $2,000."

"He did my son? How is business up at your place?"

The boy having seen the appearance of large shipments answered quickly:

"Very good, sir!"

"Two thousand dollars did you say? Will that be enough?"

"Well, $2,000 is all that he told me, but if you have plenty I think he would like it if you sent him $5,000?"

"Just give this boy a check for $3,000 for W. & Co." remarked Mr. S- to his cashier.

The boy took the check, and with it returned to Mr. W., walking back into the office with an air of successful pride, and said:

"Here it is, sir."

Mr. W. taking one look at the check and then at the boy, said:

"Young man, come in here; you are just the one I have been looking for."

And giving him a desk set him to work.

Drilling Wheat.

One of the most important items in sowing wheat is to secure a good, even stand; to get the wheat distributed evenly over the surface, and if properly managed this can nearly always be done with more certainty by using the drill than is possible by hand. Another item secured by using the drill is that the seed is covered more evenly. With all seeds a certain degree of moisture, as well as in contact with the soil, is necessary in order to secure a good germination. If covered too deep it is often the case that the seeds will fail to germinate on account of lack of heat. If covered too shallow there will be a lack of moisture, and in consequence the seed will not germinate. If the seeding is done by hand and the covering given by using the harrow or cultivating in, the seed will not be covered at an uniform depth, such as is necessary in order to secure a proper germination.

If set properly the drill will not only sow the seed more evenly, but at a more uniform depth, and these two items alone make it quite important to use the drill when possible. Then the soil is left in a much better condition for winter. In many localities the thawing and freezing of the soil injures the growing wheat plants by lifting them out, exposing the roots. The drill leaves the soil in ridges that the rain and snow, with the thawing and freezing, will gradually work down to cover or protect the roots.

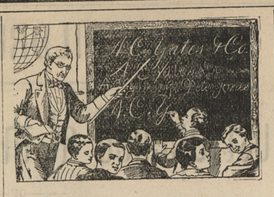
It is very necessary, in order to secure the best results, to have the soil in a good tilth before sowing the seed. Then the wheat should be clean, as when the drill is sowing trash it is not sowing wheat, and in consequence a good, even stand is not secured. Another advantage with the drill is that the work is all done at one time. The seed is sown and covered all at once, and in this way very often a considerable saving of time is made. By using the attachments, commercial fertilizer can be distributed and worked into the soil at the same time that the seed is sown, so that whenever the character of the soil will admit, it will be found advisable to use the drill in sowing the fall wheat.

Here's a Cool Robber.

Threshing Another Man's Grain at Night and Selling it.

WICHITA, KS., August 29.—The boldest robbery of grain ever known in this section is reported from Kingman county. John Myrick, a farmer from the southwestern part of the county, had rented a piece of wheat land close to Norwich. After cutting and stacking his crop safely he went home. The rented land is a long way from his own place, and Myrick is, therefore, unknown to the neighborhood of Norwich; so that, when a stranger presented himself under the name of Myrick, there was no one to question his title to the wheat.

After being in Norwich a couple of days, the supposed Myrick had his plans perfected. A threshing outfit was engaged, and teamsters to cart the grain to Norwich, the work to be done at night, because of a tendency to sunstroke, which prevented his working in the sun, alleged by the supposed Myrick. The plan worked to perfection. Before morning the great part of the wheat had been threshed and delivered to a buyer in Norwich, and the money for the grain was safely in the robber's pocket. By telling the threshers to be there the next night to finish up, the swindler avoided paying for the work already done, but when evening came no Myrick appeared, and it was afterward ascertained that the man had left Norwich by an early morning eastbound train, taking with him the proceeds—about $1,000.



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Proclamation by the Governor.

STATE OF MARYLAND,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, Section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of Maryland makes it the duty of the Governor to order the publication in certain newspapers to be designated by him, of any Bill, or Bills, passed proposing any amendment to the said Constitution.

And whereas at the January session 1890 of the General Assembly of Maryland six separate Bills were passed proposing that number of amendments to the Constitution; which several amendments are described as follows:

Chapter 194 which, for convenience of description, I hereby designate as amendment number one; Chapter 195, designated as amendment number two; Chapter 242, designated as amendment number three; Chapter 255, designated as amendment number four; Chapter 362, designated as amendment number five; and Chapter 426, designated as amendment number six.

All which proposed amendments follow in the order described, to wit:

NUMBER 1.

CHAPTER 194.

AN ACT to amend section seventeen, of article two of the constitution of this State.

SECTON 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, Three-fifths of all the members of the two Houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof as herein provided, it shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of section seventeen of article two of said constitution.

SECTION 17. To guard against hasty or partial legislation, and encroachments of the Legislative Department upon the co-ordinate, Executive and Judical departments, every bill which shall have passed the House of Delegates and the Senate, shall before it becomes a law, be presented to the Governor of the State; if he approve, he shall sign it; but if not he shall return it, with his objections, to the House in which it originated, which House shall enter the objections at large on its journal, and proceed to reconsider the bill; if after such reconsideration, three-fifths of the members elected to that House shall pass the bill, it shall be sent with the objections to the other House, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if passed by three-fifths of the members elected to that House, it shall become a law, but in all such cases the votes of both Houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and names of the persons voting for and against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each House respectively, if any bill shall not be returned by the governor within six days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he signed it; unless the General Assembly shall, by adjournment prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law, the Governor shall have power to disapprove of any item or items of any bills making appropriations of money, embracing distinct items, and the part or parts of the bill approved shall be the law, and item or items or appropriations disapproved shall be void unless repassed according to the rules or limitations prescribed for the passage of other bills over the executive veto.

SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be at the next general election held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in article fourteen of the constitution of this State, and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words "for the constitutional amendment" or "against the constitutional amendment" as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said fourteenth article of the constitution.

Approved March 27th. 1890.

We hereby certify, That the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January session, 1890.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

NUMBER 2.

CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT to amend section forty-eight, of article three, of the Constitution of this State.

SECTON 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, Three-fifths of all the members of the two Houses concurring, that the following section be, and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof as herein provided it shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of section forty-eight of article three of said Constitution.

SECTON 48. Corporations may be formed under general laws, but shall not be created by special act, except for municipal purposes and except in cases where no general laws exist, providing for the creation of corporations of the same general character, as the corporation proposed to be created, and any act of incorporation passed in violation of this section shall be void, all charters granted, or adopted in pursuance of this section, and all charters heretofore granted and stand in the place and stead of section fifty-one of article three of the Constitution of this State.

SECTON 51. The personal property of residents of this State shall be subject to taxation in the County or City where the resident *bona fide* resides for the greater part of the year for which the tax may or shall be levied, and not elsewhere, except goods and chattels permanently located, which shall be taxed in the City or County where they are so located, but the General Assembly may by law provide for the taxation of mortgages upon property in this State and the debts secured thereby in the County or City where such property is situated.

SECTION 2. And *be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be, at the next general election held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in article fourteen of the Constitution of this State; and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words, "for the constitutional amendment," or "against the constitutional amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said fourteenth article of the Constitution.

Approved April 8th, 1890.

We hereby certify, That the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January session, 1890.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

NUMBER 3.

CHAPTER 242.

AN ACT to amend article fifteen of the Declaration of Rights of the Constitution of this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, three-fifths of all the members of the two Houses concurring, that the following article be, and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to article fifteen of the Declaration of Rights of the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof as herein provided, it shall supersede and stand in the place and stead of article fifteen of the Declaration of Rights of said Constitution.

ARTICLE 15. All taxes ought to be uniform upon the same kinds of property or class of subjects, and should be levied and collected under general laws, but the General Assembly may by general laws exempt from taxation all public property used for public purposes, all churches or buildings used exclusively for public worship and the furniture contained therein and the parsonages connected therewith, burying grounds not used for private or corporate profit, all purely charitable or benevolent institutions, literary or educational institutions, with the furniture and equipment contained in such charitable, benevolent, literary or educational institutions, and the grounds appurtenant to such churches, houses of public worship, charitable or benevolent, literary or educational institutions and necessary to the convenient use thereof, as the same have been heretofore exempted by law in this State; and all other property in this State not so declared exempt may be taxed, and the General Assembly may, by general law, provide for a tax on the incomes of citizens of this State; yet fines, duties, licenses or taxes may properly and justly be imposed or laid with a political view for good government and the benefit of the community.

SECTION 2. *And be it enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to article fifteen of the Declaration of Rights of the Constitution of this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in article fourteen of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words "for the constitutional amendment" or "against the constitutional amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said fourteenth article of the Constitution.

Approved April 3rd, 1890.

We hereby certify, That the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January session, 1890.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

NUMBER 4.

CHAPTER 255.

AN ACT to amend section one of article seven of the Constitution of this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, Three-fifths of all the members of the two Houses concurring, That the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof as herein provided shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of section one of article seven of the said constitution.

SECTION 1. County Commissioners shall be elected on general ticket of each county by the qualified voters of the several counties of the State on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in the month of November, commencing in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one; their number in each county, their compensation, powers and duties shall be such as now or may be hereafter prescribed by law, they shall be elected at such times, in such numbers and for such periods, not exceeding six years, as may be prescribed by law.

SECTION 2. *And be it enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be, at the next general election held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof, for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in article fourteen of the Constitution of this State; and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words "for the constitutional amendment" or "against the constitutional amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said fourteenth article of the Constitution.

Approved April 3rd, 1890.

We hereby certify, That the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January session, 1890.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

NUMBER 6.

CHAPTER 426.

AN ACT to amend section fifty-one of article three of the Constitution of this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, Three-fifths of all the members of the two Houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof as herein provided, it shall supersede and stand in the place and stead of section fifty-one of article three of the Constitution of this State.

SECTION 51. The personal property of residents of this State shall be subject to taxation in the County or City where the resident *bona fide* resides for the greater part of the year for which the tax may or shall be levied, and not elsewhere, except goods and chattels permanently located, which shall be taxed in the City or County where they are so located, but the General Assembly may by law provide for the taxation of mortgages upon property in this State and the debts secured thereby in the County or City where such property is situated.

SECTION 2. And *be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be, at the next general election held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in article fourteen of the Constitution of this State; and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words, "for the constitutional amendment," or "against the constitutional amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment as directed by the said fourteenth article of the Constitution.

Approved April 8th, 1890.

We hereby certify, That the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January session, 1890.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

Now therefore I, ELIHU E. JACKSON, Governor of Maryland, do hereby order and direct that each and all of the said herein before described Bills, or Acts of the General Assembly, six in number, each proposing a separate amendment to the Constitution of Maryland, be published once a week for at least three months in two newspapers published in each county in the State, if so many are therein published, and in three newspapers in the city of Baltimore, before the next ensuing general election, which will be held on Tuesday, the third day of November, 1891; at which said election all of the six proposed amendments aforesaid will be severally submitted to the legal and qualified voters of Maryland for adoption or rejection.

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Given under my hand and the Great Seal of Maryland, at the city of Annapolis, on the sixteenth day of July in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and fifteenth.

ELIHU E. JACKSON.

By the Governor:
E. W. LECOMPTE,
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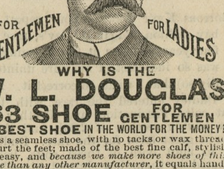

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