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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF KENT COUNTY

I hereby announce my candidacy for Associate Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit, comprising the Counties of Kent, Cecil, Queen Anne's, Caroline and Talbot Counties, subject to the Democratic Primaries in September next. I know of a great many of your people, and I have a very warm attachment for them. I will appreciate each and every vote that is given me, and if nominated and elected to the Judicial Office, I will give to the discharge of its duties the very best of all that is mine to give. Asking your liberal support, I am

Sincerely,
J. H. C. LEGG.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Having recently received several letters from different sections of the county, and having been asked by a number of loyal party people, both men and women, to present my name again as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State Senator, beg to say that, after a careful consideration concerning this matter, I have fully concluded to do so.

While thus announcing myself, I cordially ask for your assistance and trust that you may be able and willing to give me your earnest and active support. Should I succeed in receiving the nomination at your hands, and then be fortunate enough to win at the polls in November, it will be my pleasure and my pride to discharge the duties of said office with promptness, uprightness and courtesy to all.

My attachment to the party which won my early allegiance has grown stronger with the passing years, and I hope to be worthy of your confidence and endorsement once more. I regard the State Senatorship as an important public trust, but as not pressing any special claims for fitness upon my fellow-citizens in this connection.

Realizing my many shortcomings and imperfections, I humbly await the verdict of my party, and by this verdict I nom promise to abide.

Faithfully yours,
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL.

COMMENCEMENT AT WASHINGTON COLLEGE

Exercises That Mark Closing of 141st Year Attended by a Distinguished Throng---Interesting Events During the Occasion.

With ideal commencement weather and bright June skies on the outside, and a brilliant and distinguished gathering on the inside, in which were the governor of the state, congressman of this district and others high up in the ecclesiastical, business and political world, the 131st year at Washington College closed in a most brilliant and appropriate manner Monday afternoon.

At about 11 o'clock the Academic Procession was formed, in which were Governor Ritchie, Congressman, Goldsborough, Dr. Gould, Ex-President Cain, the Faculty, the Board of Visitors and Governors, prominent ministers, distinguished visitors and the graduating class of the college. Rev. R. B. Matthews, of Snow Hill, then delivered the invocation, which was followed by music.

The second honor oration and salutatory was then delivered by Clarence G. Peregoy, of Towson, on the subject, "Specialization and Government." His address was well worth hearing and called forth favorable comment from the governor.

After the orchestra again rendered appropriate music, Miss Mary E. Simpers, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Simpers, of Chestertown, delivered the first honor oration and valedictory, taking as her subject, "What the Community Owes the University." Miss Simpers delivered her speech in a free and easy manner and covered many points of vital concern to all who have the interest of both town and college at heart. Her farewell speech to the faculty and the class were well worth while, delivered in a most appropriate manner.

Governor Ritchie was the principal speaker o fthe occasion and, while he stated at the outset that he had made no preparation for the speech, nevertheless, his speech was interesting and instructive to all, delivered in a most pleasant manner, and was enjoyed by all, not only because a governor was the speaker, but because he touched upon a line of thought of vital interest.

The conferring of the degrees followed, which was performed by the College President and Faculty, and was as follows:

Bachelor of Arts—Gilbert V. Byron, Baltimore; Alwood C. Gordy, Girdletree; Townsend Howes, Ashton; Leonard C. Howeth, Boone; Ernest J. Langham, Cumberland; M. Louise Leaverton, Chestertown; Everett Nuttle, Federalsburg; Clarence C. Peregoy, Towson; Robert C. Pippin, Chestertown; Harold H. Rash, Worton; William H. Ruark, Westover; Mary E. Simpers, Chestertown, and Conrad M. Wingate, Wingate.

Bachelor of Science—Anthony Bishopf, Kitsmiller; Charles W. Claggett, Upper Marlboro; Joseph M. Messick, Bebron; Paul A. Timmons, Bishopville, and Skirven Startt, Chestertown.

Doctor of Divinity—Rev. Walter E. Gunby, Dover, and Rev. R. B. Matthews, Snow Hill.

Doctor of Laws—Morris L. Clothier, Philaeldphia; James E. Ellegood, Salisbury; Major Enoch Garey,Baltimore; Thomas F. Garey, Jr., Baltimore; Hon. Albert C. Ritchie, Annapolis, and Reginald H. Smith, Boston.

The following were the prize winners at the college for the year, the medals being presented at the commencement:

Philadelphia Alumni Medal for the best all-around senior, Alwood C. Gordy.

Visitors and Governors Medal for the highest average in the Junior Class, Albert E. Goodrich, Jr.

Alumni Medal for the highest average in the Sophomore Class, Mary L. Rouse.

Simmons Medal for the highest average in Freshman Class, William Horace Wheeler.

Simpers Medal for Declamation: 1st, Rebecca N. Brown; 2nd, Charles L. Armstrong.

Samuel Towner Rogers Prize for Debating: first, Elias Nuttle; second, T. O. H. Knight.

Adelphia Literary Medal, Conrad M. Wingate.

Mt. Vernon Literary Society Medal, Gilbert V. Byron.

The following students, having attained an average of over 90 in all the studies for the year, are distinguished in scholarship: G. T. Bevan, Mary L. Rouse, Mary E. Starkey, W. H. Wheeler.

The following students having attained an average between 80 and 90 in all the studies of the year, are meritorious in scholarship: A. Bischopf, Helen H. Bradshaw, A. E. Culley, F. Dumschott, W. C. Feddeman, A. E. Goodrich, Jr., A. C. Gordy, Margaret Hammer, L. S. Heck, L. L. Howeth, Anna L. Jones, Helen B. Jones, E. L. Kaiser, Lida E. Leaverton, M. Louise Leaverton, J. M. Messick, E. W. Nuttle, Virginia Owens, C. G. Peregoy, R. C. Pippin, J. C. Rankin, Dorothy Shriver, Helen V. Simpers, Mary E. Simpers, A. Lillian Smith, A. A. Soffer, W. S. Startt, M. B. Styer, Sydney M. Tull, W. E. Twilley, Dorothy E. Woodall, P. P. Heck.

Near the close of the services, a beautiful portrait of Dr. James W. Cain, president of the college from 1903-1917, was unveiled and presented to the college, in an appropriate address by Mr. Thomas Garey, Jr., a former student of the college. Dr. Cain was present and enjoy the occasion very much. The alumni of the college financed the purchase of the portrait.

Rev. Walter E. Gunby, of Snow Hill, closed the exercises with the benediction.

The year has been a most successful one at the college.

SCHOLARSHIPS

A competitive examination for scholarships at the colleges listed below will be held in the Chestertown Elementary School Building on Saturday, June 30, 1923, beginning at 9 a. m. All those desiring to take this examination should so advise the Board of Education not later than Friday, June 29:

Western Maryland College for boy.
Blue Ridge College for boy.

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Louis C. Robinson, Secretary.

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j16-3t. Massey, Md.

A CARD

I am a candidate for Sheriff of Kent County, subject to the Democratic Primaries in September.

ADOLPHUS DAVIS,
j16-tf. Millington, Md.

A CARD

Having been a candidate for the past several months for the State Senate, I am taking this means of informing the public, through the county press to that effect.

ELLSWORTH C. BOWERS.

A CARD

I am a candidate for Treasurer of Kent County, subject to the Democratic Primaries in September.

m26-tf. MERRICK CLEMENTS.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

At the solicitation of many of my friends, I hereby announce my candidacy for sheriff of Kent county, subject to the Democratic primaries.

m26-tf. L. J. KEYSER.

A CARD

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for Treasurer of Kent County, Md., subject to the Democratic Primaries in September.

J. RAYMOND SIMPERS,
m12-tf. Chestertown, Md.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

For 42 years I have been a Democrat and cast 42 votes for the Democratic ticket. I am now a candidate for sheriff on the Democratic ticket subject to the primaries in September.

WM. STEELE, SR.,
m19-tf. Galena, Md.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Having been solicited by many of my friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the sheriff's office of Kent county, subject to the Democratic primaries in September.

CHARLES L. GILL.

Sad Accident At Millington

William J. Rolph, a prominent farmer of the first District, Kent County, was accidentally shot and instantly killed in the town of Millington last Monday night.

Mr. Rolph was standing at the corner of the Feddeman store building watching the serenading of a young couple by a number of young men of the town, two of them having pistols and brandishing them in the air. Not seeing Mr. Rolph directly in front of them, one of the young men fired his pistol in the direction of Mr. Rolph, the ball entering his left breast and killing him instantly.

Sheriff Hadaway was notified and went to the town, but as the evidence of accidental shooting was manifest, no arrest was made.

Mr. Rolph was about 40 years old and is survived by his wife, three sons and two daughters.

Fire Menaces Elkton

A fire, which started in the business section of Elkton Thursday at 11 a. m., threatened to wipe out the entire busines district for several hours. It began in the basement of the American Store, on Main street, opposite the Court House. The loss was about $50,000. Wilmington and other cities extended them aid and the fire was gotten under control after a hard fight.

FESTIVAL

Kesley Chapel will hold their annual Spring Festival at Broad Neck on Wednesday, June 27. Fish and crabs will be made a specialty. j23-1t

FOR SALE

Cheap; two used pianos.

NEWNAM'S MUSIC STORE,
j23-3t. Chestetrown, Md.

FOR SALE

Farm containing 171 acres in the Seventh Election District, on road leading from Pomona to Quaker Neck.

HERBERT E. PERKINS,
june 23-3t. Trustee.

JULY 1, 2, 3 and 4th

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Spend One Or All Of Them At

Tolchester Beach

Write your city friends to meet you there.

Something doing every minute.

Single fellows take your girls, or some other fellow's girl.

Married people take your whole family.

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At the Hotel Betterton, one good head cook and an assistant cook. Good wages to the right persons.

J. T. CREW, Prop.,
june 23-3t. Betterton, Md.

The Annual Lawn Fete of Centreville Catholic Church will be held on Friday and Saturday, July 20th-21

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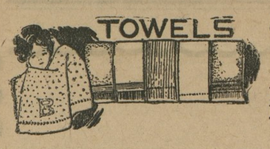
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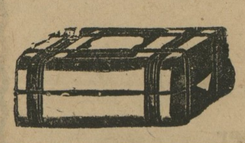
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New Ginghams, New Percales, New White Goods all at 25c yd.



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Large Turkish Towels at . 19c
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Don't overlook these Towels.



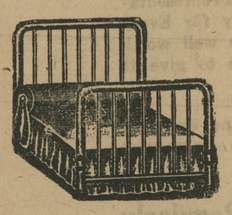
WIDE SHEETING ON SALE

Best 90c Sheeting now . 65c yd
Hemmed Sheets, $1.50, $1.75, $1.98



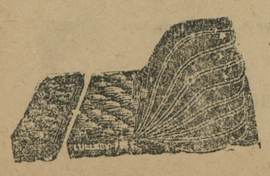
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Lower Price on Matting, 20c, 35c
The $7.50 Grass Rugs, 9x12, only $5
Small $1.25 Rugs to match, only 75c
The Crex Rugs, The Fibre Rugs all reduced.



Enamel Beds Are in Demand

$10 White Enamel Beds, now $7.50
$15 White Enamel Beds, now $10.00
We have them in all widths.
The Best Bed Springs are also reduced.



New Felt Mattresses on Bargain List

We are offering the Large All-Felt $15 Mattresses, with Fancy Ticking at $10. Come and take a look at these Mattresses.

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Harvest Goods

On Sale Next Week

China Plates .....10c—15c
China Cups .....15c—19c
Glass Tumblers .....3c—5c

AGATE WARE—NEAR HALF



Large 17 Quart Agate Dish pans, like you pay 90c for, on sale 49c

The 40c Sauce Pans 25c
The 25c Sauce Pans 15c
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AGATE TEA KETTLES 98c



Large Agate Tea Kettles like you pay $1.50 for, on sale 98c

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FLOUR SIFTERS 10c



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CHESTERTOWN

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A remarkable romance of the sea, sparkling with love and adventure.

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Prices 10, 20, 30.

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Also Christie Comedy.

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A sensational melodrama of the California woodland.

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The 1923 Dog Licenses and Tags are now ready and may be obtained from any Justice of the Peace in the county, also at the County Treasurer's office, in Chestertown.

LEONARD WILSON,
j9-tf. Treasurer for Kent Co.

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