Letter of Omar D. Crothers, Democratic Candidate for the Nomination of Associate Judge of this Judicial Circuit to the Democratic Voters of Kent County.

At the solicitation of a great number of people in Cecil County, and elsewhere, I have decided to be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Associate Judge in this Judicial Circuit.

Personally, I believe that every County in the Circuit should have a resident Judge, but as the Constitution of the State provides that there shall be only three Judges for the five Counties of Cecil, Kent, Queen Anne's, Caroline and Talbot, it necessarily follows that two of the Counties must abide the inconvenience of not having one.

Therefore the question which the voters are to decide in the coming elections is which two of the three Counties, Cecil, Caroline or Queen Anne's, shall be put to this inconvenience, or rather which will be most benefited by a resident Judge, as the counties of Talbot and Kent each have one (Judge Adkins in Talbot and Judge Wickes in Kent), whose term will not expire for a number of years, and therefore are provided for in this respect.

In deciding this question, it would seem reasonable that the decision should be in favor of the County having the largest population, the largest amount of legal business, the most terms of Court, and the one whose people are the most inaccessible to a Judge. Cecil county has a population of 23,612 as compared to 15,641 in Queen Anne,s, and 18,652 in Caroline, (census of 1920.) Cecil County has three Jury terms of Court as compared with two in each of the other Counties of the Circuit. Elkton, the County seat of Cecil County, is thirty-six miles from Chestertown, the home of Judge Wickes, and seventy-two miles from Easton, the home of Chief Judge Adkins, as compared with Centreville the County Seat of Queen Anne's, which is sixteen miles from Chestertown, the home of the nearest Judge, and twenty miles from Easton, the home of the Chief Judge, and as compared with Denton, the Countyseat of Caroline, which is about twenty miles from Easton.

Caroline and Queen Anne's Counties are, therefore, much more accessible to a Judge than is Cecil County.

From these facts, it has always been recognized in the past that Cecil County should have a resident Judge, and it would have now, except for the untimely death of the late Chief Judge Albert Constable, who died after he times inconvenient to have to go to term for which he was elected.

At the present time there is no candidate for Judge in Caroline County, and my information is that there will not likely be any, so that, in realty, the question to be decided is whether Queen Anne's County or Cecil County will be most benefited by the Judgeship. Senator Legg, one of the candidates for Judge from Queen Anne's, recognizes the claims of Cecil County to the Judgeship in his published statement to the voters of that county, in the following language: "I fully realize that it is a long drive, and many ties inconvenient mto have to go to Chestertown, and at times still further to Centreville, when matters need the attention of a Judge."

From the above statement of facts, if you believe that Cecil County will be more benefited by having a resident Judge, and less inconvenienced than Queen Anne's County, which has a Judge residing on either side of it, then I ask for your support and the people of Cecil County believe and hope that you will at this time recognize its claims.

Assuring you that I will appreciate whatever support you may give my candidacy, I am,

Very truly yours,
OMAR D. CROTHERS.
(Political Adv.)

SENATOR J. H. C. LEGG

Candidate for Associate Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphan's Court for Kent County letters testamentary on the personal estate of MARY E. WATTS 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 16 day of December, 1923, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under our hands this 12th day of June 1923.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF KENT COUNTY

After a long and continuous solicitation of my many friends from all parts of the county, asking me to become a candidate for Treasurer, I have decided to do so, subject to the Democratic Primary. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

july 7-tf. GEO. W. SUTTON.

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.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Representative to the House of Delegates, subject to the Democratic primaries in September.

ELLSWORTH C. BOWERS.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Having served the people of Kent County as County Commissioner for the past four years, I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination, to succeed myself, subject to the Democratic primaries in September.

NICHOLAS V. WALTERS.

CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner for Kent county, subject to the Democratic primaries in September.

J. ERNEST WILLSON.

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.

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.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the State Senate, subject to the Democratic primaries in September.

W. B. COPPER.

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

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

m26-tf. MERRICK CLEMENTS.

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.

U. S. Lends $2,657,300 To Maryland Farmers

Maryland farmers have obtained loans to a total amount of $2,657,300 from the banks of the Federal Farm Loan system, according to a tabulation of these loans up to June 30, compiled from reports made to the Federal Farm Loan Board. These figures include loans made by both the Federal and Land banks and the Joint Stock Land banks.

A grand total of $1,160,595,516 was advanced to farmers through the United States by the Joint Stock Land banks and the Federal Land banks. The Federal Land banks made 701 loans in Maryland, which aggregated $2,620,800, while the Joint Stock Land banks have made three loans, which aggregated $36,500.

During the year closed on June 30, 1923, the total loans made through all the banks of the farm loan system throughout the 48 states was $446,389,813. Of this amount, Joint Stock Land banks supplied $233,920,598, and the Federals $212,469,215.

To Study Eastern Shore Problems

Governor Ritchie said recently that he would expect the committee which he has appointed to study the Eastern Shore transportation probelm to consider carefully the proposal of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and that of the local interests represented by Attorney Harry E. Karr in handling the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway line problem.

He is planning to write Mr. Karr asking him to outline his proposal before the committee when it is organized.

Up to that time he had not received notice from Governor Ritchie that his proposal would be given equal consideration with that of the Pennsylvania's proposal.

No Fear of Typhoid

Kent only has three cases of typhoid fever to date. The people of Kent Co. need have no fear of an outbreak of typhoid, says Dr. Franklin, District Health Officer. There have been only three cases reported to date and Dr. Franklin's investigation shows these cases to be taken from a source which has been located.

From a thorough test of the drinking water of Chestertown, the analysis showed no signs of anything that might cause typhoid fever.

Black Rust In Wheat

Hundreds of thousands of acres of wheat in the northwest have been ruined by the black rust. Those in that section who raise nothing but wheat are reported to be on the brink of bankruptcy. One farmer in that section expected a yield of 15 bushels per acre from 1200 acres, but at harvest black rust cut the yield to less than five bushels an acre. We are glad to state that this dread menace has not appeared in this section.

CANDIDATE FOR THE LEGISLATURE

I hereby announce my candidacy for representative to the House of Delegates, subject to the Democratic Primaries in September.

HERMAN T. JACOBS.

CANDIDATE FOR TREASURER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Treasuryship of Kent County, subject to the Democratic Primaries in September.

CLARENCE NEWSOME.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I hereby notify the public that I will not be responsible for any further bills made by my wife, Devilla Gatlin.

GEORGE GATLIN,
july 14-3t. Chestertown, Md.

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.

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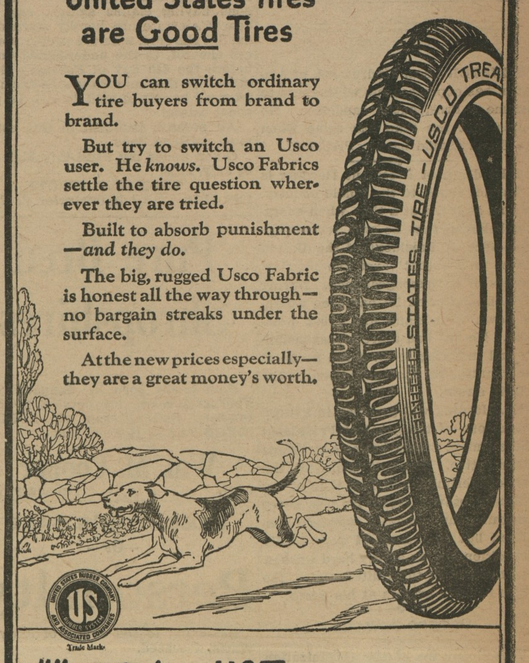

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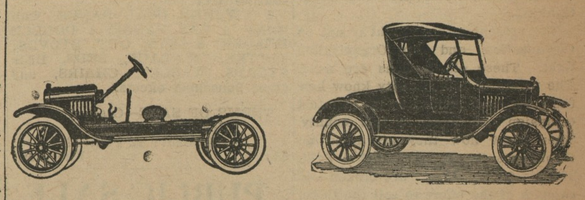

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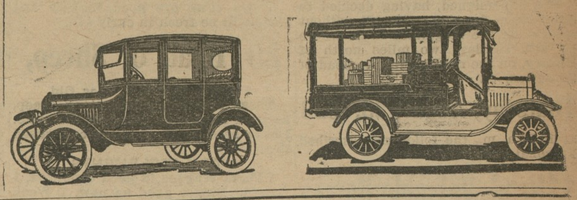

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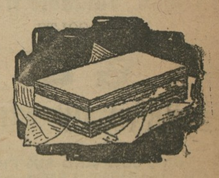

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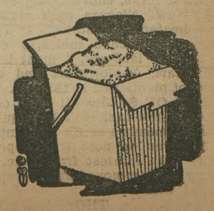

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