

NOMINATIONS TO OFFICE

Which Have Been Filed With the Supervisors for Kent County.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE SIXTY FIRST CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES FROM THE FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF MD.

JAMES HARRY COVINGTON, Talbot County.

WILLIAM HUMPHREYS JACKSON, Wicomico County.

JACOB W. WHEATLEY, Talbot County.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

BRYAN AND KERN.

FOR ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

JAMES ENOS RAY, JR., Prince George's County, at Large.

JAMES W. DENNY, Baltimore City, at Large.

EDWIN H. BROWN, JR., Queen Annes County, First Congressional District.

JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Baltimore City, Second Congressional District.

HAMPSON H. BIEDLER, Baltimore City, Third Congressional District.

JOHN CHARLES LINTHICUM, Baltimore City, Fourth Congressional District.

WILLIAM H. HELLEN, Calvert County, Fifth Congressional District.

CHARLES H. CONLEY, Frederick County, Sixth Congressional District.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

CHAFIN AND WATKINS.

FOR ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

JOSHUA LEVERING, Baltimore City, at Large.

WILLIAM KLEINLE, Baltimore City, at Large.

JAMES T. ANTHONY, Queen Annes County, First Congressional District.

WILLIAM S. NORRIS, Baltimore City, Second Congressional District.

JAMES R. WHITEHURST, Baltimore City, Third Congressional District.

WILLIAM GISRIEL, Baltimore City, Fourth Congressional District.

WILLIAM H. FELDMEYER, Anne Arundel County, Fifth Congressional District.

FRANCIS B. SAPPINGTON, Frederick County, Sixth Congressional District.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

HISGEN AND GRAVES.

FOR ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

CHARLES A. BRISCOE, Baltimore City.

EDWARD H. TRAINOR, Baltimore City.

CHARLES H. WINKLEMAN, Baltimore City.

JOHN HENRY GORDY, Wicomico County.

THEODORE PAYRLEITNER, Baltimore City.

JOSEPH SIR, Baltimore City.

WILLIAM A. HAMMOND, Baltimore City.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

TAFT AND SHERMAN.

FOR ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

JOHN A. ROBINSON, Harford County, at Large.

ALBERT G. TOWERS, Caroline County, at Large.

ROBERT S. ADKINS, Worcester County, First Congressional District.

LUTHER KEMP, Caroline County, Second Congressional District.

JOSEPH BROOKS, Baltimore City, Third Congressional District.

MILLARD F. BURGESS, Baltimore City, Fourth Congressional District.

J. WEBB THOMAS, Baltimore City, Fifth Congressional District.

MOSES BOMBERGER, Washington County, Sixth Congressional District.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

DEBS AND HANFORD.

FOR ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

CLARENCE H. TAYLOR, Baltimore City.

JAMES POWERS, Baltimore City.

ROBERT T. CLAGGETT, Baltimore City.

WILLIAM H. WARFIELD, Baltimore County.

CHARLES W. SMILEY, Baltimore County.

WILLIAM W. GROVE, Washington County.

OSWALD WEBER, Alleghany County.

BENJ. F. ADAMS, Montgomery County.

COULDN'T STAND SHELDON.

Even Lt.-Gov. Woodruff, a Trust Character, Said the Present Treasurer of the National Committee, Would Jeopardize the State Ticket.

George R. Sheldon, treasurer of the Republican National Committee, whose trust interests are well known, was compelled, under fire, to withdraw from the New York state ticket in the fall of 1902 when he was eager to accept the office of Lieutenant-Governor. His connections with the trusts and especially those owned and dominated by J. Pierpont Morgan and other favored trusts, became such an issue at that time that Governor B. B. Odell fought against his name being placed on the ticket. Odell even went so far as to wire Timothy Woodruff that he would not run on the same state ticket with Sheldon. United States Senator Thomas C. Platt was determined to have Sheldon on the ticket and informed the Republican leaders at the state convention at Saratoga that Sheldon's name would remain on the slate. The wires between the convention city and Albany were kept hot and, finally, Governor Odell was compelled to take a train for Saratoga in order to prevent Sheldon's name from appearing on the ticket. Governor Odell went direct to Senator Platt's home in Saratoga and, after a conference which lasted until 2 o'clock in the morning, Platt yielded and Sheldon's name was withdrawn from the ticket. Lt.-Gov. Woodruff, when asked at that time why he objected so strongly to Sheldon, said: "I have no personal animosity toward Mr. Sheldon. I believe that the objections that have been raised to him are of the gravest sort and that they jeopardize the ticket."

Gov. Odell had this to say a day before Sheldon's name was taken off the slate: "I fought against George R. Sheldon because his business connections imperiled the whole ticket."

Notice of Appointment

OF

RAIL AND DOOR-KEEPERS

The Supervisors of Elections for Kent County have named the following persons to be Door and Rail-keepers at the election to be held on Tuesday, November 3rd, 1908:

First District, Second Precinct—Wm. Steele, Sr., Front Door-keeper; Wm. S. Kelley, Back Door-keeper; Benj. Jarvis, Rail-keeper.

Second District, First Precinct—James S. Matthews, Front Door-keeper; J. C. Johnston, Back Door-keeper; Wm. L. Meredith, Rail-keeper.

Second District, Second Precinct—George E. Frenchie, Front Door-keeper; Harry E. Hebron, Back Door-keeper; Elwood D. Bramble, Rail-keeper.

Third District, First Precinct—L. J. Keever, Front Door-keeper; W. S. Kelley, Back Door-keeper; S. C. Cornelius, Rail-keeper.

Third District, Second Precinct—John Holdson, Front Door-keeper; Benj. Wheeler, Back Door-keeper; Robert E. Taylor, Rail-keeper.

Fourth District, First Precinct—Herbert Fenington, Front Door-keeper; Jesse Byrnes, Back Door-keeper; Thos. F. Yates, Rail-keeper.

Fourth District, Second Precinct—Frank Evans, Front Door-keeper; Edward A. Lambert, Back Door-keeper; John Silcox, Rail-keeper.

Fifth District, First Precinct—George L. Maslin, Front Door-keeper; Wm. Harrison, Sr., Back Door-keeper; Root, N. C. Ayres, Rail-keeper.

Fifth District, Second Precinct—Lewin Wheat, Front Door-keeper; John Bowers, Back Door-keeper; Capt. Wm. Crouch, Rail-keeper.

Sixth District—Samuel P. Gears, Front Door-keeper; Charles E. Dow, Back Door-keeper; Wm. S. Lewis, Rail-keeper.

Seventh District—Frank B. Jester, Front Door-keeper; Jacob Wilbur, Back Door-keeper; Wm. R. Bowers, Rail-keeper.

JESSE H. USILTON, Pres't; HARRY CACY, CHAS. S. SMITH, Supervisors of Election for Kent County JOHN G. ROLAND, CLERK. 0024 21.

Betting on Elections. The attention of all persons is particularly called to the following sections of Article 39, 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 48. Any person offending against the last preceding section shall be liable to indictment by the Circuit Court, in the Criminal Court of Baltimore if the offense be committed in Baltimore, and conviction shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, to be paid to the State for 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 Commissioners 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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Instructions to Voters

How to Proceed to Cast a Ballot Under The Election Law.

Attorney-General Isaac Lobe Straus has prepared the following instructions to Voters as directed by Article 33, Code of Public General Laws, and amendments thereto:

1. To vote. Enter room, step up to guard rail, give name and registered residence to the Judge. Wait until your name is found upon the registers, then get ballot from the judge in charge of the ballots. See that he has written your name and number on the coupon attached to the ballot and his own name or initials on the back of the ballot itself.

2. Upon receiving your ballot, retire to one of the booths or compartments and prepare your ballot by marking with an indelible pencil after the name of every person, or persons, except Presidential Electors, for whom you wish to vote, and to the right thereof, in the blank space provided therefor, a cross-mark, for example (X); and in case of a question submitted to the vote of the people, by marking likewise in the appropriate space a cross-mark (X) against the answer you desire to give.

3. In marking the ballot you may take with you into the polling place any written or printed memorandum or paper to assist you in preparing your ballot, except a fac-simile of the ballot to be voted. You must prepare and deposit your ballot without undue delay. Before coming from behind the curtains in front of your compartment you must fold your ballot in the same way as it was folded when you received it, so that the names of the candidates upon it shall be entirely concealed. You then hand your ballot to the judge at the ballot-box, who gives him your name and registered address and you must leave the polling room and cannot again go behind the guard-rail during the day.

4. A voter must not go into any compartment occupied by another or converse with any other voter while engaged in a compartment, nor can he occupy a compartment more than seven minutes if others are waiting.

5. You must not take any ballot outside the guard rail. If you spoil a ballot you must deliver the spoiled ballot to the judge in charge of the ballots and receive another from him. If you spoil three ballots you lose your vote.

6. A voter who is physically disabled from marking his ballot, must make affidavit to that effect if he desires assistance. The two polling-clerks, after such affidavit has been made, may accompany him into one of the apartments and there mark his ballot as he instructs them, marking only the names of the candidates whom he shall name. The clerks are not allowed to read the ballot to him.

7. Any voter who shall allow his ballot to be seen by any person with the apparent intention of letting it be known how he is about to vote, or who shall make a false statement as to his inability to mark his ballot, or who shall interfere or attempt to interfere with any voter when he enters the polling room, or who shall endeavor when marking his ballot, or who shall endeavor to induce any voter before voting to give him more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, or by imprisonment in jail for a period of not exceeding sixty (60) days, or by both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

By order JESSE H. USILTON, HARRY CACY, CHAS. S. SMITH, Supervisors of Election for Kent County. JOHN G. ROLAND, Clerk. 0024 21.

Concealed Weapons on Election Day. The following Act of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at the January session of 1871, and approved April 6, 1871, is published for the information of the public:

AN ACT To prevent carrying of guns, pistols, dirks, dirk-knives, razors, blades or bludgeons by any person in Kent, Queen Annes and Montgomery 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 Annes or Montgomery counties to carry on the day of election, secretly or otherwise any gun, pistol, dirk, dirk-knife, razor, blade or bludgeon, and any person violating the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof he shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and on refusal to pay said fine shall be committed by said Justice of the Peace to the jail of the county until the same is 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 or other officer of said counties or the Sheriff thereof, who shall refuse to arrest any person violating any provision of this Act, upon information or conviction thereof, 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 forthwith be discharged from office.

0024 21 DANIEL W. HADAWAY, Sheriff.

SUPERVISOR'S NOTICE

OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the General Election will be held in the several election districts or precincts of Kent county between the hours of eight (8) o'clock in the morning and six (6) in the evening on

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1908

The places wherein such election upon the date aforementioned will be held in the respective Districts or Precincts, are as follows:

First District

(Millington Precinct) AT B. FRANK VANSANT'S HOTEL OFFICE, Millington (Galena Precinct) AT CHARLES F. LEHMAN'S BAND HALL, Galena.

Second District

(First Precinct) AT D. T. NICKERSON'S HOUSE, Kennedyville. (Second Precinct) AT C. C. BALL'S STORE ROOM, Kennedyville.

Third District

(First Precinct) AT A. S. TURNER'S STORE ROOM, Worton. (Second Precinct) AT HOWARD TURNER'S ICE CREAM SALOON, Betterton.

Fourth District

(First Precinct) AT COURT HOUSE, Chestertown. (Second Precinct) R. R. HATCHELSON'S STORE ROOM, opp. Voshell House, Chestertown.

Fifth District

(First Precinct) AT MRS. LAURA M. PORTER'S STORE ROOM, Rock Hall. (Second Precinct) AT SAMUEL BURGESS' CARRIAGE SHOP, Edesville.

Sixth District

AT WALTER B. BARNES STORE ROOM, Fairlee.

Seventh District

AT WM. S. SCOONE'S STORE ROOM, Pomona.

Said election will be held for the purpose of electing a member of the Sixty-First Congress of the United States to represent the First Congressional District of the State of Maryland therein.

Also to elect Eight Electors as members of the Electoral College who shall vote for a President and Vice-President of the United States. The Return Judges shall make their return before twelve o'clock noon of second day after election, that is Thursday, in manner prescribed by law to Clerk of Circuit Court, county Commissioners, to Board of Supervisors of Election and to the Register of Wills of county aforesaid.

JESSE H. USILTON, Pres't; HARRY CACY, CHAS. S. SMITH, Supervisors of Election for Kent Co JOHN G. ROLAND, Clerk.

Published by Authority of the Registration and Election Laws.

By order, JESSE H. USILTON, Pres't HARRY CACY, CHAS. S. SMITH, Supervisors of Elections for Kent County John G. Roland, Clerk.