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DAY, JANUARY 4, 1908.

RRER KEYSER and Deputy Per- e been kept busy the past 10 days g money for taxes, about $50,000 received. Holders of certificates promptly paid Thursday, the Kent nty Savings Bank having over $13,- while the other two Banks had ually as much.

THE representatives from Kent to nnapolis have been importuned by ends of various candidates to secure m places, and if it was possible we sure all would be cared for. But the es are limited to one each for repre- lives and two to senators. It is re- d that Hon. James S. Harris will take his son, Mr. Carson W. Har- on. Harry C. Willis will probably r. R. Sterling Jones and Senator Slay will secure a place for Mr. C. Groves and one unnamed. e personal appointments and the representatives.

MARION V. BREWINGTON, of county, received an unusual ursday night when a banquet him at the Peninsula Hotel, d a splendid silver service him. This distinguished as paid him by the Demo- nty in recognition of the es he has rendered his party in the State Senate and in the various local campaigns through the columns of his paper and his personal efforts. Added to this material recognition of his political worth, his friends at the banquet declared for him as the next Democratic nominee for Congress from the first Maryland district. All this honor Senator Brewington richly deserves. He has been an aggressive, energetic party worker and holds high rank in the party councils in the State. Our compliments to him with wishes for additional honors and encomiums.

J. EDWARD ADDICKS, who has been out of Delaware politics for some time, got into the limelight Friday when he declared he would be a Republican candidate for Governor next year. He made this statement in the United States Court, where Judge Bradford granted the application of Receiver Pepper, of the Bay State Gas Company, to transfer to Charles S. Hinchman, of Philadelphia, for $100,000 a judgement for $1,399,000 secured by the petitioner against Addicks in the Federal court at Philadelphia.

While Addicks will not be able to secure the support of Senator Richardson or Senator Dupont his Candidacy may puncture the boom of Dr. Caleb Leighton, of Georgetown, auditor of the State Department in Washington. The probable nominee for Governor will be ex-State Senator Simon S. Penniwell, of Greenwood.

Addicks took occasion then to praise Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, the new president of the Bay State company. His arch enemy, ex-Senator Allee, the Bay State's vice-president, stood near by. They did not speak

GOV. JOHN A. JOHNSON, of Minnesota, in an interview in the New York World sounds the bugle call for tariff reform as the keynote to the coming national campaign. The World prints statements from Democrats of national importance throughout the country and from the editors of leading Democratic papers indorsing Governor Johnson, who is prominently mentioned as a Presidential candidate, and the views.

A number of Maryland Democrats were asked to give their idea of the sentiments advanced by Governor Johnson and incidentally an opinion of Governor Johnson himself. Among those seen was United States Senator William Pinkney Whyte, who said :

"I am an out-and-out tariff reform man, and I have been one for many years. In fact, I am not so sure that I did not coin the expression tariff for revenue only.' At any rate, I used it away back in 1875, when I had occasion to write to the leaders of Tammany Hall about public questions.

"I believe firmly in tariff reform, have made a number of speeches on the subject, and have also written about it. So far as Governor Johnson himself is concerned, he seems to have convinced a number of people of his availability for the Presidency. Johnson unquestionably is a strong man, and he is not an accident. He might have been accidentally elected Governor of Minnesota once by the Democrats, when the State has normally such a tremendous Republican majority, but he could not have been accidentally elected twice. His achievements in his own State prove him to be a man of unusual force and

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...sions for 1908.

...ousy and selfishness.

...made on permanent streets in t... ...ay of vitrified brick, asphalt or something better.

Aim to get higher other than by trying to pull your fellowman down.

Installation of a garbage system for the whole town.

A day policeman equal to the late Amos Kelley.

A chemical fire engine and means for fighting fire.

The consummation of the Tolchester trolley or railroad.

A better system for working public roads.

Less politics and more work on farm, greater interest in the church and more time spent at home.

A new law to prevent bribery in primaries and elections.

Appreciation of the elegant water supply so that all waste will be stopped.

Continuous electric light service and power by day so that all who need power can get it.

An up-to-date, wide-awake, progressive and hustling Board of Trade, with some ginger about it and a plenty of push and decidely more pull.

An economical Legislature in which pet schemes and fake bills have no part.

Gov. Warfield's Message.

Gov. Warfield sent his final message to the General Assembly Wednesday. It was a voluminous document making a full review of the affairs of the State. The Governor makes a number of practical suggestions, but the most startling portion of the message is the legislative extravagance at the session of 1906. The summary is as follows :

Number of laborers employed at the session of 1906 in cleaning State House halls	88
Payments by Senate for extra clerks and employes not authorized by law	$46,000
Payments by House for extra clerks and employes not authorized by law	$50,000
Number of extra engrossing clerks in Senate	62
Number of extra engrossing clerks in House	65

Recommendations By Governor.

Sale of Northern Central annuity when a good price can be obtained.

Term of Comptroller and Treasurer should be four years, and the Treasurer should be elected by the people.

A graduated inheritance tax upon estates above $20,000.

Revision of the incorporation laws.

Enactment of Corrupt Practices and Primary Election laws.

Amendment of the Election laws to give greater effect to the voters' intentions.

The Governor should be unrestricted by party committees in appointing election supervisors.

The amendment of the Constitution fixing a higher standard of qualification for voters.

Building of a tobacco warehouse.

Improvement of public roads.

To establish a department of banking.

Better pay for public school teachers.

Engrossing bills by printing.

A State university.

While we have no sympathy for croakers nor for chronic complainers yet the Governor is certainly wise in showing to the Assembly some pitfalls, and we advise them to be shunned. He says the Legislature was in actual session in 1906 not more than 60 days. When there was no session the corridors and committee rooms were not cleaned. When Governor Warfield shows from the records that no fewer than 88 laborers were employed to clean the corridors during the session at a cost to the State of nearly $17,000 he is stating a fact which no explanation can explain. It is folly to try to justify a payment of $275 a night for cleaning a floor space that half a dozen women can clean easily in two or three hours.

Governor Warfield as a public servant and party man, warns this Legislature against a repetition of these things. This Legislature has its record to make. The public attention has been called to the matter. It is now to be decided whether the session is to be a discredit to the State.

In the list of employes we find 22 folders, at a cost of some $10,000, to do work which the printers should do without extra charge, or which half a dozen girls would be glad to do for a dollar or two a day each. We find 154 employes, officials and laborers, to wait upon 27 Senators, and, as if this was not enough, there was at the end of the session a general distribution of extra pay to the way of largesse to persons who had been receiving $5 a day for doing almost nothing.

The Legislature had best understand in the beginning that the people will not always be willing to stand for this, and if it is continued the party responsible for it will be scourged by the temple.

The Governor makes a comparison which proves the case In 1886 the cost of the employees of the Senate was $13,312. It 1906 it was $54,116. The State House is larger now than 1886 and requires perhaps a half dozen or so more cleaners. But the number of Senators has increased only one and the business of the Senate has not increased at all, if we are to judge by the number of bills introduced and passed.

Instead of denouncing Governor Warfield for his warning, we agree with our city contemporary, that every loyal Democrat should thank him for hoisting the danger signal, however bad or insincere his motive might have been.

Thieves About.—Thieves are operating near Fairlee also. Mr. W. Edward Loud had two nice pigs stolen from the pen last Sunday night.

Chicken thieves also raided the henery of Mr. J. Cordray Loud of Chestertown.

Mr. Charles L. Gill had a number of finest chickens hurt this week by

T. Ford, near Pomona, had ...rkeys stolen from him

...ANNE, CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND, SATURDAY JANUARY 4. 1908

...E LEGISLATURE MEETS.

The General Assembly for 1908 met at Annapolis at noon Wednesday, the Democrats organizing both Houses, as follows :

President of the Senate, Gen. Joseph B. Seth, of Talbot county.
Secretary, Robert Moss, of Anne Arundel county.
Journal Clerk, W. Trickett Giles, of Baltimore.
Reading Clerk, Walter R. Townsend, of Baltimore county.
Sergeant-at-Arms, John R. Shower, of Carroll county.
Speaker of the House of Delegates, J, Enos Ray, of Prince George's county.
Chief Clerk, Albert J. Almoney, of Montgomery county.
Journal Clerk, Emerson R. Crothers of Cecil county.
Reading Clerk, Humphrey D. Wolfe, Howard county.
Sergeant-at-Arms, John H. Cox, of Montgomery county.
Chief Engrossing Clerk, Edward O'Mahoney, of Baltimore.

The Governor's message was received and read, after which an adjournment was made until next Tuesday, to give the presiding officers a chance to select the various committees.

EX-GOV. ELIHU E. JACKSON.

Ex-Gov. Elihu E. Jackson died Friday morning of last week at 10 o'clock at his home, 816 Cathedral street, Baltimore. Mrs. Jackson was the only member of his family at his beside when he died. He is survived by a widow, two daughters and three sons. Congressman Wm. H. Jackson, of Salisbury, was his only brother.

For the last quarter of a century few men in this State have been more constantly and conspiciously in public sight than Hon. Elihu E. Jackson. He entered the public service as a member of the House of Delegates in 1882. He was a member of the Senate in 1884 and President of that body in 1886. His service as President of the Senate suggested his as the Democratic candidate for Governor in 1887. He was elected by a large majority, and a few years after the conclusion of his term he went back into the State Senate.

His remains were taken to Salisbury, where the funeral was held Tuesday. He was worth about $3,000,000.

WHO WILL BE PRESIDENT ?

National politics has within the past week or so come prominently to the front, and both Democrats and Republicans are looking forward to their respective National Conventions with considerable eagerness. The announcement that the Democratic Convention will be held in Denver, on July 7, has caused many Marylanders to begin preparations for the trip, and it is declared that the representation from this State at Denver will be greater than at any previous National Convention. Maryland will, of course, have no candidate for either President or Vice-Presidential nomination, but that its delegation will figure largely in the Convention is certain. The Maryland delegation to Democratic Conventions has in the past always been a strong and influential one, which has had much to do with making the nominations, and framing the platform. Such men as Mr. John P. Poe, the late Senator Gorman, and the late General L. Victor Baughman have played leading parts in the national Conventions of the past, and the attitude of Maryland has been of interest to the delegations and leaders from other States. Just who will compose the delegation from this State this year is uncertain. That Mr. Poe and Congressman J. F. C. Talbot will be among the delegates is thought probable. Mr. Frank A. Furst will also be a delegate at large, if he desires to be. That ex-Governor John Walter Smith, who will then be a United States Senator-elect, and the leader of his party in the State, and Chairman Murray Vandiver, will go, is certain, and it is also thought the two present United States Senators, Isador Rayner and William Pinkney Whyte, will be on the delegation. Neither of these last two went to the last National Convention. In addition to the delegates, many Marylanders will be there in an unofficial capacity.

It is not the purpose of the Democratic Club party to go to Denver with the idea of booming anyone's candidacy for President, or for anything else, and the trip will have no political significance. So far as the Democratic leaders are concerned, it is believed that the delegation to the Convention from this place will be unpledged and uninstructed. Most of them fully expect Mr. Bryan to be nominated.

FOR RENT FOR YEAR 1908.

The FARM now tenanted by Mr. S. T. Newcomb, situated on the public road leading from Swan Creek to Tolchester about 2½ miles from Tolchester wharf and not more than 4 miles from the village of Rock Hall. Convenient to schools, churches, etc. This farm contains 200 ACRES, more or less, about 160 acres of which are cleared, easily cultivated and productive. Fencing good. A FINE DWELLING of 8 rooms, and outbuildings are all new and in first-class condition. For further particulars,

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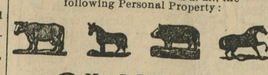
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PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
PERSONALTY

THE undersigned, intending to discontinue farming, will sell without reserve on the Churn Creek farm, near Worton Station, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 6th, 1908,

commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following Personal Property :



24 HEAD

Horses, Mules and Colts

One pair mules, 8 years old, as good as can be found anywhere. One pair Mules 5 years old, well broken and good workers. Three 2-year-old Mules. One spring Mule Colt.

Belton, a fine 6-year-old stallion, natural pacer out of a well-bred mare, can pace a mile in 30 to 40 and has never been trained. Happy George, 8-year-old sorrel stallion out of a good 40 mare, sire folder, gentle and will work anywhere. Three young Mares in foal by Belton, good workers. Kentucky, a 5-year-old mare, good driver. One pair of bay horses 10 years old, good workers and fair drivers. A number of other good mares ranging from 6 to 11 years old. Four Colts from weanlens to 2 year olds.

24 Head of Fine Cattle

Two 2-year-old Bulls, one Hereford and one Jersey. The cattle are mostly young and among them are some good milkers and heifers. Three two-year-old Steers.

A Lot of Fine Shotes

FARMING IMPLEMENTS :

1 Johnson Reaper, used two seasons, almost as good as new; 1 McCormick Mower, in good order; 1 Bickford & Huffman Drill, 1 Randall Harrow, 1 Iron Roller, nearly new; 1 Hay Rake, 1 Peach Wagon, 2 Seat Carriage, 1 Speed Cart, Harrows, Cultivators, Harness, Single and Double Trees, Forks, Hoes, Shovels, Spades and other articles usually kept on a well stocked farm. ONE PIANO.

TERMS OF SALE.—On all sums of $10.00 and under, cash ; on all sums over that amount a credit of Eight Months will be given on bankable note with approved security and interest added from day of sale. No property to be removed until the terms are complied with.

JAMES T. IRELAND.
J. H. GREENWOOD, Auctioneer. d28-ts

FOR RENT—My "Churn Creek" farm is for rent for 1908.

JAMES T. IRELAND.
Worton R. F. D. No. 3.

Sheriff's Sale

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Fieri Facias issued by the Circuit Court of Kent county at the suit of S. Grollman against the goods and chattels of Herbert Kennedy of Kent Co., Md., to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said Kennedy, and

On MONDAY, January 13, 1908,

Beginning at 10.30 a. m., I will sell the FOLLOWING PERSONAL PROPERTY:

On the Shallcross Farm, near Locust Grove, Kent county, Md.



9 HORSES AND COLTS

Bay mare Maud, 9 years old; bay mare, Fannie 9 years old; bay horse, Dan, 10 years old; brown mare, Lady, 11 years old; bay horse, Grover, 10, years old; black mare, Flora, 9 years old; bay mare, Midget, 3 years old; three colts, one 2 years old and two 1 year old.

8 HEAD OF COWS

2 Farm Wagons, Dearborn, Drill, Fan, Corn Sheller, Hay Rake, Binder, Hog Scalder, Feed Grinder, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Harness, etc. One-half interest in 54 acres of corn.

TERMS—Cash.

ANDREW MEDDERS, Late Sheriff.

January Sale

Is on at February prices. We have too much stock and must unload; ¼ and ⅓ off 55 per cent. ¼ off heavy Suits, Overcoats and Trousers. $12 to $35 Suits now $9 to $26 25. $5 to $40 Overcoats, now $3 75 to $30. ¼ off Boys' and Little Boys' heavy Suits, Overcoats, Reefers, and Trousers. Small lots, broken lots and sizes in our Men's ⅓ price Suit Sale at $5, $6, $7.50, $9 and $10, all sizes, 33 to 50, regulars and stouts. Clean up sale in Hats, Shoes and Furnishings, Underwear and Shirts. Come in at once and get the choice.

Biggest Because Best MULLIN'S Clothing Hats Wilmington Shoes

Tax Notice

Interest will be charged on all

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PUBLIC SA
—OF VALUABLE—
Leasehold Prop
On Washington Avenu
Chestertown, Md.

UNDER and by Virtue of a Decree of the ...cuit Court for Kent county, State of ... land, the undersigned as trustee named in ... decree passed in a cause therein pendin... which Clarence Brown, et. al. are parties p... tiff, and Kate Brown et. al. are parties de... dant, will sell at public auction at the C... House door in Chestertown, Kent county, Md.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4th, A. D., 190

at 12 o'clock, noon of said day, all the leasehold interest, being the unexpired term of 99 years from the 1st day of January A. D., 1888, as set out in a lease of said premises by the Visitors and Governors of Washington College to Horace Brown duly recorded in Liber S. B. No. 5, folio 579, &c., of the land records for said Kent county and subject to all the restrictions of said lease, and to all that parcel of land and premises designated on the plot of said College lands as lot No. 15, which plot is recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county aforesaid in Liber S. B. No. 4, folio 224, &c., the same immediately adjoining the leasehold premises of Wm. E. Jarrell, Esq., and the leasehold lands of Thomas W. Ellason, Esq., located on the West side of Washington avenue and opposite residence of Marion deK. Smith, Esq., in Chestertown, Kent County, Md.

This lot fronts on said Avenue a distance of (3 1-5) three and one-fifth perches and has an even depth of (6) six perches as set out in said lease of said premises.

This lot is located in the best residence section of Chestertown and is highly desirable either as an investment or as a location for a residence The lot is now without improvements and possession can be given immediately on ratification of the sale thus enabling the purchaser to make such improvements on or other disposition of the lot as may be desirable.

TERMS OF SALE:—The terms of sale as prescribed by the decree are, One-third of purchase money cash on day of sale, and the remainder in two equal payments with interest thereon from day of sale, in six and twelve months from day of sale or all cash at the option of the purchaser All deferred payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. Deed at purchaser's cost.

d14-ts JOHN D. URIE Trustee.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE LOTS OF LAND
IN CHESTERTOWN, MD.

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Theodore F. Dill and wife to Carolene L. Hynson, dated on the 30th day of August, 1890, which mortgage was duly recorded among the land records of Kent county in Liber S. B., No. 13, Folio 562, etc., and was duly assigned by the said Carolene L. Hynson to Wm. M. Slay, as will appear by reference to said land records, the undersigned, as assignee, will offer at public sale at the Court House Door in Chestertown, Maryland on

Saturday, Jan. 18, 1908

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.,

All that Lot of Land

situated on the southeast side of College avenue extended, having a front on said avenue of fifty-seven feet and a depth of even width of one hundred and forty-eight feet, and adjoining the property of Walter Allcott and others.

This lot of land is improved by TWO FRAME DWELLING HOUSES, one of which is a double house, usually occupied by two families, and the other is a single house which has recently been put in fair repair, and will be offered as a whole and also in two lots, with the frontage of each made known on day of sale.



THE TERMS OF SALE will be one half of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the balance, with interest on the deferred payment, in six months from day of sale, and to be secured by note with approved security ; or all cash, at option of purchaser.

WM. M. SLAY, ASSIGNEE.

At the same time and place, and on the same terms as above set forth, the undersigned, as attorney for Mrs. Carolene L. Hynson, will offer at public sale the following properties :

NO. 1.—ALL THAT DESIRABLE LOT, PART OF A LOT OR PARCEL OF GROUND, situated on the southeast side of Front or Water street, opposite the residence of Charles J. Reiche, and known or called the "REDUE PROPERTY," adjoining the property of the heirs of the late Hiram Brown and others, having a front on said Front street of 67 feet, more or less, with a depth of even width of 148 feet. The improvements are in ordinary repair and consist of an OLD STYLE BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, but the lot of land is a very desirable site on which to erect a cosy home, having a deep lot running back to the steamboat wharf property.



NO. 2 is the leasehold interest in ALL THAT LOT OR PART OF A LOT of Washington College land, situated on the east side of College Avenue, adjoining other college land and the leasehold property of the heirs of the late James White, deceased. This lot was formerly held and occupied by Alexander Taylor's heirs, and fronts on the avenue — feet and runs back — feet, and is without improvements. The annual of rent on this land is thirty-one cents during the term.

WM. M. SLAY, ATTORNEY.

Dec. 21, 1907—ts.

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