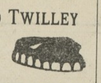
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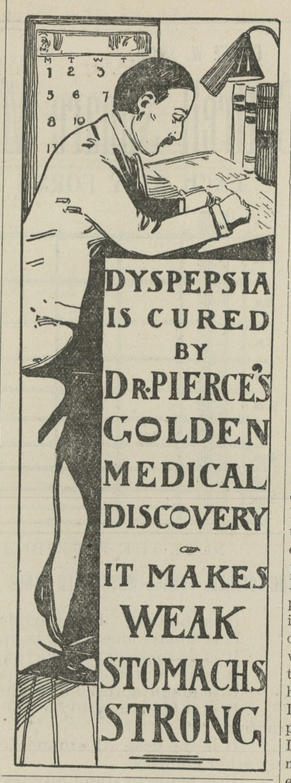
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KENT HAD THE LION'S SHARE.

Of United States Senatorships—Has Furnished Five Incumbents.

Baltimore Evening News says:

—In the Hon. Isidor Rayner the city of Baltimore gets its eighth United States Senator, although it might also claim a ninth in John Eager Howard of Baltimore county, whose home was on the outskirts of the city. The days of the Eastern Shore in the Upper House of Congress have gone, and that section of the State, which long claimed and was accorded one-half of the representation from Maryland in that body, bids fair for generations to come to be passed over as lightly as Southern Maryland in Senatorial elections. It has often been said that the Eastern Shore lost its ancient "right" in 1896, when, as well as at the succeeding Legislative session of 1898, the Republican favorite sons on that side of the bay were unable to agree upon a Senator among themselves, and while they quarrelled over the bone it was taken possession of by the Western Shore. In this instance, too, the fate which pursues a house divided against itself is seen. With three Senatorial candidates from the Eastern Shore, the weaker of whom would not yieid to the third, a situation was created which has ended in the election of Mr. Rayner Is is safe to assume that the old time prestige of that section of the State in Democratic and State affairs has gone, never, perhaps, to return. Like Southern Maryland, it is evidently destined to become richer in memories of its great men than in their present possession, so far as prominenence, in public affairs goes.

Among the counties, the accord for Senatorials sons, in number and in length of service, is held by Eastern Shore shires—Talbot and Kent. Caroline is one in that section which has never had a Senator and the much younger Wicomico is the only other. Kent has had five; Cecil, two; Queen Anne's, one; Talbot, six; Dorchester, one; Somerset, one, and Worcester, two. Harford, Carroll, Calvert and St. Mary's are the Western Shore counties that do not appear in the Senatorial lift. Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Howard, Frederick, Charles and Alleghany have had one Senator, and Washington and Prince George's, two.

The Maryland Senators begin with Charles Carroll of Carrollton. from Anne Arundel, and from that section of Anne Arundel which is now Howard, and John Henry of Dorchester. These served in the First Congress, and in the Second Carroll resigned and Richard Potts of Frederick succeeded him. In the Fourth Congress Potts resigned and was succeeded by Col. John Eager Howard. In the Fifth Congress, Henry, who had been re-elected for a second term, resigned to become Governor, and James Lloyd of Kent was chosen by the Legislature for the unexpired term. After two years' service Lloyd resigned, and William Hindman of Talbot succeeded to the vacancy in the Sixth Congress. He sat in the Senate less than four months, and Robert Wright of Queen Anne's was the next choice of the Legislature for the Eastern Shore Senatorsnip. In the Eighth Congress Howard, who had served from November, 1796, to March, 1803, and had been president pro tem of the Senate, lost his seat to General Samuel Smith. Gen. Smith was then made president pro tem in the Ninth Congress, and Wright, who left the Senate to become Governor, was followed by Philip Reed of Kent, the Revolutionary hero, who was afterward to achieve fame as the defendor of Caulk's Field. General Smith remained in the Senate for 12 years, and in 1809, when the Legislative deadlocked on his successor, received a Gubernational appointment during the recess of that body—a method of filling vacancies under like conditions which gave the Senate much trouble for many years, until recently settled in the "Sagebrush State," Quay and other cases by the Senate refusing to admit recess appointees where the Legislature had disregarded its duty to elect. In the Thirteenth Congress at the end of Smith's tenure, his colleague—Reed—was succeeded by Robert Henry Goldsborough of Myrtle Grove, in Talbot.

Robert Goodloe Harper of Baltimore city followed Smith for a few months, and was, upon his resignation, succeeded by Alexander Contee Hanson of Montgomery, the Federalist who had brought on the mob riots of 1812 in Baltimore, and had been one of the victims of that violence at the City Jail, which had such a notable effect upon public opinion throughout the country in the early part of the second war with Great Britian.

Hanson's health had been ruined as a result of the brutalities inflicted upon him, and he died in 1819. William Pinkney, the greatest of Maryland lawyers, who followed him, died also while in the Senate, three years later. The same Congress which witnessed the untimely death of Pinkney, the Sixteenth, also saw the entrance into the Senate of Edwin Lloyd, of Talbot, as the successor of Goldsborough, the aristocratic "Monsieur Fiddle Faddle" of Myrtle Grove, who was the last thoroughbred type of the old Maryland Federalist in the Senate. Smith again served in the Senate from the Seventeenth to the Twenty-third Congress, his colleague from the Eastern Shore, after the resignation in 1825 of Lloyd, being the profound jurist, Ezekiel Chambers, of Chestertown, in Kent. Smith was President pro tem. of the Twentieth Congress. Govenor Joseph Kent, of Bladensburg, in Prince George's followed General Smith, and had as his colleague in the Twenty-third Congress, Goldsborough, of Myrtle Grove, elected by the Legislature for the unexpired term of Judge Chambers. Goldsborough died in 1836, and the Eastern Shore succession was then taken up by John Selby Spence of Berlin, in Worcester. The following year Kent was killed at Bladensburg by an accident, William D. Merrick, of Allan's Fresh, in Charles, entered the Senate in the Twenty-fifth Congress. The death of Spence, in 1840, brought John Leeds Kerr, of Easton, in Talbot, into the Twenty-sixth Congress as a Senator, and he served till March, 1843. Maulsby of Carroll and the Democratic House at Annapolis were unable to secure a joint convention with the Whig Senate, under the lead of Ricaud of Kent and no Senator was elected in Kerr's place until the following winter, when the Whigs captured both houses of General Assembly and elected James Alfred Pearce of Chestertown, in Kent. Merrick was succeeded in the Twenty-ninth Congress by another great lawyer, Reverdy Johnson, and upon Johnson's appointment to the Cabinet of Taylor as Attorhey-General, in 1849, David Stewart, also of Baltimore city, was appointed to the recess vacancy. The Legislature elected Thomas G. Pratt of Prince George's, whose post-office was Annapolis, to fill out Johnson's unexpired term, and he entered the Senate in the Thirty-first Congress. In the Thirty-fifth he was displaced by the election of Anthony Kennedy, of Know-Nothing predilections, who hailed both from Baltimore city and Ellicott's Mills.

The termination of Kennedy's term, in 1863, followed soon after the death of James Alfred Pearce, whose service of 20 years in the Senate from Maryland ranks in length second only to that General Smith, and is equaled only by that of Senator Arthur Pue Gorman. It is said that Senator Pearce once practically declined the Presidency, which high office he appears to have been the only Marylander heretofore reasonably certain of attaining. Pearce was followed in the Senate, during the war period by Gov. Thomas Holliday Hicks, whose term was cut short within two years by his death. Reverdy Johnson succeeded Kenney, but again left the Senate for another post of honor, this time the mission to Great Britain; and William Pinkney Whyte of Baltimore city followed him, by Gubernatorial appointment, until the election by the Legislature of William T. Hamilton. Whyte served in the Senate during the Fortieth Congress, and the Eastern Shore, which had sent John A. J. Creswell to serve out Hicks' term, replaced Creswell in this Congress with Governor Philip Frances Thomas of Easton, in Talbot county, whom the Senate refused to admit for alleged disloyalty duriug the Civil War. Then the Eastern Shore fixed upon George Vickers, of Chestertown, in Kent county, who was hurried to Washington in time to vote upon the articles of impeachment in the case of Andrew Johnson and to insure the acquital of the President.

Governor Whyte served a term in succession to Hamilton, and then began the noteworthy Senatorial career of Arthur P. Gorman. Vickers was followed by Dr. George R. Dennis of Kingston, in Somerset county, and he by James Black Groom, of Cecil; and in the Forty-ninth Congress the Eastern Shore sent to the Senate Ephraim King Wilson of Snow Hill, in Worcester county. Senator Wilson died just after he had been elected for a second term, and Charles Hopper Gibson of Talbot was appointed by Governor Elihu E. Jackson. The Eastern Shore idea had its last exemplification at the session of the Legislature in 1892, when Governor Jackson, John Walter Smith and Gibson were the candidates, and the latter was elected by a coup of the managers such as they did not attempt at Annapolis in the recent contest. The Republican ascendancy of 1896 resulted in the election of George L. Wellington, of Alleghany as Gibson's successor, and that of 1898 in the election of Louis E. McComas of Washington instead of Gorman. Democratic supremacy in 1902 and the abandonment of the Eastern Shore idea by the Demorats returned Gorman as Wellington's successor, and McComas will be followed by Rayner.

It is curious to note that a United States Senatorship, for which in these days such gigantic struggles are seen, was not very highly valued in the early period of the Republic. A Governorship or a judgeship had greater attractions then than a Senatorship. Now few Senators die, and none resign.

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SASSAFRAS.

Mr Harry Simmons is suffering with umbago.

Mrs. Frederick Robertson visited Sasasfras on Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Merritt, of Golts, visited Sassafras on Friday

Mr. A. Wilson Cochran has been quite sick for the past week.

Mr. Louis P. Atwell was the guest of Mr. Sheppard Morris on Tuesday.

Mr. Baynard Jones, of Wilmington, visited his home here from Saturday until Monday.

Skating was resumed here to-day and it's fine since the recent return of freezing weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis C. Price were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffith on Monday.

Miss Bessie Gunkel, of Warwick, visited her sister, Mrs. John F. Ernest on Wednesday.

Messrs. Thomas Massey and Samuel Price were guests of Mr. Fredrick Gressort on Tuesday.

Mrs and Mrs. Phemies Jones are entertaining their daughter and Miss Minnie Smith, of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Atwell and son were the guests of herbrother, Mr. Robert Johnston, near town.

Mrs. Robert S. Griffith was entertained on Saturday by his son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith at a family dinner, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. H. Price, of near Warwick, were the guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Ernest on Thursday last.

Mr. Robert S. Griffith and friend, of Pittsburg, Pa., are being entertained by his sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Staats, near town.

Mrs. Rachel Stradley who has been on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Murray, of Philadelphia, returned home on Thursday.

Mr. Robert S. Griffith was entertained at a family dinner on Sunday by his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Staats, near town.

Mrs. Robert S Griffith visited her sister, Mrs. Agnes McCall, of Chester, Pa., several day lasts week, who is lying critically ill with pneumonia.

The business of Mr. John F. Ernest, our popular merchant here, has increased so much in the past year, he contemplates building an annex to his store.

Messrs. Samuel Price, Frederick Gressort, Thomas Massey and Senard Gillispie were the guests of Mr. John Dorsey, near Warwick, on Friday last.

Mrs. John F. Ernest, Mrs. Frank Bablett ann Mr. Robert S. Griffith attended the funeral of Mr. Stephen Boyer on Tuesday and rendered some sweet singing during the services.

Mr. Johnston had his horse stolen from him on Saturday evening. He was at Dr. Scott's, at Galena, and some party unhitched the horse and took it, but fortunately Mr. Johnston found it below Galena on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lucas, formerly of Sassafras, but now residing at Mt. Pleasant, had a son who died at Philadelphia Hospital on last Wednesday. It is very sad, about this time last year he lost another son Mr. Lucas is a brother of Mrs. John Clothier, of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Robertson entertained at a leap year social on Wednesday evening last under the auspices of the M. E. Church, and quite a neat sum was realized. There was over one hundred invited out to the elaborate supper and everything served that constitutes an elegant collation. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson were untiring in their attention to make the evening's entertainment a success, and it was one of the most elegant functions served this winter, both financially and socially.

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All big fires in the United States have occurred on Sundays, as will be seen by the following table :

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February 9, (Snnday) 1902—The Paterson, N. J., fire. Burned for fifteen hours, over twenty-five blocks. Loss, $8,000,000.

February 7, (Sunday) 1904—The Baltimore fire. Estimated loss anywhere from $150,000,000 to $200,000,000.

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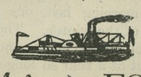
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