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EDITORS,

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1904.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT:

JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER,

OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT:

HON. HENRY G. DAVIS,

OF WEST VIRGINIA.

FOR CONGRESS FROM THE FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:

HON. THOMAS A. SMITH,

of Caroline County.

Notice to All Democrats.

The Democratic State Central Committee for Kent county hereby gives notice that our party should be thoroughly and efficiently organized for the election on Nov. 8th, 1904. Each of the "Parker, Davis and Smith Democratic Leagues" in the county are urged to send a list of its officers and the members of each League to Adam F. Huey, Chairman of the State Central Committee for Kent county, Maryland. In this way thorough organization can be made and a union formed between the different districts in the county for mutual help and work.

Address all communications to Adam F. Huey, Masseys, Md.

A. F. HUEY,
JOHN M. COMEGYS,
SAM'L J. WICKES,
State Central Committee for Kent county, Md.

THIRD DISTRICT

Democratic League Meeting,

GEARS AND SHEETS' HALL,

WORTON,

THIS SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 1st, 1904,

EIGHT O'CLOCK.

An endeavor is being made to secure interesting speakers for the occasion. All are cordially invited to attend.

GUY TURNER, Sec'y.

CHAIRMAN TAGGART, of the National Democratic Committee says: "We shall be successful, but we must not be overconfident." Chairman Cortleyou, of the National Republicain Committee says: "We shall be successful, but we must not be overconfident." Now who's right? Wait till the morning of November 9th.

IF THE REPUBLICANS of the other counties of the State are no more active in the support of the various candidates than they are in Kent there'll be very little chance of Maryland going Republican. In fact the Republican party in Kent seems to be about to lose its indentity, and Col. Smith, the Democratic nominee for Congress, may expect to carry Kent this fall by 250 majority.

IN ORDER to be elected Parker and Davis must carry Maryland, New York, Indiana, West Virginia, New Jersey and Wisconsin. Now can they do it? We believe they can. They have the solid South. That's 151 electoral votes. The Republicans concede Maryland. That's 8. Taggart will carry Indiana. That's 15. Hill will carry New York. That's 39. Davis will carry West Virginia. That's 7, and LaFollette will give us Wisconsin. That's 13. Add all these together and we'll all land Parker and Davis in the White House by 254 electoral votes.

MOMENTO OF 1904.

Hon. Murray Vandiver, Chairman of the State Central Committee, will kindly accept our thanks for a momento of the campaign of 1904. It is a watch—a splendid time keeper—on which is inscribed the words, "Democracy or Plutocracy." Accompanying the momento was the following suggestive note:

"Knowing that the time in you office is Parker and Davis time, I send you under separate cover a momento of the campaign of 1904, with the hope that when six o'clock P. M., as indicated thereon on the 8th of November, the American people will have registered their verdict in favor of Democratic principles and policies."

Yours very truly,
MURRAY VANDIVER,
Chairman.

We'll do our best to be there with the goods, General, when the roll of counties is called.

EVERY ONE who is entitled to vote, but who is not registered or transferred to the proper precinct or district, should not fail to attend to the matter on Tuesday next, October 4, or the following Tuesday, Oct. 11. These are the only registration days this year. Voters attend to this matter.

TO OPEN CAMPAIGN OCTOBER 4.

The Democratic campaign in Maryland will be formally opened with a big meeting at the Lyric on the evening of October 4. Senator-elect Isidor Rayner will be one of the speakers and will be accompanied by at least one other orator of national reputation.

Chairman Vandiver made this announcement Tuesday, at the same time revoking all other rumors or unofficial announcements by whomsoever given. The chairman delayed setting the date until he had conferred with the Senator-elect and arranged with him for a time when the latter could positively attend.

So the campaign will be opened by Mr. Rayner, and Senator Gorman will probably close it, although this is not yet certain. Mr. Vandiver has engaged the Lyric for four dates during the campaign, the first being October 4 and the last November 5. Mr. Gorman has promised to deliver one speech in Maryland, which will be his only public utterance during this campaign, and it will be one of the latter dates, but the time will probably not be finally fixed until about a week in advance.

In addition to Messrs. Rayner and Gorman, Marylanders will have opportunities this fall to hear some of the best Democratic orators in the country. Chairman Vandiver has already secured the pledges of former Senator Charles A. Towne, Senators Culberson and Baily of Texas, Mr. W. Bourke Cockran and Congressman John Sharp Williams, and like Oliver Twist, he is calling for more. These speakers will be distributed over the four Lyric dates.

EXTRACTS FROM SPEECH OF HON. THOMAS A. SMITH.

"The Republican party seeks to lull our people into slumber by the soothing songs of 'Prosperity,' and at the same time it is stabbing them in the back and sapping their very life blood with an onerous tariff system which is both unjust and indefensible. While our people may be in some cases receiving more for what they sell, this is counteracted by more than a proportionate increase in the prices at which they purchase.

"The race question has been made an issue in both national and State campaigns, and the responsibility of its being an issue lies at the door of the Republican party. They inaugurated it when they gave to the negroes of the country the elective franchise before they were ready for it, and because they were unfit to exercise the right of suffrage their votes became a menace to good government inasmuch as their votes were influenced by prejudice and not by reason. The negro at that moment and by that unparalleled action became and issue, and President Roosevelt, by his effort to place him on social equality with the Anglo-Saxon race has intensified the problem.

"There is another issue, in this Congressional district at least, the importance of which cannot be overlooked. I refer to the lavish expenditure of money on election day to corrupt the voters. We can all see the tendency of this pratice. Money becomes a determining factor, and merit and qualification often are disregarded or become a secondary consideration. When two years ago I cast my vote for that fearless champion of an unpurchasable electorate, who made his campaign for the office for which you have nominated me as an avowed enemy of corrupt politics—I repeat I never cast a vote with which I felt better satisfied than when I deposited my ballot for Hon. James E. Elegood and for honest manhood. I heartily favor such means as will result in the elimination of money for the corruption of the voter and place the electorate on a plane which would scorn the offer of the bribe."

"The attitude of the Democratic party has always been and is to-day the antithesis of the Republican position. We favor a tariff for revenue only to meet the expenses of the Government when honestly and economically administered. Any other kind of tariff is merely robbery, because it takes from the pocket of the consumer that which belongs to him and not to another. Using the language of one of our great daily papers, 'the Republican party which insists that the tariff should be revised by its friends, has made its friendly revisions ten times since the close of the war, and the average duty is now higher than it was 40 years ago.'"

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Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of Administration upon the personal estate of

JAMES O. HARRISON,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of March, 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 13th day of September 1904.

WILLIAM T. HARRISON, JR.,
s17-4t. Administrator.

TO THE

TAX-PAYERS

Of Kent County.

TREASURER'S OCTOBER SITTINGS.

IN pursuance of an Act of Assembly, passed at the January session, 1894, Chapter 203, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that for the purpose of receiving the

State and County Taxes

in said county for the year 1904, he will sit for the first October Sitting, in the several Election Districts on

Monday, Oct. 10, Rock Hall and Edesville.
S. J. Wickes' store 9 to 12. S. Burgess' Store 1 to 3

Wednesd'y, Oct 12, Millington
At C. M. Hurtt's Store.

Thursday, Oct. 13, Betterton
At Turner & Son's Store.

Friday Oct. 14, Still Pond
At Wm. Parr's Store.

Saturday Oct. 15, Quaker N'k
At Geo. Haddaway's Store.

Monday, Oct. 17, Fairlee
At Kilbourn & Warren's Store.

☞ Between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M. At all other times will be at Treasurer's office in Chestertown.

The Treasurer's office in Chestertown will not be open on the above days.

The Treasurer's office in the Court House will be open every day except on the above dates from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. for the receipt of taxes. Taxpayers will please take notice that taxes will be due and payable Sept. 1st, and that on all bills unpaid on January 1st interest will be charged and collected from September 1st. On the first day of January all taxes unpaid are declared by law to be in arrears, and delinquents will be warned that unless settlement in full be made before April 1st, the claims against them will be placed in the hands of the sheriff of the county, who will proceed to seize and sell their property to pay the taxes due with charges and all costs of sale. The Treasurer would therefore respectfully urge all tax-payers to pay promptly.

WALTER H. HADAWAY,
Sept. 1. Treasurer.

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Supervisor's Notice

—TO—

Registrars of VOTERS.

THE Registrars of Voters for Kent County are hereby notifified to call at the office of the Board of Supervisors of Election in Chestertown, on

Monday, October 3rd, 1904,

between the hours of 10.30 A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. to get their registration books and registration paraphernalia.

GEO. H. CANNAN, Prest.,
SAMUEL G. LEE,
JAMES P. DECOURSE,
Supervisors of Election for Kent county.
EDWARD ROBINSON, Clerk.

Supervisors' Notice

—OF—

QUALIFICATION OF JUDGES AND CLERKS OF ELECTION.

The Supervisors of Election for Kent County met at their office in the Court House on Tuesday, September 27, 1904, and qualified the following persons to be Judges and Clerks of Election, to be held in Kent County, Maryland, on Tuesday, November 8, 1904:

JUDGES OF ELECTION.

Second District—Second Precinct.
John N. Bennett, Rep.

Third District.
Harry Willis, Rep.

Fourth District—First Precinct.
John C. Davis, Rep.

Fifth District—Second Precinct.
John L. Lewis, Dem.

Seventh District.
Bartus Trew, Rep.

CLERKS OF ELECTION.

First District—First Precinct.
Jas. A. Donahoe, Dem.

Third District.
Harvey B. Moore, Dem.

Fourth District—First Precinct.
J. Hydie Thompson, Dem.

Fifth District—Second Precinct.
C. Frank Wheatley, Dem.

All Judges and Clerks who have been appointed and who have not qualified are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Supervisors of Election on

MONDAY, October 3rd, 1904,

between the hours of 10.30 A. M and 4 o'clock P.M., to be duly qualified.

By order of
GEO. H. CANNAN, Prest.,
SAMUEL G. LEE,
JAMES T. DECOURSE,
Supervisors of Election for Kent county.
EDWARD ROBINSON, Clerk.

NOTICE

OF ADDITIONAL APPOINTMENT OF

JUDGES AND CLERKS OF ELECTION FOR KENT COUNTY,

In Place of Those Excused From Serving.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the existing Election Laws of this State, the Supervisors of Election of Kent county hereby give notice that they have appointed as Judges and Clerks of Election the following named persons respectively, residing in the several election districts or precincts for which so appointed:

JUDGES OF ELECTION.

First District—First Precinct.
C. L. Turner, Rep., appointed in place of Charles W. England, Rep., who was excused from serving.

First District—Second Precinct.
Joseph E. Boyd, Rep., appoited in place of J. H. Hewitt, Rep., who was excused from serving.

CLERKS OF ELECTION.

Second District—First Precinct.
William Lipscomb, Rep., appointed in place of William P. Meredith, Rep., who was excused from serving.

The above parties and all others who have not done so are hereby notified to appear before the board and qualify on

MONDAY, Oct. 3rd, 1904

between the hours of 10.30 A. M. and 4 o'clock P.M. to be duly qualified.

By order of
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A. C. LOUD,
BRADFORD DUDLEY,
HARRY DAVIS,
LOUIS C. AYRES,
PERRY B. RASIN,
County Commissioners,
C. L. DODD, Clerk. a6-tf.

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Supervisors' Notice

—OF—

Registration of Voters

—WITH—

Names of Registrars and Dates and Places of Sitting.

THE Board of Supervisors of Election for Kent county, hereby give notice to the Voters of Kent county that the officers of Registration will sit in their respective districts or precincts of Kent county for the purpose of registering all qualified persons who shall apply in person to be registered in the Districts or Precincts in which they may reside, between the hours of eight (8) o'clock in the morning and seven (7) o'clock in the evening, upon the dates following, to wit:

FIRST SITTING,

Tuesday, October 4, '04,

SECOND SITTING,

Tuesday, October 11, 1904,

Said officers will meet as aforesaid for the sole purpose of Revising the registration on

Tuesday, October 18,

The General Election will be held in the Districts and Precincts aforesaid between the hours of eight (8) o'clock in the morning and six (6) o'clock in the afternoon of

Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1904.

The places where such Registration upon the dates aforementioned will be held in the respective Districts or Precincts, are as follows, viz:

FIRST DISTRICT, Millington Precinct—At Charles O. Cacy's Grain Office, (to be built) Sassafras Street, Millington, October 4 and October 11 for registration, and October 18 for revision.
GOVE EVERETT, Democrat,
EDGAR STEVENS, Republican.
Registrars.

FIRST DISTRICT, Galena Precinct—At Galena Band Hall, Galena, October 4 for registration and October 18 for revision only. At J. P. Shelton's Store Room, at Golt's, October 11 for registration only.
WM. A. HYLAND, JR., Democrat.
THEODORE DEMPSEY, Republican.
Registrars.

SECOND DISTRICT, First Precinct—At Wm. M. Lynch's Store Room, Kennedyville, October 4 and October 11 for registration, and October 18 for revision.
WILLARD S. DILL, Democrat,
H. D. McCLEARY, Republican.
Registrars.

SECOND DISTRICT, Second Precinct—At the Hotel, Kennedyville, October 4 and October 11 for registration, and October 18 for revision.
WM. M. HURLOCK, Democrat,
GEORGE W. ATWELL, Republican.
Registrars.

THIRD DISTRICT—At A. S. Turner's Store Room, Worton, October 4th, for registration, and same place October 18th for revision. At John H. Crew's dwelling, Betterton, October 11th, for registration.
THOMAS J. WILLIS, Democrat,
J. W. ATWELL, Republican.
Registrars.

FOURTH DISTRICT, First Precinct—At Hotel Pippinl on Park Row, Chestertown, October 4 and October 11 for registration, and October 18 for revision.
HARRY McWHORTER, Democrat,
W. S. CARROLL, Republican.
Registrars.

FOURTH DISTRICT, Second Precinct.—At Jacob F. Thompson's Store Room, on High Street Chestertown, October 4th and October 11 for registration, and October 18 for revision.
WM. F. MALIN, Democrat,
W. J. SAPPINGTON, Republican.
Registrars.

FIFTH DISTRICT, First Precinct—At Mrs. Wm. J. Porter's Store Room, Rock Hall, October 4 and October 11 for registration and October 18 for revision.
BENJ. H. COBURN, Democrat,
JOS. DOWNEY, Republican.
Registrars.

FIFTH DISTRICT, Second Precinct—At Samuel Burgess' Carriage Bazaar, Edesville, October 4 and October 11 for registration and October 18th for revision.
SAMUEL R. WAGNER, Democrat,
HARRY HUDSON, Republican.
Registrars,

SIXTH DISTRICT—At Walter B. Barnes' Store Room, Fairlee, October 4th and October 11th for registration and October 18 for revision.
WM. B. PLUMMER, Democrat.
H. P. JONES, Republican,
Registrars.

SEVENTH DISTRICT—At Wm. S. Scoone's Store Room, Pomona, October 4 and October 11 for Registration, and October 18 for revision.
VICTOR HENDRICKSON, Democrat,
I. R. LEAVERTON, Republican.
Registrars.

TUESDAY, Oct. 18,

is for Revision Only.

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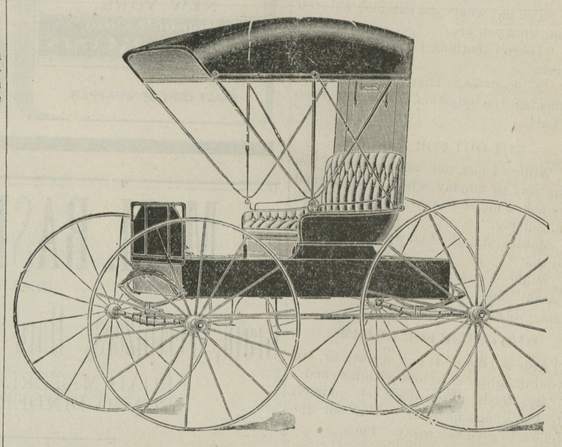

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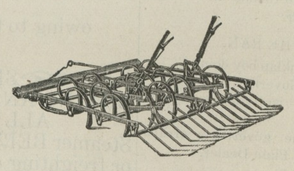

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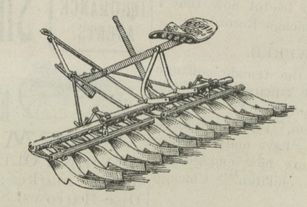

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