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CHESTERTOWN, MD., - OCTOBER 21, 1899.

EX-SENATOR HEPBRON spent Thursday night in town. He says the prospect is good for a big majority for the whole county ticket. Mr. B. H. Coburn also gives a glowing account of the prospect in the fifth district, while Mr. C. S. Hurlock thinks the first district will do better than for years.

THE Republican papers in Baltimore—the American and News—are claiming a goodly proportion of the independent vote of the city for Lowndes. This may be correct so far as the independent Republican vote is concerned, but we feel assured that it is not true as regards the independent Democratic vote. That will be solid for John Walter Smith. And we believe many independent Republicans, in the interest of good government will also vote the Democratic ticket.

THE REGISTRATION.

A Democratic Gain of Nearly One Hundred In Kent!

The following figures show the results of the registration in Kent. The stricken off includes the removed and dead :

DISTRICTS :	N'w'ly Reg W'te	N'w'ly Reg Col'd	Sticken Off W'te	Sticken Off Col'd
1st Dist., Millington..	43	19	42	16
" Galena.....	57	23	35	25
2d Dist., Kenne'yville	74	39	56	29
3rd Dist., Worton.....	52	13	36	32
4th Dist., Chestertown	74	49	27	21
5th Dist., Rock Hall...	46	19	32	15
6th Dist., Fairlee.....	39	32	30	18
7th Dist., Pomona. ...	23	12	38	24
Total.....	408	206	296	180

Net gain White, 112 ; Colored, 26.

Net Democratic gain, allowing one-seventh of new white voters to be Republican, 86.

The Herald's Politics.

Our esteemed city contemporary, the Baltimore Morning Herald, devotes over a half column editorial in its issue of Thursday to "enlightening an Eastern Shore contempory"—the KENT NEWS—to prove that we were illogical in our conclusion that the Herald is a "full-pledged Republican paper." Its argument is that its support of Williams and Hayes for mayor, both of whom were Democrats, did not make it a Democratic journal, no more than does its support of Lowndes now make it a Republican journal. Is it possible that this wide-awake journal can see no difference between a mayoralty election and a State or Presidental election? The Herald may very properly drop its Republicanism—or its independence, if you please—and support local officials on the other side when it is so clearly manifest, as in the cases cited, that it is for the public good. We supported a leading Republican, Col. Vannort—at our last town election as a "city father," and our politics were not at all compromised in so doing. It was purely a non-political office. The Herald can do the same in Baltimore. But when it declares in favor of a certain political candidate for Governor of the State—the imperial Lloyd Lowndes—one of the most ultra Republicans in the State, and the candidate of a political party with large political patronage, then we draw the line on it and declare it "a full-fledged Republican journal." The Herald knows better than we can tell it that Lowndes' election as Governor of Maryland would be a purely partizan victory—it would be used to further intrench Republicanism in the State and make sure of a National victory next year. Governor Lowndes' candidacy is not only for the success of Republicanism, but we regret to say that it has been shown that it is to be used as a "stepping stone" for the Governor to higher honors for himself. Wellington's treatment clearly shows this.

The Herald further knows as well, if not better that we do—that John Walter Smith's election is fraught with no danger to the State, but is rather for her highest good. Therefore, we see nothing more than politics in the Herald's support of Mr. Lowndes.

The Outlook in Kent.

The prospect is good for a grand Democratic victory in Kent.

The greatest danger to the Democracy is from over confidence.

We have every reason to be confident, it is true, but this should make us work all the harder, as "our friends, the enemy," are the more desperate as they see success slipping from their grasp.

We have had a splendid registration and our party is united and enthusiastic. There are no "mugwumps" in our ranks—no Cabell Bruces or John Cowans—to prate about their Democracy and hunt for office and always co-operate with the Republicans when the Democrats will not reward them.

Only two weeks more remain before the election and it is the duty of every Democrat to be active in arrangements to get voters to the polls. A full vote only is now needed to secure a great Democratic triumph in Kent.

FAIRLEE W. C. T. U. will hold their regular monthly meeting on Saturday, Oct. 28th, at the residence of Mrs. Minnie Bramble Members and friends of the cause invited.

CHESTERTOWN M. E. CHURCH.
Rev. E. C. Sunfield, Pastor.

9.30 A. M.—Class, Bro. McIntyre, leader.
10.30 A. M.—Sermon, "The Dreamer and His Dream."
2.15 P. M.—Sunday School.
6.45 P. M.—Epworth League.
7.30 p. m.—Revival Sermon, "Lost Money and Its Finder.
All are cordially invited to these services.

WANAMAKER'S.

Philadelphia, Monday, October 16, 1899.

Low-price Dress Goods Fancy dress goods at 25c — your neighbors could not tell them from 50c (or more) stuff.

Serge for 37½c, navy blue only, and 38 inches wide.

Also at 37½c some ribbed poplin that we used to sell for more than twice as much, but we could not charge you that now because the fabric is not new—so far as this store is concerned. It is new, however, to a great many people, and perhaps you have never seen any of it before. As a matter of fact we have material that looks almost exactly like this in another part of the store for $1 a yard, with more wool in it.

Some light weight all wool serges, such as we sell all the year round and are worn all the year round (with light lining for in-doors and heavy lining for out-doors), 35c for 38-inch width. This fabric is an old stand-by, and we shall be selling it fifty years from now if we are in business.

Some brown gray plaid cheviots at 45c a yard.

Some green checked cheviots, all wool, but not, in our judgment, a good color for the average person. 15c.

We did not buy this by mistake—we knew it was not a good color when we bought it, but we thought some one would be very glad to get it for 15c, and the color might be just right for that person.

Carpets You won't find in Philadelphia half so many patterns of Wiltons and Axminsters under one roof; and that is a reason for coming here—no matter about the other reasons.

If you come with the intention of buying, you will buy. The stock is made with that purpose and result.

Axminsters $1.10, $1.35, $1.65, $2, $3 and $3.50.

Wiltons, $2.50.

Velvets, solid colors, $1.50.

Other velvets in patterns 90c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.35.

Lowell Axminster we consider the coming Axminster. When a bureau-caster crushes it down, it comes up again of itself.

Clothing for Men Here's a problem for men to figure out for themselves: Where is the best-looking and best-wearing and best-fitting suit apt to come from—the best looking and the one that will wear longest? From the man that gets so much for every garment

he turns out—working by the piece? or from the man that works by the week—sure of his wages, so that his work is done well?

The clothing we are proudest of is made in a clean, well-lighted factory that pays the workmen by the week, so that no hurry work may skimp the goodness of the clothing. This is why we dare say of John Wanamaker clothing: "Bring back the suit that does not do what it ought to."

These fancy worsted suits at $15—you'll find such stuffs going into twenty-five dollar suits. The best of good fortune, we got the goods very low—and so do you.

Five styles of through-and-through worsted; in colors running to gray—mostly in stripes.

Then here are mixed cassimere and cheviot suits at $8.50, $10, $12 and $13.50; and finer suits, made of the stuffs that particular tailors use, and ask many more dollars for; splendidly and stylishly made; $16.50, $18, $20, and up to tip-top goodness at $30 a suit.

John Wanamaker.

Election Notice

To the Judges and Clerks of Election and Voters of Kent County.

NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Districts of Kent county between the hours of eight (8) o'clock in the morning and six (6) o'clock in the evening, on

TUESDAY, NOV. 7th, 1899.

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

First District.
Millington Precinct.
Mallalieu's Hotel,
Millington.

First District
Galena Precinct.
GALENA BAND HALL,
Galena.

Second Dist.
WEER'S WARE-ROOM.
Kennedyville.

Third District.
KIKER'S HALL,
Worton.

Fourth District.
Court House.
Chestertown.

Fifth District.
DOWNEY'S HALL
Rock Hall.

Sixth District.
Kendall's Store Room.
Fairlee.

Seventh Dist.
BAKER'S SHOP,
Pomona.

Said election is to be held for the purpose of voting for public officers as follows:

One person to be Governor of the State of Maryland.

One person to be Comptroller of the Treasury of the State of Maryland.

One person to be Attorney General of the State of Maryland.

One person to represent Kent County in the Senate of the State of Maryland.

Two persons to represent Kent County in the House of Delegates of the State of Maryland.

One person to be State's Attorney for Kent County for the term of Four Years.

One person to be Sheriff of Kent County for the term of Two Years.

Three persons to be County Commissioners of Kent County for the term of Four Years.

One person to be Treasurer of Kent County for the term of Two Years.

Three persons to be Judges of the Orphan's Court for Kent County for the term of Four Years.

One person to be Surveyor of Kent County for the term of Two Years.

Also to vote for the adoption or rejection of Chapter 183, Acts of General Assembly of Maryland, passed at Session of 1898, said Act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State by adding a new section to Article 4 thereof to be known as Section 31 A.

Which proposed amendment is as follows:

CHAPTER 183.

AN ACT to amend the Constitution of Maryland, by adding a new Section to Article Four.

SECTION 1. *Be it Enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, (three-fifths of all the members of both houses concurring,) that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof, as hereinafter provided, the same shall stand as an additional section to Article 4 of said Constitution, to follow section 31 and to be known as Section 31 A.

31 A. In addition to the sum of five hundred dollars, which by the preceding section the Mayor and the City Council of Baltimore is authorized to pay to each of the Judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is further authorized to pay to each of said Judges annually, a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars; provided that the same or any part thereof, being once granted, shall not be diminished during the continuance of said Judges in office.

SECTION 2. *And Be it Further Enacted*, by the authority aforesaid, that the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be, at the next general election to be held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof, for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State ; and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot, there shall be written or printed the words, "For the Constitutional Amendment," and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," so that the voter may elect ; and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said fourteenth Article of the Constitution.

Approved April 9th, 1898.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LLOYD LOWNDES, Governor of the State of Maryland, in pursuance of the provisions of Section one of the Article fourteen of the Constitution of the State, do hereby order and direct that a copy of said Bill proposing said Constitutional Amendment be published in at least two newspapers in each county, where so many may be published, and where not more than one be published, then in that newspaper, and in three newspapers in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be in the German language, once a week for at least three months preceding the next ensuing general election, (which said general election will be held on Tuesday, the Seventh day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine,) at which election the said proposed amendment shall be submitted, in the form and manner prescribed by the General Assembly, to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

☞The Return Judges shall make their returns before 12 o'clock noon the second day after the election, that is to say, before Thursday noon following the Tuesday of the election, in the manner prescribed by the law, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court, to the County Commissioners, to the Board of Supervisors of Elections and to the Register of Wills of the County aforesaid.

By order
J. J. BLACKISTON, Pres't.
W. S. CARROLL,
JOHN BRICE,
Supervisors of Election.
M. W. THOMAS, Clerk.

WANTED FOR THE CASH.

Fat Hogs, pigs, fresh cows, calves and bulls wanted for cash. Southdown Bucks for hire or for sale. Stock ewes for sale.
JOHN GALE & SON, ag't.,
Hanesville, Md.

TRAVELERS TAKE NOTICE!

On and after WEDNESDAY the 25th inst., travel over CHESTER BRIDGE will be suspended to repair Draw of said Bridge, until repairs are complete—notice of which will be given. During repairs a Ferry scow will be provided for travellers accommodation.
JOHN F. GODWIN,
GEO. W. HATCHERSON,
Committee of joint meeting.
o21-tf. Attest:—T. WATERS RUSSELL, Sec'y.

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Departments all invite your inspection—each standing, as usual, in the very forerank for style, fit and quality.

Mr. FRANK ROEDER, who is widely known throughout the district, is in our service, and will be pleased to personally serve his many friends from this section.

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BETTERTON, MD.

PUBLIC SALE OF

HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE,

IN MILLINGTON.

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Orphans' Court of Kent county, Md., the undersigned as executrix of Anna C. Rasin, deceased, will offer at public sale

ON THURSDAY, October 26th, 1899,

at 2 o'clock P. M., in the town of Millington, at the late residence of the said Anna C. Rasin, deceased, the following Household Goods :

Parlor Furniture, Dining Room Furniture, Three Bedroom Suites, Beds, Mattresses, Bedsteads, Carpets, Stoves China and Glassware and many other articles of Household and Kitchen Furniture too numerous to mention.

TERMS—On sums of ten dollars, or under, cash ; on all sums over that amount a credit of ten months will be given on note, satisfactorily secured, payable in bank. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

M. HELEN RASIN,
o7—ts. Extrx. of Anna C. Rasin.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

A LOT OF LAND.

BY VIRTUE of competent authorith the undersigned as attorney for W. S. Maxwell and Daniel T. Gilbert, will sell at Public Sale to the highest bidder in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Kent county Maryland, on

TUESDAY, October 24th, 1899,

at Eleven o'clock a. m.,

House and Lot of Land

situated in the Third Election District of Kent county on a private road leading from Coleman's to Harris' Wharf. It adjoins the lands of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Waitle, which was lately occupied by Wm. J. Starlin, colored, and the lands of George Cotton. It contains about ONE-QUARTER OF AN ACRE.

TERMS OF SALE are one-half the purchase money cash on day of sale and the balance in twelve months from day of sale and to bear interest from day of sale.

o14-ts. WM. M. SLAY, Attorney.

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PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY!

THE UNDERSIGNED having rented property in Wilmington, Del., and intending to quit farming will sell on the farm where he now resides near Kennedyville, on

MONDAY, October 30th, 1899,

beginning at 10 A. M., the following personal property :

8 Head of HORSES,

all young, good workers and drivers.

ONE YEARLING COLT, Good Size.

16 Head of Milch Cows

all graded Holsteins.

ONE YEARLING HOLSTEIN BULL.

ONE SOW WITH NINE PIGS.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS!

1 Champion Binder, nearly new ; 1 Champion Mower, nearly new ; 1 horse rake ; 1 Farmers' Friend corn planter used one year ; 1 12-spout B. & H. drill ; 1 disk harrow ; 2 drag harrows, one 60-tooth and 1 50-tooth, nearly new ; 7 iron frame cultivators ; 1 roller in good condition ; 1 corn sheller ; 1 fan ; 1 3-horse Oliver chill plows ; 1 No. 19 Oliver chill plow ; 1 No. 103 South Bend ; 2 1-horse Oliver chill plows ; 14 sets plow harness ; 16 all hair collars ; 18 bridles ; 3 sets wagon harness ; 1 set dearborn harness ; 1 set carriage harness ; 1 Dearborn, nearly new ; 2 no-top buggies ; 3 farm wagons in good repair ; 1 peach wagon (60 baskets) and springs ; 1 grind stone ; 2 vises and work bench ; forks, shovels, hoes, spades, lot of carpenter's tools, mall wedges and 4 axes.

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.

3 Bedroom Suits, 1 Cook Stove and Cooking Utensils.

TERMS.—On sums of $10 and under cash. On all sums over that amount a credit of 11 months on note with approved security payable in bank.

JAMES BENNETT.
J. FORD CAULK, Auct.

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DEPARTMENT STORE

Has more of a variety than any store in the county. This has been a booming week at Thompson's and he has just what you like to see. Everything is complete in the Grocery, Provision and other lines and his prices are all O. K.

For American Granulated Sugar for to-day only			2 lbs. for 10c
Gold Dust per package	4c.	B. T. Babbit's soap	4c
Red Seal Lye per box	5c.	Red Seal Soap	5c
Brown's Soap 12 inch bar,	5c.	Lipp's Soap	11c
Pure Black Pepper	20c.	Condensed milk	9c
Corn Starch	3c.	Gambril's Flour at list price.	
Sweet Potatoes per basket	23c.	White Potatoes 35c.	Cabbage 3 to 5c
Apples only 20c. per basket.		Cooked ham	25c per lb
Pork, Beef and Tongue cooked.			
Lunch at Noon			15c

Bakery Department.

Mixed Cakes	25c per pound.	Lady Fingers	10c per doz.
Cream Puffs	2 for 5.	Pound Cake per lb.	18c
Cakes baked to order.			

WholeSale Department.

Penny Candy 100 in box	50c
Mixed Drops	8c per pound
Ginger and Sugar Cakes	65c per 100
Pies and 5c cakes	45c per dozen
Bananas per bunch	50 to 75c

Meat Department.

Beef Best Cuts 12c. Plate Beef 8c

We have just received 10,000 pounds of country middling and shoulders that we can sell cheap in 50 lb. lots. We pay the cash for lard, bacon, butter & eggs and would like to have 1000 dozen eggs.

Notion Department.

Large Heavy Blankets	60c per pair.	Something fine at	1.00
Comforts 75 and 1.00.		Bed Spreads	1.25
Overalls 50c elsewhere only 45c here.		Shirts 50c elsewhere here only 29c	
Hose, regular 10c goods, 4 pair for 25c.		Ladies' Underwear 29c per suit.	
Gentlemen's suits only 47c.		Boots that sold for 2.00 now only 1.50	
Shoes reduced 20 per cent.			

Our Bakery has been running at full speed since May 1st, and during the five months ending Oct. 1st

Our sales on bread alone have been 64,632 pounds, and about 15,000 lbs. fancy cake.

We are very proud of our success and attribute it to the well-known fact of its superior quality. Many thanks to the public in general, and now as the cool weather will impede our progress in the bread line we give our attention to Fancy Cakes and Pastry. If you will give us a chance we will show you some of the finest designs that can be made of dough and sugar.

Special attention given to orders for wedding cakes.

Yours with many thanks,

Opposite Voshell House. **R. THOMPSON** Opposite Voshell House.

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