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Now for "prosperity"!

BALTIMORE grain market Thursday: wheat 72c; corn 42c.

MCKINLEY's majority of the popular vote is about 800,000, which breaks the record!

The Republicans carry every district in Kent but one. Hurrah for Millington and Galena!

OUR great city contemporary, the Baltimore Sun, wants to know "Why do you think a Rabbit wabbles its nose!"

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY has issued his proclamation naming Nov. 29th as a day of National thanksgiving.

THE Democracy of Kent have one consolation—but it's mighty poor. The majority against us is 70 less than in '96.

BRYAN and his friends don't feel half as bad in defeat as do those Democrats who went back on him, in their victory.

BRYAN received 12,689 more votes in Maryland than in 1896, and McKinley 5,630 less. The latter's majority of 32,224 is cut down to 13,805—less than one-half!

BALTIMORE CITY made a grand fight for Bryan. The majority against him with all the efforts of gold Democrats, corporations, trusts and Republicans combined was only 6,856 as against 21,092 four years ago.

ONE of the surprises of the election is Jackson's run in his own county—Wicomico. He got 419 more votes than McKinley. Some prominent Democrat there must have gone back on Moore!

ONE of the Eastern Shore's most brilliant congressional representatives—Joshua W. Miles—was sacrificed to the folly of '96. Now the eloquent and able Ned Brown, and Worcester's favorite Moore, both go down in a wreck five times greater.

Election Lessons.

The results of the election will be explained from the standpoint of interest or prejudice. So that we cannot expect the NEWS readers all to agree with our deductions, or to see alike themselves. We have no doubt whatever that the primary cause was the 16 to 1 issue. Whether it was justly an issue is not a question; it was certainly a sufficient pretext for arraying the great monied interests of the country against us. This is enough at any time to defeat any party.

Mr. Bryan made a great mistake in forcing the money question again into the national campaign. But for the blunder of going backwards in the work of platform making, the Democracy would have achieved a brilliant victory. The Baltimore Sun well says: "Under the cover of this false silver issue the trusts and imperialists secured their victory. It was the wooden horse that gave Troy to the Greeks."

The New York Jonrual and Philadelphia Times, two more strong friends of Bryan, take this same view.

In Kent county the Democrats lost many votes on the silver issue, but their defeat was more largely due to the great preponderance of the corruption fund which was effectively used against them.

The colored vote here went solidly for the Republican ticket. Here is a block of nearly 2,000 in a total vote of 5,000. It only needs seven or eight hundred white votes additional to give the Republican plurality of the present year.

What now is the duty of the Democracy? Clearly it is to open our eyes to stubborn facts—accept the results without complaining—quit so much political blundering—abandon dead issues—forget and forgive the past, and live and fight for the present.

Winning and vital issues are abundant, and the Democracy will never die while liberty-loving people exist.

ADDICKS wins in Delaware and Quay in Pennsylvania. McKinley has 4,013 plurality in Delaware.

THE State Christian Endeavor convention, to be held in Baltimore next Tuesday and Wednesday, promises to be one of the grandest religious assemblages held in that city for a long time. Kent will be well represented.

MR. DRYDEN, of Somerset, attributes the big Republican majority in that county to an unpopular oyster law. Senator Moore was blamed and suffered much from that cause. Dryden nominates Jackson for Governor in 1903. Well, the Democrats have a number of Eastern Shoremen who can beat him. But it is too soon to name them.

WE don't like to hear men talk of "reorganizing" the Democratic party who *voted the Republican ticket*. Their advice don't count.

The Democracy Undismayed!

Bryan has issued an address in which he says: "*The result is a surprise. The prosperity argument was the most potent used against us. We are defeated but not discouraged. The fight must go on. The contest between plutocracy and Democracy cannot end until one or the other is completely triumphant.*

A LANDSLIDE!

McKinley and His Followers Win!

Jackson and Kerr Beat Moore and Brown by a Large Majority!

QUEEN ANNE'S AND WORCESTER DEMOCRATIC.

Kent Joins the Innumerable Company With 347 Majority—Galena and Millington Give Bryan and Moore 48 Majority—Jackson's "Barrell" Very Much in Evidence Here—1894 Negro Voters Cast Their Ballots for McKinley.

KENT'S OFFICIAL VOTE.

	DISTRICTS: 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Totl
McKinley	207	212	394	277	412	402	282	241	2427
Bryan	226	244	346	242	345	356	185	137	2081
Wooley	9	8	8	12	7	7	6	8	65
Jackson	207	212	394	277	412	402	282	241	2427
Kerr	207	212	394	277	412	402	282	241	2427
Moore	226	244	346	242	345	356	185	137	2081
Brown	226	244	346	242	345	356	185	137	2081
Cox	9	9	8	12	7	7	6	8	66

ELECTORAL VOTE.

Returns so far received indicate that the electoral votes of the respective States will be cast as follows:

STATES:	Bryan	McKinley
Alabama	11	..
Arkansas	8	..
California	..	9
Colorado	4	..
Connecticut	..	6
Delaware	..	3
Florida	4	..
Georgia	13	..
Idaho	3	..
Illinois	..	24
Indiana	..	15
Iowa	..	13
Kansas	..	10
Kentucky	13	..
Louisiana	8	..
Maine	..	6
Maryland	..	8
Massachusetts	..	15
Michigan	..	14
Minnesota	..	9
Mississippi	9	..
Missouri	17	..
Montana	3	..
Nebraska	8	..
Nevada	3	..
New Hampshire	..	4
New Jersey	..	10
New York	..	36
North Carolina	11	..
North Dakota	..	3
Ohio	..	23
Oregon	..	4
Pennsylvania	..	32
Rhode Island	..	4
South Carolina	9	..
South Dakota	..	4
Tennessee	12	..
Texas	15	..
Utah	..	3
Vermont	..	4
Virginia	12	..
Washington	..	4
West Virginia	..	6
Wisconsin	..	12
Wyoming	..	3
Total	163	284

KENT'S REGISTERED VOTE.

DISTRICTS:	White	Colored	Total
1st—Millington Precinct	315	203	518
Galena Precinct	316	181	497
2nd—Kennedyville	491	321	812
3rd—Worton	361	215	576
4th—Chestertown	478	340	828
5th—Rock Hall	696	179	818
6th—Fairlee	247	269	516
7th—Pomona	229	192	421
Totals	3133	1910	5043

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.
For the 57th Congress.

COUNTIES:	Moore Dem.	Jackson Rep.
Worcester	555	.....
Somerset	.....	900
Wicomico	.....	450
Dorchester	.....	685
Talbot	.....	278
Queen Anne's	679	.....
Caroline	.....	27
Kent	.....	347
Totals	1200	2387

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.
For the 56th Congress.

COUNTIES:	Brown, Dem.	Kerr, Rep.
Worcester	562	.....
Somerset	.....	858
Wicomico	410	.....
Dorchester	.....	1000
Talbot	.....	257
Queen Anne's	704	.....
Caroline	.....	20
Kent	.....	347
Totals	1676	2682

DAVIDSON's eleven million enterprise and Cowen's six thousand car contract should now be forthcoming.

TRUSTEES' SALE
-Of TWO-
DESIRABLE FARMS

Near Smithville, Kent co., Md.

One House and Lot in Smithville, one House and Lot in Seneysville, and Lot near Smithville.

BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county in equity, passed in a cause wherein Willard E. Dodson and others were complainants, and Caroline Smith and others, defendants, the undersigned as trustees appointed by said decree to sell the property therein mentioned, will offer at public sale at the Court House Door in Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, NOV. 20th, 1900,

at 11 o'lock A. M., all the following property formerly owned by the late Hyland P. Smith:

No. 1-HOME FARM,

of the late Hyland P. Smith, now tenanted by Wm. E. Sutton, on the road from Hanesville to Smithville, adjoining the lands of Mrs. F. R. Reed and Mrs. Mary Humbert.

Containing 100 Acres of Land,

more or less. The soil is good and there is a fine meadow for a standing pasture.

The buildings consist of a

TWO-STORY
Frame Dwelling

and back building in good repair; a Stable, Barn, Cow Sheds and Wagon Shed sufficient for the farm.

No. 2-All That Farm,

now tenanted by Hyland P. Smith, on the road from Butlertown to Hanesville, adjoining the lands of J. L. Crew and S. A. Reed,

Containing 100 Acres of Land,

more or less. The soil is of excellent quality. Timber, including especially fine chestnut, abounds on the farm. There is a comfortable TWO STORY

Frame Building

in excellent condition, and barn, stable and Meat House.

No. 3-Lot of Land,

near Smithville, containing SIX Acres, more or less. Splendid quality of soil and will make an attractive building location. Tenanted by Wm. T. Smith.

No. 4-House & Lot,

in Smithville, now tenanted by Chas. Guiser, containing 2½ acres of land, more or less. Double Frame House in good condition and easily rented.

No. 5-House & Lot,

in Seneysville near Smithville; contains 3 ACRES LAND, more or less, and is improved by a one-story and a-half house. more or less, and is improved by a one-story and a half house.

The purchasers of the above described farms will be entitled to the landlord's share of the crops of 1901, and will have to pay one half the seed wheat and phosphate used this fall.

This property will be sold free and clear of the right of dower therein of the widow of the late Hyland P. Smith.

TERMS:—One-third cash on the day of sale, the residue in two equal instalments in one and two years from the day of sale. The deferred payments to bear interest from Jan. 1, 1901, when the purchaser will have all the landlord's privileges, and full possession will be given January 1, 1902. The taxes for the current year to be paid by the trustees. All title papers, including revenue stamps, at cost of purchasers.

RICHARD D. HYNSON,
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J. H. GREENWOOD Auct. Trustees.

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Respectfully,
14. an ANNIE B. LOUD

TO THE TAX-PAYERS
OF KENT COUNTY.

TREASURER'S LAST SITTING.

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 1900, he will sit in the several Election Districts on

Nov. 19th.....Still Pond
" 21st.....Millington
" 22nd.....Galena
" 23rd, morning, at Melitota; afternoon, at Fairlee.
" 24th, morning, Greytown; afternoon, Rock Hall.

Between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. At all other times will be at the Treasurer's Office in Chestertown.
Should weather be very stormy on either of the above days the visit will be made the same day of the following week.
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. Tax payers will please take notice that taxes were due and payable on Sept. 1st, and that all bills unpaid on January 1st interest will be charged and collected from Sept. 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 cost of sale. The Treasurer would therefore respectfully urge all tax-payers to pay promptly.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
Nov. 10. Treasurer.

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o13-4t. THOMAS SKIPPER.

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are all filled to overflowing with good things. Anything you want in these lines, you may reasonably expect to find here.

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