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Hon. Edwin Warfield.

The announcement of this gentleman as a candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in 1903 would appear premature but for the circumstances that led to it, and the intelligent public who take interest and keep posted on current political events will justify Mr. Warfield's utterance as not only in place but timely. No man in Maryland has stronger claim to the favor of his party than Edwin Warfield, and this is said without reflecting in the least upon the several other great leaders who would worthily fill the highest post of honor.

Edwin Warfield was in the public mind for gubernatorial honors in 1899 and made a splendid showing, but the strong claims of the Eastern Shore, with the brilliant leadership and sterling worth of Col. John Walter Smith, overcame the city leader, and gave to the party a successful candidate and to the State a Governor of unexcelled renown. The brilliancy and worth, however, of this popular favorite, did not shut from view the merit and conduct of his conspicuous rival.

It was after his losing fight on that occasion—a fight honorable in every respect to himself and his supporters—that the nobility of Mr. Warfield's character was best manifested. He did not hesitate for a moment as to his duty but promptly and heartily accepted the result and threw himself into the fight for the success of his rival against the common foe. This was his duty, true enough. But how many fail just here. The past is full of wrecks along this coast. Not so with Edwin Warfield. He played no baby act. He sought no tent for sulking. Straight as an arrow he followed the path of duty and in the front rank fought to the finish and shared in the glorious results of that campaign.

This much of Edwin Warfield. We could not feel justified without this reference now. And more. He has every desired requisite for the gubernatorial office—learning and experience in public affairs, an all-round business man, strict and sterling integrity, unflinching bravery and a high order of manliness and brain culture. All these qualities, added to his suavity of manner—his magnetic personality—renders him unexcelled as a leader in a great contest. And the fight of 1903 will certainly be one of the most mom entous in the State's history.

Election Contest.

The three defeated Republican candidates in Kent were in Chestertown last Tuesday and decided to enter a contest before the Circuit Court against their successful Democratic opponents. Mr. Hill, candidate for county treasurer, was returned defeated by Mr. Copper by a majority of 74; Fletcher's majority over Davis was 28, and Ayers over Stevens was 21. It is said that the contestants will demand a recount in but one or two precincts—certainly in the second precinct of Kennedville district. It is also reported that State's Attorney Urie, the Republican leader in Kent, refuses to have anything to do with this contest business, and that Mr. Constable or Mr. Haynes, of Cecil, or Mr. Rose, of Baltimore, will take charge of the matter.

The Democrats seem perfectly happy over the outlook. Indeed all we have heard speak of it express the hope that the contest will be made, and it is believed that if the Republicans initiate the matter the three Democratic candidates will follow suit and enter contests and ask a recount of the whole county: Brice against Rasin, majority 69; Johnson vs. Trew, majority 6; Nicholson vs. Kendall majority 36.

The time within which notice of such contests may be given will expire next Saturday. Therefore we advise all who have faith in such a proceeding to prepare their papers in time. It is possible that there may be found a number of votes wrongfully thrown out in every precinct. An average of seven in each would make a difference of 77 votes—enough to change the result on the whole ticket. The original count, however, we are sure, was as correctly made as possible under the circumstances. Both parties contested every point and looked closely to their interest, and the judges being composed of equal representatives of the two parties it is not probable that one got any material advantage over the other. The only room for changes would be in decisions of the court relative to the intention of voters where ballots have been thrown out.

In the case of county officers the circuit court first hear and decide whether there shall be a recount, and if so, such recount is made under the direction and in the presence of the court. For Legislative candidates the contest will be made before the Legislature.

We believe both sides are better off without contests.

Ex-Gov. Frank Brown says he is not a candidate himself, but only wants to "smoke out" other candidates. "Let 'em all come out into the open," says the former Farmer Governor. He is willing to be smoked out himself only upon condition that no one else will accept the honor!

The Democrats have a brilliant galaxy of names for the Gubernatorial succession in Maryland—Edwin Warfield, Isidore Rayner, L. Victor Baughman, Frank Brown. The first named is the great city business man, the second is the matchless orator and lawyer, the third the "Young Napoleon" of the Western Shore, and the last is the brilliant leader in past noted successful campaigns.

Expensive Bankruptcy.

Hope H. Barroll, Esq., writes to the Baltimore Sun of Monday a pertinent card relative to the enormous expense of proceedings in bankruptcy, and expressing surprise that the business interests of a great city like Baltimore has not long since sought a remedy. Two Kent cases are cited. One has assets of $1,225.26 and the cost for settling the same was $382.87; the other had assets $2,061, costs $600! The cost of the bankrupt proceedings was over thirty per cent. in each case and the creditors got but seventeen!

Hon. John Hubner.

It is now said that this gentleman will accept a re-election as President of the Maryland Senate. This certainly settles that matter. He will have the united support of the Democratic majority. The fact is gratifying to the people at large as it insures the highest measure of faithfulness and efficiency in the responsible duties of that important post. There is no experiment in Senator Hubner's exaltation. He has been tried and always found true and fully up to every requirement. If the House is as successful in the selection of a speaker as the Senate is in securing Mr. Hubner for its presiding officer, the body as a whole will be fortunate.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

30 MULES!

THE undersigned will sell at the ARMSTRONG HOUSE, Chestertown, rain or shine on

TUESDAY, December 3rd, 1901,

commencing at 1 P. M., a fine load of TWO-YEAR OLD MULES ready to go to work. This will be a grand opportunity for farmers to get bargains.

TERMS:—Credit of 12 months on note with approved security.

WORLAND BROS. & RICHARDSON.

n30 ts.

Large Public Sale

— OF —

PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE undersigned having rented a smaller farm will sell *Without Reserve* on the farm known as the JANVIER FARM in Sarewsbury Neck, on

WEDNESDAY, December 18, 1901,

the following Personal Property:

20 HORSES & COLTS

including the following:

Pearl, brown mare 14 yrs. old, in fold; Star, bay horse 12 yrs. old, sound will work anywhere; Easter, brown horse 12 yrs. old, work anywhere, good driver, saddle horse; Daisy, black mare 9 yrs. old, good worker and driver in fold by Jack; May, sorrel mare, 10 yrs. old, good worker in fold by Jack; Lady, bay mare 9 yrs. old, in fold, a sure brood mare; Mack, black horse 6½ yrs. old, good worker and driver; Prince, 7 yrs. old, good worker and driver; Pilot, 9 yrs. old, good work horse; Nancy, bay mare, 5 yrs. old, good worker and driver, a sure brood mare; Fancy, 4 yrs. old, will work anywhere, in fold by Jack; Mayflower, 8 yrs. old, work anywhere, a sure brood mare; Doc, 2 yrs. old; Bob, black colt, 1 yr. old; Trimmer, sorrel horse 8 yrs. old, good worker, driver and saddle horse; 3 Last Spring colts; Milly, sorrel mare, sure brood mare; Bess, sorrel mare, sure brood mare.

45 Head of Cattle

including the following:

34 GOOD MILCH COWS

some in profit and the balance will be in profit in January. These are all first-class milch cows selected and raised by the undersigned.

9 HEAD OF YOUNG HEIFERS 9

1 Hereford Bull, 2 yr. old, 1 Holstien Bull 2 yr. old.

25 Head of Shotes

will weigh about 60 pounds.

Farming Implements.

2 McCormick Self Binding Reapers, 2 Deering Self Binding Reapers, 2 Deering Mowers, 1 Ma-Hoe, 7 in. Bickford & Huffman Drill, 1 Empire Drill, 5 1-Horse Cultivators, 1 Buckeye Sulky Cultivator, 1 Iron Age Sulky Cultivator, 4 No 40 Oliver Chilled Plows, 1 1 Horse Plow, 2 60 Tooth Hinge Harrow, 1 Spring Tooth Harrow, 1 Ross Power Feed Cutter, 2 Dain Corn Cutters, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 End Spring Top Buggy, nearly new, 1 Road Cart, 2 Carriage Poles, Lot of collars and Bridles, rope and chain harness, creamery cans and many other articles found on a well equipped farm.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months will be allowed on note with approved security payable at the second National Bank. No goods to be removed until terms are complied with.

WILLIAM T. MONEY, Owner.

JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. n30 tf.

PUBLIC SALE.

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE undersigned about to quit farming will sell on the "Frisby Farm," near Melitota,

On MONDAY, Dec. 16th, 1901,

Beginning at 10.30 A. M., the Following Personal Property.

7 HEAD OF HORSES

all good workers and drivers.

5 HEAD OF MILCH COWS.

1 Thoroughbred Holstein Bull. Most of these cows are thoroughbred Holstein and good milkers,

Farm Implements.

2 Farm Wagons, good as new, and harness, 1 2 Horse Dearborn, nearly new, and harness; 1 Deering Reaper, all in order; 1 Empire Drill, good as new; 1 Mower, 1 Horse Rake, 1 Corn Marker, 1 Peach body and Springs, Forge, Anvil and Tongs, 2 3 Horse Harrows, 3 Iron Frame Cultivators and Corn Cover Attachment, 2 Oliver Chilled Plows, 1 Corn Planter, 2 York Carriages and Harness, 1 Lambrequin, Double Trees, Single Tress, Hoes, Shovels, Forks, Plow Gears, and lot of other implements used on a Well equipped farm.

Lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months on note with approved security:

CHAS. LONG.
nov30 tf. C. H. HURLOCK, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE

OF VERY VALUABLE

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE undersigned, having rented some of his farms, will sell without reserve, on the Casper Woodall farm, near Price's Station, Queen Anne's county, Maryland,

On THURSDAY, Dec. 12th, 1901

commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, the following Valuable Personal Property:

11 HORSES & COLTS,

1 Bay Horse, Dandy, 7 yrs old, good worker and driver; 1 Sorrel Mare, 9 yrs old, good worker and driver; 1 Bay Mare, Bessie, 7 yrs old, good worker and driver; 1 Bay Horse, Frank, 7 yrs old, good worker and driver; 1 Bay Horse, Prince, 8 yrs old, good worker and driver; 1 Black Mare, 9 yrs old, good worker and driver; 1 Sorrel Colt, 2 yrs old, by Governor Russell; 1 Bay Colt, 2 yrs old, by Belmont; 2 Spring Colts, by Belmont; 1 Bay Colt, by Happy Russell;

7 Pairs of Mules,

all good workers, ages from 3 yrs to 12 yrs;

25 COWS

2 with Calves by their sides; the other, are giving milk or will soon be in profit; 11 STEERS, 3 yrs old, good for work or beef; 1 Yearling; THREE BULLS, 3 yrs old, good stock;

47 Killing Hogs,

will average three hundred pounds; 53 SHOATS, weighing from 75 to 120 pounds; Two SOWS, with Pigs;

30 Native Ewes,

AND ONE BUCK;

Farming Utensils,

Four Farm Wagons, in good order; 2 Horse Carts and Harness, 3 Dearborns, 2 Bickford & Huffman Wheat Drills, 1 Hay Rake, 1 Deerings Mower, 2 McCormick Binders, 1 Roller, 2 Sulky Cultivators, 2 Evans' Corn Planters, 1 Stoddard Corn Planter, 2 Corn Markers, 2 Discs, 2 Grass Seeders, 1 Corn Cutters, lot of Plows, Harness and Cultivators, 4 Sets of Wagon Harness, 22 sets of Plow Harness, 2 Sets of Dearborn Harness, Collars Bridles, lot of 2 and 3 Horse Trees, 4 Hedge Knives, 2 Hand Corn Shellers, 1 Grain Fan, 3 Grind Stones, 1 Peach Frame for Wagon, 2 Wheat Cradles, lot of Grass Scythes and Bush Axes, 2 Sleighs and many other articles too numerous to mention.

1 Threshing Rig and Wood Saw

All of the above property is in splendid condition and a chance to buy such property is seldom offered

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given on bankable note, with approved security, with interest added. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

JOHN H. EVANS, Owner.

T. FRANK SEWARD, Auctioneer.
J. LOUIS EVANS. } Clerks.
CLAYTON WRIGHT, }

n30-2t.

MARION DEK. SMITH, } ATTORNEYS.
HOPE H. BARROLL }

Order Nisi.

Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, Receivers and Assignees.
vs.
Mary M. Blackiston and Geo. W. Blackiston.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED, this 23rd day of November, 1901, by the Circuit Court of Kent County in Equity, that the sale of the Real Estate of Mary M. Blackiston and George W. Blackiston made and reported by Marion deK. Smith and Hope H. Barroll, assignees, under power contained in mortgage from Mary M. Blackiston and George W. Blackiston to the Chester Loan Association of Kent county, dated March 2nd 1898, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or befor the 3rd day of February next; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 2nd day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $100.00. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk,

True Copy.—Test:—
n30 4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk,

Sheriff's Sale

TWO VALUABLE FARMS

Near Smithville, Kent Co.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, at the suit of Wm. S. Walker and Hiram M. Brown, trading as Beck, Walker & Brown, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Harrison I. Parsons and Harry B. Parsons, to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said Harrison I. Parsons and Harry B. Parsons in and to the following property:

Number 1.

ALL THAT FARM

where Harrison I. Parsons now resides, situated in the Third Eleccion District of Kent county on the left side of the public road leading from Smithville to Churn Creek containing

176 Acres of Land

more or less, together with the improvements thereon consisting of a large frame dwelling and necessary out buildings.

Number 2.

ALL THAT FARM

situate on the right side of the aforesaid public road and opposite the H. I. Parsons farm commonly called the Isaac Parsons home farm, or Mt. Pleasant, containing

183 Acres of Land

more or less, together with the improvements thereon consisting of a large frame dwelling and out-buildings.

The above property is more particularly described in Liber J. C. S., number 1, folio 386, one of the will record books for Kent co.

And I hereby give notice that on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, '01,

at 11 o'clock a. m., at the Court House door in Chestertown, Md., I will offer for sale the said property, so seized and taken in execution, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

JOHN C. DAVIS,
nov 23—ts Sheriff.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE!

in CHESTERTOWN, MD.

BY virtue of decree of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., in equity, the undersigned as trustee, will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door, in Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, December 10th, 1901.

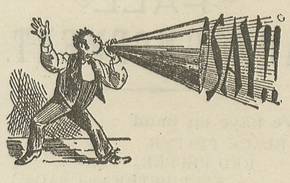
at eleven o'clock A. M. the following real estate of which the late Thomas Wright died seized and possessed. It being that property situated on Cannon St., Chestertown, Md., adjoining the property of the Colored Building and Protective Association of Chestertown and the property of James W. Chapman; having a frontage on said Cannon St., of eighteen feet and a depth of one hundred feet more or less. The property is improved by a comfortable two story frame

DWELLING

in good repair, with three rooms down stairs and three up stairs. This property will either make a good home or a profitable investment if rented.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of purchase money cash on day of sale; the balance in two equal installments in six and twevle months, with interest on deferred payments from the day of sale secured by bond or notes of purchaser with securities approved by trustee. Purchaser to pay for deed.

WILLIAM W. BECK, Trustee,
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. n16-ts.



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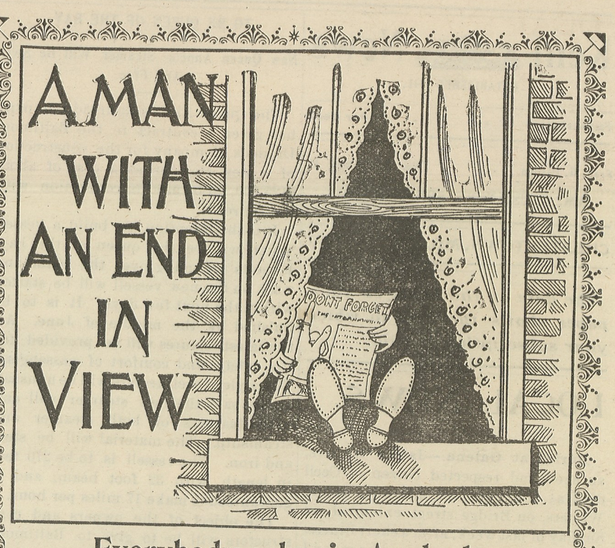
n22. DRUGGIST



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