LIVELY ON THE EASTERN SHORE

Jacksons Furnishing Most of Political Capital—Candidates for Congress.

The most troublesome part of the business is in the First district. The democrats think they can carry the district this year with the right man to lead the fight, and they are going very slowly. With an idea of smoothing over rough places, Mr. Gorman asked ex-Governor Jackson to take the nomination He had planned by this move to kill two birds with one stone. With Jackson as the nominee the chances are that his brother, Congressman William H. Jackson, would be out of the fight. At the same time, if elected, Ex-Governor Jackson would be provided for, and Governor Smith would have a strong argument why the ex-Governor should be considered out of the senatorial race next year. All of this was well planned but Ex-Governor Jackson smashes it all by flatly declining to consider the matter. Said he:

"I am not a candidate and would not accept the nomination if it was tendered me." He does not think any who have been spoken of are available. Perhaps he would be more favorably inclined to Joshua Miles than to any other who has been named.

In all probability Senator Brewington of Wicomico, will enter the field as an active candidate befOre long. If he goes into the convention after the nomination he would put the other candidates on their mettle to win over him. He can count on at least 12 votes sure for him in the beginning, and probably no other candidate who has been spoken of would have so great a lead. Cecil is favorably inclined toward him and probably would throw him its support in the end. He is very long-headed and will put up a stiffer fight than any other man in the district if he gets the nomination.

The other candidates who have been named, with the exception of Queen Anne's P. B. Hopper, are not making any active efforts to get the nomination. Gen. Seth will be given a delegation from Talbot, but the fact that he lives for the greater part of the year in this city and was two years ago an active seeker for a city office, would weaken him as a candidate.

Richard D. Hynson, of Kent, may be pulled into the contest, but it will take a hard pull to get him out. He so far has refused all offers of support from his friends in Kent and the adjoining counties, saying that he wants to keep out of politics. Senators Applegarth and Moore have been mentioned, but both of them are now practically out of the running.

On the republican side of the fence the condition is almost as hazy and indefinite. Congressman William H. Jackson can have the nomination if he wants it. Mr. Jackson has played such notoriously bad politics since he has been in Congress that if nominated it is very doubtful that he would have any chance of election. His dickerings with Mudd and consequent loss of all patronage has been a sad blow to his prestige. In his own county, Wicomico, the old time republicans would probably take pleasure in trying to defeat him because of the muddle over the postoffice at Salisbury. E. S. Adkins, the incumbent of the postoffice, is a candidate for reappointment, and M. A. Humphreys, Mr. Jackson's nephew, is trying to oust him. Feeling has run high in the fight, and the Graham element of the republican party in the county are open in the condemnation of Mr. Jackson's nepotism. The appointment has not yet been made, but it is understood from good authority that Mr. Jackson will name Mr. Humphreys for the place. Mr. Adkins is one of the shrewdest politicians in the party and is allied with the organization people in the state. Jackson would be weak in Somerset, where A. Lincon Dryden's friends are complaining about the bad treatment he has received at Mr. Jackson's hands in not getting the Federal appointment he was promised. In Dorchester, Goldsborough and his forces have always been openly antagonistic to Mr. Jackson, and it is a question whether they will be less so this year.

Mr. Jackson's friends have all these disheartening conditions in mind, and think it would be unwise for him to take the nomination. As a defeated candidate for Congress he would be weaker than ever, and he will need all the strength he can get when he goes into the fight for Senator McComas' seat in 1904. Both parties are playing hide-and-seek, and will probably keep up the game "until after harvest."

THE property, both real and personal of the Smyrna and Delaware Bay R. R., Co., is advertised for sale on Saturday, July 5, at Smyrna, and will be sold to satisfy a claim of $100,000, held by the Baltimore and Delaware Bay R. R. Co., assignees. The road extends from Bombay Hook to Chestertown, though of course, Sheriff Reedy can only sell as far as the Maryland line. The sale will include all the real estate, rights of way, rails and in fact, all the property belonging to the Smyrna and Delaware Bay R. R. Co.

TRADERS' LICENSES.

A Full List of Those Issued in Kent County for the Current Year.

Clerk James T. Dixon has issued the following traders' licenses for Kent county for the current year:

CHESTERTOWN.

A. P. Matthews	$1,000
Chapman & Lambert	1,000
J. H. Sides	4,000
George T. Bramble, agent	1,000
France & DeCorse	2,500
W. C. A. Thompson	4,000
N. C. Crow	1,000
John Bartley	4,000
B. F. Maroney	1,000
G. E. Lambert, pool table (2)	1,0 0
J. F. Howard	4,000
Stam Drug Co	6,000
R. Bergen	1,000
A. R. Raleigh	1,000
J. C. Davis	1,000
Warren Taylor	1,000
Ferguson & Co	1,000
J. S. Bradley	1,500
Ida F. Blyman	1,000
C. S. Smith	4,000
Westcott & Dodd	6,000
J. B. Burchinal	1,000
W. S. Culp	1,000
The Misses Reed	1,000
W. H. Waddell	1,000
J. H. Vernon	1,000
McIntyre & Hodgkin	1,000
Mary A. Kendall	1,000
Annie Ringgold	1,000
J. W. Elliott & Co	1,000
Dorothy Gruber	1,000
W. R. Maul & Co	1,000
D. A. Bacchus	1,000
T. W. Ellason	10,000
C. L. Hudson	1,000
J. D. Lucas	2,500
F. D. Leary	1,000
Moody & Lusby	4,000
E. G. Nickerson	1,000
J. D. Bacchus	4,000
Henry Deford	1,000
S. T. H. Pheffer	1,000
W. L. Fowler	1,000
M. A. Toulson	6,000
T. S. Bordley	2,500
J. K. Aidridge & Co	8,000
Abe Blum	1,500
Canning and Mercantile Co. of Kent Co.	2,500
Roland Bros	1,000
George W. Smith	1,500
A. Levine	1,000
Margolia Bros	1,000
Mary E. Smith	1,000
Samuel Hicks	1,000
J. F. Thompson	1,500
R. F. Parks & Son	6,000
Joseph Guest	1,000
T. G. Wroth	6,000
Wm. S. McDonnell	1,000
Charles E. Kirby	1,000

QUAKER NECK.

G M Haddaway	$1,500
W F Stoops	1,000

MORGNEC.

John McKee	$1,000
J E Walmsley	1,000

ROCK HALL.

U G Coleman	$1,000
S M Ashley	500
M K Joyner	500
Wilson & Malsberger	2,500
J B Downey	1,000
J W Downey	1,000
S E Dawson	1,000
N H Crouch	1,000
J W Sappington	1,000
J V Kilbourn	1,500
A Alexander	12,000
Mrs J C Blackiston	1,000
Casey & Ayres	1,000
Mrs R G Arthur	1,000
Mary F Downey	2,500
J A Urie (Haven)	1,000
T B Darding	1,500
W W Clayton	1,000
Benj Kreamer	1,000
S J Wickes	2,500
E E Leary, trading as G E Leary & Son	2,500
R S Crew	4,000
F M Satterfield	1,000
J F Leary	1,500
J A Casey	1,000
Sallie A Maslin	500
M T Miller	6,000
E E Hardesty	1,000
A Casey	1,000
N B Ashley	1,000
Mary E Rich	1,000

KENNEDYVILLE.

T Shafer	$1,500
J H Weer	1,000
H C Meredith	1,000
F. H. Harper & Son	1,000

EDESVILLE.

R W Porter	$1,000
S Burgess	1,000

BROAD NECK

S Kilbourn	$1,000

GALENA.

R H Hicks	$4,000
Mrs M E Pierce	1,000
Winnie W Dempsey	1,000
Anne E Ireland	1,000
J W Mulford	1,000
Henry Parr	1,000
W A Whitaker	4,000
W A Hyland	1,000
F H Ruth	1,500
Jeremiah Peacock	1,000
W T Hicks	1,000
C E L ne	1,000

MELITOTA.

D C Kelley	$1,000
M M Rasin	4,000
E V Kelley	1,000

MILLINGTON.

Dr N Comegys	$1,000
J T Power	1,000
Paul Comegys	1,500
Feddemen & Collins	4,000
J F Manning	1,000
J F Vansant	1,000
C M Hurtt	4,000
F S Bottomly	1,000
H H Benneman	2,500
Ahern & Torkin	6,000
F C Numbers	1,000
S W Cole	1,000
L S Priel	1,000
T A Vansant	1,500
Wilhemina Moffett	500
E Rodzewski	1,000
G N Hazell	1,000
Ross & Sons	1,000

SASSAFRAS.

J F Earnest	$1,000
Royden Caulk	1,000
Augusta Christy	1,000
W H Spry	1,000

FAIRLEE

W W Price	$1,000
A P Emerson	1,000
C. F. Bacon	1,000

CHESTERVILLE.

E A Crittenden	$1,000
W S Dill	1,000

BROAD NECK.

Mary E Sanders	$1,000

HANESVILLE.

A P Solloway	$1,000

GEORGETOWN.

Andrew Woodall	$8,000
Georgeanna Henry	1,000

BIG WOODS.

J H Ringgold	$1,000

BETTERTON.

M B Heather	$1,000
Owens & Co	4,000
Turner & Son	6,000

GOLTS.

J. P Shelton	$1,000
A G Fleetwood	1,500
Alice Little	1,000
John M Conner	1,000

STILL POND.

G W Covington	$1,000
Miss D A Crossley	500
F H Harper & Son	10,000
Medders & Co	8,000
William Parr	1,000
Canning and Mercantile Co. of Kent Co.	2,500

LYNCHS.

Frank Hepbron	$1,000

SANDY BOTTOM.

A Cohen	$1,000
C W Atkinson	1,000

TOLCHESTER.

W A Potts	$1,000
Tolchester Beach Improvement Co	1,000

PINEY NECK.

Hanna Field	$1,000

POMONA.

W S Trew	$1,000

LOCUST GROVE.

Mrs A R Crisfield	$1,000
W H Kelley	1,000
J E Pennington	1,000
S E Beaston	1,000

COLEMAN.

W J Coleman	$4,000
F H Harper & Son	1,000

WORTON POINT.

George W Wilson	$1,000
Ida Blume	1,000

LANKFORD.

T W Trew	$1,000
T K Bruce	1,000

WORTON.

Annie Bergans	$1,000
R F Rouse	1,000
A M Startt	1,000
Mary C. Wallis	1,000
Turner & Boyles	4,000
J W Ivens	2,500

CLIFFS.

Fannie M DeCorse	$1,000

MASSEY.

H B Massey & Co	$1,000
A H Malsberger	2,500
M P Dunn	1,500
A F Huey	6,000

BOGLE'S

N S Bogle	1,000

BLACKS.

B S Sutton	1,000

THE COAL DIGGERS AND THE COAL BARONS.

What seems likely to be a prolonged struggle now appears to be on between the men who wie d the coal pick and the men who sign the pay checks, in the anthracite fields. The National Civil Federation has been appealed to by the miners, but could secure no recognition from the operators. Many of the men were unwilling to strike. The demands which the miners presented to the civic Federations were as follows:—

1. Eight hours work for a day. 2. A five-per-cent advance in wages. 3. The weighing of all coal where praticable, and a check-weigher for the miners. 4. A minimum scale for day laborers, similar to that established in the bituminous region. 5. The recognition of the miners' union.

The operators have refused these demands but have offered to continue the ten-per-cent advance in wages granted in 1900, though why this should be mentioned as a concession it is hard to see, when we recall the stiff advance in the price of coal recently made by the operators, and the higher cost of living.

One thing that contributes to the dissatisfaction of these miners is the fact that the miners in the bituminous fields are getting from thirty to fifty cents a day more and working from two to four hours less. The agitator, of course, doesn't forget to draw the picture life size.

It is said that the miners have been collecting funds for a fight, and are well fortified. On the other hand the companies are represented as having a large surplus of coal and willing to close the mines. The public will probably need to have a large stock of patience and sympathy—patience to endure a probable rise in prices, and sympathy with our brother, the miner, who is the under fellow in the fight. Even if he wins, the consumers will probably have to pay the increase in wages by an advance in prices.

The cost of mining a ton of coal is said to be $1.50 and that of transporting it to tidewater market the same, allowing the companies that carry their own coal the usual profit to carriers. With these items fixed it is hard to see why the coal combine should put up the price fifty cents a month, as has been done in the past year, unless it is to see just how far they can go without provoking open rebellion. Certainly the coal barons will have little sympathy from the coal burners, but probably that doesn't cause any great loss of sleep.

The question of justice to the miners is one that concerns us all, for we cannot be indifferent to the rights of one man without sooner or later becoming indifferent to the rights of all. Now that Attorney-General Knox has taken the trusts in hand, may the coal trust soon have its turn, that it may have a chance to vindicate itself if it is misjudged, and that it may be compelled to act justly if it is taking any advantage it ought not to have.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

PUBLIC LOCAL LAW.

Passed by the Maryland Legislature Session of 1902 and Operative in Kent County, Maryland.

CHAPTER 278.

AN ACT for the payment of a stipulated salary, in lieu of fees, to the State's Attorney for Kent county, State of Maryland, and other purposes.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the salary of the State's Attorney for Kent county, State of Maryland, shall be at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (1200) per annum, from the first of May, A. D. 1902, in lieu of fees.

SECTION 2. *And be it enacted*, That the State's Attorney for Kent county, State of Maryland, shall have power to employ a deputy or assistant, who shall be a member of the local bar, who shall be paid by the State's Attorney out of his salary of twelve hundred dollars ($1200) aforesaid.

SECTION 3. *And be it enacted*, That all Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on and after the second Monday in January, 1904.

[Approved April 8, 1902.]

THE GREAT SEAL OF MARYLAND

JOHN WALTER SMITH, Governor.
NOBLE L. MITCHELL, Speaker of House Delegates
JOHN HUBNER, President of Senate

STATE OF MARYLAND, SCT.:

I, Thomas Parran, Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, of which it purports to be a copy, as taken from the Original Law belonging to and deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as the Clerk and affixed the seal of the said Court of Appeals, this Twenty-Seventh day of May A. D. 1902.

THOMAS PARRAN,
Clerk Court of Appeals of Maryland.
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SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

TRACT OF LAND

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county at the suit of Rufus F. Parks, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenaments of Isaac E. Fowler and Elizabeth A. Fowler and to me directed, I have taken into execution all the interest of Isaac E. and Elizabeth A. Fowler in the following property, to-wit:

All That Tract of Land

lying in the Third Election District near Smithville and tenanted by Joseph Fowler, containing FIFTY ACRES OF LAND, more or less, together with improvements thereon. The said land being the same property which was conveyed to Wm. V. Lucas by E. J. Plummer and wife by deed dated March 7, 1871, and recorded in Liber J. K. H. No. 10, folio 93. And I hereby give notice that on

TUESDAY, July 8th, 1902,

at 11 o'clock a. m. in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., I will sell said property to satisfy the said writ, debt, interest and costs due and to become due thereon.

THOMAS J. FLETCHER,
Sheriff of Kent County.
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SHERIFF'S SALE FOR TAXES.

BY virtue of the authority vested in me as Sheriff of Kent county, upon whom was laid the duty of collecting the State and County Taxes unpaid on the 1st day of April, in the year 1895, by process of law, in and for said county and State, under the Public Local and Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, in such cases made and provided, I have seized and taken in execution

All That Property

assessed to ALEX WILSON, colored, situated near Smithville on the road to St. James Church and adjoining the lands of Peter Clare and others, in the Third Election District of Kent county, together with Improvements thereon.

And notice is hereby given to the owner or owners thereof, or any party interested therein, that I will expose the same at Public Sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, July 8th, 1902,

at 11 o'clock a. m., and sell the same to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the State and County Taxes due thereon for the year, 1901, together with all interest and cost due and to become due thereon, conditioned upon the provisions of the Acts of Assembly aforesaid.

State Taxes due and unpaid	$ .41
County " " "	2.19

THOS. J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.
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JOSEPH GUEST,
Chestertown, Md.
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Reduced Rates to Providence, R. I., via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Baptist Young People's Union.

On account of the meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union, at Providence, R. I., July 10 to 13, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Providence and return, on the 8, 9, and 10, good to return on July 20, inclusive, from all sections on its lines, at rate of *single fare for the round trip*, plus $1.00.

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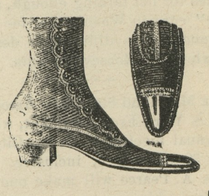

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