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a8 3t. Attorney for Owner.

TO VOTERS OF 5TH DISTRICT.

False statements having been circulated as to my position in reference to oyster legislation I wish to state my position on that question for the benefit of both my party and myself.

I am positively opposed to leasing the oyster bars or beds under any pretext; and whether elected by the votes of the 5th district or not I freely pledge myself to advocate no changes in the present laws unless petitioned by a clear majority of those voters directly interested.

I am ready at any time or place to discuss the above, or any other question, incident to this campaign, with the voters of the 5th or to debate same with the Republican nominees or their representatives.

VERY TRULY YOURS,
C. R. ATKINSON.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

In the death of Mrs. Minnie M. Bramble on Thursday last Fairlee W. C. T. U. has sustained a great and irreparable loss; as she had for several years filled most efficiently and acceptably the position of President and had but recently resigned owing to ill health;

Therefore be it Resolved, that in expressing our great sorrow we also tender to the bereaved husband and only sister and brothers, of the deceased, our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of their great affliction, and pray the dear heavenly Father to comfort their wounded and aching hearts with that balm of Christian consolation which he alone can give, united as it is with the assurance of a reunion in that land toward which we are all hastening, where partings are unknown, and

Be it Further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of Fairlee Union, and also sent to the husband and family of the deceased and published in the county papers.

CECIL REPUBLICANS.

The Republicans of Cecil county, in convention at Elkton, after several hours of caucusing, nominated the following county ticket:

Clerk of the Circuit Court—Geo. M. Cristie.
Register of Wills—Thomas B. Miller.
County Treasurer—James T. Armour.
Assistant Treasurer—Harvey Scott.
County Commissioners—Long term, George E. Spence; short term, Levi E. Patterson.
State's Attorney—Joshua Clayton.
Sheriff—Howard Terry.
House of Delegates—Charles A Stephens, Cecil Kirk, Lewis T. Logan.
Orphans' Court—William J. Clark, Cornelius C. Abrahams, Thomas S. Miller.
County Surveyor—Wilmer J. Falls.
Delegates to State Convention—William D. Bradford, Senator H. M. McCullough, H. H. McFadden, John W. Taylor.
State Central Committee—Wm. J. Smith, Edward C. Wilson, Robert L. Cristie, Lewis T. Logan.

The convention was presided over by George B. Kerfoot, of Elkton, and Webster White secretary. The convention was under the absolute control of the Smith-McCullough wing of the party, who dictated the nominations.

The convention passed resolutions condemning the Democratic administration, but were silent as to how they stood with regard to the Governorship and United States Senator. However, it is well known that the delegates from Cecil county will be in line for Hon. S. A. Williams for Governor, and the legislative ticket, if elected, will support Senator L. E. McComas in the party caucus for re-election. Most of the nominations were made by acclamation.

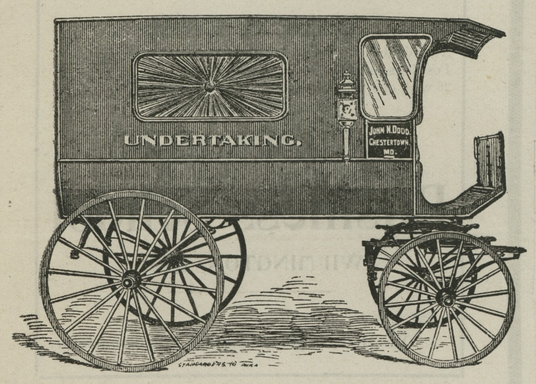
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THE EARTH IS FULL OF GOOD THINGS and each century puts on record many new and useful things for our benefit and enjoyment. The 19th Century, among other things, gave us the New Metal, Barium, which by the manipulation of Oliver D Goodell, of Baltimore, Md., produced what is now known as CARRARA PAINT, which is surely and fast superceding our old pain (White Lead) See cut below.

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REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES AND CONVENTION.

Full Ticket Nominated Except State's Attorney and Surveyor—Resolutions Against Last Grand Jury—Urie Endorsed for Comptroller.

Republican primaries were held in Kent last Saturday. The Eliason and Urie wings of the party got together in nearly every district of the county except in Millington where a contest took place. The basis of harmony between the two factions was that Mr. Urie was to be given the delegation to the State Convention for Comptroller and Mr. Eliason name the majority of the county ticket and be chairman of the State Central Committee for Kent. This program was carried out in the convention on Monday, but only after a great deal of caucusing and wire pulling. It is said that there are several would be aspirants who feel pretty sore at the way they were turned down by the leaders.

The convention on Monday was called to order by Bartus Trew, who was made permanent chairman and Messrs. D. W. Crosby and Jos. W. Harper secretaries.

The convention then nominated the following ticket:

Senator—James H. Baker.
Legislature—Thomas W. Trew, William G. Smyth.
Clerk of Court—Wilbur Eliason.
Register of Wills—John C. Davis.
Treasurer—Franklin H. Harper.
Sheriff—Charles England.
Orphans' Court—James L. Leary, Col. W. J. Vannort, George E. Owens.
County Commissioners—Lewis P. Atwell, John M. Bennett, George M. Hadaway.

The convention passed several resolutions, one of them commending the present board of County Commissioners; another one denouncing the Democratic press of the county; and another deprecating the action of the late Kent Grand Jury.

State's Attorney Urie was endorsed by the convention for State Comptroller and allowed to name the following delegates to the State convention:

First District—Louis P. Atwell, Willard England, Clarence Price, Clarence Turner, Thomas Hewett; O. P. Dickerson.

Second District—Daniel Hill, F. H. Harper, John N. Bennett, Dr. F. N. Sheppard, Dr. W. R. Messick, Peter Brinsfield, Samuel Comly, Charles England, John Atwell.

Third District—George T. Williams, Frank Rouse, Perry B. Rasin, George R. Crew, Wm. A. Crew, John S. Owens, Alexander Mair, William Riley.

Fourth District—Wm. J. Vannort, Wilbur Eliason, John C. Davis, L. Bates Russell, S. P. Townsend, D. B. McMenamin, Marshall Pitman.

Fifth District—James A. Casey, Joseph C. Kendall, John E. Beck, Charles Crouch, D. W. Crosby, Robert Murray.

Sixth District—William G. Smyth, T. H. M. Bramble, H. P. Jones, A. M. Kendall.

Seventh District—James H. Baker, Thomas W. Trew, Bartus Trew, James T. DeCorse, S. J. Vickers, Walter Trew.

A change was made in the Kent State Central Committee by the convention by the election of Wilber Eliason, Daniel Hill and Isaac Tilghman, (col.,) as members of that committee.

MUDD versus McCOMAS.

The Republicans of the State Have Lively Contests for Control of Delegates—Kent on the Fence, but for Urie.

INDICATIONS POINT TO McCOMAS AS THE WINNER.

Republican primaries were held in most of the counties of the State during the past week. Lively contests were held in several between Mudd on one side and McComas on the other. In Kent the delegates to the State Convention were named by State's Attorney Urie, candidate for Comptroller, and he says they will be for him first and last.

On the face of the returns as they come to hand the figures seem to place the McComas, or organization, forces in the lead. But in many quarters there were no contests. Some leaders seemed to be playing the role of opportunists, and there are claims and counter-claims as to several counties. They will have to be seen before Senator McComas can be pronounced surely a winner. Perhaps the "cruel war" may not be finally over until September 3, when the Baltimore primaries are held.

The story of the county primaries is told in the following summary: For McComas—Carroll 5, Cecil 4, Dorchester 5, Garrett 3, Harford 5, Montgomery 5, Queen Anne's 4, Somerset 4, Talbot 4, Washington 6. Total 45. For Mudd—Anne Arundel 5, Caroline 3, Charles 3, Prince George's 5, St Mary's 3, Wicomico 4, Worcester 4. Total 27.

Allegany, 6 votes; no primaries.

Baltimore county, 7; no contests and unpledged.

Calvert, 3; on the fence.

Howard, 3; split.

Kent, 3; on the fence.

Frederick, 6; doubtful.

Total, 28 votes.

The Frederick convention, which may be very important as a deciding factor, will be held next Saturday, August 22. Allegany will not hold its convention until Monday next, August 24, and Talbot will finish up the roll of the county conventions August 25. The city of Baltimore will finally end the round of Republican conventions not before September 3.

With the opportunities thus presented and the decided talent of the Republican leaders for jockeying, the struggle for supremacy may, therefore, be prolonged for 10 days at least. Every inch of territory has been stubbornly fought. The battle of the ballots included all the States of Maryland outside of the city of Baltimore and Allegany county. In the city the liveliest interest was manifested.

The chief battleground in the primary contests of Saturday was in Congressman Mudd's district, with Prince George's and Howard as the strategic points. A pretty fight was put up also against Mr. Mudd in his home county. This was a good deal like practicing the old Roman principle of carrying the war into Africa. All accounts agree that the sinews of war were not lacking as was to be expected in a hand-to-hand conflict such as two leaders like Mudd and McComas were waging and negro voters to be controlled.

ONLY HALF CROP OF CORN?

That Is Bookwalter's Estimate After Tour Through Fields.—Farmer Congressman Reports That Grain Is Unsatisfactory All Through States of Central West.

Hon. John W. Bookwalter, who owns 60,000 acres of land in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kansas and Nebraska, and is one of the largest farmers in the country, in a recent interview said:

"I have traveled through the length of New York, diagonally through Ohio, centrally through Indiana, the southern and northern parts of Illinois, through Northern Missouri, Eastern and Northern Kansas and Southern and Eastern Nebraska, and centrally through Iowa, so disposing my time that the entire trip was made in a manner to enable observations to be solely in daylight. The trip embraced substantially the whole corn belt and much of the winter-wheat regions.

"Almost without exception I found the corn in a most unsatisfactory condition, and the wheat and oats falling much under previous expectations.

Corn in Bad Condition.

"As to the corn, the striking feature was the uniformly unpromising conditions throughout the whole region observed. From the extreme eastern to the extreme western limit and from the northern to the southern limit there exists everywhere the same irregularity in size, uncertainty in condition and lateness of the crop, so that scarcely any State or section can be regarded in any marked degree as better conditioned than the rest. Nor only in the river valleys, but also in that of any tributary stream, however small, as well as the sloping lands adjacent to the streams, the condition is exceptionally bad, so much so that in the general estimate of the ultimate outcome this area may as well be left wholly out of the reckoning. This will run into millions of acres.

No Bumper Corn Possible.

"With continuance of favorable weather throughout the season this portion of the early crop will probably make a fair yield, wholly confined to the gentle rolling uplands, but none of it in its present condition will justify the expectation of a bumper yield, as reported from some quarters. In the case of the rough, rolling uplands the crop was washed out. In the flat upland it suffered from standing water much as it did in the valleys.

Outlook for Late Corn.

"As to the late corn which was planted after the wet period and some of it even as late as July and which constitutes measurably one-half of the whole area, it is exceptionally small in size and lacking in vigor, being generally of a size ordinarily reached in a normal season early in June. From the hard condition of the ground left so by the excessive wet of the early season together with the hot and dry weather which has since quite generally prevailed, the growth of the late corn has been a disappointment to the farmer, as it does not come forward with the hoped for rapidity. The ultimate outcome of this year's crop depends largely upon the growth and maturity of the late corn, which, in view of the small size and stunted growth and the fact that the usual time required for its maturity will carry it well into the period not only of early but seasonable frosts, renders this late corn almost hopeless. It may, however, produce a fair amount of good fodder and perhaps light, though unmarketable corn.

Half A Crop A Fair Estimate.

"Much of the crop is clean and well tilled. This is mainly true of the early corn, but quite a large amount, on account of the unfavorable conditions of the soil preventing proper tillage, is filled with grass and weeds, which must further seriously affect the ultimate outcome of the fields so conditioned. In many places in the West it has suffered from dry weather, and fields that have fired as a consequence are not uncommon.

"Taking into account the fields that have been destroyed by the floods, which will total an enormous aggregate, the relatively small area of good promise, the premature tasseling and tardy silkling, the dangerously small size of quite one-half of the whole area and the fact that it has been injured by hot, dry weather in many places it would seem, as the crop stands today, that a half crop for this year would be a fair, if not a full estimate, even should the most favorable conditions prevail until the crop matures.

"Should a period of hot, dry weather follow, or a frost should not be delayed beyond the seasonable time, the crop might fall even far below this estimate.

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THE PROGRAM OF RACES:

August 25th, Tuesday—2.30 Trotting, 3.00 Pacing, Special, County Horses.
August 26th, Wednesday—2.14 Pacing, 2.30 Pacing, Running, Two in Three, one-half mile.
August 27th, Thursday—2.18 Trotting, 2.18 Pacing, Free For All, Pacing or Trotting, Running, one mile dash.
August 28th, Friday—2.25 Pacing, 2.27 Trotting, Mule Race, ½ mile, 2 in 3.

☞Entries close August 18th. at 11 p. m. Records made that day no bar.
☞The Track has been resoiled and put in first-class shape and replaced so as to remove all sandy places.
☞Horses occupying box stalls that do not start in race will be charged a rent of $5.00, unless they prove to be unable to start in race.

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TO THE TAX-PAYERS OF KENT COUNTY.

TREASURER'S SEPTEMBER 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 1903, he will sit for the First September Sitting in the several Districts, at

STILL POND, - Monday, Sept. 7
At Wm. Parr's Store.
MILLINGTON, Wednesday, Sept. 9
At Charles M. Hurtt's Store.
BETTERTON, Thursday, Sept. 10
At Turner & Son's Store.
ROCK HALL, - Friday, Sept. 11
At T. Benj. Durding's Store.
FAIRLEE, - Saturday, Sept. 12
At A. P. Emerson's Store.
CLIFF CITY, - Monday, Sept. 14
At Frank Stoops' Store.

Second September Sitting.

KENNEDYV'E, Monday, Sept. 21
At Wm. A. Pote's Store.
GALENA, - Wednesday, Sept. 23
At Henry Parr's Store.
WORTON, - Thursday, Sept. 24
At Turner & Boyle s Store.
PINEY NECK, - Friday, Sept. 25
At Max Fried's Store.
POMONA, - Monday, Sept. 28
At Walter Trew's Store.
MELITOTA, Wednesday, Sept. 30
At M. M. Rasin'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 8 A. M. to 3 P. M. for the receipt of taxes. Tax-Payers will please take notice that taxes will be due and payable September 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.

JESSE R. COPPER, TREASURER.
Aug. 15, 1903.

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