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A MARYLAND INVENTION!

A Voting Machine That Seems Practical and Valuable—Col. W. J. Wilkinson the Originator and Manufacturer.

W. J. Wilkinson has applied to the Democratic State Central Committee for permission to use his voting-machine in one precinct of Baltimore City in the Senatorial primaries. A working model of the machine is on exhibition at 423 West Franklin Street, and on a recent visit to the City we were shown its construction and operation. It is 26 inches long, 8 inches high and 7 inches wide, and contains space for 50 candidates. It will not weigh more than 25 pounds.

The ticket is printed on heavy paper or cardboard and attached to the top of the machine. The offices to be filled are placed along the head of the ticket, one section being allotted to each, and the names of the candidates for that office are printed below, like this:

FOR GOVERNOR
Vote For One

1—EDWIN WARFIELD
DEMOCRAT

2—STEVENSON A. WILLIAMS
REPUBLICAN

3—EUGENE WHITMAN
PROHIBITIONIST

4—STEPHEN YOUNG
SOCIALIST

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On the machine, just below the ticket, are holes one-quarter inch in diameter and numbered from "1" to "50." The voting is done by placing a marble in one of these holes. For example, if it is desired to vote for Edwin Warfield for Governor, the voter drops a marble into hole No. 1; this number corresponding with that opposite the candidate's name. Placed in hole No. 2, it would be a vote for Stevenson A. Williams; and so through the entire ticket.

In a groove, above these rules, are slides of sufficient width to cover said holes. The object of these slides is to prevent the voter from inserting marbles into more holes than there are candidates to be elected. In the gubernatorial election, if there are four candidates for Governor (there may be more or less, the machine being adjustable to any number), three slides are placed, leaving one hole accessible to the voter, who, by moving the slides, may uncover any one of the four holes, and cast a vote for any one of the four candidates, but is estopped by the slides from voting for more than one. If a number of candidates are to be elected, as for the House of Delegates, the holes left open correspond in number with the candidates to be chosen. Thus from twenty-four or more candidates for the House of Delegates in one of the legislative districts of Baltimore City, the voter may select any six, but cannot vote for more than six.

When the voter has completed his ticket, one of the election judges turns a rod, causing the plate in which the marbles rest to move forward half an inch, bringing the holes in said plate in alignment with other holes leading to the receptacles below, into which the marbles are deposited and remain until the polls close. Each receptacle is made to hold 500 marbles or votes, and there is one receptacle for each candidate on the ticket.

After depositing the marbles in their respective receptacles, the judge partly withdraws the plate containing the slides and returns it, thus destroying the outline of the ballot, so that the succeeding voters may not see from the position of said slides how the man who preceded him voted.

The counting is done by withdrawing a rod from the bottom of a receptacle and allowing the marbles or votes therein to run into a counting device consisting of 50 grooves, each holding 10 marbles and numbered "10", "20", "30" and so on. It is calculated that not more than one minute will be consumed in counting each candidate's votes.

The leading features of this machine are its extreme simplicity, its almost entire absence of mechanism and the consequent lessening of liability to get out of order the low price at which it can be constructed, and its remarkably light weight, when compared with the Buffalo machine, which weighs 800 pounds, costs $750, and is of most delicate and intricate mechanism.

The inventor claims that it will cure the following evils incident to our present election laws:

Handling of ballots by judges of election, who decide which shall be accepted and which rejected;

Twenty thousand ballots thrown out at every election because of alleged improper marking or folding;

Various devices by which the voter shows that he has delivered the goods;

Costly and disturbing election contests based on votes alleged to have been improperly received or rejected;

Difficulty of correctly marking the ballot because of the many restrictions imposed;

Delay in getting the returns, tending to excitement and disorder;

Arduous and exhausting labor of counting the ballots, requiring in some cases forty-eight hours, and adding to the cost in over-time pay to election officials and for room rent;

Great and increasing expense, printing of ballots, hauling booths to and from the polls, candles, pencils, paper, &c.

Voting-machines are being adopted in other States and there is no reason why Maryland should lag behind. Only last week the sister cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul voted to purchase 264 machines of the Buffalo pattern, to cost $200,000.

The Wilkinson machine is on exhibition daily, and the inventor will be glad to show it to any one who calls.

The readers of this paper are requested to send in names as early as possible. Send one name, or a dozen or a score. See to it that none of your former friends and neighbors are overlooked. Even if some of them cannot come home they will appreciate the fact that their people in the old state have not forgotten them.

TOLCHESTER PREMIUMS

(Continued from last week.)

ART DEPARTMENT.

Art Department. Superintendent, Mrs. F. W. Crew; judges, W J Barnes, Baltimore; Mrs K A Heulsler, Lynchburg, Va.

Crayon Drawings. First, A B Sloer, Trenton, N J.; second, Mr A B Sloer, Trenton, N J.

Charcoal Drawings. First, A B. Sloer; second, Miss Florence Snyder, Baltimore.

Pencil Drawing. Second, Miss Florence Snyder, Baltimore.

Architectual Drawing. First, Milton Hall, of Baltimore.

Mechanical Drawing. First, Milton Hall, Baltimore; second, Milton Hall, Baltimore.

Water Colors (landscape or marine) First, Miss Florence Snyder, Baltimore; second, A B Sloer, Trenton N J.

Water Colors, Fruits and flowers) Second, Miss M R Camp, Rock Hall.

Water Color, (figures) First, A B Sloer, Trenton, N J; second, Miss Florence Snyder, Britimore, Md.

Sepia Painting. First, Miss Florence Snyder, Baltimore.

Painting on China. First, Miss Ethel Saddler, Baltimore.

Oil Painting (landscape or marine) First, Miss Minnie Leaverton, Chestertown; second, Mrs R C Morgan, Worton.

Pyrography or Burnt Wood. First, Milton Hall, Baltimore; second, Miss Bessie Hart, Baltimore.

Oil Paintings (fruit or flowers) First, Mrs A Newton Ebaugh, Brooklyn, N Y; second, Miss Florence Snyder, Baltimore.

Painted Fancy Articles. First, Miss Mary Baxter, Chestertown; second, Miss Ethel Saddler, Baltimore.

Amateur Photography. First and second, A B Sloer, Trenton, N J.

Hand-made Bridle. First, W C Gale, Balto.

Wrought-iron Work. N J Steindler, Balto.

LIVE-STOCK DEPARTMENT.

Class 2. Mare and Colt. First, J T Anthony, Chestertown; second, Earl Nicholson.

Heavy Draft. First, won by W F Nicholson, of Chestertown, with a Belgian Stallion.

Class 5. Best single driver. First, P V Hendrickson, Tolchester, Md.

Cattle (registered) S S Hepbron, Still Pond, Polled Angus, all registered. First on three-year-old cows, second on nine-year-old cow, first on three-year-old bull, first on two-year-old cow. Under one-year-old. First on heifer, first on bull, second on bull.

Herfords (not registered) J P Hendrickson, Chestertown, Md. First on three-year-old bull; second on seven-year-old cow; first on five-year old cow; first on two-year-old heifer; first on three-month-old heifer; second on three-month old heifer.

J Romie Byrom, Chestertown, Md. First on ten-month-old bull; second on two-year-old heifer.

P V Hendrickson, Tolchester Md. First on two-year-old bull; second on four-year-old bull; first on one-year-old heifer; first on two-year-old heifer.

Alderny. J T Anthony, Queen Anne county. First one one-year-old bull; first on three-year old cow; first on three-year-old bull; second on three-year-old cow; second under one-year-old heifer; first on under one-year-old heifer.

Mixed-breed Cattle. Mr G E Noland, Tolchester, Md. First on cow nine years old; Mrs R Hague, Tolchester, Md., second on heifer ten months old.

ROCK HALL HIGH SCHOOL EXHIBIT.

The exhibit made by the Rock Hall High School at the fair was highly commended.

The work exhibited was done by the pupils during the past year, under the instruction of Prof. Oswald H. Saunders. All of the work shows much hand carving and ingenuity. The swing attracted considerable attention and many expressed their desire to possess same. It is perfect in every detail. The walnut table, with its beautiful hand carved top, the burnt wood music and book stands, decorated with hand painted flowers and fruits, attracted the notice and favorable comments of all.

Then, too, the carved picture frames, match safes, whisp holders, brackets, book racks, towel racks, paper racks, must not be overlooked. The burnt wood handkerchief boxes looked fine. The tabourette shows much good work and gives promise of a bright future for its maker. The exhibit was in charge of Miss Camp, vice-principal of the school.

Dairy—Butter, 1st premium, Mrs. Richard Smyth, Worton; 2d pr, Mrs. R. C. Morgan, Worton.

Largest and Best Collection of Growing Plants and Flowers—1st pr, Mrs. Romie Byron, Chestertown; 2d pr, Mrs. W. G. Skirven, Chestertown.

Largest and Best Collection of Flowers—1st pr, Mrs. Romie Byron, 2d, Mrs. T. E. W. Crew, Chestertown.

Children's Class—Largest Display of Vegetables—1st pr, Willard Carter, Rock Hall; 2d, Harry H. Morris, Kennedyville.

Potatoes, 1st pr, Willard Carter, Rock Hall.

Farm and Garden Products—Largest and Best Collection of all kinds and quality, 1st pr, James Bell, Chestertown. Fruits—Red Tomatoes, 1st pr, Geo. Lee, Chestertown; 2d pr, Geo. Hatcherson, Chestertown. Apples, 1st pr, C. W. Reinhart, Chestertown. Peaches, 1st pr, Tom Clothier, Rock Hall; 2d, Miss Mary Wilkins, Massey. Quinces, 1st pr, C W Reinhart, Chestertown. Grapes, 1st pr, J L Hudson, Chestertown; 2d, Dr J T Twilley, Chestertown. Oats, 1st pr, James Bell, Chestertown. Half bushel Red Wheat, 1st pr, W F Wink, Chestertown; 2d, James Bell, Chestertown. Half bushel White Corn, 1st and 2d pr, James Bell, Chestertown. Half bushel Yellow Corn, 1st and 2d pr, James Bell, Chestertown. Sweet Potatoes, 1st pr, James Bell, Chestertown. Pears, 1st and 2d pr, C W Reinhart, Chestertown. Early Rose Potatoes, 1st and 2d pr, James Bell, Chestertown. White Potatoes, 1st pr, George Lee, Chestertown; 2d, C W Reinhart, Chestertown. Onions, white, 1st and 2d pr, Jas Bell, Chestertown; red, 1st pr, Jas Bell, Chestertown. Lima Beans, 1st pr, Geo Glenn, Locust Grove. Cucumbers, 1st pr, Geo Lee, Chestertown. Pumpkins, 1st pr, Wm Carter, Rock Hall. Cabbage, 1st pr, Thos Clothier, Rock Hall; 2d, A B Groves, Chestertown. Beets, 1st pr, A B Groves, Chestertown.

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If you have bitter or bad taste in the morning, poor or variable appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, constipated or irregular bowels, feel weak, easily tired, despondent, frequent headaches, pain or distress in "small of back," gnawing or distressed feeling in stomach, perhaps nausea, with sour "risings" in throat after eating, and kindred symptoms of weak stomach and torpid liver, no medicine will relieve you more promptly or cure you more permanently than Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Perhaps only a part of the above symptoms will be present at one time and yet point to torpid liver or biliousness and weak stomach. Avoid all hot bread and biscuits, griddle cakes and other indigestible food and take the "Golden Medical Discovery" regularly and stick to its use until you are vigorous and strong.

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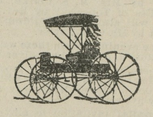

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