

The Democratic Advocate



WESTMINSTER, MD.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, SEP. 10, 1915

TUESDAY IS PRIMARY ELECTION.

Next Tuesday is the day set for the primary election and from all indications will be the warmest contest ever known between both Democrats and Republicans.

Any voter can secure a ballot and mark it at home and bring it to the voting place and put it in the envelope handed him. The ballot that is handed him can be put in his pocket and taken out.

Every voter that is physically able should not stay at home on the day of election but should come out and vote for his favorite candidates.

The primaries at which the candidates for office on both the Democratic and Republican ticket will be selected this year, will be held in every district in Carroll county on Tuesday, September 14. Polls open at 8 a. m., and close at 6 p. m.

LOOK AT THE RECORD OF SENATOR BLAIR LEE—IT DEMONSTRATES THAT HIS PROMISES ARE PIFFLE.

1. Senator Blair Lee denounced General Vandiver as a law breaker and unfit to be Treasurer of Maryland; and then, casting his objections and principles to the winds, voted for General Vandiver for that position.

2. Senator Blair Lee bitterly assailed the Baltimore City Ring as too vile and corrupt for an honest man to associate with, and now he is the Ring's man as a fitting reward for swallowing all his fine words.

3. Senator Blair Lee promised the people of Maryland to support President Wilson until Senator Lee's term expires on March 4, 1917. He now begs the people to assist him in his attempted desertion of President Wilson in the greatest crisis of our political history.

4. Senator Blair Lee assails all bosses, and he is the most arrogant of all bosses. He embarrassed President Wilson and caused a break in the ranks of the Democratic Party for spoils and not for principles. For more than eight months Republicans were retained in office beyond their terms by Senator Lee's arbitrary refusal to even discuss the question of federal patronage with Senator Smith. Having secured all the federal appointments possible to him as United States Senator, he would now leave the Senate to make all the State appointments.

5. Senator Blair Lee puts his hand on his heart and says, WHEN HE IS SEEKING OFFICE, that he is for economy; but after the election is over, economy is forgotten. When in the Maryland Senate he never voted against any appropriation, nor against any order or resolution for extra supplies, printing and pay to employees. He did vote for appropriations amounting to \$160,000 that the Governor considered so unnecessary that he vetoed them. He did vote to pay employees for ninety days when they had only worked forty-five days. He did vote to pay Mr. Mitchell Digges from January 3, when he did not begin work until February 7. Digges is a protegee of Lee's.

In short, Senator Lee preaches economy, and practices extravagance. What more can be expected of a man born with a gold spoon in his mouth?

6. Senator Blair Lee denounces the use of money in elections, and then spends it like a prince, when he is a candidate. In the primary fight with Senator Arthur P. Gorman, he spent over \$40,000; but did not contribute a cent to the Democratic Campaign fund in the contest of Senator Gorman with Governor Goldsborough.

7. Senator Blair Lee is a legal resident of Montgomery county yet he has become the political agent of Mayor Preston to do Mayor Preston's will. He says government must be in the open, yet he makes a secret compact with Mayor Preston, the arbitrary ruler of Baltimore City, who wants control of the Police Board, the Fire Board, the Liquor License Board, and the Election Officials. If Mayor Preston is given this power, the political liberties of not only the counties but the City of Baltimore will vanish.

8. Senator Blair Lee tells the people in his speech at Mt. Airy that we do not have the common law, yet the Constitution of Maryland declares "That the inhabitants of Maryland are entitled to the Common Law." Evidently Senator Lee has not read the Constitution of his State. Do you want a governor who does not know the Constitution of Maryland?

Democrats of Carroll County this record of insincerity, of broken pledges, of selfish office seeking at the expense of the Democratic Party, calls for a rebuke.

Vote for the Candidates of the People. Vote against high taxes. Vote for Harrington, McMullen and Ritchie. A vote for Harrington is a vote for economy and efficiency. A vote for Lee is a vote for extra-

The People's Candidates.

A VOTE for THESE CANDIDATES is a VOTE FOR MERIT



EMERSON C. HARRINGTON For GOVERNOR.



HUGH A. McMULLEN For COMPTROLLER.



ALBERT C. RITCHIE For ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

VOTE FOR THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATES.

By authority of Geo. E. Matthews, Treasurer.

gance and inefficiency. Save the Party and save the State by giving the Democratic Party the Winning Ticket of Harrington, Ritchie and McMullen.

DEMOCRATS OF CARROLL COUNTY AWAKE! Your political independence is at stake! Will you imprison yourselves in the house of bondage ruled by Mayor Harry Preston! Do you know that what is good for Mayor Preston and his followers is neither good for County, City nor State!

By authority of Geo. E. Matthews, Treasurer.



Harrington Ticket.

Vote For The People's Ticket and The People's Candidates.

For Governor. EMERSON C. HARRINGTON.

For Comptroller. HUGH A. McMULLEN.

For Attorney General. ALBERT C. RITCHIE.

For House of Delegates. Vote For Four.

JACOB A. FREDERICK G. FIELDER GILBERT T. MORGAN KIMMEL WALTER I. WELLS IVAN H. SAYERS

For State Central Committee. J. WESLEY HOFFACKER JOHN P. KLEE ARTHUR W. FEESER

Delegates to State Convention. ALONZO B. SELLMAN L. CALVIN JORDAN HERMAN M. DINST JAMES H. ALLENDER JAMES R. WEER

By authority of Geo. E. Matthews, Treasurer.

STATE OF MARYLAND STATE ROADS COMMISSION

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Sealed proposals for building, as follows:

Contract No. C1-13, Br., -CARROLL COUNTY: One reinforced concrete bridge (16' span) girder construction over Meadow Creek, along Meadow Branch Turnpike west of Westminster.

will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 801 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M. on the 28th day of September 1915, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank form contained in the book of specifications. Specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of \$1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By Order of the State Roads Commission this 15th day of September, 1915 WM. L. MARCY, Secretary. O. E. WELLER, Chairman.

STATEMENT TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF CARROLL COUNTY.

It has been charged by some of my enemies that I am responsible for the contest for members of the State Central Committee.

This is untrue and I submit the following facts to the fair minded Republicans of the county as to whether I am in any way responsible for the contest.

From reports and expressions of opinion from Republicans in the different districts, the present State Central Committee was satisfactory and entitled to re-election.

There was one vacancy, caused by the removal of Mr. Andrew D. Reese from the State, and it was conceded that Westminster district was entitled to one member of the Committee.

As I had stated I would not longer be a member of the County Committee, and of course not its Chairman, my friends thought I should be identified with the active organization of the party and suggested my name for the vacancy.

The matter was submitted to representative members of the party in the county and met with general approval, and it was supposed there would be no contest for members of the State Central Committee.

On the last day for filing certificates a number of gentlemen entered the contest, which they had a right to do if they so wished, and I have no criticism to make; but to try to create the impression that I am responsible for this contest is unfair and absolutely false.

During the six years I have served as Chairman of the County Central Committee I have contributed of my time, means and energy, often at considerable sacrifice, for the success of the party.

I may not have accomplished anything, and I do not claim credit for the election of our candidates for county office and a majority for Congressional candidates, yet in these campaigns I have contributed my humble ability unselfishly. And if my friends believe I am entitled to any recognition and desire my further services I would ask them to vote on next Tuesday for Preston B. Englar, Walter R. Rudy, Wm. E. Kolb, James L. Unger and myself.

Polls open from 8 o'clock until 6 o'clock.

Very respectfully, JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM.

Your Doctor Has A Telephone



He has it so that you and others may reach him quickly when sickness or accident comes.

A few words over the telephone with the doctor will start him on his way to you. Meanwhile, he will tell you what to do until he arrives.

But how can you call him up, especially at night, if you have no telephone?

Ask our local manager about telephone service for your home.

THE CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY A. C. ALLGIRE, Local Manager Tel. 9000 72 E. Main St., Westminster

ANNOUNCEMENT!

I hereby announce I have taken the AGENCY for the OAKLAND AUTOMOBILE and will have a demonstrator the latter part of next week. Be on the lookout for the new 1916 Six Cylinder Oakland at \$795.00.

D. R. GEIMAN Phone 135K WESTMINSTER, MD.

FOR SALE One of the best Huckster Routes in the county. Apply at aug 27-31 ADVOCATE.

YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR OPENING DISPLAY OF FALL MILLINERY on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, SEPTEMBER 16, 17 and 18. Miss Florence Culver who has so successfully conducted this department for many seasons is again with us and will be glad to see her many friends. J. W. Mather & Sons WESTMINSTER'S LEADING STORE

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY!

In the estate of Elias G. Shipley, deceased, on the Home Farm on the Washington Road, in Carroll Co., Md.,

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, the undersigned administratrix of Elias G. Shipley, deceased, will offer at public sale, on the premises, known as the Home Farm, of Elias G. Shipley, deceased, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1915,

at 12 o'clock, M., sharp, the following personal property, to-wit: 6 good horses, 3 colts, 2 mules, 6 milk cows, 3 heifers, 2 bulls, automobile, oil tank, lot of oil cans, oil drum, 2 sulky plows, 2 harrows, lot of plows, grain cradle, hay fork and pulleys, corn cultivator, wagon saddle, 2 sets of breechbands, 8 sets of lead harness, 5 work colars, 3 bridles, lot of halters and chains, lot of double and single harness, lot of saddles, 2 pair of check lines, 2 pair of reins, 1 pair of platform scales, hay rope, bushel basket, lot of hogheads and boxes, log sled, water tank, threshing belt, scoop shovel, 2 earth shovels, post digger, hay tedder, horse rake, 2 buggies, land roller, wheelbarrow, corn crusher, chopping mill, gasoline engine and belt, fodder cutter, corn harvester, 2 mowers, drill, corn planter, wheat separator, side hay rake, hay loader, garden plow, spray pump, 3 heavy farm wagons, 2 light farm wagons, lot of haycarriages, 2 stone beds and side boards, clod masher, lot of chains, circular wood saw, spring wagon, manure spreader, 2 sleighs, grind stone, iron vise, lot of measures, lot of tools, McCormick blader, McCormick mower, surrey, buggy, runabout, stump puller, buggy and pole, lot of lumber, lot of stretchers and jockey sticks, lot of double and single trees, wind mill, and many other farming implements not mentioned, 30 tons of hay, lot of rye and oats, 20 bushels of timothy seed, 30 acres of growing corn.

This sale will begin promptly at 12 o'clock, so that all the personal property may be sold during the afternoon.

Terms of Sale:—All sums under \$5.00 cash, and a credit of six months for all sums of \$5.00 and upward, taking notes with sufficient security bearing interest from day of sale.

ALICE V. SHIPLEY, Administratrix. Ivan L. Hoff, Attorney. Davis and Albaugh, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A FARM

Near Sandyville, Carroll County, Maryland.

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County in Equity passed in a cause therein depending in which Emma Spencer and others are Plaintiffs and James P. Spencer and others are Defendants, the undersigned Trustees will offer at public sale on the premises, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2nd, 1915,

at 2 o'clock p. m.; all that farm containing 78 acres and 28 perches of land which was owned by the late Thomas Spencer in his lifetime. The improvements on this property consist of a house of five rooms, with two cellars under it, bank barn, wagon shed, corn house and all necessary outbuildings. There is a fine spring near the house and a pump at the barn. Small orchard of fruit and about 12 acres of wood land, the rest of the land is in a good state of cultivation. The property is at Sandyville and lies on the road leading from the Baltimore Pike to Lawndale, about two miles from Pinksburg and the railroad station; it adjoins the lands of Murray Shreeve, Marshal Flater, Philip Flater and others, and is conveniently located as to schools and churches.

Terms of Sale:—One-third cash on the day of sale or the ratification thereof, one-third in one year and one-third in two years, the credit payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers with approved security bearing interest from day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser or purchasers.

GUY W. STEELE, F. NEAL PARKE, Trustees.

William Blizzard, Auctioneer. On the same day at 1 o'clock p. m., the personal property belonging to the late Rebecca L. Spencer will be sold upon the premises by her administratrix. For full particulars see hand bills.

NOTICE.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections of Carroll County will sit at the Office of the County Commissioners in the Court House at Westminster, for the purpose of giving Transfers to Voters, on Tuesday, September 21, 1915, sept 10-21

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CARROLL COUNTY,

The office of County Treasurer is a most important one to the tax-payers of the County, and its duties are now more exacting and require a greater measure of experience than before our tax laws became so complicated.

By reason of his intelligent, careful, accurate and obliging discharge of his official duties and because of his ability, devotion to duty and large experience and knowledge of the tax laws it would be a great benefit to the tax-payers of Carroll County if OLIVER EDWARD DODRER is again nominated and elected.

The County should not lose the benefit of his skill and expertness but should have the advantage of them for another term.

Very respectfully, OLIVER EDW. DODRER.

Political Advertisement.

TO VOTERS.

Come in Boys, the water is not deep, and

VOTE FOR PERCY H. SHRIVER

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE

For Register of Wills FOR CARROLL COUNTY

At the Primaries, Tuesday next, September 14, 1915

Political Advertisement.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF CARROLL COUNTY.

In accordance with a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Union Temperance League, held at Westminster on Tuesday, August 31st. The Secretary of the League addressed a letter to each of the legislative candidates on the Democratic ticket, asking them to state their position with reference to the question of prohibition. These candidates were asked explicitly to state whether, if elected, they would support and vote for the referendum measure to be presented to the Legislature by the Maryland Anti-Saloon League, submitting to the people the question of State-wide prohibition.

Satisfactory replies have been received from James B. George, Ivan H. Sayers, John B. Baker and G. Fielder Gilbert. Although ample time was given, no reply has been received from Mr. Jacob A. Frederick, Mr. Walter I. Wells, or Mr. Nathan G. Dorsey. T. Morgan Kimmel replied briefly that he would support any measure presented by the League.

After carefully considering all the replies received from all candidates, together with their past record on this question, the Executive Committee of the Union Temperance League of Carroll County, acting under authority of a resolution adopted by the League at the meeting held on August 31st, submit the following recommendation:

That all members of this body, and all temperance forces in sympathy with it, qualified to vote at the primaries to be held on Tuesday, September 14th, should give their loyal and earnest support to James B. George, Ivan H. Sayers, John B. Baker and G. Fielder Gilbert. The first three of these men are candidates for re-election to the House of Delegates. When the cause of Local Option needed friends at Annapolis these men stood unflinchingly for the cause and labored with their colleagues to vote for it, and gave their own votes for the measure. They all gave active support for the bill in the Election last year. The least the temperance forces can do now is to stand loyally by them in the primaries and election.

Mr. Gilbert has satisfied the league and his standing as a citizen, together with his active participation in the campaign in Carroll County last fall, justified the presumption that he will, if elected, heartily support the prohibition cause. All friends of temperance will be safe in supporting him.

So far as the Senatorial situation is concerned, both candidates are acceptable to the League, and this contest is therefore eliminated.

On the Republican side there are no contests at the primaries on the legislative ticket.

The one important thing for the temperance and Christian forces to do, the first duty to perform, is to see to it that men are nominated for the House of Delegates, who are known to be absolutely safe and loyal to the prohibition cause.

GEO. W. YEISER, GEORGE MATHER, J. S. MYERS, A. M. HALL, Political Adv. GEO. P. B. ENGLAR, M. D. NORRIS, D. F. SHIPLEY, R. J. BRANDENBURG, Executive Committee.

FOR SALE—My Home, near Medford, containing 4 Acres, good buildings, 6 room House, never-failing spring of good water; fruit of all kinds; fine location; within 5 minutes walk of Medford Station, W. M. R. R. ALICE ENGLAR, Medford, Md. sept 10-11

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, Maryland, letters of administration on the Personal Estate of SAMUEL W. BARNETT, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 10th day of April, 1916, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 7th day of September, 1915. WILLIAM H. BARNETT, Administrator. sept 10-11