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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1923

Republican Ticket

For Governor
ALEXANDER ARMSTRONG
Of Hagerstown

For Attorney General
WILLIAM C. COLEMAN
Of Baltimore

For Comptroller
J. M. HOLLAND
Of Baltimore

For Clerk Court of Appeals
J. CLAYTON BREWER
Of Annapolis

For Members of House of Delegates
HAROLD K. SHULTS
CLAYTON S. KAUFFMAN
LEVI VOSHELL

For Judges of Orphans Court
A. E. MILLER
FRED BOWDLE
NORMAN VANSCOY

For County Commissioner
LEONARD F. COVEY

For Sheriff
CLARENCE E. RICE

For Register of Wills
JAMES IRWIN HARWOOD

For County Surveyor
WALTER NOBLE

HELP JAPAN IMMEDIATELY

The New York Evening Post of September 6 says —"Japan led the foreign nations in aiding San Francisco when it was devastated by the worst American earthquake in history. Japan contributed more than half of the total foreign subscriptions for relief work. Records show that the Japanese gave $254,960. while the total of foreign subscriptions was $474,875. All foreign subscriptions were voluntary and unsolicited. The San Francisco convulsion in April 1906 cost 452 lives and about $200,000,000 property damage. The property damage in Japan is tentatively placed at between $2,000,000,000 and $3,000,000,000 while the death lists already have mounted into tens of thousands."

Only those who have experienced what it means to have San Francisco cut off from the world, its water supply destroyed, a city without food or shelter or transportation, can realize the situation in Japan.

The writer saw San Francisco in such a condition. He saw four carloads of food come in from his home town four days after the fire and could appreciate what quick action meant in time of disaster. He realized as only a person can who had witnessed such a spectacle, that food, water, clothing, medical attention, shelter and sewerage are absolutely essential to a large body of people left destitute, if the population escapes starvation and epidemics.

The San Francisco disaster was as nothing compared with the present situation in Japan—and yet we thought it was bad at the time.

The people across the Pacific mean much to the United States and we now have an opportunity to do a great deed for humanity as well as cement a friendship with Japan that will be a lasting blessing to this nation.

A shipload of food and clothes today means more than ten ships after thousands have died from starvation and exposure. Act now.

FREIGHT RATES ON GRAIN

If you were to believe our radical politicians, the farmer's troubles would be forever solved if his freight rates were reduced. None of these "Voices of the People" ever raises his voice without alluding to this stumbling block in the road to prosperty of the farmer.

Looking up the old files of the Courier, the market reports showed that on June 30, 1922, cash wheat in Chicago brought $1.15 and on the same date this year it sold for $1.05. The freight rate had not been changed during that period, and the fluctuation during that year was greater than even the wildest eyed demagogue proposes to cut freight rates. In other words, if freight rates had been cut in two this summer, the farmer of Illinois having wheat to sell would still get less for this product than he would have a year ago.

Then there is corn. What would you say the effect of freight rates was on that product? On June 30, 1922, cash corn sold in Chicago at 63 cents. Ayear later the quotation was 81 cents. If the decline in wheat price is due to the freight rate, wheat declined 10 cents a bushel in price and corn improved 19 cents. If the declne in wheat price is due to the freigt rate, why not also grant that the gain in corn is chargeable to the same influence? How can a freight rate work in opposite directions at the same time?'

Yet the politicians are riding into office on a whoop and hurrah campaign in which the farmer is to get relief from the oppression of the railroads. Boy, the railroads may be guilty of all the mean things said about them, but the real nigger in the woodpile is something entirely different. Crucifyng the railroads or shooting them at sunrise or turning them over to the government for operation will not alter the fact that wheat went down 10 to 15 cents a bushel in a year and corn went up approximately 20 to 25 cents in the same time, and under precisely the same transportation conditions.—Editorial, Urbana (Ill.) Courier, July 19, 1923.

It is timidly suggested that the law of supply and demand may have a hand in the price of farm products or any other commodity.

Merchants and Farmers build and own Railroads

The Hall Mark of Service

Samuel Harden Church, President of the Carnegie Institute, in a recent statement, says:

"The railroads were not built by railroad men, and they are not owned by railroad men. They were built by the merchants and farmers of the United States, and they are now owned indirectly by all the people of the United States.

"The whole splendid system of railroads as it exists today was built with capital, energy and brains furnished by American business men and American farmers with the high purpose of developing the commercial and agricultural interests of the country.

"Every one knows that as soon as the iron horse drew his shadow across the land the farms which the Government could scarcely give away suddenly jumped in value to fifty or a hundred dollars an acre, because the railroads had supplied them with the means of development, production and distribution.

"When the railroads are making plenty of money every shop is humming a song of happiness and every farm is growing rich."

THE RAILROADS OWNED BY ALL THE PEOPLE

merit the support, friendship and cooperative interest of the people—Hostility to your own property, either by legislation or individual act, does not accord with self-interest or the good judgment and common sense, so characteristic of American citizenship.

Pennsylvania Railroad System

THE STANDARD RAILROAD OF THE WORLD

Office of the Supervisors of Elections for Caroline County.
Denton, Md., September 20, 1923

NOTICE
OF INTERMEDIATE
REGISTRATION

To the Voters of Caroline County:

In compliance with Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, notice is hereby given that the Officers of Registration for Caroline county will sit in the respective election districts at the time and places hereinafter stated, for the purposes named in and by the provisions of Article 33.

For the purpose of registration of voters the Registers will sit on

Tuesday, October 2nd, 1923

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m., and 9 o'clock p. m.

The second and last sitting for registration will be on

Tuesday, October 9th, 1923

between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m., and 9 o'clock p. m.

The places of sitting will be as follows:

First Election District at HENDERSON;
Second Election District at GREENSBORO
Third Election District, First Precinct at DENTON
Second Precinct of Third District at DENTON
Fourth Election District at PRESTON
Fifth Election District at FEDERALSBURG
Sixth Election District, First Precinct at HILLSBORO
Second Precinct of Sixth District at WEST DENTON
Seventh Election District at RIDGELY
Eighth Election District at AMERICAN CORNER

The Registers will also sit at the above named places on

Tuesday, October 16th, 1923

between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m., and 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of REVISION ONLY.

JOHN K. LYNCH,
WILLIAM T. HIGNUTT,
HARRY B. MASON,
Supervisors of Elections for Caroline county.
Test: C. LESLIE WALLS, Clerk.

Notice to Taxpayers

I WILL SIT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING TAXES between the hours of 1 o'clock p. m., and 6 o'clock p. m., at the following places, (all other days at the treasurer's office in the Court House), on the following days:

Greensboro, Saturday, October 13th (CAROLINE COUNTY BANK)

Preston, Saturday, October 20th (COVEY BROS'. STORE)

Henderson, Monday, October 22d (COLE'S STORE)

Ridgely, Thursday, October 25th (BANK OF RIDGELY)

Federalsburg, Saturday, October 27th (COVEY & WILLIAMS' STORE)

Hillsboro, Monday, October 29th (THOMPSON'S IMP. STORE)

American Corner, Wednesday, Oct. 31 (LORD's STORE)

Office in Denton will not be open from 1 to 6 on these dates.

T. FRANK SEWARD,
Treasurer of Caroline County.

ORDER NISI

MARY E. MOORE and MARY MOORE PARRISH
vs.
LOUISE PARRISH, Infant

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity No. 2059

Ordered this 22nd day of September, nineteen hundred and twenty-three, by the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in Equity, and by the authority thereof, that the creditors of J. Allen Moore, late of Baltimore City, deceased, and all persons who may be entitled to participate in the distribution of the surplus proceeds of sale remaining in the hands of James T. Earl, Trustee, be and they are hereby notified to file their claims with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline County on or before the 1st day of December next, provided a copy of this order be published in some weekly newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 1st day of November, 1923.

LEWIN W. WICKES

True Copy—Test:
4-3t GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk.

Epworth League Will Hold Bake

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church will hold a bake at the old parsonage Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Cake, pies, bread and candy will be on sale.

HILLSBORO

Mr. Harry Fisher and Mrs. Fisher spent Friday and Saturday in Baltimore.

Mrs. Elizabeth Evans is spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Mr. Warfield Seward and family of Chester were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Seward.

Mrs. E. M. Denney is the guest of her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Sparklin.

Miss Alma Baker, who teaches at Bethlehem, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Wharton, Mrs. Bacon, Mrs. Maria Morris and Miss Dora Morris were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Covell Sunday.

Mrs. A. T. Cahall has returned after a delightful visit with her brother and siter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Russum, Baltimore.

Mrs. Mary E. Diggans entertained the Ladies Aid Society on Thursday afternoon. Miss Ella Pennington entertained the Guild of the P. E. Church at the same time.

Rev. W. T. McGuire and Mrs. McGuire attended a district meeting at Middletown, Del., on Wednesday.

Rev. S. N. Pilchard returned home on Tuesday evening. The community is glad to have him home again and hopes for a speedy recovery.

The ladies of the M. E. Church are arranging for a movie benefit, "Bachelor Daddy," on Saturday evening, October 6th.

Rev. W. F. Dawson and Mrs. Dawson of Felton, Del., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stewart a part of last week.

Greensboro C. C. Will Give Supper

The Greensboro Community Club will give a chicken and waffle supper in the Greensboro school house on Friday evening, October 5th, at 5:30. Supper will be served for fifty cents a plate, with an additional charge for ice cream and cake. ad

W. C. T. U. Meeting

There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. Mary Simmons on Monday evening, October 8, at 7:30 o'clock.

Dean Bohanan at Preston

Dean Bohanan, of Trinity Cathedral, Easton, will conduct the Protestant Episcopal service at Preston on Sunday evening, October 7th, at 7:30.

Pretty Bad

The city girl boarding in the country spoke to the farmer about the savage way in which the cow regarded her.

"Well," said the farmer, "it must be on account of that red waist you're wearing."

"Dear me," cried the girl. "Of course, I know it's terribly out of style, but I had no idea a country cow would notice it."—Country Gentleman

Sunlight is absolutely necessary for the life of most plants. A plant drinks in light through its leaves, which grow thin and flat in order that as great a surface as possible may be exposed to the sunlight.

Death at the Steering Wheel

He is worse than blind—because he *thinks* he sees

"Good heavens, Jim, you almost got that child!"

"Well, I didn't, did I?" snarled the man at the wheel, pale and quaking. "Close thing, though, I'll say; but honest, I never saw her till she was nearly under."

"Exactly," responded his friend in level tones. "You'd have been a murderer, no less; and all because you're too obstinate to get those wretched eyes of yours examined. You know that you can't see things down the street worth a cent."

"All nonsense! Why, I can READ without any trouble—and if I can READ I can drive."

Yet—four accidents had been marked up against him. That eternal effort to adjust shortsighted eyes to distance interfered with his ability to apply brakes and shift gears quickly. It cut down the swiftness and sureness wtih which his hands and feet respond to the brain message that cried "Stop!" Although he could READ, he was incapacitated for SAFE DRIVING.

Every second car you see is driven by a person who needs glasses.

Don't wait for a law compelling every driver to have his eyes examined before he is granted a driver's license. If you drive a car, you owe it to yourself and to humanity, to have your eyes examined today.

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VICTOR BREAD Loaf 5c — Made of the purest ingredients

Our Reg. 10c **Shaker Salt** cut to **8c** pkg
Free running. It never cakes or hardens.

Chocie Santa Clara Prunes lb 10c | N. B. C. Uneeda Biscuits pkg 5c | Fancy Evap. Apricots lb 17c

Our Reg. 35c Hawaiian **Pineapple** cut to **31c** big can
Big, luscious slices, packed in very heavy sugar syrup. Your choice of either Gold Seal or Del Monte brands.

Cakes and Candies!
NBC: Peanut Sandwiches lb 27c; Fig Newtons.. .....lb 21c
Milk Chocolate ½ lb cake 25c
Assorted Chocolates lb box 39c.

Where Quality Counts
ASCO: Tomato Catsup ..bot 12½c; Pancake Flour ..pkg 10c; Golden Syrup ....can 10c; Peanut Butter tumbler 10c; Baking Powder ....can 10c; Corn Flakes .....pkg 7c

Fancy New Catch Norway Mackerel
Small Size. 9c, Reg. 15c med size cut to 12½c, Reg. 25c large size cut to 21c each
Quality the same, only difference is in the size. Tasty and appetizing for breakfast—for a change.

ASCO Peanut Butter lb 20c | Palmolive and Lifebuoy Soap 3 cakes 20c | Gold Seal Family Flour 12 lb bag 49c

Asco Teas 1-4 lb pkg 14c 1 lb pkg 55
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