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LUKE McLUKE SAYS

Hush money does more talking than any other kind.

When you see an overdressed woman escorting a man who looks like a dog, that, you know, who is boss in that house.

A girl can put in ten years acquiring culture. But that won't keep her from snoring when she is asleep.

The man who beats his wife isn't a bit worse than the man who robs his family by spending his money on his friends.

The old-fashioned man who used to paddle his own canoe now has a son who owns a motor boat named "Ishkabibble."

It is funny what a difference a few years make. The girl who used to let you chew her "was" in school while you took a whirl at her all day sucker now has a daughter who carries her individual drinking cup so she won't get any germs in her mouth.

THE VICTORY GROWS

Democrats are very much elated over the result of the election. The Republicans lost three Senators and the Democrats will have a majority of members in the House.

In the light of the past, a history of the nation, the Republicans should have carried the House, but they didn't. Instead the Democratic party smashed every precedent, established since the foundation of the government and created a Democratic House by the largest majority ever given a political party following a revision of the tariff laws.

Not only has the party made decisive gains in the Senate, which insure control of that body for many years to come, but all records have been broken in the election of a majority in the House. Only once before has a political party been given a majority in the lower branch of Congress following a revision of the tariff laws.

POLITICAL PREACHERS

Peter Radford, who has just been appointed lecturer of the Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union of America, sounds a note of warning to the growing number of preachers who are mixing in politics.

"Those who put on ecclesiastical robes," says Prof. Radford, "are in a measure free to unlock every door of the human heart and enter the secret chambers of reason and every person should submit their conduct to review and seek the counsel of those duly appointed messengers of God; but the moment the minister closes the Bible and opens the law book he becomes a menace to society.

"The greatest part to play today is politics. The temptation of the ministry to throw down the cross of Christ and pick up the club of Christ is one that probably tests the graduates of the law for the power of the altar and the religion of the hearts never was greater.

"The world never needed a religious ministry more, but political preachers less than it does today. We need ministers to teach us how to live, and how to vote."

TRY YOUR HOME MERCHANT FIRST

In a recent issue of The Pasadena Star published at Pasadena, California, there appeared the photograph of Lady Queen Anne, a Spartan, who has made good in the southern city. The issue was an industrial one and contained about 16 photographs of the leading business and commercial men of Pasadena, among which was that of Mr. Griffith Potts, Esq., a former compositor in THE CONSERVER office and son of Mr. F. T. Potts, at one time a well known resident of this county, but now of Baltimore City. These hundred business men compose a local campaign committee for the upbuilding of the city of Pasadena, and their slogan is: "Try your home merchant first."

THE CONSERVER commends this slogan to the people of Queen Annes county, no matter what their profession or walk in life may be. It is only right and proper that we should give our home merchants first consideration, not that we should pay them exorbitant prices for their goods when they can be purchased cheaper elsewhere but it is our duty to try them FIRST, and, everything being equal, patronize them to the exclusion of those outside of our county.

If this method were adopted and strictly adhered to by the citizens of Queen Annes county, thousands of dollars would be kept within the county, whereas now it goes to other counties never to return again. And after all, we are dependent one upon another, and unless we are willing to assume a charitable attitude towards our fellow men we never can prosper as we should.

Therefore, we can say, by way of emphasis, that we need the slogan: "Try your home merchant first," to every citizen of Centreville and Queen Annes county, feeling sure that if you will give them a trial they will be able to meet the majority of your demands at a price that is satisfactory to your pocket book.

THE POWER OF KNOWLEDGE

Read the following despatch to The Baltimore News. When you have read it, reflect upon what agriculture has done in Georgia in comparison with what farming has done in Queen Annes county.

"Macon, Ga., Nov. 12. Four brothers, members of the Boys Corn Club of Georgia, produced 824 bushels of corn on four acres of land this year. Luther Allred, of Pickens county, one of the brothers, today won first prize at the State Fair for the greatest yield from one acre. He produced 227 bushels.

"Clarence Allred raised 220 bushels, Elmer 210 and Arthur 167, according to the announcement of the judges.

"Walker Lee Dunson, of Alexander City, Alabama, holds the national record with a yield of 822 bushels on one acre.

"Georgia soil has to be nourished, fertilized and well worked to grow a heavy crop of corn. It is not the naturally fertile cereal soil of this county. To grow 227 bushels of corn on one acre of Georgian land means the highest type of intensive, comprehensive method. It is a triumph for the educated tiller of the soil over the so-called practical farmer.

"The secret of corn growing in Georgia is not in the soil. It is due to the admission by the farmers that they knew little about how to get worked until they listened to the Government's instructors. When they ceased being leaders and used their native intelligence to carry out the instructions given them by the government demonstrators, then they began to grow corn."

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PERSONAL

Mrs. Paul White, of Los Angeles, California, and Mrs. Conrad B. King, of Baltimore, were guests this week at the home of their grandfather, Mr. Wm. J. Price, of Centreville.

Mrs. Edgar Louis Nugent, who has been ill, business editor, is improving rapidly after operations.

Messrs. Herman Meredith and Elmer Bishop are spending the week with Baltimore and Washington friends.

Miss Margaret Spencer Corkran is being entertained at the home of Mrs. J. Brooks Magruder, at Keswick, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Green were Baltimore visitors this week.

Mrs. Ella Hall Hadley and Mrs. M. Worthington Hadley visited friends in Baltimore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Shearer, of Laval, have returned after a visit to Atlantic City, and arrived yesterday to spend several days as the guests of Mrs. Shearer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. and L. Hutchinson.

Mrs. L. E. Price has returned from a visit to relatives in the city of New Jersey.

Mrs. John [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] has returned from a visit to Miss Mabel [illegible] at Annapolis, Md.

Miss Dorothy Ewan, the guest of relatives and friends near Ewan's Church, Mrs. Hester [illegible], near Wye Church, Mrs. Spencer Newman, near Wye Church, Mrs. Edwin W. Corkran, near Chester River, near Sophia Wharf, has issued invitations for a reception to be held next Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Neale Brown, of Centreville.

An engagement of interest to Maryland and Virginia, announced by Mr. and Mrs. Claudius S. Foster, is that of their only daughter, Miss Ruth Sears, of Virginia, to Mr. F. Sterling Price, son of Mr. William J. Price, of Centreville. The wedding will take place in Baltimore on Saturday, November 28th, at 6 o'clock A. M. Owing to illness in the family of the bride-elect the ceremony will be quiet.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bishop, of Chicago, are spending several days as guests at the home of Mrs. Eberley's mother, Mrs. C. I. Hall, on Broadway. Mr. and Mrs. William J. Price, Jr., are spending a couple of days in Baltimore.

Katie M. Smith

Miss Katie M. Smith, of Bridgeville, Delaware, daughter of Mr. Charles Smith, of near Centreville, died suddenly at her parents' home on Monday morning at 2 o'clock of acute indigestion. The deceased was but 19 years old.

The remains were brought to Centreville over the Penna. R. R. on Monday morning, arriving at Centreville at 11 o'clock. Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her parents, Rev. Mr. Hopkins officiating. Interment in Christ Church cemetery.

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Cut This Out For Luck

LEGAL HOLIDAY

Tuesday, Nov. 26th, Thanksgiving Day, being a legal holiday, the Farmers National Bank of Maryland will be closed. Notes maturing on that day must be arranged for.

NELSON J. BROWN, Cashier.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!
WRIGHT & LOWE

When You Buy

a lovely piece of farm machinery you get to the man who will sell you the most efficient article for the most reasonable price and who backs up the machine with a guarantee of service.

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PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE
Personal Property

Having rented my land, I will sell at public sale on the farm occupied by William McDaniel, at Oakland Corner, three miles west of Ridgely, on

Monday, November 30,

commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following personal property:

MULES AND HORSES

1 pair bay mules, 6 years old, weigh about 1,000 lbs.
1 pair black and bay mules, 6 and 12 years old, weigh 1,000 lbs.
1 pair black mules, 16 and 18 years old, weigh about 1,100 lbs.
1 pair bay mules, 15 years old, weigh about 1,100 lbs.
1 pair black mules, 14 years old, weigh about 1,100 lbs.
1 bay horse.
1 black horse, 16 years old, sound and gentle, fine family horse.

HOGS

2 brood sows with pigs by thoroughbred Berkshire boar.
2 brood sows, young, with pigs by thoroughbred boar.
These sows are all well bred Berkshire and Poland China, except one red sow.
10 pigs, will weigh about 200 lbs., very fine stock, all fat, ready to butcher.
20 Shoats, weigh about 100 lbs., all thrifty stock.
25 Shoats, weigh from 40 to 60 lbs., all thrifty stock.
1 thoroughbred Berkshire boar, 1 year old, a very fine specimen.

WAGONS

4 horse wagon, hand made, in good as new.
1 horse wagon, hand made, [illegible] years for body.
1 2 horse Weber wagon, used [illegible] years for body.
1 2 horse wagon, hand made, used [illegible] years for body.
These wagons are in good shape. I have [illegible] to sell [illegible] wagon [illegible] wagon [illegible] wagon