

Democratic Ticket

- For Governor: **AUSTIN L. CROFT** of Cecil County.
- For Comptroller: **JOSHUA W. HERD** of Carroll County.
- For Attorney-General: **ISAAC LOBB STRAIN** of Baltimore City.
- For Clerk of the Court of Appeals: **C. C. MAGRUDER** of Prince Georges County.
- For Associate Judges of the Superior Court: **W. H. ADKINS** of Talbot County, **PHILIMON B. HOPPER** of Queen Anne's County.
- For the State Senate: **J. FRANK HARPER**
- For the House of Delegates: **DUDLEY G. ROE**, **W. J. MASSEY**, **JOHN P. ROE**
- For State's Attorney: **THOMAS J. KEATING**
- For Treasurer: **L. H. PERKINS**
- For County Commissioners: **E. JOHN**, **CLAYTON**, **WILLIAM**

HOW ABOUT THIS TRICK?

Mr. Leonard C. McGinnis, Independent nominee for State Senator, covered all two letters—the Board of Election Supervisors did the other to be signed by Mr. Charles F. McGinnis, Independent Republican candidate for Judge of the Orphans' Court, declining this nomination, and asking that his name be taken off the ballot. In the first place the request was not filed in time, nor was this declaration in legal form, consequently the Board of Election Supervisors could not act upon it. In the second place, it is not believed that Mr. Charles F. McGinnis signed these letters, or even knew their contents. Mr. Charles F. McGinnis was interviewed by a well known Democrat Thursday, October 21st, and the letters are dated October 20th—and he did not tell what course he had pursued, only stating that he had said he did not care to run and was glad to have his name taken off the ballot. Mr. McGinnis is said to write in an ordinary hand, yet these letters are in a spurious manner, and, at least, is very significant. Mr. Wright took good pains not to file the letters with the Supervisors, but to give anyone the chance to see the genuineness of them. The matter, it is believed, is a trick of L. C. McGinnis and Mr. James Wright to make it appear that a Democrat nominated without his knowledge or consent.

Two years ago the Democrats were defeated, which they refused a few days before election. This year they are united and are working as never before, and victory is assured.

Mr. J. Fill Legg, Independent Citizens' candidate for House of Delegates, is not a registered voter of Queen Anne's county. His name has been ordered stricken off by the Circuit Court. Will you cast your ballot for a man who cannot represent you if elected?

A BIRTH calculated to nominate next year white person was that witnessed Thursday in the courtroom, where the two Independent Boxes, James F. Bright and H. W. Mitchell, were working with might and main to have crossed from the poll books the names white voters, and at the same time striving with all vigor to have names retained. And these two gentlemen claim to be Democrats, too!

THE OBSERVER has always stood for the best citizenship and progress of Queen Anne's county, and today is confident and recognizes its position in this community to the fullest extent. Never has it been a party to any scheme or device to deprive the highest citizenship of this county of their rights in any particular. For more than fifty years it has advocated the supremacy of the white race, and it is stronger today in its conviction that for the best interests of the white people of this county the Democratic party should be in control.

This vote for this party means a vote for the rights of the white man, and a vote for the upholding of our public institutions.

Democrats, remember to vote for Robert W. Thomas, Democratic nominee for Register of Wills. His name appears on the official ballot in the bottom of the sheet—below all of the County Commissioners. Your ballot should contain the name of your candidate.

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To The Voters

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TO THE VOTERS OF QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY

I am greatly surprised to learn that any one is willing to print such a statement about me. I am still more surprised that any one, even though he may side behind the cowardly cry of an anonymous name, should be willing to drag into the field of political controversy the sacred name of the Church.

While I do not feel that a denial of this remarkable statement is necessary, yet in order that my position may not be misunderstood, even by the writer of the letter, I do not hesitate to say emphatically and unequivocally, that I have never pursued such a course. There is a limit beyond which we should never allow the exigencies of political campaigns to carry us, and I regret that this writer, in his anxiety to make an unfair attack upon me at the eleventh hour, should so far trespass upon the propriety of legitimate argument as to make this unworthy attempt to misrepresent me before the people of my county. I deem it a sufficient answer to his charge to say that I hold the Church too sacred to even attempt to do, directly or indirectly, what this writer, in his misguided zeal, charges me with doing.

In my opinion of the county, both in my public addresses and private conversations, I have made a strenuous effort to be straight-forward and fair in the discussing of the issues of the campaign. I have especially refrained from any kind of abuse or personal criticism of the candidates on the opposing ticket and have tried to avoid saying anything that might justly be construed as a misrepresentation of the motives or purposes of those who do not agree with me politically. Now that the campaign is about to close, I feel that I have a duty to perform in this regard.

J. FRANK HARPER

A VOTE FOR ANY TWO CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER FROM THE SAME DISTRICT WILL DESTROY THE WHOLE BALLOT.

Democrats, be sure to vote for but ONE candidate for County Commissioner from each district.

To the Voters of Queen Anne's County

We have about finished one of the hottest and bitterest campaigns that has been fought in Queen Anne's county for years. On next Tuesday you will be called to the polls to cast your ballot for the party which you think stands for the best government to all concerned. There have been many things done and said in this campaign, on both sides, which does not appeal to many of our best citizens, but I think, as good citizens, we should look carefully into the different issues, lay aside all prejudice, and cast our ballots for the party and men who, in our honest judgment, are best qualified to fill the positions they have been nominated for. I have tried to make an honest fight for what I believe to be right. There have been unfair things said of me, which I have tried to correct by going face to face to the people with the opportunity would permit. To those whom I have not seen, I will say that I am not enough and truth in the reports to take any sides or actions upon.

With the exception of one time in my life, I have always voted a Democratic ticket. One year I voted a part of the Republican ticket. I was a strong advocate of negro rule in that campaign. My opinion was that the National Company was entitled to the right of 25 years and I am deeply sorry that I

Treasurer's Notice

NOTICE is hereby given to the Taxpayers of Queen Anne's County that I have in my possession the tax bills of said county for the levy of 1907. Section 125 of Chapter 226 of the Code of Public Laws, passed at the Session of the General Assembly, 1891, which that taxes levied are due and payable on

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