

# The Centreville Observer.

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## Queen Annes County Solidly Democratic

### In Line With the Glorious Victory of the State

DEMOCRATIC GAINS IN EVERY SECTION OF STATE--DEMOCRATS WILL HAVE TWO THIRDS MAJORITY IN NEXT LEGISLATURE.

### GOV. SMITH WINS SENATORSHIP

The Democratic Party in Queen Annes county is to be congratulated upon its wonderful victory of last Tuesday. Two years ago, when a number of Democrats left their own party, nominated a ticket of their own making, and coalesced with the Republican party, the Democratic Party was temporarily discouraged by the movement. It was impossible to agree upon a definite form of campaign and the consequence was that this movement was victorious, and they entered upon an administration of county affairs which appeared to the average person as founded upon a pretty solid basis. Politically speaking, so long as they could lead the Republican party in solid support of their own ticket.

Their estimate of the requirements and expectations of the best citizenship of the county, and when they undertook to use their influence for the election of Wm. H. Jackson, Republican, over Thomas A. Smith, Democrat, last year a great number of their most influential followers revised and came back into the ranks of the Democratic party. To this together with the clean, aggressive fight made by the Democratic campaign committee, backed up by the fact that the Democratic nominees were nominated by the people in an open Crawford County System, is responsible for their victory on Tuesday last.

While the victory is, under existing conditions, a sweeping one, yet it was not unlooked for by those in close touch with the situation. An extra edition of the OBSERVER, issued last Monday, predicted that the local ticket would win by 500 majority, while the returns show that the greatest majority received by any nominee was 339. The Democrats, it is believed, suffered the same from the mis-folded ballots, and in every precinct heard from up to this time they were certainly the losers in those thrown out from defective marking. The poll was the largest perhaps, in the history of the county, more than 90 per cent. of the registered vote casting their ballots on Tuesday. The Democratic nominees were victorious in every district in the county but one, and greatly reduced the majority of the Independent Citizens in the district of two years ago. The first, second, third, fourth, fifth, and sixth districts returned democratic majorities, when two years ago the Democrats carried but one district in the county, which was the first.

The State ticket was by nearly 600 majority. Judge Crothers receiving 567, Dr. Hering 548, Mr. Straus 517, Mr. Magruder, 503, and the Judicial ticket carried the county by a comfortable margin of 673 majority. Mr. George A. Whitely for Sheriff received a majority of 239, Mr. Currey for Surveyor 213, Mr. Keating for State's Attorney 239, Mr. Harper for State Senate 268, Mr. Perkins for Treasurer, 177, the Legislative candidates an average majority of 268, and Judge of Orphans Court an average majority of 203.

The carrying of Kent and Talbot counties by substantial majorities, was a heavy blow to the Republicans. The election of both the Democratic candidates for Judge, Messrs. Adams and Hopper, in the Second Circuit, was one of the things that somewhat surprised the Democrats in other parts of the State. It had been expected that the Republicans in this circuit would elect at least one of their judicial candidates but they failed, and Judges Adams and Hopper won by a good margin.

The State outside of the city did

its part splendidly in bringing about the result. It gave a plurality for Crothers of something over 500.

The counties which are lined in the Democratic column are Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Caroline, Carroll, Cecil, Harford, Howard, Kent, Montgomery, Prince George's, Queen Annes, Somerset, Talbot, Worcester and Worcester.

St. Mary's went for Gaither, and will have to be put in that column, but it went for the remainder of the Democratic State ticket, elected a Democratic local ticket and one of its two members to the legislature is a Democrat.

The other counties which lined up under the Gaither banner were Allegany, Calvert, Charles, Dorchester, Frederick, Garrett and Washington. It was not plain sailing for the Republicans by any means in Allegany, where they were counting on 1900 plurality, they got 1,000, with one precinct (Frontsburg) missing. That may run it up to 1,200 but no more. The Democrats elected Ford, one of their candidates for the Legislature, leaving four delegates to the Republicans. Calvert elected one Democrat and one Republican to the Legislature, and elected a Republican to the State Senate. But it gave a heavy plurality for Judge Hering for General Wilmer, even heavier than had been expected.

Congressman Maed, of course, carried his home county, but his candidate for the post office was defeated.

Dorchester almost goes in the Democratic column, the Republican plurality being only about 100, and even then a Democrat will go to the Legislature from there—Wolster, who defeated James Garrett was with the Republican Washington. It was hard to get into the Democratic column, but lost by 200. Even Senator Betts, who is one of the best representatives the county ever had in the Legislature, was defeated. It was to the regret of many Republicans. Four out of five members of the legislature are Republicans, one Democrat getting in.

There were some absent minded judges of election on duty, and in Cecil these cost the Democrats about 800 votes. Out of the 182 rejected ballots the Judge forgot to put his initials on 31 cast by Democrats, which invalidated them. Much complaint was heard from all over the State about the size of the ballot and the difficulty of putting it, and the number of ballots rejected because they were improperly marked was very large.

#### Senatorial Primaries

In the Senatorial Primaries Ex-Governor Smith gets a majority of the votes of 718, receiving a majority of counties in every district in the county except the Third, where Governor Warfield beat him by 24 votes. The official table follows:

Whyte	Smith	Warfield	Talbot
1st district	242	240	10
2nd district	203	177	26
3rd district	285	139	146
4th district	157	148	9
5th district	122	159	37
6th district	122	139	17
7th district	122	139	17
Total	1316	1082	234

Smith's majority 718.

#### Is Beauty Only Skin Deep?

Beauty is only skin deep, but the forces that create beauty are as deep as the fountain from which they flow. When the blood is charged with impurities beauty disappears, when the blood is pure beauty blossoms in face and form. Rydals' Liver Tablets keeps the liver healthy and the bowels regular, prevents the blood becoming laden with bile and waste matter, makes the skin clear, eyes bright and beauty more than skin deep. Forman & Keating.

### VOTE OF QUEEN ANNES COUNTY

Candidates	Subsidiary	Church Hill	Centreville	Queenstown	Port Republic	Chesapeake	Total
Governor	268	251	181	176	185	177	117
George Wilber, Dem.	141	134	145	127	168	97	118
James Magruder, Pro.	18	9	9	14	4	4	7
Isaac Crothers	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Crothers plurality							567
Comptroller	261	245	177	168	179	173	115
Joshua Hering, Dem.	139	124	144	128	159	87	117
Geo. A. Whaley, Pro.	20	9	15	4	4	8	18
Wm. H. Jackson, Pro.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hering plurality							646
Atty General	262	244	178	168	180	171	115
Isaac Crothers, Dem.	139	124	143	128	159	88	117
Harry E. Hart, Rep.	22	9	15	5	4	8	20
Chas. B. Ford, Pro.	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Straus plurality							577
Clerk of Court of Appeals	263	243	169	165	173	173	114
Caleb C. Magruder, Dem.	128	123	143	136	149	85	110
Thomas Pen, Rep.	21	9	19	4	6	8	20
John H. Hering, Pro.	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Magruder plurality							579
Assessee Judges	263	243	169	165	173	173	114
William H. Adams, Dem.	139	123	143	136	149	85	110
Phillimon Hopper, Dem.	125	129	139	130	80	86	107
Albert G. Scott, Rep.	112	111	132	115	125	79	105
Democratic plurality							560
Sheriff	248	228	170	166	165	165	105
Geo. A. Whaley, Dem.	154	153	162	150	155	152	95
Wm. S. Adams, Pro.	19	8	8	14	3	4	16
Whiteley plurality							332
Surveyor	246	199	160	149	165	149	107
S. Chester Jackson, Dem.	153	108	150	140	167	104	97
Thomas H. Sells, Pro.	13	9	9	9	8	6	18
Courtesy plurality							204
Judge of Orphans Court	252	204	160	151	172	154	104
Joseph B. Ford, Dem.	126	106	147	163	159	97	154
John G. Hering, Dem.	200	202	166	151	165	148	104
Alfred Taylor, Pro.	180	161	152	144	177	107	105
Wm. J. Embert, Pro.	160	159	142	131	163	102	111
Wm. E. King, Ind.	108	108	154	169	108	108	122
Wm. F. Peters, Ind.	8	8	21	21	5	5	21
Robert E. Baynard, Pro.	8	7	7	15	5	5	8
Edward C. Bost, Pro.	5	8	9	16	1	5	8
James L. Wallison, Pro.	5	8	9	16	1	5	8
Democratic plurality							242
State's Attorney	254	181	170	163	154	154	107
Louis B. Ford, Dem.	159	188	148	135	175	109	125
Woodward P. Finley, Ind.	20	9	6	13	6	4	7
Wm. V. Bryan, Pro.							172
State Senator	253	268	173	164	165	162	111
J. Frank Harper, Dem.	160	172	144	138	168	105	108
Lemuel C. McGinness, Ind.	19	9	7	13	5	4	6
James T. Anthony, Pro.							248
House of Delegates	244	205	169	150	160	154	101
Wesley J. Massey, Dem.	250	202	169	144	159	151	106
John P. Ross, Dem.	248	194	162	145	168	153	101
J. Phil Legg, Ind.	153	151	137	128	165	103	98
Harry R. McFeeley, Ind.	142	147	127	127	97	100	111
Cooper Tarbutton, Ind.	155	165	147	136	161	105	109
Dr. Walter H. Fenby, Pro.	19	8	7	17	3	4	8
Spencer Walls, Pro.	19	7	7	14	3	4	7
Wm. F. Wiggles, Pro.	14	6	6	14	2	4	8
County Commissioners	249	197	146	145	154	145	103
E. John Merrick, Dem.	154	160	145	141	156	104	107
Charles L. Joslin, Ind.	18	8	6	16	4	4	7
Lemuel C. Benton, Pro.	241	193	150	140	150	144	98
Olive C. Newman, Dem.	151	172	142	132	159	112	102
James E. Anderson, Ind.	19	8	4	15	3	4	6
Wm. C. Robinson, Pro.	241	188	154	152	147	142	101
Wm. Emory Row, Dem.	156	160	149	138	148	102	106
Samuel W. Bullen, Ind.	18	8	5	19	4	4	7
James W. Herring, Dem.	232	182	154	144	152	145	101
Charles L. Goodland, Ind.	155	163	145	136	172	102	101
Walter Price, Pro.	17	7	4	15	3	4	6
W. Steadman Cross, Dem.	250	194	160	145	154	149	94
Charles C. Wilson, Ind.	149	164	142	139	144	115	107
Joseph W. Carter, Pro.	19	8	4	15	3	4	6
Charles H. Quimby, Dem.	245	187	158	136	150	139	101
Wm. T. Bishop, Ind.	18	8	5	13	1	4	5
Richard L. Skinner, Pro.	239	180	158	142	151	143	101
H. Clay Hendrix, Dem.	147	164	142	135	144	106	104
John C. Smith, Ind.	17	6	6	18	3	5	6
Ivanhoe Willis, Pro.							95
Register of Wills	221	181	145	139	127	124	95
Robert W. Thomas, Dem.	140	156	126	132	181	100	102
John F. Ruth, Ind.	12	6	8	11	4	4	6
James B. Price, Pro.							98
Thomas' plurality							46
For Amendment	84	64	47	53	58	45	11
Against Amendment	168	170	187	181	212	124	144
Defeated by							992

### JERSEY DEMOCRATIC

Frank Katzenbach Elected Governor by 10,000 Plurality.

#### CHANGES IN THE ASSEMBLY

Democrats Not Only Made Heavy Gains in North Jersey, But Also Gained Large Republican Majority in Southern Part of State.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 6. Frank B. Katzenbach, Jr., Democrat, has been elected governor over John F. Fort, Republican, by a plurality of from 8000 to 10,000. Mr. Katzenbach has



FRANK B. KATZENBACH, JR.

Not only made heavy gains in North Jersey, but has also cut down the normally large Republican majority in South Jersey. Essex county went Democratic by 4063 and Hudson county by 16,000. Passaic county is very close. The majority for H. Otto Wittpen, Democrat, over Mark N. Fagan, Republican, for mayor of Jersey City, will

Democrats have elected Harrison over Shinn, Rep. in Ocean county. This will increase the Democratic representation in the senate from seven to eight and reduce the Republican strength from 14 to 13. The reelection of Senator Wakelee, Rep. of Bergen, and of Senator Hilley, Rep. of Morris is also in doubt. Half of the assembly will probably be Democratic. The Democrats have carried Monmouth county and probably Union county.

The vote in Cape May. Cape May, N. J., Nov. 6. Frank B. Katzenbach for governor has a majority in Cape May county and Republicans elect E. K. Riffe, Republican, as assembly and Charles P. Vannaman, Republican, surrogate by the same plurality, while Corson, Republican, for sheriff, has 399. The new board of freeholders stand eight, Republicans and two Democrats. In Cape May city Frederick J. Melvin, Democrat, is elected mayor. Joseph H. Brooks, James J. Swake and Samuel H. Moore, all Republicans, are elected councilmen and the new body stands eight Republicans and one Democrat. John W. Thompson, Republican, for recorder, I. H. Smith, Jr., city treasurer and R. Needles, for tax collector, are elected.

Camden Elects Republican Mayor. Camden, N. J., Nov. 6. John F. Fort for governor carried the county by 5000 and Ellis, Rep. has been re-elected mayor by 4900.

Fort Cut in Atlantic City. Atlantic City, Nov. 6. The Republican majority for the state ticket is 1000, the normal majority being 3900. Edward Wilson, for senator, Martin Keffer, for assembly, and I. Bontheimer, for coroner, Republicans, are elected. An unusual cut was made on Fort. All the Republican councilmen were elected.

Cincinnati Elects Republican Mayor. Cincinnati, Nov. 6. By a decisive plurality and possibly by a clear majority over all four competitors, Colonel Markbreit, a veteran German editor, and former United States minister to Bolivia, was elected mayor of Cincinnati on the Republican ticket. He carried with him the entire Republican ticket. The campaign had been vigorous, but the fact that Mayor Dempsey, who was elected two years ago by a combination of Democrats and Municipal Party, was this year the candidate of the Democrats and was opposed by many former supporters, gave the Republicans additional support.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills made. They do not grip, said by J. Thomas Holland.

#### This Democratic Rooster

Miss May Robinson  
Miss May Robinson, of Sudersville, who was about five weeks ago sent to the Baltimore City Hospital for treatment, died at that institution Tuesday of last week. Her remains were brought to Sudersville Wednesday and interment was made at Holden's church.

A Significant Paper.  
"May the Lord help you make Duck-ten's Arnica Balm known to all," writes J. G. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. It quickly took the pain out of a foin for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time. Best on earth for sore, burns an ointment. See at Forman & Keating's drug store.

Oh! Proudly Struts.