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FREDERICK COUNTY.

Frederick is next to the largest of the counties of Maryland. In population and wealth it ranks next to Baltimore county.

PERFUNCTORY SYMPATHY.

At a meeting of the directors of the White Star Line, held in London last week, the following reference was made to the loss of the Titanic:

"The loss of this fine vessel was a source of deep regret to the directors, but it is of minor importance, compared with the terrible loss of so many valuable lives.

At the same meeting a report was read showing that a 60 per cent. dividend for the year had been paid, that the profits for twelve months amounted to \$5,373,760, and that the balance carried forward amounted to \$700,855.

How much better the minutes of that meeting would have looked had they shown that even one tenth of those yearly profits had been distributed to the dependent survivors of that awful wreck!

FORMER GOVERNOR CROTHERS.

Still "in harness," so to speak,

and with an eye single to his State's welfare, and a heart beating in accord with the hopes and aspirations of the people of Maryland whom he loved, Austin Lane Crothers went to his reward.

It is conceded by all fair minded men that Mr. Crothers was one of the most progressive governors the State of Maryland ever had.

GOVERNOR GOLDSBOROUGH is going about the building and improvement of Maryland roads in a very thorough and business-like manner.

PERHAPS it would be a good idea not to antagonize the women in their effort to gain the right to vote—that is if the plan would work here as it does in Australia.

Dr. Fiaschi, of Sydney, now this country says: "I have noticed the way universal suffrage worked in our own country.

California women seem to be staying home and minding their families, judging from recent returns.

Perhaps the good example will spread.

WHAT better campaign material would a party want than a pledge to overhaul every department of the Government?

Upon examination it would be found that the extravagance in the administration of any three government departments would surpass that of the French Court in its palmiest days.

THE fifteenth birthday of The Garrett Journal, Oakland, finds that excellent paper very much alive, quite prosperous and modestly proud of its achievements.

A WARY witness was John D. and "stupid" too forsooth, but no one doubts but that he tried to speak the solemn truth.

not young as once he was, at least by several score. And hard indeed it must have been, that sour, bitter pill, for poor St. John to swallow down while on that awful grill.

LIVE people with live methods—that aggregation of Baltimore Ad. men that went to Texas. Of course Baltimore was chosen for the 1913 Convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America.

A FEW more fines for speeding automobilists—a little heavier than the last, however,—will put a stop to that practice in the borough.

COL. ROOSEVELT has made a great showing in the try outs, but the barrier has not yet been lifted for the real event.

WHEN.

- When, in the future, women have the ballot, When they shall abrogate their rights as queens, When they acquire the power to use the mallet, No longer ruling by their gentler means; When they shall meet the men as men, commingling In politics, conventions, at the polls; When they shall learn to love to hear the jingling Of dollars paid for politicians' souls; When they shall push and probe into the by-ways Of vice to buy the votes they think they need; When they shall wait and watch along the highway To sell their votes as men do in their greed; When they shall seek the many devious courses Which lead men to political success; When they shall join with all the doubtful forces That pull together in a party's stress; When they shall stand upon the public rostrums And shout in strident tones their leaders' views; When they shall mix and ladle out the nostrums That noisy quacks of patriotism use; When they shall find a newer, coarser setting, Unnatural, mannish, less complex; When they shall be dewomanized, forgetting The mystery and the charm of sex; When they, in time, shall loose the long-fast fetter That binds the man and woman into one, They may be higher, finer, sweeter, better, But you don't hear me swear they will, my son.

SOON.

Full soon the graduate will stand Before the view of all beholders; His thesis grasped within his hand The whole world resting on his shoulders, The world is his—for one short spell— His acknowledge will the whole world waken; Then he'll awake to learn full well He'll have to hustle for his bacon. Proud he may be of what he learned Within the confines of his college, And yet no rivers have been burned With that peculiar brand of knowledge The school of Hard Knocks beats 'em all; Experience is her head teacher, Her graduates have got the call Upon each struggling fellow creature.

Some Class to This Porker.

One Smyth out in Colorado, owned a hog. It wandered from his ranch. The hog was butchered by the Raines Meat Company—not Raines Law hotel company.

Because great suffering has resulted from the high price of rice, caused by the shortage of last year's crop, the Japanese Government has reduced the duty to a minimum of 40 sen per 100 pounds.

GREAT DANGER IN SPITTING.

"Ninety-five per cent. of our consumption," says the North Carolina State Board of Health, "comes from careless spitting, coughing and sneezing," particularly on the part of the consumptive, but also from people who are apparently healthy.

"When one coughs, spits, or sneezes, a great multitude of tiny drops of spittle are violently expelled from the mouth and nose. The largest of these drops can be readily seen. A large number of smaller droplets can be found if a mirror or piece of glass is held before the face when coughing or sneezing.

THE BOARDING HOUSE.

The boarding house is a dietetic institution which is used as a teaser for people with ingrowing appetites. It is visited three times a day by gloomy spendthrifts who spend most of their time trying to subdue the stewed prune and the sole leather pancake.

The First Religious Book.

The first religious book published on the American continent was printed in the City of Mexico by order of the Roman Catholic bishop there.

A DIRGE.

She laid the still white form beside those which had gone before; no sob, no sigh forced its way from her heart, throbbing as though it would burst.

Metal Diet But She's All Right.

Miss Letitia Miller, of San Rafael, California, is recovering from an operation for the removal from her stomach of 1,097 articles.

Four women will occupy seats as delegates at the Republican National Convention, June 18. Two will come from California and two from other Western states.

"HE'S A BRICK."

Plutarch, in his life of Lycurgus, is authority for the quaint expression, "He's a Brick." The Spartans, or Lacedaemonians had a force or poignancy of expression which cut down all the flower of studied elegance.

CAN'T ABUSE ROOSEVELT.

Replying to the World's statement that "the main question is not whether Theodore Roosevelt is insane, but whether the American people are insane," the Evening Mail says: "Exactly. If the majority of the papers of New York city were right about Colonel Roosevelt and his character, the American people would certainly be insane in rallying to his support in their invincible millions."

ARMAMENTS VS. COLLEGES.

The expenditures of the United States government on the army and navy and on pensions, the legacy of past wars, amounts to twenty-five dollars a year for every family of five persons.

Immortal little island!

Immortal little island! No other land or clime Has placed more deathless heroes in the Pantheon of Time!"

Professor Would Protect Snakes.

Prof. H. D. Bailey of Muhlenberg College, in a lecture on "Nature Study" said that there ought to be a law passed to protect certain kinds of snakes harmless to man and beneficial to the farmer.

Who Wants the License?

Beware of the tattler. The tattler is the worst tale there is. Every community ought to give only one person a license to tattle and let the fact be made public and then all other keep out of the business.

GREAT IRISHMEN.

A letter has lately been published in a New York paper berating the Irish Nation, in which it was stated that that people had never produced a single man of note in the arts or sciences nor contributed anything toward the advancement of humanity.

Charlotte Bronte still holds her popularity

Charlotte Bronte still holds her popularity with discriminating readers of fiction Louisa Pyne and Kate Hayes sang their way into the hearts of music lovers.

These are only a very few of the great men

These are only a very few of the great men and women which Ireland has produced and some of their famous achievements, but I feel that they prove conclusively that the writer of that defamatory letter had not informed himself on the subject of Irish personal history or he would not have published it.

Yale men are raising \$700,000 for sports

Yale men are raising \$700,000 for sports and will add 85 acres to their athletic field.

Mr. Taft succeeds himself as elective member

Mr. Taft succeeds himself as elective member of the Yale Corporation.

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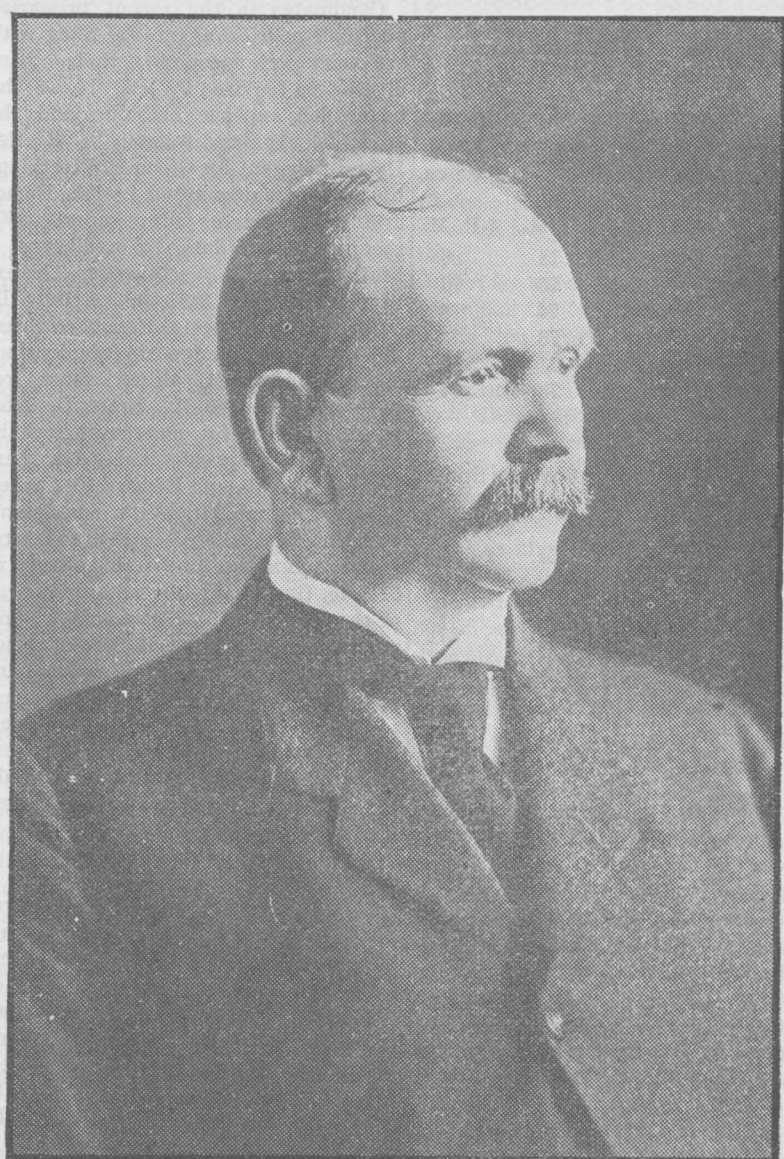
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Former Governor Austin Lane Crothers died at the home of his nephew Omar D. Crothers, Elkton, Md., last Saturday. His remains were laid to rest in West Nottingham Presbyterian Cemetery on Tuesday the 28th.

The services in Elkton were conducted at the home of Senator Omar D. Crothers, on East Main street. Rev. E. P. Roberts, pastor of the Elkton Methodist Episcopal Church, officiated, assisted by Rev. Dr. John McElmoyle, of the Elkton Presbyterian Church, and Rev. William Schouler, of Trinity Episcopal Church. At the conclusion of the service the mourners went by special train to Colora, and thence by carriages to the West Nottingham Cemetery.

There the services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Louis A. Barratt, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, at Chestertown. The active pallbearers were William D. Bratton, John M. Tucker, William S. Evans, James S. Powers, Manley Brennan and Dr. William T. Cawley, all personal friends of the deceased.

The honorary pallbearers were Senators John Walter Smith and Isidor Rayner, Governor Goldsborough, former Governor Edwin Warfield, State Treasurer Murray Vandiver, W. W. Abell, Comptroller Harrington, ex-Governor Frank Brown, Judges A. Hunter Boyd, William H. Adkins, and P. B. Hopper, former State Senator Arthur P. Gorman, Congressman J. Harry Covington, and J. Fred C. Talbot, former Mayor J. Barry Mahool, of Baltimore; former Comptroller Charles H. Stanley, Hon. J. W. Hering, former Congressman Thomas A. Smith, Gen. Henry M. Warfield, former Attorney General Isaac Lobe Strauss, Dr. George Wells, State Senator Blair Lee and Hon. Joseph D. Baker.

The services in Elkton were attended by relatives, friends and acquaintances of the former governor from every section of Maryland, as well as from many outside points. Floral tributes were numerous and superb. The Cecil county bar, of which Governor Crothers was long a member, attended in a body.

During the funeral hour all business places closed and the public buildings and offices were draped with black. All flags in the town were at half staff.

Points in the Career of Former Governor Crothers.

Born in 1860 near West Nottingham, Cecil county, the son of a farmer, Alpheus Crothers.

Educated at the public schools of Cecil county and at West Nottingham Academy.

Studied law with his brother, Charles C. Crothers, at Elkton and later at the Maryland University Law School, from which he was graduated with honors in 1890.

Served as State's Attorney of Cecil county and in 1897 was elected State Senator from Cecil county. During his term in the Senate was chairman of the Finance Committee and Democratic floor leader.

Succeeded to the Democratic leadership of Cecil county on the death of his brother, Charles C. Crothers.

Appointed in 1906 by Governor Warfield associate judge of the Second judicial circuit, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Edwin H. Brown. Made a good judge, although the appointment was much criticised.

Announced that he would not be a candidate for the judgeship at the following election, not finding the duties to his liking.

Mentioned as Gubernatorial timber at the meeting of the Bar Association in the summer of 1907.

Picked for the office by United States Senator John Walter Smith and nominated at the convention in Baltimore under circumstances almost unprecedented.

Became ill with typhoid fever the night he made his speech of acceptance and was ill during the campaign, having been elected without appearing on the stump.

Secured passage of \$5,000,000 roads loan at his first session of the Legislature, under which the system of State roads was begun.

Broke with his party leaders because he was too progressive to suit them, secured the passage of Public Utilities act, Direct Primary law, Corrupt Practices act, Pure Food law and other important pieces of constructive legislation, and insisted on the redemption of pledges in his party's platform.

Fought legislative extravagance and established precedent of reducing amounts appropriated in Omnibus Appropriation bill.

Attempted to oust Police Board because he believed it inefficient, but, failing in this, went on with the trial and finally acquitted the board because evidence did not warrant conviction.

Spent more time actually working on his "job" of being Governor than any man who has ever held the office.

Entered contest for renomination, but withdrew because he feared his candidacy might result in the nomination of A. P. Gorman, and threw his support to Blair Lee. Campaigned the State for Lee.

After Lee had been defeated campaigned the State for Gorman, the party nominee, although he was sick.

Heavy cold contracted in the course of the campaign developed into grip, which afterward developed into acute Bright's disease, which caused his death.

Refused to call extra session of Legislature to pass laws stripping Governor Goldsborough of power, but signed bills passed while he was still in office designated to carry out party pledges.

Worked at his job until the last day of his term and then went home to Elkton to die.

Civil War Landmark Gone.

A historic old tree, estimated to be more than 500 years old, used in the civil war as a signal station, and by Confederate sharpshooters when Gen. Early in 1864 made his attack upon the National capital, has just been cut down.

The tree was in perfect condition until struck by lightning recently. It stands in the outskirts of the city, about three miles north of the capital. Some Confederate soldiers who were killed in the two days' fighting on July 11 and 12, 1864, near the capital were buried under it.

Maryland Cost T. R. \$15,347.

The Treasurer of the Roosevelt campaign in Maryland filed his report in the County Court House, Belair, Saturday. It shows that the Colonel's primary campaign cost \$15,337.

Among the largest contributors are National Treasurer Hooper, \$4,000; Washington headquarters, \$5,000; Col. E. C. Carrington, Roosevelt's Maryland manager, \$600, and Charles J. Bonaparte, Attorney General under Roosevelt's administration, \$750. Several other contributors gave between \$1,000 and \$50 each. The list shows contributions as small as \$1.

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THE CHRONICLE

EARLY SPRING

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Tailored Suits

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This season it will be silks and silks—beautiful Foulards, Stylish Stripes, Shimmering Plain Weaves, Faconet Effects, ever dependable Tub Silks. All here and at lower prices than usual.

That 32-inch Black Messaline at 79 cents is a winner.

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New Suitings.
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The Spring Models in Royal Worcester and W. B. Corsets are here. How about that New Gossard. You know our Corsetieres fit them to your figure—quite a privilege.

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PROGRESS OF THE MARYLAND FARMER SHOWN IN GOV. REPORT

The crop review for 1911, issued by the Agricultural Department Saturday, gives some very valuable and interesting information concerning the progress of the Maryland farmer.

In dairy and truck farm products Maryland has made strides in the past 12 months equaled by few other States in proportion to population. In cattle raising and the production of wool the State is taking a higher rank with each year, while in truck farming the proximity of its counties to the large centers of population is giving this industry higher rank each year.

Over 670,000 acres were in corn last year, an increase of 10,000 acres over 1910. The crop of 1911 was valued at \$1,407,000, or more than \$2,800,000 greater than that of 1910. The production of corn during 1911 was 24,455,000 bushels, as compared to 22,110,000 in the previous year.

The wheat area of 1911 was in excess of 605,000 acres, as compared to a little over 508,000 acres in 1910, the value of the crop being \$9,378,000, a slight decrease from the value of the 1910 crop due to a general decline in the price.

Nearly 407,000 bushels of rye was Maryland's production from the 28,000 acres utilized for that staple last year. The value of the rye crop approximated \$349,000.

Among the 15 States producing buckwheat Maryland ranks sixth. Last year 12,000 acres were sown, which produced over 240,000 bushels of a value of \$151,000, as against 7,000 bushels less in 1910.

Maryland farmers had 39,000 acres in potatoes in 1911, the yield amounting to 1,755,000 bushels, of a value of \$1,597,000. The value of the crop of last year per acre was not as high as in 1910, but the acreage was larger by over 2,700.

Over 199,000 tons of hay, worth \$4,458,000, was produced from 275,000 acres last year, the value per ton being below that of 1910, although the entire product was estimated to be worth \$134,000 more because of the increase in acreage.

Of tobacco Maryland raised last year \$1,433,000 worth, the average yield per acre being 735 pounds, as compared to 590 pounds in 1910. The average price of the best Maryland leaf on the Baltimore market was 13 cents a pound, which was considerably lower than in the Cincinnati and Hopkinsville markets, but 3 cents a pound higher than the best price brought by Virginia tobacco at Richmond.

The figures for cattle are known up to May 1, 1912. The State now has over 168,000 milch cows, valued at \$6,216,000, a slight decrease in both value and number as compared with 1911. Of other cattle the State now has 119,000 head, valued at \$2,547,000, which are about the figures for last year.

The price of Maryland butter ranges from 23 cents a pound in July to 29 cents in December. In only three other States—Tennessee, North Carolina and Texas—does the price vary as little and remain as low.

The price of eggs ranges from 15 cents in July to 32 cents a dozen in December. The statistics showing the amount and value of the egg and butter production are not yet completed.

Maryland made a handsome advance as a wool-producing State. There are now 238,000 head of sheep in the State, as compared to 227,000 head last year. The value of the wool was estimated at \$1,012,000 on May 1.

A fraction over 69 per cent. of the native white farmers of Maryland own their farm properties. Of the foreign-born farmers 80.9 per cent. own their own property.

Of the eight North Atlantic States Maryland ranks fourth in this respect. About 62 per cent. of the negro farmers own their property. There are in Maryland 40,669 farms operated by native white farmers, only 1,832 farms being operated by foreign-born farmers. Negroes cultivate 5,372 farms.

HINTS FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER.

Uses for Mint.

For making mint tincture or extract, pick the fresh green leaves, wash carefully and drain; bruise and tear them when dry, and pack into small bottles, filling as full as possible; pour alcohol to cover, and let stand about a week or longer, then strain and bottle the liquid. To make mint drops, boil together in a small saucepan one cup of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of water until a little dropped in cold water will make a firm ball when rubbed between the fingers. Take from the fire, stir in a teaspoonful or less of the essence made as above, according to its strength, and drop carefully four drops one on top of another on an oiled paper; do not put close together.

Essence, or extract of mint made as above is very convenient to keep on hand, and you know it is "the real stuff." Mint will grow anywhere, and spread from a few sprigs to a large bed in a season. When gathering for drying, the herb should be just coming into bloom, and flower heads and leaves may be picked off, or sprigs of the plant broken or cut off, tied in bunches that will dry readily, and hung in the shade to dry. It can be used for many things during the winter.

Canning and Preserving.

Although it is yet too early for most fruits, the strawberry is with us, and other small fruits will soon follow, and it is well to get everything in readiness for the coming busy time.

For making jelly of the soft berries, strawberry, raspberry, or blackberry, put the fruit in a stone jar and set in a kettle of boiling water, or a porcelain-lined double boiler will be better; cover closely and cook slowly until soft, but not out of shape; then remove from the fire and mash with a potato masher—a wooden one is best; then pour the crushed mass into a jelly bag and hang to drain. When all the juice is drained out (do not squeeze), measure the juice and put into a preserving kettle, cook slowly for twenty minutes, and remove all scum. At the end of that time measure the juice and allow an equal quantity of heated granulated sugar, then boil another few minutes until it jellies in a saucer. Too much cooking darkens the color. When the jelly is cold, pour melted paraffin wax over the surface about a half-inch deep. This will keep the jelly from molding. Cherries, gooseberries, currants and grapes may all be done by this process.

If one has more fruit than is wanted for canning or preserving, much of it can be made into fruit juices, and canned the same as the fruit, sealing it tightly, using no sugar.

If the jelly refuses to "jell" after standing a few days, add a pint of apple juice to each three pints of jelly and boil until it will "jell" in a saucer. Jellies that do not harden readily will set more quickly if kept in the sunshine several hours every day for a while, and they will keep much better. When sunning the jelly, the paraffin must be removed, and can be melted and poured over the pot again when the juice is hardened. If one has tin covers for the jelly glasses, it is well, but the paraffin will protect the jelly.

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