CITIZENS OF THE WOODS.

:o:

The butterfly and bumblebee
Come to the pleasant woods with me ;
Quickly before me runs the quail,
Her chickens skulk behind the rail ;
High up the lone wood pigeon sits,
And the woodpecker pecks and flits.
Sweet woodland music sinks and swells,
The brooklet rings its tinkling bells,
The swarming insects drone and hum,
The partridge beats its throbbing drum,
The squirrel leaps among the boughs,
And chatters in his leafy house.
The oriole flashes by ; and, look !
Into the mirror of the brook,
Where the vain bluebird trims his coat,
Two tiny feathers fall and float.

—J. T. Trowbridge.

HOW A THISTLE GOT INTO HISTORY.

Every person who knows anything about Scotland is aware that the thistle is the national emblem of that country; but there are many who have never heard of the event that led to this adoption, and so may wonder why it was chosen in preference to some other kind of flower that had more claims to beauty. For instance, why not a bunch of that heather, for a sight of which the heart of every true Scotchman yearns when absent from the land he never ceases to love; or the bluebell, whose beauty has been celebrated in many a song and story?

To learn the reason of the choice we have to go back many long years to the time when might was right, when a country was liable to be attacked at any moment, and when peace was never secure. At this time it was not necessary to declare war before proceeding against an enemy, on the contrary, preparations were made as quietly as possible, and very often the first notice that the invaded country had of warlike intentions on the part of a neighbor was when the attacking party appeared in sight. If they could approach in the night and surround sleeping foes, all the better.

And so it happened that the Danes, then a warlike and powerful nation, had determined on an invasion of Scotland, and descending on that country, succeeding in affecting a landing without attracting attention. They hoped to be able to surprise a strongly-fortified castle situated near their landing place, and if successful they would have a stronghold from which, ably supported as they would be by their ships, they could sally forth to subjugate the country.

The castle was considered to be the key to the situatton, and their hope of taking it by surprise was not unwarranted, for Scotland had been at peace for a long time, and as was quite natural, discipline had been relaxed, and a vigilant watch was not kept. Spies were sent out by the Danes, and soon returned with the information that the moat by which the castle was surrounded had been allowed to run dry; and other instances of carelessness had been observed. Everything showed that there was no apprehension of an attack, as they had not the slightest idea of an enemy being near.

Everything was satisfactory to the invaders. They arranged to make the attack that night. They would wait until deep sleep had fallen on the garrison, and then they would creep silently through the moat, scale the walls, and fall on the sleeping enemy. An easy victory would be theirs. The soldiers were ordered to remove their wooden shoes so their approach might be noiseless. But they had reckoned without taking the Scotch thistle into consideration.

There is a thistle growing freely on the American continent that is often called the Scotch thistle; but this is not the real article. The true thistle is surrounded by barbs, which resemble a small thorn in stiffness and penetrative power. So, when the Danish army, their sandals thrown aside, crept softly to the side of the moat, they little thought of how they were to be betrayed. The moat had been dry so long that it was thickly overgrown with thistles, and it was not to be wondered at that when the first soldier planted his bare foot on a thistle, with its coat of barbs, he made a hasty exclamation.

But that sound was the undoing of the Danes, and was the means of saving the castle, for it was heard by a sentinel. The garrison was aroused and the invaders were beaten off and forced to fly to their ships and return to their own country.

So the thistle that had been the means of saving the country from the threatened invasion became the national emblem.—Exchange.

Repudiating the Subscriber's Charge.

Titus Titmouse was infuriated, but the editor ot the "Western Bugle" shut him up in two seconds. Mr. Titmouse inquired :

"Is this the newspaper office ?"

"It is," responded the man at the desk.

"Didn't this paper say I was a liar ?"

"It did not."

"Didn't it say I was a scoundrel ?"

"It did not."

"Well, some paper said it."

"Possibly it was our contemporary down the street," suggested the editor, as he carelessly picked up a heavy paperweight. "This paper never prints stale news." Titus Titmouse left hastily in a confused state of mind.—Christian Work.

Speak well of your friends ; of your enemies not at all.

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The Cutting of Cameos.

Cameos are cut from the stones onyx and sardonyx, which are said to be so plentiful on the Uruguay River in Brazil that ships often carry them away as ballast. Nevertheless, perfect pieces of large size are costly. A piece suitable for a large portal costs about $75.

This stone is preferred for cameos because of its hardness and durability, and is suitable for such work owing to the fact that it comes in layers of contrasting colors as black and white, black and cream or red and white. When the cut figure is sunk into the stone instead of being raised, the cutting is called an intaglio.

The cost of these gems is due to the time and skill required in the work. Formerly a small gem might occupy an artist a year or more, but with modern appliances the work can be done more rapidly. Still the ancient work bears the palm for artistic excellence.

The cutting is now done by holding the stone against a revolving drill, whose soft steel face is covered with diamond dust. No steel is hard enough to cut the stone. The utmost patience and caution and delicate handling are required, as the slightest slip may spoil the work.—Chicago Tribune.

Discount for Shortage.

A couple, evidently from an exceedingly rural district, recently presented themselves at the home of a Buffalo minister and announced that they wished to be married. The would-be bride was of a homeliness to cause one less pity for the blind, but the groom seemed satisfied, and as they possessed the necessary license the minister proceeded with the ceremony.

'How much dew that come to, parson ?' the man inquired, bringing a handful of silver change from a deep trousers pocket. 'Name yer regular figger that you charge th' swells. I'm a-goin' th' limit, by jinks.'

'Oh, I have no regular charge,' the minister said ; 'just give me what you think it is worth.'

The groom turned and eyed the bride in a speculative manner.

She's a good gal, if she ain't much on looks,' he said, thoughtfully, 'an' I'll be gosh derned ef she ain't wurth a dollar an' forty-five cents !'

He was about to hand over the silver, when the lady caught his arm, and deducted the five cent piece from the sum.

'Wait, Si,' she said. 'Take back this nickle ; you don't know it, but when I was a child I chopped off two of my toes with th' hatchet.'

Something About Valuable Stones.

The black diamond is so hard that it cannot be polished.

An uncut diamond looks very much like a bit of gum arabic.

The diamond, in sufficient heat, will burn like a piece of charcoal.

The island of Ceylon is the most remarkable gem depository in the world.

Every gem known to the lapidary has been found in the United States. The carat used in estimating the weight of gems is a grain of Indian wheat.

When a fine ruby is found in Burmah a procession of elephants, grandees and soldiers escorts it to the King's palace.

The sapphire which adorns the summit of the English crown is the same that Edward the Confessor wore in his ring.—Courior Journal.

'Can you tell me at what time of the day occurred the fall of our first parents ?'

'I believe it is agreed on by all authorities that the serpent began his efforts for the fall you mention toward Eve.'

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GENERAL STATEMENT

—OF—

Receipts and expenditures for Carroll County for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30th, 1906,

The following will show the amount of taxes levied for the year 1906, at 60 cents on each $100.00 valuation, also the amount levied at 30 cents on each $100.00 valuation for Foreign Securities, in the several districts, and the amount due from other sources for county purposes.

Dist. No.			
1..	$ 1,626,940,	at 60 cents,	$ 9,761 64
" 2..	1,300,049,	"	7,800 56
" 3..	1,094,162,	"	6 564 97
" 4..	1,129,864,	"	6,779 18
" 5..	1,448,173,	"	8,689 04
" 6..	1,549,435,	"	9,296 61
" 7..	3,480,662,	"	20,883 97
" 8..	864,758,	"	5,188 55
" 9..	539,853,	"	3,239 12
" 10..	784,354,	"	4,706 12
" 11..	1,333,243,	"	7,999 46
" 12..	726,450,	"	4,358 70
" 13..	575,459,	"	3,452 75
	$16,453,447		$98,720 67

Amount of Taxes Carried at 30 Cents on each $100.00 Valuation.

Dist. No.			
1	30 Cts	$ 5,836..	$ 17 51
" 2	"	42,158..	126 47
" 3	"	5,846..	17 54
" 4	"	50,000..	150 00
" 5	"	24,642..	73 93
" 6	"	5,500..	16 50
" 7	"	151,340..	454 02
" 10	"	53,075..	159 23
" 11	"	51,187..	153 56
" 12	"	16,300..	48 90
" 13	"	9,000..	27 00
		$414,884	$1,244 65

Received from Other Sources.

From J. Milton Reifsnider, Trustee of States N. Dell	$ 96.00
From E. B. Hann for support of Mary Wagner at Alms House	48.00
W. S. Drach for support of wife at Spring Grove	150.00
W. B. Thomas, Trustee for W. Haines, to Jan. 15, 1906	146 67
D. P. Smelser, Clerk, fines in State cases	24 40
W. H. Wilson, Sheriff, costs in State cases	2 00
Co. Commissioners of Frederick	257 23
J. F. Rinker, J. P.	4 00
D. Shriver Brandenburg, J. P.	27 00
W. J. Earhart, J. P.	10 00
Caleb O. Cross, J. P.	8 00
J. Edward West, J. P.	9 50
J. P. Baltozer, J. P.	2 00
William Crebbs, J. P.	7 50
Wm. Moore, J. P.	20 00
Gustavus Crapster, J. P.	20 00
Harry F. Curley, J. P.	16 00
Frank I. Lewis, J. P.	28 00
Wm. Shamer, J. P.	28 00
Wm. A. Abbott, J. P.	12 00
Westminster & Meadow Branch Pike Co., dividend 2 years	90 00
Received from School Commissioners to interest on School Bonds	945 00
Received from School Commissioners to Pay Bonds Due 1906	1,000 00
Amount of taxes due from Corporations	10,050 00
Daniel W. Wolf, Liberty and Pipe Creek Pike Co	10 00
Amount due from Frederick Co	528 50
Amount due from Washington Co	568 50
Amount due from mortgages	4,400 00
	$ 18,508 30

Total Receipts		$118,473 62
General Expense Account	$109,797 30	
Premiums allowed for prompt payment of taxes	752 00	
Insolvencies & Abatements	565 00	$111,114 30
By Balance		$ 7,359 32

Expenses of the Circuit Court for Terms August and November, 1905, February and May, 1906.

Grand Juries	$ 1,149 20
Petit Juries	2,692 80
Witnesses in State Cases and witnesses to Grand Jury	420 90
David P. Smelser, Clerk	2,192 57
Richard B. Owings, Crier	210 00
Orlando Reese, Messenger	140 00
Charles F. Smith, Bailiff	52 50
Martin Bitzel, Bailiff	52 50
Charles F. Grimes, Bailiff	52 50
Thomas W. Kelley, Bailiff	25 00
William Weaver, Bailiff	40 00
James W. Crawmer, Bailiff	25 00
Hamilton Hobbs, Bailiff	25 00
John Elgin, Bailiff	25 00
James Eckenrode, Bailiff	25 00
Samuel Graham, Bailiff	2.50
James Boylan, Bailiff	2.50
Evan Adams, Bailiff	2.50
Josephus Sheeler	40 00
Phineas A. Gorsuch	42 50
Talesmen	17 50
	$ 7,235 47

State Witnesses.

Before Magistrates	$ 48 86

Sundry Attorneys.

Bond & Parke	$ 10 00
J. Milton Reifsnider	25 00
Charles O. Clemson	5 00
Geo. O. Brilhart	5 00
Roberts & Crouse	5 00
	$ 50 00

Orphans' Court.

A. Kurtz Myers, Chief Judge	$ 428 00
George R. Rupp, Associate Judge	428 00
John E. Eckenrode, Associate Judge	404 00
John J. Stewart, Reg. Wills, keeping minutes for Judges	20 00
	$ 1,280 00

County Commissioners.

Jacob N. Dehoff	$ 126 00
D. J. Hesson	360 00
Geo. E. Benson	456 00
Geo. W. Brown	268 00
F. L. Hann, Clerk and Treasurer	1,200 00
F. L. Hann, making Jury List	50 00
Charles E. Fink, Counsel 2 years	200 00
Charles E. Fink, trying case Mary E. Carter	100 00
Charles E. Fink, to services case of James P. Carter	25 00
Florence Little, Janitor	420 00
	$ 3,205 00

County Jail.

W. H. Wilson, Sheriff, Salary	$ 1,250 00
Extra Services	30 00
Joseph L. Franklin, Salary	1,250 00
Extra Services	80 88
Dr. Thomas Coonan, Physician	25 00
Smith and Reifsnider, coal, &c	150 57
Coal	246 21
Hardware material, plumbing, &c	162 45
Water for Jail	43 63
Smith & Reifsnider, material and coal, &c	82 88
Flour for Jail	100 00
Wood for Jail	50 74
Drugs for Jail	28 95
Beef for Jail	71 52
Groceries and Potatoes	123 70
E. W. Oursler	6 00
W. H. Owings, labor	11 65
Joshua Stevenson, labor	2 50
Joshua Ditman, labor	9 10
Geo. T. Noel	10 07
John T. Zahn	1 80
Chas Stonesifer, mending shoes	10 75
Miller Bros., mdse. for Jail	44 87
	$ 3,793 27

Election Supervisors' Salaries and Expenses.

John M. Roberts, office rent	$ 50 00
John M. Roberts, for labor paid in District No. 5	2 00
John M. Roberts, delivering registration books	42 00
John M. Roberts, erecting booths	70 00
John M. Roberts, attendance in election case	10 00
John M. Roberts, salary	100 00
John M. Roberts, stencil and pad	1 25
John M. Roberts, freight paid	2 85
John M. Roberts, counsel in reference amount of paper	10 00
John M. Roberts, acting board of canvassers	50 00
Harry S. Musselman, delivering registration books	42 00
Harry S. Musselman, erecting booths	70 00
Harry S. Musselman, attending election cases	10 00
Harry S. Musselman, salary	100 00
Harry S. Musselman, acting board of canvassers	50 00
J. Thomas Roop, delivering registration books	42 00
J. Thomas Roop, for supplies bought	9 43
J. Thomas Roop, erecting booths	70 00
J. Thomas Roop, attending election cases	10 00
J. Thomas Roop, salary	100 00
J. Thomas Roop, acting board of canvassers	50 00
Vanderford Bros., printing ballots &c	878 80
Samuel J. Stone, clerk to board; salary	100 00
Samuel J. Stone, extra service	30 00
American Sentinel	256 75
Edward A. Chrest	37 50
William Weagley	98 30
Charles V. Wantz	139 95
L. H. Barber	42 03
Geo. E. Baughman, stamps, &c	54 46
Florence Little	30 00
Westminster Hardware Co	2 60
Westminster Gas Light Co	1 75
W. M. R. R. Co	25
Frank Sweigart	15 00
Carroll Co. E. L. & P. Co	4 22
Harry Gosnell	3 30
J. W. Trump	10 00
J. W. Hoffacker	5 75
M. B. Crawford	12 00
Chas. J. Everhart	18 00
Harman H. Roop	2 00
Samuel J. Stone, making 42 election books	10 00
W. H. Wilson, 2 years service as sheriff	24 00
G. W. Albaugh R. E. & B. Co., supplies	5 00
Lumber, coal and supplies	5 00
Geo. O. Brilhart, counsel for board	150 00
	$ 2,829 23

Registration Officers, Judges, &c.

Samuel H. Little		$ 42 90
Charles E. B. Shriner		37 16
Wm. W. Witherow		9 00
Franklin P. Reaver		40 50
Norman R. Hess		40 98
Nevin G. Hiteshew		39 55
W. Morris Haines		34 08
Levi O. Handley		40 20
Levi D. Maus		40 70
D. Wesley Yingling		51 36
E. H. Brown		51 00
Robert L. Shipley		44 16
Joshua F. Magee		43 80
Thomas L. Griffee		47 65
George B. Knox		37 20
Simon H. Golibart		50 44
Luther H. Fowble		49 80
Henry Streaker		35 40
Sylvester P. Lewis		11 70
Francis J. Leatherwood		47 48
Henry Berwager		40 80
John K. Miller		40 90
Clinton V. Lippy		48 08
Cornelius Miller		42 08
Abraham Winters		55 43
J. Webster Ebaugh		55 68
Chas T. Swinderman		55 97
James M. Stoner		55 35
Charles W. Moore		50 76
J. Edwin Weaver		50 76
Edward O. Diffendal		46 44
S. C. Stoner		49 80
John W. Shank		39 48
E. Watson Turner		39 00
Lewis C. Franklin		46 50
M. D. L. Pickett		46 95
John A. Harman		39 48
John H. Shirk		39 70
Thomas C. Slingluff		47 10
J. Howard Devilbiss		46 50
Harry O. Haines		46 60
C. Howard Myers		43 74
Caleb W. Selby		46 02
J. Theodore Gosnell		45 10
Sarah A. Dell, storing supplies and booths		1.00
Mrs. Becker, balance due from last year and storing booth, &c		11 00
Mrs. E. G. Lynn, storing supplies		1.00
H. H. Bond, storing supplies, &c		2.00
16 Judges	at 11 40	182 40
8 "	" 11 70	93 60
8 "	" 11 10	88 80
4 "	" 12 00	48 00
2 "	" 15 30	30 60
2 "	" 10 80	21 60
2 "	" 13 20	26 40
16 Clerks	" 11 40	182 40
8 "	" 11 70	93 60
8 "	" 11 10	88 80
4 "	" 12 00	48 00
2 "	" 15 30	30 60
2 "	" 10 80	21 60
2 "	" 13 20	26 40
43 Gate Keepers	" 3 00	126 00
9 Deputy Sheriffs	" 11 40	102 60
4 " "	" 11 10	44 40
4 " "	" 11 70	46 80
1 " "	" 12 30	12 30
1 " "	" 10 80	10 80
1 " "	" 12 00	12 00
1 " "	" 13 20	13 20
		$ 3,278 18

Room Rent for Registration and Election.

	Districts,	
Firemen's Building,	No. 1..	$ 20 00
Eckenrode Building,	No. 1..	15 00
Johnson Hollenberry,	No. 2..	15 00
Angell & Flohr,	No. 2..	15 00
Mystic Chain Hall,	No. 3..	12 00
Lewis W. Caples,	No. 4..	15 00
Thomas Paynter,	No. 4..	16 50
Mrs. Becker,	No. 5..	20 00
Archie Dorsey,	No. 5..	15 00
Firemen's Building,	No. 6..	20 00
Chas. M. Masenhimer,	No. 6..	20 00
G. W. Albaugh R. E. & B. Company	No. 7..	20 00
Doyle & Haines,	No. 7..	20 00
Meade Ohler,	No. 7..	20 00
Lumber, Coal & Supply Co.,	No. 7..	20 00
Firemen's Building,	No. 8..	20 00
Malinda Smith,	No. 9..	15 00
Mrs. E. G. Lynn,	No. 10..	12 00
Jacob Frounfelter,	No. 11..	14 00
J. Edwin West,	No. 11..	6 00
Firemen's Building,	No. 12..	20 00
C. A. Runkles,	No. 13..	12 00
		$ 362 50

Collecting Taxes.

District No.	
1	$ 270 75
" 2	276 03
" 3	251 62
" 4	288 36
" 5	458 40
" 6	289 28
" 7	520 51
" 8	232 70
" 9	169 04
" 10	218 09
" 11	264 34
" 12	200 34
" 13	169 09
	$ 3,608 55

Constables.

Elias N. Davis	$ 237 35
Wm. W. Mitten	17 90
William Gearhart	84 35
Burgess Miller	3 00
James P. Hopper	4 15
William H. Linton	21 90
Walter C. Lookingbill, bailiff	3 35
John Flinn, constable	4 00
Stephen D. Myers, constable	2 50
J. Howard Patterson	8 00
J. T. Billison	41 70
Wm. Wood, bailiff	6 20
	$ 334 40

Interest Account.

Interest on Public School Bonds	$ 945 00

Sub Registers.

Dr. Chas. R. Foutz, health officer	$ 224 65
William Moore, sub register	16 00
Frank I. Lewis, sub register	3 80
Jacob Farver, sub register	2 10
W. W. Ritter, sub register	10 40
Michael Glennan, sub register	2 00
Andrew J. Houck, sub register	3 20
J. Hamilton Singer, sub register	3 20
Jacob R. Lippy, sub register	6 70
N. B. Hagan, sub register	2 80
J. Edward West, sub register	2 60
	$ 277 45

Vaccinating Indigent Pupils in Public Schools.

Dr. C. W. Weaver	6 00
Dr. D. E. Hoff	8 50
Dr. Bromwell	17 50
Dr. D. B. Sprecher	2 50
Dr. R. F. Richards	5 50
	$ 40 00

Support for the Insane.

Springfield State Hospital	$ 6,049 87
Maryland Hospital for insane, Spring Grove	1,800 00
Mount Hope Retreat	300 00
Montevue Hospital, Frederick, Md.	24 14
	$ 8,174 01

Court Stenographer.

Harry G. Berwager	500 00
Supplies	74 90
	$ 574 90

Fire Insurance on Public Buildings.

Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Carroll County	199 08
Charles E. Hering	19 42
Charles E. Goodwin	42 60
Wm. H. Wilson	41 86
	$ 302 96

Large Bridges.

Frederick Co. Coms., Poole's Ford Bridge	$ 3,497 35
James Mount, Concrete on Hering Mill Bridge	696 80
Eyer Construction Co., Arter's Mill Bridge	537 00
York Bridge Co., Beaver Run Bridge.	300 00
York Bridge Co., Hering's Mill Bridge	650 00
L. E. Lyons, Sub Structure Hering's Mill Bridge	803 57
Nicholas J. Walsh, Masonary, Shiloh Bridge	135 84
Fred Elenbrook, Cement for Shiloh Bridge	35 00
Geo. Morelock, Lumber for Bridges.	5 65
John A. Krumrine, Masonary Arter's Mill Bridge	321 83
Josiah Wantz, Bridge over Monocacy	70 86
Lee C. Leister, Lumber for Bridges.	19 63
York Bridge Co., Shiloh Bridge	250 00
J. W. Fream, Painting Bridge over Monocacy	50
T. F. Shipley, Work on Beaver Run Bridge	11 56
George E. Boone, Bridge Repairs at Lucifield	53 75
James C. Hewett, Lumber for Bridges	129 45
John H. Conaway, Beaver Run Bridge	111 95
Kemper & Feeser, Bridge at Harney	257 60
James Buckingham, Bridge Work	36 09
W. L. Crouse, Bridge at Cash's Fording	206 48
A. F. Arrington, Bridge and Soap Stone at Marriottsville	148 00
Westminster Hardware Co., Supplies Beaver Run Bridge	40 63
Thomas I. Griffee, Work on Bridge	3 60
James A. Knight, Crosby Bridge	55 50
George Conaway, Beaver Run Bridge	28 50
John M. Humpert, Arter's Mill Bridge	23 63
	$ 8,430 77

State's Attorney.

Salary 1 year, January 1, 1905, to January 1, 1906	$ 2000 00
Stationery, &c	70 52

Inquests.

Dr. R. F. Wells, viewing body of A. J. Vaughan	5 00
Dr. W. E. Garver, viewing body of G. Watkins	5 00
Dr. W. E. Garver, viewing body of Henry Welsh	5 00
J. R. Lippy, coroner, inquest of body of Unknown	23 80
William Moore, coroner, inquest of body of Wm. Hollenberry	36 86
	$ 75 66

Cost of Removed Cases.

Henry H. Demmitt, vs. Levi E. Williams	162 50
R. S. Hill, settlement of Damages	35 00
Frederick County Land Damages	25 00
	$ 222 50

Paid Corporations One-half Taxes Collected on Foreign Bonds.

Paid Corporation of New Windsor ½ tax collected in Corporate limits.	$ 55 20
Paid Corporation of Westminster ½ tax collected in Corporate limits.	299 91
Paid Corporation of Union Bridge ½ tax collected in Corperate limits.	19 35
Paid Corporation of Taneytown ½ tax collected in corporate limits.	7 70
Paid Mayor and Common Council of Westminster ½ Franchise Tax paid by Westminster Savings Bank, Levy of 1905, in accordance with Chapter 39, Act of General Assembly 1902	372 09
	$ 754 25

Justices of the Peace.

D. Shriver Brandenburg	$ 79 92
Harry F. Curley	17 95
John R. Strevig	8 85
Frank I. Lewis	33 60
Wm. A. Abbott	3 10
J. F. Rinker	16 65
Gustavus W. Crapster	67 05
John T. Hill	1 40
James P. Carter	8 60
John H. Diffendal	2 20
Caleb O. Cross	4 36
W. W. Shamer	4 15
J. P. Baltozer	1 60
	$ 249 43

Public Printing.

Vanderford Bros	$ 100 00
American Sentinel	100 00
Carroll Record	5 40
	$ 205 40

Public Schools.

For support of	$ 33,000 00

Pauper Coffins.

James M. Stoner	$ 66 50
H. Bankard	6 00
Frank J. Shriner	6 00
	$ 78 50

County Roads.

District No.	
1	$ 1,304 58
" 2	920 17
" 3	912 41
" 4	1,902 05
" 5	3,050 13
" 6	1,506 47
" 7	2,504 23
" 8	1,219 04
" 9	775 07
" 10	835 96
" 11	1,273 43
" 12	605 16
" 13	442 59
½ Road Tax Paid in Corporations :	
Paid Taneytown ½ road tax	306 93
Paid Sykesville ½ road tax	174 93
Paid Manchester ½ road tax	113 00
Paid Westminster ½ road tax	800 00
Paid Hampstead ½ road tax	186 13
Paid Union Bridge ½ road tax	296 76
	$ 19,129 04

Annual Pensions.

	District No.	
Angell, Anna,	1..	$ 25 00
Fleagle, Mary R.,	" 1..	45 00
Hawk, Lelia,	" 1..	20 00
Hawk, Mary,	" 1..	10 00
Kesselring, Clara,	" 1..	30 00
Thomas, Kate,	" 1..	10 00
Wimert, Geraldine,	" 1..	20 00
Boblitz, Rebecca,	" 2..	10 00
Hiltebridle, Oliver C.,	" 2..	20 00
Krentzer, Eustice,	" 2..	10 00
Lambert, Lydia,	" 2..	25 00
Shanebaugh, Joseph,	" 2..	30 00
Bittle, Charles,	" 3..	25 00
Ludwig, Mary and son,	" 3..	45 00
Rumler, Perry,	" 3..	20 00
Smith, Laura V.,	" 3..	25 00
Baker, Washington,	" 4..	10 00
Martin, George,	" 4..	20 00
Newman, Josephine,	" 4..	20 00
Scott, William, col.,	" 4..	10 00
Costley, Michael, col.,	" 5..	10 00
Gorsuch, John T.,	" 5..	35 00
Linton, Joseph T..	" 5..	30 00
Robinson, Jesse J.,	" 5..	20 00
Crumrine, Ellen,	" 6..	10 00
Cletler, Catherine,	" 6..	10 00
Ganter, Margaret,	" 6..	15 00
Koener, Frederick,	" 6..	15 00
Miller, Daniel,	" 6..	20 00
Robinson, George,	" 6..	10 00
Stremmel, John,	" 6..	20 00
Trout, Sarah,	" 6..	25 00
Yingling, Elias,	" 6..	30 00
Yingling, Samuel,	" 6..	20 00
Yost, Rebecca,	" 6..	10 00
Zepp, George,	" 6..	30 00
Butler, Kate,	" 7..	10 00
Dell, Catherine J.,	" 7..	20 00
Green, Deborah,	" 7..	10 00
Gorsuch, Hannah,	" 7..	20 00
Heagy, Sarah,	" 7..	20 00
Harner, William,	" 7..	15 00
Harner, Emeline,	" 7..	30 00
Harner, Agnes,	" 7..	30 00
Haines, Milton K.,	" 7..	10 00
Orendorff, Pius,	" 7..	25 00
Stone, Harry,	" 7..	20 00
Trite, John,	" 7..	30 00
Sauers, Margaret,	" 7..	20 00
Alban, William,	" 8..	10 00
Brooks, Grafton,	" 8..	25 00
Baublitz, Susan,	" 8..	15 00
Bart, Rosanna,	" 9..	20 00
Farver, William J.,	" 9..	10 00
Hartley, Mrs. P.,	" 9..	15 00
Johns, Ada, col ,	" 9..	10 00
Saint, Debby,	" 9..	10 00
Hill, Harriet,	" 10..	15 00
Fowler, Geo. A ,	" 11..	5 00
King, Annie,	" 11..	15 00
Petry, David,	" 11..	30 00
Richards, Richard,	" 11..	7 50
Utz, Debby,	" 11..	10 00
Bowens, Ann Mariah,	" 12..	10 00
Delphy, Margaret,	" 12..	7 50
Ohler, Andrew,	" 12..	5 00
Wentz, Ephraim,	" 12..	10 00
Dayhoff, W. Grant,	" 12..	15 00
Waters, Richard,	" 13..	10 00
		$ 1,265 00

Road Commissioners.

Dist. No.	
1, Hezekiah Ohler	$ 50 00
" 1, Samuel Harnish	50 00
" 1, Samuel Flickinger	50 00
" 2, William H. Babylon	50 00
" 2, Josiah Erb	50 00
" 2, John C. Hively	40 44
" 3, Edward Leese	50 00
" 3, John D. Sholl	45 00
" 3, John A. Dell	48 75
" 4, Francis E. Schneider	50 00
" 4, J. T. Parrish	50 00
" 4, Lewis H. Wisner	50 00
" 5, James C. Hewitt	50 00
" 5, Herbert R. Devries	50 00
" 5, J. P. Buckingham	50 00
" 6, Edward W. Wine	50 00
" 6, Thomas Kahns	50 00
" 6, John Geiman	50 00
" 7, Aaron Shafer	50 00
" 7, J. S. Schweigart	40 00
" 7, Chas. F. Manahan	50 00
" 8, J. Franklin Utz	50 00
" 8, Harry F. Richards	50 00
" 8, Nicholas J. Walsh	50 00
" 9, G. W. Grimes	50 00
" 9, Wm. Bowers	50 00
" 9, Amos Davis	50 00
" 10, Reuben Stonesifer	50 00
" 10, Chas. E. Garber	50 00
" 10, John F. White	50 00
" 11, Samuel Haines	50 00
" 11, Jonas F. Wagner	50 00
" 11, R. Smith Snader	50 00
" 12, Henry Blaxton	50 00
" 12, Jesse Crumbacker	50 00
" 12, Wm. H. Stem	45 00
" 13, Wm. H. Harrison	75 00
	$ 1,844 19

Special Pensions.

Dist. No.	
1, Ida Angell	$ 5 00
" 1, Mary Hawk	5 00
" 2, Andrew Ohler	5 00
" 4, Peter Dull	5 00
" 7, Jennie Fowler	10 00
" 7, Agnes Timmons	10 00
" 7, Kate Smith	5 00
" 7, David G. Trite	5 00
" 7, Lizzie Eckhorn	5 00
" 8, Jacob Houck	2 50
" 9, Rebecca Little	10 00
" 9, Margaret Haines	5 00
States N. Dell by J. Milton Reifsnider, Trustee	96 00
	$ 171 00

Miscellaneous Accounts.

Meade Ohler, work at Court House	$ 31 65
Wm. H. Grumbine, painting roof	12 42
Edwin W. Shriver, binding codes	3 25
Chas. B. Hunter, labor and material at Court House	35 67
Miller Bros., carpet and merchandise	63 50
John J. Rose, merchandise	2 00
Florence Little, manure for court yard	6 00
Matthews & Myers, blinds for Court House	5 55
Wm. H. Haines, brooms	7 50
T. O. Feeser, brooms	12 00
F. A. Sharrer, book case for Judges' room	14 75
W. F. Brockmiller, pads and stencils	1 85
F. A. Diffenbach, books and stationery	23 85
Basil Dorsey, for damages to horse	40 00
Union National Bank, to retire repair bonds	424 33
Westminster Water Company, for Court House	29 33
S. P. Bair, cleaning Adding machine	75
Ice and Cold Storage, ice	74 44
Coal for Court House	214 48
Jacob M. Folk, furnishing and repairing lightning rods	89 39
Westminster Hardware Company, merchandise and paint	196 30
Frederick County Commissioners	2 50
Refunded Safe Deposit & Trust, taxes erroneously paid	35 46
Eliza J. Stocksdale, taxes erroneously paid	5 00
Bnjamin Dorsey, team hire for jurors	2 50
Edward Chrest, team hire for jurors	4 50
George E. Baughman, envelopes, stamps, &c	42 40
David J. Brown & Bros. vs. County Commissioners	146 05
Sheriff of Baltimore City for services	14 66
T. W. Mather & Sons, merchandise	5.50
M. Curlander, code for Orphans' Court	12 00
William Weagley, repairs to Court House	23 39
C. T. Young, sheriff of Frederick County	12 09
Westminster Gas Light Company	39 00
United Telephone & Telegraph Co	84 00
C. and P. Telephone Company	44 40
M. Theodore Yeiser, County Surveyor	31 00
Laying out Angell road	11.00
Carroll County Electric Light and Power Company	74 98
F. L. Hann, stationery, express, &c.,	3 63
Paid School Bonds No. 3 and 4	1000 00
	$2,883 43

Statement and Expenses at Alms House and Farm, from June 30th, 1905, to July 1st, 1906.

E. B. Hann and A. G Humbert, Stewards	$ 400 00
Teamster	150 00
Fireman	150 00
Matron	75 00
Maid	84 00
Washerwoman	75 00
Dr. J. S. Mathias, physician	100 00
Joshua W. Stevenson, plastering, &c	9 70
Coal for Alms House	207 38
Edwin Shipley, wagon for Alms House	57 50
Philip Wagner, trimming hedge	13 12
Harry F. Cover, cattle for Alms House	144 37
John E. Hurst, blankets	15 00
Fertilizer for Alms House	101 55
F. A. Sharrer, beds for Alms House	11 05
N. G. Scarlett, clover seed	22 68
Seed wheat bought	59 50
Dr. C. E. Hitchcock, veterinarian	8 50
L. A. Haller, making cider and repairing pump	4 45
J. W. Shunk, mending harness, &c.	15 15
Charles Stonesifer, mending shoes	19 35
Blacksmith bill, shoeing and repairing	66 30
Hardware, machinery, &c	152 44
Tobacco	66 14
Feed and grinding, &	63 89
Meat	161 69
Labor, threshing, &c	170 57
Drugs	60 55
Dry goods	227 26
Groceries	284 81
	$2,977 83

Contra Credit.

Cattle sold	$ 30 00
Wheat sold	166 13
Flour furnished jail	100 00
Hides sold	9 00
Hay and Corn	37 50
	$342 63

Financial Statement Showing the Condition of the County, June 30, 1906.

Taxes due in hands of collectors		$ 29,605 25
Cash in Bank		4,831 18
Due from corporations		25 00
Due from Mortgages		125 00
		$ 34,586 43
*Public School Bonds	$26,000 00	
Bills due about	1,400 00	$27,400 00
By Balance		$ 7,186 43

*Under an act of the General Assembly of 1900, Chapter 242, the County Commissioners are authorized to retain a sufficient sum to pay the interest on said bonds, and also, beginning on the first day of April, 1905, to retain $1000.00 each year thereafter to be paid on the principal, the said sum to be retained from the sum or sums of money apportioned and appropriated by said County Commissioners each year for Public School purposes.

DANIEL J. HESSON,
GEO. E. BENSON,
GEO. W. BROWN,
Commissioners.

FRANCIS L. HANN, Clerk and Treasurer.
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A Guide to Conversation.

Subjects not to be mentioned in polite society: The rainy weather, the muddy roads, the cook's impertinence, the vase the second girl broke, the gown on which the waiter spilled pudding sauce, the other which the dressmaker ruined, headache, indigestion, backache, the minister's faults, horrible accidents, dsiappointments, lack of money, all tales of badness, meanness, unkindness, extravagance, imprudence, scandal, and cruel and vicious deeds.

Recommended topics : Pleasant weather, "How does your garden grow ?" new chafing dish recipes, the best way to mend tablecloths, babies, dogs, cats, your companion's recent trip (your own if specially urged), lectures, concerts, debates, music, books, magazines, singers, preachers, philanthropists, parties, weddings, picnics, all acts of goodness, kindness, patience, charity and all the virtues.—"Congregationalist."

Sentence Sermons.

The best way to bow before the Almighty is to bend to the needy.

Honesty is the best policy when you cease to figure on the premium.

It's so much easier to talk of conversion than it is to manifest courtesy.

It's easier for some men to acquire money than manners.

Every dog isn't a bird dog, but every cat is a bird cat.

Fortune telling is always fortunate for the fortune teller.

Marriage is never a failure, but often the contracting parties are.

No, the starboard of a steamer is not reserved for starboarders.

Beauty is worse than liquor, it intoxicates both the holder and beholder.

A man is not justified in taking an eyeopener because he is blindly in love.

Warm Weather Drinks.

A French medical journal says: "Water should be drank cool, but not iced, with the juice of quarter or half lemon in it. Mineral water should also be drank with a dash of lemon. Water should always be swallowed very slowly. It is not the stomach which is dry, but the mouth and throat. If you toss off a drink of water you throw it through your mouth and throat into your stomach without doing the former any good, while you injure the the latter by loading it with what it does not require. Drink slowly, and keep the water in your mouth for a moment when you begin. If you work in a hot room in hot weather tie a damp cloth around your temples, and you will not experience half the cravings for drink you otherwise would."

Peach Shortcake.

Sift together two cupfuls of flour, four level teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one saltspoonful of salt. Mix into it one tablespoonful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Add sufficient sweet milk to make a smooth dough, roll out in two layers, butter and bake in one pan. When sufficiently baked remove from the oven, butter the under crust well, spread it with peaches, previously pared and sliced, sprinkle generously with sugar and place the upper crust on. Cover it with peaches and whipped cream sweetened to taste and flavored with orange.

'So, you're married, eh ? I hope you've got a good housewife.'

'Well,' replied the young benedict, 'She's only been a fashionable hotel wife so far and I guess she hopes to continue so.'