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# REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION.

By virtue of the authority vested in and by the Republican State Central Committee of Maryland, the undersigned members of the said Committee give notice of a Republican Primary Election, to be held in the several Election Districts of Carroll County, on

**SATURDAY, APRIL 11TH, 1908,**

at the usual hours and places of holding such primaries for the purpose of electing five (5) delegates from each election district, to meet in convention at

**Westminster, Maryland, on Tuesday, April 14th, 1908,**

at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing five delegates to the Congressional District Convention to be held in Johnson's Hall, Walbrook, Baltimore, April 28th, 1908, to nominate 2 delegates to the National Republican Convention at Chicago, and to nominate 1 candidate for Presidential Elector; five (5) delegates to the State Convention to be held in Baltimore, April 30th, 1908, to nominate 4 delegates at large to the National Republican Convention, at Chicago, and to nominate 2 candidates for Presidential Electors; five (5) delegates to the Congressional Nominating Convention to be held at Towson, August 5th, 1908.

All tickets for said Primary Election will be printed by the Committee, all tickets of uniform size, color and thickness, and all lists of delegates and alternates for the several Districts must be filed with the Secretary of the County Central Committee on or before 12 o'clock M., 10 days before the day set for the Primary, accompanied by a deposit of $2.50 for each precinct in the District in which said delegates are to be voted for, in which there is a contest, and in Districts where there is no contest, no deposit is required. Also each set of delegates (where there is a contest) are requested to recommend two persons for judges and one person for clerk in each precinct of their respective districts.

(Signed) WALTER R. RUDY, Chairman.
(Signed) C. W. MELVILLE, Secretary.
of the State Central Committee.

## TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF CARROLL COUNTY.

At a meeting of the Republican County Central Committee, held March 25, 1908, it was

Resolved, by the Republican County Central Committee of Carroll County that a primary meeting of the Republican voters of the several election districts of Carroll County be held in said districts, on

**SATURDAY, APRIL 11TH, 1908,**

at the times and places hereinafter designated, for the purpose of electing five delegates from each of said districts to represent said districts in a County Convention, to be held in

**Westminster, Maryland, on Tuesday, April 14th, 1908.**

at 10 o'clock A. M., which said convention shall proceed to elect five delegates to represent the Republican voters of Carroll County, in the Congressional District Convention, to be held at Walbrook, Baltimore, April 28th, 1908, to nominate 2 delegates to the National Republican Convention at Chicago, and to nominate 1 candidate for Presidential Elector; five delegates to represent the Republican voters of Carroll County, in the State Convention to be held in Baltimore, April 30th, to nominate 4 delegates at large to the Republican National Convention at Chicago, and to nominate 2 candidates for Presidential Electors; and five delegates to represent the Republican voters of Carroll County in the Congressional Convention, to be held at Towson, August 5th, 1908.

No. 1.—Taneytown 5 to 6 at Kane's Hotel.
No. 2.—Uniontown 6 to 7 p. m., at Kemp's Hall.
No. 3.—Myers' 6 to 7 p. m., at I. O. M. Hall.
No. 4.—Woolery's 4 to 5 Jacob Hollenbaugh's residence, Eastview.
No. 5.—Freedom 6 to 8 Selby & Frizzell's Hall, Eldersburg.
No. 6.—Manchester 4 to 5, room in rear of Ganter's Drug Store.
No. 7.—Westminster 4 to 6 Grumbine's store.
No. 8.—Hampstead 7 to 9 p. m., Firemen's Hall.
No. 9.—Franklin at usual time and place.
No. 10.—Middleburg at usual time and place.
No. 11.—New Windsor 5 to 7 at Edward Devilbiss's furniture store.
No. 12.—Union Bridge 7 to 9 Town Hall.
No. 13.—Mt. Airy 7 to 9 p. m., Masonic Hall.

Resolved, that the provisions of the Constitution of the Republican party in Maryland bearing upon the holding of primaries be published in the American Sentinel, as follows:

Art. II, Sec. 6.—The Republican county committee, or the Republican central committee for the counties in such counties where that committee constitutes the local county committee, shall have the general management of party affairs in the counties, and shall fix the times and places and manner for the holding of primary elections to send delegates to county conventions, except in so far as the manner of holding the same may be regulated by the State Central Committee, the Congressional Committees or Judicial Committees as to such county conventions as may be held for the selection of delegates to State, Congressional or Judicial Conventions, respectively.

(Signed) R. WESLEY BARNES, Chairman.
(Signed) H. R. WOODEN, Secretary.

## High License in 1908
## Local Option in 1909.

The House bills "To Regulate the sale and granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors in Carroll County" and "An act to provide for the decision by popular vote in Carroll County of the question whether or not licenses shall be issued in said County for the sale of intoxicating liquor" were passed by the Senate yesterday, and wait only for the signature of Governor Crothers before becoming laws. A summary of the provisions of each act is given below.

High License Bill.

54 A—No person in Carroll county shall sell, offer for sale or keep for sale spirituous or fermented liquors without license (not to apply to sales of cider or native wine by maker thereof.)

54 B—All licenses to expire on first day of May ensuing date of issue. Licenses shall be issued for twelve or any less number of months, but not for fractional part of month.

54 C—Provides that an applicant for license must (1) file a petition with Clerk of the Circuit Court, requesting license; (2) the Clerk must publish for two successive weeks in a newspaper published in the county a list of names of applicants, their residence and proposed place of doing business. The petition must state (1) The name of applicant, age, place of birth, that he is a citizen, how long resident of county. (2) The particular place for which license is desired, with such description as will locate it. (3) The name of owner of premises. (4) Whether applicant has had a license revoked, if so when and why; whether applicant has been convicted of any crime within two years, and for what offense, and that no person, whose license has been revoked under this Act, has any interest in the business, and that applicant will not permit such person to acquire an interest. (5) That he will not sell or allow to be sold on Sunday or on election day, nor to minors nor habitual drunkards, nor allow a minor to drink, loiter or loaf in the house or on premises for which such license is issued. (6) That he will not permit gambling, nor keep a bawdy house, nor permit gathering of women for immoral purposes. (6) That he has been resident of county for more than one year, or if not such resident, then an account of character of business in which he has been engaged for preceding two years. (8) That *six* reputable freeholders, whose signatures are subscribed to the petition certify that he is a proper person to conduct said business, and recommend the granting of the license. (9) That no other than the petitioner has an interest in the business.

54 D—Each petition must be signed and verified by affidavit of applicant; certificate of freeholders recommending must be attached; no freeholder shall recommend issuing of more than one license (where two or more are signed by same person, the one first filed shall be considered first signed, and signature to subsequent applications shall be considered void.) If any false statement of fact made in any part of petition, the petitioner, upon indictment and conviction, shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and license revoked, and the guilty party subject to other penalties provided by the General Laws.

54 E—No license shall be issued to other than a citizen of the United States, and a resident of Carroll county, of temperate habits and good moral character.

54 F—If after notice, no remonstrance is filed with the Clerk, the Clerk shall issue the license, upon petitioner paying, if proposed place is located in the City of Westminster, or within one-half mile of its corporate limits, $300; and elsewhere in the county $250. If there is a remonstrance, the Clerk shall not issue the license, but shall refer the petition and remonstrance to the Circuit Court, and any judge thereof shall fix as early as practicable a date for its hearing; the clerk shall docket the case, and notify the parties, and the burden of proof shall be on the petitioner to establish such obligations of his petition as are denied by the remonstrance. The Court shall have discretion to grant or refuse the license and impose the payment of costs as it shall deem equitable and just.

54 G—A record shall be kept by the Clerk.

55 H—Druggists and apothecaries shall not be required to obtain license, but shall not sell intoxicating liquors, except on prescription of regular physician nor more than once on any one prescription; shall keep a book in which shall be entered every such sale, the person to whom sold, date of sale, kind, quantity and price, and purpose for which sold, and file and preserve the prescription. Any failure to comply with any of these provisions shall render him liable to same penalties, if he sold without license. Any physician wilfully prescribing intoxicating liquors as a beverage for persons of known intemperate habits shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and subject to same penalties as licensees who furnish intoxicating liquors to persons of intemperate habits.

54 I—Forbids sale, barter or gift to minors, habitual drunkards and persons visibly affected by intoxicants, and to any person whose parent, guardian, husband, wife, son, daughter, brother or sister or committee shall give notice in writing that he is of intemperate habits and requesting such licensee not to sell; forbiding such licensee to allow minors to loaf or loiter on premises.

54 J—Forbids sale on election day and on the Lord's Day, commonly called Sunday.

54 K—Provides that no one shall be permited to enter or remain in his saloon, or in the room in a hotel where such liquor is sold, between the hours of 11 P. M. and 5 A. M., or on Sunday or election day; and that on Sunday and election day the windows of the place where intoxicating liquors are sold shall be left without blinds, curtains, or any device whatever to prevent and obstruct the view from the outside.

54 L—Provides that the license shall be framed under glass and exposed in a conspicuous place.

54 M—Provides that upon conviction of selling without license the guilty party shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than $100 nor more than $500, or undergo imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 3 months, nor more than 12 months, or be both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the Court.

54 N—Provides that any minor (except the agent or servant of an adult with a written order) who shall enter a place where such liquors are sold and shall ask, demand or offer to purchase, or shall wilfully make false statements as to his age, shall subject himself to the penalty of a fine of not more than $25 or imprisonment in jail for not more than 30 days, or be both fine and imprisoned in the discretion of the Court or Justice of the Peace; provided that the testimony of such minor in prosecution of any person selling or furnishing intoxicating liquors to him shall not be used against the minor.

54 O—Provides that any person, not a licensee, who shall knowingly procure for any person of intemperate habits, and any person (except parent or guardian) not a licensee, who shall procure, sell, furnish or give to any minor any spirituous or fermented liquors shall be subject to a fine of not more than $100, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court. That any licensee who permits minors to frequent, loiter or loaf about his place of business, or disreputable, or disorderly persons or make it a customary place of visitation or resort shall be fined not more than $500 or imprisoned for not more than six months, and his license revoked.

54 P—Provides that any person having a license under the Act, who shall be convicted of violating any of its provisions or of doing or omitting to do any act that is prohibited or directed by it to be done, shall, unless otherwise specially provided in the Act, for the first offense be subject to a fine of not more than $200, or imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 30 days nor more than six months, or be both fined and imprisoned at the discretion of the Court, and the court in its discretion may suppress his license. Upon second conviction the fine is to be not less than $50 nor more than $200, or imprisonment for not less than 30 days nor more than 6 months, and in all cases upon second conviction, the license is to be revoked.

54 Q—Provides that licenses may be transferred or assigned.

54 R—One fourth of all money paid to the Clerk for licenses shall be held for the use of the State; the remainder to be paid to the Treasurer of the Board of County School Commissioners of Carroll county for use of the public schools of the county.

54 S—The time of filing the petition and giving of notice hereinbefore required by the clerk, shall not apply to petitions for license under this Act to begin on the first day of May 1908, but such petitions may be filed on or before the ninth day of April, 1908 and such notice may be published on or before the eighteenth day of April, 1908.

54 T—Licenses in force at the time of the adoption of this Act shall not be affected by it.

Sec. 2—Chapter 6 of the Acts of 1894 and all other laws inconsistent with this Act are repealed.

Sec. 3—This Act to take effect from the date of its passage.

Local Option Bill.

The local option bill is entitled "An Act to provide for the decision by popular vote in Carroll County of the question whether or not licenses shall be issued in said County for the sale of intoxicating liquors."

Section 1. Provides that upon the filing in the office of the Supervisors of Elections of Carroll County at least 60 days before the general election to be held in the year 1909 of a petition as in this Act provided, directed to such Supervisors of Elections, containing the signatures of legal voters of Carroll County in number not less than two-fifths of the registered vote of said County, to submit to the voters of said county the proposition "whether or not license shall be issued in Carroll County for the sale of intoxicating liquors," said proposition shall be submitted at such election, as in this Act provided, to the legal voters of said County.

Section 2. Directs the form in which the petition to the Supervisors of election is to be framed, and contains such provisions as will identify the signers and prevent padded petitions and forged names, requires that each page of signatures shall be sworn to by a resident of the political sub-division in which the signers, whose names appear on that page, reside; and provides that anyone making this sworn statement, who shall knowingly, wilfully and corruptly swear falsely, shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and liable to the penalties prescribed for that offence; and that any one who forges the signature of any person upon any petition or statement, shall be deemed guilty of forgery and liable to the penalties prescribed for that offence.

Section 3. Provides for publication by the Supervisors of Elections of notice of such election, and further provides that the failure of the Supervisors to give such notice shall not affect the validity of the vote upon said proposition.

Section 4. Provides for provision on the ballot of the words "For License" and "Against License," with square opposite each; for return of the result of the election by the judge and clerks to the Supervisors, with the other returns.

Section 5. Provides for the proclamation by the Supervisors of the result of the election, and the recording of the same; that if such certificate or record shows a majority voting "Agains Licenses" such licenses shall not be issued; that if the record or certificate shows a majority "For License" then such licenses shall continue to be issued.

Section 6. Provides "That the vote under the provision of this Act shall not become operative unill the first day of May, next, after the day of the election at which such vote is cast."

Section 7. Provides that the Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

The Sentinel gives place, this week, to another communication from Mr. Cassell in relation to Western Maryland College, which, it hopes, will and end the discussion, as it, and anything else that may be said on the subject is only "thrashing over old straw." Much speculation has been indulged in concerning the communication of Fairplay, published last week, and it has been intimated to us by numbers of persons, that it emanated from a college source. It is only just to say that, from our knowledge of its author, such an impression is entirely at fault. Fairplay says, and he is a man whose veracity has never been questioned, that his communication was written without suggestion from or the knowledge of any other person until it was submitted to the Sentinel for publication. We believe it is strictly true, also, that the only opportunity he enjoyed of school education was derived from public schools.

Communicated.

## ANOTHER COMMUNICATION FROM MR. CASSELL.

*To the Official Gentlemen of Western Maryland College, and to Mr. Anonymous Fairplay:*

My communications in Sentinel of Feb. 28th and March 13th embodied plain direct questions to which no direct answers have been made either by the official gentlemen or Mr. Fairplay, save and except as to the $50,000 demand which was too new and fresh to be avoided if there had been any disposition to do so. The people's money is the thing at issue, and if the total amount of it that you have received and your ways of spending it have been good, it ought to be your pride to tell the good people, of whom Mr. Fairplap so highly speaks, all about it, and for so doing, no better method can be adopted than to give straight and unveiled answers to the interrogatories in the Sentinel of above mentioned dates; and it would seem incumbent upon you to do so, inasmuch as such answers would be the only little bit of satisfaction that 99¼ per cent of those good people can ever expect to receive for the large sums of money that they have been required to pay to Western Md. College.

Mr. Anonymous Fairplay, (whose name I appropriately change to Anonymous Foulplay,) knowing well the trend of public sentiment, and not wishing to be seen and recognized among an unusually small minority of the people, I will now turn away from him and let him remain in his obscurity where better behavior will require him to stay.

All educational facilities established by the State ought to be in strict equality for all, without the slightest chance for any one to have advantages not offered alike to all, and to make it better for all the standard of education in the public schools could be easily raised by longer school periods in every year and encouragement in the study of higher branches. A good common school education is all the State owes to its young folks, which is entirely sufficient to make good citizens of them, and to enable them to creditably perform all the duties that life enjoins upon them. And any one naturally competent to go beyond such a common school education will not have much trouble to work his own way as did Abraham Lincoln, a farm laborer, boatman and rail splitter; Andrew Johnson, a tailor; Henry Wilson, (Vice President of U. S.,) an old style shoemaker; Noah Worcester, another shoemaker, who still cobbled away on his bench and with his knee strap for years after he had recognized himself as a sound logic and forcible eloquence as a minister of the gospel; and many others without collegiate education who have immortalized themselves by their accomplishments and will be held in remembrance long after many hundreds of little flickering collegiate stars have been eclipsed by the flight of time, or sunk below the horizon of recognition before their own lives are half spent. One man in Carroll county went nearly to middle age in an occupation that did not embrace much outside of manual labor creditably performed, and then seeing his way to higher calling and with the aid of a correspondence school has attained a degree of competency in his present line of business that is not surpassed by any college graduate in this county, and, like Noah Worcester, he still retains his habits of industry.

Owing to difference of disposition and aptness among the young, all will not pursue the same course to reach their best stage of usefulness, and therefore colleges must and will continue as one of the means of intellectual development and training, and their equipment for best results ought to consist of more than books and large costly audience rooms to be occupied mainly in pleasantries for the pastime of a town and surrounding community; ought to afford industrial education that employs both hand and head at the same time and in such manner as to beget the practical knowledge and aptness that can be depended upon for an honest and well deserved living. Such institutions as The Maryland Agricultural College, where mechanical and other industries are in operation, give a wide range for acquiring practical knowledge along with the teachings of the schoolroom. So much in the way of diversion and now back again to the main subject.

The important thing at issue in this discussion is the total amount of money that a sectarian college has received from the State of Maryland; the ways in which it has been spent, and the right or wrong done to the people out of whose pockets the money came. It is antagonistic and unjust toward all other religious sects that are not in the deal, and if all were in the deal, it would be still nevertheless wrong toward the taxpayers who do not belong to any church, many of whom are living within the pale of hope and serving both God and their fellow men according to the dictates of conscience.

Coal tar and sugar when separately kept are both good for their respective uses, but if put together would make an odoriferous and worthless composition, but not more so than does the mixing of Church and State. In France, where nearly the entire population are of one church, the union of Church and State was for centuries harmful to the public welfare and although greatly moderated by the first Napoleon it still remained as an intolerable burden until recently broken up by the irresistable demands for justice. In the Russian Empire, Church and State are one and the same thing, the autocratic Emperor being the recognized head of both, and who can point to any other place outside of the infernal regions where human misery is so great and life so destitute of enjoyment.

Knownothingism, an empty element of religion, and intended by its originators to be injected into the affairs of State, was, after a few years of upward struggle, killed outright by the common sense of the people, and such will be the enforced ending of your wrong doing when public attention is fully brought to bear upon it.

The twaddle about money that Western Md. College gets, going to another college if Western Md College did not get it, is too absurd for mue consideration. Money in the Stat Treasury is entirely at the disposal o the authorities that put it there, and a an illustration, it is only necessary t refer to Gov. Wm. T. Hamilton veto ing or otherwise killing the appropria tions to sectarian colleges. That tim Western Md. College did not get it usual grab at the State Treasury.

Now, Official Gentlemen, if you d not answer the interrogatories tha have been repeatedly and respectfull made to you, then what is to preven the people from settling down to th belief that you are ashamed to show the record of yonr money getting and your money spending.

JNO. T. CASSELL,
In behalf of the people.

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## RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Sunday School 9.00 a. m. Divine service 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.

Young People's Meeting 6.45 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday night, 7.30. Junior Catechise Saturday, 2 p. m. Senior Catechise 2.30 p. m.

P. H. Miller, D. D., Pastor.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Deer Park Road.—Sunday School 9 a. m. Preaching 10 a. m.

W. L. Seabrook, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Sunday School 9.30 a. m. Worship 10.30 a. m., and 7.15 p. m. Lecture Wednesday night, 7.30. Catechise Saturday afternoon, 2.30.

Calvin S. Slagle, D. D., Pastor.

M. P. Church.—Sunday School 9.15 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 4 p. m.

Junior C. E. service 2 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society 7.00 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night.

D. L. Greenheld, Paste.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sunday School 9.30 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Junior League 2.30 p. m. Epworth League 6.45 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday night, 7.30.

Harold M. Rider, Pastor.

Ascension Church.—Sunday Services—7.30 a. m., Holy Communion. 10.30 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. (Holy Communion on first Sunday of month). 4.30 p. m., Evening Prayer. 8 p. m., Service and Sermon in Chapel.

Rev. Frank M. Gibson, Ph. D., Rector

Salem Lutheran Charge.—St. Benjamin's—Divine service 2 p. m.

St John's.—Sunday School 9 a. m. Divine service 10 a. m.

R. W. Doty, Pastor.

## MARRIED

At the residence of the officiating clergyman in New Windsor, March 18th, 1908, by Elder A. P. Snader, Mr. Theodore W. Young, of Taylorsville, and Miss Gertrude L. Stem, of Dennings.

## DIED.

At Franklin Square Hospital, Baltimore, March 23rd, 1908, Justina Rebecca, wife of Alfred W. Young, aged 30 years, 1 month and 2 days.

In this city, March 20th, 1908, John Eichorn, in his 29th year.

Near Stonersville, March 23th, 1908, Absalom Fuhrman, aged 79 years, 9 months and 29 days.

At Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore March 19th 1908, William H. Smith, aged 44 years.

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This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters of Administration on the estate of

WILLIAM H. LINDSAY,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 24th day of October, 1908; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 24th day of March, 1908.

MARTHA A. LINDSAY,
mar 27 4t Administratrix.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND.
IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of John W. A. Abken, a Bankrupt.

To the creditors of John W. A. Abken, of Silver Run, in the County of Carroll and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1908, the said John W. A. Abken was duly adjudicated a bankrupt by Hon. Thomas J. Myrris, Judge of said Court; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of E. Oliver Grimes, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 19 Court Street, Westminster, Maryland, on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

E. OLIVER GRIMES, Jr.,
mr 27 2t Referee in Bankruptcy.

## RATIFICATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County:
February Term, 1908.

Estate of John M. Snowden, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 23rd day of March, 1908, that the sale of the real estate of John M. Snowden, late of Carroll county, deceased, made by John T. Snowden, acting executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this court by the said executor, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 4th Monday, 27th day of April next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll county, before the 3rd Monday, 20th day of April, next. The report states the amount of sale to be $3,500.00.

JOHN E. ECKENRODE,
WILLIAM L. RICHARDS, } Judges.
ROBERT N. KOONTZ,

True Copy.—Test:
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## CONDENSED STATEMENT

*Showing the condition of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Dug Hill, Carroll County, Md., December 31st, 1907.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total Income during the year | | $ 18,171 63 |
| Total Disbursements during the year | | 17,633 80 |
| ASSETS. | | |
| Cash in Office and in Bank | $ 1,029 43 | |
| Unpaid Assessments | 600 00 | |
| Office Building and Furniture | 450 00 | |
| Premium Notes | $ 464,492 32 | |
| Total Admitted Assets | | 2,279 43 |
| LIABILITIES. | | |
| Salaries, Expenses and Taxes | 885 00 | |
| Total Liabilities | | 885 00 |
| Amount at Risk in United States December 31, 1907 | 5,622,980 00 | |
| Risks written in Maryland during 1907 | 233,680 00 | |
| Premiums on Maryland Business in 1907 | 445 24 | |
| Losses Paid in Maryland in 1907 | 9,111 48 | |
| Losses incurred in Maryland in 1907 | 9,111 48 | |

State of Maryland,
Office of the State Insurance Department,
Baltimore, January 27, 1908.

I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract, taken from the Annual Statement of the Farmers, Mutual Fire Ins. Co. of Dug Hill, for the year ending December 31, 1907, now on file in this Department.

BENJ. F. CROUSE,
Insurance Commissioner.


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| Winter Flour— | Extra | $3 90@ $4 10 |
| " " | Clear | 4 15@ 4 30 |
| City Mills High Grade Patent | | 5 3 @ 5 35 |
| " " " | Straight | 5 05@ 5 05 |
| " " Rye Flour | | 4 50@ 5 00 |
| Wheat | | 94@ 98 |
| Corn | | 56@ 61 |
| Oats | | 52@ 39 |
| Rye | | 80@ 85 |
| Hay | | 13 50@ 17 00 |
| Straw | | 6 00@ 12 00 |
| Dry Salt Shoulders | | 7½@ 7½ |
| Bulk Rib Sides | | 7½@ 7½ |
| Hams | | 9½@ 11½ |
| Lard | | 8½@ 8½ |
| Butter | | 16@ 32 |
| Eggs | | 14@ 15 |
| Potatoes | | 55@ 75 |


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