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The Baltimo[illegible] Almanac for 1910 is on our desk. As a book of reference it has few superiors, and will be found carefully filed away each year in the offices of many business men. Every subscriber to the Sun receives one for each year.

A few days ago the President sent to the Senate the names of Charles C. Mumford as postmaster Berlin, and H. Clay Powell as postmaster at Pocomoke City. These are two new appointments succeeding the two former incumbents at these points. Both of the new appointees had the endorsement of former Congressman Wm. H. Jackson.

According to reports brought to Annapolis by Eastern Shore Republicans, Delaware Republicans have their eyes on the office of Internal Revenue Collector and are preparing to put forth efforts to wrest the position from Maryland. Delaware forms a part of the collection district. Hence, one of the reasons for the covetous eyes of the Republican leaders of that state Another reason assigned is that while Maryland has several desirable offices including that of collector, surveyor, naval officer and of other positions at the port of Baltimore, Delaware is not so fortunately situated. In addition, it is claimed that Maryland is a Democratic state and is represented in the United States Senate by two Democrats, while Delaware seems tó be as permanently anchored in column of Republican states. The fact is overlooked that Maryland is four-fifths of the collection district in area and in collections. The settlement of the question will be up to President Taft, who will make the appointment next summer.

EXTRAVAGANCE NOT WARRANTED

The State of Maryland, like the State of Delaware, is in sound financial condition. Its cash receipts during the fiscal year of 1908-09 amounted to $6 638,757.09, and its expenditures to $5,310,687.43, leaving a balance of $1,328,069.66. Its total bonded debt is $6,718,926.13, but the State holds securities which reduce the actual indebtedness to $679,976. 41, a very small encumbrance for a State of the size and importance of Maryland. Delaware is much better off in this respect, however, holding interest-bearing securities that exceed its bonded debt to the extent of more than half a million dollars.

But while sound financial standing warrants liberal expenditures for proper purposes, it is not to be accepted as a warrant for extravagance, and in his recent annual message to the Legislature, Governor Austin L. Crothers dwelt with especial emphasis on the necessity of avoiding all forms of extravagance. Referring directly to the large cost of legislative sessions in the past, he earnestly advocated reform. "It is apparent that it is not only proper," he said, "but a plain necessity that there shall be a reduction of legislative expenses to the lowest possible sum required to defray the cost of only such legislative officers as may be indispensable for the proper dispatch of the duties of the Legislature, and who, moreover, actually perform the necessary service for which they are employed. The employment of legislative officers, clerks or assistants whose service is not necessary is vicious in principle and wasteful in its effects, and should no longer be tolerated."

Unfortunately, however, the Democratic majority in each branch of the Maryland Legislature paid no attention to these practical suggestions of the governor's message According to popular report the present Legislature has made a new record for extravagance in this respect, providing many more places than there is any necessity for, solely for the purpose of paying political debts by giving party workers a chance to draw money from the public treasury under the mere pretense of rendering public services.

The legislative work of the session will have to be unusually beneficial to overcome the evil effects of this partisan extravagance. Such a course is likely to provoke the wrath of the people, and they can, if they choose, remove a Democratic administration in Maryland as easily as they installed one in power.

A Tale Of Two Counties.

Two counties of southern Illinois—one saloon-ridden and the other "dry"—furnish the most striking testimonials of the relative benefits of license and no-license.

Alexander county, which includes the city of Cairo on the Ohio river, has had saloons from time immemorial. The city of Cairo is as completely under the domineering influence of the liquor traffic as any city of the size in America. The county as a whole has one saloon for every 265 of the population. These saloons recognize no such thing as law except where they are absolutely compelled to do so. The Churches of Cairo are perhaps weaker institutions than those of any other city of the same size in the country. The saloon in this county reigns supreme.

Nor are the evidences of the operation of the law of supply and demand wanting in this saloon-ridden community. There are 67 convicts in the Illinois State penitentiary from this one county, which means one convict in the state prison for every 289 of the population. The recent foul murder of a young girl and the double lynching which followed in Cairo some weeks ago, speak for the general conditions there. That, according to reports one of the victims should be strung up, riddled with bullets, dragged to the stake, burned to a crisp, and then that pieces of the ropes and fragments of the pyre, with chunks of spent bullets, should be carried away as souvenirs of the occasion, was not at all surprising to those who have been thoroughly acquainted with the conditions in Cairo. The saloons and their kindred evils have had long and ample opportunity in that county to demonstrate what they are able to do for the community, and the results speak for themselves.

A short distance up state is another Illinois county which goes by the name of Edwards. This county has not had a saloon for forty years. The county has not sent a man to the state penetentiary for thirty years. The county jail is occupied so rarely that when some one is put in the sheriff's charge it is such an unusual event as to excite general curiosity and comment. There is not a cent of indebtedness against the county. There is a balance in the county treasury of more than $15,000.00 A few years ago the people built a new court house, and within ten minutes after the contractors turned over the keys the last bill on the building had been paid in full. The courts have very little to do, and there has been as long a period as two years during which time but a single case requiring a jury was tried in the county.

Edwards county may miss some of the "high life" which is to be found in places like Cairo. No license money comes into the Edwards county treasury to help pay the people's taxes; but ask the people of Edwards county how they would like to trade places with Alexander county and you will receive an answer that will not leave any doubt about the character of the public sentiment of that no-license Illinois county on the subject.

This is not a new or strange kind of story. It is not peculiar to Illinois counties. It can be duplicated in hundreds of instances in different states of the union where people have demonstrated beyond the question of a doubt that the saloon is a financial, social and moral liability.—American Issue.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$410 033 26
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		367 87
U. S. Bonds to Secure circulation,		75 000 00
Bonds, Securities, etc.		35 000 00
Banking House, Furniture and fixtures		14 500 00
Due from National Banks not Reserve Agents,		1 502 28
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks		4 295 72
Due from approved reserve agents		11 093 15
Checks and other Cash Items		6 77
Notes of other National Banks		13 060 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1 557 68
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, Viz:		
Specie	$20 281 00	
Legal-tender notes	36 00	20 317 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. of circulation		755 00
Total		$587 488 73

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$75 000 00
Surplus fund	100 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17 820 75
National Bank Notes outstanding.	75 000 00
Due to other National Banks	7 443 46
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers,	2 502 23
Individual deposits subject to check	309 207 54
Certified checks	514 75
Total	$587 488 73

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF CAROLINE, ss:

I, Thomas C. West, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. C. WEST, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of February, 1910.

ALDA P. WHITBY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
HARVEY L. COOPER,
CHAS. W. HOBBS,
A. R. WRIGHT,
Directors.

Order Nisi.

In the Matter of the Real Estate of Mary A. Glanding, deceased.

In the Orphans' Court of Caroline County. In Equity.

Ordered, this 25th day of January, 1910, that the Sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Harry S. Dailey, executor of Mary A. Glanding, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 30th day of March, next, provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of three successive weeks, before the 1st day of March, next.

The Report states the amount of Sales to be $344.00.

J. OLAN CLARK.
W. E. LIDEN.
I. T. FLEETWOOD.
Judges of the Orphans Court of Caroline County.

True copy—Test:
ROBT. J. JUMP,
Register of Wills, for Caroline County.

Notice to Creditors.

Ira L. Butler et. al.
vs.
T. Elmer Butler et. al.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity. No. 1377.

Ordered this 16th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine, by William H. Adkins, one of the Judges of the Circuit Court for Caroline County, In Equity, and by authority thereof, upon the aforegoing petition, that the proceedings in the above cause be converted into a creditors' bill, and that the creditors of the said William R. Butler, deceased, are hereby given notice to file their claims properly proven, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline County, on or before the 25th day of February, 1910. Provided a copy of this order be published in a newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, in each of four successive weeks before the 25th day of January, 1910.

WILLIAM H. ADKINS.
True copy.--Test.
J. KEMP STEVENS, Clerk.

Order Nisi.

Harvey L. Cooper, Trustee
vs.
George W. Kelley.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity. No. 1395.

Ordered, this 24th day of January, nineteen hundred and ten, that the sales of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Harvey L. Cooper, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 28th day of February next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of two successive weeks before the 11th day of February next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $2 742.37.

J. KEMP STEVENS,
True copy—Test: Clerk.
J. KEMP STEVENS,
j.27, 2t. Clerk.

Order Nisi.

Hilda Carmine et. al.
vs.
George Creighton et. al.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity. No. 1367.

Ordered this 10th day of December, 1909, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless good cause to the contrary be shown, within three weeks from the 16th day of December, 1909; provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper, printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of two successive weeks before the 31st day of December, 1909.

J. KEMP STEVENS,
True copy—Test: Clerk.
J. KEMP STEVENS,
d.18,3t] Clerk.

Notice to Creditors,

This is to give notice that the subscriber, of Caroline County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, in the State of Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Mrs. Mary A. G. Towers, late of Caroline county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, on or before the 2nd day of June, 1910, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 14th day of December, 1909.

LAWRENCE B. TOWERS,
Administrator of Mrs. Mary A. G. Towers, deceased. [d18

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Order Nisi.

Harvey L. Cooper, et al.
vs.
Lillian Roberta Stevens et al.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity. No. 1362.

Ordered this 22d day of January, nineteen hundred and ten, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Harvey L. Cooper, trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 26th day of March next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some news paper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of four successive weeks before the 25th day of February next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $517.00.

J. KEMP STEVENS,
True copy—Test: Clerk.
J. KEMP STEVENS,
j.27, 4t. Clerk.

Order Nisi.

William H. Greenlee et al.
vs.
Annie V. Greenlee.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity. No. 1233

Ordered this 26th day of January, 1910, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above entitled cause be ratified and confirmed, unless good cause to the contrary be shown, within three weeks from the 27th day of January, 1910; provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper, printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of two successive weeks before the 12th day of February, 1910.

J. KEMP STEVENS,
True copy—Test: Clerk.
J. KEMP STEVENS,
J. 27. 2t. Clerk.

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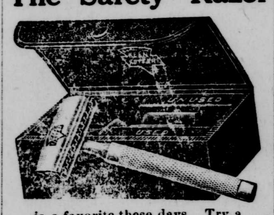

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