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fifty years, of the Easton National Bank of Maryland. Commencing in 1846, as a book-keeper, he was soon called to the Cashiership, and ever since has remained faithfully at his post, sacrificing all other interests to that of the success of his institution.

With General Thomas known far and wide as the Cashier, it will be of interest to give the name of the Executive Officers of the Easton National Bank, from its foundation up to date.

PRESIDENTS.

1—Nicholas Hammond, August 15th, 1805.
2—Thomas I. Bullitt, November 23rd, 1830.
3—William Hughlett, December 11th, 1840.
4—Theodore R. Lockerman, August 13th, 1844
5—W. H. Groome, June 11th, 1851.
6—I. L. Adkins, January 12th, 1869.
7—Robert B. Dixon, January 9th, 1889.

CASHIERS.

1—Hall Harrison, Aug 15, 1805. Bond $120,000
2—John Kennard, May 29th, 1810.
3—John Harwood, December 9th, 1812.
4—James Earle, July 28th, 1813.
5—Joseph Haskins, March 19th, 1814
6—John Goldsborough, April 26th, 1826.
7—W. H. Tilghman, October 7th, 1840.
8—Wm. B. Smythe, April 21st, 1846.
9—Richard Thomas, August 28th, 1849.

It will be noted that on August 28th of 1899 General Thomas will have served fifty years as Cashier, but as he entered as book-keeper in April, 1846, he had already been in the Bank as an officer fifty two years in April last.

The Assistant Cashier of the Bank is Mr. Henry Hollyday, appointed January 25th, 1889.

Thomas C. Earle was the first book-keeper, in 1805, and Richard Stanfield runner, while the original Directors were:

William Meloney, Thomas I. Bullitt, Hall Harrison, Joseph Haskins, Christopher Harrison, John Bennett, Owen Kennard, Samuel Harrison, Nicholas Hammond, Richard T. Earle, William Alexander, William Williams William Potter, Ephraim K. Wilson, and James Scott.

The present Directors are:

Robert B. Dixon, E. L. F. Hardcastle, William R. Martin, James Seth, William H. Adkins, George M. Jenkins and Charles C. Nickerson.

The present officers are:

Robert B. Dixon, President:
Gen. E. L. F. Hardcastle, Vice President.
Gen. Richard Thomas, Cashier.
Henry Hollyday, Assistant Cashier.
Charles H. Hughes, Teller.
Thomas M. Bartlett, General Book-keeper.
Col. A. B. Hardcastle, Personal Book keeper
William S. Grace jr., Personal Book keeper
Julian Seth, Collection Clerk.

Such is the story of the Easton National Bank, which in seven more years will celebrate its one hundredth anniversary, while, strange as it may seem, its strength and vigor increases with its old age.

May we indulge the hope that the one hundred and third anniversary of the State Bankers' Association of Maryland may consist of at least one thousand members, and that it may be held at Ocean City, with its avenues of magnificent villas, and with the same soothing murmur of the sea as now sounding over its entire area, occupied by at least one hundred thousand happy people.

About one month ago my child, which is fifteen months old, had an attack of diarrhoea accompanied by vomiting. I gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gave relief, we sent for a physician and it was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations of the bowels every twelve hours, and we were convinced that unless it soon obtained relief it would not live. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was recomended, and I decided to try it. I soon noticed a change for the better by its continued use a complete cure was brought about and is now perfectly healthy.—C. L. BOGGS, Stumptown, Gilmer Co., W. Va. For sale by Harry Roberts, Easton, Md.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 15,

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The *Banner* of Cambridge publishes the following tribute to the worth of Dr. Bryan, which his many friends and relatives of Talbot will appreciate seeing reproduced in the GAZETTE.

"On Tuesday the career of Dr. James L. Bryan, as examiner of the public schools of Dorchester county, came to an end, the new school board having declined, upon political reasons, to re-elect him. The close of so useful and so honorable a service as that of Dr. Bryan, extending over a period of more than thirty years, calls for more than a passing notice. Without reference, therefore, to any political phase of the situation, either present or past, we believe that the merits of the man and the fidelity with which he has discharged his trust, deserve the hearty acknowledgement of the public. So long has he been a worker in the cause of education, that he was considered as a part and parcel of our public school system, and the sundering of that relation cannot take place without a jar to the system itself, nor without deep regret on the part of parents, teachers and pupils. In every part of this large county Dr. Bryan, by reason of his official visitations, was well known and generally beloved. Several generation of children have grown up and been educated under his fostering care, and we believe all of them as well as those who long since reached man's estate as the rising generation, will bear honest testimonial of his ever kindly and helpful words and deeds.

"During his term of office our public school system has been a steadily growing and constantly expanding one, reaching out into remote places and placing the opportunities of education at the very doors of the youth of the country. We have not at hand the statistics to present the growth of the system, but we know that it has been marked, and that great improvements have been made not only in the buildings and schoolhouses, but likewise in the character of the teachers and the course of instruction. Our schools have kept pace with modern progress, and Dr. Bryan has been quick to adopt better methods of teaching as well as in obtaining better text-books. For all of this work he was preeminently well qualified, and he gave to his duties the close, untiring attention of an enthusiast in the great cause of popular education.

"Very often during his incumbency in office the virulence of politics has been injected, very improperly, into school affairs, and Dr. Bryan made the target for criticism, and, often, of abuse, but he always came out of such contests with his character untarnished and his motives upheld by thinking public, and whatever differences of opinion may have existed, or may still exist, as to the wisdom or propriety of his course in certain features of school management or political conduct, we do not believe that any man can ever truthfully say that Dr. Bryan has not always done *what he believed to be right*. With that enduring reputation any man can go into honorable retirement from official statement."

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