# The Chester

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## KENT COUNTY
# LEVY LIST,
## For 1867.

STATEMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF KENT COUNTY for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1867, being a duplicate of the Levy List, made out and apportioned by the County Commissioners of Kent county, to be paid by the Collectors of the several Tax Districts, and published by order of the County Commissioners, in pursuance of Section 9 of Article 28 of the Code of Public General Laws, which provides that

"The County Commissioners shall make out and publish annually in at least two newspapers published in their respective counties, if there be two, a detailed, minute, and accurate statement of the Expenses of the said Counties, specifying therein each particular item of expense, and for what and to whom paid, and shall also deliver to the Sheriff of their respective counties as many copies of such statement as there are Election Districts in the county, at least ten days before each general election, and the Sheriff shall, within six days after the receipt of such copies, set up one of them at the place of holding elections in each election district; and the Clerk to the County Commissioners and the Sheriff who shall fail to peform the duty imposed by this section, shall each forfeit the sum of one hundred dollars."

### State of Maryland,
### KENT COUNTY, TO WIT:

At a meeting of the County Commissioners of Kent County, begun and held at the Court House, in Chestertown, on the 14th day of May, Anno Domini, 1867, and continued by adjournment until the 24th day of June following, composed of the following named gentlemen, who are duly qualified according to law to hold said Court and meeting, viz:

COMEGYS COSDEN,
DAVID CLEMENTS,
JOHN HADAWAY,

they proceeded to examine and ascertain the expenses of the County, and made the following allowances, to wit:

## First District.

Orphans' Court.

| | |
|---|---|
| William Gooding | $208 00 |

Register of Wills.

| | |
|---|---|
| Joseph P. Ireland | 146 06 |

Witnesses to Grand Jury, October Term, 1866.

| | |
|---|---|
| Harriet Ward | 75 |
| Wm B Turbit | 1 69 |
| Wm Rochester | 1 12 |
| Thomas J McWhorter | 1 69 |
| George E Hurtt | 2 00 |
| John G Foster | 2 12 |
| John S Hanes | 1 75 |

Witnesses to Grand Jury, April Term, 1867.

| | |
|---|---|
| Jonathan Robinson | 2 75 |
| Sally Kelley | 2 75 |
| Matilda McKenney | 2 00 |
| Samuel Wayson | 7 00 |
| C F Taylor | 1 75 |
| Franklin Gooding | 1 50 |
| DeW C Spear | 3 00 |
| T J McWhorter | 3 50 |
| George E Hurtt | 4 25 |
| James H Hurtt | 3 50 |
| James E Stanley | 1 87 |
| C H Taylor | 1 75 |
| J S Hanes | 1 69 |
| Eugene Gooding | 3 50 |
| A H Crew | 1 87 |
| Benj. Cochran | 1 37 |
| Joseph E Dyre | 1 75 |
| John Hall | 1 50 |

Witnesses to Circuit Court, October Term, 1866.

| | |
|---|---|
| Thomas S Britton | 1 75 |
| Price Cox | 2 06 |
| T J F Smith | 1 87 |
| T I Britton | 3 38 |
| U A C Garrett | 1 69 |
| S H Knock | 1 69 |
| T C Ringgold | 1 69 |
| S L Blackiston | 1 69 |
| John G Foster | 4 12 |

Witnesses to Circuit Court, April Term, 1867.

| | |
|---|---|
| J H McWhorter | 3 62 |
| John G Foster | 3 25 |
| George E Hurtt | 4 25 |
| John S Hanes | 1 69 |
| DeWitt C Spear | 3 25 |

Justice of the Peace.

| | |
|---|---|
| William B Turbit | 13 20 |

Constable.

| | |
|---|---|
| Eugene Gooding | 5 25 |

Articles furnished Paupers.

| | |
|---|---|
| John S Wood, for coffins | 9 00 |
| George Boulden " | 11 00 |
| John A Schwatka " | 20 00 |

School Commissioner.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wm Rodgers, use Wm Gooding & Son | 138 00 |

Registration of Voters.

| | |
|---|---|
| S P Benney | 18 00 |

For Insolvencies and Non-residents.

| | |
|---|---|
| L S Vansant, former collector | 416 47 |

Circuit Court.

| | |
|---|---|
| For payment of jurors, October Term, 1867, and April Term, 1868, | 500 00 |

ALMS HOUSE.

| | |
|---|---|
| Apportionate levy for building new house, | 500 00 |
| Apportionate expenses for current year | 200 00 |
| W J Vannort, bill for goods furnished, | 765 38 |

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

| | |
|---|---|
| To keep county roads and bridges in repair current year | 1,000 00 |
| For road from Galena to Massey's X Roads, additional | 250 00 |
| Jonathan Hodgson, road acc't | 118 28 |
| Jos Morris, use of E Crouch | 135 23 |
| R A Frazier, use of same | 17 25 |
| Jacob Caulk, use of same | 29 67 |
| Wm T Spry, to finish road from Chesterville to Galena | 300 00 |
| C J Scott, to make public walk in Galena | 10 00 |
| Wm Gooding do. | 10 00 |
| Quaker Neck Road, under act of Assembly of 1867. | |
| R C Johnson, Examiner | 4 00 |
| Geo W Spencer " | 4 00 |
| Wm T Spry " | 4 00 |
| Geo Kennedy, lumber for bridges in 1864, 1865 and 1866 | 178 80 |

Standard-Keeper.

| | |
|---|---|
| U A C Garrett | 30 00 |

ELECTION EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Alexander Wilson, judge | 8 00 |
| R C Johnson " | 8 00 |
| Wm Carey " | 8 00 |
| Sam'l L Blackiston " | 8 00 |
| William Rodgers, clerk | 8 00 |
| C J Scott " | 4 00 |
| S J Corbally " | 8 00 |
| Charles Nicker " | 4 00 |
| Places for Holding Elections and Registration of Voters. | |
| Jos P Ireland and others | 12 00 |
| J W Crothers | 60 00 |
| John Pennington | 30 00 |

PENSIONERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Miss Hamilton | 15 00 |
| Wm Ellis of Richard | 20 00 |
| Mary Newcomb | 10 00 |
| Solomon Teat | 10 00 |
| George Thompson, grandson of Lavinia Harris | 15 00 |
| Mrs. Thomas J Lynch | 25 00 |
| John Thornton and wife | 25 00 |
| Martha Ann Reed, use of William Gooding & Son | 20 00 |

Maryland Hospital.

| | |
|---|---|
| For support of Mary Dudley | 200 00 |

MISCELLANEOUS.

| | |
|---|---|
| For payment of interest on Rail-Road Bonds | 1,000 00 |
| Plummer & Usilton, printing | 456 13 |
| John O Slay, attorney | 200 00 |
| Repairs of Armory | 150 00 |
| Fuel for current year | 150 00 |
| R Kimble, bill | 2 00 |
| John W Cavender | 2 00 |

*Statement of Assessment.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Amount of Levy List | $7,594 14 |
| Collector's Commissions | 677 83 |
| | 8,271 97 |
| Amount County Assessment | 8,777 98 |
| Surplus in the hands of County Commissioners | 506 01 |

## Second District.

County Commissioner.

| | |
|---|---|
| David Clements | $115 50 |

Orphans' Court.

| | |
|---|---|
| Anderson W Melvin | 212 00 |

*WITNESSES TO GRAND JURY, October Term, 1866.*

| | |
|---|---|
| B B Boyd | 1 25 |
| C W Warren | 1 25 |
| Eliza Lamley | 1 37 |
| E F Nowland | 1 25 |
| W A Bramble | 1 12 |
| James Carey | 1 62 |
| B B Boyd | 1 12 |

*WITNESSES TO GRAND JURY, April Term, 1867.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Robert Kemble | 7 50 |
| John W Cavender | 7 50 |
| E F Nowland | 1 50 |
| John G Foster | 3 62 |
| J C Rasin | 1 25 |
| Ezekiel Anderson | 5 00 |
| J B Armstrong | 1 50 |
| T J Shallcross | 1 37 |
| T A Meredith | 1 50 |
| D U Dewees | 1 25 |
| S A Merritt | 1 37 |

*Witnesses to Circuit Court, October Term, 1866.*

| | |
|---|---|
| John W Harris | 1 75 |
| Christopher Pratt | 6 19 |
| S B Armstrong | 75 |
| J T Crouch | 1 25 |
| John H Thomas | 1 69 |
| W D Stoops | 3 38 |
| W B Meeks | 1 69 |
| Joshua Conner | 1 69 |

*Witnesses to Grand Jury, April Term, 1867.*

| | |
|---|---|
| James Carey | 1 37 |
| Eliza Lamley | 1 37 |
| E F Nowland | 1 37 |
| Wm Lindsay | 1 37 |
| Edward Mathews | 1 31 |
| John McNamara | 1 50 |
| David Clements | 6 87 |

School Commissioners.

| | |
|---|---|
| T J Shallcross | 75 00 |
| James L Davis | 25 00 |

Registration of Voters.

| | |
|---|---|
| T J Shallcross | 78 00 |
| For payment of taxes erroneously charged and for insolvencies and non-residents of years when former Collectors were in office: | |
| Wm H Hamilton, use of Thomas S Wilmer | 579 72 |
| Robert E Wallis | 28 74 |

Circuit Court.

| | |
|---|---|
| For payment of Jurors, October Term, 1867, and April Term, 1868 | 500 00 |

ALMS-HOUSE.

| | |
|---|---|
| Apportionate levy for new house | 500 00 |
| Apportionate expenses for current year | 200 00 |
| W N E Wickes & Bro, for goods furnished | 176 00 |

*ROADS AND BRIDGES.*

| | |
|---|---|
| To keep county roads and bridges in repair current year | 1,000 00 |
| Keep draw at Crumpton | 50 00 |
| For bridge over Morgan's creek | |
| T J Shallcross, road bill | 18 37 |
| Jesse Morris " | 40 87 |
| John F Newman " | 10 12 |

ELECTION EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wm Graves, judge | 16 00 |
| J M Comegys " | 8 00 |
| James Willis " | 8 00 |
| L C Graves, clerk | 16 00 |
| N T Hynson " | 8 00 |

PENSIONERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Mrs Rasin, use of Lavinia Johnson | 20 00 |
| Lucy Malin | 10 00 |
| Mrs. Comstock | 25 00 |

Maryland Hospital.

| | |
|---|---|
| For support of Susan Lower | 200 00 |

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wm M Gilpin, Sheriff | 1,329 72 |
| L C Graves | 4 00 |
| J K Hines, Clerk Circuit Court | 800 00 |
| Wm H Hamilton, use of Thomas S Wilmer, for coal and wood for jail and court house | 54 62 |
| For payment of interest on Rail Road bonds | 1,000 00 |
| E F Perkins, printing | 377 08 |
| D U Dewees, for place to hold election | 20 00 |
| For this sum to pay a deficiency of funds in hands of former commissioners to pay bounties | 510 00 |

*Statement of Assessment.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Amount of Levy List | $8,491 63 |
| Collector's Commissions | 743 50 |
| | 9,235 13 |
| Amount County Assessment | 9,749 47 |
| Surplus in the hands of County Commissioners | 514 34 |

## Third District.

Orphans' Court.

| | |
|---|---|
| James Beck of George | 212 00 |

WITNESSES TO GRAND JURY, October Term, 1866.

| | |
|---|---|
| Owen Hutchins | 1 25 |
| Charles Crittenden | 1 25 |
| James Gale | 1 25 |
| Wm Perkins | 1 12 |
| Richard Smyth | 1 25 |
| L H Smith | 2 25 |
| Jefferson Joiner | 1 06 |
| James Porter | 75 |
| Charlotte Hopkins | 94 |

WITNESSES TO GRAND JURY, April Term, 1867.

| | |
|---|---|
| R L Usilton | 75 |
| John W. Rasin | 1 25 |
| Thomas G. Wroth | 6 25 |
| John W Apsley | 1 25 |
| John W Rasin | 1 25 |
| R C Smyth | 1 25 |
| John W Corey | 1 37 |
| Robert Nicholson | 2 12 |
| W J Jones | 2 50 |
| George T Williams | 2 50 |
| James Cohee | 2 50 |
| John Barber | 94 |

Witnesses to Circuit Court, October Term, 1866.

| | |
|---|---|
| Dulaney Rasin | 1 00 |
| L H Smith | 1 50 |
| James A Gale | 1 25 |
| Henry Cohee | 1 25 |

Witnesses to Circuit Court, April Term, 1867.

| | |
|---|---|
| James A. Gale | 1 25 |
| Charles Crittenden | 2 50 |
| Owen Hutchins | 2 50 |
| John M Gale | 7 50 |
| R L Usilton | 7 13 |
| James Cohee | 2 25 |
| George T Williams | 3 19 |
| A L Vannort | 2 25 |
| James Cohee | 1 12 |
| James Starling | 7 13 |
| Lewin Usilton | 1 50 |
| Isaac Parsons | 1 25 |
| Samuel Vannort | 6 87 |

Justices of the Peace.

| | |
|---|---|
| Jas Cohee, use of Lewin Usilton | 15 75 |
| Andrew Price | 7 05 |

Constables.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wm J Jones | 14 31 |
| George T Williams | 33 67 |

Registration Printing.

| | |
|---|---|
| Plummer & Usilton | 277 25 |

Circuit Court.

| | |
|---|---|
| For payment of Jurors, October term, 1867, and April term, 1868 | 500 00 |

ALMS HOUSE.

| | |
|---|---|
| Apportionate levy for building new house | 500 00 |
| Apportionate Expenses for the current year | 200 00 |
| William Vannort, for articles furnished | 99 58 |
| Samuel S Usilton, use of Stephen Lecates | 157 30 |
| Jacob Wilmer | 16 29 |

*Roads and Bridges.*

| | |
|---|---|
| For keeping county roads in repair current year | 750 00 |
| To build bridge over Lyzar's Run, in Worton | 800 00 |
| James Kennard, road bill | 38 35 |
| W W Stephens " | 47 36 |
| R C Smyth " | 24 71 |
| R C Smyth " | 11 25 |

*ELECTION EXPENSES.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Daniel Hanes, judge | 16 00 |
| J W Skirven " | 4 00 |
| James Gale " | 8 00 |
| J T Skirven " | 4 00 |
| George Gale, clerk | 12 00 |
| R L Usilton " | 12 00 |

PENSIONERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Mrs J. F Joiner | 25 00 |
| Mary Barnes | 15 00 |
| Elizabeth Martin | 15 00 |
| Mary Beck | 20 00 |

Inquisition on the body of Charles Hilliard.

| | |
|---|---|
| Lewin Usilton | 50 |
| John H Porter | 50 |
| George R Stephens | 50 |
| Thomas H Stephens | 50 |
| Kennard Copper | 50 |
| Wm J Porter | 50 |
| Francis Copper | 50 |
| George R Reed | 50 |
| George W Watts | 50 |
| John A Porter | 50 |
| George H. Watts | 50 |
| John F Holden | 50 |

Miscellaneous Accounts.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wm A Vickers, articles furnished jail | 118 00 |
| Lewin Usilton | 31 58 |
| Wm S Lassell, attorney | 203 40 |
| For payment of Interest on Rail-Road bonds | 1,000 00 |

*Statement of Assessment.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Amount of Levy List | $5,281 34 |
| Collector's commissions | 471 16 |
| | 5,752 50 |
| Amount County Assessment | 6,160 96 |
| Surplus in the hands of the County Commissioners | 408 46 |

## Fourth District.

County Commissioner:

| | |
|---|---|
| John Hadaway, | 105 60 |

Clerk to County Commissioners:

| | |
|---|---|
| John Russell, use Wm A Vickers | 150 00 |

*WITNESSES TO GRAND JURY, October Term, 1866.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Editha Kennard | 94 |
| Debby Hynson | 75 |
| W F Massey, use T W Eliason & Son, | 2 25 |
| William D Burchinal | 1 50 |
| William Simpson | 75 |
| J M Price | 75 |
| Washington Hudgins | 75 |
| Henry W Earnest | 1 50 |
| Daniel Carter, use of B H Gardner, | 2 25 |
| Henry Blake | 1 50 |
| Henry Harris | 75 |
| Louisa Harris | 75 |
| George Vickers | 75 |
| Tom Fields | 75 |
| William Lindsay | 75 |
| William A Vickers | 75 |
| Thomas V Simpson | 75 |
| John T Dodd | 75 |
| E T Willis | 75 |
| James Graves | 75 |
| Benjamin P Houston | 2 25 |
| Harriet Ringgold | 75 |
| John W Loud | 1 00 |
| William D Burchinal | 2 25 |
| Henry Wright | 75 |
| Samuel L Primrose | 95 |
| Wilson Reed | 75 |
| Daniel Carter, use B H Gardner | 75 |
| Henry Blake, use of same, | 1 50 |
| Louisa Harris | 1 50 |
| Charlotte Blake | 1 50 |
| S J Bowser, use B H Gardner, | 2 25 |
| Josephine Starling | 75 |
| Harriett Munson | 75 |
| Jake Bowser | 1 12 |
| Joseph Skinner | 75 |
| John Bordley | 75 |
| W F Massey, use T W Eliason & Son, | 75 |
| William D Burchinal | 75 |
| Mike Clehan, use J W Duyer | 75 |
| John Waibel | 75 |
| William Lloyd | 75 |
| Samuel Crouch | 75 |

WITNESSES TO GRAND JURY, April Term, 1867.

| | |
|---|---|
| Anthony Hynson, use B H Gardner | 1 50 |
| Thomas V Simpson, | 1 50 |
| Ann M Brown | 75 |
| William Perkins | 4 50 |
| T E Yunger's | 2 25 |
| Kitty Tenny | 2 25 |
| Ellen Hastings | 3 00 |
| Isaac Hall | 75 |
| Isaac Freeman | 2 25 |
| C V C Weeks | 1 50 |
| C W G Johnson | 1 50 |
| Isaac Snitcher, Jr., | 4 00 |
| John W Snitcher | 4 00 |
| Ely Cheflins | 75 |
| H H Simms | 3 75 |
| Horatio Baker | 75 |
| J T Carroll | 75 |
| J J Pearce | 2 25 |
| H C Usilton | 75 |
| Philip Blake | 75 |
| Ann Jenkins | 2 25 |
| T V Simpson | 75 |
| Washington Hudgins | 2 25 |
| Holder Hudgins, use W Hudgins | 2 25 |
| John Usilton | 75 |
| W S Milvin | 75 |

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