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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT:
GROVER CLEVELAND,
of New York.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT:
ALLEN G. THURMAN,
of Ohio.

FOR CONGRESS:
CHAS. H. GIBSON,
of Talbot county.

ELECTORS AT LARGE:
JAMES HODGES,
COL. HENRY PAGE.

DISTRICT ELECTORS:
1st Dist.—W. SCOTT ROBERTS.
2d " COL. JAS. G. BARRETT.
3d " WILLOUGHBY N. SMITH.
4th " I. GORMAN MOALE.
5th " ROBERT C. COOMBS.
6th " H. W. TALBOT.

ELECTION—Tuesday, November 6th, 1888.

Construing the Registration Law.

There is a diversity of opinion as to the exact construction of the registration law for the counties. In the opinion of State's Attorney Smith, of this county, the law provides that five days, beginning with October 1st, and ending with October 5th inclusive, shall be devoted to the actual business of registration, and that a subsequent day is meant to be devoted to the hearing and determining of all applications for reinstatement of the names of persons stricken from the list at the sitting for registration during October. In his view of the matter Mr. Smith is sustained by some of the leading lawyers of the town. The opinion of Attorney-General Whyte, however, must be recognized as ex-officio authoritative, throughout the State, and his view has been adopted unexceptionally by the various counties. The time is short for obtaining any fuller view of the matter, than that announced in his letter to the State's attorney for Harford county, and there is really no other course left for the registrars of this county than to follow the construction of the Attorney-General of the State. The *Transcript*, therefore, announces the sittings accordingly. Below is appended a copy of the Attorney-General's letter:

Mr. J. Edwin Webster, State's attorney of Hartford county.

"September, 15 1888.—Dear Sir: Your favor of the 12th has been received. I beg leave to reply to your inquiry that you have, in my judgement construed the act of 1888, chap. 155, correctly, as follows: 1st. That the October sitting in the counties shall be held at one precinct only in each district, that precinct to be the one most convenient to the majority of the voters in the district. (See acts 1882, chap. 22, sec. 10, and acts 1888, chap 155, sec. 3.) 2d. That the first October sitting means the first day of the October sitting; that the notices required to be sent to persons whose names have been stricken off on the first day of the October sitting should be dated the following day, and no names can be stricken off after the first day of the October, sitting, and persons can be registered only on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the fifth day of the October sitting, Friday, being devoted to hearing applications for reinstatement and not for registering. (See act 1888, chap. 155, sec. 7.)"

Why Not Cut Adrift from the Dead Issues.

This is a real good time for the real good Republicans who live in an agricultural community, and who are either directly or indirectly dependent upon agriculture in their business, to come over to the Democratic party. For why;—the Democratic party is standing for the cause in which their interests rest. The present war-tax tariff is not only a burdensome tax upon the agricultural interests for the benefit of the manufacturing industries, but its further tendency is to destroy the foreign market in which the farmer is compelled largely to sell his products, and it is the foreign market which fixes the price. We should like to ask these good agricultural Republicans why they are clinging to the old party, any how? What is it representing in this presidential year of 1888 that invites their confidence and adherence? Is it the policy that lumber, clothing, carpets, sugar, salt, &c., shall be almost doubled in value by taxation, in order that certain people connected with these commodities may amass vast fortunes? Are they willing to raise corn for forty cents and wheat for eighty cents per bushel and yet be bled to protect Pennsylvania and Massachusetts manufacturers against English manufacturers who can make things cheaper? In the West and the Northwest, the signs are that thousands of farmers who have hitherto voted the Republican ticket, will vote for Cleveland and Thurman in November. This is a good year in which to cut adrift from dead issues, and to take a stand upon living issues.

A Fight of Desperation.

Oh, the sophistry, the trumpery, the fallacy, the outright, downright, flat-footed lying to which the Republican national committee is resorting to carry this election. Yes, flat-footed lying is a pretty strong charge, but it is really true. And here is the lying—the committee has sent out a circular giving alleged extracts from leading English journals, glorying in the fact that the United States will adopt a policy of free trade if the Democratic party wins at the next election, and prophesying the splendid results which England will reap in such a contingency. In almost every instance the alleged papers to which the extracts are credited have denied having published them, and yet the committee continues to scatter them abroad as good Republican campaign literature. And for the sopistry and fallacy—there is an overwhelming mass of it—reaching down from the Chicago platform to and through Mr. Harrison's letter of acceptance. The very foundation principle for which they are fighting—that the prosperity of the country is built up by a general system of taxation, is a false one. The other theory that wages are high in this country because of a protective tariff, is also a mere sophistry. To prove this tenet, the campaign committee has published a card giving comparative rates of wages in this country and in England. Pretty nearly every high wage-earner, which they select for comparison is taken from the unprotected industries such as bricklayers, stone masons, painters, printers, carpenters, &c. No sane man can claim that persons engaged in these callings are affected in any manner by a protective tariff, save that they are taxed thereby. And yet the Republican committee think that the workingmen, engaged in these independent callings have so little intelligence as to be deceived by these tables. Wages in this country are higher, because work is more abundant, and intelligent workers are less abundant than in the old countries. A fair comparison by which to estimate the effects of protection on wages, is in two old countries—free trade England and protection Germany. Wages are on an average one-third less in highly protected Germany than they are in free trade England. A fight of desperation, our Republican friends are making. It is a fight for a wrong cause, entrenched in power, but it is a fight in the last trenches. It is the last fight of a party that has lived out its natural life and has reached the period when it is good for it to die.

A BILL has passed the United State's Senate, making of the bureau of agriculture a Cabinet department of the government. The most important interests of the American people are in the farming industries, and it is proper that, if the government maintains an agricultural department at all, it shall not be given a secondary importance.

SINCE the adoption by the Treasury Department of the bond-purchasing policy, some five months ago, there have been bought and canceled over $53,000,000 of bonds, upon which about $12,000,000 in premiums was paid, making a disbursement, in round numbers, of $65,000,000. But for this forced return of currency to general circulation the trade demand for money at this time would have greatly exceeded the supply, and financial stringency would have hampered and crippled all commercial undertakings. Under a ruinous policy of excessive taxation money is piled up in the Treasury, and all the resources of the Government are brought to the task of getting it out again. In no other civilized nation would such an abnormal condition of things be tolerated by the people. Yet here it is seriously proposed to continue indefinately this deadly financial plethora for the exclusive benefit of monopolists, who find profit and advantage in the taxes which oppress the people.—*Phila. Record*,

AT a recent dinner party in Long Branch, given by one of the most famous hosts in the country, both parties were represented, though the Republicans were in the minority. Among them was Long Branch Commissioner Percy Dobbins, who with his father is an enormous property owner there and in Philadelphia. Election talk led to an offer on his part to bet $1,000 to $500 that Cleveland would have 4,000 majority in New Jersey. His offer was taken, and then he offered to bet $100 even, from once to ten times, that the Democratic majority would reach 5,500. Nobody wanted any of this, but one of the party exclaimed: "Why, Percy, I thought you were a stanch Republican?" He responded: "I don't know where you will find one more stanch, but betting is not a matter of sentiment with me. I bet to win."

Syrup of Figs

Nature's own true laxative. It is the most easily taken, and the most effective remedy known to Cleanse the System when Bilious or Costive; to dispel Headaches, Colds, and Fevers; to Cure Habitual Constipation, indigestion, Piles, etc. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Company, San Francisco, Cal.
April 12—y.

MARRIED.

WRIGHT—WROTH.—At the residence of the bride's brother, in Chestertown, September 20th, by Rev. Dr. Mitchell, assisted by Rev. S. C. Roberts, WILLIAM T. WRIGHT, of Centreville, and Miss MAGGIE P. WROTH, of Chestertown.

DIED.

WICKES.—On Saturday afternoon, September 22d, 1888, at the residence of his father, Judge Joseph A. Wickes, Chestertown, Md., STEDMAN TILGHMAN WICKES, in his 27th year.

ORRELL.—In Chestertown, Sept. 23, WALTON COOK, infant son of W. Cook and Cora E. Orrell, aged 4 months.

NOLAND.—At Tolchester, September 26, ANNIE LOUISE, only child of Edward and Mary Noland, aged 1 year, 1 month and 10 days.

BARNES.—On the 16th instant, at the residence of his aunt, Mrs. Emma Shepard, in Crumpton, DENNIS M. BARNES, son of Hamilton and Mary E. Barnes, and grandson of the late John and Jane Hendrix, aged 22 years and 8 months.

THOMPSON.—On the 7th of September, MRS. JANE THOMPSON in the 63rd year of her age; buried from her son's residence in Still Pond.

NOTICE.

Services on Sunday, at Shrewsbury Church, will be suspended until further notice.
1t. REV. J. MARTIN.

MONEY NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the undersigned are requested to come forward and settle at once. All our open accounts must be closed up. Outstanding notes also must be settled.
s27-4t. CHAPMAN & LAMBERT.

THE semi-annual election of officers of the Young Men's Christian Association of Chestertown, will be held on Tuesday evening, October 2d, 1888, at 7.30 o'clock. A full attendance of the members is earnestly desired and requested. The association meets weekly, on Tuesday evening, at above hour, and the public is cordially invited.
1t. JOHN V. PALMER, Sec.

NOTICE.

The NOTES taken at the Sale of the administrators of JOHN W. IRELAND, deceased, fall due on the *16th inst.* Payable at the Chestertown National Bank of Mary and.
MARY R. IRELAND,
J. HERMAN IRELAND,
Sept. 13, 1888-3t. Administrators.

ORDER NISI.

Wm. M. Slay, adm'r d. b. n. of Caroline C. Perkins, assignee,
VERSUS
Moses Lambson.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity

ORDERED, this 19th day of September, 1888, that the sale of the real estate of Moses Lambson, deceased, made and reported by William M. Saay, administrator de bonis non of Caroline C. Perkins, assignee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 22d day of November next—Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 22d day of Octobernext. The report states the amount of sales to be $11,500.
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True Copy—Test: SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
Sept. 20—4t.

The Chester River Steamboat Co.
1888
DAILY Excursions to Baltimore

Commencing Sept. 20th, the Steamer
EMMA A. FORD.
Will leave Chestertown daily (except Sunday) at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck and Queenstown. Will leave Queenstown at 8.45 A. M., arriving in Baltimore at 11 A. M.
Returning will leave Pier 7 Light St. wharf at 3 P. M., arriving in Chestertown 7.15 P. M.

Steamer B. S. FORD
will leave Centreville daily (except Sunday) at 7 o'clock A. M., stopping at the wharves in Corsica River, at Grey's Inn and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 11.15 A. M.
Returning, will leave Pier 7 Light St. wharf at 2.45 P. M., arrive in Centreville 7 P. M.

STEAMER CORSICA
will leave Crumpton every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 12 o'clock noon, stopping at all the river landings. Will leave Chestertown Tuesday and Thursday at 5 P. M., and on Saturday at 3 P. M. Returning, will leave Pier 7 Light St. Wharf at midnight on Monday, Wednesday and Friday for Chestertown and all river landings.

☞Fare from All Points:
$1 ROUND TRIP.
SINGLE TICKETS 75 CENTS.
☞TICKETS GOOD UNTIL USED.
GEO WARFIELD,
PRESIDENT.

Dr. Phelps' Card of Thanks.

I TAKE this method of publicly returning thanks to a Merciful God who has so blessed the remedies used by my skillful physician as to assure me of returning health from a dangerous malady.

To the hundreds who have shown me kind attentions during my sickness, I also return heartfelt thanks, and to the many who have thoughtfully postponed their Dental operations for me, I would now say *come*, as with the aid of an assistant, I shall be able to serve you satisfactorily.

Sept. 6, 1888. WM. G. PHELPS, D. D. S., Galena, Md.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF
VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, Md., the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH, 1888,

at Worton Station, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following real estate, being the same property of which Isaac Parsons, late of Kent county, deceased, died, siezed and possessed; consisting of

Lots Worton Station

situated on the Balt. and Del. Bay R. R., and designated on plot as Nos. 5, 9, 10, 19, 20 and 21.

Lot No. 5 fronts on Worton Avenue, 50 feet 125 feet deep.
Lot No. 9—50 feet front on Worton Avenue and 125 feet deep.
Lot No. 10—50 feet front on Worton Avenue and 125 feet deep.
Lot No. 19—54 feet 11¼ inches on Catherine street and 100 feet deep.
Lot No. 20—33 feet 2½ inches front on Catherine street and 125 feet deep.
Lot No. 21—33 feet 2½ inches front on Catherine street and 125 feet deep.
Plats of the lots will be exhibited at the sale.

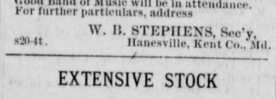
—ALSO—

THAT TRACT OF LAND
KNOWN AS JUDE'S POINT,

situated in the 3d election district of Kent county, Md., adjoining the Churn Creek or Murphy Farm,

CONTAINING 66 ACRES,

1 Rood of Land, more or less. About 6 acres of this is covered with Chestnut Timber, the balance is arable. There is an orchard of



200 PEACH TREES,
on this tract in bearing.

It it about 2 miles from Gale's Wharf and three miles from Worton Station on the Baltimore and Del. Bay R. R. The soil is of good quality and well adapted to the growth of all agricultural products.

TERMS OF SALE.

Jude's Point ½ cash, balance in one year. Possession given January 1st, 1889, subject to a lease for the year 1889.

Lots at Worton Station: ½ cash, balance in 6 and 12 months.

Possession given when first payment is made.
JOHN P. NICHOLSON,
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auct. [N] Executor.

—THE EIGHTEENTH—
ANNUAL FAIR!
—OF THE—
KENT COUNTY
Agricultural Assoc'tion
WILL BE HELD
ON THE GROUNDS AT WORTON,
BEGINNING
Tuesday, Oct. 9th,
And Continuing Through the
9th, 10th, 11th & 12th.

No efforts will be spared to make the Exhibition in every respect interesting.

There will be three interesting Races each day for liberal purses. On the third day, in addition to three Trotting Races, there will be a Running Race.

WEDNESDAY—"CHILDREN'S DAY."

HON. MORTIMER WHITEHEAD will deliver the oration on Thursday, 11th.

No Humbugs or Catch-Penny Games allowed. Excursion Rates on all railroads. Excursionists landed on the fair grounds.

Entries close Monday, Oct. 1st, 12 o'clock M. Good Band of Music will be in attendance.

For further particulars, address
W. B. STEPHENS, Sec'y,
s20-4t. Hanesville, Kent Co., Md.

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—OF—
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The Price, in plain figures, marked on every article.

Will send Samples promptly when about the Price required, Colors preferred, &c., is given to them. s20-3m.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters testamentary on the personal estate of
EDWIN P. JANVIER,
late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of March, 1889, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 11th day of September, 1888.
MARGARET G. JANVIER,
REV. WM. S. MURRAY,
May 3—4t. Executors.

Tolchester Line!

Steamer Emma Giles
Every Wednesday and Saturday.
LEAVES TOLCHESTER BEACH
At 9.00 A. M. and 4.30 P. M.
LEAVES BALTIMORE
At 7.00 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.
TOLCHESTER STEAMBOAT CO.,
Office, Pier 16 Light Street, Baltimore
Sept. 20, 1888.

Crumpton Bridge.
Suspension of Travel.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT TRAVEL ACROSS THE BRIDGE AT CRUMPTON
IS ENTIRELY SUSPENDED
for the present, in consequence of its unsafe condition. Repairs will be made as soon as possible and notice will be given when travel can be resumed.
By order of the
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
s13-tf. of Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

Large Sale
—OF—
VALUABLE
PERSONAL PROPERTY.

THE undersigned, intending to discontinue farming, will sell at Public Sale at Melitota,

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1888,

BEGINNING AT TEN O'CLOCK,
THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

20 HORSES
AND COLTS,

among them two Smuggler Colts, Grover S. 3 years old by Young Smuggler, dam Jennie by Worton Boy.

16 Head of Milch Cows & Calves,

12 giving milk, 1 with calf by her side;
1 Drop-foot Carriage,
1 Side-bar Carriage,
1 Double Sleigh,
2 Farm Wagons, nearly new;
2 Hay Riggins, with peach body attached;
1 Dearborn,
1 Horse Cart,
2 Ox Carts,
1 Ten-horse Power Engine and Thresher, in good order;
1 Pelton Power—8-horse,
1 Champion Self-Binder,
1 Champion Self-Rake,
1 Champion Mower, new this spring;
1 Corn Planter, new this spring;
2 Wheat Drills,
1 Straw and Hay Cutter.
2 Horse Rakes.
1 Cider Press,
1 Redding Barrel Corn Sheller, new;
1 Corn Crusher,
1 Corn Stalk Cutter,
1 Roller,
1 Sulkey Cultivator,
3 Wheat Fans,
1 Corn Sheller—hand power;
1 Randle Harrow,
3 Sets of Wagon Harness,
Large lot of Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Forks, Shovels, Hoes, Corn-Knives, log and plow Chains, double and single trees, three-horse Trees, Bridles, Collars, plow Gears, everything that is required on a large farm.

BAY STALLION GROVER S.

Foaled April 25th, 1885.

Jennie, 3 min. to road wagon. — *Young Smuggler*, 3:30¼; Trial 2:20¼. — *Smuggler* 2:13¼.
Worton Boy. — *Dam*, a well-bred Kentucky mare. — *Boon Chief*, by Mambrino Chief. — *Darn Needle*, by Gen'l Reynolds. — *Paropa Rosa* 2:32. — *Andrew Jackson.* — *Nellie Stearns* by Washburn's Duroc.

Grover S. is 3 years old, of fine size and muscular; and with only a few weeks training, can show a mile better than 2:50.

WM. W. STEPHENS,
Hanesville, Md.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of Twelve Months, on note with approved security, payable at the Chestertown National Bank.
W. W. STEPHENS.
JOHN H. GREENWOOD, Auctioneer.
Sept. 15—3t.

—ELEVENTH—
GRAND EXPOSITION
OF THE
Delaware State Agricult'al Society
TO BE HELD AT DOVER,
Sept. 24th to 29th, 1888.
$10,000 in Premiums
COMPETITION OPEN TO ALL.

Grand display of Live Stock, Poultry, Cereals, Fruits, Agricultural Implements, Fine Arts and the products of the Dairy, Field and Household.

TRIALS OF SPEED EACH DAY

by some of the Best Trotters and Pacers in the world.

TWO GRAND MUSICAL CONCERTS DAILY

Every effort will be used to make this exhibition excel any ever held on the Peninsula. Entry books now open. All entries close Sept. 17th.

Low Excursion Rates from all points on the Peninsula. See bills at your nearest R. R. station, for Special Excursion Tickets.

Special Freight Rates to exhibitors by railroads. Send for circular.

D. P. BARNARD, JR., Secretary,
a30-4t. Dover, Del.

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FAIR.
OCTOBER 2, 3, 4 and 5.
$12,000 CASH PREMIUMS.
Numerous, Beautiful and Valuable
SPECIAL PREMIUMS!

RUNNING AND TROTTING RACES and SPECIAL AMUSEMENTS each day:

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IRON Cultivators! Iron Cultivators!! and Extra Cultivator Points complete at
J. K. ALDRIDGE & CO.'S.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

OCTOBER SITTING

THE undersigned, officers of registration for the respective election districts of Kent county, will sit on

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th days of October, to Register,

and on Friday, the 5th of October, to Correct Errors,

the same being designated in the Act of Assembly as the October Sitting.

from 8 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M. of each of the designed days, for the purpose of registering the voters of said districts as prescribed by chapter 155 of the act passed by the General Assembly of Maryland, at the January session of 1888. Sections 3, 5, 6 and of the new law provides as follows:

AT FOLLOWING NAMED PLACES:

For the First Election District:
At GALENA.

For the Second Election District:
At KENNEDYVILLE.

For the Third Election District:
Samuel W. Wallis' Store, HANESVILLE

For the Fourth Election District:
At the Court House, in Chestertown.

For the Fifth Election District:
At EDESVILLE.

It is thought proper to publish in connection with this notice the subjoined sections of the registration law, which bear particularly upon the rights of the citizen and the powers and duties of the Register:

SECTION 3. And be it enacted, That each of the said officers of registration shall have in addition to the other powers conferred upon him by this Act or which may hereafter be conferred upon him by law, during the respective times of his appointed sittings, under the provisions of this Act, the powers of a Justice of the Peace to preserve order and enforce obedience to his lawful commands at or around his place of registration—to keep the access to such place open and unobstructed, to prevent and suppress riots, tumult, violence and disorder and all other improper practices, at, around or near to his place of registration, tending to intimidation, or to the obstruction of the work of registration, or of the revision of the registration, and to protect and keep safe the registries of voters or poll-books, hereinafter referred to, while in his custody and possession; he may compel the presence of witnesses before him while sitting as an officer of registration, for all purposes connected with the performance of the duties of his office, by summons and attachments; he may while sitting as such officer of registration commit for trial any person committing, at or around his place of registration, any offense forbidden by this Act; he shall have the power to issue any of said summons, attachments or commitments, when sitting in any county of this State, to the Sheriff of said county, or to any Constable thereof; all such processes shall be served by said respective officers in the same manner as if they were issued by a Judge of a Court of Record, having jurisdiction of the subject matter, or by a Justice of the Peace, exercising police powers within such respective jurisdictions; the Sheriff or Constable in any county of this State, who shall serve any of said processes, shall receive the same fees, and in like manner, as it is or may be by law provided, that he shall receive fees in other State cases; but no officer of registration shall charge or receive any compensation for any service performed under this Act, except such as is provided by this Act.

It is also thought proper to publish the following sections of chapter 155 of the Acts of 1888 showing changes of times for sitting of registrars and duties of registrars:

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That said several officers of registration for the respective election districts in the counties of this State, instead of sitting five days in September and two days in October in each year as prescribed by the said Act of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, chapter twenty-two section ten, shall sit for the purpose of performing the duties imposed upon them by said Act, and by this Act, daily for two successive days in the month of May, for three successive days in September and for five successive days in October in every year in which an election shall be held in said counties; said sittings in May and September to commence on the second Monday of said months respectively, and the October sitting to commence on the first Monday in October. Said sittings shall in like manner be called the May, September and October sittings. The said respective officers of registration shall sit at the said several sittings in the several counties with open doors from 8 o'clock A. M. until 6 o'clock P. M. on each day of their sessions, and their proceedings shall be public and open to free inspection, without any obstruction whatever. The places or their sitting shall be selected as prescribed in said Act of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, chapter twenty-two.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That each of said officers of registration in Baltimore city shall be entitled to receive four dollars per day for every day he shall be engaged in the discharge of his official duties, exclusive of office rent and the cost of stationery, and each of said registration officers in the counties shall receive a per diem of four dollars for every day he shall be engaged in the discharge of his official duties.

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That the said several officers of registration shall give notice signed by him or them of the times and places of his or their several respective sittings for five days before his or their several respective sittings in May, June, July, September and October, by publication as prescribed in the said Act of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, chapter twenty-two; and should changes of the places of their sittings become necessary, due notice thereof shall be given as provided by section fourteen of said Act.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That said Officers of Registration, when sitting at their respective May, June, July and September sittings, and the first sitting in October, shall register as provided in the said Act of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, chapter twenty-two, all qualified voters who shall present themselves for registration; and in addition to said work of registration they shall carefully revise and scrutinize the said registries of voters so received by them from said Clerks of the several Circuit courts and of the Superior Court of Baltimore city, to the end that all errors therein shall be corrected; and the names of all voters entered therein who shall have died or become for any reason disqualified, or who for any cause shall have ceased to be entitled to remain on said registration books, shall be stricken off. In order that the work of striking off from the registries the names of all dead and disqualified persons, and of all persons erroneously or improperly placed thereon, may be thoroughly and accurately accomplished, it shall be the duty of said several Officers of Registration at their May sitting to go carefully over the whole list of names upon said registries in their respective precincts and election districts, and to note for striking off the names of all persons whom from their own information, or from information furnished to them from others, they have good reason to believe to be proper to be stricken off. Having made out this list, which shall be at all times open to public inspection, it shall be their duty to address written notices to all the persons whose names are set down thereon, except those known to be dead, calling on said persons to appear before them on or before the first day of July sitting in the city of Baltimore, and the first day of the September sitting in the counties, to show cause why their names should not be stricken from said registries, which notices shall be served in Baltimore city by the police of Baltimore city, and in the counties by the Sheriff of the several counties, upon all of such persons who can be found by them, and said notices shall also be sent by mail to said persons addressed to them at the place from which they were registered. Should no cause, or, in the judgment of said Officers of Registration, an insufficient cause to the contrary be shown by the first day of their July or September sitting, as the case may be, it shall be the duty of said Officers of Registration, during said sitting, to strike off the names of all persons on said list; but if said Officers of Registration shall be satisfied by competent sworn testimony produced before them, or from their own knowledge or information, that any of said persons, notwithstanding their failure to appear in answer to said notices, are in reality entitled to have their names retained on said registration books, then the names of said persons shall be so retained; moreover, whenever any suggestion shall be made to them in writing, signed by any person, that said registration books contain any specified name or names which should be stricken off, it shall be their duty to diligently inquire into and investigate every such suggestion, and to strike off every name which, upon such investigation, they shall ascertain to have been improperly registered in the first instance, or to be no longer entitled to remain upon the registration books, for any lawful cause, within three days after the sittings in May, June, July and September and the first sitting in October in the city of Baltimore, and after the May, September and October sittings in the counties, said Registration Officers shall publish, as provided in said Act of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, chapter twenty-two, the two alphabetical lists required to be published by section twenty-one of said Act; and shall also put up and retain during their subsequent sessions, in a conspicuous place in the room occupied by them as registration office, two of said printed alphabetical lists; and said Officers of Registration, within three days after the close respectively of their sittings in May, June, July and September, shall send by mail, and through the police of Baltimore city and the Sheriff in the several counties, notices to all persons whose names have been stricken off at said respective sittings, notifying them that their names have been stricken off, so as to give them an opportunity to appear at some future sitting, not later than the first of the October sittings, and establish their right to be registered. At the end of the first October sitting it shall, in like manner, be the duty of said Officers of Registration to send notices in the same modes to all persons whose names have been stricken off at said October sitting, notifying them that their names have been stricken off, and informing them that said Officers of Registration will sit on the third day after the date of such notice for the hearing and determining of all applications for reinstatement, at which final sitting said Officers of Registration shall sit for said purpose only. In all cases when a name is stricken off the reason shall be recorded opposite such name, and when a name is stricken off upon the oath of any person, the name of such person shall be recorded opposite the name stricken off. At the end of each day's registry, or revision of registration, one of said Registers in the city or the Register in the county, shall sign his name or initials immediately under the last name registered under each letter, so that no new name can be added without discovery. And shall any of said Officers of Registration of the several counties of this State be unable to sit and register the qualified voters of their respective election districts on the next to the final day of the October sitting, by reason of sickness or other unavoidable cause, all persons qualified to be registered, who shall appear in person at the place of registration on said day, and who shall fail to be registered by reason of such disability of the Officer of Registration, shall have the same right to appeal as if they had been refused registration by the Officer of Registration. The provisions of this section, so far as they refer to the striking off of names from the registry lists, shall not apply to the action of the Registries in the city of Baltimore in the years in which there is an entire new registration in said city, as hereinafter provided.

GEORGE W. JACOBY,
Register of Voters for First District.
L. A. PENNINGTON,
Register of Voters for Second District.
SAMUEL W. WALLIS,
Register of Voters for Third District.
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Sept. 20, 1888—2t.

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Yours truly, EDWARD LUSBY.

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Yours truly, HARRY NICHOLS.

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Yours truly, STEPHEN LECATES.

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Yours truly, J. S. TREW.

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Yours truly, PHILIP G. WILMER.

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