REPORT

OF THE

AUDITING COMMITTEE

FOR

KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners for Kent County, Md

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January, 1904, we having been appointed auditors for Kent county, beg leave to state that we have examined the books, accounts, vouches and papers of the offices of County Commissioners, Treasurer, Board of School Commissioners and Trustees of Almshouse, and submit the following report as shown in EXHIBIT NO. I, EXHIBIT NO. II, EXHIBIT NO. III. EXHIBIT NO. IV, EXHIBIT NO. V and EXHIBIT NO. VI.

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Exhibit No. I.

Showing Financial Condition of Kent County for Year Ending June 7, 1910.

SUMMARY OF ASSETS REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

$8,429,610.00 Real and Personal at $1.85	$155,947 78
$348,151.94 Bonds and Corporations at $1.85	6,440 81
$35,266.00 P. B & W. Rolling Stock at $1.85	652 42
$189,045.00 Special Rates at 30c	567 14
Due from Cecil County	12 55
Due from Queen Anne's Co.	63 22
Cash	2,370 12
Total	$166,054 04

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

Total County Expenses by Certificates	$85,757 21
Total Special Cash Levies	80,296 83
Total	$166,054 04

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Exhibit No. II.

Statement of Treasurer's Office for the Year Ending July 30, 1910.

To Balance on hand from 1909	$1,454 59
To Real and Personal, Banks and Corporations, P. B. & W. Rolling Stocks and Special Rates	110,853 82
To Certificates from Commissioners	21,260 04
To Amount Due from Cecil County	1,216 44
To Amount Due from Queen Anne's County	1,238 98
To Balance in Excess of Cash Levy	693 66
Total	$136,717 53
By cash Paid on Levy	$133,544 14
By Cash on Hand	3,173 39
Total	$136,717 53

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Exhibit No. III.

Statement of All Bonds Outstanding for the Year Ending July 30, 1910.

Fourteen 5% School	$14,000 00
Ten 4% Refunding	10,000 00
Total	$24,000 00

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Exhibit No. IV.

Statement of Almshouse Account for the Year Ending April 28, 1910

Total from County Commissioners	$2,889 52
Total Farm Products	1,254 22
Total	$4,143 74
Expenditures	$4,141 53
Cash on Hand	2 21
Total	$4,143 74

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Exhibit No. V.

Exhibit of Account of Board of County School Commissioners for the Year Ending July 30, 1910.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand July 31st, 1909	$3,512 03
State School Tax	18,500 26
State Free School Funds	1,417 88
County School Tax	35,000 00
Rebate on Discount	18 92
Sales of Books	56 73
Licenses (tongers)	421 47
Manual Training Fund	1,500 00
Free Boog Fund	2,410 94
Commercial Training Fund	1,000 00
Telephone	15
Lumber Sold	5 00
Sale of Pump	2 00
Balance Book Money on hand July 31st, 1909	542 57
Total	$64,387 95

DISBURSEMENTS

Rent	$499 00
Fuel	3,104 34
Repairs	1,712 27
Apparatus and Furniture	760 81
Teachers Salaries	40,815 08
New Buildings	1,737 75
Sanitary Costs	1,572 81
Incidentals	148 63
Manual Training	1,696 71
Office Expenses	343 55
Salary of Superintendent and Clerk	1,770 00
Salary of the School Commissioners	300 00
Commercial Course Expenses	685 06
Printing	124 80
Advertising	52 50
Expenses of Institute	93 50
School Libraries	40 00
School Supplies	2,930 09
Balance Cash on Hand	6,001 05
Total	$64,387 95

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Exhibit No. VI.

Showing Total Expenditures of Kent County for the Year Ending June 7, 1910.

COURT HOUSE.

Certificates	$ 4,215.47
Orders	16.57
	$4,232.04

MAGISTRATES & CONSTABLES.

Certificates	$ 1,460.88
Orders	33
	$ 1,461 21

ORPHANS' COURT.

Certificates	$ 889 85
Orders	32.00
	$ 921.85

COURT HOUSE & JAIL.

Certificates	$ 5,506.03
Orders	150.13
	$ 5,656.16

CLERK'S SALARY AND JANITOR'S TO ROOM AND JURY LIST.

Certificates	$ 1,029.68
	$ 1,029.68

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE.

Certificates	$ 3,612.14
Orders	976 21
	$ 4,588 35

PENSIONS.

Certificates	$ 1,507.00
	$ 1,507.00

CHARITIES.

Certificates	$ 155.06
	$ $155.06

HOSPITALS.

Certificates	$ 920.65
Orders	975.00
	$ 1,895.65

INQUISITIONS.

Certificates	$ 156.92
Cash	13.00
	$ 169.92

TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Certificates	$ 3,856.52
Orders	1,508.75
	$ 5,365.27

TAXES IN ERROR.

Certificates	$ 92.61
Orders	14.62
	$ 107.23

PRINTING.

Certificates	$ 2,453.24
	$2,453 24

MISCELLANEOUS.

Certificates	$ 1,765.61
	$ 1,765.61

REGISTRATION & ELECTION.

Certificates	$ 654.45
Orders	4,040 37
	$ 4,694.82

ALMSHOUSE.

Certificates	$ 2,425.84
Orders	91.42
	$ 2,517.26

HEALTH OFFICER AND JAIL PHYSICIAN.

Certificates	$ 462 69
Orders	75.00
	$ 537.69

BETTERTON PROPORTION.

Certificates	$ 743.66
Orders	150.00
	$ 893 66

CHESTERTOWN PROPORTION.

Certificates	$ 5,949.95
Orders	2,000.00
	$ 7,949.95

GALENA PROPORTION.

Certificates	$ 157.87
Orders	150.00
	$ 307.87

MILLINGTON PROPORTION.

Certificates	$ 341.28
Orders	300.00
	$ 641 28

ROCK HALL PROPORTION.

Certificates	$ 367.37
Orders	350.00
	$ 717 37

STILL POND PROPORTION.

Certificates	$ 157.69
Orders	150 00
	$ 307.69

KENT AND QUEEN ANNES COUNTIES.

Certificates	$ 297 10
Orders	193.17
	$ 490.27

KENT AND CECIL COUNTIES.

Certificates	$ 100.09
	$ 100.09

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Certificates	$ 34,749.62
Orders	342.91
	$ 35,092 53

RETURN OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Certificates	$ 75.06
	$ 75.06

GENERAL BRIDGE KEEPER'S SALARY.

Certificates	$ 52.62
Orders	97.50
	$ 150.12

BONDS.

Interest on bonds by order	$ 1,175.00
Bond Redeemed Order	1,000.00
	$ 2,175.00

WATER RENT.

Order	$ 48.25
	$ 48 25

SCHOOLS.

Certificates	$ 11,510.83
Orders	24,000.00
	$ 35,510.83

AUDITING COMMITTEE'S SALARY.

Certificates	$ 200.22
	$ 200.22

TREASURER'S SALARY.

Orders	$ 1,500.00
	$ 1,500.00
Total expenses	$125,218.23

Total certificates	$ 85,868.00
Total orders	39,337 23
Total Cash	13.00
Total	$125,218.23

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IN CHURCH CIRCLES.

Rev. Dr. L. E. Barrett will preach the annual Thanksgiving sermon in Christ M. P. Church, at 10.30 A. M., on Thursday, November 24th.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., Pastor. Services next Sunday, Nov. 20th, as follows: 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor. Subject—"The Master Spirit of the Storm." 2.15 P. M., Sabbath School and Pastor's Bible Class. 7 P. M. Epworth League song service, followed by sermon by the Paster. Subject—"The Prodigal in the Far Country." All invited.

The General Committee of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States met at the East Baltimore Station during several days of the past and present week. For Foreign Missions the sum of $888,000 was apportioned as follows: Eastern Asia, $268,802; Southern Asia, $270,784; South America, $100,860; Mexico, $60,306; Europe, $11,360; Africa, $47,369. The Women's Society raised $705,398 for the foreign field. The committee will meet the next year in Denver, Col.

At the regular monthly missionary meeting in Christ M. P. Church Sunday School last Sunday afternoon, $25 was contributed by the classes. Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard's class of young men won the banner, having contributed $10.25, and they also won the banner for the largest attendance. The total attendance was 146.

Mr. Robert Huey led the Christian Workers Service in Christ M. P. Church last Sunday evening, giving a very helpful and interesting talk.

Christ M. P. Sunday School will begin rehearsing its annual Christmas carols to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon. A committee was appointed last Sunday afternoon to arrange for the Christmas entertainment.

Revival services are now in progress at the Methodist Protestant Church, Kennedyville, Md., F. H. Mallineaux, Pastor. Everybody welcome. Special Revival services for next Sunday morning, the 20th, instant in the interest of winning the girls and boys "for Christ and the Church." One young man saved Sunday evening week. He went back to his responsible position at Sparrows Point a new man in Christ Jesus, better prepared than ever before to transact business. Come and help in the good work for the Master and soul saving.

Christ M. P. Church—Rev. Dr. F. T. Little, pastor. Testimony meeting at 9.30 A. M. Preaching at 10.30 A. M and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 2 30 P.M. Christian Workers service at 6 45 P. M. To all these services you are cordially invited. Please bring conference collection envelopes.

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