THE EASTON STAR.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1891.

CHARLES G. WRIGHT, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

Democratic Ticket.

For Governor,
FRANK BROWN,
OF CARROLL COUNTY.

For Comptroller of the Treasury,
MARION DeK. SMITH,
OF KENT COUNTY.

For Attorney-General,
JOHN P. POE,
OF BALTIMORE CITY.

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals,
JOHN FRANK FORD,
OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court:
THOMAS HUGHLETT.

For Register of Wills:
EDWARD H. ROE.

For State's Attorney:
WILLIAM E. STEWART.

For the House of Delegates:
WILLIAM COLLINS,
CLEMENT R. LEONARD,
JAMES M. WOOTERS.

For Sheriff:
JOHN B. FAIRBANK.

For County Commissioners:
JAMES E. McDANIEL,
ROBERT R. BUTLER,
JOSEPH BROWN.

For Judges of the Orphans' Court:
JEROME B. BENNETT,
ORMOND HAMMOND,
WILLIAM C. DUDLEY.

For County Surveyor:
JOHN W. GIBSON.

THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF MARYLAND, THE FRIEND OF THE OYSTERMEN.

Democrats Favor Free Oyster Grounds and are Opposed to Selling, Leasing or in any Manner Disposing of Them to Private Individuals, Corporations or Syndicates.

The Democratic party, the exponent of the principles enunciated by the Supreme Court of the United States and of our Court of Appeals ever since it came into power in 1867, has recognized the rights of the oystermen; and democratic Legislatures from 1867 to 1890 have enacted laws for their protection, and have always maintained that the soil of the Chesapeake is vested in the State and that the right of fishing in navigable waters is *a public right belonging to all the people, which could not be abridged or diminished*; that the land under navigable water is held by the State not only subject to, but also in some sense in trust for the enjoyment of certain public rights, among which is the common liberty of taking fish, as well shell fish (oysters) as floating fish; and that no one could destroy the right of the public to resort to the common property by transferring these submarine lands to private ownership. Acting on these great principles, the Democratic Legislatures from 1868 to 1890 have authorized dredging, scraping and tonging, under certain regulations; the licenses do not permit oystering in any other county than the one where obtained, and the boundaries of counties bordering on navigable waters must be strictly construed, so as not to permit the residents of either county to take oysters beyond the middle of the dividing channel; but the Chester, the Wye, the Choptank and the Nanticoke can be used in common by the citizens of the counties bordering on them. Moreover, the Democratic Legislatures at great expense have provided police protection for the oystermen and the oysters, the State having two steamers and thirteen sailing vessels and well equipped crews. The last Legislature, for the purpose of increasing the supply of oysters, enacted a culling law, which experienced oystermen think will accomplish its purpose. *If the oysters have become scarce it is because the oystermen have caught them.* With care in culling there will always be plenty of oysters, and there is no right nor justice in destroying the vocation of our oystermen and making them the hired menials of capitalists and corporations by selling, leasing or in any way disposing of our oyster grounds. Every Democrat in the next Legislature from a tidewater county will use his best endeavors to prevent the passage of any law that would reduce our oyster people to penury; and to sell or lease the oyster beds would surely do this.

But what do the Republican leaders and their organ, the Baltimore *American*, think about this? At the Packers' meeting held in the Baltimore Academy of Music on the 18th of last March Col. Thomas S. Hodson, the chairman of the Republican State central committee, was one of the chief speakers; the private ownership of oyster beds was strongly recommended, and the main sentiment of the speeches was that the control of the oyster grounds should be transferred to private individuals, "that the land under water in the *Chesapeake bay and its tributaries and the other waters of the State* should be made the subject of private property, precisely as the land above the water; that the laws of the State should be *so changed as to authorize* and protect private property in oyster grounds, that there should be two classes of oyster lots, one large, where large capital would be required to cultivate with steam dredges, the other, smaller; all these lots to be sold by the State. Col. Hodson, chairman of the Republican State central committee, in his speech said: "I am satisfied that a good *oyster planting law* would increase the revenue from the oyster trade. I have thought it better to give individual instances of the advantages of private ownership and planting than general statements. I do know on both sides of the bay wherever oyster planting has been intelligently followed it has been found to be profitable; there can be no reasonable doubt of this fact. *I have only endeavored to set the ball in motion*; if the real facts are known and understood by the people I do not fear that this revolution (private ownership and planting) will stop short of the grandest possible success."

Thursday, August 27, 1891, the Republican State convention met at Ocean City to nominate State officers; the convention was called to order by Col. Thomas S. Hodson, chairman of the State central committee, who in his speech said: "For the first time in the history of the State has the oyster wealth of Maryland been found practically to have been exhausted or destroyed by *bad or incomplete* legislation, and at last the prospect of a famine stares us in the face." He means bad legislation is having the oyster grounds in common and he speaks of famine to get the beds for private use.

Ex-Congressman Louis E. McComas, the Republican leader of Western Maryland, where they have no oyster bars and no oystermen voters, was chosen chairman of this convention and said: "The most valuable inland sea on this continent, the Chesapeake bay, richer in possible wealth than all the fair lands of our State, has under Democratic mismanagement almost ceased to be a producer of oysters; we believe it ought to produce food for a continent if we would have the *courage to protect this industry and encourage the planting of oysters in the water as we plant fruit and grain on land.* This great problem presses for settlement, and after twenty-five years the democracy has failed to grapple with it. *Our people* (*Republicans*) *on both* sides of the bay can afford to turn; it is *time for* our party to promise the reforms and by the character of its nominees for State officers and Legislature convince the people that the candidates will redeem the pledges." Mr. McComas says in so many words that he favors and his party on both sides of the bay is pledged to pass a law that will protect the planting of oysters in the water the same as the planting of grain on the land. *How?* By selling and leasing the oyster beds to private individuals, corporations and syndicates.

The Baltimore American in its issue of September 11th had a double-leaded editorial on the same line as Col. Hodson, Mr. McComas and others. The American said: "There is *but one* certain way to preserve the oyster beds of the Chesapeake and its tributaries and make them sufficiently productive to meet the needs of the public, and *that is to lease them* to private parties wherever practicable. For the people hold property in common is very attractive to some minds, but it is a glittering delusion; the experiment has been repeatedly made to hold lands in common for the benefit of the whole community with the unvarying result that in a very short time the lands have gone to waste and the community has disbanded. No sound reason can be urged for making a discrimination in favor of land covered with water, and the experience of those States where the sale and leasing of the oyster grounds and oyster planting have been adopted is so absolutely in favor of leasing the grounds that the opponents of the system are compelled to resort to the demagogic plea of an effort to deprive the oystermen of their livelihood." The Republicans not only say that it is right to sell the oyster bars, but say that whoever try to prevent it are demagogues, thus adding insult to injury. The American thus continues: "Nor is the pretense that the culling law will remedy the evil of wasted beds and scarce and inferior oysters of any more value; the law is a dismal failure, as all laws will be so long as the beds are the common property and the prey of an irresponsible public. The oysters do not belong to the dredgers and tongers solely, but to the people of Maryland, and the interest of those who are not engaged in the oyster business is far more important than the interest of those who are. By adopting the lease system the interests of all will be conserved. Will any of the local statesmen have the courage to rise to the occasion?"

Oystermen, which plan do you favor—the old democratic system of free oyster bars or the Republican plan of leasing and selling the oyster grounds to private individuals? If you are for the old plan vote the democratic ticket; if you are for the sale of the oyster beds vote the Republican ticket. Some "of our local (Republican) statesmen may not have the courage to rise to the occasion," but the great majority will, and if the Republicans could carry the State the views of the American and Messrs. McComas and Hodson would prevail, but the Democrats will win and will continue to protect the oystermen and keep the oyster grounds as the common property of the oystermen, and Talbot's Democratic nominees will never "have the courage to rise to the occasion" suggested by the American and vote for leasing the oyster grounds. All of our nominees are openly pledged to do all they can to defeat any plan for selling, leasing or disposing of any portion of our oyster lands to corporations, syndicates or anyone else, and, being democrats in a democratic legislature, they will wield a great influence; whereas the Republican nominees, if they should be elected, could have no weight in a democratic legislature. The democrats are united and determined and will succeed.

"There are millions in it" said a druggist when asked about Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Price 25 cts.

For some time past I've been a rheumatic. I recently tried Salvation Oil which gave me almost instant relief. I sincerely recommend it as it has entirely cured me.
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF TALBOT COUNTY FOR THE Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1891.

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RECEIPTS

for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1891.

Cash in Bank June 30, 1890	$ 187 98
Magistrates' fines	218 35
Kent County costs in removed case	257 50
Sullivan, Jno. S., late Sheriff, costs	51 24
Trappe Wharf Co., rent, 1890 91	10 00
Wallace, Jery, old lumber sold	1 21
Collectors for 1888	3,675 29
Collectors for 1889	13,820 23
Collectors for 1890	39,720 56
*Schools	20,000 00
	$77,892 88

*This item is levied to use of School Board in the hands of the Collectors, and paid by them to said Board.

EXPENSES

for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1891.

Alms House.

Nichols, M. B., Treasurer:	
Balance levy of 1889	$ 1,500 00
On account levy of 1890	1,550 00
	$3,050 00

Bridges, Special.

Miles River Bridge.

Wallace, Jery, salary of keeper	$ 250 00
Wallace, Jerry, work on bridge	28 50
Tunis, W. W. & Bro. Lum. Co., lumber	320 21
Tarbutton, James C., lumber	20 04
S & W. Hardware Co., cross-cut saw, $1.50. broom, 60c	2 10
Tylor, W. M. & Bro., *Gazette*, notice	4 00
Nicols, Thos C., mdse	17 89
Nicols, Ed. T., lumber truck	25 00
Daniel, S. M, watchman while repairing	8 00
Stoops, Ed. C., putting in piles	21 00
Daniel, S. M., work on bridge	6 25
Cox, B. P., sign boards	1 40
Nichols & Bro., zinc	25
	$714 74

Dover Bridge.

Harrington, Jos. B., Treasurer, on account of levy of 1889	$ 250 00

Tuckahoe Bridge.

Haddaway, George E., *Ledger*, advertisement for bids	$ 5 00

County Bridges.

Leed's Creek Bridge.

Bailey, Jno. H., repairing	$ 17 32
Callahan, Jos. S., lumber	24 96
Tunis, W. W. & Bro. Lum. Co., lumber	31 18
	$73 46

Upper King's Creek Bridge.

Nicols, Thos. C., mdse	$ 7 10

Mullet Branch Bridge.

Nicols, Thos. C., mdse	$ 8 30
Brennemin, Benj. H., lumber	44 22
Dixon, R. B., lumber	21 99
	$74 51

Miles Creek Bridge.

Nicols, Thos. C., mdse	$ 17 63
Dixon, R. B., lumber	16 24
Lyons, Chas., repairing	42 99
Rittinhouse, S. C., lumber	90 54
	$167 40

Hillsborough Bridge.

Downes, Ernest, damages for loss of horse through floor of bridge	$ 160 00

Peach Blossom Bridge.

Plummer, James J., repairing	$ 9 50

Hambleton Branch Bridge.

Plummer, Jas. J., repairing	10 00

Lloyd's Branch Bridge.

Brown, Jos., lumber	9 17
Stoops, Ed. C., repairing	11 25
	$20 42

Bridge near "Small's Landing."

Rittenhouse, S. C., lumber	$ 41 67

Moore's Mill Bridge.

Brown, Jos., lumber	$ 124 82
Cox, B. P., nails of Beck	2 50
Stoops, E. C., mat. and contractor	122 00
	$249 32

Total for Bridges	$ 1,798 12

Bridge Lumber.

1st District.

Rigby, Chas.	$ 125 08
Tunis, W. W. & Bro. Lumber Co	82 76
Rittenhouse, S. C.	42 64
Callahan, Jos. S.	5 82
Brennamin, Benj. H	4 08
Pascault, A. A.	67 35
Goldsborough, Geo. R.	11 34
Reynolds, B. H., use of Pascault $52	52 14
Dixon, R. B.	27 57
Shannahan, S. Kelly	14 38
Patchett, James H	22 32
Elliott, James P	16 00
Andrews, Medford A	15 96
	$497 42

2nd District.

Richards, M. R., use of Hunt	$ 40 23
George, H. K	1 50
Barkman, Andrew C	10 90
Harris, Spedden O	11 00
	$63 63

3rd District.

Rittenhouse, S. C	$ 26 80
Berry, Fred., use of S. & W. Hdw. Co. 74.55	131 95
Dixon, R. B	32 63
Bartlett, Jos	3 50
Hughlett, Ed. W	10 00
Tarbutton, James C	22 50
	$227 38

4th District.

Smith, Alga, use of Welch	$ 11 68
Griffin, Louis J	24 00
Hall, Thos. W., use of Tucker $2 50	7 74
Stoops, Ed. C	57 57
Brown, Jos	122 30
Callahan, Jos. S	44 18
Jump, C. M	2 00
Andrews, Medford A	40 96
Dukes, Levi T	12 42
Henry, John W	59 81
Reynolds, B. H	16 80
Morgan, R. Chas	10 00
Tarbutton, Geo. H	32 04
Catrup, Jno. A	2 88
	$445 01

5th District.

Senger, J M. S	$ 32 50
Wrightson, G. A	16 25
	$48 75

Total for Bridge Lumber	$1,282 19

Culverts and New Roads.

CULVERTS.

Culvert near Fair Grounds.

Holmes, D. T., work	$ 30 94
Nicols, Thos. C., cement	30 22
White, Jos. H., bricks	57 21
	$118 37

Culvert on Point Road.

Holmes, D. T., repairing	$ 6 38

Culvert near B. & E. S. R. R. Depot.

Coburn, Thos. H., mat'l and work	$ 51 98
White, Jos. H., bricks	85 05
	$137 03

Total for Culverts	$261 78

NEW ROADS.

"Framptom Road," Tilghman's Island.

Framptom, Geo. W., damages	$ 10 00
Lowery, James W., damages	3 20
Jackson, W. H., damages	3 50
Gibson, Jno. W., surveyor	3 00
Harrison, Jos. L., damages	20 08
Fairbank, Jos. E., builder, bal.	50 00
	$90 50

"Backtown" Road, 3rd District.

Camper, Jno., axman	$ 2 00
Tylor, W. M. & Bro., ex. notice	6 25
	$8 25

'Plaindealing & Trippe" Road, 2nd District.

Robinson, Jos. A., surveyor	$ 8 00

"Fairbanks" Road, Tilghman's Island.

Cooper, R. H., road notice pd. him	$ 5 00
Fairbanks, Jos. E., builder	100 50
	$105 50

"Gow and Haddaway" Road, 5th Dist.

Cummings, Joshua W., use of W. H. C., examiner	$ 2 00

"Moneymake" Road, 3rd District.

Dexter, Geo. W., damages for self and Terrell	$ 8 43
Hopkins, Nathan, contractor, use of Collins $42.80, Walker $40	540 00
Haddaway, G. E., road notice, act 1890	5 00
Tylor, W. M. & Bro., *Gazette*, ex. not.	7 50
Tytor, W. M. & Bro., notice sale of road	15 00
	$575 93

"Catholic Church Cemetery and Dover Bridge" Road, 1st District.

Earle, John C., Saulsbury's land and fence damages	$ 46 50
Roberts, D. H., finishing and completing said road	125 00
	$171 50

"Jump and Cranston" Road, 4th Dist.

Cranston, Samuel, damage	$ 215 00
Daily, Cornelius O., contractor	139 00
Tylor, W. M. & Bro., *Gazette*, sale of road	12 00
	$366 00

"Brandy Bridge" Road, 4th District.

Roe, E. H., damages	$ 166 66
Smith, Lewis C., damages	197 00
	$363 66

"Stevens and Elliott" Road, 1st Dist.

Haddaway, Geo. E, sale of road	$ 12 00
Harrington, Jos. B., ex. $8, flag $2	10 00
Hall, Thos. W., surveyor	14 00
Stevens, Oliver, axman	2 50
Tarbutton, Geo. H., ex. $6, chain $2	8 00
Warner, Jas. H., ex. $6, chain $2	8 00
Wright, Chas. G., road notice	5 00
Wright, Chas. G., ex notice	5 00
	$64 50

"Garrett's Corner and Cordova" Road, 4th District.

Dukes, W. J., ex., chain and flag	$ 5 00

Edmondson Neck Road, 1st District.

Tylor, W. M. & Bro., *Gazette*, road notice	$ 6 00

Royal Oak New Road in 1887.

Leonard, N. B., examiner	$ 2 00

"Creamery" Road, 1st District.

Todd, J. Y., *Democrat*, road notice	$ 7 50

"Newtown" Road, 4th District.

Todd, J. Y., *Democrat*, road notice	$ 5 00

"Park Woods" Road, 1st District.

Haddaway, Geo. E., *Ledger*, road notice	$ 10 50

"Secrist" Road, 4th District.

Haddaway, Geo. E, *Ledger*, road notice	$ 12 00

"Bloomfield Station" Road, 1st Dist.

Barton, Susan W., land and fence damages	$ 159 42
Dixon, Robert B., land and fence damages	159 42
Kirk, G. W., chain $1, contractor $100	101 00
Leonard, N. B, examiner	4 00
Rigby, Charles, examiner	4 00
Todd, J. Y., *Democrat*, notice under acts of 1890	4 00
	$431 84

"Bartlett and Jenkins" Road, 3d Dist.

Dawson, R. ..., exam'r and report	$ 6 00
McKnett, Jos. P., examiner	4 00
Framptom, Rufus	4 00
Seymour, Alexander, chain	1 00
Pastorfield, Howard, chain	1 00
Slaughter, Robert H., flag	1 00
Robinson, Thomas, axman	1 00
Leonard, Jas. M., surveyor	10 00
Highley, B. S., examiners' notice	8 00
Haddaway, Geo. E., sale of road	8 25
Jenkins, Geo. M., land and fence dam.	63 20
Bartlett, Robt., land and fence dam.	18 80
Hamilton, Thomas, contractor	200 00
	$324 25

"Mortimer and Camper" Road, 2nd District, B. C. N.

Haddaway, Geo. E, road notice $9, examiner's notice $7.50	$ 16 50
Haddaway, T. Frank, builder	102 00
Harrington, Jos. B., ex. and chain	5 00
Harrison, John H., ex'r and chain	5 00
Willis, William, examiner and chain	5 00
Robinson, Joseph A., surveyor	5 00
Larrimore, William H, axman	1 00
Todd, J. Y., notice under acts of 1890	6 00
	$145 50

"B. & E. S. R. R. and Royal Oak" Road.

Hall, Thomas W., surveyor	$ 15 00
Dukes, Levi T., examiner	4 00
Bennett, Jerome B., examiner	6 00
Seener, John W., examiner	6 00
Battee, Negal, chain	2 00
Newnam, W, chain	2 00
Harper, Fred. flag	2 00
Haddaway, Geo. E., road notice	4 50
Todd, John Y., ex. notice	5 00
	$46 50

"B. & E. S. R. R. and Fair Grounds" Road.

Haddaway, Geo. E., ex. notice	$ 7 00
Hall, Thomas W., surveyor	10 00
Wright, C. G., road notice	5 00
Wright, C. G., notice under acts of 1890	5 00
Earle, John C., damages for land	58 76
White, Joseph H., damages for land and fence	291 92
Bennett, Jerome B., ex. and report	4 00
Smith, Lewis C., examiner	2 00
Kirby, J. Thomas, examiner	2 00
Seth, Joseph B., builder	000 00
	$385 68

Total for New Roads	$3,187 61

Burial of Paupers.

Mason, John & Son	$ 34 60
Warner, M	3 00
Holmes, B. F	3 00
Kilmon, L Scott	22 50
Parker, Sewell	17 50
Councell, R. H. T	10 00
Lowe, Thomas J	5 00
Corkran, N	3 00
Lucas, Aaron	15 00
Tucker, George E	3 00
Spring Hill Cemetery Co. for grave	2 50
	$119 10

Constables.

Grace, Wm., bailiff of Easton	$ 81 80
Hambleton, E O., St. Michaels	75 75
Lloyd, Thomas A	24 10
Harrison, John B	6 65
Lambdin, Robt. L., special constable	2 30
Loockerman, W. T. A	735 18
McHale, John H	669 37
Bailey, John H	23 13
Fields, George L., Oxford, use of W. D. N. $84 20	296 13
Burns, Jas F., bailiff of St. Michaels	6 80
Harrison, B. F., special constable	2 65
Hopkins, Thos. P	58 00
Willoughby, C. R	13 60
Pratt, Alexander D	6 00
Parris, John, special constable	3 35
Niblett, Philip, special constable	5 50
Skinner, Samuel	4 00
Barnes, George H	75
	$2,015 96

Court House and Grounds.

Bostick, Wm. H., keeper's salary	$ 125 00
Easton Gas and Electric Light Co	74 60
Easton Water Co	35 00
Cox, B. P., ice for clerk's office	1 80
Cox, B. P., trees for yard	4 00
Smith & Bro., ice for clerk's office	15 26
Cox, B. P., paid Tyler 1 year (night soil)	3 00
Cox, B. P. for glazing	90
Griffith, J. S., mdse	12 68
Roberts, Edward, w'rk on court room	15 63
Com. of Easton for court house yard	8 00
Dixon, R. B., coal in 1889	154 00
Nickerson, F. H. & Co., coal, 1890	40 60
Walker, R. F., wood	4 75
Stoops, C. A., wood	2 25
Merrick, W. S., insurance	160 00
Flowers, Willis, plumbing	1 75
Beck, George W., stove fixtures	3 95
	$661 32

Court Expenses.

Attorney's Fees, May and Nov., 1890.

Bateman, Wilfred	$ 10 00
Gibson & Carrington	74 99
Kirby, J. Price	18 33
Tharp, A. L	16 66
	$119 98

Officers of Court.

Hughlett, Thomas, clerk's fees	$ 1,040 28
Hughlett, Thos., indexing records, Chap. 427, acts of 1890	708 70
Nicols, Charles E., sheriff	1,344 28
Stewart, Wm. E., State's Attorney	1,917 62
Sullivan, John S., late sheriff, use of Tylor $1,000	1,427 88
	$6,433 71

July Term Court, 1890.

Bostick and Tucker, bailiffs	$ 10 00
Roe, James A., crier	10 00

November Term, 1889.

Taylor, Benjamin, petit juror	$ 22 50

May Term, 1890.

Stitchberry, W. G., petit juror	$ 25 00
Cole, William, tales	5 00
Harrison, A. Douglass, grand juror	7 10

November Term, 1890.

Cox, B. P., pd by him, grand jurors	$ 331 30
Cox, B. P., pd by him, petit jurors	789 60
Cox, B. P., paid by him, witnesses to grand jury, including constables @ $2 each	103 30
Cox, B. P., paid by him, witnesses to court	502 12
Cox, B. P., paid by him, tales	65 00
Powell, A. B., tales	5 00
Roe, James A., crier of court	55 00
Bostick & Tucker, bailiffs @ $27.50 ea.	55 00
Loockerman, W. T. A., bailiff to gr. jury	12 50
Cox, B. P., paid by him, ice for court	42

February Term, 1891.

Roe, James A., crier	$ 10 00
Bostick and Tucker, bailiffs	10 00

May Term, 1891.

Cox, B. P., paid by him, gr. jurors	$ 399 90
Cox, B. P., pd. by him, witnesses to grand jury	167 10
Cox, B. P., paid by him, petit jurors	496 50
Cox, B. P., paid by him, wit. to court	487 88
Cox, B. P., paid by him, tales	75 00
Cox, B. P., paid by him to Bostick and Tucker, bailiffs	50 00
Cox, B. P., paid Loockerman, bailiff to grand jury	15 00
Cox, B. P., paid by him, James A. Roe, crier	50 00
	$3,624 62

Total Court Expenses	$10,178 31

Caroline County.

Costs in removed case	$ 136 00

Commissions to Collectors.

Commissions to collectors	$ 2,296 95

County Commissioners' Office.

Cox, James, per diem and mileage	$ 204 60
Cox, James, insp. roads and bridges	130 00
Cox, B. P., salary as clerk to Board	1,200 00
Cox, B. P., list of taxable inhabitants for clerk of court	30 00
Cox, B. P., telegrams, freight, expressage, stamps, cleaning office and ice	13 73
Cox, B. P., carpet for office	29 75
Dulin, Wm. B., per diem and mileage	229 40
Dulin, Wm. B., insp. roads and bridges	66 00
Haddaway, W. H., pr diem and mileage	229 40
Haddaway, Wm. H., inspecting roads and bridges	56 00
Haddaway Geo. E., printing blanks	13 00
Haddaway, Geo. E., proposals for coal	4 50
Mason, John & Son, repairing chairs in office	50
Nichols & Brother, stove fixtures	2 45
Medairy, J. H. & Co., blank books	34 75
Robson Brothers, stationery	2 79
Roberts, Ed., work in office	1 25
Tylor, W. M. & Bro., printing blanks in 1889	18 00
Turner, J. Frank, counsel to Board	75 00
Winchester, Paul, drafting road law	10 00
Wright, C. G., printing blanks	5 00
	$2,356 32

County Machinery.

Anthony, John, repair'g road machine	$ 3 50
Nicols, T. C., repairs for road machine	9 00
Pastorfield, P. T., rep'g road machine	15 00
Tucker, Geo. E., rep'g road machine	2 50
S. & W. Hdw. Co., repairs	1 42
	$31 42

County Statement.

Statement of 1890, printing	$ 352 00
Tylor, W. M. & Bro., statement 1889	91 00
	$443 00

Discount on Collections.

Discount on Collections	$ 1,506 11

Elections.

Tylor, W. M. & Bro., shf's. notice	$ 36 00
Tylor, W. M., clerk	4 00
Medairy, J. H. & Co., poll books 1890	12 50
Harrison, John T., judge	8 00
Harrington, Jos. B., judge	8 00
Roberts, Edward, judge	4 00
Yeo, Samuel S., judge	8 00
Nicols, E. T., clerk	4 00
Duncan, George W., clerk	4 00
Hubbard, Wm. L., judge	8 00
Mason, John M., judge	4 00
Walker, James L., judge	8 00
Grace, Wm. Jr., clerk	4 00
Nichols, M. B., clerk	4 00
Powell, Wm. P., judge	8 00
Trail, Louis W., judge	4 00
Cowgill, James M., judge	8 00
Butler, Robert B., judge	8 00
Merrick, Wm. H., judge	4 00
Welsh, R. E., judge	8 00
Matthews, Sol. N., clerk	4 00
Gossage, James H., clerk	4 00
Willis, James H., judge	8 00
Seth, Wm. H., judge	4 00
Stewart, Thomas B., judge	8 00
Scotten, Charles E., clerk	4 00
Mitchell, Eugene, clerk	4 00
Williams, Denny, judge	8 00
Ratcliffe, Joseph F., judge	4 00
Valliant, James, judge	8 00
Fairbanks, John B., judge	8 00
Mortimer, Alex C., judge	4 00
Grace, Thomas E., judge	8 00
Haddaway, Robert, clerk	4 00
Sutton, James H., clerk	4 00
Leonard, Thomas B., judge	8 00
Leonard, John Spry, judge	4 00
Denny, J. A. M., judge	8 00
Robinson, Joseph A., clerk	4 00
Meeds, Joseph, clerk	4 00
Wooters, James M., judge	8 00
Bowens, Thomas J., judge	4 00
Fisher, John L., judge	8 00
Blakesley, E. J., clerk	4 00
Davis, Chas., clerk	4 00
Cockey, John, judge	8 00
Sherwood, Benj. F., judge	4 00
Porter, Jacob W., judge	8 00
Senger, J. M. S., clerk	4 00
Fairbanks, Albert, clerk	4 00
Willis, Albert B., judge	8 00
Porter, Edward, judge	4 00
Cooper, James H., judge	8 00
Nicols, Chas. E., sheriff's pol'ce	52 00
Skinner, Walter, clerk	4 00
Dean, John W., clerk	4 00
Gibson, John W., clerk	4 00
Davis, Chas. G., clerk	4 00
Eastman, Chas. F., clerk	4 00
Harrington, Clay, clerk	4 00
Seymour, G. A., rent of room	5 00
Merrick, M., rent of room	5 00
Highley, B. S., notice	33 00
Wright, C. G., notice	33 00
Gibson, F. T., notice	33 00
May, Wm. F., rent	5 00
Roberts, Edward, carpenter's work at polls in Easton	10 00
Harrison, Wm. J., rent	5 00
Todd, John Y., notice	26 25
Haddaway, Geo. E., notice	40 00
Tucker, George E., rent and carpenter's work	8 00
Meison, Samuel B., rent and swearing judges, &c	5 50
Robson Bro's., election books	2 20
Chaney, T. H., rent	5 00
	$596 45

Ferries.

Oxford.

Ferry wharf Co., rent of wharf	$ 25 00
Geoghegan, Jas A., sal. as keeper	1,200 00
Harris, Spedden O., piles for incline	11 79
	$1,236 79

Interest.

Railroads Bonds	$ 2,880 00
School Bonds	660 00
Floating debt	600 00
	$4,140 00

Insolvents, Errors and Removals.

Collectors for 1890	$ 540 28
Collectors for 1889 and 1888	736 03
	$1,276 31

Inquests.

Matthews, Dr. Alex., physician	$ 10 00
Rose, Dr. Chas. H., physician	10 00
Gibson, R. F., coroner and jury	29 80
Jump, Isaac W., coroner and jury	17 62
Stevens, E. J, coroner and jury	18 85
Merrick, M., coroner and jury	23 28
Trippe, Dr. E. R., physician	5 00
Seth, Thos. P. B., coroner and jury	23 70
Robinson, Jos. A., coroner	5 00
Smith, Alga, coroner	5 00
	$143 25

Local Laws.

Highley, B. J., publishing certain local laws	75 00
Todd, John Y., publishing certain local laws	10 00
Wright, C. G., publishing	194 00
	$279 00

Maryland Hospital for Insane.

Treas., Board for sundry patients	$ 2,258 83

Jail.

Easton Gas & E. Light Co	$ 79 70
Cox, B P., pd. by him for wood, mdse and drugs	16 70
Griffith, J. S., mdse	6 45
Jarrell & Nichols, mdse	6 25
S. & W. Hardware Co, merchandise and plumbing	16 75
Smith, Dr. L. H. med. attendance	1 50
Hughes, W. C, drugs	11 20
Roberts, Ed., carpenter work	5 68
Dixon, R. B, coal in 1889	59 65
Nickerson, F. H. & Co., coal, 1890, 20 tons	108 00
Mason, John & Son, mattresses	11 00
Water Co	40 00
Hubbard, Frank, wood	4 20
Trippe, Dr. E. R., med. attendance	4 50
Johnson, Dr. J. A., med. attend	32 75
Flowers, Willis, plumbing	4 80
Henry, J. C. & Bro., drugs	15 85
Nichols & Bro., stove fixtures and merchandise	10 20
Nicols, Chas. E., for whitewashing and cleaning sinks	5 00
Merrick, Wm. S., ins., 5 years	100 00
	$540 31

Magistrates.

Nicols, N. E.	$ 167 05
Haddaway, James D	7 05
Smith, Alga	88 25
Lowe, Thomas J	6 42
Stevens, Ed. J	37 50
Gibson, R. F	56 05
Hubbard, J. H. T., 1889 account	449 10
Hubbard, J. H. T., 1890 account	449 81
Hughes, Jesse	27 85
Melson, Samuel B	9 83
Robinson, Joseph A	11 83
Redman, John S	6 60
Hopkins, S. Wilson	4 65
	$1,309 46

Orphans' Court.

Hand, James L., Judge	$ 108 00
Hammond, O., Judge	108 00
Bartlett, John C., Judge	108 00
Glanville, Samuel, crier	81 00
Tyler, W. M. & Bro., advertising free scholarship	3 00
Todd, J. Y., adv. free scholarship	2 00
Gibson, F. T., adv. free scholarship	2 00
Haddaway, George E., advertising free scholarship	3 00
Highley, B. S., adv. free scholarship, 1889 and 1890	4 00
Wright, C. G., adv. free scholarship	2 00
	$421 00

Out Pensions.

Caulk, Delilah, ½ year	$ 7 50
Messick, Joshua, (since deceased)	15 00
Newnam, Joseph, 1889	20 00
Gibson, Christopher	10 00
Harris, Mary A	8 00
Johns, James	10 00
Porter, Mary Ann, balance	10 00
Blades, Ann Maria, ½ year	10 00
Shores, Mary A	10 00
Myers, George W	10 00
Gibson, Kit	10 00
Young, Sarah, (since deceased)	14 40
Newnam, Joseph. 1890, ½ year	10 00
Rakes, Harrison	15 00
Sanders, Mary A	15 00
Dobson, Isaac	15 00
Lord, Elisha	15 00
Messick, Susan A	15 00
Framptom, Alonzo R	20 00
Bailey, Joseph	15 00
Hemsley, Caroline	10 00
Thompson, Perry	15 00
Maxwell, Mitchell	15 00
Coverdale, Mary	20 00
Lockerman, Mary	15 00
Seymour, Julia A	15 00
Shelley, Mary Jane	15 00
Johnson, Job	10 00
Horney, Isaac	15 00
Johnson, Abram	15 00
Sowder, Thomas, (since deceased)	10 00
Baynard, Maggie	15 00
Blades, Eliza	15 00
Turner, Anna	10 00
Turner, William	10 00
Blake, Hy	10 00
Smith, George Alfred	10 00
Christian, Alfred	10 00
Woolford, Harriett	10 00
Gannon, David, (since died)	10 00
Swales, Wm	10 00
Gibson, Daniel	10 00
Cornish, Mark	15 00
Jackson, Wm	10 00
Tilghman, John	15 00
Rakes, Matilda	20 00
Hambleton, Elizabeth	15 00
Jenkins, Rebecca	15 00
Whiteley, Mary Ann	15 00
Framptom, Vincent	10 00
Jackson, Mary	10 00
Mooney, Mahala	10 00
Kersey, Deborah E	15 00
Bantum, Harriett E	15 00
Wheatley, Sophia	15 00
Brooks, Eliza	10 00
Brooks, Josiah	10 00
Dillon Jane	10 00
Coburn, Henrietta	15 00
Sheppard, R. J., 1889	15 00
Sheppard, R. J., 1890	15 00
Clemeney, Susan	10 00
Breeze, Caroline	15 00
Nicholson, J. J. S	10 00
Bantum, James	10 00
Trice, Eliza Ann	10 00
Price, Mary	20 00
Berridge, Elizabeth M	20 00
Sanders, Mary E	20 00
Wilmer, Perry	15 00
Buckley, Jos	15 00
Marshall, Caroline	15 00
Turpin, Ann	15 00
Burk, Mary	20 00
Davis, Sarah A	15 00
Newnam, Julia	10 00
Leonard, George W. C	15 00
Gibson, Wesley	10 00
Hall, Mary	20 00
Ozmon, Elizabeth J	15 00
Coburn, Mary Ann	15 00
Smith, Richard	15 00
Lowe, Wm. S	15 00
Lednum, Lydia A	20 00
Cahall, Elizabeth	20 00
Johnson, Maria	10 00
Posey, George F	10 00
Kirby, Susan A	20 00
Paul, Prissy	10 00
Perry, Rachel	10 00
Eaton, Thomas J	20 00
Weston, John W	15 00
Cox, Martha	10 00
Johnson, Margaret	10 00
Blades, Ann Maria, balance	10 00
Newnam, Jos., balance 1890	10 00
	$1,199 90

Public Roads.

1st District.

Bowdle, Jos., ditching	$ 8 50
B. & E. S. R. R. Co., 5850 bus. shells	146 25
Dickinson, Chas	10 00
Dixon, R. B., hauling 11,370 bus. shells	165 53
Elliott, Jas. P	12 00
Faulkner, Robt. H	116 00
Gibson, C. W., poles for Roberts' road	[illegible]
Goldsborough, Geo. R	61 50
Glanville, Jno. W	49 96
Hardin, R. B	101 10
Kirby, Walter S	90 00
Kinnamon, Geo. F	63 90
Kirby, J. Frank	107 50
Leonard, C. R., 14,900 bus. shells	357 60
Lyons, W. H	45 30
McNicholas, Patrick	234 75
McGinn, Michael	84 00
Marshall, C. N. 4,000 bushel shells	100 00
Matthews, Jas. A., work and hauling shells on Point road	101 25
Powell, A. B	101 35
Pippin, Sol., trustee	10 00
Price, J. Thos	60 50
Reiser, John	42 00
Roberts, D. H	279 50
Shaw, R. J., use of Roberts	151 50
Swan, Ed. C	70 00
Smith, Wm. C	57 50
Saulsbury, John T	154 80
S. & W. Hdw. Co., terra cotta pipe	35 25
Seemer, John W	41 00
Shannahan, S. Kelly	48 15
Warner, J. H. & A. T., 128 loads dirt	5 12
	$2,907 48

2nd District.

Cheers, R. M	$ 85 50
Cox, James	3 05
Fairbanks, Chas. E	218 00
Haddaway, T. Frank	30 00
Hunt, Levi D	68 00
King, Wm. T., hauling shells $80	238 75
Larrimore, Thos, use of Covey	8 00
Mortimer, J. E	2 40
Mortimer, A. C	4 00
Seymour, Wm. H	122 50
Valliant, S. R., work and hauling shells	219 77
	$999 97

3rd District.

Brinsfield, Moses	$ 87 00
Baker, John W., Jr	87 16
Bartlett, Joseph	35 50
Carroll, Jeremiah, ditching	22 48
Cooper, Robert F	61 45
Covey, Isaac F	67 50
Corkran, Nathan, 4,000 bushel shells	100 00
Frampton, Rufus	52 00
Gibson, R. F., 4861 bushel shells	48 61
Hughlett, E. W	33 00
Harrison, S. R., work and hauling shells	189 00
Harrison, Wm. T., hauling 637 bushel shells and work	12 74
Jones, Joseph H	74 50
Lyons, Charles	90 95
Longnecker, Joseph	10 75
Merrick, S. B. & Co., shells	156 62
McNeal, D. H	110 00
McLean, Robert D	141 00
Merrick, Joseph E	15 00
Mills, Allen A., use of Melson	9 25
Plummer, James J	230 90
Parrott, James B	196 25
Rice, John W	55 00
Ross, James A	88 00
Reynolds, Thos. G., shells and work	11 75
Sparklin, Thos., 5 000 bushel shells	125 00
Slaughter, William F	75 25
Sullivan, Charles W	24 50
Spring, F. B	10 00
Stevens, J. Frank	87 85
Sanders, George W	170 00
Townsend, Samuel, 1,600 bushel shells	48 00
Wilson, John	42 00
Warner, John R	60 00
Wooters, James H	85 00
Webb, Samuel	3 25
	$2,660 76

4th District.

Ayers, William E	$ 111 65
Andrews, Medford A	123 00
Baynard, Cornelius	71 00
Calloway, Joseph J	86 25
Callahan, William	15 40
Coulby, Robert	98 04
Cleary, James	47 50
Callahan, Charles	5 75
Callahan, Joseph S	29 75
Dukes, Levi T	76 50
Dulin, Geo. W	32 25
Dulin, John P	56 50
Dudley & Carpenter, 1,000 bus. shells	25 00
Dawson, L. G., 2,000 bushel shells	30 00
Elliott, John O	47 00
Ewing, Robert W	68 50
Favenger, George W	55 50
Frampton, Daniel R	56 00
Ferguson, C. B., logs for Morgan's road	5 00
Gannon, James A	72 00
Gannon, R. H	67 00
Henry, John W	69 18
Henry, John	74 25
Hopkins, Thomas H	77 00
Hopkins, John T	64 00
Jackson, Andrew E	90 25
Jump, William F	15 50
Love, Samuel T	2 50
Morgan, Charles H	98 50
McCormick, John	14 00
Morgan, R. Charles	80 70
Rose, Charles H., shells	64 26
Sullivan, Charles W	30 00
Smith, Baptist	119 00
Stoops, Edward C	81 00
Snow, H. W	33 00
Skinner, Blaine	21 00
Towers, N. P	41 12
Wheeler, C. C., 4,000 bushel shells	120 00
Woodall, Andrew, 4,000 bushel shells	100 00
Wood, James T	86 40
Willis, J. K. P	86 70
West, Levin T	5 50
	$2,498 50

5th District.

Allen, Thomas	$ 2 00
Cummings, Thomas P	24 00
Godwin, M. E	21 00
Harrison, John T	114 50
Jones, Perry M	75 50
Lambdin, Robert L	111 25
McNeal, J. B., terra cotta pipe	30 00
Porter, Edward	107 50
Wilson, Henry	29 50
Wrightson, G. Alpheus	120 25
	$610 15

Total for Public Roads	$ 9,676 81

Public Schools.

Public Schools	$20,000 00

Register of Wills' Office.

Cox, B. P., paid Patchett for wood	$ [illegible]
Cox, B. P., Robson Bros. for stationery	2 05
Cox, B. P., paid for ice for office	2 46
Cox, B. P., carpet for O. Court room	25 93
Smith, H. A. & Bro., ice	14 86
Roberts, Ed., shelving in vault	40 00
Todd, Jno. Y., printing blanks	60 75
Roe, E. H., 2 yrs. acct. for record. &c	320 76
Mason, Jno. & Son, table cover	50
Haddaway, Geo. E., printing	8 00
Wright, Chas. G., printing	10 75
Robson Bros., stationery	3 40
Nichols Bros., stove fixtures	3 2
Dulaney, W. J. C., blank books	27 70
	$521 16

Registration.

Tylor & Bro., balance account for 1889	$ 25 00
Haddaway, George E, pub. notice and printing	301 00
Hambleton, E. O., deputy sheriff	22 75
Gale, J. C., horse hire for Trippe, Reg	5 00
Wright, C. G., pub. notice and blanks	214 00
Gibson, F. T., publishing notice	148 00
Todd, Jno. Y., publishing notice	140 00
Stewart, Wm. E., counsel to registers	50 00
Trippe, T. H., register, certificates, &c	105 00
Ewing, W. B., register, certificates, &c	91 50
Harrison, J. T., register, certificates, &c	110 00
Morgan, P. A., register, certificates and posters	108 00
Lowe, Joseph, register, certificates, &c	100 00
Lowe, Thos. J., deputy in attendance	18 00
Hopkins, Thos. P., attendance on reg	27 60
Merrick, Wm. S., rent of office	7 00
Stevens, C. T., attendance on register	28 30
Melson, S. B., rent of office	2 00
Councell, R. H. T., wit. bef. register	33
Hambleton, H. S., deputy register under Chap. 573, Acts 1890	50 00
	$1,543 48

Sinking Funds.

Railroad Bonds	$ 2,000 00
School Bonds	1,000 00
	$3 000 00

Transfers and Abatements.

Gibson, F. T., *Comet*	$ 6 00
Haddaway, Geo. E., *Ledger*	4 50
	$10 50

Traders' License Notice.

Gibson, F. T., *Comet*	$ 27 00
Haddaway, Geo. E., *Ledger*, 1891	51 00
Todd, Jno. Y., *Democrat*	26 25
Tylor, W. M. & Bro., *Gazette*	30 00
Wright, Chas. G., STAR	37 00
	$171 25

Taxes Paid in Error.

Trax, Geo. H	$ 5 84
Jump, Isaac W	14 60
Graham, Thos	7 30
Malin, W. H. H	3 65
	$31 39

Witnesses Before Magistrates.

Cox, B. P., paid by him	$ 40 30
Smith, Alga, use of Welsh	1 65
	$41 95

Weights and Measures.

Patchett, R. Harry, on acct. salary	$ 40 00

RECAPITULATION.

Alms House	$ 3,050 00
Bridges	1,798 12
Bridge Lumber	1,282 19
Burial of Paupers	119 10
Culverts	261 78
Constables	2,015 96
Court House and Grounds	661 32
Court Expenses	10,178 31
Caroline County	136 00
Commissions to Collectors	2,296 95
County Commissioners' Office	2,356 32
County Machinery	31 42
County Statement	443 00
Discounts	1,506 11
Elections	596 45
Ferries	1,236 79
Interest	4,140 00
Insolvents, Errors and Removals	1,276 31
Inquests	143 25
Jail	540 31
Local Laws	279 00
Maryland Hospital for Insane	2,258 83
Magistrates	1,309 46
New Roads	3,187 61
Orphans' Court	421 00
Out Pensioners	1,199 90
Public Roads	9,676 81
Register of Wills Office	521 16
Registration	1,543 48
Schools	20,000 00
Sinking Funds	3,000 00
Transfers and Abatements	10 50
Traders' License Notice	171 25
Taxes Paid in Error	31 39
Witnesses before Magistrates	41 95
Weights and Measures	40 00
	$77,706 53

Real and personal property liable to taxation in 1890 at 83c on the $100, $9,224,691	$76,564 93

Financial Condition June 30, 1891.

Resources.

Balance in Bank	$ 186 35
Due by Collectors for 1890, with interest since January 1st, 1891, subject to insolvents, errors and removals	14,797 98
Due by Collectors for 1889	901 66
Queen Anne's County, costs	122 50
Caroline County, costs	70 00
	$16,077 99

Liabilities.

Alms House, balance levy of 1890	$ 450 00
Dover Bridge, bal. levies of 1889-90	995 34
Commissioners of Easton, Acts 1890	300 00
New Roads finished and accepted, and others in process of construction	800 00
Oyster Scrapers' Fines and Licenses due School Board	2,078 59
Approved bills on file	7,141 46
Unapproved bills on file	978 22
	$12,744 21

Bonded Debt Statement.

**Railroad Bonds*	$48,000 00

This debt was authorized by act of 1867, chap. 191. Bonds issued April 1st, 1872, are due April 1st, 1892.

The fund for the redemption of these bonds at maturity is as follows:

Invested in 1st mortgage on real estate in Talbot Co.		$16,600
Uninvested but on deposit in F. & M. N. Bank, having been placed there by present Board as special account:		
Levy of 1889	2,000	
Levy of 1890	2,000	
2 yrs. int. on mortgages	1,992	
		22,592 00
Balance to be provided for		$25,408 00

* Before the maturity of above bonds the levy of 1891—$2,000—should be placed in this special account, as levy will be due January 1st, 1892.

The bonds known as the Jail Bonds, amounting to the sum of $12 000 and held by the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the Railroad Bonds, matured on the 1st day of July last, and were cancelled by order of the County Commissioners, thereby reducing the Bonded Debt of the county to the amount of said bonds. As these bonds were held by the Sinking Funds, the Sinking Funds will be correspondingly reduced.

School Bonds	$12,000 00

Of these bonds of $500 each 2 bonds are due each and every year on October 1st. They were issued on Oct. 1st, 1888—amount $15,000. They are regularly taken up when due, the levy each year being $1,000, together with interest.

**Floating Debt*	$12,000 00

This debt is a note of the County Commissioners in their corporate capacity, as authorized by Chap. 417, Acts 1890, drawn at 6 months. No provision is made in the act for the ultimate payment.

SUMMARY.

Railroad Bonds		$48,000 00
School Bonds		12,000 00
Floating Debt		10,000 00
		$70,000 00
Sinking fund to redeem R. R. Bonds:		
Invested	$16,600	
Uninvested	5,992	
		22,592 00
Total Bonded and Floating Debt		$47,408 00

In order to show the progress the present Board of County Commissioners have made in reducing the debt of the County, we will state that the *Net Bonded Debt* of the County in 1890 amounted to $42,172 00

Total Net Bonded Debt in 1891 37,408 00

Reduction of the Bonded Debt $ 4,764 00

* Since the close of the fiscal year the debt has been further reduced by a payment on the note designated as the Floating Debt amounting to $7,000.00, and making a total reduction in the Bonded and Floating Debt of the County since last statement of $11,764 00.

It is proper to add that when the present Board of County Commissioners came into office there was found in Bank to the credit of the County the sum of $1,212 05

This was not sufficient to meet the expenses of the November Term of Court, which was then in session; that they found bills lying upon the table against the County awaiting payment, and others that came in during the first thirty days of their term and which were contracted before they came into office, and which have all been paid, amounting to the large sum of $18,875.55

By order,
W. H. HADDAWAY, Prest.

B. P. Cox, Clerk.
June 30, 1891.

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