

only son of the late Judge William Viers Bouic. He was educated at the Rockville Academy and Columbian University, Washington, from which latter institution he graduated in 1867. He was admitted to the bar in 1870. In 1892 Mr. Bouic was a presidential elector, and was Mayor of Rockville for several terms. He was elected to the State Senate in 1897.

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*Prince George's County*—WILLIAM B. CLAGETT, Democrat.

William B. Clagett is a native of Prince George's. He is about forty-five old, and is a son of the late Charles Clagett. In 1894, Mr. Clagett came within one vote of the Democratic nomination for Congress from the fifth district. During the administration of Governor Brown, he was one of the State Tobacco Inspectors. He was elected to the State Senate in 1897.

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*Queen Anne's County*—JAMES E. KIRWIN, Democrat.

Mr. Kirwin was born in Baltimore city, June 9, 1848. His father was Capt. Lemuel Kirwin, of Dorchester county. At the age of 16, he took command of the schooner William Barnes and continued as master of different Chesapeake bay schooners for a number of years. For two years he was department commander of the oyster navy, and was one of the most active men in the service. While still commander of a bay vessel, he engaged in mercantile business in Stevensville, Kent Island, and made himself one of the most successful business men in the county. He is a large real estate owner on Kent Island, and is a director in the Centreville National Bank. He is connected with Arcanna Lodge of Masons, in Baltimore, and is also a member of the Improved Order of Heptasophs and Knights of Pythias on Kent Island.

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*St. Mary's County*—WASHINGTON WILKINSON, Republican.

Washington Wilkinson is now filling his third term as Senator for St. Mary's county. His education was obtained in primary schools of the county. When the Governor's "Green Bag" came down, in 1898, Senator Wilkinson's name was found in it for State Fire Marshal. He was promptly confirmed by his fellow Senators. After he was confirmed, it was discovered that the law that created the office, had been passed in 1894, whilst Mr. Wilkinson was