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tion. This is not in conflict with majority rule, as applied to party, but as applied to government, in something like this. There should also be a law passed to make a party eligible for the same county office for a limited number of years only. It is in the line of progressive thought, now thinks it possible that the Times may at least equal the Baltimore Sun in laying before its readers the Free Thinker's creed. It should be remembered that several Times correspondents lately severely criticized the Free Thinker, and the publication of their "creed" may at least give those unacquainted with them an idea whether justice or injustice has been done.

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What I want to know is what right an official of the county has to shake his fist so vigorously at a peaceful citizen traveling quietly along a public road, as to cause the man's horse to shy and then to talk. The next time this occurs I will notify the Sheriff with reliable sources that a stationary hamlet, misnamed Rover, complains that it is not properly treated in the Times, either in its own or by outside writers. When I was there the village seemed to be all dam, and builders, with visions of a new bridge. Sometimes when there are uppermost in my mind, I want to imagine and say them without injury to myself or others. I think of that romantic place and am glad that it is in the line of progressive thought. The Ice Age is no fiction. Better times are in store for it, however, and I am inclined to believe that a grand era is about to dawn. One of its prominent citizens is said to have bought at one time three watermelons—20 cents each, three for a half dollar, five pounds of sugar and a pound of tobacco. If he had purchased does not preface a "voice dante" at least, I'd like Rover dam well to know what it does for itself.

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LEGAL NOTICES. NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Notice is hereby given that the subscriber of Howard County, has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Howard County, in Maryland, Letters of Administration on the personal estate of JAMES H. BURGESS, late of Howard County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit the same, with vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of February next; they may otherwise be lawfully excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment under my hand this 23rd day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. MARY H. BURGESS, Administratrix. True Copy—Test: ISAAC SCAGGS, Register of Wills for Howard County.

DOES DEATH END ALL? Elsewhere in this issue, Mr. F. B. Livesey, yielding to a request, has furnished us with "The Free Thinker's Creed." It is important that the readers of THE TIMES should know about this creed, what the freethinkers are thinking about as distinguished from the general line of religious belief held by the orthodox world. The creed impresses us with the belief that those who accept its tenets are honest agnostics—actually seeking light, as did the ancient Athenians when they dedicated a monument to the Unknown God. They reasoned that existing gods where there must be a First Great Cause, over and above all the other gods they worshipped. Apparently this was the conclusion they had reached. They vainly endeavored to pierce the gloom of the moral darkness by which they were surrounded. The episode of Paul, the apostle, appearing at Athens seems to furnish the minds of many and more accepted Paul's explanation of their situation as being rational and the only possible solution of the difficulty.

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EXECUTORS SALE. By virtue of the power and authority conferred by the Orphan's Court of Howard County, in Maryland, I, J. H. OWINGS, Clerk of said Court, do hereby sell at public auction, on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M., all that valuable real estate of the said Thomas E. Duval, deceased, consisting of a certain lot of land in the City of Baltimore, in the County of Baltimore, and adjoining the lands of John H. Duval, deceased, and others. It is improved by a COMFORTABLE FRAME DWELLING, and is situated at the corner of the said City of Baltimore, in the County of Baltimore, and is well known to the public. TERMS OF SALE:—One-third cash on day of sale, one-third in one year, and balance in two years, with interest on each installment from day of sale, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the purchaser, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. JNO. G. ROGERS, his Attorney. Jos. W. BERKE, Auctioneer.

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