

WILLIAM C. SHIPLEY, Democrat—Glen Burnie.

Mr. Shipley was born in August, 1873, near Glen Burnie, Anne Arundel County, where he has resided all his life. Mr. Shipley was educated in the public schools of the county. He is a grower of fruits and vegetables and a member of the State Horticultural Society. Has always taken an active interest in politics, but has never held an office before.

JAMES H. MURDOCK, Republican—Annapolis.

James H. Murdock was born in Annapolis September 20, 1845, and attended the public school in that city and St. John's College until it was closed by the breaking out of the Civil War. Learned the trade of tin and sheet iron worker in Annapolis in the year 1870. Went to Baltimore, and was employed by the B. & O. R. R. as a traveling mechanic, remaining with the company until 1886. Returned to Annapolis in 1886, and has been in the grocery business since that time. His parents for four generations back have been life-long Democrats, but he has been voting the Republican ticket since 1868.

CHARLES H. RUSSELL OF J., Republican—Annapolis.

Charles H. Russell of J., was born in Annapolis, Maryland, December 6, 1853. Has been a life-long Republican. He received his schooling in the public and private schools of his city. In 1874 took a course in bookkeeping at Eastman's Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; 1875 entered the oyster packing firm of J. Russell & Co., as clerk; 1881 bought out half interest of oyster firm and entered as one of the partners. He continued in business until 1889, when he and his brother, Benj. T. Russell, established the laundry firm known as the Pearl Steam Laundry Co., of which he is still a member. In 1891 he was appointed by President Harrison as Deputy Collector and Clerk for the port of Annapolis, Md., which position he held four years. In 1896 he was appointed by Gov. Lowndes one of the assessors of property for Annapolis, which lasted four months. In 1898 he was appointed by Gov. Lowndes State Wharfinger (office, Baltimore City). He held this position two years. In 1904 he was elected by the City Council of Annapolis, Maryland, Collector and Treasurer, which position he held one year. He is a member of the following orders: Blue Lodge Masons, Chapter, Templar and Scottish Rights to thirty-second degree; Order of Red Men; Odd Fellows; Annapolis Council, No. 39, Jr. O. U. A. M., and Business Men's Association.