

CHARLES H. GRIFFITH, Democrat—Laytonsville.

Mr. Griffith, son of Elisha R. Griffith, was born in Montgomery County, Md., January 28, 1840. Was educated in the county schools and Rockville Academy. Is a farmer. Was elected County Commissioner in 1883, and served two terms in that position. Was elected Judge of the Orphans' Court in 1891 and re-elected in 1895, and was Chief Judge of the Court from 1895 to 1899. Has served as a member of the State Central Committee of Montgomery County for several terms.

LOUIS B. SCHOLL, Democrat—Dickerson.

Louis B. Scholl is the youngest son of the late Henry Scholl, and was born in the house in which he now resides. Attended the public schools and taught school for five years. Was Register of Voters and Judge of Elections for eighteen years. Has been farming for the last twenty years. His father and grandfather were Democrats.

DAVID H. FENTON, Republican—Kensington.

Mr. Fenton was born in Brompton, Ontario, in 1865, of Scotch-Irish parentage, and at an early age was left an orphan. He attended the graded schools and finished his education under private tutorage. He graduated from the Georgetown University Law School with the degree of L.L.M., engaged in the practice of law, and is a member of the firm of Douglas & Douglas, of Washington.

When a young man he located in Indiana, became interested in politics, and was elected Secretary of the State Senate. He was appointed private secretary to the Hon. Thomas Hammond, who served in the Fifty-third Congress. In 1893 he was appointed Chief of the Division, and later Chief Law Clerk, in the Treasury Department at Washington, and while serving the government he located in Montgomery County. He was nominated by the Republicans for the House of Delegates, and was elected by 112 plurality, being the only Republican elected on the ticket.

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY—*Four Members.*

RICHARD S. HILL, Democrat—Upper Marlboro.

Dr. Hill was born July 9, 1864, near Upper Marlboro, where he now resides upon his farm "Stratford," and is a successful farmer and stockman. He graduated from Georgetown University and practised medicine in Washington, D. C., for five