

age of 17 he was apprenticed to a lock manufacturer and brass finisher. At the age of 25 he married Miss Elizabeth Oliver, of Emmerton, Harford county, Md., to whom nine children were born, eight of them living. He is now manager of an electrical and mechanical works.

THOMAS J. SHEUBROOKS, Democrat—Baltimore.

Mr. Sheubrooks was born in Baltimore, Md., June 8, 1858. He moved to Centreville, Queen Anne's county, Md., and attended the public schools there. He obtained a position with the late John T. Hand, a printer of Centreville, afterwards returning to Baltimore and entering the employ of the Baltimore "Price Current," where he finished his apprenticeship as printer. In April, 1883, he established his own business and has continued it ever since.

ELIAS T. ZIRKLER, Democrat—Baltimore.

Mr. Zirkler was born in East Baltimore on October 29, 1859. He was educated in the public schools of the city and at the age of 14 years went to work in a job printing office, where he learned the business and was employed until 1882, when he secured a position on the Baltimore "Sun," remaining there about 18 years. About eight years ago he started the undertaking business at No. 1739 East Eager street, where he resides with his wife. He has always been a Democrat, this being his first venture in public office.

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JAMES A. DAWKINS, Democrat—Baltimore.

Mr. James A. Dawkins was born September 21, 1845, in Calvert county, Md. He moved to St. Mary's county in the fall of the same year and spent his early life there. In May, 1868, he came to Baltimore and entered the commission business with W. A. Padgett & Co., and has been with the same firm ever since, succeeding the old house now as Dawkins & Duke. He was elected to the Legislature in 1903 from the Sixteenth ward, Third Legislative district, and re-elected in 1905 and 1907, having carried the ward by the largest majority over his Republican opponent that the ward ever gave (591 votes), and the district by nearly 3,000 majority. He has never held any other political office.