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of Worcester county.

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ISIDOR RAYNER,
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LOUIS E. PHELPS.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
THOMAS O'NEILL.

JUDGES OF THE ORPHANS' COURT,
PULASKI DORSEY,
WILLIAM T. DAY,
HENRY MOLLMAN.

COUNTY SURVEYOR,
JOHN T. R. R. CARROLL.

THE ASSESSMENT LAW.

ONE OF THE ALLEGED PROMISES OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

What it Cost and How it Has Increased Taxation—Its Inequalities and Exemptions of Wealth.

The Republican party of Maryland congratulates itself upon its fulfilled promises. One of its promises was a new assessment, and a law authorizing one was passed at the session of the General Assembly in 1896. The demand for a new assessment law arose from the exemptions of wealth and inequalities in assessment. The people wanted all classes of property to be taxed alike at a uniform rate. They wanted all to contribute to the public expense according to their actual worth in real and personal property, as the organic law provides. They believed that an assessment law that would bring all classes of property upon the assessment books and tax all alike, tax rates could be so reduced that the burden of government would be so light as not to embarrass any.

To formulate an entirely fair and equitable assessment law was a matter beset with difficulties. The law which was passed by the Legislature in 1896 did not meet the public demand, and the supplemental bills, demanded by Gov. Lowndes at the command of corporate influences as a condition precedent to his signing the act, made it worse. Instead of making wealth pay its just proportion of the public burden the law deliberately exempts it. Under one of the supplementary acts bonds, certificates of indebtedness and evidences of debt are assessed at their market value and taxed at the regular rate for state purposes and at thirty cents, *and no more*, on the $100 for county, municipal and city purposes. Baltimore city gets the whole thirty cents, but, under a decision of the Court of Appeals, every county has to give to each incorporated city or town in the county one-half of the tax collected on this class of property in the city or town, thus cutting off the revenue for county purposes. And another class of property, such as stock, upon which no dividend was paid in the assessment year, was exempted from any taxation at all. Under this provision it was an easy matter for companies and corporations to pass dividends in order that their stock could escape taxation. Farms are taxed whether they yield a revenue or not, and so are tenantless houses, stores and offices. Farming lands and town and city property is assessed at their cash value, and the assessors adhered pretty closely to the valuation of 1876, when there had been a great depreciation by 1896. It is said instructions were given to assessors to keep up the basis, as a considerable reduction and a consequent increase of the tax rate would seriously react upon the Republican party. While bonds, certificates of indebtedness and evidences of debt pay but 30 cents on the $100 of their market value, real property is taxed at $2.00 in Baltimore city and from 45 cents in Carroll, which has the lowest county tax rate, to $1.12½ in Somerset, which has the highest, and six of the counties have a rate of $1.00 or more.

Mortgages are a favorite security in this State, and many millions of dollars are invested in them. One of the demands of the people was that mortgages should be taxed. The Republican legislature of 1896 inserted a provision for taxing them in the assessment law, section 146 A.

Money invested in mortgages is mostly surplus money—money not needed in actual business or in running a farm. It is essentially wealth, and yet the legislature was very considerate in taxing wealth invested in mortgages. Holders are required to pay eight per cent. of the gross income, two per cent. going to the State and six per cent. for county purposes where the holders reside. A $1,000 mortgage, bearing six per cent., would yield $180—$1.20 going to the State, and $3.60 to the county where the holder resides.

This mortgage tax is another discrimination in favor of wealth as patent as in the discrimination in favor of bonds.

The income from a $10,000 mortgage would yield a tax of $48 in Baltimore or in any county in the State. The tax on a $10,000 house in Baltimore would be $200 for city purposes, and for state purposes, $17.75, or a total of $217.75. This is a discrimination in favor of the holder of the mortgage of $169.75 in taxes.

When there is no income from a mortgage no taxes are paid, but taxes have to be paid upon the more than 7,000 tenantless buildings in Baltimore. And the same is true of tenantless houses, stores, and offices in the towns and other cities of the State.

A $1,000 mortgage will pay a tax, provided there is a six-per cent. income, of $4.80. A $1,000 farm pays a county and State tax in Carroll of $6.27½, and a much higher rate in every other county, reaching the highest point in Somerset, where the tax is $11.25.

Not only is the law discriminating in its provisions in favor of wealth, but it is full of ambiguities and is differently construed throughout the State. The Democrats of the Senate, particularly, made a strong effort to have a fair and equitable law, but they were outvoted and had to sanction the act and the supplementary bills or be placed in the attitude of having accomplished the defeat of an assessment law.

The law is a failure entirely in meeting public expectation. The assessors seem to have nursed their jobs, as the assessment cost fully sixty per cent. more than the assessment of 1876. The cost in a few counties will illustrate this:—The cost of assessment in Dorchester county in 1876 was $5,500. The cost in 1896 was $9,700. In Washington county in 1876 the cost was $7,835.25 and in 1896 $20,622.51. In Prince George's county in 1876 $8,591.58 and in 1896 $12,610.66. In Wicomico $2,900 in 1876 and $4,943 58 in 1896. In Carroll in 1876 $8,011, in 1896 nearly $13,000. In Allegany in 1876 $6,929, in 1896 $8,738.21.

The assessment was stretched out over seven months in the counties and much longer in the city of Baltimore. The new basis was first used in 1897, and the very next year over $4,000,000 had been taken from the books. The table below will show the basis in 1896 and in 1898. It will be seen that the increase was about $63,000,000, about all of it in Baltimore city,

ASSESSED VALUE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

	1896	1898
Allegany	$ 16,478,481	$ 16,238,750
Anne Arundel	10,824,817	11,969,427
Baltimore City	293,398,375	331,514,032
Baltimore	47,713,874	67,541,824
Calvert	2,041,520	2,187,006
Caroline	4,426,389	4,668,185
Carroll	15,624,677	16,123,876
Cecil	12,995,804	11,446,771
Charles	3,361,148	3,516,354
Dorchester	4,434,644	6,516,051
Frederick	23,453,842	29,292,239
Garrett	4,319,886	6,754,091
Harford	12,581,788	12,295 276
Howard	7,589,975	8,956,367
Kent	7,808,823	7,554,299
Montgomery	11,510,125	11,753,420
Prince George's	9,539,012	10,983,754
Queen Anne's	7,368,051	8,481,935
Somerset	4,179,189	4,365,654
St. Mary's	2,725,734	3,094,708
Talbot	8,597,574	8,103,532
Washington	18,181,242	18,880,930
Wicomico	4,454,892	4,855,597
Worcester	4,992,885	5,327,366
	$540,461,747	$603,326,096

The basis in the counties is about what it was before the reassessment, and the discriminating rates in taxation in favor of wealth, has caused a general average increase of about 2¼ cents in county taxation. The following table of tax rates for the counties will show this. It will be observed, if a calculation is made, that the average rate in 1895 was 85 5-6 cents on the $100, and in 1898 it was 88 1-23.

TAX RATES FOR 1895 AND 1898.

	1895.	1898.
Allegany	$ .92	$ .87
Anne Arundel	.98	1.01
Baltimore county	.70	.80
Calvert	1.10	.96
Caroline	1.00	1.12½
Carroll	.42	.45
Cecil	.75	.90
Charles	1.03	1.01
Dorchester	.98½	1.02½
Frederick	.67	.84
Garrett	1.10	.83
Harford	.70	.88
Howard	.66⅔	.75
Kent	.94	.93
Montgomery	.89½	.88½
Prince George's	.85	.90
Queen Anne's	.85	1.00
Somerset	1.22½	1.12½
St. Mary's	1.00	.86
Talbot	.84	.99
Washington	.73	.70
Wicomico	.80½	.80½
Worcester	1.00	.85
	$20.05⅔	$20.58½

The assessable basis of the counties is $271,812,064, and 2¼ cents on this is $61,157.71. For the new assessment, upon which the Republican party bases a part of its claim to a renewed lease of power, the people of the counties of Maryland paid over $200,000, and are now paying annually $61,157.71 more in taxes than before the assessment was made. These are facts that speak for themselves. The people can readily understand them, and can judge whether the Republican record on the assessment entitles that party to their gratitude or votes.

As was hoped for and looked for, the candidacy of I. Thomas Jones, associate judge of the Fifth judicial district, for the chief judgeship of the circuit, has been announced. This announcement probably carries with it the approval of nine-tenths of the right-thinking people of the district. While a Democrat the judge is essentially non-partisan, as shown by his long and distinguished services on the bench. As a chief judge he would enter the Court of Appeals familiar with every phase of judicial procedure and with a character for probity satisfactory to all who appreciate the importance maintaining an unspotted judiciary.

It was with considerable surprise that when the Howard county Republican ticket was scanned the name of Mr. George Day was found to be missing, says the Baltimore American of Sunday last. The Republican ship has had a tempestuous time in Howard county and Mr. Day as far as we can learn, was thrown overboard to be swallowed by a fish. When he is finally thrown out upon the shore like the Jonah of old, he may be found preaching in the streets of the Republican Ninevah.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THIRTEENTH QUARTERLY STATEMENT OF THE TREASURER AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR HOWARD COUNTY

In accordance with the requirements of an Act passed by the General Assembly of Maryland, January session, 1896, the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of Howard county, hereby makes report to the County Commissioners of the amounts received and disbursed for the quarter ending September 1st, 1899:

LEVY, 1899.
Total collected to quarter ending September 1st.....$36,420 03
CR.
Paid out by order County Commissioners.....$12,957 69
Balance on hand.....23,462 43 — $36,420 03

LEVY 1898.
Balance on hand end last quarter, June 1st.....$ 3,284 40
Collected to end quarter, Sept. 1st.....3,162 45
CR.
Paid out by order Commissioners.....$ 4,087 42
Balance on hand.....2,359 43 — $ 6,446 85

STATE ACCOUNT—LEVY 1898.
Balance on hand quarter ending June 1st.....$ 299 22
Collected to quarter ending Sept. 1st.....535 56
CR.
By check to State Treasurer $ 600 00
Balance on hand.....234 78 — $ 834 78

LEVY 1899.
To'al collected to September 1st.....$ 8,766 61
By check to State Treasurer $ 8,550 00
Balance on hand.....216 61 — $ 8,766 61

FRANK PARLETT,
Treasurer and Collector.

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GEORGE W. NORRIS,
Ellicott City, Md.
Or call at THE TIMES office.

ESTRAY.

Came to my premises about the middle of June last, TWO CALVES, one a bull, red, and the other a cow, red and white, six or seven months' old. The owner is requested to call, prove property, pay charges and take them away.

S. S. CASHELL,
Clarksville, Md.

PRIVATE SCHOOL.

MISS L. ESTELLE KIRKWOOD will reopen her PRIVATE SCHOOL ON SEPTEMBER 11, 1899, in the Kirkwood Building, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall, Ellicott City.

NOTICE.

The ORPHANS' COURT will meet on the First and Third Tuesday of every month for the transaction of business.

ISAAC SCAGGS, Register of Wills.

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Leave Dayton 7.00, Clarksville 8.00 A. M. Returning, leave Ellicott City at 2.30 P. M.

SELECT SCHOOL.

Miss ELLA MORROW and Miss McCACHRAN will reopen their Select School, Wednesday, September twentieth. ENGLISH COURSE, FRENCH AND MUSIC. A limited number of five day boarding pupils taken. For terms, etc., address

Miss ELLA MORROW,
Ellicott City, Md.

SCHOOL BOARD NOTICE.

The School Board will meet the first Tuesday of each month, at 10 A. M. The Examiner may be seen at the office the day before the Board meets, and the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month. By order of Board,

P. T. HARMAN,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

All persons who purpose placing broken stone on roads in Howard County, will first apply to the County Commissioners and sign an agreement; no person to put less than twenty-five, nor more than one hundred perches of stone on roads in any one year.

By order of the Board,
W. J. ROBINSON, Clerk.

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NOTICE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, Ellicott City, April 12, 1899.

The Mayor and City Council will meet on the FIRST TUESDAY of each and every month at 8 o'clock P. M.

By order of Mayor and City Council,
JAMES E. VANSANT,
Register.

ROAD NOTICE.

This is to give notice, that the undersigned and other tax-payers will petition to the County Commissioners of Howard county, at their meeting on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1899, to locate, condemn and open a public road from the Old Annapolis Road, on the line between the farms of Mrs. Horatio Griffith and Mrs. Junkins and through the farm of Thomas Justus, to the Patuxent River, in the Fourth district.

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THOMAS JUSTUS,
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PUBLIC SALES.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF A—
VALUABLE FARM IN THE FIFTH DISTRICT OF HOWARD COUNTY.

The undersigned, acting for the heirs of the late John L. Manakee, will offer at public sale, ON THE PREMISES, at Clarksville, in the Fifth district of Howard county, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1899,

at 2 o'clock P. M., the farm on which the late John L. Manakee resided at the time of his death, adjoining the farms of Bradley Zepp and Andrew Adams,

CONTAINING 123 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, improved by a COMFORTABLE DWELLING, barn, stabling and all necessary outbuildings. The farm is in a fine state of cultivation, well watered and wooded, and has a good apple orchard.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third cash on day of sale, balance with mortgage on place if desired, or all cash at the option of the purchaser, the credit payments to bear interest from day of sale and be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned.

JOHN W. MANAKEE,
For the heirs.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale on the place where he now resides, farm of Mrs. Margaret Manakee, AT CLARKSVILLE, Howard county, on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1899,

at 10 o'clock A. M., regardless of the weather, the following valuable personal property, viz: FOUR HEAD OF FINE WORK HORSES, two of which are good drivers and one a fine leader; 4 HEAD OF FINE MILCH COWS (Jerseys), two fresh by day of sale, the others by first of November; 1 Four-horse Broad tread Wagon, nearly new; 2 Hay Carriages, one with lime body; 1 Wagon Body, 1 DEERING BINDER AND 1 DEERING MOWER, both nearly new; 1 Bickford & Huffman Grain Drill, nearly new; Three-horse Syracuse Plow, nearly new; 1 18-tooth Spring Harrow, 2 Double Shovels, Single Shovel Plow, Hay Rake, 1 new Grain Cradle, 2 sets of Breechings, 2 sets Lead Harness, Wagon Saddle, lead line and rein, bridles, collars, and every thing complete for a four-horse team; 1 set Buggy Harness, forks, hoes, shovels, mattocks, digging bar and other articles too numerous to mention. A LOT OF DAIRY FIXTURES, consisting of Churn, Butter-worker, Cooler, Crocks, Scales, Print, &c. Also, about 200 BARRELS OF PRIME YELLOW CORN in shock. Fodder from 30 acres of ground, about 25 TONS PRIME TIMOTHY HAY, Rick of Straw. The above articles will be sold without reserve.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; all over that amount a credit of twelve months will be given, purchasers giving their notes with approved security, bearing interest from date, and payable at the Patapsco National Bank of Ellicott City. No goods to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

ADOLPHUS JOHNSON.
WM. T. HOBBS, Auctioneer.
A. HOWARD, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY AND REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale ON HIS FARM NEAR MARRIOTTSVILLE, in the Third district of Howard county, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1899,

at one o'clock P. M., regardless of the weather, the following valuable personal property, viz: ONE GOOD WORK HORSE, 1 Fine Cow, 1 Sow and Pigs, 1 fat Hog, 1 Boar, Buggy, Horse-Cart and Harness, set Buggy Harness, 2 sets Plow Harness, lot Horse Collars, Seed Plow, Cultivator, Double Shovel Plow, Single Shovel Plow, Drag, Spring-tooth Harrow, 75 bus. Potatoes, 10 ACRES CORN IN SHOCK, 5 bbls. good Cider and a lot of Chickens. HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE consisting of 1 good Walnut Bedstead, 1 doz. Oak Dining Room Chairs and Rocker, 50 yds. Matting, 25 yds. Carpet, 2 Rugs, 5 Lamps, 3 pairs Bronze Vases, 1 good Dining Room Stove, 1 doz. Window Blinds, 1 large Picture, 1 new Excelsior Cook-Stove, No. 8; 2 Preserving Kettles, 2 pairs Flat Irons, 1 Tea Set, good Wash Boiler and Tub, lot Dishes and Glassware, good churn, dozen Milk Pots, Butter Print and Scales, Mattock, Crowbar, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of nine months will be given, purchasers giving their notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale. No goods to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Also, at the same time and place, the undersigned will offer his

FARM CONTAINING 65 ACRES,

more or less, with good implements consisting of a seven room Dwelling with fine cellar, good barn, dairy and fine young apple orchard. Adjoins the lands of William Davis.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash, the balance in six and twelve months, deferred payments to be satisfactorily secured. A deposit of $50 will be required.

HARRY M. AKERS.
MARCELLUS WRIGHT, Auctioneer.
O. P. CROSS, Clerk.

MORTGAGE SALE
—OF—
PROPERTY SITUATED NEAR ATHOLTON, HOWARD COUNTY, MD.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage from Rudolph Palau and Ottilie Palau, his wife, to John H. Owings, trustee, dated July 22nd, 1895, and recorded among the land records of Howard county in Liber J. H. O., No. 63, folio 418, &c., I, as assignee of said mortgage, will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE COURT HOUSE DOOR, IN ELLICOTT CITY, Howard county, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1899,

at 11 o'clock A. M., the property granted by said mortgage, consisting of about

40 ACRES, 1 ROOD AND 30 SQUARE PERCHES OF LAND,

improved by a FRAME DWELLING HOUSE with 5 rooms, nearly new; STABLE and necessary outbuildings. The property is well wooded and watered. This property is situated on the Columbia Road, near Atholton P. O. in said Howard county, and adjoins the lands of Charles Volckmun and others.

TERMS:—One-fourth cash on day of sale, one-fourth within six and the balance within twelve months, the credits to bear interest and to be satisfactorily secured.

J. MALCOLM DORSEY,
Assignee.
MICHAEL H. COONEY, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Will be sold by the subscriber, AT HER RESIDENCE on the WASHINGTON ROAD, 2 miles from Elkridge, in the First district of Howard county, on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1899,

at 10 o'clock A. M., regardless of the weather, the following valuable personal property, viz: One Parlor Set, 1 first-class Piano, 1 very fine Organ, Dining Room Set, Sitting Room Set, 3 Bedroom Sets, Hair Mattresses, Pillows and Bolsters, Blankets, Quilts and Spreads, Pictures and Mirrors, Window Curtains, Carpets, Mattings and Rugs, Hall Rack, Bookcase, Rocking Chairs, Wilson Sewing Machine, Writing Desk, Miller Fire-proof Safe, Gasoline Stove, Heating Stoves, large amount of very fine Dishes and Lamps, Kitchen Furniture, consisting in part of Cooking Utensils, Tables, Cupboard, Chairs, Flat irons, &c. Also, Preserve Jars, Preserving Kettles and Milk Jars. The furniture mentioned above is first-class, much of it being mahogany and walnut with marble tops. Also, 1 Horse, Dayton Wagon and Harness, Spring Wagon, Side Saddle, Riding Saddle, Dog House, lot Coal, Carpenter's Tool Chest with tools, Gun, lot Garden Tools, a Refrigerator and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of nine months will be given, purchasers giving their notes with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale and payable at the Patapsco National Bank of Ellicott City.

MRS. ISABELLA MACKINTOSH.
M. H. COONEY, Auctioneer.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ORDER NISI.

In the matter of the Sale of the Real Estate of THOMAS E. DUVALL, deceased. } In the Orphans' Court of Howard county.

Ordered this 19th day of September, 1899, by the Orphans' Court of Howard county, that the sale made and reported by Wm. H. Hobbs, executor of Thomas E. Duvall, deceased, of the real estate of said deceased, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 19th day of October next; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Howard county once in each of three successive weeks before the 19th day of October next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $2,665.00.

JAS. A. CURTIS,
HERMAN D. WEHLAND, } Judges.
True Copy—Test:
ISAAC SCAGGS,
Register of Wills for Howard County.

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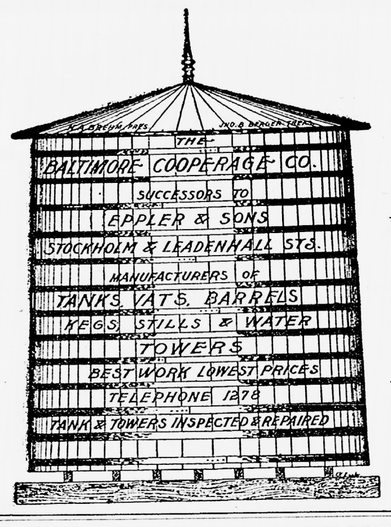

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REGISTRATION NOTICE, 1899.

INTERMEDIATE REGISTRATION.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections of Howard county, in the State of Maryland, hereby give notice that there will be a revision of the general registration of 1899 held by the Board of Registry of each precinct and district in Howard county of all persons qualified to register under the provisions of the laws of the State of Maryland.

THE SEVERAL SITTINGS OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRY WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

FIRST SITTING TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3RD.

SECOND SITTING, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10TH.

On Tuesday, October 17th, the said Board of Registry will meet for the revision of their registry, upon which day no new names will be added to said registry.

The hours at which said Board of Registry will hold their sessions for registration and revision will be from

EIGHT O'CLOCK A. M. TO SEVEN O'CLOCK P. M.

The places of meeting of the Board of Registry for registration and revision for the several Election districts and Election precincts of said Election districts will be as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT,
The residence of William H. Trainor, Elkridge.

SECOND DISTRICT—FIRST PRECINCT,
At the storehouse of James T. Bierley, on Main street, below Howard House, Ellicott City.

SECOND DISTRICT—SECOND PRECINCT,
In storehouse of Charles Buetelsch, on Main street, Ellicott City.

THIRD DISTRICT,
At the store of Thomas S. Cross, West Friendship.

FOURTH DISTRICT,
At the residence of John A. Esworthy, Lisbon.

FIFTH DISTRICT,
At the residence of Fred. Wossowski, Clarksville.

SIXTH DISTRICT,
At the store of Phillips & Hammond, Savage.

WALTER S. BLACK,
WILLIAM H. COLE,
LE PAGE CRONMILLER,
Board of Supervisors of Elections for Howard county.
Test:—WM. A. MAKINSON, Clerk.

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Yeast Powder, a full 16 oz. can, per can.....8c
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