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## MEMBERS REGISTERED

AT THE

## SECOND ANNUAL MEETING.

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ADKINS, WM. H.....	Easton.
ARMSTRONG, ALEXANDER.....	Hagerstown.
BRENT, ROBERT F.....	Baltimore.
BARNES, A. P.....	Snow Hill.
BROENING, HENRY J.....	Baltimore.
BERNARD, RICHARD.....	Baltimore.
BRANTLEY, WM. T.....	Baltimore.
CAMPBELL, PETER J.....	Baltimore.
DUER, ROBERT F.....	Princess Anne.
ELLEGOOD, JAS. E.....	Salisbury.
FINKE, CHAS. E.....	Westminster.
GRAHAM, ROBERT P.....	Salisbury.
GRAY, JOHN B.....	Prince Frederick.
GRIFFIN, EDWIN J.....	Baltimore.
HOLLAND, CHAS. S.....	Salisbury.
HENNING, DAVID N.....	Westminster.
HAYES, THOS. G.....	Baltimore.
HINKLEY, JOHN.....	Baltimore.
HISKEY, THOS. FOLKY.....	Baltimore.
HOULTON, SAMUEL C.....	Baltimore.
LEGG, J. H. C.....	Centreville.
LANE, J. CLARENCE.....	Hagerstown.
LANKFORD, H. FILLMORE.....	Princess Anne.
LANKFORD, CHAS. P.....	Crisfield.
MOTTER, JOHN C.....	Frederick.
MCMASTER, W. S.....	Princess Anne.
MARTIN, W. R.....	Easton.
MCShERRY, JAMES.....	Frederick.
MULLIN, MICHAEL A.....	Baltimore.

MACKENZIE, GEORGE NORBURY .....	Baltimore.
NILES, ALFRED S. ....	Baltimore.
PASCAULT, ALEXIS A. ....	Easton.
PURNELL, CLAYTON. ....	Frostburg.
PAGE, HENRY. ....	Princess Anne.
POE, JOHN P. ....	Baltimore.
PURNELL, GEORGE. ....	Snow Hill.
PURNELL, J. CLAYTON. ....	Snow Hill.
PHELPS, CHAS. E. ....	Baltimore.
PEARCE, JAS. A. ....	Chestertown.
ROBINSON, THOS. H. ....	Bel Air.
REQUARDT, J. FRED. ....	Baltimore.
ROBERTSON, ALEX. H. ....	Baltimore.
RILEY, ELIHU S. ....	Annapolis.
RHODES, FRANK V. ....	Baltimore.
SAMS, CONWAY W. ....	Baltimore.
SLOANE, DAVID W. ....	Cumberland.
SHARP, ALFRED LEE. ....	Easton.
STRITE, A. C. ....	Hagerstown.
SHARP, GEO. M. ....	Baltimore.
TIPPETT, RICHARD B. ....	Baltimore.
TULL, GORDON. ....	Princess Anne.
TIERNAN, CHAS. B. ....	Baltimore.
TAYLOR, CALVIN B. ....	Berlin.
TRUNDLE, W. BURNS. ....	Baltimore.
VICKERS, H. W. ....	Chestertown.
WILSON, GEO. W. ....	Easton.
WATERS, LEVIN L. ....	Princess Anne.
WATERS, HENRY G. ....	Princess Anne.
WHITELOCK, GEORGE. ....	Baltimore.
Number registered. ....	59 members.



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OCEAN CITY, MD., *July 28th*, 1897.

The first session of the Second Annual Meeting of the Maryland State Bar Association was called to order by the President (Judge McSherry) in the chair, at 3 o'clock P. M., July 28th, 1897.

The President then delivered his Annual Address. (See Appendix.)

The President: The next business is report of the Committee on Admissions and Election of New Members.

Mr. Hinkley: The Committee on Admissions report in favor of the election of the following gentlemen as members of the Association :

*Members Recommended and Elected July 28th, 1897.*

LEVIN L. WATERS.....	Princess Anne.
JOSHUA W. MILES.....	Princess Anne.
LOUIS D. SYESTER.....	Hagerstown.
JAMES W. THOMAS.....	Cumberland.
VINCENT SEBOLD.....	Frederick.
WILLIAM H. BAYLISS.....	Baltimore.
THOMAS B. MACKALL.....	Baltimore.
PHILIP BARTLEY WATTS.....	Baltimore.
HENRY J. BROENING.....	Baltimore.
ROBERT F. BRENT.....	Baltimore.
ALFRED S. NILES.....	Baltimore.
FRANK V. RHODES.....	Baltimore.
J. UPSHUR DENNIS.....	Baltimore.
HUGO STEINER.....	Baltimore.
MICHAEL A. MULLIN.....	Baltimore.
EDWIN JEROME GRIFFIN.....	Baltimore.
HENRY D. LONEY.....	Baltimore.
PERCY C. HENNINGHAUSEN.....	Baltimore.
JAMES W. DENNY.....	Baltimore.
CHARLES E. SHANAHAN.....	Baltimore.
CHARLES HERZOG.....	Baltimore.
JOHN R. PATTISON.....	Cambridge.
GEO. M. RUSSUM.....	Denton.
FERDINAND WILLIAMS.....	Cumberland.
WM. KEALHOFER.....	Hagerstown.
LLOYD LOWNDES.....	Cumberland.
GEO. R. WILLIS.....	Baltimore.
CHAS. F. HARLEY.....	Baltimore.
HARRY E. MANN.....	Baltimore.
SAMUEL C. HOULTON.....	Baltimore.
ROBERT F. DUER.....	Somerset County.
JOHN D. URIB.....	Chestertown.
LEVIN W. WICKES.....	Chestertown.
WILLIAM W. BECK.....	Chestertown.
WM. M. STAY.....	Chestertown.
R. D. HYNSON.....	Chestertown.
THOMAS W. SIMMONS.....	Cambridge.
GEO. W. COVINGTON.....	Princess Anne.
GORDON TULL.....	Princess Anne.
W. S. McMASTER.....	Princess Anne.
HARRISON W. VICKERS.....	Chestertown.
ALFRED L. THARP.....	Easton.
JAS. H. COVINGTON.....	Easton.

*Members Recommended by the Committee on Admissions,  
July 29th—Morning Session.*

THOS. J. MORRIS.....	Baltimore.
L. E. MCCOMAS.....	Washington County.
WILLIAM A. FISHER.....	Baltimore.
RICHARD B. TIPPETT.....	Baltimore.
THOMAS IRELAND ELLIOTT.....	Baltimore.
HENRY F. WINGERT.....	Hagerstown.
PHILLIPS L. GOLDSBOROUGH.....	Cambridge.

*Members Recommended by the Committee on Admissions,  
July 29th—Afternoon Session.*

CLAYLAND MULLIKIN .....	Easton.
COLVIN B. TAYLOR.....	Berlin.

Mr. Whitelock: I move that the Secretary cast the ballot of the Association for the admission of the gentlemen whose names have just been read.

The motion was seconded, and, on the question being put, was adopted, and the Secretary accordingly cast the ballot of the Association for the gentlemen favorably reported by the Committee on Admissions and they were declared duly elected members of the Association.

Mr. Hinkley: The Constitution provides that no one can join the Association unless a member of his Local Bar Association. There is now in the Constitution an exception in favor of the Judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, but by an oversight this exception does not cover the case of Federal Judges nor the Baltimore City Judge of the Court of Appeals; the Committee, therefore, recommends that Article IV of the Constitution be amended by striking out the words: "Members of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City" and inserting in lieu thereof, "*State or Federal Judges.*"

The motion was seconded, and, on the question being put, it was decided in the affirmative and the amendment adopted.