

active interest in local politics in 1887, when he was elected Sheriff of the county, being the only successful candidate on the Republican ticket that year." During the Harrison administration he held a position in the internal revenue service, and was afterwards promoted to the important Indian agency at Anadarko, Indian Territory. Into the campaign of 1895, in Howard county, Mr. Day threw a surprising amount of energy. Besides being a practical "worker" in politics, he became an effective stump speaker. Because of the bolt in the Republican county convention, he lost not a few votes, but he knew them all, and where he found it impossible to win back to the support of the ticket his party followers, he got out and hustled for the votes of anti-Gorman Democrats. He made good use of the opportunity for carrying the county for the entire Republican county and State ticket. Mr. Day's majority was 323, reversing the normal Democratic majority in the county. The Senator has large business interests in the fourth district, being engaged in storekeeping, and also running a saw and grist mill, a creamery, and two or three farms. He has been quite successful in all his enterprises. He is married. All his life he has been known as a temperance advocate. Senator Day did not fare so well in the appointments of the Governor. He expressed his ill-fortune in an epigrammatic way: "He had been locked out of the State House." He was very independent in his votes in the Senate. He was on committee on inspections, on committee on agriculture and labor, on committee on pensions, on committee on temperance, on committee on roads and highways, of the last Senate.

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*Kent County.*—CHARLES T. WESTCOTT.

Charles T. Westcott was born at the old Westcott homestead in Chestertown, on January 8th, 1848, his father being the late George B. Westcott, a successful merchant, and for many years president of what is now the Chestertown National Bank. As a boy Mr. Westcott attended the public school of Chestertown and later entered Washington College, from which he graduated in 1866. After graduating from a business college in Baltimore, in 1867, he entered the law office, of the late Richard Hynson, and in 1869 entered the Law School of Columbia College, New York, graduating in 1871, and the same year returned to Chestertown and entered upon