

fifty-six years of age. Mr. Applegarth was educated at St. John's College. He taught school in the county for about fifteen years. He has been engaged in the mercantile business for a long period. He was elected to the House of Delegates of 1894. He is a director in the Dorchester National Bank. He was elected to the State Senate in 1897.

Senator Applegarth is one of the workers of the Senate, and has taken a high standard of legislative excellence for his model.

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*Frederick County*—JACOB ROHRBACK, Democrat.

Mr. Rohrback was born August 23, 1863, at Frederick City, his father being Martin N. Rohrback. He was educated at the public schools and at Frederick College, of Frederick; entered Mount Saint Mary's College, near Emmittsburg, in 1877, and graduated in 1882. He read law with William P. Maulsby, of Frederick, and entered the University of Maryland School of Law, at Baltimore, in 1884, from which he graduated in May, 1885, since which time he has engaged in the practice of his profession in Frederick. In 1887 he was elected on the Democratic ticket as a member of the House of Delegates from Frederick county, receiving a majority of 213 votes. In the session of the Legislature of 1888, he was a member of the Judiciary and other important committees.

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*Garrett County*—ROBERT A. RAVENSCROFT, Republican.

Dr. Robert A. Ravenscroft was born in Allegany county. His education was begun in the public schools of Allegheny and continued in the Academy of Cumberland, Maryland, and the Shenandoah Normal College of Virginia. He taught in the public schools. In 1887 he took a year's course in the Medical College of Louisville, Kentucky, and in the fall of 1888, entered the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Baltimore, graduating in 1889. He came to Garrett county, and located in Accident, and began the practice of his profession. In 1893 he was nominated by the Republicans for State Senator, and elected. He was re-elected to the State Senate in 1897.

His service in the Senate has been active and intelligent, and displayed a broad-minded policy in dealing with all the affairs of State.