

ber of the Maryland and District of Columbia Bars. He served with the 17th Air Depot Group, AAF, in European, Asiatic, and Middle Eastern Theatres, entering as 1st Lieutenant and discharged as Major, 1942-1945; He was Secretary Chevy Chase Citizens Committee, Section I and II, 1939-1941; member of the House of Delegates since 1947. Member Board of Trustees Suburban Hospital, Bethesda; Montgomery County Planning Committee.

GEORGE EDWARD CODDINGTON, Republican, Garrett County; born at Oakland, Maryland, December 25, 1899. He attended the public schools of Garrett County. Chauffeur for the State Roads Commission. He served for four years as Sheriff of Garrett County. Elected to the House of Delegates, 1946.

NOEL SPEIR COOK, Republican, Allegany County; born at Frostburg, Maryland, November 13, 1905. He attended the public schools at Frostburg, the Frostburg State Teachers College, and the Law School of the University of Maryland, graduating in 1930. Attorney. City Attorney for Lonaconing, Maryland, four years; elected to House of Delegates 1946.

ROBERT VERNON COOKSEY, Republican, Charles County; born, Mt. Victoria, Maryland, April 29, 1890. He attended the public schools of Charles County. Merchant. He has served as Sheriff of Charles County, 1930-1943; 1938-1942; State Senator, 1935-1939; elected to House of Delegates 1946.

JOSEPH ALBERT CURRY, Democrat, Baltimore 6th; born in Baltimore, September 19, 1905. He attended Our Lady of Good Counsel School. Longshoreman. Elected to House of Delegates 1946.

THOMAS FRANCIS DEMPSEY, Democrat, Baltimore 3rd; born in Hamilton, Baltimore County, September 6, 1914. He attended St. Paul's School, Baltimore; Calvert Hall; and the University of Baltimore, graduating in 1938. Member of the Bar since 1941. Member of the House of Delegates since 1939.

*RILLIE P. DENNIS, Democrat, Worcester County; born October 30, 1882. Farmer. Member of the House of Delegates since 1943.

JAMES J. DERAN, JR., Democrat, Harford County; born at Clover Lick, West Virginia, October 5, 1906. He attended public schools in West Virginia and Maryland and the University of Maryland, graduating in 1928. He is engaged in the real estate and insurance business. Elected to the House of Delegates 1942.

MELVIN HARRISON DERR, Republican, Frederick County; born at Walkersville, Maryland, September 7, 1910. He attended the public schools of Frederick County and the University of Maryland, graduating in 1931. Insurance agent. Member of the 253rd Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion U. S. Army, 1944-1945, in European Theatre. Elected to House of Delegates 1946.

FRANCIS X. DIPPPEL, Democrat, Baltimore 3rd; born in Baltimore, November 23, 1916. He attended St. Patrick's School, Calvert Hall, the University of Maryland, graduating in 1936; LL. B. from the University of Baltimore 1946. An attorney and a funeral director, he is presently engaged in active legal practice. He was elected to the House of Delegates in 1946.