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# Kent News.

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## Spring Styles!

Hats, Hats, Hats

Hats for SPRING WEAR are here—the shades are new, and one of the best hat makers said only a few days ago that the shapes were more becoming than he had ever known them.

Our hat business has grown to be a great one—due we believe to the large and careful selected stock we carry. The hard to please gentleman can always find a hat here to fit his head, and please his fancy, and at a price too, sometimes fifty or seventy five cents less than the same goods are sold for elsewhere.

## 1-4

For a few days longer we will continue to dispose of Heavy Clothing and Underwear at one-quarter off the regular price. Our Spring Suits are beginning to arrive, and we'll soon be compelled to pack away our few remaining white goods to give room for the new.

Yours for business,

## J. D. Lucas

## FOR SALE!

COW PEAS
$2.75 bushel—New Era, Whippowill and Mixed.

WHITE SILVER SKIN ONION SETS
$2.75 to $3.00 bushel. Yellow Skin Onion Sets, $2.50 to $3.00 bushel.

MAINE GROWN SEED POTATOES at $2.25 to $2.50 bag—bought of growers on Presque Isle, Maine, and every potato true to name.

BLACK EYED MARROWFAT PEAS—$2.00 bushel—(sow in March and harvest a great crop of hay the latter part of May.)

MEDIUM CLOVER SEED
$7.75 and $8.00 bushel.

CRIMSON CLOVER SEED
$3.75 and $4.00 bushel.

JOSEPH E. HOLLAND,
m9-4t MILFORD, DEL.

DR. FRANK B. HINES,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.
Office at residence of Dr. W. F. Hines.

JOSEPH N. WHEATLEY & CO.
INSURANCE.
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

HARRY L. BOYD,
FIRE INSURANCE.
—NEWS BUILDING—
Feb.20-1yr. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

ANDREW W. VANSANT,
AUCTIONEER,
CHESTERVILLE, MD.
Will arrange to call sales on short notice anywhere in Kent, Cecil and Queen Anne counties, at a moderate price, or one-half of one per cent. References—Mr. James F. M. Woodall, Mr. Andrew Woodall, Capt. J. E. Woodall, all of Georgetown, Md.; Messrs. W. A. Hyland and J. E. Ireland, Galena Md. j19-tf.

SPECIAL LIMITED SALE
—ON—
## Mother's Oats.

Every package contains a coupon. For 12 coupons we give one box of oats, or 9 cents in trade or 6 cents cash. Letters will be redeemed as coupons until July 1st, 1907.
For sale by
GEORGE Z. ROLAND,
Chestertown, Md.

Write, Wire or Phone to
BOLGIANO
—For—



## Cow Peas

Although very scarce we are prepared to supply ALL LEADING VARIETIES. Write for quotations.

BOLGIANO'S GOLD BRAND
of Red Clover, Alsyke, Crimson Clover, Orchard Grass, Red Top, Kentucky Blue Grass, Etc., it is the BEST SEED possible to buy—write for samples. Choice Maine Grown Potatoes at attractive prices.
1907 CATALOGUE FREE.

J. BOLGIANO & SON,
GARDEN, FIELD AND FLOWER SEEDS
BALTIMORE, - - - - MARYLAND

THE
## Chestertown Bank
OF MARYLAND.

*SUCCESSOR TO THE FARMERS AND MECHANICS BANK, THE KENT NATIONAL BANK, AND THE CHESTERTOWN NATIONAL BANK.*

## Burglary Insurance

That protects against day light holdups as well as robery at night.
We pay interest on deposits in Savings Department.
Loans made on Approved notes, Stocks, Bonds and Real Estate.
We wouldbe glad to have you call and talk over with us any Banking Matter that may interest you.

ALDAY CLEMENTS, President; R. D. HYNSON, Vice-President;
M. DEK. SMITH, Attorney; ALLAN A. HARRIS, Cashier.

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## WE HAVE TRIED

By means of this paper and in other ways to call your attention to the advantages of THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK.

We have not done this simply to increase our deposits, but to impress upon your minds THE VALUE OF A DOLLAR and THE IMPORTANCE OF SAVING THEM.

It is not our ambition merely to secure your account, but WE DESIRE TO TEACH YOU THE GOOD HABIT OF SAVING.

There are so many who put off saving in the radiant June of their lives, and then allow pitiless December find them ABSOLUTELY UNPREPARED.

As the world grows older the general condition of our people should IMPROVE and THE KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK is here to help and to serve you.

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## GALENA BANK
—OF THE—
## Farmers Trust, Banking & Deposit Company

[Paid In Capital and Surplus, $225,000.]

☞TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.
☞WE PAY 4 PER CENT. INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

JOHN W. WOODLAND, President, Baltimore, Md.
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IF YOU WANT A
## GAS ENGINE
MARINE OR STATIONARY
LET US SHOW YOU WHY YOU SHOULD USE
## THE FAIRBANKS
INSTALLING A SPECIALTY
WILBUR ELIASON, JR., CHESTERTOWN, MD.


### ROOMS FOR RENT.

We have a nice large room on first floor and two on second floor suitable for man and wife or two gentlemen. Good table board at reasonable rates. Address or call at
LOUD HOUSE,
m9-4t Chestertown, Md.

### FOR RENT.

HOUSE AND STORE.

A Large New 11-Room House, also Store adjoining, in Chestertown, near Basket Factory. This is a splendid Boarding House stand—has trade right there and former tenants did well. The store is a nice one and could be made a good stand. Rent reasonable to good tenant.
Apply to
m9-3t W. W. HUBBARD.

### LAMBS WANTED.

I am still in the stock business and am in a position to pay the highest market price for good lambs for the Philadelphia market. I solicit all my old customers to see me before selling and ask for new customers as I will pay the highest cash price.
S. GROLLMAN,
2mch-3mos. Worton R. R.

### FOR SALE.

FINE FARM, beautifully located, high and healthy. Seeing is believing. High state of cultivation, fine dwelling and necessary outbuildings. Fruit, truck and grain farm, convenient to markets for crops and poultry. Horses, Cows, Sheep at private sale. Farming Implements. Terms easy.
H. H. KIMBALL,
j5-3m. Rock Hall, Md.

### MUSIC.

I am prepared to give MUSIC LESSONS. Special attenion given to beginners. Terms $5 per quarter.
MRS. W. A. SMITH,
Park Row,
mh23-4t.* Chestertown, Md.

### HORSES FOR SALE.

Having more horses than I have use for I will sell two of them. Both are good farm horses, young, sound and ready for work. Call and see them. Prices reasonable.
R. C. LEAVERTON,
m23-3t R. F. D. No. 3, Pomona.

### FOR SALE.

One 3-yr. old Stud Colt, Percheron. Iron gray of good size and a nice one. One 4-yr. old Horse Colt, Percheron, big able fellow and ready for work. They are on the "Home Farm." Prices reasonable. For further particulars,
Apply to
W. FRANK JARRELL,
m16-3t. Chestertown, Md.

### FOR SALE.

Two fine fresh MILCH COWS. One a thoroughbred jersey, one half jersey and guernsey. Both quiet, gentle and good milkers. For further particulars
Apply to
H. CLAY LUSBY,
mch23-1t Chestertown, Md.

### WANTED—1000 PIGS.

I want to buy 1000 PIGS. Am also buying all kinds of FAT STOCK. Call on me or drop me a card.
JOHN GALE, & SON, Agt.,
Worton R. F. D., Md.

### FOR RENT.

A fine new BRICK STORE and DWELLING in the town of Millington—one of the best locations for a general business or first-class grocery. Apply to
MRS. O. J. CATTS,
1843 N. 22 St., Philadelphia.

### FOR SALE.

STORE goods and fixtures including SHOW CASES, LARGE STORE ROOM for business. I have been in business here for 18 years and am anxious to sell out. Apply at once.
MRS. E. A. CRITTENDEN,
m16-4t Chesterville, Md.

### LIME, SULPHUR, SALT,

FOR SPRAYING. Oil in barrels, cans or per gallon. Sole agents in Kent county for the Thomas Chemical Co., Sulphur and Oil products. Shipments made to all rail and boat points.
TURNER & SON,
m16-tf Betterton, Md.

### FIELD SEEDS.

We now have on hand our stock CLOVER, ALSYKE, ALFALFA, RED TOP and TIMOTHY SEEDS. Also OATS.
TURNER & SON,
m16-tf. Betterton, Md.

### WANTED.

Young man, single, stenographer and typewriter, one familiar with book-keeping preferred, none but a sober and industrious man need apply, good salary to start, and ample chance for advancement. Also, man to work in cloth room and act as shipping clerk, $9.00 per week to start. Address
QUEEN ANNE COTTON CO.,
m9-3t* Millington, Md.

### FAIRLEE SUPPLY HOUSE.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS and COUNTRY PRODUCE. White Oak Lumber of All Kinds. I am agent for the Adriance Machinery. Repairs of All Kinds. I also handle Wilbur's Stock Remedies. Yours for business.
A. L. HUDSON,
m9-tf Fairlee, Md.

### ROOMS FOR RENT.

ROOMS FOR RENT, either furnished or unfurnished. Also STABLE near the dwelling. Apply to
MRS. M. M. BURCHINAL,
m2-tf Chestertown, Md.

### CATARRH CURED FOR 10c.

If you are troubled with CATARRH send TEN CENTS in coin or stamps and by return mail I will send you my sure cure.
MADAM HOWARD,
m9-1m 3217 Ridge Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

### FOR SALE.

SEVEN HUNDRED (700) LOCUST POSTS cut seven feet.
JAMES W. STEVENS,
f23-3t. Rock Hall, Md

### FARM FOR SALE.

I have a Small Farm of about 50 ACRES OF LAND to sell convenient to church, schools and steamboat landing. There is wood enough on it for the use of the farm. Buildings in fair condition, price reasonable.
CHAS. H. DAVIS,
2mch-4t. Chestertown, Md.

### NOTICE.

I hereby notify all parties who have Watches in my shop for repair WILL PLEASE CALL FOR SAME. If not called for within 30 days from March 4th, will be sold for their cost of repairs. Respectfully,
A. LEVINE.
Watchmaker, Jeweler and Optician, Cross St., opposite Adams Express Co. 2mch-4t.

### FOR SALE.

THREE GOOD HORSES.
Call on or address,
H. C. WILLIS,
m9-3t* Worton, Md., R. F. D.

### USE THE
## Eclipse Spray Pump
TO SPRAY YOUR TREES.

If you want to grow fruit successfully you will have to keep your trees free from the San Jose Scale by spraying them and you will need a good pump to do the work. We have found the ECLIPSE PUMP the best, giving sufficient force to make the finest spray and is always in order.
CALL ON OR ADDRESS,
E. W. EMORY,
f2-3m. Chestertown, Md.

### FOR RENT FOR 1907.

The Barnett House in Chestertown containing seven rooms can be rented, possession given at once,
Apply to
L. U. SKIRVEN,
J. W. RUSSELL,
f9-tf, or H. S. BARNETT.

### JOSEPH W. EDWARDS,
—DELAER IN—
WHIPS, HARNESS,
BRIDLES, DOUBLE
SADDLES, and SINGLE

☞All Kinds of Repairing Neatly Done.

HIGH ST., OPP. VOSHELL HOUSE.

### SUPPER AT WORTON.

The Ladies Aid Society will hold a SUPPER in the Hall at Worton, on THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 28th, for the benefit of Union M. E. Church. All the delicacies of the season. Come and help a good cause. If stormy next night.

### LEGAL HOLIDAY.

FRIDAY, March 29th, being Good Friday, and a legal holiday, The Chestertown Bank of Maryland will be closed. All paper maturing on this day must be attended to.
m23-1t ALLAN A. HARRIS, Cashier.

### LEGAL HOLIDAY.

FRIDAY, March 29th, being Good Friday, and a legal holiday, The Kent County Savings Bank will be closed. All paper maturing on this day must be attended to.
m23-1t. W. F. RUSSELL, Cashier.

### WANTED.

A COLORED GIRL to do plain cooking and general housework. Good wages and permanent home if satisfactory.
SAMUEL E. PENTZ, Attorney.
m23-3t* 444 etc., Equitable Bldg., Balto.

### HELP WANTED.

Youth or young man IN GENERAL STORE in Chestertown. Must come well recommended for honesty and willingness to work. Cigarette and cigar smokers need not apply. Also wants YOUNG LADY to assist at books and in store. Address in own hand writing with reference
MERCHANT,
CARE KENT NEWS,
m23-tf. Chestertown, Md.

### PAIR OF MULES FOR SALE.

I have a pair of MULES, four years old, work all right. Price reasonable.
Apply to
JOS. S. TREW,
m23-3t.* Chestertown.

### PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
## PERSONALTY.

THE undersigned, intending to discontinue business and remove from the county, will sell in Still Pond village, where I now reside, on

**Saturday, March 23, 1907,**

beginning at 2 o'clock p. m., the following Personalty:

## Three Good HORSES

Fine drivers and will work anywhere.

## One Milch Cow,

Fresh next month.

FARM IMPLEMENTS:

Two York Carriages, 2 Daytons, 1 Runabout, 1 Sleigh and Bells, 4 Sets Carriage Harness, 1 Farm Wagon and Harness, Blankets and spreads, Plow Gears, Collars, Bridles, 2 pair Carriage Harness and Traces, 3 Leather Head Halters, 3 Fly Nets, Hoes, Rakes, Shovels, and other things too numerous to mention.

Two Stoves and some household goods, 1 Yard Swing.

☞Also 70 loads of fine ICE, with privilege of letting it remain in ice house until used.

TERMS:—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 8 months will be allowed on approved note. No property removed until terms are complied with.
J. B. CROWDING, JR.
m16-ts.

### PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
## PERSONALTY.

HAVING sold a farm that I have been carrying on, I will sell at Piney Plains Race Track, Queen Anne's county, on

**Thursday March 28, 1907,**

without reserve the following personal property:

## Three Head of Horses

One yellow horse 4 years old, promising young horse; 1 dun horse Bob, 12 years old; combination horse, good road and saddle horse. 1 brown horse Joe, 8 years old, weighs about 1150 pounds.

ONE PAIR MULES, 8 years old, a well-mated team, kind in all harness.

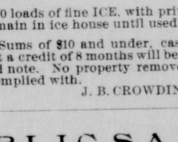
## Four Head of Cows

One Top Buggy, 1 Dayton, Plows, Harrows and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of six months will be given on bankable note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.
COOPER TARBUTTON.
m15-ts

☞I have for sale about 500 SWEET POTATO ROOTS at 25c per basket at my house.

## All Ready for Business



## Have Your Carriage Painted
AT BAKER'S NEW CARRIAGE SHOP,
On MILL STREET, Near the Railroad, Chestertown, Md.

## Carriages!

We have already opened OUR CARRIAGE DEPARTMENT and have on exhibit the finest line of new RUNABOUTS and CARRIAGES to be found on the peninsula. The high-grade stock, the stylish jobs and our inside low prices are unmatchable.

WM. MEDDERS & CO.

## ITS ALL OVER NOW!

**Chestertown Free Again of Small Pox—Mr. R. Thompson Well, Store and House Fumigated — Colored "Bear" Goes to Country.**

The yellow flag was hauled down from Mr. R. Thompson's meat and provision store, High street, Chestertown, Wednesday morning. The house has been thoroughly fumigated and the inmates removed. Mr. Thompson went straight to his home where he was warmly welcomed by his family. The colored man, Johnny Dent, was given a new outfit and removed to a house along Ratcliff Creek to remain for ten days in charge of Capt. Hyland. It is not thought he will contract the disease but every precaution has been taken to prevent the small-pox from spreading. The Commissioners and officers are to be commended for their care in handling this case. They have tried to do their duty without offending anyone and they deserve the appreciation of all citizens. Dr. Frank B. Hines was the efficient physician in charge. It is sincerely hoped that "it is all over now."

## Death's Doings

S. DEWBERRY.

Mr. Stanford Dewberry died at his home in Rich Neck, Queen Anne's county, early yesterday morning, aged 56. The deceased has been in bed for several months and bore his suffering with Christian submission. The deceased came to this country a boy from England, settling at Chesapeake City, and since then has given his whole attention to farming. He married Miss Julia Chambers, of Cecil county, and removed to Queen Anne's 16 years ago where he has continued to live. He was a good man, kind and gentle, and beloved by neighbors and acquaintances. He was one of the stalwart men of Rich Neck and a trustee of Union M. E. Church which he loved as the apple of his eye. The deceased was always in good humor and carried about with him a cheerfulness that was like sunshine on a cloudy day. He leaves a widow and four children, viz;, Thomas, Charles, Alice and Gilbert. The funeral will take place from his late home tomorrow, Sunday, at 2 P. M., interment in Crumpton cemetery.

THOMAS D. GLENN.

Thomas D. Glenn died at the home of his son, George, in lower Kent, last Friday morning, aged 79. The deceased has been ailing for sometime but had only been in bed a few days. He was one of the best-known citizens on Eastern Neck Island and served on the petit jury last spring when he made friends with all whom he met. The funeral was held Sunday, interment at Wesley cemetery, Rev. J. W. Parris officiating. The bearers were Capt. Shadrack Watkins, Wm. Burgess, Vachel Burgess, Richard Wilson; Casey Bros., undertakers.

MRS. MARTHA A. JONES.

Mrs. Martha A. Jones, widow of the late Alfred Jones, died at her home in Still Pond on Saturday last at 3 p. m. of general debility, aged 71 years. She leaves two sons, Daniel, of Philadelphia, and Hyland R. of Still Pond. Funeral services were held Monday at 2.30 p. m. in Still Pond M. E. church, Rev. T. S. Holt officiating, interment was in the family lot in M. E. Church yard. The bearers were, G. W. Covington, Thomas Rasin, F. H. Harper, J. B. Parrott, Dr. J. W. Urie and William Clark. Undertaker, W. H. Krusen.

MRS. MARY R. JESTER.

Mrs. Mary R. Jester, wife of Mr. Alfred Jester, of Betterton, died at her late home on Sunday morning last at 4 o'clock, of consumption. Aged 35 years. Funeral services were held at her late home on Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock. Rev. Mr. Gray, of Fairlee, officiating. Interment was in Still Pond cemetery; Undertaker, W. H. Krusen.

### TOLCHESTER COMPANY.



WEATHER PERMITTING.

SPRING SCHEDULE—In Effect March 27th, 1907.

PORT DEPOSIT AND HAVRE DE GRACE LINE—Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, steamer leaves Baltimore at 2.45 p. m. for Tolchester, Betterton, Havre de Grace and Port Deposit. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays—leave Port Deposit at 7.00 a. m., Havre de Grace 7.30 a.m., Betterton 8.45 a.m., Tolchester 10.15 a.m.

SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE—Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, steamer will leave Fredericktown at 7.00 a. m., Betterton 8.15 a. m., Buck Neck 9.00 a. m., Gales 9.45 a. m., Tolchester 10.15 a. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays—leave Baltimore at 2.45 p. m., for above landings. Does not stop at Buck Neck on Saturday, but does stop at Gales.

TOLCHESTER—Saturdays leaves Baltimore at 7.00 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. Leaves Tolchester at 9.00 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

TOLCHESTER COMPANY,
mch9 Pier 16 Light St., Balto.

## CLOSING OUT NOTICE.

Because of the demand upon our storage room we have decided to discontinue the sale of the well-known

## Pittsburg Wire Fence

in order to close out the stock, tho we have a good assortment on hand. If sold quickly will sell at close margin. The Pittsburg Wire Fence doesn't need further recommendation, its durability and other qualities are too well-known. Give us a call or your address, and get our prices.

MARVIL PACKAGE CO.
C. E. CRANE, Local MANAGER. m16-tf.

FISH have been plentiful this week. Messrs. Townsend, Shinn and Ford, of Cliff City, hauled six wagon loads to the boat Monday morning.

THE public schools throughout Kent will close June 14th.

## PULPIT AND PEW.

The Delaware M. E. Conference adjourned Monday. There were a number of changes but only one in Kent, at Coleman's.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. F. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. H. H. Kleinfelter, Washington avenue, on Monday afternoon. The presence of Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Rice, Superintendent of the Kings Herald work, and Conference treasurer, respectively, added much interest to the meeting.

Dr. James W. Cain, principal of Washington College, delighted a large audience in Christ Church Sunday evening by his most excellent address on the "Sacred Scriptures as Literature." It was concise, ornate and helpful, and proved the sublime literary merit of the Greatest Book in the World. The excellent singing by the choir under Miss Eva Hurlock's direction was also worthy of special comment.

Rev. J. J. McKenna announces Mass on Palm Sunday, (tomorrow) at Chestertown 7.30 o'clock and at Rock Hall at 10.20 a. m.

Chester Lodge No. 115, of Free and Accepted Masons, will attend Divine Service on Good Friday, March 29th, at 8 p. m. in Emmanuel Church at which time the Rector will preach a special sermon. A most cordial invitation is extended to all, especially men to attend this service. The seats are all free.

The Sewing Circle of St. James Church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mr. Robert G. Nicholson, near Chestertown, next Wednesday evening. The reputation which these events have is a guarantee of an excellent time. The public is invited to enjoy this supper.

One of Kent's local pastors tells a good joke on himself. He says "Soon after I came to Kent I was approached by a good lady who congratulated me on my arrival. She said she always loved to go to church when I was to preach. I was about to thank her for the compliment when she interrupted me by adding, 'because I can always get a good seat!'"

Palm Sunday at Chrsst M. P. Church. Experience meeting at 9.30, public worship at 10:30 a. m., theme: "The Lowly Royal Entry." Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Christian Workers' Hour 6.45 p. m. Evening sermon theme: "Oh That Thou Hadst Known."

The following ministers will retire from active work, all members of M. E. Church: F. S. Holt, Still Pond, Md.; H. S. Dulaney, Lawsonia, Md.; J. A. Arters, Port Penn, Del., and G. W. Burke, Hockessin, Del.

**Big Sale.**—The sale of horses and mules advertised by Mr. Wm. R. Clough exclusively in the NEWS took place in Chestertown Saturday and was attended by a large crowd. Fifteen horses were sold ranging in price from $64 to $118; 3 mules sold for $276, $289 and $290 per pair.

**Will Leave Kent.**—Mr. John M. Toulson, pharmacist, has rented a large room in Salisbury and will open an up-to-date drug store there. He has been associated with his father, Mr. M. A. Toulson, for some years and is thoroughly competent in every way to conduct an establishment of his own. Mr. Toulson's removal from Chestertown is to be regretted and his many friends here wish him every success. The people of Salisbury will find Mr. Toulson and family a decided acquisition to the best interests of that growing town. There are two other drug stores in the town.

**Joint Meeting.**—The Kent and Queen Anne's Boards of County Commissioners met in Chestertown last Friday to consider the widening of the draw at Chestertown, building new bridge at Crumpton and placing electric lights on Chester bridge. A strong delegation was present from Crumpton of whom Mr. Charles Clements was spokesman. He made earnest plea for the improvements and backed up his remarks with convincing arguments. A contractor will be asked for estimates in each case. Mr. Joynes represented the steamboat company and asked for a wider draw so that the company could send the B. S. Ford to Crumpton.

**Accidents.**—Mr. Harry Cooper, of Worton Station, met with a serious accident on Thursday of last week. While cutting wood he fell, and the axe blade struck his left hand nearly severing two fingers. He was hurriedly brought to Chestertown for treatment by Dr. H. Benge Simmons who dressed the wound so as to save amputation

**Bank Purchased.**—The report on the streets of Chestertown this week that the Trust Company in Chicago of which Mr. W. W. Chapman is cashier had failed, is a mistake. The facts are contained in a dispatch to the Baltimore Evening News as follows:

"Chicago, March 18.—J. Elliott Jennings, founder of the Jennings Real Estate, Loan and Trust Company, known as the "all-night bank," at Dearborn and Monroe streets, formally severed his connection with that institution and it passed out of existence on Saturday night.

"The controlling interest in the bank was purchased by officials of the Federal National Bank during the week, and the transaction is said to have involved more than $100,000, or 50 per cent of the investment. The purchasers will assume control of the bank within 10 days. The all-night feature is to be eliminated.

"The bank will continue operations daily under a name to be determined by the new owners."

It is presumed that our fellow townsman, Mr. Chapman, will continue as its head.

A FINE swan was presented to Clerk of County Commissioners, C. L. Dodd, on Thursday by Messrs. Henan and Philip Hurd, of Worton. The bird was shot by Mr. Phil. Hurd. They also killed four fine ducks the same day.