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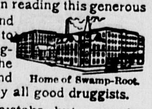

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CHARLES L. DODD, Clerk.
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IN GOOD OLD CHESTERTOWN ON THE EASTERN SHORE.

Chestertown, the bland; Chestertown, the broad, open-faced, open-hearted, ready-money town; two hundred years young. Then it was Newtown, on the Chester River, built as a port of entry for that region, with a custom house that still stands at the bottom of the main street; and in that old custom house, where now no goods are ever entered, for it has become a private residence, are the huge vaults where the imported wares were stored, once upon a time. But that was long ago.

In a tavern that stood here until recently, Charles Wilson Peale, the artist, was born, while his father was an instructor in the academy at this place, and from this place the boy was taken to Philadelphia to become famous there. In that same tavern, George Washington was several times a guest, notably when on his way to Philadelphia as a delegate.

In the Chester River, by the side of which old Chestertown lies, there lay in May, 1774, the brigantine Geddes, with a small load of tea from India. There was a town-meeting on the thirteenth of the month, and that night the Geddes was boarded and the tea thrown overboard. Now, when the news of the troubles at Boston and Charlestown reached Chestertown, money and provisions were sent the authorities in those two Massachussets Bay settlements in aid of the sufferers. In due course there came letters thanking the people of Chestertown for their generous aid.

The Broad-Bosomed River.

The ample Chester River, that flows by Chestertown, has its rise far to the northward in a spring at Smyrna, Del., and imagination can hardly conjure a stream so broad and beautiful having so small a beginning. The town rises in a slope from the riverside to a large, handsome square, about which are gathered many of the important business buildings, the halls, hotels, Courts and public offices.

The earliest settlement of Chestertown is noted as having taken place in 1640, when "Tilghman's Foxley Grove" was patented to Miss Tilghman, of England, though the present town, as a town, was not built until 1709, and then "by order." To-day it has a population of several thousand persons, is the county seat of Kent county, has the only university on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, which is named after Washington, by his permission, and has besides, a well of water big enough to supply the town with excellent water ample for all its needs.

On such a foundation Chestertown has grown to be a prosperous community, with an agricultural and industrial background, water and land communication to the northward and southward and an abundance of good things for man, inner or outer. It seems that previous to 1806 the official business of the locality was done in another and less accessible place, and Chestertown was designated as the "Newtown on the Chester River," whence the transition to Chestertown was natural, quick and easy.

To-day Chestertown is a summer resort, offering fishing in the Chester River which cannot be readily excelled. It has water works, is an oyster and produce market, embraces within its boundaries an overall factory, electric light works, an ice factory and a strawboard factory, sells oysters in enormous quantities, and boasts a daily steamer to and from Baltimore. These industries, in the aggregate, maintain many families, and conduce eminently to the prosperity of the town.

Washington College was founded by act of the Legislature in 1782, and word of its foundation, with the request that he permit it to be named after him, was sent to Washington, who was then in camp at Newburg, N. Y. He authorized the use of his name, and, in 1784, after the disbandment of the Colonial army, Washington visited the college and signed the roll of governors. He then donated to the institution the sum of $233.33. The college held its first commencement in May, 1783, when degrees were conferred. It now has 150 students, divided among classical, Latin and scientific courses, mostly coming from other parts of the State, and chiefly from the Eastern Shore.

Prior to the erection of this institution into a college, it had been a flourishing academy. The original buildings were long ago destroyed by fire, and have been supplanted by others of later, larger and more artistic design. To these, also additions are being made as occasion requires.

Not far from Chestertown is the battleground of Caulk's Field near Tolchester, where a fight took place on August 30th, 1812, in which the British were defeated. This field is one of the sights of the neighborhood, and is much visited. A monument has been placed there to commemorate the battle.

Revels of Olden Days.

Modern Chestertown is so thoroughly a business place that it is difficult to realize the revels and jollifications that went on there in early days. Before the Revolution there was, evidently, a frolicsome aspect to American life, which the hard machinery of later days has crushed and ground out. For instance, in 1752 we read of theatrical performances there with the rendition of "Richard III" and "The Beggar's Opera." The whole countryside attended. Then, too, the racing and betting were prodigious. On November 24, 1766, races began and continued for a week, finishing with a grand ball. Virginians in great numbers attended these races and wagered their negroes as well as their money. Then, too, there was a grand dinner for the "gentry" when Court adjourned.

Angling and Cupid.

A bridge spans the Chester River and carries the promenade to a country resort over the way. This bridge is the favorite resort of young couples and of fishermen, both landing with remarkable success. The constant taking of rock, perch and other finny trophies from the deep, to be witnessed on Chestertown bridge, would cause the mortal envy of patient anglers in other places who must wait hours for a "bite." In the main, however, the fishing is confined to a small minority of the 3100 people who live in Chestertown, the rest being busy at their pursuits. Three newspapers cater to Chestertown's demand for information as to the doings of the times, and all three are prosperous. What were once plainly old buildings have been transformed into modern business places, though the face of the ancient tavern on the square could not be wholly disguised. It is a tavern no longer. Down by the river are the stately and serene homes of the aristocracy of the oldest date, with Colonial bricked front yards, and columns and capitols of white, and quaint formal gardens.

To either the historian, the sentimentalist or the business man Chestertown is a treasure, easy to reach, lovable and hard to tear one's self away from. It is also enterprising, according to latest standards, while treasuring its former memories.—Philadelphia Record.

BUY LIME NOW.

The farmer who does not quicken his dormant plant-food with good lime is not wise. Under ordinary circumstances lime will, in the course of time, more than double the corn and grass crops. All pasture and grass land should be top dressed with lime this Fall. Lime should be hauled between times in September, October or November, and bulked on large piles—the sooner the better. To be a successful farmer your land must be regularly limed, and especially the grass land.

Now is the time to get lime for corn. Put it in large piles, of from 200 to 500 bushels each, on elevated ground. The lime on bulk will slake better and takes less per acre.

If you want larger crops and richer soil, always bulk your lime from three to six months ahead of spreading. The fine disintegration in bulk improves the action of the lime.

Farmers should always order their lime in the early Fall or Spring, as the manufacturers are not rushed.

If the cost of coal and labor continues to advance, the price of lime will probably also advance Jan. 1st. If you get your lime now and bulk it ahead for corn, you will save the advance in price and get it at a time when it does not interfere with your work.

Earned a Medal.—A Methodist preacher earned a Carnegie medal and the distinction of rescuing four workers of the Catholic Church, all women, in the surf at Rehoboth. Four San Francican sisters, attached to the St. Agnes-by-the-Sea retreat became entangled in each other's garments while in bathing during a rough period and became unable to regain their footing. Rev. T. A. H. O'Brien, Methodist, dashed to their rescue and after tugging awhile as a rescuer of frightened women must in the surf, landed the entire quartet ashore. The minister apparently thought nothing of the rescue and immediately plunged in to finish his bath.

Biggest Oyster In World.

Lying upon the floor of a little shop at 34 Fifth street is the great twin throne of the "king of oysters."

His Majesty in the original state ruled over the vast beds in the tidal waters of the Columbia river, where he was by right of weight and of majesty the absolute king of bivalves. In all the world where oysters have been known, from the wonderful oysters of Britain, enjoyed by the Romans, down to the little cove oyster that grew in a modest way around Fair Haven none has ever been known that can compare with this great oyster of the Columbia.

How the upper and nether shell chanced to come to Minneapolis is simple as a story. A friend of Harriet Whitted on leaving for the Coast promised to send her something in the way of a novelty. Upon his arrival there he chanced to go fishing, and while after large fish in the tidal river hooked on to a mammoth oyster. It was a bivalve and it contained a fine pearl. Nothing would do but for him to investigate the same bed, and while prodding with an oyster rake the next day the king of all the oysters was brought from his home.

The bivalve was shipped to Minneapolis, weighed and it tipped the scales at 98½ pounds. The mammoth was roasted in an oven that, though large, would just hold it, and the meat had to be cut with a carving knife. "Oyster steaks" was the bill of fare.

The two huge shells are each about as much as one can lift from the floor, and a toy boat floats about in the water in one of them. So it can safely be said that Minneapolis has, owned by one of its citizens, the shell of the king of all the oyster family.—*Minneapolis Tribune.*

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Chestertown, Md.

TO THE TAX-PAYERS OF KENT COUNTY

Treasurer's September Sittings.

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed at the session of 1894, Chapter 292, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that for the purpose of receiving the

State and County Taxes

in said county for the year, 1906, he will sit for the First September Sitting in the several Election Districts, on

MONDAY, September 24th,
At Melitota at Lieberman's Store.

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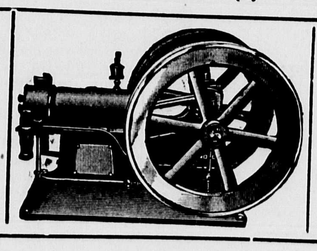

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