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THE

Second National Bank

of Chestertown, Md.

Capital, Surplus and Liabilities of Stockholders, $120,000.

Transacts a General Banking Business.

Interest at the rate of 4 per cent. paid on all Savings Deposits when left on deposit two calendar months.

We shall treat all our Savings Depositors alike.

We shall not give one class 3 per cent. and another 4 per cent., but all 4 per cent. alike.

All business entrusted to us treated with promptness, accuracy, liberality and courtesy.

We solicit your account.

Officers:

J. A. PEARCE, President.
W. B. COPPER, Cashier.
E. F. PERKINS, Teller.
H. T. DEAVER, Book-keeper.

Directors:

JAMES A. PEARCE, Chestertown, Md.
J. W. HUBBARD, " "
GARRETT FOXWELL, Blacks, "
ADAM F. HUEY, Massey, "
H. H. BARROLL, Chestertown, "
D. T. HURLOCK, Church Hill, "
T. B. DURDING, Rock Hall, "
H. W. VICKERS, Chestertown, "
W. B. COPPER, "

OLDEST. STRONGEST.

HON. CHARLES T. WESCOTT, PRES.
RICHARD D. HYNSON, V. PRES.
WM. WALTER CHAPMAN, CASHIER.

Capital 60,000. Surplus 30,000

—THE—

Chestertown National Bank

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

WE PAY

4 PER CENT.

on all savings when left on deposit one calendar month.

DIRECTORS:

Charles T. Westcott, Richard D. Hynson,
Marion deK. Smith, Alday Clements,
Samuel Vannort, James S. Harris,
Franklin H. Harper, James W. Chapman,
Edwin S. Valliant.

Assets to Secure Depositors.

Capital paid in	$60,000
Liability of share-holders	60,000
Surplus	12,000
Undivided Profits	20,070
Total of	$152.070

GETTOULSING

Toulson's Sarsaparilla,

PRICE 75 Cents Per BOTTLE.

—FOR SALE AT—

Toulson's Drug Store.

STAM DRUG CO.'S FALL Announcement!

We have on hand

BLACK PEPPER,
RED PEPPER,
SALTPETRE and SAGE.

All at best prices.

THE STAM DRUG CO.,

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

CLOTHES

Make the Man.

ONLY so far as appearance goes, but appearances in the present day mean much. A man dressed tastily in a well-fitting and stylish suit feels a peculiar consciousness of pride within him that is pleasing and elevating.

Let Us MAKE YOUR SUIT or Overcoat

this winter. You will be well-fitted, consequently pleased.

A BEAUTIFUL ARRAY OF LATEST FABRICS TO SELECT FROM.

Dyeing, Cleaning and Pressing!

Alterations of Every Description Made.

John R. Rollison,

Ladies' and Gent's Tailor,
Chestertown, Md.
Second Door Below Savings Bank.

THE

Kent County Savings BANK

WILL PAY

4 Per Cent. Interest

on all Savings, and Special Deposits remaining one calendar month or longer.

There is Only One Savings Bank in Kent County.

and this very bank has paid

$29,781.95 in Interest

to its Depositors.

The Savings Bank

was the first bank in Kent county ever known to pay interest on deposits.

We invite the bankingpublic to call on us or write to us.

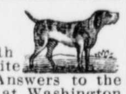
Respectfully,

JOHN K. ALDRIDGE, President.
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, Cashier.

TOWN IMPROVEMENT MEETING.

The members of the Town Improvement Association are Requested to meet at the residence of Mrs Hope H. Barroll, at 2.30 o'clock on Monday afternoon. A full attendance is requested as business of importance will be discussed.

DOG LOST.



A POINTER DOG with black body and black and white speckled breast and legs. Answers to the name of Dixie. Last seen at Washington College, on November 15.

A suitable reward will be paid for information leading to his recovery.

A. B. BURRIS, Chestertown, Md.
n22-3t

GUERNSEY HEIFERS FOR SALE.

I have 10 FINE GUERNSEY HEIFERS for sale. They are from one to two years old, and some are with calf by thoroughbred Guernsey bull. These heifers are all out of choice cows. I alsohave a 9-months-old Guernsey Bull for sale. This stock can be seen at my place near Chestertown at any time.

WALTER T. MORRIS, Chestertown, Md.
n22-3t

ESTRAY.

Estrayed from the McCauley Farm on or about October 1, 1902, One FAT ROAN YEARLING HEIFER. Was last seen in the neighborhood of Dr. Black's farm, near Locust Grove. Any information will be thankfully received.

JAS. L. CALDWELL.
n22-3t.

ROSE HILL NURSERY.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Certificate of Nursery Inspection, No. 37.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That on the 10, 11 and 12 days of November, 1902, we examined the Nursery Stock of John Bell growing in his nurseries at Chestertown, county of Kent, State of Maryland, in accordance with the laws of Maryland, 1898, Chapter 289, Section 58, and that said nurseries and premises are apparently free, so far as can be determined by inspection, from the San Jose Scale, Peach Yellows, Pear Blight and other dangerously injurious insect pests and plant diseases. This certificate is invalid after August 1, 1903, and does not include nursery stock not grown within this State, unless such stock is previously covered by certificate and accepted by the State Entomologist and State Pathologist.

A. L. QUAINTANCE, State Entomologist.
J. B. S NORTON, State Pathologist.
n22-3t
College Park Nov. 13, 1902.

TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.

I have trust funds to Loan on Mortgages at 5½ per cent., $500, $600, $800, $1000, $1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $7000 and $10,000. Some of these sums can be placed for 5 years

HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney-at-Law, Chestertown, Md.

BALED HAY FOR SALE.

I keep BALED HAY constantly on hand for sale at Lambson's Station.

L. R. VANSANT.
n15 tf.

POCKET BOOK LOST.

The undersigned lost on Monday afternoon, on the public road between Still Pond and the gate of J. L. Crouch, near Kennedyville, a LADIES' ALLIGATOR POCKET BOOK. A suitable reward will be given any one who returns the pocket book at the post office, Kennedyville.

MRS. J. L. CROUCH.
n15-1t.

TOWN TAXES.

Corporation taxes for 1902 are due and prompt settlement is requested. All Taxes not paid by January 1, 1903, interest will be charged from September 1, 1902.

M. WILBER THOMAS, Collector.
n15-tf.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers with dog, gun or otherwise, on the farms tenanted by Mr. R. Bonwill, Mr. F. H. Meeks and Mr. A. Hickman, will be dealt with according to the fullest provisions of the law. No favors or exceptions will be made.

MRS. F. J. ROBINSON,
MRS. M. G. JANVIER,
and W. L. S. MURRAY.
n8-3t.*

WOOD WANTED.

The undersigned wants a quantity of wood. For further particulars apply to or address

WILLIAM S. CULP, Chestertown, Md.
o4-tf

LADIES.

If your Sewing Machine is not working well send me a postal card and I will call. All makes of Sewing Machines repaired, and work guaranteed. Have been connected with the Singer Manufacturing Company 16 years and will treat you right.

A. H. SUPLEE, Manager, Betterton, Md.
n1-4t.

FOR SALE.

FARM OF 205 ACRES, near Bridgetown, and 4 miles from Greensboro, Md. Good trucking land. Usual out-buildings. Cheap to cash purchaser. Apply to

HILL'S R. E. OFFICES, Baltimore, Md., or to
E. H. BROWN, Jr., Centreville, Md.
n1-4t.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are warned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on the premises of the following, without the written consent of owner or tenant:

S. R. HURLOCK,
HENRY SMITH,
H. H. KLINEFELTER,
JOSHUA HENDRIX,
CAPT. PENN JESTER,
H. P. SKIPPER,
JOHN F. COPPER,
W. T. WRIGHT,
JAMES T. ANTHONY,
WILLIAM BENTON,
W. H. FIELDS, JR.,
C. F. WALKER,
ALBERT STORY,
DANIEL McKEE,
E. H. KLINEFELTER,
SAMUEL L. WRIGHT,
JOHN C. SMITH,
JOHN G. SCHAUBER,
ARCHEY FIELDS,
DANIEL POTTS,
HARRY M. McELWEE,
T. J. BLACKISTON,
W. IRVING WALKER
n8-tf

YORK STATE CALVES FOR SALE.

The undersigned will sell at private sale

55 Head York State Calves

These calves have been carefully selected and are fine stock.

JOHN H. CLENDANIEL, Kennedyville, Md.

AUTUMN DANCE.

A Gala Time at Betterton-on-the-Bay.

The Still Pond gentlemen gave their annual autumn dance at the Chesapeake House, Betterton, on Friday night. It was a delightful social event, no detail being overlooked to make the occasion a pleasant one. An unusually large number of people from a distance added charm to the gathering. Prof. Godwin's orchestra were in good trim and furnished excellent music. Society from nearly every section of the county was well represented, probably a hundred persons being in attendance. Dancing began about nine o'clock and continued until after three A. M. Lunch was served at midnight. The patronesses were: Mrs. Harry Nicols, Mrs. Harry Davis, Mrs. J. B. Hossinger, Mrs. Harry Derringer and Mrs. William Wallis. Floor Committee—Walter Davis, L Harris Crewe, William Hepbron and John B. Parrott.

Among others present were: Misses Rebecca, Alice, Mattie and Edith Hepbron, Mattie and Emma Davis, May Pennington, Jessie Crewe, Bessie Nicols, Mrs. Alexander Kennedy, Lizzie Pennington, Mamie Kennedy, Lula Crow, Edna Strong, Bertie Beck, May Morgan, Susie Sutton, Sue Edson, Daisy McCauley, Mabel Comegys, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Deringer, Mr. and Mrs. Allie Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. John Clendaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Biddle Hossinger, Evelyn McCollister, Church Hill; Messrs. Bryan and Sparks, Centreville; Miss Davis, New York; Miss Grimes, Kentucky; Miss Turner, Texas; Mr. Smith, College Park; Messrs. Crouch and Brady, Middletown; John Toulson, Ambrose Carroll, Sam Greenwood, Chestertown; Wm. Maslin, Page and Elwood Strong, Maxwell Starkey, Howard Turner, Wm. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bonwell, Bertie Miller, George and Howard Parrott, Hynson and Scott Beck, W. D. Pennington, Max Price, Mrs. John Owens, Harry Hendrickson, Miss May Beaston, and Miss Mamie Jones, of Cecil county; Stanley Matthews, Franklin Cauley, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Price, Mrs. Harry Nicols, Wm. and Edward Hepbron, Edmond Hurtt, Raymond Walbert, Harry Nicols, Godfrey Wescott, Edward Wallis, E B. Pennington, Jr., George Biddle, Lou Alrich and others.

ACCIDENT TO STEAMER EMMA GILES.

Capt. Eliason Has Met the Situation by Arranging the Best Possible Schedule for the Public.

An accident to the steamer Emma Giles, the fine passenger steamer of the Tolchester Company's fleet, was a most unfortunate occurrence at this season of the year. It to some extent disarranged the highly satisfactory schedule of the Tolchester Company's steamers, but Capt Eliason has in great measure overcome the temporary interference with the schedules by arranging the trips of his steamers upon a most satisfactory schedule. This schedule, which went into effect yesterday, will be found in to-day's issue.

Capt. Eliason is to be congratulated upon his eminent success in meeting a perplexing situation The accident to the Giles occurred during her regular trip to Annapolis. The vessel was about two miles below Seven Foot Knoll when the connecting rod of about 3½ inch steel, between the after end of the walking beam and the shaft of the sidewheel, suddenly broke in two. As this took the pressure from the engine the four-inch piston-rod raced upward and then downward, smashing the head of the 37-inch cylinder into scrap iron, bending the four-inch piston-rod nearly a foot out of line, breaking the crosshead and the steel links connecting the crosshead and walking-beam six inches out of line.

A shower of pieces of steel, glass and wood rained down on Engineer Calvin Hudson, who immediately shut off steam, while a cloud of it shot upward from the cylinder. The noise of the crash frightened the passengers, but Capt. John T. Harrison soon had them reassured. The damage will amount to about $1,200. President Eliason said on Thursday that the steamer will probably be back in service much sooner than was at first thought.

Beat These Beets.—Mr. William Ford, of the Almshouse Farm, challenges the county to beat his beets. Mr. Robert Moffett has left at the TRANSCRIPT office two monster table beets which it were safe to claim are prize-winners. They are the same varieties as those which Mr. Ford and Mr. Moffett have been using on their tables all summer. The long one measures, without the small roots, 24 inches in length and 17½ inches in circumference and weighs 12 pounds. Beet No. 2, known as the turnip beet, weighs 10 pounds and is 35½ inches in circumference. Now the man who beats these beets is truly a beater of beets.

A BRILLIANT SUCCESS.

For Elaborateness and Beauty, as well as for the Professional Character of its Rendition the Mistletoe Bough Stands at the Head of Chestertown Entertainments—Large Audiences and Splendid Results.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL CONCERNED.

By general consent The Mistletoe Bough, the entertainment under the auspices of the Dorcas Society, at Stam's Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and the supper and sale on Thursday evening, were delightfully successful. Financially the results are most gratifying to those having the matter in charge, while socially the events of the present week will long be remembered as charming incidents of the season's pleasures. About $600 were the gross receipts which will leave, it is thought, about $400 in the Dorcas treasury.

When the curtain rose on the bridal festivities on the first evening only a few seats in the hall were unoccupied. The first scene was as picturesque as it was beautiful, and was given a reception by the audience which at once assured the fullest sympathy with the spirit of the series of elaborate and brilliant pantomimes which constituted the evening's entertainment.

CAST.

Lady Genevra—The bride: Miss Maude Ringgold.
Bridesmaids: Misses Anna Smith and Sallie Beck.
Flower Girls: Dorothy Vickers, Katharine Hopper, Louise Russell, Helen Russell.
Baroness—Mother of the bride, Miss Addie France.
Maids of honor to the baroness: Miss Josephine Wickes, Mrs. James G. Beck.
Housekeeper, Mrs. Paul Turner.
Housemaid, Miss Amy Shaw.
Wedding guests: Miss Minnie Massey, Miss Mary Fleming, Miss Helen Carter, Miss Burtie Burchinal.
Dancers in Sir Roger de Coverly and the Minuet: Miss Maude Ringgold, Miss Isabelle Beck, Miss Grace Whaland, Miss Jennie Hines, Miss Amy Shaw, Miss Hallie Westcott, Mr. Henry Deaver, Mr. Tom Massey, Mr. Geo. Brice, Mr. Arthur Bradley, Mr. Wilbur Eliason, Mr. Samuel Greenwood.
Lord Lovell, the Groom.....Mr. Henry Deaver
The Baron.....Mr Edward J. Clarke
The Steward.....Dr. Charles P. Gilpin
Man Servant.....Mr. Samuel Greenwood
May Queen.....Miss Louise Stam
Maids of Honor: Bettie Pattison, Genevieve Dixon, Carrie Wright, Florence Beck.
The May Pole Dancers: Carolene Hynson, Elizabeth Connelly, Helen Urie, Ethel Price, Miriam Hubbard, Mary Miller, Gladys Aldridge, Nera Valliant, Carrie Wright.

The first glimpse of the most charming and elaborate stage effects ever seen here, was the celebration of the Christmas and wedding festivities at the baronial hall, where the baron, baroness and wedding guests were assembled awaiting the arrival of the bridal party. During the interval the guests indulged in that most rollicksome of old English dances, Sir Roger de Coverly.

At the first strains of the wedding march the guests made way for the entrance of the bridal party preceded by the four dainty little flower girls charmingly dressed in white and carrying baskets of flowers which they scattered in the path of Lord Lovell and his bride, the beautiful Genevra. The audience greeted the bridal party at each appearance with bursts of applause, so charming was the picture presented. The bride's dress was an exquisite creation of white satin, en train, elaborately trimmed with crystals and pearls, and veil caught by sprays of orange blossoms. The groom was richly costumed in lilac satin, knicker-bockers, silk stockings and wig. The bridesmaids, who followed the bridal couple, were beautifully gowned in white in the style of the period.

The baroness was costumed in black velvet and jet, with a garnet velvet mantle trimmed in ermine, with a coronet of jewels, while the baron wore black velvet with gold passamenterie. The baroness was assisted by her two maids of honor, Mrs. James Beck and Miss Josephine Wickes. After drinking the health of the bride and groom the stately minuet was danced most beautifully with Lord Lovell and his bride as the central figures.

The May pole dance and the village games formed a picture of unusual beauty. So greatly was this appreciated that on each evening the entire scene was encored. It would have been impossible to have gotten anywhere a group of more beautiful children. The May Queen was truly a symphony in pink and white, and was perfect in her part.

A period of fifty years elapsed between the fourth and last act. The lovely Genevra had disappeared, Lord Lovell, broken hearted and bent beneath the weight of his great sorrow still lived to mourn his bride. The contrast between the mirth and joyousness of the wedding day and the tragic ending portrayed, was graphically presented in this act. Lord Lovell's death was a pathetic climax to the beautiful story of The Mistletoe Bough.

Miss Ringgold as the bride, it might almost be said, equaled a professional, and as for Mr. Deaver, it would be almost impossible to say too much. In his impersonation of an old man, the real man was totally forgotten. His fall was simply perfect, and altogether, he was one of the most popular characters on the stage. Especial mention should be made of Prof. Clarke, whose part as the dignified baron was strongly taken.

Mrs. Paul Turner, of Baltimore, admirably took the part of housekeeper. Much credit is due Miss Sallye Beck, who so efficiently assisted Mr. Gardner in drilling the children in the May pole dance and village games. Each and every one merit especial mention were it not that time and space forbid. It would, however, be grossly unfair not to speak of the splendid services of Miss Olivia Wilkins, Miss Nannie Dixon, and Mr. R. C. Norris, of Harford county. The music was continuous from the first to the last moment of the entertainment, —music was the very life, the inspiration of the beautiful story which will for so long form a delightful memory to all those who witnessed the pantomime. Miss Wilkins and Miss Dixon gave ungrudgingly of their time and their conceded talent to its success and added in a great degree to its very satisfactory ending. Mr. Norris and his violin were simply indispensible, and in the future his talent and his trusty instrument will be called into requisition by the hosts of friends who have been drawn to him by his art.

Miss Hurtt, whose splendid talent was so brightly reflected through the fine work of her pupils, Miss Wilkins and Miss Dixon, directed the music and was faithful to the last moment.

A beautiful solo by Miss Helen Carter, with violin abligato by Mr. Norris, Miss Hurtt at the piano, formed a delightful innovation on Wednesday evening.

The ladies having the entertainment in charge were extremely fortunate in securing the services of so competent a manager as Mr. George R. Gardner. Mr. Gardner was untiring in this efforts to produce the highly satisfactory results, and is to be congratulated upon his success.

Mrs. W. F. Hines, president of the Dorcas Society, and Mrs. James A. Pearce, assumed the responsibility of the entertainment, and it was through their untiring efforts that its conspicuous success was won. The thanks and congratulations of the entire community are due them for one of the most charming entertainments ever given in Chestertown.

AN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT.

Two Children Burned, It is Feared One of Them Fatally.

A sad accident occurred at Rock Hall on Thursday morning between 8 and 9 o'clock, by which it is feared 4-year-old Benny Durding will lose his life. The particulars of the accident are tha the little Durding boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Durding, and Preston Joiner, slightly under 4 years of age, were playing in an old organ case at Mr. Joiner's home. Securing a chair to stand on the boys took from the box a quantity of old paper and rags, then got into the box, struck a match and set fire to the imflammable material around them.

In an instant the flames burst up and imprisoned the little fellows in a veritable death-trap. It was impossible for them to escape. A colored woman at work at Mrs Joiner's heard the children's screams and rushed to their rescue, but it was impossible to reach them. Water was promptly secured and the horribly burned children were drenched, after which they were taken from the almost fatal box.

At the time of going to press it was thought that little Benny During was dying. It is expected that the little Joiner boy, though horribly burned, will recover.

A three horse team belonging to Mr. Hyson Dill ran away in Rock Hall on Thursday and two of the horses were badly injured. Mr. Dill's son was driving the team and it was feared that he would be seriously hurt.

MARKETING FRUIT.

A Prominent Commission Man Says Kent Countians are Slow to Learn.

A prominent Baltimore commission man—a gentleman well and favorably known in Kent, in conversation with a representative of the TRANSCRIPT, said in substance: "Kent county fruit growers lose thousands of dollars as a result of their failure to observe up-to-date methods in gathering and marketing their fruit. There is just where the Western Maryland peach and different fruits from other sections discount the really fine product of the orchards of Kent."

He stated that the fruit received from the Eastern Shore by Baltimore commission men not only were not properly culled, but gave evidence of careless handling in every detail of preparation for market. While he deplored the fact, he was outspoken in saying that the great secret of profitable fruit growing is a careful handling of the fruit in placing it on the market, a secret which the average Kent county fruit grower persistently ignores, granting that he knows full well the requirements referred to. There are some notable exceptions to this statement, and in each and every one of these exceptions the fruit growers get good prices and invariably make handsome profits.

A more careful observance of care and neatness in detail, he declared to be the greatest failure of the Kent county fruit growers as a class.

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