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NO 4327.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

SECOND NATIONAL BANK

AT CHESTERTOWN,

in the State of Maryland, at the close of business Sept. 9, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$418,847.70
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	395.46
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Stocks, securities, etc	22,338.20
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	11,000.00
Due from National Banks, (not Reserve Agents)	498.74
Due from approved reserve agents	56,576.52
Checks and other cash items	1,864.07
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	235.66
Specie and legal-tender notes	17,930 75
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	625.00
Due from U. S Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	1,700.00
Total	$548,732.15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	12,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,659.21
National Bank Notes outstanding	12,500.00
Due to other National Banks	1,871.22
Individual deposits subject to check	457,923.63
Certified Checks	1,778 09
Total	$548,732.15

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss: I, W. B. Copper, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 1903.

CHARLES ESTES, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest

HARRISON W. VICKERS,
JAMES A. PEARCE,
WILBUR W. HUBBARD,
Directors.

Odd Fellows' Day

—IN—

Baltimore, September 23. 1903.

Grand Display and Parade.
Special Excursion Rate,
50 CENTS Round Trip Good for two days.

Steamer Kitty Knight

Leave Georgetown 7 A. M., connecting at Betterton with Steamer Susquehanna, will leave Baltimore, Sept. 23, at 5.30 P. M. Long Day and see the great show.

TOLCHESTER COMPANY.

Galena Bank

—OF—

Farmers' Trust,

Banking & Deposit Company,

GALENA, MD.

TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

Interest Allowed on Deposits Subject to Check.

Interest Allowed on Savings Deposits.

SPECIAL RATES ON TIME DEPOSITS.

JOHN W. WOODLAND, President, Baltimore, Md.
WM. D. ALLEN, Secretary-Treasurer, Baltimore, Md.
RICHARD S. WALLIS, Cashier, Galena, Md.

BETTERTON CASINO.

Saturday Night Dances

will be continued until Saturday, October 3d, inclusive.

Admission, Everybody, 25c.

DO YOU FOX HUNT?

Now is the time to have your Horses Trained.

Green Horses thoroughly bitted, mouthed and schooled.

Colts Broken to Saddle & Harness.

TERMS REASONABLE,
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

For further particulars apply to
BAYSIDE FARM,
12-2t Betterton, Md.

NOTICE.

Mr. C. W. Kibler, having resigned the position as straw buyer for the American Straw board Company, Mr. Thomas Davis will succeed him after September 1st.
a22-3t. F. W. QUANTZ, manager.

MUSIC CLASS.

Miss Mabel Toulson announces that she will organize a class in music, beginning the 1st of September. a22-2t.

GO to Geo. W. Smith's for all kinds of Harness and Harness Repairs.

Subscription to the Transcript $.100 per annum.

WESTCOTT & DODD are paying 23 cents for EGGS this week.

CHEAP WORK HORSES.

Several for sale at $40 to $50.
s19-3t. APPLY AT THIS OFFICE.

FOR SALE.

I have 450 lbs of Good Country LARD for sale in 50 lb. cans.
GEORGE BECK,
s19-tf. Lankford, Md.

FESTIVAL AND SUPPER.

The annual SUPPER and FESTIVAL of St. Johns' Catholic Church, Rock Hall, will be held SATURDAY SEPT. 26th. All the delicacies of the season will be served.
s19-2t. COMMITTEE.

BUTTER.

Owing to the demand for my make of BUTTER I take this method of informing the public that I have arranged with Mr. F. D. Leary, Queen street, to keep it on sale.
s19 3t. J. P. NICHOLSON.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I have placed my business in the hands of competent and experienced parties during my illness, and prompt attention and careful management will be given to all orders
J. E. FERGUSON,
s19-tf. Undertaker.

FOR SALE.

Two hundred bushels of AUSTRALIAN SEED WHEAT. Yielded this year 25 bushels to the acre.
JAS. BELL
s19-3t. Chestertown R. R. No. 2.

LOST.

Between Rock Hall and Dr. Wilson's a Pocketbook containing tickets to Baltimore and Washington with name on, also a large amount of money. Suitable reward if returned to the owner. Please leave at Benj. Durding's store, Rock Hall.

P. S.—Name on ticket, Miss Mabel Stansell. It also contained a small trunk key.
s12-tf MRS. JULIA RINGGOLD.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A nearly new MERRY GO-ROUND, run by 8½ H. P. Gasoline Engine, with organ tools complete. Can be seen at Millington, Md. J. E. CAHILL. 1t.

SCHOOL STATIONERY.

A complete assortment of
WRITING TABLETS, PENCILS, COMPOSITION BOOKS, SLATES, COMPANIONS, ETC.
s5-3t. THE STAM DRUG CO.

KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL

MISS BAKER'S

KINDERGARTEN AND SCHOOL

s5 3t opens SEPTEMBER 14th, 1903.

FOR SALE.

ONE BUCKEYE DRILL
in first-class order. Used only one season. Terms to suit purchaser.
s5-3t ALEX. CREW.

WANTED.

A GOOD FARM OF 125 OR 150 ACRES conveniently situated near railroad; price $4,000 or $5,000; possession to be given January next.
HOPE H. BARROLL,
j18-tf Attorney at Law.

HORSES FOR SALE.

GOOD DRIVING and WORKING HORSES at private sale.
apply to
YOUNG & BRICE,
Betterton Livery,
s5 2t* Betterton.

Special Excursion

—TO—

BALTIMORE,

September 23, 1903.

Odd Fellows' Day.

Grand Parade Afternoon,
Grand Display at Night.
Beautiful Sight by Day and Night.

BANDS OF MUSIC,

PEOPLE AND PEOPLE.

Steamer Susquehanna

leave Betterton at 9.15 A. M
" Tolchester at 10.30 A. M
Leave Baltimore at 5.30 P. M.

Round Trip Tickets 50c.,

good to return until Sept. 25.

TOLCHESTER COMPANY.

FOR RENT.

THE DOUBLE DWELLING in Millington, Kent county, Md., now occupied by Mrs. J. C. Hackett and W. C. Rolph, for 1904. Apply to
F. A. EMORY, owner.
a29-3t Centreville, Queen Anne's Co. Md.

THE WHITE HOUSE for Rent for 1904.

Politicians need not apply. It is not the Washington White House but it is the Chestertown White House, contains 8 rooms, front and back porches, water in house free of charge. Rent per month $10. Situation—E. Cross street, adjoining the residence of Joseph Guest.
a15-tf JOSEPH GUEST.

FARM FOR PRIVATE SALE.

The Valuable Farm belonging to Daniel E. Jewell, near Worton Station, containing about 200 Acres of Land, is for sale.

Price, $8,000. Terms can be satisfactorily arranged. For full particulars,
Apply to
LEWIN W. WICKES,
Attorney-at-Law,
m9-tf, Chestertown, Md.

DEATHS OF A WEEK.

The Silent Reaper Gleans Precious Sheaves Among the Young and Old.

MRS. MARTHA FISHER.

Mrs. Martha Isabella, wife of Dr. Samuel G. Fisher, a former Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, died at her late residence on Queen street on Monday afternoon at four o'clock, aged 69 years. Mrs. Fisher had been in failing health for some time, and yet with a patience borne of a noble christian character, she had waited submissively for the coming of the summons guarded and administered unto by her aged and devoted husband and loving children. Mrs. Fisher was a member of one of the oldest and most representative families in Kent county, having been the daughter of the late John Constable, who, during his life time, was a large landholder and representative citizen. Mrs. Fisher was a life-long Methodist Protestant, the church of her father's choice, and in her younger days and prior to her removal to Chestertown, was an active member of Wesley Chapel Methodist Protestant Church. The deceased was the sister of the late Stephenson Constable, Mrs. Richard Jones, William R. Constable, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Dr. Samuel Beck, whose families have been prominent in Kent county affairs for a long time. She is also related to Albert Constable, Esq., of Elkton, and Mrs. Willliam S. Walker, of St. Louis. Funeral services were held from her late residence on Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. D. L Greenfield officiating. Interment was made in Wesley Chapel cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. J. K. Aldridge, W. W. Beck, Horace Canstable, R. W. Jones, William Constable and Jacob F. Thompson. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements. The deceased is survived by her husband, Dr. Samuel G. Fisher and two children, Dr. Samuel G., Jr., a prominent physician of Port Deposit, and Miss Ellen Fisher, all of whom have the sympathy of the community in their great bereavement.

ARCHIE BECK BOWERS.

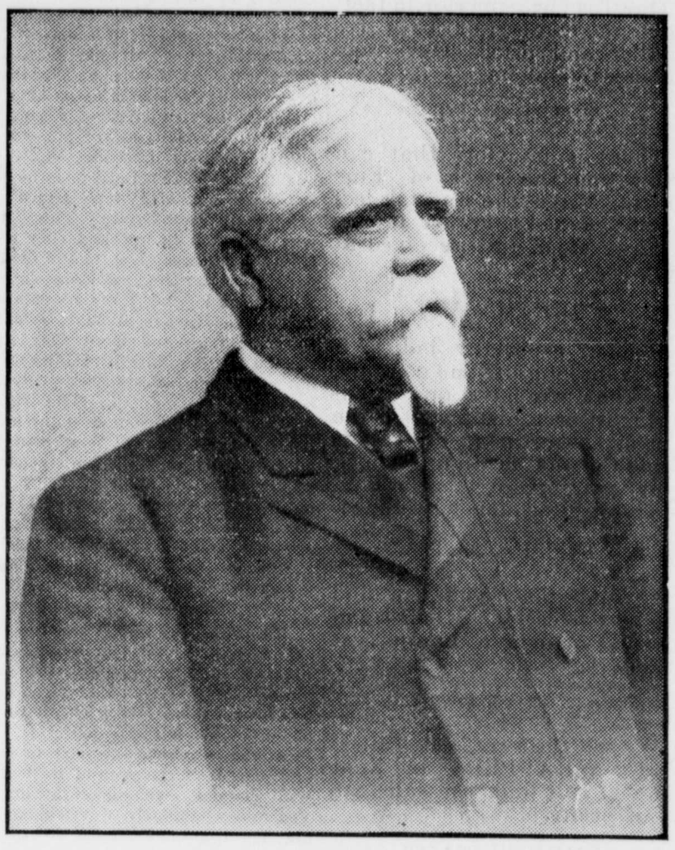
Mr. Archie B. Bowers, one of the most popular and highly respected young men of Kent county, died at the residence of his brother, Mr. George Bowers, in Worton, last Saturday, of consumption, aged thirty-three years. For some years Mr. Bowers held a responsible position with the Chester River Steamboat Company, in which capacity he gained the esteem of the company and the respect of the traveling public by his affable disposition and strict attention to duty. Mr. Bowers was a very ambitious young man, and felt that he could breast the dangers and hardships incident to a life in the gold mining regions of the Klondike, and thither he went more than a year ago in the hope that he would better his fortune. It was not long after his arrival there until the severe climate began to have its effect upon his system, and he contracted a severe cold, which culminated in that dreaded disease, consumption. Mr. Bowers left the Klondike for New Mexico in search of relief. He remained there for some months, but failing to find that which he sought, he left New Mexico some weeks ago, traveling the whole distance alone. He reached Betterton at about four o'clock last Saturday morning week. He was met by his brother George, who took him to his home in Worton. Everything was done for the comfort and care of the beloved brother, but the disease had made such progress that his tired body succumbed after having been home just one week. Mr. Bowers was a young man of sterling character and reputation, and his early death is greatly to be regretted. Funeral services were held at the residence of his brother George on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. M. Sheridan officiating. Interment was made in Still Pond cemetery. The pallbearers were his five brothers—Messrs. George, Thomas, Robert, Raymond and Elsworth, and his cousin, John Parrott. Undertaker Wm. H. Krusen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. ANNIE E STORKE.

Mrs. Annie E. Storke, wife of Mr. Dan'l G. Storke, died at their residence on Front St. on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock of Apolexy, aged 60 years. Mrs. Storke's death was very sudden, she having but a short while before her death returned from assisting Mrs. Jonathan Anthony in her housework. Mrs. Storke was a good woman, and enjoyed the respect of the entire community. Funeral services were held from her late residence on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Dr. E. P. Roberts, officiating. Interment in the Friends burying ground near Lynch's. The pall bearers were her three sons, Thomas, William and Charles, and her son in-law, Mr. Nobblett. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements. The deceased is survived by her husband, and three sons, and three daughters, Thomas, William and Charlie, and Mrs. Martha Norris, Mrs. Gertrude Brodesser, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Annie Nobblett, of Cecil county.

SAMUEL C. TARBUTTON.

Mr. Samuel C. Tarbutton, an old and highly respected citizen of Queen Anne's county, died at his late residence in Crumpton on Thursday of last week, of kidney trouble, aged 86 years. Notwinstanding his extreme age, the deceased had been active and vigorous, and only a week before his death visited his son Mr. W. J. Tarbutton, near Melitota. Mr. Tarbutton was a native of Queen Anne's, having lived nearly, all his life near Crumpton. Funeral services were held at his late residence on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, interment in the family burying ground near Crumpton. Rev. J. A. Arters pastor of the M. E. Church officiated. Mr. Tarbutton is survived by four sons and one daughter, William J, of Melitota; George R., John S., and Hiram G. Tarbutton and Mrs. Sarah C. Battis. Undertaker Bradley had charge of the funeral arrangements.



HON. EDWIN WARFIELD
The Next Governor of Maryland.

A Great Convention.

Maryland's Democracy Assembled in a Unique Convention and Nominates a Ticket That Will Surely Win.

GREAT ENTHUSIASM MANIFESTED.

At a convention, that in point of numbers, enthusiasm and spectacular features surpassed any ever held in the State, the Democratic State ticket was nominated on Wednesday evening at Music Hall. A platform outlining the party doctrines in ringing phrases was adopted, and the rafters of the big building rang with the cheers of thousands of Democrats and the hand-clapping of many ladies. Spece will not allow an extended account of the Convention, but suffice it to say that the ticket is of such strength, and the enthusiasm manifested at the Convention was so great as to make Democratic victory in November absolutely sure. Col. Spencer C. Jones, of Montgomery, was made chairman of the Convention, and in assuming the position made a strong speech, urging that individual aspirations be subordinated to the good of the party.

The nomination of the candidates for Governor, Attorney General and Comptroller, were made by acclamation, and strong speeches from sterling Democrats, landed the various qualifications of the candidates for the respective positions on the ticket. Col. Jones, as presiding officer, whose privilege it was, named Hon. Murray Vandiver as Chairman of the State Central Committee to serve for two years. The following State Central Committee for Kent County was named: Adam F. Huey, Samuel J. Wickes and John M. Comegys.

The platform upon which the party will make its fight deals with those questions which most intimately concern the prosperity and welfare of the people of the State. It is as follows:

PLATFORM ADOPTED BY DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The representatives of the Democratic party of Maryland, in State convention assembled, heartily commend the administration of Gov. John Walter Smith.

He has diligently and faithfully discharged the many and varied duties of his office and fully made good his assurances to the people that under his administration as Governor the laws would be vigorously enforced, the public revenues carefully guarded and peace and good order resolutely maintained.

The efficient and successful management of the affairs of the State in Democratic hands for the last four years justly entitles us to claim a continuation of the confidence and support of the people.

The good government which we are now enjoying under Democratic administration cannot possibly be made better by the Republican party; but, on the contrary, dependent for its exisrence as that party in this State is upon its solid negro vote, it is manifest that the defeat of our ticket at the coming election will bring back upon us the evils and dangers from which our triumph in 1899 so fortunately delivered us.

We believe that the political destinies of Maryland should be shaped and controlled by the white people of the State, and while we disclaim any purpose to do any injustice whatever to our colored population we declare without reserve our resolute purpose to preserve in every conservative and constitutional way the political ascendancy of our race.

The continuance in power of the Democratic party in this State means:

First—The continued rigid enforcement of the laws which have insured safety to person and protection to property.

Second—Continued economy in the expenditure of the people's money, but without parsimony, and progress without extravagance.

Third—It is a guarantee of the early extinguishment of the State debt and a speedy reduction in taxation.

Fourth—It will result in such amendments to our present excellent election law, which has done so much to lessen the evils of bribery, to assure the secrecy of the ballot and to promote intelligent voting, as experience has shown may be necessary to preserve the purity of our elections, without which good government is impossible.

Fifth—The success of our party means that the public schools of the State will be further fostered, expanded and improved, so that opportunity shall be given to every child to obtain a fair education.

Sixth—Maryland, among the first of the States in the Union to recognize that the welfare of all the people largely depends upon the improvement of public highways, created facilities for cheap transportation. That policy resulted in greatly increasing our prosperity and gave to the city of Baltimore an opportunity to share in the commerce of the country. The time has now arrived when we must return, to some extent, to the former policy of improving the highways. Good roads will cheapen the cost of transportation of Maryland's products and will add greatly to the value of property and to the comfort of all the people of the State. Our success will assure legislation to this end.

Seventh—The products of the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries have furnished remunerative employment for thousands of our citizens. Their right, their opportunity, to pursue their vocations must be guaranteed and it is alike the duty and the interest of the State to foster and increase the supply of the natural products of our great inland sea.

Eighth—The Democratic party has shown by example that public improvements in the State and in the city of Baltimore can be made with economy and without suspicion or taint of jobbery. We propose to continue that policy, so that Baltimore city shall have the opportunity to construct its system of sewerage and the improvement of its streets under such restrictions as will insure strict economy by business methods absolutely divorced from party advantage.

Ninth—The Primary Election law passed by a Democratic Legislature and signed by a Democratic Governor, has produced good results, and we are of opinion that its provisions, with such modifications as local circumstances may demand, should be extended to the whole State.

Tenth—The election of a Democratic majority in both branches of the General Assembly will strengthen the hands of a Democratic Governor and contribute greatly towards the maintenance of good government in the State. It will also make certain the election to the United States Senate of a man who will truly represent the essential principles which the Democratic party has advocated from Jefferson's time to our own, and who would scorn to malign and attack the white people of the South in their efforts to properly solve the great questions resulting from the enfranchisement of the negroes.

SOCIAL PLEASURES.

Miss Josephine Harvey, of Washington, D. C., who, with her mother and sister, has been spending the summer at the residence of Mrs. Jervis Spencer, entertained a few of her friends very delightfully on Thursday evening at a "Progressive Anagram" party. Five tables were arranged artistically about the spacious parlors upon which were materials for the guessing of names of animals, birds, proper names, etc. The gentleman's prize was a handsome gold stick pin, and the lady's prize a beautiful embroidered handkerchief. Messrs. Roland Parks and Donald Stam tied for first prize, each having guessed the same number of names. Upon drawing for the prize Mr. Parks was successful. Miss Eloise Ringgold won the lady's prize. A dainty collation was served. Among those present were: Misses Mary Hines, Dovy Connelly, Eva Beauchamp, Lillian Stam, Henrietta Merritt, Leila Scott, Eloise and Ethic Ringgold and Augusta Aldridge and Messrs. Wm. Greenwood, Donald Stam, Roland Parks, Howard Hopkins, Robert Gill, Shultz, Bryan, Whittington and Long, of the college, and Wethered Barroll.

A very enjoyable and sumptous fish fry was given at the residence of Mrs. Goodman, near Cliff City on Wednesday. Oysters and fish, as well as other delicacies, were served in abundance. Among those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hendrickson, Mr. and Mrs. Romie Byron, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur H. Morris and family, Mrs. Frank Shinn and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter U. Lusby and daughter, Mrs. J. M. J. Byron, Miss Pearl Hendrickson, Miss Florence Sheppard, Miss Veva Hendrickson, Mr. George Hendrickson, Uncle Joseph Kendall. The party voted Messrs. Romie Byron and George Hendrickson champion oyster eater of the county.

NOTES FROM COLLEGE HILL.

College entrance examinations began on Wednesday last, and between thirty and forty new students presented themselves. The prospects for a successful year are exceedinlyly bright. Dr. Cain has more boarders than he can comfortably accommodate, being compelled to use the Middle Building as domitories. Normal Hall is filled, and two or three young ladies will probably be compelled to board with 'Squire Melvin.

The outside of the buildings has been improved by a change of color in paint, and the general cheerfulness of the light colored paint adds much to the attractiveness of the campus. The inside of the boys' dormitories has been thoroughly cleaned, papered and repaired, and the boys now have as good quarters as are furnished by any college in the State.

Below are the names of some of the new students who have thus far matriculated:

Blanche B. Elzey, Dorothy E. Walker, Sharptown; Florence E. McConnor, Queenstown; Rhoda M. Scarborrugh, Whiteford; Georgia E. Connor, Queen Anne; America Virginia Reich, Dickerson; Edna R. Downey, Rock Hall; Bertha N. Jump, Chestertown; Anna P. Griffin, Denton; Lillian A. Matthews, Chestertown; Jane McC. Rochester, Millington; Emmett Bell Bryan; Queenstown; Richard H. Finley, Church Hill; Frank B. Garrison, Taylor; Henry P. Price, Still Pond; John H. King, Pocomoke City; Jarriett M. Sheridan, Jr., Hanesville; James T. Dixon, Chestertown; Theodore S. Pattison, Jr Williamsburg; Robert E Lathom, Chestertown; Edgar N. McMaster, Pocomoke City; William A. Eareckson, Church Hill; Grover O. Sutton, Worton; William Tyler, Chance; Irving M. Gray, Washington, D. C.; Edward M. Wood, Baltimore; ———Nolahd, Tolchester, Md.

DELEGATES TO THE BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Kent County Savings Bank has selected the following delegates to the Bankers' Association which will meet on September 24th: Cashier Wm. F. Russell, Messrs. Jefferson D. Bacchus and Chas. S. Smith.

The Chestertown National will be represented by President Chas. T. Westcott, Messrs. E. S. Valliant, Alday Clements and Cashier Wm. Walter Chapman.

The Second National's delegates will be Cashier Wm. Bradford Copper, and Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard.

A special train will leave Baltimore on the 24 h at 1 o'clock in the afternoon over the B & O. for Washington, D. C. where the delegates will embark on an elegant steamer for a trip down the picturesque Potomac to Blackistone's Island, Newport News, Fortress Monroe, U. S. Soldiers Home, etc., stopping at the Chamberlain, Old Point Comfort. The joint session of the Convention will be held on the steamer going and coming. The Secretary of the Treasury and Comptroller of Currency are among the Washington delegates. The wives of several of the Chestertown delegates will accompany their husbands as *alternates*. The TRANSCRIPT wishes all *bon voyage*.

School Notes.

The Chestertown Public School is very much crowded. Several of the rooms have more pupils than they have seating capacity. The Sixth and Seventh grades have been divided and placed in other rooms.

The First grade has been divided and one section of the Primer grade attends school in the morning and the other section in the afternoon.

These divisions have been caused by the unusual attendance this year. At least forty new scholars have been enrolled during the past week.

This arrangement of the grades may not be popular with the patrons and pupils just now, but in the wisdom of the Examiner under the existing circumstances, it was considered the best arrangement that could be made at present.

Mr. James Estes has been appointed janitor of the Chestertown Public School and will enter upon the duties of his office on Monday Sept. 21th.

† The house, and lot of land containing ¼ of an acre of ground in Sandy Bottom, advertised for sale in the TRANSCRIPT by Richard D. Hynson, Esq., assignee, was sold at public sale on Tuesday to Jacob Shriley for $148.

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