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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.

The Second National Bank of Chestertown, Md.

Comparative statement of Deposits made to the Comptroller of the Currency in the April call of each year.

Deposits.

APRIL 5, 1899.....$170,245.62
APRIL 26, 1900.....$215,016.45
APRIL 24, 1901.....$294,021.74
APRIL 30, 1902.....$310, 414.23
APRIL 9, 1903.....$468,269.37

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Green Horses thoroughly bitted, mouthed and schooled.

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FESTIVAL AND SUPPER.

The ladies of St. James M. P. Church will hold their annual SUPPER and FESTIVAL under a tent on the Church green FRIDAY and SATURDAY evenings Oct. 9th and 10th 1903. Oysters, chicken, pig, salads and the delicacies of the season. Ice cream and cake in abundance will be served. o3 2t.

SUPPER AND FESTIVAL.

The ladies of the Church of the Sacred Heart will hold their annual FESTIVAL and SUPPER on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, OCTOBER 20th and 21st Public cordially invited.
o3-3t. COMMITTEE.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

ALL MEMBERS OF

Chestertown Council, No. 177, Jr. O.U.A.M.,

are urged to be present at their meeting on WEDNESDAY EVENING NEXT, October 7th, at 7.30 o'clock, as business of importance demands their attention. 1t.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

Five good work and driving horses. Will exchange for Colts under one year old, or Mares, Cattle or Sheep.
JAS. A. JONES,
"Caulk's Field" Farm, P. O. R. F. D. No. 2,
o3-1t. Chestertown, Md.

WESTCOTT & DODD are paying 24 cents for EGGS this week.

MULE FOR EXCHANGE FOR COLT.

I have a Good WORKING MULE to trade for two-year-old or yearling Colt.
s26 W. IRVING WALKER.

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.

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. B. 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.

DEWEY PARK.

Next Dance will be

Wednesday, October 28th.

SHALLCROSS & MASSEY.

Stams' Opera House,
OCTOBER 6,
Beecher's Uncle Tom's Cabin

Singers, Dancers, Cake Walkers, Specialty Artists.

Superb Band and Orchestra and Female Drum Corps.

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Session Opens Sept. 16th.

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OBITUARY.

JOHN N. ROBERTS.

John Nathaniel Roberts, eldest son of the late Rev. Stephen C. and Annie Harding Roberts, died in Memphis, Tennessee, September 28th, aged 35 years. He graduated from Washington College in the class of 1884 and studied electrical engineering in which business he has been successfully engaged in Memphis for some years. In January 1902 he married Miss Mary Isabelle Beck, daughter of the late Dr. Samuel Beck, of this town. Since boyhood he has been a devoted member of the Protestant Episcopal Church. During his residence in Memphis he was an active member of St. Andrew's Brotherhood. Funeral services were held in Memphis on Tuesday and the remains brought to Chestertown on Thursday evening. The interment was in Chester cemetery on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock P. M., conducted by Dr. H. B. Martin, of Emmanuel P. E. Church. The pall bearers were: J. Guion Roberts, J. Rudolf Stam, William W. Beck, Allan A. Harris, Dr. W. Frank Hines, R. H. Collins, Lewin W. Wickes, Horace B. Constable.

MRS. MARTHA A. E. HARPER.

Mrs. Martha A. E. Harper, wife of Franklin H. Harper, Esq., Judge of the Orphans' Court for Kent county, died at her late home, Rosedale, near Still Pond, on Sunday evening, of paralysis, aged 71 years. Throughout her entire life Mrs. Harper had been closely identified with the religious and social life of the pretty little town of Still Pond, and by her death one of the strong pillars of Still Pond M. E. Church has fallen. Her noble christian character, her genial disposition and charitable nature endeared her to a host of friends in that section of the county. Her loss will be keenly felt in the community of Still Pond, because she was a good woman. Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. F. Beauchamp officiating, assisted by Revs. T. E. Barrett, of Dover; and F. P. Roberts, of Chestertown. Interment was made in Still Pond cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs E. M. Bonwill, Harry Davis, H. L. Crew, Jas. S. Harris Wm. T. Hepbron and W. B. Price. Undertaker Wm. H. Krusen had charge of funeral arrangements.

MRS. MATILDA ALDRICH.

Mrs. Matilda Aldrich, wife of Mr. Lucas Aldrich, formerly of Worton, died at her late residence in Waverly, Baltimore county, on Thursday of paralysis, aged about 65 pears. Mrs. Aldrich was formerly a Miss Cann, daughter of the late Frank Cann, Esq., at one time sheriff of Kent county, and owner of part of the Carville estate near town. She was a regular attendant upon the services of St. James M. P. Church during her residence in Kent county, and was always interested in the large social gatherings for which Worton is famed. Her remains will be brought from Baltimore on the Sassafras River Line today. Interment will be made in Chester cemetery. The deceased leaves a husband and eight children: Frank, Ben, Lou, Lee, Kid, Clifton and Mollie Aldrich, and Mrs. Vernon Gale, of Washington, D. C.

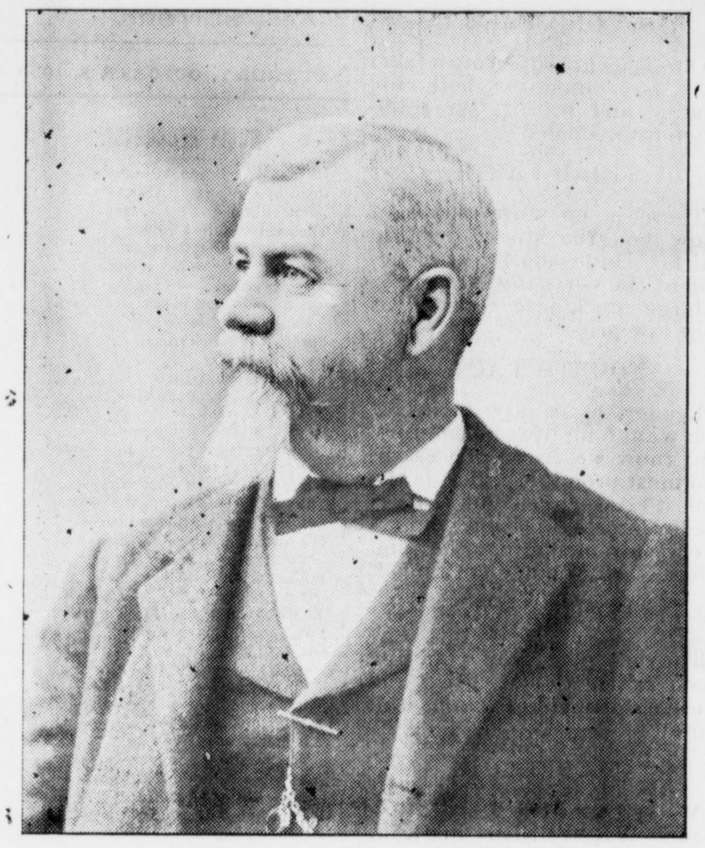
LLOYD H. PORTER.

Lloyd H. Porter, the son of Mr. J. H. Porter, died at the home of his father near Cliff City, on Monday of tuberculosis, aged 23 years. The deceased had been in delicate health for about two years. Funeral services were held at Mobray Chapel on Wednesday, Rev. Milton M'Cann officiating. Interment was made in Wesley Chapel cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Robert Kirlby, Jos. R. Ryan, Jr., J. C. Ryan, Thos. Berger, Nelson J. Berger and Clarence W. Haddaway. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of the funera arrangements.

MRS. BERTIE BORDLEY.

Mrs. Bertie Bordley, wife of Mr. John W. Bordley, died at her late residence in Baltimore on Wednesday, of consumption, aged 37 years. Mrs. Bordley was before marriage Miss Bertie Merritt, daughter of Mr. Alfred Merritt, of Baltimore. She leaves a husband and several children. Funeral services were held yesterday from her late home in Baltimore. Interment in Greenmount cemetery. Miss Nannie Bordley and Mr. John Toulson attended the funeral. Mr. Toulson was one of the pall bearers.

October Term of Court.—Court will convene on the third Monday in Oct., the 19th, and judging by the number of cases on the trial docket the session will be a short one. The most important civil cases to be tried are: Horace Garner vs. William H. Bowers, suit for trespass; Sarah V. McClary, et al, vs. J. Frank Harris and wife, suit to set aside will of John B. Harris; Fannie B. Roy, widow, vs. Tolchester Beach Improvement Company, suit for damages. On the criminal docket the most important case is that of State of Maryland vs. John W. Kelly, violation of the local option law, pending since 1899. There are very few prisoners in jail awaiting trial.



DR. GORDON T. ATKINSON,
DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR COMPTROLLER.

Democrats at Mount Airy.

5,000 Maryland Democrats Hear Key-Notes of the Campaign Sounded by the Candidates and Great Speakers.

Mr. Warfield's Great Speech of Acceptance.

The greatest gathering of its kind ever held in Maryland took place on Saturday last at Wildwood Park, near Mount Airy, Carroll county, where the Democratic State candidates—Hon. Edwin Warfield for Governor, Dr. Gordon T. Atkinson, for Comptroller, and Hon. William S. Bryan, Jr., for Attorney-General—were formally notified of their nomination by the recent Democratic State Convention. It was the opening gun of the campaign and its echoes were meant to ring throughout the State. In his speech of acceptance Mr. Warfield sounded the key-note of this campaign when he said, "The all important problem for the voter to consider in this campaign is whether the government of this great commonwealth shall be intrusted to a party more than one half of whose votes are composed of the ignorant negro race, or to the party comprising in its ranks a vast majority of our white people." Because of its great importance to the voter, we publish in full Mr. Warfield's speech. It is as follows:

"I feel grateful for the distinguished honor conferred on me and am not unmindful of the great work and responsibility I assume in undertaking the leadership of our party in this contest. The platform adopted by the convention, receives my sincere approval and indorsement. [Applause]

"The great and pressing problem of the day, not only in Maryland, but in every section of our common country—North as well as South, East as well as West—is the 'negro question.' It is growing more and more urgent every year in this State. It cannot be put aside. It is upon us and must be met in a manly way. I am willing to meet it and in doing so I want it distinctly understood that I am not hostile to the negro, but have always counted myself one of his truest and best friends. The question as presented, and which the voter must decide at this election, is a plain, practical, business one, and goes home to every white householder and taxpayer in Maryland. It is whether the government of this great Commonwealth shall be intrusted to a party more than one half of whose voters are composed of this ignorant race or to the party comprising in its ranks a vast majority of our white people. [Cheers.]

"We have experienced in this State in recent years the effects of Republican supremacy on the emotional and excitable negro mind. It brought increase of lawlessness among the colored population of our chief city and multiplied crime throughout the State. The fatal effects of negro denomination on property interests and all forms of industrial development are illustrated in those counties in Maryland which are dominated by the negro votes where it has throttled progress and blighted prosperity. The conditions that prevail in that section will ultimately spread to other portions of the State if the Republican party is again installed in power.

CANNOT RISE ABOVE SOURCE.

"The Republican party of Maryland cannot rise higher than the source of its power, and if it should regain possession of the State government it must recognize the element to which it owes its ascendancy. Such recognition again in this State would bring about results of the gravest and most deplorable character in their effect on both the moral and material welfare of the people. Therefore I take my stand firmly upon that plank in the platform of our party which declares that 'the political destines of Maryland should be shaped and controlled by the white people of the State,' and I appeal to all citizens, irrespective of party, who love and honor the State, to lend their earnest and active support in this contest for the supremacy of the white race, for the cause of civilization and good government. [Great applause.]

ELECTIONS MUST BE FAIR.

'Our elections must be fair and honest. Without pure elections there is no government by the people. The drafting of an election law is a matter of extreme difficulty. No one can tell exactly how a new law will operate. Its points of weakness and of strength are shown only by experience.

"I believe that our present election law needs some amendments. It shall be my firm purpose to aid in securing such amendments as will make the present law as perfect a piece of machinery as can be devised for ascertaining the votes of the people accurately and for the prevention of bribery. In our system of government political parties are necessary agencies. To secure a true and correct declaration of the wishes of those constituting a political party as to the choice of candidates primary elections have been adopted as the safest and most expedient method. These elections should be honest, fair and clean. The good results of the primary election law for Baltimore city have demonstrated that, with proper amendments to simplify its operation and with such modifications as local condition may demand, it should be extended to the whole State, and I heartily favor such an extension.

OPPOSED TO BRIBERY.

"Another important question agitating the people of this State is the use of money in elections for the corruption of the voter. It is destroying in the minds of many voters the sense of the sacred duty of citizenship. Agencies are used and practices permitted which should arouse the gravest fears of every truly disinterested and patriotic citizen. This purchase of voters must be stopped. To prohibit a practice so universally condemned will be my earnest endeavor.

SCHOOLS AND GOOD ROADS.

'I have always been a warm and earnest advocate of public schools. I was educated in them and taught under the first general system of public schools established in the State of Maryland. I have watched the development of the system and feel that I know its needs, and it will be a source of great gratification to me if I can aid in increasing the facilities for giving to the children of the State of Maryladd better opportunities for obtaining a good education and to secure to the teachers adequate compensation for their services.

"I realize the need in the rural sections of our State of good roads. They will advance the interests of our farmers and all property owners of the State. To bring about a system of good road building that will result in good highways in every section of the State will be my earnest endeavor. I believe that all the people of the State are anxious for legislation that will secure this result.

"The convention has associated with me upon the ticket two men of the highest standing as to character and fitness for the positions for which they have been selected.

"I have known Mr. Bryan, the candidate for Attorney-General for many years. He is one of the acknowledged leaders of the Maryland bar, a man of independence and high integrity.

"Dr. Atkinson, the candidate for Comptroller, possesses in an eminent degree the qualifications that will make him a safe guardian of the financial affairs of the State.

"If I am elected Governor of Maryland I will not use the power and the patronage of the position to advance myself politically, or to advance the political fortunes or ambitions of any man. I shall go into the office without being hampered by a single promise of any nature or character whatever.

"I shall require a strict and impartial execution of the laws of the State and the maintenance of good order. As this can only be accomplished by honest, upright and fair officials, I shall appoint none but the very best men to public office and shall require that they faithfully perform their duties. My sole purpose shall be to administer the duties of Governor of Maryland for the best interests of her whole people and in such a manner as to deserve their commendation and endorsement.

"If I can win the approval of the people and have them say of me when I go out of office that I have made a good and faithful Governor I shall be content."

WEDDING NOTES.

Mrs. Mary J. Howard, a popular young lady of Chestertown, daughter of Mrs. McKevitt, of Rock Hall, and daughter-in-law of Mr. John F. Howard, of Chestertown, was married on Tuesday evening to Mr. Ralph Barnett, a popular young business man of Chestertown, at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage, in Pomona. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Milton McCann, pastor of Bond Chapel M. E. Church, in the presence of only the immediate friends of the couple.

Shortly after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett drove to Chestertown where they will take up their residence in the cosy home on High street, which Mr. Barnett has purchased and fitted up. The TRANSCRIPT extends congratulations.

HURLOCK—PAYNE.

The wedding of Miss Margaret Payne, of Snow Hill, to Mr. Wilbur Hurlock, son of Mr. S. R. Hurlock, of Queen Anne's took place on Wednesday evening in all Hallows Protestant Episcopal Church, Snow Hill. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William C. Butler. The bride wore a gown of white crepe de chine trimmed with real lace and pearl collar and belt, a tulle veil with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Miss Nellie Payne was maid of honor. The best man was Edward H. Thompson. The ushers were; James Ingram, Jr., A. S. Goldsborough, Ernest Roberts, Morgan Wood, Frank Dudley and Lewis Evans. Mr. and Mrs. Hurlock will be at home at the "Preston," Baltimore, after Dec. 1.

USILTON—VOLK.

Mr. John S. Usilton, of this county, and Miss Laura Volk, of Wilmington, Del., were married on Wednesday evening at Worton. Rev. J. B. Merritt performed the ceremony.

CHURCH NOTES.

At Christ Methodist Protestant church, Rally Day exercises will be held in the Sunday School at 2 30 P. M. The Autumn Rally of the Junior Endeavorers will take place at 6 15 P. M. The Inaugural meeting of the Christian Workers will be held at 6 45 P. M. At 7.30 P. M. the pastor will preach on "The Comfort there is for the Bereaved."

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Wm. F. Adams, D. D., will officiate in St. Paul's on Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 10 A. M. and at Christ Church, I. U., at 3 P. M. of the same day.

Father Edward F. X. Curran, of Philadelphia, has succeeded Father McNamara as priest of Sacred Heart, Chestertown, and St. John's Rock Hall, Catholic churches. Father McNamara has been transferred to the Baltimore Diocese.

Presiding Elder Wm. G. Koons, of the Easton District, will preach in Asbury M. E. Church, Millington, morning and evening tomorrow (Sunday), and at Massey at 3 P. M. All are invited.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, held a very interesting and pleasant meeting on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Marcelene Burchinal on Front street.

At a meeting of the Christian Workers Association held in the lecture room of Christ M. P. Church on Sunday evening last, the following officers were elected for the year: president, Mr. Fred G. Usilton; Executive Committee, Mrs. W H. Robinson, Miss Clare Vannort, and Messrs. J. F. Wheatley, J. Waters Russell and Harry Barnett.

The annual "Rally Day" services of Christ M. P. Sunday School will be held tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon. A special programme of music is being prepared and souveniers will be distributed to the scholars.

Revival services will begin at Lynch's M. P. Church, Rev. J. M. Sheridan, pastor, to-morrow (Sunday) evening. Preaching at 7.30 o'clock. Services each evening during next week. There will be no preaching services to-morrow afternoon.

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