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Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters testamentary upon the personal estate of

MARY E. CALDER,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of May 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 19th day of November, 1904.

MATILDA M. COPPER,
n19 4t. Administratrix.

Auditor's Notice.

Richard D. Hynson, mortgagee,
vs.
Charles H. Voyce.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity

No. 1414.

THE CREDITORS of Charles H. Voyce, late of the city of Baltimore, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims, duly authenticated, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland, on or before the 12th day of January, 1905, orherwise they will by law be excluded from participating in the fund audited in this cause.

By order of court,
LEWIN W WICKES,
n19-4t. Auditor.

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BANK NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the SECOND NATIONAL BANK of CHESTERTOWN, Maryland that their regular ANNUAL MEETING for the election of nine Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at their banking house in Chestertown, on Tuesday, January 10th, 1905, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

d10-5 t. W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

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NOTICE.

The undersigned, a graduate of Washington College, of the class of 1900 of the Law Department of the University of Pennsylvania, announces his removal from Philadelphia to Chestertown where he will engage in the practice of law, having passed the Maryland State Bar Examination.

HERBERT E. PERKINS,
Attorney-at-Law.
s24- Office on Court St. opposite Court House.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Att'y.

ORDER NISI.

J. Evan Thomas
vs.
Lawrence A. Thomas.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

No. 1004.

ORDERED this 15th day of December, 1904, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in the above entitled proceedings made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, under a decree of this court to make said sale be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 20th day of February, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 20th day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $300.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

SLEIGHING CARNIVAL.

Winter Sets in Early—Snow Falls Thick and Fast, and Sleigh Bells Jingle Merrily Over the Frozen Turf.

In reality the first day of winter will be next Wednesday, Dec. 21, but the weather man did not stand upon formality by any means, and on Saturday morning, and in fact all that day, he served up a snow storm that has scarcely been equalled so early in the month of December. The temperature and ground were in fine shape for its reception, and when on Saturday night about nine o'clock the wind from the northwest blew the snow clouds away, the earth was covered with a mantle of white about eight inches in depth. Not since the winter of '85 has there been such a heavy snow storm so early, nor have there been so many indications of a long and severe winter as have manifested themselves during the month of December. Chester river has been covered with ice one inch in thickness, ponds and fresh water streams have afforded skating in some localties, and the Port Deposit and Sassafras river lines of steamers of the Tolchester company has been discontinued much earlier than usual. But speaking of the snowstorm, it has furnished fine sport for the lovers of sleighing during the week, and Main street, Chestertown, has been the scene of a magnificent sleighing carnival. Owners of fast horses have had the opportunity to test the quality of their steeds on snow, and those who possess fine teams have had the pleasure that such possessions afford. On Monday and Tuesday afternoons the spectators along the crowded side walks enjoyed splendid amusement. It simply took the shine off the country fair for the races were more varied and the contests far more exciting than is usual at a county fair where the heats are either laid up or races are fixed, or the field is outclassed, to the detriment of horse racing. There was no unnecessary scoring and no starting judge. Every race was a free-for-all, and it is difficult to decide whose horse was the fastest. But one thing is very certain, and that is that there has been seen on Main street this week as speedy and finely bred horse flesh as ever stepped over the road. Among those seen on the speed-way were:

Wm. A. Bell, with the inimitable Bedworth, Jr., 2.06½, and Linwood, his fine colt.

George Rash, driving the handsome brown stallion, "West Morrill," record 2.29½.

W. C. Palmatory, of Church Hill, behind Happy John, record 2.19½.

Walter T. Morris, driving his new purchase, Alcantell, record 2.23, a fine bay stallion formerly owned by State Veterinarian G. Allen Jarman.

Robert McWhorter, with Harry Jefferson's speedy bay pacer, and Mr. A. L. Sparks' fast brown pacer.

John Gale, driving his fast bay horse.

Wilbur W. Hubbard with his fast black mare, Tillie.

George Brice, driving a handsome dark bay pacer, Marvel King, very speedy.

Wm. McKee, brown colt, toppy and speedy.

Tom Toulson, with his very speedy mare, Eliza S.

Wm. W. Beck, driving a fast bay gelding.

Capt. Wm. C. A. Thompson with his reliable gray roadster and fine Bedworth colt John B.

George S. Biddle, speedy black mare.

John Startt driving Wm. Bowers' handsome Maryland Russell sorrel colt.

Fred G. Usilton, with a stylish bay mare.

J. D. Bacchus, with a sprightly bay.

Josiah Massey, Jr., driving his stylish bay.

Charles Baxter, of Queen Anne's, with a fine looking bay.

Leon Brown, with Maryland Russell.

Albert Story, of Queen Anne's, driving his handsome bay stallion, Schley Russell.

Wm. G. Smyth, with his Bedworth colt—a promising youngster.

Rev. A. H. Covey, driving a fine looking sorrel colt.

Benj. Benton with the fast Hayes horse.

Clifton Hurtt, behind a fast black.

John Brock, driving his fine bay roadster.

James T. Ireland with his fast bay Belton colt, driven by John Startt.

J. D. Lucas, with a fine bay colt that has good speed. These were among the fastest seen on the speedway.

Others noticed were: Mr. Robert G. Nicholson, George W. Hatcherson, Harry C. Willis, Joseph Watson, Philip G. Wilmer, James G. Beck, J. E. Ferguson, George McWhorter, T. D. Bowers, Lewin U. Skirven, driving a pair of grays; Hiram M. Brown, with a stylish double team; Charles Nicholson, John Clendaniel, Frank Toulson, Howard Bowers, Marion deK. Smith, Esq., the Barroll boys, Dr. S. E. Ford, Mr. Jester, Mr. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Usilton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barnett, Misses Jefferson, Mr. George Burk, Dr. Frank Smith, Miss Ethel Bacchus, Miss Susie Belle Culp, Mrs. Wm. G. Evans, Miss Blanche Smyth, Miss Sue Ford, Messrs. George and Percy Hendrickson, Thomas Eliason and sister, Miss Irma. A. S. Turner and wife, George Hudson, Wm. H. Lambert, Jr., and wife, Wm. Clough, Wm. T. H. Whiteley, Harry and Miss Bessie Nichols, Howard Dodd, George Walbert, Earle Nicholson, Mr. J. T. Anthony with a large sleigh crowded with young people, making merry with horns and flags, and others.

Some Comments on the Racers.

Some remarks heard along the sidewalks this week during the sleighing carnival: "He's pretty good but he ain't got the right shuffle;" when Bedworth, Jr., appeared on the course—"Look out boys, da's the king bee;" when Linwood came—"There's a steed worthy of his sire;" when George Rash came down with West Morrill—"Lord, man, da's the snow sifter; he's the swiftest what is;" when Albert Story drove handsome Schley Russell over the course—"Boys, de cock of de walk from Queen Anne's am here today; he'll dash snow at 'em; when the horses got straightened away for a race—"Clare de track, boys, and let the fleetfoots pass;" when Benj. Benton drove in on Wednesday with the Hayes horse—"Boys da's something new in town; lookout for something doing;" when the racers got in a close place—"Stop dat scrougin' now and square away;" when Harry Jefferson's pacer, Bob McWhorter up, came spinning along—"Boys he's the stuff, and I've got 50 on him at even money;" when Hiram M. Brown came along with his fine double team—"Boy's dat's style!" when Tom Toulson came up from Quaker Neck with his good one—"Boys, didn't I tell you Quaker Neck is always in it?" when Bill Thompson headed his reliable gray roadster down the path—"Boys he's good, but he ain't old Jack;" when the other fellow got beat—"I didn't get a good start that time, that's the reason you beat me;" when George Biddle showed some of the fellows the way to go down—"Fo' de Lord, dat ole mare's as good as ever;" when J. T. Anthony hove in sight with his large two-horse sled—"Well boys, for genuine fun, that beats all."

An Array of Fine Horses.

No town on the Eastern Shore can produce as fine horses as have been seen on the Chestertown speedway during the week. These horses are noted for their speed as well as their high breeding. Among them are Bedworth, Jr., 2.06½, and Linwood, owned by Wm. A. Bell, Chestertown; Lord Avon, owned by Alday Clements; Schley Russell, owned by Albert Story, of Queen Annes; West Morrill, owned by George Rash, Marvel King, owned by George Rash, Harry Jefferson's fast pacer; Silverwood, half brother to Free Silver, J. D. Lucas' promising colt, James T. Ireland's fine three-year-old, Walter T. Morris' Alcantell, Tom Tolson's dark bay, Wm. H. Bowers' sorrel three-year-old, Phoebe B., driven by the veteran, John Startt; Capt. Wm. C. A. Thompson's fine Bedworth colt, John B.; Wm. G. Smyth's Minnie Bedworth, a very promising Bedworth colt, and many others not quite so fast, but of excellent stock.

COLLEGE NOTES.

Coasting is the popular amusement at present. Daily gay parties frequent the snow covered terraces of W. C. and may be seen sliding merrily down. Unhappy is the lad who upsets with the maiden entrusted to his care, for the looks he receives contrasts strangely with the whiteness of snow.

The annual open-meeting of the Adelphian Literary Society will be held in the College Chapel on Saturday evening, Dec. 17.

Mr. E. W. Schutz has been elected captain of the football team for next year. Mr. Schutz is one of W. C.'s best players and enthusiasts well remember the brilliant playing of the quick little quarter back on the home gridiron. We wish him a successful year, hoping that many victories will fall to the lot of the Maroon and Black.

The Glee Club has organized for the coming year. Under the able instruction of Dr. Cain we expect the members to make great progress and anticipate a very entertaining programme for the Spring exhibition.

School will close for the present yera next Tuesday at 12.20. The students and faculty will then assemble in the chapel to listen to the Senior orations. The Seniors have been studying hard for the past month and we expect some very convincing evidence.

CHURCH NOTES.

Bond Chapel Sunday School will hold their annual Christmas tree entertainment and treat Wednesday Dec. 28, at 7 o'clock P. M.

The date for the Mowbray chapel Sunday School entertainment and treat has not yet been decided upon.

Rev. Dr. Logan will preach at Westminister and Grace Presbyterian Churches tomorrow (Sunday) Dec. 18.

Mrs. Dr. J. Lane Finley, President of Easton Diocesan Womans' Auxiliary will give an address at St. Paul's Church tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon, (weather permitting) at 3 p. m.

After its next session, which will be held in Grace Church, Wilmington, nine years will probably elapse before the Wilmington Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church again convenes there. Eight towns desire to entertain the Conference, and it is likely that they will be the Conference seats as follows: Pocomoke City, Md., 1906; Milford, Del., 1907; Smyrna, Del., 1908; Salisbury, Md., 1909; Seaford, Del., 1910; Snow Hill, Md., 1911; Dover, Del., 1902; Chestertown, Md., 1913. While the Conference will meet in Wilmington, no provision is made for the entertainment of the ministers and delegates. They will likely have to pay their board.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Preaching at 10.30 A. M., and 7.30 P. M.; Sunday school at 2.15 P. M.; Epworth League meeting at 6.45 P. M. Morning subject: "Jacob at Peniel." Evening subject: "The City of Refuge." All are cordially invited.

Kennedyville M. P. Church, Rev. R. S. Rowe, pastor. As the "White Bees of Winter" swarmed so profusely and settled in such drifts as to prevent service on last Sunday, the pastor will preach on "The Divine Providence" next Sunday at 10.30 P. M., and "God's Warning Notification" at 7 P. M.

The following is the schedule of Epworth League meetings of Chestertown Chapter for Dec. and Jan.:

DECEMBER.

4—Worshiping in Spirit and in Truth, (Psa. 100; 1-5; John 4: 19-24.....J. B. McIntire.

11—Good and Bad Habits (Rom. 8; 1-15) .....Rue Von Truitt

18—The New Testament Standard of Experience and Life—Pledge Meeting (Matt. 6; 10; John 15; 10-16).....Miss Laura Thomas

25—An Offering to Christ (Mark 14: 3-9.....Prof. J. L. Smyth

JANUARY.

1—Our Goals for 1905 (Phil. 3: 12-16) .....Miss Fannie Stuart

8—The Making of a Christian: His Birth (John 3: 1-8. .....M. Wilbur Thomas

15—Am I My Brother's Keeper? (Gen. 4: 8-15) A Temperance Meeting .....Mrs. F. P. Hummer

52—How to Win Souls for Christ (John 1: 40-46).....Mrs. A. L. Davidson

29—City Evangelization (Isa. 62; 6; Jonah 5: 10-11)...Mrs. W. L. White

Rev. L. R. Dyott, formerly of the Maryland Annual Conference, M. P. Church, but at present in charge of a large Congregationalist church in Newark, N. J., has received a call to Pittsburg. The latter charge was occupied some years ago by Rev. D. L. Greenfield, D. D., of Chestertown.

The Young Peoples Society Christain Endeavor of Christ M. P. Church at its meeting on Friday evening last elected the following officers for the ensuing six months—President, Wm. A. Wheatley; vice-president, Wm. J. Hudson; cor. sect'y, Miss Marian J. Lusby, rec. sect'y, Miss Maude Duyer; pianist, Miss Clara B. Usilton; organist, Miss Eva Hurlock: chairman prayer meeting com., Mrs. Ralph Barnett; lookout com. Miss M. J. Lusby; sunshine com., Miss Mayme Thompson; social, Miss Fannie Baker; junior supt., Mrs. C. J. Reiche; Sunday school, Mrs. W. C. Sutton. The society meets every Friday evening in the lecture room of the church.

The usual services will be held in Christ Methodist Protestant Church. The sermon theme in the morning will be: "The Preparation for Christ's Coming in History." In the evening: "The Women of Christ's Circle—Martha and Mary."

Rev. J. W. Easley, pastor of Harrison Street M. E. Church, Wilmington, has notified his congregation that he desires a change of pastoral relations next year. Mr. Easley is finishing his third year as pastor of the church.

The Dorcas Society of Emmaunel P. E. Church met on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Curtis E. Crane, on Front street.

The Aunual Christmas treat and entertainment of Bond Chapel Sunday School will be held on Wednesday evening Dec. 28th.

*†*The semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent., payable Jan. 2, 1905, was declared at the meeting of the Delaware Railroad directors held last week in Supt. W. N. Bannard's office, Elkton.

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