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The Second National Bank of Chestertown, Md.

The Only National Bank in Kent. County.

Comparative statement of the Reports made to the Comptroller of the Currency:

DEPOSITS:

March 14, 1905...$530,610.09
March 28, 1904... 423,195.24

Increase in 1 year $107,424.85

Surplus and Net Profits:

March 14, 1905....$31,859.23
March 28, 1904... 25,933.38

Increase in 1 year $5,925.85

The public will see that the Second National Bank is not only increasing its volume of business, but is steadily increasing the security to its patrons by adding nearly $6,000 to its surplus account.

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SECOND NATIONAL BANK
of Chestertown, Md.

Galena Bank
—OF—
Farmers' Trust,
Banking & Deposit Co.
GALENA, MD.

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SPECIAL RATES ON TIME DEPOSITS.

JOHN W. WOODLAND, President, Baltimore, Md.
WM. D. ALLEN, Secretary-Treasurer, Baltimore, Md.
EDWARD A. SCOTT, President Local Board, Galena, Md.
RICHARD S. WALLIS, Cashier, Galena, Md.

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,
a24- Office on Court St. opposite Court House.

HARRISON W. VICKERS, JR.
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
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Will practice in Kent and adjoining counties.

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Do you know we sell sewing machines on gradual easy payment?

A great many have availed themselves of our plan and provided new machines for their homes. Our one-price system of selling machines has proven a success. We now offer you our Sewing Machines on our new Rental-Purchate plan.

The most simple and pleasing arrangements for a young woman, housewife, mother or the head of the family.

This new plan is offered to any responsible person in Kent county. All makes of Sewing Machines repaired. Needles, Oils, Attachments for all Sewing Machines. Call or mail postal.

Singer Sewing Machine Co.,
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Betterton, Md.
Sewing Machines sold for cash, note or on time lease. mar11-3m.

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STILL POND, MD.
SPRING, 1905!
WE CARRY IN STOCK
Carriages, Runabouts
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The Genuine Oliver and Syracuse Plows & Castings, Field Rollers, Wood and Steel Cultivators, Harrows, Ladders, Etc.

New Deere No. 9 Planter

Before you buy a Planter, come and see the "DEERE" and you will find one of the simplest and best on the market. Quite a number of them have been sold in this neighborhood and have given entire satisfaction.

AND DON'T FORGET

We have our own make of

WAGONS & DEARBORNS

They can't be beat.

REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS.

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STRAW HATS.

50c., $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50 and $5.00,

at LUCAS'.

Business Opportunity.

Having reduced my stock down to about $3000, I will offer at a BIG BARGAIN the remainder all fresh and unbroken

Stock & Fixtures,

with good cash business at a BIG DISCOUNT. Yours,

Chas. S. Smith.

Auditor's Notice.

Wm. T. Lucas, et. al.,
vs
George Lucas, et al.
No. 1485.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

THE CREDITORS of George Lucas, late of Kent county, 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 22nd day of July, 1905, otherwise if they will ay law be excluded from participating in the fu[illegible]d to be audited in this case.

By order of Court.
LEWIN W. WICKES,
m y27-t. Auditor.

UNDERWEAR,

The kind that fits—25 and 50c.

At LUCAS'.

JAMES W. CHAPMAN, JR.,
Attorney-at-Law,
1160—1169 Calvert Building,
BALTIMORE, MD.
Mt. Vernon C. & P. 3631.
Maryland 'Phone Courtland 2866. ap16-y.

HOW ABOUT IT?

Have you been thinking about buying an

INCUBATOR?

Well, just stop thinking and drop me a postal. I have some news for you. Don't think of buying an INCUBATOR or any POULTRY SUPPLIES until you have my prices. I can save you money. And don't forget I have

Some Good Chickens,

and invite you to come and see them. They were hatched in the "CYPHERS" INCUBATOR, for which I am agent in Kent county. Circulars free for the asking. Write

Chas. G. Watts,
f5-3mo STILL POND, MD.

Commencement Exercises
—OF—
Washington College,
Chestertown, Md.

SUNDAY, JUNE EIGHTEENTH—11 A. M., Baccalaureate Sermon, in Emmanuel P. E. Church, by Rt. Rev. Wm. Forbes Adams, Easton, Md.

8 P. M.—Sermon to the Christian Associations, in Christ M. P. Church, by Rev. John S. Bowers, Baltimore, Md.

MONDAY, JUNE NINETEENTH, 3 P. M.—Baseball game. 8 P. M.—Address to Adelphia Literary Society, by Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., Dover, Del.

TUESDAY, JUNE TWENTIETH.—10.30 A. M. Declamation Contest, Stam's Hall. 7 P. M. Alumni Banquet.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE TWENTY-FIRST.—10.30 A. M., Commencement Exercises in Stam's Hall. 3 P. M. Base Ball Game. 9 P. M. Commencement Ball in Stam's Hall.

FIRST DANCE
of the season at
BETTERTON CASINO,
June 17th, 8.30 p.m.,

Admission 25c. Also

Bowling Alleys Open.

je3-1t HOWARD TURNER, Propr.

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I have hundreds of people who are after farms and other property. When your property is in my hands to sell, it is not advertised openly. You do not run the risk of depreciating its value, because I don't tell any and everybody it's for sale—only communicate with people who are in earnest about buying. It does not cost you a cent to list realty in my agency.

STATE OF MARYLAND.
COURT OF APPEALS.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—This is to certify that I am personally well acquainted with Mr. J. Waters Russell, of this town, and that he is known in the community as a man of intelligence and business capacity as well as of approved integrity.

Respectfully. JAMES A. PEARCE.

J. WATERS RUSSELL,
REAL ESTATE,
Chestertown, - - Maryland.

NOTICE.

By order of the Board of Commissioners for Kent county, the supervisors of the roads, namely, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th districts, are hereby notified not to do any further work upon the roads except through and by the direct order of the Commissioner in charge of said districts excepting damage to bridge or culvert. This order to take effect at once.

A. C. LOUD, PRES'T.,
C. B. DUDLEY,
HARRY DAVIS,
P. B. RASIN,
L. C. AYRES.
C. L. DODD, Clerk. je3-tf.

SANDERS & STAYMAN CO.,
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W. C. HURLOCK, Agent.
Chestertown, Md.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Atty.

ORDER NISI

John M. Pennington, et. al.,
vs.
Paul M. Pennington, et. al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 19th day of May, 1905, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in the above entitled case, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, trustee, under decree of this court in the above entitled cause be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 24th day of July, 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 24th day of June next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $705.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
May20-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

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

CLIFTON HURTT,

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 27th day of November 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of May, 1905.

LEWIN W. WICKES,
my20-4t. Administrator.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A second hand COLUMBUS BUGGY, almost new. Will outwear now two ordinary buggies. Apply at once to
je17-1t. W. W. HUBBARD.

FOR RENT.



The STORE and HOUSE formerly occupied by Mr. Elburn and Mr. Stoops on Quaker Neck road, edge of town. This is a splendid boarding house, has trade right there, and is a large and roomy house and moderate rent. Possession given at once. Apply to
je17-1t. W. W. HUBBARD.

WANTED.

1000 DOZEN EGGS for which the highest cash market price will be paid on delivery at our store in Chestertown.
je10-3t. J. HYDIE THOMPSON.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned up to JULY 1st, 1905, for FIFTY-FIVE TONS OF LEHIGH VALLEY NUT COAL to be delivered at County Almshouse by August 1, 1905. All proposals must be in sealed envelopes and endorsed "Proposals for coal," and addressed

JOHN BELL, President,
Board of Almshouse Trustees,
ju-10-3t. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE.

I have fitted up an office in the town of Kennedyville for the practice of my profession, and I solicit the patronage of all those who may be in need of the services of a dentist of long experience.

D. A. SPARKS, D. D.,
Kennedyville, Md.
my20-tf Formerly of Centreville, Md.

Teachers' Examination.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL EXAMINATION for applicants for certificates to teach in the public schools of Kent county, Maryland, will be held in the school building in Chestertown, Md.,

JUNE 29th and 30th, 1905.

The examinations will commence on each day at nine o'clock, and will close at five o'clock with an hour's intermission at noon. Paper will be furnished.

MILTON MELVIN,
Supt. of Schools.

N. B.—Examinations for colored teachers will be held later, of which due notice will be given.
je10-3t.

I am agent for the celebrated

O-HI-O Steam Cookers
IN KENT COUNTY.

Uuexcelled for Canning Purposes

This Cooker is one of the greatest inventions of the age, and is the greatest ECONOMIZER, LABOR and FEUL saving device on the market. An entire meal can be cooked over one burner of an oil stove. We offer the following references from ladies in Chestertown who have tested the Cooker:

Chestertown, Md., June 7, 1905.

Mr. William Vansant—Dear Sir—I have used your Ohio Steam Cooker and find it to be all that you claimed for it. It is very convenient and saves a great deal of labor and anxiety when preparing a meal.

Yours, etc.,
MRS. WALTER U. LUSBY.

I am using an Ohio Cooker, sold by Mr. William Vansant, of Chestertown, Md., and find that it economizes time, labor and feul

MRS H. BENGE SIMMONS.

I shall be pleased to call upon anyone interested in the matter, and will give any information desired concerning the Cookers. For sale by

WILLIAM VANSANT,
j10-2m Chestertown, Md.

TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.

I have trust funds and to loan on Mortgages at 6 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 five years. On first-class mortgages where the loan does not exceed three-fifths the value of the farms, a large part of this money can be borrowed at 5 per cent.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
m13-6t. Chestertown, Md.

PROPOSALS
—FOR—
College Building!

Sealed proposals will be received for the erection of a NEW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING at Washington College, Chestertown, Md., until Wednesday, JUNE 28th, 1905, at 7 o'clock P. M. at the office of the undersigned. Plans and specifications may be had of the architects, Thompson & Hill, Room 608 Ford Building, Wilmington, Del., on and after this date. There will be copies of Drawings and Specifications posted in the Builders Exchanges at Baltimore and Philadelphia, and bidders can notify sub-contractors to take off their work at these places or at the office of the architects in Wilmington, Del. The owners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

MARION DEK. SMITH, Sec'y.,
je3-tf. Chestertown, Maryland.

N. B.—All former bids have been rejected.

GEO. Z. ROLAND,
MEAT MARKET.

We have just purchased a lot of Fine Beef Cattle.

Good Steaks Guaranteed.

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JOHN M. HERSCH,
ABRAM CASEY,
my20-4t. Executors.

Subscription to the Transcript $1.00 per annum.

"OLD ORGANIZATION" WINS.

They Carry Five Districts in the County and Control the Convention Which Nominated a Good Ticket.

After one of the hottest primary contests ever held in Kent county, the "Old Organization" forces, led by Mr. Richard D. Hynson, defeated the People's faction, on Saturday, carrying five of the seven districts, and insuring the nomination of the candidates of that faction at the county convention on Tuesday last. The "Old Organization" was successful in the First, Second, Fourth, Sixth and Seventh, districts, carrying the First by 72, the Second by 19, the Fourth of 60, the Sixth by 67 and the Seventh by 64. There was no contest in the Third district, where Dr. J. H. Hessey, the candidate of the People's faction, was very popular, and the Fifth district gave Mr. Charles D. Wood, the candidate of the People's faction, and one of the most popular men in the county, a substantial majority of 65. The contest, while a most exciting one, was conducted without any friction in any of the districts. The vote by districts is as follows:

First District, First Precinct—192 votes were polled. For Gibbs, 124; for Walters, 68.

First District, 2d Precinct—208 votes were polled. For Gibbs, 112; for Walters, 96. Gibbs' majority in district 72.

Second Dist.—301 votes were polled. For Medders, 160; for Hossinger, 141. Medders' majority 19.

Third Dist.—Conceded to Dr. Hessey without contest.

Fourth Dist.—353 votes were polled. For Crane, 207; for McWhorter, 147. Crane's majority 60.

Fifth Dist., First Precinct—213 votes were polled. For Wood, 119; for Wagner, 94.

Fifth Dist., 2d Precinct—184 votes were polled. For Wood, 119; for Wagner, 70. Wood's majority 65.

Sixth Dist.—209 votes were polled. For Keyser and Morris, 138; for Nicholson, 71. Keyser and Morris' majority 67.

Seventh Dist.—131 votes were polled. For Crane, 97; for Byron, 34. Crane's majority 63.

The Seventh district made the most remarkable showing of any district in the county, 131 votes being polled. This district gave Warfield in 1903, 115 votes; last fall Parker received 119 votes. Mr. Byron made a most excellent showing in this district, considering the time which he had for work. He received twice the number of votes the People's faction's candidate received two years ago. Capt. Walters' showing in the First was also excellent, in view of the fact that there was no contest in that district until about one week before the primaries.

THE CONVENTION.

Seventy delegates were entitled to seats in the county convention which met in the court house, Chestertown, on Tuesday morning at 11.30 o'clock to nominate a ticket. The convention was called to order by Mr. Charles L. Miller, chairman of the county executive committee. Mr. George Beck, of the Seventh District, was named as chairman, with Wm. T. Dukes and Samuel G. Price, secretaries. The committee on credentials reported the delegates in the various districts entitled to seats in the convention. The committee on resolutions reported the following typewritten strong resolutions endorsing the Poe disfranchising amendment:

WHEREAS, The Democratic party of the State of Maryland, in convention assembled in September, 1903, when the entire State ticket was nominated, announced in the platform, which was unanimously adopted, that the white people of the State of Maryland should control the political government of the State, and at the same time disavowed any intention to do injustice to the colored population of the State. And

WHEREAS, The entire Democratic State ticket was elected in Nouember, 1903, and the platform announcing the above declaration with other well-recoganized Democratic principles received the unqualified endorsement of the intelligent and well thinking people at the polls. And

WHEREAS, The General Assembly of Maryland, elected in 1903, passed a bill providing for amendment to the constitution of the State regulating the suffrages of the people of the State in accordance with the plank in the Democratic platform declaring the right of supremacy to be vested in the white people of the State. And

WHEREAS, The amendment mentioned was passed by the Senate and House of Delegates of the General Assembly by a constitutional majority and is now presented to the people of Maryland for its adoption or rejection. Be it

Resolved, That the Democrats of Kent county in convention assembled do hereby cordially endorse the provisions of the proposed constitutional amendment, and urge all Democrats and all intelligent citizens of the county to give it their support and commendation, being convinced that the safety and integrity of State and county affairs will thereby be assured. And be it

Resolved, That the welfare and best interests of the people of Kent county will be preserved and advanced by continuing the direction of the county government in the hands of the Democratic party. Majority report.

B. M. HAZELL,
W. L. MEREDITH,
S. G. MASLIN,
WM. T. CLARK,
J. H. GROVES,
H. L. DODD.

Mr. Chas. L. Miller, a member of the committee on resolutions from the Fifth district, refused to sign the report of the committee, and explained his position on the resolutions in convention. Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., made a strong speech in favor of the adoption of the resolutions. Nominations were next in order, and the following ticket was nominated:

FOR THE LEGISLATURE:
Curtis E. Crane, of the Fourth and Isaac Gibbs, of the First districts.

FOR SHERIFF:
Andrew Medders, of the Second Dist.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:
John E. Morris, of the Sixth, and Wm. Wagner, of the Fifth district.

FOR TREASURER:
Wm. E. Keyser, of the Sixth Dist.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR:
G. B. Taylor, of the First district.

The friends of Mr. Charles D. Wood, who carried the Fifth district by a majority of 65, were somewhat disappointed because of his failure to receive recognition in the convention. His name was placed in nomination by Mr. S. J. Wickes, and was seconded. The motion was not put before the convention, being superseded by a motion to nominate Mr. Wagner. Dr. J. H. Hessey's name was placed in nomination and he received the full votes of the People's faction delegates, twenty in number.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

The following delegates to the State Convention were elected: First district, Henry J. Gray; Second, Wm. H. Wallis; Third, J. W. Ivens; Fourth, Wm. M. Slay; Fifth, Elmer E. Leary; Seventh, Richard Groves.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The following is the new county executive committee:

First District—J. E. Ireland, Thos. J. Dunn, Sam'l G. Price, James B. Stevens, R. Wesley Moffett.

Second—J. C. Redmile, Capt. Horace Brice, Geo. W. Sutton, G. R. Rasin, James Archibald.

Third—Samuel Loller, John A. Duyer, George Rash, James Matthews, Wm. T. Clark.

Fourth—John Bell, C. J. Reiche, G. W. Hatcherson, Wm. F. Russell, C. W. Kibler.

Fifth—Charles D. Wood, Charles S. Kelley, John A. Smith, James Durding, Charles L. Miller.

Sixth—Edgar J. Watson, Walter Francis, S. Amos Reed, Harry T. Rash, George Bell.

Seventh—George Beck, Wm. Scoone, J. Raymond Bowers, Wm. E. Brown, Thomas Hadaway, Jr.

The convention proceedings were harmonious in every respect, and good feeling generally was manifested among the delegates. A strong ticket has been nominated and there will be no doubt about it winning in the election,

Notable Visitors at the College.

A party of distinguished vistors, members of the Board of State Aid and Charities, visited Washington College on Friday evening and Saturday morning and conferred with members of the Board of Visitors and Governors of the college in reference to the needs of the college and financial aid for building improvements. One of the duties of the Board of State Aid and Charities is to inspect the public institutions of the State for the purpose of ascertaining their financial conditon and making a report of their investigation to the appropriations committee of the Maryland Legislature. Those in the delegation were ex-Mayor F. C. Latrobe, Congressman Thomas A. Smith; Messrs. Webster Smith, Jas. P. Brewer and T. V. Rhodes, Senator Clarence W. Perkins, Jas. W. Chapman, Jr., Esq., and Mr. George A. Bunting representing the newly organized Alumni Association of Baltimore city, were also present in the interest of the college. Dr. James W. Cain and the faculty of the college conducted the delegation, with a few of the Board of Visitors and Governors on a tour of inspection, and it is likely that the visit of the delegation to Chestertown will result in material advantage to the college. The distinguished visitors left Chestertown on Saturday afternoon for Baltimore via Tolchester, accompanied by Dr. Cain, Profs. Epes and E. J. Clark. The party took supper at Hotel Tolchester and boarded the steamer for Baltimore at seven o'clock.

Resolutions of Respect.

The following resolutions of respect for the late Joseph Peterson, were passed by the Kent County Teachers' Association at its session last week:

WHEREAS, since the last meeting of this Association, death has entered our ranks and removed from our midst our President, the County Superintendent, and whereas it is proper that we should give some expression to our sorrow for the loss which we have sustained and give some testimony of our appreciation of the deceased. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Mr. Peterson, Kent county has lost one of its most efficient educators; one whose efforts and ambition were to place our schools upon a standard second to none in the State; one who used every method to infuse and stimulate those principles which developed our boys and girls into practical men and women. Further

Resolved, That we as teachers, will ever hold sacred the memory of our beloved Superintendent who was a sincere friend, who was constantly promulgating plans to assist us in our work.

Resolved, That in his death, we have lost a friend, and that we extend our sincere sympathy to his bereaved relations, and that in submitting to the decree of the Great Teacher, we bow to His will and say that our Superintendent was weighed in the balance and was not found wanting.

We request that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and that a copy be sent to each county paper, with the request that they publish the same, and that a copy be sent to his nieces who so kindly administered to him during his period of sickness.

J. A. GREENWOOD,
G. B. TAYLOR,
J. L. SMYTH.

PROGRAMME FOR COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The following is the programme for commencement week at Washington College:

Sunday, June 18, 11 A. M., Baccalaureate Sermon, Emmanuel P. E. Church, Rt. Rev. Wm. Forbes Adams, Easton, Md.

Sunday, June 18, 8 P. M., sermon to Christian Associations, Christ M. P. Church, Rev. Jno. S. Bowers, Baltimore, Md.

Monday, June 19th, 3 P. M., baseball game.

Monday, June 19th, 8 P. M., address to Adelphia Literary Society, Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., Dover, Del.

Tuesday, June 20, 10.30 A. M., Declamation Contest.

Tuesday, June 20, 7 P. M., Alumni Banquet.

Wednesday, June 21, 10.30 A. M., Commencement Exercises.

Wednesday, June 21, 3 P. M., baseball game.

Wednesday, June 21, 9 P. M., Commencement ball.

GRADUATES—COLLEGIATE DEPARTMENT.

Ernest Albert Howard, Leeds, Md.; Simeon vanT. Jester, Chestertown, Md.; Harry Primrose Porter, Grange, Md.; Louis Curlett Robinson, McGinnes, Md.; Howard Orr Stephens, Cayots, Md.

NORMAL DEPARTMENT.

Bertha Emmalyn Beauchamp, Emory Augustin Coughlin, Lolla Olga Crew, Blanche Brandon Elzey, Thomas Frederick Garey, Hannah Latimer Gooding, Nellie Leah Graham, Anna Pearl Griffin, Phebe Blanche Hale, Sarah Nicholson Hessey, Emmet Francis Hitch, Ruth Cornwell Hoffecker, Lola Tucker Hubbard, Anna Wickes Melvin, Julia Nicholson, Jeanette Dossy Peterson, Louis Curlett Robinson, Margaret Elva Smith, Jessie Taylor, Dorotha Ellen Walker.

CHESTERTOWN HIGH SCHOOL.

The commencement exercises of the Chestertown High School will be held in the Assembly room of the school next Wednesday evening. The graduates are: Miss Grace Brooks, Miss Cora Moffett, Mr. Raymond Moody and Mr. Fred Hirons. Rev. Albert Chandler, D.D., of Smyrna, Del., will address the graduates and present the diplomas,

ROCK HALL HIGH SCHOOL.

Commencement exercises at the Rock Hall High School will be held on Monday evening next, June 19th. The graduates are: Misses Edna Durding, Edna Judefind, Myrtel Durding, Lois Leary, Gertie Kramer and Mr. Wilmot Crosby. The diplomas will be delivered to the graduates by Mr. Thomas D. Bowers, of Chestertown. The following is the programme:

PROGRAM.

Entrance of faculty and graduates
Overture—Star Spangled Banner ...by Orchestra
Invocation ..... Rev. Warren Burr
Solo ..... Prof. Charles Judefind
Salutatorian ..... Edna Durding, Graduate
Pretty Mollie Shannon.
Ambition ..... Gertrude Kramer, Graduate
Diana Schottische.
Home ..... Myrtel Durding, Graduate
Princess.
Character ..... Edna Judefind, Graduate
Kalaska Waltz.
Presentation of Diplomas ....Prof. T. D. Bowers, Editor Transcript.
The Bell of Mobile.
Universal Peace ..... Wilmot Crosby, Graduate
Acacia Waltz.
Curfew Must Not Ring Tonight, Marguerite Hersch, 2nd, Junior.
Kenilworth March
Guilty or Not Guilty ..... Rosa Ayres, 2nd Junior
Duet ..... Lillian Taylor and Anna May Ayres
School Girl's Trials ....Nealie Willson, 2nd, Junior
My Straw Berry Blonde.
Valedictorian ..... Lois Leary, Graduate
Hunky Dory.
Remarks ..... Principal
Benediction

Doors open 7.30; exercises begin 8 P. M.; admittance by card. The alumni are respectfully invited to be present.

Monday 18 will be class day from 9 A. M. till 4 P. M.; patrons, friends and all who desire are cordially requested to call and inspect the the work of pupils during the year.

The Simpers Case.

The time for filing the bill of exceptions in the case of John M. Simpers, convicted in Elkton last March of the murder of Hon. Albert Constable, of Elkton, on Red Hill, last August, will expire on Monday next.

Counsel for Simpers have not as yet filed their bill and probably will not do so by Monday. It is almost certain, however, that the court will still futher extend the time, as the court, as well as counsel for Simpers, is awaiting a decision by the Court of Appeals in the Rigor case from Baltimore city.

Both men were taken from the Penitentiary while serving sentences and tried for other crimes. Counsel for both men claimed that such proceedings were illegal and their trials null and void. It is probable that before the Simpers case is finally disposed of by the Circuit Court for Cecil county the court will appoint someone to succeed the late Clayland Mullikin, of Easton, to assist Mr. Strahorn as counsel for the condemmed man.

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