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THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK

Only National Bank in Kent County

Pays 3 per Cent. Interest on all Savings Deposits.

THE SWORN STATEMENT made in the opposite column is made in accordance with the laws governing National Banks.

This is the STRONGEST and BEST Statement ever published by any bank in this county.

Please notice the amount of CASH IN BANK, also amount of cash in the hands of our RESERVE BANKS. Compare these sums with statements made by the other banks. These two sums are the HEART and LUNGS of safe banking. Why not open an account with us? If you need money we lend it. If you have money we keep it safely. We are fully prepared to take care of your business. Let us hear from you.

NO. 4327.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

SECOND NATIONAL BANK

AT CHESTERTOWN,

in the State of Maryland at the close of business March 22nd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$431,085.63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	380.42
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	128,079.46
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	11,000.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	349.14
Due from State Banks and Bankers	74.72
Due from approved reserve agents	47,485.72
Checks and other Cash Items	3.18
Notes of other National Banks	1,015.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	110.25
Specie and legal-tender notes	34,560.00
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	1,100.00
Total	$668,368.52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,408.63
National Bank Notes outstanding	12,500.00
Due to other National Banks	4,944.99
Due to State Banks and Bankers	10.00
Individual deposits subject to check	553,326.83
Certified Checks	178.07
Notes and bills rediscounted	5,000.00
Total	$668,368.52

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 28th day of March, 1907.

CHARLES ESTES, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAMES A. PEARCE,
WILBUR W. HUBBARD,
HOPE H. BARROLL,
Directors.

Very respectfully,

THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK

of Chestertown, Md.

HARNESS, Carriage, Wagon and Dearborn, Bridles, Collars, Halters, Backbands, Traces, Collar Pads. Axe, handles, best; all parts of harness.

HARDWARE, Axes, Knives, Razors, Bolts, Nails, Spades, Shovels, Hay Knives, Curry Combs, Horse Brushes, Whitewash Brushes

OILS. Coal Oil, Neatsfoot, Harness, Axle Oil, Linseed, Axle Grease.

Cigars and Tobacco.

HARNESS REPAIRING attended to promptly.

WM. PARR, Still Pond, Md.

CARPETS

Royal Axminsters,

Velvets, Brussels,

Ingrains, Rag and Granite in great variety. Prices very low. All wool extra Supers Ingrain at 55c the yard. Linoleum and oil Cloth.

Large assortment

Lace Curtains and Portieres.

We take in trade Hams, Eggs, Lard.

JOHN BARTLEY,
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.
At Our New Store, Brick Building.

Wm. H. Krusen,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

AND EMBALMER.

STILL POND, MARYLAND

FOR SALE.

One 18-Horse Power Aultman & Taylor

TRACTION ENGINE,

One 32-inch Stevens

Thresher with Blower Attached

One Four-Wheel WATER TANK.

The above rig is in first-class order, and will be sold cheap and on easy terms.

ONE FARQUHAR SAW MILL,

No. 2½, with 25 ft. of carriage, 3 head blocks, 55 ft. of ways.

50-inch INSERTED SAW, 8 gauge.

1 Set of TIMBER WHEELS, 4 LOG CHAINS, 3 CANT HOOKS.

I will be through with this mill after May 1st.

1 MARSEILLES 6-HOLE CORN SHELLER, new.

One SAW BENCH AND SAW.

Two LARGE DRIVE BELTS.

One FEED GRINDER.

TWO COWS, one fresh, other soon will be.

WM. T. CLARK,
a6-4t. Lynch's, Md

MEAT MARKET

Up Town,

C. W. COPPER, Proprietor.

Always on hand choice cuts of STEAK, ROAST, PORK, LARD, SAUSAGE and anything in the meat line. We buy the best stock, and therefore sell the choicest cuts. Give us a trial.

C. W. COPPER,

Uptown Meat Man,
Chestertown, - - Maryland.

WM. C. SUTTON,

SANITARY PLUMBING

HUBBARD BUILDING.
Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT.

Balance of 1907, 1 good dwelling house and store.

Messrs. Stavely and Bowers will give employment every day to carpenters and masons.

JULIA A. HOSSINGER,
j12-tf. Lynch's, Md.

Subscription to the Transcript $1.00 per annum.

LUCAS'

SPRING STYLES.

Everything that is new and nobby for the man, youth or boy can be found at our store. As always heretofore no pains have been spared in selecting this grand array of ready made wearables. They are all here—all marked as in the past, viz., plain figures, and they the very smallest consistent with good reliable mdse. You are invited to make an early call and inspect them to your own satisfaction and judgment. It is the best things that always sell first—a word to the wise is sufficient.

Yours for business,

J. D. LUCAS,

Opp. Stam's Hall.

SANDERS & STAYMAN CO.

PIANOS:
Weber
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Ivers & Pond
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Pianos and Pianolas,
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and Pipe Organs.

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Baltimore, Md.

REPRESENTED BY

W. C. HURLOCK,
Chestertown, - - Maryland.

CLOSING OUT NOTICE.

Because of the demands upon our storage room, we have decided to discontinue the sale of the well-known

PITTSBURG WIRE FENCE

In order to close out the stock, though we have a good assortment on hand, if sold quickly, will sell at close margin. The Pittsburg Wire Fence doesn't need further recommendation, its durability and other qualities are too well-known. Give us a call or your address, and get our prices.

MARVIL PACKAGE CO.,

C. E. Crane, L. M.,
mar16-2m. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE AND STORE.

A Large, New, 11-Room House, also Store adjoining, in Chestertown, near Basket Factory. This is a splendid Boarding House stand—has trade right there and former tenants did well. The store is a nice one and could be made a good stand. Rent reasonable to good tenant.

Apply to
W. W. HUBBARD,
ma9-tf. Chestertown, Md.

GEO. Z. ROLAND,

MEAT MARKET.

SPECIAL SALE

—ON—

MOTHER'S OATS

Every package contains a coupon. For 12 coupons we give one package of oats. For 12 coupons we give 9 cents in trade for any goods in store. For 12 coupons we give 6 cents cash. Letters taken same as coupon until July 1. Come while they last. Elegant stock.

GEORGE Z. ROLAND,

NOTICE TO HEPTASOPHS.

The regular meeting of Chestertown Conclave I. O. H. 371 will be at Fraternal Hall on Thursday evening, May 16, 1907, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Instalation of officers will take place at this meeting.

JOHN BELL,
1t. Archon.

WANTED.

Wanted a settled white woman for general house work, no washing, in family of two. Comfortable home. Good wages.

Address
REV. S. S. HEPBURN,
m11-3t. Kennedyville Md., R. F. D. No. 2.

A CARD.

I desire to thank my many friends for their kindness to me during my illness. I have been kindly remembered by neighbors and friends, who have assisted me in my farm work, and have helped to make the sick room cheerful. For all of these favors I am deeply grateful.

THOMAS J. DAVIS,
m11-1t. Flatland.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

All accounts against Kent county must be filed with the Board of County Commissioners on or before JUNE 5th, otherwise they will be excluded from interests on said accounts.

BY ORDER BOARD,
C. L. DODD, Clerk. m11-3t.

FOR SALE.

TWO SORREL MARES, one coming 6 years the other 7 years old. Well matched, fine drivers, toppy and stylish. Will work in all Harness. For further particulars

Apply to
JESSE R. COPPER,
m11-3t. Kennedyville R. F. D. 1.

FOUND ADRIFT.

A lot of heavy timbers, owners call and prove property, or same will be sold if charges are not paid.

JOHN LINK,
m4-3t. Betterton, Md.

SHAD SUPPER.

The Ladies Aid Society of Union M. E. Church will hold a SHAD SUPPER in the hall at Worton Station on Saturday night, May 11th. Ice-cream and cake in abundance.

COMMITTEE.

LOST.

TWO HOUND BITCHES.

One has a yellow head and is a young puppy. Lost on March 1, 1907. The other one is a black and white dog. The finder will please notify me.

EDMUND HURTT,
a27-3t. Locust Grove, Md.

NOTICE.

Shippers should not forget the fact that Stevens Brothers, Baltimore, make a specialty of asparagus, gooseberries, fruits, wool and grain. References: Merchants National Bank, and Commercial Agencies.

Very truly yours,
a27-3t. STEVENS BROTHERS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Owing to the continued bad weather preventing the completion of some outside work, the undersigned will be unable to leave Chestertown on May 2nd. as heretofore advertised, and has decided to keep his Photograph Studio open until May 12th, until which time all work will be given good and prompt attention;

Respectfully,
a27-2t. JOHN M. SOUTH.

STATEMENT OF

THE CONDITION OF THE

Connecticut Fire Insurance Company

of Hartford, December 31, 1906.

Cash Capital	$1,000,000.00
Reserve for reinsurance	3,125,761.88
All outstanding claims	353,531.19
Net surplus	922,305.24
Total assets	$5,401,598.31

EDGAR P. BECK, Agent,
a27-3t. Chestertown, Md.

LOST.

A LARGE WHITE PINE SCOW of 25-ton capacity, went adrift in the ice freshet from Lapidum, Md., in March, 1907. A suitable salvage will be paid to the party finding said scow in the Chesapeake bay or its tributaries, and reporting same to the owner.

M. F. McGONIGALL,
a20-4t. Lapidum, Md.

S. SCOTT BECK,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Office—Kent News Building.
Special attention given to all collections.

FOR RENT FOR 1907.

The store room adjoining the Postoffice. This room is situated in the business center of the town and is a most desirable and attractive Store room. Also two office rooms in the Thomas building.

d8-tf. M. W. THOMAS, agent.

TO LOAN ON MORTAGES.

I have to loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent., $500, $600, $800, $1000, 1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $7000, $10,000, $18,000, and $20,000, the two latter run at 5 per cent. Some of these sums can be placed for 5 years. On first-class mortgages where the loan does not exceed three-fifths the value of the farm, a large part of this money can be borrowed at 5 per cent.

HOPE H. BARROLL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
a6-6t. Chestertown, Md.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS TO SUIT.

Apply to
JOHN D. URIE,
Attorney-at-Law,
Adjoining Savings Bank,
o6-tf. Chestertown, Md.

DR. SIMON WICKES MERRITT,

University of Virginia, 1901,

Office—Thomas Building, Kent Square.

Residence Water St. Telephone 76.

f 16-1y. Chestertown, Md.

FINE LOTS FOR SALE.

Two 50 feet lots, running back 250 feet, with back entrance, adjoining my property on Washington avenue. These lots are most desirably located, well drained and will make excellent building lots. For further particulars

Apply to
GEORGE B. McWHORTER,
f9-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE.

Pair well matched SORREL MARES 6 and 7 years old. Beauties. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at

TRANSCRIPT OFFICE.
m 23 -tf Chestertown, Md.

LITTLE MARVIN'S BODY FOUND.

Much Mystery Surrounds the Disappearance and Finding of the Body of the Little Delaware Boy Who Had Been Lost Since March 4th.

The body of little Hoarce Marvin, son of Dr. Horace N. Marvin, of near Dover, Del., whose disappearance from his father's home on March 4th last has created great sorrow and concern the country over, was found on Saturday afternoon last by John Pleasanton, the tenant on the farm where Dr. Marvin had recently moved, floating in a little pond of water 17 inches deep in the marsh on the Marvin farm. The finding of the little boy's body is almost as mysterious as is his disappearance. According to reports from Dover, the spot where the body was found had been searched time after time, even the flags and brush having been burned, and at no time had there been more than 30 inches of water in the marsh. The body was in an excellent state of preservation, the clothes were the same worn by the lad on the day of his disappearance—his little cap pulled down over his ears, his tiny hands covered with little mits, and in the pockets were the little dollies with which he used to play and a pocketbook in which were three bright pennies. There were no evidences of foul play according to the physician's examination, and there was nothing to indicate that the child had suffered any agonies except that of starvation. But why the child's body should have been found in the spot that had been searched over so thoroughly time after time, seems to be the mystery. There are many who believe that the child was held for a ransom, and that failing he was starved to death and placed in the marsh awaiting discovery. On the other hand there are those who say that the condition of the marsh was such that the child could easily have been lost and could never have been found had not some supernatural force disclosed the body to view. This is just what the physician, Dr. Wilson says caused the body to come to view on the surface of the pond in which it was found. The thunder storm of last Friday caused the body to rise, and the tenant farmer, who happened to be in the marsh, found it. The news of the finding of the body spread like a conflagration over the State and all day Sunday the private road approach to Dr. Marvin's home was lined with teams filled with sympathetic friends, on their way to view the body and to extend sympathy to the grief stricken father. The approaches to the home were closed late Sunday afternoon, and all visitors were denied admission. A simple yet most impressive funeral service was held at six o'clock, and the little body, encased in a metalic casket, filled with apple blossoms, laid tenderly on his bier by his aunt, was laid to rest under the shade of the apple tree, in the orchard near the father's home. Thus ends one of the most touching and pathetic tragedies in the history of the country. But what a relief it must be to the father to know that his treasure, though dead, is asleep under the apple blossoms, than to fear that he is in the hands of some vile criminals.

THE FATHER'S STATEMENT.

"Delaware has left its mark of sorrow on my brow, and before the call of autumn has come I hope to be back again with my relatives and old friends in Sioux City, Iowa," declared Dr. Marvin, as he stood this morning at the foot of the mound that marks the spot where the body of his four-year-old son Horace was buried.

"I intend to sell my place at Bay Meadows and to take the body of little Horace back home with me. I cannot rest in peace on the place that has brought to me so much sorrow, and I will be glad when I quit it. Why should I stay here? Everything on the place will only serve to bring to my memory the awful fate that my 'Chubby' met, and I cannot get away from it quickly enough.

"It is true that I had planned to erect a home such as I had out West, and all my arrangements had been completed. The sudden disappearence of my lad on March 4, combined with the finding of his dead body exactly 1,700 feet from his home, has knocked out all my building plans, as well as any other that I had in mind.

"I am patiently waiting to hear the finding of the coroner's jury, and whatever it may be I will certainly be in accord with it. I now see that it would have been possible for my boy to wander from the haystack to the spot where he was found, but I cannot for the life of me understand how he could do it.

"The spot where the body of my boy was found was searched time and time again and it was not there. Superintendent Bearce, of the Pinkerton force, along with my son Howard, made a most thorough and systematic hunt through the lowlands thereabouts. The body was not there then, nor was it there when we burned the high grass around the spot.

"However, I am now reconciled to the untimely end that my little 'Chubby' met and I await the action and findings of the coroner's jury."

CHURCH NOTES.

Six young ladies were received into church on Sunday morning last by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little, pastor of Christ M. P. Church. It was the first communion service of the year.

Kesley Chapel M. P. Church is being newly papered and painted inside by Mr. Thomas Pinkind. Rev. C. M. Compher, of Wesley Chapel will hold services there to-morrow (Sunday).

Miss Mary Elliott led the Christian Worker's service in Christ M. P. Church last Sunday evening. Miss Emma Knight will be the leader to-morrow (Sunday) evening.

The W. C. T. U. held an importan meeting at the home of Mrs. Dr. H. B Simmons on Wednesday.

The Queen Esther Circle of the M. E. Church was entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Clara Perkins at Lauretum Place.

The Anniversary exercises of the Chestertown Epworth League will be held in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening, May 19th. Rev. A. H. Covey will deliver the principal address.

Chestertown M. E. Church.—Preaching at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M., Sunday school at 2.15; Epworth League at 6.45. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

The Epworth League, of Asbury M. E. Church, Millington, held a sociable at the home of Mrs. C. M. Hurtt last Thursday evening. In spite of the threatening weather quite a little crow gathered and all spent a very pleasant evening.

The 18th birthday of the Epworth League, will be celebrated to-morrow (Sunday) evening, in Still Pond M. E. Church with an appropriate exercise.

Rev. Clarence Baker has been engaged to fill the pulpits of Georgetown, Kennedyville, and Worton Presbyterian Churches during the summer months. Mr. Baker is well-known in Kent, he having married a Miss Woodall, of Georgetown. He is completing his college course.

Rev. Mr. Weller, a former pastor, occupied the pulpit at Trinity M. E. Church South, Millington, both afternoon and evening last Sunday. Rev. Mr. Kuhlman being absent on a vacation. He preached at Chesterville in the morning.

The Methodist Protestant congregation of Westminster gave the new pastor Rev. Dr. D. L. Greenfield and his wife a rousing reception on Tuesday evening of last week. The Christian Endeavor society of the Church had arranged the reception, and a fine literary and musical entertainment was rendered. The *American Sentinel* published in Westminister says, "Certainly no pastor that ever came into our community was more warmly welcomed." He will do the people of Westminster a great deal of good if they will let him do it.

Christ Meth. Prot. Church Rev. Dr. F. T. Little pastor. Testimony meeting at 9.30 A. M., preaching at 10.30 A. M, and 7.30 P. M. Sunday school at 2.30 P. M. Juniors at 6 P. M. Christian Workers at 6.35 P. M. Mid-week prayer service every Thursday evening at 7.30 and Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 7.30 on Friday evening. To all of these services the public is cordially invited.

Divine Service and Holly Communion at the Chapel of Holy Cross, in Millington, on Sunday A. M. at 10.30 o'clock.

The Baltimore Election.

The mayoralty contest in Baltimore on Tuesday resulted in a great victory for the Democratic party—the majorities of the leading candidates being as follows:—Mahool 4,454, Numsen, for president of the Second Banch of the City Council, 8,615, and Hooper, for Comptroller, 4,800. The Democrats control the first branch of the City Council by 10 votes, and the second branch by 5. Both the fire and school loans won by 40,000 majority. The entire city government, therefore, for the next four years, passes into the hands of the Democrats. The most surprising feature of the election was the wonderful run made by Mr. George N. Numsen, who defeated his opponent, Mr. Tattersall, the Wachter representative on the Republican ticket by 8,615. This is a splendid evidence of Mr. Numsen's popularity, and makes good the claims of his friends that he would have made a strong candidate for mayor. The only consolation the Republicans are getting out of the contest is that the majority was far short of that predicted by Gov. Brown. But it was enough to make the Republicans sit up and take notice, and shows them how furtile will be their attempts to win in the fall in the State election if the Democrats nominate the right sort of candidates.

*†*Mr. Nelson, dealer in horses, has been in the county during the week, and purchased four or five good ones.

A NOBLE ACT.

Miss Susan H. Williams Buys Property of Capt. Clash, at Centreville Landing, and Will Give the Clash Family a Life Estate in it, Free of Rentals or Taxation.

Herbert B. Stimpson, assignee, of Baltimore, and James T. Earle, attorney, of Centreville, sold on Tuesday afternoon, the property of Capt. Cloudsbury N. Clash, at Centreville Landing, advertised in the TRANSCRIPT, consisting of two large granaries, one small granary, one large phosphate house, one storehouse, 250 feet of wharf front, 50 square perches of wharfage fronting the water, small office and set of scales, and a modern two-and-a-half-story frame dwelling, to Miss Susan H. Williams, for $5,500.

Miss Williams is a friend of the family of Captain Clash, and upon the ratification of the sale will give them a life estate in the property, free of rentals or taxation. She is now traveling in Europe, but upon receiving the intelligence that the captain's circumstances necessiated his selling his home, she instructed her agent, Pere T. Forman, of Centreville, to purchase the property and dispose of it as above. Miss Williams is the wealthiest resident and property owner in Queen Annes county and is widely known for her kind and generous disposition. It was a noble act on the part of Miss Williams and places the family of Capt. Clash in comfortable circumstances.

Queen Annes County Court:

The circuit court for Queen Annes county convened Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock with Judges Pearce and Adkins on the bench. The January docket was called, reviewed and adjourned, and the following grand jurors were drawn: E. M. Foreman (foreman); James Merrick Jr., Saulsbury Seney, T. Roland Carville, D. Carroll Bryan, George W. Bittle, Pere W. Ruth, Finley Roberts, W. E. B. Faithful, Nathan S. Powell, John P. Roe, William W. Nelson, W. B. Hollingsworth, Wm. Lynch, R. Leslie Merrick, John McC. Rochester, Geo. A. Whiteley, James B. Hopkins, Jr., J. Louis Rhodes, Jas. L. Coursey, John W. Boggs, John N. Cook and Woodland P. Finley.

The petit jury will be composed of S. W. Seney, Henry C. Norman, John P. Arrington, Sylvester J. Fogwell, C. W. Clements, David Walls, William D. Smith, Augustus M. Keeting, Elmer Golt, William E. Collier, Alpheus W. Nichols, James E. Higman, Charles L. Joslin, William T. McKenney, J. Medford Price, John R. Wheatley, John T. McGinnes, Charles M. Lloyd, William B. Earle, Jr., W. Lloyd Ford, Philemon H. Golt, Richard B. Carmichael, Francis A. Emory, John E. George and W. C. McConnor.

Commissioners Organize.

The board of town commissioners met on Monday evening and organized by electing Mr. Wm. S. Carroll president and Mr. Thomas S. Bordley clerk and collector of taxes. Mr. Carroll was put in nomination by Mr. Bordley and was unanimously elected. Mr. Carroll placed Mr. Bordley in nomination for clerk, and he was elected by his own and Mr. Carroll's vote. Mr. Lofland refused to vote for Mr. Bordley for clerk because he stated he did not believe a member of the board should be elected clerk. Sidney P. Townshend, Esq., who had been counsel to the board during the last year was not re-elected, the board, by the votes of Messrs. Bordley and Carroll, determining to dispense with the services of a counsel, and to employ legal services when needed. Day officer Wm. J. Hudson and night officer Frank Getshall were re-elected.

Meat Market.

Beginning this morning, the butchers of the town will charge the following prices for meats:

Standing Rib Roast of Beef	15c
" " " " " cut short	18c
Broad Loin Steak	15c
Short " "	15c
Tenderloin Beef Steak	18c
" " " cut short	20c
Lamb Chops	18c
French Lamb Chops	30c
Roast Lamb Shoulder and leg	15c
" " loin and rib	18c
Round and loin of veal	18c
Rib chops of veal	18c
Shoulder of veal roast	12½c
" " " " steak	15c
Veal liver	18c
Sweet breads	20c
Roast veal hind quarter	15c
" " loin and round	18c
Pork trimmed	15c
" skin and fat on	13c
" by side or quarter skin and fat on	10c.

GEO. Z. ROLAND,
ROBERT MOFFETT,
R. C. THOMPSON,
C. W. COPPER.

*†*Helen Kirby, a little girl, who, with her father resides with Mr. Oliver Miller near Swan Crerk, met with a severe accident last week. While playing making chicken coops with a hatchet she chopped her left thumb entirely off.

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