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Statement of the Condition

—OF THE—

Second National Bank

OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.

at the close of business Thursday, December 31st, 1908.

ASSETS:		LIABILITIES:	
Redemption account	$1,725.00	Capital	$50,000.00
Bonds and loans	713,571.82	Surplus and profits	47,030.94
Cash in bank	51,793.88	Circulation	34,500.00
Due from reserve agents	91,351.45	Due to other banks	5,111.03
Due from other banks	773.42	Certified checks	219.64
Banking house & fixtu's	11,000.00	Deposits	733,353.96
	$870,215.57		$870,215.57

Deposits December 31st, 1908 ..... **$733,353.96**
" " " 1907 ..... **612,698.99**

An increase in one year of **$120,654.97**

Observe the large amount we have in the hands of our Reserve Agents and Cash in Bank, aggregating **$143,145.33.** As we have stated before, this is CONSERVATIVE banking. We cannot make as much money for our stockholders as some other banks who do not carry this splendid reserve, but it is better banking. We solicit your banking business for 1909.

Wishing you a Prosperous New Year.

DIRECTORS:

JAS. A. PEARCE, D. THOS. HURLOCK,
HOPE H. BARROLL, GARRETT FOXWELL,
H. W. VICKERS, T. B. DURDING,
W. W. HUBBARD, W. B. COPPER,
ADAM F. HUEY.

Yours very respectfully,

SECOND NATIONAL BANK

OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.

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If you begin it in "Shuster's" Shoes, Hats and Furnishings, you have taken the first step toward making the New Year happier and more prosperous. Happier because you are more comfortable. More prosperous because your material prosperity depends in a great measure on your physical comfort.

Step with the New Year in "Walk-Over" and "Queen Quality" Shoes.

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American Fence

Just received a carload, and want to call your special attention now to our Poultry Fence. Our New American Poultry Fence with its close mesh fills a want long felt by dealers handling American Fence.

At the bottom are four spaces 1½ inches each, the next four spaces are 2 inches each, the higher spaces graduated to 6 inches.

This fence combines the same features entering into manufacture of our American Farm Fence, viz: the Hinge Joint, Tension Curve, amply providing for contraction and expansion, and its adaptability to uneven ground, without cutting or mutilating the fence.

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Chestertown, Md.

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Your friends to serve,

A. Alexander & Son,

Rock Hall's Economy Store for the people,

ROCK HALL, MD.

Will of J. K. Aldridge.

The will of the late J. K. Aldridge was filed for probate in the Orphans' Court on Tuesday, and disposes of an estate estimated at between $60,000 and $70,000. After providing for the payment of his just debts and the erection of a monument in the family lot in Chester cemetery the will creates what is known as a spendthrift trust for each of the heirs, with Hope H. Barroll as trustee, as follows;

To his son, John H. Aldridge, is left in trust $6,000, from which he is to receive the interest, as provided in the will, at the discretion of the trustee.

To his daughter, Mrs. Belle Brice, is left in trust, $15,000, she to receive the interest thereupon from the trustee. At her death the principal is to be divided, share and share alike, among her children after they reach the age of 25.

To his son, William R. Aldridge, is left in trust the sum of $10,000, he to receive the interest thereupon from the trustee. At his death the principal sum is to be divided, share and share alike, among the children of William R. Aldridge after they reach the age of 25:

The will directs that all his property, real estate and personalty, be converted into cash, and that after the payment of his debts and the deduction of the above bequests, the residue of the estate is to be held in trust, three-fifths for his daughter, Mrs. Belle Brice, and two-fifths for the benefit of his son, Wm. R. Aldridgs, at the death of whom, said shares of the residue are to be distributed among their children.

The shares of stock owned by the deceased in the Kent County Savings Bank, of which he was president, are to be kept in the bank for five years, after which time, upon the request of Mrs. Belle Brice and Mr. Wm. R. Aldridge, the trustee shall sell them, the proceeds to become a part of the estate. Mr. Wm. F. Russell is given power to vote the stock at the annual meetings of the directors.

Hope H. Barroll, Esq., is named as sole executor of the will which was made in October, 1908, and witnessed by Messrs. Wm. Bradford Copper and Emory S. Wroth.

Farmer's Institute.

The Annual Farmers Institute, Mr. Wm. L. Amoss, institute director, presiding, will be held in the Court House in Chestertown on Wednesday and Thursday, January 20 and 21. The following interesting programme has been prepared for the two days session, each of which will begin at 10 A. M. and close at 4 P. M.:

First Day—Conductor's Announcement. Cary W. Montgomery—"Soil Condition Essential for Crop Production." Joseph E. Wing—"Drainage."

Afternoon Session. Question Box. Carey W. Montgomery—"Farmer's Fruit Garden and Marketing Produce." Joseph E. Wing—"Alfalfa Culture."

Second Day. Cary W. Montgomery—"Commercial Fruit Growing for us." Joseph E. Wing—"Sheep Farming."

Afternoon Session. Question Box. Cary W. Montgomery—"Leaks on the Farm." Joseph E. Wing—"Lessons from the Old World." By the Patrons—"Resume of the Subjects Treated."

***Mr. D. B. McMenamin refused an offer of $5000 for his finely bred stallion, Pignell, recently.

Wedding Bells.

BURGESS—LEWIS.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Wesley Chapel Methodist Protestant Church on Wednesday evening, Jannary 5th, when Mr. Elwood Burgess was married to Miss Hattie Lewis, by Rev. C. Morgan Compher, the pastor of the church. Mr. Elwood Burgess is the only son of Mr. Samuel Burgess, who for many years was judge of the Orphans' Court for Kent county. Miss Lewis was the principal of the school in Edesville. The bride was tastefully attired in white chiffor over silk' directoire sash and carried a lovely shower bouquet of brides roses. The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Agnes Lewis, who was dressed in pale blue organdie and carried carnations. The ushers were M. T. Miller, Marion Haddaway, Elsworth Leary and Trew Durding. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy life. Prof. Judefind's orchestra furnished music. They received numerous and handsome presents. They will reside at their home in Edesville.

GRAHAM—BURNSIDE.

Mr. J. Jesse T. Graham, junior member of the large hardware firm of H. R. Graham & Bro., of this town, and Miss Helen Stewart Burnside, eldest daughter of the late James Bradford Burnside and Mrs. Annie Lewin Burnside, of Hyattsville, and granddaughter of the late Commodore William D. Whiting, were married on Wednesday at the church of the Epiphany, Washington. The ceremony was performed by the bride's cousin and rector, Rev. Henry Thomas, of Pinkney Memorial Church, Hyattsville. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Graham left for a trip south. They will reside in Chestertown. Mr. Graham is the son of Dr. J. E. Graham, and is a graduate of the Maryland Agricultural College. It was while a student at the college that the pretty romance which culminated on Wednesday had its inception.

STARTT—JANNEY.

Mr. Mason Startt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gustavus Startt, of Quaker Neck, was married to Miss Meta Styles Janney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wesley Janney, of Cherrydale, Va., by Rev. Thomas Atkinson, at the Marlborough Apartment, Baltimore, last week. The groom is a brother of Mr. W. Raymond Startt, of Quaker Neck. Mr. and Mrs. Startt will reside at 1609 North Payson street, Baltimore, in which city the groom holds a lucrative position.

DRAPER—ORRELL.

Miss Elsie D. Orrell, eldest daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. W. C. Orrell, of Centreville, and Mr. Harry P. Draper, of near Centreville, were married at the M. E. parsonage on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Wise. A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the groom's parents, where they will reside.

Strikes Water.—The Shanahan Company which has been boring an artisian well for the Chestertown Water Company for several months have reached a depth of a little over 1100 feet, and they have struck a vein of water that may furnish the town with an abundant and pure supply. Mr. Shanahan will go a trifle further down in order to secure a better bed of sand where he hopes to find the supply of water inexhanstible.

THE J. K. ALDRIDGE HARDWARE BUSINESS FOR SALE.

THE undersigned announces that the entire Stock of Hardware, Fixtures, Good Will and Business of the late J. K. Aldridge will be sold as a whole. This is an old and well established stand and the GOOD WILL is extremely valuable.

To a desirable purchaser arrangements might be made for a five years lease of the premises. All persons interested are invited to make an inspection of the business and to examine into same.

All information will gladly be given to any intending purchaser at the store.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Executor.

The hardware business hertofore conducted by the late J. K. Aldridge, will be continued on the same basis as heretofore until a purchaser or purchasers are found for the business. Your business is solicited.

Jan. 9-3t. HOPE H. BARROLL, Executor.

FRESH ROLLS AND LACE CURTAINS.

Fresh Rolls every evening at 5 o'clock at Jas. P Parrott's. Now is the time to have your Lace Crtains fixed up at Parrott's where you can get satisfaction. JAS. P. PARROTT

NOTICE TO TRAVELING PUBLIC.

Travel over the Swan Creek road leading to Rock Hall will be suspended on and after Nov. 4th, pending repairs to the bridge on said road. Persons using said road after above date will do so at their own risk.

By order of the Board,
CLAS. L. TILDEN, Clerk.
nov 21-tf.

A CARD.

Mrs. Thomas J. Shallcross and her family wish to express their gratitude to the many friends who have shown great kindness to them in their recent bereavement. Their expressions of sympathy and acts of friendliness have done much to mitigate the keenness of the sorrow that has wounded them so sorely that only God Himself can heal.

A CANTATA ENTITLED THE

"KING OF KINGS"

will be rendered by sixty voices, with two interesting tableaux, in Asbury M. E. Church, of Millington,

THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 14, 1909.

If weather unfavorable, the next fair evening. Doors open 7.30. Admission.—Adults 25 cents. Children 15 cents. Proceeds benefit of Church. All most cordially invited.

TWO MILLS FOR SALE OR RENT.

The Plummer Mill near Still Pond, and Moffett Mill near Galena, are both for sale and unless sold within three weeks both are for rent for year 1909. Apply to WM. M. SLAY, Att'y.
j2-tf.

LOST FREEZERS.

Those having ice cream freezers belonging to Mrs. J. C. Loud will please notify her or inform her where they may be found. Quite a number of freezers belonging to Mrs. Loud are out, and she is anxious to find them.
jan2-1t.

NOTICE TO SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

School Trustees are hereby notified that an Act passed by the General Assembly of Maryland makes it unlawful for all School Officials to sell to their respective schools, at a profit, any goods whatsoever. By order of the Board,
MILTON MELVIN, Secretary.
j2-3t.

NOTICE AND WARNING.

All persons are hereby warned against throwing brush, cans or filth along the Quaker Neck road at Radcliffe Bridge as the law will be enforced against all offenders.

BY ORDER OF BOARD,
Dec. 19-tf. CHAS. L. DODD, Clerk.

D. ARTHUR BACCHUS.

New Xmas Goods.

Raisins, Currants, Citron, Figs, Dates, Oranges and Lemons. Nuts of all kinds. Candy, at low prices.

JEWELER'S NOTICE.

The undersigned will be at Rock Hall, December 14th, and several days thereafter. All kinds of Watch and Clock repairing done in the most skillful manner. All work guaranteed. No charge for examination. Respectfully,
JOE LERNER,
nv14-tf. Watchmaker, Chestertown, Md.

TOWN TAXES.

Town taxes are due and should be paid before January 1st, 1909, to save the expense of paying interest thereon. All tax-payers are urged to pay their taxes promptly, as the town is in need of money. The law requires us to place all delinquents in the hands of the Treasurer after April 1.
Dec. 5-tf. THOS. S. BORDLEY, Clerk.

MARINE ENGINE.

2½ H. P. Hubbard, very little used, as good as new. Make and Brake 2 Cycle, complete Bronze Felting. 2 Blade Propeller. For sale cheap.
oc17-tf. LOUIS K. STAM, Chestertown, Md.

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GALENA, MARYLAND.

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Hours: 7 to 9 A. M., 12 to 2 P. M. and 6 to 8 P. M.

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NEW MEAT MARKET

M. J. Lewis & Son have opened a new meat market and Feed Store on Cross street in the Levine store room, where they will be glad to see their many friends. Fifteen years experience. Prompt service. Telephone call. o5-1y

H. C. HUGHES, D. D. S.,

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