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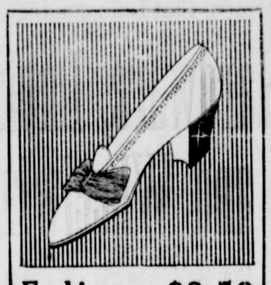
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Year Ending December 31st, 1909.

Assets	$64,945,609.73
Liabilities (including reserve for 1910 dividends)	58,786,457.15
Surplus	$6,159,152.58
Increase of 1909 dividend payments over 1908	9.3 per cent.
Increase of 1909 total policy payments over 1908	12.3 per cent.
Increase of Income, 1909 over 1908	$1,805,778.11
Increase of Assets during 1909	8,090,371.08
Increase of Insurance in force 1909	41,873,443.00

Surplus reserved for payment of 1910 dividends, plus increase in general surplus, $2,045,852.87.

Policy payments in 1909, plus addition to policy reserve, $14,653,825.01.

Twenty Years' Growth.

	Assets	Surplus	Income	Insurance in force
1889	$3,548,080	$283,063	$1,799.543	$45,879,652
1909	64,945,610	6,159,153	22,302,391	526,945,925

Low Premiums Annual Dividends

The Massachusetts Insurance Department has referred to the Company's methods and relations with its policy-holders as follows:

"To conserve the best interests of the present and prospective policy-holders and their beneficiaries is the one object which the officers of the corporation appear to have always in view."

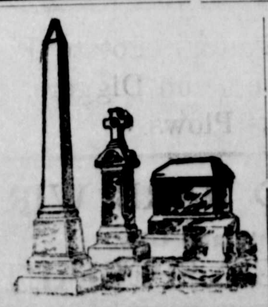
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OBITUARY.

MRS. ELIZA LEVIS CARTER.

Mrs. Eliza Levis Carter, widow of L. Day Carter, of Cecil County, died suddenly Saturday while on a visit to her son, Robert D. Carter, at East Orange, N. J. She was about 77 years old, and a native of Cecil County, being a daughter of the late Norris Levis. Her husband was for years a paper manufacturer. The following children survive her: Robert D Carter, proprietor of the Wanapua Paper Mills in New Jersey; Charles L. Carter, of this County. Mrs. H. M. Brown, of Chestertown, Md.; Mrs. H. L. Patterson, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Daisy Haskell and Mrs. Helen Fay, of Virginia, and Miss Annie Carter, of Cecil County.

Mr. John C. Money died at his home near Locust Grove, Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, aged 77. The deceased leaves a wife, who was before marriage Miss Sarah Sanders and two sons, William, of Still Pond, and J. A. Money, of Worton. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. J. H. Beauchamp officiated. Interment in Chester cometery.

PROF. WILLIAM J. BOYER.

Prof. William J. Boyer, principal of Millington Academy, and an educator of prominence throughout the State, died of typhoid fever last Saturday at his home in Millington. Prof. Boyer was held in the highest esteem by the people of Millington and the pupils in the school. The remains were intered in Sudlersville on Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Maria Temple, grandmother of Mrs. Arlington L. Carmine, of Chestertown, died in Easton on Tuesday, aged 90 years. The deceased was born in Queen Annes county. Funeral services will be held in Church Hill tomorrow, Sunday.

Kennedyville Items.

The farmers are several weeks earlier with their work because of the fine weather in March. A good rain would be an advantage.

Last Sunday being the last Sunday in the conference year, was a busy one for Rev. Mr. Reynolds. He preached two fine sermons, visited several families and christened three children. While the delegate was unanimously instructed to ask for his return, yet his return is uncertain. Mr. Reynolds has done a good year's work and has a strong hold on the community. His congregation is still hoping he will return.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Johnston entertained their pastor, Rev. Mr. Reynolds, and a number of relatives and friends for dinner on Sunday last.

George Webb and Charlie Hague spent the day at Church Hill.

Mrs. Othoson who has been confined to her home for some time is reported slightly improved.

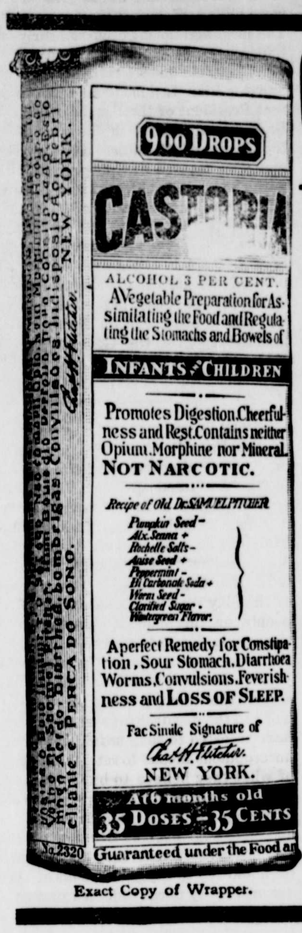
The road contractors are getting ready for work the coming week, start- at Kennedyville.

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1898—	" "	50 to 60 " "
1900—	" "	45 to 50 " "
1905—	" "	60 to 65 " "

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