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$3.00 Ladies' Gun Metals	at $2.25	25c Flaxons	at 15c
$3.25 Ladies' Button Russets	at $2.50	25c Victoria Lawns	at 15c
$2.00 Ladies' Vici	at $1.50	20c Flowered Lawns	at 15c
$5.00 Men's Guar. Pat.	at $4.25	15c Lawns	at 10c
$4.00 Men's Button Gun Metals	at $3.25	30c Indian Linens	at 22c
$4.25 Men's Button Russet	at $3.50	20c India Linens	at 15c
$3.25 Boys' Button Pat.	at $2.50	18c India Linens	at 10c
$3.25 Boys' Button Russet	at $2.50	12½c and 15c Ginghams	at 10c
$3.00 Boys' But. Gun Metal	at $2.25	15c Percales	at 10c

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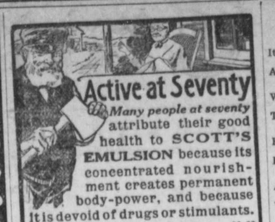
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Annual Report

OF THE

Commissioners of Chestertown

Ending April 26, 1913.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand as per last report	$840 57
Taxes received from delinquents	70 12
Interest received	1 47
Received from circus	22 50
Rent received for lot by wharf	6 00
Amount received from Chestertown Water Co. for coupon on bonds	2,000 00
Amount received for sewer taps	75 00
Amount received for fines	1 00
Amount received for cement pavem'ts	66 30
Amount received for Stone, dirt sold	164 40
Amount received for dog taxes	70 00
Amount for cart licenses	22 00
Amount for Kent Co. Commissioners	2,000 00
Amount received for Mutual fire insurance Co. of Kent county	200 00
Amount received for taxes to date for year 1912	6,729 45
Amount of interest received on 1912 taxes	20 09
Total	$12,290 10

DISBURSEMENTS.

S. E. Cooper, bailiff	572 00
L. B. Hyland, bailiff	520 00
Wm. Needles	468 00
Merrick Clements, commissioner	100 00
Wm. T. Duyer, commissioner	100 00
Wm. S. Carroll, commissioner	100 00
L. W. Wickes, attorney	150 00
James W. Crouch, clerk	100 00
James W. Crouch, extra clerical work	616 42
Day laborers for street work, etc	51 75
Hauling dirt, etc	1,987 50
Coupons on bonds	
Maxwell Blakeney, painting auto signs	8 00
W. C. A. Thompson, pasture lot, etc	36 25
Police badges	6 00
J. E. Cooper, sharpening saw	25
Kenterprise, publishing bill	25 00
L. R. Russell, rent lot and store house	24 00
Decoration for P. O. S. of A. Conv'n	20 24
M. E. Baker for numbering cart licenses	7 00
W. S. Carroll for leveling boards and sand	5 00
Mrs. G. C. Rote, for stop watch	7 50
Sam Hicks, making assessment and book	11 25
Chestertown Water Board	816 20
Rent Stam's Hall for Kent County Medical Conference	20 00
Stam Drug Co., for flags	1 55
W. H. Lambert, clerk of election	3 00
Jos. N. Wheatley, for bonding clerk	20 00
A. S. Crawford, judge of election	8 06
W. I. Walker, for sand	63 09
E. P. Beck, agent, insurance on pump house	24 00
Jos. N. Wheatley, insurance	37 50
Transcript, publishing bill	40 00
W. L. Fowler, bill for glass	36
Street contract	3,180 00
C. K. Lambert, pipe, etc	45 72
Chestertown Volunteer Fire Co	300 00
W. T. Bramble, mending harness	2 65
W. C. Sutton, pipes, etc	28 27
W. S. & A. M. Culp, lumber	46 11
Thos. W. Eliason, lumber	109 25
G. C. Rote, lights and mending clock	2 00
Graham & Clements hardware	132 90
Chestertown Electric Light Company, for street lights	1,356 13
I. D. Bacchus, rent of stable	60 00
Estate of Thos. H. Topping, bran	38
Oyster shells	20 80
W. S. Collins, sand	3 00
G. H. Cannon, taxes paid in error	4 00
W. M. Slay, agent, property exempted from town taxes	11 10
James W. Lambert, for corn	87 61
Edw. Robinson, for hay	53 63
Harry Nichols, for hay	34 60
Lolland & Culp, hardware	6 21
Mecklenburg Granite Co., stone	56 10
Freight on stone	38 50
W. S. & A. M. Culp, pipe	4 22
Stamps and envelopes	7 50
M. W. Thomas, box rent	3 00
Extra police	54 00
J. E. Ferguson, lumber	4 75
H. S. & V. M. Barnett, bricks	14 63
Kent News, publishing bill	58 60
J. S. Kreeger, watchman's tickets	1 50
Davis & Satterfield, hardware	7 80
W. Frank Jarrell, hay	42 38
Elwood Whaley's bill	60 45
Total	$11,846 63
Balance on hand	443 47
Total	$12,290 10

Approved April 25, 1913.

WM. T. DUYER,
WM. S. CARROLL,
MERRICK CLEMENTS,
Commissioners.

Test: JAMES W. CROUCH, Clerk.



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TRIBUTE TO EX-PASTOR.

In honor of our pastor, Rev. G. A. Morris.

It has indeed been pleasant to us
To have our pastor here
And we regret to part from him
The one we love so dear.

Who have the power and grace of God
Has pleaded with us all,
To serve the One who died for us
Be ready for His call.

His voice has touched the hardened hearts,
And many have wiped a tear
He has by explanation made
Our pathways bright and clear.

And as he journeys from our midst,
Intrusted in God's care
We hope his crown will be success,
It is our earnest prayer.

We'll miss our pastor and his wife
And his loving son
But sweet to know what joy and bliss,
To say Thy will be done.

We are aware that in this world
We sometimes say good-bye
But no more parting or adieus,
With God we'll reign on high.

—A MEMBER ST. JAMES.

THE SOCIAL WORLD.

Miss Minnie Brinsfield spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of Miss Ethel Ringgold.

Mrs. Samuel E. Cooper spent part of last week in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Miss Ruth Allen, of Clayton, Del., spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of relatives in town.

Mrs. Polk T. Bramble, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Coleman. Mr. Bramble is spending several weeks in the mountains of Western Maryland for the benefit of his health.

Miss Catherine Horisberg, of Baltimore, was the week-end guest of the Misses Toulson. Miss Horisberg is a vocalist of high talent, and delighted the congregation at the M. E. Church Sunday morning with a beautiful solo.

Mrs. Joseph N. Wheatley underwent an operation for appendicitis at a Baltimore hospital on Monday. The operation was successful and the patient is reported as doing well. She was accompanied by her son, Mr. Joseph N. Wheatley, and her sister, Mrs. A. M. Culp.

Mrs. Wm. F. Russell left Chestertown on Saturday for Wilmington, from whence she will go in company with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Shuster to Piqua, Ohio to spend several weeks with her sister.

Mrs. Marion D. K. Smith and daughter, Miss Anna, returned from Bedford, Pa., on Saturday, having spent the winter with Mrs. Smith's son, Mr. Marion D. K. Smith.

Miss Councilman, nee Miss Ollie Reed, has been the guest of her parents here, during the past week.

Mrs. I. M. Blyman and son, Allie, spent part of the week in Baltimore the guests of her sister, Mrs. M. B. Stafford.

Town Commissioner.

At the annual election for Town Commissioner held on Monday Mr. Merrick Clements, the present incumbent whose term expires in May, was re-elected over Mr. William B. Coleman, his opponent by a majority of 68 votes. Out of a total vote cast Mr. Clements received 165 and Mr. Coleman 97. The vote seemed to be the uninfluenced expression of the will of the people. Neither newspaper allied itself openly with either candidate, and the vote was registered absolutely upon what the people considered the merits of the candidate. The vote received by Mr. Coleman is a compliment to him, and while he was defeated, we believe him to be a good loser. Mr. Clements' vote was undoubtedly a recognition of the valuable service which he has rendered as a member of the Board. Now let the Board get busy on the adoption of progressive plans for the development of the town. Let them clean up the ditches, put a cement ditch on the east side of Washington avenue; scrape and drain our roadways, provide some place for hitching teams and saving the merchants loss of trade, and extending as far as finances will permit the laying of cement walks.

POULTRY NOTES.

To the Poultry Editor:

We have learned through these columns how to take care of Biddy and her chicks until they are five or six weeks old. I will give my experience from then up to the time of laying, when at the age of seven weeks I separate the pullets from the cockerels, feed the former some good growing feed, such as hulled oats and cracked corn, keeping before them a hopper with bran and cut clover and corn chops so they may help themselves, give them plenty of range that they may catch bugs, worms, etc. Do not neglect their wants; try to make them as comfortable as you possible can. After the birds begin to shed red about wattles and combes I turn my attention to the winter quarters. I whitewash and disinfect throughly, seeing there is plenty of ventilation. I generally put them in their new quarters by September and confine them a few days, so when allowed to run again they will know where to go. When the wheather becomes colder I feed for breakfast warm middling bran and alfalfa, and about 10 o'clock I throw a few handfulls of grain in the litter which induces them to scratch and keep warm. The next meal, about 4 o'clock, is whole grain, scattered as the midday meal. If the weather is extremly cold, I warm it before feeding, and the result is always fresh eggs for the table, with a few to sell. I am a firm believer in thoroughbreds only; they are best.

HERMAN TREUCAUP.

A Good Roads Sermon.

There's a solid Good Roads sermon in the following statistics:

In five good roads States: Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Ohio and Indiana—seventy-seven per cent. of the children of school age are in school. In five bad road States Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Arkansas and South Dekota—less than 60 per cent. of children are in school. Of 8,000,000 people in 4 bad road States, 375,000 native-born whites cannot read and write. Of 6,000,000 in 4 good road States, only 20,500 are illiterate.

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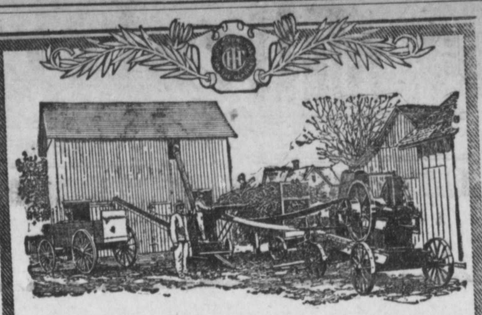
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LADIES' WEAR

We have a nice variety of Ladies' and Misses' Dresses which we will show you. Our prices—

House Wash Dresses	98c, $1.49 & $1.98
A Few Ladies' Tailored Suits at	$3.50, $4.98 & $7.50
A Few Serge Dresses of the latest styles in blue, black and brown at	$3.98
You must look at this opportunity.	
Corsets at	39c
Hose at	6c
Shirts at	8c
Corset Covers at	21c

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES! From 90 cents up.

MEN'S WEAR

TAILOR-MADE SUITS, the finest quality black, blue and striped serges at	$5.00, $6.00, $7.00 & $7.98
Were $10 00, $12 00, $14.00 & $15.00.	
Trousers at	98c, $1.25, $1.50 & $1.75
HATS—Derbies and all kinds of styles at	98c
This is manufacturers prices.	
Rain Coats at	$2.50, $3.00 & $3.75
Working Shirts 39c	Dress Shirts 39c
Regular 50c and 75c goods.	
Suspenders at	19c
Regular 50c goods.	
Overalls at	40c
Underwear at	19c
Neckties at	15c and two for 25c
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We have a full line of Household Goods on our 10c Counters which will surprise you after you look at them.

10-quart Agateware Pots at	25c
10-quart Buckets at	10c
Tumblers at	25c a dozen
Cups and Saucers at	40c a dozen

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