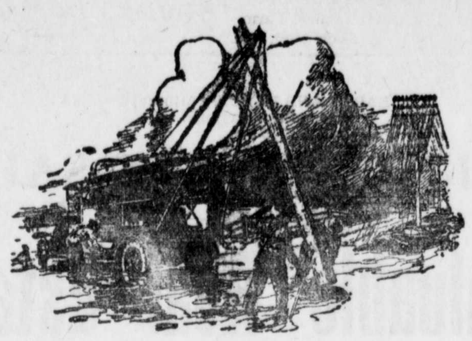


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NATURE is both the ally and the enemy of the telephone. One of her forces, electricity, carries the voice of man afar. Others, as flood, tornado or sleet storm, can cripple communications in a large area through their devastating might.

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(A Eulogy From Across thet Sea)

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He wore. For him the thanpless toil, the frown
Of fate; yet shall impartial history
Beget, for him, renown.
The Nations' League shall be his monument.
His mind's far-seeing eye, beyond his day,
Behold a world purged of its discontent
Its blood-lust and decay.
Heavy his cross; put, strong in faith, he swerved
Not from the path his dear Redeemer trod.
Honest in thought and deed, he humbly served
His country and his God.

He shall embellish history's scroll of fame,
When man-made laws are based on laws divine;
And countless pilgrims shall revere his name.
And bless him at his shrine.

Then shall men labor for each other's good,
And tread, in unison, the heavenword road,
And taste the fruits of peace and brotherhood,
The seeds of which he sowed.

—Joseph Shakespare. Bournemouth, England.

FORD'S PROPLECY

How clearly Henry Ford saw the future of the automobile and how well he prophesied it , is shown in an article written by him in February. 1910, and published in a Detriot newspaper.

In 1909, as the article states, 2,000,000 horse-drawn vehicles were sold as against 80,000 automobiles. How the prophesied reversal came appears in figures for the last year which show the sale of approximately 4,000,000 motor cars during 1923 as compared with 100,000 horse-drawn vehicles,

The articles follows:

"The automobile of the past attained success in spite of its price, because there were more than enough purchasers to be found to take the limited output of the then new industry. Proportionately few could buy, but those few could keep all the manufacturers busy, and price therefore had no bearing on sales.

"The automobile of the present is making good because the price has been reduced just enough to add sufficient new purchasers to take care of the increased output. Supply and demand not cost, has regulated the selling price of automobiles. The car of today is better by far than the car of a few years ago—the natural results of experience. The price is lower, just enough lower to add sufficient possible purchasers to buy the increased output.

"The car of the future must be "the car for the people." the car that any man can own, who can afford a horse and carriage; and mark my words, that car is coming sooner than most people expect.

"In the low priced car dwells the future success of the automobile. Comparatively few persons can afford even a $1,000 car. A limited number of factories can easily supply all the demand for high-priced cars, but the market for a low priced car is unlimited. More than 2,000,000 horse-drawn vehicles were sold by American factories in 1909. When you substitute a motor-driven vehicle for each of these two million wagons and carriages, you get an idea of the automobile of the future.

"The low priced car will not be a makeshift, an automobile by courtesy, a machine built for a price. Ii is harder to sell to man who can only afford a low-priced car than to the man whose money comes more easily. Not only must the successful car of the future be low priced, but it must present at least equal value with the present high-priced cars.

"The low-priced car should actually be better than the car at a higher price, for more is expected of it. The man who can afford the high priced car can afford a man to keep it in order, while the man who has to buy a low-priced car. if any, has to look after it himself, whether or not he has any mechanical ability. Likewise when he buys he buys for business use and pleasure. too. That condition prevails today. The low-priced car must be better built than the high-priced product, because it receives harder use. The successful low priced car of today is successful because it stands harder usage than is accorded to $5,000 creations.

"Equally important with low cost as a qualilcation of the car of the future is 'low cost of upkeep.' The weekly expense of an automobile will be more important to the man whose income is $100 a month, than will the cost price. The one he has saved by easy stages, the other must be taken out of his earnings. Gasoline bills, repair bills, tire bills must be low. They should be as low as the expense bills for a horse and carriage. This low maintenance account can result only from light weight.

"So the car of the future will be light as well as low priced. This means the substitution of quality for quantity even to the use of materials not yet discovered."

It is notable, also, in connection with the foregoing prophesy by Mr. Ford, that during last year 2,090,959 Ford cars and trucks were produced, fulfilling the statement made in 1910 that the light, low-priced car would enjoy the greatest popularity.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE.

The Adelphia Literary Society presented the following program at their meeting held in Wm. Smith Hall April 7: Scriptures. President; Violin Solo, D. McMenamin; A Coon Sketch entitled "Lige and Ben" in Spring Housecleaning, Messrs. Yates, Rayne and Lohran; Humorous Reading, Buchanan; Moonbeam, Jarman; Critic's report, Duffy.

Plans are being made to hold an Adelphia Banquet in the near future.

The Mt. Vernon Literary Society presented the following program at their regular weekly meeting held in Wm. Smith Hall April 9; Scriptures, President; Talk, E. Russell;; Vocal Solo, Mr. A. R. Woodland; Debate, Resolved that Mr. Ford would make a good candidate for the Presidency of the U. S. Affirmative. Misses Hammer and K. Kibler, Negative. Chandler and Copper; Humor, McGinnis; Awguan, Miss Helen Jones.

The Varsity Club of Washington College held an informal program dance in the gym last Thursday night in honor of the base ball team. The order of dances was uniquely arranged each dance being named in base ball phraseology. Kelley's Collegians furnishes very good music.

Rev. Phillip L. Tsen an ordained Chinese minister who is spending some time in the U. S. in behalf of Chinese missions gave a very interesting talk under the auspices of the W. C. Y. M. C. A. on Christian College life in China at chapel services here April 8.

He was accompanied by Rev. C. Atwater of the Chestertown P. E. Church.

Classes were suspended Friday in order to permit the student body to attend the instalation services of President Paul E. Titsworth which were held at Wm. Smith Hall. Representatives from practically all of the important Atlantic seaboard colleges were present.

Easter vacation will begin Tuesday, April 15 at 12.20 p. m. and continue until Wednesday, April 23 at 8.00 a. m.

Professor W. R. Howell of the department of social sciences was called to his father's bedside in Bainbridge, Ga., last week. He is expected to return within the next few days.

The resignatibn of Prof. J. Burns as director of the Dramatic Association of Washington College has somewhat delayed the cast in preparing for their play "Come Out of The Kitchen." President P. P. Heck has assumed the duties of director and hopes to stage the play shortly after the return from the Easter vacation.

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE TO TRADERS andOTHERS

Notice is hereby given to all persons and bodies corporate or politic, doing business in Kent county, and requiring a State License to obtain a license or renew the same on or before

THE FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT

A failure on part of persons now engaged in business to renew their license by the first day of May next will subject them to a fine.

Clerk Robert R. Ayres will be ready to issue license on or before the first day of May next at his office in the Court House.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the license law:

If applicant's stock in trade does not exceed.....	$1,000 $15.50
If over $1,000, not over	1,500 18.50
If over 1,500, not over	2,500 20.50
If over 2,500, not over	4,000 25.50
If over 4,000, not over	6,000 30.50
If over 6,000, not over	8,000 40.50
If over 8,000, not over	10,000 50.50
If over 10,000, not over	15,000 65.50
If over 16,000, not over	20,000 80.50
If over 20,000, not over	30,000 100.50

SPECIAL NOTICE

All applicants for trader's license must make application in writing upon special form under oath before Clerk of the Circuit Court or Justice of the Peace or Notary Public as provided for under Chapter 632, Acts 1916.

These blanks can be secured upon application to the Clerk of the Circuit Court.

LICENSE LAW
.EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 1916.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the License Laws of Maryland were amended by the General Assembly of 1916, and new sections added providing for the licensing of Detective Agencies and Agents, Moving Picture Shows and Carnivals, Garages, Cash Registers and Adding Machines, Commercial, Mercantile and Mutual Protective Agencies, Intelligence Offices and Employment Offices, Laundries, Junk Dealers, Trading Stamp Companies, Wholesale Dealers in Farm Machinery, Soda Water Fountains, Livery Stables, Bowling Saloons, Storage Warehouses, Check Rooms, Dyeing, Cleaning and Pressing Companies, Shoe-Shining Parlors and Hat-Cleaning Establishments, Restaurants or Eating Places, Plumbers and Gas Fitters, Construction Firms or Companies, Non-Resident Wholesale Tobacco Dealers and Non-Resident Wholesale Liquor Dealers. For information of the license fees under this law apply to the Clerk of the Circuit Court.

STALLIONS—Any owner and keeper of every Stallion or Jack shall before being permitted to stand or station such animal pay to the Clerk of the Court or some one of the counties of the State the highest sum that he intends to receive for the season for one mare, and the receipt of the said Clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for standing or stationing such a stallion or jack for one year from the date thereof; provided, that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid by this section for such license be less than ten dollars, and that every stallion or jack, upon which the said tax is paid, shall be exempt from all other State tax.

Any owner or keeper standing or stationing any stallion or jack without a license shall forfeit and pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid in the last preceding section one half to the State and the other half to the informer.

WM. W. GOODMAN, Sheriff.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney.

Ratification Nisi

HOPE H. BARROLL, Trustee of estate of Garrett Foxwell,
Hope H. Barroll, Attorney or Agent.
versus
William Archibald, Jr., Maude Archibald.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County
In Equity No. 2110.

Ordered, this 1st day of April 1924, by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by S. Scott Beck, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown within three weeks from the date of the first publication of said notice, viz: April 26th, 1924; Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 21st day of April next.

True Copy:
ROBERT R. AYRES, Clerk.
Test:
a5-2t ROBERT R. AYRES, Clerk.

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RATIFICATION NISI.

William M. Slay et al Extrs. &c.
versus
James G. Harris, et al

In The Circuit Court for Kent County
In Equity. No. 2227

Ordered, this 18th day of March 1924 by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by S. Scott Beck, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown within three weeks from the date of the first publication of said notice, viz: April 12th, 1924; Provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 7th day of April next.

True Copy. ROBERT R. AYRES, Clerk.
Test: ROBERT R. AYRES. Clerk.

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REPORT OF Chestertown Water Department

FOR YEAR 1923.

Superintendent's Books.

Assessments for 1923	$12,562.12
Delinquent for 1922	1,686.16
	$14,248.28
Collected and turned over to Treasurer	$13,311.10
Delinquent for 1923	937.18
	$14,248.28

Treasurer's Books.
Receipts.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1922	$3,095.88
Cash from Superintendent.	13,311.10
Transferred from sav. acct	5,125.00
	$21,531.98

Disbursements.

System	$7,401.08
Pump House	4,556.13
Office	290.01
Interest	2,450.00
Miscellaneous	3,020.00
Balance on hand Dec. 31,. 1923	3,814.76
	$21.531.98

Savings Account, Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1922	$3,999.89
From active account	1,500.00
Interest	130.13
	$5,630.02

Disbursements.

Transferred to active acct.	$5,125.00
Bal. on hand Dec. 31, 1922	505.02
	$5,630.02

The books of the Superintendent and Treasurer have been examined and found correct as per the above statement. Vouchers for all disbursements in the report are on file at the office of the Water Board, and they and the books are open to inspection.

CHAS. F. WHEATLEY, Auditor.
HARRY C. COLEMAN, Auditor.
J. H. SIDES, President.
C. C. JONES, Treasurer.
WM. ROBT. HUEY, Secretary.
CHAS. H. SMITH, Superintendent.

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NOTICE OF

First Meeting of Creditors

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland

In the matter of George P. Orr, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on February 7, 1924, the said George P. Orr of Rock Hall, Kent County, Maryland, was duly adjudged Bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law office of Sidney P. Townshend, in Chestertown, Maryland on the 16th day of April, 1924, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which time the creditors of said Bankrupt may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee or Trustees, examine said Bank... and transact such other bus... may properly come before... meeting.

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