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SHERIFF'S NOTICE TO

Traders and Others

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 the 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 licenses 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 traders license must make application in writing upon special from 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.

NEW 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, Type writting Machines, Cemmercial, Mercantile and Mutual Protective Agencies, Intelligence Offices and Employment Offices, Laundries, Junk Deaelrs, 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 Statoning 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.

J. THOMAS HADAWAY, Sheriff.

SPORTS OF WEEK

FLOWERS GIVEN BIG BOOST—THE RETURN OF DEMPSEY—OTHER.. NOTES OF INTEREST

There is no question that Jack Dempsey will return to the ring and will wade into the present contenders in a manner which will leave some of them battered and bruised. Paolina, the woodchopper from the Pyrennes, will be the first to face the Manasses mauler. Dempsey is said to be in shape. If this is true, the woodchopper will find a tough proposition weather the fullisade of leather that will be flung in his direction. We might be able to weather the storm, but we doubt it. Then will come the winner of this match with the winner of the Shakey—Maloney fight, the winner of this latter setto to face Tunney. The result will be interesting to watch.

The New York Times gives Jake Flowers, former Washington College star, a big boost this week. Flowers has recently been purchased by Brooklyn. The Times says:

"Somehow the sun seemed to shine a little more brightly in Flatbush yesterday: the birds sang more sweetly, the grass was greener, the sky bluer, the whole world lovelier. For Brooklyn has a shortstop at last.

"Jason's quest for the Golden Fleece was a one-day excursion compared to the world-wide search that your Uncle Wilbert Robbie has ransacked the minors, combed the bushes, dragged the ivory belt and worn himself away to a 250-pound shadow in an effort to find a shortstop who could pick up a ground ball and, having picked it up could toss it with reasonable accuracy at the proper target.

"Uncle Wilbert's demands were not excessive. He did not insist on a Honus Wagner, nor a Dave Bancroft. The only break he asked of fate was a shortstop that could hit pretty well and did not have more than one thumb on each hand. And he appears to have found him in D'Arcy Flowers, who sounds as if he might do well out in Hollywood, but who is, in reality, a cracking good man in the area between third and second.

"D'Arcy, otherwise Jake, Flowers can hit, field, throw, run and think—the five major requirements of a good ball player. While the Cardinals were waiting for Tommy Thevenow to sign a contract, Jakie Flowers burned up the Florida circuit. He covered ground like a heavy dew. When he hurried the ball toward first base, spectators in the grand stand were not in danger of being hit on the head. On top of all this, he displayed an admirable penchant for hitting the ball at the right time.

Unkind critics suggested that all the Robins needed were flowers and slow music. Now that Uncle Wilbert has supplied the Flowers, he may be able to dispense with the music.

If memory serves aright, Bad Bill Dahlen was the last good Brooklyn shortstop, and that was back in the Middle Ages of baseball. A lot of water has flowed past the navy yard since then. The automobile has been perfected, the airplane invented, the radio and movies discovered and a great war fought. The world moved on, but the Brooklyn shortstop stood still and kicked them as blithely as ever.

"What have I done that fate should treat me thus?" said Uncle Wilbert, or words to that effect, in Florida this Spring. "It's going on fifteen years now, and I have never found a good shortstop. I have tried fresh kids and gray-haired veterans—big ones, little ones, fat ones, thin ones. What is the answer?"

"Obviously, Jakie Flowers. When Uncle Wilbert was searching the minors years and years ago, little did he dream that the long-sought shortstop was then rolling a hoop and playing "chaw beef' along the banks of the old "swimmin' hole."

"Ask Rogers Hornsby and he will tell you that Jakie Flowers will be a very good shortstop one of these days. Jakie was more or less a protege of Hornsby with the Cardinals. Rogers nursed him along and sent him out to the "farm" for seasoning. Jakie grew n stature and reputation and other clubs angled for him, only to find that they were talking to Mr. Hornsby's bad ear."

Washington And Kennedyville Play TODAY

Washington College will play Kennedyville base ball team on Washington Field this afternoon, Saturday.

This game will create a great deal of local interest and a large crowd of spectators is expected. The Kennedyville team is going strong this year and in the line-up will be found a number of veterans who have been playing for this team for the past fifteen years. It is a hard hitting aggregation and Kibler's nine will have to hustle.

St. Johns To Play Next Week

Athletic relationship has been renewed between Washington College and St. Johns College and the Johnnies will bring a base ball team to Chestertown next Friday, May 10, for the first time since athletic relations were severed four years ago.

The athletic games between Washington and St. Johns have been the most important of the entire series for both colleges and the old friendly rivalry which existed in years past will probably be renewed.

Baltimore City College will play Washington College Junior varsity on Saturday, May 14th.

Annual Report

OF THE

Commissioners of Chestertown

As of April, 1927

RECEIPTS

Bal. on hand last report ....$	1,383.40
Cash received from permits, shows, etc.	62.00
Cash received from Kent County Commissioners for rent of team	20.00
Cash received from Kent County Commissioners for State Forester	21.60
Cash received from Chestertown Water Co., Bonds and Coupons	4,637.50
Cash received from Fines from Police Justice	4.00
Cash received from one pair horses sold	50.00
Cash received from Sewer taps	25.00
Cash received from Kent County Commissioners	2,000.00
Cash received from Kent County Commissioners proprotionate part on shares of stock	980.00
Cash received from Kent County Commissioners from Mutual Fire Ins. Company Stock	188.77
Cash received from Delinquent Taxes	1,071.53
Interest on same	16.05
Cash received from Taxes collected 1926	12,672.02
Interest on same	22.80
Cash received from Taxes collected on Corporations, etc.	1347.11
	$24,501.78

DISBURSEMENTS

Water Bonds No. 14 .....$	1,000.00
Water Bonds No. 12	500.00
Bonds, Streets and Sewers No. 8	1,000.00
Chestertown Board of Health No. 2	1,000.00
Coupons: Water Company, streets and Sewers, and Board of Health	3,338.75
Paid Attorney	100.00
Commissioners Salaries	300.00
City Engineer	125.00
Clerk and Collector	480.00
Samuel E. Cooper, Bailiff	988.00
R. F. Collins	882.00
Thomas A. Kennard	988.00
Charles E. Miller	988.00
Labor on streets, etc.	1,565.38
Paid H. A. Jenkins, painting signs	9.45
Paid Maryland State Roads Commissions	.25
Paid Maryland State Board of Forestry	61.80
Paid Jones & Satterfield	158.88
Paid W. S. & A. M. Culp	19.54
Paid Elwood Whaley	105.85
Paid M. K. Patrick for concrete work	172.20
Paid freight bills for slag, etc.	197.66
Paid Flockhart Foundry Co.	72.60
Paid Charleston Sand & Stone Corporation	68.74
Paid Wm. C. Sutton, 600 feet 6 in. pipe	120.00
Paid Sesqui Centennial, for adv. Chestertown on map	200.00
Paid W. H. Toulson, pair mules	350.00
Paid A. B. Schauber	11.00
Paid James E. Cooper, Carpenter work	37.00
Paid J. D. Bacchus, for cement	46.80
Paid Kent News, bill	81.50
Paid Delaware River Stone Co., loading two cars slag	10.00
Paid Corn and Hay	561.16
Paid John Medders, clerk, for making book assessments	20.00
Paid John Bartley, bill	.96
Paid Chestertown Water Company	1,111.50
Paid M. A. Toulson	2.25
Paid Stam Drug Company	1.20
Paid Owen C. Smith	4.70
Paid Massey & Wilmer, for harness	5.55
Paid H. E. Perkins, Attorney	29.25
Paid Bond	20.00
Paid E. S. Adkins & Company	37.99
Paid Wm. M. Culp	22.42
Paid J. S. Kreeger	4.15
Paid Special Police	183.00
Paid Box Rent	3.00
Paid Electric Lights	2,503.36
Paid Electric Lights for clock	67.70
Paid Transcript	59.00
Paid Stamps and Envelopes	38.38
Paid A. Leon Brown team	9.00
Paid A. Leon Brown hauling	6.00
Paid W. E. Davis	5.25
Paid Robert Moffett, Clerk of Election	3.00
Paid W.T. Hicks, Judge of Election	3.00
Paid For shells	19.60
Paid Dr. Frank B. Hines	10.00
Paid Interest on notes	720.00
Paid Compensation insurance	139.27
Paid Discount on notes	253.50
Paid Insurance on stable	15.00
Paid Insurance on Firemen's Hall	96.00
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Paid W. C. Sutton, sewers	1,958.40
Paid Mrs. Samuel Joiner	1.00
Paid A. G. A. Company	27.00
Paid R. F. Collins, attention to clock	25.00
	$23,041.29

Paid for Fire Company:
Insurance on engine $ 29.76
Eureka Fire Hose Mfg. Company (hose) 856.80 $886.56

$23,927.85
Balance on hand ..... $ 148.93
Cash for coupons July 425.00
$24,501.78

We have also bought 300 feet fire hose, this year, at $1.40 per foot $420.00
A. R. Underdowns Sons, for hats, boots, and coats for Fire Department, to be paid from next year's funds $241.75

Making a total $661.75

Amt. Taxes Collected 12,672.02
Amt. collectable, about 1100.00
Total assessments about $1,850,000.00
The tax rate is 75 cents on 100.

The bonded indebtedness of Chestertown, Md., is as follows:

$17,000 for streets and sewers.

$38,000 for purchase and improvements of water works.

$55,000 total bonded indebtedness.

We also owe $8,000 in notes given to different banks, being money advanced for Maple Avenue.

Also owe $4,000 on note to Chestertown Bank to pay balance on Princess Street, signed by sundry parties.

Approved April 27, 1927.

CHARLES N. SATTERFIELD,
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GEORGE W. FRENCH,
Commissioners.

James W. Crouch, Clerk.

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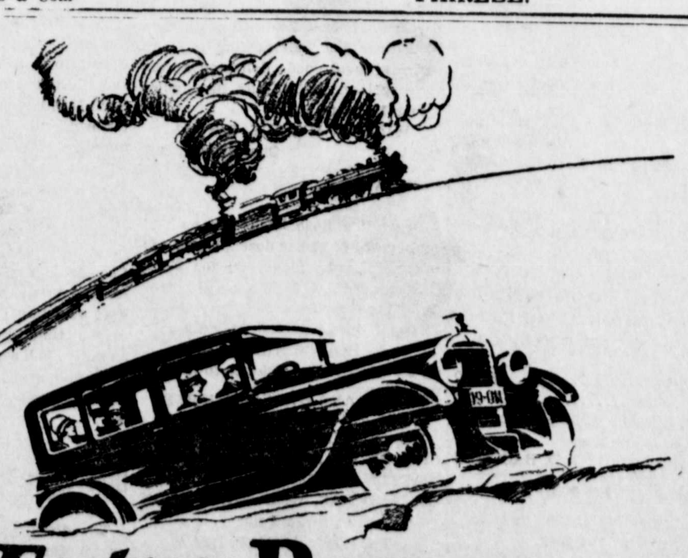

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