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BANKS OPEN FOR BUSINESS!

DEPOSITS FAR EXCEED WITHDRAWALS ON OPENING DAY

SCARCITY OF MONEY PARTLY RELIEVED

Two of Kent County's banks, the Kent County Savings Bank and the People's Bank opened on 100 per cent basis Wednesday morning which helped relieve the financial situation in the county. Two other banks, the Chestertown Bank of Maryland and the Millington Bank opened on a 2 per cent withdrawal basis.

In the case of the four above mentioned banks, including their branches, their opening was marked with a rush of business, without any apparent undue excitement. Deposits in all cases exceeded withdrawals and today the banking business has settled down to the routine of before the holiday.

The above mentioned banks are all State banks and are operating under the regulations of the State Bank Examiner, but the case of the Third National Bank, the only National Bank in Kent County, is different in the fact that its operation is controlled by the Federal governmen.

The fact that following the banking holiday the handling of all the National Banks through one department has greatly delayed the issuing of regulations of operations to each bank. At the present time this bank is being operated under the direction of Mr. W. B. Copper who has been appointed Conservator by the Federal Government who also has laid down certain regulations under which the bank shall operate.

The following is a statement issued by the bank at the time of going to press, which describes the present operation of that bank:

"Due to the already rigid Federal law being made more exacting, nearly two-thirds of the National Banks in the State were forced to go under Federal Supervision in order to conserve their assets and protect the Public.

The Old Accounts are to be kept untouched until further instructions are received and payments are to be made only as the Federal Government directs.

This does not mean that the Bank is closed, but it is under Federal Supervision for the protection of all concerned.

Because of the backing of the Federal Government at Washington, the Third National Bank is placed in a better position to receive deposits than it ever has been.

New Deposits in the Bank are absolutely under Federal Supervision and are accessible at all times. Reserve for such deposits must be held by the Bank in cash, deposited with the Federal Reserve Bank as a Special Account, or invested in United States Government Bonds.

This makes the deposits 100 per cent liquid, which is the intent of the Federal Government.

Old depositors, as well as Stockholders and friends, can best serve their own interest by continuing their loyal and untiring support.

W. B. Copper has been appointed Conservator."

SENTENCED IN SHOOTING CASE

Peck Scott, colored, was sentenced to three months in the Maryland House of Correction on Tuesday for assault and battery on William Duyer, alias Washboard. Washboard was given two months in jail for his part in the fight, he is also carrying a bullet somewhere in his anatomy which was placed there by a pistol in the hands of Scott. The fight was said to be over a woman.

DID YOU KNOW?

DID YOU KNOW THAT

In 1850 ten acres of land was ceded to the United States Government by the state of Maryland for the erection of the "Love Point Light" but the light house was not built until after the Civil War.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

In the year 1655 it was a violation of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland to take the name of God in vain? "If ye did not then read ye following record hearing ye court procedure of ye Kent County

"Whereas ye court hath received information that Wm. Price andJane Salter have been much accustomed to take ye name of God in vain, thereby transgressing both ye laws of God and man, but in particular that Wm. Price swore three others, hereby transgressing an Act of Assembly against that sinne, provided, dated October 20-54 No. 11 the court doth there by order that ye sd Wm. Price shall pay tenne pounds of tobacco for Everie oath particularized in ye information; And that John Salter shall pay tenne pounds of tobacco for each of those oathes sworne by his wife aforementioned; ye one half to ye public use and ye other half to ye informer to bee collected by ye sheriffe with court charges its execution."

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

At the session of the General Assembly of 1757 Governor Sharpe notified the members that regular British Troupes would be sent to Maryland and ordered that Chestertown have two companies Georgetown one company and that two companies be sent to Queenstown.

—That Crop Loans have been held up by State Law is not of so very much interest to Kent County as only seven were issued here last year and inquiries this year have been vry few.

MINSTREL SHOW

For benefit of Kennedyville Baseball Club, will be given by Rock Hall Minstrels,

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NOW AND THEN

HAPPINESS

"Happiness is like a crystal,
Fair and exquisite and clear,
Broken in a million pieces,
Scattered far and near.
Now and then along life's pathway,
Lo, some shining fragments fall,
But there are so many pieces,
No one ever finds them all.

You may find a bit of beauty,
Or an honest share of wealth,
While another just beside you
Gathers honor, love, or health.
Vain to choose or grasp unduly,
Broken is the perfect ball,
And there are so many pieces,
No one ever finds them all.

Yet the wise, as on they journey,
Treasure every fragment clear;
Fit them as they may together,
Imaging the shattered sphere.
Learning ever to be thankful,
Though their share of it be small,
For it has so many pieces,
No one ever finds them all.

—Anon

This little poem is a good one to publish in these days of strain and anxiety. Like the Jiz Zaw puzzle we may pick up the pieces of happiness and build them together in a perfect whole.

My friend fixed a depression plant some time ago. Such an unpromising thing it seemed; two lumps of coal, a little blue, and salt with a few drop of Mucuricrome and a dead twig.

But a few mornings after what a change! The coal had blossomed as a rose and the twig no longer dead was covered with crystals. And I thought how like life it is. So often out of hard tasks and trials, which we dread so much, come blessings which ease and luxury cannot give.

Dear little Depression Plant
A lesson you have taught,
For things that seem so gray and dull,
With beauty may be fraught,
An aftermath of life and joy,
Which pleasure may not impart.

"Christ of the Andes:" How often we hear of it and the story of why it was erected. War was threatened between Chili and Argentina, but they made peace with each other before hostilities began. Then the two countries melted their brass cannon and has this statue made, high up in the Andes mountains, with the legend that as long as the statute remained, there would be peace between the two countries Now there is a movement made to have a Christ in the Rockies. They say we have a statue to Liberty and to all the different heroes and yet the greatest hero of all, has none in this Christian Country.

There is nothing more interesting than looking over old files. So many names are there that have been sleeping their last sleep for years. But just now I have found a fairy story, "written by a little girl nine years who shows much promise for the future." The same little girl is still with us though she has reached maturer years now.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR MARY MARIA COLLYER

Mrs. Mary Maria Collyer, aged 75 years, died at her home in Rock Hall last Sunday, February 12th. She was the widow of the late Thomas Collyer and is survived by two sons, Messrs. Thomas N. Collyer and Henry L. Collyer. One half brother, Mr. Carroll Shriver, also survives.

Funeral services were held at 2.30 P. M. Wednesday from her late home with interment in Wesley Chapel cemetery, the Rev. W. S. Grant officiating

The bearers were: Messrs. Melvin Collyer, Charles M. Collyer, Carroll Shriver, William Shriver, Solomon Jones and George DeFord. C. L. Dodd undertaker.

TRIANGLE CLUB HAS PARTY

The Triangle Club of Christ M. P. Church held at St. Patrick's Party on Thursday night, March 16th. A good attendance was present and the following program was presented.

Selection, Orchestra; Greetings, Mrs. S. Smith; Toastmistress, Mrs. F. Smith; Vocal Solo, Mr. R. Moffett; A Story, Mrs. Harry Cannon; Selection, Orchestra; Address, Mr. Harry Russell; Instrumental Solo, Mrs. Ernest Griffith; Reuben and Rachel, Mrs. Hydie Thompson, Mr. Phillip Sewell; Good Night, Orchestra.

FISH HAWK HERE

An encouraging sign for warm weather. The fishing hawk, which resides in Queen Anne's and works in the fish nets opposite Chestertown, has returned from the south. This is an encouraging sign of spring as aside from knowing its fish, it also knows its weather.

—Don't forget the town election on Monday, March 20th.

THE WAYSIDE POET
By J. Thomas Price

OUR PRESIDENT
FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Today we hail our Nation's Chief,
A stalwart leader of the Race;
Who stands amid the wreck of years,
And shows the World a smiling face.

The World is calling for stout hearts,
And those who have a willing mind;
To stand where great men need to stand,
And be true leaders of mankind.

Our President, with courage, brave,
Assumes Command——the foe to press;
And all the Nation, sees in him
True leader-ship, the World to bless.

"He is our President,"—we hear
By men of every creed and clan;
"We'll back him with our prayers, and deeds,
And questions not his wise command."

So hear us shout, "Hail to our Chief,
A Roosevelt, and the peoples friend;"
oon be singing loud and strong
That happy days are here again.

OUR BROADCAST

—The Maryland Turey Growers Association will meet at the Chamber of Commerce office next Thursday, March 24th, at 2 p. m.

—Rabbi E. L. Israel, speaking at the Washington College Assembly on Thursday, emphasized the need of giving more thought to social values and less to material values.

—Mrs. Robert Wood has completed a portrait of Dr. J. Roy Micou; funds for this portrait were subscribed by alumni of Washington College who value his services to that institution.

—The clearance sale in the various departments at Jefferson's continues.

—Mrs. Helen M. Baker has just completed a book on turkey raising, including every phase of the industry. Mrs. Baker is a nationally known authority.

—Chestertown High School basket ball team was eliminated from the State championship series on Thursday when they lost to Cambridge 24 to 33.

—After 23 years of service as town commissioner Mr. Benj. Duling was re-elected town commissioner of Millington.

—Medals for the best attendance for fires of the Rock Hall Volunteer Fire Company were presented to Messrs. Thomas Willson, Thomas Tucker and Bradley Kerr.

—The minstrel show staged at Rock Hall for the benefit of the base ball club was a great success. This minstrel will be presented at Kennedyville for the benefit of the Kennedyville base ball team. See adv. page 1.

—Nate Jervis will serve again a pro this year at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club.

—The publication of "Old Kent," will start in the Transcript next week.

—Father Earner, who has been priest at the Sacred Heart Church for 20 years and also at Rock Hall will be transfered from Chestertown Saturday. Particulars elsewhere in this issue.

—Read about tand old charitable organization of Chestertown on the Womna's page No. 3.

—Many people farm the garden spot of the world, the Eastern Shore, were in the earthquake zone in California. Few casualties are reported by any of the Eastern Shore papers.

—Don't fail to read Furrows on page seven, written by a Kent Countian.

—The town has passed an ordinance which prohibits roller skating on the side walks of the town. Bicycles are also compelled to carry lights at night. A move to make parked automobiles have a light was defeated. This last was to break up automobiles from parking on the streets all night.

—The town election will be held Monday. There is no opposition to any of the councilmen, Mayor or Waterboard.

—Today is the last day of the Farm Equipment Week at Jones and Satterfields. See adv. on page 4.

—A shed, rick of fodder and a pile of wood were destroyed by fire on the farm of Harry Stavely Friday at noon, a roller and other implements in the shed were also destroyed.

—Queen Anne's County has killed several Mad Dogs. A detailed account of the situation will be found elsewhere in this issue.

—Delinquent Taxpayers are being advertised in Queen Anne's County. The amounts due run from $2.02 up to $4,079.50. Many are for large amounts.

—A detailed investigation of the robbery of the Stevensville Bank is being made by Baltimore detctives. Finger prints have been photographed and sent to several cities. The extent of the robbery has ben definitely established at between $3,800 and $3,900. Three thousand dollars worth of Liberty Bonds were stolen from a safety deposit box.

APRIL TERM JURORS DRAWN

The following jurors were drawn this week by Judge Lewin W. Wickes to serve during the April term of Court which convenes Monday, April 17th.

FIRST DISTRICT

E. Thomas Massey
Newnam Stevens
Jesse E. Ireland
Joseph C. Gibbs
Andrew W. Wilson
W. Holt Woodall
Olin Dulin
John W. Naylor.

SECOND DISTRICT

Robert R. Hill.
Robert N. Bramble
T. Frank Pinder
Franklin B. Harper
Frank A. Roeder
Lewis S. Price
John C. Sutton
George W. Sutton

THIRD DISTRICT

Roger B. Harris
Julian Jones
Harry Clark
Charles B. Nicholson
Harry T. Williams
Thomas S. Silcox

FOURTH DISTRICT

Joseph N. Wheatley
P. Medford Brooks
Walter U. Lusby
Conlyn E. Noland
Clinton C. Jones
Charles W. Kibler
E. Scott Thompson
David B. Ford.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Cecil Crouch
Harrison E. Wagner
Theodore J. Thompson
John A. Kelley
Norris L. Ashley
William R. Strong
James Robert Lewis
John W. Harmon

SIXTH DISTRICT

Weldon Walbert
Sudler Loller
C. Frank Crow
W. Beauchamp LeCompte
John W. Moore

SEVENTH DISTRICT

Howard D. Reed
William J. Maslin
W. Dorsey Hines
Joseph Brice
T. Bayard Sutton.

P. O. S. OF A.

A better attended session of this Camp was held last Tuesday night at Fraternal Hall, and the effects of the general depression was freely canvassed.

The Camp realizes that like every other financial concern there must be a heart to heart canvass of its condition and every member is hereby appealed to be present on Tuesday evening, March 21st at 7.30 o'clock to do their share in the necessary adjustments that need to be made.

No one should pass by this opportunity to invest in his own interest what ever may be required during this specially called meeting.

By Order of Camp.

C. H. S. LOSES TO CAMBRIDGE

ELIMINATED IN STATE CONTEST DEFEATS TRI COUNTY MONDAY

After defeating Tri-County high school on Monday by a score of 23 to 18 in which McMahon scored 10 of his team's points and Wright accounted for eight more, Chestertown was eliminated in the State basketball championship series on Thursday by Cambridge with a score of 33 to 24.

McMahon again proved the high scorer of the local team getting 12 of his team's 24 points. Cambridge lead at half time 15 to 12 and increased this lead in the second half by 6 points. The game was played at Easton.

The summary follows:

CAMBRIDGE	G	F	T
Wilkinson, f	3	1-4	7
Winterling, f	3	1-4	7
Dougherty, c	2	0-1	4
Foxwell, g	4	1-2	9
Robbins, g	1	4-5	6
CHESTERTOWN	G	F	T
McMahan, f	5	2-4	12
Wright, f	2	0-1	4
Bibbs, c	1	1-1	3
Valliant, g	0	1-1	1
Patton, g	1	2-3	4

N on scoring substitutes, Kirby, Caloway, Gordon. Referee: Irving, P. A. L.

LIGHTNING STRIKES GRANERY

Lightning struck the barn on the farm occupied by Mr. William French doing damage estimated at $50, during the severe electric storm Tuesday night. The building did not catch fire.

This is the second time that lightning has struck this building within the past five years.

TO REDUCE GAS RATES HERE

GUARANTEE 15% REDUCTION FOR THREE MONTHS

OFFICIALS MEET WITH CIVIC GROUP

Officials of the Chestertown Gas Company were hosts to the Town Council and the Directors of the Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at Lambert's Dining Room on Wednesday of this week. The gas Company was represented by Mr. Charles Sturkey, assistant vice president of th National Utility Company and Mr. Paul Adams, superintendant of the local plant. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss a reduction in the gas rate in Chestertown and Mr. Sturkey presented a plan which has been approved by the Maryland Public Service Commission and means a reduction of at least 15 per cent. in the gas rate for the next three months; after that time the reduction will depend entirely upon the gross gas consumption in Chestertown. According to a statement made by Mr. Sturkey the fixed property of the plant and equipment of the Chestertown Gas Company totals $82,779,24. Deduct from this a depreciation reserve of $10,934.59, which was created over a period of years, and we have the figure of $71,844.66 representing depreciated fixed property assets. During the year 1932 our Net Gross Income, after all operating charges, but before any interest charges or depreciation charges, was $5,352.15. From this amount, for the purpose of our calculations, we subtract 3 per cent. of our fixed capital to allow for a reasonable depreciation. This gives us a depreciation charge of $2,155.34.

The amount of $3,196.81 is left representing our Net Gross Income of 1932 before any interest charges, but after depreciation was subtracted. This represents practically 4 1-3 per cent. on the value of our total fixed assets of $71,844.66.

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APPLY FOR WHARF PERMITS

Mr. Marion deK. Smith, Jr., has applied to the War Department for permission to construct a bulkhead in front of his property in Scotch Point. The application request a permit to construct a bulkhead on a line between the wharf of C. W. Kibler & Sons and the Marvel Package Company.

Mr. George H. Biles, of Philadelphia, owner of the Major Crea property in Quaker Neck, has made application to the War Department for a permit to construct a pier in front of his property to be 120 feet long and 8 feet wide with a T head.

MEMBERS OF THE CHESTERTOWN VOLUNTEER FIRE CO., PLEASE NOTICE

This Sunday evening, March 19, at 7.30 p. m., the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company will attend divine worship service in the Methodist Protestant Church, at the invitation of its pastor, the Rev. E. A. Sexsmith. The members of the Fire Company are requested to meet at the Fire House at a few minutes past seven o'clock, in order that the Company may march up to the Church in a body, where they will sit together. It is hoped that the members generally will take due notice of this announcement, and turn out in full force. As the invitation to the service specifically includes the Women's Auxiliary, it is hoped that they too will attend in a body.

Rev. Charles L. Atwater, Chaplain.

TAX SALE ON 2000 PROPERTIES

BIDS MADE ON 20 IN PRINCE GEORGE

Despite the fact that the State bank holiday has been in effect for 10 days, leaving very little available cash, the treasurer's office, of Prince George's county held a delinquent tax sale Monday involving about 2,000 parcels of Prince Georges County land —with small success.

After the last property had been offered it was discovered that only about 20 had been bought by outside bidders, or 1 per cent of the total. The remainder was bought in by the county.

No checks or other mediums of exchange were accepted, and so many persons who might have been tempted to purchase a parcel had not their funds been tied up were precluded from doing so. The law states, R. Ernest Smith, deputy treasurer, explained later, that the sale shall be held on the first Monday in March, and as the Legislature made no provision for a postponement, it had to be held. —The Star.

'THE KING'S VACATION'

One of the most popular firm favorites of Kent county movie-goers is that veteran actor, George Arliss. When he returned from a long vacation in England a short time ago he found Warner Bros. waiting to surround him with the finest cast, the most lavish settings and the best story of his talking picture career.

This picture, "The King's Vacation" has been booked for the New Lyceum, Chestertown, on Monday and Tuesday, March 20 and 21 and Arliss fans will do well to mark those dates down in their engagement books.

Pre-views of "The King's Vacation" show it to be a happy combination of the light comedy of "The Millionaire" and the heavier drama of "Disraeli," two of Arliss' most successful pictures.

Mrs. Florence Arliss, his wife, supports him in one of the principal roles in this latest film, as she did in the two pictures mentioned above.

"The King's Vacation" is the story of a man who gave up his wife and child, his happiness in fact, when called unexpectedly to his country's throne and who, when peacefully deposed after eighteen years of pomp and power, leaves his queen consort and returns to the scenes of his earlier happiness. What he finds has taken place there and the changes in the people he knew and loved eighteen years before, give Mr. Arliss a rare opportunity to display his talents for both kindly humor and depth of feeling. His daughter's affairs with the ambitious mechanic and his own mature romance with the deserted queen are parallel love stories of unusual charm and power.

All of this is told in settings as yet unmatched in luxury and beauty, making "The King's Vacation" the most important of all Arliss pictures to date. The comedy is entirely modern with a series of surprising incidents, which would indicate March 20 and 21 as gala days for Kent county Arliss fans.

KENT BOYS 4-H CLUB NOTES

4-H Progressive Poultry Club Elects

New officers for this year were elected by the Kent 4-H Progressive Poultry Club at a meeting Wednesday night, March 8th, which was held at the home of Alice Kennedy, near Kennedyville. Ex-president Bayard Sutton conducted the election. William Carroll was elected President; Rebecca for this year: President, Walter Lind-Groves, Vice-President; Alice Kennedy, Secretary; and Edgar Hodgson, Treasurer.

Following the business session, a discussion on Brooding of Chicks and the importance of early hatching was entered into by all.

Millington Election

The Millington Boys' 4-H Club met at the home of Lawrence Walmsley, Thursday night, March 9th. The following officers were elected to serve for this year: Presidnt, Walter Lindsay; Vice President, Charles Anthony; Secretary, Lawrence Walmsley, and Treasurer Arthur Anthony. Assistant Agent Sutton conducted a discussion on various topics of interest to members and the club at large. Local leader Rev. Mr. Short made a few remarks and invited the club to meet at his home next month.

Piney Neck

The Piney Neck Boys' 4-H Club met at the school Friday night, March 10th, and was called to order by Vice-President Oliver Frazier, Jr., Carter Bryden was elected to act as Assistant Secretary in the absence of the newly elected Secretary. Following the business meeting, a round table discussion was held and plans for a better home garden discussed. Practically every member is planning to plant a garden and exhibit at a garden products show, which will be held during the summer.

FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY
BY ALICE MATHEWS

On good old Ireland's rock bound coast
And all along its rugged shore
There is a flower I live to toast
A lovely flower, yes more and more,
As years go by. On land or sea
The Shamrock stays the bloom for me.

Thus to Saint Patrick let us give
All honor on his natel day
And while transplanted Shamrock live.
Let wearing of the green alway
Be one good pledge our faith we keep
With Ireland's Saint now fallen asleep.

For certainly despite the weather
That may be overcast or fair,
We surely all should get together
A bit of Shamrock green to wear.

RAISE WHAT YOU NEED

Efforts are being made by agriculture advisors to have farmers raise a good garden and a variety of crops so as to provide their family's food supply. They are stressing the point of the difference in value of things bought for the farm and sold from the farm.

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