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POLITICAL NOTES

The New Year brings some political gossip and promises to be a year of great activity in both Democratic and Republican canks.

Messrs. James H. Short, Jr., and Addison Atkinson, both of Elkton, have announced themselves candidates for nomination for sheriff of Cecil county, on the Democratic ticket at the primaries next September. Within a very short time, it is understood, there will be no less than a half dozen other candidates in the field for nomination for the same office.

Henry Herbert Balch announces in Talbot Star Democrat this week that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State's Attorney. Mr. Balch is the first to announce himself in the new year. There will be many others who will declare themselves receptive for the various offices to be filled at the November election.

COUNTING THE COST

The first of the bonds issued by the county for lateral road construction will fall due next June, and each year thereafter the amount to become due will increase for probably six years. If the county continues to issue bonds for this purpose in the future as in the past, the following table shows the annual payments which will have to be made.

Year	Principal Due	Interest Due	Total Due.
1926	$2,000	$3,800	$5,800
1927	$4,000	$3,800	$5,800
1928	$7,000	$5,200	$12,200
1929	$10,000	$5,700	$15,700
1930	$12,000	$6,050	$18,050
1931	$15,000	$6,300	$21,300
1932	$18,000	$6,400	$24,400

[illegible] already issued will fall due [illegible] shown above up to and including 1929, whether any other bonds are [illegible] or not. If no other bonds are [illegible] there would be some reduction [illegible]terest charges shown; but the [illegible]y is practically committed to [illegible]er issue in 1926, the first of [illegible]h bonds will become due in 1930. [illegible]at the table may be considered [illegible]ably correct for that year.

[illegible]932 principal and interest be[illegible]ue on these bonds will equal [illegible]nt now provided for dirt [illegible]ing then a total road tax [illegible] $100 of the present tax[illegible] In the event of continu[illegible]nt plan of construction [illegible]or lateral roads the [illegible]n 1932 onward will [illegible]ween $20,000 and [illegible] time the county [illegible]out 16½ miles of [illegible] 33 miles, which [illegible]hing less than [illegible] to be improved

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50TH ANNIVERSARY

In the News last week Bordley & Son advertised a big reduction sale of clothing, shoes, etc., in celebration of their 50 years in business. This is no small matter. There are but few men who remain in one place for this length of time and it speaks in no uncertain tones.

The business was started by Thos. S. Bordley, one of Chestertown's intelligent and popular citizens, in the old market house hall. After establishing a good trade the business was removed to the corner of High and Cross where it has since accommodated the public. The old building was destroyed by fire and the present elegant brick store constructed. Upon the death of Thos S. Bordley, a few years ago, his son, Carle N., succeeded to the business. He has made a great success. He knows what the people want and has exquisite taste in buying. He is conscientious and frank in his salesmanship and deserves to succeed. His outstanding talent at window dressing has helped the whole town as his artistic eye has brought an influence which has been felt by all who engage in this now necessary adjunct to business. Heighe Hill is assisting in waiting on the increasing trade.

May this firm live to celebrate its 100th anniversary.

THE GREAT NEED OF THE PRESENT DAY

Today our attention is called to the crime wave and this community is not immune. The alarming feature of this condition is the youth of the offenders.

John Dewey said: "By law and punishment society can regulate and form itself in a haphazard and chance way. Through education, society can formulate its own purpose, organize its own means and resources, and shape itself with definiteness and economy."

If we are to heal the ills of the world, therefore, it must be done through the schoolhouse and the home. It cannot be done through the courts. If children are properly trained they will not be criminals. The courts and police merely exist in order to make up the deficiences of the home.

The prime business of every country, therefore, should be the proper education of its children. Our first duty is to pass on what knowledge we have gained to those who come after us and to train them in the exercise of that knowledge. Every moral delinquent can trace his bad condition back to the home which he sprang. In the same way almost every man that has succeeded says that his success is due to his mother or to his training.

It should not be forgotten that the root cause of the crime and criminals now extant is to be found in the improper training of children.

What the youth needs is not more control thru Government action but more home control thru parental action."

Judge Hastings, of Delaware, speaks wisely when he says, "The dutiful child never stops to inquire where the instructions of the father are right, just and necessary. He obeys because he has been taught it was his duty to obey. We expect this of the child. Everybody expects the child to obey the law that has been made for him. But many full grown men and women who consider themselves ideal citizens do not hesitate to do that which they condemn the child for doing. They violate the law made for them and excuse themselves by saying the law is not just, not necessary. Of course, there is a lot of truth in what they say. It is highly important that our lawmakers should be very slow to extend the domain of the criminal law to any field where public opinion does not, with substantial unanimity, demand its extension. We in America have been far too ready to turn to the rough bludgeon of the criminal law as a cure for social and economic ills, instead of relying on the slower but far more effective remedy of education and an aroused public opinion. Such laws not only inevitably fail of their purpose, but weaken the respect for all laws."

"I have frequently thought that an active organization to prevent useless and unnecessary laws from being enacted would be of real value to the State. But it must be remembered that it is a dangerous rule to undertake to decide for ourselves what laws are important and should be obeyed, and what are unimportant and may be violated. Many people feel perfectly free to make a loud complaint about the frequent violation of a particular law, and criticise the light punishment inflicted by the courts upon the violators thereof, while they, on the other hand, do not hesitate to violate some other law which their conscience tells them is unimportant, and the violation thereof they believe does not actually constitute a crime.

"We have got to get hold of the children between the ages of five and fourteen, especially, and try to reach them spiritually and morally," says William McAdoo, Chief Magistrate New York City, in an article in the New York World on the cause of crime.

Statesmen of the church and nation emphasize again that the "perils ahead" are moral, and speaking at different times and places, urge that reform begin with the parents if the younger generation is to be kept safely on its feet in the swirling currents of changing conditions. The House of Bishops of the Episcopal Church, the President of the United States, a Cabinet officer and the Chief Magistrate of New York City all draw the same conclusions and hammer the same lesson home — that parents may not wash their hands of the responsibilities of parenthood.

A feeling of disquiet pervades the separate messages when they take account of conditions in the home. In their message of "love and counsel," the Bishops of the Episcopal Church, in convention at New Orleans, say they "see a weakening of the ties and a loosening of the standards of home life, due to lack of proper parental control and to the absence from homes of definite religious influence." They say further:

"We see in our land tens of millions of men and women who acknowledge no connection with religion, and, as a result of a large proportion, without religious influence or religious teaching of any sort. Can we fail to see the connection between this situation and the spirit of lawlessness, the startling increase in crime, and especially the increase in the number of youthful criminals now challenging our attention?"

And to President Coolidge, too, it is apparent that "there are too many indications that the functions of parenthood are breaking down."

Let us therefore awake to the situation and strive to write a better chapter for the home life of the children. Tie the home to the church, Sunday School and everyday school and hand in hand work for a better condition.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Millington Bank of Maryland

At Millington, in the State of Maryland at the close of business Dec. 31, 1925.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$102,048.65
Stocks, bonds, securities, etc.		118,096.44
Banking House		6,400.00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		775.00
Due from approved Reserve Agents		8876.92
Lawful money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	$9,446 00	
Gold Coin	240.00	
Minor Coin	111.81	9,797 81
Total		$245,994.82

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$15,000.00
Surplus fund		7,000.00
Undivided profits, less expen. interest and taxes paid		6,694.96
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		1,648 35
Deposits (demand) subject to check	$82,348.92	
Certified Checks	187.84	
Cashier's Checks outstanding	1,601.24	84,138.00
Deposits (time) savings and special		131,063.51
Total		$245,994.82

[illegible]te of Maryland, County of Kent, ss.
[illegible] C. M. Melvin, Jr., Cashier of the [illegible]e named bank, do solemnly swear [illegible]the above statement is true to the [illegible] my knowledge and belief.
[illegible]. M. MELVIN, JR. Cashier.
[illegible]bed and sworn to before me [illegible]ay of January, 1926.
[illegible] Victor Stevens, N. P.
[illegible] Attest:
[illegible]S. J. JOHNSON.
[illegible]ERRITT BRICE.
[illegible]L. AHERN,
Directors.

Fellow Farmers

We have leased to Mr. Walter Moffett, of Worton, for a short time one of the best bred young Holstein sires in the State. Three of his nearest dams have records of 30 lb. butter and over 60 lbs. milk in seven days. The fourth has 24.6 lbs Butter and 580 lbs. milk in 7 days.

His dam is the first cow in Md. to make over 600 lbs. milk in 7 days for three consecutive years.

We have received an attractive offer from parties in Cecil county for this bull, but would like to have him remain in Kent county.

Let us tell you about this bull. The price is reasonable breeding considered.

j9 EDGAR R. PENNINGTON.

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[illegible] Maryland

At [illegible]town, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, Dec. 31, 1925.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$685,932.27
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc		319,331.17
Banking House		5,500.00
Other Real Estate Owned		15,098.37
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies other than reserve		11,057.64
Checks and other Cash Items.		14,611.57
Due from approved Reserve Agents		70,728.51
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	$18,423.00	
Gold Coin	610.00	
Minor Coin	1,078.79	
		20,111.79
Miscellaneous Assets		4,695.87
Total		$1,147,067.19

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in		$ 27,000 00
Surplus Fund		70,000 00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses, Interest and Taxes paid		4,036.08
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		1,445.78
Deposits (demand) Subject to check	$314,808 43	
Certified Checks	1,412.46	316,220.89
Deposits (time) Savings and Special	$673,830.82	
Certificates of Deposit	47,522.48	721,353.30
Reserve Account		7,011.14
Total		$1,147,067.10

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss.
I, Allan A. Harris, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
ALLAN A. HARRIS, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1926.
JAMES W. CROUCH, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
ARTHUR H. BRICE.
EDWARD A. SCOTT.
JOHN C. REDMILE.
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Kent County Savings Bank

At Chestertown, in the State of Maryland at the close of business Dec. 31, 1925.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$820,934.48
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		24.37
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc		100,676.08
Banking House		13,200.00
Furniture and Fixtures		1,500.00
Mortgages and Judgments of Record		9,500.00
Checks and other Cash Items.		7,395.03
Due from approved Reserve Agents		37,045. 2
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	$16,000.00	
Gold Coin	1,116.50	
Minor Coin	822.02	17,938.52
Miscellaneous Assets		300 00
Total		$1,008,513.73

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$ 20,000.00
Surplus Fund		70,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, interest, taxes paid.		9,664.90
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies other than reserve		318.23
		154,527.30
Deposits (demand) subject to check	$171,182.40	
Certified Checks	1,105.15	
Deposits (time) savings and special	$708,316.51	
Certificates of Deposit	27,926.54	
		736,243 05
Total		$1,008,513.7

State of Maryland, County of Kent, s. s.
I, William F. Russell, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
WM. F. Russell, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1925.
HARRY C. COLEMAN, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
M. A. TOULSON.
JEFFERSON D. BACCHUS
CHARLES S. SMITH.
Directors

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TH[illegible]S WEEK

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One Can Talcum Free.

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Auto Strap Razor, 49c
1 Bottle Shaving Lotion Free.

Ever Ready Razor, $1.00
One Dollar Shaving Brush Free.

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LOST

Auto blanket lost last week in front of Cliff School or along road from Cliff's to Chestertown. Finder please return to Kent County School Board Office, Chestertown. HELEN JANE WOODLEY. d26-2t

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All Our $20 Suits Are Now Priced At
$10 00

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Chestertown, Maryland

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