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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters Testamentary on the personal estate of
WILLIAM M. MILLER,
late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 5th day September, 1927, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 1st day of March, 1927.
MARION T. MILLER,
m5-4t Executor.

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Worton Notes

Mrs. Thomas Vandyke, of Kennedyville, visited her daughter, Mrs. G. T. Williams, last week.

Miss Clara Dwyer was the guest of Miss Christine Clarke, of Chestertown, over the week-end.

Miss I. C. Cooper is visiting her niece, Mrs. S. J. Lee, of Broad Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rouse and little daughter, of Aberdeen, sepnt the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Rasin.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Matthews. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rash motored to Wilmington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer and Mrs. Margaret Dwyer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Money of Kennedyville.

Mrs. Burk, of Chestertown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. G. Hadaway.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. G. T. Williams and son, Marvin, Mrs. M. W. Hadaway and Mrs. C. G. Hadaway.

Mrs. Leonard Plummer was the guest of Mrs. Joseph Dwyer Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Colgain, of Denton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Nichols.

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An Amethyst For February

Those born in February should wear an amethyst, the stone dedicated to the bishops, and, curiously enough, to the heathen Bacchus as well. One of the pretty legends attached to this stone says the god Bacchus, offended by some neglect of Diana, was determined to avenge himself and declared that the first person whom he met would be devoured by his tigers. Fate willed it that the beautiful maiden called Amethyst was on her way to worship at Diana's shrine. In fear, she called to Diana to save her, and instantly Bacchus saw her changed into an image of pure white stone. With regret and repentance, Bacchus poured the juice of the grape as a libation over the stone, thus giving it a beautiful violet color.

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Rock Hall Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Coleman entertained the latter's sister, Mrs. Walter Rodney, husband and two children, of Worton Point, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Trew Durding has brought her little son, Bennie, home from Baltimore where he spent ten days after surgical operation.

Mrs. A. L. Hubbard is suffering much pain from an abscess.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diehl have returned from Cornersville and will occupy their dwelling here. Their son, Rev. John Diehl, accompanied them for a short time.

Wm. Brooks is improving from uric poisoning.

Mrs. Harry White is quite sick.

Mrs. Thomas E. Joyner is a sufferer from the grippe.

Mrs. Frank Hartman is receiving professional attention for heart affection.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crew visited Rock Hall friends a few daps ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashley, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary C. Ashley.

Wm. Frazier is progressing nicely in a Baltimore hospital after having a leg amputated several weeks ago.

Visitors from elsewhere who attended the funeral of the late James W. Stevens were Mr. and Mrs. R. Nelson Stevens, son and daughters James, Misses Emily and Julia; Mr and Mrs. Frank Stevens and daughter, Miss Laura; Mrs. Harry Staley and son, Chaplin, of Baltimore; Mrs. Charles Miller, son and daughter, William and Helen, of Washington; Dr. Adkins and wife and Miss Caroline Coburn; Hugh Coburn, of New York, and Henry Gunby, of Baltimore.

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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC

Upon the urgent request of many citizens I hereby announce myself a candidate for Town Commissioner of Chestertown, subject to the result of the election in April.

mch5-te GEORGE W. RASH.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Town Commissioner at Election to be held on April 25, 1927.

f26 A. E. CULVER.

Candidate for Re-Election as
Town Commissioner

Having been solicited by a number of citizens and tax payers of Chestertown, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as town commissioner, subject to the will of the majority. I heartily approve of good sidewalks, and am in favor of any IMPROVEMENTS to our town. I make no promises to any particular section or to any individual, but if elected will try to work for the best interest of ALL.

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Whence Came Wedding Ring?

RINGS have been identified with affairs of love and marriage from time immemorial, but where their use originated unquestionably will remain forever one of the secrets of antiquity. Special wedding rings were not used in the early period, the espousal or betrothal ring also being employed at the marriage ceremony.

The ring as pledge of love according to Dr. George Fredrick Kunz, is first mentioned by Plautus in his "Miles Gloriosus." but there is no allusion to the nuptial ring.

The use of espousal rings has been traced to the Greeks of the fourth century, B. C., and to the Romans of the second century, B. C. Those first commonly used were of plain iron, although gold rings were worn by certain classes. In Pliny's time, iron rings were worn in the home and gold ones in public. There is evidence to show that gold nuptial rings were in use in the second century, A. D.

Perhaps the earliest reference to betrothal rings in the christian era is found in the writings of Tertullian about the end of the second century. He says:

"Among our women the time-honored rules of their ancestors, which enjoin modesty and sobriety, have died out. In former timesl women knew nothing of gold except the single betrothal ring."

The inference is strong that Tertullian looked upon the use of personal adornments by women as a radical departure and had his views prevailed the jewelry business would have been a sad under taking and the melting pots virtually unknown.

Wedding rings were in quite general use in the fourth century and St. Augustine wrote that priests should not refuse to marry couples in cases where poverty prevented the exchaage of rings.

It was the custom in Germany in the thirteenth century for the man alone to receive a wedding ring; and among the Greeks, in the fourteenth century, the bride received a ring of iron and the bridegroom one of gold. The Greek and Russian churches long adhered to the custom of a silver ring for the bride and a gold ring for the bridegroom.

The espousal ring became the wedding ring in England about the time of the Reformatiou; but this did not end the betrothal ring custom, two rings being presented from then on. Rush rings are mentioned in a number of places in English literature and rings of leather in other early writings.

In India, the wedding ring custom is especially favorable to the melted pots. Wide gold bands are worn on the thum, but after a short time they are melted down and fashioned into some sort of an ornament.

NOTICE

TO DELINQUENT REAL AND PERSONAL TAX-PAYERS FOR 1926.

We have sent out all delinquent tax bills for 1926. We hereby give this final notice that unless all Real and Personal taxes are paid by April 1st, 1927, we will proceed to collect same according to law.

My term as Treasurer of Kent county expires June 1st, 1927, and I must make final settlement on this date.

GEO. W. SUTTON,
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