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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
SECOND NATIONAL BANK
AT CHESTERTOWN,
in the State of Maryland, at the close of business September 15, 1902.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$563,087.26
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	72.11
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	12,500.00
Stocks, securities, etc.....	22,338.20
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures.....	13,500.00
Due from National Banks, (not Reserve Agents).....	496.37
Due from approved reserve agents.....	91,300.71
Internal revenue stamps.....	27.50
Checks and other cash items.....	3,155.30
Notes of other National Banks.....	2,780.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	60.78
Specie and legal-tender notes.....	14,900.30
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).....	625.00
Total.....	\$514,880.07
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	12,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	9,655.45
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	12,500.00
Due to other National Banks.....	7,334.70
Individual deposits subject to check.....	428,786.49
Certified checks.....	194.03
Total.....	\$514,880.07

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss: I, W. B. COPPER, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. COPPER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of September, 1902.

CHARLES ESTES,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest
HOPE H. BARROLL,
WILBUR W. HUBBARD,
HARRISON W. VICKERS,
Directors.

Transacts a General Banking Business.

Interest at the rate of 4 per cent. paid on all Savings Deposits when left on deposit two calendar months.

We shall treat all our Savings Depositors alike.

We shall not give one class 3 per cent. and another 4 per cent., but all 4 per cent. alike.

All business entrusted to us treated with promptness, accuracy, liberality and courtesy.

We solicit your account.

OLDEST. STRONGEST.

HON. CHARLES T. WESCOTT, PRES.
RICHARD D. HYNSON, V. PRES.
WM. WALTER CHAPMAN, CASHIER.

Capital 60,000. Surplus 30,000

—THE—
Chestertown National Bank

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

WE PAY

4 PER CENT.

on all savings when left on deposit one calendar month.

DIRECTORS:
Charles T. Westcott, Richard D. Hynson,
Marion deK. Smith, Alday Clements,
Samuel Vannort, James S. Harris,
*Enklin H. Harper, James W. Chapman,
Edwin S. Valliant.

Assets to Secure Depositors.

Capital paid in.....	\$60,000
Liability of share-holders.....	60,000
Surplus.....	12,000
Undivided Profits.....	20,070

Total of.....\$152,070

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TELEPHONE COMPANY**

has an unexcelled service to Baltimore and all Western Shore towns. The new cable is completed and gives perfect satisfaction. The voice is very distinct. All Chester town subscribers can now hold a three-minute conversation with Baltimore parties for the small sum of 60 cents. Non-subscribers' rate 60 cents. Service quick and satisfactory.

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—AND—

STOCK OF GOODS FOR SALE.

Wishing to discontinue merchandising in order that he may devote his entire time to other business, a gentleman will sell his entire stock of MERCHANDISE and FIXTURES, with good will. Will also lease store-room to the purchaser.

The right man will find here a \$12,000 to \$15,000 business. The present stock is something over \$4,000, nearly all new goods. This is a rare opportunity to a hustling up-to-date man. The present proprietor is doing a business which pays nicely, but other duties render it desirable for him to relieve himself of the responsibility of the business.

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Canton Ave. and Albemarle St.,
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All Kinds of Building Lumber.

THE Kent County Savings BANK

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4 Per Cent. Interest

on all Savings, and Special Deposits remaining one calendar month or longer.

There is Only One Savings Bank in Kent County.

and this very bank has paid

\$29,781.95 in Interest

to its Depositors.

The Savings Bank

was the first bank in Kent county ever known to pay interest on deposits.

We invite the banking public to call on us or write to us.

Respectfully,

JOHN K. ALDRIDGE, President.

WILLIAM F. RUSSELL,

A New Process.

Cleaning, Scouring and Dyeing

by a new process, which renders the clothes spotlessly clean and with as little shrinking as is possible. This new way is a decided improvement over the old method of cleaning, and work is turned out with more promptness and decidedly more satisfactory than formerly, also reducing the cost considerably.

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In all its branches. A trial is convincing. Very truly yours,

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Ladies' and Gent's Tailor,

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Second Door Below Savings Bank.

Clothes Made to Order.

Notice to Coal Consumers.

In view of the short supply of coal in Chester town, all citizens, and those living near Chester town, who are not supplied for the winter, and who desire to unite and secure a cargo of 500 tons of Welsh coal, which will relieve partially the threatened coal famine, are invited to meet at the office of Hope H. Barroll this day (Saturday) Sept. 27th, 1902, between 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock p. m., and leave the number of tons of coal which will be needed by their respective families, so that an order may be sent for the whole in bulk, and the lowest possible price secured by such purchase.

The coal to be landed in Chester town and distributed from the barges or boats containing same. If a cargo of 500 tons can be ordered it is thought the coal will be much cheaper than if ordered in a small quantity. All persons who cannot come in person will please hand in their estimates. No one will be bound to take the number of tons named unless they approve of the price at which same may be received.

COMMITTEE.

WANTED.
50,000 Baskets Keifer Pears
Delivered at Worton and Chester town stations
A. S. TUCKER,
Worton, Md.

SEXTON WANTED.
A RELIABLE WHITE MAN as Sexton for St. Paul's Church. For particulars apply to
GEORGE SEAR,
Lanford, Md.

WANTED.
A Young Man between 16 and 18 years of age with some experience, to clerk in Shoe Store. Must be a boy of good habits and must bring good references.
T. G. WROTH,
The Shoe Man.

FOR RENT.
The AUDIENCE ROOM and the DRESSING ROOM of St. Paul's Hall, for the year from October 23, 1902, to October 23, 1903, or it may be leased for a longer period. For terms, terms and all information concerning the leasing of the Hall, apply to THOMAS G. WROTH, St. Paul's Hall, Chester town, Md.

SHEEP and PIGS.
The undersigned has Fifty (50) Thoroughbred Shropshire SHEEP to put out on shares—terms easy. Forty (40) PIGS weighing from 25 to 40 pounds for sale.
J. M. B. and CO.,
T. E. W. CREW,
Fairfax, Va.

FOR RENT FOR 1903.
The HOUSE on Washington Avenue now occupied by Charles C. Hopper, is for rent, possession to be given January 1, 1903. This is one of the most desirable homes in Chester town. The interior arrangement is convenient and airy. There is a bath room with large tub, closet, stationary marble basin, nickel fixtures. Third story is plastered and ready for occupancy. Hot and cold water in kitchen and in bath room.
For further particulars apply to
C. C. HOPPER,
TRANSCRIPT OFFICE.

FREE SCHOLARSHIP.
OFFICE SCHOOL BOARD,
Sept. 26, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given of a Free Scholarship at the Maryland Institute, now vacant. Applications for the vacancy will be received at the Office of the School Board until

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1902,
when the appointment will be made.
JOSEPH PETERSON,
Secretary.

FOR SALE.
A BAY MARE, Good Size Kind, will work anywhere. Can be seen at Mr. HENRY ANDERSON'S, on the Stewart farm, near Chester town.

Coaching
FOR COLLEGE AND SCHOOL,
IN
Latin, Mathematics, French & English
MAUDE COX BINGOLD,
Chester town, Md.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED.
A farmer wants a White Married Man and his Wife. The man to work on the farm for the balance of this year and for next year. Right wages will be paid the party.
Apply at
TRANSCRIPT OFFICE.

FESTIVAL and SUPPER.
The ladies of St. John's Church, Rock Hall, will hold their usual Fall Festival and Supper, on the Church Green, on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27. Fresh Mackerel, Oysters in every style, Fried Chicken, Roast Pig and every delicacy of the season will be served in abundance. All are invited to attend.
REV. FATHER JOHN M. McNAMARA.

LADIES.
If your Sewing Machine is not in order, or you want to exchange it for a new one, send postal card to Mr. A. H. SUPLEE, Betterton, Md., and he will call on you and talk it over.
A. H. SUPLEE,
Betterton, Md.

TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.
I have Trust Funds to Loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent., \$500, \$800, \$1,000, \$1,500, \$2,000, \$2,500, \$3,000, \$4,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000. Some of these sums can be placed for 5 years.
HOPE H. BARROLL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Chester town, Md.

FOR RENT.
The OFFICE in the TRANSCRIPT Building, recently occupied by the late Eben F. Perkins. The LARGE STORE ROOM now occupied by Mr. John H. Simpkins, opposite St. Paul's Hall. A COMFORTABLE 6-ROOM HOUSE, with garden, on Riverside Terrace.
M. WILBER THOMAS,
Agent.

OBITUARY.

Rev. John D. Kemp and Mrs. Ellen Harvie Micou Dead.

The announcement of the death of Rev. John D. Kemp on Sunday morning came as a shock to the entire community. True, Mr. Kemp was known to be in poor health, but since coming to Chester town he had in some degree recovered his cheerfulness, and nearly every day delighted to receive the calls of many friends in the hall of his home. On Saturday he was rather brighter and more cheerful than usual, giving no evidence that the end of an active and useful life was so near its end. These circumstances temporarily disarmed the apprehensions of his hosts of friends and intensified the shock when the news of death was made known.

After a restful and pleasant night's sleep, at about half-past four o'clock on Sunday morning he had a coughing spell which called the devoted wife and daughter to his bedside. Almost before they realized that the attack was more serious than usual, at about five o'clock the end came. They were given no time in which to summon a physician, and before Mr. Toulson, who lives next door to the Kemp home, could reach the bedside the soul had taken its flight.

Mr. Kemp was first stricken with heart trouble about six months ago. He was in the pulpit of his church in Millington, when the first intimation of the fatal disease manifested itself. It was hoped that an entire suspension of ministerial duties and a change of scene would restore the body to its normal vigor, but this was not the result, and about a month ago, after a faithful and vigorous stewardship in the ministry for thirty years, Mr. Kemp resigned his charge, and with his wife and daughter, came to Chester town to make his home.

The deceased was born at Love Point, on Kent Island, in Queen Anne county, sixty-five years ago last April. His parents were Thomas H. and Mary Kemp. The ambition of young Kemp was to read law, and after completing his education he entered the office of his brother, Thos. Kemp, a prominent lawyer at the Caroline county bar. He was later admitted to the bar, and those vigorous qualities of voice and mind which added to his force as a minister forced him to the forefront in the practice of his profession.

A man of profound religious convictions, after ten years of successful practice at the law he applied for admission into the Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Conference. He was gladly admitted and his rise as one of the conspicuous figures in the ministerial body was rapid and sure. He became one of the strong factors in his work and many new churches were built under the inspiration of his energy and zeal. He filled pastorates at Chester town, Millington, Still Pond, Crapo, North East, Chesapeake City and Lewis, Del.

A widow, a Miss Jennie Nicholson before marriage, and two daughters, Mrs. Thomas S. Bordley, of Chester town, and Miss Maude Kemp, who has always made her home with her parents, survive him.

Funeral services were held in the Chester town Methodist Episcopal church at one o'clock on Tuesday.

Rev. L. E. Barrett preached the funeral sermon and was assisted by Presiding Elder W. F. Corkran, Presiding Elder Baker and Rev. E. C. Roberts. Other ministers present were: Rev. Mr. Beauchamp, of Still Pond; Rev. Mr. Sidel, who succeeded Mr. Kemp at Millington; Rev. Mr. Covey, of Bond Chapel, and Rev. E. E. White. Miss Anna G. Lambert sang several selections which were favorites of the deceased, including "In That City," "Prayer is the Key" and "Some Time, Some Where," and the congregation joined in the hymn, "Lead Kindly Light." The pall bearers were: Dr. J. T. Twilley, M. A. Toulson, James Brice, Franklin H. Harper, Joel R. Clements and M. Wilber Thomas. Mr. Thomas W. Eliason acted as one of the bearers from the home to the church, but was taken sick during the service and could not act further. The interment was made in Chester cemetery. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of funeral arrangements.

MRS. ELLEN HARVIE MICOU.
Mrs. Ellen Harvie Micou, relict of the late James Roy Micou, of Tappahannock, Va., died at the home of her son, Prof. James Roy Micou, at Washington College, on Tuesday afternoon. She was 83 years and 6 months of age. Mrs. Micou was paralyzed eleven years ago, since which time she had been entirely helpless. She suffered no physical pain and until a few months ago all her faculties remained clear and active. During all these long, long years no one ever heard a murmur of complaint. With a beautiful resignation to the will of God this aged and saintly woman patiently

awaited the gentle summons.—"Come unto Me all ye that are weary and heavy laden, and I will give you rest." She was one of a family of six daughters, and was married in 1835 to James Roy Micou, a prominent Virginia gentleman. All these daughters were married between the ages of fourteen and a half years of age and sixteen and a half, Mrs. Micou having been the only one to have reached sixteen and a half years at the time of her marriage. Three of the sisters married physicians.

During all of the years of sickness she was constantly attended by the loving ministrations of a loyal and affectionate daughter, Miss Susie Micou. She never faltered in that beautiful devotion which only the most intense love can inspire. Prof. Micou and his wife did all that love could suggest to make the declining years of a beautiful life comfortable and pleasant. Three children, namely, Prof. James Roy Micou and Miss Susie Micou, of Chester town, and Mrs. Nicolson, of Falls Church, Virginia, survive her.

The remains were taken to the old St. John's church yard, at Tappahannock, Va., for interment beside her husband.

Undertaker Ferguson had charge of funeral arrangements.

ANDREW SPEAR KILLED.

Run Over by a Railroad Train and Horribly Mangled.

Mr. Andrew Spear, who until two years ago was a tenant on the farm belonging to Mr. W. Irving Walker, now tenanted by Mr. Fields, in Queen Anne, near Chester bridge, was killed near Porter's Station, on Friday of last week.

Mr. Spear left his home to take a load of apples to the cider press at Dayett's farm when the accident occurred. On this trip it was necessary to cross the railroad track twice. At one of these crossings the track is raised and on each side of the roadway are bushes which obstructed a view of approaching trains. The regular train was late and came thundering along at between fifty and sixty miles an hour to make up lost time. Mr. Spear heard the blowing for the crossing but thought that the train had passed.

He was driving one horse to a covered market wagon. The engine struck the horse, throwing the animal about one hundred feet, killing him instantly, also striking the carriage, reducing it to splinters. Mr. Spear was struck and also thrown about one hundred feet. He regained consciousness and lived about an hour.

He leaves a wife and two children by his last marriage. As a citizen he was highly thought of and made many friends during his residence near Chester town.

Mr. Spear was 63 years of age and all of his life had been spent in farming. He leaves beside his widow, six children, John Spear, of Camden, N. J.; Owen C. Spear, of Wilmington; Miss Mamie Spear, of Philadelphia; Andrew Spear, of Chicago; Misses Hilda and Florence, living at home. His brother, Dr. John C. Spear, is a surgeon in the United States Army. Funeral services were held at his late residence Sunday afternoon, the remains being carried to Smyrna on the noon train for interment, which was made in Glenwood cemetery, Rev. V. S. Collins officiating. Beside his children, those who attended the funeral from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jefferson, Mr. and Mrs. James Jefferson, Chester town; Mr. and Mrs. William Green, Centerville; Mr. and Mrs. William Baxter, Kennedyville; Gilbert Jones and Clifton Collins, Wilmington.

CONDITIONS WORSE.
Coal Becoming Daily More Scarce Throughout the County.

The coal famine in Kent county is daily becoming more serious. The supply in Chester town is of course daily becoming more limited but as yet no serious inconvenience has been experienced. So far the canneries have an abundant stock of coal to run them, and it is expected that their supply will carry them through the season.

A gentleman from Galea on Tuesday reported that the village was practically without any coal and persons were compelled to make provisions for wood and any other substitute for coal which could be gotten. He also stated that the canneries at Lambson's had scarcely enough soft coal to run it for two days, with no place to draw on for a supply.

Millington also finds itself confronted by the same embarrassing conditions. A number of gentlemen about ten days ago bought a small cargo of 20 tons from St. Michaels at \$8.75. The coal was brought up by vesal and landed at Kirby's Landing.

*A Worton Gentleman slept in his spectacles last week and arose in the morning and looked for his glasses.

MR. HARRIS LOSES AN ARM.

Mr. James S. Harris Had an Arm Taken Off on Monday.

The many friends of Mr. James S. Harris will regret to learn that the surgeons at the hospital where he had been under treatment for several months past, have thought it necessary to amputate his arm. Mr. Harris when in town about two weeks ago was hopeful that the trouble on his wrist was in more favorable condition and was encouraged to think that recovery, though possibly a little slow, would be none the less sure.

He went to the hospital on Thursday of last week expecting a slight operation to be performed, but Dr. Winslow decided that it was necessary to cut out a large portion of affected bone at the wrist. This destroyed all action of the wrist but left perfect action and control of the fingers. By this operation it was hoped to save the hand and the arm without further cutting, but the place refused to heal and it was decided that another operation was absolutely necessary. On Sunday Mrs. Harris was telegraphed for and on Monday the arm was taken off just below the elbow.

The patient stood the operation splendidly and at last reports his speedy recovery was confidently looked forward to. Mr. Harris is one of the most widely known and representative citizens of the county, and hosts of friends will hear of his misfortune with most profound regret.

The trouble dates back to several years ago when Mr. Harris fell striking his wrist a severe blow at the point where the trouble later developed.

PHILIP REED MEMORIALS.

The Grave Stone and Battle Marker Both in Place and Ready for Unveiling.

The British Commanded by SIR PETER PARKER, Baronet, and the Americans Commanded by COL. PHILIP REED, Met in Engagement on this Field August 31st, 1864.

The British were Defeated and Sir Peter Parker Killed. Erected A. D. 1902, BY MARYLANDERS, To Commemorate the Patriotism and Fortitude of the Victor and Vanquished.

The above is the inscription on the granite marker which was placed on Caulk's Field on Saturday last, 26th September. It was brought from Baltimore on the Emma Giles. This massive stone of two tons and a half in weight had been loaded on a heavy truck in the city, and in that way was put on board.

Three strong horses to haul it and five experienced men to set it accompanied the stone. By two o'clock it was in its place on a solid brick foundation, and now stands awaiting the unveiling, on a day yet to be determined. Captain Columbus A. Leary turned the first sod in the digging for the foundation.

Col. Wm. M. Marine will be the orator on the occasion of the unveiling. He will show clearly and eloquently that the victory on Caulk's Field was of the first importance in every way. The proceedings on that day are expected to be of unusual interest; we trust that a large number of our county citizens will be present in honor of General Philip Reed and of his gallant soldiers.

A list of the names of all who donated money to the Caulk's Field monument and to the I. U. memorial at the grave of General Philip Reed, was built in the foundation of the battle-marker.

The slab of Guilford granite was placed over the grave of Gen. Philip Reed, in I. U. churchyard, on Tuesday of last week, and is now ready for the unveiling ceremony which will take place at 3.30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, October 5. Bishop William Forbes Adams, of the Diocese of Easton, will solemnly dedicate the slab.

The memorial is a slab of Guilford granite, six feet long, three feet wide and one foot thick. On its polished surface is the following inscription:

GEN. PHILIP REED,
a Soldier of the Revolution
and the War of 1812,
Hero of
CAULK'S FIELD,
United States Senator
and Member of the
House of Representatives,
Born 1776, Died 1829.

Property Sold Well.—Auctioneer Greenwood secured big prices for the personal property of Mr. William Lusby, on Monday. Horses sold for from \$50 to over \$100, cows from \$30 to \$44, hogs at an average of 7 cents per pound on the hoof, fat shoats at 7 and 7 1/2 cents per pound, and farming implements and household goods all sold at highly satisfactory prices. There was "a swarm present," says Auctioneer Greenwood. Advertiser in the TRANSCRIPT—see.