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CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1902.

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

DEWEY PARK.

LAST DANCE

OF THE SEASON.

ON NOVEMBER 19th.

SHALLCROSS & MASSEY.

THE Second National Bank

of Chestertown, Md.

Capital, Surplus and Liabilities of Stockholders, \$120,000.

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.

Officers:

J. A. PEARCE, President
W. B. COPPER, Cashier.
E. F. PERKINS, Teller.
H. T. DEAYER, Book-keeper.

Directors:

JAMES A. PEARCE, Chestertown, Md.
W. W. HUBBARD, " "
GARRETT FOXWELL, Blacks.
ADAM F. HUEY, Massey.
H. H. BARROLL, Chestertown.
D. T. HURLOCK, Church Hill.
T. B. DUNDING, Rock Hill.
H. W. VICKERS, Chestertown.
W. B. COPPER, "

OLDEST. STRONGEST.

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

Capital 60,000. Surplus 30,000

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,
Franklin H. Harper, James W. Chapman,
Edwin S. Vallant.

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

TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are warned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise on the premises of the following, without the written consent of owner or tenant:

S. R. HURLOCK,
HENRY SMITH,
H. H. KLINEFELTER,
JOHN A. HENDRIX,
CAPT. PENN JESTER,
H. P. SKIPPER,
JOHN F. COPPER,
W. T. WRIGHT,
JAMES T. ANTHONY,
WILLIAM BENTON,
W. H. FIELDS, JR.,
C. F. WALKER,
ALBERT STORY,
DANIEL MCKEE,
E. H. KLINEFELTER,
SAMUEL L. WRIGHT,
JOHN C. SMITH,
JOHN G. SCHAUER,
ARCHEY FIELDS,
DANIEL POTTS,
HARRY M. McELWEE,
T. J. BLACKISTON,
W. IRVING WALKER.

CAUTION TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are forewarned against trespassing with dog or gun on the premises of the undersigned:

W. D. SHINN,
J. BIDDLE HOSSINGER,
JESSE R. COPPER,
W. H. BONWILL,
E. W. HERRON,
G. L. HARRIS,
T. A. GODWIN,
CLARENCE SCOTTEN,
SMITH BURKS,
JOHN PARROTT,
WM. H. WHITELY,
GEORGE HOLTON,
LEONARD TURNER,
THOMAS REDMILE.

CLOTHES

Make the Man.

ONLY so far as appearance goes, but appearances in the present day mean much. A man dressed tastefully in well-fitting and stylish suits feels a peculiar consciousness of pride within him that is pleasing and elevating.

Let Us MAKE YOUR SUIT or Overcoat

this winter. You will be well-fitted, consequently pleased.

A BEAUTIFUL ARRAY OF LATEST FABRICS TO SELECT FROM.

Dyeing, Cleaning and Pressing!

Alterations of Every Description Made.

John R. Rollison,
Ladies' and Gent's Tailor,
Chestertown, Md.
Second Door Below Savings Bank.

THE Kent County Savings

BANK

WILL PAY

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,

WILLIAM F. RUSSELL,

President.

Cashier.

To Our Patrons.

Having been disappointed in getting the work done on the steamer "Sassafras" we are obliged to do the next best thing, and as winter weather will soon be here, and not being able to get the "Sassafras" before the first of December, we will run the steamer "Susquehanna" until the steamer "Sassafras" is finished.

Beginning Tuesday, November 18th, the steamer "Susquehanna" will leave Baltimore at 2:30 p. m., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, Gale's, Betterton and Sassafras River Landings; but owing to the draft of water of this steamer we cannot go to Buck Neck Wharf, consequently will be obliged to cut this wharf out until the steamer "Sassafras" is ready.

We therefore, request you to travel with us and ship your freight from Gale's wharf or Tolchester. Steamer will leave Gale's wharf Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 3:00 a. m. and Tolchester, weekdays, except Saturdays, at 10:15 a. m. Saturday the steamer "Emma Giles" leaves Tolchester at 9:00 a. m., and 4:30 p. m., leaving Baltimore for Tolchester, weekdays, at 2:30 p. m.

We trust our patrons will bear with us, and we regret very much being compelled to leave out Buck Neck, but this is the best we can do; and we take this method of informing you, so that you may be posted on Gale's Wharf and Tolchester, for freight and passengers.

Yours truly,

The Tolchester Company,

Wm. C. Ellison,

President.

TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.

I have trust funds to Loan on Mortgages at 5 1/2 per cent. \$500, \$1000, \$1500, \$2000, \$2500, \$3000, \$4000, \$5000 and \$10,000. Some of these sums can be placed for 5 years HOPE H. BARRILL, Attorney at Law, Chestertown, Md.

BALED HAY FOR SALE

I keep BALED HAY constantly on hand for sale at Lambson's Station.

L. R. VANSANT.

POCKET BOOK LOST.

The undersigned lost on Monday afternoon, on the public road between Still Pond and the gate of J. L. Crouch, near Kennelville, a LEATHER ALLEGAT-POCKET BOOK. A suitable reward will be given any who returns the pocket book at the post office, Kennelville.

Mrs. J. L. CROUCH.

TOWN TAXES.

Corporation taxes for 1902 are due and prompt settlement is requested. All taxes not paid by January 1, 1903, interest will be charged from September 1, 1902. M. WILBER THOMAS, Collector.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers with dog, gun or otherwise, on the farms tenanted by Mr. R. Bonwill, Mr. F. H. Meeks and Mr. A. Hickman, will be dealt with according to the fullest provisions of the law. No favors or exceptions will be made. Mrs. J. J. ROBINSON, Mrs. M. G. JANVIER, and Mrs. L. S. MURRAY.

WOOD WANTED

The undersigned wants a quantity of wood. For further particulars apply to or address WILLIAM S. CULP, Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE.

FAIRM OF 25 ACRES, near Bridgetown, and 4 miles from Greenboro, Md. Good trucking land. Usual out-buildings. Cheap to cash purchaser. Apply to H. H. BROWN, JR., CENTREVILLE, MD.

NOTICE TO GUNNERS.

Notice is hereby given that no trespassing with dog or gun will be allowed on the farm of the undersigned. All violations of this notice will be dealt with according to the law. F. X. KRAFT.

LADIES.

If your Sewing Machine is not working well send me a postal card and I will call. All makes of Sewing Machines repaired, and work guaranteed. Have been connected with the Singer Manufacturing Company 16 years and will treat you right. A. H. SUPLEE, Manager, Betterton, Md.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby warned not to trespass with dog or gun or otherwise upon the premises of the undersigned, under penalty of a strict enforcement of the law. H. P. MASSEY, H. B. MASSEY, JAMES SHELTON.

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

All persons are hereby forewarned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon the lands or shores of the undersigned. J. THOMAS QUIGLEY, JOHN REDMILES, JOHN MCGUGAN.

CAUTION NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

All Persons are hereby warned not to trespass on the farm adjacent to Chestertown, or on the shores thereof with dog, gun or otherwise. The law will be strictly enforced against all trespassers.

All persons are likewise warned not to trespass with dog, gun or otherwise upon the farms tenanted by W. R. Kendall, near Landford; Vincent Lee, near Fairlee; Philip Myers, near Turner's Creek, nor J. Leonard Price, near Kennedyville, unless they have the permission of the tenants to do so. HOPE H. BARRILL.

MONDAY, MONDAY, MONDAY,

Nov. 17, Nov. 17.

Eggs, Eggs

WANTED.

26c. Doz., 26c. Doz., 26c. Doz.

Count your gain with those that have lost by selling elsewhere. Fresh Currants, Raisins, Citron and Heinz Mince Meat.

WESTCOTT & DODD.

A PRETTY CHURCH.

Lynch's Church Will be Dedicated so Soon as Pews Arrive.

The citizens of Lynch's and vicinity are justly proud of their beautiful new church. A writer from Lynch's makes the following pleasant reference to the pretty new structure and the friends who have made its dedication possible:

"This beautiful new edifice is a thing of beauty and we hope will be a joy forever, as it reflects much credit to the men who built it, and the pastor and people who planned it, and also to their friends all over the county and out of it who have so generously helped them. Also to the Kent Mutual Insurance Company, of Chestertown, Mr. Thos. W. Ellison, president, who so honestly and quickly responded and paid every dollar at once enabling them to go to work so soon, so as to get it finished before cold weather set in. It will be finished as soon as the seats arrive and we hope that Sunday, the 16th of this month, will be dedication day of the prettiest church in this fair county, none excepted. It is much larger than the other one and is of gothic style of architecture. It has 13 cathedral stained glass windows and transoms over front door of same; has ceiling of polished hard wood; a room in rear for pastor to enter by a side door, to leave wraps, etc.; it has also an inclined floor for those sitting back to see over the ladies' big hats; has vestibule, and lower fifty-five feet high where a handsome and sweet sounding bell is swinging and has already sent joy to the noble band here by ringing for the first time two weeks or more ago, telling us we had a church once more. One lady, who said she did not intend to give one cent to help build it, as she wanted it to be built exactly on the old site, and they would not do it, but built nearer the road, said when she heard the bell ringing for the first time, it gladdened her heart. She broke down and says no one shall give more than she. Come friends and help dedication day."

ON THE WATER-FRONT.

Personals and News Items of Interest.

A "count" diamond back terrapin was caught by a Chestertown fisherman on Wednesday.

Dr. D. L. Greenfield, Dr. C. W. Whaland, Mr. John Dwyer and Mr. Lamb have made some fine catches of fish from Chester bridge this week.

No one knows when the work will commence on the new draw of Chester bridge. Certainly just in time to subject the traveling public to the inconvenience and discomfort of ferrying across Chester river during the cold and blustery fall weather. A forfeiture should be a condition of every contract in which the people's interests are involved.

Capt. Samuel Copper, of the steamer Emma Ford, took a day off and went rabbit hunting on Monday. It was only "ordinary luck" but Captain Copper bagged eight fine rabbits, leading the best shots of the party. He never fails to get what he goes "gunning after."

Capt. James E. Taylor, of the Chester River Steamboat Company, spent Monday and Tuesday in Kent on a pleasant tour of inspection. Mr. Taylor is always affable and pleasant, and these annual visits are looked forward to with anticipations of pleasure by his wide circle of business and social friends.

Capt. William Taylor, one of the most nifty and at the same time one of the safest captains sailing out of the Port of Baltimore, is on the Emma Ford while Capt. McConner remains at the Baltimore end of the line.

The good ship Queen Caroline has not as yet accepted the offer of "money to pipe-stems" that she cannot beat the Emma A. Ford in a run from the Lazaretto Light to Love Point.

Chief Engineer Benner, of the Emma Ford is now on the B. S. Ford, in place of Engineer Bush, who is quite sick.

Purchasing Agent Fryer, of the Emma Ford is enjoying a trip south. Purser McKee, of the flag-ship Corsica, is acting in Mr. Fryer's place.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A FINE OUTFIT.

Mr. John N. Dodd has just received his adults hearse from the shop, where it has been repainted by that artist in that line, Mr. Wm. H. Blakeney, and had it thoroughly overhauled throughout, having all the platework about it silver-plated, new curtains and fringe, and large handsome new silver plated lamps added. In fact, it looks entirely new, just from the factory. With this improvement and the addition of his new undertaker's wagon, handsome black horses and heavy nickel-plated harness, he prides himself on being fully competent of showing as handsome funeral outfits as can be seen in the State. He is an up-to-date funeral director in all respects.

OBITUARY.

Sudden Death of Mr. Willson on Sunday.

WILFRED MANNING WILLSON.

Mr. Wilfred Manning Willson, a prominent farmer of Eastern Neck, died very suddenly of heart failure on Sunday morning, November 9th, 1902, at his home, Overton. Dr. W. O. Selby was called in immediately, but his efforts proved unavailing, as life had passed away. Mr. Willson was the third son of the late Richard Bennett Willson and Anne Martha Young, and was in the fifty-sixth year of his age. He leaves a wife, Anna Maria Smythe Willson, and four children, three sons, Charles Bennett, Notley Oswald and John Charles, and one daughter, Bessie Brooke. The funeral services were held at St. John's Roman Catholic Church, Rock Hall, and were conducted by the Rev. Father McNamee, pastor of the church. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Valentine, a Missionary Priest. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church.

The pall-bearers were: Richard Bennett, Peter C. Notley O., Paul A. Willson; brothers of the deceased, and A. Carroll Willson and J. Walter Sutton. Mr. Willson belonged to one of the oldest and most highly respected families of Maryland, and was widely and favorably known. He was noted for his hospitality and genial manner, and was generous hearted to a fault: always ready and willing to favor any who came within his reach. He will be greatly missed by his friends and acquaintances, and the community at large.

MRS. DORA MARTIN.

Mrs. Dora Martin died at 1:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning, in Philadelphia, after a long and painful illness. The remains will be taken to Baltimore this morning for interment in Greenmount cemetery. Mrs. Martin was a sister of Mrs. H. B. Martin, who for months past had been constantly at her bedside.

WILLIAM BASIN GALE.

William Basin Gale, a representative citizen of Kent, died of Bright's disease at the home of Mr. George W. Hatcherson, High street, Chestertown, at 7 o'clock on Tuesday night. Mr. Gale had been a great sufferer for months. He was born on September 2, 1858.

A wife, Miss Annie S. Stephens before marriage, and three children, survive him. The deceased was a brother of Mr. John Gale and a half-brother to Mr. Thomas Gale. Funeral services took place at the home of Mr. Hatcherson on Thursday, Rev. E. C. Makosky and Dr. D. L. Greenfield officiating. The bearers were: Joseph R. Usilton, L. J. Usilton, W. W. Hubbard, E. R. Beck, W. J. Sappington and R. W. Barnett.

Mr. Gale was a member of Our Flag Council No. 107, Jr. O. U. A. M. in Baltimore, and Mr. Sappington and Mr. Barnett represented the Chestertown Council. John N. Dodd had charge of funeral arrangements.

THE POETICAL EDITOR.

The Autumnal Bard in Chestertown this Week.

One of the TRANSCRIPT's poetical friends strayed into our office this week and asked for the poetical editor. "He's out," shouted the devil. "He should stay in," said the visitor; seating himself in the editor's chair, and opening a bag he took out of it one hundred and thirty-nine so called poems and patiently awaited our return. "I want this printed," he said, "including us one. We read it remarking, 'the good old man, it shall appear.' So there it is?"

"Where's Parson Denroche, now, Lewis? Will he from moments' desire; Or cease the Captain to inspire With flame from his celestial fire?"

"Now, sir," said the poet, "I want the entire first page of your paper to be brilliant. Please insert all these," pointing to the batch of poems. We told him our space was sold and we should not do it, whereupon he got up, and disappearing through the door, crumpled between his fingers a sheet of paper and threw it at us. We found the following effusion upon it:

"Throughout the days which yet shall come, Let there be heard the roll of drum, Rousing old Kent's proud battle soul, Where thunders deep are heard to roll. Throughout all time naught shall impede For her command a new-born Reed. Let another Denroche move on To lift the stone and lay the slab, And flood the field with latest gab."

We showed the foregoing to the devil, who says "if he were 'we'uns' he'd publish it." We have taken the devil's advice for this once only.

**Mr. John S. Owens, proprietor of the Chesapeake House, Betterton, had his foot painfully injured on Monday by being caught in the machinery of his gasoline launch.

THE MISTLETOE BOUGH.

Those Who Will Take Part in the Delightful Entertainment.

The dress rehearsal in the entertainment being arranged by the Dorcas Society for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, will take place on Monday evening, with Prof. Gardner present.

The splendid charity work of the Dorcas dates back more than a hundred years. During this long period its efforts to alleviate suffering and help the needy have been constant and wide spread.

The cast for this beautiful pantomime—"The Mistletoe Bough," will be as follows:

Lady Geneva—The Bride. Miss Maude Ringgold. Bridesmaids. Misses Anna Smith and Sallie Beck. Flower Girls. Dorothy Vickers, Katharine Hopper, Louise Russell, Helen Russell. Barones—Mother of the Bride. Miss Addie France. Maids of Honor to the Barones. Miss Josephine Wickes, Mrs. James Beck. Housekeeper. Mrs. Paul Turner. Housemaid. Miss Amy Shaw.

WEDDING GUESTS.

Miss Minnie Massey, Miss Helen Carter, Miss Mary Fleming, Miss Burtie Burchinal. Dancers in Sir Roger de Coverly and the Minuet.

Miss Maude Ringgold, Mr. Henry Deaver. Miss Isabelle Beck, Mr. Tom Massey. Miss Grace Whaland, Mr. Geo. Brice. Miss Jennie Hines, Mr. Arthur Bradley. Miss Amy Shaw, Mr. Wilbur Elison. Miss Hallie Westcott, Mr. Sam'l Greenwood. Lord Lovel, the Groom. Mr. Henry Deaver. The Baron. Mr. Edward J. Clarke. The Steward. Dr. Charles P. Gilpin. Man Servant. Mr. Sam'l Greenwood.

THE MAY POLE.

May Queen. Miss Louise Stam. Maids of Honor. Misses Betty Pattison, Genevieve Dixon, Carrie Wright, Florence Beck.

DANCERS.

Glady Aldridge, Miriam Hubbard, Helen Urie, Nona Vallant, Mary Miller, Carrie Wright.

Mr. George A. Gardner, who is directing the rehearsals for the production of "The Mistletoe Bough," is a veteran in the theatrical business. Mr. Gardner began his stage career at the holiday Street Theatre in Baltimore in 1860, and continued there until 1871. He was a stage manager for Edwin Booth on his tour through the South in 1876. His first appearance in Frederick was with the Kenilworth Club, of Baltimore, when they played "The Pirates of Penzance" in 1886.

It is probable that Mr. Gardner has instructed more amateurs than any man in the country. He has managed the Kenilworth Club, of Baltimore, for ten years, the Paint and Powder Club the Incoquois Club, and the Evergreen Shakespearean Club, of Baltimore. He has directed the Hagerstown Operatic Association for a number of years and was with that organization when it produced "The Gondoliers" last December. He has directed in Frederick "Enoch Arden," "Kathleen Mavourneen," "Young Mrs. Winthrop" and "Esmeralda." He has also done much work in Staunton, Norfolk and Roanoke, Va.

TOMATO CONTRACTS.

A Contractor Says the System Will be Changed for Next Year.

The tomato season just closed will probably be the last year under the old system of contracting between the grower and packer.

A prominent canner said some days ago that entirely new conditions will be incorporated in the agreements of next season. "In the first place," he said, "the heretofore unknown feature of requiring both landlord and tenant to sign all tomato growing contracts will be insisted upon." Other innovations he insisted will be in next year's agreements.

A number of packers on the peninsula have expressed themselves as considering that it will be safe for them to make no contracts whatever with the growers and risk getting their supply from sources that are most suitable, paying the prevailing market price at the time of purchase. This plan would appear to be fair to all parties concerned, and within itself would surely bring the purchaser closer within the range of actual value, while the grower would have the same chances.

In some sections of the tomato-growing belt of the Eastern Shore a number of large growers have provided themselves with small canning outfits with which they pack their own product. This has proved profitable and each year will likely witness an increased number of these individual enterprises.

Mr. Toulson's Purchase.

Mr. Milbourne A. Toulson, the Chestertown druggist, has purchased of Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., trustee of the late Thomas Stockton Wickes, the brick store building on High street in which Wickes & Brother for so many years conducted business. Mr. Thomas Stockton Wickes occupied the property until the time of his death. The price paid is \$2,210. This property is in the centre of Chestertown and is one of the oldest and best business stands in the business district.