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CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1902.

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

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 De-
posits when left on deposit two
calendar months.

We shall treat all our Sav-
ings 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, accu-
racy, liberality and courtesy.

We solicit your account.

Officers:

J. A. PEARCE, President.
W. B. COPPER, Cashier.
S. F. PERKINS, Teller.
H. T. DEVER, Bookkeeper.

Directors:

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

OLDEST. STRONGEST.

HON. CHAS. T. WESTCOTT, 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 de-
posit 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. Valliant.

Assets to Secure Depositors.

Capital paid in.....\$60,000
Liability of sharehold-
ers..... 60,000
Surplus..... 12,000
Undivided Profits..... 20,070
Total of.....\$152,070

GETTOLUSING

Toulson's Sarsaparilla,
PRICE 75 Cents Per BOTTLE.

—FOR SALE AT—

Toulson's Drug Store.

STAM DRUG CO.'S FALL Announcement!

We have on hand
BLACK PEPPER,
RED PEPPER,
SALTPETRE and SAGE.
All at best prices.

THE STAM DRUG CO., CHESTERTOWN, MD.

CLOTHES Make the Man.

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

Let Us MAKE YOUR SUIT or Overcoat

this winter. You will be well-fitted, conse-
quently 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 De-
posits 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 in-
terest on deposits.

We invite the banking pub-
lic to call on us or write to us.
Respectfully,

JOHN K. ALDRIDGE,
President.
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL,
Cashier.

TOWN IMPROVEMENT MEETING.

The members of the Town Improvement
Association are requested to meet at the
residence of Mrs. Hope H. Barroll, at 2:30
o'clock on Monday afternoon. A full atten-
dance is requested as business of importance
will be discussed.

DOG LOST.

A POINTER DOG with
black body and black and white
speckled breast and legs. Answers to the
name of Dixie. Last seen at Washington
College, on November 17. A suitable reward will
be paid for information leading to his recovery.
B. B. BUELL,
Chestertown, Md.

GUERNSEY HEIF.

I have 10 FINE GUERNSEY HEIFERS
for sale. They are from one to two years old,
and some are with calf by thoroughbred
Guernsey bull. These heifers are all out of
choice cows. I also have a 9-months-old
Guernsey Bull calf. Can be
seen at my place near Chestertown at any
time.
WALTER T. MORRIS,
Chestertown, Md.

ESTRAY.

Estrayed from the McCauley
Farm on or about October 1, 1902, One FAT
ROAN YEARLING HEIFER. Was last seen
in the neighborhood of Dr. Black's farm, near
Locust Grove. Any information will be
thanking received.
JAS. L. CALDWELL.

ROSE HILL NURSERY.

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Certificate of Nursery Inspection, No. 37.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that on the 10, 11
and 12 days of November, 1902, we examined
the Nursery Stock of John Bell growing in
his nursery at Chestertown, county of Kent,
State of Maryland, in accordance with the
laws of Maryland, 1888, Chapter 282, Section
38, and that said nursery and premises are
apparently free, so far as can be determined
by inspection, from the San Jose Scale, Peach
Yellows, Pear Blight and other dangerous
infectious insect pests and plant diseases.
This certificate is invalid after August 1, 1903,
and does not include nursery stock not grown
within this State, unless such stock is pre-
viously covered by certificate and State Pathol-
ogist.
A. L. QUAINANCE,
State Entomologist.
J. B. S. NORTON,
State Pathologist.

TO LOAN ON

MORTGAGES.

I have trust funds to loan on Mortgages
at 5% 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,
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 after-
noon, on the public road between Still Pond
and the gate of J. L. Crouch, near Kennedy-
ville, a LAUREL ALLEGAT R. POCKET
BOOK. A suitable reward will be given any
one who returns the pocket book at the post
office, Kennedyville.
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 trespas-
sers with dog, gun or otherwise, on the farms
tenanted by Mr. B. Bonnell, near P. H. Meeks
and Mr. A. Hickman, will be dealt with ac-
cording to the fullest provisions of the law.
No favors or exceptions will be made.
Mrs. F. J. ROBINSON,
Mrs. M. G. JANVIER,
and W. L. S. MURRAY.

WOOD WANTED.

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

LADIES.

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

FOR SALE.

FARM OF 205 ACRES, near Bridgetown,
and 4 miles from Greenboro, Md. Good
trucking land. Usual out-buildings. Cheap
to cash purchaser. Apply to
HILL'S R. E. OFFICES,
Baltimore, Md., or to
E. H. BROWN, Jr.,
Centerville, Md.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are warned against trespas-
sing with dog, gun or otherwise on the pre-
mises of the following, without the written
consent of owner or tenant:
HENRY SMITH,
H. H. KLINEFELTER,
JOHN C. HENRY,
CAPT. PENN JESTER,
H. P. SKIPP,
JOHN E. COOPER,
W. T. WRIGHT,
JAMES T. ANDERSON,
W. H. FIELDS, JR.,
C. E. WALKER,
ALBERT STORY,
DANIEL MCKEE,
E. H. KLINEFELTER,
SAMUEL L. WRIGHT,
JOHN C. SMITH,
JOHN G. SCHAEFER,
ARCHIE FIELDS,
DANIEL POTTS,
HARRY M. McELWEE,
T. J. BLACKSTON,
W. IRVING WALKER.

YORK STATE CALVES FOR SALE.

The undersigned will sell at
private sale
56 Head York State Calves
These calves have been carefully se-
lected and are fine stock.
JOHN H. CLENDANIEL,
Kennedyville, Md.

AUTUMN DANCE.

A Gala Time at Betterton-on-the-Bay.

The Still Pond gentlemen gave their
annual autumn dance at the Chesapeake
House, Betterton, on Friday night. It
was a delightful social event, no detail
being overlooked to make the occasion
a pleasant one. An unusually large
number of people from a distance added
charm to the gathering. Prof. Godwin's
orchestra were in good trim and fur-
nished excellent music. Society from
nearly every section of the county was
well represented, probably a hundred
persons being in attendance. Dancing
began about nine o'clock and continued
until after three a. m. Lunch was
served at midnight. The patronesses were:
Mrs. Mary Nicols, Mrs. Harry Davis,
Mrs. J. B. Hossinger, Mrs. Harry Der-
ringer and Mrs. William Wallis. Floor
Committee—Walter Davis, L. Harris,
Crewe, William Hepburn and John B.
Parrott.

Among others present were: Misses
Rebecca, Alice, Mattie and Edith Hep-
burn, Mattie and Emma Davis, May
Pennington, Jessie Crewe, Bessie Nicols,
Mrs. Alexander Kenned, Lizzie
Pennington, Mamie Kennedy, Lula
Crow, Edna Strong, Bertie Beck,
May Morgan, Susie Sutton, Sue Edson,
Daisy McCauley, Mabel Comegys, Mr.
and Mrs. H. C. Deringer, Mr. and Mrs.
Albie Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. John Cle-
ndaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Biddle Hossinger,
Evelyn McCollister, Church Hill; Messrs.
Bryan and Sparks, Centerville; Miss
Davis, New York; Miss Grimes, Ken-
tucky; Miss Turner, Texas; Mr. Smith,
College Park; Messrs. Crouch and Brady,
Middletown; John Toulson, Ambrose
Carroll, Sam Greenwood, Chestertown;
Wm. Maslin, Page and Elwood Strong,
Maxwell Starkey, Howard Turner, Wm.
Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bonnell, Bertie
Miller, George and Howard Parrott,
Hynson and Scott Beck, W. D. Pen-
nington, Max Price, Mrs. John Owens,
Harry Hendrickson, Miss May Beaton,
and Miss Mamie Jones, of Cecil county;
Stanley Matthews, Franklin Cauley, of
Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Price,
Mrs. Harry Nicols, Wm. and Edward
Hepburn, Edmond Hurt, Raymond
Walbert, Harry Nicols, Godfrey West-
cott, Edward Wallis, E. B. Pennington,
Jr., George Biddle, Lou Alrich and
others.

ACCIDENT TO STEAMER EMMA GILES.

Capt. Eliason Has Met the Situation by
Arranging the Best Possible Schedule
for the Public.

An accident to the steamer Emma
Giles, the fine passenger steamer of the
Tolchester Company's fleet, was a most
unfortunate occurrence at this season of
the year. It to some extent disarranged
the highly satisfactory schedule of the
Tolchester Company's steamers, but
Capt. Eliason has in great measure over-
come the temporary interference with the
schedules by arranging the trips of
his steamers upon a most satisfactory
schedule. This schedule, which went
into effect yesterday, will be found
into-day's issue.

Capt. Eliason is to be congratulated
upon his eminent success in meeting a
perplexing situation. The accident to
the Giles occurred during her regular
trip to Annapolis. The vessel was about
two miles below Seven Foot Knoll when
the connecting rod of about 3 1/2 inch
steel, between the after end of the walk-
ing beam and the shaft of the side wheel,
suddenly broke in two. As this took
the pressure from the engine the four-
inch piston-rod raced upward and then
downward, smashing the head of the
37-inch cylinder into scrap iron, bending
the four-inch piston-rod nearly a foot
out of line, breaking the crosshead and
the steel links connecting the crosshead
and walking-beam six inches out of line.

A shower of pieces of steel, glass and
wood rained down on Engineer Calvin
Hudson, who immediately shut off steam,
while a cloud of it shot upward from the
cylinder. The noise of the crash fright-
ened the passengers, but Capt. John T.
Harrison soon had them reassured. The
damage will amount to about \$1,200.
President Eliason said on Thursday that
the steamer will probably be back in ser-
vice much sooner than was at first
thought.

Beat These Beets.—Mr. William
Ford, of the Almshouse Farm, challenges
the county to beat his beets. Mr. Robert
Moffett has left at the TRANSCRIPT
office two monster table beets which it
were safe to claim are prize-winners.
They are the same varieties as those
which Mr. Ford and Mr. Moffett have
been using on their tables all summer.

The long one measures, without the
small roots, 24 inches in length and
17 1/2 inches in circumference and weighs
13 pounds. Beet No. 2, known as the
turnip beet, weighs 10 pounds and is 35 1/2
inches in circumference. Now the man
who beats these beets is truly a beater
of beets.

A BRILLIANT SUCCESS.

For Elaborateness and Beauty, as well
as for the Professional Character
of its Rendition the Mistletoe Bough
Stands at the Head of Chestertown
Entertainments—Large Audiences
and Splendid Results.

By general consent The Mistletoe
Bough, the entertainment under the aus-
pices of the Dorcas Society, at Stam's
Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday even-
ings, and the supper and sale on Thurs-
day evening, were delightfully success-
ful. Financially the results are most
gratifying to those having the matter in
charge, while socially the events of the
present week will long be remembered
as charming incidents of the season's
pleasures. About \$600 were the gross
receipts which will leave, it is thought,
about \$400 in the Dorcas treasury.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL CON- CERNED.

When the curtain rose on the bridal
festivities on the first evening only a few
seats in the hall were unoccupied. The
first scene was as picturesque as it was
beautiful, and was given a reception by
the audience which at once assured the
fullest sympathy with the spirit of the
series of elaborate and brilliant panto-
mines which constituted the evening's
entertainment.

CAST.

Lady Geneva—The bride: Miss Maude Ring-
gold.
Bridesmaids: Misses Anna Smith and Sallie
Beck.
Flower Girls: Dorothy Vickers, Katharine
Hopper, Louise Russell, Helen Russell.
Baroness—Mother of the bride, Miss Addie
France.
Maids of honor to the baroness: Miss Jos-
ephine Wickes, Mrs. James G. Beck.
Housekeeper, Mrs. Paul Turner.
Housemaid, Miss Amy Shaw.
Wedding guests: Miss Minnie Massey, Mi-
ss Burtie Burdinal,
Dancers in Sir Roger de Coverly and the Min-
net: Miss Maude Ringgold, Miss Isabelle
Beck, Miss Grace Whaland, Miss Jennie
Hines, Miss Amy Shaw, Miss Hallie West-
cott, Mr. Henry Deaver, Mr. Tom Massey,
Mr. Geo. Brice, Mr. Arthur Bradley, Mr.
Dixon, Elison, Mr. Samuel Greenwood.
Lord Lovell, the Groom—Mr. Henry Deaver
The Baron—Mr. Edward J. Clarke
The Steward—Dr. Charles P. Gilpin
Man Servant—Mr. Samuel Greenwood
May Queen—Miss Louise Stain
Maids of Honor—Miss Louise Stain
Dixson, Carrie Wright, Florence Beck.
The May Pole Dancers: Caroline Hynson,
Elizabeth Connelly, Helen Urie, Ethel
Price, Miriam Hubbard, Mary Miller,
Gladys Aldridge, Nera Valliant, Carrie
Wright.

The first glimpse of the most charming
and elaborate stage effects ever seen
here, was the celebration of the Christ-
mas and wedding festivities at the
baronial hall, where the baron, baroness
and wedding guests were assembled
awaiting the arrival of the bridal party.
During the interval the guests indulged
in the most rollicksome of old English
dances, Sir Roger de Coverly.

At the first strains of the wedding
march the guests made way for the en-
trance of the bridal party preceded by
the four dainty little flower girls charm-
ingly dressed in white and carrying
baskets of flowers which they scattered
in the path of Lord Lovell and his bride,
the beautiful Geneva.

The audience
greeted the bridal party at each appear-
ance with bursts of applause, so charming
was the picture presented. The bride's
dress was an exquisite creation of white
satin, en train, elaborately trimmed
with crystals and pearls, and veil caught
by sprays of orange blossoms. The
groom was richly costumed in blue
satin, knicker-bockers, silk stockings and
wig. The bridesmaids, who followed
the bridal couple, were beautifully
gowned in white in the style of the
period.

The baroness was costumed in black
velvet and jet with a garnet velvet man-
tie trimmed in ermine, with a coronet of
jewels, while the baron wore black vel-
vet with gold passanterie. The baron-
ess was assisted by her two maids of
honor, Mrs. James Beck and Miss Jose-
phine Wickes. After drinking the health
of the bride and groom the stately minuet
was danced most beautifully with Lord
Lovell and his bride as the central
figures.

The May pole dance and the village
games formed a picture of unusual beau-
ty. So greatly was this appreciated that
on each evening the entire scene was
encored. It would have been impos-
sible to have gotten anywhere a group of more
beautiful children. The May Queen was
truly a symphony in pink and white, and
was perfect in her part.

In the period of fifty years elapsed between
the fourth and last act. The lovely
Geneva had disappeared, Lord Lovell,
broken hearted and bent beneath the
weight of his great sorrow still lived to
mourn his bride. The contrast between
the mirth and joyousness of the wedding
day and the tragic ending portrayed,
was graphically presented in this act.
Lord Lovell's death was a pathetic cli-
max to the beautiful story of The Mis-
tletoe Bough.

Miss Ringgold as the bride, it might
almost be said, equaled a professional,
and as for Mr. Deaver, it would be almost
impossible to say too much. In his
impersonation of an old man, the real
man was totally forgotten. His fall was
simply perfect, and together, he was
one of the most popular characters on
the stage. Especial mention should be

made of Prof. Clarke, whose part as the
dignified baron was strongly taken.

Mrs. Paul Turner, of Baltimore,
admirably took the part of housekeeper.
Much credit is due Miss Sallie Beck, who
so efficiently assisted Mr. Gardner in
drilling the children in the May pole
dance and village games. Each and
every one merit especial mention were
it not that time and space forbid. It
would, however, be grossly unfair not to
speak of the splendid services of Miss
Olivia Wilkins, Miss Nannie Dixon, and
Mr. R. C. Norris, of Harford county.
The music was continuous from the first
to the last moment of the entertainment,
—music was the very life, the inspiration
of the beautiful story which will for so
long form a delightful memory to all
those who witnessed the pantomime.
Miss Wilkins and Miss Dixon gave un-
grudgingly of their time and their con-
ceded talent to its success and added in a
great degree to its very satisfactory end-
ing. Mr. Norris and his violin were
simply indispensable, and in the future
his talent and his trusty instrument will
be called into requisition by the hosts of
friends who have been drawn to him by
his art.

Miss Hartt, whose splendid talent
was so brightly reflected through the
fine work of her pupils, Miss Wilkins and
Miss Dixon, directed the music and was
faithful to the last moment.

A beautiful solo by Miss Helen Carter,
with violin obligato by Mr. Norris, Miss
Hurtt at the piano, formed a delightful
innovation on Wednesday evening.

The ladies having the entertainment in
charge were extremely fortunate in se-
curing the services of so competent a
manager as Mr. George R. Gardner. Mr.
Gardner was untiring in his efforts to
produce the highly satisfactory results,
and is to be congratulated upon his
success.

Mrs. W. F. Hines, president of the
Dorcas Society, and Mrs. James A. Pearce,
assumed the responsibility of the enter-
tainment, and it was through their untir-
ing efforts that its conspicuous success
was won. The thanks and congratula-
tions of the entire community are due
them for one of the most charming en-
tertainments ever given in Chestertown.

AN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT.

Two Children Burned, It is Feared One of
Them Fatally.

A sad accident occurred at Rock Hall
on Thursday morning between 8 and
9 o'clock, by which it is feared 4-year-
old Benny Durning will lose his life.
The particulars of the accident are that
the little Durning boy, son of Mr.
and Mrs. William Durning, and Preston
Joiner, slightly under 4 years of age, were
playing in an old organ case at Mr.
Joiner's home. Securing a chair to
stand on the boys took from the box a
quantity of old paper and rags, then got
into the box, struck a match and set fire
to the inflammable material around them.

In an instant the flames burst up and
imprisoned the little fellows in a verita-
ble death-trap. It was impossible for
them to escape. A colored woman at
work at Mrs. Joiner's heard the children's
screams and rushed to their rescue, but
it was impossible to reach them. Water
was promptly secured and the horribly
burned children were drenched, after
which they were taken from the almost
fatal box.

At the time of going to press it was
thought that little Benny Durning was
dying. It is expected that the little Joiner
boy, though horribly burned, will re-
cover.

A three horse team belonging to Mr.
Hyon Dillman away from Rock Hall on
Thursday and two of the horses were
badly injured. Mr. Dill's son was driving
the team and it was feared that he would
be seriously hurt.

MARKETING FRUIT.

A Prominent Commission Man Says Kent
Countians are Slow to Learn.

A prominent Baltimore commission
man—a gentleman well and favorably
known in Kent, in conversation with a
representative of the TRANSCRIPT, said
in substance: "Kent county fruit grow-
ers lose thousands of dollars as a result
of their failure to observe up-to-date
methods in gathering and marketing
their fruit. There is just where the
Western Maryland peach and different
fruits from other sections discount the
really fine product of the orchards of
Kent."

He stated that the fruit received from
the Eastern Shore by Baltimore commis-
sion men not only were not properly
culled, but gave evidence of careless
handling in every detail of preparation
for market. While he deplored the fact,
he was outspoken in saying that the
great secret of profitable fruit growing
is a careful handling of the fruit in plac-
ing it on the market, a secret which the
average Kent county fruit grower per-
sistently ignores, granting that he knows
full well the requirements referred to.
There are some notable exceptions to
this statement, and in each and every
one of these exceptions the fruit growers
get good prices and invariably make
handsome profits.

A more careful observance of care
and neatness in detail, he declared to
be the greatest failure of the Kent county
fruit growers as a class.