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THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK

of Chestertown, Md.

The ONLY NATIONAL BANK in Kent County.

Capital	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	45,000.00
Liability of Stockholders	50,000.00
Security to Depositors	$145,000.00

In considering your Banking interests, it might be well to remember the strength and security which the above figures show.

We solicit your banking business, large or small. We treat everyone courteously.

We allow three per cent. interest on deposits kept in the savings department of this bank.

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this bank cashed every savings deposit check on demand. No one—large or small—was required to give us 30 days notice.

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Compare this record with the treatment other banks accord their savings depositors.

THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK

of Chestertown, Maryland.

DAVIS & SATTERFIELD

CROSS STREET.

American Fence

Big car load just arrived. A new style of fence in this car that is on sale for the first time this season. It is to your interest to see it before you buy fencing.

Manure Spreaders

Buy a Corn King Spreader or drop us a card asking us to come and explain its merits. We have testimonials from your neighbors about how the machine will pay you.

Corn Shellers

Any size, from the smallest to the largest.

Horse, Cattle and Poultry Powders

of any kind. Dr. Daniel's Veterinary Remedies. They need no recommendation.

Fire Extinguishers

The kind that will put the fire out. They have been tried. Everybody should have one in the home and place of business.

Farm Wagons

We still build the Celebrated HAND-MADE WAGON. You want to see what we are building before you buy if you want the BEST.

We solicit your patronage,

DAVIS & SATTERFIELD

CROSS STREET,

Chestertown, Maryland.

W. S. & A. M. CULP.

General Contractors & Builders.

For The Erection of all Types of Buildings and Structures.

We will take contracts for the entire construction and equipment from the foundation to the last element of interior finish.

We save you the care and expense involved in the many and various trades concerned in the erection of a building.

We have given this business a life time of thought and study and our knowledge and experience are at your disposal.

We call particular attention to the rapid growth of our business in the last few years.

We are able to furnish all material required in building from our own yard and wood working plant.

Let us have an opportunity to estimate on your building or the smallest item of mill work, lumber, cement and roofing.

Best grades of coal.

Very respectfully,

W. S. & A. M. CULP,

Phone 5. Chestertown, Md.



HALT

WE are holding up the public with tempting prices offered on all remaining winter goods.

Get a hustle on and make your selection before all of the good things are gone. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Yours for business,

J. D. LUCAS.

JAP-A-LAC.

A Varnish and Stain COMBINED



Get a can of Jap-a-lac to-day at our Paint Department, and see for yourself how wonderfully it will rejuvenate an old chair, or in fact any piece of furniture that is badly marred. It comes in 16 colors and has a hundred uses.

Oak, Dark Oak, Walnut, Mahogany, Cherry, Malachite Green, Ox-Blood Red, Brilliant Black, Dead Black, natural, Gloss White, Flat White, Ground, Blue, Gold and Aluminum.

All sizes, from 15c to $2.50.

JOHN BARTLEY,

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

At Our New Store, Brick Building.

W. T. HICKS,

Undertaker & Embalmer.

Having located in the Bordley property on High street in Chestertown, and having served the public in this capacity for twenty years and with an up-to-date equipment, we are prepared to give the public the very best service.

Bodies coming from a distance cared for at a room for that purpose. MY WIFE will act as my assistant when desired.

STEEL AND SLATE VAULTS ON HAND.

Phone 142.

W. T. HICKS,

jan.1-'08-1yr Chestertown, Md.

NEW MEAT MARKET

And Feed Store.



M. J. Lewis & Son have opened a new meat market and Feed Store on Cross street in the Levine store room, where they will be glad to see their many friends. Fifteen years experience. Prompt service. Telephone call. 65-1y.

Subscription to the Transcript $1.00 per annum.

SUPPER.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Christ M. P. Church will hold A COLD SUPPER AND TEA in the store room on High street adjoining the Kent County Savings Bank, next Wednesday evening, Feb. 12th. Oysters will be served with the supper. Supper 35 cents.

FOR SALE.

One pair of young mules, good workers. 1 two-horse spring wagon in good condition. One set of new wagon harness with bridles and collars. This property can be seen on the farm where I live, near Chesterville, at anytime. For particulars apply to

MRS. A. C. JARMAN,

feb8-3t. Chesterville, Md.

NOTICE.

Owing to having received only incomplete lists from some of the districts, the contest will be held open until Feb. 15th. A knife will be given to one boy in each district. See big advertisement for particulars.

feb.8-1t. H. R. GRAHAM & BROTHER.

NOTICE.

"If you wish a public sprayer in your locality, write at once to the State Horticultural Department, College Park, Md."

THOMAS B. SYMONS,

j25-3. State Entomologist.

HAY AND GEESE FOR SALE.

A lot of straight timothy hay and a lot of timothy and clover mixed.

Also a fine lot of thoroughbred Toulouse GANDERS. Reasonable figures.

Apply to

L. HARRIS CREWE,

jan.25-3t. Still Pond, Maryland.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Mr. C. H. Wise, after January 25th, 1908, is no longer connected with the Family Steam Laundry of Chestertown, now located on Cross street, near depot. Mr. William H. McKee will take Mr. Wise's place Mr. McKee is an experienced laundryman and the management asks the public to cooperate with them in maintaining this home industry. This is an industry run entirely by home capital and home people and deserves the encouragement of home people.

Yours respectfully,

WM. J. VANNORT, President;

H. H. KLINEFELTER, Treas..

jan25-3t. S. P. TOWNSHEND, Sec'y.

WANTED—A Young Lady as clerk in laundry.

Apply to S. P. TOWNSHEND.

D. ARTHUR BACCHUS,

LOCAL AGENT FOR

Chase & Sanborn's High Grade Teas and Coffees. None better.

Notice of the Dissolution of Partnership.

The firm of Prettyman & Prettyman, dealers in hardware, etc., in Galena, Md., has been dissolved, A.P. Prettyman having sold out his interest to A. Raymond Prettymond, who will continue the business at the old stand.

A. P. PRETTYMAN,

j12-4t. Galena, Md.

TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES.

I have to loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent. $500, $600, $800, $1000, $1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $7000, $10,000, $18,000 and $20,000, the two latter run at 5 per cent. Some of these sums can be placed for five years. On first-class mortgages where the loan does not exceed three-fifths the value of the farm, a large part of this money can be borrowed at 5 per cent.

HOPE H. BARROLL,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

j4-6t. Chestertown, Md.

HARRISON W. VICKERS, Attorney.

ORDER NISI.

Clara V. Hartzog, et al.,

vs.

Harrison W. Vickers, et al.,

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

No. 1625.

ORDERED, this 5th day of February, 1908, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in Equity, that the sale of the Real Estate mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Harrison W. Vickers, trustee, appointed by a decree of this Court to make said sale be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 11th day of April next—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 18th day of March next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $7,700.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True copy—test:

feb.8-4t. JAMES T. BIXON, Clerk.

H. S. JEWELL,

—DEALER IN—

GRAIN, COAL and LIME,

LYNCH'S, MD.

Cedar Hollow, McCoy, Wrightsville and Barrick's

LAND LIME.

Ground Lime for drilling purposes.

WHITE ASH STOVE AOD NUT COAL.

H. S. JEWELL,

feb.8-y. LYNCH'S, Md.

WM. C. SUTTON,

SANITARY PLUMBING

HUBBARD BUILDING.

Chestertown, Md.

MEAT MARKET

Up Town.

C. W. COPPER, Proprietor.

Always on hand choice cuts of STEAK, ROAST, PORK, LARD, SAUSAGE and anything in the meat line. We buy the best stock and therefore sell the choicest cuts. Give us a trial.

C. W. COPPER,

Uptown Meat Man,

Chestertown, - - Maryland.

OBITUARY.

MR. JAMES S. PATTEN.

Mr. James S. Patten, a former well-known resident of this county, died at the home of his sister, in Claremont, Va. on Sunday, after a long illness of tuberculosis, aged about 40 years. The deceased was for many years engaged in agricultural pursuits in this county, and later was a traveling salesman. Mr. Patten was of an inventive turn of mind, and had invented several appliances in connection with the construction of railroad cars and several other important pieces of machinery. He had traveled extensively, and was possessed of a fund of knowledge which made him an excellent conversationalist. He is survived by a son, Howard Patten, two brothers, Messrs. Maro Patten, of this county and Mr. John Patten, of Florida, and three sisters, Mrs. Jervis, of Philadelphia, Miss Sue Patten, and the sister at whose home he died in Claremont. Funeral services were held on Feb. 3rd, at the residence of his sister in Claremont, Va., and the remains were brought to Chestertown by train on Tuesday and entered in Chester Cemetery. Undertaken Wm. T. Hicks had charge of the funeral arrangements.

FRANCIS BURTON WARREN.

Francis Burton Warren, died at the home of his uncle, Mr. A. P. Emerson, in Betterton, on Tuesday morning, after a lingering illness of consumption, in the 25th year of his age. The deceased was a young man of fine business ability and his early demise is greatly regretted. He was formerly engaged in the mercantile business at Fairlee, where, with Mr. Barclay Kilbourn, under the firm name of Kilbourn & Warren, a prosperous business was conducted. The deceased's wife, who was Miss Alice Kendall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Azariah M. Kendall, of Fairlee, died about one year ago, of the dread disease. He is survived by one child aged about 18 months. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at one o'clock in Salem M. E. church, Fairlee, conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. B. Taylor. Interment was made in St. Paul's cemetery beside his wife. The pallbearers were Messrs. William G. Smyth, Barclay Kilbourn, Mahlan Lee, Morris Bramble, Herman Bramble and Dr. Frank Smith. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements.

H. CLAY SUTTON.

Mr. H. Clay Sutton, a well-known resident of Worton, died near town on Thursday morning, aged 75 years. The deceased was a son of the late Benjamin Sutton, who was a representative in the Maryland Legislature during the war, and was a nephew of the late Frank Cann, who was sheriff of Kent county at the time the Cosden murderers wer hanged. He was an uncle of Messrs. David Sutton, of Queen Annes, and Walter Sutton, of near Edesville, and a cousin of Mrs. Lucas Aldrich, of Baltimore. Funeral services will be held this morning at 10 o'clock with interment in Chester cemetery. The pall-bearess will be Messrs. George Hudson, William Ford, Richard S. Smyth, Jesse H. Usilton, Robt. G. Nicholson and Thomas J. Davis. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

Owens & Co., Betterton.

We introduce to the public this morning the firm of Owens & Co., Betterton, Md. Betterton is one of the most charming spots in Kent county, and Owens & Co. are determined by close application to business and careful and consistent advertising to boom the town and make it even more attractive. They will do so through the selection of a splendid assortment of general merchandise and resort goods priced at such figures as to make these goods attractive to buyers. This will attract trade, and hence Betterton will be profited. Owens & Co. is one of the most reliable firms in the county. Its members are men of unquestioned integrity, and it is their delight to serve their large trade. Their business is growing all the time, and if you'll watch their advertisement every week in the TRANSCRIPT, you will not fail to go there to do some of your shopping. They have a special sale beginning to-day, and they want your eggs, butter and lard. See advertisement on page 4.

Slight Fire.—The home of Mr. Walter T. Alcutt, on College avenue, narrowly escaped destruction by fire on Saturday night. Mr. Alcutt lighted his pipe, and lay down on his lounge. A spark from his pipe ignited the fringe on the lounge, and before the fire was extinguished, with the assistance of several men who happened to be going by, the lounge and carpet were burned. Had the blaze gotten any headway the town might have seen a terrible conflagration, as the wind was blowing a gale at the time from the northwest.

ICE BLOCKADE.

Chestertown Shut in From the Outside World Save by Train.

The steamer Gratitude left her wharf on Monday morning and not a sign of a boat has been seen since. Purser Whittier C. Copper, telephoned from Love Point on Tuesday night, that the Choptank could only make the Love Point landing on Tuesday with the assistance of the ice boat Latrobe. The Latrobe was compelled to break through piles of ice about five feet in thickness in order to make the wharf. The river has been covered from shore to shore with from three to five-inches of ice, and navigation on the rivers and bay has practically been closed. The Ericsson line steamers to and from Philadelphia and Baltimore got stuck in the ice which is very heavy in the upper bay, and one of their vessels had to be relieved by the Latrobe. The Groves is stuck in the ice somewhere in the C. & D. Canal. Capt. Clarke, who is running the Choptank to Love Point during repairs to the Love Point, rescued the crew of a schooner that was frozen in the ice near Baltimore, on Monday. The crew had been in their perilous condition since Saturday and were in a starving condition when picked up by Capt. Clarke. They were taken to Baltimore. Supt. G. E. Noland and his genial wife are hemmed in by the ice, and everything at Tolchester is in the clutches of winter. Many of the county roads are still blocked, and travel to town must be made at considerable risk through fields and snowdrifts. A young lady, who is attending Washington college, with her father, had an unpleasant experience while endeavoring to reach Chestertown on Monday morning. Their horse got stuck in the snowbanks several times, pulled himself loose from the shafts, and they were compelled to walk a considerable part of the way. They were pinched with the cold when they arrived in town. Another lady accompanied by her nephew, started to town on Monday with her butter to sell. She said she saw people driving past her road gate on their way to town, and she thought if they could reach here, she could also. She started, and *did* get here, but not without several big tussles with snowdrifts. Skating was very fine on the river and mill pond during the first of the week and crowds of young folks enjoyed the sport every afternoon. All those who have ice houses have succeeded in getting them filled, and February has established her claim to being the coldest month in the year for the past ten years. The thermometer has been as low as 9° during the week.

On Wednesday a big snowstorm set in and there has been some good sleighing. The ground hog is getting in his work.

Warning to Farmers.

Dr. John G. Dennis, veterinary of Cecil county, states that he fears a great loss of live stock during the next few months, due to the unwholesome character of corn and corn fodder. The doctor was called to see a valuable horse in the county last week, but the animal was dying from spinal meningitis. The doctor ascribed the cause of the disease to mouldy corn and fears there will be many more cases unless the farmers exercise great precaution. He would advise feeding only shelled corn, as the danger seems to lie largely in the cob. The ear will look smooth, hard and wholesome, but upon breaking it open the cob is found diseased; and it is the eating of this diseased cob which does much of the damage.

We mentioned last week that a prominent farmer of near Kennedyville has a valuable horse sick with meningitis, and it may be that the disease is caused from eating bad corn. The farmers would do well to consider the danger, and prevent the loss of their valuable stock.

Wedding Delayed by Blizzard.

Although stormstaid for a week, Cupid carried out his interrupted plans Saturday. When Ediwin T. Meredith, a rural mail driver of Queen Annes, and Miss May Ethelyn Gibson, a popular young lady of Centreville, were married at the Methodist Epicopal parsonage by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Wise. The ceremony was witnessed by only one person, W. Lee Clough, a friend of the groom. The ceremony was to have taken place the Saturday previous, January 25, but the blizzard of Thursday and Friday so blocked the roads that the groom could not get to town, so the wedding had to be postponed. The couple had considerable difficulty in reaching the home of the groom after the wedding, being delayed sometime by a breakdown on the road. They will reside near Hayden.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

Miss Mary Knight led the Christian Workers service in Christ M. P. Church last Sunday evening. A quartett was rendered by Mrs. J. H. Sides, Mrs. J. Hydie Thompson, Messrs. J. Hydie Thompson and Arlington L. Sparks.

The moving picture entertainment by the Great American entertainment Company of Baltimore, will be given in Worton M. E. church on Thursday Feb. 13, and in Salem M. E. church on Friday evening Feb. 14. It is said to be a fine entertainment.

Mr. M. A. Toulson has been elected delegate and Mr. H. H. Klinefelter, alternate, to the coming session of the M. E. Conference to be held in Wilmington in March.

Rev. Dr. H. B. Martin's fine articles in the TRANSCRIPT every Saturday morning on "Why I Am a Christian," are being widely read and very favorably commented upon. Read them.

Rev. Frank Robinson will begin a series of revival services in the Jarrell store room on High street next Wednesday.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. Dr. F. T. Little, pastor.—Testimony meeting at 9.30 A. M. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Juniors at 6 o'clock. Christian Workers service at 6.45 P. M. To all these services you are cordially invited.

The Sunday school class taught by Mrs. H. H. Klinefelter will give a dialogue entertainment entitled "An Evening in Japan," at the home of Mrs. S. E. Ford, Washington avenue, Saturday evening, February 15th.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Preaching at 10.30 A.M. Subject—"He careth for you." Sunday school at 2.15 P. M. Epworth League meeting at 6.45 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M., by the Presiding Elder. All are cordially invited.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference, February 8th, 2 P. M. at parsonage, Pomona; preaching February 9th, 10.30 A. M. by Presiding Elder W. G. Koons. Sunday school 10 A. M. at Mowbray Chapel; preaching at 7.30 P. M., pastor J. C. McCoy. All are invited to attend.

We neglected to observe last week the fact the Rev. W. L. White, the faithful pastor of the M. E. church preached a strong sermon last Sunday morning week on the subject of temperance. Those who know Bro. White, know that he never allows any opportunity for doing good to pass, and that he is an ardent advocate of the Temperance cause. He did valuable service for the cause in Delaware last fall, and he may be depended upon to do the same for Maryland. He urged his audience to use their efforts to secure the passage of the local option bill now before the legislature.

There is a movement on foot in the Wilmington Conference to secure equal lay representation in the Annual Conference, of that denomination. It is likely the next session of their conference will memorialize the next General Conference which meets in Baltimore in May, to act upon the request.

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. James Brice, who are in Tampa, Florida, states that they attended a Methodist church last Sunday morning and participated in a communion service at which there were between 200 and 300 communicants. Individual cups and small wafers were used. In the afternoon Mr. Brice went over to Tampa Bay Hotel to see Carrie Nation. The great fair began this week, and Mrs. Brice says it is fine. They report missing Col. and Mrs. Evans, who usually accompany them every winter.

The biennial convention of the Maryland Conference Methodist Protestant Christian Endeavor Union was held in Alnutt Memorial church, Baltimore, on Thursday and yesterday. Delegates were present from Maryland, Delaware, parts of Pa., West Virginia, Virginia and New Jersey. There are about 225 senior and Junior societies in the conference, with a total membership of 8,000. Among the principal speakers were Mr. Wm. H. Anderson, Superintendent of the Maryland Anti-Saloon League and Rev. T. O. Crouse, of Georgetown, D. C., Rev. E. D. Stone, of Centreville, had charge of the music.

The good people of St. James and Lynch's M. P. Churches, gave their popular pastor, Rev. G. A. Morris, an old time Worton pounding yesterday evening. The members walked in, took possession and left the good parson and his family aghast at the great quantity of all the good things that one could desire for the inner man.

St. Paul's parish church, Divine Service tomorrow, 5th Sunday after Epiphany. Weather and roads permitting at 10.30 A. M.

I. U. Parish church, Divine service tomorrow at 3 P. M.

The Rt. Rev. Wm. F. Adams, D. D., Bishop of Easton, will administer the Holy rite of Confirmation, at St. Paul's Parish church at the 10.30 Service, and at Christ Church, I. U. Parish, at 3 P. M. on the first Sunday in Lent, March 8th.

Real Estate Sales.

The "Vickers" farm, situated in Quaker Neck, on the Chester river, was offered at public sale on Tuesday by the trustee, Harrison W. Vickers, Esq. It was sold to Mr. George Vickers, of Goldfield, Nevada, for $6000. The farm contains 350 acres, and is beautifully situated on Chester river.

The lot adjoining Chester cemetery was purchased by J. Waters Russell for $500.

The lot at the head of town, a very desirable piece of property, containing about 1⅞ acres of land, was purchased by J. Waters Russell for $1200. These two pieces of property also belonged to the Vickers estate. The above property was advertised exclusively in the TRANSCRIPT, and as is usually the case, the bidding was spirited. Auctioneer John H. Greenwood cried the sales.

J. Waters Russell, real estate broker, has sold the W. H. Hickey farm near Pomona to Mr. G. W. DeMoss, of Baltimore. The farm contains 75 acres, and is well located.

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