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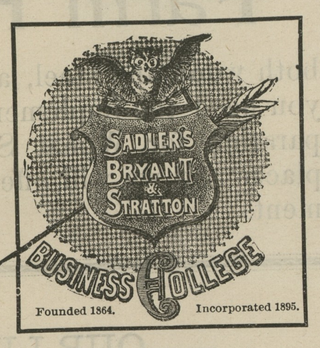

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aug18-m. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

W. C. T. U. MEETING.

A well attended meeting of the Chestertown W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mrs. S. M. Usilton, on Wednesday eve. Arrangements were completed for sending delegates to the State convention which meets in the First Church, Balto., Oct. 3, 4 and 5th. Committee on soliciting for the State work, reported not having collected sufficient money to meet the amount voted at the previous meeting.

The following Superintendents of the departments were appointed: Parliaments, Mrs. H. M. Brown; literature, Mrs. M. E. Brown; press, Mrs. S. A. Hurlock; kindergarten, Mrs. L. Thomas; narcotics, Mrs. G. W. Simmons; jail, Mrs. T. Hubbard and Jas. Brice; purity, Mrs. S. M. Usilton and Mrs. M. A. Toulson. It was voted that the Chestertown Y. to take charge of the department of Sunday school work. Adjourned to meet in parlor of M. E. Church promptly at 3 o'clock, Wednesday, October 10th. Press Supt.

A Fine Showing.—The directors of the Queen Anne's Railroad are greatly encouraged with the year's business and will build a new train of ten cars, two to be parlor cars with buffet attachments. The train is to be patterned after the Congressional Limited on the Pennsylvania railroad.

General Manager Troxel reported that during the months of June, July, August and 18 days of September the road handled 117,147 passengers, as against 60, 292 for the same period of last year. The increase of traffic is placed at about 47 per cent.

The company proposes to establish a first-class excursion resort at Love Point, which is a little over an hour's run of Baltimore and commands a fine view of the bay. Ample land has been secured for parks and suitable improvements will be made.

President Bosley said that at the opening of next season he would have the shortest route from Baltimore and Washington to Cape May, Ocean City, Asbury Park and other resorts. An agent of the company has been authorized to purchase a new steamer, which is to be put on the route between Lewes, Del., and Cape May.

TO KILL WEEVIL.

State Entomologist W.G. Johnson was in Chestertown Tuesday and in company with Wilbur Eliason, R. G. Nicholson, and H. L. Boyd made an investigation of the weevil in wheat. He has issued the following interesting report for using Bi-Sulphide of Carbon for the destruction of Insects in Stored grain and seed. Said he: "This department is receiving many requests for a remedy for the destruction of the grain weevil and grain moth in wheat and other grains. These pests are doing an unusal amount of damage to stored grains over a large area of the United States.

"The remedy for this pest is a simple one and not difficult to apply; but must must be handled with great care. Bi-Sulphide of carbon is the material used. It is a very foul-smeling, volatile liquid, as clear as water, the fumes of which are several times heavier than air. They create a death atmosphere in which no animal life can survive. The material can be placed directly upon grain without the least deleterious effect, so far as injury to the germ is concerned and does not hurt its edible properties. Although a very fowl smelling liquid, it leaves no bad after effect, and is sure death to insects wherever it reaches them. The material can be bought in any quantity in from ten to one hundred pound cans from Edward R. Taylor, Penn Yan, N. Y., at about 10 cents per pound. From one to two pounds of the material is all that is neccessary for every hundred bushels of grain in store, or the same amount for every thousand cubic feet of space. The amount used depending upon the tightness of the building or bin and the intensity of the attack. If the bin is very tight, one pound of Bi-Sulphide to every hundred bushels will be sufficient. If open use two pounds. In applying the chemical, after the capacity of the bin or house has been determined, it should be placed in tin pans, soup plates, or any vessel with a large evaporating surface and set around directly on top of the grain. The bin or room should be closed as tight as possible and left for at least 24 hours. I would advise its use in pans or soup plates, as the fumes are kept more constant for a greater length of time, as evaporation is gradual, and better results are secured.

Caution: It must be borne in mind that this material is a very explosive one, when the fumes are mechanically mixed with air; therefore it must be handled with caution during the fumigation of a house or bin. Especial care should be taken that no light or persons with a light of any kind, even a cigar or pipe, are allowed around the room or building.

"With this caution, there need not be any fear to persons applying it, as a reasonable amount can be inhaled without injury during the operation. Of course it is necessary for the person applying the material, to get out of the building as soon as possible. If you will kindly inform us of the size of your bin or room, and the amount of grain in it, we will tell you how much of the chemical it will take."

DR. ALFRED STILLE DEAD.

The Venerable Physician Married a Chestertown lady Last Year.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—Dr. Alfred Stille, who for nearly 20 years was professor of theory and practice of medicine at the University of Pennsylvania and well known throughout this country and Europe, died at his home in Philadelphia, Monday.

The closing years of Dr. Stille's life were made happy by the culmination of a romance of 26 years on June 14th of last year.

At that time he and Miss Katharine A. Blackiston, of Chestertown, Md., were married in Philadelphia. Dr. Stille was then 85 years old and his bride was 26 years his junior. Mrs. Stille is a woman of culture, a brilliant conversationalist and for years contributed to prominent periodicals. During the Civil War she was an angel of mercy to Confederate soldiers wherever she found them, often visiting those who were prisoners at Fort Delaware. Dr. Stille's first wife was for many years an inmate of an asylum, but he remained loyal, refusing to apply for a divorce. A few months after her death the romance which had been shaping the destines of Dr. Stille and Miss Blackiston for 26 years was completed by their marriage.

Dr. Stille was born in Philadelphia October 30, 1813. He was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1832 and as doctor of medicine in 1836. Between this date and 1839 he pursued his medical studies in Paris and in other European capitals. From 1844 to 1850 he lectured on pathology and the practice of medicine to the Philadelphia Association for Medical Instruction. In 1849 he was appointed physician to St. Joseph's Hospital and in 1854 was elected professor of theory and practice of medicine in the Pennsylvania Medical College and filled that chair until 1859, when he was chosen to occupy a similar chair in the University of Pennsylvania. This position he held until 1884, when he became professor emeritus. He was president of the American Medical Association in 1867, of the Philadelphia College Medical Association in 1862 and of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia in 1885. From 1865 to 1871 he was physician and lecturer on clinical medicine in the Philadelphia Hospital. The honorary degree of doctor of laws was conferred upon him by the Pennsylvania College, at Gettysburg, in 1876. He was the author of numerous medical and scientific publications.

The remains of John H. Coulbourn, commission merchant, who died in Philadelphia on Friday night last, were brought to Denton, Caroline county, and interred in the Catholic Cemetery Tuesday at noon. Mr. Coulbourn was well known throughout the Peninsula.

LITTLE EGYPT IMITATED.

University of Illinois Said to Have a Salacious Scandal.

A correspondent of the Inter Ocean sends the following from Champaign, Ill., to the Sun:

"Fraternity life at the University of Illinois has received a severe blow. The handsome home of Sigma Chi has been raided by the police, who found a party of youngsters giving an imitation of the Seeley dinner. In the reception room where students, professors and distinguished guests have been accustomed to congregate, a woman high in the social life of Champaign was impersonating Little Egypt in a state that would have ashamed the original. Standing on a table of polished oak that reflected her form, this woman pirouetted and whirled in a mad jig. Her long hair covered her shoulders and her face was flushed with wine. Seated on the arm of a great leather chair, a young girl, also unclad, waited for her turn to dance before the drunken young men, who applauded every movement of the amateur Little Egypt.

"When the officers broke through the barred doors they stopped aghast, for the Little Egypt, who stood for a moment motionless on the table, they recognized as the wife of a prominent business man, and the girl, who sat unabashed among the young men, they knew to be the daughter of a wealthy contractor, a leader in one of the most exclusive of the younger social sets. The spectators who were acting as hosts at the dinner stopped their applause at the appearance of the police. Even the most intoxicated one was sobered.

There was an anxious quarter hour for the banqueters and a hasty parley with the police, who announced that every one in the room was under arrest. At this point a young architect who was in a less intoxicated condition than any of his companions tried to make terms. After a long discussion the young architect promised to pay all fines that might be assessed against the members of the party, the officers agreeing to return to the police station with one prisoner as security and to enter charges against six of the guests. The police waited until the women had dressed and left the house and then the patrol wagon went back to the station with a single prisoner. The officers entered names, fictitious, on the trial docket as those of the men and women arrested for disorderly conduct. No statements were made, and the Squire entered fines of $3 and costs against each. The total bill was $33—they charge $1 fare in the Champaign patrol wagon incidentally—and it was promptly paid, as the young architect had agreed.

Supervisor's Notice

—OF—

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS

—WITH—

Names of Registers and Dates and Places of Sitting.

THE Board of Supervisors of Election for Kent county, hereby give notice to the Voters of Kent county, that the Officers of Registration will sit in their respective districts at Places and Dates designated below from 8 o'clock a. m. to 7 o'clock p. m., each day, for the purpose of Registering all Qualified Voters:

TUESDAY, October 2nd, 1900,

—AND—

TUESDAY, October 9th, 1900,

AND FOR REVISION

TUESDAY, October 16th, 1900.

District No. 1, Millington precinct, store of Chas. O. Casy on Sassafras street, Millington, Oct. 2nd and 9th; revision Oct. 16th.
W. H. Loper, Dem.,
Willard England, Rep.,
Registers.

District No. 1, Galena precinct, at Galena in Band Hall, Oct. 2nd; at Golt's, Oct. 9th, in M. V. Davis' store; revision at Galena Oct. 16th, in Band Hall.
Dennis J. McCauley, Dem.,
Thos. H. Hewitt, Rep.,
Registers.

District No. 2, at Geo. Jones' Hotel, Kennedyville, Oct. 2nd and 9th; revision Oct. 16th.
W. H. H. King, Dem.,
Samuel J. Comly, Rep.,
Registers.

District No. 3. Registration Oct. 2nd at Harry Cooper's store, Worton; at Crew & Owens' Hotel, Betterton, Oct. 9th; revision at Worton Station on Oct. 16th.
Jos. W. Howard, Dem.,
Edw. A. Corey, Rep.,
Registers.

District No. 4, Willard Melvin's office, Kent News Building, Chestertown, Oct. 2nd and 9th; revision Oct. 16th.
Jos. N. Wheatley, Dem.,
J. Edw. Smith, Rep.,
Registers.

District No. 5, at F. M. Satterfield's store, Rock Hall, Oct. 2nd and 9th; revision Oct. 16th.
Benj. H. Coburn, Dem.,
R. M. Stevens, Rep.,
Registers.

District No. 6, at S. Leaverton's shoe shop, Fairlee, Oct. 2nd and 9th; revision Oct. 16th.
R. C. Morgan, Dem.,
A. A. Reinhart, Rep.,
Registers.

District No. 7, at Wm. S. Scoone's store room, Pomona, Oct. 2nd and 9th; revision Oct. 16th.
Henry Thompson, Dem.,
Jas. T. Decorse, Rep.,
Registers.

TUESDAY OCTOBER 16th, 1900,

FOR REVISION ONLY.

By order— JOHN BRICE, Pres't,
W. A. HYLAND,
WM. S. CARROLL,
Supervisors of Election.
JOSIAH MASSEY, Clerk. s15-ts.

NO. 3305.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF—

The Chestertown National Bank

at Chestertown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, Sept. 5, 1900.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts		$215,012 31
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.		674 29
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		15,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		656 25
Stocks, securities, etc		51,280 50
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		6,500 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve Agents)		1,272 83
Due from approved reserve agents		59,167 92
Internal Revenue Stamps		32 00
Checks and other cash items		2,186 52
Notes of other National Banks		1,455 00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents		335 12
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, NAMELY:		
Specie	$17,530 00	
Legal-tender notes	1,825 00	19,355 00
TOTAL		$372,927 74

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in	60,000 00
Surplus fund	12,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17,521 18
Due to other National Banks	10,278 27
Due to State banks and bankers	1,654 83
Individual deposits subject to check	271,432 19
Certified checks	25 67
Liabilities other than those stated	15 60
TOTAL	$372,927 74

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:

I, HARRY RICKEY, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRY RICKEY, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of September, 1900.

CHARLES ESTES, N. P.

Correct, Attest:—
RICHARD D. HYNSON,
J. W. CHAPMAN,
SAMUEL VANNORT.
DIRECTORS.

Sept. 15, 1900.

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