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Are you married?

Or are you going to get married? If the latter it is "our object" to correctly fix you up, and save you money on that

Wedding Suit.

We carry a specially good line of better goods in stock at all times.

All mixed cassimeres, cheviots and worsted in men's, boy's and children's clothing marked down and by coming early you can find a fair selection and save big money.

James D. Lucas.

The Second National Bank

Of Chestertown, Md.

Comparative Statement of Deposits made to the Comptroller of the Currency in the April call of each year.

Deposits

APRIL 5, 1899	$170,245.62
APRIL 26, 1900	$215,016.45
APRIL 24, 1901	$294,021.74
APRIL 30, 1902	$310,414.23
APRIL 9, 1903	$468,259.37

An increase of $157,845 in one year.

Our increase in business is due very largely to the fact that every body is treated alike.

We do not pay 3 per cent. to certain depositors and 4 per cent to certain others—BUT 4 PER CENT TO ALL SAVINGS DEPOSITORS,

Let us have your business.

W. B. COPPER, Cashier,
EBEN F. PERKINS, Teller,
H. T. DEAVER, Book-keeper
MISS PALMER CARROLL,
Asst. Book-keeper.

LOST—
A DIAMOND STUD on the streets of Chestertown Monday. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to
jan16. KENT NEWS OFFICE.

LOST.
A PAIR OF GLASSES somewhere between Mrs. Watts' boarding house and the Voshell House or Stam's Hall. The finder will be rewarded if same is returned to this office. jan9.

FOR SALE:
The Farm known as the "Howard Farm" near Turner's Creek containing 265 acres of land. For particulars address
F. H. HARPER,
j30-tf. Still Pond, Md.

POTATOES FOR SALE.
100 Bushels of Extra Good WHITE POTATOES for sale. Price 70c. per bushel.
SAMUEL J. COMLY,
jan9-4t. Locust Grove, Md.

FOR SALE.
A few choice BUFF LEGHORN COCKERELS, if ordered at once, $1.00 each. They are from great laying stock, yellow legs and buff to the skin.
Also, LOCUST POSTS cut to your order, in lengths to suit.
CHARLES H. SKIRVEN,
jan23-3t. Chestertown R. R. No. 2.

HOUSES FOR RENT.
THREE HOUSES for rent at Lankford. All Dwelling Houses in good repair and rent reasonable.
Apply to WALTER B. STRONG,
jan16-3t*. Lankford.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR RENT FOR 1904.
At Quaker Neck Wharf. Address
?an16 tf. R. S. EMORY.

FOR RENT.
HOUSE ON HIGH STREET, known as the Gleaves house; has 7 rooms with large garden and cellar; water in yard. May be rented at once. Apply to
N. C. CROW,
jan2-3t. Chestertown.

FOR RENT FOR 1904.
DWELLING AND STORE-ROOM on Corner of High and Mill streets, knowns as Sappington's store. A good stand for grocery. Address
MRS. MARTHA H. BAKER,
d26-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT.
STORE ROOM FOR 1904.
1st. Store Room on High Street directly opposite Voshell House.
Call on or address
CHARLES S. SMITH,
oc31. Chestertown, Md.

Oldest ::: Strongest

Hon. C. T. Westcott, President.
R. D. Hynson, Vice-President.
Wm. Walter Chapman, Cashier.

Cash Paid in	$60,000
Liability of Share-holders	60,000
Surplus	12,000
Undivided Profits	21,000
Total	$153,000

CHESTERTOWN
National Bank
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

PAYS 4 PER CENT.
on SAVINGS DEPOSITS remaining one calendar month.

DIRECTORS:
CHAS. T. WESTCOTT,
MARION DEK. SMITH,
RICHARD D. HYNSON,
ALDAY CLEMENTS,
JAMES S. HARRIS,
SAMUEL VANNORT,
FRANKLIN H. HARPER,
JAMES W. CHAPMAN,
EDWIN S. VALLIANT.

A full account of the Farmers' Institute is in type and will appear next week.

WANTED.
A YOUNG MAN of experience and influence to clerk in general mercantile house in Chestertown. Apply by letter to
jan23 3t. KENT NEWS OFFICE.

WANTED.
WHITE GIRL for general housework and cooking in family of three. Want girl more for companion than for general housework. Will pay $2.50 per week and can assure girl a good home. Write, giving full particulars, to
MRS. E. M. STRADLEY,
jan23 2t* 5837 N. Park Ave., Phila., Pa.

NOTICE.
Parties in need of NURSE IN SICKNESS apply to
MRS. ALFRED COLEMAN,
jan23-4t*. Edesville, Md.

RESTAURANT OUTFIT for Sale.
The undersigned, intending to close out, will sell cheap for cash his RESTAURANT OUTFIT, consisting of Tables, Buffets, Chairs, Dishes, &c. These may be seen at Charles S. Smith's Restaurant on Cross street, next door to C. S. Smith's store.
Apply to L. B. HYLAND,
jan23 3t*. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE.
TWO FRESH COWS calves with them.
THOS. W. SKIRVEN,
j30-3t.* Fairlee, Md.

NOTICE TO STOCKMEN.
Having removed to Fairlee, I am now in a better position to treat and cure your SICK HORSES, CATTLE, Etc., with the best medicines that I have for sale at all times. It is guaranteed to cure any and all diseases when others fail. To be convinced, when you have a sick animal give me a call by telephone, letter or postal.
JOHN F. RICE,
jan23-tf. Fairlee, Md

FOR SALE.
A GOOD SORREL MARE, 5 years old, fine driver and sound in every particular. For particulars apply to
A. LEVINE, The Jeweler,
j30-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE:
TEN WORK HORSES.
I have Ten Work Horses for sale. Have been working in delivery wagons. Will sell them cheap. Apply to
HARRY LITTLE,
jan16-4t*. 412 East St., Baltimore City.

FOR SALE.
A CANOE, 30 ft. long and about 6 ft. beam. Will be sold on easy terms to the right party. Inability on account of health to longer continue in the oyster business, is the reason I desire to sell.
J. R. RYAN SR.,
j2 3t. Rock Hall, Md.

YOUNG CATTLE for Sale.
BOARS for Hire or to put out. Cash paid for POULTRY, OLD BUCKS and PIGS.
JOHN GALE & SON, agts.
ja2-tf. Live Stock Dealers, Hanesville, Md.

ALL MAKES OF SEWING MACHINES
REPAIRED AND EXCHANGED for new ones at fair prices. Send postal card to
A. H. SUPPLEE,
d12 3m. Betterton, Md

The Most Satisfactory

and liberal way for a useful and progressive Bank to deal with its depositors is to so conduct its affairs that both the bank and depositors alike will be profited by its business operations. The

Kent County Savings Bank

is just such a banking institution and it cordially invites the young and old and the rich and poor to open an account with it, promising all the liberality, promptness and attention that can in any reasonable way be extended by an obliging and carefully conducted bank.

J. K. Aldridge, President,
Wm. F. Russell, Cashier.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
CHESTERTOWN NAT'L BANK
at Chestertown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, Jan. 22, 1904.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts		$359,800 80
Overdrafts, sccared and unsecured		1 96
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		15,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		656 25
Stocks, securities, etc		54,829 42
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		6,500 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve Agents)		903 18
Due from approved reserve agents		61 940 79
Checks and other cash items		100 00
Notes of other National Banks		600 00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents		217 63
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, NAMELY:		
Specie	$17,774 85	
Legal-tender notes	5,200 00	22,974 85
TOTAL		$523,525 88

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in	60,000 00
Surplus fund	12,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	18,796 17
Due to other National Banks	19,678 21
Individual deposits subject to check	413,004 25
Certified checks	47 25
TOTAL	$523,525 88

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:
I, WM. WALTER CHAPMAN, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
WM. WALTER CHAPMAN, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of January, 1904.
CHARLES ESTES, N. P.
Correct, Attest:—
RICHARD D. HYNSON,
MARION DEK. SMITH,
SAMUEL VANNORT,
Sept. 19. DIRECTORS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
KENT CO. SAVINGS BANK,
Of Chestertown, Maryland, at the close of business, Jan. 22nd, 1904.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	$285,973 52
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	81 10
Furniture and fixtures	500 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	4,525 45
Due from National Banks	31,108 74
Due from private banks & bankers	102 33
Checks and other cash items	319 48
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents	48 65
MONEY IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	11,383 00
Legal-tender notes	1,780 00
Total	335,822 27

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$20,000 00
Undivided profits, less taxes, and expenses paid	16,850 29
Due to National Banks	2,563 12
Time Deposits and Individual Deposits subject to check	296,468 86
TOTAL	$335,822 27

State of Maryland, Kent county, S. S.:
I, WM. F. RUSSELL, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, CASHIER.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Jan., 1903.
CHARLES ESTES, N. P.
CORRECT—Attest:
J. K. ALDRIDGE,
J. D. BACCHUS,
C. S. SMITH.
Jan.30 DIRECTORS.

Galena Bank
—OF—
Farmers' Trust, Banking and Deposit Company,
GALENA, MD.

Transacts a General Banking Business.
Interest allowed on deposits subject to check.
Interest allowed on Savings Deposits.
Special Rates on Time Deposits.

JOHN W. WOODLAND, President, Baltimore, Md.
WM. D. ALLEN, Sec'y Treas'r, Balto., Md.
EDWARD A. SCOTT, Pes't Local Board, Galena, Md.
RICHARD S. WALLIS, Cashier, Galena, Md.

THOROUGHBRED
Plymouth Rock
COCKERELS.

I have about Twenty-five Thoroughbred Plymouth Rock Cockerels for sale. Price $1.00 each. This stock is of the purest strain.
SAMUEL J. COMLY,
jan9-4t. Locust Grove.

FOR RENT.
THE BORDLEY DWELLING, on the corner of High and Cross streets, vacated by Mr. Bacon. The dwelling is finely located and has all conveniences required for a medium sized family. Will also rent Store Room on Cross street, adjoining J. S. Vandegrift's shop. Apply to
THOMAS S. BORDLEY,
jan16-tf. Chestertown,

NAVIGATION OPEN ONE DAY.

Steamers Succeed in Reaching Kent Ports With Difficulty—Have Not Made a Second Attempt.

Owing to the rains and fogs of the early part of the week the ice in the bay and rivers melted considerably. On Tuesday the ice boat Annapolis and Corsica left Baltimore at 7.30 in the morning and the former arrived in Chestertown, at 5 o'clock, followed by the latter two hours later. Capt. Clark, who piloted the Annapolis, said the ice in many places was from 12 to 15 inches thick and much difficulty was experienced in making the trip. The two steamers returned to Baltimore the next day. When another trial will be made is not known.

The Tolchester boat made a trip on the same day without much difficulty and expect to make another one to-day.

The Ericsson boat also succeeded in making her trip.

It is said that the Kent Island wharf and the Jackson's Creek wharf have been very much damaged by the floating ice.

The conditions in the bay and river were worse yesterday than for many days and five boats had to return to Baltimore. There will be no boat here to-day.

SNOW to the depth of seven inches fell yesterday.

LEVY COURT BUSINESS.

The County Commissioners met on Tuesday with full board. The following bills were passed.

Henry Parr, nails	$ 4 70
" " magistrate	4 05
Electric Light Company	52 94
A. L. Benjamin, bridge keeper	12 83
Antonia Galgalski, juror on inquest	1 00
Isabell Calvin, pensioner	15 00
Elizabeth Urie "	12 00
Rose Wiggins "	12 00
Debbie Graves "	12 00
Mrs. Annie Taylor "	15 00

The Kent County School Board was granted an appropriation of $2,500 for public schools.

Mr. Chas. L. Gill was appointed constable for the fourth district.

Refused Release.—Sheriff Keyser has decided to make a test case of the right of magistrates to order the release of prisoners from his custody. Wednesday morning Officer Samuel Cooper appeared at the jail with a release for Ben Blake, who had been sentenced to the House of Correction for 6 months by Justice France. When Officer Cooper gave the release to Sheriff Keyser he was told that he would not recognize it and refused to up give the prisoner to be carried to the House of Correction. A few weeks ago Judge Pearce ordered in a similar case brought by Constable Scoone that the sheriff must give up the prisoner. The Judge said at the same time that he would rule on this point at the April term of the Kent county court.

Sheriff Keyser claims that a constable has no right to carry prisoners to the House of Correction and that he alone, or his deputy, can do it. Officer Cooper has communicated with Chief Judge Pearce as to what action to take.

A letter from Chief Judge Pearce was received yesterday by Officer Cooper, in which he says: "I have already advised the Sheriff that it is his duty to obey the release and deliver the party to the officer presenting such release and holding such commitment."

Awaiting Remittances for Corn.—A number of Kent county farmers are anxiously awaiting their remittance for corn sold to Mr. A. T. Bradley, who has been buying here for a Philadelphia house. The grain was sold last December. Eighty-five per cent. of the amount of consignment was paid on the date of delivery. The remainder has not yet been paid, although the firm to whom the corn was consigned, it is said, has paid Mr. Bradley in full. The latter gentleman is now in Florida. He has bought grain in Kent county for a number of years past and has always had the confidence of the farmers. It is believed that he will settle in full. The persons awaiting settlement are: Messrs. T. G. Wroth, Jos. Trew, J. K. Aldridge, S. L. Wright, Jas. W. Lambert, Frank Shinn and Victor Hendrickson.

The "News" Brings Results.—A Chestertown lady advertised in the NEWS last Saturday for a fur muff she had lost. The ink was hardly dry on the paper before the muff was brought to this office, it having been found by Mr. Sparks, of Sparks & Jefferson, who saw the adv. in the NEWS.

A well-known Chestertown gentleman advertised in the NEWS that he had lost two very valuable fox hounds. He found them as a result of his faith in the NEWS. The moral of all this is: "If you want to sell anything, buy anything, find anything, or know anything, try the KENT NEWS."

In Southern Climes.—Capt. William C. Eliason, the popular steamboat magnate, will leave in a few days with a party of friends for Porto Rico, West Indies. They will be the guests of Supt. Wm. Potts, of Tolchester, who owns and manages a big pineapple farm in that sunny land. We hope the progressive Captain will have a model pineapple farm at Tolchester Beach for his excursionists next summer.

Judge Wm. R. Martin, of Easton, with a party of friends from Easton and Centreville, have gone to Florida where they will spend several weeks.

THE Musical and Lecture association of Chestertown will hold a delightful entertainment in Stam's Hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 11. See adv. next week.

WEDDING EVENTS.

St. James M. P. Church is one of the prettiest country churches on the Shore and on Thursday evening its beauty was brought out even more by the charming company that assembled therein. It was the occasion of the marriage of Mr. Lewin Usilton Skirven, the popular and energetic son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Skirven, and Miss Ella Ree French, the pretty and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. French. The church was decorated with evergreen and potted plants. Spanning the chancel was an arch, from the centre of which was suspended a wedding bell while lighted candles flickered amid the bowers of palms and grasses.

Quite an innovation was introduced and met the hearty approval of the guests and proved a very striking feature of the wedding. The flower girls were the cute little twin sisters of the bride, Maggie and Mary French, dressed in white French muslin trimmed in Valencienne lace and carrying carnations. The ribbon boys were Masters Vernon Moffett and Romey Morris, two manly and courteous Worton boys. The bridesmaids were the pretty Misses Ethel Loller and Ida Hudson, dressed in dainty creations of white French muslin with trimmings of Valenciennes lace, with bertha of lace, and carrying shower bouquets of carnations; the graceful and attractive Misses Grace K. Seward and Viola E. Eidman, of Baltimore, attired in striking tailor-made gowns of blue nun's yeiling over white, trimmed in point lace with high blue silk girdles, loose blue sleeves over and under sleeve of point lace, and carrying white carnations. The ushers were Messrs. Warren Hurlock, Frank Skirven, Howard Reese and Elwood Burgess each of whom wore sack coats, white vests and black ties with carnation boutonniers. The bride was dressed in a beautiful gown of crepe de chine with pleated chiffon, hand embroidered and pearls and carried bride's roses. The flower girls and maids entered the double doors and then separated, a flower girl and two maids approaching the chancel up one aisle while the other three walked up the other aisle. These crossed in front of the chancel and returned to the starting point where they were joined by the ribbon boys and ushers and the party in pairs approached the altar from either aisle. As the bride and groom stood beneath the wedding bell Rev. J. M. Sheridan performed the ceremony which made them man and wife. Miss Clara B. Usilton presided at the organ and rendered appropriate selections during and before the ceremony.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents at which there were over a hundred guests. The parlor was tastily decorated with cozey corners and festoons of evergreen while the dining room was sufficient to delight the eye of an epicure. Here Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Plummer held full sway and again demonstrated their skill in catering to the wants of a crowd. The supper was sumptuous and served in a most charming manner.

The presents were beautiful, among them being $100 in gold, a present to the bride from the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Skirven will reside on the Ringgold-Skirven farm, near Chestertown, while Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Skirven will take up their abode in Baltimore.

Miss Mary Rebecca Kelley, daughter of Mrs. Hallie Kelley, of Chestertown, and Mr. Alfred Baker Elliott, son of Mr. Thomas B. Elliott, of Chestertown, were married on Thursday evening at Worton. The ceremony was performed at 7.30 o'clock by Dr. J. B. Merritt. The bride was dressed in a pretty zibeline cloth steel suit with buttons to match, trimmed in silk. After the ceremony at Worton the bride and groom returned to the home of the bride's mother in Chestertown where a reception was held. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Smith and family, Misses Katie and Fannie Smith, Mr. Owen Crow and W. H. Fields. They will reside for the present at the home of the groom's parents in Chestertown.

Mr. Isaac Duyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Duyer, and Miss Bessie Ivens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Ivens, of worton, were married by Rev. Kent M. Bull, pastor of Kennedyville and Worton Presbyterian Churches, Wednesday evening last. The ceremony took place at 6 o'clock p. m. at the parsonage in Kennedyville in the presence of a small company.

Miss Mary Russell, of Worton, and Mr. Thomas Bryan, of Edesville, were married at Union M. E. Church, Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock p. m. The bridal party entered the church preceded by the ushers Messrs. Harry B. and Wilson G. Parsons, Rev B. A. Bryan, brother of the groom, and Mahlon Lee. Then followed the bridesmaids, Miss Margaret Russell, of Baltimore, sister of the bride, and Miss Jennie Bacon, of Camden, N. J. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. C. Poole, pastor of Union church, assisted by the groom's brother, Rev. J. F. Bryan, of Dover. The bride was gowned in a handsome white silk mulle dress with lace and pearl trimmings and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and ferns. The groom wore the conventional suit of black, with buttoniere of white carnations. The bridesmaids were gowned in beautiful dresses of white Paris muslin, trimmed in lace and white satin ribbon, and carried bouquets of pink carnations and ferns. The church was very tastefully trimmed with evergreens and holly. After the ceremony they drove to the home of the groom's parents, near Edesville, where a reception was held in their honor. The happy couple will make their future home on the farm near Melitota owned by Mr. R. F. Parks.

Couldn't See Her.—Mr. Alfred Dill went to Philadelphia this week and called at the home of Mr. Smith hoping to see his young wife, but he was refused admission and returned to Kent very much dissappointed but not entirely hopeless.

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