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Spring Busy-ness

We're had a cold backward spring but the Suit selling here goes on just the same. We have the best assortment of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing this season that's ever been in this establishment and we think we're but modest when we say the best in Kent or Queen Anne's counties.

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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.

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Asst. Book-keeper.

FAIRLEE CHURCH FESTIVAL.

The ladies of Fairlee will hold their Annual Strawberry Festival on SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 4th, on the Church Green. Ice Cream, Strawberries and Cake will be served in abundance. Everybody cordially invited to attend. m21-tf.

SUPPER & FESTIVAL.

SATURDAY, MAY 28, 1904.

A SUPPER and STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL will be held at WESLEY CHAPEL M. P. CHURCH on SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 28, 1904 All the delicacies will be served. Ice cream, strawberries and cake also served. You are invited to be present.
May21-tf. By Order COMMITTEE.

SUPPER AND STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The ladies of St. James M. P. Church will have their annual Spring Festival on Mr. Robert G Nicholson's lawn, SATURDAY, MAY 28th, 1904. All the delicacies of the season will be served; ice cream, strawberries and cake in abundance. a14-tf.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

In the store room formerly occupied by Westcott & Dodd.

The Ladies of Christ M. P. Church will hold a STRAWBERRY and ICE CREAM Festival on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY evenings, May 25th and 26th. Everybody welcome.

SUPPER AND BAZAAR.

The ladies of BOND M. E. CHURCH will hold a Festival, Supper and Bazaar on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, June 1st and 2nd. All the delicacies will be served. Make your arrangements to be present.

SCHOOL FESTIVAL.

The scholars of the Quaker Neck school taught by Miss Wheeler Peterson will give a Festival at the school house next THURSDAY EVENING at 7 o'clock. A large wagon will leave Chestertown and furnish free transportation to the festival. 1t.

NEW ICE CREAM PARLOR.

We have opened an ICE CREAM Parlor at our place opposite NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL on High street, Chestertown. Ice Cream by plate or gallon. "Hoky Poky" also sold. Ladies especially invited.
CHARLES H. WALLS,
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I have for sale a VALUABLE FARM of 309 ACRES, situated near Lankford, Kent county, Md. This farm is improved by a large and commodious DWELLING and out buildings, and the fencing is in good repair. The soil is of good quality. This farm will make a most desirable home, and a profitable investment.
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Cash Paid in	$60,000
Liability of Share-holders .	60,000
Surplus	12,000
Undivided Profits . .	21,000
Total	$153,000

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NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF BURIAL LOTS IN CHESTER CEMETERY

The Chester Cemetery Company by recent action of its Board is now prepared to enter into a contract with its lot owners to keep their lots in first-class order perpetually. This guarantees the owner that his lot will be taken care of, not only after his death but even after the death of all the family.

There is no sadder sight in a cemetery than to see the lot of a one-time prosperous owner in weeds, briars, overgrown bushes, &c., and for the reason that the family have either all died, removed or else forgotten their duty to the remains of the ancestors.

Those who secure a contract as above will have no apprehensions of this fate to their lots. For terms apply to
JOHN H. SIMPERS,
Treasurer of Chester Cemetery Co
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If you need a new Matting, or Wall Paper, or Fly Screens, or Oil Cook Stove, or Refrigerator, or anything of the sort, we will make it worth your while to come to Still Pond. Remember we can sell and do sell merchandise at a big saving. See adv't. page 5.

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PROF. MICOU RESIGNS.

Prof. James Roy Micou has resigned as a member of the faculty of Washington College. He is the vice-principal of the institution and no educator who has ever been in our midst has gained a stronger hold upon the students or is held in more regard by the citizens of the community generally. Prof. Micou is a brainy, brilliant and polished gentleman, and, having spent four years under his guidance, we can attest to his capabilities as a thorough teacher and conscientious advisor. He will be missed by the present body of scholars at the college and the graduates of the old institution will regret very much his resignation. He has been connected with Washington College about 18 years.

The Board of Visitors of the college will appoint several additional members of the present faculty to enable it to keep pace with its growth both in the college and normal departments.

Engagements Announced.—Mrs. Irvin T. Nicols, 630 Wyanoak avenue, Waverly, announces the engagement of her sister, Miss Edna Carolyn Ringgold, to Mr. Robert Emmett Robertson, of Philadelphia. The wedding will take place at Mrs. Nicols' home on June 1. The bride to be formerly lived in Chestertown and is well-known here.

The wedding of Miss Mary Merritt Hurtt, daughter of Mr. J. Henry Hurtt, to Mr. Luther Conradi, of Baltimore, is announced to take place at the home of Mr. J. Henry Hurtt, Jr., 5011 Hazel avenue, Philadelphia, on June 6. They will sail for Europe June 8, and will be gone several months. While in Berlin Mr. Conradi will assist Prof. Burmeister at a recital given before nobility.

CARD OF THANKS.

The Glee and Mandolin Club of Washington College desires to thank the ladies who assisted in making a success of the concert given by the club in Stam's Hall on May 5th. The hall was beautifully decorated with flags and potted flowers kindly lent by the ladies interested in the entertainment. At a meeting of the club held on May 18th the undersigned committee was instructed to express the gratitude of the new organization to the ladies who assisted in making the concert successful.
IRVEN M. GREY,
HOWARD O. STEPHENS,
1t. LEONARD B. SMITH.

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Anyone contemplating a trip to St. Louis this year would be wise to take out an accident policy in the Travelers Insurance Company before going. Life and health insurance also solicited by
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JOHN BARTLEY,
a9-3m. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES NAMED.

The Kent County School Commissioners Spring Some Surprises.

School Commissioners Copper, Hines and Jump on Tuesday appointed the school trustees for Kent county as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT.

School No. 1—Gove Everett, C L Turner, vice John S Newnam, J B Stephens; John Mayberry reappointed.

No. 2—J E Hurlock, Henry Tonkin, vice R W Comegys, and J P Ahern; E G Clark reappointed.

No. 3—A F Huey, T C Roe, S J Johnson, reappointed.

No. 4—L H Dreka, Harry Griffith, both reappointed, L P Atwell, vice J T Shallcross.

No. 5—E S Morris, Henry Rosin, C S Hurlock, reappointed.

No. 6—Samuel Caldwell, W B Ford, E W Woodall, reappointed.

No. 7—Wm A Whittaker, vice Dr E A Scott, F P Cochran, S G Caldwell reappointed.

No. 8—W W Baldwin, vice John Conner, Wesley Davis, J W Stephenson, both reappointed.

No. 9—J C Matthews, Walter Clayton, W H Ford, reappointed.

No. 10—John Culley, Chas Lea, reappointed Wm Garton, vice Thos Burris.

SECOND DISTRICT.

School No. 1—Chas England, vice Chas H Crittendon, Chris Conner, Jr. Spencer Comegys, reappointed.

No. 2—E B Pennington, W M Clendaniel, reappointed, W J Garey, vice Robt Morgan.

No. 3—Robt Comly, vice T J Shallcross, Chas Hill and Wm T Dukes.

No. 5—Tilghman Shafer, Jas E Weer, reappointed, W S Hurlock, vice Capt. Daniel Hill.

No. 5—R R Hill, vice W T Hepbron, J M Archibald, reappointed, Philip G Myres, vice Wm Janvier.

No. 6—Irving Robinson, vice Wm Edwards, Larry Reese, W F Melvin, reappointed.

No. 7—W D Pennington, A J Hackett, reappointed, J N Bennett, vice Harry Davis.

No. 8—J R Copper, W H Bonwill, reappointed, Thos A Godwin, vice W D Shinn.

No. 9—Alday Clements, Peter Brinsfield, reappointed, Wash Woodall, vice H Jewell.

THIRD DISTRICT.

School No. 1—W T Crow, Wilbur Morris, Frank Shinn, reappointed.

No. 2—R G Nicholson, Geo Hudson, Wm Newcomb, reapointed.

No. 3—Dr J H Hessey, W J Beck, B F Davis reappointed.

No. 4—Geo L Bowers, vice Jos L Usilton, Thos Gale, W K Hudson, reappointed.

No. 5—Henry Anderson, Harry Taylor, Geo T Williams, vice Harry Nichols, John C. LeCompt, J W Ivens.

No. 6—C P Norris, J P Vandyke, E C Bowers, vice John C Jones, Samuel F Cooper, Alvin Stavely,

No. 7—W A Crew, Geo W Owens, Horace Brice, reappointed.

No. 8—J H O Stokes, J W Coleman, reappointed, Harry Hepbron, vice Jas S Harris.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

School No. 1—Thos, S Bordley, reappointed; Charles S Smith and D Arthur Bacchus, vice Wm F Russell and James W Crouch.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

No. 1—Paul Willson, James A Nelson, W. E. Parsons, vice C. C. Wood, Harry Bogle and Edward Parsons.

No. 2—R B Wilson, reappointed; Frank E. Stevens and George Whaland, vice Carroll Willson and Robt. Wickes.

No. 3—James A Casey, vice John Hersch, Thomas Ayres and T B Durding, reappointed.

No. 4—C D Wood, Singleton Bryden and Thomas A. Hudson, vice James M Wood, Thomas Price and Thomas Crouch.

No. 5—C A Leary, Sam'l Burgess, reappointed, J V Kilbourn, vice Neal Wilson.

No. 6—Jos. W. Sutton, Geo. Walbert, reappointed, Rich. Bryan, vice R. Sterling Jones.

No. 7—C L Miller, B C Legg, J Hero Kelley, vice J E Beck, Jos. Judefind and T J Rich.

No. 8—James E. Newcomb, vice Samuel E. Cannan, James D Kelle and Frank Scott, reappointed.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

No 1—James Bramble, George E Noland, James L Beck, reappointed.

No. 2—A M Kendall, T. W. Skirven, reappointed, J C Staats, vice Purnell Jump.

No. 3—Frank Crow, I F Walbert, reappointed; E P Jester vice Walter Strong.

No. 4—George Bell, W T Nicholson, W E Loud, reappointed.

No. 5—S G Lee, W B Plummer, Samuel Loller, reappointed.

No. 6—Jacob Shriley, vice Walter Frances, John Bedwell, Thomas A Conner, reappointed.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

No. 1—Allie C Loud, Rich. C Leaverton, reappointed, Edward Simms, vice Wm. Thos. Maslin.

No. 2—Edward Emory, J G Brown, Walter Trew, reappointed.

No. 3—C C Brown, Henry Brown, reappointed, W E Brown, vice W C Townsend.

No. 4—Thomas W Trew, Henry Thompson reappointed, Samuel Vickers vice Thos. J. Vickers.

SEVERAL handsome stones have been erected in Chester cemetery lately. A beautiful monument to the memory of the lamented Rev. John D. Kemp is a magnificent piece of work and fittingly marks the resting place of a noble man. A massive monument to the memory of the late Theodore E. Hayes is one of the handsomest and most conspicuous memorials in the cemetery. The general appearance of Chester cemetery is constantly improving under the personal supervision of Secretary J. H. Simpers and Superintendent Pleasanton. This is as it should be and every lot owner and interested individual should encourage the officials in every way possible.

THE St. Paul's Sewing Circle met on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. James E. Beck, near Tolchester. As usual a sumptuous supper and most delightful time was enjoyed by a large company.

DOG poisoners are playing havoc with canines in Chestertown. Four were killed one night this week. It is said that the ones killed were equal to foxes for catching chickens.

Two observant gentlemen who have just made a trip through Kent and Cecil counties say that the wheat fields of Kent are far ahead of Cecil and the prospect is for a good crop generally.

DEATH'S SHINING MARKS.

Mrs. L. Carroll Clark, Rev. E. S. Sidell and Christopher Conner Called.

Mrs. Susie Clarke, wife of Mr. Carrol Clarke, died on Wednesday at her home near Massey. She had been sick for several weeks and everything that the local physicians and consulting specialists could do was done for her, but to no avail. She was about 27 years of age and her death is a sore affliction to her family. She was a daughter of Mr. B. Frank Vansant and leaves a husband and two children, Mildred and Clifton, to mourn her loss.

Funeral services were held at her late home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Edwin Gardiner assisted by Rev. H. S. Dulaney of Asbury Md. Messrs. C. B. Dudley, Paul Comegys, G. W. and Sudler Weist, Leonard Wilson and T. A. Vansant acted as pall bearers. J. L. Smith funeral director, interment Millington cemetery. Many beautiful floral designs covered the casket. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved husband and relatives.

Chistopher Conner died Monday at his home near Cheterville. He died of heart failure. While he had been slightly sick for some time still his death was unexpected. He was a grand old man, a successful farmer and everybody's friend. He was one of the best authorities on sheep in the State having been a shepherd boy in his early life in Ireland. He lived in Cecil before he purchased the Chesterville farm about 20 years ago. He was about 85 years of age and leaves a wife and five children, viz; Thomas, Christopher, John and two daughters, all living in Kent. The funeral was held on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Dennis Church, and interment at that cemetery.

Stricken in the first few days of his residence in Philadelphia with smallpox, Rev. Elmer Randolph Sidell, a member of the Wilmington Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church died in the Municipal Hospital last Friday morning. He had been removed to that institution from the home he had established in that city eight days before. Until the end of the conference year in the present spring Mr. Sidell had been actively engaged in the ministry, being stationed at Millington, this county, but in March, at his own request he was placed in a supernumerary relation on account of ill health, consisting in an affection of the throat. He made arrangements to go into the insurance business in Philadelphia, and rented the Parrish street house as a home for his family, consisting of his wife and a son, 17 years old.

Mr. Joseph R. Apsley, 61 years old, died suddenly Monday afternoon at his home, 2023 East Baltimere street Baltimore. Mr. Apsley was born in Kent county, and when 18 years old he sailed before the mast. In 1876 he settled in Baltimore and engaged in business and was for the last 12 years connected with the C. H. Pierson Packing Company. He was a member of Patapsco Council, Royal Arcanum. He is survived by two daughters—Misses Eva M. and Edna V. Apsley, and three sons—Messrs William E, Joseph R., Jr., and Herbert C. Apsley.

New Banking House.—The Millington Bank opened its doors for business in its new home yesterday. Between 2 and 6 in the afternoon a pleasant reception was held and many were shown around the handsome building. This bank now has one of the most convenient and prettiest banking institutions on the shore. Mr. J. P. Ahern is cashier and Mr. Jos. Mallalieu teller. The outlook for the future is bright indeed for this young claimant for banking business.

School Vandals—The public school house at Catt's Corner, near Worton, was broken open last Sunday and havoc wrought to the furniture within. The teacher's desk, chairs and benches were besmirched with mud and other things to such an extent that school had to be adjourned Monday in order for the room and furniture to be cleaned and scoured.

The teachers of this school are Mr. J. W. Sutton and Miss Burtie Burchinal. The guilty parties have not yet been found, though they are suspicioned.

A Fortunate Find.—Mr. David B. Ford, of Chestertown, while riding along the public road to Tolchester last Saturday noticed a wallet lying in the road. He took possession of it and found it contained $40 in cash and other valuables. The owner was Mr. James Lake, of Baltimore, who was found on the Tolchester boat, but was totally ignorant of his loss until Mr. Ford walked up to him and presented it to him. Of course, he was surprised and happy to get it back so quick and intact. It was a fortunate find for Mr. Lake.

AN epidemic of whooping cough is prevalent in Chestertown.

FASHION decrees this spring that russet shoes with hose to match be worn and from the number seen in Kent we take it that her devotees are complying with the mandate without a murmur.

THE public road near Lankford along the Rasin farm is undergoing a much needed improvement by widening and straightening.

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