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Johnson's Store News.

HOW ABOUT YOUR DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY? I HAVE completed arrangements to buy DIAMONDS direct from one of the oldest and most reliable Diamond Cutting Houses in America. Stones that are guaranteed to be just what you select—very fine Blue, Blue White, Extra Fine White, Very Fine White or Commercial White.

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J. W. JOHNSON,

Carter Block, DENTON, MARYLAND.

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FOUR BIG DAYS.

OPENS TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th, CLOSES 19th.

FOUR DAYS PLEASURE AND INSTRUCTION.

Baby Show Open to the Four Counties. Two Classes—One year old and under, over one year old and under two. **Cash Prizes. $30.00.** Remember this Baby Show takes place Tuesday, September 17th, at noon. Only $1.00 to enter, which entitles Mother to Four Days' Ticket to the Fair. Make your entries at once. Books are now open.

Excursion from Wilmington, Delaware, and all points on the Delaware Road on Thursday, September 19th, returning will leave Easton 6 o'clock p. m. These Tickets Good For Three Days.

This Will Be The Largest Fair Ever Held. Fine Exhibits in every department. Fine Races. Special Excursions every day over the B., C. & A. R. R. Fast Races every day of the Fair.

Many New Attractions. Premiums Paid in Full For Several Years Past.

Entry Books Close September 12th.

We Want 100 Babies Entered for the First Day of the Fair.

Over 100 Fine Cattle will be on Exhibition.

You Cannot Afford To Miss This Fair. No Charge For TEAMS To Enter The Grounds.

For further information, write to

M. B. NICHOLS, Secretary.

Closing Out Stock to Quit Business

Redden & Downes, the druggists, have leased for a term of years, the Store House I now occupy, in Denton. They take possession October 15th. I have NO place to move into, so I must get out of business.

Therefore, I am now selling out at COST and less than COST, and will continue to do so until all is sold. My Stock embraces MEN'S and BOYS' SUITS and Single Pants; MEN'S and BOYS' SHOES, in all leathers—both Fine and Coarse—and GUM BOOTS, MEN'S and BOYS' HATS, Men's and Boys' UNDERWEAR, viz.: Undershirts, Dress Shirts, Work Shirts, Drawers, Socks, Neckties, Collars—in fact everything in the line of Furnishing Goods and Notions, useful to Men and Boys.

AUCTION EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

WM. A. STEWART,

DENTON, MARYLAND.

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Small Farm For Rent.

Apply to

E. W. DEEN, Denton, Md.

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Proposals for Wood.

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL BOARD, Denton, Md., July 16, 1907.

Sealed proposals, marked "Proposals for Fuel," for sufficient merchantable, well-seasoned wood, which when added to whatever may now be on the school ground, shall together make five cords for each room, will be received at this office until 2 p. m. of September 10, 1907.

The bidder must state what kind of wood he offers and, if successful in securing the award, must cord the wood in four-foot lengths on the school ground not later than October 1st. The wood must be inspected and measured by a trustee of the school, who will be required to certify to the quantity and quality on the bill for the same.

Fuel bills are payable in October.

By order,

A. W. SISK, President.

E. M. NOBLE, Secretary.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF A—

VALUABLE FARM

Under and by virtue of power and authority contained in a power of attorney from the widow and heirs-at-law of Aaron Willoughby, late of Caroline county, deceased, and now about to be recorded among the land records for Caroline county, the undersigned, as attorney in fact as aforesaid, will sell at public sale, in front of the Court House door, in Denton, Maryland, on

Tuesday, 10th day of September

1907, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m., all that farm of which the late Aaron Willoughby died seized and possessed, and upon which the widow now resides, situated in the Third election district of Caroline county, Maryland, on the road leading from Anthony's Mill-Burrsville road across to Hobbs-Ringgold Green road, adjoining the lands of Francis T. Willoughby, Frank Murphy, lands of the heirs of the late Mrs. Anna H. Downes and others, and containing

80 Acres of Land

be the same more or less. The improvements consist of a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING, with single-story kitchen attached, barn, stable, carriage-house and other necessary outbuildings, in fair repair. There is a peach orchard of about 500 trees in bearing, and other fruit for the use of the farm. About 70 acres of this land is arable and in a fine state of cultivation; the remainder is in wood and timber, and affords sufficient for the use of the farm. This farm is located within 2 miles of Hobbs, a station on the M., D. & V. R. R., and within about 4 miles of Denton, Md; is convenient to schools, church, mills, and market; of superior quality, in good state of cultivation, and offers a rare opportunity to any person desiring an investment or a home. Rents for present year reserved.

TERMS OF SALE.

The terms of sale are: One-third cash on day of sale; one-third in six months and one-third in twelve months thereafter, the deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale and be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. Title papers at the expense of the purchaser.

HENRY R. LEWIS, Attorney in Fact.

JOHN W. CLARK, Auct.

The purchaser of the above described farm can secure a reasonable loan thereon by applying to

HENRY R. LEWIS, Denton, Md.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE!

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Robert T. Nichols and Julia C. Nichols, his wife, to James B. Patton, dated December 31st, 1900, which said mortgage was duly assigned to Elmer W. Deen on the 29th day of August, 1907, by the said James B. Patton, which said mortgage and assignment are duly of record in Liber C. W. H., No. 4, folio 298, a mortgage record books for Caroline county, the undersigned, said assignee, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder in front of the Court House, Denton, Maryland, on

Tuesday, September 24,

1907, between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock p. m.

All the property mentioned in said mortgage, being all that tract of land situate and being in the Fifth election district of Caroline county, State of Maryland, adjoining the Jacob Smith land, the Brick Yard, the Nan Cook land, the Martha Nichols land, and the John T. Cohee land, containing

37½ Acres, More or Less,

and is a part of the same land that the said Robert T. Nichols and his sister inherited from their father, John Nichols.

This property is improved by a DWELLING and other necessary outbuildings.

TERMS OF SALE, CASH. Title papers at the expense of purchaser.

ELMER W. DEEN, Assignee.

JOHN W. CLARK, Auctioneer.

A reasonable loan may be obtained on the above property.

ELMER W. DEEN, Attorney-at-law, Denton, Md.

Washington College,

Chestertown, Maryland.

One Hundred and Twenty-Sixth Session Begins SEPTEMBER 18th, 1907.

The college offers four courses of study—Classical, Latin-Scientific, Scientific, (each leading to the degree of Bachelor of Arts) and Normal, leading to the Normal Diploma, which entitles the holders to teach in any county of the State without examination.

Sub-Freshman and Sub-Normal classes are maintained for the benefit of those who desire a thorough preparation. In the Collegiate Department, the elective system enables each student to select the studies suited to his particular needs.

Students are provided with good board and comfortable, well-furnished quarters. The buildings are equipped with every modern convenience—steam heat, electric lights, baths. Here students may pursue their studies in a highly moral community, amid beautiful and healthful surroundings, under careful supervision of health and habits, at very low rates.

For catalogue and other information address, JAS. W. CAIN, LL. D., President.

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Lost,

On September 1st, on the road from Smithville to Garey's Mill, a pocketbook, containing $11.35. Reward.

C. L. HENRY, Federalsburg, Md.

R. F. D.

Seckel Pears Wanted.

All persons who have Seckel Pears for sale should communicate with

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A boy to learn the drug business; good reference. Apply to

A. L. DUFFEY, Hillsboro, Md.

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Maryland Day at Jamestown Exposition

SEPT. 12 IS ALSO DEFENDERS' DAY AND "STAR SPANGLED BANNER" DAY—HISTORIC ANNIVERSARIES.

Author of "Maryland, My Maryland," to Be a Guest at the State Building—Reproduction of Charles Carroll's Famous Home Is Maryland's Edifice at the Fair. Rich Collection of Historical Paintings and Photographs Attractively Displayed.

MARYLAND DAY at the Jamestown exposition, Sept. 12, is also Defenders' day, the ninety-third anniversary of the bombardment of Fort McHenry, Sept. 12, 1814. It was on Sunday, Sept. 11, that the British fleet of seventy ships entered the Patapsco river and the next morning landed 7,000 soldiers at North Point to attack Baltimore. The story of their defeat and the death of their commander, General Ross, are matters of history, as is also the recital of their later attempt by water and subsequent repulse by the gallant patriots of Maryland. It was while temporarily detained by the British on a vessel in the river that Francis Scott Key wrote "The Star Spangled Banner." Thus Maryland day is "Star Spangled Banner" day as well as Defenders' day.

Maryland Day Programme.

The officials of the exposition and the Maryland commission have arranged a most elaborate programme to include addresses by distinguished men and the participation of the army and navy. The details were completed by Major Mallory and Lieutenant Bagby, in charge of military affairs at the exposition; Lynn R. Meekins and J. William Baughman of the Maryland commission and R. H. Sexton, director of special events.

On Maryland day, in connection with the celebration, exercises will be held in the Auditorium, at which time there will be addresses by Governor Warfield, James R. Randall of New Orleans, author of "Maryland, My Maryland;" Governor Swanson of Virginia, President Tucker and Director General Barr of the exposition and Captain Frederick M. Colton, who will also be the presiding officer.

Senator William Pinkney Whyte and Attorney General Bonaparte are also expected to be present to make short addresses. Senator Whyte will make the speech introducing Mr. Randall.

An effort is being made with some assurance of success to secure the presence on that day of Admiral Winfield Scott Schley, hero of the battle of Santiago. His old flagship, the Brooklyn, now lies at anchor off the exposition grounds.

The programme will include a number of special events for the day, including the presence of a larger number of bands than usual, a magnificent fireworks display in the evening and several free attractions on the War Path.

The railroad and steamship authorities are co-operating in arranging special rates and making preparations to handle the increased traffic.

Sept. 12 will be the biggest day at the exposition thus far.

Maryland may well be proud of having given to the nation the splendid "Star Spangled Banner," but her laurels as a song producing state do not rest upon this one grand national air alone. One of the sweetest carols of the present or past is "Maryland, My Maryland," and the whole world warbles it.

"Maryland, My Maryland."

Dear mother, burst thy tyrant's chain,
Maryland! My Maryland!
Virginia should not call in vain,
Maryland! My Maryland!
She meets her sisters on the plain.
"Sic semper!" 'tis the proud refrain
That baffles minions back amain,
Maryland! My Maryland!

The author, James R. Randall, who now lives in New Orleans, is to be the guest of the state of Maryland at the exposition for several weeks, including Old Home week and Maryland day, Sept. 12. At the exposition he will be the guest of honor, and all may have an opportunity to meet and greet him. He occupies a sure place in the affection of the people of Maryland, and they hope to persuade him to leave his New Orleans home and make his abode in "Maryland, My Maryland."

The Maryland Commission.

The fact that Maryland has made such a splendid showing at the Jamestown exposition is due to the energy, and public spiritedness of the gentlemen composing the Maryland commission to the exposition and the excellent judgment of the governor in appointing these gentlemen. Each has labored faithfully in the discharge of the duty intrusted to him.

The following are the officers of the commission: Frederick M. Colston of Baltimore, chairman; Carter Lee Bowie of Baltimore, vice chairman; Douglas H. Thomas of Baltimore, treasurer; Lynn R. Meekins of Baltimore, secretary.

The executive committee is composed of the officers and Reuben Foster of Baltimore and David G. McIntosh of Towson.

Commissioner J. William Baughman of Frederick is the host of the building.

The commission as a whole is composed of the following gentlemen: Hope H. Barroll, Chestertown; Carter Lee Bowie, Collington; Oliver D. Collins, Snow Hill; Frederick M. Colston, Baltimore; Charles A. Councilman, Glyndon; S. Frank Dashiell, Dames Quarter; Richard S. Dodson, St. Michaels; Allan Farquahar, Sandy Springs; Reuben Foster, Baltimore; William W. Goldsborough, Greensboro; John H. Jamar, Elkton; David G. McIntosh, Towson; J. Martin McNabb, Macton; Seymour Mandelbaum, Baltimore; Lynn R. Meekins, Baltimore; James W. Owens, Annapolis; W. J. Price, Jr., Centerville; Jacob Rohrback, Frederick; John B. Shannon, Frostburg; John K. Shaw, Jr., Baltimore; T. Herbert Shriver, Union Mills; Palmer Tennant, Hagerstown; Douglas H. Thomas, Baltimore; George M. Thomas, Charlotte Hall; John Warfield, Baltimore; J. William Baughman, Frederick.

This list includes the names of men following the various pursuits of life, agriculture, business and the professions, and all are representative citizens of this great state.

There is an auxiliary committee of the Maryland commission composed of leading women of the state, some of them wives of former chief executives, and they have taken a deep and active interest in their state's participation at the exposition.

Mrs. John Ridgely of "Hampton," Towson, is the chairman; Mrs. Henry W. Rogers of 1416 Park avenue, Baltimore, is the secretary; Mrs. Jesse Tyson of Baltimore is the treasurer, and Mrs. Lloyd Lowndes and Mrs. E. E. Jackson complete the list.

Charles Carroll's Mansion.

After Virginia no state plays a more important part at the exposition than Maryland, and no state building can surpass hers in the plentiful and accurate reminders contained therein of her history and traditions. Contrary to the general impression, it is not Doughoregan Manor, the home of the first Lord Baltimore, which is still in a splendid state of preservation near Ellicott City, that is reproduced, but Homewood, the stately residence of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, built in 1803 on what is now Charles street, Baltimore, and belonging at present to Johns Hopkins university.

There is such a wealth of local and historical interest in this building that it leaves one undecided as to what to describe. The house furnishings are in perfect keeping with its style of architecture, and there is an agreeable absence of anything glaring or bizarre. The stenciled curtains and hangings are all the work of Baltimore women, and numerous creditable specimens of their handiwork are in a cabinet in the hall. Over the two broad mantels in the reception hall hangs the Maryland state flag, which is taken from the coat of arms of the Calverts. There are portraits of the six Baltimores, all of them fine copies, and another picture of great interest, which is one of the originals of James Barry's allegorical engravings, representing Cecilius Calvert, second Lord Baltimore and founder of Maryland, exhibiting the laws of Maryland to Lycurgus, the Spartan lawgiver. Another imposing figure of a famous lawgiver, perhaps intended for Moses, stands in the same group, while about them are gathered the great legislators of all times and nations. William Penn, it should be said, is also a prominent figure in the central group.

Photographs of many noted Maryland houses adorn the walls of a side hall whence a stairway leads to the upper floor. Noticeable among them is Wye House, the home of the Lloyds, in Talbot county, which was built in 1660 and has never passed out of the family.

White Hall, in Anne Arundel county, another famous Maryland residence; Hampton, the home of the Ridgelys since 1783, and Deep Falls, near Cumberland, built in 1750 by Major Thomas, are also on exhibition.

In the east room are some charming sketches and paintings done by the Baltimore Water Color club, and also three cases of exquisite miniatures, the work of Miss Turnbull, Miss McCubbin and Charles Weise. Ephraim Keyser, a Maryland sculptor, has a striking bust of Cardinal Gibbons in Mr. Baughman's sanctum, and in another room one of Sidney Lanier, whose poems are at last receiving the recognition their merit deserves.

A number of the photographs shown are from the famous Mount Airy collection of the Calvert family, sold a few years ago. Some of them have never been placed on public exhibition. Others have been in the possession of the society for some years, although they have been little known to the general public.

So complete is the collection of the photographs of the portraits of members of the Calvert family that there is scarcely one extant but has its photographic reproduction on exhibition in the Maryland building.

The feature, however, that will prove most attractive to visitors at the state building is a large room in the rear which is an exact reproduction of the old senate chamber in the statehouse at Annapolis. In it are a mahogany table more than a hundred years of age which belonged to Governor Ridgely, and a harpsichord, made in London in 1789 for Charles Carroll, of itself a temptation to make one break the commandment "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's goods," for what lover of antiques can see it without longing to possess it? There are also in this apartment two cases of Indian remains, arrowheads, stone hatchets, etc., collected in Maryland by William H. Love.

Miss Mary Lynn Robbins of Cumberland, the gracious and intelligent hostess of Homewood, is ready and able to give the history of any of these exhibits and is admirably fitted for the duties she has assumed. She is assisted by J. William Baughman of Frederick.

The Maryland State building is of permanent construction and occupies a prominent position in the group of state buildings along Willoughby Boulevard, having Virginia for a neighbor on the one hand and Missouri on the other.

DISPLAY OF MARYLAND PRODUCTS AT THE JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION.

RELICS OF MARYLAND

Executive Exhibit Collected by Mrs. Hester D. Richardson.

ORIGINALS NOW FIRST SHOWN

Precious Documents and Other Things Preserved From Colonial Days Make a Showing of Vivid Interest to All Maryland People.

When the officials of the Jamestown exposition announced that history would have first place at the Tercentennial celebration Governor Warfield recognized this as an opportunity to have Maryland's early history emphasized and full justice done her first settlers by exhibiting there the memorial collection which he was making for the statehouse at Annapolis.

Realizing that a collection of this kind could be made most quickly and satisfactorily by one thoroughly familiar with the original records of the state and one who had demonstrated a desire to bring to light all that would reflect honor on Maryland, Governor Warfield issued a commission to Mrs. Hester Dorsey Richardson as special executive historian to collect and put in shape Maryland's historic data and documents.

Mrs. Richardson has faithfully discharged this duty, and as a result the Maryland building at the exposition contains the most interesting and instructive demonstrations of Maryland history ever collected.

The exhibit includes the following object lessons in Maryland history and many others:

The names of 110 of those who came in the Ark and the Dove with Governor Leonard Calvert, nearly a hundred of which names have not been published in any history.

Facsimile of original letter sent back on the Ark's return trip to England giving an account of the voyage over; also one of the receipts for the two Indian arrows paid at Windsor castle each Tuesday in Easter week by the proprietary as fealty to the king, illustrating Maryland's exemption from taxation by king or parliament as her chartered right.

The part of the "act concerning religion," insuring freedom of conscience, passed by the assembly of Maryland in the year 1649, records the fact that Maryland was at that time the only place in the known world where persons of all faiths were at liberty to worship God according to their own consciences. The autographs of those who passed the act are attached to it and are shown for the first time.

Many names of the earliest settlers for whom lands were surveyed in the twelve oldest counties, giving the name of their first surveys. This roll of honor includes over a thousand names of the progenitors of Maryland's oldest families, in many of which these original lands have descended to the present generation.

Under the head "Lords of the Manor In Maryland" are given the names of forty-six to whom were granted manors, with all the privileges of lords of the manor in England, giving the names of the manors and the acreage. These have never before been collected.

The "act against the importation of convicted persons into this province," passed 1676, is displayed to prove that Maryland had no convicts among her first settlers, as this act imposes a heavy fine on "some captains of merchant vessels" who smuggled in "several" felons and sold them for their own profit.

The act for "the founding and erecting of a school or college within this province for the education of youth in learning and virtue," April, 1671, and the act establishing King William's school, 1696, are displayed to show that Maryland passed the first act for a free school in this country and perhaps in the world.

Washington's eulogy of his aid, Lieutenant Colonel Tench Tilghman of Maryland, who bore the official news of Cornwallis' surrender from Yorktown to the congress at Philadelphia, Oct. 19, 1781.

A curious document entitled "Jeremiah Riley's scheme for destroying ships of war," sent to the council of safety about 1776, the first plan for coast defense ever considered by the council in Revolutionary times.

Photograph of the patriot, Dr. Charles Alexander Warfield, with a correct account of the "burning of the Peggy Stewart" Oct. 19, 1774.

Facsimile of "The Star Spangled Banner" and also a photograph of one of the first printed copies distributed and sung in Baltimore the day after it was written off Fort McHenry, Sept. 13, 1814. A photograph of Francis Scott Key, the author of this national song, and a St. Memin's engraving of Judge Joseph Hopper Nicholson, brother-in-law of Key, who had the words printed and set to music Sept. 15, 1814.

Photographic facsimiles of the autographs and seals of about 600 early settlers and important colonial personages, taken from original wills and other legal documents in ancient courthouses and the land office. Many show heraldic seals of interest.

Survivals of mills employed in colonial Maryland; also typical household implements used in early days in Maryland, photographed in Dorchester county by Miss Mary V. Dorsey of that county.

Photograph of superb communion service engraved with royal arms of England, presented to St. Anne's church, Annapolis, by King William III. and inscribed with his initials, W. R.

MARYLAND DISPLAY, STATES EXHIBIT PALACE, JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION.

Photograph of the memorial ring given by Queen Henrietta Maria to her maid of honor, wife of an early settler, Captain James Neale, still owned by a descendant, Mrs. Clara Earle Tilghman of Maryland.

Shown through the courtesy of the land commissioner, Hon. E. Standley Toadvin, are the many facsimiles of rare state documents.

Mrs. Richardson collected the entire executive exhibit by gleaning from original sources all that could link the individuality of the early settlers with their public acts and thus preserve to all times the names of those who braved dangers and hardships of pioneer life to help lay the cornerstone of this great nation.

MARYLAND AT JAMESTOWN.

Striking and Attractive Displays of State Products at Exposition.

The Maryland exhibit in the States Exhibit Palace at the Jamestown exposition, which Marylanders will see on Maryland day, Sept. 12, will long be remembered as one of the finest and most carefully selected horticultural displays ever shown in this country, not for the number of specimens, but for the actual quality of the exhibits themselves.

Decorated profusely with the Maryland colors, old gold and black, the booth occupies just a thousand square feet of floor space. The ceiling and the pillars supporting the ceiling are likewise gold and black, while near the center of the booth are two large colored paintings of the oriole, the emblematic bird of the city of Baltimore.

But the most pleasing and striking features of the decorations are the flowers. There are flowers everywhere. Roses, crotons and peonies in tall green vases adorn the tables and exhibit cases. Palms and boxwoods and arbor vitae plants border the exhibit, while within are dwarf cedars planted in large tubs.

In the center of the booth is the office of the superintendent, Professor Thomas B. Symons; Mrs. Symons, the hostess of the exhibit, with Mr. Symons' assistants, E. I. Oswall and E. W. Myers. This office is ten feet from the floor and is eighteen feet long by eight feet deep.

Along the front of the booth and in it are twenty-one extension tables, white with gold trimmings, on which are the Maryland apples, rated by horticulturists as among the finest in the world. Thirty-five varieties of this fruit are shown. To see these alone is well worth a visit to the building.

On each plate of fruit and, in fact, on every exhibit in the booth is a card on which are printed a map of Maryland and the variety of the exhibit, together with the name and address of the exhibitor. The locality from which the specimen was sent is designated on the top of the map by a red cross. Thus one is enabled to tell at a glance all about the specimen in question. In addition to their individual use, these cards constitute a valuable horticultural collection, inasmuch as they assign to each section of the state the fruits for which it is best known.

State Agricultural College.

At the right end of the booth is shown the exhibit from the Maryland Agricultural college. This consists of a large case containing about fifty specimens of steel, iron and woodwork, an equal number of original mechanical drawings and a large assortment of photographs showing the students, with their instructors, engaged in active experiment and test work in the laboratory and in the field.

Next there is an interesting entomology exhibit, consisting of about twenty-five specimens of the beneficial insects, with several large models devised for the study of the internal anatomy of the insects.

The college collection contains 20,000 specimens. Those sent to the exposition are to show the method of mounting and preserving, the system of classification and arrangement.

Canning Industry.

In the canning and preserving of oysters, tomatoes, peas and strawberries the state of Maryland leads the United States. In the canning of fruits and vegetables, all kinds being considered, it stands second. It packs 30 per cent of the tomatoes canned in the United States and 25 per cent of the total amount of peas.

In exploitation of this industry there are on exhibit in the Maryland booth two pyramids eight feet in diameter and fifteen feet high composed of thousands of cans of all kinds of vegetables and fruits. Then there are quantities of preserves and pickles, good to look upon and pleasant to the taste.

Professor Symons is a member of the faculty of the Maryland Agricultural college, being in charge of the department of entomology. He is the state entomologist and is secretary of the Maryland Horticultural society. Being thus versatile, he has known exactly how to arrange the various exhibits to the best advantage of the whole. He personally supervised the placing of everything in the booth and has greatly added to its beauty by weaving ropes of ivy around the windows, over the tables and through the balcony rails of the office.

Oyster Industry.

The Maryland oyster industry is represented by an exhibit sent by the state shellfish commission. It consists of numerous specimens of oysters, the exhibits being arranged according to the ages of the specimens and again according to the variety and size.

The shellfish commission was organized by Dr. Caswell Graves about one year ago, but since that time it has been the means of developing oyster beds worth millions of dollars.

In addition to the specimen exhibits, a number of pictures and maps are displayed, showing how the beds are located and developed. The whole wall at the upper end of the booth is cov-

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MARYLAND BUILDING, JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION.