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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.

Deposts.

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 everybody 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;
E. F. PERKINS, Teller,
H. T. DEAVER, Book-keeper,
Miss PALMER CARROLL,
Asst. Book-keeper.

Look at Your Clothes!

If you find that a new suit is needed come to us and look over our line of Suitings. We are making

Suits to Order

for $18.00 and up. High class Tailoring, thoroughly reliable goods and superior Fit and Finish, are the points upon which we bid for your patronage, etc.

John I. Evans,
Ladies' and Gents' ARTISTIC TAILOR,
323 High St., Chestertown, Md.

SHINGLES.

USE

Florida Cypress Shingles

IF YOU WANT THE BEST ROOF.

It is a fact in nature that durability of timber corresponds to its age.
Florida now furnishes the principal supply of Virgin Cypress, hence the Best Shingles. We have a large stock on hand.

YOU WILL FIND OUR PRICES RIGHT.

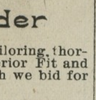
Full Line of BUILDING MATERIAL

on hand and under shedding.

Call and see us or write us.

TURNER & SON,
July 18-3t. BETTERTON, MD.

FOR RENT, 1904.



ESIRABLE HOUSE, on Queen street, one door from Maple Ave., now occupied by Mrs. Physic. This house has every modern convenience. A range in kitchen, two fire place heaters, hot and cold water on first and second floor, bath room, etc. Large yards well shaded, and a garden.
Apply to LEWIN WICKES, or
jy4-4t. Mrs. C. L. WICKES.

BUY your Harness of Geo. W. Smith. All kinds Harness and Harness Repairs.

NOTICE

OF APPOINTMENT OF

Registration and Election Officials For Kent County.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the existing Election Law of this State, the Supervisors of Election of Kent county hereby give notice that they have appointed as Judges and Clerks of Election the following named persons respectively, residing in the several election districts or precincts for which so appointed:

JUDGES OF ELECTION.

First District—First Precinct.
B. W. Duling, Dem.
C. W. England, Rep.
First District—Second Precinct.
Jacob Shallcross, Dem.
Irvin Dempsey, Rep.
Second District—Second Precinct.
Ellsworth C. Bowers, Dem.
S. J. Comly, Rep.
Second District—First Precinct.
J. Biddle Hossinger, Dem.
G. Wallace Atwell, Rep.
Third District.
James G. Harris, Dem.
William A. Crew, Rep.
Fourth District—First Precinct.
William H. Brown, Rep.
Fourth District—Second Precinct.
Charles J. Reiche, Dem.
Wilbur Eliason, Jr., Rep.
Fifth District—First Precinct.
Elmer E. Leary, Dem.
Samuel C. Willis, Rep.
Sixth District.
R. C. Morgan, Dem.
Purnell Jump, Rep.

CLERKS OF ELECTION.

First District—First Precinct.
Robert E. Porter, Rep.
First District, Second Precinct.
William Hevern, Rep.
Second District—First Precinct.
Hubbard Brinsfield, Rep.
Second District—Second Precinct.
J. Leonard Price, Rep.
Third District.
J. E. C. Biddle, Dem.
Harry Willis, Rep.
Fourth District—First Precinct.
Charles L. Dodd, Dem.
W. J. Morrison, Rep.
Fifth District—First Precinct.
Romie Stevens, Rep.
Fifth District—Second Precinct.
Luther Francis, Dem.
Richard P. Crouch, Rep.
Sixth District.
James Willis, Rep.
Seventh District.
Marshall Pinkind, Rep.

The above parties are hereby notified to appear and qualify on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4th, 1903.

The Board accepted resignations of Bradford Crew as Register and appointed Charles P. Norris in his place.

M. W. Thomas resigned in Fourth district and W. S. Carroll was appointed.

By order of
J. RAYMOND BOWERS,
D. J. McCAULEY.
JOHN C. DAVIS,
Supervisors of Election for Kent Co.
JOSIAH MASSEY, Clerk. a1-1t

TAX SALE ORDER NISI.

THOS. J. FLETCHER, Sheriff,
vs.
WILLIAM LINSDAY.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland

THE report of the sale of the real estate of William Linsday for taxes made by Thos. J. Fletcher as Sheriff for Kent county. Collecting taxes and reported by him in the above case and the proceedings therein having been read and considered and the same appearing to have been regular, and the provisions of law in relation thereto have been complied with. It is thereupon the 13th day of July, 1903, by the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland, ordered that all persons interested in the said real estate of William Linsday, sold by Thos. J. Fletcher as Sheriff, for taxes and reported as aforesaid, be and they are hereby notified, to show cause, if any they have, on or before the 15th day of September, 1903, why said sale shall not be ratified; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in the CHESTERTOWN TRANSCRIPT, a newspaper printed and published in Kent county, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 13th day of August, 1903.

JAMES A. PEARCE,
EDWIN H. BROWN.

True Copy, Test:—
JAMES T. DIXON,
jy.18-4t. Clerk.

LEWIN W. WICKES, Attorney.

ORDER NiSI.

Sallie S. Wilkins, et al,
vs.
Henrietta E. Matthews, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 7th day of July, 1903, by the Circuit Court for Kent county in equity, that the sale of the real estate mentioned in the above entitled cause, made and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, 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 14th day of September next; provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 14th day of August next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $9621.20.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:—
jy11-4t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

Chesapeake Freighting Co.'s

boat will leave 315 Smith's Wharf, Baltimore, at 6 P. M., every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY.

Chesapeake Freighting Co.
C. R. ATKINSON,
j20 Manager.

GO to Geo. W. Smith's for all kinds of Harness and Harness Repairs.

WANTED.

A BOY of 16 or 18 years of age. Must be quick, active, a good speller. Send best references.
a1-3t. TRANSCRIPT.

CAUTION NOTICE.

The privilege heretofore given the public to pass through the Rolph Farm by my lawn, having been annoyingly abused, all persons are forbidden the further use of said lane.
a1-3t W. IRVING WALKER.

FOR SALE.

Screenings, 35c. bushel; Cracked Corn, 35c.; Wheat (wet), 25c.; Hog and Cattle Feed, $13 ton; Corn Chop, $16; Hay, $11.
STANDARD MILLING CO.,
jy18-3t. 229 S. Howard St., Balto., Md.

WANTED.

A GOOD FARM OF 125 OR 150 ACRES,

conveniently situated near railroad; price $4,000 or $5,000; possession to be given January next.
HOPE H. BARROLL,
j18-tf Attorney at Law.

WANTED.

A COMPETENT GERMAN FARM LABORER, married or single, to milk and do general farm work. Good wages to right party. Apply to
jy27-3t CHESTERTOWN TRANSCRIPT.

FOR RENT.

The STORE and DWELLING opposite Stam's Hall. Also Office or Store Room recently occupied by J R. Rollison. Both located in the business section of the town.
M. WILBUR THOMAS, Agent,
j13-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

A GOOD FARM MARE for sale cheap, or will trade for colt.
ju13-tf. W. IRVING WALKER.

MOONLIGHT.

Chestertown to Queenstown,

STEAMER EMMA A. FORD,

Wednesday, Aug. 5, '03.

ROUND TRIP, 25c.

Leave Chestertown 8.30 P. M.
GEORGE WARFIELD, Prest.
JAS. E. TAYLOR, Gen'l Agent. 1t.

NOTICE!

ALL persons in Kent county having farm lands for sale can have them listed with the

GREAT NORTNERN LAND COMPANY

Free of Charge by calling on the undersigned at Pippin's Hotel during the next few days.
This company runs excursions of western land buyers to the east about every three months, and if enough desirable land in this section can be listed, an excursion will be run to the peninsula during the fall.
CHAS. I. STENGLE,
EASTERN AGENT,
a1-2t. Great Northern Land Co.

5th Annual Excursion

—TO—

Cape May.

WASHINGTON CAMP No. 13, P. O. S. of A., of Church Hill, Md., will run its Fifth Annual Excursion to Cape May on

Wednesday, Aug. 5th, 1903,

via steamer Emma A. Ford and a Special Train over the Queen Anne's Railroad.

FAIR ROUND TRIP,

$1.50 from all points on the Chester River.
$1.25 from Centreville and Queenstown.

The steamer will leave Chestertown at 7 a. m., stopping at Rolph's, Riverside, Wilmer's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Emory's, Cliff's, Bogle's and Queenstown.

Train leaves Centreville at 8.35 a. m., arriving at Cape May at 12.50 p. m. Returning, leave Cape May at 8 p. m., giving SEVEN HOURS at the ocean. This gives a splendid day's outing and a beautiful moonlight trip on the ocean from Cape May to Lewes.

The bathing at Cape May is of the best, and it is one of the most attractive resorts on the Atlantic Ocean.

COMMITTEE:

J. CARROLL CATLIN, H. V GOULD,
C. EDGAR SMITH, J. K. BROWN.
jy25-2t.

For Sale at and Below Cost.

In order to dispose of the fine stock of

Monuments & Tombstones

of the late A. J. Hynson, I will sell by the piece or as a whole the entire stock at and below original cost. This stock has all been examined by an expert and he pronounced it an excellent quality material. The stock consists of:

One Quinzy Granite Monument,
One Red Beach Granite Monument,
Two Barre Granite Monuments,
One Florence Rutland Monument,
20 Sets of Headstones,
Three Sets of Posts,
Also a Full Set of Tools.

For further information call on or address
MRS. MARY A. HYNSON,
jy24-3t Chestertown, Md.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. John T. Mason, of Wilmington, Del., spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Nelie Walker, of St. Louis, is the guest of friends in town.

Miss Gretzinger, of Talbot county, is the guest of Miss Evans at Hotel Imperial.

Mrs. Amos Weeks and son Gardner, of Baltimore, are visiting friends and relatives in the county.

Miss Grace Stewart, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hendrickson, near town.

Mrs. Taylor and son, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shinn, in Morgnec.

Mr. Chas. I. Stengle, wife and child, of Fredericksburg, Virginia, are spending some time at Pippin's Hotel. Mr. Stengle is the son of Rev. Adam Stengle, Presiding Elder of the Salisbury district, M. E. Church.

Miss Mary Sappington is the guest of friends in St. Mary's county.

Miss Addie Hurlock is spending a short vacation with Misses Daisy and Julia Nicholson, near town.

Master Millard Jones, of Easton, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Reginia Copper, near town.

Commodore J. K. Aldridge is entertaining a party of friends on his yacht "Hesperus" down the river on a fishing trip this week. Those in the party are: Rev. Dr. Thomas H. Lewis, President of Western Maryland College, and Rev. Dr. D. L. Greenfield. Capt. Thomas Storke is in command of the yacht.

Mr. Wm. B. Earle, Jr., the representative of the Orem Commission Company in Kent and Queen Anne's counties, has been visiting friends in the county the past week and looking out for the interests of his business.

Miss Eva Foxwell, of near Black's, has returned from a very pleasant visit to friends in Baltimore City.

Mr. Sam Jones, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. B. F. Fleming, on Front street.

Mr. Bordley Sappington, a former typo on the TRANSCRIPT staff, has accepted a fine position in a printing office in Washington, D. C.

Miss Daisy Barnes was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. D. Wilkison, in Baltimore, this week.

Misses Horn and Byron, of Wilmington, Del., are the guests of the Misses Reed, corner Spring and Maple avenues.

Col. Samuel L. Wright, of "Riverside," is suffering with a sprained and dislocated wrist.

Mr. Joshua Copper with his little son, visited his mother, Mrs. Copper, on High street last week.

Mr. Thomas Quimby and family, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lusby, near town.

Mrs. Hunter Davis and two interesting little boys, of Cumberland, Md., are visiting Mrs. Davis' father, Mr. Lewin S. Fowler, High street.

Mr. Wm. R. Aldridge and Richard D. Hynson, Esq., we regret to state, have been on the sick list for the past week.

Miss Mollie Goldberg, of Baltimore, and Miss Gertie Kramer, of Gratitude, Md., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Levine, on Maple Avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Covey, of Princess Anne, Md., are visiting Mrs. Covey's parents, Senator and Mrs. James H. Baker, Pomona.

Miss Palmer Carroll, the efficient assistant bookkeeper in the Second National Bank, is the guest of Miss Mary Gray, at Goldsboro, Caroline county.

Little Misss Louise Nugent is visiting Mr. William E. Parsons, on Eastern Neck Island.

Misses Philpitt and Sumans, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Ivens, on High street, have returned to Washington, D. C.

Messrs. Clyde Maslin and Hiram Jones, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Maslin.

Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Greenwood, of Rock Hall, returned to their home on Wednesday. Mrs. Greenwood was called to attend her mother, Mrs. George C. Atkinson, and while here was taken sick herself, being confined to the house for the past week.

Misses Susie and Jessie Parrott, of Baltimore, are the guests of friends in town.

Miss Jeanette Gooding, the efficient vice-principal of the Chestertown Public School, is visiting friends in Clayton, Del.

Miss Violet Beck, of Kent, and Miss Nina Roberts, of Baltimore, who have been attending the House Party at Mr. Thomas Massey's returned to Havre de Grace on Friday with Miss Sarah Penning, who has also been a guest at Mr. Massey's.

Mr. James S. Patten, of Baltimore, is visiting his family near town.

Miss Conner, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. James S. Patten, near town.

Mr. S. M. Hanway, cashier of the citizen's National Bank, of Havre de Grace, spent Sunday with the House Party guests at Mr. Thomas Massey's.

Miss Woolman, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., and wife, on Front street.

Miss Anna Stam, of the Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, is at home for two weeks.

Mrs. Percy T. McFeely and children returned to their home in New York yesterday.

Rev. E. C. Makoskey, of Buckeystown, Md., was the guest of Mr. Thos. J. Willis, in Worton, during the convention.

Miss Maude Ringgold is visiting friend in Beltsville, near Washington, D. C.

Mrs. William Moody and son Raymond are registered at Atlantic City.

Mr. George W. Powell, of Princess Anne, has been visiting friends in town this week.

Mr. Blackiston Perkins, of Philadelphia, spent a few days the past week with his family at "The Maples," the home of Mrss. Perkin's mother, Mrs. M. A. Wilkins.

Rev. Dr. J. L. Mills was the guest of Mr. John Gale during the Convention.

Mr. David Ford was taken quite ill on Wednesday, but was reported better yesterday.

Mr. George Quelet, who went to Rhode Island to visit his relatives, wrote Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard, his employer, that his mother died on Sunday last, and was buried on Wednesday. Mrs. Quelet was taken ill the evening her son reached her home.

Simeon Jester and Louis C. Robinson, of McGinnis, Queen Anne's county, have been appointed to scholarships at Washington College.

Prof. Thomas C Bruff, Group-principal of the Schools at Woodberry and Hampden, Baltimore, was in town yesterday and paid the TRANSCRIP a pleasant call.

Messrs. Lewin W. Wickes, Wm. W. Beck and Philip G. Wilmer, enjoyed a pleasant outing down the river on Wednesday and Thursday.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

Met on Tuesday and Nominated County Ticket—Harmony Prevailed Throughout the Session.

The Democratic County Convention met on Tuesday and nominated a county ticket which will be found at the head of our Editorial columns.

The convention was called to order by Mr. W. F. Russell, chairman of the County Executive Committee, who made a brief speech in which he said: "Let harmony be the motto and let the spirit of give and take characterize the spirit of this convention." The convention organized by electing Capt. Harvey Brice chairman and Mr. Charles L Miller, secretary, and Mr. Wm. A. Hague, assistant secretary.

The chairman of each district delegation was appointed a committee on credentials. They reported the following delegates as entitled to seats in the convention:

First District—J. S. Newman, Isaac Gibbs, William Jarrell, R. W. Moffett, J. C. Vansant, E. A. Scott, Thos. J. Dunn, R. G. Clift, Henry J. Gray and D. J. McCauley.

Second District—John M. Comegys, Jesse R. Copper, Wm. H. Minnock, E. C. Bowers, Wm. G. Hague, Charles S. Hill, W. H. Kelley, R. D. Hendrickson, W. S. Dill and Jos. S. Clarke.

Third District—Harvey Brice, Wm. Vansant, James S. Matthews, G. N. Cooper, John A. Duyer, Geo. W. Rash, W. H. Wheat, E. M. Bonwill, Sam'l C. Lolier and H. W. Anderson.

Fourth District—Wm. A. Smith, George W. Hatcherson, Joseph N. Wheatley, John Bell, Frank E. Duyer, Wm. L. Fowler, Paul C. Massey, Wm. E. Valliant, Elwood Whaley and George D. Lofland.

Fifth District—Wesley McClary, Clarence Hersch, James Durding, Charles L. Miller, J. A. Smith, Hugh McCloskey, Sterling Crouch, W. H. Scott, C. L. Kelley and C. D. Wood.

Sixth District—W. T. Tarbutton, J. H. Gibson, Geo. T. Hudson, Earle Nicholson, W. H. Stokes, W. B. Crew and W. J. Leaverton.

Seventh District—Wm. S. Scoon, J. G. Brown, Thomas J. Vickers, Wm. T. Maslin, Geo. Beck, B. F. Beck, W. H. McKee, Charles M. Brown, Richard Groves and J. R. Goodman.

The nomination of the ticket was then proceeded with in the following order:

State Senator—Garrett Foxwell
Register of Will—J. Elwood Morris.
Treasurer—Walter H. Haddaway.
Sheriff—Lionel J. Keyser.
Clerk—James T. Dixon.
County Commissioners—Bradford C. Dudley, Harry Davis and Alfred C. Loud.
Judges Orphans' Court—E. S. Morris, John H. Simpers and John P. Nicholson.
Legislature—Isaac Gibbs and Cecil R. Atkinson.
States Attorney—Wm. W. Beck.
County Surveyor—Milton Melvin.

The following gentlemen were then named by the convention to constitute the County Executive Committee:

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

FIRST DISTRICT.
J. B. Stevens, J. E. Ireland,
R. W. Moffett, S. G. Price.
John Dunn,

SECOND DISTRICT.
W. J. Hurlock, W. S. Dill,
E. C Bowers, Jos. S. Clark.
J. B. Hossinger,

THIRD DISTRICT.
George W. Rash, Wm. T. Clark,
John A. Duyer, Samuel Lolier,
Jas. T. Matthews,

FOURTH DISTRICT.
John Bell, Wm. F. Russell,
C. J. Reiche, C. W. Kibler.
G. W. Hatcherson,

FIFTH DISTRICT.
James Durding, Charles D. Wood,
John Smith, Charles S. Kelley.
Charles Miller,

SIXTH DISTRICT.
Wm. B. Plummer, Wm. J. Tarbutton,
John E. Morris, Jesse H. Usilton.
Thomas J. Davis,

SEVENTH DISTRICT.
George Beck, J. R. Bowers,
Wm. S. Scoone, John D. Carter.
Chas. W. Crow,

W. C. T. U.

Monday, Aug. 3rd, is Fresh Air day, the birthday of Lady Henry Somerset, which will be observed on the green at Salem church, at 3 o'clock. Each member is requested to attend and upon roll call to respond by some item of Lady Henry's life, address or temperance item; also to invite as many of her friends as she will provide with cake. After the exercises ice cream and cake will be served. PRESS SUPT.

Fairlee W. C. T. U. special meeting at Salem M. E. Church was well attended. Election of officers resulted in the re-election of those of last year. The president, Mrs. Minnie Bramble, declining to serve, others were substituted without success; the county president, Mrs. L. M. Corey, finally consenting to fill the position upon the condition that Miss Annie Leaverton assist her in the capacity of vice-president. Mrs. V. Skirven was appointed superintendent of Non Alcholic Medication, Mrs. Maud Willis, superintendent Flower Mission. Superintendent of other departments: Franchise, Mrs. E. A. Nicholson; Literature, White Ribbon and Union Signal, Miss Mabel Nicholson; Sunday school and contest, Mrs. Legg; Parlor Meetings, Mrs. John Morris; Almshouse, Miss Annie Leaverton; Mother's Meeting, Mrs. Statts; Press, Mrs. L. M. Corey; Loyal Legion, Miss Ida Hudson. It was decided to appoint a superintendent who was to arrange for a portion of the time at every meeting for the young people. PRESS SUPT.

Miss Arsula Moffett has resigned her position as teacher of Flatland School, near town. Miss Moffett has accepted a position in Prince George's County. Miss Bessie Nicholson is an applicant for Miss Moffett's position.

OBITUARY.

MRS. LEMUEL HUBBARD.

Mr. Thomas R. Hubbard received a telegram yesterday morning announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. Lemuel Hubbard at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank A. Willis, in Easton on Thursday evening. Mother Hubbard, as she was familiarly known to her many friends in Easton, had recently passed her 96th year, and had been confined to her bed for some time on account of the ravages of age. Notwithstanding her extreme age her mental faculties were well preserved. Mother Hubbard had been totally blind for some years and was entirely dependent upon the ministrations of her loving and devoted daughter, Mrs. Willis. For many years she had been a consistent member of the Methodist Protestant Church, and her sweet Christian character and lovable disposition had made her especially beloved by the entire community in which she had lived. Her son, Mr. T. R. Hubbard, had left town yesterday morning for a vacation of a month's duration, via Tolchester, when the telegram reached town. A telephone message was sent to him at Tolchester, and he and his son Wilbur went to Easton from Baltimore. The telegram also stated that Mrs. Willis' son Harvey, who had been ill for some time, died during the afternoon. Surely the hand of death dealt heavily with that household, and Mrs. Willis who is well-known in Chestertown, together with the other relatives, has the sympathy of the entire community.

MRS. MAGGIE HABERLANDER.

Mrs. Maggie Haberlander died at the home of her husband, Mr. George Haberlander, on High Street, last Sunday morning, after a lingering illness of dropsy, aged 49 years. Mrs. Haberlander was a daughter of the late Peter and Mary McGehan and granddaughter of the late Michael and Anne Logue, formerly of Baltimore city. Funeral services were held on Tuesday morning, Father McNamara officiating. Interment was in Chester cemetery. The pall bearers were: Thomas B. Elliott, Sir Walter Rawleigh, Wm. F. Mahlon, Arthur Green, John A. Russell and Harry Hodgkins. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of funeral arrangements.

MAHLON CHRISTOPHER SHUSTER.

The funeral services of Mr. Mahlon Christopher Shuster, whose sad death was recorded in the TRANSCRIPT last week, were held in the Methodist Episcopal church on Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. Asbury Burke, of Wilmington, Del., officiating, assisted by Rev. E. P. Roberts, Chestertown. Mr. Shuster's remains were accompanied to Chestertown by the I. O O. F. and Good Samaritan Lodges, of Wilmington, of which the deceased was a member. Fellows from these orders acted as pall bearers. Interment was made in Chester cemetery. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements. The bereaved wife and children have the sympathy of the entire community in their great affliction.

AFTERMATH OF THE EKLS AT TOLCHESTER.

Some of the colored waitresses were a source of great amusement to the Elks at Tolchester last week. One old colored woman was standing near the fountain in the park, and a number of the order, out for a good time, espied her. Several of them approached the old waitress, lifted her up bodily, pulled off her shoes and stockings and dumped her into the fountain. The old woman shivered and shook and thought her time had come. After much spluttering and remonstrance, she was lifted from the basin and while she was putting on her shoes and stockings one of the Elks handed her $18, which he had collected from his fellows. The old woman looked at the money and then at the men, and when she realized what had happened she exclaimed: "Boss, put me in ag'in."

On the way over to Tolchester one of the Elks saw a young man standing in the forward cabin of the Louise. The young man was stylishly dressed and was wearing a fine Panama hat. The Elk approached the young man, pulled off his Panama hat and deliberately cut the crown out of it. Of course the young man was extremely indignant, and in no uncertain tones gave the Elk to understand that he had taken too much liberty. "What is your hat worth?" asked the Elk. "Twelve dollars, and not a cent less," said the young man, whereupon the Elk took twelve dollars out of his pocket and gave it to the young man. Now had that been a Kent county young man, he would have said $20 instead of $12 and would have been perfectly justified in doing so.

Certain young ladies of Chestertown were at Tolchester on Elk Day, and started across the fields for a stroll. As they proceeded toward the bay shore, they espied an object moving along among the bushes in supposedly a cautious manner. Upon close observation they found the moving object to be a man, and he seemed to be full of blood and to be in the throes of another man. The young ladies were certain that a murder was being committed, for they could see the blood on the man's shirt, and another man on his back beating the life out of him. Their first thought was to turn back and spread the report that a murder was being committed. The braver of the two, however, proposed further investigation, and finally succeeded in getting her companion sufficiently near to see what it all was. What was it? Why, only one of the Elks, with his coat across his shoulder, and a bunch of red flowers in his hand, moving among the bushes picking blackberries.

*†*The Printers' Atheletic Club, of Chestertown, and the Galena base-ball team crossed bats on Saturday afternoon on the College campus. The game resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 11 to 10.

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