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SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 12, 1917

FOOD PREPAREDNESS.

Great and momentous times are, for the first time since the Civil War, again confronting the nation. The resources and savings of years of peace are again being pledged to the prosecution of war, more gigantic and more relentless than any war that has been fought in the history of mankind.

Not all of us are chosen, however, to fight this great war with gun and saber, or by blood purchase. Some must stay behind to pledge all that they possess in the effort to produce enough food to keep the valiant soldiers fed and their babes and wives at home from starvation. Our beautiful land of unlimited resources must be made to show its prowess in agricultural production, so that none within her boundaries shall feel the pangs of hunger and the degrading influence of poverty.

It is your solemn duty to produce and conserve all of the food that it is possible to produce and conserve. No matter how small the garden or how tiny the numer of pounds saved from waste, concerted effort will produce a potential weapon against our most dangerous enemies, hunger and food riots.

In choosing what things to grow in the gardens, it should be borne in mind that the crops to be consumed at once such as lettuce, radishes, melons, etc., are to occupy only the most limited space, while crops that can be dried, cooked, steam processed or cellared should be grown as abundantly as possible.

The vegetables that are most readily preserved by cooking or steam processing are, Peas, Sweet Corn, Tomatoes, Spinach, Swiss Chard and Cucumbers. Beets, Carrots and String beans may also be put up in this way, either pickled or in brine. Rutabagos, Turnips, Celeriac, Parsnips, as well as Carrots and Beets, may simply be placed in a cool cellar, in bins of dry sand, where they will retain their wholeness until the late spring. Cabbages, Chinese Cabbage, Brussels Sprouts and Kohlrabi may be placed in the cellar with the heads down and covered with sand, taking care that they do not touch each other, but that each is entirely surrounded with a layer of sand. String Beans and Cabbage may, of course, be preserved by the fermentation method in the form of saurkraut. Parsley, Sage, Thyme, Marjoram, Summer Savory, Basil, and Celery leaves should be dried in a cool room, preferably dark, with an abundance of circulating air. For this purpose they should be spread on newspapers in thin layers and turned frequently, or they may be tied in small bunches and suspended from a line until thoroughly dry when they should be packed in air tight boxes, such as baking powder tins, etc. In gathering cabbages and the other herbs, care should be taken that they are free from dew and other moisture as this would cause moulding and rotting. Okra or Gumbo is not much known in the North. It, however, makes an excellent and nourishing addition to soups and tomatoes. This can be dried by cutting into quarters lengthwise and subjecting to sunlight or other gentle heat and plenty of air. The same is true of Sweet Corn which must be cut from the cob and dried as rapidly as possible. If this corn is soaked for several hours and boiled in milk with a piece of butter with pepper and salt added, it is quite equal if not superior to canned corn.

Parsnips may be left in the ground all winter and used in the early spring before growth commences. They will be found more tender and delicious at this time on account of the freezing they have passed through.

All of the vegetables and herbs here mentioned are of the easiest culture requiring only medium quality soils to produce fair crops. They should be kept free from weeds, and constantly cultivated. Any special fertilization or cultivation will be well repaid, however, by heavier yields and more tender products.

Weeds in fence corners and out of the way places should be treated by spraying. This should be made a community proposition, as concerted action is needed to insure results. Close attention to the above outline will result in a vastly increased food supply during this coming winter, besides furnishing the table with a number of delightful dishes which have only too often been absent in the American household.

Poor Crab Crop In Prospect.

Queen Annes county watermen are of the opinion that the crab crop this year will be unprecedentedly short. Indications are that there will be no early run, and that late in the season crabs will be very scarce.

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Hochschild, Kohn & Co.
Baltimore, Md.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—

THE STEVENSVILLE BANK OF MD.

at Stevensville, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business May 1st, 1917.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$97,[illegible]
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	4,291 34	
Mortgages and Judgments of Record	1,250 00	
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve	65 70	
Due from approved Reserve Agents	5,012 50	
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:	4,150 31	
Total		$92,[illegible] 44

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		5,000 00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses, Interest and Taxes paid		992 94
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		1,546 07
Deposits (demand) Subject to check		56,202 60
Deposits (time) Savings and Special		20,027 73
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed		12,000 00
Total		$92,[illegible] 64

State of Maryland, County of Queen Annes, ss.
I, Wm. E. Denny, President of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. E. DENNY, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1917.
G. O. CALLAWAY, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—

THE SUDLERSVILLE BANK OF MD.

at Sudlersville, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business May 1st, 1917.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$272,767 00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		94 58
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc		46,550 34
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		11,916 00
Mortgages and Judgments of Record		6,000 00
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		116 76
Due from Approved Reserve Agents		31,644 41
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:		
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	$4,000 00	
Gold Coin	1,122 50	
Silver Coin	1,200 00	
Nickels and Cents	255 56	6,578 06
Total		$369,672 33

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in		$10,000 00
Surplus Fund		20,000 00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses, Interest and Taxes paid		2,420 26
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		5,720 86
Deposits, demand Subject to Check		113,480 68
Deposits (time) Savings and Special		218,709 53
Total		$369,672 33

State of Maryland, County of Queen Annes, ss.
I, John E. George, President of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN E. GEORGE, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1917.
JOHN F. STOKES, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
W. O. THOMAS,
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—

THE CHURCH HILL BANK

OF MARYLAND

at Church Hill, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business May 1st, 1917.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$169,755 00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		65 36
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc		17,055 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		4,000 00
Mortgages and Judgments of Record		7,154 54
Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		1,167 35
Checks and other cash items		6 00
Due from approved Reserve Agents		9,202 51
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
U. S. Currency and National Bank Notes	$4,100 00	
Gold Coin	275 00	
Silver Coin	400 00	
Nickels and Cents	195 94	4,970 94
Total		$213,357 03

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in		$50,000 00
Surplus Fund		10,000 00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses, Interest and Taxes Paid		6,169 55
Due to National, State and Private Banks and Bankers and Trust Companies, other than reserve		1,322 56
Deposits (demand) Subject to check	106,727 56	
Certified Checks	34 31	
		96,761 87
Deposits (time) Savings and Special	373,790 03	73,790 03
Total		$148,247 03

State of Maryland, County of Queen Annes, ss.
I, Nelson J. Brown, Cashier of the above-named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NELSON J. BROWN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, 1917.
WM. L. HOLTON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
J. W. BENEY,
J. E. NEWNAM,
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The Queen Anne's National Bank
OF CENTREVILLE

NO. 2341

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE CENTREVILLE NATIONAL BANK

(OF MARYLAND)

at Centreville, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business May 1st, 1917.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$144 25	$144 25
Overdrafts, secured		19 25
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	19,000 00	19,000 00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	124,927 42	124,927 42
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent. of subscription)		4,500 00
Banking House		32,000 00
Furniture and fixtures		4,733 57
Due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	$ 5,217 09	
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	48,180 64	53,397 73
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than above)		9,926 09
Fractional currency, nickels and cents		422 40
Notes of other National banks		2,555 00
Federal Reserve notes		420 00
Lawful reserve in vault and with Federal Reserve Bank		66,327 80
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		950 00
Premium on bonds purchased		681 25
Total		$1,110,373 07

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$75,000 00
Surplus fund		75,000 00
Undivided profits	$41,910 40	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	5,518 12	
		36,392 28
Circulating notes outstanding		15,800 00
Due to banks and bankers (other than above)		6,976 68
Dividends unpaid		30 00
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check		269,677 19
Certified checks		237 57
Time deposits (payable after 30 days or subject to 30 days or more notice):		
Total demand deposits	$390,914 76	
Other time deposits		640,259 35
Total of time deposits	640,259 35	
Total		$1,110,373 07

State of Maryland, County of Queen Anne's, ss:
I, J. Fletcher Rolph, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. FLETCHER ROLPH, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, 1917.
W. COOKMAN ORRELL, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct attest:
JAMES E. KIRWAN,
ALFRED GREEN,
JAMES BROWN,
Directors.

NO. 3206

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE QUEEN ANNE'S NATIONAL BANK

OF CENTREVILLE

at Centreville, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business May 1st, 1917.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$320,285 20	
Total Loans		$320,285 20
Overdrafts, secured	189 28	189 28
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	19,000 00	19,000 00
Securities other than U. S. Bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged		85,427 00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		3,150 00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)		11,328 00
Furniture and Fixtures		1,854 00
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	22,416 20	22,416 20
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 or 20)		10,523 20
Outside checks and other cash items	9 28	
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	64 66	73 94
Notes of other national banks		125 00
Lawful reserve in vault and with Federal Reserve Bank		28,182 06
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		950 00
Total		$512,654 39

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$75,000 00	
Surplus fund	30,000 00	
Total capital and surplus		$105,000 00
Undivided profits	18,278 15	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	3,672 31	
		14,605 84
Circulating notes		19,000 00
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 29 or 30)		2,597 93
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check		115,581 80
Certified checks		11 07
Total demand deposits	115,592 87	
Other time deposits		236,857 75
Total of time deposits	236,857 75	
Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank, including all obligations representing money borrowed, other than rediscounts		20,000 00
Total		$513,654 39

State of Maryland, County of Queen Anne's, ss:
I, J. Lemuel Roberts, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. LEMUEL ROBERTS, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, 1917.
W. L. HOLTON, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:
WALTER T. WRIGHT,
H. B. W. MITCHELL,
J. FRANK HARPER,
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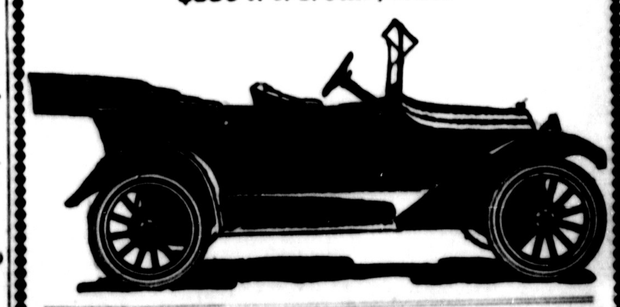

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