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Kent News.

SATURDAY MORNING.....JULY 11, 1885.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE.

THE ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES—MR. CONRAD'S ADDRESS—THE FOUR GRADUATES—BEAUTIFUL FLORAL TRIBUTES AND SUBSTANTIAL PRESENTS, &c.

The commencement exercises of Washington College—one of the most venerable of Maryland's educational institutions, located on a beautiful eminence overlooking Chestertown — were held this week. Only a few visitors from abroad were present. The weather was extremely warm, the blazing July sun pouring down its hot rays on commencement day and the heated atmosphere of the evening previous, when the anniversary meeting was held, rendered the commingling of a crowd and formal exercises anything but pleasant. The season certainly was unfavorable for a hearty participation in meetings even of so important a character as these. Yet the people were present to the utmost capacity of the courthouse in which the exercises were held.

The Society Address.

The annual address before the Mt. Vernon Literary Society was delivered by Henry C. Conrad, Esq., of Wilmington, Del., on Tuesday evening. Mr. George E. Wood, of Queen Anne's county, presided, and the opening prayer was offered by Rev. J. D. Kemp. Mr. Conrad is a very pleasant speaker, of splendid physique and remarkable gray hair for a man of only thirty-three years. He is a leading lawyer of Delaware, with some experience as a journalist, and was recently the Republican candidate for mayor of Wilmington. His address was a most excellent one.

After a few opening remarks, in which the Society was complimented, the speaker proceeded to discuss the question "Is Life Worth Living." After touching upon the discouraging side of life and showing how life is made miserable by reason of sin and death and the many failures of men in the path of duty, he contended that life contained more of good than evil, and proceeded to point out the agencies by which the most can be got out of life and drew a striking picture of the dignity and importance of human existence. He congratulated the young men on living in this year of progress and advancement in free America where civilization had reached an incomparably higher point than that reached in the "Golden Age" of Greece or Italy. He dwelt upon the dignity of labor, the reward that earnest work and patient action must ever bring, and pointed out that by reason of prosperity, in which all classes of society share, can the greatest value be given to life. He suggested that the people of today were not content with the wages of their grandfathers, and made a telling hit at our Kent county railroad, which met with a ready response on the part of the audience. Money-making was not the most important factor in life; to build a character, rounded and beautiful, which should help men to better and higher lives and live in the memory of men after the end of life was of greater importance, and life was worth the living because of man's immortality. Mr. Conrad's closing remarks were directed particularly to the members of the society. "To live uprightly and purely in this age is no play," said the speaker, "and the young man who resolves to do it must put himself like a fencer, on guard." Do well your part, in that the honor lies. Be true, be earnest, be heroic. Be not discouraged if the measure of success desired does not reach you. Men have been lured to destruction by the glitter of success. Some will gain honor and fame and fortune, but others, serving perhaps as well, will have to stand and wait, content with being second.

THE COMMENCEMENT.

Tuesday morning the court-room was again crowded with an intelligent and appreciative audience. The Kent Cornet Band was present with sixteen pieces, and discoursed excellent music. Prof. W. J. Rivers, the principal of the college, with Profs. Bardeen and Twiford, were present of the faculty, and Judge Wickes, president of the board of visitors, and a half-dozen members of the board, had seats upon the platform.

The exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. S. C. Roberts, after which the Latin Salutatory was delivered by Mr. George E. Wood, of Queen Anne's county.

Mr. Mobray's Address.

Mr. R. W. Mobray, of Dorchester county, had for his subject, "Can Any Form of Government be Made Perpetual?" The speaker first considered the three forms of government from which all others sprang — monarchial, aristocratic and democratic—and discussed the claims of each. He thought a solution to the problem of advantage was found in the modern system of representation, and to this all civilized communities are tending. There has always existed a protest against the principle of absolutism; and this in connection with that instinctive sense of honor and reason which dwells in every human breast. The race of humanity has ever loudly proclaimed that the right of sovereignty whether invested in one or many is an intolerable evil. Political rights well distributed in the nation are the essential conditions of representative government. Political liberty like science is most dangerous when incomplete. It is an old maxim that "every generation grows weaker and wiser." Civilization advances with wisdom. As we are fast approaching a high degree of civilization we cannot be far from an era of perfect government. With a little pruning of our great model we shall have what may be termed a perpetual government. But all the arguments for the affirmative imply conditions which have never been entirely fulfilled in any case and probably will not be for centuries to come. In the existence of two or more political parties lies the most sure safeguard of the people.

Mr. John N. Roberts,

of Kent county, discussed "Recent Territorial Aggrandizement." He declared that the spirit of national aggrandizement and imperial ambition, which once deluged Europe with blood, has revived, and nearly every corner of the inhabited earth feels its momentous influence. The cloud of war hangs over us with imminent and menacing aspect. Russia pushes forward impelled, as she pleads, by "imperious necessity," and will continue until halted by some boundary natural or artificial. By fraud, by dissimulation, by breaking her most solemn pledges she accomplishes her greedy designs. And now there stand face to face the two most powerful nations of the earth—Russia offensive; England defensive. The mode of taking territory which some nations adopt is similar to that of a certain settler who ascended a lofty height in Australia and scanning the fertile plain before him he raises his hands and cries with characteristic modesty, "All the land that I see I claim for myself, and all that I don't see I claim for my son Tom." What can we imagine in the future from the protracted and uninterrupted turmoil which the world has lately experienced. One nation ravages another with a cynical disregard of justice. In this enlightened age a more pleasing picture would be not the strong taking advantage of the weak, but international goodwill, impartial justice and reciprocal forbearance.

Mr. Harry L. Dodd

had for his subject, "Final Coincidence of Religious and Scientific Truth." Reference was made to man's superior faculties for tracing causes and their effects, the improvement in qualities for perception of truth. From the underlying principles of ancient mythology, imagination and human invention, a change was effected by accumulating *facts* concerning nature and her forces and not assumed causes. An excuse for the error of the Greeks and Romans can only be made when we consider that imagination is the first faculty developed in the infancy of mankind. Antiquity is the childhood of civilization. A truer interpretation of the supernatural is reached when imagination gives place to reason. True religion owes its stability to the abolishment of myths and the recognition of one Supreme Being, which reason and knowledge confirm. Science is opposed to religion only when it is indiscriminately abused by men who would perpetuate their names by presenting theories absurd as those found in the old time myths. From the very meaning of the word "science" we know it to be, in its true application, the helper of religion. But it requires a higher faculty than mere imagination, just as conception of realities or true science exceeds ancient mythology. The opposers of science claim that progress of civilization in heathen lands is not accomplished by education to principles, which coincides with those found in progressive philosophy. But such is really the case. This very fact that they are being educated conveys to us the additional fact that their inert powers of mind are being developed, to refer things to their causes. But those mysteries he cannot understand the reasonable man will refer them to the volition of a greater mind, that intelligent "first cause," whereas the so-called scientist because he cannot comprehend them, because the spiritual does not effect the external senses, rejects everything save his self-sufficiency and arrogance. In perceiving the coincidence of these classes of truths he concludes that true science and religion are closely allied, they spring from the same source—the great Law-giver is also the Legislator of the soul, subjecting matter to an irresistible necessity and imposing upon man necessities which force and guide his will. He further concludes that there is not a material object of nature or reflection of man that is not in close connection with God—as both are referred to Deity they necessarily come together.

Mr. George E. Wood

discussed the "Intellectual Power of Man as Displayed in his Achievements." After traveling over the field of great accomplishments he considered the powers of the individual intellect; capable of development to an astounding degree it is nevertheless limited in its scope and power—one failing in capacity for one kind of knowledge, another similarly defective in regard to some other branch. But when we consider mental power in its collective sense its magnitude and achievement is forcibly presented to our admiring gaze, and we are ready to exclaim: Where is the limit to this victorious power of the mind? These properties of the mind he regarded as among the most convincing evidences outside of Divine revelation of its immortality. While to intellectual power in the aggregate as well as in the individual there are limits, points beyond which the mind's investigation cannot penetrate, yet the potency of its power and the grandeur of its triumphs prove its strength and might and point to grander and more extensive victories in the future. There is abundant reason to believe that in the immortal state the mind will be ever widening and expanding while the ceaseless cycles of eternity shall roll.

Each of the graduates was appreciatively applauded, and each was overwhelmingly complimented with bouquets. Besides the large supply of flowers, the class received numerous other presents, some of which were valuable books, gold pens and one received a fine gold watch.

Certificates for proficiency were conferred by the principal on the undergraduates, and the gold medal from the visitors and governors was given to Mr. Rowland Watts, of Cecil county, as the student of the junior class most distinguished for industry and progress.

The valedictory address was delivered by Mr. R. W. Mobray. The baccalaureate degree was conferred upon the four graduates by the principal, and the audience dismissed with benediction by Rev. W. R. Graham.

ROLL OF MERIT.

Following are given the names of those students who attained distinction in their classes during the past year:

Students distinguished by attaining the first division or an average of 75 per cent. at the intermediate or final examination,—

Seniors—Messrs. H. L. Dodd, R. W. Mobray, J. N. Roberts and G. E. Wood in terence and lectures on Latin literature, moral philosophy, chemistry, physiology, German (and Mr. Mobray in French), analytical geometry, political economy.

Juniors—Messrs. W. J. Bratten, W. M. Culp, R. Garey, E. R. Jump, A. W. Rivers and R. Watts, in Horace, English literature, surveying and navigation, French, Greek literature, physics, astronomy; Messrs. Culp, Garey, Jump, Rivers and Watts, in logic; Messrs. Garey, Rivers and Watts, in Tacitus and Cicero *de Senectute* and *de Amicitia*; Messrs. Culp, Garey, Jump, Rivers and Watts in Memorabelia and Plato; Mr. Watts in Latin prose composition; Messrs. Culp, Garey, Jump and Watts in German; Mr. Gunby in Greek and English literature; Mr. J. L. Wethered in geometry, surveying and navigation and book-keeping.

Freshmen—Messrs. F. G. Usilton, G. M. Vansant, H. W. Vansant, J. C. Brown, M. S. Councill, J. L. Smith in Virgil, rhetoric, English composition, Cicero's Orations; Messrs. Vansant, Brown, Councill and Smyth in Anabasis and Homer; Messrs. Usilton, H. W. Vansant, Councill, Smyth and Brown in geometry, surveying and navigation.

Preparatory class—Messrs. F. Flounders, I. L. Twilley, E. F. Catlin, W. F. Russell, R. H. Murphy, J. C. Wickes, W. S. Walker, Jr., F. B. Dalton, S. F. Miles in algebra, compositions and written translations; Messrs. Flounders, Twilley, Russell and Wickes in history of England and general history and Mr. Walker in history of Maryland and of the United States; Messrs. Twilley, Flounders, Russell, Wickes, Walker, Miles in Latin grammar and reader; Messrs. Flounders, Twilley, Russell, Catlin in Greek grammar; Messrs. Dalton and Wickes in book-keeping; Messrs. Walker and Dalton in arithmetic.

Letter from Fairlee.

Messrs. Editors Kent News:—The monotony of our little village was broken on the 4th by the arrival of one of your Chestertown base ball clubs, L. Wickes, captain, to play against our Fairlee nine. With timidity our boys were the first to take the bat and owing to their extreme nervousness was sent to the field with 2 runs. The Chestertown boys took the bat and with apparent ease scored 5 runs. Again our nine took the bat but lo! they were sent to the field without a score. In came the Chestertown boys with elastic steps and added 2 to their score. Again our nine came in and were compelled to reire without a score. At this time the spectators were getting reticent and grave and when the Chestertown nine came in for the third inning they were sent back without a run, "Our boys" now saw a faint gleam of hope and rushing to the bat succeeded in adding 4 to their score and continued to add while keeping the Chestertown boys from making a run, finally, after 2½ hours of hard work, our boys came off victorious with 1 run; not content with beating your nine they repared to the Beach and succeeded in finishing up two nines from the lower part of our county. "Our boys" are yet jubilant and will play any club of Kent on their own ground for championship. CENTRAL.

Sweet Potato Plants in Blossom.

WILL SOME ONE EXPLAIN?

ROCK HALL, July 3, 1885.

Messrs. Plummer & Usilton:—I send you a plant from my sweet potato patch, which you will see is in *blossom*, the entire patch is either in or about to blossom. Old farmers tell me this is unprecedented; that they never knew or heard of such a thing. The plants were clean, bright roots, known as "poplar roots." Mr. T. D. Glenn, a neighbor, planted some of the same lot, and his are in blossom also. They resemble the morning glory, only smaller. Can you not inform me through your columns why this is so? and perhaps some of your correspondents can throw some light on the subject. If they can they will greatly oblige

yours, truly, SPENCER HARRIS.

THE Federalsburg *Courier* says: "The colored voters of Dorchester county will demand a mixed ticket of the Republican convention the coming fall, and threaten to put an independent ticket of their own in the field. They poll eighteen hundred out of a total of twenty-five hundred Republican votes in that county."

DIED.

In Chestertown, July 3, after a long illness, EDWARD LAMBERT, aged about 56 years.

BALTIMORE MARKET.—The Baltimore papers of yesterday quote as follows:

WHEAT—Longberry $1.00@$1.00.; Fults, 94@96 for fair to good. CORN—White, prime, 64@63; yellow, 56@56. OATS—39.

A MARYLAND FRA DIAVOLO.

The Bold Burglar who Wooded the Belle of Laurel.

Baltimore Morning Herald.

William B. Brooks, a handsome young man about 25 years of age, visited Laurel, Prince George's county, Md., about the 1st of September, 1884, and, after a seven-months courtship, married on April 1 last Miss Mollie Dennison, daughter of Mr. John Dennison. On last Saturday morning Brooks was arrested on a charge of being a horse-thief. The officers soon made it apparent that the bridegroom is also a burglar and probably a bigamist. Brooks is a fine-looking fellow, with large blue eyes, brown curly hair and mustache. He is about five feet, eight inches high and weighs about 145 pounds. He was born on the Rappahannock river, a few miles from Fredericksburg, Va. He is of good parents and thoroughly educated.

About four years ago he made the acquaintance of Mr. Thomas Dennison, a wealthy farmer and brother of Mr. Dennison, of Laurel, residing at Geeseberry Point, on the Potomac river, not many miles from Washington. While there he met Miss Millie Dennison, of Laurel, a sister of Miss Mollie, who was visiting her uncle. Brooks was at that time paying his attentions to Mr. Thomas Dennison's daughter, but soon it was apparent that he had become infatuated with Miss Millie. In a few weeks Miss Millie returned to her home in Laurel. Last autumn Brooks paid a visit to the Dennisons at Laurel, and, as Miss Millie's friend, he was very cordially received. He remained at the house for some time as a guest, but afterward determined to make his home there, and insisted on paying board. He told Mr. John Dennison, father to the young girl, that he was owner and captain of the schooner William Anderson, and that he was engaged in the oyster business. He had not been a resident of Laurel many weeks before his affection took another course, and he seemed to lose all interest in Miss Millie. He transferred his attentions to Miss Mollie, the eldest daughter, and the recognized beauty of the place.

In the meantime Brooks' easy manner, pleasing ways and handsome countenance had made him a general favorite among the people, and his company was much sought after.

Every few days he would get up in the middle of the night, saying that he intended to catch the midnight train for Baltimore, where he had business to transact. Sometimes he would return between the hours of 2 and 3, and as an excuse would say that he missed the train.

In the early part of 1885 Brooks asked Miss Mollie to be his wife. The wooing of the couple had been very smooth and happy, and the young girl scarcely 18 years of age, consented. Owing to the death of Mr. Dennison, a quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride on April 1.

About the middle of May, just prior to the wedding, Laurel was thrown into a state of excitement, caused by a series of bold burglaries. The county officers worked night and day trying to penetrate the mystery that excited the wonder of every villager. Night vigils were established, but the robberies continued for six weeks.

Not the slightest clue could be obtained as to the perpetrator of these robberies, until the arrest was made on Saturday, when it was found that William B. Brooks was none other than William Harrison alias James H. Wilson, well known as a horse thief to the authorities in Washington and this city. This discovery was made by Detective Edelin, who was detailed to work up a robbery at the house of Mr. Thomas Dennison at Geeseberry Point. There he obtained a description of Brooks, which corresponded with that of a photograph of the horse thief which the detective carried in his pocket.

Brooks evidently made considerable money in some way, as he was always "flush," dressed neatly, and, about two weeks ago, rented one of the prettiest cottages on the main avenue, and furnished it in costly style from cellar to garret. He and his bride intended to occupy the building in a week or so. Detective Edelin states that he has almost positive proof that Brooks has a wife and child living in Virginia, near his old home. Having been kept busy working up other charges, the detective has laid aside the bigamy feature for a time.

It was stated yesterday that Brooks' young bride would sue for a divorce.

A Word from Dr. Phelps.

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je27-3t. W. G. PHELPS, D. D. S.

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jy4-3t. W. B. TURNER.

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July 4, 1885. Chestertown.

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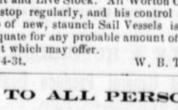
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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT

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On Wednesday, June 3, and thereafter DAILY until further notice, the

Steamer Emma A. Ford

WILL LEAVE

Chestertown at 6.30 A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Grey's Inn, Queenstown and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 11.40 A. M. Returning will leave Baltimore at 2.30 o'clock P. M., making all the above landings.

The Steamer CORSICA will leave Crumpton every Tuesday and Thursday at 5 o'clock p. m., and on Saturday at 12 m., for Baltimore, Spry's, Deep Landing, Round Top, Chestertown, Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Centreville (via Corsica creek).

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Returning, will leave Pier 7 Light st. wharf at 11 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, making the above landings.

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May 30, 1885. President.

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Steamer Trumpeter,

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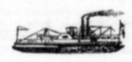
Will leave Buck Neck every day, (except Sunday,) at 8.30 A. M. and Baltimore at 4 P. M., stopping at all the landings on the creek. Passengers will have five (5) hours in Baltimore, and arrive at Buck Neck at 7 P. M. Stages will connect with the boat daily at Buck Neck for Chestertown. Mr. Charles H. Davis will have charge of the stages.

WM. CUNDIFF,

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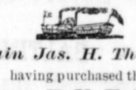
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July 4, 1885. Captain.

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June 27, 1885-3m.

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Road Examiners' NOTICE.

THE undersigned by virtue of a commission to them issued by the Hon. County Commissioners of Kent County hereby give notice that on

THURSDAY, 16th day of July next,

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,

at Spicer's Mill, in First Election District, they will meet to enter upon, view and determine whether the public convenience requires the

MILL LANE

from the Galena and Georgetown public road by said Mill to the Galena and Sassafras public road to be WIDENED; and also to open

A NEW ROAD

from the point where the mill lane intersects the Galena and Sassafras road, and running across the farm where Benjamin Waters now resides, and continued between the lands of Cochran and White to the old Galena road leading to Masseys.

WM. S. WALKER,

JOHN P. HENDRICKSON,

BENJ. F. H. CAULK,

m30-tm. EXAMINERS.

Road Examiners' NOTICE.

THE undersigned by virtue of a commission issued to them by the Hon. County Commissioners of Kent county, upon petition of sundry citizens of the Fifth Election District of said county, heretofore published, for a

NEW PUBLIC ROAD

IN SAID DISTRICT,

to begin at the division line between the lands of L. R. Shewell and Abel J. Rees, Esqs., on the public road, and to run with the north side of the land of said Rees known as "Humphrey's Point," on Swan Creek, for a distance of 160 yards, to said Creek; and to locate a

PUBLIC LANDING

on the east of dwelling house and private wharf of said Rees;—hereby give notice that they will, on

WEDNESDAY, the 29th of July prox.,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

enter upon, view and determine whether the public convenience requires that said new road should be opened and landing condemned.

County Surveyor will attend without further notice.

THOMAS W. SKIRVEN,

WILLIAM W. STEPHENS.

GEO. W. HATCHERSON,

June 27—tm. Examiners.

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