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LOCAL MATTERS.

—Eggs are scarce.

—Corn husking still on.

—Five Sundays in November.

—Dense fogs and low tides last week.

—The sweet buy and buy—Christmas.

—New moon last week and more of it this week.

—Children are talking Thanksgiving and Christmas.

—Days still shortening at both ends. Dark now at 5.15.

—Canned goods are being used, and the demand is increasing.

—Winter is due but summer is reveling in young winter's lap.

—The male oyster is said to be the finest eating. They have dark gills. Try them.

—As the winds of November blow, so will those of boisterous January disport themselves.

—The new schooner, Cecelia, has been on the ways at Scott's Point this week, receiving a coat of paint.

—Mr. T. S. Bordley, of Chestertown, picked a saucerful of beautiful red raspberries from his bushes last week.

—Matchmaking Mass are on the warpath arranging for the winter campaign. We have none in Kent, however.

—Mr. J. Rees Woodall, a respected citizen of Crumpton, died at his home on Saturday last, aged about forty years.

—A. P. Shockley, of Eikton, has received an order from Henry Disston & Sons, of Philadelphia, for fifteen hundred turkeys.

—The Democratic Jollification, at Rock Hall, on Saturday last is reported as having been a grand success. A general good time was enjoyed.

—The banks and courts of Chestertown will be closed on Thanksgiving day, November 27, in pursuance to proclamation of Governor Jackson.

—The Love Point farm, on Kent Island, at the mouth of Chester river, which was offered for sale last week was withdrawn on a bid of $20.10 per acre.

—Next Thursday, November 27, has been designated by Presidential proclamation, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer by the people of the United States.

—A Chestertown boy's prayer: "O, Lord, please take away my bad temper—a—and—and while you're about it you might as well take mamma's, too."

—Orphans' Court, Nov. 18, 1890. Present Judges Walker, Fisher and Moffett. The caveat in the will of the late M. Dilhoffer was dismised, and the will admitted to probate.

—George Brice, a member of the Washington College Foot-Ball Team, recently gave himself a test heat at running, and covered nearly six miles in good time and without a halt.

—Harry Bramble, the eight-year-old son of Mrs. Bramble, living in Chestertown, had his arm broken while wrestling with another boy last week. The little fellow was at a disadvantage and the ...

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—While Mr. Joseph Williams and family, living near Rock Hall, were at church on Sunday evening last, some person or persons entered his house and stole one hunday and forty dollars in cash, the entire savings of Mr. Williams from his fall work. He is an honest, hard working man with a dependent family, and this unexpected loss will fall heavily upon him. So far as heard no clue to the identity of the thief of thieves has been found.

—W. Harper McFeely made a narrow escape from a serious gunning accident on Friday last. Mr. McFeely and Mr. Richard D. Hynson were gunning for partridges on Worton Point where they were joined by Mr. John Clendaniel and a friend from Odessa, Delaware. A covey of birds was started and several shot down. While the other gentlemen of the party were getting their game, Mr. McFeely, whose bird was only winged, was stooping down trying to capture his wounded bird when suddenly the report of a gun was heard and he was struck in the head by two No. 4 shot and knocked down, one shot striking near the temple just in the hair, and was flattened on the bone of the skull. The wound was not serious, though somewhat painful. Had he been in a standing position the full load would have been received in the head or body with possibly fatal results. All were very much frightened; and the young man who had made the accidental shot drew the shells from his gun and did not fire another shot the entire day. The firing of the gun was purely accidental, the gentleman had tripped and, it is supposed unconsciously pulled the trigger of his gun. Sportsmen, be careful in your gunning excursions.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES.

Two Enjoyable Wedding Anniversaries Celebrated in Kent.

Added to the most pleasant social events of the season was the assembling of the numerous friends of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Morris, at their beautiful home on the Ringgold farm, about six miles from Chestertown, on Tuesday evening last, Nov. 4, to celebrate their fifth anniversary, or wooden wedding. A most happy, pleasant and thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent by the many guests present. The presents were both numerous and handsome among which was a handsome sewing machine, a beautiful walnut cabinet, two willow rockers, a handsome lamp, dining chairs, and in fact everything that could be thought of, and which are entirely to numerous too mention. An elegant supper consisting of all that could be desired for the inner man was served from five until eleven o'clock.

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vannort, Mr. and Mrs. John Clendaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brice, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. J. Byrom, Mr. and Mrs. Romie Byrom and sister, Miss R. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Vic. Hendrickson, Mrs. York, Mrs. M. A. Toulson, Mrs Walter Skirven and daughter, Mr and Mrs J P Nicholson, Mr and Mrs W T Nicholson, Mr and Mrs G Bell, Mr and Mrs Walter Morris, Mr R G Nicholson, Mr Tredway, Mr Jesse Usilton, Miss Hallie Usilton, Miss Daisy Usilton, Mr and Mrs Richard Smyth and daughter, Miss Mamie Smyth, Mr and Mrs Topping, Mr and Mrs Joseph Price and daughters, Mrs J H Simpers, Miss Mary Chapman, Miss Linda Watson, Miss Sadie Morris, Miss Collins, of Baltimore, Miss Shritz, of Middletown, Del., Mr Arthur Bacchus, Mr Fred Usilton, Mr John Silcox and many others whose names we could not learn.

SKIRVEN.

Mr. and Mrs. James Skirven celebrated their tin wedding on Tuesday evening, Nov. 18. Just ten years ago on that date the new leaf was turned in the varied book of life, and after the many experiences of sunshine and shadow, cast by the incidents running through ten years of a happy married life, Mr. and Mrs. Skirven were willing to assert with emphasis in the presence of a large number of friends, who had met to honor the pleasant occasion, that truly, marriage is not a failure. Quite a number of friends were present, and many handsome and useful presents were received. An elegant supper was enjoyed, and while Mrs. Skirven has made the marriage life of herself and husband a success, she has reigned a queen in the domestic circle of his home. An enumeration of the presents and the names of those who were present did not reach us in time for this issue.

Bridge Repairs Progressing.

It is gratifying to note that the repairs on the Chester river bridge are progressing rapidly, and it is expected that by December 15, travel between Kent and Queen Anne's counties will be resumed. The contract time was for sixty days from October 8, thus it will be seen that the specified time will be overrun but one week. The piles for the Queen Anne's side of the draw are all driwen, the caps are on and the flooring being laid. It is calculated that the bridge will be in a condition for use as far as the draw by Saturday evening. The extra piles for the Kent side are all ready, and with good weather the middle of December will find travel across the river re-established. Seventy-seven new piles, which were not included in the original contract, will have to be put in, and it is this fact which will cause the additional delay.

A Delightful Thanksgiving Entertainment.

What promises to be the most enjoyable literary treat of the present season, will be given by a carefully selected company at Stam's Hall, on the evenings of Wednesday, November 26, and Thursday, November 27, with Captain Joseph W. Thompson in the leading role of the great Cardinal Richelieu, and that magnificient creation of Roman manhood, Virginius.

Richelieu is one of the most elaborate and beautiful of the noted Lord Lytton's masterpieces, while had James Sheridan Knowles rested the noble structure of his literary fame upon Virginius, he would still have figured as one of the most striking characters who have written for the stage. Captain Thompson, who will appear before audiences composed, we are sure, entirely of friends, has given the roles careful study, and even the most unfriendly critic, should such be present, will be silenced we hope by the masterly rendition of the respective parts. Independent of possessing merit as an actor, Captain Thompson is a writer of plays which have been placed upon the stage at home and elsewhere. The captain, while giving his talents to the entertainment of the community in these plays, is none the less attentive to his business interests. A special excursion will come over from Baltimore, and critics will be present from Washington, New York, Philapelphia and Baltimore.

These plays are chaste in diction, pure in moral sentiment and introduce nothing that is not elevating and ennobling in human nature. Success to the captain in the great parts which he will present.

Miss Riorden and Miss Rayner, as also Mr. Lobe, who will support the captain, are well known to Baltimore audiences as possessing talent of a high order. Tomorrow they will present Lady Audley's Secret in Baltimore.

Personal Mention.

Dr. S. E. Ford, secretary and treasurer of the Chester River line was in town last week.

Mr. Thomas Hill, of Baltimore, has spent the past ten days in Kent, attending to his extensive interests in the county.

Miss Lizzie Hyland, of Galena, is visiting her brother H. H. Hyland, in Chestertown.

Judge Perry Wickes, of Baltimore, has been visiting friends in Kent.

The Misses Nannie, Jennie and Katie Hines are visiting in Baltimore city and county.

Messrs. J. A. Perkins, Jr., David B. Perkins and Harry W. Brice, all of whom represent large mercantile firms of Philadelphia, spent several days of last week in Chestertown.

Mrs. Anderson, mother of Mrs. C. W. Reid, of Washington College, is visiting her daughter at the college.

Mrs. Beeks, of Kent, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John H. Ruth, of Queenstown.

Mrs. William Carville, of Stevensville, Kent Island, is the guest of relatives in Crumpton.

Miss Blanche Rasin, of Centreville, last week paid a short visit to Mrs. W. S. Carroll.

Miss Hope Wickes has been visiting the Misses Carvill, of Pleasant street, Baltimore.

Mr. H. W. Carvill, the veteran Democrat who is now over ninety years of age, and who cast a straight ballot in the election of a year ago, was too feeble on November 4 to go to the polls.

Miss. Shritz, of Middletown, Del., is the guest of Mrs. John Clendaniel.

Mrs. Julia Starr, of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Oliver, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Joseph Turner, on Water street, Chestertown.

Miss Collins, of Balimore, is visiting Mrs. John E. Morris.

Miss Eunice Gemmell has returned home after a most pleasant visit to friends in Virginia.

Thos. J. F. Smith, Esq., of Millington, is confined to his bed with erysipelas. We hope the genial gentlemen may soon recover his usual good health.

Mrs. Charles Chester, of Castile, N. J., is visiting her brother, Rev. S. C. Roberts, on Queen street.

Rev. John S. Bowers, of Stewardtown, Pa., who has been quite ill the past few weeks, is visiting his mother in Chestertown, recuperating his health. He has been granted one month's vacation by his congregations. Mr. Bower has received a call from St. John's church, Baltimore, with a salary of $2,000. This is one of the most desirable charges in the conference.

The Emma Ford Ashore.

The steamer Emma A. Ford left her wharf at Chestertown on Friday morning last at the scheduled hour, eight o'clock, in a dense fog. The fog became more and more dense until it was impossible to see twice the length of the steamer ahead. The fog whistle was blown every half minute and every precaution taken to prevent collision or beaching. Capt. McConnor was at the wheel of his vessel and successfully made two landings, Rolph's and wilkins'. The steamer was slowed down and moved cautiously in trying to find Booker's wharf, but suddenly struck a sand bar about fifty yards up the river from the wharf, her boot being in about two feet of water. The shock staggered the passengers and nearly threw some from their feet. The fog had continued to settle and was absolutely impenetrable at a greater distance than the length of the boat. The compass and charts were entirely relied upon in making the landings. Dr. S. E. Ford, secretary and treasurer of the Chester River Steamboat Company, was on board. A number of passengers were on the steamer who were enjoying bright anticipations of seeing Booth and Barrett in their masterly play of Hamlet, on Friday evening. Of course these were disappointed. Some of the passengers were taken in one of the steamer's small boats under the command of Purser Harris and Mate Webb and safely landed at Quaker Neck wharf, from which place through the kindness of Mr. Edward Emory they were sent to Chestertown. Other passengers remained on the boat while others went to Centreville and took the afternoon train for their respective destinations.

The steamer got off between six and seven o'clock on Friday evening and reached Baltimore about eleven o'clock P.M. Capt. McConnor is considered one of the most thoroughly reliable commanders sailing from Baltimore, and he regretted that his splendid record of thirty years with but one similar accident should have been marred by the occurrence of Friday.

COLLEGE NOTES.

The Boys Who Have Been at Work.

The foot-ball game Saturday resulted in a defeat for the home team, by a score of 14 to 4. The St. John's team is a strong one, but not stronger than the Washington college team. The victory was as due as much to the lack of training of the home team as to any other cause. The points made by the visitors seemed to be much the result of carelessness on the part of the home team. The game was played throughout in a good spirit, and no unmanly plays were noticed. We do not believe either team intentionally played foul. The only accident of the game befell Prof. Chew, of the visiting team. At the first of the game he sprained his ankle, but not, we think, seriously. The loss of Prof. Chew no doubt weakened the St. John's ranks. We expect to play the return game within a week or two. The manager is trying to arrange games for the next two Saturdays.

The reports for the month ending November 17th show the following results: W. F. Porter leads the Senior class with an average of 95.5; B. F. Perkins, the Junior, with 97.6, and E. A. Robinson, the Sophomore, with 98.5. The following members of the Freshman class made over 85: Norman P. Perkins, 96.7; C. C. Brown, 95.1; Jos. H. Kendall, 94.2; Harry Hurtt, 94.2; Carl T. Westcott, 93.7; John T. Morris, 93.3; Arthur M. Merritt, 92.7; A. C, Leaverton, 90.2; H. W. Catlin, 89.8; R. J. Nicholson, 89.7; C. A. Prettyman, 89.5; W. C, Copper, 89.1; R. J. Emory, 89.1. The following members of the Preparatory Department made over 80: 1st Preparatory—S. Hurtt, 93.7; A. Hurlock, 93.4; Lenox Catlin, 93.3; Wm. Tarbutton, 90.8; Jack Westcott, 89.2; John Tarbutton, 87.2; J. Brice, 83.7. 2d. Prepartory—Herbert E. Perkins, 98; J.B. Noble, 97.4; David B. Ford, 94.9; R. J.S. Bullock, 94.8; Wm. B. Willis, 94.5; Norman Cameron, 94.4; Wm. A. Bell, 94; J. F. Houston, 93.2; Wm. Ford, 92.8; Geo. T. Waters, 92.5; Carole C. Perkins, 91.2; Jas. W. Grason, 90.5; Chas. Turner, 90.4; Paul B. Graham, 89.6; George R. Moffett, 87.5; W. W. Crowding, 82.8; Bernard ...opkins, 81.

RELIGIOUS ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Church Work in Many Fields.

The Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton, comprising Kent and Cecil counties, will be held in Emmanuel church, Chestertown, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 2, 3 and 4. The clergy expected to be present are Messrs. Ware, of Massey's; Sutton, of St. Paul's; Schouler, of Elkton; E. K. Miller, of North East; Davidson, of Port Deposit; Jones, of Chesapeake City. On Tuesday evening missionary addresses will be made. The topic will be Missionary Thoughts connected with the history of St. Andrew. On Wednesday morning there will be a service, sermon by Rev. Albert Ware, subject: "The Second Coming of Christ and Preparation Therefor in Ourselves and by us," followed by Holy Communion. The Wednesday evening services will consist of addresses. On Thursday morning there will be prayer with a sermon by Rev. Geo. C. Sutton, of St. Paul's; on Thursday evening, services with addresses, topic, the Holy Scripture as preparing the way of Christ. The session will close with the services of Thursday evening.

The congregation of the Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. R. Irving Watkins, pastor, voted Friday evening upon the question, whether or not women should be allowed as delegates to the General Conference of the M. E. Church. Much interest had been manifested and the voting was equally as full as was expected. The total vote cast was 57—32 against and 25 for the admission of women as delegates. A majority of the ladies, it is claimed, voted for woman representation, while a number of the male members aided by the dissenting ladies carried the vote against woman representation in General Conferences.

Rev. Quincy L. Morrow, of Kennedyville, exchanged pulpits with Rev. W. R. Graham on Sunday. Mr. Graham administered the Sacrament for Mr. Morrow, the young minister not having been ordained. The sermon was very much appreciated by a full congregation.

Special Thanksgiving services will be held in several of the churches in Chestertown.

The new organ for the M. E. Church, it is expected will be in place in March, as at first stated in the TRANSCRIPT.

Bishop R. S. Foster will visit the conferences in China and Japan; and Bishop Walden, those in Europe.

Centreville M. E. Church, C. A. Hill, pastor, is being improved preparatory to the session of the Wilmington Conference, next March. The main room is being frescoed and will be furnished with new pews and carpet, and the walls of the hall and stairway are being re-painted.

Rev. John H. Willey, Ph. D., occupied the University Avenue M. E. Church pulpit for the first time yesterday, before large congregations, both morning and evening. He comes from Chestertown, Maryland, to fill the vacancy caused by Dr. Congdon's transfer elsewhere. Members of the church express themselves as being much pleased with Dr. Willey and his preaching. He will undoubtedly be one of the popular clergymen of the city.

He has a pleasing delivery, and a clear, incisive method of presenting his thoughts; and while not speaking without notes, is almost free from his manuscript.

He is a graduate of Illinois Wesleyan University, and of Drew Theological Seminery: and has also taken a post-graduate course in Syracuse University, receiving his degree of Ph. D.

He is about 35 years of age and is unmarried.

An informal reception will be tendered to the new pastor in the church parlors, by the Epworth League, next Thursday evening.—*Daily Standard*, Nov. 3, 1890.

The new Catholic church at Rock Hall will be formally dedicated on Sunday morning next, Nov. 23, at 10.30 o'clock. Bishop Curtis, Father Connolly, of Chestertown, and possibly other clergy will be present. The new church is a handsome frame structure and is beautifully located overlooking the bay. Seven o'clock mass will be held at Sacred Heart church, Chestertown, on next Sunday. Sunday will be the regular church day at Sacred Heart church, but the services will be postponed, on account of the dedecation service at Rock Hall, until Sunday, Nov. 30.

W. W. Chapman, leader of Christ M. P. Church choir, gave the congregation of the church a rare musical treat on Sunday last. The music was of a high order and was pronounced to be the finest heard in the church for several months past. Mr. Chapman, as leader of the choir, has made of it a most decided success.

FROM NEWSY CHESTERVILLE.

"Ring" Ventilates Many Subjects in Her Newsy Letter.

CHESTERVILLE, Nov. 18, 1890.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Here is a batch of stray bits gathered from the hills and valleys surrounding our quiet country village. Don't throw up your hands in holy horror, Messrs. Editors, at this mixture of personals, political references and personal comments as well as lots of the etc. The stray straws have ruffled the surface of our daily life, and I have simply collected them into a tiny knot and send them down. And though they may be in some confusion, I hope that they may find lodgment in the columns of my friend, the TRANSCRIPT.

Miss F. Clements, of Caroline county, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Jarrell.

Mr Fearon, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting Mr. Edward Cooper, left for home Monday morning.

Rev. Wm. Dolly began his protracted meetings in Millington Sunday night. He expects his father to assist him in the services.

Little Nora Burriss, who was burned so badly with boiling syrup some time ago, has gotten well, and the scars are scarcely noticeable.

Mr. Noble Pennington and Mrs. John Stevenson, who have been on the sick list for several weeks are convalescing.

The fall term of eleven weeks or fifty-five days, closed last Friday. Katie Edwards and Harry Stevens are the only pupils out of twenty-nine who made 100 in attendance on their term reports at the Chesterville school.

Rumor says that a number of our lady teachers have made up their minds to commit matrimony, and will therefore enter a more private establishment before the present school year closes. They think they are 10 per cent. above par value.

Many farmers are selling off their potatoes as rapidly as possible because they are rotting.

The sweet potato crop seems to be large and of a fine quality this year.

There is a saying: If a duck can walk on St. Martin's Day ice, it will wallow in Christmas mud.

A black eye is not always an election day memento.

There are about 2,000,000 fewer people in the country in 1890 than were looked for, but the Republicans think there are at least 1,000,000 too many Democrats. We do not, however.

Thanksgiving day is the next holiday, and it is about time to look around for a Thanksgiving day invitation.

We fear the halcyon days of Indian Summer have passed. One little boy says they have gone to the Indians.

It is feared that the Republican defeat will drive some to suicide, or to take a Salt river trip.

It is well for some of our little people to refuse to answer a summons if they are not paid in advance.

Oroville is the place for independent girls. Oroville has a girl engineer, and a girls' brass band.

Ohio has two counties without saloons; how many has Maryland? Kent clams to have no saloons, but there seems to be plenty of clubs or stands where the same article can be bought.

A teacher in an adjoining county said last year that school marms seldom marry, and that she thought often she would not give up a $40 position for a $10 man; but as she is to be married on Thanksgiving day, we suppose she has found a $20 man.

Mr. Albert Medders, who has lived in this village for quite a number of years, expects to move his family to Baltimore in a short time. Two of his sons, Charles and William Medders, have positions in the monumental city.

Mr. John Comegys and wife returned to their homes Saturday afternoon.

RING.

Public School Notes.

The public school association will meet at the school room in Chestertown, tomorrow, Friday, November 21, 1890, at ten o'clock A. M. The regular questions are: 1st—How and to what extent should we teach physical culture in our schools? 2d.—What recitations or exercises in which the whole school, or the greater part of it may engage? How should they be conducted? Unfinished business: What should be the amount of arithmetic and history learned in the first year of the sixth grade? Miss Nellie Walters will read the essay. The subject of physical culture is one of importance and is worthy the careful consideration of teachers and parents alike.

The board of school commissioners have decided to reopen the public schools at Urieville and Mill Branch which were closed on account of the required number of pupils not being in regular daily attendance.

The assistant has been restored at Betterton, and Miss Martha J. Hurlock appointed to fill the place. The assistant at Catt's Corner has been restored and Miss Linda Lusby appointed to the place. Miss Annie R. Trew has been appointed by the school board first assistant at Rock Hall to fill the place of Miss Gertrude Rasin who has resigned, resignation to take effect December 12.

The schools throughout the county will be closed on Thanksgiving day, Nov. 27.

Prof. E. B. Prettyman, principal of the State Normal School, Baltimore, will be present at the meeting of the Teachers' Association to-morrow, and it is but natural to infer that he will give the teachers a talk on the subject of education.

CLEVER MEN AT FOOT-BALL.

The Washington College Men Surprise the St. John's College Team, but Lose the Game by 14 to 4.

The St. John's College Foot-Ball Team downed the Washington College team on Saturday, but were not a little surprised to find that in the Kent county team they had tackled "such stuff" as the very best players of the country are formed. The game of Saturday was not a test of brutal slugging or unmanly fouling but a scientific test of skill in the most manly and fascinating game of this or any previous period in the world of sports. Although St. John's scored fourteen points to the Washington College four, the latter made a game fight, and frequently saved the score of defeating points when the visitors had the ball uncomfortably near their line. The features of the game were the infrequency of long runs and the unexpected obstinacy with which the home men battled for their territory and persisted in carrying the fight into the enemies' lines. Massey made some beautiful rushes and Brice did some of the most valuable work of the day. McKenney, whenever the ball drifted near the home team's goal, made such use of his more than two hundred pounds avoirdupois, that even Johnson, possibly the best of the visitors' material, was unable to work the ball to advantage. Bunting showed himself as good as the best tackler on either side, and was never found napping when an opportunity offered to rush in effective work. Barring several costly errors the home team did beautiful work, reflecting credit upon their college and the county. Jamar was the most valuable man on the visiting team, being the only one during the game who succeeded in advancing the ball with credit to his side, and making both touch-downs for the St. John's team. Johnson was found too much for the best of our men on the rush line, and was a strong man for the visitors. Eiglehart also scored some good work for the visiting team.

Our boys lacked team work, however, it being the first game of the season for them. Their opponents came by tug from Annapolis, reaching Chestertown about one o'clock. Remembering the terrible defeat inflicted on the college boys two years ago when the score stood 116 to 0, they were consequently confident of an easy victory. While our team failed to score a success they deserve credit for the way in which they handled a team which was in excellent training and one which has this season contested with the Naval Cadets, Columbia Athletic Club and the Johns Hopkins. The visitors went immediately on their arrival to the Voshell House, where they got dinner and then proceeded to the college grounds, where quite a crowd of both ladies and gentlemen had gathered to witness the game. On entering the campus they gave their yell which was immediately replied to by the boys of the college. Capt. Usilton won the toss and took the ball, the St. John's boys taking the west goal. It was decided to play two halves of three-quarters of an hour each with ten minutes intermission, and promptly at 3 o'clock the two teams lined up for the first half. The Washington boys started off with the wedge, and by strong rushes and good playing kept the ball in their opponents' territory for about ten minutes; they then lost ground and within fifteen minutes after the start Twilley was forced back of his own line, making a safety and giving St. John's two points. For the rest of the first half all the fighting was in the college territory and uncomfortably near their goal line. For a time it was thought that St. John's must score a touch-down, but by good kicks and stubborn resistance the first half ended with the score of 2 to 0 against our boys. In the early part of this half, Chew, one of the visitors, was forced to retire on account of a sprained ankle, his place being filled by ...d substitute. After the intermission, play was called for the second half, and the teams lined up, having changed goals. After some minutes of fighting about the middle of the field, Massey secured the ball and by a swift run, closely pursued by Jamar, made the first touch-down of the game and the only four points for the college, they failing to kick goal. After several scrimmages in their opponents' field the college boys were forced back into their own territory, and in a short time Jamar by a strong run had scored a touch-down which resulted in a goal for the visitors, making the score 8 to 4. The ball was again brought to the centre, and after considerable effort was again carried behind the college goal by Jamar, which also resulted in a goal and increased St. John's points to 14. After a few minutes more, time was called with the ball about the middle of the field, the score standing 14 to 4, and the great game was over.

The members of the teams and their respective positions were as follows:

Washington.		*St. John's.*
Brice	Left end	Ridgley
Stewart	Left tackle	Dryden
McKenney	Left guard	Weiger
Porter	Centre	Wilhelm
Watts	Right guard	Johnson
Bunting	Right tackle	Tull
Beck	Right end	Ridgley
Twilley	Left half-back	Eiglehart
Massey	Right half-back	Jamar
Duer	Quarter back	Chew
Usilton	Full back	Proctor

Clarence W. Perkins acted as referee for the college and Mr. Hicks was chosen by St. John's to fill the position of umpire. Mr. Perkins gave entire satisfaction, and was fully equal to the very trying position which he was often called upon to fill in deciding nice points of the game.

The vistors immediately after supper enjoyed an impromptu dance through the countesy of Mr. Colin F. Stam and mine host, the home team. It is expected that the Washington College team will go to Annapolis on Saturday, Nov. 29, and play a return game with the St. John's men.

New Advertisements.

Mr. Thomas S. Wickes advertises store and dwelling house in Chestertown, for rent for 1891.

The Young People's Association, of Chestertown, advertise a supper and festival at Stam's Hall.

Sam'l Comegys, sheriff, advertises a lot of personal property at sheriff's sale.

J. K. Aldridge, Esq., places his fall advertisement of stoves, roofing, spouting, sporting goods, etc., in this issue of the TRANSCRIPT.

Prof. J. Harmon, who has accepted the position as organist of Christ church, Chestertown, advertises for music scholars on both organ and piano. See advertisement in another column.

J. Lloyd McFeely & Co. advertise in this issue stoves, heaters, ranges, the Perfection meat cutters, guns and sporting goods, tinwork, etc.

Notice for a flock of estray turkeys will be found in another column.

Baltimore Market.

WHEAT.—Graded southern was quoted 89c. for steamer 2 red, and 92 for No. 2 red. Sales of damaged and inferior at 83 and 85 c.; fair to good at 90, 92 and 93, and a cargo of prime at 97. The settling price was 90½ vs 91⅛c Monday; market quiet and easy—spot and the month 90c. flat; Dec. 91¾ flat; January 89⅝a94; May 101a101¼.

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