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THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1894.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Weather Forecast.

Hicks, the weather prophet, makes the following forecast of the weather for the coming week:

Temperature will reach oppressive warmth, culminating in dangerous storms about 26th, 27th and 28th, with sudden revulsions to much cooler. Heavy hail will result. June ends fair.

MOON'S PHASES FOR JULY: New moon, 3; first quarter 9; full moon 17; last quarter 25.

—Where was that Hicks storm called for by him on 13, 14 and 15th?

—Lightening struck and killed a cow belonging to Dr. G. Allen Jarman, on the farm of Mr. T. G. Jarman, on Sunday afternoon.

—A thief or thieves entered the hennery of Mrs. Tarr, Eastern Neck Island, last week and stole three dozen chickens and thirty-two turkeys.

—The county commissioners of Cecil county have awarded the contract for building seven bridges, to the Groton Bridge Company, of New York, for $13,500.

—A real, live John Chinaman was in town on Tuesday, to the great edification of the small boys. He is making an effort to start a Chinese laundry near the centre of town.

—There is a gentleman in Chestertown fifty years of age who has never seen a marriage. Reason given, that he has too much sympathy for the men. Ladies, think of it.

—Locust Grove creamery paid 60 cents per one hundred pounds for May milk; Sassafras and Galena 55 cents per one hundred pounds, and Kennedyville 50 cents per one hundred pounds last month.

—The coolest transaction of the season was the stealing of fifty pounds of ice from the ice-box of a Centreville merchant on Sunday. The merchant gave his visitor a cool reception, but is now in hot pursuit.

—A large quantity of asparagus carried to Baltimore from Kent on Friday and Saturday, was dumped in the bay on Monday, having rotted as a result of the hot weather, from being carried over Sunday.

—The taxable basis of property in Queen Anne's county for the current year, has been found to be $7,294,118. This is about $150,000 less than the basis of last year, caused by insolvencies which were found to exist.

—Last Saturday was Southern Methodist day at Tolchester. One of the features of the day was a game of base-ball between nines from Trinity and Emmanuel Sunday schools, the latter winning by a score of 8 to 7.

—The old postoffice building on Main street, is being thoroughly remodeled, and about July 1 will be occupied by Mr. Reybold Wilson, late deputy-treasurer, as a store, with a large, handsome and complete stock of goods.

—While on her way from Chester river to St. Michaels about ten days ago, the police schooner Frolic, Capt. A. Stanley Bryan, encountered a heavy storm, and had her mainmast blown out. She is at St. Michaels for repairs.

—"Doc" William H. Cooper has probably the finest watermelon patch in the county. The melons are now over two inches long, and the progressive farmer will soon have the luscious fruit in market. He also reports a fair sprinkling of peaches.

—The steamer Corsica commenced running on her summer schedule on Monday. She will arrive at Chestertown from Baltimore every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday morning. Returning, she will leave Chestertown every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoon.

—The handsome pleasure yacht May, after having been thoroughly repaired by boat-builder G. B. Atkinson has been launched and is as handsome as a picture. Capt. Jack Wescott has returned from school for the summer and is in command of the pretty craft.

—Mr. "Huck" Coleman has made several unusual catches recently in his turtle traps. The traps are baited with meat or fish, and raccoons in diving for the bait have gotten into the traps and drowned. Mr. Coleman has, in addition to the coons caught a number of very large turtles.

—Mr. George V. Byron, an amateur walker, covered the distance of twelve miles between Chestertown and Tolchester, on Monday evening, in two hours and ten minutes. Mr. Louis Reinhart, who was Mr. Byron's companion at the start, made the distance in two hours and twenty minutes.

—A perfectly white-clawed crab, shipped from Chester river to Baltimore, is pronounced "A genuine curiosity," a "freak." Such "Freaks" are not uncommon in Chester river after all, as within the past several years such "Genuine curiosities" have been referred to by the TRANSCRIPT.

—Judge Joseph A. Wickes and Mr. H. Clay Lusby are delivering their last year's crop of wheat at the Chestertown granary for shipment. Wheat at times since last year has been as high as 65 cents, it is now 61 cents. That of Messrs. Wickes and Lusby is possibly the only crop of old wheat in the district.

—The State fishery force sloop E. B. Groome, has been sold to G. W. Haywards, of Calvert county, for $175. A new boat, authorized by the Legislature to take her place, is now being built at Cambridge. The Groome is one of the oldest vessels in the oyster navy, and was recently condemned as unfit for the service.

—The county commissioners have awarded the contract for running the ferry across Chester river during repairs to Chester river draw, to Messrs. Carole C. Perkins and J. A. Palmer. The ferry will be operated between the hours of 6 A. M. and 6 P. M. At other times the contractors may collect fees for ferry work.

—The earliest bird in the threshing field, so far as reported this season, is Mr. George Cosden, of near Edesville. Mr. Cosden commenced threshing on Monday, but finding the straw somewhat tough did not get satisfactorily under way until Tuesday. This is, we believe, the first wheat threshed in the county this year.

—The first Maryland wheat of the present season was sent to Baltimore on Thursday from Dorchester county, and sold at 60 cents per bushel. The berry was a little soft, but was plump and well-filled out. The consignment was an unusually early one, as Maryland wheat seldom makes its appearance on the market in Baltimore before July 1.

—Mr. James Birch, a progressive farmer living at Hepbron station, has sent us the product of one grain of wheat from his field, which shows the enormous yield of over eleven hundred grains of wheat from one sown. There were sixty-six stalks measuring over 3½ feet in height from the single grain. We challenge the county to beat this yield.

—One of the finest horses in the stable of Mr. G. B. McWhorter, on Saturday night fell in a well and narrowly escaped serious injury. The animal had been turned but to graze and jumped into an adjoining lot where there was a poorly covered well. When discovered the horse was entirely in the well and was with difficulty gotten out.

—Mr. F. P. Cochran, of Kent, last week sent to the Baltimore *Sun* three bunches of fine asparagus. He states that the asparagus was of the Palmetto variety, and that he has already shipped 13,300 bunches, on which he cleared 10½ cents a bunch. This was all raised on twelve acres of ground, six of which is a young bed. Says the *Sun*, he cut eight stalks which weighed six pounds and three ounces.

—The commencement exercises of the Chestertown public school will be held in Stam's Hall, Friday evening, June 29th, beginning at eight o'clock. All patrons and friends of the school are cordially invited to be present. The exercises will consist of an essay by each member of the graduating class, Misses Mamie Carroll, Tannie Willis and Minnie Peregoy; presentation of prizes and music. Rev. S. R. Murray will address the graduates and present the cirtificates. The music will be in charge of Miss Rose Frazier.

—The Maryland State Teachers' Association will hold its annual meeting in the House of Delegates at Annapolis, on July 10, 11 and 12. This will be the thirty-eighth anniversary, and no meeting of the association has been held at Annapolis since its second meeting. Governor Brown has been invited to make an address. Mr. Wilbur F. Smith, the president, will make the inaugural address. Prof. W. J. Humphrey's, of Washington College, will give a paper on "Artificial Light." Kent county should be well represented at the meeting, as certainly no county in the State could furnish a larger or more intelligent and progressive representation than Kent.

—The Baltimore *American* of Wednesday says eight thousand dozen of soft crabs arrived from Chesapeake bay yesterday. The Pocomoke carried 275 packages, the steamers of the Maryland Steamboat Company 150, the Chester River boats 150, the steamer Cambridge brought 100, Annapolis sent 200 packages by rail, and Spring Gardens contributed 200 boxes. The packages contained from five to twelve dozen each, and sold on the wharves at from three to fifteen cents a dozen. Some large trays went as low as twenty-five cents apiece. On Monday the Enoch Pratt carried 250 crates of soft crabs from Deals Island alone. Soft crabs have been unusually plentiful for six days. Mr. S. R. Scoggins said he has not seen as many crabs, nor prices as low, in fifty years.

—We are indebted to Mr. D. W. Crosby for a crate of the finest soft crabs we have ever seen. The largest of the crabs measured seven inches from tip to tip of shell, while the smallest measured over six inches from tip to tip. Memories of the "Beasts," as Mr. Crosby jokingly termed the big tempting fellows, shall, as a romantic maiden told a picturesque suitor on Chester bridge on Saturday evening in referring to a pleasant compliment, "Long remain an oasis upon the continent of our memories." Mr. Crosby has shipped thousands of these Chester river delicacies, and has built up a splendid trade in Baltimore city, always receiving gilt-edged prices. The splendid remembrance was fully appreciated, and in extending thanks to our friend, we also advance the hope that the season may be long and profitable to Mr. Crosby, than whom no one in the State handles finer crabs.

PROGRAMME FOR BETTERTON.

A Royal 4th of July Celebration Being Arranged.

MORNING.

Game of base-ball, to begin at 9 o'clock.

100-yards dash, free for all. Entries close July 2.

50-yards dash—Capt. John Brice and Capt. John Henry Crew, weight of each about 225 pounds.

100-yards dash, for boys 16 years old or under.

AFTERNOON, BEGINNING AT ONE O'CLOCK.

Tub race, 75 yards.

Swimming race, 150 yards.

Bateau rowing race, two oarsmen, 500 yards.

Special rowing race, Capt. Horace F. Brice and Capt. G. W. Owens in clinker rowing boats; distance one-half mile.

Skiff race, sailing, free for all; 22 feet in length limit.

Skiff race, sailing, free for all; small skiffs.

(Prizes will be given in all the above events.)

EVENING.

Fire works, beginning about 8.30.

All persons wishing to compete in any of the above contests must hand in their names by Monday, July 2d. All entries close on that date. Arrangements have been made with the hotels and livery stables to accommodate the people who may spend the day at Betterton. Address all communications and send all entries to Howard Turner, Chairman, Betterton, Md.

Church Notes.

In response to several inquires relative to the date of the opening of Wye Camp, we would state that the camp will commence on July 31, and close August 10. A meeting for the renting of tents and selling valuable privileges, will be held on July 2. The bread stand and horse pound will be conducted by the camp management.

Rev. A. J. Howard, one of the Seventh-Day Adventists, who has been conducting services in the eighth district of Anne Arundel county, has been arrested on the charge of Sabbath-breaking. Mr. Howard is charged with working his garden on Sunday, and Henry Bullen, one of his congregation, is charged with a similar offense. Both waived an examination, and Justice Hyde held each in $100 bail for the Anne Arundel County Court. The Adventists have a church in the "Swamp," and lately have extended their religious services to Eastport, opposite Annapolis, where meetings are held several nights a week in a shady grove. The Adventists claim their arrest is due in a measure to the sentiment of the people being against them, because they had prosecuted persons who interfered with their services and pulled down the tent under which the meetings were being held.

Court News.

County commissioners court, Tuesday, June 26. The board of county commissioners met with a full board present. Clarence S. Hurlock, county treasurer, presented his official report for May, which was accepted. Recommendation of Wm. Davis, of 1st district, for pension, considered and a pension of $25 ordered provided for by levy. Communication of J. B. Ford, of Middletown, Del., for a committee of conference to meet him at Foxhole to arrange for a public landing at that point. Messrs. Shallcross, Morgan and Groves were appointed said committee. The matter of fixing rate of county taxes for 1894, was considered, and the basis as corrected and adjusted, together with the amount of county expenses and appropriations necessary, the board fixed the county taxes at 84 cents on the $100. The rate of 17¾ cents on the $100 for State taxes, as fixed by law, was ordered to be computed upon the assessment as adjusted and corrected for State taxes. Board further engaged in examining, approving and passing accounts for levy.

Personal Mention.

Mr. John G. Constable, of Elkton, a member of Company E. First Regiment M. N. G., has been visiting Mr. Henry W. Catlin, but was ordered by telegraph on Thursday to report for duty at the armory in Baltimore, at 7 o'clock on Friday night, when the regiment was expected to proceeds to Frostburg, to relieve the Fifth Regiment, which has been on duty in the mining district since the breaking out of the strike.

Mrs. Thomas Hill, of Baltimore, is having a handsome memorial window put in Emmanuel P. E. Church, to the memory of her father, the late George B. Westcott. The window is not yet in but it is said that the subject is, "The Good Shepherd." It is being placed in the window on the street nearest the pulpit.

Mr. Henry W. Catlin, who has been studying law in the office of Harrison W. Vickers, Esq., left for the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va., yesterday, where he will take a course of lectures under some of the most eminent lecturers on the law in this country.

Prof. J. S. W. Jones, of Washington College, left for his home, Chance, Somerset county, on Monday. Excepting a probable tramp up the historic Peninsula, between Old Point, Yorktown and Richmond, Virginia, the professor will spend the summer at his home.

Dr. and Mrs. Reid, of Washington College, left for a summer tour on Saturday. Dr. Reid, after a several weeks fishing and hunting trip in the mountains of Maine, will travel for sometime in behalf of the college, and round up the summer in the mountains. Mrs. Reid will spend the summer at several mountain resorts.

Prof. W. J. Humphrey's of Washington College, is spending the summer at his home, Charlottesville, Va. The professor will pursue a regular course of higher study and reading during his holiday from teaching.

Master Wickes Merritt, of Baltimore, is visiting in Chestertown, and has brought with him a cage of nine white rats as pets. The little fellows are pretty, but putting it laconically they are N. G.

Master Bernard Browne, son of Dr. B. B. Browne, of Baltimore, is visiting town.

Miss Edna Ringgold is the guest of Chestertown friends.

Miss Lula Dryden, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss N. E. Walters, Front street.

Miss Violet Beck is visiting Chestertown friends.

Mr. Harry Hurtt, of Smyrna, is the guest of his father, Mr. Henry Hurtt, at the Voshell House.

Mr. Cole and family, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. M. A. Wilkins at her country home.

Master Charlton Graves, of Washington, D. C., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Vannort, Front street.

Miss Minnie Maslin has returned to her home from Baltimore, to nurse her brother whose arm was so seriously broken last week. Young Mr. Maslin is doing as well as could be expected, and with the faithful and skilled ministrations of his sister, supplementing the best of professional skill, it is hoped that the amputation of the arm need not be necessary.

Mrs. Sue, wife of Rev. R. L. Lewis, of Kennedyville, Md., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Mollie Fluharty.—*Courier Journal.*

Miss Lucy Murray, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Murray, is quite sick with typhoid fever in Baltimore.

Mr. John Roberts left Tuesday for Boston, to take a desirable position with an electric company.

Prof. A. B. Burris left Chestertown on Tuesday for his home in Delaware. The professor will prosecute a course of study at the Chatauqua School of Physical Culture during the summer. He is also scheduled to pitch in several big games of ball.

Mr. Charles F. Burris and Miss Caddie A. Rush, of Chesterville, were quietly married by Rev. S. R. Murray, at the Methodist Protestant parsonage, on Wednesday, June 20, 1894. Several friends and relatives of the contracting parties witnessed the impressive ceremony.

Prof. E. J. Clarke, teacher of English and elocution at Washington College, left on Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Philadelphia Convention of Elocutionists. Prof. Clarke will spend the greater portion of the summer at the Boston School of Expression.

Miss Veva Perkins, of Baltimore, is the guest of Chestertown friends.

A Narrow Escape.

Rev. W. P. Compton, pastor of Chestertown Methodist Episcopal Church, made a narrow escape from a horrible accident in Baltimore on Tuesday. Mr. Compton, accompanied by his two children aged respectively 3 and 5 years were awaiting an electric car at the corner of St. Paul and Baltimore street, Baltimore, shortly after noon.

The car came and stopped on an opposite corner from that occupied by Mr. Compton, but the motorman beckoned his would-be-passengers to come to that corner, and at the same time started his car forward. Mr. Compton, leading his two children by the hand, started forward to meet the car, supposing, naturally enough, that it would stop to allow him to get on. The motorman opened the front gate (which was a violation of rules) it is supposed to allow Mr. C. to board the car, but kept his car going ahead, and before the startled minister was conscious of his perilous situation, he, with his two children, were swept down under the car. In an instant the children were snatched from the track, and the horrified father, who had a moment before seen them almost under the murderous wheels, regained his feet. None were hurt, but the escape was almost miraculous. A crowd soon gathered and a storm of indignant rebukes were hurled at the motorman.

Jackson's Execution.

One of the chief topics of conversation among all classes throughout the county is the coming execution of William Jackson, colored, for the cold-blooded and brutal murder of George J. Leager. Gov. Brown has fixed Friday, July 6th, proximo, at or before 2 P. M., as the day and hour that Jackson will meet the penalty of his crime by death on the gallows. The law provides that the execution shall be as private as possible, within a boarded enclosure, admitting only twenty spectators besides the sheriff's deputies, State's Attorney, counsel for the culprit, physician and a few others. The execution will take place in the yard in the rear of the jail. The county commissioners will erect the scaffold and enclose a space around it sufficiently large to properly carry out the purpose and intention of the law. The work on the scaffold will be begun early next week. In conversation with Sheriff Bryan relative to the time of execution he stated that he felt it his religious duty to give Jackson every possible moment of life in his power to repent of his crime, hence, it is reasonable to infer, that Jackson will not be hung until the last limit of the time allowed by law. The execution is expected to be a quiet one and no trouble whatever is apprehended from any quarter. —*Record.*

JUNE MARRIAGE BELLS.

The Most Brilliant Matrimonial Event of the Season.

Hear the mellow wedding bells—
Golden bells!
What a world of happiness their harmony foretells.

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Oh, from out the sounding cells,
What a gush of euphony, voluminously wells.

Love's glad fruition and a charming termination to the ripple of pleasurable excitement which has held social Chestertown on the *qui vive* for several weeks past, took place at Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church yesterday just before the hour of noon, when Miss Marguerite Horsey Meeteer, only daughter of the late Dr. William H. Meeteer, and Mr. William McKenney, Jr., of Centreville, were pronounced man and wife, Rev. S. C. Roberts, rector of Emmanuel Church, assisted by Rev. James A. Mitchell, of Centreville, officiating.

The church had been darkened, and numberless candles burning on the altar shed a mellow flood of golden beauty on banks of ferns, palms and blossoming pot plants. The altar was massed with ferns and palms, while around its base were blossoming hydrangeas. On either side of the chancel were banks of ferns, palms and laurel, with bright blossoms peeping out from every nook and corner of the beautiful mass. The chandeliers were also lighted, adding to the beauty of the scene. No cards were issued at home, but long before the hour for the ceremony the church was densely crowded with friends of the popular young couple.

At a few minutes past 11.30 o'clock, as the choir sung Lohengrin's wedding march, the ministers, Rev. S. C. Roberts and Rev. James A. Mitchell entered from the robing room, followed by the maid of honor, Miss Marguerite Deaver, cousin of the bride, carrying maiden hair ferns and wearing a beautiful gown of white organdy, deep hems and sheared waist, and the bride's maids, Miss Hattie McKenney, sister of the groom; Miss Josephine Wickes, Miss Belle Aldridge and Miss Busteed, all carrying magnificent bouquets of La France roses, tied with pink ribbon, and wearing handsome gowns of organdy, white leghorn hats trimmed with ostrich tips, white slippers and gloves, passed between and proceeded down the aisle. The ushers, Messrs. Sommerfield Tilghman, H. W. Catlin, T. J. Keating, Jr., E. F. Perkins, Jr., S. G. Newnam and L. W. Wickes, all wearing cut away coats and dark striped trousers, advanced up the aisle, met the maid of honor and bridesmaids, separated and advanced to the foot of the chancel where they took position on either side.

When near the door the maid of honor and bridesmaids were met by the bride, leaning on the arm of her mother, wearing a magnificent gown of white satin *en train*. Duchess lace, high neck, long sleeves, veil, diamond and pearl ornaments, and carrying a bouquet of bride roses. The bridesmaids advanced up the aisle followed by the maid of honor and the bride and her mother. Upon reaching the chancel they separated and the bride was met by the bridegroom and his best man, Mr. Kennard Brown, and as Miss Hurtt rendered beautifully "Oh Promise Me" in subdued tones, the couple were pronounced man and wife. As the bridal party left the church Mendelsohn's wedding march was played.

Miss Hurtt presided at the organ, and her renditions were exceptionally beautiful.

Those who composed the choir were: Mrs. Harris, Misses Beck, Willie Wickes, Mattie Constable, Nannie Brice, Daisy Brice, Belle Boston, Tillie Reiche, Mamie Patterson, Annie Brice, Sallie Beck, M. W. Cavender, Lottie Wickes; Messrs. Horace Beck, John Bordley, T. W. Perkins and Thomas Massey.

The wedding was by universal consent one of the most brilliant ever solemnized in Chestertown. The presents were numerous and very handsome, consisting of almost every conceivable article of solid silver. The groom's gift to the bride was a magnificent pin of diamonds and pearls.

Among those present from a distance were: Lieut. Morris K. Barroll, of Fortress Monroe; J. Leeds Barroll, Philadelphia; Gen'l William McKenney and wife, William L. Holton and wife, Walter T. Wright and wife, Mrs. Marcella Wright, J. F. Rolph and wife, Miss Maggie Legg, Miss Nellie Brown, John B. Brown, W. W. Busteed, and Mrs. George S. Palmer, W. Hopper Gibson, Lemuel Dunbracco, Clayton Wright, J. H. C. Legg, Madison Bordley, E. H. Brown, Jr., Walter T. Brown, John Brown, of Centreville; Mrs. Joseph Meeteer, Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. J. K. H. Jacobs, and Miss Jacobs, of Kennedyville.

A MARRIAGE LUNCHEON.

Immediately after the ceremony, the bridal party and the members of their immediate families were entertained at a delightful luncheon at the home of the bride's mother on Front street. The bridal party at the home, received standing in front of a magnificent bower of ferns and palms, surmounted by beautiful blossoms. The mantel almost opposite was a mass of laurel, palms and blossoming hydrangeas. Over the piano was a charming arrangement of ferns, palms and potted plants. The room in which the luncheon table was spread, was truly a poem of beauty. In the centre of the table was a pyramid of white roses and cornations, surrounded at the base by a wreath of fragrant clematis. From each corner of the beautifully trimmed table white ribbons met at the ceiling directly over the pyramid of flowers. One end of the room was banked with palms, ferns and laurel, while the mantel was a bower of pansies. The effect was exceptionally striking and beautiful. Immediately after the luncheon the bridal party drove to Price's Station and took the train for Niagara and other points north. Rice and every conceivable token of good luck followed them as the bride bade farewell to the home of her girlhood.

Miss Josephine Wickes entertained the bridal party at tea on Tuesday evening, after the rehersal.

MILES—COLEMAN.

A pretty marriage was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coleman, Rock Hall, at 7.30 o'clock yesterday evening. The contracting parties were Miss Grace Coleman and Mr. Jesse Miles, of Chester, Pa. Mr. and Mrs Miles will make their future home in Chester, where the bridegroom is engaged in business.

The Ladies.

The pleasant effect and perfect safety with which ladies may use the California liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions, makes it their favorite remedy To get the true and genuine article, look for the name of the California Fig Syrup Co., printed near the bottom of the package.

DIED.

WILLSON.—On Monday, June 18, 1894, G. Otta Willson, infant daughter of Dr. Thomas B. and H. M. Willson, aged 5 months and 3 days.

NICKERSON.—At his residence in Chesterville, on the 15th inst., of typhoid fever, Mr. J. R. Nickerson, aged forty-nine years.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.

CHESTERTOWN.—Sacred Heart Church, during the month of June services will be held every Friday evening at 8 o'clock P. M. consisting of Sacred Heart devotions with sermon on "charity," followed by benediction. Services on the 1st and 3d Sundays at 10.30 A. M. with sermon. Evening session with sermon and benediction at 8 o'clock P.M. Communion services every Friday at 9 A. M. and on the first Sunday special communion service at 9 A. M. Mass on week days at 8 A. M.

BASE-BALL NOTES.

Games to Take Place—Pitcher Burris' Handsome Showing—Criticism and Comments.

The Centreville base-ball club claims to be very much in it. They defeated the Ruthsburg team last week by a score of 31 to 7.

The Columbia base-ball club, of Baltimore, will play a game with the Centreville club on the grounds of the latter club on the 4th of July. The Baltimore boys will probably come down on a tug.

The Nanticokes lost their first game in two years to the Washington team of Chestertown, on Saturday 16th inst. A "Waterloo" the correspondent of the Baltimore *American* termed it, but, perhaps, a "Bunker Hill" would be fully as appropriate, as notwithstanding their forty seven-mile drive and the side hill ground which they had but a few moments to get accustomed to, they put up a fielding game full of brilliant plays, and would probably, but for the injury to Framptom, have held their opponents down to two runs. They were unable, however, to solve Burris' deceptive delivery, and, although several men were left on bases, none were able to score. Burris is a pitcher who is out of place on any but a professional team and we expect to hear from him, ere long, as a member of one.—*Courier Journal.*

"The Federalsburg base-ball nine met the Washington College boys, the crack team of the Eastern Shore, on Saturday last, and, though finding themselves unable to bat Burris, succeeded in holding them down to five runs, a record equaled by only one team that have played them this year. An accident to one of the players, in the second inning, a down-hill grade to which the Federalsburg boys were unaccustomed, and the long and tiresome carriage all contributed their disadvantages, and probably cost them at least three of the five runs."—*Denton Journal.*

Evidently the Federalsburg men are unacquainted with a first-class base-ball ground. "Side hill," "A down-hill grade," indeed, the Washington College grounds are conceded to be one of the finest in the State. Accept your defeat gracefully gentlemen; you could not help it.

Locust Grove recently defeated the Crumpton team by a score of 4 to 3. Batteries, Locust Grove, Kelley and Scotten; Crumpton, Sparks and Johnson.

Crumpton played McGinnises' Corner, Saturday week, the score being 15 to 0 in favor of Crumpton.

Mr. A. V. Burris, pitcher of the Washington College base-ball team, met the Philadelphia League Club in Baltimore, on Thursday last according to agreement. Mr. Burris, shortly after arrival in Baltimore, called on Manager Irwin at the Carrollton Hotel, and was requested by that gentleman to don a Philadelphia uniform and appear at the grounds that afternoon for practice. Mr. Burris was placed before some of the Philadelphia sluggers before the Baltimore-Philadelphia game was called, and made quite a creditable showing. Cross and Grady both complimented the college boy, and said he had plenty of speed. On Friday, 22d, Mr. Burris again appeared for practice, but Manager Irwin said nothing about putting W. C's. twirler in the box until after Carsey was knocked out. Then the league magnate consented to give Burris a trial. It was a very hard situation for the inexperienced amateur. The game had already been won by the Baltimore sluggers, and the score was Philadelphia 1, Baltimore 8. Burris, however, did not shrink from the ordeal, but trotted merrily to the box. His first inning (the 5th of the game) was a decided success. The first three men at the bat for Baltimore failed to reach first, and as the plucky amateur walked to the bench the grand-stand came down with generous applause. The sixth inning resulted differently. The Baltimores began to hit and the Philadelphians to make errors, and to say the least of it, Burris' support for professionals was decidedly ragged, and to this fact rather than to any failure on his part to pitch winning ball is due the loss of the game. The 6th inning resulted in 6 runs for Baltimore. In the 7th Burris again shut out the Baltimores; in the 8th Baltimore scored 4 runs, and in the 9th they again failed to score. Out of 5 innings Burris succeeded in shutting Baltimore out 3 times, a very good showing for an amateur. His work was equal to that of any pitcher on the field, and every one in the grand-stand complimented him. With a little experience he will make a winning pitcher for *any* club, and Philadelphia's loss is W. C's. gain. It is likely Burris will return to college in the fall, and when the ball season again opens the public will be once more treated to some of his fine work. He will take the summer course at Chatauqua to fit himself for gymnasium work, and will conduct his classes as before in the college.

Zearfoss is expected to return also, and base-ball prospects for next year are brighter than ever.

The Philadelphia *Record* said: "Burris, though nervous and excited, did as well as an amateur could be expected to do under the circumstances."

KNOWLEDGE

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Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and $1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

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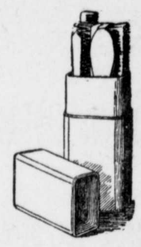

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