Sports of the Week

Basket Ball Season Resumed January 9th—Other Notes

The basketball season at Washington College will be resumed next Friday night. Blue Ridge College will be the opponents of the local Collegians on the Washington College floor.

Among the leading intersectional football games now arranged are: Army—Notre Dame, Pennsylvaia—Illinois, Pennsylvania—Chicago, Dartmouth—Chicago, Syracuse—Indiana—Notre Dame—Penn State, Navy—Michigan andColumbia—Ohio State, Princeton, Yale and Harford are stick to the east.

Notre Dame gets the biggest jolt neft fall in the loss of talent from their foot ball squad, Rockne faces his hardest test. He loses his entire first eleven and seven of his "shock troops" or reserves, who were used to open each engagement.

Hand ball is another game that has become quite popular on the Eastern Shore especially among the girls. Chestertown had a team this year that was quite successful.

Foot ball drew the largest crowds of all sports the past year. Some of the big games in the East and Middle West were sellouts at the box office, but no other college stadium was like California's built in a hollow of the hills.

Over 10,000,000 spectators followed the Western Conference football games. Compare this with the record of professional baseball. The National League has just reported its most prosperous year with a record paid attendance of 4,340,644— an increase of 220,000 over the attendance in 1923. In both East and West professional promoters are casting envious eyes at the college foot ball gate receipt records. They are listing famous former college football stars and planning to sweep the country next year with a succession of professional foot ball championship games, but they will never succeed.

The reason is plain. College sport is real sport. It is honest, clean and based on the keenest sportsmanship and college rivalry. Take foot ball outside the college, professionalize it and it becomes merely a money-making scheme.

Monday was one of the biggest days for duck killing on the Chester this season. Hundreds of canvas-back ducks were killed from blinds along the Chester River by local shooters, some of whom claim big records.

This is the open season for hitting the forward pass with hard lefts and rights, but the forward pass continues to soak up punishment and hold its feet without taking the count. There may be slight imperfections to be ironed out, but they are slight and no big changes will ever be made. If the forward pass is curbed the running game will also be curbed, the offence pretty well bottled up and a slower game developed. It is said there is a lot more luck in football than there used to be. This is true, but football was not intended to be a fixed science, is was planned as a recreation and a physical and mental exercise for school boys. Now and then the better team is beaten but this is very seldom.

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STILL POND

Miss Kate Howard spent last weekend with her sister at Federalsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Penn Toulson and daughter Helene, of Vineland, N. J. and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Toulson of Philadelphia spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Susie Toulson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Norris and sons spent this week with her parents in Philadelphia, Pa.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet on next Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 7th at the home of Mrs. A. J. Hackett.

Misses Jennie and Anna Bowers entertained a number of friends at their home on New Years eve.

Miss Hetty Jarrell has returned to New York after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jarrell.

Mrs. Paul Giddens, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hackett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haddaway have returned to Philadelphia after spending the Christmas holidays at their home here.

The business and social meeting of the Epworth League will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Ford on Friday evening, January 9th.

Miss Nane Porter, of Collinswood, N. J., spent laste week-end with her mother, Mrs. Edward Dittman.

At the regular meeting of the Rebekah's on next Thursday evening, the newly elected officers will be installed. All members are urged to come out.

GALENA

Miss Lucy Ford, of Philadelphia, is spending sometime with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Ford.

Mr. Louis Cruckshank, of Philadelphia, is visiting his mother over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Theodore Dempsey and daughter, Miss Carrie, spent several days of last week with Rev. and Mrs. O. H. Conley of Townsend, Del.

Miss Mary Scott of Baltimore, spent a few days with her father, Dr. E A. Scott.

The Willing Workers Class held their monthly meeting at the home of Miss Mary Caldwell on Tuesday, Dec. 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mitchell and little son of. Waynesboro, Pa., have returned home after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Vansant.

Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Sterling and family spent a few days of last week with his mother at Princess Anne, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mulford celebrated their twenty sixth anniversary at their home, Monday evening, Dec. 29th. About fifty were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Jones and little daughter, of Highland Park, N. J., spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Caldwell.

Miss Catherine Deshane, of Chesapeake City, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lemuel Marks.

Mrs. Chester Davis is visiting relatives in Wilmington.

Mr. Wm. Starr spent a few days with his little daughter of Dagsboro, Del

Skating in Kent

Kent skaters had their first sport of the season this and last week. Frozen ponds do not lack users in Baltimore. Somehow or other, the few days of ice that the average winter affords hereabouts are sufficient to develop a numerous skating fraternity which promptly seizes every chance to display its enthusiasm and even skill. One wonders whether swimming would show an equal popularity if its most earnest devotees could enter the water only six or eight times in summer and casual swimmers perhaps once a year. At any rate it is clear that skating has an attraction for those who have experienced its joys, for they take no account of sore muscles and an occasional bruise, nor are they depressed by thoughts of coal bins emptying under the onslaught of winter. They dash around the ponds and lakes as if they really enjoyed the sport and hoped for a return of the old-time winter with skating uninterupted for weeke on end.

BETTERTON

A gloom was cast over the entire community on Friday night when it was learned that Henry, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Bramble had died. The Sympathy of the entire town is extended to those who stand closest in the shadow. For four successive years, death has entered a Betterton home just at Christmas day.

Watch Night service was held at the Methodist Church, Dr. Walter Stone had charge of the service here while Rev. E. M. Shockley held a similar service at Still Pond. The service was preceeded by the weekly prayer meeting, Bible Study Class and Epworth League business meeting with a social hour from ten to eleven thirty.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brice, our latest bride and groom have returned from their wedding trip and are residing for the present with the brides parents at Lynch.

Miss Myrtle Pinder spent Christmas week with friends at Phoenixville, Penna.

Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Crew attended a dance at Cambridge New Year's night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brice and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Moore entertained at family dinner on New Years Day.

Mr. George Brice, who is in Philadelphia for the winter spentt several days with his parents here.

Mr. Harris Crewe left on Christmas Day for Florida where he will spend the winter.

There are at the present thirty one houses in Betterton that are closed for the winter.

ROCK HALL

The New Year received the usual warm welcome but in very cold weather. There were Watch Night Service beginning at 10 o'clock at the M. E. Church.

Mr. Harvey Hogans is improving from three weeks of the grippe. Mr. and Mrs. William T. Downey had as holiday guest their children, Mrs William Davis, Bustleton, Pa. and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Downey and daughter of Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. William Scoone was able to be out Sunday after three weeks of grippe.

Miss Virginia Thompson is getting along very nicely through her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sewell, of Shiloh, N. J., were several days guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewin Hyland, and took their little son, Vernon, who had been visiting here several weeks.

Miss Etta Hill, of Baltimore, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hill through the holidays.

Mr. William Gale will move this week to a farm nearly opposite his present home near Tolchester.

Miss Grace Culley, student at Galena High School, and Mr. Alfred Culley, student at Washington College, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar N. Culley.

Miss Deloris Taylor, of Baltimore, is guest of her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Davis.

Mrs. Sarah Crosby entertained Christmas Day her son, Mr. Wilmot Crosby, of New York.

Miss Susie Leary, of Baltimore, visited her brother, Mr. William Leary, and wife over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor have as guest their son, Mr. J. Elwood Taylor, of Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa.

Mr. Alpheus Wilson, of Newark, Del., was guest for several days of his sister Mrs. Harry Lake, and Mr. Lake.

Mr. Francis Judefind, of Washington Missionary College, Takoma Park, D. C. spent several days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Judefind.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hynson, with their children, Miss Mary and Mr. Francis and George Hynson, of Baltimore, spent the holidays at their home here.

KENNEDYVILLE

Miss Hessner, Mrs. Tucker, Dewey Whiteley, Miss Johnston, Miss Sara Staats, Mary Whiltbanks, Bertha Grantlin were all Christmas visitors.

Mrs. Young, Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Jones have been on the sick list.

Miss Palmer Redmile spent Christmas Day with her parents. Miss Edith and Harriett Walls left on Tuesday for Florida where they will spend the winter.

Mr. William Urie is spending the holidays with his parents.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert VanDyke last week and left a little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller have moved to the house vacated by Mr. L. A. Pennington. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Miller to our community.

The Christmas entertainment and treat was held in the M. P. Church on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivie and Elsie Nall of Washington D. C. and Mr. and Mrs. Berkstretcher of Greensboro, Md., visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnston last week.

Miss Daisy Ford spent Christmas day with her parents.

Service at Grace Presbyterian Church next Sunday afternoon at 2.30 p. m., preaching by the pastor, Rev. B. B. Staats. The Missionary meeting of the Grace Presbyterian Church was held at the home of Mrs. James Weer.

The Patrons Club meeting will be held in the school building, Wednesday evening, Jan. ', at 7.30 p. m. Professor Hart will give an address.

The patrons will begin serving hot lunches at the school on Monday, Jan. 5th.

Services at M. P. Church, Sunday School at 10 a. m.; preaching at 7.45 by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Trout.

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