WASHINGTON COLLEGE WINS

DEFEATS ST. JOSEPHS OF PHILADELPHIA, ALFRED HODGSON, OF CHESTERTOWN, AMONG STARS. GAME HELPS SHOW WASHINGTON'S RATING. TWO WASHINGON REGULARS ABSENT.

In a game packed with thrills and excitement, Washington College defeated St. Josephs College of Philadelphia by a score of 33-29. In the second half the contest was close and the game was hard fought and rough and many foulswe re called. This caused much dissention and crabbing. However it was a good game and the kind the spectators like to see.

At the start St. Joseph's showed superior team work and soon had the score 3-0. At this point Washington tightened and Ward playing guard scored a field goal. After this Washington floor work surpassed that of St. Joseph's throughout the game. Washington led by Hdgson and Huey, would pass the ball up and get in short shots. St. Jo sephs was unable to pass for short shots but they were dead-eyes on long ones and were able to hold Washington to a tie in the first half.

The second half was like the first, Washington passing in for short shots and St. Joseph unable to pass in for short shots would retaliate in the scoring with long ones.

With about three minutes to play Washington had a five point lead. St. Josephs scored a foul and then a field goal. Hodgson, of Washington scored and this gave a four pint lead but St. Jseph's scred again and Washington regained the four point lead when Bilanconi, who went in for Huey sunk a field goal just a few seconds before the final gun. The final score was 33 to 29.

Washington Plays Well

For Washington Ward and Huey, who play guard positons played their positions well and scored three field goals apiece. It looks as though there positions were well filled.

Hodgson, of Chestertown, is the fastest man Washington has on the floor, and if his performances continue to be as good as they were in the St. Joseph game, he will probably have a regular job at forward.

Skip, at center looks a little green yet but before the season is over will probably develope into a good center.

Two Washington regulars were absent. Higgiston, forward is reported to have left College and Proudfoot, a frward or center is on the sick list. Prudfoot played well last year and with him at the other forward port, the Washington team should be imprved.

Amng the substitues are Bill Nicholson and Aldy clements of Chestertown.

Scoring by Washington was as follows: Hodgson 4 goals and fouls one out of 4. Giraitis 1 goal and one foul out of 2. Johnson no goals and no fouls out f 1. Skip 1 goal and 1 foul out of 2. Huey 3 goals and 3 out of 6 fouls. Ward 3 goals and 1 foul out of 2. Bilanconi 1 goal and no foul out of 1.

Paul Menton, sports writer for the Baltimore Sun was the referee. Huey, of Washington we nt out on fouls and so did Zuber, of St. Josephs, who scored 5 field goals and 5 out of 12 fouls.

Washington Future Chances

St. Joseph's has defeated; Pharacitical college of Phiadelphia 50-28. St. Johns of Annapolis 34-32. West Chester Teachers 35-28. Washington also defeated the West Chester Teachers by four points.

University of Delaware deefated St. Joseph's at Newark 35-24. Washington plays this team next week. Delaware is supposed to lack team-work but has five men that are danegrous scoring aces.

KENNEDYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Tucker and Miss Sue Johnson, of Washiugton, D. C., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Weer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnston and daughter will leave next week to visit relatives in Stella, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. James Weer entertained Mr. Ferguson and Miss Owens on Sunday evening.

Service as usual in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at 7.30 p. m.

Mrs. Harry Johnston and Mrs. Walter Hurlock spent Wednesday in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Lin Redmile and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Redmile were entertained at a banquet at the DuPont Hotel, Saturday evening, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keys.

Mr. George Van Dyke is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Groves entertained the Christian Endeavor Friday evening at their home.

The Sunday School teachers meeting was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William Dempsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray King and children and Mr. Homer King spent Friday in Philadelphia and Wilmington.

Mrs. Susie Shallcross, of Chestertown, spent Monday with Mrs. Rachiel Hill and Mrs. James Archibald.

Mrs. Dr. Urie was given a surprise by her friends one night last week in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. Clara Dorney, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Rasin a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jewell, of Lynch, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Jewell.

Dr. and Mrs. Urie left on Tuesday to spend the night with their son in Wilmington before leaving for Florida on Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Miller is spending some time with her son, Mr. Louis Miller and family, near Galena.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Copper celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their daughters, Mrs. Pearl Walls, on Tuesday.

The 4-H Club will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Harry Willis Friday evening, January 20. All members are urged to be present.

STILL POND

Mr. Harry Bidwell, of Philadelphia, Pa., spent last week end here.

The Philithia Class met on Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gear. A good number were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Miss Anna Clark and Mr. Earl Meeks were quietly married on last Saturday evening at Millington, Md., they have the best wishes of a host of friends.

The devotional service of the Epworth League will be lead on Sunday evening by Mr. Galen Clark, he expects to have with him Mr. H. B. Owens and Mr. Allan Bonwill who he accompanied on a trip to Canada this Winter, they will tell of their trip. Come out and hear them.

A very sad accident occured here Wednesday morning; Mrs. Anna Bowers an elderly lady living alone, was severly burned, supposidly from the stove while preparing breakfast, neighbors rescued her and she was rushed to Easton hospital, but died soon after arriving there.

Miss Grace Brown from near Chestertown, Md., spent the past week end with her friend, Erma Haddaway.

Mrs. Emma Thompson who has been sick for several days is improving.

The following officers were installed January 9th, 1933, at a regular meeting of Betterton Lodge 164.

Noble Grand, Henry Clark.
Vice Grand, Franklin Stork.
Recording Secretary, Ralph Geary
Financial Secretary, Dr. L. P. Atwell.
Treasury, J. William Clark.
Chaplain, William Brice.
Warden, Author Newsome.
Conductor, John H. Duyer.
Right Supporter to Noble Grand, Judson White.
Left Supporter to Noble Grand, Donel Carter.
Right Supporter Vice Grand, Ernest Brisco.
Left Supporter to Noble Grand, William Noblett.
Right Seen Supporter, Barney Cooper.
Left Seen Supporter, Walter Biggers.
Marshal, Harry Jones.
Inside Guad, Charles Clark.
Outside Guard, William Groves.
Delegate to Grand Lodge, J. William Clark.

Famous Human Midget

Charles Sherwood Stratton (Tom Thumb) was born at Bridgeport, Conn., January 4, 1838, and died in Middleborough, Mass., July 15, 1883. He was taken by his mother to P. T. Barnum in 1842, and at that time was 28 inches in height and weighed about fifteen pounds. He was perfectly proportioned. Barnum exhibited him in England in 1844.

KENT'S HEALTH REPORT

12 BIRTHS—6 DEATHS

(BY DR. R. G. BEACHLEY)

During the past month over 600 cases of influenza have been reported in the counties of Maryand. There have been quite a few cases of a mild type in Kent County. Memories of the severity of the 1918 influenza epidemic and its attendant, high mortality, may perhaps cause people to be unduly alarmed whenever the disease again makes its appearance but in this connection it should be remembered that in 1918 a large body of men were segregated in army cantonments under conditions conducive to a very rapid passage of the virus from man to man and a consequent development and maintenance of a high virulence. At the same time also a large number of physicians and nurses were in service with the result that for the civil population adequate medical and nursing care was not available in many communities. It is important to bear in mind that these conditions do not hold today.

No specific preventative or curative treatment for influenza has been found as yet but people can take certain precautions against spreading the disease. More than this in the event that a person should have an attack of the disease he can guard against its serious complications. The following information and advice is offered regarding the necessary precautions which all persons should observe. The symptoms of influenza vary from those of a common cold to high fever, severe backache and prostration. Its principal danger is in the development of pneumonia as a complication. This danger is in a large measure obliterated by going to bed promptly and staying there until fully recovered. This is really the most important point in the treatment of influenza. Suggestions as to precautions to be taken are these:

1. Keep as far as possible from those who are coughing and sneezing.
2. Avoid unnecesary contacts with those who may have the disease.
3. Do not use drinking or eating utensils used by others unless such utensils have been thoroughly washed in scalding water.
4. When influenza is prevailing, avoid crowded places so far as possible.
5. Wash the hands frequently with soap and warm water.
6. Avoid unnecessary fatigue.
7. Remember, IF YOU GET THE DISEASE, GO TO BED IMMEDIATELY and stay there until entirely well. Have a room to yourself if possible.
8. Call a physician and obey his orders.

If this advice was followed in every case there would be few, if any, deaths from influenza except possibly at the extremes of life. Moreover epidemics would not be as wide spread or as explosive as they have been in the past.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Two cases of chicken pox were reported during the month.

On December 20th a case of diphtheria was reported in one of the prisoners in the Kent County Jail. Several days later another inmate contracted this disease. Both cases were isolated as well as they could be at the time the diagnosis was made. The first case was released from jail and sent to his home in Melitota where he was quarantined. The second case was sent to his home in Hartford County where he was placed under quarantine. Both cases were given diphtheria antitoxin and all of the inmates in the jail were given the protective dose of 1,000 units of diphtheria antitoxin. In an effort to determine the source of these cases all of the employees of the jail and inmates were cultured for the detection of a possible carrier.

One case of mumps was reported and two cases of pneumonia.

Two cases of scarlet fever were reported.

Seven cases of tuberculosis were reported and sevral were sent to the sanatorium for treatment.

Two cases of typhoid fever were reported from the Skinner's Neck section of the county. One case was moved to Baltimore and died in the hospital. An investigation to determine the source of the disease revealed that the water supply was obtained from a badly polluted well. Following these two cases radical changes were made in the sanitary conditions about this home. All the members of the family were given the typhoid vaccine.

Another case of typhoid fever was reported near Chestertown but it was impossible to determine the exact source of this case.

SOCIAL SERVICE WORK

Due to the economic conditions of the county the Health Department has been called upon to do a great deal of social service work in the distributing of clothing and arranging for food and fuel for families who are in need. The staff of the Health Department has been very glad to cooperate in this work with the Kent County chapter of the American Red Cross and the Kent County Welfare Association. During the month of December approximately eighteen families were visited by some member of the staff and supplied with medicine, food, fuel, or clothing. In many instances the families were in need of medical attention and it was necessary to arrange for some physician to prescribe for these indigent sick.

CLINICS

A very large Tuberculosis Clinic was held on December 5th. A total of 46 suspects were examined.

The health officer and nurses held six Toxoid Clinics. Ten pre-school and 15 school children cmpleted the series of treatments. Since the opening of school over 131 children have completed the 2 inocculations against diphtheria. The toxoid administration is carried on each year and Kent County has one of the largest percentages of school children who have received immunization against this disease.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

The physical examination of school children constitutes one of the chief activities of the Health Department. Each year an attempt is made to give each child in the elementary school a

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The Family Next Door

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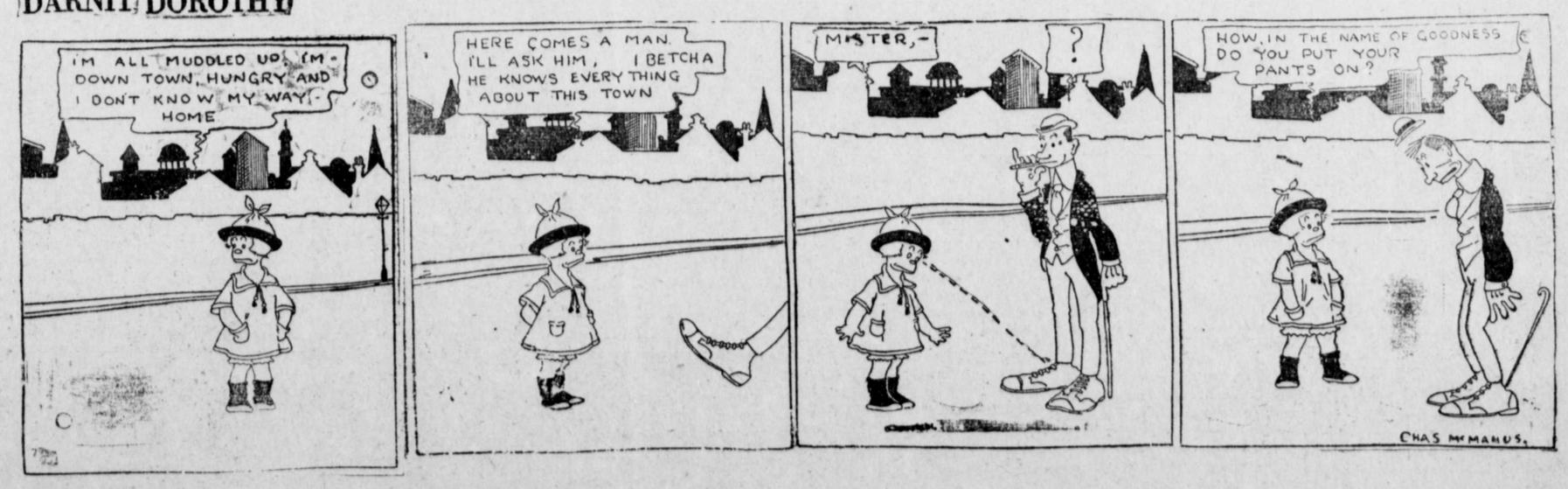

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