Kent News.

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CHESTERTOWN, - JUNE 27, 1891.

The Peach Meeting.

Next Wednesday, at 2 P. M., promptly, the peach meeting at the Court House in Chestertown will be called to order. The invitation is general to all growers in Kent and Queen Anne's counties, and others interested. Unless the growers look after their interests they may expect low prices.

Don't leave the matter to a few. All are interested, directly. It is certainly unkind, to say the least, to refuse to do anything yourself and then stand off and growl because things are not done right! A growler appears in a letter in the Centreville *Observer* signing himself "X." He says the Chestertown meeting did nothing. Suppose we grant this, is he not as much to blame as any one? Why don't *he* do something? If he will not co-operate with us we will co-operate with him.

Practical results will no doubt come of the meeting here, "X" and other growlers to the contrary notwithstanding.

WORTON LOCALS.

Our Queen Anne's friend, Mr. Aaron Welch, brought us over a colt trotter that had never been on the track before, and Mr. Lane put him one mile in 2.40 on first trial. Mr. Welch has been offered $350 by a Chestertown gentleman, but refuses to sell for less than $500.

The Children's Day at the Presbyterian Church, in this town, was quite a success last Sunday. We had a crowded house and collection good. Our superintendent, Mr. W. E. Beck being sick his place was filled by George H. Phifer. The children were all well drilled and spoke nicely.

The Balto. & Delaware Bay Railroad, are putting the track in first class repair from this place to Nicholson's Crossing, working about thirty hands on same.

Captain Cundiff's horse, "Hannis" is still improving; is able to feed himself and Dr. Plummer says in short time will be as good as ever.

Mr. Charles H. Neal, of the firm of Geo. H. C. Neal & Son's, (Dry Goods) Baltimore, is spending a few days with Geerge H. Phifer. P.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded with the clerk of the circuit court for Kent county during the month of June: Charles T. Westcott, attorney and trustee to Charles B. Tracy, farm called "Vienna," near Chesterville, adjoining the lands formerly owned by Jacob Highly, and containing 82 acres, 2 roods and 12 perches of land, more or less; consideration $900, etc. Charles B. Tracy and wife to Sarah E. Spray, the same tract of land as described above; consideration $1,750, etc. John F. Ernest and wife to James F. Hall, tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Sassafras; consideration $300. Mary G. Young to John A. Hersch, tract of land in fifth election district, on road leading from Rock Hall to Deep Landing; consideration $100. B. F. Urie to Henry Urie, parcel of land lying in fifth election district, formerly owned by John Urie, deceased; consideration $30. Robert Smith and wife to William Dickerson, parcel of land on road leading from Rock Hall to Deep Landing; consideration $1.00. William Dickerson to Robert Smith and wife and Wm. H. Smith, parcel of land near Rock Hall, on road leading from Rock Hall to Deep Landing; consideration $1.00. George E. Leary and wife to Charles H. Stevens, lot or parcel of land lying in Eastern Neck on the west side of Gray's Inn Creek; consideration $100. Certificate of survey of oyster bed to Fannie A. Wood. George T. Vickers to Thomas L. Maslin, lot or parcel of land lying in Broad Neck, adjoining the lands of William Comegys and others; consideration $255.

Married In June.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Dr. Samuel Beck, clerk of the circuit court for Kent county, during the month of June: To white couples—William J. Bryson and Ella J. Biggs, both of Kent county; William Gladyszewski and Annie M. Jaukski, both of Kent county; William H. Wheat and Mary E. Bigelow, both of Kent; Reginald Heber Murphy, of Prince Georges county, and Roberta Wilmot Foster, of Kent; Charles H. Hughes, of Baltimore, and Ida M. Hyland, of Kent; Joseph Cully and Ida E. Newcomb, both of Kent county. To colored couples — Hark F. Boyer and Mary Chambers, both of Kent; Mack Johnson and Maggie Redline, both of Kent; Henry Poindexter and Louise Freeman, both of Kent.

County commissioners, June 23, 1891. Present, Thomas J. Shallcross, president; Groves, Morgan and Dickinson. The recommendation of Hannah Robinson, col'd, and Hannah Goldsborough, col'd, of 4th district, were considered, and pensions allowed to be provided for by levy of 1891. The application of the School Board for the appropriation of $15,000 for school purposes was considered and allowed, and ordered to be provided for by levy in 1891. The board was further engaged in examining, approving and passing accounts for levy for 1891.

Orphans' Court, June 23, 1891. Full board present. Last will and testament of Chas. H. B. Massey was admitted to probate. Letters testamentary were granted, to Mary A. O. Massey and Geo. O. Massey.

Endorsing Frank Brown.

The following note speaks for iself:

STILL POND, June 6, '91.

Still Pond Alliance No. 77, held a meeting here to-night. Bro. B. F. Davis and W. S. Maxwell offered the following resolution, which was unanimously carried:

Resolved, That Still Pond Alliance No. 77 heartily endorse Hon. Frank Brown for Governor.

JOHN S. CLAYTON, JR., SEC.

QUEENSTOWN VERSUS ROCK HALL.—The Queenstown and Rock Hall base ball clubs crossed bats on the grounds of the latter last Saturday afternoon, and after a well contested and somewhat exciting game, the Queenstown men came out winners by a score of 17 to 11. Roe and Kaline were the battery for the winners and Sewell and Tarr for Rock Hall. The following was the score by innings:

CLUBS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	T'l
Queenstown	2	1	0	0	9	1	4	0	0	17
Rock Hall	0	1	0	0	2	4	1	1	2	11

Umpire, Wm. Gehrman; time of game, 2 hours; attendance 500.

CHILTON'S WOOD'S CAMP MEETING, Caroline circuit, Methodist Protestant Church, of which Rev. R. L. Lewis is pastor, will hold a camp from August 7th to 17th, on the far-famed Chilton's Wood's Camp Ground. Tenters are expected to assemble from Denton, Greensboro, Felton, Harrington and Greenwood, as well as from the country intermediate. The president of the conference has appointed an able ministerial supply, among which are Rev. D. L. Greenfield, S. B. Tredway and Q. L. Morrow, pastors of churches in this county.

THE Epworth League held a Devotional Service on Thursday evening, led by Prof. C. W. Proctor, after which the regular monthly business session commenced.—Encouraging reports were read from the literary department of the Junior League.

ROCK HALL NEWS.

The fifth election district seems to have launched out into a stream of good luck of late. The fact of securing a gentleman as the Democratic nominee for clerk of the court, who is in every way worthy the honor, and the selection of another worthy man is the nominee for sheriff on the Prohibition ticket, together with all the other nominees from this district is calculated to make us feel poud that we have such material from which to select them, to do honor to the various offices of the county, and we are also happy to say that the woods is full of such timber for the accommodation of the issues on the list. The Prohibitionists done a good thing for Ned when they nominated him. He, fully conscious of the fact that it requires money to secure the plum, has put forth a bold effort to collect out-standing bills, of which there are many. Had it not been for securing the nomination, he no doubt, would have been content to bide the time of the parties owing him, as heretofore.

Will, when first apprised of his nomination, was crabbing and was so astounded that he seemed to become transfixed to the spot, holding his net as if waiting for a crab to come out from under shelter. Rallying himself, he at once determined to decline, but after second thought, he concluded it was a great honor to be named on the Prohibition ticket, and would hold on, and give Horace and the other fellows as hard a fight as possible.

Mr. John J. Blackiston having abandoned his bench for awhile, has entered the service of G. W. Stuart & Co., nurserymen of New York, as agent. After other agents have thoroughly canvassed the community John is following in their tracts taking extensive orders. So much for the reliability of men.

The champion talker of this place, after securing the belt in a contest some months ago, has been defeated by Miss ——, who is now champion.

The Odd Fellows some weeks ago, had for initiation two brothers. John was on hand to be received, but B. failed to put in an appearance. Some one bantered him for his cowardness, but he declared that he had as much nerve as John, and would prove it; so on Wednesday night of last week B. appeared, received two degrees and was told to remain in an adjoining room a short while, when he would be given the other degree. But B. could not undergo the remaining part, so he bolted, taking another man's hat. A guard was sent to catch him, but he escaped. Oh, B. where is thy nerve? of which thou hast boasted so much. The Messrs. Dawson's ship-builders at Deep Landing, on Swan creek, have completed the bugeye they were building, and after a successful launch sold her to Messrs. Jos. and J. W. Downey.

Mr. L. A. Durding has commenced the erection of a fine dwelling, adjoining the propercy of the Knights of Pythias. Mr. B. R. Durding is doing the work, assisted by Lee.

Death has again invaded our village and removed from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Sanford, their infant child.

The indications now are that the Buck net fishermen will do a thriving business this summer, there being more taylors than for a number of years, and of unusually large size. Capt. J. B. Downey will rig up his purse net, which can be used anywhere in the bay.

Politics has settled down to about 50°, but there seems to be a rising temperature along the line, principally in the interest of Farmer Brown for governor. A man who can wield the hoe, the plow and the mule team as well as the affairs of State, like Mr. Brown, is the man to be at the helm of the commonwealth of Maryland.

Farmers have had serious drawbacks in harvesting their wheat, and cultivating their crops, caused by so much rain. R.

THE *Easton Ledger* is informed, and asked to tell other people that "Window screens are not really necessary at all, and in many instances they keep flies in as well as keep flies out. In our house we burned the frame on our last screen door some years ago, and have had the full benefit of the unobstructive breeze every ensuing summer. A little camphor placed on every window sill will keep out flies except in the kitchen, where the temptation is stronger, and the remedy of necessity a little more stringent. But a little camphor sprinkled on the cook stove now and again will drive out the pests and keep them out, while it will also neutralize the unpleasant smell of cooking."

BEFORE THE MAGISTRATE.—Robert Salter, a colored barber of Chestertown, was brought before Esquire Johnson Monday for cutting Annie Black. He plead guilty and not beingable to pay his fine was committed to jail for 30 days.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Thomas Hyland, Piney Neck, June 21, 1891, by Rev. R. Roe, CHAS. H. HUGHES, of Baltimore, and IDA M. HYLAND, of Piney Neck, this county.

In Baltimore, on Dec. 17, 1890 by Rev. W. E. Smith, WALTER FRANCIS, to Miss LILLIE M. COSDEN, daughter of Mr. George T. Cosden, all of Kent.

DIED.

In Chestertown, June 21, 1891, Mrs. SARAH M. LUSBY, relict of Eli Lusby aged 58.

In Chestertown, June 22, 1891, JOHN ROUS, infant son of W. Cook and Cora Orrell, aged 5 months, 14 days.

At Rock Hall, on Friday morning, June 19, 1891, THOMAS NELSON, son of Alice V. and William H. Sanford, aged 5 months and 24 days.

Dear little Nelson thou hast left us,
That little heart is stilled,
That little voice forever hushed,
The little lips forever chilled.
We have no little Nelson now,
He sleeps beneath the sod:
His little heart's at rest
His spirit is with God.
His little voice no more we hear,
His sufferings are all o'er,
For he has gone home, to dwell
With God, forever more.—PARENTS.

Resolutions of Respect.

The following preambles and resolutions were passed at a meeting of the vestry of North Parish, on June 24, 1891.

WHEREAS, it has pleased Almighty God to take out of this world the soul of our deceased brother in the faith, DR. C. H. B. MASSEY, therefore be it

Resolved, That in his death the church and community at large have sustained a great loss. As a Christian our brother was earnest and devout, a man of few words, but of deep religious feeling. "In his friendships he was peculiar," but "to whom he was a friend, he was a friend indeed." For nearly twenty years he carried with him a suffering body, yet he was never heard to murmur or complain. Humble as a little child, he clung to the Cross of Christ as his only hope. As a member of the vestry he was always faithful and true; foremost in looking after the interest of the church; in protecting her rights and in supporting her institutions and worship. In his counsels he was always wise and farseeing, willing at all times to give and glad to distribute as the necessities of the church required.

Resolved, That we extend our sincerest sympathy to the widow and children of the deceased.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the county papers, a copy sent to the afflicted family and a copy inserted in the Parish Register.

ALBERT WARE, RECTOR.
W. H. CACY, Registrar. 1t.

MORGAN'S CREEK M. E. CHURCH—Sabbath services at 3 P. M., in charge of CHAS. S. YORK.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—REV. R. IRVING WATKINS, pastor. Sabbath Services, 10.30 A. M. and 8. P. M. Morning: "Christian Activity." Evening: "Personal Responsibility." Sabbath School 2.15 P. M.

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COMMENCEMENT.

Brilliant Addresses—Field Sports—The Alumni—The Ball, etc.

Washington College held its 109th commencement this week. It is in a flourishing condition and with a corps of learned professors under a progressive principal it must attain to higher things. These commencement days are always a bright page in its history and from its doors young men leave well-equipped to battle with the busy world.

The commencement week exercises of Washington College were inaugurated by

an interesting oratorical contest, held at Stam's Hall last Saturday night, for two prizes—purses of money. The contest was most exciting and attracted a very large audience. The judges were: Rev. Wm. Munford, of the Salisbury Protestant Episcopal Church; Rev. Jacob Todd, D. D., pastor of Trinity, M. E. Church, Philadelphia, and Charles T. Westcott, Esq. The contestants and their subjects were: A. M. Hanna, Rock Springs, Md., "The Curse of Regulus;" M. S. Harper, Golden Hill, Md., "Extract From H. W. Grady's address at the University of Virginia;" J. W. Chapman, Jr., Chestertown, Md., "Extract from William Pinkney Whyte's Speech Against Stevenson Archer's Bondsmen;" E. A. Robinson, Sharptown, Md., "The Farmer and the Wheel;" Benjamin F. Perkins, Chestertown, Md., "Plea in the Mchigan Railroad Conspiracy Trial;" B. Stevens, Hanesville, Md., "Spartacus to the Gladiators;" W. E. Butler, Grove, Md., "Shall We Give Up the Union;" C. A. Prettyman, Milford, Del., "The Polish Boy." Benjamin F. Perkins secured the first prize, and M. S. Harper the second.

The prizes were to the first $15 and to the second $10, offered by Mr. A. H. Reid, of Philadelphia. Special mention was made of the speeches by C. A. Prettyman and J. W. Chapman, Jr.

Sunday Services.

It is doubtful whether the pulpits of our churches were more abler filled than they were last Sunday, and notwithstanding the heavy down-pour of rain the special divines drew good audiences. The Baccalaureate sermon was preached in the M. E. Church by Rev. Jacob Todd, D. D., pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, Philadelphia. He preached from the fifth verse of the sixth chapter of Daniel, taking the character of Daniel as worthy of imitation by young men. It was a simple and forcible presentation and one that could not have been more appropriate to the occasion. He is a gentleman of fine appearance and pleasant voice and his sermon is most favorably commented upon. He preached in the M. E. Church at night and also did himself great credit. He is one of the most brilliant men in the Philadelphia Conference and the college was fortunate in securing his presence. The solo by Miss Sue Lambert was appreciated.

At night Rev. William Munford, formerly of St. Paul's but now of Salisbury P. E. Church preached before the Y. M. C. A. His text was from Luke 18th chapter and 22nd verse. His arguments were so convincing that everyone present could not help but believe his teaching and the whole discourse was philosophical and logical. His sermons both at night and in the morning were characteristic of the man—interesting, instructive and salutary. The singing was a special feature.

Athletic Day.

Tuesday was the day set apart for the sports and it was a grand success. The scene, as one approaches from town, was beautiful. The stars and stripes floated from the tall middle building, while the velvety green and wavy trees added to the loveliness of Kent's fair daughters, who sat upon the pretty terrace. A better place for field day sports is not afforded by any college in the country, and we are proud of the wide campus and green terrace. The prizes offered were worth contesting for and of handsome designs.

The first contest was the hurdle race, in which Messrs. George Brice, Norman Massey, G. A. Bunting, William Ford, Jr., W. E. Butler and A. M. Hanna started. Ten hurdles were jumped and the race was a close one, won by George Brice; time 19 seconds. The prize was offered by J. D. Urie, Esq.

The 100 yards dash for boys not over 16 was run by D. B. Ford, T. Massey and H. W. Perkins. The latter was an easy winner in 12½ seconds; prize offered by *Transcript*.

N. P. Massey, R. F. Duer and Geo. Brice contested the standing long jump, and Brice won by jumping 9 feet, 8¼ inches. The medal was given by Prof. R. Watts.

W. Ford, G. Brice, H. Hurtt and W. F. Porter entered the race for a silver medal offered by Eben F. Perkins, Esq., for the one throwing the base ball the farthest. Ford beat all on the first throw, but Brice won on the second by throwing 103 yards.

The relief afforded the visitors by the inspiring music of the boy band was highly appreciated. They played excellent music for the occasion.

The mile race was a close one, the starters being W. Boggs, A. M. Hanna, W. E. Butler and J. W. Grason. Grason took the lead, Hanna, Boggs and Butler close together. On the second round Butler passes Grason and drops out of the race; Boggs passes Hanna and gets close upon Grason's heels. Before the third round is finished Hanna stops and the race is closely contested by Grason and Boggs. On the last and fifth round Boggs made two attempts to pass Grason and succeeded on the last winning the gold medal offered by Dr. C. W. Reid in 6 minutes and 12 seconds. Boggs was the favorite in the race not withstanding the fact that he jogged along behind until the last round. He ran two straight miles in the morning and is a young man of great "bottom."

The entries in the 100 yards dash for all ages were Norman Massey, George Brice, W. Ford, H. Hurtt. Brice won in 11 seconds the beautiful gold medal offered by Dr. Samuel Beck, with Massey a close second.

The pole vaulting contest was an obstinate one in which Geo. Brice, G. A. Bunting, W. and D. Ford entered. The rope was placed at 7 feet and W. and D. Ford failed to make it while Brice and Bunting went over easily. The pegs were moved up to 7½ feet and Brice failed to get over, while Bunting in a pretty jump cleared the rope and won the gold medal offered by THE KENT NEWS. An exhibition of vaulting was given by Mr. Jack Constable, son of Albert Constable, Esq., of Elkton, who cleared the rope at 8½ feet, the same as was made by Mr. Clarence Perkins last year.

The three-legged race was very interesting. The entries were Brice and Hurtt, Duer and Bunting, Boggs and Butler, Massey and Usilton. The first race was a tie between Massey and Usilton and Duer and Bunting, but in the next trial the former team won easily in 13⅞ seconds. The prize was $5 offered by Charles T. Westcott, Esq.

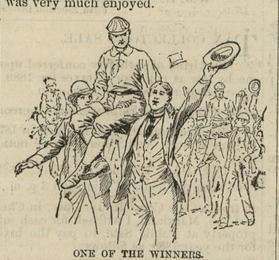
In the jump with dumb bells, Duer, Massey, Brice and Ford were the entries and it was won by Brice who jumped 29 feet. The prize was a set of books, "The Professor at Breakfast," offered by Prof. C. W. Proctor.

The potato race, as usual, was one of the events of the day and was run by N. Cameron, T. Massey, W. Bell and J. Brice. T. Massey won by one potato. The prize was a gold pen given by C. T. Westcott, Esq.

The running long jump was closely contested by Norman P. Massey and Wm. B. Usilton, Jr., the latter winning by a jump of 15 feet, 8½ inches. The prize was a beautiful gold medal, awarded by R. D. Hynson, Esq.

The entries in throwing the hammer were G. A. Bunting, W. F. Porter, N. P. Massey, R. F. Duer and H. Hurtt. Massey won the medal offered by Mr. Charles S. Smith by throwing 85 feet, 5 inches.

Probably the most interesting race to the large number present was that arranged by Prof. J. Roy Micou. The students were lined up at the end of the campus, the little fellows being given a start and the offer was the first twelve to reach the middle building were to have two gallons of ice-cream. The start was given and a pretty race resulted. The little fellows were never caught and led by Paul Graham won the ice-cream. The larger students were led by Norman P. Massey. Of course the cream was very much enjoyed.



ONE OF THE WINNERS.

The judges were Messrs. Lewin W. Wickes, W. H. McFeely and William Beck. Prof. E. J. Clarke had charge of the sports and much credit is due him for their success. The medals were awarded by Prof. Clarke who took great delight in so doing. More medals were presented than at any other college in the State. Refreshments were served on the grounds by the "King's Daughters."

Address of Dr. Willey.

The address before the Mt. Vernon Literary Society was delivered in Stam's Hall, Monday evening by Rev. J. H. Willey, Ph. D., of Syracuse, N. Y. The speaker was introduced by President Bunting. The reverend gentleman is well-known to most of our people and was greeted by a large audience. His subject was "Self Mastery or Education." He defined education as the development of inherent power to enable one to stand on the outside of himself so as to be master of himself. One must learn how to use the faculties. They are in the crude state and must be sharpened, etc. Each action goes toward sharpening the moulds of our life. The man who walks the room at midnight with a crying child is likely to walk many miles before he is through. Everyone is being educated—if not well then certainly ill-educated. There are three realms that make up the whole man—thought, morals, religion. Thought gives ideas, morals give ideals and religion character. True education will give noble ideas, lofty ideals and a beautifully rounded character. Man's appropriate place is where he can creditably fill. The doctor was rich in thought, beautiful in language and sublime in eloquence. His illustrations were amusing and in point, and his audience were delighted with his whole address.

The Alumni Address.

This is the first commencement that the alumni association has had any real recognition upon the college programme. On Tuesday evening, 23d inst., W. T. Dickerson, of the class of '76, delivered the annual address to a fair audience of alumni and friends of the college. Meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Joseph H. Geoghegan, '90. Mr. Charles T. Westcott, president of the association, introduced the speaker of the evening with some appropriate remarks, referring to the prominent part the alumni association was destined to play in advancing the interest of the college. The alumni are the hope of the college. Mr. Dickerson, the orator of the evening, paid a glowing tribute to his Alma Mater, and spoke in eloquent terms of the advantages of a collegiate education even to those who might forget conic sections and Greek extractions. The speaker was in fine voice, and produced a very favorable impression upon his audience upon this his first visit since 1876. He addressed an eloquent apostrophe to the Centennial class, the immortal eight, upon whom the destinies of the college for four years hung. The address was very appropriate.

The Graduates' Addresses.

Commencement Day proper was Wednesday on which day the graduating class delivered their addresses and received their diplomas. Rev. S. C. Roberts opened the exercises with prayer after which the graduates followed in this order: Salutatory, W. F. Porter, Denton, Md.; "Historical Progress," by M. S. Harper, Golden Hill, Md.; Nobility of Labor," by G. A. Bunting, Bishopville, Md.; "The End Not Yet," by R. F. Duer, Princess Anne, Md.; "Do the Signs of the Times Indicate Centralization of Power?" by W. F. Porter, Denton, Md.; Valedictory by M. S. Harper.

Dr. Reid after presenting the graduates with diplomas made a short address, calling attention to the work being done by the small colleges. They are educating four times as many students as are the large colleges and doing it more thoroughly. The cost at the large school is four times as great as at the small one and the advantages are not any greater in proportion to money paid. The doctor showed that everything was in favor of the young man attending the small college and placed before the audience the great advantage that Washington College has over other schools. While it costs $800 at Harvard a boy can be liberally educated at Washington College for $150.

The Junior medal for scholarship was presented to B. F. Perkins, of Chestertown.

The degree of A. M. was conferred upon the following former graduates: William T. Parsons, class of '82; Colin F. Stam, '68; Marion deK. Smith, '70; Hope H. Barroll, '76; Richard D. Hynson, '83; John D. Urie, '81; William D. Straughn, '84; Reuben Garey, '86; George E. Wood, '85; W. T. Dickerson, '76.

The degree of A. B. was conferred upon the members of the graduating class of 1891: George A. Bunting, Robert F. Duer, Milton S. Harper, William F. Porter.

The following students having received an average above 90 in all their studies for the year, are distinguished for scholarship: E. A. Robinson, 96.9; B. F. Perkins, 95.2; W. F. Burns, 93.4; Gurney Knotts, 92.7; John T. Morris, 92.3; Norman Perkins, 90.6; W. B. Usilton, Jr., 90.1; Arthur M. Merritt, 90.

The following students receiving above 80, were classed meritorious: H. E. Perkins, 89.6; Jas. W. Chapman, Jr., 89.5; C.C. Brown, 89.1; Norman Cameron, 88.9; B. F. Parker, 88.6; Wm. Dunbar Gould, Jr., 88.2; W. F. Porter, 88; R. Earle Fisher, 87.1; R. F. Duer, 86.9; M. S. Harper, 86.4; A. M. Hanna, 85.8; Geo. A. Bunting, 85.3; W. Tarbutton, 84.3; W. T. Breerwood, 84.1; Lenox Catlin, 83.8; W. E. Hill, 82.8; Robert J. Emory, 82.1; W. E. Butler, 82.1; D.B. Ford, 81.5; C. T. Westcott, 80.6; R. J. Nicholson, 80.1.

The boy band led by Prof. W. C. Orrell furnished the music for the whole series of exercises and certainly did credit to themselves by their skilful playing. The college is to be praised for their recognition of home talent.

The Alumni of the College.

The alumni met in Stam's Hall Wednesday and elected new officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Richard D. Hynson, Esq.; vice-presidents, Colin F. Stam, Thomas Curry, of Delaware, Dr. J. Mace, of Dorchester; corresp. sec., Prof. Rowland Watts; recording secretary, M. Wilbur Thomas; treasurer, Dr. H. L. Dodd. The executive committee was re-elected and several new members admitted to the association. The annual banquet was held at the Voshell House. There were forty of the alumni present to enjoy the excellent menu spread by J. H. Hurtt & Co., and the fellowship of one another. Charles T. Westcott, Esq., was appointed toastmaster and in his inimitable manner filled the position. The first toast was "To the Visitors and Governors" to which J. A. Pearce, Esq., replied in an able speech of fifteen minutes, followed by M. deK. Smith, Esq. The toast "To the Faculty" was replied to by Dr. C. W. Reid and Prof. Clarke in which toast Dr. Reid spoke of the hard work it required to build up anything that had been down and spoke encouragingly of the prospects of the college. "To the Alumni" was answered by Prof. Rowland Watts;" "Good Old Times" by Rev. Geo. E. Wood; "Our Alma Mater" by Reuben Gary, Esq.; "Class of '91," by R. F. Duer. Mr. Westcott offered a resolution to the effect that the alumni erect for the college a gymnasium, which was adopted. This resolution was the outcome of a speech by Prof. Watts in which the need of a gymnasium was clearly shown. Subscriptions to the amount of $269 were taken and the balance will no doubt be raised by the association at an early day. The menu was as follows:

SOUP:
Vermicella and vegetable.
FISH:
Boiled Rock, Bass and Trout.
ENTREES:
Sliced tomatoes, Moyonnoise Sauce, Soft Crabs, Baked Ham, Fried Oysters, Fried Chicken.
SALADS:
Potato, and Crab.
RELISHES:
Mixed Pickle, Horse Radish, Cold Slaw, Olives and Worcestershire Sauce.
VEGETABLES:
New Potatoes, Peas, Cucumbers, Squashes, Beans.
DESERTS:
Peach Pie, Lemon Meringe, Jelly Cake, Chocolate Cake, Pound Cake, Orange Ice, Vanilla Cream, Chocolate Cream, Raspberry Cream, Harlequin, Peaches, Oranges, Bananas, Almonds, Raisins, Grapes, English Walnuts, Cheese, Chocolate, Crackers, Ice Tea, Coffee.

The College Ball.

The usual ball was held in Stam's Hall Wednesday night. Dancing began at 9 o'clock and was kept up until 4 A. M. Ice cream and cake were served in abundance at midnight. The ball was largely attended and much enjoyed. Some say that Chestertown furnished the most beautiful ladies, but the country belles were close rivals. Elkton put forth a fine dancer while Centreville was not far behind. In beauty of dress Chestertown took the palm. Our correspondent furnished the following names: Sue Wilkins, cream silk; Etta Legg, black net; Lucy Litzinberger, red silk, decolette; Fannie Wilkins, white organdie; Maggie Legg, blue silk; Belle Emory, white lace; Louise Houston, white mulle; Jennie Wilkins, white dotted silk; Hettie Houston, light blue cloth; Eunice Gemmill, black lace; Mary Beck, white silk; Julia Emory, white mouslin de soir; Belle Aldridge, cream silk and lace; Grace Turner, white India silk; Miss Farrar, light blue Henrietta, a la Greek; Lilian Hynson, pink silk; Mary Hurtt, pink dotted lace; May Parrott, black lace; May Janvier, black net; Lizzie Fell, pink silk; Emma Gilpin, cream silk; Nelie Walker, figured silk; Mamie Gemmill, white muslin with red ribbon; Annie and Daisy Carvill, white silk; Mamie Catlin, white nun's veiling; Laura Jessop, black lace; Vevia Perkins, white muslin; Hallie Ireland, cream challie; May Ireland, white cashmere with silk trimmings; Anna Strong, black lace; Mamie Strong, white cashmere skirts with blue bodice; Emma Beck, white silk; Mamie Wethered, white mulle; Morgan Beaston, pink silk and tulle; Mamie Patterson, lead colored challie; Clare Perkins, white embroidered skirt, yellow silk bodice; Nannie and Daisy Brice, white silk; Ida Camp, white muslin; Mary Wallace black cloth and white lace; Elma Rasin, brown skirt with heliotrope body; Sallie Beck, white challie; Ada Roberts, white dotted swiss; Nellie Feddeman, pink silk; Florence Haines, black lace; Helen Hayes, white silk; Mamie Davidson, white India linen with yellow silk with tulle; Flora Gaddess, figured challie; Maud Ritter, white silk; Mr. Wm. S. Walker and wife, Mrs. D. C. Kernbey, Dr. and Mrs. S. Beck, H. M. Brown and wife, Dr. J. A. Catlin, John G. Constable, Hal Jarmar, C. G. Roberts, Earl Feddeman, Frank Keating, H. C. Legg, Clinton Roberts, Frank Wright, Albert Rivers, Laird Goldsborough, Simon Wickes, E. P. Duer, Will Merritt, S. Sappington, C. R. and Richard Atkinson, Wharton & Taylor, J. H. Hurtt, Jr., Dr. C. P. Gilpin, Harry Catlin, L. W. Wickes, R. F. Duer, R. D. Hynson, C. W. Perkins, W. F. Porter, W. W. Beck, Sam Beck, W. W. Walker, Howard Turner, H. C. Constable, Henry Turner, Albert Constable, R. J. Emory, Joseph Rasin, E. W. Emory, Wm. Brown, DeCoursey Ruth, Clarence Hayes, Clifton, Harry and Woodland Hurtt, John Farrar, Clarence, Eben and Tom Perkins, James Beck, Bert Decorse.

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