WASHINGTON COLLEGE NOTES.

The boys—and girls too— are happy in the near approach of Christmas.

A gymnasium club has been formed at college for the purpose of giving monthly entertainments in the 'gym.'

Prof. Burris, captain of the football team, is trying to get the boys in shape for a game to be played before the Christmas holidays.

Mr. McDorman on account of weakness of the eyes was compelled to go home last week.

Messrs. Coulbourne, ward and Pardee went on the coon hunt before spoken of and although they failed to return with any coon save the one accompanying them they did catch nine opossums Can any of our Kent county friends beat that? It is the record in Queen Anne's.

HE STAYED PUT.

A Woman Who Knew How to Handle Unruly Youngsters.

A weak-looking, over-dressed woman sat in a Detroit street car the other day and with her a badly over-dressed and badly-spoiled boy of about four years, who seemed inclined to do nothing but squirm and wriggle and do everything his weak-willed mother told him not to do. It was muddy and the boy's feet were covered with slime and mud from the street.

"You must sit down, Reginald," said his mother; "you'll get mud on the dress of the lady next to you."

But Reginald declined to sit still, and his mother said:

"Reginald, do you hear me?"

"Course I do."

"Then why don't you mind?"

"Don't want to."

Then he began to squirm more vigorously than before.

"Reginald, why don't you mind mamma?"

"Cause I don't want to."

"Is that the way to talk to mamma?"

"Its the way I talk."

"Mamma is ashamed of you. Don't you see that you are getting mud all over the lady's dress?"

"Don't care if I am."

"You naughty, naughty boy. Now sit down and behave yourself."

"Won't!"

"Won't eh?"

The speaker was the lady into whose lap Reginald had deliberately and defiantly planted one of his muddy feet. She was a vigorous, spirited looking woman about 40 years of age.

"Won't hey?" she asked again, as she grabbed the dazed Reginald by his velvet collar and laid him out across her lap.

"Won't, hey?" she asked for the third time, as she brought her good right hand down again and again with telling force on the awe-stricken youngster.

"I'll let you know what you will an' what you won't do!" she said, jerking Master Reginald to a sitting position and plumping him down on the car seat.

"Now you set there an' don't you budge! You hear me! If your ma can't make you mind I kin. Now you stay right where you're put!"

And he did, both he and his mother seeming to be to badly dazed to make any objection to a proceeding that delighted the hearts of all of the other occupants of the car.

The Evergreen Trade.

Mr. Thomas Hopkins, of Chapel district, appeared before 'Squire Coburn, of Talbot, last week and made complaint that persons were taking evergreen and mosses from his woods in large quantities and shipping to the city. This trade in evergreens, says the Easton *Gazette*, is growing to larger proportions every year. Good prices are realized for the stuff in good condition. As high as $5 per barrel is paid. The gathering of evergreen has grown to be quite an industry in the lower part of Caroline, as well as in Talbot, and it is only a matter of time before the evergreen beds will be the subject of more attention from those who have them. Mr. H. B. Messenger, of Federalsburg, will send large consignments to New York for holiday use.—*Denton Journal.*

Famine in Tobacco.

The tobacco famine which the United States manufacturers of Havana cigars have been anticipating since the issuance of General Weyler's edict of May, prohibiting the exportation of Cuban leaf, is now imminent. New York manufacturers, who, like the manufacturers in Key West and Tampa, Fla., have been holding considerable stocks of leaf tobacco in the provinces of Havana and Pinar del Rio, have given up all hope of transporting it to the United States, and have within the last two weeks practically sold all of their holdings to the Havana manufacturers. Their only hope of relief is in the quick triumph of the insurgents, and this hope is modified by the fact that the whole of this year's crop is in the possession of competitive cigar-makers in Cuba.

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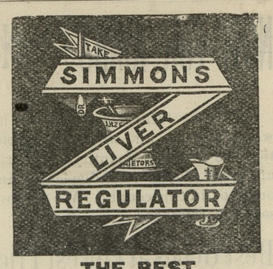

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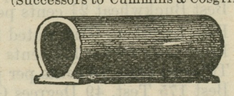

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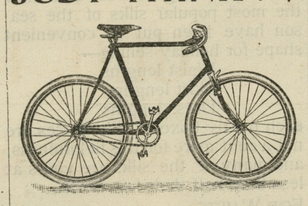

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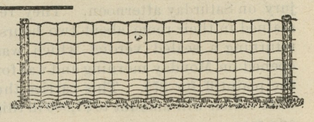

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