WASHINGTON COLLEGE

Doings at this Educational Institution Worth Knowing

The following is taken from the Bulletin, a publication recently issued by the College.

Department of Domestic Science Authorized

At the April meeting of the Board of Visitors and Governors a motion was passed authorizing the President to seek out and employ a woman to become the Professor of Domestic Science and the Dean of Women. This is in line with the forward policy of the college. Three years ago a full-time Department of Education was established. Two years ago part-time teachers were secured in Music and Mechanical Drawing. Last fall a full Department of Commerce was instituted. All these new courses were established in the face of a constantly increasing deficit, and they are evidence of cool nerve on the part of the Board of Visitors. But the policy has worked well, for the college has greatly increased its enrollment and has stimulated interest, which has been largely the cause of the present bright financial prospects. The new Department of Domestic Science is being established under more favorable auspices. There is every reason to expect that, with the increased enrollment that this department will help to bring about, the college will be able to carry all the work next year without a deficit.

The new department will appeal, of course, to women students. The women's dormitory will accommodate from thirty to forty students, and it is hoped that it will be filled next year. The new Dean of Women will reside in the building and will have charge of the young ladies. The women's department with an attendance of twenty has run so happily during the present year that the college feels highly encouraged to attempt to broaden this part of its work.

It is too early to forecast definitely the nature of the work to be offered in Domestic Science. The teacher to be secured to head the department will have to outline her own courses. But college instruction in this subject generally includes courses in household economics, household book-keeping, household chemistry, dietetics, materials, designing, household management, etc. The work will be arranged into a regular college group with a major in this department. Students who do not wish to be considered candidates for a degree may omit the other courses in the group and take Domestic Science only. Special consideration will be given to those who wish courses that will fit them to teach Domestic Science in the high schools.

It will be the policy of the department to offer work that will be of practical value under the conditions that the graduates are likely to face on the Eastern Shore. In the purchase of equipment, for example, an effort will be made to secure such articles as will probably be met in the homes of this region.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS, TAKE NOTICE.

In justice to yourselves you must consider the unusually attractive educational possibilities at Washington College. The location and the plant are superb. The courses are all arranged so as to lead to some definite object in life. If you come out unprepared to do anything, it is your own fault.

The Department of Commerce aims to train students to enter the business world with a clear understanding of business principles and practices.

The Department of Domestic Science aims to turn out women who will be practical and efficient in their line of work.

The Department of Education trains graduates to teach in the Maryland high schools. This Department in connection with the Departments of Commerce and Domestic Science will enable graduates to teach Business or Domestic Science.

Other Departments in the college are, Classics, Mathematics, Science, History, Philosophy and Social Science, Modern Language, English, Appreciation of Music, Mechanical Drawing, and Physical Education.

Space Limited

Lack of space has heretofore prevented the Bulletin from publishing notice of an interesting action of the Board of Visitors taken last October. A resolution was passed creating the office of Dean of the Faculty, and by a unanimous vote Dr. J. S. William Jones, Professor of Mathematics, was elected to this office. This election is an expression of the appreciation of Dr. Jones' twenty-nine years of untiring devotion to the best interests of Washington College.

Dean Jones is personally known to so many of the alumni that no sketch of his services to this college is necessary. He graduated from here in 1889, and returned as a member of the Faculty in 1892. In 1918 the honorary Sc. D. was conferred upon him. During the troublous year immediately following the resignation of Dr. Cain, Dean Jones served as acting president with the title of Chairman of the Faculty. For nine years he has been the Secretary of the Alumni Association, and in this position he has done more, perhaps, than any other man to awaken the interest of the Alumni in the needs of the college. Many persons feel that in this position he has saved not only the life of Washington College, but also the cause of the small college in Maryland.

ALUMNI ELECTIONS

The Alumni will soon be called upon to elect their representatives on the new Board of Visitors and Governors. The executive Committee of the Association have been working out the methods of election. The field has been divided into twelve representation districts as follows. Each of the nine Eastern Shore counties will be a district, as required in the charter. Baltimore and the South, Philadelphia and vicinity (including all of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware), and New York and the rest of the world will be the other three districts.

Over sixty persons known to be interested in the college have been asked to suggest lists of names of persons suitable for membership on the Board. An Advisory Committee, consisting of Messrs. Rowland Watts, William G. Smyth, S. Chester Coursey, R. Loran Langsdale, Purnell T. White, Walter L. Wheatley, and C. Guy LeCompte, was appointed by the President of the Association to sit with the Executive Committee on the matter. On April 12 a meeting of this joint committee was held in the college library. All were present except Messrs. White, Wheatley, and LeCompte. According to plans then made ballots will soon be sent to all known qualified voters. These ballots will bear the names of nominees from each district and a blank space for the insertion of other names. It is hoped that the Alumni will respond with a large vote. Be sure to send in your ballot as soon as it is received. You might save postage by enclosing your check to the campaign fund, too.

TEACHER-TRAINING WORK AT WASHINGTON COLLEGE

It does not seem to be generally known that this college maintains a regular Department of Education meeting all the requirements for high school teachers in the State of Maryland. Those graduates who have elected the necessary courses in this Department are granted the State certificate for high school teachers without further examination. The advanced scale of salaries provided in the new school law makes teaching an attractive profession, and more students would do well to take advantage of the Department of Education and prepare themselves for teaching.

Washington College offers unusual advantages to those who wish to take up high school teaching. A college degree is required in this State for all first-class high school teachers. In addition it is necessary to have had either as a part of the college course or in addition to it two hundred hours in certain specified courses in education. All these requirements are met at Washington College. Furthermore, the departments of Commerce and Domestic Science make it possible to qualify here for work in these two lines. There is a constantly increasing demand for teachers qualified to teach Business or Domestic Science. This is probably the only college in the State that can qualify its graduates to teach both these specialties as well as the regular academic work.

The importance of Washington College as a training school for high school teachers is shown by the fact that out of last year's class of eleven, eight are now teaching; and of the present graduating class, every member will be qualified to take a high school position and most of them will do so.

THE ALUMNI CAMPAIGN

In presenting the cause of Washington College before the Finance Committee of the Senate the President of the Alumni Association and the Chairman of the Campaign Committee both assured the Senators that in case the State would grant the $30,000 toward the debt on William Smith Hall, the Alumni would see to it that funds are subscribed to pay the balance of the debt of the college.

The present debt amounts to nearly $75,000. There are now in hand pledges for about $25,000 raised during the last year. These with the $30,000 given by the State will leave a balance of about $20,000 still to be raised. It would make one of the happiest commencements in the history of the college if it can be announced at that time that this sum has been subscribed and that the college is, therefore, practically out of debt. Aside from the financial importance of such a condition, this would create an interest and an enthusiasm for the college that would guarantee its safety in the future.

The campaign to raise this fund is already being actively prosecuted. Letters are now being sent to the alumni stating the situation and urging that they send in their subscriptions at once. This is going to require sacrifice on the part of the alumni. But why should they not make sacrifice? They have benefitted by the college more than can ever be repaid, and they owe it to the young men and women of the Eastern Shore to make it possible for them to receive the same benefits. There are seven or eight hundred alumni who have not yet sent in subscriptions. All can give something, and many can give a good deal. Let us hear from those hundreds as soon as the pledge cards are received. Many, also, of those who have already subscribed can afford to give more. Some have held back subscriptions in order to be able to give more largely to the general endowment fund that we hope to start as soon as conditions prove favorable. Let them come now to the rescue, for the completion of the payment of the debt will put the college in good condition to present a request for funds to the General Education Board and other organizations and individuals not connected with the college. Now is the time that the college needs you. So much has already been accomplished that we cannot think of letting the whole movement fail through lack of a final effort.

APPROPRIATIONS BY THE LEGISLATURE

It is pleasant to be able to tell in the Bulletin of the generous treatment given Washington College by the recent Legislature. The college requested three things,—$50,000 a year for maintenance, $30,000 to finish payments for Wiliam Smith Hall, and an amendment to the charter.

The charter amendment was prepared by a committee of the Board, and was ready for submission soon after the Legislature met. It followed the regular course through the Senate and House without opposition or amendment except to correct a clerical error. After the adjournment of the Legislature it was signed by the Governor along with the other bills of the session. The readers of the Bulletin should be well acquainted with the character of this charter amendment. It provides for a new Board of Visitors and Governors consisting of twenty-five members. Twelve are to be appointed by the Governor and twelve are to be elected by the Alumni. These are to choose annually a President of the College, and who is to become ex-officio the twenty-fifth member of the Board. Both the Governor and the Alumni are required to select one member from each of the nine counties on the Eastern Shore and three members who are not residents of the Eastern Shore. These members are all to hold office for six years only. The terms are arranged so that eight members will go out of office every two years. In case either the Governor or the Alumni fail to select a man to fill a vacancy, the existing Board will have the authority to fill the vacancy. The new Board will be organized during the present spring.

The request for $50,000 a year for maintenance was at first temporarily rejected and $35,000 given instead. After full information had been submitted to the Governor concerning the affairs and the work of the college, he promised to grant an increase in the supplementary budget. For some time the amount of the increase was left indefinite pending a fuller understanding of the financial condition of the State. When the budget was finally submitted, it carried an appropriation of $10,000 a year, making a total of $45,000 a year for the college. Though this is not all that was asked and hoped for, it is a substantial increase, and it will enable the college to run for the next two years without a deficit.

The $30,000 granted toward the debt still outstanding against William Smith Hall came from the Construction Loan bond issue. This item was inserted into the bill by the Finance Committee of the Senate. In the hearing on the matter accorded to a delegation from the college, the officers of the Alumni Association offered to raise sufficient funds from the alumni to pay off the remainder of the debt of the college if the Legislature would assume this part of the total. This offer and the fact that the alumni have already subscribed about $25,000 toward the debt had a large influence with the Committee.

The generosity of the Legislature has given the college its opportunity to get back to a safe financial basis. The alumni and friends of the college have stood by it manfully in the effort to secure these funds. It is now necessary for everybody to do everything possible to finish the payment of the debt of the college, to improve its work, and to build up its student body. We must be able to go before the next Legislature free of debt, and with an attendance that will not only justify the recent appropriations but also make necessary a still greater appropriation in the future.

Many of our friends have helped in the fight to secure this legislation. Special mention should be made, however, of Senator William F. Russell, who conducted the college affairs in the Senate, and Delegate Albert D. Mackey, who took charge of our affairs in the House. Moreover, Mr. John I. Coulbourn twice came from Philadelphia to present the cause of the college, Col. H. S. Brown came from New York, Congressman Goldsborough came over from Washington, Mr. W. D. Corddry came up from Snow Hill, Mr. Dudley G. Roe came from Sudlersville, and Judge Wickes, Mr. S. S. Beck, Mr. Harry C. Willis, Mr. Eben F. Perkins, and others went over from Chestertown. To these men the Eastern Shore owes a debt of gratitude.

Plans are now being made to utilize the dormitory space so as to accommodate more studetns. A few more men and a good many more women are being provided for. If every alumnus will make an honest effort to send one student here, our rooms will be filled next year.

ALUMNI

Now is the time you can help Alma Mater by bringing her to the attention of high school seniors. Do not fail her in this service. Let's go!

Remember that the Alumni Association is committed to the State to raise sufficient funds to lift the debt during the present spring and summer. Less than $25,000 is needed. Let no alumnus fail to do everything possible not only in gifts but also in work to secure gifts from others.

Col. Clarence Hodson has again put the college in his debt by sending a check for $500. He said he knew that the college would have funds after October 1, but he suspected that it would be in sore need of ready cash to run it until that time. He was entirely correct in his surmise.

On February 22 last the college celebrated the 190th anniversary of the birth of George Washington. On this occasion Judge Alton B. Parker, of New York, delivered an excellent address to a record attendance. The address has been printed by the college, and copies may be had on request.

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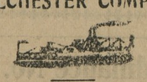

SPRING SCHEDULE

(Weather Permitting)

PLEASE NOTE—(Effective May 1.) The time here given is Baltimore Daylight Saving Time, which is one hour earlier than the Kent and Cecil Co. time.

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Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, steamer will leave Port Deposit at 6.30 a. m., Havre de Grace at 7.00 a. m., Betterton 8.15 a. m., Tolchester (except Saturdays) 9.45 a. m.

Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, steamer will leave Baltimore at 2.45 p. m. for Tolchester, Betterton, Havre de Grace and Port Deposit.

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APRIL 22, 1922.

RECEIPTS

On hand as per last report	$2,025.41
Sinking fund to pay bond	1,000.00
July coupons	575.00
Street improvements	1,000.00
Garbage	500.00
Office rent	33.00
Chestertown Water Co. to pay bonds	1,500.00
do, coupons	2,412.50
Sewer taxes	85.00
Permits for shows and medicine men	52.00
Goldey Warren, pt. Wash. Avenue sewer	218.50
A. B. Schauber, do	218.50
Kent Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	200.00
Kent Co. Commissioners	1,543.05
do, propor. part bk. stk.	968.49
Cart lincense	10.00
Int. from savings account	30.75
W. R. Maul, cem. pavement	11.65
Delinquent taxes, 1920	263.49
Int. on taxes, 1920	13.21
Sun. part. on cem. pavement	701.29
Taxes collected 1921	9,850.33
Int. on same 1921	15.96
Taxes col. Corp., etc., year 1921	806.41
	$24,034.54
Amount advanced by Commissioners to help pay accounts	2,000.00
	$26,034.54

DISBURSEMENTS

Water bond No. 9	$1,000.00
do, No. 7	500.00
Bond on street and sewer No. 3	1,000.00
Coupons on bonds, street and sewer, due July 1, 1921	575.00
Coupons on same due Jan., 1922	550.00
do bonds Water Co.	2,663.15
Day labor on streets	612.94
Day bailiff	884.00
Night bailiff	832.00
Wm. Needles	936.00
Salaries of Commissioners	300.00
Salary of attorney	100.00
Salary, clerk and collector	420.00
G. B. Taylor, surveyor	200.00
A. Leon Brown, haul. gar.	700.00
W. C. Sutton, for sewers	2,391.11
Sundry exp., Inc. Towns, ent.	11.63
G. B. Taylor, tracing cloth	3.76
Postal cards	5.00
Stam Drug Co. for candles	65.00
W. C. Sutton, wk on fire hose	7.55
R. R. Ayres, recording plot	3.00
Wm. M. Culp, bill	43.11
H. F. Jefferson, bill	.80
A. Leon Brown, ex. haul	13.75
Balto. Sun, adv. bonds	42.00
The Detc. Pub. Co	19.84
Adkins Lumber Co	13.20
Jno. Medders, mak. up levy	15.00
Robert Moffett, judge elec.	3.00
J. B. McIntire, clerk elec.	3.00
W. T. Bramble	2.75
H. D. Orem & Son	1.00
J. W. Hirons, fix. pavement	7.00
J. T. Jester, police, night	2.25
Transcript Pub. Co	70.00
Robt. Moffett, return. rod	1.00
Thomas Parsons	3.50
C. N. Satterfield, exp. to Elec. Light Co., Baltimore	16.00
Bond for clerk	20.00
W. S. & A. M. Culp, bill	20.73
Ins. on stables and conts	15.90
W. T. Hicks, fumigat., etc	75.00
Gladding Ex. Co., frt. rd. dr.	12.36
Freight on man holes	5.10
Kent News bill	94.00
Elwood Whaley, bill	40.10
W. S. & A. M. Culp	269.29
U. S. Rubber Co., fire hose	370.00
Wheeling Cor. Co., culvert	63.00
Flockhart Foundry Co	131.00
Compens. Ins.	68.52
Elec. Light & Power Co	2,251.58
Pistol, night policeman	12.50
Box rent	3.00
Stamps and Envelopes	47.00
Bal. on state rd. cont., int.	626.00
Jas. Brown, trim. trees	14.40
State Board of Forestry	61.80
Oyster shells	69.50
Graham & Thomas Hdw. Co.	12.23
H. B. Rote, atten. to clock	75.05
Freight on iron culvert	4.51
Stam Drug Co., candles	65.00
Jones & Satterfield, bill	455.36
Geo. Carter, rep. state road	33.60
Hauling	82.50
Corn and hay	154.23
	$20,196.30

Amount spent on side walks and gutters as follows:

Wm. Smith, sand	$250.50	
Stone and freight	479.35	
J. D. Bacchus, cem	1464.31	
Work on same	1869.50	$4,063.66
Amount on hand		1,224.58
Amt. on hand to pay coupons due July		550.00
		$26,034.54

Total assessment	$1,400,000.00
Tax rate 75c.	10,500.00
Amount collected	9,850.33
Collectable about	600.00

The bonded indebtedness of Chestertown, Maryland, is as follows: $22,000.00 for streets and sewers, and for the purchase and improvement of water works $47,500.00, making a total bonded indebtedness of $69,500.

Approved April 19, 1922.

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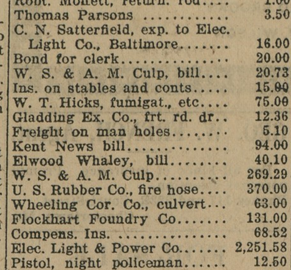

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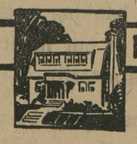

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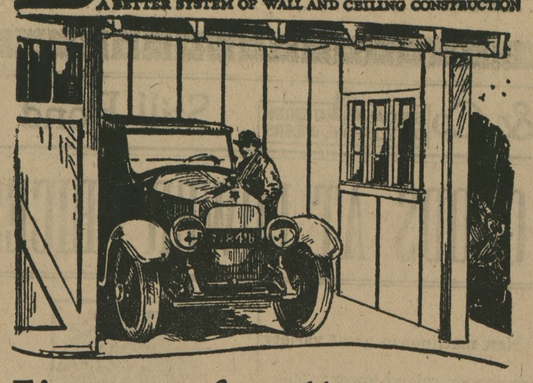

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