PROCLAMATION

Proposing Amendments to the Constitution of the State, 1922

WHEREAS, at the January Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, held in the year 1922, five Acts were passed, proposing additions and amendments to the Constitution of the State, to-wit: Chapter 7, proposing an amendment to Section 2 of Article 3, title, "Legislative Department"; Chapter 20, proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article 3, title, "Legislative Department"; Chapter 141, proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article 6, title "Treasury Department"; Chapter 227, proposing an additional Article to the Constitution, to be known as Article XVII thereof, title, "Quadrennial Elections"; and Chapter 275, proposing an amendment to Section 10 of Article 15, title, "Miscellaneous"; and which said five Acts are in the words and figures following:

CHAPTER 7.

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 2 of Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," increasing the number of legislative districts of Baltimore City, and providing for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Maryland for adoption or rejection:

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two House concurring, that the following Section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 2 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," the same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become Section 2 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Maryland.

2. The City of Baltimore shall be divided into six legislative districts as near as may be of equal population and of contiguous territory, and each of said legislative districts of Baltimore City, as they may from time to time be laid out, in accordance with the provisions hereof, and each county in the State, shall be entitled to one Senator, who shall be elected by the qualified voters of the said legislative districts of Baltimore City and of the counties of the State, respectively, and shall serve for four years from the date of his election, subject to the classification of Senators hereafter provided for.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That said aforegoing section, hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, shall be at the next general election for Members of the House of Representatives of Congress held in this State submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by said Fourteenth Article of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article Fourteen.

Approved March 1, 1922.

ARTICLE 20.

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 4 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," regulating the representation of the City of Baltimore in the House of Delegates; and providing for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring, that the following Section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 4 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Legislative Department," the same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become Section 4 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Maryland.

4. As soon as may be, after the taking and publishing of the National Census of 1900, or after the enumeration of the population of this State, under the authority thereof, there shall be an apportionment of representation in the House of Delegates, to be made on the following basis, to wit: Each of the several counties of the State, having a population of eighteen thousand souls or less, shall be entitled to two delegates; and every county having a population of over eighteen thousand and less than twenty-eight thousand souls, shall be entitled to three delegates; and every county having a population of twenty-eight thousand and less than forty thousand souls, shall be entitled to four delegates; and every county having a population of forty thousand and less than fifty-five thousand souls, shall be entitled to five delegates; and every county having a population of fifty-five thousand souls and upwards shall be entitled to six delegates and no more; and each of the six legislative districts of the City of Baltimore shall be entitled to the number of delegates to which the largest county shall or may be entitled under the aforegoing apportionment, and the General Assembly shall have the power to provide by law, from time to time, for altering and changing the boundaries of the existing legislative districts of the City of Baltimore, so as to make them as near as may be of equal population; but said district shall always consist of contiguous territory. In case the General Assembly, at the regular session of nineteen hundred and twenty-two, fails to fix the boundaries of the six legislative districts of the City of Baltimore, the Board of Supervisors of Elections of said city shall fix the boundaries of the six legislative districts, subject to the limitations contained herein, and shall give adequate notice of the same; and the boundaries so fixed shall remain until altered or changed by the General Assembly.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That said aforegoing section, hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, shall be at the next general election for Members of the House of Representatives of Congress held in this State submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by said Fourteenth Article of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article Fourteen.

Approved March 1, 1922.

CHAPTER 141.

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 1 of Article 6, title "Treasury Department," of the Constitution of Maryland, prescribing the salary of the Comptroller and the terms of office of the Comptroller and the Treasurer; and providing for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring, that the following be and the same hereby is proposed as an amendment to Section 1 of Article 6, title "Treasury Department," of the Constitution of Maryland, the same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become Section 1 of Article 6 of the Constitution.

Section 1. There shall be a Treasury Department, consisting of a Comptroller chosen by the qualified electors of the State, at each general election at which the Governor is chosen, who shall receive such salary as may be fixed by law; and a Treasurer, to be appointed by the two Houses of the Legislature, at each regular session thereof, in which begins the term of the Governor, on joint ballot, who shall receive an annual salary of two thousand five hundred dollars; and the terms of office of the said Comptroller and Treasurer shall be for four years, and until their successors shall qualify; and neither of the said officers shall be allowed, or receive any fees, commissions or perquisites of any kind in addition to his salary for the performance of any duty or services whatsoever. In case of a vacancy in either of the offices by death or otherwise, the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall fill such vacancy by appointment, to continue until another election or a choice by the Legislature, as the case may be, and until the qualification of the successor. The Comptroller and the Treasurer shall keep their offices at the seat of government, and shall take such oath, and enter into such bonds for the faithful discharge of their duties as are now, or may hereafter be prescribed by law.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said aforegoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, shall at the next ensuing general election for members of Congress, to be held in this State on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection in conformity with the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Consitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, and further proceedings had in accordance with Article 14 of the Constitution.

Approved April 13, 1922.

CHAPTER 227.

AN ACT to propose an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland by adding thereto a new Article to be numbered "Article XVII," entitled "Quadrennial Elections," the same providing that all State officers, except judges and all county officers elected by qualified voters shall be elected in every fourth year for terms of four years; and adjusting terms of State and county appointive officers; and providing that all provisoins of the Constitution inconsistent with the provisions of this Article be repealed to the extent of such inconsistency; and providing for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of the two Houses concurring, That the following new Article to be numbered "Article XVII," title "Quadrennial Elections," be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland. The same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become a part of said Constitution, and to be numbered and titled as aforesaid.

ARTICLE XVII.

Quadrennial Elections.

Section 1. All State officers elected by qualified voters (except judges of the Circuit Court of the several circuits, the member of the Court of Appeals from Baltimore City, and members of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City), and all county officers elected by qualified voters, shall hold office for terms of four years, and until their successors shall qualify.

Section 2. Elections by qualified voters for State and county officers shall be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six, and on the same day in every fourth year thereafter.

Section 3. Members of the House of Delegates and all other State and county officers elected by the qualified voters at the election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-two, for terms of office heretofore fixed by law at two years, shall hold office for terms of three years; the Governor, Attorney General, members of the State Senate and all other State and county officers elected by the qualified voters at the election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-three, for terms of office heretofore fixed by law at four years, shall hold office for terms of three years; Registers of Wills, Clerks of Court and all other State and county officers elected by qualified voters at the election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-three, for terms of office heretofore fixed by law at six years, shall hold office for terms of three years; and all such State and county officers elected by qualified voters thereafter shall hold office for terms of four years.

Section 4. All officers to be appointed by the Governor under existing provisions of law in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-four for terms of office heretofore fixed by law at two years, shall hold office for terms of three years; all officers so appointed for terms of office heretofore fixed by law at four years, shall hold office for terms of three years; all officers so appointed for terms of office heretofore fixed by law at six years, shall hold office for terms of five years, and thereafter appointments by the Governor shall be for the terms heretofore fixed by law, unless otherwise duly changed by law. All officers appointed by County Commisioners after the election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, nineteen hundred and twenty-three, for terms of office of two, four or six years, shall hold office for terms of three years, and thereafter appointment by the County Commissioners shall be for terms of four years, unless otherwise duly changed by law.

Section 5. The terms of all State and county officers heretofore elected by qualified voters, and whose successors would not be elected until the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, nineteen hundred and twenty-five, shall be increased by one year, and their successors shall be elected for the regular term at the election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, nineteen hundred and twenty-six. The terms of all State and county officers, heretofore elected by qualified voters, and whose successors would not be elected until the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven, shall remain unchanged; their successors shall be elected for a term of three years at the elections to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, nineteen hundred and twenty-six, but shall not take office until the expiration of the full term for which their predecessors have been elected; and their successors shall be elected for the regular term at the election to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, nineteen hundred and thirty. Nothing herein shall affect the terms of any judge of the Circuit Court of the several circuits, the member of the Court of Appeals from Baltimore City or any member of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City; if the term of any such judge shall expire in a year in which no election for members of the General Assembly is held, the Governor shall appoint a person duly qualified to fill said office, who shall hold the same until the next general election for members of the General Assembly, when a successor shall be elected for the term elsewhere provided. The terms of all State and county officers heretofore appointed for terms which will not expire until during the year nineteen hundred and twenty-five, nineteen hundred and twenty-six, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven or nineteen hundred and twenty-eight shall be reduced by one year, and their successors shall be appointed for the terms now provided by law in the years nineteen hundred and twenty-four, nineteen hundred and twenty-five, nineteen hundred and twenty-six or nineteen hundred and twenty-seven, respectively. In the event that the term of any officer appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate shall expire in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-five or twenty-six, the Governor shall have power to appoint a successor, who shall serve for the full term subject to confirmation by the Senate at the regular session to be held under this Article in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

Section 6. The General Assembly shall meet on the first Wednesday of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-four, for a regular session, and shall not meet again for a regular session until the first Wednesday of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven, and the General Assembly shall meet on the same day in every second year thereafter and at no other time, unless convened by proclamation of the Governor.

Section 7. The term of the Treasurer elected by the General Assembly at the regular session of nineteen hundred and twenty-four shall be three years. Thereafter the term shall be the same as elsewhere provided.

Section 8. The terms of the Members of the Board of Supervisors of Elections of Baltimore City and of the several counties shall commence on the first Monday of June next ensuing their appointment.

Section 9. The vote to be held under the provisions of Section 2 of Article XIV of the Constitution for the purpose of taking the sense of the people in regard to calling a Constitutional Convention shall be held at the general election in the year nineteen hundred and thirty, and every twenty years thereafter.

Section 10. The Governor shall submit three budgets to the General Assembly at the regular session of nineteen hundred and twenty-four, in accordance with the provisions of Section 52 of Artcile III of the Constitution, for the three fiscal years beginning October first, nineteen hundred and twenty-four, and ending September thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven and two budgets to the General Assembly at the regular session of nineteen hundred and twenty-seven, and thereafter as now provided by said section.

Section 11. The purpose of this Article is to reduce the number of elections, by providing that all State and county elections shall be held only in every fourth year, and at the time now provided by law for holding congressional elections; and to bring the terms of appointive officers into harmony with the changes affected in the time of the beginning of the terms of elective officers; and the administrative and judicial officers of the State shall construe the provisions of this Article so as to effectuate that purpose. For the purpose of this Article only the word "officers" shall be construed to include those holding positions and other places of employment in the State and county governments whose terms are fixed by law, but it shall not include any appointments made by the Board of Public Works, nor appointments by the Governor for terms of three years.

Section 12. The General Assembly, at the regular session in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-four, shall make such changes in the primary and general election laws, and otherwise, as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Article. There shall be no election for State or county officers in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-five.

Section 13. In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of this Article and any of the other provisions of the Constitution, the provisions of this Article shall prevail, and all other provisions shall be repealed or abrogated to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 2. And be it further enacted by the authoity aforesaid, That said aforegoing section, hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution shall be at the next general election for Members of the House of Representatives of Congress held in this State submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the following synopsis of said amendment under the caption of

"CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROVIDING FOR FEWER ELECTIONS."

"This amendment provides that all State officers, except judges, and all county officers elected by qualified voters shall be elected in every fourth year for terms of four years beginning with the election in November, nineteen hundred and twenty-six. The terms of State and county officers to be elected in nineteen hundred and twenty-three are reduced to three years, and the terms of other elective officers are increased or reduced, as necessary, so that their successors may be elected in nineteen hundred and twenty-six. Terms of officers appointed by the Governor and by County Commissioners are adjusted in harmony with the terms of the officials by whom they are appointed. The General Assembly shall meet in nineteen hundred and twenty-four for a regular session, and again in nineteen hundred and twenty-seven, and every two years thereafter. Other provisions of the Constitution and of the Laws are adjusted to harmonize with the above changes"; and the words "For Fewer Elections Amendment" and "Against Fewer Elections Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by said Fourteenth Article of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article Fourteen.

Approved April 13, 1922.

CHAPTER 275.

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 10 of Article XV of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Miscellaneous," providing that words or phrases used in creating public offices and positions shall be construed to include the feminine gender; and providing for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland (three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring), That the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 10 of Article XV of the Constitution of the State of Maryland, title "Miscellaneous," the same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become Section 10 of Article XV of the Constitution of the State of Maryland:

Section 10. Any officer elected or appointed in pursuance of the provisions of this Constitution, may qualify, either according to the existing provisions of law in relation to officers under the present Constitution, or before the Governor of the State, or before any Clerk of any Court of Record in any part of the State; but in case an officer shall qualify out of the County in which he resides, an official copy of his oath shall be filed and recorded in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County in which he may reside, or in the Clerk's office of the Superior Court of the City of Baltimore, if he shall reside therein. All words or phrases, used in creating public offices and positions under the Constitution and laws of this State, which denote the masculine gender shall be construed to include the feminine gender, unless the contrary intention is specifically expressed.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That said aforegoing section, hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, shall be at the next general election for Members of the House of Representatives of Congress held in this State submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now provided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by said Fourteenth Article of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article Fourteen.

Approved April 13, 1922.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT C. RITCHIE, GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND, in pursuance of the direction contained in Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of Maryland, do hereby order and direct that this Proclamation, containing a full, true and correct copy of the text of said Chapters 7, 20, 141, 227 and 275 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1922, be published in at least two newspapers in each of the counties of the State where so many may be published and where not more than one may be published then in that newspaper, and in three newspapers published in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be published in the German language, once a week for at least three months next preceding the election to be held in the State of Maryland, on Tuesday, November 7th, 1922, at which said election the said proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State shall be submitted in the form and manner prescribed by the General Assembly, to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE GREAT SEAL OF MARYLAND. Done at the City of Annapolis, this 25th day of July, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-two.

ALBERT C. RITCHIE,
By the Governor;

PHILIP B. PERLMAN,
Secretary of State.

AUTUMN

By Edgar A. Guest

It's getting on to Fall again,
The crows begin to call again
And gather in the nearby woods
In strangely busy flocks;
The mist is on the hills once more,
And lavish nature spills once more
A flood of shining gold upon
The humblest of the stocks.

The woods are in their best today,
In bronze and scarlet dressed today,
They seem a patchwork counterpane
Of color and design;
We wake to find at dawn again
Rich diamonds on the lawn again,
For every night's a jeweler
With gems surpassing fine.

Oh, always with the Fall again,
When beauty covers all again,
The thought returns: If God rewards
The humblest vine and tree,
If splendor crowns their days at last,
Shall we not hear His praise at last,
Shall men not wear a glow of pride
For what they tried to be?

SPORTS

FOOTBALL SEASON AT WASHINGTON COLLEGE OPENS TODAY OTHER NOTES OF THE SPORTING REALM

Today, Saturday, at Washington College, at 3.30 p. m., the 1922 football season will be inaugurated. Charlotte Hall, a military preparatory institute, will be the opponents of the Washington College eleven. Charlotte Hall will not, of course, be a match for the big Washington College eleven, but the game will give the local football fans an opportunity to see the new W. C. team in real action. The score will likely be a most lopsided one, with the chances of Charlotte Hall being slim—of even scoring. Washington College, without doubt, has the foundation for a good football team, perhaps the best since Floyd Brown and Jack Enright and Troy Biddle crashed through St. John's for that memorable 27-6 victory, and since, on the same team, Frampton and Derringer played such a great game at end and Swede Larrimore held the center position down. Since that day a war has played havoc with the world and Washington College has not had a football team that was worthy of the name. But this year things are somewhat different. There is a spirit of optimism in the air. Two or more teams are taking the field. The boys are showing enthusiasm. It looks to us like a good year for Washington on the gridiron.

Walter Camp names the great quarterbacks of the football game, starting at 1889, as follows: Poe, Princeton; Dean, Harvard, King, Princeton; McCormick, Yale; King, Princeton; Adee, Yale; Wyckoff, Cornell; Finske, Yale; Desaulles, Yale; Daly, Harvard; Daly, Harvard; Fincke, Yale; Daly, West Point; Rockwell, Yale; Johnson, Carlisle; Stevenson, Penn; Eckersall, Chicago; Jones, Yale. Three of the greatest are said to have been: Eckersall, Daly and Stevenson.

Speaking of Eddie Keenan, giant guard of Washington College, a Waterbury newspaper says: "Eddie Keenan donned his rah, rah hat, his high water trousers and pink vest this morning and left for Washington College, Chestertown, Md., to resume his career as a college football hero. Eddie weighed himself before leaving and tipped the scales at 312 pounds. He had been sick for a week and as he gained only three pounds during his illness, he was rather worried over his health when he left town today. W. C. opens the season Saturday against Charlotte Hall. Eddie thought until recently that Charlotte Hall was a chorus girl. Now he realizes that he was wrong but he hopes his Waterbury gang will make Charlotte Hall look like the blind side of a barn Saturday." Eddie is one of the mainstays of the W. C. team and is one of the best football players in the state.

The All-Star Team of the Eastern Shore League, according to the Wicomico News, is as follows: Hewell, Parksley, ss; Brown, Salisbury, cf; Yap, Crisfield, 3b; Tagg, Crisfield, lf; Flowers, Cambridge, ss; Hammen, Crisfield, 1b; Adams, Salisbury, rf; Hart, Salisbury, c; Hearne, Salisbury, p; Klingelhoffer, Parksley, p; Early, Laurel, utility. In our opinion, Johnson was, however, by far the best third baseman in the league.

Jake Flowers, short-stop of Washington College baseball team, and, incidentally, of Chestertown baseball aggregation a year or so ago, made good with Jersey City, in the International League, in the short-field position. Flowers got his chance in fast company through Coach Kibler. Flowers came to Chestertown on July 4, 1920, with Cambridge and played a double header against the fast Chestertown team. It seems that Flowers, at that time was a twirler. At least he went into the box to pitch, but he looked like a very poor prospect as a baseball twirler. But Coach Kibler, who, by the way, knows real baseball material, saw something about Flowers that everyone else who were present failed to see, and to the surprise of all, Flowers became a student the next fall. Jake was a willing fellow and seemed anxious to make good at anything the coach put him to doing. Then, when the catbirds began to call in spring, and the W. C. baseball team took to the diamond, and Flowers, in a week or so replaced Bill Bounds at short, a howl went up that was heard all over the Eastern Shore. "Kibler has made a mistake," was the universal cry that was heard on every hand, "Flowers will never be able to play short with Bill Bounds." But as time went by, and Flowers more than filled the willing Bounds' shoes, the wise-acres saw who was right and who was wrong. Coach Kibler can pick 'em when the other fellows have the dark glasses on. He knows baseball and baseball players, and had he not been injured at the zenith of his career by having his left leg broken, he would probably have made good in fast company himself. As it stands, he is likely the best all-around baseball player Kent county ever produced in the history of the game. Flowers, we hope, will make good. He is a good fielder, a good batter, a fine thrower and knows the game. His worst fault is listlessness, and many say he got rid of it during his summer in organized baseball. Here's hoping he writes his name large on the baseball page. Jake has now returned to Washington College and has donned the football togs, with excellent prospects of making the eleven.

Georges Carpentier, light heavyweight champion of the world, and the idol of France, was knocked out Sunday by Battling Siki, the West African fighter, in the sixth round of what was to have been a 20-round bout. Carpentier never had a chance after the third round, and resorted to butting, hitting low and other foul tactics in an effort to have the referee disqualify him and save himself from the inevitable knockout. Carpentier, in the opinion of the writer, has always been a very much over-rated fighter and had Harry Grebb, Mike Gibbons or Harry Wills met him beore the African he would have likely gotten about the same dose.

The Choptank marshes, which now are largely sought by the sportsmen in quest of rail birds, contribute the best shooting of that kind in the state, and there is scarcely a day that many are not seen there after the little birds. These marshes extend along both sides of the river from Dover Bridge in each direction for miles.

The closed season on wood ducks, which has been in effect since 1918, under the provisions of the migratory bird treaty act, will continue during the hunting season this fall, according to the Bureau of Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. These birds may not be killed anywhere in the United States. The wood duck or summer duck, as it is commonly known in many localities, is one of the most beautiful of native game birds and breeds practically throughout the United States. Formerly it was threatened with extinction, but under the protection afforded by the migratory bird treaty act during the past few years its numbers are now beginning to show an increase. Elder ducks and swans are also protected throughout the year.

Thomas F. Healey, Esq., will be in the line-up of the Baltimore professional football team tomorrow against the Tank Corps. The game will be played at the Gentlemen's Driving Park, Batlimore, at 3.30. Killinger, Ligtner and other stars of football fame will be in Baltimore's line-up.

The home run race in the two bigs leagues is still close, as follows: National—Hornsby, St. Louis, 42; Williams, Phila., 25; Lee, Phila., 17; Kelly, N. Y., 17; Meusel, N. Y., 16; Wheat, Brooklyn, 16; Grimes, Chicago, 14; Ainsmith, St. Louis, 13; Russell, Pittsburg, 12. American—Williams, St. Louis, 39; C. Walker, Phila., 36; Ruth, New York, 35; Heilman, Detroit, 21; Miller, Athletics, 19; Meusel, New York, 16; Falk, Chicago, 12; McManus, St. Louis, 11; Speaker, Cleveland, 11.

The Giants are champions of the National League and the Yankees have the honors in the American League. It now remains for the world's championship to decide the winner. Last year the series was played between the two teams and the Giants won. But even their most ardent admirers must admit they had all the breaks of the game. This year the Yanks are picked as the winners of the series and the betting odds range from 9 to 5 to 6 to 5. An even bet would be about right, according to our idea of the two teams.

While Harvard used to be easy pickings for Yale in the old days, in the last thirteen years, dating back to 1909, Yale has beaten Harvard at football but one time. That lone victory took place in 1916, when Tad Jones guided the Yale team down the home stretch. Yale, however, will make a mighty effort to crush Harvard this year. The Blue team has a fine back field, three or four good ends and at least its share of big, strong, experienced material for the line. Yale's material, in general, is said to be far superior to Harvard's or Princeton's. Her line will be good, while her men will be coached well in the fundamentals of the game. The result will be watched with much interest.

A feature of this year's practice at Washington College is the appearance of the young ladies in the practicing squad—not for football playing; however, but for football yells, singing and the like. The cheering squad is a big factor in athletics and Washington's squad will be greatly encouraged this year by the young ladies on the cheering line.

There is one position that is settled, besides right guard, on the W. C. football team, and that is center. Kelly, from Waterbury, will hold down this position. He weighs about 210 and is hard as iron. He also passes well and has never met a man that can defeat him.

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