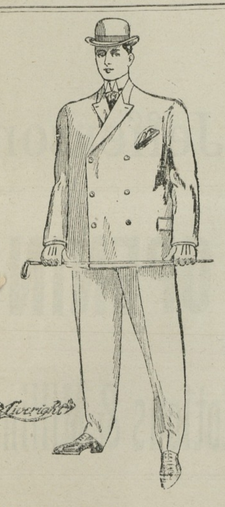
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County Treasurer's

Tax Notice.

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed at the January session, 1894, Chapter 293, the undersigned Treasurer of Kent county, hereby gives notice that the County Commissioners of said county have levied a tax of $1.15 on the Hundred Dollars, on the taxable property of said county.

Same taxes are due and payable September 1st, at the office of the County Treasurer in Chestertown, at which place and time the State Tax of 23½ cents on the Hundred Dollars is also due and payable.

Persons desiring a statement of their taxes may receive same by applying at the Treasurer's office.

WATER H. HADAWAY,
je24-tf. Tr asurer.

NOTICE.

The undersigned, a graduate of Washington College, of the class of 1900 of the Law Department of the University of Pennsylvania, announces his removal from Philadelphia to Chestertown where he will engage in the practice of law, having passed the Maryland State Bar Examination.

HERBERT E. PERKINS,
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s24- Office on Court St. opposite Court House.

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Wm. T. Lucas, et. al.,
vs
George Lucas, et al.

No. 1485.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

THE CREDITORS of George Lucas, late of Kent county, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims, duly authenticated with the clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Maryland, on or before the 22nd day of July, 1905, otherwise they will ay law be excluded from participating in the fu[illegible]d to be audited in this case.

By order of Court.
LEWIN W. WICKES,
my27-t. Auditor.

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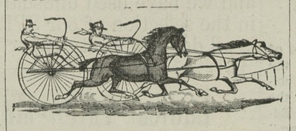
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Free-for-all, 2.25 trot and pace, and a race for Kent and Queen Anne's horses driven by amateurs. The Free-for-all for pacers will have Bedworth, Jr., Schley Russell and Linwood.

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All Kent and Queen Anne's horses are invited to compete. If bad day races will be held following day. ADMISSION 25 Cts.

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Complimentary Dance

THURSDAY,

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—This is to certify that I am personally well acquainted with Mr. J. Waters Russell, of this town, and that he is known in the community as a man of intelligence and business capacity as well as of approved integrity.

Respectfully. JAMES A. PEARCE.

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A CARD.

I take this opportunity to thank all those gentlemen who so kindly contributed to keeping the colored schools of Chestertown open until Wednesday, June 21. Our race appreciates the interest the white people have taken in us to further our interests.

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PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned up to JULY 1st, 1905, for FIFTY-FIVE TONS OF LEHIGH VALLEY NUT COAL to be delivered at County Almshouse by August 1, 1905. All proposals must be in sealed envelopes and endorsed "Proposals for coal," and addressed

JOHN BELL, President,
Board of Almshouse Trustees,
ju-10-3t Chestertown, Md.

Teachers' Examination.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL EXAMINATION for applicants for certificates to teach in the public schools of Kent county, Maryland, will be held in the school building in Chestertown, Md.,

JUNE 29th and 30th, 1905.

The examinations will commence on each day at nine o'clock, and will close at five o'clock with an hour's intermission at noon. Paper will be furnished.

MILTON MELVIN,
Supt. of Schools.

N. B.—Examinations for colored teachers will be held later, of which due notice will be given.
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I shall be pleased to call upon anyone interested in the matter, and will give any information desired concerning the Cookers. For sale by

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I have trust funds and to loan on Mortgages at 6 per cent., $500, $600, $800, $1000, $1500, $2000, $2400, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $7000 and $10,000. Some of these sums can be placed for five years. On first-class mortgages where the loan does not exceed three-fifths the value of the farms, a large part of this money can be borrowed at 5 per cent.

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PROPOSALS

—FOR—

College Building!

Sealed proposals will be received for the erection of a NEW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING at Washington College, Chestertown, Md., until Wednesday, JUNE 28th, 1905, at 7 o'clock P.M. at the office of the undersigned. Plans and specifications may be had of the architects, Thompson & Hill, Room 608 Ford Building, Wilmington, Del., on and after this date. There will be copies of Drawings and Specifications posted in the Builders Exchanges at Baltimore and Philadelphia, and bidders can notify sub-contractors to take off their work at these places or at the office of the architects in Wilmington, Del. The owners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

MARION DEK. SMITH, Sec'y.,
je3-tf. Chestertown, Maryland.

N. B.—All former bids have been rejected.

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NOTICE.

By order of the Board of Commissioners for Kent county, the supervisors of the roads, namely, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th districts, are hereby notified not to do any further work upon the roads except through and by the direct order of the Commissioner in charge of said districts excepting damage to bridge or culvert. This order to take effect at once.

A. C. LOUD, PRES'T.,
C. B. DUDLEY,
HARRY DAVIS,
P. B. RASIN,
L. C. AYRES.

C. L. DODD, Clerk. je3-tf.

COMMENCEMENT DAYS IN KENT.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE EXERCISES MORE INTERESTING THAN USUAL.

Fine Sermons, Sweet Girl Graduates—Blooming Youths, Inspiring Music, Eloquent Speeches.

High School Commencements a Feature of a Busy Week in Educational Circles.

This has most assuredly been a week wherein the sweet girl graduate and blooming youths have held the centre of the stage of life. Commencement days are always rare occasions in the balmy month of June, but this year has proven a record breaking one for the interest manifested in the exercises and for the splendor of the functions which have composed the programmes of the week. The commencement exercises of Washington College began on Sunday morning last with the Baccalaureate sermon in Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church by the Rt. Rev. Wm. Forbes Adams, Bishop of the Diocese of Easton. The faculty and students assembled on the college campus at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning and marched in a body to the church, preceded by the graduates in cap and gown. Dr. James W. Cain, president of the college, wore the insignia of his rank. Bishop Adams delivered an eloquent address to a large and distinguished audience, taking as his theme, "Godliness." The address was replete with wholesome advice and wise counsel.

At night a large and representative audience assembled in Christ M. P. Church, where the sermon to the Christian Associations was delivered by Rev. John S. Bowers, pastor of Clark Memorial Church, Baltimore. The faculty and students entered the church in a body, where, as in the morning, special seats were reserved for them. Mr. Bowers delivered a very able sermon from the text, "Work out your own salvation with fear and trembling," the theme being "The Surrendered Life." The sermon is published in full in this issue. The music by the choirs and congregations on both occasions was of a high order and most inspiring.

Monday, Commencement Day, was a busy one. The exercises began at 10 o'clock in the morning with the Junior Oratorical Contest, which was held in the Assembly Hall in Stam's Hall. The contest was one of the most interesting of the year. The contestants were Charles Bayley Morris, Princess Anne, Md., "The Confederate Dead;" (Watterson); Carrie Annette Jones, Chaney Station, Md., "The Night Watch;" Alexander Parks Rasin, Melitota, Md., "Defense of Admiral Schley" (Raynor); Evolyn Sudler Rolph, Millington, Md., "The Loosened Cord;" Ernest Albert Howard, Leeds, Md., Extract from "Leopard Spots" (Dixon); Jessie Taylor, Quantico, Md, "The Substitute;" Louis Curlett Robinson, McGinnes, Md., "Death of Absolom;" Jeannette Dossy Peterson, Wallville, Md., "The Swing;" Lemuel Charles McGinnis, Millington, Md., "Address to the Old Confederates (Taylor).

This was one of the most "evenly matched" classes in the history of the contest, and it was a most difficult task for the judges to decide who was entitled to first and second prizes, so well were the speeches delivered by each orator. T. Allan Goldsborough, Esq., State's Attorney for Caroline county, Dr. Horace Nicholson, of Baltimore, and Mr. S. Chester Coursey, of Elkton all graduates of the college, after much deliberation, decided that Alexander Parks Rasin, who delivered the immortal words of Isador Rayner, in defense of Admiral Schley, the hero of Santiago, was entitled to first prize, and that Mr. Ernest Albert Howard was entitled to the second prize—each a handsome gold medal given by Dr. Harry G. Simpers, an alumnus of the collge. It is a pity that there was not a prize for each speaker, especially the young ladies, whose discourses were splendidly rendered. We give them all honorable mention, however, and we are confident that their teacher was proud of his class. The medals were awarded to Messrs. Rasin and Howard at the commencement exercises on Wednesday morning.

ALUMNI BANQUET.

That greater and more enthusiastic interest was manifested in the commencement exercises this year was attested by the large number of distinguished alumni present at the banquet in the spacious dining room of Normal Hall on Tuesday evening. This fearure of the commencement means much for the welfare of the college, and as the banquet this year was attended by a larger and more representative body of alumni than in years past, it is an evidence that interest in the college is more pronounced than ever before, and that the institution is in closer touch with its graduates than heretofore. The dinner was in charge of caterer Fledderman, of Baltimore, and a sumptuous repast was served. Covers were laid for sixty guests' and fully that number enjoyed the occasion. At a business meeting before dinner the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President, Senator Clarence W. Perkins, of Baltimore; treasurer, Thos. W. Perkins; secretary, Prof. J. S. W. Jones.

Other officers were elected, but we are able to give only the most important. Among those present as guests of the alumni were: State Comptroller Gordon T. Atkinson, State Senator Garrett Foxwell, of Kent, and Dr. and Mrs. H. Benge Simmons, of Chestertown.

MENU:

Almonds Olives, Pecans
Bouillion
Striped Bass, Hollandise Sauce, Parisienne Potatoes
Sweet Bread Patties
Fried Chicken
Potato Apples Green Peas
Cherry Sherbert
Smithfield Ham
Lettuce and Tomatoes French Dressing
Fancy Ices Assorted Cakes
Coffee
Mints Ginger
Apolinaris

Harry J. Hopkins, the retiring president, was toast master, and performed the functions of the office with dignity and honor. The following toasts were proposed: Washington College, President Cain; Board Visitors and Governors, Mr. Wm. B. Usilton; The Faculty, Dr. James Roy Micou; State of Maryland, J. E. Ellegood, Esq.; The Alumni, Mr. Thos. D. Bowers; Need of Mechanical Education in Md., Thos. Perry, Esq.; Future of Our Alma Mater, Senator Clarence W. Perkins; Athletics, State's Attorney T. Allen Goldsborough; Wives and Sweethearts, Jas. W. Chapman, Jr., Esq.; Reminiscences, Mr. Emerson, of Conn. The "toasts" were all good, and each breathed the spirit of enthusiastic interest in the welfare of the college. The banquet provod to be one of the most enjoyable features of the commencement exercises.

THE COMMENCEMENT.

Scarcely in the history of the college has a larger audience greeted the graduates and students than was assembled in Stam's Hall on Wednesday morning. The stage was beautifully decorated with American flags and palms for the occasion, and the whole environment was such as to please those interested in the exercises. The academic procession formed on the college campus in front of the middle building at a quarter after ten o'clock, and proceeded to Stam's Hall, led by Weber's Fifth Regiment Band. The exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. H. B. Martin. The following orations were ably delivered:

First Honor Oration, Collegiate Department, "Perseverance," Howard Orr Stephens, Cayots, Md.

Second Honor Oration, Collegiate Department, "Young America's Responsibility," Ernest A. Howard, Leeds, Md.

First Honor Address, Normal Department, "The Value of Difficulties," Dorotha Ellen Walker, Sharptown, Md.

Class Oration, Normal Deportment, "Man's Debt to Nature," Jessie Taylor, Quantico, Md.

President Cain in a few well chosen remarks conferred the following degrees:

NORMAL CERTIFICATES.

Bertha Emmalyn Beauchamp, Girdletree, Md.; Emory Augustin Coughlin, Salisbury, Md.; Lolla Olga Crew, Betterton, Md.; Blanche Brandon Elzey, Sharptown, Md.; Thomas Frederick Garey, Denton, Md.; Hannah Latimer Gooding, Chestertown, Md.; Nellie Leah Graham, Quantico, Md.; Anna Pearl Griffin, Denton, Md.; Phebe Blanche Hale, Parkton, Md.; Sarah Nicholson Hessey, Hanesville, Md.; Emmet Francis Hitch, Seaford, Del.; Ruth Cornwell Hoffecker, Fairmount, Md.; Lolla Tucker Hubbard, Cornersville, Md.; Anna Weikes Melvin, Millington, Md.; Julia Nicholson, Chestertown, Md.; Jeannette Dossy Peterson, Wallville, Md.; Louis Curlett Robinson-McGinnes, Md.; Margaret Elva Smith, Church Hill, Md.; Jessie Taylor, Quantico, Md.; Dorotha Ellen Walker, Sharptown, Md.

Bachelor of Arts—Ernest Albert Howard, Leeds, Md.: Simeon VanTrump Jester, Chestertown, Md.; Harry Primrose Porter, Klej Grange, Md.; Louis Curlett Robinson, McGinnes, Md.; Howard Orr Stephens, Cayots, Md.

Master of Arts—Horace Wilfred Nicholson, '02, Chestertown, Md.

Prizes were awarded as follows: President's Medal to the Representative Man of the Class, Howard Orr Stephens. Medal for the highest average in the Senior Class, Howard Orr Stephens. Visitors and Governors Medal for the highest average in the Junior Class, Alfred Selman Garrison. Alumni Medal for the highest average in the Sophomore and Senior Normal classes, Dorotha Ellen Walker, Anna Pearl Griffin. Simmons Medal for the highest average in the Freshman and Junior Normal Classes, Anna Cheseldine Roe. Simpers Medal for Declamation, first honor, Alexander Parks Rasin. Second honor, Ernest Albert Howard. Prize for essay on the Subject of Temperance, given by the W. C. T. U. First prize, $15, Ernest Albert Howard; second prize, $10, Simeon VanTrump Jester. Prize for the neatest room, Anna Pearl Griffin, Novilla Page Kirby, $5.00: John Harriott Clarke, Wiltshire Walton Windsor, $5.00.

The following students were distinguished in scholarship: Howard Orr Stephens, Anna Pearle Griffin, Dorotha Ellen Walker, Anna Cheseldine Roe.

It is impossible for us to give the names of those students receiving an average of over 80. There were 41.

Thirty-nine students received no demerits during the session.

THE MUSIC.

The music is always a most pleasing feature at the commencement. This year, however, Weber's Fifth Regiment Band and orchestra, which has furnished the commencement music for years, was at its best, and simply charmed the audiences with the splendor of the musical selections.

The commencement was one of the best in the history of the college, and the faculty and students deserve the

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SENIOR CLASS DAY.

A new and interesting feature was added to the commencement exercises on Monday afternoon in the class day of the senior normals. The exercises were held on the lawn in front of the president's house, which was decorated for the occasion. The address of Anna Pearl Griffin, the president of the class, showed devotion to the college and interest in its welfare. The hits of the "giftorian," Miss Peterson, provoked great amusement, as she brought out the foibles of each in presenting her gifts to her Classmates.

The class history was by Bertha Emmalyn Beauchamp, class poem by Lola Tucker Hubbard, class prophecy by Anna Wickes Melvin, presentation of gifts to classmates by Jannette Dossy Peterson and the class will by Sarah Nicholson Hessey.

ADELPHIA LITERARY SOCIETY.

Stam's Hall was crowded on Monday evening with students and friends to hear the annual address to the Adelphia Literary Society, which was delivered by Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., of Dover, Del. Dr. Barrett is not only a scholar of distinction, but he is an orator of rare ability, and for an hour he charmed his audience with a splendid address.

ORATORICAL CONTEST.

The annual Oratorical Contest for the Simpers Medal took place in Stam's Hall on Tuesday morning at 10.30 o'clock under the direction of Prof. Edward J. Clarke, of the department of elocution. As usual much interest centered in this feature of the exercise, and a large audience was present to hear the orators deliver masterly addresses. There were eight contestants, who with their subjects were as follows:

Charles Bayley Morris, Princess Anne, Md., "The Confederate Dead," (Watterson); Carrie Annette Jones, Chaney Station, Md., "The Night Watch;" Alexander Parks Rasin, Melitota, Md., "Defense of Admiral Schley" (Raynor); Evolyn Sudler Rolph, Millington,

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