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The Best Line of Shoes we have ever Shown.	
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Ladies' Ties, Good Dongola	98
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Misses' Dongola	79
Same goods sold last year at $1.00.	
Men's Fine and Work Shoes Very Low.	

Our Spot Cash Grocery List:

Best Corn Starch	5c
Prunes	5c
Evaporated Apples	6c
Peaches	9c
6 Bottles Defiance Yeast Powder	25c
Full Pound Olene Soap	4c
Canned Corn	5c
"Tip-Top" Coffee	12c

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May 22, 1897. GALENA, MD.

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☞Customers and others in town with Headaches will be cured free today.

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Fine Groceries Confectionery, etc.

CHESTERTOWN VS. CAMBRIDGE.

An Exciting Game of Ball Ends in Victory for Chestertown—It Took Twelve Innings to Do It—"Anybody's Game" From Start to Finish.

A BEAUTIFUL TOWN AND HOSPITABLE PEOPLE.

For the first time in many years we had the pleasure of a visit to our sister town Cambridge last week, and the opportunity to take in some of its beauties and advantages. The occasion was the visit of the Chestertown ball team, on the 16th instant, to play the Cambridge on the latter's home ground, and the thoughtful kindness of John R. Pattison, Esq., who had his team at hand, and, in a spin through the different streets and suburbs, showed the attractiveness of the place. We were certainly charmed with the many beautiful residences, wide level streets, with profuse shrubbery and shade trees, and, that which led charm to all, was the ample grounds attached to each dwelling. These grounds without exception were handsomely improved, while the dwellings appear to have been after the latest style of architecture. Indeed this residence portion of Cambridge doesn't look like any part of the old town we saw twenty years ago, but seems to have sprung up in response to modern taste and esthetic demand; everything looked new, bright, beautiful. We doubt if there is a town of its size anywhere which will excell it in the number of handsome residences and beautiful grounds.

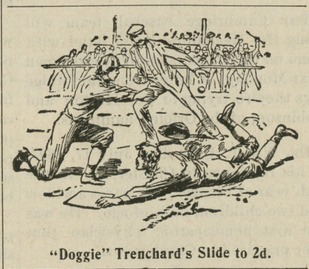
That which aids so much in making Cambridge attractive to visitors is the well kept public streets and roads. Every foot of the long avenues we drove were as a rock bed. Oyster shell roads are a feature of both town and country. The officials all deserve credit for having wisely expended the public moneys so liberally in this direction.

Of the citizens of Cambridge we had little opportunity to measure their character. From what we did see, however, we feel safe in saying that the hospitality, the refinement and itellectual culture of the people of our sister town is in keeping with the natural and artificial charms that are evidenced on every hand.

Cambridge has five or six thousand inhabitants, but only one hotel, or rather two hotels under one management. The churches are large, and handsome, several of them built of granite. Rev. George Q. Bacchus, one of Chestertown's honored natives, is stationed there as pastor of the M. P. Church, and was delighted to see so many of his personal acquaintances.

The newspapers of Cambridge are fully up with the live town's every enterprise. We regretted our inability to visit them. The editors are among the most honored and cultured citizens and are esteemed throughout the State as newspaper men.

Among the legal fraternity of this State probably none stand higher than the members of the Cambridge bar. We had the pleasure of meeting only a few, among them our young friend Tom Breerwood, who will be remembered for his many good qualities as a student and graduate of Washington College; Alonzo L. Miles, a brother of the distinguished ex-Congressman; W. Laird Henry, the "short term" Congressman, who made such a brilliant record in campaigning in the great contest of '94; John R. Pattison, who is prominently named for the Comptrollership nomination; also Messrs. Higgins, Harrington and others. Philips L. Goldsborough, State's Attorney, is counted one of the foremost of the Republican leaders in the State, and may be the nominee of that party for Comptroller if he will take it.

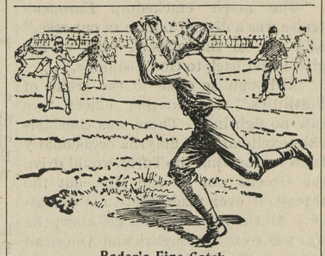


"Doggie" Trenchard's Slide to 2d.

The Matchless Base Ball Game.

If there is one "pastime" the Cambridge people delight in more than another it is baseball. They have there a first-class team this season, and the large cycle track is well adapted to the game, being improved with ample grand stand and "bleecher" seats. The little friction of last season, in which Cambridge was denied a game with Chestertown, added to the interest of the present game, and when Chestertown lined up on the ground at the call of the game, they were greeted with a hearty round of applause by all the great throng present. Both teams appeared to be in splendid trim, and a finer looking set of young men it would be hard to find.

The game was called by Umpire Kerr, of Cambridge, with the Chestertown boys at the bat. W. Trenchard, the first man up for Chestertown, worked a pass to first on balls and by good base running, aided by Deakyne's hit, scored the first run. This ended the run getting for this inning, as the next two men up were retired on strikes. Cambridge failed to score in their half. In the second inning Chestertown failed to score while Cambridge in their half scored 2 runs making the score 2 to 1 in favor of Cambridge. In the third and fourth innings both sides failed to score. In the fifth Chestertown scored 3 runs



Bader's Fine Catch.

by hitting the ball safely and good base running. Cambridge came in and by clear hits aided by an error of T. Trenchard scored 3 runs making the score stand 5 to 4 in favor of Cambridge. Both teams then settled down and played great ball allowing neither team to score until the ninth when Chestertown tied the score, while Cambridge failed to score in their half. Stevens, who was pitching for Chestertown, seemed to be getting better as the game progressed, while Radcliffe, the Cambridge pitcher, seemed to be weakening. In the tenth neither team scored as well as in the eleventh also. In the twelfth, Deakyne and Bader were hit by Radcliffe, and Boston, who had not even hit the ball before this, made a rattling two-bagger bringing in two runs and making the score stand 7 to 5 in favor of Chestertown. Cambridge now went in and although the crowd rooted hard, they failed to score, and Chestertown was once more the victor in one of the most exciting games ever played on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. The features of the game were the battery work of Stevens and Bader and two great catches by Boston and Usilton, as was also the all round playing of Deakyne and Dill, Stidam played great ball for Cambridge making a great stop of a hard hit ball by Usilton which looked like a safe hit.

The score follows—

Chestertown.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
W. Trenchard, c.f.	2	1	2	0	1
Deakyne, 3b.	2	2	5	4	0
Bader, c.	1	1	7	1	0
Boston, l. f.	0	1	1	0	1
T. Trenchard, 2b.	1	1	5	7	2
Usilton, s.s.	0	0	1	2	2
Dill, 1b.	1	1	14	3	1
Brice, r. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Stevens, p.	0	1	1	3	0
Totals.	7	8	36	20	7

Cambridge.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Manner, s.s.	0	0	1	4	0
Rozelle, c.	0	0	10	1	1
Stidam, 2b.	0	2	3	4	1
S. Johnson, 1b.	0	0	18	2	0
Radcliffe, p.	1	2	0	8	0
Trego, r. f.	2	1	2	0	1
Purse, l. f.	2	2	2	0	0
Webb, c. f.	0	0	0	0	0
H. Johnson, 3b.	0	2	0	1	0
Totals.	5	9	36	20	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	t'l
Chestert'n	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	—7
Cambri'ge	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—5

Bases on Balls—Off Stevens 2, Radcliffe, 5. Struck out—By Stevens, 3; by Radcliffe, 8. Wild Pitches—Radcliffe 1, 3 base hit—Stidam. 2 base hit—Bader, Boston, T. Trenchard. Umpire—Mr. Kerr, of Cambridge. Scorer, Fronk Simpers. Time, 2 hrs.

The universal opinion was that the game altogether was the best ever played on that ground. The intense interest may be judged from the tie through a half dozen innings. The umpire appeared to be entirely fair; he was prompt in his decisions and unchangeable afterwards. The advantages of the home-team in their multitude of "rooters" was measurably counterbalanced by their good-nature and liberality—many of them heartily applauding the good plays of the rival team.

The Chestertown Club was most hospitably entertained while in Cambridge and left the delightful little city as the night was shutting in with the highest regard for all concerned. The crowd on the wharf—though a little chagrined at the defeat of their favorites—appeared to voice the general sentiment, and as the steamer pushed off three hearty cheers were given by the visitors for the Cambridge Club and the town, which had a liberal response from the wharf.

Mr. Spencer Hurtt, manager of the Chestertown Club, did his whole duty by the boys and proved his excellent leading capacity.

And now we wait the return game which is promised for next Monday.

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I can now furnish Vanilla Ice Cream for $1.00 per gallon. All other flavors at reasonable prices. Special prices given in large quantities for festivals, entertainments, etc.

Fresh CAKE & BISCUITS

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Best Dress Ginghams.....5c. were 6 and 8c.	Men's Every Day Shirts from 45c. to 19c.
Best Lawns.....6¾c. were 8 and 9c.	Dress Shirts from.....50c. to $1.00
Challies.....4½c.	Pants from.....45c. to $3.50
Calicoes.....3½c. to 5c.	Men's Shoes from.....85c. to $3.50
	Ladies' Shoes...from 42½c. to $2.50
	Children's Shoes from 19c to $1.50

All Kinds of Tinware, Glassware and Crockeryware

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Matting, Oilcloth, Hats, Caps, Whips,

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Window Shades, Trunks, Valises, Telescopes, &c.

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Mats and Rugs, large or small, at Special Prices. Oilcloths for Floor or Table, large line at Special Prices. Odds and Ends in Remnants of Floor Oilcloth at 18c. per yard.

Give us a call. Very truly,

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Ladies' Button and Lace Shoes from 90c. to $3.50, in all the leading styles of Toes and Tips. Forty to 50 Styles of LADIES' SLIPPERS to select from at from 50c. to $2.76. MEN'S and BOY'S SHOES in Russet, Patent Leather and Calf, from $1.00 to $5.00. The W. L. DOUGLASS Celebrated Shoes at $2.00, $3.00 $3.50 $5.00. All kinds of SHOE DRESSING. A glance at our stock will convince you that we carry as fine a line as you can find in any city store, and at less price, as we do not have to pay three or four thousand dollars rent, and other expenses, to do business. Orders by mail will receive prompt and careful attention. Shoes made to order when we cannot fit you out of stock. Fit Guaranteed. Buy your shoes of a Regular Shoe Store, where you can find an assortment of styles and prices, and all the different widths.

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