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W. V. W. C. Outclassed

At last a Marshall team has trailed the Wesleyan colors in the dust—or rather mud. Two years ago all Marshall was elated when Billy Alford scored on W.V.W.C., but to-day there is not so much rejoicing because of the easy victory. What the total would have been on a dry field can easily be imagined, for the weather conditions were all against the fast running, fast passing, Marshall team. As it was, the Wesleyan goal was always in danger, while they were unable to make a single first down. A little firmer footing would have resulted in several more touchdowns for Marshall. Wesleyan had the beef, but the team was not to be compared with the team they were opposing; and they should be very thankful that the score was not 40-0 instead of 14-0. They showed no offense at all and a very ragged defense. Their line was torn to pieces by the terrific plunges of Brackman and the vicious Kendle; while Bob, Shorty, and Cy ran their ends at will. If they hadn't slipped they would be going yet. And what a defense the Green and White showed! Talk about your stone walls! Not a first down for the Methodists tells the tale. "Cap" was getting them before they started, while Archer, Farmer, Johnson, Brackie, and Mc were throwing them back as fast as they came up. The secondary defense had very little to do, but the tackling was fierce and sure.

No one stood out in particular, for every one was helping every minute. Perhaps "Shorty" deserves most credit, for he made one touchdown, recovered a punt which was responsible for the other, and by a most remarkable play made the field goal possible. Lambert and the backfield handled the ball with great skill on such a day. Marshall has them all outclassed in handling the qigskin. Accuracy with the ball is half the battle, too. Lambert met in Long of Wesleyan, the first center who is near his equal and showed him up on offense, while he gave him no chance on defense. Long deserves great credit for his game against odds. The less said about his team the better.

The first quarter ended with no score, although Marshall had the ball within striking distance at all times. Runs by England featured the quarter. Young's two attempts at field goal were blown a little wide by the wind. Soon after the opening of the second period, Young, behind powerful interference, tore off forty yards; and "Cupid" added ten more and a touchdown around the other

end. England and Kendle were running a great interference.

In the third quarter all the backfield were going great gains around the end, while Kendle and Brackman were tearing great holes in the line. Young soon scooted around right end for the second touchdown, from which he kicked goal. The Marshall speed and endurance began to tell, while Cy's judgment was perfect. He placed his kicks beautifully. In the fourth quarter, by plunging, passing, and skirting the ends for good gains, Young was soon in position for a field goal; and aided by Ollom's wonderful play, he kicked a beautiful goal against a strong wind. The half ended with the ball on the Methodists' thirty-yard line.

On every side one could hear "Watch that Marshall line hold!" Surely the line had it on their heavy opponents. Johnson deserves great credit as this was his first game. On the offense the Green and White line opened great holes for their backs. Lambert deserves especial credit for his accurate passing. He should be the all state center. The line showed better in this game than ever before, which only proves that this team is made up of brains and doesn't swallow the same thing twice. The backfield showed that it is the class of the State in speed and handling the ball. All the other teams have one or two good backs, but none of them have four working together like these. They deserve great praise and are getting it from the students and the public.

The line-up:

WESLEYAN		MARSHALL
Morris	L. E.	Ruckman
L. Brooks	L. T.	Archer
Groves	L. G.	Farmer
Long	C.	Lambert
Ashworth	R. G.	Johnson
Wherley	R. T.	Brackman
Lafield	R. E.	McVey
F. Stansbury	Q. B.	Young
Ohlsen	R. H.	Ollom
H. Stansbury	L. H.	England
Kellison	F. B.	Kendle

Referee, Sam Chilton; umpire, Lawrence McClure; field judge, O'Dell.

"The Ideal Citizen"

Ex-Governor Hoch, of Kansas, delivered one of his great lectures, "The Ideal Citizen," in the college auditorium Tuesday night. He had a good audience and was enthusiastically received. He declared that the struggle of the ages has been the struggle to attain the ideal. We must have the ideal man before we can have the ideal citi-

zen. The ideal man is the fullest development of the physical, the mental, and the spiritual. In the practical affairs the ideal man is an optimist, but he is not blind to prevailing conditions or deaf to portentous mutterings. He believes the world is growing better, and he therefore does something to make it better. He is a God-fearing, Bible-reading, liberty-loving, all-round Christian man.

"Individual responsibility is the greatest thought that can come to an American citizen." * * * "Let us believe that God doth hedge this nation about and lead it on." Upon the church, the school, and the home depends the perpetuity of our nation.

CLASS OF 1910

Resolutions of Respect

Whereas: It is the sense of the Class of 1910 that it is our duty to keep in touch with the affair of our alma mater with the view of cooperating with those in authority, toward enlarging and strengthening her influences,

Whereas: It is our sincere conviction that we owe to ourselves and to our alma mater to keep alive the feeling and sympathy and interest in the affairs of the individual members of the class; to keep a record of the chief events in the history of our class,

Whereas: In the course of human experiences, it has been the very sad misfortune of this class to lose one of its most promising and worthy members in the death of Thomas Benton Earle, be it,

Resolved, That we hereby express our sincere and united sorrow in this the loss, by death, of Mr. Earle, whose untimely "going from among us" has cast a gloom over the entire class and spread sorrow wherever our deceased friend and classmate was known,

That we express to the sorrowing dear ones of his home our deep sympathies in this their day of grief,

That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of our class as kept by our secretary,

That a second copy be sent to the county paper which is a visitor of Mr. Earle's parent,

That a copy be sent directly to his mother, duly signed by the officers of our organization,

That a copy be furnished THE PARTHENON for publication.

Signed,

L. V. STARKEY, President
ESTHER CUNDIFF, Secretary
CHAS. E. MYERS, Treasurer

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THE PARTHENON is mailed this week to every alumnus whose address we can secure, but hereafter it will be mailed to those only who have subscribed for it. The fifty-cent subscription price still holds good. Let us have your subscription at once. THE WEEKLY PARTHENON needs your support, and "Old Marshall" needs THE WEEKLY PARTHENON. You ought to have numbers 1-4 to see what has been "doing" this year. The football team has made a remarkable record, and a splendid college spirit prevails. Though every student had a season ticket already paid for, more than two hundred boys and girls guaranteed the sale of one ticket each in advance for the Wesleyan game. "Team work" characterizes the activity of the school this year.

At last, after years of waiting and wishing and *needing* (!!) an all round man has been found to take charge of the inside janitor and repair and improvement work of the college. Mr. Workman is an excellent carpenter and mechanic, and can not only save the state quite an amount of money each year in the way of repairs and improvements, but will be made personally responsible for the condition of the rooms, hallways, lights, windows, floors, seats, and the hundred other things that are constantly needing attention and care; the inside helpers will be responsible to him and he will be held responsible for the condition of everything about the buildings. Dave, the faithful and loyal, will co-operate with Mr. Workman in the work, inside and out, but will more especially have charge of the grounds and furnaces.

Let this be the beginning of good housekeeping in the college end of the buildings.

The following letter from one of the boys that do things, speaks for itself better than we can speak for it. We give it verbatim:

609 Healy St., Champiagn, Ill.
November 4, 1911

Dear Classmates of '10:—

You have lately received a most interesting letter from our secretary, Miss Cundiff, among other things calling your attention to our proposed reunion in 1912. Now to make this reunion the success we intend it shall be, and to make our organization of any benefit to ourselves or Marshall, it is absolutely necessary that we "keep our heads together." The only practical way for us to do this is through THE PARTHENON.

Now, for the sake of the '10 class and Marshall, will not each '10 who has not already subscribed send in 50c to THE PARTHENON without delay? Let us have it said that each '10 receives THE PARTHENON regularly. It will be well supplied with '10 notes and will have official notices of our organization from time to time.

Each '10 is urged to write to Miss Cundiff, 1536 Seventh Ave., Huntington, W. Va., giving his idea as to the future of the '10 class organization and what he thinks it could and should accomplish. Some ideas have already been turned in and we should like to have yours. This bears directly on our plans for the 1912 reunion and you will hear more about it later.

Don't retard the progress by *your* not doing your part.

Sincerely,

CHAS. E. MYERS, Treas. and Chairman of Reunion Committee.

Alumni

Frank Holland, a former Marshall boy, stopped in Huntington on his return from the meeting of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., at Charleston, last week, and saw the Marshall-Wesleyan game. Frank is Worshipful Master of the New Cumberland Lodge, and and is the guiding spirit in the higher work of the Masonic fraternity in that town. Since attending school here he has served continuously as superintendent of one the large brick plants of New Cumberland, till last June, when he resigned to locate in some more progressive place.

The report of the death of Mrs. J. L. Lehman, of Fairmont, on Nov. 11, was received with deepest regret by her friends at Marshall and among the people of Huntington. Mrs. Lehman, whose maiden name was Willa Hart Butcher, was at one time a member of the Marshall faculty.

Ralf Gorrell, class of 1906, came down from Holden to see the Marshall-Wesleyan game. Mr. Gorrell is principal of the Holden schools and three of his four assistants are Marshall girls.

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Major themes are now in order. It is the main topic about school. The Juniors are wrestling with Cotton Mather, while the Seniors are delving down into the character of Lady Macbeth.

Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. opened this year with several of its old members back again; and, with the addition of many new names to the roll, there is now a very respectable membership. The boys are taking hold of the work with vigor and are making the programs interesting as well as instructive. There has been hearty cooperation on the part of outsiders, too. The Rev. Mr. Reed and Mr. Leonhart have given very able addresses to the boys. The state organization is helping in every way possible, and with the persistent efforts of the members the Y. M. C. A. bids fair to have in this year one of the best in its history.

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Freshman Class

The Freshman Class with a membership of 160, have reasons for saying they have the best class in school; and, judging from the whirlwind way in which they are straightening up their business this term, we may say they have in the class some of the best material that is in the school. When you examine the roll of the class you will find the best player on the reserve football team as its president, and one of the most refined and polished young ladies of Marshall College as its secretary; and you may rest assured that they do not lack any of the business qualifications needed to lead this class and to make it what its motto declares it to be, an organization of believers in "Age quod agis." If you don't believe it just take a "peep" and be satisfied.

Locals

The campaign of the local branch of the Salvation Army to raise twenty thousand dollars for the purpose of building a rescue home in Huntington has begun in earnest. At the banquet held Monday evening at the Florentine by the leaders of this movement, Pres. L. J. Corbly delivered the principal address. His subject was "The Psychological Moment."

The splendid response of the student body to the request of the officers of the M. C. A. for financial assistance was most encouraging. Over one hundred dollars was raised to insure the financial end of the W. V. W. C. game. The Thanksgiving game is the last one on our schedule. Let every student put his shoulder to the wheel and "boost." Here is a chance to show your loyalty again. Get out and advertise this game. We need a big crowd.

Hon. Virgil A. Lewis was a welcome and interesting visitor to chapel this week. Mr. Lewis is certainly a success in his present position. If he knows one

event and the date thereof in the history of West Virginia and of the United States, he knows *one thousand*. He is a genuine West Virginia Encyclopedia, and in all his delving into the musty archives of our state's past history he has looked to it well that Marshall College data was not overlooked.

Prof. E. E. Myers delivered a lecture last Friday evening at Milton. His subject was "What is Art?" and his lecture was in connection with a Turner art exhibit. On Saturday morning he gave a "chalk talk" before the teachers and pupils of the Milton public schools. Mr. Lambert, the principal of the schools has among his teachers Miss Weikle Bowles, '10, and Miss Ethel Parker, '11.

The New River and Greenbrier Round Table was held at Alderson, Friday, Nov. 17. Mrs. Lyon was Marshall's representative at this meeting and spoke on the "Social Side of a Teacher's Life." The other addresses were given by Superintendent Shawkey and by Dr. Armstrong. The subject of the latter was, "Wanted, A Teacher," and is reported to have been especially interesting. Several Marshall graduates were in attendance at this meeting, among them being Marie Becket, Fay Miller, Emma Myers, Katie Whitman, Maggie Peck, and Thomas Robinson. On her return Mrs. Lyon spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Superintendent Shawkey at Charleston.

Quite a number of the alumni were in Huntington Saturday to see Marshall so gracefully defeat West Virginia Wesleyan. Among those present were W. A. Spruce, Harlow Ollom, Lew Wells, Stanley Coffman, Raymond Fiddler and J. R. Osborne.

Every time Marshall wins a game of football something has to be done to celebrate the occasion. Thanks to the generosity of Mrs. Kearns, she always gives a reception to both teams and all the friends of the school. Mrs. Kearns gave the usual reception just after the Wesleyan game last Saturday.

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movement on foot. He has organized a student choir to lead the singing at chapel. The experiment was tried last Wednesday for the first time, with great success.

Nell McColm intends spending her Thanksgiving vacation at Vanceburg, Ky. What a relief!

Earl Talley is quite an artist as well as lover. He drew two poster for the entertainment given in Carnegie Library Friday evening. Earl is receiving congratulations on all sides on the merits of his work. The posters are two of the cleverest designs ever turned out by any student of Marshall.

John Ruckman has decided that he will not put out a souvenir program of the Thanksgiving game. Georgetown did not send their pictures in time to have the cuts made. The program was quite a success last year.

Boyd B. Chambers has been appointed acting graduate manager to fill the position vacated by J. R. Marcum, who resigned last week. Chambers is coach, athletic director, cheer leader, and ground keeper; and now, after having been made acting graduate manager, he says his only ambition is to become janitor or watchman.

A. W. McCreary of Mt. Pleasant, Pa., father of Eugenia McCreary, for some time a very active Marshall girl, was a visitor to the city recently.

College Hall

Mr. A. B. C. Bray, of Ronceverte, was here Sunday visiting his daughter Alice.

Mr. Spruce, of Charleston, visited Miss Erma McCann, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Virginia and Nancy Tyler spent the week-end at their home at Spillman.

The last Saturday afternoon tea of the term was held in the College parlor after the game Saturday. It was greatly enjoyed by all present especially after our spirits had been so enthusiastically roused by the glorious victory on the gridiron. However, among the girls of the Hall a certain feeling of depression pervaded the atmosphere with the consciousness that this was the last occasion of the kind before Christmas.

The Girls' Club has been meeting twice a week for the past several weeks in order to be ready for the entertainment to be given some time early in December. The College Hall girls will give a demonstration along a musical and dramatic line that will be to Huntington and Marshall College a revelation of the talent and ability which has heretofore been "hidden under a bushel," as it were. In the meeting of the club Wednesday, Jean McGuire was elected president, and Alice Bray, secretary and treasurer. This club is certainly an excellent thing for the girls of the school.

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