

ST MARY'S BEACON

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY MORNING, February 22nd, 1877.

To Correspondents.—We have been unable to get the welcome letter of our Richmond correspondent in time for our present issue.

THE PRESIDENTIAL SETTLEMENT.

The action of the Electoral Commission in the case of Louisiana practically settles the presidential issue and settles it in favor of Hayes.

SOUTHERN MD. RAILROAD.

The Steamer, Lady of the Lake, on Thursday last made an especial call at the wharf of Dr. Brome, St. Mary's city.

NOVEL ROBBERY.

A few days ago, the bricks connected with the corner stone of St. Peter's Episcopal chapel in our town were found to have been disturbed.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, GARDEN SEEDS, ETC.

The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of P. Mann, 207 Seventh Street, Washington City, D. C.

Alexander H. Stephens completed his 65th year Monday.

He has improved so much that he acknowledges himself, for the first time since his illness, to be better.

THE RHODE ISLAND CASE.

George H. Corliss, candidate for a presidential election, received in Rhode Island at the late November election the highest number of votes cast.

THE DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

It was agreed that the understanding as to the true intent and meaning of the Electoral bill had been most shamefully violated.

THE OREGON CASE.

This will bring the proceedings of the joint convention to another stop, and will give the majority of the Electoral Tribunal another chance for a partisan decision.

THE BALANCE OF TRADE.

The comparative statement of the imports and exports of the United States for the calendar years 1875 and 1876, which has just been issued by the bureau of statistics.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

It is not improbable that when the vote of this State is called in the joint convention an objection will be made and it will also be referred to the Electoral Tribunal.

GRANT.

It is some what reported that the President will shortly issue his proclamation recognizing the Packard Government in Louisiana.

DIVIDED ON THE PEACE QUESTION.

The vote by which the democratic caucus passed the resolution to go on with the electoral count is considerably less than a majority of that party.

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