# Saint Mary's Beacon.

### Traveler's Guide.

S. M. R. R. *—Trains leave Brandywine, going East, daily except Sundays, at 10:30 a. m. Arriving at Mechanicsville, 11:45 a. m. Leave Mechanicsville, going West, daily except Sundays, at 12:10 p. m. Arriving at Brandywine 2:10 p. m.

Early Morning Trains leave Mechanicsville, going West, Mondays and Thursdays at 5:45 a. m. Arriving at Brandywine at 6:50 a. m.

Evening Trains leave Brandywine, going East, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 6:30 p. m. Arriving at Mechanicsville at 7:30 p. m.

Norfolk steamers to Washington from Piney Point on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 10:30, P. M. Returning, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

* See advertisements elsewhere.

## Local Dottings.

### Orphans' Court.

Court met on the 23rd instant, present Judges Love, Jones and Payne. The following business was transacted:—Z. Mattingly was appointed administrator of Ann Thompson and bond filed. Renunciation of Eliza Marshall filed. Ratification of the sale of the real estate of George Wathen, deceased, passed.

### Resignation.

We are informed that Mr. Jno. T. Ballinger has resigned from our Central Committee. Mr. B. is an energetic worker, one who has given not only his time but money also to the party and his place on the committee will be very hard to fill. There will be a strong fight in the county this fall and, on or off the committee, Mr. Ballinger will take an active part.

### Land Sale.

Friday last, Messrs. B. G. Harris and J. H. Neale, surviving partners of Neale, Harris & Co., sold at public auction the following named real estate: "Ingleside," 300 acres, $5,000; Society Hill and Belleview," 1,020 acres, $11,000; "Hillilee," 525 acres, $3,000; "St. John's," 340 acres, $1,200; "Keech's Rest," 300 acres, $1,500; Hammett's Discovery, 490 acres, $1,300. Purchaser, B. G. Harris, of Baltimore. Much of the property was sold subject to mortgages.

### Charlotte Hall Notes.

The Rev. Dr. Dashiell will preach the annual sermon to the graduating class of Charlotte Hall Academy on Tuesday, the 29th of June, 1886. The public are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Joseph H. Hancock received 7, 8½ and 9 cents for his tobacco. We think this argues well for the skill of Mr. Hancock when we consider the nature of our soil.

### Religious.

Right Rev. William Paret, D. D., Bishop of Maryland, will preach and administer the rite of Confirmation at Christ Church, Chaptico, Tuesday, June 29th, at 11, A. M., at All Saints' church at 4:30, P. M.; St. Andrew's church on June 30th, at 10, A. M.; St. Peter's Chapel, Leonardtown, same day, 7:30, P. M. The public are cordially invited to these services.

### Distribution of School Fund.

On the 15th instant, the Comptroller of the State Treasury made the distribution of the school funds for the city of Baltimore and the several counties. The amounts for this county are: White schools, $1,505.84; colored schools, $1,145.68. The decrease in the distribution to white schools is owing to the fact that the receipts of State taxes from Baltimore city for the past quarter have been smaller than for seven or eight years back.

### Base-Ball.

The St. Mary's base-ball club will play their first match game of the season with the Academy nine at Charlotte Hall on Monday, the 28th instant. The county players will be, George Cryer, Oscar Cryer, James Greenwell, Joseph Gough, Felix Fenwick, Harry Fenwick, Paul Combs, Paul Dashiell and Ford Combs. It is important that the players should be on hand punctually. Success in the coming game will ensure the organization of a good club and we hope that our players will do their "level best."

### Washington Notes.

In the House of Representatives on Tuesday, Mr. Compton introduced a bill to pay Dr. J. Felix Morgan, of Medley's Neck, $600 for quartermaster's supplies; also to pay Igns. I. Langley, of this county, $2,333 for pasturage furnished during the spring and summer of 1865 for 300 mules and 20 horses.

A war is being made on Dr. Smith Townsend, the health officer of the district. Says the Atlanta *Constitution*: "Dr. Charles M. Hammett, a prominent city physician and a sterling democrat, is backed for this office by a very strong influence." We hope he may get it.

### St. Inigo's Items.

[*From our Regular Correspondent.*]

Tomatoes and green pease are being shipped to Washington.

Gardens are exceedingly fine this year. The truck patches of A. L. Adams, J. Forrest Freeman and John B. Courtney cannot be excelled hereabout. These men certainly know how to "truck."

Harvest is nearly over, and it is said that an average crop will be made.

The worm is cutting tobacco badly in some places.

A goodly number of colored men who were disappointed in getting "paying jobs" on the railroad have been employed by the Fish Commission at $1.50 per day, not including board.

Warm days and cool nights prevail. The mercury vacilates between 58° and 90°. This is remarkable weather indeed.

### Take Notice.

All Justices of the Peace and Constables of St. Mary's county are requested to meet at Leonardtown on the 2nd Wednesday of July next. This is at the suggestion of His Honor, Judge Crane, of the Circuit Court, who thinks that a consultation and exchange of opinions among the officers connected with the Judicial department of the county, will not only be instructive to them, but will also redound to the benefit of the taxpayers and others throughout the county. It is earnestly requested that every officer in the county will attend.

### Thanks.

Our thanks are returned Mr. Thos. C. Weeks, State Labor Statistician for a copy of his valuable report. It is a book worth having and the information it contains is of interest to every bread-winner.

### Flashes.

Harvest is well under way.

Charles Drury has turned up all safe and sound.

The College lads and lassies are beginning to come home.

Canning small fruits is now the order in many households.

Miss Belle Armstrong, of Baltimore, is visiting at Mr. George Combs'.

We are indebted to Mr. H. H. Slifer for copies of the *Irving Literary Gazette*.

Last Tuesday night Dr. Wm. H. Stone lost 7 and Capt. Wise 2 sheep by dogs.

Mr. H. Ford, formerly of this county, has removed to Cambridge, Dorchester county.

The frame of Mr. Viett's new shop has been put up. Neal Milburn is doing the work.

By the death of Mr. Martin his section has lost a kind neighbor and our county a good citizen.

Parties desiring to purchase fine stock are invited to read the "ad." of R. Johnson Colton and Bro.

The Leonardtown Base-ball Nine will play a match game with the Charlotte Hall club on Monday, the 28th instant.

We hope that our people will not forget to celebrate the Fourth. A first district correspondent makes a good suggestion.

Mr. Claude Lloyd, agent for the Ober Fertilizers is on his trip through our county. Don't forget him for he sells honest goods.

Since June 1st—the date on which the marriage license fee was reduced to $1—six licences have issued from the county Clerk's office.

Our thanks are due the Leonardtown boys at Charlotte Hall for their kind remembrance of the BEACON. It is sincerely appreciated.

The Calvert County papers report that during a recent thunder storm the persimmon tree on which Charles Whitley was lynched was struck by lightning.

Don't forget to attend the commencement Exercises at Charlotte Hall on the 1st proximo, and St. Mary's Seminary on the 26th instant. The public are invited.

Wednesday last, Messrs. W. H. Gibson and James H. Hall, of Washington, paid our office a brief visit. They are both clever gentlemen and we were pleased to meet them.

The site of the proposed Confederate monument at Gettysburg has been selected. It is on Culp's Hill and will mark the highest point reached by Captain Murray's company.

The "Teets Company's" show is in town and will give performances this (Wednesday) evening. Our little friends say that the attractions consist of "three dogs and everything."

Friday last, Harriet, wife of Geo. Hebb, colored, of this district, presented her husband with two boys and one girl. The boys are doing well. The girl died almost as soon as born.

Between June 15th and February 1st is the lawful time for woodcock shooting. Because of the constant damp weather the birds will now be found in what are "unlikely places" in most seasons.

For the facts contained in "A Leaf from Leonardtown History" the writer is indebted to Dr. Jack. Spalding, Mr. B. R. Abell and other kind friends. It is a recollection of these gentlemen's boyhood days.

Mr. Norris, an old and esteemed citizen of Baltimore died at his residence in that city on Thursday last. The deceased was the father of Mrs. L. D. Freeman, of Medley's Neck, and was well known in this and Charles counties.

It is rumored that Hon. George Colton, who, we regret to hear for sometime past, has been in failing health, will this summer spend a few weeks in our county. This is a good place to visit and we hope that Mr. Colton and many others may come.

Owing, we suppose, to the strikes, the company could not build and the agents of the Champion Harvesting Machines were unable to fulfil their this year's contracts. To the hardworking agent, Mr. Jno. V. Camalier, this is quite a misfortune and his pecuniary loss will be considerable.

At the recent commencement of the Western Maryland College, Mr. Paul Combs, son of Hon. Robt. C. Combs, of our village, was the winner of the Benson Belles Lettres Gold medal and the writer of the first prize essay. His subject was the "Concentration of Consciousness." Paul received certificates of distinction in all of his classes.

A Scotland correspondent suggests that the Fourth be celebrated by the ladies and gentlemen of Leonardtown going on an excursion to St. Inigo's. Our correspondent wisely included ladies in his program. The chances are that if the men went by themselves they would paint the old First District red and take along with them the "paint" to do it with.

Read the new advertisements in this issue and deal with the advertisers. Messrs. Fenwick & Hammett, both good men and true, advertise farms for sale. Mr. Burroughs calls the public's attention to the merits of his hotel, &c., &c. We have stopped with Landlord B. and his "ad." does not do justice to the attractions of his house.

Delia Combs, colored, was last week severely cut across the forehead by Ernest Herbert. A cherry tree was the scene of the assault and "calling names" the cause. As told us, the story runneth thus: When the quarrel commenced, the girl was on the ground and Herbert and John Bland up the tree. A challenge to come down and fight it out was declined and Delia went up. She got hold of Bland and was getting the better of him when Herbert brought his "barlow" to the rescue with the above mentioned result.

### A Glorious Day for Education in St. Mary's County.

[*Reported for the Beacon.*]

The success which attended the closing exercises of St. Mary's Academy gives us every reason to congratulate ourselves on the advent of the Sisters among us and we regret that the exhibition was not held in the Society's Hall. The deportment of the children and their modesty and self-possession showed that skillful hands guided by hearts devoted to God's service had trained them. A notable feature was the musical part of the programme, which illustrated not only the aptness of the scholars, but special talent on the part of the Sisters, who have trained most of their pupils to this point after only a few months instruction. The original compositions by the young ladies were in themselves a sufficient proof of what young minds may be readily taught to comprehend under competent teachers. Besides these interesting essays, the conversations or colloquial *seances*, a new feature in school exhibitions, were *apropos* in the choice of subjects, and tended to bring out the natural dispositions of those engaged. This deserves high commendation for the Sisters as instructors of youth, as it is an essential requirement of a good teacher to understand the characters of the pupils. "Carry your friend in your pocket," by the boys, was well received, and tended to develop in them a spirit of self-reliance. *The* piece of the programme, was "Dettie's Dre[illegible] presented by the younger girls, which [illegible] true to nature and well supported thr[illegible] out, because each one [illegible] if everything depended on her efforts [illegible] sequence, "The Fairy Scene," was taste[illegible] enough for *any* evening entertainment. The list below shows that few premiums were given. On inquiry, we found that this is the invariable custom in the Academies of the Sisters of Nazareth, and "Honorable Mentions" among them are equivalent to premiums in other schools. One gold and two silver medals were awarded for Christian Doctrine, the gift we heard of Revd. Father Jenkins, to encourage special study in that all important branch. The Sisters are with us. Will they *remain?* A vital question! Yes! if properly supported. This, however, will require a steady increase of patronage, which alone can secure their permanent residence among us.

LIST OF AWARDS—SENIOR DEPARTMENT.

Christian Doctrine, 1st Division.—Gold Medal to be drawn for by May Greenwell, Mabel Duke and Susie Combs. Drawn by May Greenwell.

Premium for special attention to Music to Miss May Greenwell.

2nd Division, Silver Medals—Lillie Abell and Ruth Combs. Drawn by Lillie Abell.

General Excellence—Silver Medal awarded to May Greenwell.

Distinguished—Susie Combs, Mabel Duke, Lizzie Holmes, Gertie Railey, Lillie Abell, Ruth Combs, Pauline Hammett, Mollie Holmes.

Distinguished for one Session—Hattie Jarboe, Mary Russell.

Regular Attendance—Premiums awarded to Lizzie Holmes, Susie Combs.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENE—Christian Doctrine, 3rd Disvision—Silver Medal to be drawn for by Charlie Hayden, Marie Fenwick, Dettie Spalding, Lita Spalding, Stone Edelen, Violet Mattingly. Drawn by Lita Spalding.

General Excellence—Silver Medal awarded to Lita Spalding.

General Excellence.—Distinguished.—Stone Edelen, Marie Fenwick, Mary Loker, Violet Mattingly, Nettie Abell, Dettie Spalding, Charlie Hayden, Gertie Burch, Paul Hayden, Ida Abell.

Regular Attendance—Premium awarded to Stone Edelen.

[Correspondence of the Beacon.]

SCOTLAND, P. O., MD., June 21, 1886.

Messrs. Editors:—As the "Glorious Fourth" is coming apace, please allow a small space to make a suggestion or two relative to the manner in which the day aforesaid, or part thereof, could be enjoyed. Suppose the leading young men of your town charter a suitable boat and take as many ladies as desire to visit the Confederate Cemetery. They can land either at Cornfield Harbor or Point Lookout, and I am confident conveyances would be forthcoming to take the ladies (the boys can walk) to the Cemetery. The young folks and old ones too of the district would meet them there and the time doubtlessly could be passed in an exceedingly pleasant way. I suggest that an orator accompany the excursionists. Leonardtown can supply one as polished as Chesterfield and as eloquent as Cicero. There! I was just going to close, and another suggestion presents itself, viz: Bring the Leonardtown String Band, for "music hath charms to soothe" you know.

Hurriedly, &c.,

BUTLER.

[COMMUNICATED.

BALTIMORE, May 11, 1886.

In pursuance of an action taken by the Maryland State Temperance Alliance and the Maryland State Temperance League, whereby conferring committees were respectively appointed to consider the question of a union of the two organizations into a single society, the respective committees thus appointed met in joint convention on the above date and consummated the purposes of their appointment by adopting the basis of agreement set forth in the following preamble and resolutions:

WHEREAS, Two distinct temperance organizations, known as the Maryland State Temperance Alliance and the Maryland State Temperance League, having the same end in view, have been operating on different lines for the suppression of the liquor traffic; and whereas each organization with faith in the axiom, that "in unity there is strength," have appointed a committee of conference looking to the consolidation of the two bodies, the said committees now in conference assembled, after careful consideration agree upon and adopt the following:

*Resolved*, That the two organizations shall be and are hereby consolidated under the name of the Maryland State Temperance Alliance, with the understanding and agreement that the said united body shall be nonsectarian and non-partisan in its purposes and methods:

Committee on part of the League—H. O. Devries, J. K. Taylor, H. M. Murray, Edwin Blackburn, A. J. Gill.

Committee on part of the Alliance—Edwin Higgins, W. F. Speake, R. T. Smith B. H. Miller, Geo. C. Bacon.

[*For the Beacon.*]

## FELL TO HIS DEATH.

A LEAF OF LEONARDTOWN HISTORY.

MANY changes have taken place in Leonardtown since the 40's. Old houses have crumbled to decay and new ones been erected in their stead. Five or six, perhaps, of the men of those days are now living. Some of the then boys are now greyhaired men, and many of them 'in their graves after life's fitful fever sleep well.' A few, however, yet remain who remember the Leonardtown of that time and were eye-witnesses of the occurrence it is here attempted to describe.

Where Dr. John T. Spalding now resides there stood then a large unfinished frame house.* It was intended for a hotel and its building had been begun by Col. Wm. I. Blakistone, but discontinued for want of funds to push it to completion. The rooms were lathed but not plastered and, save by the boys who almost every day resorted thither to play, the place was unoccupied.

Mr. Edward Plater was then in his glory, owned numbers of slaves and rumor had it that he was a hard master. This as it may, harsh treatment was Perry's excuse for becoming a 'runaway.' The deserted building attracted the fugitive slave and he made one of its secon[illegible] his headquarters. He [illegible] thought he would kindly [illegible] station [illegible] nooks between the unpl[illegible] attic, for a short time, the dirty [illegible] his quarters unmolested. But ere long detection came. To live he must eat. Chickens and odd scraps around neighboring houses began to mysteriously disappear and vigilant housekeepers were on the alert. A love for strong drink, however, was the immediate cause of discovery.—Mr. John F. King's dwelling was then a hotel kept by Mr. John A. Clarke and the cellar was used as a wine vault. It was broken into one night. The burglar drank all the liquor he desired and then decamped leaving the faucet of one of the casks running. Next morning the landlord found that his cellar had been entered and that a barrel of his best whiskey had soaked into the floor. Exasperated by the loss, Mr. Clarke determined, if possible, to catch the thief. For some reason he suspected that "Perry" was the culprit and was hidden in the unoccupied building.

To verify his suspicions, at night, he made a cautious and careful search and led on by the light streaming through cracks not protected by blankets, discovered the runaway.

The next move was to go up town and secure an officer. This done, he soon returned accompanied by a large crowd. Their noisy entrance into the building gave the hunted man the alarm and as all avenues of escape below were closed, he passed through a "dormer window" to the roof. The pursuers soon found him but were afraid to follow and neither threats nor entreaties could prevail upon "Perry" to give himself up. Fearing that some of his hunters were going to shoot the runaway went to one of the chimneys and got down the flue. A fire was kindled below and he was smoked from his 'coign of vantage.' He then went close to the chimney and sat down resting against it. A suggestion that to get at him a hole be cut through the roof was being acted upon, when "Perry," presumably losing his presence of mind, caught hold of the rim of the chimney and swung himself off. He there hung, thinking, it is supposed, that when so desired he could again draw himself to the roof. The night was bitter cold, his hands were benumbed, an effort to regain the roof failed and it became evident that unless his pursuers could soon reach him, he must fall. Axes were being manfully plied, when with a shriek, the poor fellow loosed his hold and shot downward. He struck on a fence, thence fell to a pile of bricks and other *debris* breaking both legs just below the knees. He was carried back to his room but never to his owner.† Gangrene, superinduced by exposure and frostbite, set in and the runaway slave was soon in the presence of his master's Master.

*When torn down, the foundation bricks by the addition of front bricks were sufficient to build Mr. J. T. M. Raley's house.

†Mr. Plater was paid $300 for damages sustained by Perry's death.

### The Cup of Socrates.

The following synopsis of the speech of Mr. Paul Combs, of this village, on the occasion of the oratorical contest between the two Western Maryland College Literary Societies, is taken from the college newspaper:

Mr. Combs began with the contrast between genius and talent, and, after speaking at some length, he said: "Under talent [illegible] must. Genius is the great lever that lifts humanity to a higher level—the great architect that builds the stairway by which mankind may climb upward and onward to prosperity and advancement. Long ago genius discovered that the world had halted, that life was stagnant, that the seething caldron of humanity had ceased to bubble; she recognizes the necessity of action and looks far ahead into the undiscovered future to find new ways and principles, new fields of purer life and more advanced culture; and then says, succeed if I may, die if I must but let us go forward. * * *

Genius also shows itself in the moral sublime; in every act of great self-sacrifice and wonderful courage is it manifested. On the field of prowess and heroism may be seen a spirit akin to that of Socrates. When William of Normandy scuttled the ships that had brought him and his counts from France, leaving no alternatives but victory or death upon the British soil. When Arnold Von Winkiereid, with a shout 'make way for liberty,' broke through the Austrian ranks in the battle of Sanpach. When Israel Putman baffled the British dragoons at Reading by forcing his horse down a steep and almost impracticable precipice. When Napoleon, by a feat of unparalleled military skill and remarkable bravery, threw his mighty army over the supposed impassible Alps upon the plains of Lombardy. In all these things do we see a spirit akin to that which makes the "cup of Socrates" the symbol of progress—in all these things is manifest the workings of a mighty genius, which scorns to tread the beaten path of time." The speaker then gave a brief description of the world as it was before "genius had impressed its indelible stamps on every object of nature. From this state of the world in man's infancy there has ever been a gradual advance, (which advance has always met with opposition.) Ever has progress been opposed. From the time when Socrates drank his fatal cup until now and there ever will be this opposition. There are three stages to every advance; first, ridicule; second, investigation; third, adoption. Every new theory has to undergo these tests." The opposition to progress from envy and public opinion was then alluded to. "Envy endeavors to destroy every progressor. Public opinion then seeks to crush him with its iron grasp, it brands him as a theorist and threatens him with entire destruction. He is called upon to prove his theory, to stand forth and maintain it, to uphold it under each and every circumstance, to fight for it, aye even to die for it and write it upon the annals of the world in his own blood. Firm and steadfast in his resolve, conscious of the truth of his theory and its good to mankind he comes forth,

"Si fractus illabitur orbis
Impavidum ferient ruinae."

He dies to maintain his theory. The next two stages of the advance soon follows." * * * "Such is the history of every progress. Envy and opposition first threaten to annihilate. Then thought and research examine it. Finally judgment overcomes feeling, the world yields and mankind takes another step. So has it been with every branch of human thought and action; so with literature, so with science and so with morality. Very often the age in which a man lives is not capable of passing judgment upon the merit of his work. Count Rumford did not live to see his theory of energy demonstrated. Harvey was ostracized by the scientific men of his time. Rome assassinated the only general who was capable of establishing a universal empire. [illegible] put to death the [illegible] who could [illegible] Combs then [illegible] they [illegible] opposition to [illegible] between genius and talent has been as lasting as fierce." * * * "But fame lives in truth, though the discoverer may perish his doctrines live and he will be remembered in posterity as the benefactor of mankind. So it was ages ago, so it is now and so it ever will be. The battle against advance still rages, its fights are furious and bloody; but the banner of progress still goes forward. Though blind opposition may hawk at and tear it, though pride and hate may mar and soil it, it still waves in graceful folds over the battle field of life and as the morning breeze wafts out its furls, it discloses to the eyes of humanity the watchwords of progress "The Cup of Socrates."


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Sept. 3, 85—tf


## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Orphans' Court of St. Mary's County, Sct. May 11, 1886.

ORDERED by the Court, That Richard H. Garner, administrator of Dr. H. G. GARNER, late of St. Mary's county, Md., deceased, give the notice required by law to the deceased's creditors to exhibit their claims and that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Mary's BEACON.

Test: JAS. T. M. RALEY,
Register of Wills for St. Mary's county.

NOTICE.

In pursuance of the above order, I hereby give notice that I have obtained from the Orphan's Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Dr. R. G. Garner, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby notified to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers attached thereto to the subscriber, on or before the 13th day of Nov., 1886, they will otherwise by law be excluded from the benefits of the said estate. All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

RICHARD H. GARNER,
Administrator.

May 13, 1886—6w†


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March 25, '86—y.


FOR SHERIFF.

Leonardtown, April 5, '86.

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April 8, '86—tf.


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