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Oct. 18, 1883—yt

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LEONARDTOWN, MARYLAND, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1886.

NO. 340.

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Parties having Real or Personal Property for sale can obtain descriptive handbills neatly executed and at City Prices.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Charles E. Richards vs. George Whalen.

In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, sitting as a Court of Equity, No. 688 N. E.

Ordered, this 6th day of October, 1886, that the sale made and reported by Walter I. Dawkins, Trustee in this cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 2nd Monday of November, 1886, provided a copy of this order be published in the St. Mary's Beacon once a week for three successive weeks prior to the said 2nd Monday of November.

The report states the land sold for \$82. True copy—Test: J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. Oct. 7—3w.

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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 from Mechanicsville Leave Mechanicsville, going West, Mondays and Thursdays at 5:45 a. m.

Arriving at Brandywine at 6:50 a. m.

Evening Trains from Brandywine. Leave Brandywine, going East, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 6:30 p. m.

Arriving at Mechanicsville at 7:30 p. m.

J. B. RIDGWAY, Sup't, Brandywine, Md.

May 28, 85—4t

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OUR BAR is stocked with the choicest LIQUORS and the finest CIGARS.

We are prepared to substantiate everything we claim and we respectfully invite the public to give us a call and judge for themselves.

FENWICK & DRURY, May 28, 85—4t

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Gold alloy plugs, \$1.00 to \$1.50 Silver alloy " " " " 1.00 Pure gold " " " " 1.50 and upwards. Artificial teeth from \$6 to \$15, full upper or under sets. Teeth extracted, one or more, each 25 cents. I respectfully solicit your patronage. Office and residence, 156 Hanover St., Baltimore, Md. May 6, 86—t

HUNTERS AND TRAPPERS. SEND for price list of raw furs and skins, roes, birds and water fowls, skins and wild game to W. GOULDSPFEE, Boston, Mass.

NOTICE. ALL persons are hereby warned not to trespass in any manner upon my farm called PROSPECT HILL, near Leonardtown. The law will be enforced against any one disregarding this notice.

GEO. F. PABST, June 3, 86—4t

New Jersey has lately come into the possession of an historical document that may be of much value. It is an Egyptian papyrus, said to contain the chapters of the "Book of the Dead," and to be three thousand years old.

The Statue of "Liberty Enlightening the World," the masterpiece of Bartholdi, the famous French sculptor, and the gift of France to the United States Government was unveiled at the mouth of New York harbor on Thursday. The ceremonies were very impressive and were witnessed by over a million persons.

The returns of Tuesday's election in the county while they may indicate that if Democrats had turned out they would have carried the county, demonstrate that they did not turn out and did not carry it. The republican vote—taking the State Ticket as a basis—is 152 votes short of last year's and the democratic vote is 373 short. This would seem to show that republicans are more patriotic than democrats and that in their party there is less dissatisfaction than in ours. Unless this dissatisfaction in our ranks be allayed our opponents will again beat us, for in last Tuesday's maneuvering for position they have the advantage. Be taught by an experience, that, thanks to the other counties of the district, has cost nothing.

(Correspondence of the Beacon.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 1, 1886.

Messrs. Editors.—The Capitol is just now undergoing the annual house-cleaning process to which it is subjected during the few weeks preceding the opening of a session of Congress. Workmen are engaged throughout the building in painting and cleaning, carpets are being laid and desks placed in position. Nor is the scene of activity confined to the interior of the building. Work upon the marble terraces upon the west front of the building is being prosecuted by an army of workmen, and ground has been broken for the grand stair-case provided for by Congress at its last session.

The plans for the Mexican legation building have been returned approved from the City of Mexico, and the work of tearing down the houses which cover the site has been commenced. The building, when completed, will be three stories in height, and have a frontage of 42 feet. It will be constructed of stone and brick, and when finished it will be one of the finest buildings in the city. It will be located in the heart of the social centre of the city, and in the immediate neighborhood are the fine residences of ex-Secretary Chandler, Mr. John W. Thompson, Chief Justice Waite and Mr. John W. Foster, the former minister to Spain. The action of the Mexican Government in this erecting a legation building, will, it is thought, induce other foreign governments to secure building sites before the value of property advances further. The English and German Governments are at present the only foreign Governments that own their own residences in this city.

An illustration of the power of the press has been evinced by the recent change of the title of the President's country residence. The new title of "Red Top" originated with Col. Preston of the Washington staff of the New York Herald. During a recent discussion of the title "Pretty Prospect," which had been given to his new home by the President, the Herald man entered his protest against the title. He insisted that as the roof had been painted a blood red color that "Red Top" should be its name, and he laid a wager of a dinner that he would make it so. He wrote an article in his paper calling the place "Red Top," and the name was at once adopted by all of the papers and the public generally and he won his wager.

The National Museum has received some very valuable and interesting exhibits during the past few days from Africa and other foreign countries. Among them may be mentioned a ring of brass, weighing ten pounds, which was worn upon the ankle of an African princess as an ornament. Professor Hendley, the modeler of the museum, whose marvelous productions in plaster have given him the title of the "Wizard," is now engaged upon a life-sized figure of Geronimo, the Apache chief. The work, although copied from a photograph, will, when finished, be a life-like representation of the notorious Indian outlaw, and will form a very interesting addition to the collections of the museum.

The committee engaged in perfecting the arrangements for the grand national competitive drill, to be held in Washington, May next, report that upwards of \$40,000 has been subscribed toward defraying the expense, and the project is considered an assured success. Military companies from nearly every State in the Union have announced their attention of competing for the prizes. During the eight days of the meeting the various military organizations will camp in the park surrounding the Washington Monument, and the camp is to be called Camp George Washington.

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Vote of St. Mary's.—Official.

Table with 3 columns: Districts, Compton, D., Tuck, R. Rows include St. Inigo's, Valley Lee, Leonardtown, Chaptico, Mechanicsville, Patuxent, Milestown, Bay District, St. George's Island.

Tuck's majority, 172. J. J. Walsh, received 1 vote in the eighth district. J. P. Armstrong, Prohibition, received, 3 in the 1st, 4 in the 6th, 7 in the 7th and 5 in the 8th.

Courts average three tons of coal each, and scores of bad coughs and colds, but then every prudent citizen is provided with a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, which costs only 25 cents.

All our city fathers say: "Use Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain." Price 25 cents.

All of the Maryland Districts went democratic last Tuesday, except the Sixth. There, Baughman, one of the best men in State, was defeated by the present incumbent, Hon. Louis McComas, by a plurality of 295. In the 1st district, Gibson, dem., defeats Hodson, rep., by 1,193; in the 2nd district, Shaw, dem., beats Marine, 3,703; in the 3rd district, Rusak, dem., has a majority over all competitors of 8,311; in the 4th district, Raynor, dem., beats Findlay, nuggump, by 7,502. In our own district, Compton is elected over Tuck by 2,764. The vote of the district in detail is as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Congress 1886, Cong. '84, Counties, Compton, Tuck. Rows include St. Mary's, Charles, Calvert, Prince George's, Anne Arundel, Howard, Balto., Calvert, Balto. Co., 13th, 15th Ward, 16th Ward, 17th Ward, 18th Ward, 1st pr.

Totals, 13,615 10,851

Compton's plurality, 1886, 2,764.

Compton's plurality, 1884, 971.

Prohibition vote, 1886, 425.

The returns from other States so far as received, while showing unexpected changes in Virginia and some gains and losses on both sides North and South, indicate the substantial triumph of the democratic party in maintaining its ascendancy in the House of Representatives, which was the important, indeed vital, question involved.

Accident.

Last week, Mr. Joseph A. Dillow while amusing himself killing rats, made a mislick and instead of striking the rat struck himself on the shin, reopening an old sore and inflicting a painful wound. The fun and satisfaction of killing even fifty rats he considers but poor compensation for the pain and loss of time consequent upon his accident.

The Adjourned

session of our Circuit Court, for the purpose of re-hearing the case of the State vs. Leroy Conway, charged with the larceny of a watch, proved of little benefit to the prisoner, a judgment of guilty being again rendered and the same sentence imposed, minus the month spent in the county jail.

Piney Point Pavilion.

On the night of the 2nd instant, Piney Point Pavilion was almost totally destroyed by a fire supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. It originated in the ice-house and all the buildings with the exception of the main one were destroyed. The property belonged to Mrs. Mary Travvers and was insured for nearly its full value. The approximated loss is about \$5,000.

There Will Be

an entertainment and supper in Chaptico, at the residence of Mr. Fred Davis, Tuesday evening, November the 9th, proceeds of same to be applied for the benefit of Christ Church Sunday School. All the delicacies of the season will be had and the ladies hope to receive that liberal patronage which has always attended them on similar occasions. Doors open at 6:30 and closes at 12, M. Supper tickets, 25 cents.

Death of Lieut. Brown.

Lieutenant Wm. H. Brown, for many years known to our people as a retired officer of the navy, died in Philadelphia a few weeks ago. Lieut. Brown lived at a farm called "Retirement," near this village, and was known for his exact formality in all his bearings and transactions. He was born in St. Mary's county and has many relatives here. At the time of his death he was a beneficiary of the Marine Hospital, of Philadelphia, but lived outside of the Institution very comfortably. He was nearly 80 years of age. For many years before his death he was a devoted Catholic, and died with all the rites and consolations of that faith.

St. Inigo's Items.

[From our Regular Correspondent.] Few turnips will be made and latter Irish potatoes have not yielded well. They are knotty and lack flavor.

Farmers are in buoyant spirits now that excellent showers have visited our district. Corn shuckings occasionally take place and the refrain of familiar songs can be heard during the wee small hours of night.

Although the weather was unfavorable, a goodly number of persons attended divine service at St. Michael's, 31st instant. Rev. Fr. Gaffney officiated. His sermon was up to the standard, and his persuasive endeavors to deter men from courses dishonorable to God and fatal to themselves should be appreciated alike by all who come under the sound of his gentle voice.

Townsmen of Smith's Creek are having their oysters—those that command \$1 per bushel—hailed to St. Jerome's creek where a ready sale is secured. Capt. Wm. West and W. A. W. Clarke, Esq., are the buyers.

These gentlemen are an auxiliary in the true sense of the word to the class aforesaid; for, with few exceptions, they have large and dependent families, and occasionally they are compelled to avail themselves of this dernier resort.

There was a small turn-out last Tuesday and a very quiet election.

The second and ninth districts are entitled to the flag.

Thus for the largest number of "birds" bagged in one day has been 22. Mr. Willie Combs was the gunner.

Mrs. Utah Goodwin and Mrs. Dr. Ek Spaulding, of the 6th district, are reported to be very sick.

In the third and sixth districts the vote was very small, but those who came out worked well and made a good democratic showing.

The late rain enabled many of our farmers to put in their wheat crop, but was not an unmitigated blessing, for it also caused very many delinquents to stay away from the polls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Edelen and family are visiting relatives in our village. They are deservedly popular here and their many friends are much pleased to see them.

Much of the personal property of the late John B. Abell sold very low. His old driving horse "Dexter"—a familiar figure to nearly every one in our county—brought only \$10.

The annual meeting of the association of the public school commissioners will be held in the State Normal School on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 23rd and 24th instant.

On the 31st ultimo, Margaret, a 14 year old daughter of Henry and Bettie Carberry, colored, of this district, died of typhoid fever, and two other of their children are very sick with the same disease.

The Leonardtown Rifles are arranging for a Grand Military Ball in the near future. Invitations are to be extended to the other Southern Maryland Companies. The Committee of arrangements is: Lieut. Raley and Corporal Abell and Duke.

MARRIED.

On the 13th ulto., at St. Peter's church, Baltimore, by the Rev. Father Dunn, P. M. O'CONNOR, of New York, to Miss OTTIE LUCILE RALEY, of St. Inigo's district.

DIED.

At Moore's Mills, Dutchess county, New York, on the 13th of September, ult., Mrs. ANN M. CONGDON, aged 87 years, sister of Jonathan Moore, of this county.

At Rives, Tennessee, on the 7th of September, ult., STEPHEN MOORE, M. D., in the 85th year of his age.

Being gifted with superior natural and acquired abilities, combined with a genial, affectionate disposition, he filled many offices of trust and honor, and has occupied a larger field in the medical profession. The spirit of the "good Samaritan" was eminently his, as the poor and afflicted ever found in him a sympathizing friend, when destitute of means to compensate, his services were not withheld.

From early life he was conscientiously opposed to the system of slavery, and although for many years a witness to its oppression, he never yielded his conviction of duty, even when the idea of emancipation was odious to those with whom he associated. He continued loyal through persecution, loss of property and personal suffering. In a letter to his relatives, during the rebellion, he said: Through all the trials which have been permitted to come upon me during my southern life, I have never compromised principle, honor or the rights and liberty of my country. And now while the flag of our Union is triumphantly floating over our residence I attribute the preservation of my life to the care of a kind Providence who has watched over and protected me from the hands of designing men.

For the past two years, in consequence of failing health, he had retired from active engagement, but his mind remained clear and the serenity with which he met the solemn change indicated a firm reliance on the goodness and mercy of God, and as he neared the eternal shore remarked to his family, that he had no fear of death, was only waiting the Lord's time.—Eagle.

Suddenly, on Oct. 30, in the city of Philadelphia, ALICE B. SANNER, beloved wife of David Sanner, and daughter of the late Benjamin McKay.

At the residence of her husband, in St. Inigo's district, GRACE K., consort of T. Edward Loker, aged 37 years.

At the residence of her parents, October 21st, ELIZABETH BLANCHIE, beloved daughter of George W. and Mollie Welch, in the third year of her age.

"This lovely bud so young, so fair, Called hence by early doom, Just came to show how sweet a flower In Paradise would bloom." E. A. C.

New Advertisements.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby warned not to trespass on the premises of the undersigned called "Luckland" and "Barber's Inclosure" either with or without dog or gun. The law will be enforced against all who disregard this notice. J. WALTER CARPENTER.

CAUTION! All persons are hereby cautioned not to trespass with dog or gun, or in any manner whatever, on the HOWARD WHARF PROPERTY. Those so doing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. IDA HOWARD.

Nov. 4—3t.

On Oct. 31, 1886, AMY V., wife of J. Oscar Jones, aged 30 years. On October 30, 1886, in Washington, after a long and painful illness, Mrs. ANNIE E. WIMSTATT.

TRESPASS NOTICE. All persons are hereby cautioned not to trespass with dog, or otherwise, on the farm belonging to Mrs. L. A. Wilmer, situated in Medley's Neck.

L. D. FREEMAN, Nov. 4.

FOR SHERIFF.

Messrs. Editors.—You will please announce Mr. JOHN S. JONES, of the 8th district, as a candidate for the next Sheriff, subject to the Republican Convention, and say that he will be supported entirely by his party and by democrats also. DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS. Oct. 7—4e.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

Messrs. Editors.—You will please announce Mr. RICHARD T. HAMMETT for the Legislature, and say that he will be supported by the people, irrespective of party issues. 1st, 2nd and 8th Districts. Oct. 28.

MISS E. S. MILBURN, 719 NORTH EUTAW STREET, [Old No. 197.] BALTIMORE, MD.

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Board and Tuition in the Higher Branches, viz: History, Philosophy, Rhetoric, Chemistry, Botany, Algebra, Composition, etc., \$35.00

Washing, \$6.00 For use of books for and Stationery 5.00

DAY PUPILS: Senior Class, \$15.00 Intermediate Class, 10.00 Junior Class, 7.00 Primary Department, 5.00

Books for day pupils at stationer's prices. All payments to be made invariably in advance. Charges made from date of entrance.

No deductions will be made unless in cases of protracted sickness or dismissal. From 7 to 12 year old boys will be taught on same terms.

For further information apply to MOTHER SUPERIORESS, Leonardtown, Md.

Sept. 3, 85—4t

J. S. MacDonald,

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