

# Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY Morning, Dec. 1st, 1887.

**NEWS NOTES.**—The congress of the French Senate will meet to-morrow (Friday) to choose M. Grevy's successor. Great excitement was caused in Frederick city on Monday night last by the report that a body of negroes were marching on the jail. Nearly all the democratic Congressmen have returned to Washington full of hope and predictions for democratic success in the national contest. Atlanta, Ga., went "wet" by a large majority at the election held there last week. Public confidence in the Baltimore and Drum Point railroad has been very much strengthened. The trial of Thomas C. Wingate for the murder of John Coombs, colored, commenced in the Charles county Circuit Court on Monday last. The prisoner was a member of Dement's Confederate artillery during the war. The steamer Gov. Thomas, Captain Loker, has been engaged for several nights past in guarding the oyster beds near Annapolis.

The N. Y. Star speaking about the forthcoming message of President Cleveland to Congress, says it will indicate with precision the general features of the new revenue bill, the leading details of which have already been agreed upon in conference by the principal Democratic executive officials and Representatives in Congress. There is little doubt that the Democratic House of Representatives will substantially approve this party measure. If it should fail to do so, which we do not at all anticipate, the responsibility will rest not upon the party, but on those who may take the risk of succeeding from it. Under existing financial and political conditions we hope for loyal acquiescence of all in the determination that will be reached by a large majority of the Democratic Congressmen.

**HELP THE MILITIA.**—The Baltimore Herald has the following to say about the State Militia:

There ought to be no hesitation on the part of the citizens of Baltimore and the people of Maryland in recognizing the paramount necessity of giving the militia force of the State the same amount of arms and accoutrements as the regular army. The experiences in connection with the Hagerstown encampment and the trip to the Philadelphia Centenary celebration were not of a satisfactory character so far as assistance from the Legislature was concerned, and had not the enterprise and public spirit of private citizens supplemented the appropriation made Maryland would have made a poor showing indeed.

The utility of a well-organized and disciplined militia is never apparent till some wholly unexpected crisis calls the men into action. It is to the credit of the Maryland regiments that, whether in actual battle or in conflict with mobs, they have never disgraced their colors, but, on the contrary, have always upheld the dignity of their state. The present militia organizations of Baltimore City lack nothing but adequate financial aid from the Legislature to enable them to compete with the regiments of any state in the Union. But whereas other states, notably New York and Illinois, make the most liberal grants to their militia, the appropriations made by past Legislatures in Maryland have been barely sufficient to put the regiments in a condition of efficiency, and quite inadequate to the necessities created by encampments or service in other states.

It behooves the Legislature to see that such an appropriation is made as will enable members of militia organizations to attend camp, &c., without losing heavily in the way of wages and *per diem* expenses. And, it may be added, there ought to be enough public spirit among employers to assure the retention of the young men in situations when their duty temporarily calls them away.

(Correspondence of the Beacon.)  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 28, 1887.

Messrs. Editors:—The Mount Vernon Association has wonderfully improved the old Washington homestead during the past few months, and it is now announced that it has been decided to establish a daily line of coaches for the accommodation of the thousands of visitors to the National Capital, who would deem the object of their visit incomplete were they to omit from their plans a pilgrimage to the tomb of the Father of their Country. The coaches, which are now being constructed for this use, will be none of your "one-horse" affairs, nor will they in any manner resemble the stereotyped form of road conveyances commonly used for conveying pas-

sengers, but will be genuine four-in-hand tally-ho coaches, with seats so arranged as to afford the tourist a commanding view of the surrounding country. Probably no more beautiful or truly interesting coach route could be found than that which will be followed by the Mount Vernon coaches. Leaving Willard's Hotel in the early morning, crossing the Potomac by the celebrated Long Bridge, passing within sight of Arlington Heights, the old homestead of General Lee, now surrounded by the thousands of white stones which mark the resting places of the Nation's dead; thence skirting along the Virginia shore of the Potomac, over ground every inch of which is rendered interesting by historic associations, commanding views of Fort Washington, Fort Footh and the forest crowned hills upon the Maryland shore, the driver's horn awakening echoes in the quiet and grass-grown streets of the historic old city of Alexandria; thence out by the old turnpike once frequented by Washington in his daily drives. Truly, the enterprise is one that cannot fail to meet with popular approval, and its success is assured in advance.

Thanksgiving was very quietly observed in Washington. The rain which fell during the early part of the day prevented the consummation of many plans that had been arranged, and had the effect of keeping everyone in-doors who were not called out to attend to some business engagement which could not be neglected. It had been proposed to have a grand review of the National Guard of the District of Columbia, but the display was omitted on account of the rain, and the streets in consequence wore a dull and uninviting appearance hardly in keeping with the occasion.

The President and Mrs. Cleveland attended service at the Ninth Street Presbyterian Church in the morning, and in the afternoon they drove out to Oak View, where a sumptuous dinner was enjoyed by a party of invited friends. Secretary Whitney, who is fast recovering from his recent indisposition, as usual manifested his generosity by distributing 700 turkeys among the clerks and employees of his department.

Probably, however, there was not in the whole city a more hearty thanksgiving, or a greater amount of good feeling expressed in acts of kindness, than at the Central Union Mission rooms, on Pennsylvania avenue, where 1,500 of the needy poor were supplied with an excellent dinner.

It has been announced that the Commissioner of the General Land Office to Judge John F. Phillips, of Kansas City, Mo., and there is a great amount of conjecture as to whether he will accept the office. Very few members of Congress have arrived during the week. Now that Thanksgiving day has passed and but a few days remain before the opening of the session, they will come in rapidly. There is nothing new in the situation with reference to the coming contest over the organization of the House. Most of the candidates are here, but the tardiness of the newly elected members in arriving leaves everything still uncertain.

**DIED.**  
On the 2nd of November, F. ALONZO GUY, in the 29th year of his age. Merciful God! Is it so, or is it some fearful dream from which I am just awakening? Is my husband gone, never to return? Am I called to face this cruel world alone, unprotected by his strong arm and tender care? Alas! the vacant chair, the desolate hearthstone reminds me but too forcibly that it is so. I look and wait and watch in vain. God has called him to Himself never to return, and to me there is but one consolation. I know that his kindness, his goodness and his tender care of those committed to his charge can never pass unrewarded, and therein lies my only comfort—to know that all through his long and terrible suffering not one murmur escaped his lips, but through all, and with the last breath he drew, did he invoke God's mercy, and, since our Blessed Father is so merciful, I feel that my dear husband is at rest.

When last I gazed upon his quiet face, before they laid him in his resting place, it seemed that death had on his countenance placed a smile. Though down my cheeks the tears would course the while.

The snow-white flowers that were laid upon his bier, proclaimed to me his soul just quite so fair. And while I'm left to finish my career, 'Twill be my aim to meet him in the future near.

BY HIS WIFE.

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**ROOM FOR RENT.**  
The office recently occupied by Messrs. Graves & Graves is for rent. Apply to F. OSCAR MORGAN, 121 S. Leonardtown, Md.

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Dec 1—y

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L. D. FREEMAN.  
Dec 1

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The above is copied from the Baltimore Herald. If more of our citizens would exert themselves by calling the attention of capital to this country we believe that Mr. Wise's assertions will prove true. Dec 1

## RATIFICATION NOTICE.

John T. and Joseph V. Richardson, Executors of Joseph Richardson, vs. Mary E. Clarke.

In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, sitting as a Court of Equity.

Ordered this 29th day of November, 1887, that the Auditor's Report, in the above case, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 4th Monday of December, 1887, 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 4th Monday of December, 1887.  
J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.  
True copy—Test:  
J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.  
Dec 1—3w

## CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby forewarned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise upon my farm in the 3rd district. Against all parties violating this notice the law will be rigidly enforced.  
J. BEN GOLDSBORO.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Orphans' Court of St. Mary's County St. September 6, 1887.  
ORDERED, by the Court, That Daniel C. Hammett, administrator of George W. Cheseldine, 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.  
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 Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of said 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 15th day of March, 1888, they will otherwise be excluded from the benefits of the said estate. All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.  
DANIEL C. HAMMETT, Administrator.  
Sept. 15, 1887—6w

## 1887. FALL ARRANGEMENT.

**Weems' Line Steamers**

**PATUXENT RIVER ROUTE.**  
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**STEAMER THEODORE WEEMS**

Will leave Pier 8, Light Street, every Saturday and Wednesday at 6:30 A. M., for Fair Haven, Plum Point, Governor's Run and Patuxent River, as far up as Benedict. Returning, will leave Benedict every Monday and Thursday at 5:30 A. M., Soterley at 8 A. M., Millstone Landing at 10 A. M., Governor's Run at 12 M., Plum Point at 1 P. M., and Fair Haven at 2:30 P. M., for Baltimore.  
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Will leave Pier 9, Light Street, every Sunday at 9 P. M., for Patuxent River, as far up as Bristol. Returning, will leave Bristol at 12 M., on Monday, and Millstone wharves below, leaving the whole system from Wharves on the river for passengers and perishable freight.

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April 1, 1880—f

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

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**GEORGE BLAKISTONE,**

Attorney-at-Law,

145 Lexington St., Baltimore, Md.

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**D. S. BRISCOE,**

Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law,

41 St. Paul's Street, Baltimore, Md. Jan. 16, 1873—f

**R. C. COMBS,**

Attorney-at-Law,

Leonardtown, Md.

Aug. 12—f

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Nov. 11, 86—f

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