

Saint Mary's Beacon.

Local Notings.

Marriage Licenses. Since October 30th, instant, the following Licenses to Marry have been issued: WHITE: Joseph F. Pilkerton and Laura V. Wheeler. John Brooks Reany and Sallie Dungan. COLORED: Isaac Armstrong and Julia Harris.

The Clubs. We think that great credit is due to Mr. Luke F. Matthews and the other officers of the Democratic Clubs throughout the county for the good showing made by the St. Mary's Democracy at the recent election. In 1887 the republican majority for Governor was 250. In 1888, their majority for President, was 230, and for Congress, 186. No other portion of the State did as well.

Mr. Mudd Will Contest. An Annapolis dispatch to the Morning Herald, of the 13th instant, says: "Mr. Adrian Posey, member of the Legislature and of the Charles county bar, was here today in the interest of Mr. Sidney E. Mudd, claiming that he was elected by six votes. The returns show Mr. Compton elected by 14 votes. Mr. Posey proposes to ask for a mandamus to compel the Governor to give the certificate of election to Mr. Mudd."

Bishop's Visitation. Bishop Part will make his annual visitations in this county as follows: St. Andrew's Church, Thanksgiving Day, the 29th instant. Poplar Hill Church, Friday, the 30th instant. Service to commence at 10:30 o'clock, a. m. Also, at St. Peter's, Leonardtown, on November 29th instant, at 3:30 o'clock, p. m.

Appointed Collector. Monday, President Cleveland authorized the appointment of Gen. Andrew G. Chapman to be collector of internal revenue for the district of Maryland in place of the late Joseph K. Roberts. Since the death of Mr. Roberts, Mr. Chapman has been acting collector. The appointment was decided upon last Saturday, when Senator Gorman and Representative Compton called at the Treasury Department and formally recommended the appointment of Mr. Chapman.

Potatoes. Mr. Parker, a tenant on the estate of Mr. John Quirk, in the Bay district, has sent a lot of Irish potatoes that throw into the shade anything we have ever seen in that line. Mr. Parker's crop will be between 800 and 1,000 bushels, and Mr. Wm. Frank Ford, who has seen the part of it which has been dug, says that at least 150 bushels of them are as fine as the ones sent us. At Mr. Bohannan's store Mr. Parker has an exhibition a potato which weighs 63 pounds. Of the kind sent ye Editors weigh 63 pounds. Who can beat this?

Affray at Millstone. Saturday night last, at Mr. Bowling's store, Millstone, James T. Blair was hit on the head by — Swann, with the bar of the door and seriously and perhaps fatally injured. Mr. Lewis Davis was also hit on the head with a beer bottle and a painful wound inflicted. There had been a quarrel near the Store in the evening and the affray, we were told, originated in a dispute about it. Pistols were drawn and used but fortunately no one was shot. We have been unable to secure full particulars of the affray, and do not know how many, or who were the other parties engaged in it. It was reported here Tuesday that Mr. Blair was in a very precarious condition and that the chances were against his recovery.

Orphan's Court. Tuesday, Nov. 13, 1888. The Court met with the following present: Mary C. F. McKay and Joseph E. McKay appointed administrators of Susan I. Bradley. Dr. James Miles and J. M. Bisco appointed appraisers. Last will and testament of Thomas M. Swartz filed and admitted to probate. B. H. Camalier and E. B. Abell, administrators of the estate of John Fenwick, filed and admitted to probate. Inventory of personal estate of Washington Bishop filed and order for either public or private sale on usual terms granted to Mrs. L. Misa Bishop, administratrix. Inventory of personal estate of Susanna Newton filed and order for sale on usual terms granted.

Surprises. Says the Baltimore Sunday Herald: — In the Fifth Congressional district there were two surprises. One was a surprise to the Republicans that Mudd received less than 600 majority in St. Mary's county. The other was a surprise to the Democrats that Compton received less than 600 majority in the Seventeenth ward. The failure of the Seventeenth ward to fall on its usual Democratic majority was due to the rivalry existing between the friends of Second Branch Councilman Francis J. Hayden and the friends of First Branch Councilman-elect John A. McFarley. Bad blood seems to be increasing among the elements, and unless wise counsels prevail there is no telling where it will lead to. Warden Weyler is sadly needed to harmonize the discord. He seems to be the only man who can do it. As long as the Seventeenth ward keeps up a big Democratic majority there is some chance of the Republicans being defeated in the Third Legislative district.

We advertise the New York Star. It is a paper for Democrats to tie to. It is all wool and double width with no moth holes in the selvage. Subscribe to it. You can certainly find just what you want in Boots and Shoes at F. O. Morgan's. He has the largest stock of Merchandise ever seen in Leonardtown.

The Evening News, of Tuesday, says that the official returns, on file at Annapolis, show a majority of 31 for Compton.

To the St. Mary's County Democratic Clubs.

Although the result of the late election is well calculated to cast a gloom upon the friends of liberal and economical government, there is no reason for giving up the fight. It is not encouraging, it is true, to see our party, when after continued struggles it was apparently about to reap the reward of its labors, relegated to the bottom of the ladder, there to re-begin the fight. But, at the same time, what it has accomplished in the past, should be our encouragement for the future. We have seen it lower by far in the political scale than now, and have seen it rise, as if by supernatural agency to the very top, and the principles which kept it alive through all its years of trial are the same to-day as they were previous to the 6th of November.

The Constitutional provision which declares that "all powers, not specially delegated to the Federal Government, remain with the States and the people; the doctrine that the duties of the Government are political and not paternal; that it is the duty of the people to support the Government, and not that of the Government to support the people; that unnecessary taxation is unjust, and that a public office is a public trust; are as worthy our support now and in the future as ever they were in the past, and it is something to be remembered with pride by the democrats of St. Mary's that the result of the late election has shown that they can, at the call of patriotism, lay aside personal feeling and do their duty without hesitation to their party and their country.

There is a possibility that now that the Republican party have all in their own hands and are consequently free from jealousy of the credit the Democratic party would have derived from the passage of a bill reducing the tariff, they may come to the relief of the people on that score. I hope this may be so, but, for my own part I place little faith in it, and am of the opinion that they will adhere strictly to the policy laid down by the Chicago platform, and that their utter failure to give any relief to the country will cause a revolution of feeling against them so strong that the result of the next Presidential contest will be to again seat a Democrat in the Presidential chair.

The abuse of power was one of the principal reasons of the fall of the Republican party before and there is every reason to believe that they will repeat their former course. Let the Democrats hold together, keep their principals prominently before the eyes of the people and be ready for every opportunity which presents itself to strike a blow at protective tariff and for the preservation of our popular institutions for remember that the continuation of the former is a constant menace to the existence of the latter, for it aids in building up a class of men which is dangerous to the freedom of any people. It is a fact universally admitted that the more equal the distribution of wealth in a community the greater its prosperity, and if this is the case certainly the continuation of a system which makes possible the accumulation of immense fortunes in the hands of a few and thus reduce the majority to a state of dependence must be an unqualified evil; it not only gives them the power to control the price of the necessities of life, but we have just seen how easy it is for them to carry an important election by flooding two naturally democratic States with immense sums of money wrong from the people by taking advantage of the operation of this unjust and oppressive species of taxation.

Hoping and believing therefore that all will be ready when the time arrives, to enter another contest for the success of democratic principles, I can see no reason why we should not look forward with hope for its future as we were accustomed to do in the past.

Respectfully, LUKE F. MATTHEWS, President St. Mary's County Democratic Club.

LOCALWISE AND OTHERWISE.

The election is over, the smoke of the battle has cleared away and the country is, we trust, safe.

Mr. Walter I. Dawkins, of Baltimore, has removed his law office from St. Paul St. to 25 Lexington. Call and see him. We invite the attention of our readers to the new advertisements in our present paper. Dr. Fraser's card; Mr. Harle's notice, legal notice, &c.

Saturday last, Hon. Robert C. Combs, Trustee, sold "Hanover" and "Fenwick's Mill," located near this village for \$29,295. Mr. W. F. Greenwell was the purchaser.

The administration changes and the post-offices change with it. For this office there are already, we hear, many who are said to be applicants, among them being Mr. Harry E. Graves and Mrs. Phil D. Love.

Robert Hanson, colored, was, Monday last, tried before Justice Jos. F. Morgan, charged with stealing a coat from the store of Mr. Wm. A. Lokker. Hanson was found guilty and sentenced to the House of Correction.

The Orphans' and Commissioners' courts were in session Tuesday and quite a crowd was in town. We are informed that the prospective Federal appointments were discussed but "who is to be who" is more than we are able to say.

Heretofore Chaptico District has been taking the lead in prices for ground leaves, but it will have to look its laurels or it will be left. A Baltimore friend writes us that "Edelen Bros. sold for account of Messrs. Stephen and D. S. Bowles three hogheads of leaves at 7, 8 and 8 cents, and the hogheads were not light either."

Last Saturday night the republicans "jollified" and marched through the village streets bearing a transparency upon which was inscribed "Harrison, Morton, Mudd," "Victory." Messrs. Holmes, Abell, Hammatt, Goldsborough and others were serenaded. The three first named, and we are informed, made speeches in response.

St. Intigo's Hints.

A gentleman of Tick Neck has a petrifical terrapin which was scraped from the bottom of the Potomac River, near Cornfield Harbor. It is a great curiosity, and we believe he intends sending it to the Smithsonian Institute.

Wheat is growing rapidly and presents a beautifully green appearance. We trust that you may not consider it a yarn when we say that our roads continue in fair condition. Supervisors have done their work well, and we take this occasion to encourage them by expressing our heartfelt thanks for their prompt action and efficient work.

Now that the foliage has commenced to disappear, squirrel hunters will have a chance to "bag" a number of those nimble and coveted animals.

Ah, the falling leaves forcibly reminds us that the days of "the scare and yellow leaf" are again upon us. Sad, sad days indeed! Employees are beginning to leave the dredge boats, as the Captains treat them in an inhuman manner. These poor men, principally white, are worked day and night and the fare is of the poorest quality, and not enough to satisfy the appetite of a non-laborer much less men at crank eighteen (18) hours out of the (24).

A few corn-shucking feasts have occurred. Popular songs, anecdotes, etc., appeared to be indulged in until the roosters of the neighborhood warned the shuckers that midnight was passed, when the jug was handed around with orders to "drink hearty" &c. We presume this is a cheap and easy way to get one's corn in a condition to be housed, and we are not surprised that cheap whiskey (?) is plentifully supplied on such occasions.

Wings and Stings.

This is the airy, stinging title of another sprightly amusing book by Palmer Cox. It is one of the Quaker People series and similar to its companion "Faws and Claws," of which we told you recently. This is one of the funniest and brightest books for youngsters we have ever seen. The illustrations are splendid and will make the boys and girls roar with laughter. The Boston Budget, says: "as a holiday book nothing could be more appropriate, since nothing could confer greater pleasure upon the little ones." The National Republican says: "Every page is a picture and all the text music, a fountain of fun never ceasing. It will make young eyes blue." It will certainly be wonderfully popular. It is published by Messrs. Hubbard Bros., of Philadelphia, Chicago, and Kansas City, to whom persons desiring a copy or an agency should apply.

Say, boss, people said when that man at the Brown Store first came to town he would be busted before four months were ended because he sold goods so frightfully cheap. Now, look. Lord bless you, man, he has now five large rooms chock full of all kind of goods, and is selling them lower than ever. What a "dare devil" he is; but he is the man for all of us who have to work hard for our living.

MORAL.—Criticism answers for itself. You are right, man, when you say I am the man for all honest laboring men. In these times of panic and hard times it is necessary that every honorable man should deal with a man who does not conduct a business that forces him to make you pay the deficiencies of those who run off with his goods. These losses must be made up, and it is you who pay your bills make up these losses. My business is conducted upon the closest margin for "spot cash."

In Brief, And To The Point.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature. The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order. Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cookery, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics. But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy. Remember — No happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

1888. Notice, 1888.

POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE. On and after March 6th, 1887.

STEAMER SUE Capt. W. C. GEOGHEGAN, will leave Pier 10, Light Street Wharf, every TUESDAY and Friday at 5 P. M., for the following landings on Potomac River: Cornfield Harbor, Munday's Point, Jones' Wharf, Abell's Wharf, Brown's Wharf, Howan's Wharf, Bacon's Wharf, Leonardtown, Cowart's Wharf, Foxwell's Wharf, Coan Wharf, Stone's Wharf, Kinsale Wharf, Coburn Wharf, Lodge Wharf, Naval Ferry, Leave LEONARDTOWN for BALTIMORE on Thursday at 7 A. M.

ON FRIDAYS FOR Cornfield Harbor, Foxwell's Wharf, Jones' Wharf, Coburn Wharf, Brown's Wharf, Howan's Wharf, Bacon's Wharf, Leonardtown Wharf, Coan Wharf, Stone's Wharf, Lancaster's Wharf, Chaptico Wharf, Kinsale Wharf, Liverpool Point, Lodge Wharf, Smith's Point, Piney Point, Abell's Wharf, Glynpoint.

ALEXANDRIA & WASHINGTON, D. C. Leave WASHINGTON for BALTIMORE on Sunday, at 4 P. M. Freight received only on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS. No Freight received after 4.30 P. M. No Bills of Lading will be signed except those of the Company. R. FOSTER, General Manager. A. NEEDHAM, Jr., Agent. Feb 23—t.

F. O. Morgan, has just returned from Baltimore, with lots of new goods of all kinds, which he is selling very cheap for CASH.

Bull's Baby Syrup

Facilitates Teething, Cures Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all the ailments of Infants. Sold at drug stores. Beware of cheap imitations.



For the cure of Croup, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all the ailments of Infants. Sold at drug stores. Beware of cheap imitations.

FALL ARRANGEMENT.

Weems' Line Steamers

PATUXENT RIVER ROUTE. On and after Saturday, September 15th, STEAMER THEODORE WEEMS

Will leave Pier, 8 Light St., for Fair Haven, Plum Point, Governor's Run, and the Patuxent River as far up as Benedict at 6:30 a. m., every Saturday and Wednesday. Returning, will leave Benedict every Monday and Thursday at 8:30 A. M.; Saturday 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.

Freight received at Pier 8, Tuesday and Friday, until 6 P. M.

Steamer Westmoreland

Will leave Pier 9, Light Street, every Sunday at 9 P. M. for Patuxent River direct, as far up as Bristol. Returning, will leave Bristol at 12 M. on Monday, and Millstone at 8 P. M., for Baltimore, calling at no wharves below Leitch's, except when signaled from wharves on the river for passengers and perishable freight.

Freight received at Pier 9, Light Street Saturdays until 6 P. M.

HENRY WILLIAMS, Agent, 488 Light Street.

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FALL OPENING! HAVING now ready a handsome line of all the latest styles in fine and medium dress goods, such as

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MILLINERY in mourning and colors, Cloaks, Muffs, Fur Trimming, Toboggan & Wollen Wear of all descriptions.

Kid Gloves a specialty. Notions of all classes.

Thanking my friends and patrons for past favors, I desire them to call and examine my stock at an early day.

Laura A. Jones, LEONARDTOWN. Oct 25—t.

H. G. DUDLEY. J. W. CARPENTER. DUDLEY & CARPENTER, GENERAL Commission Merchants.

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Particular attention given to the careful sampling of Tobacco.

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That's what Showman Barnum says of that class of people who are always expecting to buy two dollars worth of goods with one dollar of cash. He's right—you know he is. You've no confidence in any statement to the contrary. One dollar never bought two in any legitimate every-day transaction.

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You come into the city—say for a day—to transact the month's or week's business. Time is precious. You want some place where merchandise is as honest and worth buying is for sale. You want one hundred cents worth of value for just one dollar—no more, no less. You want to buy where the prices are made to stand the test of close-knowing city buyers—where the figures, or prices, are plainly marked so a child can buy as well as a man, and where the price is not changed to oblige anyone.

Here's is Where You'll Find These Things.

You have the opportunity to select from a stock that is as large as all the others hereabouts combined. You get the best that money can buy at just the smallest selling profit above actual cost. You'll be told the plain, absolute TRUTH, no matter what it may be. We call a spade a spade and don't mince matters.

You can undoubtedly get a pair of pants for \$1, and maybe a whole suit for \$5—BUT NOT FROM US. We'd be ashamed to show you such truck.

We have the kind of clothes worth buying and wearing. Our name is on everything we sell you and it stands as a guarantee between you and us. You are the consumers—as are the producers—and we won't knowingly have it on anything we'd be ashamed of. We claim to sell the good and the best at the lowest possible prices. Investigate and see if this is not so.

Order Your Goods by Mail.

Having confidence in us, if you can't get the opportunity to come in person, send us your order and we'll attend to it at once. We are sure we can please you; but anything that is not satisfactory will be made so. EVERYTHING FOR THE MALE MEMBERS OF YOUR FAMILIES, FROM THEIR HEADS TO THEIR FEET, AND FOOT-WEAR FOR ALL.

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Terms cash. All work guaranteed, and done cheaper than any other place. Thankful for past favors I beg a continuation of same.

J. J. POPE, LEONARDTOWN, MD. Sept 25—t.

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Newest Styles in Hats, Bonnets, Notions, Feathers, &c., &c. and such other articles as are usually kept in a well-stocked Millinery Store.

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Dr. James Thomas has taken an office in Chaptico and will promptly attend to the practice of medicine. Oct 11, 1888—1m.

PROFESSIONAL.

RICHARD B. TIPPETT, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

11 E. Lexington St., near Chas., Balt., Md. Practices in the Courts of Baltimore city, Court of Appeals of Md., in the counties of Charles and St. Mary's and Washington city. Special attention given to Admiralty practice, collection of claims, &c. Being a member of and counsel for the Real Estate firm of E. J. Chastity & Co., all parties desiring to sell farms in Maryland can place them in our hands. Persons desiring to buy or exchange should call or send for list of property. Money loaned on first mortgage. Jan. 30—y.

DAN'L C. HAMMETT, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, LEONARDTOWN, MD.

Having removed his Law Office to the room adjoining his dwelling house, lately occupied as the Post Office, will be pleased to see all his old friends and clients and as many new ones as may see fit to call. All business entrusted to him will receive prompt attention. Special attention paid to the Collection of Claims and the Sale and Conveyance of Real Estate. Jans' 851m

JO. F. MORGAN, Attorney and Counselor at Law and Agent for Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, Mutual Life of New York and Royal Fire Insurance of Liverpool, LEONARDTOWN, MD. April 1, 1880—t.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned have formed a co-partnership in the practice of law under the name and style of R. C. COMBS & SON. ROBT. C. COMBS, R. FORD COMBS. Oct 4 1888.

WALTER I. DAWKNS, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, No. 1 St. PAUL ST., BALTIMORE, MD. Will continue to practice in St. Mary's and adjoining counties. Nov 3—t.

ROBERT C. COMBS, R. FORD COMBS. R. C. COMBS & SON, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, LEONARDTOWN, MD.

HENRY F. SPALDING, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, No. 25 Lexington St., Baltimore, Md. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to his care. Jan 1, 85—t

GEORGE BLAKISTONE, Attorney-at-Law, 45 Lexington St., Baltimore, Md. Will continue to practice in the Courts of St. Mary's and adjoining counties. June 6, 1878.

D. S. BRISCOE, Attorney and Counselor-at-Law, 41 St. Paul's Street, Baltimore, Md. 1873—t.

B. HARRIS CAMALIER, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, LEONARDTOWN, MD.

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GROCERIES. Fine fresh and cheap. Call and make small purchase and I know that you will become a permanent customer.

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READY-MADE CLOTHING. For men's, youths' and boys' wear. I have the finest, cheapest and noblest line ever shown in my store. I am emphatically headquarters for this trade.

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