

Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY Morning, Dec 27, 1888.

We trust that every one has had a Happy Christmas.

Kris Kringle, we hope, arrived on time at every St. Mary's home.

A Prosperous New Year, is the BEACON'S wish for each and all of its patrons.

HINTS FOR '89.—Crops will be good, especially on those farms where the owners apply plenty of manure and plow and harrow well. The man will succeed best who says to his men, "Come on" and not "go on!" The farmer who tries hard, if he has a good wife to help him, and children to lend a hand, will pay his transient debts, if he have any, and taxes, and lift part of the mortgage.

The man who keeps his grip and never gets discouraged will be sure to succeed, even if he run behindhand for awhile, but the man without pluck will, nine times out of ten, fail in life. So we will all keep a tight hold and never let go.

For 1889 the young man who deserves a nice girl for a wife will be sure to get her, and the girl who is worthy of a good husband will get him or be happy without. This is sure.

The man who feeds moulty hay to his horses and has a muddy barn and dirty manger will be likely to have a horse die of choking, distemper or some other disease; and the foul hog-pen, and nothing but corn fed to the hogs, will bring on hog cholera as likely as not.

The farmer who neglects to keep up his insurance, and lets his men smoke in the barn, will have a fire and pay the loss himself.

The man who never makes love to his wife will find furrows growing in her face that never can be smoothed out after she is dead. And the man who looks at the country store and the tavern, in preference to being at home with his family, does not know who he is nor what he is here for.—*Farm Journal.*

VOORHEES ON THE TARIFF.

Extract from his speech in the U. S. Senate, Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1888.

Sir, we have been reminded by Senators on the other side of the Chamber that the people rendered a verdict against tariff reform and in favor of high tariff protection in the recent Presidential election. I do not admit that Mr. Cleveland's defeat was due to his position on the tariff, nor that a man who is endorsed by a hundred thousand majority of the popular vote of the United States is committed to a weak or a failing cause. The result in November can easily be traced to other influences which may hereafter be pointed out and discussed perhaps in the criminal courts of the country. But suppose, for the sake of the argument, that the cause of equality, justice, and emancipation from financial oppression and servitude did suffer defeat at the hands of the arrogant, associated and protected owners of ill-gotten millions, almost beyond the power of figures to estimate, what conclusion is to be drawn from that fact?

Do Senators on the opposite side cherish the delusion that the battle is over? What great work of reformation was ever finished by a single triumph or crushed by a single defeat? There were many verdicts rendered by the American people in favor of the existence of slavery before they rendered their final verdict for a constitutional amendment abolishing it forever. There were statesmen in those days who after every election gravely assumed that the slavery question was settled, and would never be agitated again. But the issue would not down at even their powerful bidding, but continued to rise again and again until not a vestige of that awful source of national contention and bloody strife remains beneath the folds of the flag.

Sir, there was indeed an irrepressible conflict between the North and South on the question of slavery, but there is at this hour another conflict equally irrepressible between the working millions on the one hand and the protected monopolists on the other, on the question of labor's emancipation from the bondage, vassalage, the brutal servitude of unnecessary, and consequently unjust and dishonest taxation. Senators may fold their arms in fancied security against the further agitation of the tariff, but their dreams to that effect will be rudely dispelled. The contest for such a reformation of tariff taxation as will afford relief and justice to the laboring masses has but just begun, and it will go on until the

colossal powers of the monopolies, trusts, and other unlawful combinations, composing the oligarchy of wealth in this country, are broken, and their heads brought low. The Democratic party desires no better issue than this, and it is ready now and for all time to come to enter into political battle for its success.

For the first time in American history the mask of the manufacturer is thrown aside and all disguise abandoned. He has heretofore at least pretended that all the protection he needed and asked could be secured as an incident to a purely revenue tariff. The greatest minds ever engaged in the conduct of our public affairs have willingly conceded all the incidental protection which wise legislation framed for the purposes of revenue could afford to the domestic manufacturer. The protection, however, now boldly demanded is the enormous tribute which the consumer is compelled to pay directly to the monopolist in manufacture and in trade, no part of which ever reaches the Treasury of the Government at all.

This tribute exacted for the sake of protection *per se*, and with no reference to revenue, is the increased price which high rates of duty, keeping foreign imports from our shores, enables the manufacturer to put on his goods without fear of foreign competition. This is the naked and avowed plunder of one class of American citizens for the sole benefit and enrichment of another, and it will not long be borne.

The suggestion is sometimes made that the leaders of the Republican party, recognizing the glaring iniquities of the present tariff legislation will themselves correct them. In the nature of things this can not happen. The Republican party is a mere instrument in the hands of monopoly, and must obey at all times and under all circumstances the dictation of its creator, owner, and master.

In the bitter, sectional times of the past the stinging taunt was often flung at the Northern Democracy that they were submissive to the South in public affairs, that they were dough-faces on the subject of slavery. With infinitely more of truth and justice that taunt can now be returned against the leaders of the Republican party in their servile obedience to every demand of tariff monopoly and protected trusts. They are the dough-faces of a financial slavery as wrong in principle, and often more heartless and cruel in practice, than any other form of human servitude ever known in our midst. Their obsequious submission to the domination of monopoly has also largely and steadily increased during the last few years.

Only a short time ago the Senator from Iowa (Mr. ALLISON) was in favor of a general reduction of duties equal to 20 per cent. on all goods of domestic manufacture, and he was sustained in that position by the report of a Republican tariff commission and the message of a Republican President. The Senator from Vermont (Mr. MORRIS) repeatedly announced that the high duties laid for war revenues were to be but temporary, and the Senator from Ohio (Mr. SHERMAN) declared with emphasis that the tax on tobacco and spirituous and malt liquors should be retained. Now these distinguished Senators have entirely reversed their positions. A change has come over the spirit of their financial schemes. Protective duties and war taxes are not to be touched except to make them higher, and whisky and tobacco, non-essentials of life, are to be made free.

We behold the greatest leaders of a great party, after a vain endeavor to resist the power, the exactions, as well as the blandishments of organized wealth, now bowing low before monopoly, their patron saint, and acknowledging themselves indebted for their political existence and success to the mighty millions accumulated from the vassalage of labor. And as if to complete this picture of political degradation and triumphant monopoly, the names of those who are known to have contributed most freely of these ill-gotten millions at the late election are now heard mentioned on all hands most conspicuously and favorably for the highest offices and the proudest honors under the new, incoming administration. Sir, the exultation over his fopper and the ass brayeth at his master's cry!

Mr. Charles F. Mayer has been elected President of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad to succeed Mr. Samuel Spencer.

The Mail and Express occupies the proud position in New York of being the only paper which has dared to use the Bible as an advertisement. The Editor of it, who sends down the texts for the paper every morning, and who elected Ben Harrison, by the way, announces himself as ready to humble himself with the "English mission." After declaring a war of extermination on the South, and after preparing extra-high top boots for the gore which he has promised to wade in, it seems very unkind in him to try to leave the country even though sacrificing himself to the high-

er calls of duty. By energetic assiduity and arduous perseverance he accumulated a large fortune and a false alarm newspaper. He married Miss Vanderbilt. He is, therefore, a self-made man and eminently qualified for a foreign mission. He said—"There are all sorts of d—d fools in this world, but my son-in-law is more kinds of a d—d fool than any man I ever happened to know."—B. in the Mail.

News of the surrender of the Haytian Republic will surprise no one. The result reflects no less credit on our Government because it has been generally anticipated. The steamer was not liable to seizure as a blockade runner, since its officers had no knowledge of the existence of any blockade. The vessel was simply pursuing its usual course in good faith, and if intercepted under a misapprehension, should have been promptly released.

Throughout the affair the Administration acted with dignity and vigor. The Navy Department lost no time in enforcing the demand which the Department of State made as soon as information of the seizure was received, and Secretary Whitney directed the preparations for dispatching our war ships in the quiet, resolute and business-like spirit that has marked his direction of naval matters.

The firm attitude of the Washington authorities had the effect of preventing the destruction of the ship, as was at one time threatened. Legitimate realized that such action would invite reprisals and the collection of damages, and put an end to his control of the Haytian Government. Thanks to a sensible and courageous course, we are well out of a troublesome, even if a minor affair without delay or complications.—*Star.*

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RATIFICATION NOTICE.

John C. Cryer vs. A. Nicholas Combs and others.

In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, sitting as a Court of Equity. Ordered this 15th day of December, 1888, that the Auditor's report, filed in the above cause be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 2nd Monday in January, 1889, 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 January.

J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. True copy—Test: J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. Dec 20—3w

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

IN CHARLECO DISTRICT.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Peter B. Smith and Mary E. Smith, his wife, to John F. Ching, bearing date of December 18th, 1886, and duly recorded in Liber J. F. P. No. 9, folios 374, &c., one of the land records for St. Mary's county, the undersigned will sell at public auction, at the Court House door in Leonardtown, on

TUESDAY, January 16th, 1889,

at 2 O'CLOCK, P. M., the property described in said mortgage, viz: all those tracts or parcels of land situate near St. Joseph's Church in the 4th Election District of St. Mary's county, Maryland, and called and known as

PART ANDLY, PT. ST. THOMAS, MATTINGLEY'S LAND, and HARDING'S CHOICE, containing, in the aggregate,

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Dec 20—ts.

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ROBT. C. COMBS.

Dec 13.

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All persons are hereby forewarned from trespassing with dog or gun, or otherwise, on the farm called and known as "Rome's Convenience," situated in the 4th district. The law will be rigidly enforced against all persons daring to do so.

W. L. A. RUSSELL. Dec 13—Imp.

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NOTICE.

STEAMER SUE will leave Baltimore for her last trip of this season on

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A. NEEDHAM, Jr., Agent. Dec. 13—2w.

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Oct 4.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Orphans' Court of St. Mary's County, St. November 27, 1888.

ORDERED by the Court, that Wm. L. Thomas, executor of Elizabeth Thomas, late of St. Mary's county, Md., deceased, give the notice required by law to the creditors to exhibit their claims and that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Mary's Beacon. JAMES 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 testamentary on the personal estate of Elizabeth Thomas, 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 29th day of May, 1889, 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.

WM. L. THOMAS, Executor. Nov. 29—6w.

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