

Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY Morning, March 14, 1890.

A PROMINENT CITIZEN DEAD.

A Tribute to the late Captain Joseph Forrest, by a Friend who knew him from his Youth.

Captain Joseph Forrest, a gentleman of the old school, fortified by all the rites of his holy religion, died at his residence on the Patuxent river, St. Mary's county, after a short illness, in the 69th year of his age.

Captain Forrest was related to several distinguished families of Maryland, members of which held high positions in the State and also in the United States Navy.

His father was the son of the late General James Forrest, who was Register of Wills of this county many years ago and, during his time, wielded an influence in national politics second to no man in our State.

His mother was a daughter of the late Doctor Elijah Jackson, a physician of prominence in his day.

Captain Forrest was well known as a man of influence in county politics from his early life, and as far back as 1857 was the nominee of the democratic party for the Senate of Maryland. Later, he was commissioned as a Captain in the Oyster Navy of the State and his ability as an executive officer was not excelled.

He was a man of learning, enterprise and energy, a ready and forcible writer, which he evidenced on many occasions with great effect in advocacy of measures promotive of the welfare of the people of his county.

He was foremost in advocating the erection of the Confederate monument at Point Lookout, and was unanimously elected President of the Association, the duties of which, as stipulated in the Act of Incorporation, he never tired of performing.

May the descendants of those poor prisoners whose remains now lie buried beneath that monument, in coming years erect a suitable, a justly merited monument over the grave of our dear friend in the quiet graveyard at Newtown.

Beginning life with an ample fortune, consisting of valuable real estate and over fifty servants, and having a kind and generous heart, he soon became one of the most useful and popular citizens of the county, extending at all times a helping hand to others.

Previous to the war, becoming somewhat embarrassed and with a hope of keeping his servants together, he sought a wider field and removed with them to the South finally locating in Texas where he resided at the breaking out of the war.

He at once returned to his native home, recruited a company and joined the Confederate army receiving a Captain's commission which he afterwards resigned and returned to his family in Texas.

Like most of the slave owners of Maryland he was kind and humane to his servants and they were devoted to him.

When the U.S. army advanced South he called his servants together and told them that if they desired to remain with him and share the fortunes of himself and family to the end of the war, he would, if they wished, return with them to St. Mary's.

This promise he sacredly kept, some returning and others remaining in Texas. With those who did not desire to return with him, he divided his mules, cattle and such other effects as the ravages of war had left him.

To the day of his death the same interest in their welfare remained with him and notwithstanding his limited means he assisted them in many ways.

The simple letters of his old family servants in Texas which they constantly wrote him and which it was his great pleasure to answer, speak in more eloquent terms of his great kindness and their gratitude, than thought could suggest or words express.

He leaves a widow, Mrs. Henrietta Forrest, a daughter of the late Col. William Plowden, of Bushwood, a lady of culture and refinement, three sons and three daughters to mourn his loss. May the remembrance of his life inspire them to emulate his virtues in their journey through "this vale of tears." Truly in his case it may well be said, that

"Death, when unmasked, shows us a friendly face,
And is a terror only at a distance."
J. A. C.

It is officially announced in the Snow Hill Messenger that Hon. E. K. Wilson will be a candidate for re-election to the United States Senate at the next session of the Legislature. The Messenger also urges the counties of the shore to select men "of honor and integrity" to represent them in the Legislature.

The Herald says that a "cheerful report is current to the effect that old Ben Butler is to be given a foreign mission. It is to be feared, however, that no such good luck is in store for this country."

All the Washington correspondents agree that Representative McComas will be a potent factor in the distribution of Federal patronage in Maryland under Harrison. Mr. McComas' present address is Hagerstown, Md.—Herald.

CLEVELAND.—He is now Ex-President Cleveland.

He was an honest President.

He was a brave President.

He was a President who did his duty as he saw it regardless of consequences to his party or himself.

He was a President who was four years ahead of his times.

He was the first President since the war who was President of the whole country, and realized that there were 38 equally loyal States in this Union.

"He was a man. Take him all in all, we shall not look upon his like again."

At least not for four years.—Globe.

The News of the Week.

From the Baltimore Sun.

(Continued from 4th Page.)

SATURDAY.

In parts of Maryland Delaware and Pennsylvania, between half-past six and seven o'clock yesterday evening, a slight earthquake was felt, but so far as known no damage was done.

Bishop Wilson, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, has returned to Baltimore from his trip to Japan and China.

A syndicate of Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore men has purchased land on the Western Maryland Railroad, upon which suburban homes will be built.

Fire caused an estimated damage of \$60,000 to stock and property on Gay street, just above Baltimore street. The fire started in the furniture warehouse of Morton Banks and spread to the adjoining warehouses of Mrs. George Beck, A. H. Jones and others.

Mr. James A. Gary thinks the republican administration will do more for the Chesapeake and Delaware ship canal than was done by the democrats.

Arthur Purcell, counterfeiter, was sentenced to four years at hard labor in the Maryland Penitentiary.

President Harrison is besieged by office-seekers.

A Maryland delegation called at the White House to see the President about the internal revenue collectorship, but failed to reach him.

Mr. John Henry Sellman is the only formal applicant so far for the internal revenue collectorship.

It is thought there may be considerable delay before the gunboat Yorktown is finally accepted.

The commissionership of pensions and the position of public printer seem to be the objective points of the office-seekers at present.

It is thought that Walker Blaine will be First Assistant Secretary of State.

Postmaster-General Wanamaker has purchased ex-Secretary Whitney's house in Washington.

Claims for damages will be preferred against the Pennsylvania militia growing out of their conduct during the inauguration.

Justice Stanley Matthews is better.

The presidential church for the next four years is now a matter of speculative interest in Washington society.

Prof. Newell, of Maryland, read a paper before the School Superintendent's Association.

Argument in the disputed governorship of West Virginia was commenced yesterday before the Supreme Court of that State and will be concluded to-day when the case will be submitted.

Capt. John Ericsson, the famous engineer, and designer of the monitor, died in New York, aged 76 years.

Ex-President Cleveland is gradually getting into the harness of the law. Mrs. Cleveland will figure in the Washington Centennial inauguration ball with the 400.

THE NEW YORK THROUGH LINE of Baltimore and Ohio Railroad was opened successfully.

Congressman Townshend, of Illinois died Saturday.

President Harrison is said to be disinclined to enter upon the policy of wholesale removals from office.

It is said Mr. Urner will be collector of the port of Baltimore, Mr. Wellington, sub-treasurer, and Mr. Holton, naval officer or surveyor.

George C. Tichenor, of Illinois, has been appointed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

A large barn at Frederick, belonging to Samuel Wolf, was burned with its contents. The fire was incendiary.

Secretary Blaine says neither the State nor the Navy Department has any news of the reported sinking of the United States steamer Nipsic by the German vessel Olga. The rumor is generally discredited in Washington. If the report should be verified it may be necessary to call an extra session of Congress.

TUESDAY.

Charles Strong was stabbed four times in the back yard of a sailor boarding house on South Bond street, Baltimore. Gustav Johansen, a Russian Finn has been arrested charged with the stabbing.

Wheat and corn were lower in Baltimore, New York and Chicago and other grain markets.

Ex-Senator Palmer, of Michigan, has been appointed minister to Spain, John F. Swift, of California, minister to Japan, and John D. Washburn, of Massachusetts, minister resident and counsel-general for Switzerland.

President Harrison closed his doors to office-seekers yesterday.

The Senate republican caucus has completed the re-arrangement of the committees.

Senator Beck has returned to the Senate in good spirits.

The clerical force at the Postoffice Department is swamped by the large number of applicants for fourth-class post masters. Maryland leads all the other States.

No news from Samoa has yet been received at the State or Navy Department.

The United States Senate held a brief session yesterday, but adjourned without transacting any business.

William Cahoon, proprietor of a small tavern near Sackson, Mich., received a warning from White Caps, but he paid no attention to it. Sunday night a load of buckshot came through a window and buried itself in one of his legs.

Antoine Belanger, living near Dangle, Dakota, was chained and hanged up by White Caps until he confessed that he burned his barn when they let him down and burned his house.

DIED.

Suddenly, at the residence of her husband, near Chaptico, on Feb. 29th, ultimo, Mrs. GEORGE W. LACY, in the 53rd year of her age.

The deceased was much beloved by her neighbors and her Christian example as a wife, mother and friend will long be remembered in the community in which she lived. As a manager in her family, she had but few equals, and faithfully filled the position to which God had assigned her.

At the Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C., March, the 6th, 1890, Z. CARNIE HAYDEN, second son of Z. and M. S. Hayden, of Chaptico, St. Mary's county, in the 29th year of his age. May he rest in peace!

On March 8, 1890, at his residence in the 6th district, JOSEPH FORREST in the 69th year of his age. May he rest in peace! At the residence of her father, 333 N. Fulton Avenue, on 29th st., ANTOINETTE, daughter of Charles B. Wise, aged 18 years, 11 months and 19 days.

At the residence of his parents, 1404 W. Baltimore street, on the 15th ult., JAMES BATES, eldest son of Henry A. and Elizabeth Wise, aged 19 years.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.
FARM of 125 acres, situated on a good private creek near Newtown Church, 3rd District. Buildings in good repair and land of good quality. Dwelling in good order and contains five rooms. Barn recently built. Three tenant houses. Will be sold cheap. Apply to D. S. SPALDING, or J. F. MORGAN, Atty., Leonardtown, Md. March 9, 1m]

NOTICE.
Office of County Commissioners, St. Mary's county, Leonardtown, Md., March 13, 1890.

The Board of County Commissioners will meet at their office in Leonardtown on Tuesday, March 19th, Wednesday, March 20th, Thursday, March 21st, and Tuesday, March 26th, to receive Transfers and Abatement of Assessments.

Persons holding accounts against the county must file them on or before April 1st, otherwise they will be excluded from Levy 1890.

All Out-Pensioners must renew their applications, signed by three freeholders, prior to April 15th, proximo.

By order,
JAS. A. TEMNISON, President.

ENOCH B. ABELL, Clerk County Commissioners. March 14—12m]

PUBLIC SALE!
THE undersigned, Trustees, will sell at public auction, in Leonardtown, on

SATURDAY, March 16th, 1890,
all the Hotel effects of every kind and description in Fenwick's Hotel, consisting of

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,
NATURE,
TOCK OF LIQUORS in the Bar,
HORSES,

ONE DAYTON,
BUGGY,
WAGON, etc., etc.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.
Sale to begin at 10 o'clock, a. m.
ROBT. C. COMBS,
B. HARRIS CAMALIER, Trustees.
March 14—1t.

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

Toilet and laundry soaps, of every variety at the Brown store.

JOHN P. MORGAN AND DANIEL C. HAMMETT, Attorneys.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from Margaret A. Wise to the Vestry of St. Paul's Parish in Calvert county, Maryland, dated the 16th day of September, 1884, and recorded among the Land Records of St. Mary's county, Maryland, in Liber J. F. F., No. 7, folios 418, 419, and which said mortgage was on the 16th day of February, 1889, assigned by the said Vestry of St. Paul's Parish in Calvert county, to one Daniel C. Hammett, which said assignment is now on record among the said Land Records, the undersigned, as Assignee as aforesaid, will sell at public auction, in front of the Court House door in Leonardtown, in said county, on

TUESDAY, the 19th day of March, 1890,

At 3 o'clock, P. M.,
ALL THOSE FIVE PIECES OR PARCELS of land, situated in the 8th district of St. Mary's county, and described as follows:

All that tract of land conveyed by R. A. Clarke and wife to Robert H. Wise by deed, recorded in the Land Records of St. Mary's county, in Liber J. A. C., No. 3, folios 287, 288, and containing

40 ACRES,
more or less. Also, all that tract of land lying and being immediately on the Patuxent river called and known as

TOWN POINT,
conveyed by William C. Abell and wife to Robert H. Wise by deed recorded in said land records in Liber J. A. C., No. 3, folios 289, 290, and containing

200 ACRES,
more or less. The improvements consist of a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE and the necessary out-buildings.

Also, all that tract of land called and known as the

NECK,
conveyed by James R. Thompson and others to Robert H. Wise by deed recorded in said land records in Liber J. A. C., No. 6, folios 479, 480, and containing

115 ACRES,
more or less. Also, all that tract of land called and known as

PERCY'S COSTS,
conveyed by Joseph Forrest and Chapman Billingsley, surviving Commissioners for the division of the real estate of the late Philip Clarke to Robert H. Wise, by deed recorded in said land records in Liber J. A. C., No. 5, folios 149, 150, and containing

117 acres, more or less.
Also, all that tract of land, being part of a tract of land called and known as

KINGSTON,
conveyed by A. H. Hall and wife to Robert H. Wise by deed recorded in said land records in Liber J. T. B. No. 1, folios 681, 682, and containing

98 acres,
more or less, all of which will appear by reference to said mortgage.

TERMS OF SALE.
One-third cash on final ratification of said sale—one-third in one year and one-third in two years, or all cash on the final ratification of said sale at the option of the purchaser or purchasers, the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. A cash deposit of \$100 on each purchase required on the day of sale.

DANIEL C. HAMMETT, Assignee.
Feb. 21, 1890—1s.

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LEONARDTOWN.
Oct. 25—4f.

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Oct. 2, 1884—1t

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RATIFICATION NOTICE.
The Birdsall Company
vs.
Samuel L. Rawleigh.

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

No. 690, N. E.
Ordered this 26th day of January, 1890, that the sale made and reported by Eric Townsend, Assignee, in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 4th Monday of Feb., 1890, 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 February.

The report states the property sold for \$925.
J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.
Jan. 31—3w.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.
Ignatius V. McKay et al.
vs.
Joseph E. McKay et al.

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

No. 692 N. E.
Ordered this 22nd day of January, 1890, that the sale made and reported by J. Frank Bohanan, Trustee, in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 3rd Monday of February, 1890, 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 3rd Monday of February.

The report states the land sold for \$1,884.
J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.
Jan 24—3w]

RATIFICATION NOTICE.
Robert C. Combs, Attorney for Brown & Graves,
vs.
Benenia A. Thomas.

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

No. 694 N. E.
Ordered this 9th day of February, 1890, 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 1st Monday of March, 1890, provided a copy of this order be published in the St. Mary's Beacon once a week for three successive weeks prior to the 1st Monday of March.

J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
J. FRANK FORD, Clerk.
Feb 7—3w]

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Attorney, Leonardtown, Md.
July 26, 88—1t.

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HENRY WILLIAMS,
Agent Weems Line Steamers.
Jan 31—2t]

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, Set: Feb. 19, 1890.

Ordered by the Court, that George A. Wise and R. King Clarke, administrators of the 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. RALBY, Register of Wills for St. Mary's county.

NOTICE.
In pursuance of the above order, we hereby give notice that we have obtained from the Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of William S. Wise, 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 undersigned, on or before the 21st day of Augt, 1890, 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 subscribers.

GEO. A. WISE,
R. KING CLARKE,
Administrators.