

Saint Mary's Beacon, LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY Morning, September 17.

THE TICKET.

For Governor: FRANK BROWN, of Carroll. For Comptroller: MARION DeK. SMITH, of Kent. For Attorney General: JOHN P. POE, of Baltimore City. For Clerk Court of Appeals: J. FRANK FORD, of St. Mary's.

For Chief Judge 7th Judicial Circuit of Md. Hon. JOHN P. BRISCOE, of Calvert County.

COUNTY TICKET.

For House of Delegates: ROBERT C. COMBS, GEORGE R. GARNER.

For Clerk: JAMES J. GREENWELL.

For Register: PHILIP H. DORSEY.

For State's Attorney: B. HARRIS CAMALIER.

For Sheriff: F. XAVIER THOMPSON.

For Orphan's Court: JAMES H. BAILEY, STANISLAUS CLARKE, RICHARD H. M. HEBB.

For County Commissioner: GEORGE F. TENNISON, WEBSTER B. HERBERT, JESSE TURNER, GEORGE W. L. BUCKLER, JOHN L. HILTON.

For Surveyor: JOHN H. CHUNN.

THE REPUBLICAN SCHOOL RECORD.

That true and able Democratic paper, the Hagerstown Mail, takes to task Ex-Congressman McComas because of his delinquency upon the public schools at the recent Republican nominating Convention held at Ocean City. In his speech on that occasion Mr. McComas said: "We who gave to Maryland her system of public schools, would give to her farmers a modern and better system of public roads."

McComas refers as chapter 100, of the Acts of 1865, commonly known as the Van Bokkelen Law, and was passed by the Republican Legislature of that year. There were, however, free schools in nearly every county before that date, but the Act above referred to was the first General Law establishing free schools throughout the State. The Republicans, therefore, are, as Mr. McComas claims, entitled to the credit of enacting the first Public General School Law in Maryland. We cheerfully concede that they did pass it, but what kind of a law was it? Chapter 6, Sec. 1—Pupils—of this Republican School Law reads: "All WHITE youth between the ages of six and nineteen years, are entitled to free instruction in any of the public schools of the State."

The negroes were entirely dependent upon upon free schools, being hopelessly unable to maintain schools of their own, but their sweet friends, the Republicans, in establishing free public schools, with 'malice aforethought' excluded negroes from attending them. For the school facilities which they enjoy the negroes of Maryland are indebted to the Democratic party. In 1874, a Democratic Legislature at the instance of a Democratic Senator from St. Mary's—the late Hon. Chapman Billingsley—appropriated \$100,000 for free schools for colored children. In 1865, the last Republican Legislature that sat in Maryland excluded negroes from the public schools. Thus stands the record.

In reference to the second count in the quotation from Mr. McComas we respectfully refer him and the general public to the St. Mary's county roads. For the past fifteen years the Republican party has had nearly uninterrupted control of the public roads of this county, and almost every visitor to this section freely expresses the opinion that we have the worst roads in the State. We have a right to assume that what the Republicans have done in St. Mary's is a fair sample of what they would do elsewhere and we hope the other counties will be warned by our fate.

THE OYSTER QUESTION.

The Baltimore Weekly American, of September 12th 1891, thus delivers itself upon the Oyster Question: "There is but one certain way to preserve the oyster beds of the Chesapeake and its tributaries and make them sufficiently productive to meet the needs of the public, and that is to lease them to private parties wherever practicable. For the people to hold property in common is very attractive to some minds; but it is a glittering delusion. All experience is against it, and in this country we have had numerous proofs of its fallacious character. The Indians furnish a continuous object lesson. Where their lands have been divided up among the individuals of a tribe they are cultivated, and their owners are industrious and thrifty; but where they are held in common, as has been very general until recently, the lands are covered with weeds and scrub, and the Indians are worthless. The experiment has been repeatedly made by white persons to hold lands in common for the benefit of the whole community, with the unvarying result that in a very brief time the lands have gone to waste and the community has disbanded."

It must be borne in mind that the Baltimore American is the State organ of the Republican party and is presumed to voice the sentiments of the Republican leaders. The above clipping clearly proves that the American does not regard the Oyster Question as settled. A proposition to lease the oyster beds will, in all likelihood, be before the next Legislature, and unless it takes the back track the leading Republican paper in the State will be found favoring it. This is a vital question to St. Mary's oystermen and they will need to be represented at Annapolis by men of undoubted force if they hope to have their rights maintained. We cannot afford to try experiments. Men in touch and harmony with the majority party must represent the oyster counties and denounce any attempted invasion of our fishery rights. There is absolutely no chance of the Republicans controlling the next Legislature, and in that body Republican delegates from St. Mary's will be worse than useless to our oystermen. We do not mean to say that the Republican candidates, if elected might not do everything in their power to defeat a bill to lease the oyster grounds, but experience has shown that they will not do it.

their power to defeat a bill before the Maryland House of Delegates and have failed. Can our oystermen afford to run risks? If they would have their protests heard they must see to it that Democrats are in the next House of Delegates to speak for them. On our ticket will be found men of the stamp required and whose opinions will be heard and heeded.

To WATCH THE HELLESPOINT.—It is a startling story that comes from Constantinople to the effect that a British force has seized the Island of Mitylene, in the Mediterranean, not far from the mouth of the Bosphorus, connecting that sea with the Black sea. This, it is suggested, is England's reply to the action of the Sultan in giving Russia free exit from the Black sea, contrary to the provisions of an existing treaty. In possession of Mitylene and using it as a coaling station and place of rendezvous, England would be in a fairly good position to seal up the Hellespoint. Just as she holds Cyprus to be in reach of the Suez canal, so in case of Russia's getting control at Constantinople she will want to be at Tenedos or Mitylene, in order to dominate that part of the Mediterranean.

But is the story, though presented with a number of details, to be believed? Nothing is known about it, it seems, in London. Government officials say it may have originated in the landing of a few blue jackets for purposes of drill. They know nothing, however, of the alleged landing, and intimate that the story is made out of the whole cloth. The Constantinople dispatch may prove to be fallacious, but it expresses what is in everybody's mind. The Sultan has taken a step which everybody can see may have important consequences.—Sun, Sept. 15th.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

From the Baltimore Sun. SATURDAY, September 12th. Samuel Williamson, of Berkeley county, W. Va., committed suicide by hanging. The largest wrecking steamer in the world, the John D. Jones, was launched from Brunser Brothers' dry dock, Baltimore. Mr. John H. B. Latrobe, one of Baltimore's most honored citizens, died at his home, No. 901 North Charles street, in the eighty ninth year of his age. Mr. Wilbrow, the discoverer of natural gas at Pocomoke, Wicomico county, is cooking his food with the gas regularly, having sunk a third well.

Cardinal Gibbons received yesterday from Rome the bulls authorizing the consecration of Rev. Dr. Chappell, of Washington, as Coadjutor Archbishop of Santa Fe, N. M.

William H. Colley, aged nineteen, a colored student at the Harvard Medical School, being peremptorily forbidden by his father to continue the acquaintance of a young colored girl, produced a revolver and shot himself in the breast, dying in a few minutes.

An Italian steamship, the Taormina, and a Greek steamer, the Thessalia, were in collision off Cape Cod, the most southern point of Attica. The Taormina sank soon after the accident, drowning her captain, several of her crew and 40 of her cabin passengers.

Rev. John Van Wagener, of Cedar Springs, Mich., caused the arrest of a young man for disturbing a revival meeting. The young man was not convicted and brought suit for damages by capias and secured a verdict of \$55 with \$67 costs. The pastor refused to pay and was put in jail. He has his prayer-book and hymnal with him, and is getting up a revival in the jail.

MONDAY, September 14th. An official report on the recent hurricane in Martinique makes the total number of killed 240.

Mary E. Hartzell, aged three years, 1428 Pressman street, was accidentally burned to death.

Pension Commissioner Baum says there are now 929,426 claims pending before the pension bureau.

The Seivages, a group of islands near the Canaries, were recently the scene of an extensive conflagration. Loss amounts to \$200,000.

Harry Price, aged six years, was accidentally shot and killed by his cousin, Percy Carr, aged sixteen years, in Cecil county.

The German government has begun the prosecution of the editors of the Kladderadatsch for ridiculing the holy coat of Treves by a cartoon headed "The Gull Sparing Pilgrims."

Wm. Starr, living across the river from Euflata, Ala., committed suicide Saturday by tying bricks to his body and jumping into the Chattahoochee river.

A serious outbreak of pleuro-pneumonia is reported in Cumberland, Enc., and it is feared that the valuable pedigree short-horns belonging to Sir Wilfred Lawson are infected. The cattle already slaughtered were valued at \$32,000.

When the Georgia Central Railroad train was five miles west of Savannah on Saturday night two masked men entered the express car, covered Messenger Coulter with pistols, and forced him to open the safe. The robbers secured about \$400 and leaped from the train. No arrests have been made.

TUESDAY, September 15th. The Pennsylvania Railroad will construct an iron span in the Long Bridge across the Washington channel in the Potomac.

A detachment of marines from a British iron clad seized in the name of the Queen of England the Island of Mitylene, belonging to Turkey, near the mouth of the Dardanelles.

Diphtheria is epidemic in Shelbyville, Ind. The public schools have been closed and a general quarantine established. Thirty deaths have occurred within the past forty-eight hours, and adults are being attacked as well as children.

For Governor of Maryland, said yesterday that he would accept the challenge of Mr. Wm. J. Vannort, the republican candidate, to plow an acre of land to find out who is the better farmer.

A novel prize-fight took place at Peoria, Ill., Sunday, between a Chinaman named Li Lung and a negro named George Maser. The fight was for a purse, and the Chinaman whipped his opponent to a standstill.

Chief Officer James Thompson, of the British ship Orange Prince, now at Dartmouth, England, has been presented with a handsome gold medal on behalf of the President of the United States as a reward for rescuing the crew of the American ship Amada C. Parker in January last.

Local Dettings.

Lowtown Local. Mr. Dameron, of the Trappe, is busily engaged erecting a hall for the benefit of the congregation of St. Ignatius Church.

Mr. J. Thomas Milburn, of the Pine, has given an acre of ground upon which to erect a similar building for the congregation of St. Michael's Church.

Cool nights prevail, and farmers entertain the opinion should the coolness continue, winter corn will not thoroughly mature.

The patrons of St. Jerome's primary school are glad to understand that Miss Rosa Milburn is recovering from her severe illness, and that she will be able to teach at an early day.

It is a pleasure to state that the roads hereabout are in a tolerably good condition since Messrs. Austin Adams, and John Forrestal worked them.

The Arrowsmith continues to make regular trips to Miller's wharf, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7 o'clock, a. m.

Tongsmen appear to be doing well judging from the number of bushels of the coveted bivalves daily caught by them. They receive from 30 to 40 cts. per bushel. A few refuse to sell for this figure.

The building boom has reached our village. Mr. Henry Abell has just completed his store-house, and Mr. Herman has filled it with choice goods. Mr. James Dunbar has erected a very commodious stable and carriage house. We have three stores, three churches, three schools, one eating house, one undertaker's establishment and a blacksmith shop. Now, if the structure at Leonardtown, familiarly known as the Court House could be removed and placed in the centre of the village, our happiness would be complete. Lawyers! why, they may be numbered by the score. Gifts interest and gifts causa mortis are thoroughly understood; and a nuisance, according to Blackstone, is easily defined by those whose knowledge of law is considered indifferent, that is, those whose heads no hellstone can cure.

Democrats and republicans are equally sanguine of success the coming election. AZANA.

The Supreme Court of our Circuit Court will convene on Monday, the 21st inst. Many Beacon people will doubtless be in attendance and it would be pleasant to have those who have views on anything call and pay their respects and those who do owe us money to come in pay us money.

Members of the Immaculate Conception Church, Mechanicsville, will have a Dinner, Supper and Ball, Tuesday, October 13th. Particulars later.

Colored Festival. The colored members of the Immaculate Conception Church, Mechanicsville, will have their annual Festival, consisting of Tournament, Dinner, Supper and Ball at the residence of Mr. Frank Young, Wednesday, October 14th.

Passion Play. We call the attention of our readers to the announcement in our advertisement column, of a lecture on the famous Passion Play, to be given at St. Joseph's church, Sunday eve October 18th, by the Rev. Thomas B. Hughes of Washington, D. C. Father Hughes is a very impressive and pleasing speaker. He has lately returned from Oberammergau, where he witnessed the famous play and secured a complete set of the latest and best views. We bespeak for the Rev. Lecturer a hearty reception.

Mr. James F. Abell has had the porch of the Old Restaurant repaired.

Alonzo Campbell, colored, of Leonardtown, has been given a U. S. pension.

If reports are to be believed there are fine crops of corn all over the county.

If you see the printer don't forget to pay him. He will appreciate the favor.

The registration begins Monday next Try and get the Democratic vote registered.

W. E. Blakstone, colored, of this village, is having a dwelling at the brow of the wharf hill enlarged.

Up to the time of going to press there have been 37 licenses to long for oysters issued by the Clerk of our Circuit Court.

Edgar, eldest son of Mr. Joseph W. Goldsborough, of this district, died at his father's residence, Sunday, September 13th, aged about 3 years.

Can any Democrat give a single good reason why he should not vote the straight ticket this fall? Spite has no place in true men's hearts.

A plank ceiling has been put in our court and Grand Jury rooms and there is no longer danger of someone being killed thereby by falling plaster.

J. Wilson Humbird and J. W. Thomas, Esqrs., of Cumberland, Md., were in Leonardtown, Thursday last week. They were attracted by the mad sale.

Friday last, Mr. George Mattingly, of this district, had the little finger of his right hand so badly mashed by piece of ice falling upon it that the nail dropped off.

The republicans are busy with air copes, canvases. They had a gathering at the school house, last Saturday.

Mr. John P. Bailey and Miss Susan Jant Gattion were married at St. Inigo's last week. Rev. Father Desires officiating. We wish the young couple prosperity and happiness.

Henry Campbell and George W. Moss, of Annapolis, have sold the sloop Horn Point, of 1193 tons, to Robert and Freeman Cheseldine, of St. Mary's county.—Baltimore Sun.

Leonardtown has had quite a building boom this year and our friends who only visit the village during Court week will find the old place much improved. May the improvements continue.

Advices from the different neighborhoods are very encouraging for Democratic success in the county at the coming election. Earnest work all that is needed to assure the election of our ticket.

Mr. Robert C. Loker, commonly known as "Bob," is tunnelling for the Baltimore firm of A. J. Dunn & Co., manufacturers of confectionery. We hope that our county merchants will save their orders for Bob.

The members of St. John's Church will hold their annual dinner and tournament on Thursday, October 8th. The colored people will have their festival a few days later. Fall particulars will be given in another issue.

Mr. A. Burroughs, of Chaptico, delivered the address to the knights at a tournament in Charles county on last Wednesday in the benefit of St. Mary's Catholic Church. We are glad to see our sons spreading out.

We have received the initial number of the Hagerstown Gazette, published by Messrs. F. A. Wilmer and F. J. Halm. The Gazette is a good paper and gives promise of winning trout rank among the State press.

Mr. John T. Ballenger has sold his stock of goods at Mechanicsville to Messrs. Bowling Bros., of Hughesville, Charles county. The Messrs. Bowling will open at Mr. Ballenger's old stand on or about the 15th proximo. They are enterprising and energetic merchants and they will do a rushing business.

Wednesday, September 9th, 1891, Mr. Frank W. Colton and Miss Panchette Dillahay were married at the Cathedral, Baltimore. Rev. P. J. Donohue officiated. The bride is a daughter of the late John Dillahay, and the groom is a son of the late Richard Colton. The BEACON wishes them much happiness.

The property purchased of the Brome estate by William H. Wile was sold at Mortgagee's Sale, Thursday last. It was bought by Mr. Jacob Humbird, of Cumberland, Md., for \$33,000. Mr. Humbird is an energetic and enterprising gentleman and we are glad to have him interested to such an extent in St. Mary's county.

On the 10th of September instant, Alexander Campbell, colored, committed to jail for stealing watermelons and carrying concealed weapons, escaped from the custody of Constable J. A. Watts and is still at large. Mr. Watts had his prisoner handcuffed and, going into a store to buy a whip, left him in the buggy. During the constable's absence, Campbell jumped from the buggy and took to the woods, and though closely followed managed to elude his pursuers.

In some sections of our county cholera has nearly exterminated the hogs and the unburied carcasses are very offensive. Chapter 321, Acts of 1890, provides that anyone permitting any dead hog or other domestic animal, having died of any contagious disease to remain unburied or unburned upon his or her premises for the space of three hours prior to sunset of the day on which the death is discovered, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, before a justice, be fined not less than ten dollars or be imprisoned.

At Court. All the goods in the Brown Store, at Leonardtown, are offered at cost. Don't miss this chance. Clean, fresh goods. Other fields call the owner away and they must go.

DIED. Monday, September 14th, 1891, at the residence of Miss Fannie Mattison, in the 4th district, Mrs. DANIEL T. MORGAN, daughter of the late George S. Mattingly. May she rest in peace!

Neuralgic Persons. And those troubled with nervous vomiting from care or overwork will be relieved by taking Brown's Iron Bitters. Genuine has trade mark and crown red lines on wrapper.

New Advertisements. FOR SALE. ONE HORSE, Road Cart and Harness. A bargain. Sept 17-1m] W. B. MOORE.

FOR SALE. A very fine COLT and COW. For terms, apply to Mrs. MARY A. BOND, Sept 17-17. Park Hall P. O. Md.

FOR RENT. A reliable tenant wanted on a farm situated in the Eighth District. For further particulars, apply to Mrs. MARY A. BOND, Sept 17-17. Park Hall P. O., Md.

PASSION PLAY. The Rev. Thomas B. Hughes, of Washington, D. C. will deliver a lecture on the famous Passion Play of Oberammergau at St. Joseph's Church SUNDAY EVE, October 18th. Admission 50 cents. Doors open at 6:30. Lecture at 7:30. Sept 17.

Grain Drills for Sale. PERSONS wishing to purchase the McSherry Grain Drill for fall season 1891 will please communicate with me at Chaptico, or I will be in Town on Tuesday of Court, when I will be pleased to receive their orders or will visit them at their homes. The McSherry is up to the times and has made several improvements the present year and is now known as the best grain and fertilizer distributor in the market. Very respectfully, Sept 17-17. A. BURROUGHS.

Clearing Out Sale. BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, AND CAPS. READY-MADE CLOTHING, &c., &c., beginning MONDAY, OCTOBER 5th, and continuing from day to day until sold. These goods will absolutely be sold without regard to cost to make room for new stock. Terms Cash. JEFF. B. JARBOE, Jarboesville, Md. Sept 17-17.

ORDER NISI. Jacob Humbird } No. 737 N. E. vs. William H. Wile } In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's County.

Ordered, this 10th day of September, 1891, by the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, sitting in Equity, that the sale made and reported in the above cause by J. Wilson Humbird, Attorney named in the mortgage, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 2nd Monday of Oct. 1891, provided a copy of this order be published in the St. Mary's BEACON once a week for three successive weeks before the 2nd Monday of October, 1891.

The report states the amount of sale to be \$33,100. J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. True copy—Test: J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. Sept 17-3w.

ORDER NISI. John T. Ballenger } No. 738 N. E. vs. Horatio Canter } In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's County.

Ordered, this 10th day of September, 1891, by the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, sitting in Equity, that the sale made and reported in the above cause by J. Wilson Humbird, Attorney named in the mortgage, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 2nd Monday of Oct. 1891, provided a copy of this order be published in the St. Mary's BEACON once a week for three successive weeks before the 2nd Monday of October, 1891.

The report states that the land sold for \$2,100. J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. True copy—Test: J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. Sept 17 91-4t

ORDER NISI. J. Frank Bohanan, vs. B. H. Camalier, admr. of Pamela V. Unkle, and others. In the Orphan's Court for St. Mary's county

It is hereby ordered this 15th day of September 1891, that the sale of the real estate made and reported by J. Frank Bohanan, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 2nd Monday of October next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the St. Mary's BEACON, once a week for three successive weeks prior to the said 2nd Monday of October next.

The report states that the land sold for \$325. PHILIP G. LOVE, C. J. DAN L. PAYNE, A. J. S. C. THOMPSON, A. J. True copy—Test: JAS. T. M. RALEY, Register. Sept 10-1d.

CHURCH FAIR.

THE annual Church Fair for the benefit of Bethel M. E. Church will be held on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 14th and 15th of October, at the Church grounds, near Budd's creek, Md.

Dinner and supper will be served on the grounds. The tables will be replete with substantial and the delicacies of the season, including oysters, ice-cream, etc.

On each day of the fair there will be a BALLOON ASCENSION, which will be a point of great attraction and a source of much interest to all. Also, on the evening of the 15th a lecture will be delivered by the Hon. GEO. COLTON, of Baltimore.

With the assurance of a pleasant time to all, we cordially invite the public to attend. Sept 17-1d.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE Summer Resort. BY virtue of authority contained in a decree of the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, in Equity, passed in a cause in which Benjamin F. Adams and others are plaintiffs and Carrie V. Adams and others are defendants, and bearing date of the 12th day of September, 1891, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, at the Court House door in Leonardtown, on

TUESDAY, October 13th, 1891, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock, p. m., that valuable property known as

Pt. St. George's Island, containing 74 acres, more or less.

The above described land is improved by a handsome new dwelling and has upon it the property known as

Adams' Hotel. A noted and profitable Summer Resort.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale; on the balance credits of one and two years will be given, the deferred payments to be secured by the notes or bonds of the purchaser, with security to be approved by the Trustee, and to bear interest from the day of sale or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

BENJAMIN F. ADAMS, Trustee. Jo. F. MORGAN, Attorney. Sept 17-17

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE SITUATED ON THE PATUXENT RIVER. B. COLEMAN of a decree of the Circuit Court for St. Mary's County, passed in a cause in which Andrew McCallum's administrators and others are plaintiffs and Carrie G. Forrest is defendant and Henry C. Forrest is trustee, will sell at public auction at Leonardtown, on

TUESDAY, Sept. 22, '91 between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock, p. m., that valuable property known as

Pt. Della Brooke, or Cole's Farm, containing 413 Acres, more or less.

This farm is beautifully situated upon the Patuxent River, in St. Mary's county and is convenient to Churches, Schools and wharves. The soil is fertile and well adapted to the growth of the staple crops of the county. The improvements upon the property consisting of a DWELLING HOUSE and necessary OUT-BUILDINGS are in good condition.

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W. V. WATERS, AGENT FOR POWELL'S FERTILIZERS. Best and Cheapest. I respectfully ask your patronage. W. V. WATERS, St. Clement's Bay, Md. Sept 3 91-3m

St. Mary's Seminary. St. Mary's Seminary, St. Mary's county, Md., commences its 47th year Sept. 23d. Instruction thorough. Terms moderate. For further particulars, address the Principal, Miss A. E. THOMAS. Sept 10-1d.

THE WHISKEY TRUST "BUSTED."

We are the only place in Town where you can get a drink of Good Whiskey for Five Cents. Also, brandies, wines, beer and cigars at the same price. Oysters in every style at 25 cents a plate. This is not only for Court, but for all time to come. Turn about and look around as often as you like. See what others are offering. When you have picked out the "best," compare it with what we have to offer you. We expect competition, prepare for it, invite it, and are not fearful of the result. SPALDING & VIETT.

RATIFICATION NOTICE. In the matter of the Insolvency of Charles F. Bowling. In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, No. 23 Insolvents.

ORDERED, this 5th day of Sept. 1891, that the sale made and reported by Robert C. Combs, Permanent Trustee, in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 1st Monday in October, 1891, 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 1st Monday in October.

The report states the lands sold for \$1,255. J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. True copy—Test: J. FRANK FORD, Clerk. Sept 10 91-4t

Registration Notice. For September Sitting, 1891.

The undersigned, Officers of Registration for the several election districts of St. Mary's county, as hereinafter stated, duly appointed, commissioned and qualified, according to law, hereby give notice that they will severally sit, for the "September Sitting," 1891, at the places hereinafter named, on the days named, with open doors, from 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m., on each and every of the days appointed by law for said "Sitting" to wit:

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 21st, 22nd and 23rd, 1891, being three successive days in September, 1891, commencing on the 3rd Monday in September, 1891, for the purpose of registering such persons as are entitled to vote in their said election districts and for revising and completing the registries of voters of St. Mary's county, as provided by the Code of Public General Laws, as amended by Act of Assembly, 1890, Chapter 573.

Any person claiming to be entitled to be registered as a qualified voter in St. Mary's county may apply to the officer of registration of the election district in which the claimant resides at the place and during the time appointed for the "Sitting."

The Officer of Registration for the first election district will sit at P. G. EDELENS'S STORE, St. Inigo's.

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