

Saint Mary's Beacon.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

From the Baltimore Sun.

WEDNESDAY, September 23rd.
Mention of the name of Ex-Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin, in connection with a place in the cabinet has been revived.

Governor Pattison, of Pennsylvania, decided to deliver to Baltimore county A. B. Donaldson, charged with kidnapping A. A. Marshall at Towson.

The health authorities of Kilbourn, suburb of London, are investigating the sudden death of a man who is supposed to have died from cholera.

The exhibition of the holy coat at Treves will end on October 4. The total number of pilgrims who have visited the city will probably reach two millions.

Cashier Livey, of the Pennsylvania State treasury, has resigned. It was made at Milwaukee, Wis., on the 26th of August, the date of Mr. Boyer's departure from Harrisburg. Domestic circumstances are given as the cause.

Officials of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy have received advice from along their entire system in Iowa giving reports of crops. The reports show a most satisfactory condition of things. Eighty per cent of corn is safe from frost; oats and wheat nearly all thrashed and unusually heavy crops. The demand for grain cars bids fair to go beyond the supply.

THURSDAY, September 24th.
Republican responsibility for loss of the World's Fair to New York is being made the leading issue in the New York campaign by the democrats.

The Illinois democratic State central committee met at Chicago yesterday and endorsed Congressman W. M. Springer's candidacy for the speakership in the next Congress.

Experiments with the Dashiell four-inch gun show it to be the most rapid of rapid-firing guns in the world.

Governor Jackson is expected to return from his cruise with Governor McKinney on the bay and be in Annapolis today.

Deputy Sheriff Tracey brought to Baltimore county A. B. Donaldson, charged with kidnapping A. A. Marshall, and he was released on bail.

Judge Goldsborough having decided as untenable the claim in a habeas corpus case that the pound net law of Maryland is a restriction on patents for pound nets, the matter will be taken before Judge Bond in the United States Court.

Martin Heines disappeared June 7 from his home, near San Luis Obispo, Cal. Within the last few days his blankets and clothes were found sunk in a well. Fragments of flesh and bones were found buried in a hog wallow. A coroner's jury found he was murdered by John Silvia Gularte. The evidence tended to show that Gularte had killed Heines by shooting him in the back, chopping him up and fed the pieces to his hogs.

MY LAST ERRAND FOR MY FATHER.—Boys, I have a little story to tell you, the old doctor said to the young people the other evening. One day, a long, hot day it had been, I met my father on the road to town. "I wish you would take this package to the village for me, James," he said.

Now I was a boy of twelve, not over fond of work, and just out of the hay field, where I had been at work since daybreak. I was tired, dusty and hungry. I wanted to get my supper, and to wash and dress for singing school. My first impulse was to refuse. He was a gentle, patient old man. But something stopped me, my Guardian Angel, I think.

"Of course, father, I'll take it," I said heartily, giving the squire I was carrying to the man. He gave me the package. "Thank you, James," he said, "I was about to go myself, but somehow I don't feel strong to-day."

He walked with me to the road that turned off to the town. As we reached it we stopped, and before turning homeward he put his hand on my shoulder, saying again: "Thank you, my son. You have always been a good boy to me James."

I hurried to town and back again. When I came near the house I saw the farm hands near the door. One of them came to me, tears rolling down his face. "Your father," he said, "fell dead just as he reached the house. The last words he spoke were of you."

I am an old man now, but I have thanked God over and over again, in all these years that have passed since, that the last words my father spoke to me were, "You have always been a good boy."

Nobody ever yet was sorry for love or kindness shown to others. But there is no pang of remorse so keen as the bitterness with which we remember neglect or coldness, which we have shown to loved ones that are dead. In many families a habit of crossness and ill-nature gradually covers the real feeling of love that lies beneath. Do not begrudge loving deeds and kind words to those who gather with you about the same hearth; it is only a little while, after all, that we can be together.

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