Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY Morning, June 2nd.

County Convention.

The St. Mary's Democratic Convention was called to order at 2 P. M. Tuesday. Mr. Levi J. Wise was made temporary Chairman and Francis V. King Secretary. On motion, the following committee on credentials was appointed:

1st district, George C. Roach; 2nd, Jas. Redmond; 3rd, Jos. T. Gough; 4th, A. C. Welch; 5th, R. H. J. Magill; 6th, Clarence Thompson; 7th, T. G. Hodges; 8th, Chas. M. Bohanan; 9th, Joseph Poe.

The committee reported as follows:

LIST OF DELEGATES:

1st District—James H. Miles, R. P. McKay, Wm. Bayne, Jos. Biscoe, Dominick Haley, Geo. Roach, John H. Abell, Thos. Pembroke, Scott Hammett, J. Frank Smith.

2nd District—John S. Bean, William B. Redman, Dr. Henry Richardson, Benj. M. Springer, Wm. B. Adams, James Redman, Geo. R. Dent, Robt. M. Goode, Warren Adams, W. S. Coppage.

3rd District—Jos. T. Gough, Wellington S. Davis, Fred. H. Guy, John C. Cryer, Wm. V. Waters, Harry Spalding, Wm. C. Mattingly, Thos. J. Graves, Jas. J. Greenwell.

4th District—Jas. J. Gough, Robt. L. Lacey, J. C. Reeves, Zach P. Mattingly, A. C. Welch, N. L. Penn, Lewis K. Davis, Jno. K. Davis, O. G. Hayden, G. Douglas Carpenter.

5th District—Col. J. H. Sothoron, Jas. T. Harrison, Jas. T. Milburn, Milton Higgs, James Pilkerton, Chas. Herbert, Chapman Burroughs, R. E. Quade, R. H. J. Magill, Thomas H. Fowler.

6th District—Clarence Thompson, Wm. U. Goodwin, Alex. Hebb, John Ed. Raley, Jno. R. Garner, Rich. Forrest, S. James Muir, Thos. Dixon, John H. Buckler, F. X. Thompson.

7th District—Dr. R. P. Blakistone, John H. Oliver, C. A. Burch, R. H. Garner, T. Garner Hodgers, Jas. H. Bailey, Thos. W. Goode, Charles F. Bowling, Theo. Bailey, Jerry Gibson.

8th District—C. M. Bohanan, Elkanah Wise, Griffin Hebb, Geo. T. Casic, Benj. J. Shermantine, W. W. Cecil, Dave Hammett, M. L. Hammett, L. J. Wise, Walter Beebe.

9th District—W. F. Crowder, Jos. F. Robrecht, Jas. D. Hayden, Bennet R. Moore, Jas. F. Crowder, Jos. Poe, A. Mazingo, E. Trice, Shilling Simpkins, Alonzo Gibson.

The committee recommend for permanent officers: President, James J. Greenwell; Secretary, Francis V. King.

GEO. C. ROACH, Chairman.

On motion, a committee on resolutions, of one from each district, was appointed by the chair as follows:

1st, J. Frank Smith; 2nd, John S. Bean; 3rd, Harry Spalding; 4th, James J. Gough; 5th, James T. Harrison; 6th, F. X. Thompson; 7th, Charles A. Burch; 8th, Benj. J. Shermantine; 9th, Eugene Trice.

The committee retired and after a brief absence returned and reported the subjoined resolutions, which were signed by all the members except the Second district representative. The resolutions were carried by acclamation, the minority neither offering to amend nor calling for an aye and nay vote but contenting themselves with simply voting "no" on the motion to adopt. After the passage of the resolution the Convention adjourned. The reference in the resolutions to ex-President Cleveland was warmly applauded.

THE RESOLUTIONS:

We, the democratic party of St. Mary's county, in Convention assembled, do hereby reaffirm our faith in the principles of the great Democratic party of our country, and renew our fidelity to those principles as enunciated in the platforms of the National Democratic Conventions of 1884 and 1888.

We earnestly protest against the system of tariff taxation enacted by the 51st Congress of the United States, under Republican rule, known as the McKinley Law, as onerous, unequal and oppressive in its exactions, disastrous to the best interests of our common country and subversive of those principles of Government advocated by the founders of this great Republic and the framers of its Constitution.

We heartily denounce the attempt of the Republican party to destroy the freedom of the ballot box and the fairness of our elections, by the enactment of the odious and abhorrent Force Bill, by which it was designed to control the election of the people's representatives in the National Congress, by United States Marshals and Federal Supervisors appointed by a corrupt political party with the purpose of perpetuating the power of the Republican party over the administration of our National affairs.

We recognize in the Hon. Grover Cleveland, the greatest living exponent in this country of the principle of Tariff reform, which a great majority of the people of our country earnestly demand; we commend his honest, pure and fearless administration of the government of the United States from the 4th day of March, 1885, to the 4th day of March, 1889, under which peace reigned within our borders, the spirit of sectional hatred was banished, and all classes and conditions of our citizens prospered.

And, whereas, we have this day met in Convention as the representatives of the Democratic voters of St. Mary's county for the purpose of selecting three delegates to represent this county in the Democratic State Convention to be held at Baltimore on the 8th of June next, and three other delegates to represent the county in the Congressional Convention to be held at Laurel, Prince George's county, Maryland, on the 24th of August next.

Be it resolved, That L. J. W. Wisz, J. FRANK FORD and R. H. GARNER be selected as delegates to the State Convention and that S. I. WAILES, J. T. PARSONS and O. G. HAYDEN be selected as delegates to the Congressional Convention to represent St. Mary's county.

Picnic.

There will be an all day picnic at Mr. Samuel S. Rawleigh's beautiful Summer resort, June 15th instant, for the special benefit of St. Michal's Church. The choicest delicacies of the Season will be served in the very best style, and the confectionery tables will be replete with good things. Amusements, such as base-ball, croquet, swinging, &c., during the day, and dancing at night! Come one, come all! Do not forget Wednesday, June 15th. Dinner and Supper, each 50 cts.; Children, half price.

MRS. PHILO. HERBERT,
MRS. J. FRANK SMITH,
MRS. ANNIE S BENVILLE.
Committee.

The Bishop's Visitation.

There will be Divine Servicies at St. Andrew's Church on Monday, June 6th, proximo, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and at St. Peter's Church, in Leonardtown, at 8 p. m., also, Divine Service at All Saint's Church on Tuesday, June 7th, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and at Christ Church, Chaptico, in the afternoon of the same day.

The Right Rev. Wm. Paret, Bishop of Maryland, will conduct these services and administer the Holy Rite of Confirmation.

Base Balls and Bats at the Brown Store.

Organized for the Season of 1892.

At a well attended and very propitious meeting on Friday last, the Leonardtown Base-Ball Club organized for the coming season. The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and judging from the interest displayed by those present it is the forerunner of a season of good and successful ball playing for Leonardtown. The first steps at organization was the election of the directors for the ensuing year. Mr. C. M. Combs was re-elected Captain of the team for the year and Mr. F. Fenwick, Manager. Messrs. J. Greenwell and H. Fenwick, were chosen respectively, Secretary and Treasurer. After this preliminary work, a discussion of the general standing of the team was indulged in; the exchequer was found to be at low ebb; the make up of the team talked of and numerous plans proposed for the perfecting of the team. A keen desire was evinced by all present to make the team a strong one and to gain for it an enviable standing among the amateur teams of the State. The composition of the club, which follows, is, with one or two exceptions, about the same as of last year. The catchers are, F. Fenwick and F. Yates; pitchers, C. M. Combs and C. Gough; 1st base, B. Greenwell; 2nd base, J. Greenwell; 3rd base, G. Loker; short stop, P. H. Dorsey; right field, C. Gough; left field, H. Jones and center field, H. Fenwick. The above order, of course, will be subject to those changes that the success and strength of the team may require. The club this season will miss the services of R. Combs, the hardworking short stop, whose place will be filled by P. H. Dorsey. The new men on the team will be F. Yates and H. Jones, good material that may be wrought out. By hard practice and diligent attention to duty, it is reckoned, that the team will be as strong as that of last year and will retain that prestige already won on the diamond. The regular practice afternoon will be hereafter made known. The club is now anxious to arrange dates with all amateur teams throughout the State, Va., and the District of Columbia. C.

Lowuntown Locals.

We are pleased to understand that Messrs. Geo. H. Calvert and company, Southern Maryland Real Estate Agency, Washington, D. C., are endeavoring to bring to attention the advantages, etc., of the lands of St. Mary's county. If the most successful farmers of the county would co-operate, and occasionally ventilate their ideas through the local press in regard to the character of the lands, to what crops the same are best adapted, with their yield per acre, we entertain no doubt that the resources of the lands would prominently be brought to the attention of eager and cash paying purchasers. We know whereof we speak when we say that the quantity and quality of fruit and vegetables cannot be excelled. The land is generally adaptep to grasses; consequently, stock raising could be made profitable. We can conscientiously say in regard to the healthfulness of the section in which we have resided since our release from prison at Point Lookout in '65 that we have suffered very little with what is commonly called ague and fever, the maximum number of chills being three. Imprudence, perhaps, was the cause of these.

Thousands of tobacco plants have been set out recently, and general farm work is being pushed.

The steamer Sue makes regular trips to Benville's, Miller's and Jones' wharves, and we believe much freight is shipped to Baltimore from them.

Few fish are caught at present as their movements are so extremely erratic that the owners of nets are sorely puzzled when and where to locate them.

Strawberries and cherries are ripe, and they are really palatable notwithstanding frequent rains.

Much preparation is being made for Summer boarders by Mrs. Kate E. Dunbar, Thos. Pembroke, J. S. Jarboe and S. L. Rawleigh, Esqrs.

Hon. J. Q. A. Robson, Police Commissioner, Baltimore, Md., paid a brief visit to the district a few days ago.

Mr. Brownly, our poultry fancier, seems to be very successful with his incubators. He is a Baltimorean, and is thoroughly versed in the business which occupies his time, attention, &c.

Messrs. Allen C. Tyler and Aleck Tennisson are erecting each a store-house in their respective neighborhoods.

We understand that Misses. Ella and Kate Clarke, Miss Hollie Gail and Miss Raley—teacher of Scotland school—have signified their willingness to form themselves in an association at an early day with the view of caring for the Confederate Cemetery near Point Lookout. The action of these ladies should be an incentive for others to join and the Association would soon become numerically strong and correspondingly influential. Every step of active goodness is, in some measure, its own reward.

Merchants have filled their stores with goods and the ensuing holidays will be a gala time for them. The air is already redolent with the aroma of the "Cow Boy" cigar, which is presented to every customer who is supposed to vote according to the principles, "I am a bird, look at my wings: I am a mouse, long live the rats!"

AZZANA.

Briefs.

Col. Parry Lee Downs and family are visiting at Moore's Hotel.

Sarah Hanson, colored, died Thursday, May 26, 1892, aged about 85 years.

Recently, dogs killed for Mr. Oscar G. Hayden, of Chaptico, 10 sheep and 7 lambs, valued at about $100.

In Washington city, on the 14th of May, ultimo, Joseph Crandling, of Washington, was married to Miss Bertie Davis, of this county.

To make room for the Laws we have been compelled to hold over for a future issue several mortuary tributes and communications.

Our thanks are tendered Mr. Duke Bond for an invitation to attend the graduating exercises of the Class of 1892 Law School of the University of Maryland.

Cornelia Anderson, wife of William H. Anderson, of the 5th district, was brought to jail Tuesday last by officer Chapman B. Barber. She is said to be insane.

The good driving of James Gordon, colored, last Wednesday brought a runaway to stand at State's Attorney Camalier's office and perhaps prevented serious damage.

Violations of the law in the village of Leonardtown are now before the proper officers and we hope and trust that the law's majesty will be vindicated and justice be done.

With this issue we complete the publication of the General Laws which were ordered to be published. We hope they will be generally read. The Law of Estrays is of special interest to our community. It is Chapter 593.

[COMMUNICATED.

BALTIMORE, May 28, 1892.

"Coming events cast their shadows before."

These words of the poet are as true of the democratic situation to-day as they were before Cullonden's bloody field, and unless we heed them may be as portentious in their results. That the sentiment of prominent and thoughtful democrats everywhere is fast crystalizing around Senator Gorman as the most available candidate for the Presidency the coming Fall is becoming apparent to all. His broad statesmanship in handling the many grave and momentous questions that have agitated the country, some of them as grave as any that ever engaged the attention of the Congress of the U. S. or demanded the exercise of the most lofty statesmanship. His thorough Americanism and unflinching democracy; his great popularity and strength in New York and every other section of the country; and last, but not least, his matchless leadership in State and National politics and on the floor of the Senate in one of the most momentous contests ever waged before that august body mark him as the best equipped man to lead us this Fall against the intrenched hordes of Republicanism, centralization and oppression now holding the reins of government and which they will use every means within their reach to perpetuate. It will require, in my opinion, the very best efforts of the Democrats and the strongest man they can name at Chicago to dislodge them. But in Mr. Gorman we have the man, and thinking Democrats everywhere are turning to him to lead us to victory. Maryland Democrats are proud of her great son and will send to Chicago a delegation favorable to his nomination to the high office for which he has been so prominently named by the ablest and most thoughtful democrats in and out of Congress. These are the men that know most of his great qualifications and availability, and their indorsement of him for the office of President in this great crisis of the party is the highest encomium that can be passed on his great service. With him as our standard bearer our march will be on to victory, and we will again place our flag on guard at the White House, and in due time in both Houses of Congress. Then will our pledges to the people be redeemed and the agricultural, mechanical and other great industries of the country blossom forth in full fruition under a government "economically administered by the people, for the people" and for the "greatest good to the greatest number."

"Prone to the dust oppression shall be hurled,
Her name, her nature withered from the world."

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New Advertisements.

Wanted—A chambermaid—white or colored. Apply at Moore's Hotel.
June 2—1mj

Excursion of the Steamer Sue.

THE STEAMER SUE WILL MAKE the Excursion of the Season on

WEDNESDAY, the 22d of June, 1892,

leaving Leonardtown at 10 A. M. sharp, stopping at Abell's and Piney Point wharves, and arriving at Brome's wharf at 1 o'clock, P. M., in time for the closing Exercises of the St. Mary's Female Seminary, which will be held in the New Hall. After the close of the Exercises the "Sue" will make a run to the Bay, returning in time for the evening's entertainment at the Seminary. She will leave the Seminary at 2 P. M. THURSDAY, the 23rd, reaching Leonardtown in time to resume her regular trip to Baltimore that morning at 6 A. M. The programme will be literally adhered to. Don't forget the excursion of the season! Every convenience provided for excursionist. Tickets, adults 50 cents; children 25 cents. June 2—3t.

LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION.

OFFICE CLERK CIRCUIT COURT
ST. MARY'S COUNTY,
MAY 31ST, 1892.

No 7.

Notice is hereby given that the following named person have filed application for License to sell spirituous and fermented liquors, for one year from May 1st, 1892.

Applicant: Thomas William Goode, Dynard, St. Mary's county, Md

Freeholders Recommending: J H Oliver, P H Dorsey, O G Hayden, J P Greenwell, R P Blakistone, Jas J Alvey, John F Mattingly, James T Blair, Ign E Mattingly, Jeremiah Gibson.

And that unless cause be shown in writing to the contrary on or before the 13th day of June, 1892, the license applied for will be issued, provided the applicant complies with the requirements of law.

JAMES J. GREENWELL,
Clerk Circuit Court,
St. Mary's County, Md.
June 2—2w.

WANTED.—A woman to do cooking and general house work. Apply at this Office.
May 26—1mt

Wanted at Susquehanna 1,000 hands to pick Peas, Tomatoes and Peaches. 54,700 trees that the fruit must be taken from; 200 acres of tomatoes to pick and also 300 acres of Peas. Thirty quick, steady and reliable women wanted for Factory; also 100 hands in peeling shed. Will be ready to furnish 500 people with work about May 19th to 22nd.

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May 26—2t.

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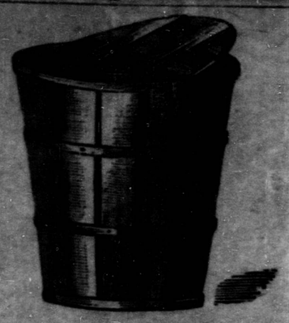

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Standard Quarts and Square Pints, per 1000 for 1000 to 24,000, $5 00
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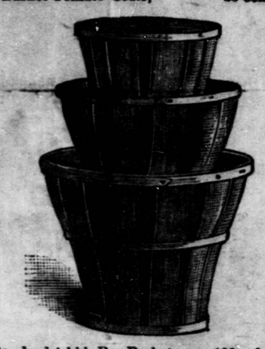
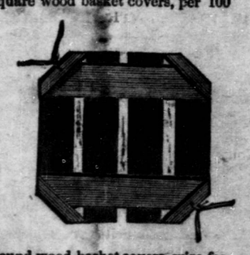
Suldes, Skins, Thirds, etc., per 1000 $5 25
Veneer Till Baskets, all sizes, $15 00

8, 14, 16, 18 Quart Peach Baskets.

32 qt Standard Crate, made up complete, each,	50 cents
60 qt Standard Crate, made up complete, each,	75 cents
16 qt Gift Grape Crates, made up or in flat K D	20 cents
24 qt Gift Grape Crates, made up or in flat K D	25 cents
32 qt ditto, ditto, ditto,	32 cents
36 qt ditto, ditto, ditto,	35 cents
6 and 8 Basket Gift Crates, K D	25 cents
4 Basket Gift Crates, in flat, K D	16 cents
6 Basket Tomato Crate,	25 cents



Standard ½ bbl. Pea Baskets, per 100	$12
Standard ½ bush. Peach Baskets, per 100	$5
" ½ bush Peach Baskets, per 100	$5
" 12 qt Peach Baskets, per 100	$6
" 14 qt Peach Baskets, per 100	$6
5 lb grape hand baskets, per 1000	$40
10 lb grape hand baskets, per 1000	$45
15 lb grape hand baskets, per 1000	$50
Square wood basket covers, per 100	$2



Round wood basket covers, wire fastening, per 100, $2

32 qt Crate partitions or slats, per 100	$3
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FOR THE SENATE.

MESSRS. Editors:—Please announce DR. R. PINKNEY BLAKISTONE as a candidate for a seat in the next Senate.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

May 5 '92—*

PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS.

CHAPTER 593.

AN ACT to repeal Sections one, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, article Thirty-four, entitled "Estrays vessels adrift, drift logs," subtitle, "Estrays" and 8 A, thereof as enacted by Chapter Two hundred and fifty-two of the acts of Assembly of Eighteen hundred and ninety, entitled an act to add an additional Section to article Thirty-four of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Estrays vessels adrift, drift logs," subtitle, "Estrays," to be numbered Eight A, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections one, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, article Thirty-four entitled "Estrays, vessels adrift, drift logs," sub-title, "Estrays," and eight A, thereof as enacted by Chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the acts of Assembly of Eighteen hundred and ninety entitled an act to add an aditional Section to article Thirty-four of the Code of Public General Laws, title estrays, vessels adrift, drift logs, sub-title estrays, to be numbered eight A, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted as follows.

1. That the owner or occupant of any enclosure who may find any horse, hog, sheep, cow or any other domestic animal, the owner of which is not known trespassing within the said enclosed premises, he shall immediately, or within a reasonable time thereafter cause a notice to be inserted in some newspaper published in the County where such estray is taken containing a description of the same, and the location of the enclosure upon which such estray was taken, and the name of the owner or occupant thereof, and cause written or printed copies of such notice to be set up in not less than three public places in the neighborhood.

2. That if there be no newspaper published in the County where such estray shall have been taken up, or if the value thereof shall not exceed fifteen dollars, the newspaper publication provided for in the foregoing section, may be omitted provided written or printed notices be given as required by section one and that the valuation of the estray be ascertained by appraisement and in good faith by the person taking the same.

3. That if the owner of an estray demands it and shall prove by one creditable witness examined before a Justice of the Peace of the county, his title thereto, the same shall be delivered to him upon his paying the expenses incurred by the person taking up and keeping the same including the cost of advertising.

4. That if no person claims an estray within thirty days after the same shall be so advertised as aforesaid, then the person taking up the same, shall apply to a Justice of the Peace of the County, who upon being satisfied that the notices heretofore directed have been given shall order him to sell the same at public auction, on ten days notice to be set up at three of the most public places of the neighborhood, and after deducting from the proceeds of sale all expenses incident to taking up, keeping, advertising and selling the same, the residue shall be retained by the person selling the same unless the owner of such estray shall within twelve months from time of sale, claim such residue and prove before some Justice of the Peace that he is entitled thereto.

5. That if any person shall take up an estray and shall fail to comply with the provisions of the preceding sections he shall forfeit and pay ten dollars as well as his interest in said estray.

6. That if the owner or occupant of any enclosure, who may find any horse, sheep, hog, cow or other domestic animal trespassing upon the said enclosed premises the owner of which is known, he may impound the same and have the damages valued on oath by two disinterested citizens of the county, and after so doing shall give notice to the owner thereof of his having impounded the same and the amount of damages ascertained, and unless the said damages and a reasonable compensation for feeding the property impounded are paid or tendered him may after giving ten days notice, exclusive of the days of sale and the day of impounding describing the property, and stating the time and place of sale to be posted at three or more public places in the neighborhood, sell the same by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, and after deducting from the proceeds of sale, the amount of damages valued to him and a reasonable compensation for keeping the said property while impounded he shall pay over the residue when demanded to the owner thereof.

7. The word enclosure in the preceding sections shall be constructed to mean a common law enclosure and not an actual enclosure.

8. That Dorchester, Caroline, Garrett, Montgomery, and Prince George's counties be and the same is hereby excluded from the operations of the preceding sections.

SEC. 2 And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates
Approved by the Governor.
April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 443.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments, sections one hundred and thirty-nine to one hundred and forty-one, inclusive, of article twenty-seven of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Health, Hours of Labor of Children."

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That sections one hundred and thirty-nine to one hundred and forty-one, inclusive, of Article twenty-seven of the Code of Public General Laws, title, "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title, Health, Hours of Labor of Children," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted, so as to read as follows:

139. No child under sixteen years of age shall be employed in laboring more than ten hours a day in any manufacturing business or factory established in any part of the State, or in any mercantile business in the City of Baltimore.

140. Any person who shall so employ a Child or suffer or permit such employment is guilty of a misdemeanor.

141. The word "suffer or permit," includes every act or omission, whereby it becomes possible for the Child to engage in such labor.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CRLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
Approved by the Governor,
April 7th 1892.

CHAPTER 540.

AN ACT to repeal chapter seventeen of the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session Eighteen hundred and ninety-two, entitled an act to add two additional sections to Article twenty-seven of the Code of Public General Laws, title Crimes and Punishments, sub-title Railroad obstructing, to follow section two hundred and thirty-one, and to be known as sections two hundred and thirty-one A, and two hundred and thirty-one B.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That chapter seventeen of the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session Eighteen hundred and ninety-two, entitled an act to add two additional sections to article twenty-seven of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Railroad obstructing," to be known as section two hundred and thirty one A, and two hundred and thirty-one B, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January. Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Dele gates
Approved by the Governor,
April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 546.

AN ACT to repeal section 234 of article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws, title Crimes and Punishments, sub title Receiving stolen goods, money or securities, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section 234 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws, title Crimes and Punishments, sub-title Receiving stolen goods, money or securities, be and the same is hereby repealed and reenacted so as to read as follows:

234. Every person who shall be convicted of the crime of receiving any stolen money, goods or chattels, knowing the same to be stolen, or of the crime of receiving any bond, bill obligatory, bill of exchange, promisory note for the payment of money, bank note, paper bill of credit, certificate granted by or under the authority of this State, or the United States, or any of them, knowing the same to be stolen, shall restore such money, goods or chattels or things taken and received to the owner thereof, or make restitution to the value of the whole, or such part as shall not be restored and shall undergo a confinement in the Penitentiary for not less than eighteen months and not more than ten (10) years, and such receiver may be prosecuted and punished and although the principal offenders shall not have been convicted, provided however, that in all cases where the stolen money, goods or chattels or things received shall amount to less than fifty dollars in value, the Judge passing sentence shall have discretionary power to sentence the said person so found guilty to imprisonment in Jail or in the House of Correction, instead of the Penitentiary.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
Approved by the Governor.
April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 571.

AN ACT to repeal Section Thirty-two of article Ninety-three title "Testamentary Law," sub title "Administration" of the Code of the Public General Laws and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, that Section Thirty-two of article Ninety-three title "Testamentary Law," sub-title "Administration" of the Code of Public General Laws, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

32. If the intestate be a married woman, and shall leave no child or children or descendants all her personal property including therein all choses in action, shall devolve upon her husband absolutely, and it shall not in such case be necessary for him to administer upon her estate in order to pass title to him, unless he shall be liable in law for debts owing by her, but no title whatever to such personal property or choses in action shall pass to the said husband when administration is not necessary except by an order of the Orphans' Court declaring the same. Upon application of the said husband the court shall pass an order nisi, which shall be published in such manner and for such time as the court in its discretion may prescribe, and which after the expiration of said notice shall be finally ratified by said court unless cause to the contrary has been shown, but if the intestate be a married woman, and leave a child or children or descendants her personal estate including all choses in action, shall devolve upon administrator or administrators, and the surplus of her estate shall be distributed by the Orphans' Court to the husband for his life and no longer, and after his death then to her children and descendants, per stripes, and it shall be the duty of the Orphans' Court granting the said administration to direct the mode in which the said estate shall be interested so as best to secure the rights of children or others interested after the expiration of the life estate; and the whole of the said personal estate shall be subject to the orders of the Orphans' Court, and shall not be disposed of by the administrator except by virtue of an order or a decree duly passed by said Court.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
Approved by the Governor,
April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 507.

AN ACT to repeal section 45 of article 9 of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled Claimants to property and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section 45 of article 9 of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Claimants of property" be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Section 45. Whenever an attachment or execution shall be levied upon any personal property, goods or chattels, which may be claimed by a person or corporation other than the defendant in such attachment or execution such person or corporation may file a petition under oath, with the court before whom such attachment or execution is returnable setting forth clearly the character and origin of his or hers or its claim to the property so levied upon, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the clerk to docket a suit against both the plaintiff and defendant in such attachment or execution and issue a summons directed to said plaintiff and defendant, giving notice of such claim and returnable to the next succeeding rule day or term of said court. If such claimant shall establish the validity of his, her or its claim to said property cost shall be awarded to said claimant and said claimant shall also be entitled to recover damages in such suit for the wrong and injury done to him, her or it by reason of such seizure and detention of his, hers or its property.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
Approved by the Governor,
April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 518.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact section sixty-four of article eighty one of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title Revenue and Taxes.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section sixty-four of article eighty one of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows, viz:

64. Whenever a sale of either real or personal property, upon which taxes are due and payable, shall be made by any ministerial officer, under judicial process or otherwise, all sums due and in arrear for taxes, upon such property, from the party whose property is sold, shall be first paid and satisfied, and the officer or person selling shall pay the same to the collector of the county or city, if any, or to the treasurer, if there be no collector.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
Approved by the Governor,
April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 545.

AN ACT to amend article twenty seven of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Counterfeiting and Forgery," by adding a new section thereto, to follow Section forty six and to be designated as Section forty six A, and to be under the title of "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Counterfeiting and Forgery."

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That article twenty seven of the Code of Public General Laws is amended by the addition of a new section to follow Section forty six and to be numbered Section forty six A, under the title of "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title, "Counterfeiting and Forgery," and to read as follows:

46 A. If any person shall falsely make, alter, forge or counterfeit, or cause or procure to be falsely made, altered, forged or counterfeited, or shall willingly aid or assist in falsely making, altering, forging or counterfeiting, or shall utter or pass, knowing it to be falsely made, altered, forged or counterfeited, any order, paper, letter, writing, prescription, recipe, or other device, purporting to have been made by a regular practicing physician, for any drugs, medicines, spirituous or fermented liquors, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction in any court in this State, shall be sentenced to the Jail, House of Correction or Penitentiary for not less than six months nor more than two years, in the discretion of the court. If upon trial of any person, charged with, or indicted for, such misdemeanor, it shall appear that he paid for, or offered or promised to pay for, the drugs, medicine, spirituous liquor of fermented liquor obtained by means of such falsely made, altered, forged or counterfeited order, paper, letter, writing, prescription, recipe, or other device, purporting to have been made by a regular practicing physician, he shall not by reason thereof be acquitted of such misdemeanor.

SECTION 2. And be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
Approved by the Governor,
April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 557.

AN ACT to repeal section 196 of article 93 of the Code of Public General Laws, subtitle "Guardians and infants not residing in this State," and re-enact the same with amendment.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section one hundred and ninety six (196) of article ninety three (93) of the Code of Public General Laws of this State be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

196. If any non resident infant shall be entitled to any legacy, bequest or distributive share, or to the proceeds of any sale made under a decree of a court of equity or to any money or personal property in the hands of a trustee appointed by will, or shall be entitled to the proceeds of sale of property in this State, or to any legacy, bequest or distributive share of any personal property in the hands of any administrator or guardian in this State, and such infant has a guardian regularly appointed in the State, district or territory of the United States in which such infant resides, such foreign guardian may obtain an order from the proper court for the payment, transfer or delivery of such proceeds, legacy bequest or distributive share upon the terms prescribed in the next two succeeding sections.

Section 2. And be it enacted that this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1892.

W. G. PURNELL,
Secretary of the Senate.
CARLTON SHAFER,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
Approved by the Governor, April 7, 1892.

CHAPTER 586.

AN ACT to amend the Code of Public General Laws, article Forty five, title Husband and Wife by adding an additional Section thereto to be known as Section Twenty under the sub-title of an act to quiet the title to property passing from Husband to Wife.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That article Forty five of the Code of Public General Laws of Marytand title Husband and Wife be amended by adding an additional Section thereto to be known as Section Twenty under sub-title of an act to quiet the title to property passing from Husband and Wife and to read as follows:

SECTION 20. That whenever any interest or estate of any kind in any property, real, personal or mixed, situate, lying or being within this State has been or shall hereafter be sold, conveyed, assigned, mortgaged, leased, transferred or delivered by any husband, directly or indirectly, to his wife, and has been or shall hereafter be subsequently sold, conveyed, assigned, mortgaged, leased, transferred or delivered by such Wife and Husband during their