

Saint Mary's Beacon. COUNTY NEWS.

On September 2nd, a round gold breast-plate, studded with pearls. Finner will please leave it at Moore's Hotel.

The score of the recent game between Lovell and Sand Gates follows. Our correspondent did not send a description of the game, and hence we are unable to note the good plays.

The appointment by the State board of public works of O. L. Crowder to command the local oyster boat in St. Mary's river will leave a vacancy as pilot on the State steamer Governor Thomas, for which place W. K. Watts, an experienced steamboat man, is mentioned. "Uncle Billy Watts" was mate on the Thomas under Captains Griffith and Loker.—Sun.

Edward Richardson, colored, who shot Quartermaster Wessells of the Steamer Sea, September 2nd instant, will not be brought to St. Mary's for trial. Section 291 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws says: "Any person who may commit any indictable offense on a steamboat or railroad train within the State of Maryland may be presented, indicted, tried and convicted in any county or city from, to, or through which the said boat or train may run, &c., but such presentation, indictment and trial shall be in the same county and city in which such Justice of the peace shall be." Richardson was taken before a Baltimore city magistrate, and will have to be tried there. State's Attorney Camiller went to Baltimore in connection with this case and was present at the preliminary hearing.

The issue who are brought to our county hall should be given a jury at once and be returned therefrom as speedily as possible. Nearly two weeks will elapse between the incarceration and trial of the colored woman Beckie Adams. The motive for the delay—to avoid expense—is a good one, but it seems to us that the expense of a de bono inquisition is unnecessarily large and we have never been able to see why St. Mary's jurors in such cases should be allowed \$250 and the jurors of Charles county, in the same circuit, be paid only 50 cents. The allowance in one or the other of the counties is wrong. If it be wrong here it should be reduced and these poor unfortunates be tried, if possible, the day after their commitment. Jurors at inquests upon dead bodies are only allowed 50 cents and in these cases they usually have to go some distance to serve. We invite the attention of our honorable Judges to this matter and hope that they will lay down the proper rule to be pursued.

When you come to town don't forget that Spalding & Viett is still selling old Virginia whisky at 5 cents a glass; and, remember, you cannot make any mistake by coming, for all kinds of drinks are five cents and good as any in town. If you should also feel hungry, you can be accommodated with oysters in any style.

Mr. Charles P. Abell has opened an oyster-house in Boyd's Restaurant and is prepared to furnish fine oysters in all styles at moderate prices.

Experiment in the cultivation and curing of tobacco are being conducted this season in the counties of Anne Arundel, Calvert, St. Mary's, Charles, Prince George's and Montgomery, under the supervision of the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station. The station has secured the services of two experts in the process of fine-cutting tobacco, as practiced successfully in lower Virginia and North Carolina. One of these curers is located at the farm of Mr. J. Benson Posey, near Mt. Harmony P. O. in Calvert county, where the Experiment Station last year erected a patent Snob tobacco barn, and the other is at the place of Mr. J. Marshall Chapman, near La Plata, Charles county, where a curing-house was also fitted up last year.

These practical illustrations of the improved processes of curing tobacco by artificial heat will begin about the first of September, and continue during the greater part of the month. It is hoped by the officers of the Experiment Station, who have instituted these experiments, that the tobacco growers within reach of the places mentioned, will be interested in this work and will avail themselves of the opportunity of seeing more or less of what is done there. Visitors will be welcomed at either place during any day while the work is in progress and may feel entirely free to ask as many questions as they please of the men in charge of the curing.

Leontown Local. (From our Regular Correspondent.) Oystermen are looking forward to the future harvest of dimes and dollars with a pleasing mixture of certainty and hope. Farmers are securing an excellent quality of fodder and tops. Corn will meet their expectations so far as the yield is considered, and tobacco, we are assured, is good. Mrs. Susan McKay, an estimable old lady, died at her residence near the Pine 10th instant. One by one the old landmarks are disappearing. Her soul we trust has gone to that region where it is "safe from disease and decline."

The oriole and martin have taken their flight to a warmer climate, and ere many weeks ducks and geese from where the frost-kings reign supreme will make their appearance to the delight of sportsmen. Several artesian wells have been bored in St. Inigo's neck, and the water is said to be limpid and very palatable. A peculiar feature of one of the wells is that it is controlled by the ebb and flow of the tides, notwithstanding it is at least 200 feet below the bed of the river. The depths of the wells are 240 and 307 feet.

There was Mass at St. Michael's, and preaching at Friendship-M. E. Church last Sunday. It appears that there is a demand for preachers, popular as orators. We presume that Felix anticipated an intellectual feast, when Paul was brought before him, was not the apostle learned and eloquent? Felix perhaps knew this and erroneously entertained the idea that Paul would fear to meddle with the conscience of his judge. How disappointed was he when righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come was preached.

The wind is blowing from the South, and weather prophets are predicting rain at an early day. It is greatly needed, for not much following has been done to date. Time and patience works wonders, and it should be borne in mind that "The mind is its own place, and of itself Can make a heaven of hell, a hell of heaven."

Localwise and Otherwise. Don't omit to read the tariff articles and other matter on our outside pages. School trustees are now required to take an oath of office. See advertisement. The public schools will re-open Monday next, the 19th instant. See advertisement.

George Neal, colored, has been appointed trustee of colored school, No. 2, Fifth Election district, vice—Handy. Ex-Sheriff Wathen is enlarging and otherwise improving his residence on "Hampton" in Britton's Neck.

The commission of S. Chapman Thompson, as Sheriff vice F. Xavier Thompson, resigned, has been received and the Judge is now Sheriff.

The Ladies of the Immaculate Conception Church, Mechanicville, contemplate giving a dinner in that village, on October 5th, for the benefit of their church. Don't forget that next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be Registration days and that only those whose names are upon the books will be allowed to vote.

Mr. J. J. Abell thought that the land should be ploughed very shallow, and if there was a heavy growth on the land it was useless to fallow with the expectation of getting a good crop from same. The President named Mr. W. Gough's for the October meeting place and would remain the members to meet at 2 o'clock on the evenings are growing short. W. S. Davis, J. S. Alvey and J. C. Cryer were appointed as the examining committee, and the subject for the next meeting ploughing, and whether fall or spring ploughing the best.

The club was then invited to partake of refreshments, which were very nice and enjoyed by all. A vote of thanks was tendered the host and hostess for their kind reception. J. C. Cryer, Secretary.

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1892 FALL SCHEDULE. Weems' Steamboat Co. PATUXENT RIVER ROUTE. On and after Saturday, September 10th, STEAMER ST. MARY'S will leave Pier 2, Light Street, every Saturday and Wednesday at 8:30 a. m. for Fair Haven, Plum Point, Governor's Run and Patuxent River, as far up as Benedict. Returning, will leave Benedict every Monday and Thursday at 8:30 a. m., Saturday at 10 a. m., and Fair Haven at 10 a. m., and Fair Haven at 2:30 p. m. for Baltimore.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Orphans' Court of St. Mary's County, Oct. 9, 1892. Ordered by the Court that Henry F. Spalding, Executor ZACH. T. SPALDING, dec'd, file of St. Mary's County, Maryland, a notice to creditors to exhibit their claims and that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the St. Mary's Beacon.

PHILIP H. DORSEY, Register Wills for St. Mary's county. NOTICE. In pursuance of the above order, I hereby give notice that I have obtained from the Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of Zach. T. Spalding, 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 15th day of February, 1893, they will otherwise be excluded from the benefits of the said estate. All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber. HENRY F. SPALDING, Executor. Aug 11—6w

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