

Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY Morning February 21.

The country at large and the States of Maryland and Indiana in particular have sustained a serious loss by the recent deaths of Ex-Mayor Hodges, of Baltimore, and Ex-Gov. Isaac P. Gray of Indiana. Both were good men and true Democrats.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

From the Baltimore Sun.

Friday, February 15, 1895.

Tongers are at work through the ice catching oysters in Talbot waters, which command \$1.50 a gallon.

The Easton Gazette office and the Adams Express office, in Easton were destroyed by fire and a dwelling-house damaged.

The republicans and populists of the North Carolina House of Delegates have split on the 6 per cent interest bill and are saying bitter things about each other.

Snow fell yesterday in New Orleans and in many parts of Texas. At San Antonio the snow was six inches deep, the heaviest ever known there. It was twelve inches deep at Galveston.

The joint commission of the Protestant Episcopal Church on the constitution and canons is still in session in New York, but it is understood that nothing has yet been done in regard to transplanting the primus to Washington beyond the presentation of two reports, one by Bishop Paret adverse to action and the other by Dr. Hall Harrison in favor. The division of the Diocese of Maryland is believed to be very improbable.

Saturday, February 16, 1895. The proposition to purchase the Appomattox battle-field for a national park is taking form.

Commander Lamberton was notified that Smith's Point lighthouse, at mouth of the Potomac river, has been carried away by ice.

Captain Mann of the Atlantic Transport Line steamer Menantic, states that the gulf stream has been deflected more than 100 miles to the westward.

New Orleans was snow-bound yesterday, business being suspended in the streets and on the exchanges. The races was postponed on account of the snow.

Governor Brown has made his selection to fill the vacant commissionership in Charles county, but the Court of Appeals decides the pending case.

The finance committee of the United States Senate reported favorably House bill repealing the one-tenth of a cent discriminating duty on sugar imported from bounty producing countries.

Business was practically suspended in Atlanta and Savannah yesterday on account of the snow, which is the heaviest in the memory of the present generation. Two children died in Augusta, Ga., from exposure. Cattle are dying of cold. Early vegetables have been killed.

Monday, February 18, 1895. Seventy-eight convicts were confirmed in the Protestant faith in the chapel of the Maryland penitentiary.

A large stable and an adjoining building were burned in Easton and the town had a narrow escape from a serious conflagration.

Old Plantation lighthouse, near the mouth of Chesapeake bay, has been abandoned and has been almost overturned by the ice.

Reports from various parts of Maryland, Delaware and Pennsylvania report that many peach trees have been blighted or killed by the cold weather of February.

Dr. V. P. Clayton, of Columbia, S. C., is experimenting with cottonseed meal as food for human beings. Mixed with cornmeal, he says, it makes a most palatable bread.

The Forbestown stage was robbed three miles from Oroville, Cal., Saturday by a lone highwayman armed with a shotgun. The treasure box was taken and the two passengers robbed of \$140. In all about \$400 was secured.

Tuesday, February 19, 1895. The House passed a bill to increase the pension rate of Mexican war veterans to \$12 per month.

Reports from the Patuxent and Choptank rivers show that many vessels are frozen up there in solid ice.

Five men were killed and six others dangerously wounded by an explosion of gas in West Bear Ridge mine, at Mahanoy, Pa., yesterday.

The railroad station at Loretto and the dwelling and barn of John H. Shockey were burned in Somerset county, the family barely escaping with their lives.

Mrs. Julia C. Blackburn, Mrs. Zane and Miss Madeline Pollard are the principal parties in a suit brought by a Washington tailor for damages on allegation of false arrest.

DIED.
Departed this life Wednesday, Feb. 15, 1895, ROBERT H. HIGGS, in the 66th year of his age. May he rest in peace!
It is not death to die,
To leave the weary road,
And 'midst the brotherhood on high
To be at home with God.
It is not death to close
The eye long dimmed by tears,
And wake to glorious repose
To spend eternal years.
It is not death to bear
The wretch that sets us free
From dungeon chains, to breathe the air
Of boundless liberty.
It is not death to sing
Aside this sinful line,
And rise, on strong, exulting wings,
To live among the just. DEKOR.

New Advertisements.

PINEY POINT, MD.
SWANN'S 9th Annual Wild Duck Supper on **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22nd, 1895.** Admission, 50 cents. Feb 21-1t.

Wanted For Cash.
Antique Old Sideboards, with long legs, Round Front Benches, Brass Front Fenders, Andirons.
WILLIAM MULCRONE,
505 Albemarle Street,
Baltimore, Md.

Notice of Partition of Real Estate.
The undersigned, Commissioners appointed by the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, in the cause No. 76 N. E., in which Frank Hume and Leonora G. Hume are plaintiffs and Henry V. Mussey is defendant, to value and divide the Real Estate in said county, mentioned and described, called and known by the name of "POINT LOOKOUT," located in the First Election District of Saint Mary's county, in the State of Maryland, containing in the aggregate, 22 acres and 40 rods, do hereby give notice to all concerned that we will meet on the aforesaid premises on

THURSDAY, the 25th day of April, 1895, at 11 o'clock, a. m., to proceed in the business for which we are appointed.
WM. A. LANGLEY,
HENRY CLAY CLARKE,
JOHN V. RICHARDSON,
JOHN E. LITTLER,
WM. R. PEMBROKE,
Commissioners.

CLOSE OF LEVY.

Office of County Commissioners, Leonardtown, Feb. 20, 1895.

Notice is hereby given, That all accounts against St. Mary's county must be filed in this office on or before

TUESDAY, the 9th day of April, 1895, or the same will be excluded from the levy of the present year.
By order,
T. LEE MATTINGLY,
Clerk.

OUT-PENSIONERS.

Office of County Commissioners, Leonardtown, Feb. 20, 1895.

Notice is hereby given, That the County Commissioners of St. Mary's county will meet on

TUESDAY, April 9, 1895, to strike the name of all Out-Pensioners from the Pension List of said county, for the purpose of revising and correcting said list. Names of worthy and deserving persons will be reinstated on said list upon the filing of a petition signed by at least three taxpayers.

By order,
T. LEE MATTINGLY,
Clerk.

NOTICE.

Office of County Commissioners, Leonardtown, Feb. 20, 1895.

The County Commissioners for St. Mary's county will meet in their office, in the Court House, for the purpose of noting

TRANSFERS, ADDITIONS and ABATEMENTS on the first three days of March Term of the Circuit Court, being the 18th, 19th, 20th days of March, 1895.

Notice is also given, That on the same day they will consider the records furnished to them by the Clerk of the Circuit and Register of Wills, for the purpose of assessing judgments obtained from 1st January, 1894, to 1st January, 1895, and to note additions and transfers to deceased's estates. All persons interested are notified to appear either in person or by attorney. Persons interested will please take notice.

By order,
T. LEE MATTINGLY,
Clerk.

Notice To Creditors.

Orphans' Court of St. Mary's County, Sect., February 12, 1895.

Ordered, That that Jane E. Herbert, administratrix of John C. Herbert, late of St. Mary's county, 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: PHILIP H. DORSEY,
Register Wills for St. Mary's county.

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 JOHN C. HERBERT, 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 subscriber, on or before the 14th day of August, 1895, 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.

JANE E. HERBERT,
Administratrix.

More's 27th Annual Supper
WILL TAKE PLACE ON
MONDAY, February 25th, 1895.
TURKEY, STUFFED HAM, OYSTERS, WILD DUCKS, and all the delicacies of the season.
The public are invited. Tickets, 50 cts. There will be dancing after the supper.
HERBERT F. MOORE,
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BARCAINS!
For the next sixty days we will sell
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Groceries as cheap as can be bought anywhere in the county.
NORRIS BROS.,
Feb 7-1m

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Feb. 21-1t

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If you have any horses to sell, ship them to us, but remember when they go up at auction you must take the highest dollar bid, no matter how valuable an animal is.
Jan. 10, 1895-3m.

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Repairing, painting and trimming a specialty.
P. T. S. PRICE,
June 7-1t.

FOR SHERIFF.
Messrs. Editors:—Please announce G. DORR, LAS CARPENTER, of the fourth district, as a candidate for sheriff, and say he will be supported by the
23d DISTRICT.

Notice To Creditors.

Orphans' Court of St. Mary's County, Sect., Jan. 1, 1895.
Ordered by the Court, That Wm. S. Coppage, administrator of Geo. S. Leverage, late of St. Mary's County, 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: PHILIP H. DORSEY,
Register Wills for St. Mary's county.

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 GEO. S. LEVERAGE, 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 subscriber, on or before the 10th day of July, 1895, 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.

WILLIAM S. COPPAGE,
Administrator.
Jan 10-6w.

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Nov 23-24

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Agent for St. Mary's county, Maryland
Dec 13, '94-6m

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Beginning Wednesday, December 26th,
STEAMER ST. MARY'S

Will leave Pier 8, Light Street, every Saturday and Wednesday at 6:30 a. m., for Fair Haven, Plum Point, Governor's Run and Patuxent River, as far up as Benedict. Leaving Benedict at 6 a. m. Monday for Bristol. Will leave Bristol at 12 m. Monday, going as far as Benedict that day. Thursday at 5:30 a. m. Satterly at 8 a. m., Millstone Landing at 10 a. m., Governor's Run at 12 m., Plum Point at 1 p. m. and Fair Haven at 2:30 p. m. for Baltimore.

HENRY WILLIAMS, Agent.
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Dec 29-1

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Jan 3, 1895-y

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On Tuesdays for Miller's, Jones', Bromes', Bacon's, Coan, Bundick's, Cowart's, Lewistown, Kinsale, Lodge, Mundy's Point, Adams', Piney Point, Howard's, Stone's, Abell's, Leonardtown.

Returning, will leave Leonardtown on Thursday, at 6 a. m., for Baltimore, Kinsale at 12 m., Coan at 1:30 p. m., Bacon's at 6 p. m., making all of the above landings. Will leave Baltimore on Friday for all of the above Landings, and in addition: Lancaster, Bushwood, Glymont, Alexandria and Washington.

Will leave Washington on Sunday at 4 p. m., Leonardtown at 6 a. m., Monday: Kinsale, 12 m.; Coan, 1:30 p. m.; Bacon's, 6 p. m., arriving in Baltimore every Tuesday and Friday a. m.

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Sept 13,

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April 21, 87-1t

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Aug 23-y

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Sept 13-1t

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Jan 12, 82-y

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June 25 1895-1t

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Aug 11 -1t

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Jan 24-1t

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LOWER DISTRICTS.

Notice To Debtors.

ALL persons indebted to me on Medical Account must make immediate payment. I am obliged to have money.<