Saint Mary's Beacon.

COUNTY NEWS.

WASHINGTON & POTOMAC RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE—In Effect Oct. 1, 1894.

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*Flag Stations. †Passenger Trains.

H. KNUBEL,
May 24, 1894. GENERAL MANAGER.

Religious.

CHRIST CHURCH, Chaptico.

Every Sunday 10 A. M. Sunday School. 10:30 A. M. Service and Sermon. First Sunday in every month Holy Communion.

St. Andrew's Church.—Services with sermon every Sunday in the month at 10.30 a. m. Holy Communion first Sunday.

St. James' Chapel,—Western Branch,—the first and third Sunday in the month at 3 p. m. Sunday School at 2. p. m.

Patuxent Beach—Services the fourth Sunday in the month, and Sunday School every Sunday at 3 p. m.

St. Peter's Chapel, Leonardtown—Evensong and sermon every second and fifth Sunday in the month at 3.30 p m..

All Saints' Church.

Service every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock a. m. Due notice will be given of all special service.

Rev. H. FIELDS SAUMENIG.

Divine Worship

At Bethel M. E. Church South Sunday, Sept. 1, 1895, at 10.30 a. m., with Holy Communion; and at Mechanicsville at 4 p. m. with Holy Communion.

"Pirate" Collins' Canoe.

William Collins, the dusky "pirate of the Chesapeake," who, after stealing a large canoe in St. Mary's river, sailed it to Baltimore, organized a crew of thieves and went into the regular business of looting the bayside farms and selling the plunder at Sparrow's Point, is in jail in Baltimore awaiting the arrival of Sheriff Wathen to be brought to this county for trial.

He was arrested several days ago by Sergeants Black and Lauer of the Eastern district, and committed to Jail by Justice Sanner.

The publication of the story of the piratical cruise and arrest of Collins met the eye of Mr. Thomas L. McKay, of St. Mary's City, who had lost a conoe answering the description of the one found in Collins' possession. In company with Justice John F. Duke, Mr. McKay, last week, went to Baltimore and identified the canoe as the one that had been stolen from him some week's ago. As published in the BEACON the thief came to the St. Mary's river in a stolen boat, which he left tied to the stake from which he took the canoe. The boat the thief left, has, we understand, been claimed by its owner.

Dottings From Loveville Vicinity.

(*Reported for the Beacon.*)

Mr. B. Love, the popular Loveville merchant, has begun getting in his fall stock of goods.

Miss Mary Hurry was the successful contestant for the beautiful ring which was voted at the recent annual fair for the benefit of St. Joseph's Church. Congratulations.

Miss Cecie Gesner, of Government Park, Annapolis, Md., has returned home after a few weeks' sojourn with Misses Emma and Blanche Graves. Miss Gesner has frequently visited our county, and by her sweet, gentle manners, has won many friends, who regret that her stay could not be prolonged. On her return she was accompanied by Miss Blanche Graves, who will spend some time in the ancient city.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Mattingly, of Washington, D. C., are guests of Misses Fannie and Nora Mattingly, near Morganza.

The young colored boy, named Henry Butler, who was badly hurt while playing ball some weeks ago, is, as reported by his attending physician, Dr. Charles Combs, improving rapidly.

Mr. Ethelbert Raley, of New York city, is on a visit to his old home, the Branch, near here. YAM.

Lowuntown Locals.

(*From our Regular Correspondent.*)

There was Mass at St Michael's and preaching at Friendship M. E. Church and at the Ridge Chapel last Sunday. We indulge the hope that Isaiah's prophesy concerning the gospel may be verified, completely verified, "That the wilderness and the solitary place shall be glad, and the desert rejoice and blossom as a rose."

Dry weather, and everybody desires to see a good soaking shower.

Tomatoes are being canned at the Pine, and a number of truckers sell their production of this fruit to Captain W. T. West, who ships to C. R. Lewis' canning factory, Lewisetta, Va.

Base-ball playing has revived hereabout. In a game between the Lowuntown Club and the Point Lookout the latter was not in it.

That no cause whatever can produce any effect until that cause is in actual existence is too plain to be gainsayed by any intelligent being. There is a cause which presents itself to every sentient reasonable creature. It is the cause of right. It is stable, that is, it proceeds and returns not in spasmodic cycles. It is eternal and it cannot be reorganized on a new basis. See that man as he pensively sits under the friandly shade of that tree near by. He has stopped a moment to exercise his reasoning faculties. He revolves in his mind two opposite conclusions, namely, First, The conclusion to act strictly in recordance with the admonitions of a properly educated conscience, a conscience like that which guided Daniel, of Biblical fame, in the choice of his eating and drinking during his captivity at Babylon. Second, The conclusion to follow a misguided—seared—conscience—a conscience which caused Solomon in his old age to harden his heart and follow after strange gods. Aha! a choice is reached—decided upon—the choice of acting right, the effect of which is seen not only in the life of him who refused to eat of the king's meat, etc., but, in truth, in the lives of those who essay with Heaven's assistance, to adhere to the cause of God, which is the cause of right. AZZANA.

TO "ROSE."

Softly thy swing in the warm golden air.
These roses of June, these roses of June,
Exhaling their delicate lives away
In fragrance unto the summer day.
These roses of June.

Like to a Flower I know in the South
Are roses of June, red roses of June.
Ah! soon, 'midst their blush, I shall feel her warm kiss
And know that a summer's day ne'er went amiss—
O, roses of June.

Ethelbert Raley in Waverley Magazine for June.

Chips Chipped by our Chaptico Correspondent.

Messrs. Editors:—When as hot, dry weather prevails as has for the past three weeks, it is a doubtful matter whether a rural correspondent can successfully keep up the "slack" of his end of the line; to this cause, therefore, may be attributed our reticence Farmers are wearing elongated countenances hereabouts just now and wondering how long evaporation can go on without returning evaporated matter. The crop bulletin for this neighborhood can be published in the simple phrase:—'failure.' If P. H. J. Readmond should wilfully clear the tobacco warehouses of the surplus of this year's crop, it taxes us to conjecture what next year's price would be and where the supply is to come from. Your correspondent has not seen a crop of tobacco from Charlotte Hall to Leonardtown.

No fallowing has been done worth the note and the corn crop is a light one. We presume we will have to subsist upon Republican plenty next year, since these things all come of Democratic government; but if the McKinley tariff should be restored, it puzzles us to know, really, with how little our population could make out. A tare-off of things we would like to have and a tariff for things we must have would leave this line of producers a very meagre dividend.

Socially, we cannot complain of a drought in Chaptico. The finale of the season was given Thursday evening last by the ladies in acknowledgment for the efforts upon the part of the gentlemen to inaugurate and maintain a season's entertainment. It was under the management of Miss Marguerite Barber and Mrs. Aubrey Gardiner—and if executive ability and fitness in such a role is measured by success then theirs is of the richest character. We quote expressions from not a few that there was assembled the greatest amount of beauty that they had ever witnessed together.

Our duty would be but partially done, did we not tender the compliments of the "club" in graceful acknowledgment. i.

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To the Public.

Messrs. Editors:—By virtue of the important trust confided to me by the Commissioners of St. Mary's county, I deem it my duty at this time to speak a word of warning to its citizens. Only a few months ago a sister county was spared a most horrible scourge, a great loss of life of its citizens, and a total suspension of commercial and social intercourse with the outside world by the strictest precaution and with the most lavish expenditure of funds.

The danger from small-pox was not more imminent to the people of Charles county before the epidemic than it is to us every day. The great amount of travel among our people to and from the cities and portions of the county where the disease may be lurking, makes us in constant hazard of having the disease brought among us. The danger is not when the people are aroused, but when they are sleeping. The disease is not heralded in our midst, but comes like a thief in the night. What then must we do to avoid the danger and save our county and State a great expense?

The authorities everywhere agree that Jenner, the discover and introducer of vaccination, has given to us efficient means of warding off this malady. That in a community where every one is vaccinated, there is no possible danger of the prevalence of small-pox. With these explanatory remarks I quote for the benefit of parents, guardians and teachers two sections from the Public General Laws of Maryland and urge upon them their duty and the importance of the observance of that law:

SEC. 30.—Parents and Guardians.—It shall be the duty of every parent and guardian to have his or her child vaccinated within twelve months after its birth, if it shall be in proper condition, or as soon thereafter as practicable; and if such parent or guardian shall know any other person under his or her control or care, not duly vaccinated, he or she shall cause such person to be vaccinated prior to the first day of November of each year. Any person failing to comply with the provisions of this section shall, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not less than five nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SEC. 31.—Teachers.—No teacher in any school shall receive into such school any person as a scholar, until such person shall produce the certificate of some regular practicing physician that such applicant for admission into the school has been duly vaccinated. Any teacher so offending, shall, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a fine of ten dollars for each offence; and no public school trustee or commissioner shall grant a permit to any child to enter any public school without such certificate, under the same penalty.

Dr. F. F. GREENWELL,
Health Officer.

One night when Mr. Isaac Reese was stopping with me, says M. F. Hatch, a prominent merchant of Quarterm'ter, Washington, I heard him groaning. On going to his room I found him suffering from cramp colic. He was in such agony I feared he would die. I hastily gave him a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He was soon relieved and the first words he uttered were, "what was that stuff you gave me?" I informed him. A few days ago we were talking about his attack and he said he was never without that remedy now. I have used it in my family for several years. I know its worth and do not hesitate to recommend it to my friends and customers. For sale by Wm. F. Greenwell & Son, Leonardtown; Jos. S. Matthews, Valley Lee, and all country stores.

To Correspondents.

We have on hand several communications for which we have not room in this week's BEACON. They will appear later on.

Localwise and Otherwise.

St. Mary's Academy, Leonardtown, will re-open Tuesday next, September 3, prox.

Miss Nora Duke has returned to Baltimore from her recent visit to her parents this district.

To-night (Wednesday) an Old Folks' Concert will be given at the Hall for the benefit of St. Paul's M. E. church. Don't forget it!

A tournament and Supper for the benefit of St. George's church will be held sometime in September. Due notice will be given.

We are informed that a colored excursion from Washington is expected to arrive at Leonardtown Saturday next, August 31st, instant.

Mrs. Daniel C. Hammett, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Pauline, left Monday last, per Potomac, for an extended sojourn at Atlantic City.

Capt E. Richard Evans, of Hollywood, reports that the road to Forrest Landing is impassable because of the condition of the bridge over the run near Millison's Store.

Misses Anna and Louise Johnson and Messrs. R. Lee West, James Johnson and Louis A. Ratcliffe, all of Washington, are visiting at Dr. J Felix Morgan's, Beauvue.

The Britton Neck Farmers' Club will meet at Geo. F. Tennison's on Saturday, August 31sf, instant. A full attendance is desired. All stockholders will please attend.

Quite a large delegation from St. Mary's is expected to attend the Fair at Marlboro'. The Fair is a Southern Maryland institution and we trust will be well patronized by the entire section.

Clarence Reeder, colored, was Wednesday last commited to the county jail on warrant of Justice Jo. F. Morgan charged with stealing a one dollar silver certificate from the store of Luke F. Matthews.

Mrs. Thomas Carden, accompanied by Miss Belle Messer, left for Leonardtown, Md., Sunday evening, and Mr. Wm. Carney last evening. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs B. S. Nash.—Washington *Star*.

Rosetta E., beloved wife of Mr. Joseph C. Craddock, died suddenly at the residence of her husband, Fishing Point, this county, at 1 o'clock, a. m., Tuesday, the 26th instant. Mrs. Craddock was in the 74th year of her age.

Tuesday last, Mr. Willie Baptiste was thrown by a colt belonging to Mr. Henry Abell and in falling struck his head against the edge of a brick and sustained a large scalp wound. Dr. F. F. Greenwell, assisted by Dr. L. B. Johnson, rendered the necessary surgical attention.

Mr. J. E. M. Raley, of New York, is on a visit to his mother and family, this county. "Dellie" will, on or about October 1st, proximo, establish a branch office for the *Judge* in Detroit, Michigan. We congratulate Mr. Raley upon his past success and wish him greater in the future.

Saturday last, Walter Hayden, colored, was tried before Justice Jo. F. Morgan, for the larceny of a watermelon from the cellar of Herbert F. Moore, was convicted and sentenced to the House of Correction for nine months. Sheriff Wathen left Tuesday morning with the prisoner.

(*Correspondence of the Beacon.*)

PINEY POINT, Aug. 24, 1895.

Editors of Beacon:—On the afternoon of August 21st, instant, a tournament was given upon the grounds surrounding the residence of Mr. R. M. Bean, near Valley Lee, Maryland, for the benefit of the Protestant Episcopal Church at Poplar Hill, and the occasion was one of much enjoyment to the numerous visitors from far and near.

The opening address by the Hon. Benjamin H. Camalier was a fine oratorical effort and was warmly applauded by the enthusiastic audience. Dr. Henry Richardson, of Great Mills, Maryland, rendered dignified service as the Marshal of the day, assisted by Messrs. Clarence Milburn and Oscar Jones as Heralds, and the following fine specimens of young American manhood were entered into the lists, like the knights of ye olden time, as champions in the cause of love and beauty, Messrs. Thos. J. Com's, Knight of "Just for Her;" Dudley Coppage, Knight of "All for Pleasure;" Norman Milburn, Knight of "Just a little Fun;" Swayne Milburn, Knight of "Mount Olive;" Edward Loker, Knight of "Mulberry Fields;" R. T. Latham, Knight of "Sweet Marie;" Jack Bean, Knight of "Clover Leaf;" Herman Coppage, Knight of "How Can I if I Can't?" Alfred Tarlton, Knight of "Unlucky Boy;" George Herbert, Knight of "Hill View;" Arthur Hebb, Knight of "Carthagena." James Coppage, Knight of "St. Mary's;" William Coppage, Knight of John E. Hurst, and Jack Combs, Knight of "No Chance."

As the knights fell into line the summer breeze wafted aloft their plumes and sashes of the many hues of the rainbow, and many a maiden's heart beat with anxiety and hope as the handsome steeds pawed the earth with impatience to enter the race for victory and glory.

The riding was fine, and rounds of applause echoed in the distance as ring after ring traversed the length of the lances of the riders.

But all good things must have an end, and after the various ties had been ridden off, the following named gentlemen were declared the victors:—Messrs. R. T. Latham, Dudley Coppage, Jack Bean and Edward Loker.

During the afternoon refreshments were served at the residence of Mr. Bean, where the tournament ball and coronation were held during the evening.

Owing to the departure of Mr. Latham, the honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty devolved upon Mr. Norman Milburn, who, in his gracious and gallant style, selected Miss Lotta Garrett to the position of distinction; Mr. Dudley Coppage crowned Miss Nellie Tennant first maid of honor; Mr. Jack Bean crowned Miss Mazie Wailes second maid, while the third maid, Miss Clara Bean, was crowned by Mr. Edward Loker.

To the earnest efforts of Mesdames Philip J. Medley, R. M. Bean and Walter Hebb, and Misses Attie Bean, Gardiner and Cora Howard, are due much of the success of the entertainment, and the praises heaped upon them were justly theirs without doubt.

There were numbers of visitors from Washington, Baltimore, Leonardtown, Cedar Point and Great Mills, including many guests from Piney Point Hotel, Waugh's, Swann's and Garrett's. Among the guests from Piney Point Hotel were Mrs. Wash. B. Williams, Mrs. Thos. W. Williams, Mrs. Venerando Pulizzi, Mrs. Sherman, Miss Sherman, Mrs. McGrain, Mrs. Behrends, Mrs. Maggie V. Benner, Misses Cora Elwood, Mary Miller, Ella Behrend, Miriam Benrend, Anie Lyles and Jennie Williams, and Messrs. Joseph Medley, John McGrain, Gabe Solomon, Sherman and Allen, and to them the occasion proved so enjoyable as to be deemed worthy a pleasant record in the archives of memory. M. V. B.

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Be in Time and Take Care of Your Horses.

Mrs Editors:—Being called away a few days ago to look after a horse that was taken very sick on the road, like many others after being driven 8 miles or more in the hot sun, was tied to a tree by the road side, while the party went into a house to have a little talk, but stayed for dinner, not thinking once about the horse. Was it cruel to the horse? Cruel is only a slight way of expressing the word. Let every man know that the horse is his most valuable servant, (so it is said in Genesis, chapter 36, v. 24). Ana, the son of Sebeon, a contemporary of Isaac, who was born about the year before Christ 1590, that he found the mules in the wilderness, the progeny of the ass and the horse, as he fed the asses of his father. The wilderness referred to was that of Idumea, or Seir. Whether these were wild horses that inhabited the desert of Iduema or had been subjugated by man we know not. History is altogether silent as to the period when the connection commenced or was renewed between the human being and this his most valuable servant, the horse. He is the only thing that comes next to a human being, and as much care should be taken of him as one would take of his money. The less care, the less money he is worth and the worse he looks. If anyone wants to know a man, look at his horse. Put your hand on him, and if he thinks anything of his horse, you will find him clean, his hair fine, soft and oily, and you will find him to live to quite an old age and the cost about one-half to keep him looking well all the time. You cannot spend too much time on your horse. Take care of him, keep him clean, and that will help to keep him well As I am away from the sick horse, I will have to go back. Did he die? No; but it was only good luck, having gotten some ice in time, with plenty of hard work and care he was saved. Fifteen minutes later the horse would have died, all by the neglect of his owner. Are there many sick horses now? Yes, and I expect there will be many more as the weather gets cooler. The disease now going around is fatal, if not put the hands of a Vetenary Surgeon in time, pnuemonia setting in and in some cases much worse. I have been called on to see five cases this week, all with very bad cough, getting worse day by day, until he dies if not attended to. M. F. MORRISON, Vet. Surg., near St. Andrew's church, or mail at California, St. Mary's county, Md.

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OAKLEY, MD., Aug. 19, 1895.

Editors St. Mary's Beacon—Dear Sirs:—As the oldest Democrat of the county (save my honored friend, T. C. Ward, of the 5th district, now 101 years of age,) and one who has had more political services in the county and State than any one now living in the county, I feel it my privilege, if not duty, to express my own individual opinion of the duty of Democratic voters in the pending campaign.

The State Convention, has presented to the Democratic voters of the State, a full ticket of honorable and capable gentlemen. They have accepted the position assigned them. Why then should not every Democrat support the ticket? Every Democrat cannot get his individual choice. I did not get mine. Hon. T. G. Hayes was my choice for Governor. I know him personsonally, and know him to be a capable, high-toned and honorable man—incapable of acting in any capacity contrary to his convictions of duty. From some personal, and ten years of general and public acquaintance with Mr. Hurst, I have the same high opinion of him. Every duty imposed on him by his position, and his pledges if elected, may be reliably expected to be fulfilled. His whole past life is a guarantee of such fulfillment. His having been suggested as a compromise candidate by Mr. Gorman, should not make him unacceptable to Democrats. But suppose he had been suggested by the Baltimore *Sun*, which has created the whole furore against Senator Gorman, would he have been less worthy of the support and confidence of Democrats? Certainly not. The Baltimore *Sun* is not, and never has been, a Democratic paper. It has always claimed to be an independent paper. Indeed, it has always been the "*Sunpaper*, and very emphatically the "*Sunpaper*," from its beginning to the present time. It is a paper of wonderful tact and sagacity—steered clear of suppression during the whole of the whirl of the late war, while the "Exchange," and the "News Sheet," or by whatever name published, was suppressed at every appearance, and finally suppressed entirely by the Military authorities, for defending in a manly way the rights of the citizens of Maryland. The *Sun* ran no such risk, but went on gathering the shekels, as it still does. Democrats, incensed at this repeated outrage, met in Baltimore from different parts of the State, and sent Col. Jarret, Hon. Daniel Clarke and myself to see the Governor of New York, the editors of the World, the Freeman's Journal and the Caucasian, to enlist their interest in behalf of the Press of Maryland. They succeeded in enlisting their sympathy, and elicited vigorous shafts of protests and criticism against the Federal and Military authorities, but failed to secure the freedom of the Maryland Press.

I am too feeble for more now.

Respectfully,
JOHN F. DENT.

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Messrs. Editors:—"A house divided against itself cannot stand," an old and true saying, and one worthy to be remembered by all; but especially would I have my democratic brethren to bear it in mind at this time.

Our enemy beholds with delight our family quarrel, and is smacking his lips for the gubernatorial pie and the Senatorial dainty. But, if I mistake not the temper and spirit of the people of Maryland, republican friends will not have their hungry palates gratified by any such vacies. However, the issue of the coming conflict is by no means certain, and it behooves the friends of democracy to be up and doing, and permit no conviction of victory to lull them into an inglorious quietude.

Monifestly, dissensions in the Democratic party have alone planted hope of victory in the bosom of the republican party of Maryland; and it pains me to see some democrats doing all they can to widen the breach in the democratic family.

Foremost among the fomenters of strife and discord in the democratic household is the Baltimore *Sun*. What wrongs this journal has suffered at the hands of the democratic party, I know not, that it should be exerting all its influence to lead the party captive into the camp of the Philistines.

Some years ago, when the municipal government of Baltimore city was reeking with corruption; when criminals and ex-convicts filled therein offices of honor and trust, and every true Marylander blushed with shame for the fair fame of the Monumental city. The *Sun* arrayed itself on the side of the *ring*, on the side of *Mr. Gorman*, defended him against the assaults of his enemies; held him up to the public gaze as the paragon of perfection, and exhausted the whole vocabulary of ridicule and invective against the noble men and spotless patriots who led the *reform* movement. Mr. Gorman, according to the *Sun*, was the great apostle of democracy *then;* and Wallis, and Marshall, and Cowen, were apostates from the democratic faith.

When the news of the defeat of the Force Bill was flashed over the land, making jubilant the Southern heart, the credit of this great victory in behalf of local self-government was everywhere accorded Mr. Gorman, and no paper in the land more loudly sounded his praises than the Baltimore *Sun*. But, now, the *Sun* stultifies itself by giving republican Senators exclusive credit for defeating that obnoxious measure. Oh! consistency, thou art a jewel, but a jewel of little value to the Baltimore *Sun* when it would elect a republican Governor and a republican U. S. Senator.

I recall these facts, not for the purpose of defending Mr. Gorman, but to evidence the unfairness and the ridiculous inconsistency of the *Sun*. What mysterious agencies have wrought this revolution in the views and sentiments of the *Sun*, I know not. But certain it is, that not long since the *Sun* was the admirer and friend of "Boss Gorman" and "Boss Rasin," and a zealous defender of their political methods. Yesterday, this paper said it was a crime against the democratic party to refuse to vote for the nominees of the "Bosses," and denounced as republicans all who asserted that the honor and welfare of the State and of Baltimore City required that they should vote against the candidates of Messrs. Gorman and Rasin. To-day, it falsifies its utterances of yesterday, by declaring that patriotism and loyalty to the democratic party demand that the democrats of the State should vote against the nominees of the "Bosses." Strange, passing strange this sudden and complete change in the views of the *Sun!* Is it love of the democratic party or burning hatred of Gorman and Rasin? Perhaps some admirer of this consistent and democratic paper can explain the matter. For my part, I give it up—it is a riddle that I cannot unriddle. Be not deceived, friends. The issue in this contest is not Gormanism; but whether our next governor, our next legislature, and by consequence, our next U. S. Senator, shall be democratic or republican, this is the issue, the only issue; and he who would have you believe that there is any other is an enemy to the democratic party, a wolf in sheep's clothing. How is Mr. Gorman an issue in this campaign? He is not a candidate; and if the State go republican, he will still be our representative in the Senate, the leader of the democracy of Maryland, and the acknowledged leader of the democratic side of the Senate. Should the State go republican this time, it may be democratic when Mr. Gorman is a candidate for re-election, and unless the anti-Gormanites have a majority in the Legislature at that time, he will doubtlessly be elected, and in that event, would still be the leader of the democracy of Maryland. Hence, it is evident that Mr. Gorman's fate as a political leader cannot be decided in this campaign, and for that reason he is not legitimately nor logically an issue.

If a portion of the democrats of the State believe that Mr. Gorman has been false to his trust, and therefore, unworthy of leadership, let them fight him within the party, let them see to it that his friends are not nominated for the various offices of honor and trust. This is the manly, the proper mode of procedure. But now is not the time to make such a fight, for the reason that Mr. Gorman cannot be seriously affected by it, though any democrat can honorably make such a fight at any time. The proper, the opportune time for the anti-Gorman element to bestir itself, is when Mr. Gorman is a candidate for re-election. Then, if they capture the legislature they can prevent his election, and thereby retire him to the shades of private life.

In the meantime, let us be true to our principles, the principles of Jefferson, the principles which have withstood the test of time, and which are destined to be coexistant with our republican institutions themselves. Very respectfully,

DERBY A. LYNCH,
VALLEY LEE, MD.
August 26th, 1895.

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Messrs. Editors:—Though not a prophet, nor yet the son of a prophet, I venture the prediction that, should Mr. J. Philip Greenwell allow the use of his name for the Shrievalty in the coming primaries, he will be the next Sheriff of St. Mary's county. I have traveled through every district and in every one of them Greenwell men are plentiful. In my opinion he is one of the strongest men in the county and the man for the office.

ONE OF THE PEOPLE.

Potomac

Steamer Tarpon will leave Light Street Wharf, foot of Hanover St., every Tuesday and Sunday at 6 P. M. On Tuesday trip will make the following Landings:

Miller's,	Cowart's,	Kinsale,
Brome's,	Bundick's,	Sandy Point,
Bacon's,	Coan,	Mundys Hill,
Lewisetta,	Barnes,'	Lodge.

Returning, will leave Lodge at 1 P. M. Kinsale at 2 P. M., Coan at 3 P. M. Friday.

SUNDAY'S TRIP will make all the above Landings and extend her trip to Alexandria and Washington, leaving Barnes', at 3 P. M., Coan at 4 P. M., Bundick's 3.30 P. M. Mondays for Washington. Will leave Washington on Tuesday at 5 P. M. for Baltimore, stopping at the following Wharves:

Alexandria,	Leonardtown	Coan,
Glymont,	Piney Point,	Bundick's
Colo'al Beach	Adams',	Cowart's,
Lancaster,	Sandy Point,	Lewisetta,
Bushwood.	Mundys Pt.,	Miller's,
Stone's.	Lodge,	Brome's,
Howard's,	Kinsale,	Bacon's.
Abell's,	Barnes',	

Leaving Leonardtown at 7 A. M, Lodge 1 P. M., Kinsale, 2 P. M., Coan 3 P. M. Wednesday.

Grain Sacks Furnished Free.
Freight on Tobacco $1 per Hogshead.
Fertilizer $1.25 per Ton.

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also a full line of choice GROCERIES—
in fact, everything not often seen in a country store, has been carefully and tastefully selected by an experienced person, and he defies competition. Don't pass by the new store at California without calling in. If you do, you will regret it.

Come and See

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Dec. 13—tf† California.

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