Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD

THURSDAY Morning, Nov 18, 1897.

Goldsborough's official plurality in Maryland is, 7,609; Rutherford's plurality is, 5,817. Mr. Ford ran 1080 votes ahead of his ticket.

Even the Dead Quits Cobb's Island.

The dead as well as the living have deserted Cobb's Island. Last week Messrs. Warren and Lucius Cobb had the remains of their dead relatives moved from the island. During the recent storm the sea swept over the graves and washed the sand from the top of the brick vaults in which the bodies were incased. When the grave of Nathan Cobb, for whom the island was named, was opened, it was found to contain only a few bones. But the casket containing the body of his brother, Albert Cobb, who was drowned several years ago, was so heavy as to create the impression that the body had become petrified. Some of those present were anxious to open the casket and make an investigation, but Mr. Thomas Cobb, son of the deceased, would not permit this to be done. All the bodies have been reinterred on the opposite shore on the mainland, in full view of all that the mad sea waves have left of the famous island.—*Lynchburg Daily Advance.*

Dr. R. E. Sutton Dead.

From the Rome (N. Y.) Daily Sentinel.

Dr. R. E. Sutton died at his home in the East Park at 9.45 p. m, Wednesday in his 37th year.

Dr. Sutton was a veteran of the late war, and while in the army contracted a malarial disorder that never left him. He suffered a great deal with neuralgia and rheumatism and his illness was first due to his old trouble. He was in poor health all last spring and in the summer had a severe attack of rheumatism. His constitution began to break down under the strain and in the latter part of the summer he was confined to the house for a time. He afterward got out a few times but in September was obliged to give up and for the last six weeks had been confined to the house. Gastroenteritis set in and for a number of days before his death he was in a very precarious condition. About a week ago he suffered a slight paralytic stroke and on Tuesday a shock of apoplexy, which was the direct cause of his death. His son, Dr. H. C. Sutton and Drs. Edwin Evans and T. M. Flandrau were with him when he passed away.

Richard Eskridge Sutton came of an old Maryland family. His father, Dr. James D. Sutton, was a prominent physician who practiced for many years in Great Mills, St. Mary's county, Md. where the subject of this sketch was born on Sept. 15, 1831. He early showed unusual ability and was carefully educated. He was graduated from Charlotte Hall Academy, Md., in 1847, when less than 16 years of age. He had a natural taste for the profession of his father, and first studied medicine with him. He then entered the University of Maryland, where he received his diploma on the 10th day of March, 1851, before he was 20 years old. For the next five years he practiced in Great Mills, removing in 1856 to Russia, Herkimer county, N. Y. He remained there three years. In 1860 he removed to St. Johnsville. In 1862 he volunteered his services and went to the front as the surgeon of the 115th New York Regiment.

Dr. Sutton's services was cut short, however, for he was taken prisoner by the confederates at Harper's Ferry. He was taken sick with typhoid malarial fever, and was finally paroled and came home, resigning from the army shortly afterward. In 1863 he again entered the service, responding to a call for volunteer surgeons, who were greatly needed following the heavy losses sustained by the Union armies.

Dr. Sutton remained in the army until the close of the war gaining a high reputation as a surgeon. He returned to St. Johnsville, where he remained a year and in 1866 settled in Rome and became known as one of the best physicians in Oneida county, practicing here for 32 years. He was not only a well-read physician but he was a skillful surgeon and a man of much coolness and judgment. His ability was generally recognized among the profession, and he was much sought as counsel in difficult cases. In 1880 he took into partnership his son, Harry C., and the firm has since been R. E. Sutton & H. C. Sutton.

Dr. Sutton was one of the oldest members of the Oneida County Medical Society. He was also one of the earliest members of the New York State Medical Association, which was formed in July, 1885. Before coming north he was a member of the Medical Association of Baltimore, and in 1859 was made a member of the American Medical Association. Dr. Sutton had been connected with the Rome City Hospital ever since its organization, and was a member of its medical staff.

In politics Dr. Sutton was a Democrat and he always took a warm interest in public matters. He was elected to his first office in 1869, when he became a school trustee for a period of two years being one of the first trustees under the union free school system, which was adopted in Rome the same year. He was subsequently elected to the same office for three successive terms, in 1884 '87 and '90. Being himself a man of unusual intelligence and wide reading Dr. Sutton took an active interest in building up Rome's school system and was always progressive in educational matter. In 1893, when his last term expired it was proposed to run him again but he declined to be considered a candidate.

Rome became a city in 1870 and in the organization of the first common council Dr. Sutton was appointed city chamberlain. He held that position continuously down to 1891, when the council became Republican and Chamberlain Putnam was appointed. Thus in 26 years of its history as a city Rome has had but two chamberlains. Dr. Sutton was also city physician from 1870 to 1891. For about 10 years previous to 1880 he served as health officer of Rome.

When Dr. Sutton first took the office its duties were comparatively light, but as the city grew they became much more exacting. His practice grew also, and it was hard and difficult for the doctor to attend to his work as chamberlain and his duties as a physician. He would frequently be among the sick all day long and would then be compelled to work until 1 or 2 o'clock in the morning on the chamberlain's books. He was one of the best mathematicians in Rome.

With all these demands on his time the doctor kept up his interest in public affairs and took an active part in political campaigns. He was a clear and logical stump speaker and for years his face was familiar at Democratic gatherings. He was the Democratic candidate for member of congress in this district in 1880 and in 1888 ran for sheriff. Last spring he was urged to take the Democratic nomination for mayor, but was obliged to decline on account of failing health. He was from 1885 to 1890 a member of the board of managers of the Utica State Hospital and performed much valuable service in that body.

The deceased was one of the earliest members of the Good Templar order. He was chief templar of the Rome lodge for a number of years and was the first chief templar of the Oneida county lodge which was the first county lodge in the world. He was the chief templar of the grand lodge of the state from 1872 to 1875. He was also identified with the Prohibition movement in its early days.

Dr. Sutton was a member of Skillin Post, G. A. R., of this city from its organization and also of the 115th Regiment Veterans' Association.

In religious belief Dr. Sutton was a Methodist and for many years he was a leading member of the First Methodist Episcopal church of this city. He has served as trustee, treasurer, class leader and steward. He was a man of strong likes and dislikes and was always free to express his opinion of men and measures. While he at times may have appeared brusque in manner those who were best acquainted with him knew that he possessed a warm and sympathetic nature. He had a keen appreciation of humor and enjoyed a good story or joke. He had a vast fund of information on a wide variety of subjects and could converse entertainingly for hours.

Dr. Sutton was married in 1854 to Miss Harriet C. Green, of Fairfield, Herkimer county, N. Y., who died seven years ago. He leaves one son, Dr. H. C. Sutton, and one daughter, Miss Mary Sutton, both of this city. His other son, Francis E Sutton, a lieutenant of the marine corps, U. S. N., was drowned in Apia Bay, Samoa, during a hurricane on March 15, 1889. One brother, James Sutton, of Oakville, Md., also survives him.

DIED.

In Baltimore city on Nov. 8, 1897, ANNIE C., beloved wife of Mason R. Stone, aged 40 years.

OBITUARY.

Departed this life at the residence of her son-in-law, Mrs. MARION LANGLEY, aged 61 years, wife of the late John Langley, St. Inigo's, at 9.10 P. M. 9th instant.

Another soul has been called before its God. Another home has lost one that can never be replaced; indeed, I might say a whole community, for her life was given to those in need. She was always ready to go to wait on the sick. When going in a sick room Mrs. Langley would always be the first you would see. She always had a word of consolation for those in trouble. It was never too rainy, cold or warm for her to attend to her religious duties. As the Rev. Father said in his sermon, her lamp, like the wise virgin's, was always filled and burning bright. If death is ever robbed of terror it is when we look upon the face of one whom we know (as far as our judgment will permit) was truly ready to give account of its stewardship, and the answer will be, thou hast done well, thou good and faithful servant. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen. W. R. M.

New Advertisements.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY AND ACTIVE gentleman or ladies to travel for responsible, established house in Maryland. Monthly, $65 and expenses. Position steady. Reference. Enclose self addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept. R, Chicago.

FOUND ADRIFT.

A LARGE PRECOSTING CANOE, about 30 feet long, 7 beam. The canoe has foresail and jib, bottom is copper painted, sides white and washboards blue. Owner can secure the boat by proving property and paying charges.

THOS. B. LANGLEY,
Nov 18—1m. Red Gate, Md.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

James T. Harrison, next friend to Theophilus Harrison et al.
vs.
Wilhelmina Harrison, Theo. K. Harrison et al.

In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, No. 795 N. E.

Ordered this 16th day of November, 1897, that the sale made and reported by James T. Harrison, Trustee in above cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 13th day of December, 1897, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the St. Mary's BEACON once a week for three successive weeks prior to the said 13th day of December, 1897.

The report states the land sold for $200.

JAMES J. GREENWELL, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
JAMES J. GREENWELL, Clerk.
Nov 18—3w.

Administrator's Sale.

BY virtue of authority of the Orphans' Court of St. Mary's county, I will sell at public sale, on the premises of Luke W. Knott, deceased, in the 4th election district, on

THURSDAY, November 25, 1897,

the following personal property:
Horses, Cows, Work Oxen,
Hogs, Sheep, Corn,
Crop of Tobacco, Provender,
Reaper, Mower, Rake,
Plows, Ox-Cart,
Harrows and other farm implements. Also, household and kitchen furniture

TERMS:—Sums of $10 or less cash; sums above $10 a credit of four months, the purchaser giving note with security to be approved by the undersigned. No property to be removed from the premises until terms of sale have been complied with.

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock, A. M.

ELENOR T. KNOTT,
Administratrix.
Nov 18—2t.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, passed in the cause, No. 850 N. E., in which John B. Thompson and others are plaintiffs and Joseph Francis Russell and others are defendants, the undersigned, as Trustee, will sell at public sale, at the Court House door in Leonardtown, on

MONDAY, December 13, 1897,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

the following named and described real estate, viz: All that tract or parcel of land called and known by the names of

Loving Expense

AND

Father's Defence,

containing

75 Acres more or less.

And all the adjoining tract or parcel of land called and known by the name of

Part of Crackburn's Purchase,

containing

25 Acres, more or less.

The said tracts of land constitute the Home Farm of the late Ignatius Thompson, and are located about two miles from Leonardtown, in the Third Election District of St. Mary's county, Maryland.

The improvements consist of a COMFORTABLE DWELLING and the necessary OUT-BUILDINGS.

TERMS OF SALE:

One-third cash; one-third in one year and one-third in two years (or all cash at the option of the purchaser), the credit payments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers endorsed to the satisfaction of the Trustee.

DANL. C. HAMMETT,
Trustee.
Nov 18—ts.

FOR RENT—Room adjacent to R. C. Combs' Law Office—suitable for lawyer or physician. Apply to

FRANCIS V. KING,
Beacon Office.

NOTICE. I have just received a large supply of Ladies' COATS, which I will sell from $1 up. Every one can have a coat at these prices.

C. OSTERMAN.
Nov 11—2m. Leonardtown.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The White Teachers are requested to meet in Association at the Public School, Leonardtown, on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1897, 11 o'clock, A. M.

GEO. W. JOY,
Nov 11—2t. Examiner.

Notice—ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, there will be A GRAND THANKSGIVING PUBLIC DINNER at the Oakville Public School, No. 1, sixth district. We solicit the patronage of all friends.

Proceeds for the benefit of the school.

E. M. COLE,
Nov. 11—td. Teacher.

SCHOOL NOTICE.

The Board of School Commissioners will meet

TUESDAY, Nov. 23, 1897.

to pass on Teachers' Reports for the Term ending the 15th instant.

By order,
GEO. W. JOY,
Nov 11—2t. Secretary.

WANTED TO RENT

With Privilege of Purchasing.

A SMALL FARM situated on water; close to churches, schools, &c. Address with terms. B., LOCK BOX, No. 5, ROCK HALL, MD.
Nov 4 97—4

Meals and Lodging.

FOR CONVENIENCE of the Traveling Public hereafter at Stone's Wharf, **meals will be furnished at 50 cents; Lodging, 50 cents.**

☞ **Teams for hire.**

J. PHILIP GREENWELL.
Nov 4 97—tf

Sale of Valuable Real and Personal Property.

BY virtue of authority vested in me as receiver under an order of the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, sitting as a Court of Equity, in the case of Jas. McGinnis vs. Ernest W. Ladd, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, on

FRIDAY, December 3, 1897,

at 12 o'clock, M., the following property:

That part of Susquehanna farm called and known as

CARROLL BANKS.

Also, all the OYSTER RIGHTS and privileges belonging to said farm. I will also, at the same time and place, sell the PACKING PLANT now on said farm, and which was there on the 21st Jan., 1897, and consisting of the following articles, to wit:

1 120 horse power boiler with fixtures and steam whistle; 1 Steam Pump; 1 Hydraulic Crane, 1 Hand Crane, 1 Steam Engine, 2 Patent Process Kettles, 2 Open Process Kettles, 3 Iron Cooling Tubs, 1 Gas Plant, complete, 5 Dipping Boxes with Hand Cranes and Crates, 6 Fire Pots, 2 Climax Capping Machines with irons, complete, 5,000 Gallons Cedar Tank, 1 Copper Jacket Kettle, Hand Scales, Hand Trucks, Packing Tubs, etc.

TERMS OF SALE, CASH.

ROBT. C. COMBS,
Receiver.
Nov 11—ts.

5 gallons best coaloil for 60 cents at

A. A. LAWRENCE'S

Entertainment at the Factory.

The ladies of Holy Face congregation will give a supper and Ball for the benefit of that church on Thanksgiving evening,

THURSDAY, Nov. 24th.

All the delicacies of the season will be served, with fine Patuxent oysters a specialty. The public is invited.

Nov 11—2t.

NOTICE.

TO the taxpayers of the 1st, 2nd, 8th and 9th Districts. I will be in the 1st District, St. Inigo's Store, on the 1st and 3rd Monday. Second District at Valley Lee, on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday. 8th District at Park Hall, 1st and last Saturday and California 3rd Saturday. 9th District at Trice & Hobb's store, on 3rd Friday of each month from November 1st, for the purpose of collecting taxes for the year. Prompt settlements are requested.

JOHN W. JONES,
Collector.
Nov 11 '97—tf.

LOKER

is an Enterprising Merchant.

He knows what to Buy—how to buy—where to buy. Knowing this, of course, his goods **must** sell. If you call on him you will be suited.

By **George!**

Stoves, Furniture, Fall and Winter Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes.

There are stores and stores. At some stores you get good goods at fair price. At some you don't; but if you go to Loker's, Leonardtown, you are certain to do the right thing and get your money's worth every time.

Where We Can BUY AT LOWEST PRICES.

LAWRENCE Is Selling

Levering's Coffee, 3 lbs 35 cents.
Levering's Coffee, 2 lbs 25 cents.
Security Coal Oil 160 test per gal, 10c.
Star Soap, 2 cakes, 5 cents
Bread Soda, 2 lb 5 cents.
Oat Meal, 2 lb Pkg, 8 cents.
Men's Socks, 5 cents.
Outing, good quality, 5 cents.
Yard wide " " cotton 3 cents.
Ginghams, all colors, 3 cents.
Cashmere Dress Goods, half wool, 9c.
Men's Winter Caps, 20 cents.
Men's Winter Hats' (fine) 50 cents.
Reed seat Rocking Chair, 90 cents.
Set 6 Wood-seat Chairs, $2.
Chamber Suits, solid oak, $12.50.
Men's Winter Suits, $4 and up.
Men's Winter Pants, 75 cents and up.
Children's Winter Suits, $1.25 & up.
Buggy whips, 15 cent kind, 10 cents.
Children's Shoes, 20 cents & up.
Ladies' Shoes, 75 cents and up.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
TINWARE, LAMPS, &c.

All Goods reduced to astonishingly **low prices.**

A. A. LAWRENCE,
Nov 4 97—c Leonardtown, Md.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

In the matter of the Deed of Trust from Jas. T. Parsons to Jo. F. Morgan.

In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's county, sitting as a Court of Equity, No. 829 N. E.

Ordered this 27th day of Oct., 1897, that the Auditor's Report, filed in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or beforethe 5th Monday in November, 1897, provided a copy of this order be published in the St Mary's BEACON once a week for three successive weeks prior to the said 5th Monday of November, 1897.

JAM'S J. GREENWELL, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
JAMES J. GREENWELL, Clerk.
Oct 28—3w.

Real Estate Notice.

THE undersigned have formed a copartnership, for the purchase and sale of real estate in this and adjoining counties, and have formed connections with agents in the North, West and with State Immigration Agent. Parties desiring to sel. land or exchange, will find it to their advantage to communicate with the undersigned.

MORGAN & LUCAS,
May 6—tf* Leonardtown, Md.

TINNING.

THIS is to notify the public, that I have taken up the tin business of my father, the late John L. Viett, and I am prepared to do all kinds of Tin Work, such as Roofing, Spouting, Guttering, Repairing and everything in the line of Tin Work.

KEMPER A. VIETT.
March 26—tf

LUMBER.

I will keep constantly on hand at Leonardtown wharf a full supply of
BOARDS, SCANTLING,
WEATHER BOARDING, FLOORING,
PALINGS, DRESSED BOARDS,
SHINGLES, &c., &c.

All orders for Lumber, Doors, Sash, Laths Lime and Hair promptly attended to.

☞ TERMS, CASH.

July 1—3* JOS. F. NEAL.

FARMS WANTED.—If parties having farms for sale will send description and prices to the undersigned, or call in person it will be to their advantage. I have now orders for several farms.

JO. F. MORGAN,
Leonardtown, Md.

COL. CLARENCE HODSON, ... President.
ANDREW M. COFFMAN, ... Cashier.

The Bank —OF— Southern Maryland.

MAIN STREET,
UPPER MARLBORO, MD.

OPEN FROM 9 to 3 O'CLOCK.

CAPITAL, ... $25,000.

Commercial Bank.

Accounts of Firms, Corporations and Citizens of Prince George's, St. Mary's, Calvert, and Charles counties and vicinity are respectfully solicited on the most favorable terms consistent with safe banking.

Safe Deposit Vault.

We have a special steel-lined Safe Deposit Vault, with private boxes—two keys and sentinel key—for rent at 25 cents and 42 cents a month, according to size. You should have one for title papers, contracts, policies and wills.

Saving Departments.

Our Savings Bank Department allows 3 per cent interest

Ladies, Children and Artisans are especially invited to patronize this feature, where their savings will be safe and pay as much as such high-class security usually does.

Sept 9 '97—1y.

Everything Cheap at Factory.

FLOUR.

Bbl.,	$5.00
1-16 sacks,	28, 30, 33 cts.
1 bbl if sacks are furnished,	$2.50
Bran, 2 bushels for	25 cents.
Middlings,	20 and 25 cents.
Meat,	5 cents
Sugar,	5 and 5½ cents
Coffee, Arbuckle's, Levering's, Enterprise,	12½ cents
Molasses, Porto Rico,	20 cents
Soap,	2½ to 6 cents
Boots as low as	$1.25
Womens' fine shoes,	1.00
READY-MADE CLOTHING.	
Men's Suits,	$5.00
Children's "	2.90
Overcoats, Overshoes, Arctics, Hats and Caps very cheap.	
Groves Tasteless Chill Tonic,	25 cents

☞ Call and examine before buying elsewhere,

JOHN T. CECIL.
Oct 21—tf*

You Can't Afford to Miss an Opportunity.

Bear in mind that I have the largest assortment of goods in Southern Maryland, and if you want to be convinced of this statement call and see. Now is the time to buy; cold weather is coming and you must have necessary wears. Don't put it off until the last moment, but buy now while we are selling goods so cheap. My stock is new and complete with fall and winter wear. These goods will guarantee themselves, and you will easily convince yourself that no merchant has the advantage over us in low prices.

Hundreds of yards of Dress Goods, Cottons, Outings, from 4 to 11½ cents per yard. Cloth by the roll for men's and boys' suits. Cotton and Woolen Underwear. Notions, Hats and Caps Nobby and up to date. 1,000 pairs of Boots and Shoes in Leather and Rubber to select from for the infant to the old woman, from the boy to the oldest and largest man. Groceries of superior quality. Glass and Crockery wear. Rope, all sizes. Hardward by the tons. Shingles, Lime and Hair at bottom prices. Keystone salt the best for packing meats, etc. $1.20 sack and better. Get I gal. Porto Rico molasses 1 gal. pure white oil and 1 lb Arbuckle's coffee for 54 cents; or 1 gal. same molasses, 1 gal. same oil and 2 lbs. gran. sugar for 51 cts. King Heater stoves are a home comfort and money savers. Burns knots and stumps, keeps fire for months, no ashes to move for weeks, nor sparks to burn your house down. Hundreds are being sold daily. They are all the go and if you fail to buy one you lose comfort and wealth. Try one. Kept constantly on hand by

W. P. Powell.

Pay you the same for poultry, eggs and butter that you get in the cities.

Oct 28, 1897—tf.

Want to See You!

Come to California where L. H. Millison is now selling a brand new stock of goods at bed rock prices.

Granulated Sugar,	5cts lb
Meat,	5cts lb
Coal Oil, 150 proof,	9 cts gal.
Calicoes, the best,	4 & 5cts.
Ginghams,	4 & 5cts.

Large stock of Clothing at astonishingly low prices.

Shoes and Boots very cheap.

All are invited to come and see my stock. The quality of the goods and the low prices will surprise you.

L. H. MILLISON,
Sept 23 '97—tf. California.

ADAM T. WIBLE,

OAKLEY, MD.

BLACKSMITHING, Wheelwrighting and all kind of repairing done cheap. Good work guaranteed. Special attention paid to horseshoeing and painting. Oyster tongs a specialty. Guns and pistols also repaired. Terms cash

Aug 12—y.

Goods Don't Cost

Much if you buy them of Benjamin Millison at Downsville, near Valley Lee. Aud's old stand.

See some of my prices.

Granulated Sugar,	5cts lb
Meat,	5ct lb
Coal Oil, 150 proof,	9cts gal.
Calicoes, the best,	4 & 5cts.
Ginghams,	4 & 5cts.

Low prices for Clothing. Low prices for Boots and Shoes.

There are sure enough bargains at Downsville. Come and see them.

BENJAMIN MILLISON.
Sept 23 '97—tf.

CHAS. J. HUNTER. JAS. S. BURROUGHS.

HUNTER & BURROUGHS,

BUILDERS & CONTRACTORS.

MECHANICSVILLE, MD.

Will contract to build houses of all descriptions. All work done with neatness and despatch. Orders addressed to them to the above postoffice will receive prompt attention.

June 17—tf.

JOHN B. ABELL,

—DEALER IN—

POULTRY, EGGS,
LIVE STOCK,
HIDES,
WOOL, &c.

807 Louisiana Ave., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
May 20—tf.

Attention Farmers

Bohanan's Leader

For Tobacco and General Crops.

Guaranteed Analysis:

Ammonia,	2 00
Avail. Phos. Acid,	8 00
Soluble " "	7 00
Reverted " "	1 00
Potash (actual)	2 50

Compare analysis of Leader with goods you are paying from $30 to $35 for. We sell the above brand for **cash** only. Add freight to remittance to insure prompt shipment. Cash must accompany all orders for above.

We have on hand and at low prices,
ANIMAL BONE,
ACID PHOSPHATE,
PLASTER PHOSPHATES, &c.

In writing for prices of which always state whether you wish to buy for cash or on time, and, if the latter, give reference.

C. M. BOHANAN & CO.,

Manfs. Fertilizers and Commission Merchants.

31 E. Pratt St., BALTIMORE, Md.

Consignments of Tobacco, Grain and Produce solicited.

July 15—tf.

Weems' Steamboat Co.

Patuxent River Route.

BEGINNING SUNDAY, Septemby 12th,

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. Returning, will leave Benedict every Monday and Thursday at 5.30 a. m., Sotterly at 8 a. m. and Millstone Landing at 10 a. m., Governor's Run at 12 m., Plum Point 1 p. m., and Fair Haven at 2.30 p. m for Baltimore.

Freight received at Pier 8, Tuesday and Friday until 6 p. m.

Steamers Westmoreland and Essex

Will leave Pier 2, Light Street, every Sunday and Wednesday at 9 p. m., for Patuxent River direct, as far up as Bristol. Returning, will leave Bristol at 12 m. on Monday and Friday at 9 a. m. and Millstone 8 p. m. for Baltimore, calling at no wharves on Monday below Leitch's, except when signalled from wharves on the river for passengers and perishable freight. On Friday will call at all wharves, and only take on passengers and perishable freight from those below Leitch's.

Freight received at Pier 2, Wednesday and Saturday, until 6 p. m.

HENRY WILLIAMS,
Agent.

Office—Pier 2, Light St.
Sept 9—tf.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Orphans' Court of St Mary's County, Set: Sept. 20, 1897.

Ordered by the Court, That Richard H. Garner, administrator of John H. Herbert, late of St. Mary's county, Md., 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 of 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

JOHN H. 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 23rd day March, 1898, they will otherwise by law be excluded from the benefits of the said estate. All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

RICHARD H. GARNER,
Administrator.
Sept 23 97—6w.

A CARD.

RIDGE, Oct. 12, 1897.

I take this means of returning my heartfelt thanks to my kind neighbors, white and colored, who tried so hard to save my house and effects at the terrible fire of October 3rd. Their heroic efforts and kind sympathy will ever be remembered by us. A. S. BENVILLE

Owing to our crowded condition we have concluded to reduce our large stock by selling Ladies' Hats, Wraps and Shoes below cost. A. S. BENVILLE & CO.

LATEST STYLES IN DRESS GOODS, HATS, &c.

Mrs. Davis, at "The Factory," has just purchased a **New Stock** of MILLINERY, DRESS GOODS and NOTIONS. With Mrs. Tippett's assistance in DRESS MAKING and TRIMMING, work will be neatly and promptly done. For a stylish **Hat** or **Dress** give her a call.

☞ The general stock there will be sold out cheap.

The Factory Store.
May 20—tf.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

On and after MONDAY, July 20th, the undersigned will attend each month as follows for the collection of taxes:

MECHANICSVILLE, 1st Monday.
CHAPTICO, 1st Tuesday.
MILESTOWN, 1st Wednesday.

J. WESLEY TIPPETT
July 16—tf Collector

AT THE

DRUG STORE, LEONARDTOWN,

You can buy all the ingredients necessary for pickling, such as

Green Ginger, White Mustard, Celery Seed, &c

and are sure of securing the best quality at a reasonable price.

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