

Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

THURSDAY MORNING, Oct. 3, 1907.

Democratic Candidates.

FOR GOVERNOR,
AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
Of Cecil County.

FOR COMPTROLLER,
DR. JOSHUA W. HERRING,
Of Carroll County.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL,
ISAAC LOBE STRAUS,
Of Baltimore City.

CLERK OF THE COURT OF APPEALS,
CALEB C. MAGRUDER,
Of Prince George's County.

FOR CHIEF JUDGE,
JOHN P. BRISCOE,
Of Calvert County.

Democratic Primaries.

The Democratic Voters of St. Mary's County are called to assemble at the usual polling places in their respective election districts on

Saturday, Oct. 12, 1907,

and hold a primary election for the nomination of a county ticket to be voted for at the general election to be held Nov. 5, 1907. Ballots will be prepared and furnished by the Central Committee and each District Committee will vote by ballot for the candidates in preference for each of the several offices to be filled.

No district shall have two nominees for the same office.

The judges of election shall preserve the ballots cast and list of voters and shall make returns certifying the number of votes cast for the respective candidates to the Central Committee on Monday, October 14, 1907.

Names of candidates to appear on primary tickets must be filed with the Central Committee at Leonardtown before 12 M. on Tuesday, October 8, 1907.

The polls will be opened at 2 o'clock, P. M., and continue open until 6 o'clock, P. M.

The following named gentlemen will act as Judges and Clerks of the said election:

St. Inigo's—Geo. C. Rensch, Fred. Dunbar, John H. Abel, Judges; Pembroke Smith, Clerk.

Valley Lee—H. M. Hebb, W. W. Briscoe, Benj. Hoffman, Judges; Clinton Hebb, Clerk.

Leonardtown—J. C. Gomb, C. C. Rensch, W. F. Joy, Geo. F. Wathen, Judges; Paul Hayden, Clerk.

Chapin—Charles J. Russell, John C. Reeves, Lewis H. Davis, Judges; W. B. Herbert, Clerk.

Charlotte Hall—Jos. H. Hancock, C. L. Quade, Thos. J. Wood, Judges; C. P. Herbert, Clerk.

Patuxent—Jas. R. Thompson, F. W. Hatching, Thos. W. W. Jones, L. E. Backler, Clerk; Miltown—J. M. Dent, Truman C. Silliguff, Josiah Dettzell, Judges; W. Herbert, Clerk.

Bay—Alex. Stevens, Ed. Stone, S. E. Hammett, Judges; Benj. J. Sherman, Clerk.

Island—Jos. P. Korchak, Henry F. Smith, Wood, J. W. Henderson, Judges; Chas. E. Rohrbach, Clerk.

W. B. DENT,
FRED. C. DAVIS,
State Central Committee for St. Mary's Co.

The Democratic Mass Meeting.

The Democratic Mass Meeting Monday last was held at the Court House, Leonardtown, and was well attended, every section of the county being represented.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. W. B. Dent, chairman of the Central Committee and B. Harris Camaleri, Esq., was named as chairman. Hon. C. C. Magruder, A. P. Gorman, Joshua W. Herring and Isaac L. Straus made stirring speeches that were enthusiastically applauded. Every mention of Judge Briscoe's name elicited hearty applause, showing the great hold he has upon our people and the high estimation in which he is held.

Judge Crothers, our candidate for Governor, is confined to his bed by typhoid and was unable to be present at the meeting.

The Rules For The Senatorship Primary.

The Democratic State Central Committee have decided, very properly, that the primary where each Democratic voter can declare his preference for Senator, shall be held at the same time and place when the State election is held.

This will undoubtedly secure a larger vote for the State and county tickets, and also for the gentlemen who aspire to the Senatorship.

This plan will also save one election day, and will insure that none but Democrats can vote at the primary, as no one will be permitted to vote who has not already voted the Democratic ticket at the polls.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington D. C., October 3 1907

The result of the Oklahoma election, and the glorious Democratic victory is of importance to the Democracy of the United States. Indeed it may change the result of the next national election. No wonder the Republican politicians are urging President Roosevelt to refuse to issue his proclamation admitting the State on the technical ground that the Constitution as adopted does not provide a Republican form of government. But machine politicians are selfish and often shortsighted, and if the President should refuse to allow Oklahoma to be admitted he would raise an issue that would overshadow perhaps all other issues, namely, the right of the people to govern themselves without interference from the federal government, or the partisan scheming of interested politicians. To oppose the admission of Oklahoma, because the Democrats have carried the election, would be viewed as a partisan

effort, and enough voters in the close and doubtful States would show their displeasure to overwhelm the party that attempts it. The question of Executive interference in home affairs has also been injected into the campaign in Cleveland by the letter of President Roosevelt to Mr. Burton advising him to run against Tom Johnson for mayor of that city on partisan grounds, but the Republicans appear to be already sick of that issue, and the 3 cent fare on street railroads will predominate. President Roosevelt after over three months vacation is again here, but will leave tomorrow on his speech making tour, and a trip down the Mississippi river. This is to be followed by a bear hunt of 17 days in the swamps of Mississippi, which to a safe and sane man would be more feared at this time of the year than all other dangers for the cane breaks are free breeders of fever and ague from which, let us hope, the proverbial luck of the President will allow him to escape.

The Hague fiasco is the last we shall hear of international peace and arbitration for a long time, and the Roosevelt delegates will come home with no laurels, and the subject is a sore one in Administration circles. There is a recrudescence of frauds and grafting, besides the Oregon and Idaho scandal for which United States Senator Borah is now on trial, other land frauds are reported in New Mexico, in which the late Republican Governor is said to be implicated and are reported to cover a vast acreage of the public land. A serious scandal is also reported in the War Department involving high officials in connection with appliances for launching life boats on army transports. Mayor Rathbone, who attained notoriety in connection with the Cuban post office frauds appears to be mixed up in the matter, and it is stated by Captain Irvine that every effort to induce President Roosevelt to order an investigation has failed. What is this strange and occult influence that Mayor Rathbone appears to wield over his Republican associates who hold official positions? We will probably never know until there is a Democratic Congress to unravel it.

The occurrences of the week in party politics are somewhat important. The Chanler boom for the Democratic nomination, which has the support of some New York Democrats and is supposed to have the silent endorsement of Mr. Hearst, does not meet the approbation of Editor Troup, who is the head of Mr. Bryan's Literary Bureau. Not content with an editorial in a late issue of the New Haven Union intimating that Col. John Jacob Astor "would contribute a million dollars to his cousin's campaign fund" in return for the promise of the appointment of Ambassador to the Court of St. James, Mr. Troup in an interview a few days ago propose to tie the Chanler boom and presumably a donation to the campaign fund, to the chariot wheels of Mr. Bryan by nominating Mr. Chanler as the candidate for vice-president. The general opinion amongst leading Democrats, many of whom have been in this city the last few days, is that Mr. Troup has been very indiscreet in his management of the affairs of his favorite candidate, and has done great injustice to Mr. Chanler in intimating that he could be induced to make any bargain such as Mr. Troup intimates in the editorial in the Union. The whole thing is absurd. John Jacob Astor is a Republican and Mr. Chanler is anything but the scheming politician that Mr. Troup intimates, but is a high class gentleman, whose political life is an answer to the Troup innuendoes. If Mr. Chanler is up to the Democratic standard for vice-president, and Mr. Troup in an interview in the Washington Post, September 21st says he "is a man who would well fit on a ticket with Mr. Bryan at its head. He is young, able and a man of unquestioned political integrity," he is equally fit as a candidate for president. Democrats here depreciate this blowing cold on Mr. Chanler as a candidate for president and then warming up to him as a vice-presidential possibility. The friends of Mr. Bryan declare that he knows nothing of this middle that has been made of his political affairs, and not only regrets, as all Democrats must, the attempt to link Mr. Chanler with a corrupt bargain, and then appear to condone it by offering him the second place on the ticket.

There is also a general regret here amongst Democrats that any rivalry for the Democratic nomination for president, should result in widening the breach in the ranks, or disheartening any faction who see fit to push the candidacy of any favorite. It is conceded that to win practically all must unite on the ticket that will be selected, and the united wisdom of the delegates from all the States will be greater than the judgment of individuals, who are apt to be warped by their friendship for some particular man.

The declared intention of Mr. Hearst that he "will not run for

President on the Independence League ticket, or on any other ticket," and the general tone of his statement just published is viewed here with satisfaction, although there is a feeling that what he says is intended as a notification almost amounting to a threat that he will no longer continue to affiliate with the Democracy, but "will devote my whole heart and soul to the organization and extension of the Independence League.

ROBERT MILLER.

New Advertisements.

For The Orphans' Court.

At the solicitation of my friends I have decided to enter the contest for the nomination for Judge of the Orphans' Court and respectfully ask the aid of all Democrats in the coming primary.

T. C. HARRISON.

For Sheriff.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff and solicit the support of my fellow Democrats.

DAN'L G. STEVENS.

For Re Election of State's Attorney.

Having labored earnestly and conscientiously to do equal and exact justice to all in the discharge of the grave and responsible duties of the office of State's Attorney, I respectfully ask to be re-elected there to, submitting my claim to the Democratic primaries to be held on the 12th of October.

B. HARRIS CAMALERI.

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FIRE, LIFE, HEALTH AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE.

Am representing all lines and have the best. All fire insurance written at notice. Drop postal for estimates in any of the above named lines.

J. C. HOWARD,
Leonardtown, Md.

St. Mary's Racing Association.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

Fall Meeting, October 9, 10 & 11, 1907.

PROGRAM OF CLASSES AND PURSES.

FIRST DAY—Wednesday, Oct. 9th.

1.250 Trot or pace, for all horses raised and owned by residents of the county, 3 in 5, Purses, \$50.

2.240 Trot or pace, for all horses raised or owned by residents of the county, 3 in 5, Purses, \$50.

3.215 Trot or pace, 3 in 5, Purses, \$75.

SECOND DAY—Thursday, Oct. 10th.

1. For 3 yr. old colts race, trot or pace, bred and owned in county, 4 mile 3 in 3, Purses, \$50.

2.3 minutes race, trot or pace for all horses raised or owned by residents of the county 3 in 5, Purses, \$50.

3.225 Trot or pace, 3 in 5, Purses, \$75.

THIRD DAY—Friday, October 11th.

1.3 minute race, for all horses raised or owned by residents of the county, 3 in 5, Purses, \$50.

2.240 Trot or Pace, for all horses raised or owned by residents of the county, 3 in 5, Purses, \$50.

3. Free for all, 3 in 5, Purses, \$50.

CONDITIONS.

Rules of the National Trotting Association to govern.

All trotting and pacing races, mile heats, best 3 in 5, except colts race. Money divided, 50 per cent to driver and 50 per cent, except the "Open Races," in which the money will be divided 50, 25, 15, 10 per cent.

Entrance fee, 10 per cent of purse. 5 to enter, 3 to start.

Horses starting the field or any part of it to get one money only.

Horses called at 12:30 o'clock, and will start at 1 P. M. sharp.

Hobbies not barred.

Entries close Oct. 7th, 1907 at 3 P. M.

Records made on any day of these Races no bar during the meeting.

MD. DR. & V. S. R. Co. Company's Starter from Baltimore and Washington land at Leonardtown. Stables from Washington leave Stephenson's Wharf, 7th Street.

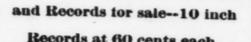
A. F. KING, Secretary.

ROBERT C. COMBS, President.

B. HARRIS CAMALERI, Vice-Pres.

ENOCH B. ABELL, Treas.

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New line of Fresh Ribbons for sale at city Bargain Prices.

As nice a line of Dry Goods as can be found in Southern Maryland.

VICTOR TALKING MACHINES and Records for sale—10 inch

Records at 60 cents each.

FOXWELL & JOHNSON.

For House of Delegates.

Please announce T. Spencer Crane, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the House of Delegates.

TRUE REPUBLICAN.

For States Attorney.

To the people of St. Mary's County; I hereby announce myself as an Independent Candidate for the office of State's Attorney for St. Mary's County, and I respectfully ask the support of the voters of the County for this high office.

CHAS. STRETT GIBSON.

Sept 19th p.

THE MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

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SIX Courses of Instruction Leading to the Professional Degrees B.S., B.C., B.E., B.M., B.A., B.S. in Agriculture. Write for particulars.

Trains for Life's Work. Position assured to those who have worked with a will.

Each Department supplied with the most modern and approved apparatus. Practical work emphasized in all departments. Graduates qualified to enter at once upon life's work.

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Canvas diving full particulars sent on application. Attention is called to short course of ten weeks in Agriculture. Write for particulars. Term commences September 19, 1907. Application necessary for admittance.

W. W. J. KELLY, President.

July 25-26. College Park, Maryland.

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THE ONLY MILITARY ACADEMY FOR BOYS IN SOUTHERN MARYLAND.

Complete Boarding Department, with new buildings, heated by steam.

Thorough instruction in Classical and Business Courses.

Board and wash, \$130 a year. Tuition \$10 the year. Scholarships entitling holders to free tuition are open to pupils of Charles and St. Mary's who have completed the Sixth Grade in their county public schools. Applicants from St. Mary's should address the following committee of trustees:

J. MARSHALL DENT, Oakley;

JOE H. KERRY, Leonardtown;

J. THOS. RHOME, St. Mary's City.

The next session begins Sept. 9, 1907.

For further information, address, GEO. M. THOMAS, A. M., Principal.

Aug 22 7-m

Declination.

I wish to withdraw my name from the contest for County Treasurer as I have not been able to give enough attention to my own interests, and realize how useless it would be to go into the fight without a good bit of strength.

I have not been able to canvass any part of the county but have some letters from friends who have volunteered to help me, and I thank them sincerely for their proffered aid. "Please drop my A. I am out of the fight."

Yours very truly,
P. STANLEY HARRISON.

I see from the BEACON that I have been announced as a candidate for Commissioner. Even if I were nominated and elected, I could not possibly serve as the duties seriously conflict with my present ones. So please announce my withdrawal.

Sincerely yours,
J. F. FENWICK.

For The House of Delegates.

To THE VOTERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

I wish to announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the House of Delegates subject to the Democratic Primaries. I have not served my party faithfully without reward; have twice been spoken of as a candidate for the same position and each time gotten out of the way. I think now I am entitled to it. I expect to be a Candidate until after the primaries are over and will appreciate every vote cast for me, and promise the people if nominated to put up a good fight for election, and if elected, to faithfully serve the whole people without fear and favor to the best of my humble judgment.

LUTHER F. MILLS.

For The Orphans' Court.

Please announce Judges Jos. H. Key, Wm. S. Copping and John H. Parsons as candidates for re-election as Judges of the Orphans' Court. They have been good and true officials and they should be nominated at the coming Democratic primaries and re-elected.

THE PEOPLE.

Please announce Mr. Thomas C. Harrison of Charlotte Hall District as a candidate for one of the Judges of the Orphans' Court subject to the Democratic Primary. He is unqualifiedly fitted for the position and will receive the votes of the Democracy generally and his native district enthusiastically.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

For County Treasurer.

To THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY.

I announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for County Treasurer and respectfully solicit the support of my fellow Democrats. I have been a working Democrat for thirty years; have voted thirty straight Democratic tickets and now ask Democrats to support me for this nomination. I pledge myself, no matter what the decision of the primary may be to do my utmost for party success and, in the future as in the past, to fight for the success of the Democratic ticket.

THOS. H. FOWLER.

Sept. 25-pd.

FOR THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Please announce Dr. CHARLES V. HAYDES as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the House of Delegates and say that he will be earnestly supported by the Democracy in general and by Oystermen in respect to party.

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New Barroom.

Daniel P. Johnson has opened the restaurant formerly occupied by Thos. Boyd and invites the patronage of his friends and the general public.

He will serve the very best liquors and Potomac oysters. Give him a call.

Sept. 25-1mp.

To The Public.

It has been reported that I Kemper A. Viett has withdrawn as a candidate for the Treasurership and am a candidate for Sheriff in the coming primaries I emphatically deny the report as a candidate for Sheriff's office and intend to fight for a finish.

KEMPER A. VIETT,
Sept. 25-tf.

For the House of Delegates.

At the solicitation of friends I have decided to submit my claims to the Democratic voters of St. Mary's for a nomination for the House of Delegates. My party services are known to all, and I confidently ask your consideration of my claims.

Geo. W. MADDOX.

Undertaking.

With the latest style HEARSES and finest outfit for Funerals.

A fine line of Coffins and Caskets of the latest designs, and all sizes from the Infant to the Giant to select from.

I am prepared to serve funerals at the shortest notice and upon reasonable terms.

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Having taken a course in Embalming and received a Diploma, I am also prepared to embalm with latest methods.

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Leonardtown, Md.
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Jan 7-7

First National Bank of St. Mary's,

Leonardtown, Md.

L. E. MUMFORD, L. J. STERLING,
President, Cashier.

F. O. MORGAN, F. A. KING,
Vice President, Assistant Cashier.

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WE SOLICIT YOUR BANKING BUSINESS.

We beg to call attention to the growth which this bank has enjoyed. This Bank began business strong, and it has grown stronger day by day, until now it is among the strongest country banks in the State. It is well equipped, progressive, yet conservative, and is prepared to transact all branches of domestic banking. We point to our steady growth as an evidence of the confidence felt by the county at large in our bank and as approval of the conservativemanagement we have continuously endeavored to maintain.

We have accounts in all parts of our own county, and besides the U. S. Government Deposit, we boast of deposits from several foreign countries.

We solicit your account whether large or small, and assure you of courteous treatment and the very best terms consistent with good business methods. Correspondence is invited. Banking hours, 9 to 3.

First National Bank of St. Mary's, Leonardtown, Md.
Sept. 12, '07-tf.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

Please announce Kemper A. Viett, of Leonardtown, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer and say that if nominated he will receive a winning vote.

March 14-p. 3rd District.

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Special attention given to the sale of Tobacco.

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Produce Salesman.

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March 21, '07-1y.

Desirable Property in the Village of Mechanicsville, FOR SALE.

One of the finest Business Properties in the Village of Mechanicsville, Md., is for sale. The situation is second to none. The Dwelling contains 8 living rooms; 1 store room, 22x30; 1 bar and grocery room, 12x30. Porch in front of store, 42 feet long. Fine young orchard. The building was erected in 1903.

To an immediate buyer, I will sell the building and stock of goods below cost. Or, I will reduce stock so there will be but a small stock to pay for.

I am offering this property for sale because of my health and to afford me greater opportunity to care for my mother's children.

Only men who mean business need apply. For particulars, address,

L. C. JOHNSON,
Mechanicsville, Md.
July 11-tf.

ST. MARY'S COUNTY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

No. 1. Farm, beautifully situated on the Potomac River between Britton's Bay and Piney Point. 40 acres—200 acres arable land divided into 4 tracts of 20 acres each. Land fertile. Dwelling, barns, tenant houses and out-buildings. Fine young orchard. A valuable private oyster creek. Fine fishing; the stock farm. 1 mile to steamboat wharf. Convenient to postoffice and stores. Price, \$11,000.

Also farm in First Election District, known as "Gum Hill," containing 100 acres. Large dwelling, barns, etc. in good repair.

Also farm on Britton's Bay, near Abell's wharf in the Third Election District, containing 100 acres. Improved by dwelling, barns, etc., in good repair. Excellent fishing and oystering facilities. Good oyster grounds can be taken under the "Haman Oyster Law."

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