

Saint Mary's Beacon.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.
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THURSDAY MORNING, April 15, 1909.

The Democratic State Central Committee will meet in Baltimore, April 28th. The committee will discuss a number of disputed points of the new Primary Election Law under which this year's primaries must be held. Attorney-General Straus is preparing a brief and clear digest of the law for general information.

For the Amendment.

The Democratic conference, held at Hotel Rennert, April 7, instant, was an encouraging gathering. It showed the party united and enthusiastic for the suffrage amendment, and made it so plain that hereafter no one will misunderstand or misinterpret that the party proposes to make the amendment the paramount and principal issue in the coming campaign, and that the fight will be made for the amendment with all the vigor and force of which the party is capable. Senator John Walter Smith, State Senator A. P. Gorman and other equally prominent and representative leaders, urged that the success of the amendment is far more important than the success of the ticket. Senator Raymond said that to him the amendment is more important than his own reelection to the Senate, and the only man who dissented from this view was Ex-Attorney-General Bryan, who insisted that it would be best not to tie up the local candidates to the amendment. Upon this proposition there was an overwhelming protest, and every man at the conference enthusiastically voted for Col. Buchanan Schley's resolution, which declared it to be the sense of the conference that the suffrage amendment is the vital issue in the coming campaign. Mr. Bryan expressed himself as heartily for the amendment, but dissented from the view that it is the vital issue. He was alone in his position. Governor's Crothers' stirring words at the conference aroused great applause, and indicated the line upon which the Democratic party will probably make the fight. The Governor, when called upon to speak, delivered himself as follows: "This is not, he said, 'a Democratic question, nor is it a political proposition. It is a question which we are for, because we know it is right, and in which we know it is wrapped up the welfare of this whole community. I am in favor of this amendment, not from prejudice, but because it will eliminate from the politics of this State a power that is incapable of grappling with the problems of government with which we have to deal. We, as citizens, not as Democrats, but as citizens, who are trying to lift up the State, and to have here clean, good, progressive, honest government, should boldly proclaim our belief that this measure comes above party success, and above the triumph of candidates, and above the triumph of candidates, and above the triumph of candidates. Let us go before the people on this principle. Let us make our fight on it, and make it in the right way, and I tell you we will not only carry through the amendment, but we will elect our ticket."

Our County--'Tis of Thee.
In inclosing his subscription to the BEACON, Mr. J. S. Flower, a native of St. Mary's, who has made good in the land of his adoption, and is one of the leading citizens of Colorado, writes as follows:
DENVER, COL., April 7, '09.
Dear Mr. King:—I have read carefully your articles advocating the needs of a railroad for St. Mary's county. Nothing would give me more pleasure than to be able to subscribe liberally for the bonds for the proposition. I believe it to be a most worthy enterprise; one that the county is sadly in need of; one that it should have had many, many years ago; and one that it can only ascertain the benefits of after they are experienced.
When visiting the county some seven years ago, after an absence of 20 or 25 years, the thought occurred to me that the county and the location were in themselves an Eden, an undiscovered Paradise, with all the beauties nature could confer on a land, and yet—the lack of prosperity and the implements of civilization—were so noticeable, that it made one shiver who is used to these things.
When I realize that your beautiful county is within a hundred miles of one of the most substantial and largely populated cities of the United States; is less than one hundred miles from Washington—the capital of the Union—and that it has neither railroad connection nor telegraphic communication with these cities, and that the ox-cart, a vehicle of lo-

comotion of the colonial period, is still used, I wonder and wonder; for surely there lacks something undefinable when this condition exists. With you there is no obstacle to railroad construction whatsoever. Your land is level; your forests are immense; your waterways the best in the world; your supplies for every purpose useful to man are almost limitless; and yet, the great necessary implements for convenience and development exist not.

When one sees in a great country like Colorado, with upheaval of granite and solid rock for thousands of feet, and great locomotive and railway passes culminating at the very top—and beyond—with scarcely no farming lands; no waterways, and no shipping points, sometimes for hundreds of miles, and contrast this with the conditions in St. Mary's—we ask the cause.

And yet, I have to ask is man any happier here than there? Do these implements add more to his bodily comfort than the pure satisfaction enjoyed by your people? I doubt it.

Now, my friend, as before stated, I have given this much consideration, and at this moment I am not in a position to do you a great deal of good, and consequently do not offer my aid.

I recollect also, that a few of our citizens a few years ago, invested heavily in an enterprise known as the Washington & Chesapeake Beach Railway, and they were forced to take the enterprise into their own hands to their sorrow—not because it would not pay—but because of unfortunate management.

I hope at sometime or other to visit your neighborhood: and that it may not be inopportune to do something for the community, and even for your town, in which my father's father and theirs were born and raised and which is very dear to me, you may rest assured.

Yours very truly,
J. S. FLOWER.

*Since Mr. Flower's visit home our telephone line has been built and we are in connection with the Bell system.

OBITUARY.

Departed this life, March 13th, 1909, JOSEPH EVERETT GUY.

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in our home,
Which can never more be filled.

Our Father, in his wisdom called
The boon his loved had given,
And though on earth the body lies,
The soul is safe in Heaven.

Farewell, dear Everett, farewell,
Peaceful be thy silent rest;
Slumber sweetly God knew best,
When to call thee home to rest.

Farewell, dear Everett, farewell,
We must say our last farewell,
Till we meet beyond the river
Happy there with thee to dwell.
His Mother.

Departed this life Monday, March 29, 1909, MRS. REBECCA BUCKLER wife of Richard O. Buckler, age 58 years, one month, 15 days. She leaves a husband and ten children, four boys and six girls to mourn her loss. Gone but not forgotten.

One week has come and gone,
Since we were forced to part,
But time and space cannot efface
Thy memory from our hearts.

When we saw our precious loved one,
Whom we tended with such care,
Slowly fading from our presence,
How our hearts ached with despair.

For thou art not forgotten Mother
And never will you be
For as long as life and memory last
We will remember thee.

When they ask us do we miss her,
Yes it fills our hearts with pain;
But her voice sweetly whispers,
Courage husband and children
We shall meet in heaven again.
By HER LOVING HUSBAND AND CHILDREN.

New Advertisements.

School Notice.

There will be a meeting of the Board of School Commissioners on

Tuesday, April 20th, 1909,

to audit Teachers' Reports for the Term ending April 15th, inst.

By order,
Geo W. Joy,
Secretary.

CLOSE OF LEVY.

Office of the County Commissioners,
Leonardtown, Md., April 13, 1909.

ALL PERSONS having accounts against St. Mary's County are hereby notified to file the same in this office on or before May 11, 1909, otherwise they will be excluded from the Levy of 1909.

By order,
JAS. T. ABELL, President.
W. S. MERRILL LOKER, Clerk.
April 9, '09—td.

Dentistry.

Health and weather permitting, I will be at the following places for the practice of dentistry:

Valley Lee, April 20, 21 and 22.

Cedar Point, April 23, 24 and 25.

St. Inigo's, April 27, 28 and 29.

Hollywood, April 30 to May 4.

Morganza, May 5 and 6.

Rock Point, May 7, 8 and 9.

Mechanicville, May 10 to June 6.

J. M. COOK, D. D. S.

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Have potato Slips for sale. Just from North Carolina.

HARRISON EWELL,
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April 1—td.

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