

Saint Mary's Beacon.
COUNTY NEWS.
Localwise and Otherwise.

Delaware peaches are reported to have been killed by the late frost.

The Star reports a slight fall of snow in Washington city on May 1.

Favors of correspondents, received too late for this issue, will appear next week.

The new schedule of the Potomac Line will go into effect Saturday, May 15. See notice.

Miss Madge Fenwick, of Leonardtown, has returned from a week's visit to Washington and Baltimore.

W. Mitchell Diggs, of La Plata, has been elected a trustee of Charlotte Hall School, vice Dr. Peter W. Hawkins, deceased.

During the past week, cyclonic storms have swept over the Union demolishing buildings and wrecking shipping.

Joseph Russell is having a neat and pretty bungalow erected near the wharf, Leonardtown. C. J. Clements is the builder.

Last Thursday, the schooner, Lotie E. Thomas, Captain Matt Bailey, was at Leonardtown wharf with a cargo of ice for George Hasselworth.

The oyster season is over. While oysters have been plentiful and in good condition, we doubt if those engaged in the business have ever made less.

Road Engineer Crosby estimates that durable roads may be built on the Eastern Shore and in Southern Maryland at a cost not higher than \$4,000 the mile.

The Baltimore dailies are felicitating themselves upon the good effects of the city's new High License Law. The Sun gives the law editorially high praise.

At the election for Town Commissioners of Leonardtown last Monday, 8 voters were cast and Dr. F. F. Greenwell and Joseph F. Neal were unanimously re-elected.

What St. Mary's County needs every day in the week and every week in the year is a railroad that will afford quick transportation facilities to and from nearby cities.

We are requested by the president of the St. Mary's Reading Room and Debating Society to announce that there will be a meeting of the society next Monday at 8, p. m.

Mrs. G. Morgan Knight and son are guests of Hotel Lawrence, Leonardtown. Mrs. Knight was Miss Grace Wilson and has many friends here who are delighted to see her again.

Usually with the first full moon in May there comes an abundance of soft crabs, but the continued cold winds of the past week have kept the crabs in winter quarters and they are notable for their scarcity.

Mr. Justin R. Cypher has purchased a canoe and will have a motor installed. J. Wilmer Raley is to do the work. Wilmer is one of the finest mechanics in the county and as a boat builder is as good as any in the State.

The State road work will soon begin in this county, but the exact date when ground is to be broken has not yet been determined. Bids for the first stretch of good road here been asked for. Before our next issue the good work may have begun.

The Supreme Court of the United States upheld the commodities clause of the Hepburn Rate bill, but pointed out a way for railroads to retain coal land holdings by organizing subsidiary companies. This is regarded as a victory for the railroads.

Frank R. Kent, of the Baltimore Sun, has been appointed treasurer of the Maryland Agricultural College vice Dr. Joseph R. Owens, deceased. Mr. Kent is one of the brightest young men in the State, and the M. A. C. is fortunate in securing his services.

Gov. Crothers will consider the application for pardon of Sanford Greenwell on May 27, instant. Sanford, alias 'Boney' Greenwell, colored, was convicted, March 1905, of breaking into W. T. Dent's shop and was sentenced to the penitentiary for 30 years. See notice.

The Standard Oil Company has appointed William C. Mattingly its agent at Leonardtown and he will keep on hand a supply of kerosene and gasoline. There are many users of gasoline in this section and a supply here will be a great convenience. Mr. Mattingly expects his tanks and supplies this week.

Constable G. C. Herbert brought to jail last Monday night, Willie Cain, Henry Clark, Early Hill, and Albert Jackson, all colored, who were each convicted by Justice Joseph C. White and sentenced to the House of Correction for 3 months for disturbing the peace, willful destruction of property and obstructing the highway.

The wedding of Miss Annie Early, of Baltimore, to Mr. Peter N. Spalding, of this county, was celebrated at St. Peter's church, last Wednesday. Rev. Father Riordan performed the ceremony. There was a nuptial Mass and the young couple received very many handsome and useful presents. Our congratulations.

Postmaster J. Forrest Freeman, of Scotland, is making an earnest effort to secure a daily mail for his section of the county. Bids are requested on a daily schedule leaving Scotland at 3, p. m., arriving at St. Mary's City at 6, p. m., and returning same night. Also, a tri-weekly route, leaving Scotland at 7, a. m. for Ft. Lookout, and returning by 10, a. m. Bid blanks may be obtained by application to Mr. Freeman at Scotland.

After the meeting of stockholders of the Southern Maryland Telephone Company the directors organized by electing W. B. Duke, president; and J. Sterling secretary and treasurer. Messrs. W. B. Dent, John W. Boshorn and Knob B. Abel were elected an Executive Committee to arrange for raising cash to put the company's lines in working order and to manage its affairs until August 1, proximo.

The stockholders of the Southern Maryland Telephone Company met at Me-haviesville last Monday. A large majority of the shares was represented in person or by proxy.

The following Board of Directors were elected for the ensuing year: J. F. Oard, Dr. L. B. Johnson, Dr. W. B. Dent, John W. Boshorn, E. R. Abel, W. B. Duke, W. P. Powell, P. Reed Wills and S. S. Lancaster. Messrs. Wills and Lancaster are the Charles county representatives on the Board.

The date of the celebration at St. Mary's City by the Maryland Pilgrims' Association has been changed from May 16 to May 23. The Susquehanna will bring a large crowd from Baltimore to be met by others from Washington via Potomac steamers. At the High Mass, to be sung at St. Ignatius' Church, music will be by the band and a choir of 35 voices from the various Baltimore choirs. Mr. F. X. Hale, of the Cathedral leading. The committee invite St. Mary's people to attend.

Will Remove to St. Mary's.
We regret to learn that Judge Henry M. Ward, one of the best representatives of the citizenship of our county, will shortly abandon his residence here, and remove to St. Mary's county. Mr. Ward has rented the store property, of Mrs. M. E. Kirk, at Budd's Creek, Md., and will engage in mercantile pursuits at that place. We wish him success in his new field, and sincerely regret to lose him a citizen of the county. Mr. Ward has resigned his position as Justice of the Peace in the Fourth Election District. —Times Crescent.

Baseball.
On Monday, May 3, the Morganna Baseball Club defeated the Mechanicsville team by a score of sixteen to six. Morganna was short of men and only had six players. The principle features of the game was the pitching and catching of Parson, Buckler and Somers and the batting of Buckler, Lumpkins and Drury.

During last week the Leonardtown nine defeated the Hollywood team by a score of 19 to 1.

LOST.
A medium size Lady's Gold Watch with initials "N. E. G." was lost on road near Leonardtown. Reward if returned to
BEACON OFFICE.

Maryland Tobacco Market.
Week ending May 6, 1909.
Reported by Richard S. Hill, State Tobacco Agent.
Receipts for week..... 268 hhqs
Receipts to date..... 2841 "
Same date 1908 7-8..... 2452 "
THIS WEEK DELIVERIES.
Domestic..... 16 "
Foreign..... 212 "
Domestic to date..... 861 "
Foreign to date..... 2828 "
Total deliveries..... 3689 "
Sales this week..... 204 "
Previously..... 2723 "
Total sales to date..... 2927 "

STOCK IN WAREHOUSE.
Jan. 1, 1909..... 3692 "
Receipts since..... 2841 "
Deliveries since..... 3692 "
On hand today..... 2844 "
Groundleaves to date, 2047 Hbd s.
Same date 1908, 1327 Hbd s.
Condition of Market.
From March 17th to date receipts have been 455 Hhds. shorter than same dates last year, showing planters are protecting their interests. Hold and condition crop until June, when indications point to a much better market.

Brimful of the best that can be printed—the Washington Sunday Star. At all newsdealers.

Oyster Supper and Dance.
There will be an Oyster Supper and Dance at the Rectory, Valley Lee, for the benefit of Poplar Hill Church, on Wednesday, May 12. All are cordially invited to attend. Good music! Ice-cream and other refreshments. A good time for everybody.
COMMITTEE.

Mr. Jordan's Money Talks.
Expended \$8.35 for L & M Paint to fix up his house. If for sale it will fetch a good price. The painters said it was the 3 gallons of oil they mixed with 4 gallons of L & M that did the job at 1.3 less cost than ever before. Its coloring is bright, beautiful and lasting. It won't have to be painted again for 12 to 15 years, because the L & M Paint is Metal Zinc Oxide combined with White Lead and wears away wears and covers like gold. Sold by
C. PALMER, Palmer.

Embalming.
Having receiving instruction at one of the best schools in the Union and been granted a diploma, I am prepared to embalm and conduct funerals at the shortest notice. I give personal attention to all the details of the business. Everything in my line warranted to be first class and up-to-date.
Respectfully,
EUGENE HALL, Dvaard, Md

For County Treasurer.
I announce myself as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary, and solicit the support of my fellow Democrats.
KEMPER A. VIETT.
Feb. 18, 1909-pd.

Bolignano's Re-cleaned Cow Peas.



Will Make You Rich
Sow them for Hay Crops—for Forage Crops after grain crops—on vacant land. Put Cow Peas in every available piece of land you have. They will wonderfully increase the value and productiveness of your entire farm. We strongly recommend the sowing of Mixed Cow Peas, they are composed of Blacks, Whip-poor-wills, Clay etc. The Upright growing varieties will hold up the vining varieties and will produce much better crops of vines and a larger amount of forage. J. Bolignano & Son, Baltimore, Md.
The Agricultural Department at Washington referring me to you for Alfalfa, Cow Peas & Irish Cobbler Potatoes.
E. L. DUYCKINCK, Cecil Co., Md.
We are headquarters for Cow Peas. If your merchant can't supply you with Bolignano's Re-cleaned Cow Peas write to us. We will tell you where you can get them.
J. BOLOGIANO & SON,
Baltimore's Greatest Seed House.
Pratt, Light & Elliott Streets.
April 1, 09—1y Baltimore, Md.

Doctors say take Cod Liver Oil—they undoubtedly mean Scott's Emulsion.

It would be just as sensible for them to prescribe Quinine in its crude form as to prescribe Cod Liver Oil in its natural state. In

Scott's Emulsion

the oil is emulsified and made easy to take—easy to digest and easy to be absorbed in to the body—and is the most natural and useful fatty food to feed and nourish the wasted body that is known in medicine today. Nothing can be found to take its place. If you are run-down you should take it.

Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World." SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

Artesian Wells.

Having purchased a new Gasoline Engine and outfit for drilling ARTESIAN WELLS, would like to notify the people of St. Mary's County that we are better fitted now to do such work than ever before. Having drilled wells in all sections of the County we feel confident that we can give better satisfaction for the money than any drillers in the State. 27 years experience. Wells cased to the bottom with 1 1/2 inch pipe. For further particulars, address
L. RUDE, Tigheham, Md.
Feb. 25—2m.

Potatoes Slips For Sale.

Have potato Slips for sale. Just from North Carolina.
HARRISON EWELL,
April 1—1f. Compton Md.

Greenwell's Mill.

FLOUR, Meal and Feed on hand for sale all the time cheap for CASH. Hereafter, in order to avoid having to keep mill books, all orders must be accompanied by the cash.
F. F. GREENWELL.

To The People Of St. Mary's County.

Don Cozine Registered 27058 Record 2.10.
The Undersigned, will offer the services of the Finest bred Stallion owned in the State of Maryland, to a limited Number of Mares for the Season of 1909. This Great Stallion is registered under all the Rules of the American Trotting Register Association, except Rule 2, as this Horse has not been in the Stud long enough to have offspring old enough to have records. He has numerous colts 2 years old this year that are showing up finely and are on Exhibition during the March term of Court, 1909.
For further particulars, apply to
FRANK J. COMBS, Owner, Beaufort, Md.

BEDWORTH JR. No. 31963.

This handsome Standard Bred Stallion will make the following stops every other week, being in Leonardtown every Saturday.
Monday to St. George's.
Tuesday to Park Hall.
Wednesday to Ridge.
Thursday to Cedar Point.
Friday to Leonardtown.
Monday to Mechanicsville.
Tuesday to Hughesville.
Wednesday to Chaptico.
Thursday to River Springs via Mechanicsville and Bushwood.
Friday to Leonardtown via Oakley.
For further particulars apply to
HARRY M. JONES, Leonardtown, Md.
or
L. V. MCKAY, Park Hall, Md.

75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Straw Hats, at Gendason's for 25c.

Come quick.

IMPROVE YOUR STOCK OF HORSES.

By breeding to the imported COACH STALLION, Fredo, of the St. Mary's Stocking Association of the county, has purchased direct from the imp cost of \$5000. He will make the following during the season:
FIRST WEEK.
Dr. L. B. Johnson, Monday.
Chaptico, Tuesday and Wednesday, Thursday.
Clem-ton, Friday.
Compton, Saturday.

SECOND WEEK.
J. A. Mowery's Stable, Clowes day and Tuesday.
California, Wednesday.
Valley Lee, Thursday.
Jos. M. Mattingly's, Friday.
Leonardtown, Saturday.
Fee \$20. Insurance, \$35. Valley repeated at these stations every other week during the season.

PLANT WOOD'S SEEDS For Superior Crops

Cow Peas

The Best and Surest Crop of Summer Soil-Improvement and Fertilizer. Makes poor land rich; mal land more productive, improves the condition and timeliness of soils wherever it grows.
The crop can be cut for making a large yielding nutritious feed, and the residue makes an ideal fertilizer preparation for wheat and corn crops. All of our Cow Peas, and Soja Beans are re-cleaned, free from hull impurities, and of the highest quality. Write for prices and "Wood's Special" sowing timely light able Farm Book.

T. W. WOOD & SONS,

Seeds men, - Richmond, Va.

Harry M. Jones,

Leonardtown, Md.
With SULLIVAN & MARTIN,
Marble and Granite Monuments,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

We guarantee good work and prompt attention. Write us for prices etc.
June 1

CLOSE OF LEVY.

Office of the County Commissioner, 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.
WM. MEYERER, Clerk.
April 9, '09—td.

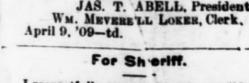
For Sheriff.

I respectfully announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff and solicit the support of my fellow citizens.
W. S. RALPH, St. Inigo's, Md.

Housekeeper Wanted.

A refined Lady to keep house for a country hotel. A good worker wanted. A good home for the right party.
Apply at BEACON OFFICE.
April 1—1m

HACKETT'S GAPE CURE



It's a powder. The chicks inhale it; kills both Worm and Germ, whole brood treated in 5 minutes. Recommended and sold by dealers generally.
Bowling & Jamison, Bryantown, Md.
F. O. Morgan, Leonardtown, Md.
W. W. Burroughs, Mechanicsville, Md.
C. M. Cawood, Millstone.
Bohannon & Freeman, Great Mills.
G. A. Tippett, Valley Lee.
J. W. Dent, Drayden.
J. W. Renshan, Bushwood.
C. L. Palmer, Palmers.
Guy Brothers, Clements.
R. D. Morgan, Dyard.
L. J. Canter & Co., Charlotte Hall.
Price, 25cts. By mail 35cts, where we have no dealer.
Address,
T. C. HACKETT, Hillsboro, Md.
April 1—1.

Dentistry.

Health and weather permitting, I will be at the following places for the practice of dentistry:
Morganna, May 5 and 6.
Rock Point, May 7, 8 and 9.
Mechanicsville, May 10 to June 6.
J. M. COOK, D. D. S.

OYSTER SUPPER.

There will be an Oyster Supper and dance at Chaptico Hall, on
Thursday, May 6, 1909,
for the purpose of financing the Chaptico Baseball Club.
Come one and all,
To Chaptico Hall;
Help us pay for our bat and ball.
Give us a lift, don't turn us down.
Root for our team on the baseball ground.
Oscar Hayden, chairman.
Committee—Edwin Gough, John Lyon, Sam Lyon and Grover Stone.
Doors open 8 p. m. Supper at 9 p. m. Carter's Band in attendance.
April 29—2t.

L. GENDASON JUST FROM THE CITY.

I have spent a week in the markets selecting new styles and patterns in Spring Goods. I have the newest and most up-to-date clothing in St. Mary's, with prices to suit every time. Every style of the new Browns and Tan Worsted represented; in fact any color one can ask. I am offering such bargains as follows:

- Suits Worth \$6 for \$2.75.
- Suits Worth 8 for 4.75.
- Suits Worth 10 for 6.50.
- Suits Worth 12 for 7.75.
- Suits Worth 15 for 10.25.
- Suits Worth 16 for 10.75.

And higher suits in same proportion. A beautiful line of Boys Clothing, such as can be found nowhere else in St. Mary's.

Boys suits worth \$1.50 for 69cts.
Boys suits worth 3 for \$1.39.
And higher prices with Sizes up to 17.

I have as large a stock of SHOES as can be found in any retail store, in Black and Tan, LIGHT TOP or LOW QUARTERS. Men's, Woman's, Boys and Children.

Now to Dry Goods. I have All Styles for less Money.
1 yd wide Brown Calicoes 4c.
6c Calicoes, my Prices 4c.
Ginghams, 4 cents.

White Goods a full line and one of the largest and handsomest line of Embroideries ever shown.

Men's Pants. Great Values.
\$1 Pants 59 cents.
1.25 Pants 79 cents.
1.50 Pants 98 cents.
2 Pants 1.39 cents.
3 Pants 1.98 cents, and up.

A full line of Hats and Caps. Everything at the lowest prices. Come and examine my stock. Don't forget the place, I have moved to the Brown Store. Thanking you for past favors, I am yours.

L. GENDASON & CO.

LEONARDTOWN, MD.

J. J. NORRIS,

Leonardtown, Md.
Dealer in Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps. Hardware and Groceries a Specialty.

All Goods Kept Neat and Clean

and sold as cheap as in any store in the county. I am selling my stock of Clothing at cost and below cost.

Agent for **Hantline Bros.** Guaranteed Ready-mixed Lead and Zinc Paints. Brushes of all kinds.

Come and examine my stock and be convinced.

J. J. NORRIS,

Leonardtown, Md.
March 11, '09—6m.

FULL LINE OF WAGONS, BUGGIES, FARM TOOLS.

Binders, Mowers, Rakes, Drills, Corn Planter, Sulky, Cultivators, Small Cultivators, Plows, Disc Harrows, Peg Harrows, Spring Tooth Harrows, Manure Spreader, Fertilizers, Buggies, Wagons, Binder Twine.

Repairs for Machinery on hand.

W. H. B. WISE,

Leonardtown, Md.

L. J. CANTER & CO.,

CHARLOTTE HALL, MD., TO OUR PATRONS.

We are now opening up Winter goods. Our stock this season is larger, our assortment more nearly complete and our goods have mostly been purchased at lowest prices. We believe we can render you better accommodations and more satisfactory service and trust when you desire to make your winter purchase, you will give us a call. We thank you for your patronage which we have enjoyed in the past, and herewith quote you some of our prices.

- SUGAR 5 cts. a lb.
- 16 OZ CITRONS 22 cts.
- 16c. a lb. COFFEE, 14c a lb.
- ARMOUR'S MINCE MEAT 12c a lb.
- FLOUR 33 cts. a bag.
- MIXED NUTS 12 1/2 a lb.
- CANDY 5 to 50 cts. a lb.
- WALNUTS 15 cts. a lb.
- LEMONS 15 cts. a doz.
- ALMONDS, 15 cts. a lb.
- Fine 4 Crown RAISINS 8 cts. a lb.
- BRAZIL NUTS 12 1/2 cts. a lb.
- 16 oz pkgs. Seeded RAISINS 10c a lb.
- ORANGES 25 to 30 cts a doz.
- 16 oz pkgs CURRANTS 10 cts.
- CHOCOLATE (W. Bakers) 40 cts.

Very truly yours,
L. J. CANTER & CO.,
CHARLOTTE HALL, MD.
Dec 17-tf.

A. Y. GRAY

COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Cor. La. Ave. & 10th St.,
Washington, D. C.

For the sale of all kinds of Country Produce. Will give special attention to the filling of all orders for merchandise. Prompt returns.

Representatives—John H. Mitchell, Fort Tobacco, Joseph H. Key, Leonardtown, Spencer C. Jones, Rockville; R. N. Wilson, of Wilson, Farmer & Co., Baltimore; National Bank of Republic, Washington, D. C.; Jacob Warden, Berryville, Va.

Correspondence solicited with stock shippers. Write for market tags for shipping Veal and Lamb. Always mail card giving the number used.

W. H. MOORE JOHN MUND

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GROCERS AND Commission Merchants,
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Particular attention given to the inspection and sale of Tobacco, the sale of Grain all kinds of Country Produce.

THE OLD STAND.

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A FULL AND COMPLETE LINE OF General Merchandise OF THE BEST QUALITY.

Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Groceries, Canned Goods, Hardware, Cigars, Whiskies, Wines.

And everything necessary to make up a first-class store. We solicit your patronage.

Loker & de Waal,

Saul Levinson.

THE WELL KNOWN WATCH MAKER & JEWELER.



Will now and hereafter continue to be in Leonardtown for the accommodation of the people of St. Mary's. I will be in Leonardtown one week in every two months and will do all kind of repairing. I have also established a branch with Foxwell & Johnson to receive at any time all repairing necessary, any one desiring repairing can apply at Foxwell & Johnson, any orders sent either to Leonardtown or to my store 824 E. Baltimore Street will receive prompt attention.

SAUL LEVINSON,

my City Store is at 824 E. Baltimore St. April 1—1f Baltimore, Md.

Come And See SPRING DISPLAY.

We extend a special invitation to our friends and the general public during this shopping season to give us a call and examine our stock and get our prices before buying elsewhere.

SHOES AND DRESS GOODS.

Our Stock of Dress Goods, Waist Goods, Dry Goods and Notions, generally are right up-to-date, and the prices are the very lowest in fact there is not a better stock to select from in the county, also our line of Shoes are right up to the scratch all the way through and you will find that our prices are as low if not lower than any other place.

GROCERIES.

We always keep a fine line of Groceries that are New and Clean and of the very best quality for the money asked for them.

CANDIES.

We have candy galore as fine a stock as you will find in Southern Maryland and we will match prices with the lowest.

In fact our whole Stock of Goods are full and up-to-date in every line. Call and see for yourselves and we will be glad to show our goods whether we please you or not.

Drury & Saunders,

AT SISTERS' GATE, Leonardtown, Md. Nov. 22, 06—1f.

For House of Delegates. I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the House of Delegates subject to the Democratic primary of 1909.
E. C. MILLER.
Dec. 5, '07—1y. Leonardtown, Md.