

Dr. C. V. Hayden visited Annapolis during the week.

The weather man has promised better weather for a while.

Miss Nellie Fenwick, of Leonardtown, is visiting relatives in Washington.

The Commissioners' Court met on Tuesday last and transacted routine business.

Representative Wilkinson, has introduced a bill amending the charter of Leonardtown.

A preacher in Chicago says the world is coming to an end in 1915 and sold his church.

Mr. Henry Burroughs, of Chaptico, who has been ill for the past week is now convalescent.

Baltimore has been designated as one of the cities in which the Farm Products Post will be tried.

Mr. A. C. Welch, of Chaptico, has recently completed putting on a new corrugated roof on his residence.

Mrs. Jos. I. Gough, of Beauvoir, who has been unwell for the past week is, we are pleased to learn, convalescent.

The bill incorporating Charlotte Hall, introduced by Senator Chesley, has been passed and signed by the Governor.

The Spring Opening at Harry M. Jones' Millinery was well attended and a number of attractive styles were displayed.

Miss Loretta Drury, of near Compton, left for New York Tuesday for a visit to relatives and friends in Washington.

The Mechanics Farmers' Club will hold a special meeting at Mechanicsville on March 28, at 2 p. m. Full attendance is desired.

Rev. Mr. Wright, rector of Christ's Church, Chaptico, who has been spending some time in New York, has returned to his pastorate.

W. Mitchell Diggs, of Charles County, has been named by President Wilson for the vacant post of naval officer at Baltimore.

Miss Eloise Moore, of Washington formerly of Leonardtown, was operated on for appendicitis at Columbia Hospital on Monday last.

Father La Farge will give the postponed lecture on "Lourdes" at Our Lady's Chapel next Sunday evening, March 29, at 7:30 o'clock.

Among the appropriations to State institutions, we note that Charlotte Hall is to receive \$750, and \$10,000 for building purposes; St. Mary's Seminary, \$5,000.

The "Talks on Marriage" will be resumed next Sunday at St. Joseph's Church, Morganza, at 3 p. m., provided the weather man has no objection.

Senator Chesley's bill authorizing the County Commissioners to pay \$50 a day for free patients in the St. Mary's Hospital, has been signed by the Governor.

We are forced to hold for another issue a valued communication from Mr. T. A. Ridgell, received too late for this paper. We will print the article in our next.

Father Laherty will give the next lecture in the popular course on Monday evening at the Academy. The subject "California and its Principal City" will be illustrated.

Mr. Joseph Mattingly and family, of Elkton, received quite a scare on Sunday last when fire broke out in their home. The damage, we are pleased to state, was slight.

Margaret, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Nuttall, died on Tuesday, of a complication of diseases. The parents have the sympathy of our entire community.

The meeting of the Girls' Canning Club of Chaptico, was not held on Friday last as was intended on account of the inclement weather. The meeting will be held at an early date.

The Railroad Bill, House bill, 751, (Jones), authorizing subscription to the stock and income bonds of the Washington, Chesapeake & Potomac Railroad, has been reported favorable.

Mrs. Harry Boyd, of Washington, who has been very ill for the past month, is we are pleased to learn, convalescent. Mrs. Boyd was formerly of Leonardtown and has many friends here.

The Rev. Fr. Neary will hold a station at Mrs. Welch's, Chaptico, Friday morning, March 27, 7:30 o'clock. All aged and feeble should take advantage of this chance to fulfill their Easter obligations.

On Sunday last the steamer Lancaster made the trip from Baltimore to Washington. It has been a number of years since this great ship has visited this section. She was commanded by Capt. Smith.

The Knights of Columbus will attend the Memorial Mass for their deceased Brother, F. Oscar Morgan, at 7:30 o'clock next Sunday in St. Aloysius' Church. They will meet at Leonard Hall Gymnasium Sunday afternoon.

President Wilson has named Robert Lansing, of Watertown, N. Y., to be counselor for the Department of Justice, succeeding John Bassett Moore, and C. Cone Johnson, of Texas, to be solicitor for the department, succeeding Jos. W. Folk.

Mr. S. S. Reeves, has been appointed teacher at the Chaptico Public School, vice Miss Holmes, resigned.

Mr. Reeves is a well equipped man and will we feel sure, maintain the high standard which characterized the school under his predecessor.

Mr. Jefferson Combs, formerly of St. Mary's, now a resident of Washington, is on a visit to his old home. Mr. Combs contemplates erecting a handsome dwelling on Fox's Point, Britton's Bay, and has plans under consideration for further beautifying what will be one of the most attractive Summer homes in the county.

Miss Edith M. Holmes, who for a number of years has been teaching at the Chaptico Public School, and who during her incumbency there has made a great number of friends, has resigned on account of ill health. Miss Holmes is an efficient teacher and the many patrons of the school deeply regret her retirement.

Mr. Frederick Geisler, died suddenly at his residence near Chaptico, on Sunday last, March 22d. He had been a resident of St. Mary's for the past five years and during that time made many friends who sincerely regret his death. His wife who survives him has been buried at All Faiths Cemetery on Thursday.

Miss Annie Donovan, 23 years old, died at Emory Hospital, Washington, D. C. Miss Donovan's hair caught fire as a result of contact with a lighted gas jet. Miss Donovan's mother was also badly burned in an effort to extinguish the flames which enveloped the girl. She was a former pupil of St. Mary's Academy and was beloved by all who knew her.

Mr. Blanford's line bill providing for the establishment by the State of plants for the reduction of oyster shells into agricultural lime has been passed. It appropriates \$20,000 with which the State is to establish two plants, one of which is to be in Southern Maryland. The lime is to be sold to the farmers at a virtual cost of production, plus a sufficient charge to create a sinking fund from which to repay the original cost and for operating expenses.

Mr. Robt. W. Wells, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress, in this, the Fifth District, has postponed his proposed tour of the Southern Maryland counties, which was to have begun on Tuesday last at Leonardtown. The reason given was that the Primary Election bill fixing an earlier date for the primaries in Maryland has not passed the Legislature and if the primary be not held until September it is too early and would have made too long a campaign.

Mr. Greenwell's illustrated lecture on the Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis was one of the most practical in the season's course of popular lectures. The term was described, its effect on the lungs, the methods of spreading from one person to another, conditions in the home that favor its presence and propagation; and habits in the individual that make him an easy prey to its ravages.

It was shown to be a slow, epidemic universal ail over the country, carrying off more victims annually than almost all the other epidemics and infectious diseases combined. But its action is so subtle and so gradual that people do not take alarm; consequently they are slow to adopt those preventive measures by which yellow fever, smallpox and other plagues are quickly stamped out. By means of placards projected on the curtain, the simple and most necessary rules of health and diet were repeatedly given so that the laws of prevention might be well learned by all present.

Medicines could do little more than tone up the system and increase its power of resistance against the spread of the disease, once it finds lodgment; all the pretended infallible "cures" for consumption were soon exposed and discredited; the use of alcohol never really cures one case of consumption. The secret for prevention (as well as for cure in the early stages) was to be found in fresh air, rest and nourishing food. Build up the forces of Nature and she will conquer the deadly tuberculosis bacilli.

Too much importance cannot be attached to the operation of pruning young fruit trees. Pruning should be done now before the buds swell. Each tree has its individuality and the pruner should know the fundamentals of the operation in order to develop trees along proper lines.

Many growers do not take sufficient pains or do not study the problem thoroughly to develop their trees to the best advantage. Often times severe pruning must be done in later years and often the trees can never be brought into proper shape owing to neglect during the first two or three years of its life.

Representatives of the School of Horticulture of the Maryland Agricultural College are now arranging for pruning and spraying demonstrations in different parts of the State. All growers who have young orchards especially and who are not thoroughly familiar with the proper methods of pruning should communicate with the College and seek its help at this important time in the life of the orchard. The College will be pleased to arrange for as many demonstrations as its means will permit.

Old apple orchards should be reclaimed by pruning and spraying. All fruit trees should be sprayed with the Concentrated Lime Sulphur Solution before the buds open.

Any one desiring information along these lines should write to the School of Horticulture, Maryland Agricultural College, College Park, Md.

South Baltimore Charity Hospital. We are in receipt of the Thirtieth Annual Report of the South Baltimore Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Charity Hospital, together with the following letter, which may be of interest and benefit to our readers:

To the Editor: Will you kindly mention in the columns of your paper the object of this hospital? To give to the deserving poor of this city and state the gratuitous services of physician skilled in these special lines, also when necessary hospital accommodations, so far as the resources of the hospital will permit.

Should you know of any needy patients in your neighborhood, suffering from diseases of the eye, ear, nose or throat, we shall be glad to know of the same and if possible arrange to have them come to our hospital for treatment.

News from the Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Smith have returned home after enjoying part of the winter in Baltimore.

The many friends of Mr. Henry Clarke, of St. Inigo's, regret much to learn of his illness. Mr. Clark is over 80 years of age, one of our oldest citizens.

Master J. Frank Raley is fast learning to become an expert horseman.

Mr. Lewis Raley has taken charge of the general merchandise store formerly conducted by Mr. Harry Shuman.

Excellent reports are coming from St. Mary's Academy, regarding the three bright little ladies from this section.

Our little village, the Ridge, is growing and becoming more beautiful each day. Before many years pass we will have an incorporated town with streets, lights, and all else that goes to form a modern town. At present our little hamlet is composed of 3 churches, 1 private and 2 public schools, a large and beautiful Catholic hall, Postoffice, 10 stores, and many handsome and modern homes.

The citizens of this section are delighted to think that soon the new State road will reach in and whilst this newly constructed highway will greatly improve and beautify the entire community, yet it looks as though many of our small and well laid-out farms will suffer much from the effects of the road cutting through them.

We, in this section as in all other sections of the county, are delighted to learn that Mrs. L. V. Maddox, has been reappointed Principal of St. Mary's Female Seminary. Much of the present high standing and success of the school is due to Mrs. Maddox's untiring efforts. She has with skill and wisdom successfully conducted the affairs of the Seminary for several years past. Not only is the kind hearted and talented Mrs. Maddox loved by all at the Seminary, but every one who meets this gentle lady just can't help from loving and admiring her.

Thursday, March 19 was the fifty-fourth birthday of Hon. William Jennings Bryan.

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Editor of the Beacon.

Dear Sir:—We sadly regret the stand our esteemed Representative Wilkinson took on the temperance question, in denying the people of St. Mary's the right to vote on local option, especially at a time when it seemed ripe for this cause to prevail, and throw them the sop of high license instead, the very thing the people of the county have only recently proven they do not want, and I think his explanation of the attitude he took on this question, is an excuse, too weak to very soon be forgotten by those who placed him there, to serve our county's best interest, and it will take something more convincing than his statement, to persuade the people of St. Mary's, that our summer visitors come to the county for rum, rather than recreation.

If it does entail a loss, who sustains the loss but the saloonkeeper, who ought to be run out of business any way. But with the sad fact that St. Mary's has received this set back. It is gratifying to know that temperance sentiment is growing rapidly in this county. Sober, sensible, patriotic people are seeing the evils of strong drink and feeling the burdens imposed upon them by the drinkers; and in the light of the facts concerning the liquor business. People are coming to the conclusion that the whole thing must be prohibited throughout the nation. And this is what we trust is going to be done in the near future. Some folks say, Oh, well, liquor doesn't affect me,—I don't drink. But this is a false impression. For there is scarcely a person it does not affect, directly or indirectly; for who does the money go, and who loses in result; the grocer and the charitable persons who pity the children and keep them from starving; the taxpayer who supports the jails and prisons, the hospitals and almshouses, where such folks fetch up at last. And who makes the money? The saloonkeeper, who is privileged to fill the land with poverty, wretchedness, crime, disease, death and damnation being authorized by the sovereign people.

Just see the old rum devil and his satanic grin. Which is seen in every glass of whiskey, wine or gin. It bubbles from the beer glass, like a demon from a rabid cure. And from the cider mug, is like the sting of a chestnut burr.

He promises great pleasure to those who quaff his bowl, But see at last, he blasts, for all, the body, mind and soul. He tells of health and riches great, to all his devotees. But look them over on land or sea, you'll find the debauchees.

He honors his, that's very high, for all who for him vote, And such as fall and cringe-like dogs, he freely doles; And while they are being gaddled hard, and they his works eschew, He looks more wisely and he quotes, just look at the revenue.

And thus he plays on their ambition of greed and passion strong, On envy, jealousy, and all in man that's wrong; He, to the color blind is white, to the deaf he seems to hear, He discomferts the wretched and taints the hungry's food.

What witchery, sophistry, and devilry we find, In his unseen spirit of rum, so cunningly combined; So the devil we must call it: it's the father of most evils, If you give it a name would only cheat the devil.

—T. A. BOND, Baltimore, Md., April 20.

Drayden Notes. Mrs. C. C. Hyatt, of Ptolebo, is spending a few days in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dent, of Drayden, left Sunday via steamer Three Rivers, for Baltimore to purchase their Spring merchandise stock.

Mr. Vernon Milburn, of Leonardtown, who has been spending some time past with his sister Mrs. Herbert Combs, left Sunday for Baltimore, where he will enter as a student at Mt. St. Joseph's College.

Mr. Emmett Thompson, who has been spending some time with Mrs. Louis Milburn, returned Sunday to his home in Baltimore.

Miss Lou Hebb, of Drayden, is visiting friends and relatives in Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Among those who attended court from this section were Messrs. J. W. Dent, Frank Dent, Herbert Combs, W. Matthews and others.

Miss Ethel Cecil, of Valley Lee, who has been spending the winter in Baltimore, has returned home.

Mrs. Mary Cecil and Corinne Springer, of Valley Lee, are visiting in Virginia and Baltimore.

Doesn't Want to Know Age. A Moorish woman regards it as a point of honor to be absolutely ignorant of her age.

Unanswered Prayer. Did you ever notice how hard it is at the table to get a cupful of coffee? —Denver Times.

To Mary's Picture.

You dear, dear big little rogue, Mary How could you think I'd forget, Your beautiful, modest, shy way, Mary With it's promise of better yet.

The thought of you's always a joy, Mary, And the waiting and worry and fret; Drop away with the flash of your face, Mary, From the picture in memory set.

But I welcome this dear little sign, Mary, Of the love that you gave when we met; And I wonder and wonder young hearts, Mary, Still love me the older I get.

And why did I think you'd not care, Mary, What happened to me, my pet? I did think I knew that you cared, Mary, But how great was the depth of my debt.

Didn't dawn on my hungering soul, Mary, Till, I think me, with eyes that were wet, You lay down and wrote what you thought, Mary, And expressed your great love in regret.

O, it is not alone when we smile, Mary, That we show we're caught in a love, Nay, the rising of bile at a wrong, Mary, Is love, not a something we eat.

H. M.

Editor of the Beacon.

For those who wish to know the attitude of the Methodist Episcopal Church toward the liquor traffic question, we insert the following excerpt from the resolutions of the last general conference, the law-making body of the Church:

"We declare our conviction that total abstinence from intoxicating beverages and narcotics is the plain duty of all our people of every clime and country.

"The liquor traffic cannot be legalized without sin. We condemn the license policy. It is vicious in principle, utterly inconsistent with the purposes of enlightened government, and in practice a protection to a traffic which is inherently criminal in its nature.

"We stand for the speediest possible suppression of the beverages of liquor traffic. Under that divine law of absolute right, which is the source of all human law, the only proper attitude of Civil Government toward anything so harmful as the liquor traffic is that of absolute prohibition; and we recommend that our people participate in every wise movement for prohibition as a step toward the National Prohibition.

We endorse the Anti-Saloon League of America as a safe and effective agency through which the membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church may cooperate with the members of the other churches and temperance organizations for united and vigorous action against the saloon, and we call upon our churches and pastors to continue increasingly their cooperation in carrying out this work.

We recognize that the Church as an Ecclesiastical body, may not properly go into partisan politics nor assume to control the franchise of the citizen, yet we maintain that the time has come when the responsibility rests upon every Christian voter, not only to oppose the saloon as a matter of abstract principle, but to cast his ballot in the manner which will be most effective against the saloon and tend soonest to put the liquor traffic in the course of ultimate extinction. We record our deliberate judgment that no candidate for any office which in any way may have to do with the liquor traffic has a right to expect or ought to receive the support of Christian citizens so long as he stands committed to the liquor interests or refuses to put himself in accord with the crystallized public sentiment for the overthrow of the liquor traffic."

Permit a few sentences from "The Great Destroyer," by the Hon. Richard P. Hobson, of Alabama. He says: "The most moderate and temperate drinking is harmful; no matter in what quantity taken, alcohol remains a poison. Alcohol is killing our people at the rate of nearly 200 men a day—every day in the year—over 70,000 per year in the United States and its possessions. Each saloon on the average kills three men every year. Parents, by becoming alcoholic, sacrifice three-fourth of their children on the altar of drink."

"In the full light of the facts," Mr. Hobson says, "I cannot look upon any saloon otherwise than an assassin, the most barbarous, atrocious assassin."

WILLIAM WILBERFORCE COSTIN, Leonardtown, Md., March 21.



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Bed Blankets as low as 40c. per pair. Bed Table Cloths, 40c. per pair. Men's Work Shirts 20c.; worth 50c., 70c. and \$1.00. Ladies' Hats as low as 40c.; really worth \$2.00 and \$3.00.

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Harry M. Jones, LEONARDTOWN, MD. 2-12-14-15.

Refutation Nial

James Hall, next In the Circuit Court for St. Mary's County, Maryland.

Elizabeth C. Powell, et al. vs. No. 1161 N. E. It is hereby ordered this 23rd day of March, 1914, that the sale made and reported by Robert C. Combs and Wm. Neville Loker, Trustees in the above entitled cause, of the tracts of land to Jeff V. Bradburn, John A. Bradburn and Clarence D. Bradburn for \$1850, and of another tract of land to Elizabeth B. Fenwick for \$2200, be ratified and confirmed, unless on or before the 5th Monday of March, 1914, before the said Monday of March, 1914, provided a copy of this order be inserted in the Saint Mary's BEACON once a week for four successive weeks prior to the said 5th Monday of March, 1914.

Report states that the land sold for \$7500. ENOCH B. ABELL, Clerk, True Copy—Test: ENOCH B. ABELL, Clerk. Feb 5-14.

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Undertaking. William C. Mattingly, of Leonardtown, Md., and A. C. Welch, of Chaptico, Md., having formed a partnership under the firm name of William C. Mattingly & Co., in the conduct of the UNDERTAKING BUSINESS, inform the general public that they are prepared to handle all funerals and burials at short notice and on reasonable terms.

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Ask for particulars of "Old Age" policy which not only protects the family in case of death, but provides an income for life commencing at age 70. The yearly deposit is little more than required for the old fashioned policy payable only at death.

Dr. Greenwell, of Chaptico, Palmer and Lloyd, examining physicians. W. P. & C. Railroad Time Table. SCHEDULE IN EFFECT MAY 27, 1913.

Trains leave Mechanicsville at 1:40 p. m., arrive at Brandywine at 3:50 p. m. Pope's Creek Line leaves Brandywine at 6:15 p. m. Arrive in Baltimore at 6:50 p. m. Trains connecting with the Pope's Creek Line at Bowie leave Washington 7:45 a. m.; Baltimore at 8:20 a. m. No Sunday trains to or from Mechanicsville.

Mail Stages leave Leonardtown every day, except Sunday, for Mechanicsville at 7:30 a. m.; for Mechanicsville as soon as mail is sorted, not later than 11 p. m.

INSURANCE! No More Premium Notes. THE MONTGOMERY FIRE INSURANCE CO., have decided to discontinue the Premium Note requirement, and there can now be no possible objection, by those wishing protection against fire or lightning, to insure in the Montgomery—especially as the rates are lower, and you get a more liberal contract. Members wishing this Premium Note returned by a reconstruction of their Policies, which I am authorized to do, will get a new policy and their premium notes returned.

Geo. R. GARNER, 3-12-23, Agt. Montgomery Fire Co.

Greenwell's Mill. FLOUR, MEAL and FEED on hand for sale at the town of Chaptico, now occupied by the town of Chaptico, now occupied by the town of Chaptico. Possession given May 1st. This is a good stand for a live, wide awake man. Apply at once to Geo. R. GARNER, 3-12-24, Chaptico, Md.

Hotel For Rent. A good chance for any one wishing to enter into the Hotel and Livery business. On account of health, I will rent my Hotel at Brandywine. Can give possession May 1st. Call or address J. K. SMITH, 3-12-14, Brandywine, Md.

STORE-HOUSE AND DWELLING in the town of