

Saint Mary's Beacon

A. F. KING, Editor. LEONARDTOWN, Md. Thursday Morning April 16, 1914

The signature of the Governor affixed to the bill introduced by Representative Jones assures a railroad in the near future for St. Mary's county. The bill provides that the County shall subscribe to the bonds of the road in the amount of \$150,000, and the time when the subscription is due, is when the road has been completed from Brandywine, in Prince George's county, to the St. Mary's terminal, which terminal is to be located either at the mouth of the Patuxent River or some feasible point on the Patomac, near Point Lookout.

The provisions of the bill, which has been previously published in our columns, safe-guard the county's interests, in that the county's lien for money subscribed by her, becomes the first lien, after the purchase money of the promoters that stand back of the proposition. In order to make it a paying investment to themselves they must make the common stock of the road show earning capacity.

Another safe-guard is that the County Commissioners are to appoint some person on the Directorate of the road to look after the county's interest. From the short while in which we have had to study the bill, it appears to us a most favorable proposition and one in which the county is perfectly safe in investing. The need of the railroad in St. Mary's has been a barrier between this favored section and the prosperity that should be ours because of the vast wealth of our natural resources. This is a matter that every citizen of St. Mary's county should think over deeply and be ever on the alert to promote. In the course of a very few years it will mean advancement far surpassing anything that we have ever expected for our county, as well as of great benefit to the State at large.

We most earnestly exhort all of our people to keep the "hammer" under lock and key, and instead of knocking and putting a damper on the movement for advancement, do all in their power to help this most necessary step for the improvement of conditions in our community. Those through whose property the road is to run should be most anxious to facilitate the promoters in securing right of way, because a farm tapped by a common carrier will open up the markets of the world and will ensure to the prosperity and greater enjoyment of the property.

We have read several letters from prominent citizens of the Northern Neck of Virginia, expressing deep interest and sincere wishes for the success of the movement. These letters assure the promoters that the Northern Neck will be a great feeder for the road. Railroads in other sections of the country not nearly so greatly favored by Providence as ours have become prosperous. In our favored section the increase of prosperity should be in proportion with our greater natural advantages, over the rest of the eastern seaboard. The thing for us to do, is to put our shoulder to the wheel and unite the push the railroad to a completion as soon as possible.

That the promoters are dealing fairly with the county is evidenced by the fact that they are not asking that we buy a "pig in a bag" but that we subscribe when the road is an actual fact and ready to receive freight for transportation. This together with the fact that a representative of the county will look after our interests as a director is ample assurance that the county's interest will not be endangered.

Maryland Agricultural College Loses.

To the Agricultural Interests of the State: The Baltimore News in its issue of April 7th describes the fate of a bill in the passage of which every farmer of the State was interested, as follows: "Earlier in the night the House had taken up the Maryland Agricultural College bill which it had amended" (by eliminating the private stockholder interests) "and which the Senate had changed back to the original form on the protest of some of the directors named in the original measure but who had been eliminated. The house on motion of Speaker Trippe refused to concur in the amendments and a conference committee failing to induce the Senate to recede, the bill was killed by the House.

"With it went a loan of \$350,000 for new buildings which was contingent on the new charter bill getting through. The scheme fell through the stubbornness of some of the directors, who preferred that the college should go without money than to see themselves eliminated as life directors representing an interest that they had agreed to surrender."

studied the affairs of the Maryland Agricultural College. They are all and all urge what has been advocated by the farmers of Maryland for years, namely the making of the Agricultural College a State institution by the prompt removal from its management of every private interest.

Despite all representations and pleadings of the City wide Congress and associated State wide bodies, these private interests insisted upon making an effort to pass the above described senate amendments. Instead of trying to utilize the strong City sentiment for the College so as to further the farmers interests and promote the agricultural development of the State through a reorganized college for the farmers and daughters these agricultural "leaders" preferred a certain defeat rather than give up a control which has placed the college in its present unenviable position.

There is but one thing for the farmers to do: organize and come to the next legislature with a clean cut, definite program of their own making, insisting upon its passage and prepared to stay on the job until they get what they have a right to ask, and must ask if Maryland is to make any real progress in agriculture.

Annual Meeting of Leonardtown Bank E. S. Trust Company.

At the shareholders meeting of the Leonardtown Bank of the Eastern Trust Company at its banking house on Tuesday last, the following officers were unanimously elected: President, Chas. V. Hayden, Jr.; cashier, Stephen M. Jones; secretary, J. J. Norris; clerk, Willard Foxwell; attorney, Jos. H. Ching. The following directors were chosen: Chas. V. Hayden, Jr., J. J. Norris, S. M. Jones, J. P. Greenwell, J. B. Drury, H. F. Burroughs, W. H. Manningly.

The president's report to the shareholders follows: Gentlemen:—You are convened to-day in annual meeting of the stockholders of the Leonardtown Bank of the Eastern Shore Trust Co. It again becomes my duty as the executive officer of our local branch to extend to you greetings, and submit some observations of the past year and a few suggestions for the future.

It is with great gratification that I can report, on behalf of our Board of Directors, that the increase in business during the past year has been most gratifying, showing thereby, the appreciation of the banking public, of having in this middle of an institution such as the Leonardtown Bank, which has given them accommodations they have heretofore been unable to obtain in this county.

By a wise, careful and conservative management of the affairs of this great financial institution, The Eastern Shore Trust Co. and its various branches, its liberal and progressive policy towards its patrons, consistent with sound and secure banking methods, your institution has again declared a semi-annual dividend of ten per cent (10) of which fact you have been notified by receiving dividend checks during the past year. In addition to this, out of the net profits earned during the past year, there has been added a substantial sum, to surplus and undivided profits.

The success of the Leonardtown Bank must be especially gratifying to you, in view of the fact that we opened our doors for business on the eve of a national election, when it was generally conceded that the control of the Legislative Branch of the Government would pass into the hands of a party whose policy regarding legislation affecting the great business interests of the country differed from the party then in control. There is always attendant upon such a change in our governmental affairs, a certain unrest which may vary in degree.

But a wise and conservative application of these progressive policies to existing conditions has reduced this unrest to a minimum and with the readjustment of business to the changed policies we can confidently expect, and believe, will in the near future enter upon an era of prosperity greater than we have heretofore enjoyed. "In the cycle sweep of time," many changes are wrought and we are compelled with each advancing year to face the inevitable change by the vicissitudes of life. We rejoice if this decree be one of happiness and prosperity, or grieve if perchance our pathway should be beset by adversity; or sadness, if it should surround us as we march along our journey "from the cradle to the grave." Since our last annual meeting, it has pleased Divine Providence to call to his reward a member of our Board of Directors, Mr. Jos. S. MATAJEWSKI. It is fitting on this occasion, that we record our appreciation of his sterling qualities and his worth, and make due acknowledgment of the loss we sustained by his death. He was a conscientious and energetic, striving always to do his full duty in the light of the Christian Kingdom. A life well spent in the flesh, his own reward. We are consoled by the belief that after having been relieved of the cares and worries of this life, our Heavenly Father has called him to his everlasting reward in the life beyond the grave. Let us look up and address him in the words of the poet: "Thy day has come, not gone, Thy sun has risen, not set, Thy life is now beyond The reach of tears or change, Not ended—but begun. It was only recently that the "Grim Reaper" again paid a visitation to our midst and through the death of Mr. MATAJEWSKI, who was not officially connected with our institution, was a co-worker in the banking field, P. Oscar Morgan, vice-president of the First Nat'l Bank of St. Mary's. A man who having won his success by a conscientious and energetic application of his talents to business, his life will serve as an incentive and an example to young men as to the possibilities that lie open before them.

I want to take this occasion, on behalf of our Board of Directors, to thank our patrons and stockholders for the interest which they have manifested in our success, and assure them it will be our constant aim to prove ourselves worthy of their patronage and confidence.

The hearty cooperation of every stockholder in an effort to secure increased deposits for our bank cannot but bring gratifying results and expand our ability to afford greater accommodations to the public, whom we are here to serve, in our efforts to promote the common good, the progress and development of St. Mary's County.

The manner in which Mr. Stephen M. Jones has discharged the responsibilities of his position as cashier of our bank for the past year entitles him to the thanks of the Board of Directors, which I take pleasure in extending him, in their behalf, the stockholders and patrons. It fully justifies the prediction which we made in our last annual report, of a successful career for him in the banking field.

I want also to thank our attorney, Mr. Jos. H. Ching, for the able, efficient and painstaking manner in which he has discharged his duty as our attorney. He has been ever ready to help us with wise counsel and advice along the line of his duty. Mr. Willard S. Foxwell, as clerk, although having been with us but a few months has proved himself most efficient and satisfactory. And now, gentlemen, may God, out of the penitence of his bounty, be generous to each of you, and may no shadow or sorrow or misfortune darken your pathway. I trust this shall have been your lot when we again assemble for our next annual meeting.

CHAS. V. HAYDEN, JR., Pres.

Milk Testing Demonstration At Leonard Hall. The milk-testing demonstration which was conducted at Leonard Hall last week by Prof. G. E. Wolcott, of the Maryland Agricultural College, proved of much value to the students as well as to the Brothers in charge. With the aid of the Babcock test, Mr. Wolcott showed the boys how to determine the per cent of butter fat produced by each cow.

The cost of feed for one month was figured as follows: Cotton seed meal, \$38.00 per ton; bran, \$30.00; oil meal, \$20.00; corn, \$15.00 per barrel; ensilage, \$3.00 per ton and straw, \$0.00. Each cow was fed 20 lbs. ensilage, 10 lbs. straw and three and one half lbs. of concentrates for each pound of milk produced. Milk was valued at \$1.50 for 100 lbs., 4 per cent butter fat milk. The following shows the result of six cows tested:

Table with 6 columns: No. Cow, Lbs. Milk, Lbs. Butter Fat, Lbs. Milk, Cost of Feed, Profit. Rows 1-6 showing cow data.

The cost of the care of the cows was not taken into consideration, if so, but two cows in the herd would pay for their keep, however, the measure is worth a great deal, and, as the student demand the milk and butter which cannot be secured in the neighborhood, it is necessary to keep a dairy. By the use of a first-class Guernsey sire, the herd will be improved in a few years so as to yield a big profit. After the test and results were read out, Mr. Wolcott selected one of the best cows in the herd and showed the students the points of a dairy cow. He said in part: "The dairy cow is altogether different from the beef cow. She shows a decided wedge shape when you look at her from front, side and rear. The back line is crooked, the hip bones and tail bone are prominent, the thigh thin and poorly fleshed; there is no breadth to the back, as in the beef cow, and little flesh covers the shoulders; the neck is long and thin. The udder of the cow is most important. It should be full but not fleshy, well attached behind and extending well forward. The larger the udder, the more milk given. The skin of the dairy cow should be soft and pliable, and the bones of fine textured. She should have large strong jaw bones and a large abdomen, so that she may consume a large quantity of rich food. The more she eats, the more milk she can produce."

Traders' License Notice.

Office of Clerk of Circuit Court for St. Mary's County, Leonardtown, Md., April 21, 1914. By the suggestion of the Grand Jury and under instructions of the Court, all Traders and Merchants, whether old or new business, are hereby notified that the law requiring the application for license to state under oath the amount of said applicant's stock of goods, wares and merchandise, generally kept on hand by him, or the concern in which he is engaged, at the principal place of the business, is being enforced. The said oath may be taken before the Clerk of the Circuit Court, or any Justice of the Peace.

To expedite the prompt receipt of licenses, the applicant must visit the Clerk of the Court, or any Justice of the Peace, with the application with the affidavit taken before some Justice of the Peace, as no license will be issued until the law is fully complied with.

Rates of Traders' Licenses. For the information of merchants, the following rates of Traders' Licenses are published: For a stock of \$1,000, \$12.50; if over \$1,000, not exceeding \$1,500, \$16.50; if over \$1,500, not exceeding \$2,000, \$20.50; if over \$2,000, not exceeding \$3,000, \$24.50; if over \$3,000, not exceeding \$4,000, \$28.50; if over \$4,000, not exceeding \$5,000, \$32.50; if over \$5,000, not exceeding \$6,000, \$36.50; if over \$6,000, not exceeding \$7,000, \$40.50; if over \$7,000, not exceeding \$8,000, \$44.50; if over \$8,000, not exceeding \$9,000, \$48.50; if over \$9,000, not exceeding \$10,000, \$52.50.

FARM WANTED

Want to buy a Small or Medium size Farm, with good improvements. Tidewater Front preferred. State price. Agents need not reply. Address B. 100, St. Mary's Enterprise Building, Leonardtown, Md. 4-16-14

Administrators' Sale

THE undersigned will offer at Public Auction, on the premises of the late C. C. Richards, on St. Jerome's Creek near Ridge, St. Mary's County, on MONDAY, APRIL 20, 1914, (AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.) The Following Property:— 4 Horses, 2 Mules, 2 Yoke of Oxen, 1 lot of Brood Sows, 2 Cows, 1 Grain Drill, 1 Hay Press, 2 Manure Spreaders, 3 Binders, 2 Mowers; and Framing Implements of All Kinds. 75 Barrels of Corn and a Large Lot of Hay. 10 Horse Power Stationary Gasoline Engine, 40 Feet Cabin, Gasoline Yacht, (newly new); Saw Mill and Outfit, Grist Mill, Timber Carts and Wagons, Shingle Mill, Building Material, (including Glazed Sash, Fancy Front Doors, and Milled Mantles; Complete Bathroom Outfit, never been installed.

Household & Kitchen Furniture. TERMS—Sums under \$20.00 CASH; over that amount a credit of 6 months will be allowed, the deferred payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned. L. P. RICHARDS, I. V. RICHARDS, Administrators. 4-9-14.

Notice to Creditors

ORPHANS COURT of St. Mary's County, Cecil B. Richards, Clerk. ORDERED BY THE COURT, That Ada V. Richards and Charles C. Richards, Administrators of the estate of Charles C. Richards, do hereby give notice to the creditors to exhibit their claims, and that the same be paid, within the time specified in successive weeks in the St. Mary's Beacon, Register of Wills, Cecil B. Richards, Clerk of the Court, Leonardtown, Md. In pursuance of the above order, I hereby give notice to the creditors of the estate of Charles C. Richards, Administrators of the estate of Charles C. Richards, 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 undersigned on or before the 15th day of April 1914. They will otherwise be barred from the benefit of the said estate, and persons indebted to the deceased are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned. ADA V. RICHARDS, I. V. RICHARDS, Administrators. 4-9-14.

Selling Out At Cost

Having decided to leave the county, I am now offering my entire stock of Merchandise at Cost and in many instances below cost, consisting of Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes, Groceries and Notions. THESE GOODS ARE ALL BARGAINS! Will also sell— 1 Yoke of Oxen, 2 Cows, 1 Horse, 2 Single Spring Wagons, 1 buggy & Harness C. H. EPP, 3-19-14. Great Mills, Md.

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DR. WILLIAM B. BURCH, 828 CARROLLTON AVE., BALTIMORE, MD. PHONE 2082 GILMORE. 4-2-14.

Wanted-Timber Lands

We have clients to whom we can sell Timber Lands. Send us full particulars, such as number of acres, if on navigable water, how far from wharves how to reach same, etc. GENSLER & THOMPSON, Real Estate Brokers, Law Building 1-1-14. Baltimore, Md.

For Sale

DEMINGTON STANDARD TYPE-Writer, No. 7, in first-class condition. Cost \$100 new, will take \$25. 1 Hans Bedworth colt, 1 year old, very gentle and manageable, \$50, 1 of two buggies, 1 in almost good condition as new, or the other in good running condition, cheap. Leaving county to engage in other business. J. F. FREEMAN, JR., 4-2-14. Scotland, Md.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE Situate Lying and Being in the 4th Election District of St. Mary's County, Md.

Under and by virtue of power contained in a Mortgage, bearing date the 16th day of September, in the year 1911, and duly recorded among the public records said St. Mary's County, in Liber E. B. A. No. 9, folio 461, etc., from Frederick Witte and Ella Witte, his wife, to James B. McCreary, the said mortgage has been duly assigned to the undersigned (the said undersigned will sell by public auction at the doors of the Court House, in the village of Leonardtown, on

MONDAY, MAY 4th, 1914, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M., the property in said mortgage mentioned and described, that is to say: 1. All that Tract, Piece, Parcel or Sub-division of land, commonly called and known as

"Hedge Barn" or by what other name or names the same may be called or known, containing 168 Acres of Land, More or Less,

located in said Fourth Election District of said St. Mary's County, four and one half miles from the village of Chaptico, as more particularly described and mentioned in a certain deed, bearing date the 28th day of January, in the year 1879, and duly recorded among the land records of said St. Mary's County, in Liber J. F. F. No. 3, folio 235, etc., from Robert Gray and Sarah Ann Gray, his wife, to James J. Gough.

2. All that Tract, Piece, Parcel or Sub-division of land, contiguous to the land next described, commonly called and known as

"Cawood's Discovery," or by what other name or names the same may be called or known, containing 4 Acres of Land, More or Less, which is also mentioned and described in the aforesaid deed.

3. All that Lot, Tract, or Parcel of land, contiguous to the lot or parcel of land above mentioned, being a tract of land commonly called and known as

"Partnership" or by what other name or names the same may be called or known, which is more particularly described in a certain deed bearing date the 30th day of January, in the year 1880, and duly recorded among the land records aforesaid, in Liber J. F. F. No. 4, folio 164, from John H. Welch, et. al. to James J. Gough, containing 2.48-100 Acres of Land, More or Less.

The above Lots, Tracts, or Parcels of land, containing in the aggregate 168 48-100 acres of land, more or less, and being improved by a dwelling house, barn, stable and tenant house, TERMS OF SALE—Cash on day of sale, or on final ratification thereof. A deposit of \$200.00 being required of the purchaser or purchasers on day of sale.

WALTER J. MITCHELL, Assignee. For further particulars apply to MITCHELL & DIGGS, La Plata, Md. 4-9-14.

School Notice

THERE will be a meeting of the Board of School Commissioners on TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1914, to audit Teachers' Reports for the Term ending April 15, 1914. By order, GEO. W. JOY, Secy.

Ratification List of Tax Sales of Land.

In the Matter of the Sales of Land for Taxes due and in arrears for the years 1908 and 1909, made on the 27th day of August, 1912 and reported on the 27th day of February, 1913, by Joseph B. Drury, late Clerk of St. Mary's County, and County Treasurer of St. Mary's County, on the 27th day of August, 1912. No 356 Petitions. It is hereby ordered this 23rd day of March, 1914 that the sales of land for taxes due and in arrears for the years 1908 and 1909, made on the 27th day of August, 1912 and reported on the 27th day of February, 1913, by Joseph B. Drury, late Clerk of St. Mary's County, and County Treasurer of St. Mary's County, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 3rd Monday of March, 1914; provided a copy of this order be published in the St. Mary's Beacon and St. Mary's Enterprise once a week for three successive weeks prior to said 3rd Monday of April, 1914. The amount of sales appear in Report of Late County Treasurer. ENOCHE B. ABELL, Clerk. True Copy—Test. ENOCHE B. ABELL, Clerk. 3-26-14.

"Imp" Hackney Stallion

Anthony of Whitwell, Reg. No. 10075 will be offered for service in St. Mary's County by Mr. D. E. Burch of Mechanicsville, Md. Terms for the season are \$15; Insurance \$25. Special rate for two or more mares, Groom's fee 50c. in each case. Special price will be taken and will not be responsible for accidents occurring during the season March 25, and ending June 25, 1914. Description and Pedigree: Foaled—1907. Color—Chestnut, stripes on face, white hind and near fore leg. Breeder—Alfred A. Halsey, Whitwell, Malton, Yorks, England. Sire—St. Anthony, 8622. Dam—6366, Actress by Danagolt, 174. A. B. CLARK & SON, Owner, Mechanicsville, Md. 26-1 m.—pd.

PUBLIC SALE

I WILL sell at Public Auction on my Premises at Piny Point, Md., on THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914, The Following:— FARMING IMPLEMENTS, HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE Etc., etc. Sale Commencing at 10:30 A. M. R. C. ROCK, 4-9-14. Piny Point, Md.

DENTAL NOTICE

FOR the purpose of practicing my profession, I will visit the following places on the dates below mentioned: Mechanicsville, April 20 to 25. Hollywood, April 25 to May 1. Cedar Point, May 1 to 12. St. Inigoes, May 13 to 21. Valley Lee, May 23 to 26. Clements, Month of June. J. M. COOK, D.D.S. pd. id.

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