

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

communications should reach us not later than Tuesday, in order to insure publication in current issue.

Mr. Lewis Payne, Jr., of Baltimore, is visiting his parents in Leonardtown.

Mrs. Litchford, of Annapolis Junction, is visiting Judge and Mrs. B. H. Camalier.

Mr. and Mrs. William Combs and family, of Troy, Ohio, are visiting friends and relatives in St. Mary's.

The attendance at the annual festival of St. Aloysius' Church, Leonardtown, was larger by far than hitherto.

Dr. William Keiles, Optometrist, of Baltimore, is now traveling in the county. Watch for his next week.

Mrs. Harry M. Jones, of Leonardtown, who has been on an extended visit to her mother at Cambridge, has returned.

Don't forget the date of the dance at Charlotte Hall for the benefit of the Milk and Ice Fund—August 9. City music.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Frank J. Combs, of Leonardtown, is ill, and we sincerely trust that her recovery will be speedy.

City music will be on hand at St. Joseph's Festival on August 11. This affair is going to be a big event and well worth attending.

Mr. and Mrs. George Flery and little daughter, of Baltimore county, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raphael, are guests at Hotel St. Mary's.

Rev. Father Fink, S. J., formerly stationed at St. Aloysius' Church, Leonardtown, has been removed from New York to Gonzaga College, Washington.

Mr. George Morrow, dean of the Baltimore Sun's editorial staff, and one of the most widely known newspaper men in the State, died at his residence on Tuesday morning last.

Mr. B. H. Camalier, Jr., and Mr. Ellis, of Georgetown Dental School, and Mr. Harry Gaffney, of Baltimore, spent the first of the week with Mr. Camalier's parents in Leonardtown.

Governor Goldsborough has extended an invitation to Congress to purchase a site either in the Maryland mountains or on the shores of the Chesapeake Bay as a summer home for the President of the United States.

The Chautauqua dates have been set for September 7, 8 and 9. This affair promises to be a great success and is one that should receive the patronage of the whole county. Keep posted on it. Read the ads.

The United States has practically assumed the dictatorship of the republic of Haiti, and will continue safeguarding the lives and property of foreigners until the reign of lawlessness in that place is under control.

The severe storm of Tuesday day night last destroyed a number of trees, flooded the roads and beat down the crops. The worst damage was to the fruit. The telephone lines in a number of places were put out of commission.

The moving picture performance at the Town Hall on Sunday last was well attended and greatly enjoyed by the patrons. The pictures secured for next Sunday, we are told, are of a very high grade well worth seeing.

From the Baltimore dailies we note that the Republicans are to have a "family quarrel" among themselves as to who shall be the candidate of that party for the governorship. Messrs. Weller and Warburton are the two most prominently mentioned.

The Leonardtown Juniors were defeated by the heavy Oakley team on Friday last at Leonard Hall, by the close score of 7 to 6. The locals, although outclassed both in weight and at bat, put up a good game, and, except for a few costly errors, they would have given the "Big Men" a severe licking.

The telephone wires were broken in several places by trees and limbs falling on the lines and, as a result, communication with several points in the county was cut off. On this account we were unable to get the complete returns by districts of the vote on the "wet" and "dry" question, submitted to the people at Tuesday's election. We were, however, able to get the majorities.

The sudden death of Mrs. T. B. Abell, of Beauve, has cast a spell of gloom over the entire section, for this most estimable lady had a host of friends and her kindness and friendliness was a characteristic that made more pleasant the lives of those with whom she came in contact. She was the mother of seven children, who, together with her sorrowing husband, survive her. She was buried from Our Lady's Chapel on Tuesday last. May she rest in peace!

Best Dandruff Remedy.
If you have ever used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy you know that it is a success. Sam F. Guin, Whitley, Ala., writes: "I had measles and got caught out in the rain and it settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time, and had it not been for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not possibly have lived but for a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy, I am now well and strong." For sale by all dealers.—adv.

Headache and Nervousness Cured.
"Chamberlain's Tablets are entitled to all the praise I can give them," writes Mrs. Richard O. Spencer, N. Y. "They have cured me of headache and nervousness and restored me to my normal health." For sale by all dealers.—adv.

St. Mary's Goes "Dry" Wanted—City Builders!

Means All Saloons Will Be Closed After May 1, 1916.

"DRYS" WIN BY OVER 500

This Great Question is Finally Settled at Special Election on Tuesday—Both Sides Fought Hard, With "Drys" Having the Advantage.

At the special election, held on Tuesday last, the voters of St. Mary's decided, in no uncertain tones, to exclude the licensed saloons. The majority was 553. The "wets" had thought to make a better showing, but the result was more pronounced than even the "drys" had expected. There were but two districts to give the "wets" a majority—Leonardtown, with 27, and Chaptico, with 11. The rest of the districts gave the "drys" a big vote.

By their actions, the people have excluded about 55 saloons, and with them a revenue of something like \$11,000 for State and County. The advocates of no license (and there were very many indeed) argue that beneficial effects will be reflected in a more prosperous and progressive county than even the advancement made by the Eastern Shore. The people are almost unanimous in insisting that the law be given a fair trial, and any attempt on the part of any one to have the question resubmitted for a number of years is bound to find determined opposition.

Those who are responsible for the exclusion of saloons are determined that speak-easies be not substituted. The majorities for "dry" by districts follow:

St. Iniges, 73
Valley, 148
Mechanicsville, 45
Patuxent, 74
Mistowau, 45
Bay, 147
Island, 70

Better Than Life Insurance.
Twenty-five cents invested in a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will enable you to protect your family from any serious consequences resulting from an attack of colic or diarrhoea during the summer months. Is that not better than life insurance? Buy it now. It may save life. For sale by all dealers.—advertisement.

Robeson Graves.
In the presence of immediate relatives and friends, the marriage of Miss Mary Magdalen Graves, of Washington, D. C., but formerly of this county, and John William Robeson, of Nashville, Tenn., took place on Monday, July 19th, at 6 p. m., in the Jesuit's residence, 1215 8th street, N. W., Washington, D. C. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. M. J. Riordan, S. J., pastor of the immaculate Conception Church.

The bride wore a handsome traveling suit of Belgium Blue broadcloth, with a white Leghorn hat, and carried white roses.

Immediately after the ceremony, the young couple left for Atlantic City, where a stay of two weeks will be spent, after which Mr. and Mrs. Robeson will make their home at 1322 9th street N. W., Washington.

The bride, who for a few years was a charming little school Mistress of this county, has many friends here and elsewhere, who join with us in wishing her and her fortunate better half a happy and prosperous journey through life.—Enterprise.

Death of Mr. William H. Moore.
A gloom fell over this section, (Hidge), when news came to us on the morning of July 20th of the death of Mr. William H. Moore, of Wynne, Md. Mr. Moore, although not feeling well, made a business trip to Virginia a few days ago. It was upon his arrival in Virginia that Mr. Moore was stricken extremely ill; in fact, so serious was his condition that it necessitated the service of a physician and several weeks to bring him from Virginia to the home of his brother, Mr. David Moore, of Hidge, where he died five days later. His remains, accompanied by his brother, Mr. David Moore, and a niece, Miss Ethel Vail, was carried to Long Island for its final resting place.

Mr. Moore was born 47 years ago at Long Island, N. Y. He came to St. Mary's and located when in his teens. His life has been a truly successful one. Honor was the basis in all of his dealings with his fellowmen. He was always a generous contributor and an ardent worker of his church and religion, which he loved so dearly.

Only those who know this good man and knew him well can draw a picture of the good he did the many charitable acts he performed. His life spent on this earth was a beautiful one. A life moulded into exalted manhood, such a life, such a character, such a citizen we can ill afford to lose. Although he has left us, yet he leaves behind him, to the younger generation, a good name, a beautiful example.

Besides his many friends to mourn after him, he leaves one brother, Mr. David Moore, of this section, and a niece, Miss Ethel Vail, Calvert county, the nearest living relatives. HAMILTONIAN.

Some Coming Festivals.
Following is a partial list of festivals to be held in the upper part of the county this season:

WHITE.
Aug. 10.—Our Lady's Chapel.
Aug. 11.—St. Joseph's.
Aug. 17.—Newtown.
Aug. 25.—Mechanicsville.

COLORADO.
Aug. 17.—St. Aloysius.
Aug. 18.—St. Joseph's.
Aug. 24.—Our Lady's Chapel.
Aug. 24.—Sacred Heart.
Sept. 15.—Mechanicsville.

Cured of Indigestion.
Mrs. Sadie P. Clawson, Indiana, Pa., was bothered with indigestion. "My stomach pained me night and day," she writes. "I would feel bloated and have headache and belching after eating. I also suffered from constipation. My daughter had used Chamberlain's Tablets and they did her so much good that she gave me a few doses of them and insisted upon my trying them. They helped me as to my normal health." For sale by all dealers.—adv.

Sickness Caused by Wood Dust.
Investigation of sickness among men engaged in manufacturing shuttles in London from wood imported from Africa showed that the fine dust which they inhaled was a slow poison affecting the heart.

STRAWBERRIES ON OLD LAND

White Grubs in Soil of This Nature May Be Killed Out by Winter Weather—Good Care Pays.

On many farms if a strawberry plantation is to be had it must be from an old meadow. If this is the case, the fall is a good time to prepare such a place. A few years ago I followed out this plan, and had excellent results, says a writer in an exchange. I plowed the land just before cold weather set in. It might

have been better still to plow earlier in the season and after a good rain and sow to sweet corn for forage later on; then in the fall plow and allow the soil to be rough all winter if the soil was heavy.

In the early spring I plowed and disked again and planted a crop that needs cultivation, so that by setting time in the following spring the strawberry plants could be safely set out. This cannot be done for good results before, because of the quantities of white grubs found in a soil of this nature. Most of these grubs were destroyed by the winter and the following cultivated crop, and the soil was left in ideal condition for strawberries. So good was it that the first and second crops, handled with a little care and attention, gave me a good price for the labor spent in this long preparation of the soil.

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There is coming to our town a Booster Campaign on September 7, 8 and 9, that will furnish us an opportunity to begin to do some of these great things for our town. The first thing is to get together and make it a great success. We can do this by a united and enthusiastic effort. We can discover men and women among us who have the gifts of leadership; we can discover our ability to cooperate on a matter of community welfare. If we will do this it will be worth ten times what it will cost and it may be the beginning of great things for our town.

May we measure up to this opportunity?

FACTS REGARDING WEEB SEED

North Dakota Experiment Station Makes Interesting Test With Different Noxious Plants.

In a wheat experiment at the North Dakota experiment station, seeds of French wheat, green foxtail, kinghead, wild mustard, wild buckwheat, and wild oats, were planted at depths of one, two, three, five, seven and ten inches. The greatest depth from which French wheat came up was two inches; green foxtail, three inches; kinghead, mostly from two and three inches, a few from five inches; wild mustard, three inches; wild buckwheat, three inches; wild oats, a few from five inches.

The next year a few French weeds came up from the one and two-inch depths; no green foxtail, a few kinghead from the one to five-inch depths; no wild mustard or wild buckwheat, and a few wild oats from the two-inch depth.

In five years the seeds were dug up. None of the seeds at the one and two-inch depths were left. A few of the French weed seeds at the seven and ten-inch depths grew. Of the green foxtail, one seed from the five-inch depth grew, and one-sixteenth of those buried ten inches germinated. Of the kinghead, only a few of the seeds from the ten-inch depth grew. Of the wild mustard, a few of the three-inch depth and nearly half of the one-inch depth grew, and one-fourth of those from the seven-inch depth. All of the wild oats and wild buckwheat seeds were dead.

For Clerk of Circuit Court.
I announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court at the ensuing Primary election, and ask the support of my friends throughout the county. Respectfully,
ENOCH B. ABELL.

For County Treasurer
Mr. Editor:—Please announce Mr. R. MATTINGLY, of Beauve, a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the Democratic primaries, and say if he will be a candidate he will receive their support. Many admirers. DEMOCRATS.

For Sale!
—Large Bay Horse; good sound buggy and work horse; will sell cheap. Mrs. R. V. RICHARDS, Ridge, Md. 7-23-1m.

Rotary Cutters Stir Subsoil to Considerable Depth Without Elevating Surface to Any Extent.

The Scientific American in describing the tractor plow invented by H. N. Carpenter of De Witt, Mich., says: "This inventor produces a tractor plow, in which a number of rotary cutters extend deeply into the ground and are rotated positively by power-driven gearing employed for the purpose, so that the cutters stir the ground for a considerable depth, but without elevating the surface to any extent."

Keep Cats Around Barn.
Always keep a family of cats about the barn. By feeding them at milking time they will do much to keep down the rats and mice. Rats, mice and milk make very good ration for cats and young growing kittens. Not exactly balanced, but fully adapted to their needs.

Careful of Her Language.
A third new teacher in one of the district schools asked to leave with the trustee at the close of her term a list of all school property. There happened to be two numeral frames on which the youngsters learn to count. They have the name of abacus and the plural form of the word bothered the young lady. She finally got around it by saying: "We have one abacus, and another one almost like it."

Surely He Didn't Mean—
Master of the House (to complainant's servant)—"Dear, dear, James, I'm tired of those continual kitchen squabbles." Servant—"Well, sir, 'ow would you like to be called an addle-headed idiot, soppin' you wasn't one, sir?"

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For Judge of Orphans' Court

Dear Beacon:—Please suggest the name of Mr. SAMUEL HAYDEN, of the Fourth District, as a most suitable one for the Democratic candidacy for Judge of the Orphans' Court, and say that if elected he will fill that office as creditably and capably as he did that of County Commissioner. Mr. Hayden's record as Commissioner stands out as one of the most enviable that make it ever held at the hall. Don't fail to attend and have a good time. Dance at night. By order of the Ladies' Aid Society of Chaptico Parish. Per Theo. B. Carpenter. 6-24-1d.

FESTIVAL!

Stop, Think and Listen! The Ladies' Aid Society of Chaptico Parish will hold their annual Festival at Chaptico Hall on TUESDAY, AUG. 16. All the delicacies of the season will be served and every effort will be made by those in charge to make it surpass all former affairs of the kind ever held at the hall. Don't fail to attend and have a good time. Dance at night. By order of the Ladies' Aid Society of Chaptico Parish. Per Theo. B. Carpenter. 6-24-1d.

Charity Dance AT CHARLOTTE HALL Monday, Aug. 9, 1915

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For House of Delegates

Mr. Editor:—Please announce Mr. WILLIAM H. MATTINGLY as a suitable candidate for the Democratic nomination for the House of Delegates. Mr. Mattingly is eminently qualified to fill this important trust and is one of the most prominent younger Democrats. DEMOCRATS. 6-10-15.

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For Sheriff.

Mr. Editor:—Please announce Mr. OLIVER B. MILBURN, of the Second District, as a suitable candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff, and say that if elected he will be staunchly supported by the Democrats of the county. DEMOCRATS. 6-10-15.

For County Treasurer.

Mr. Editor:—Please announce Mr. FRED. C. DAVIS, of Chaptico, as a suitable candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer, and say that if he consents to run he will receive a very flattering vote. 4-22-15. DEMOCRATS.

For County Commissioner

Mr. Editor:—Please announce Mr. LEOP. M. WATHEN as a suitable candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic Primaries, and say that if he will consent to serve he will receive the hearty support of all those desiring an economical administration of county affairs. 2-25-15. THIRD & SIXTH DISTRICTS.

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" " " " 75c. " 39c.
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Great Reduction in Shoes.

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Men's \$8 Suits, \$4.98 Boys' \$4 Suits, \$2.25
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" 12.50 " 6.50 " 6 " 3.25
" 15 " 9.00 and up. and up.

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10c. per yard, Bleached Cotton, 6 1/2 cts. yard.
1 yard Wide Brown Cotton, 22 yds. for \$1.
10c. Dress Gingham, 6 1/2 cts. yard.
8c. Apron Gingham, 4 1/2 cts. yard.

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Shirts and Drawers, regular price 25c. 17c.
Men's 50c Fine Shirts, 39c.
50c Overalls, 39c.
Men's 10 and 12c Hose, 4 pairs for 25c.
Boys' 25c Caps, 16c.

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