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Purely Personal Piffle

We regret exceedingly that another engagement kept us from being present at Kennedyville on Wednesday night, when Brother Hadaway, pastor of the M.P. Church in that city, launched out on his tirade against the "rakings and scrapings" who represent our State in its legislature. Mixing religion and politics generally—something of which we do not at all approve—the good Brother tossed out a warning against the encrouchment of Rome and the Pope in our government, all of which we would never have missed had we but known that he was given to untimely ravings.

Since we only got the story second-hand it wouldn't be fair to go into detail, but the thought has occurred to us that the good pastor can stiffle his hatred and tolerate the "rakings and scrapings" of our political world at his own Church festival where they draw the crowds ...and make a healthy donation besides...!

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Mr. Peregoy, in town for a visit, has discarded the stiff-brim straw hat for a drooping Panama...Sonny Thomas, ten-year-old, chats long and earnestly with Mrs. Rogers, a next-door-neighbor, who can recall when Lincoln was President...An itinerant printer tells us that plans are afoot to cut down on the staff at the Queen Anne's Record...We pick Bucky Wilson and Jack Kibler as winners in the unlimited race for boats under 18½ feet today... Harry Russell, the fat boy of the local print shops, will be ballast on Phil Wilmer's outboard...C. Frank Crow reminds me of William S Hart, the old screen star.

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Every "youngster" in Kent county should be whooping it up for Walter T. Morris, the first Kent Countian under thirty to land a berth on a ticket in many years...And we might add here that Walter is all of twenty-six, contrary to what his opponents are saying. They have circulated the yarn that he hasn't voted, which is so much stuff and nonsense...The person who says that Walter is too young for his office, and, accordingly, won't vote for him, is off my list for keeps.

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And now the talk is going around that Doc Smith will oppose the Democratic nominee for the Treasurership...which is about the tenth office he has been slated for... While, over in Queen Anne's, the New Deal ticket has a State Central Committee candidate who would appeal to many Kent young bloods...Meaning Miss Genevieve Long, the popular Queenstown blonde...and

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The Republicans will stage a meeting on Monday night, August 20th, to find out just where the elephant was buried . . .Which reminds me that a watermelon plugged and filled with a pint of corn, is called an elephant egg... And 'tis said to be potent...We suggest that "Rubinoff" Crowding should put another string on his fiddle and serenade the doubtful voters...And Doc Hines still contends that the public square doesn't belong to Chestertown, but to the State of Maryland...And he came near as an ace putting the armory there..

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All three of the candidates for the Chief Judgeship are confident of victory...Norman Jefferson is squiring Mason Shehan about Kent, Bill Medders is doing the honors for Evans, and Young Tom Keating is stumping for his Dad...And, as yet, there's been little evidence of open pursestrings on the $10,000 which Doctor Copeland was to be spending in his campaign.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Starr, of Pomona, gave a dinner August 8th, 1934, on the second anniversary of their wedding. Those present were Charles, Evelyn and Claud Mullin, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Starr and children, Mr and Mrs. George Grussing and children Russell Starr, Rev. and Mrs. Huffnal and children, Rev. W. L. McClintock and nephew, of Wye Mills; Arthur H. Burris and three daughters, Mrs. Clara V. Crew, Miss Elsie M. Crew. The infant son Walter Francis Starr, Jr., was christened by Rev. W. L. McClintock.

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C. Lee Gill and J. Thomas Kibler have been named delegates from the Frank M. Jarman Post 36, American Legion, to the 16th annual convention of the Maryland Department to be held September 5 to 8 in the Lord Baltimore Hotel. More than 2,000 members from different parts of the State are expected to attend.

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Cold, hard winters are in prospect for Eastern United States for the next five years or so, in the opinion of the master minds of weather.

One forecaster, more pessimistic than any of his other colleagues, whose predictions were included in a symposium made public Tuesday went so far as to assert that for 10 years cold winters and dry summers may be expected. One dissented from the majority opinion.

Most of the weather men based their prognostications on nothing more than the good old law of averages. The forecasters held a convention Wednesday in Newark, New Jersey.

DEATHS

Henry Mercer died at his home in Skinner's Neck Tuesday, aged about 78. He leaves the following children: Henry and William Mercer, Mrs. Minnie Bolter, Mrs. Riel. The funeral was held yesterday, interment in Wesley Chapel.

Miss Mary Thomas, 63, daughter of the late J. Evan Thomas, former Justice of the Peace in Kent county, died Sunday morning near Wilmington. She had not resided in Chestertown for some years but the remains were brought to the home of her cousin, Miss Laura R. A Thomas, on Washington avenue, from where funeral services were held at 11.15 a. m. Tuesday, conducted by the Rev. C. L. Atwater, assisted by the Rev. Frank White.

Besides Miss Laura Thomas another cousin. Mrs. J. A. Perkins, of Lansdowne, Pa., and the following nephews, Earl Thomas, Baltimore; Harvey Thomas, Baltimore, and Emory Thomas, Indianapolis, Ind., survive.

The bearers were Earl Thomas, Earl Thomas, Jr., R. H. Collins, Jr., Wm. S. Collins, 3nd, James G. Beck and A. L. Sterling; Dodd and Usilton, undertakers.

Edward K. Mohr

The death of Edward K. Mohr was noted in the NEWS last week. The deceased was a man of unusual character and attainments. A resume of his life will be read with interest by our readers in Kent and especially in Chestertown where he lived with his daughter, Dr. Esther M. Dole, of Washington College.

During his younger years Mr. Mohr was an active and ardent church and Sunday school worker. In 1925 the Michigan Sunday School Advocate paid him a glowing tribute in its columns. It told how for more than a quarter century Mr. Mohr had devoted himself to the extension and improvement of the Sunday school. While engaged as a bookkeeper with a large manufacturing establishment in Grand Rapids, Mich., he was chosen secretary of the Kent County School Association, a position that afforded him opportunity for weekly Sunday visits with the Sunday schools and churches of the city and county. His religious upbringing in Pennsylvania, his later experience as a student in Ohio and as a teacher in an Illinois college afforded a background of preparation for this unpaid Sunday school ministry in Michigan.

He subsequently became secretary to the late E. K. Warren, affording intimate contacts with the World's International and State programs and for eleven years served the Michigan committee with fidelity and success. During that period he attended forty-nine different State Sunday School Conventions; three world's conventions and six international conventions.

Mr. Mohr leaves to mourn his passing two daughters, Mrs. Esther M. Dole, of Chestertown, Md., a teacher in Washington College, and Mrs. Del Patterson, New Buffalo, Mich.; one son, Malcolm Mohr, of Kenosha, Wis.; six grandchildren and one brother, O. K. Mohr, this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and daughter, Mary, and the son, Malcolm, arrived in this city on Saturday morning and were at the bedside when he died. Funeral arrangements were not completed last night.

H. J. Plant was taken quite sick at his Chesapeake Hotel this week Mrs. Plant was sent to the hospital Sunday suffering from a nervou breakdown.

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Negotiations are pending for the purchase from Townsend Anthony of a piece of ground in Queen Anne's next to J. D. Gale's oil Station on which an auto repair shop will be erected and managed by John Bedwell, an expert machinist.

An Adv. in city papers of a fin ance company offers to lend money at 1 per cent a month. On sums less than $150 the rate is 3½ per cent per month! Local banks in Kent offer money at 6 per cent for a whole year!

Personal and Social Events of Interest

Rev. Avery Donovan has recovered sufficiently so as to leave the hospital and is now with his dauter in Baltimore.

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Mrs. Ethel S. Fox returned from Washington Unibersity on Saturday where she had been attending summer school. Mrs. Fox made a fine record there. She is the efficient librarian at Washington College.

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Miss Mary Reese Jones, graduate nurse, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Satterfield and the Reese family. She was en route to El Paso, Texas, where she has been named as missionary nurse in an Episcopal School. She expected to stop at Chicago Fair and to visit friends in Ohio while en route.

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Dr. Esther Dole arrived home from the funeral of her father, Mr. E. K. Mohr, in Michigan last Saturday. She had about completed her work at Alfred University and reports the weather quite pleasant during her stay there, it being 3,000 feet above sea level.

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Miss Nora Boston, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H Thompson on High street.

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Miss Rebecca McFeely, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother and aunt in town.

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Harry C. Coleman, wife and son have been enjoying the week at Kitts' Hammock, near Dover.

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Dr. Makoskey and wife returned Thursday from a month's vacation spent in Maine. The two children enjoyed a visit to their grandparents in Baltimore.

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Galen Vansant, Esq., of Chatham, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Geo. W. French, on Mill street.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Valliant and daughter, Grace, have been visiting relatives in Oxford, Md.

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Mrs. Howard Pennington, Mrs. Joseph Lewis, Mrs. Audrey Kauffman. Mrs. Burton Vansant and Miss Helen Ashley have taken a cottage at Rehoboth for next week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard are at Atlantic City for a short visit this week.

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Little Miss Betty Blackway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Blackway, underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell Wheatley and daughter, of Toronto, Canada, arrived at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Fannie Wheatley, here on Sunday for a visit of two weeks or more. They motored the more than 500 miles in about 15 hours.

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Mr. and Mrs. James W. Johns have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Roy Woodland, at Marion Station, for several days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee, spent the week-end at Rehoboth Reach.

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Miss Martha Speicher has returned home after a pleasant visit at Hollidayburg, Pa.

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Arnold Green Cauns, of Seaford, Del., Miss Florence Dryden, of Princess Anne, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Willis Twilley, of Quantico, Md., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberts, on a fishing trip over the week-end.

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Roland Matthews and wife and son with his daugther, of Washington, D. C., are guests of Vernor M. Barnett and wife.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Baldwin and five children left last Saturday by motor for a two week's trip to Chicago and the World's Fair.

Mrs. Sara Crowding, Misses Dorothy Thompson, Dorothy Ivens, Ruth Jones, Walter Clatenoff, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Kirby, Vickers LeCates, Miss Esther Belevin and Mr. and Mrs. Roland LeCates spent the week-end at Ocean City, Md.

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Mrs. Lawrence Davis, of Rock Hall, spent last week-end with her sister, Mrs. J. Thos. Hadaway, here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Blyman and son, Billy, of Philadelphia, are the guest of the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey K. Blyman.

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Miss Virginia Jones, of Baltimore is spending her vacation at the home of her father, Dr. J. S. Wm Jones, on Washington avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Branham of Virginia, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rogers here Mrs. Branham was formerly Miss Polly Westcott.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walter, of Baltimore, who have a summer home at Smithville, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Barbara Clayton, born August 8th, at Bon Secour Hospital, Baltimore.

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Mrs. Walter Holdson has returned home after a three months treatment at Johns Hopkins Hospital fuch improved.

The Walter sisters are visiting at the home of their uncle, Joshua Davis, Hanesville.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peregoy are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Pippin previous to visiting their son who is expected in a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Norman Cooper, Miss Dorothy Woodall and Skirven Startt returned Sunday from a vacation trip of two weeks at Rehoboth Beach.

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Friends of Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson, Associate Grand Matron, O. E. S. will be interested to know of her slight improvement from a most severe illness at her home in Cambridge, Md.

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Rollison Baxter and family and Mrs. Washington I. Woodall are spending the week-end at Ocean City, Md.

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Dr. H. G. Simpers is spending sometime at Atlantic City, where he has gone for a rest.

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Miss Helen Simpers is home for a three-week vacation from her duties in Washington, D. C.

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Miss Mae Lynn, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Metcalfe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilkinson are week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Karl Melamet and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bacchus.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Weaver and Henry Wegner are week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hines at "Riverside" Farm.

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Judge Wm. A. Wheatley attended a "family" reunion in Galestown, Md., this week. There were about 600 present.

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