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WHERE WHOLE THEORY OF CHARITY IS WRONG

The present policy of American industry of helping employees with their personal problems is based upon the assumption that eventually they will surely "go broke," according to William G. Knox, president of the American Bankers Association. To correct this condition, Mr. Knoxs says, we provide old age pensions and other forms of charitable compensations, which he contends is commendable, but contrary to the purpose of democracy. Of course the whole theory of charity is wrong. At best it is a palliative existing purely because it provides the best stop gap we know until justice is established. Of late there have been encouraging evidences that a better order of things is on the way, not the least of which is open recognition by bankers that some change in our economic system must be provided that will permit of independence to those who have worked industriously according to their abilities during the years of normal labor.

Unfortunately Mr. Knox follows pretty much in the beaten path of pointing to an evil without pointing very clearly to its possible cure.

"There must be injected into our industrial policy an additional economic element," says Mr. Knox, "one of mutual benefit and permanent value to both labor and capital, concerned not alone with the amount of wages that are earned, but with how these earnings shall be used."

Mr. Knox says he argues for the elimination of waste and for an industrial savings policy based upon the principle of independence, a policy that will give the average American a greater incentive to help himself. All of this spells the elimination of the unearned increment and the financial bonus gathering middleman or the waste must continue, which looks like the financial Hari-Kari.

RIDGELY

A teaches' meeting, together with the Young Peoples' Division of the local Sunday Schools is held in Ridgely every Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Yorkdale and Mr. Henry Sipple of Washington spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Yorkdale's sister, Mrs. J. H. Hemmons.

A council fire meeting including the young peoples' division of the local Sunday Schools was held in the church house Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolson and daughter, Virginia, of Wilmington, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hemmons.

Mrs. S. E. Parsons, principal of our primary school, left last week for her home in Oxford. She will attend summer school at Johns Hopkins, Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fountain and two sons of Irvington, N. J., spent last week at the home of Mrs. Fountain's parents, Mr .and Mrs. John M. Swing, and attended the nuptials of their sister, Miss Rebecca, and Dr. Rosenast.

Miss Louise Fleetwood of Denton has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Lynch.

Mrs. T. L. Day is with her niece, Miss Drusilla Barnes, of Easton, whose condition continues critical.

Mr. John W. Knott died at his home on Maple Avenue, Ridgely, on Sunday of last week after a lingering illness of a complication of diseases. Mr. Knott had lived in Ridgely for the past two years, having moved here from Cordova. He is survived by a widow and seven children, five sons and two daughters. The funeral was held at St. Benedict's Catholic Church, Father Kraemer officiating. Interment in Easton.

Lane & Lang have the contract for the erection of the Breyer milk cooling plant.

Miss Ella Hevalow, daughter of the late James H. Hevalow, was united in marriage on June 18th to Mr. James J. Lane Jr., of Philadelphia. Mr. Lane a few years ago lived on a farm near Ridgely. Miss Hevalow before her marriage was employed at Swarthmore.

Miss Dorothy Beaumont will attend summer school at College Park.

Little Dever Hobbs celebrated his birthday anniversary with a party last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Olan Clark announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Miriam Clark, to Mr. Hiram Knight of Baltimore.

Mr. Fred H. Flounders, Jr., left last week for Pittsburgh, Pa., where he has accepted a position for the summer with the Westinghouse Electrical Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Saulsbury announce the birth of a daughter.

Miss Mary Rebecca Saulsbury attended the wedding of a classmate at Williamsport, Pa., last week.

Miss Dempsy Kinnamon of Goldsboro and Miss Elizabeth Cherry of near town have been spending a few days at the home of their cousin, Miss Hilda Cherry.

Mr. Harvey Reiniger of Wilmington has been visiting his father, Mr. H. E. Reiniger.

Mrs. Noble Jackson and son of Wilmington are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson.

Misses Elaine and Dorothy Saulsbury had as week end guests at their cottage at Rehoboth Misses Marian Hemmons and Elizabeth and Alma Wilson.

Messrs. Dudley Davis and Norman Wilson have been spending a few days at Rehoboth.

Mr. Paul Hoffmaster, one of our high school teachers, left last week for his home on the Western Shore. He will attend summer school at Towson.

Mr. Fred Madara, a law student at the University of Virginia, is at the home of his father, Dr. J. C. Madara, for the vacation.

Mr. Reese Sewell, who is studying experimental farming, left last week for St. Mary's Seminary where he will take a three-months' course.

Mr. Wilson Jackson of Newark, N. J., is home for the vacation months

Professor and Mrs. H. A. Kinhart and Mrs. Lelia Willis left last Thursday for Harford county where they will spend two weeks at the farm home of Mr. Kinhart's parents. Professor and Mrs. Kinhart will attend summer school at Columbia University and Mrs. Willis wil lspend the remainder of the summer in Easton.

Mr. Clarence Lane of Philadelphia spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lane.

Mrs. James Lewis and two children have been spending a few days with relatives in Cordova.

Miss Emily Koeneman lately spent a few days with friends in Easton.

Miss Dorothy Porter has been visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. Samuel King is home from Juniata College for the summer.

Beginning the first of July Lieut. Dudley Davis will be stationed at Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ryan have been visiting in Smyrna, Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Robinson, who has been nursing her mother through an illness, has returned to her work at Marcus Hook.

Mrs. A. G. Koeneman, formerly of Ridgely and now of Cordova, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in Eastn hospital, is improving rapidly.

Mr. S. B. Elliott and family, Mr. Stephen Lynch and Miss Grace Wood visited Love Point recently.

Mrs. F. P. Herr arrived in Ridgely on Sunday evening and is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Hemmons.

Mrs. Richard Sparks and little son of Baltimore have been spending some time at the home of her brother, Mr. T. W. Jones.

Mr. Frank Flounders spent the week end with his daughter, Miss Dorothy Flounders, at Fort Washington. Miss Dorothy returned home with him for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bennington announce the birth of a son.

The friends of Miss Rebecca Swing gave her a miscellaneous shower last Thursday evening in preparation for her marriage the following Saturday.

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VERNON

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hopkins, of Florida have been spending some time with John L. Hopkins and family, and have been dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Ross.

Mrs. Alberta Ross is spending the month of June with relatives in Wilmington. Her brother, Ralph Stevens, and wife, of Florida, are spending June and July in Wilmington. They will return to Florida for the winter.

George Baker, who has been spending some time in Baltimore, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wesley Ross have visited Mr. and Mrs. William Wooters and the Misses Mildred and Pauline Wooters, all of Hickman. It was a very pleasant visit to these remarkable people who are enjoying reasonably good health although they are between 80 and 90 years old, and out of a good sized family of children, not one is missing. These are two very great blessings.

Mrs. Alice H. Ross attended the school picnic at Lewes and the Children's Day service at Laws' church as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. C. Warrington. There was 40 gallons of cream, and cakes galore at this community picnic. All had a delightful time. Great credit was given Miss Lord, the teacher, for training the children for the church service.

Greenville Farm near Vernon recently owned by Benjamin Hopkins has been resold and bought by J. J. Brown

Mrs. Elma Williams who has been visiting Mrs. Mitchell has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

While on a recent visit to Delaware, Charlie Cahall and friends, Walter and Will Calley all of Philadelphia, called to see their school mates, R. Wesley Ross and Mrs. Margaret Simpson.

A. C. Warrington and family and guest, Mrs. Alice H. Rose have visited Mrs. Foster Boone, Mrs. Walter S. Campr and their families at Milford and Bowers Beach. It was a very delightful visit.

Mrs. Rachel Carlisle of Frederica, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Jordan of Philadelphia, have been recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Boone.

Paris Camper, of Wilmington, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Camper.

Miss Bernice Hendricks has finished two weeks of teaching at Chilton since her school term has been completed at Raughleys'.

CHILDREN'S EDUCATIONAL DAY

Next Sunday, June 28, is Children's Educational Day at the Church of the Brethren. An appropriate program is being arranged for the Sunday school hour, after which will follow a sermon on some phase of education. The Sunday evening preaching hour will be given to showing of Bible pictures with thtir explanations. The children themselves will have an active part in the evening service. Come and enjoy the pictures with us.

PRESTON

Rev. C. C. Harris preached a very interesting sermon on education to the graduating class on Sunday morning, June 14. Mrs. Max Chambers very beautifully rendered "The Lord Is My Light." The children's day exercises were held the same evening. The little tots were delighted to have one evening in which they could entertain the grownups and they displayed much talent in the rendering of their different parts. The Junior choir supplied the music.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society was entertained at the home of Miss Nellie Harris last Friday evening. Few members answrd the roll call but the meeting was a very profitable one. The members decided to give a bake on Saturday afternoon, July 11, to help raise the quota of $12 for the Retired Missionary fund.

On June 15 the members of the graduating class gave their class night exercises. Mr. James Douglas gave the president's address. Mr. Alva Blades introduced the members of the class. The history of the class was read by Mr. John Alderson. Mr. Maxwell Nusbaum gave a very laughable address in behalf of his class, the Juniors, to which Miss Ruth Poole responded with good advice to the Juniors. Miss Helen Cheezum was the class Grouch and Mr. Roland the class Optimist. Miss Dot Wright "broadcasted" the prophecy of the class of '25. Miss Mary Lane presented gifts to the class in a very humorous manner. Mr. Herbert Fooks gave the will and Miss Myra Christopher was the class poet. The Preston orchestra furnished the music for the evening. After the exercises the class entertained a number of its friends at a most enjoyable party.

The Commencement exercises of the class of '25 were held on Tuesday evening in the town hall. The invocation was made by Rev. C. C. Harris. Mrs. Clara Payne sang "One Fleeting Hour" after which Rev. R. C. Meeks, formerly pastor of the M. E. church south, of Easton, delivered the address to the graduates. Mr. Edwin Wright rendered "Marcheta." Miss Mildred Griffith, president of the alumni association, awarded the prizes which were given by that association to the valedictorian of the graduating class, Miss Mary Lane; the leader of the Junior class, Mr. Harry Hall; the leader of the Sophomore class, Miss Marguerite Koerber; the leader the Freshman class, Mr. William Kelly; the best all-round student, Miss Marguerite Koerber. Professor W. K. Cumming made a few very impressive remarks to the class. The diplomas were presented by Mr. J. T. Dennis. Rev. Harris pronounced the benediction.

Miss Helen Cheezum entertained her teachers at a delightful dinner last Thursday evtning. Miss Cheezum was a member of the graduating class.

Mrs. W. H. Alderson, who has been suffering many weeks with nervous trouble, has been taken to the Methodist Hospital in Philadelphia where she is receiving treatment.

Mr. Irving Fooks of West Point is spending two and a half months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Fooks.

Mr. J. Pernell Dennis of St. Paul Minn. has returned to that city after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dennis.

Miss Louise Wright is attending a ten day conference of Y. W. C. A. as a delegate from Hood College, at Eaglesmere, Pa.

Miss Irene Wright, after spending her summer vacation with friends and relatives in town, has returned to the Church Home and Infirmary at Baltimore where she will resume her training as a nurse.

Misses Cornelia Cannon, Agnes Dulin and Lilian Cheezum are among the graduates of Maryland State Normal School this year. The three young ladies are spending their vacations at the home of their parents.

Miss Louise Harris and Miss Lillian Deen of the Delaware University have returned to their homes for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wright and son Walter and Mr. Edwin Wright motored to Ocean City Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Chambers and daughtr, Marjorie Ann, spent the week end in Baltimore.

Miss Marguerite Outten, Camden, Del., has been spending ten days with Miss Dot Wright.

Miss Esther Lednum, who has been teaching in Richmond, Va., is spending her summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Lednum.

Miss Adeline Edgell is spending a few days with Miss Marguerite Outten, in Camden, Del.

Miss Catherine Cox is visiting her brother, Mr. Jerome Cox at Hyattsville, Md.

Dr. J. R. Downes of Newark, Del., recently visited friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wright, Rev. C. C. Harris, and Messrs. Ed and Phil Wright attended the alumni banquet of the Wilmington Conference Institute at Dover, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumming and son Billy are spending part of their summer vacation in Baltimore.

Miss Ruth Lednum spent the week end with Miss Helen Cheezum on the old Carmine homestead.

Miss Blanche Alderson, a teacher of Baltimore City, is spending her summer vacation with her family.

Mrs. George N. Fluharty and son Norwood spent last week in altimore. We are glad to report that Mrs. Fluharty's arm has improved sufficiently to have the cast removed, which she has been wearing for several months.

Miss Mary Richards of Claiborne, Md., is visiting the Misses Nina Wrightson and May Bouldin.

Mr. Edgar Wrightson of Baltimore spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wrightson.

Miss Alice Gray of Hyattsville, Md., is visiting Mrs. S. E. Douglas.

Miss Emma Lowe of Baltimore was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. M. M. Parker.

Miss Lucretia Smith and her friend, Miss Elsie Gilbert from aBltimore are visiting Mrs. J. M. Parker.

Miss Inez Noble is spending part of the summer at her home in Preston.

HARMONY

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ferrens and son visited Mr. Alonzo Ferrens at Church Hill on Sunday.

Mrs. Bll Dean has returned home from Easton ,having spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. German Wright.

Children's Day services, held here Sunday afternoon, were well attended. In addition to the regular program the audience was favored with two solos, one by Mrs. G. J. Hooker and one by Mr. Rue, of Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and daughter of Wilmington were the guests of Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Mollie Stoery, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Ferrens and children of Church Hill were the guests of Mr. Ferren's mother, Mrs. Mollie Stoery.

Miss Mildred Collins spent Saturday and Sunday in Washington, D. C.

F. J. WRIGHT

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Miss I. J. Simpson Maryland Assistant State Superintendent

Miss I. Jewell Simpson, who has been state superintendent of elementary Schools, has been appointed Assistant State Superintendent of Education, vice Prof. William J. Holloway who will be come principal of Salisbury high school in September, when schools reopen for the year.

Miss Simpson is the first woman ever to hold the position to which she has been appointed.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF HARRY D. RITCHEY, AND EVA MAY RITCHEY, HIS WIFE, TO ADOPT HILDA MAY FIFIELD, NEE HILDA MAY RITCHEY, AN INFANT

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in Equity

The object of the petition in the above case is to procure the legal adoption of Hilda May Fifield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, by Harry D. Ritchey and Eva May Ritchey, his wife.

The petition states:

That the petitioners reside near Denton, in Caroline county, State of Maryland.

That Hilda May Fifield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, lived with and was raised by Harry D. Ritchey and Eva May Ritchey, his wife, from the time she was about two months old until her marriage with Charles Fifield.

That your petitioners do not know where the father and mother of the said Hilda May Fiefield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, now reside and have not known where they resided during the last fourteen years.

That the said Hilda May Fifield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, was seventeen years old on March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five.

That on the second day of August, nineteen hundred and twenty-four, the said Hilda May Fifield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, was married to Charles Fifield.

That the consent of the said Hilda May Fifield and Charles Fifield is given to said adoption.

That said petitioners believe that the welfare and happiness of the said Hilda May Fifield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, will be promoted by adopting her.

That said petitioners have become very much attached to said Hilda May Fifield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, and desire to adopt her as their own child.

It is thereupon this 9th day of June, nineteen hundred and twenty-five, by the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in equity, ordered that the petitioners cause a copy of this order with the object and substance of the petition to be inserted in some newspaper published in Caroline county, once a week for four successive weeks before the 14th day of July, nineteen hundred and twenty-five, giving notice to the parents of the said Hilda May Fifield, nee Hilda May Ritchey, and to whom it may concern, to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the 27th day of July, nineteen hundred and twenty-five, to show cause, if any there be, why a decree should not be passed as prayed.

GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk

True Copy—Test:

GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk

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ORDER NISI

T. PLINY FISHER, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of George R. Neal, Deceased, Assignee

vs.

JOHN W. WRIGHT and HENRIETTA WRIGHT, his wife

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in Equity No.

ORDERED, this 27th day of May, 1925, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by T. Pliny Fisher, executor, be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 30th day of July, 1925, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of four successive weeks before the 30th day of June, 1925.

The report states the amount of sales to be $775.00.

GEO A. DEAKYNE, Clerk

True Copy, Test—

GEO A. DEAKYNE, Clerk

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ORDER NISI

In the matter of the Real estate of ELLA G. TOULSON, deceased

In the Orphans' Court for Caroline County

ORDERED, this 2nd day of June, 1925, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James C. Mullikin, administrator, c.t.a., of the last will and testament of Ella G. Toulson, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 2nd day of August, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline county, once in each of four successive weeks, before the 2nd day of July, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,190.00

RICHARD T. WEST
ELISHA H. HARPER
WILLIAM J. SHAWN

True copy, Test:

J. IRWIN HARWOOD, Register of Wills

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