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Party Leaders Agree on This

WILSON—HUGHES—TAFT IN ACCORD

There is one subject on which these three eminent leaders of their parties are in entire accord. Their counsel is worth having on this important subject.

President Wilson says: "If a man does not provide for his children, if he does not provide for all those dependent upon him, and if he has not that vision of conditions to come, and that care for the days that have not yet dawned, which we sum up in the whole idea of thrift and saving, then he has not opened his eyes to any adequate conception of human life. We are in this world to provide not for ourselves, but for others, and that is the basis of economy."

Mr. Charles E. Hughes, speaking on the same subject, said: "As a young man I realized that there was one way a man without capital could protect his family and make proper security against the day that comes to all; that was through life insurance.

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PIE SOCIAL.

The Kennedyville School will hold a PIE SOCIAL at the school next Friday Evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sandwiches and coffee will be served. Public invited. j24

OYSTER AND POULTRY SUPPER.

The men of Worton M. E. Church assisted by their wives will hold a Poultry and Oyster Supper in Worton Hall, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 28, 1920. Menu—Chick or dux, oysters, slaw, white and sweet potatoes, hominy, dressing, gravy, fixed eggs, macaroni, escalloped potatoes, rolls, biscuit, pickle, jelly, coffee, butter and sugar. Supper 75 cents; children under 12, 50 cents. Everybody come out and help us.
j17 COMMITTEE.

LOST.

A White French Poodle Dog answering to the name of "Buster." Any information leading to his recovery will be rewarded.
M. J. LEWIS,
1t Cross Street.

LOST.

On road between Kennedyville and Still Pond, Md., Tuesday evening, Jan. 20, 1920, a Black Hand Bag with initials of W. H. K. on bag flap. If found please return to Graham & Thomas, Chestertown, Md., and receive reward. j24.

LOST.

A Thoroughbred Collie which comes by name of "Shep." Any information will be appreciated.
Phone 91M. MRS. SUSIE JOINER,
j24-tf Chestertown, Md.

COWS FOR SALE.

Two Cows with calves by side for sale. Holstein stock. Can be seen at farm where I now reside. Am selling because I have too many cattle.
T. G. CLOTHIER,
j24-3t Chestertown R. R.

WANTED.

Man to solicit and collect industrial insurance for Chestertown and vicinity. Good terms to right man.
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Want to buy a farm in Kent county. Give number of acres, size of dwelling, outbuildings and the location in your first letter. Address
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Poultry, Eggs, Calves, Hides, etc. Muskrats $3.75; Coons $8.00.
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FURS, POULTRY, ETC.

Furs are higher this year than ever. I want Furs, Poultry, Eggs, Calves, Wool, etc. See me first before you sell.
MARCUS ASCHER,
26 W. Pratt Street,
j17-4t Baltimore, Md.

FUR WANTED.

I have several large orders to fill and need all kinds of fur. See me before selling.
S. G. CALDWELL,
j3-tf Galena, Md.

PASSENGER ROUTE.

On and after January 1, 1920, I will run a passenger line from Rock Hall to Chestertown leaving Rock Hall daily, except Sunday, at 9 a. m. and leaving Chestertown at 3.30 p. m. daily, except Sunday. Fare 55c each way, including war tax. Phone 11.12. Special trips may be arranged for.
WALTER H. HADAWAY,
j10-3t Rock Hall, Md.

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Hand Cleaned Tomato Seed $2.00 per pound, parcel post paid.
POE HARTLEY,
j10-4mos* Crumpton, Md.

R. THOMPSON, BUTCHER, Phone 87

Now is the first of the year and I am buying FURS of all kinds—Coon, Opposums, Skunks, Muskrat, at the highest cash prices. Also Horse Hides and Beef Hides. Salt Meat and Muskrat Meat wanted j3-3mos

Wanted Furs

We want all kinds of FURS and HIDES, such as Foxes, Muskrats, Minks, Coons, Horse and Cow Hides. Will pay the high dollar for same.

Robert Moffett & Son
j3-3mos Chestertown, Md.

EGGS WANTED

Have increased our hatching capacity and will need a great many eggs. Can use eggs from any pure bred poultry, and will pay a premium above Philadelphia market price for them. Eggs to be delivered at the Farm on Saturdays and Mondays of each week. Will begin receiving Jan. 31st and will continue setting until July.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

On and after January 1, 1920, I close my active personal attention to the water supply business which I have conducted in the past. Mr. Louis Walls at Locust Grove, Md., will succeed me, and will have my moral support. Mr. Walls has been my assistant for the past 3 years and is capable to handle the work and has this assured help. Such standard supplies will be supplied by me to the trade that he may need in any work intrusted to him. Any appeal to me by telephone, letter or personal call will have my prompt attention.
W. R. McINTYRE,
Earleville, Md.
j243t R. R. No. 1 Bohemia Farm.

To The People Of Kent County

Do you think that your Legislaturemen are mindreaders? Will they know how you wish them to vote on the Federal Suffrage Amendment unless you tell them? They ask to hear from their constituents. You are either FOR or AGAINST it. The conscientious ANTI deserves more credit for his active opposition than the one who remains NEUTRAL and says nothing. Don't be passengers while you allow others to row the boat! Will you be proud to say when the Amendment is ratified that you gave no stroke at the oar?

Will you not tell them, also, how you want them to vote on the questions of Prohibition Enforcement, Race-Track Gambling, Sunday Laws and Teachers' Salaries.

Just Government League of Kent County

Income Tax Returns

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Monday, Jan. 26—Select Feature, also Topics of the Day.

Tuesday, Jan. 27—Viola Dana in The Microbe; also Bound and Gagged Serial.

Wdnesday, Jan. 28 — Elmo Lincoln in "Elma the Mighty; also five reel feature.

Thursday, Jan. 29—Lightning Bryce Serial; Eddie Polo in Cyclone Smith Story and Pathe News.

Friday and Saturday, Jan. 30 and 31—May Allison in "Fair and Warmer;" also Harold Lloyd Comedy, and Marie Walcamp in Saddle and Spurs.

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jan24-6m BALTIMORE, MD.

Prices of sugar vary just a little in Queen Anne's county: On Kent Island the merchants are charging 14 cents; in Winchester 20 cents; in Centreville 23 cents, and in Queenstown 20 to 25 cents. The difference in price must be caused by the high freight rate. If one of the Fair Price Agents pay a visit to Queen Anne's in the future we will be able to give our readers some interesting news.—News.

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HAND OF DEATH

Frank M. Jarman.

The News last week recorded the death of Sergeant Frank Jarman at Ashville, N. C., aged 28, from tuberculosis. The deceased entered the service through the draft and was sent to Camp Meade, and also to France. Upon his return here his arm, which had been injured while he was engaged in baseball in the International League, became quite swollen and finally had to be put in a cast. His condition grew gradually worse when he was sent to Camp Meade under the care of the government.

Young Jarman was one of the four men sent to the war from the same family, the father and three of his sons. The remains reached Chestertown Sunday night and were taken to the home of his parents on High St., where funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at one o'clock, conducted by Rev. Dr. Henry B. Martin, rector of Emmanuel P. E. Church. Interment was made in Chester Cemetery .The following were pallbearers Robert Ayres, Dr. F. B. Hines, J. R. Simpers, James Metcalfe, R. G. Parks and Gault Applegarth. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

Oliver Miller.

Oliver Miller died on Saturday last at a hospital in Baltimore of Bright's disease age 60 years. His remains were brought by train on Monday morning and rested at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Bacon, from which place funeral was held Tuesday afternoon conducted by Rev. J. L. Ward. The following were pall bearers: George Bacon, Arthur Bacon, Harrison Cornelius, Allan Joiner, Lester Carter and George Cooper. Interment at I. U., Worton. Charles L. Dodd, undertaker. The deceased leaves two brothers and two sisters.

S. Amos Reed.

S. Amos Reed, a former resident of Worton, this county, died at the home of his son, Lewin U. Reed, in Baltimore, on Friday last, after a short illness, aged 71 years. He leaves three sons, Frank S., and Lewin, of Baltimore, and S. Amos, Jr., of Pittsburg; also two daughters, Miss Sadie M. at home and Mrs. Hallie Zeigler. Body was brought to Chestertown on train Monday morning and interment was in Chester Cemetery at 11 a. m., Rev. Dr. G. T. Alderson officiating. Undertaker, Wm. H. Krusen.

Beatrice E. Grant.

Beatrice E. Grant died on the 11th instant of pneumonia at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Grant, in Wilmington, aged 6 years. This family was formerly of Piney Neck, this county. The remains were interred in Wesley Chapel Cemetery on Wednesday, Rev. A. F. T. Raum, of that church officiating. Thomas H. Casey, undertaker.

Annie E. Massey.

Mrs. Annie E. Massey, widow of Josiah Massey, died at the home of her son, Paul C. Massey, near Chestertown, Saturday evening, following an attack of paralysis, aged about 74 years. The deceased was a good woman with a big heart, kindly disposition and beloved by all who knew her. She leaves the following children: Mrs. Elmer Coleman, of Baltimore; Josiah Massey, Mrs. Grace Ziesel, Fannie A. Massey; G. Hubert Massey, of Philadelphia; Paul C. Massey, also a brother, John H. Evans, and sister, Mrs. S. R. Hurlock. Funeral was held Tuesday at 10 a. m. at Sacred Heart Church, Revs. Fathers Earner and McGoldrick, officiating, interment in Chester Cemetery. The bearers were Carroll Catlin, Wm. E. Evans, A. P. Rasin, Thomas Massey, J. W. Crouch and Dr. F. B. Hines. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

Joseph H. Hossinger.

Captain Joseph H. Hossinger, aged about 48 years, one of the best known citizens of rural New Castle county, died at his home at Newark Tuesday. Mr. Hossinger had been ill since the summer of 1918, and had been confined to his home for about a year.

John A. J. Medcalf.

John A. J. Medcalf, 71 years old, was found dead Thursday, lying in his bed, in his room, at 913 North Stricker street, Baltimore. Mr. Medcalf had complained of feeling ill the day before and Dr. H. E. Zepp was called in. He leaves six children, one of his daughters being Mrs. J. Leroy Jacquette, of Rock Hall. He is survived by his widow, Sarah Lavinia Medcalf.

FEDERATED CHARITIES

A meeting was held at the Red Cross Chapter House Monday afternoon, January 19th, 1920, at which representatives from all the Charitable Organizations of the Churches and town were present.

It was decided to form an organization to be known as The Federated Charities of Chestertown. By this method and in co-operating with the county nurse, the usual over lapping would be prevented.

There will be a house to house canvass by committees, who will explain the work in detail, and it is hoped that the community at large will co-operate in every way to make the organization a practical success.

The membership fee will be $1.00 a year.

The following officers were elected:
President, Mrs. W. B. Copper.
Vice-President, Mrs. James T. Dixon.
Secretary, R. Hynson Rogers.
Treasurer, W. Robert Huey.
Executive Board, Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. G. Frank Clark, Mrs. John Gale Usilton, Mrs. John S. Vandegrift, Mrs. Jane V. Robinson.

The meetings will be held at the Chapter House on the first Monday in each month from 4 to 5 p. m. at which all members are invited to attend. Beulah H. Perkins, Secretary.

Hog Brings $35,000.—Chief's Best a spotted Poland China hog, brought $35,000 in a sale at Noblesville, Ind., last week. The hog belonged to Frank Wise, and was purchased by Wycoff & Siamson, representing an Iowa State breeder's association. This is said to be a new record price for one hog. A sow brought $8,000 at the sale. Forty head, which were sold, brought $64,280.

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Jarrell—Dixon

A pretty home wedding
nized at the home of Mr.
Joseph Dixon, at Galena, on W
day at 12 o'clock, when their da
ter, Miss Molly, was married to A
ander Jarrell, of near Middletown,
the Rev. Frank White. The bride was attired in a silver gray traveling suit and black velvet hat and carried white carnations and was attended by her sister, Miss Blanche Dixon, the maid of honor, who was attired in blue silk and carried red carnations. A tiny neice of the bride, Miss Helen Fogwell, was flower girl, and carried her flowers in the basket that was formerly used at the wedding of her great great grandmother's. The best man was the brother of the groom, James Jarrell. After the wedding a sumptuous dinner was served to all the guests and the happy couple took the afternoon train at Elkton for Chadd's Ford, Pa. They received a large number of beautiful gifts.

Cain—Clough.

Miss Mary Rebekah Clough, daughter of Mrs. Jennie C. Clough, of Church Hill, Queen Anne's county, was married Saturday to James M. Cain, son of Doctor and Mrs. James W. Cain, of Catonsville. The ceremony was performed in the Church of the Ascension, Lafayette Square, by the Rev. John D. La Mothe, rector.

McBride—Smith.

The marriage of Miss Lillie V. Smith, of Betterton, and John L. McBride, of Philadelphia, took place quietly in that city Saturday, Jan. 17th, after a short trip to New York and other Northern cities the happy couple will return to Philadelphia, which will be their future home.

Announcement.—John M. Perry, of Centreville, announces the engagement of his daughter, Bessie, to J. Thomas Kibler, of Chestertown. The wedding will take place in the early spring.

ORGANIZING A Y. W. C. A.

Miss Mary Ross, of Pennsylvania, Here In The Interest Of The New Organization.

A campaign has been under way for some time in the interest of the Young Men's Christian Association, and now the same thing is being undertaken in the interest of the young women.

Miss Mollie Ross, of Pennsylvania, a worker of the Young Women's Christian Association, was in Chestertown Saturday and held a conference with local people interested in the welfare of the young girls of this community. Miss Ross told of the world-wide movement for the betterment of working girls, especially those away from home, and outlined the world program that is under development.

A representative gathering attended the meeting, which was held at the Red Cross Chapter House. Plans for the future were discussed and a general committee, with representatives from each church, was appointed to see what could be done for the betterment of the working girls here, especially those away from their homes. The following were named:

Chairman, Miss Adele France.
Vice Chairman, Mrs. Edwin Corwin.
Publicity Chairman, Mrs. W. B. Copper.
Literature Chairman, Mrs. Robert C. Harris.
Speakers Bureau Chairman, Mrs. J. G. Beck.
Committee at Large, Mrs. Wm. T. Brown, representing the W. C. T. U; Mrs. T. W. Perkins, the Red Cross; Mrs. Fred. G. Usilton, the Just Government League; Miss Jennie Wilkins, the Woman's Literary Club; Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth, the Grange; Mrs. Howard Strong, the Needlework Guild; Miss Susie Hill, the Girls Clubs; Mrs. H. F. Jefferson, the M. E. Church; Mrs. W. Robert Huey, the M. P. Church; Mrs. H. C. Hughes, the Catholic Church, and Mrs. John Newnam, the P. E. Church.

SUFFRAGE SWEEPING STATES.

The ratification of the equal suffrage amendment by the Legislature of Indiana on Friday, brings the number of consenting States up to twenty-six. It must be ratified in ten more States before it becomes effective. Among the States which have not yet ratified are Vermont, Connecticut, New Jersey, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Idaho and Washington, where it is confidently expected that affirmative action will be taken. What will happen in Delaware, Maryland and West Virginia is not certain, but the group of far southern States are not expected to favor the amendment. If the ten States mentioned at the beginning of this paragraph ratify, women will have the vote in every State. Thus far 70,000,000 of the population of the country are committed to the proposition, for this number of people live in the twenty-six ratifying States. Then ten more States needed will bring the proportion of the population favoring the change a long way above three-fourths of the total.

The Young Men's Club and the Mite Society of Christ M. P. Church will hold a box and apron social at the M P. parsonage next Friday night. All invited.

With eggs at their present high price, a flock of chickens is paying the tuition at Northwestern University of George Graham, a freshman. Graham visits his home at Rockford, Ill., each week and returns with 40 dozen eggs, which he sells to Evanston families. His father, Rev. Frederick Graham, is a Methodist minister.

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thoroughly overhauled and the work
will be completed in time for the
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Kennedyville Grange Meeting

The Pomona Grange will be guest of Rock Hall Grange Saturday, Jan. 31st, from 10.30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Kennedyville Grange No. 244 have elected and installed their officers for the year 1920. The installation took place Saturday afternoon, Jan. 10th, at which time the following officers were installed:

Master, Harry Redmile.
Overeser, Robert Wallis.
Steward, Edgar Davis.
Assistant Steward, Robt. Kennedy, Jr.
Lecturer, Mrs. Edgar Pennington.
Chaplain, Rev. J. M. Wooden.
Secretary, W. T. Hague.
Gate Keeper, Lloyd Kennedy.
Treasurer, Mrs. Thomas VanDyke.
Ceres, Mrs. Harry Redmile.
Pomona, Mrs. Lloyd Kennedy.
Flora, Mrs. Robert Wallis.
L. A. S., Miss Regina Rasin.
Pianist, Mrs. E. L. Redmile.
Press Correspondent, Mrs. J. W. Urie.

Supper was served to about fifty persons at 5 o'clock, and greatly enjoyed by all. In the evening open meeting was held, when a literary program was rendered, consisting of readings, music, discussion of various subjects of great importance, which proved beneficial to all.

Our next meeting to be held Monday January 26, and will be in charge of the men exclusively. Each member be on hand for we all know a great treat is in store for us. There will also be delegates elected for the Pomona Grange which meets at Rock Hall, Saturday, January 31st.

Chestertown Grange Meeting

The Chestertown Grange held a lively meeting on Monday night, January 19th, at the home of Mr. and Leon Brown. The Grange discussed the requirement for membership into a Grange. J. T. Anthony brought the discussion to a head in a talk in which he sail, it was the policy of the Grange, in general, to consider any one eligible for membership whose business or other interests did not conflict with the interests of the Grange.

Mrs. R. Anthony was elected to Chestertown Grange publicity in the National Grange monthly; Mrs. A. S. Turner, to give the Chestertown Grange publicity in the Maryland Farmer; and County Agent H. B. Derrick, to give the Chestertown Grange publicity in the local papers.

At this point in the meeting the installation of the new officers for the year of 1920 took place. Col. Wm. J. Vannort and J. T. Anthony conducted installation, installing the following officers:

Master, J. T. Anthony.
Overseer, H. B. Derrick.
Lecturer, Sister Leon Brown.
Steward, W. H. Morris.
Assistant Steward, E. R. Anthony.
Chaplain, Sister J. B. Newnam.
Treasurer, Wm. J. Vannort.
Secretary, Sister W. H. Morris.
Gate Keeper, J. B. Morris.
Ceres, Sister Margaret Y. Rogers.
Pomona, Sister Eunice C. Morris.
Flora, Sister Susan V. Hill.
Lady Assistant Steward, Sister J. B. Morris.
Matron Juvenile Grange, Sister E. R. Anthony.

One application for membership was received, that of Mrs. Derrick.

Mr. Anthony read an entertaining article on the Victory of Prohibition in the 18th Amendment.

The Grange decided to hold regular meeting in the future on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays in every month and the time was set at 7.30 p. m. The next meeting of the Grange will be at the home of J. T. Anthony on Thursday, February 5th.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Claude F. Parks has sold to W. O. Bringman the Westcott-Hill building situate corner High and Queen Sts., and now occupied by the Chestertown Candy Kitchen, A. L. Sparks and the Red Cross.

Edgar Clark has purchased thru T. W. Perkins, agent, the Hynson property on Cross street and will occupy it as an auto repair shop, etc. He has already torn down an old stable there.

J. Waters Russell has bought from J. H. Sides the double dwelling on High street, now occupied by Mrs. Frazier and Howard Reed.

METHODIST UNITY IN FIGURES

The Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, through a joint commission, have reached what they believe is an acceptable basis for unification after a separation lasting since 1844. Some facts which illustrate what a tremendous organization for Christ in America will result from the merger of the two churches.

Total membership	6,600,000
Number of Ministers	28,000
Number of Churches	47,000
Value of Churches and Parsonages	$230,000,000
Present Cost of Maintaining Competitive Church Property (Annually)	$750,000
Value of Competitive Property	$10,000,000

Unification cannot be completed for several years because the proposal, once it is acted on by the General Conferences of the two churches, must be submitted to the annual conferences for approval.

Leaving Havre de Grace Md., on skates to go to Swan Creek to look after some traps Archer Fletcher, aged 55 years, agumer and fisherman of that city, was drowned when he was about to land at Brenn's wharf at Oakington. The ice gave way and he disappeared in the water before help could reach him. A wife and six children survive him.

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