

MONAGENARIAN BALLOT FOR HUGHES, OF COURSE, ISAIAH HARTMAN SAYS

Roosevelt Too Erratic, "Grand Old Man of West Philadelphia," Avers on 91st Birthday

WILSON NOT "ACTIVE"

Isaiah Hartman, the "grand old man of West Philadelphia" will vote the Republican ticket at the coming election, he announced today on his 91st birthday.



ISAIAH W. HARTMAN
Retired merchant, of 42 South Fifty-first street, who today celebrates his ninety-first birthday in the enjoyment of sound health.

At his home, 42 South Fifty-first street, today he was emphatic, almost indignant, when a reporter asked him his choice in the presidential race.

"Why am I going to vote for Hughes—of course I am. I've been a Republican all my life. I don't care much for Roosevelt because he's too erratic. And the trouble with Wilson is that he's been watching and waiting, but also in acting. It's true that the President has had a hard road to travel, but he hasn't shown constancy in these difficult times."

As healthy today as he was a year ago, and according to his own statement, his appetite is as good as it was half a century ago, Mr. Hartman expects to be interviewed on many birthdays to come.

The fact that he still takes such exercise as five-mile walks leads him to believe, he says, that he is "still fit."

This is his credo of good health: "I believe in laughing much and worrying little, in optimism; no alcohol or beverages, drinking or smoking. When trouble comes we should smile, and when old age comes tell it to go chase itself."

He rises every morning at 7 o'clock and sits promptly at 9. He has not been ill since he was cured of rheumatism thirty years ago. He is a retired merchant and former resident of Bloomburg. He is still active in church work, and has been reading one religious publication for fifty years.

Mr. Hartman lives at the home of his son-in-law, Dr. S. E. Bafeman. He has two sons, Robert E. Hartman, of Akron, O., and Edwin V. Hartman, of Sayre, Pa. His wife died eighteen years ago.

FAMILY SAYS GIRL WAS SLAIN

Burlington, Vt., Prosecutor Insists She Killed Herself

BURLINGTON, Vt., Oct. 20.—Contending they have evidence to show Miss Rose D. Willets was murdered on September 13, and did not commit suicide, as the authorities reported, her relatives have requested State's Attorney Hopkins to order an autopsy and inquest. He refused the request because, he said, "the evidence of suicide which we have is so conclusive there would be no reason in reopening the case."

The request was made by George Willets, a brother, of Gloverville, N. Y., where the young woman was buried. She was found dead outside the office of her brother-in-law, John Dayette, a coal dealer, at whom, the police said, she had fired two shots through a window before turning the weapon upon herself. Dayette was wounded. No cause for the shooting was known.

ACCUSES BROTHER AS SLAYER

Suspect Tells Magistrate Fugitive Killed Aged New York Farmer

SPRING VALLEY, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Frank Conklin, a farmhand, was arrested following the murder of Harry J. Dantsiger, sixty-five years old, whose body was found in the woods near the New Hempstead road Wednesday. A search is being made for Conklin's brother Joseph.

"We were both drunk," Conklin told Justice of the Peace Fisher. "Joe got in an argument with Dantsiger and Dantsiger knocked him down. Joe fell down easy, he was so drunk. Then I saw Joe hit Dantsiger with the gun, and I ran away to the railroad track."

Germans Use Gun Elevators

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY AT COMBLES, Oct. 20.—The Germans have made powerful positions at Transloy and Saint Pierre Vaast Wood, which intercommunicate by deep subterranean tunnels sheltering thousands of men. Narrow rail roads transport machine guns to cleverly concealed exits. Elevators bring the gun crews and their supplies to the surface or permit them to descend and reach other points rapidly.

Will Urge Island Sale

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WAGES JUMP SIX PER CENT

Increase in New York State From August to September

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—An increase of 6 per cent in the number of employees in the factories of New York State from August to September and an increase of 6 per cent in wages for the same period is noted in the report of the Bureau of Statistics and Information of the State Department of Labor. The report covers 1500 representative firms employing more than 500,000 persons. More wages were paid and more workers were employed in New York State factories last month than during any month since the bureau began keeping records of it in June, 1914.

The wage increase from September, 1914, to September, 1916, was 45 per cent, and the increase in the number of employees for the same period was 21 per cent. The average weekly earnings of employees last month was \$14.85, as compared with an average of \$12.55 in September, a year ago.

WANT A JOB? FLY TO UNCLE SAM; HE NEEDS AIR WORK RECRUITS

200 Machines Ordered to Strengthen Undeveloped Army Branch

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Uncle Sam wants some high fliers. In a few days he will start a recruiting campaign to get aviators wherewith to man a stable increased air service.

Already 200 machinists have been ordered for use at the San Diego Army Training School and the Mineola, L. I., and Chicago National Guard Training Stations, and another 100 will be ordered soon.

The new craft, designed to strengthen an admittedly small and undeveloped branch of the army, will be of from 80 to 200 horsepower.

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85.00	Russian Pony Coats (Skunk Raccoon Collar and Border)	72.00
90.00	French Seal Coats (Skunk Raccoon Collar and Border)	77.50
90.00	French Seal Coats (Very Full Model and Contrasting Collar)	77.50
95.00	Natural Muskrat Coat (Hudson Seal Collar, Cuffs and Belt)	80.75
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140.00	Natural Raccoon Coats	119.00
150.00	Hudson Seal Coats (Skunk Collar and Border)	127.50
150.00	Caracul Coats (Select Flat Skins)	127.50
150.00	Hair Seal Coats (Seal Trimmed and Flare Model)	127.50
160.00	Hudson Seal Coats (Very Full Model and Choice Quality)	136.00
160.00	Leopard Skin Coats (Badger or Raccoon Collars)	136.00
175.00	Hudson Seal Coats (4-in. Border and Collar of Skunk)	148.75
190.00	Hudson Seal Coats (4-in. Border and Collar of Skunk)	161.50
190.00	Beaver Coats (Belted Model)	161.50
250.00	Leopard Skin Coats (Taupe Fox Collar and Wide Border)	212.50
325.00	Scotch Moleskin Coats (4-in. Border and Collar of Skunk)	276.25
475.00	Natural Mink Coats (Finished with Sable, Mink Tail)	403.75

Here are Ten Very Important Specials for Saturday Shopping

Russian Pony Coats (Beaver or Raccoon Collar) 38.75 November Price \$45.00	Hudson Seal Sets (Barrel Muff and Straight Scarf) 25.50 November Price \$30.00
Select French Seal Coats (Skunk Collars) 58.50 November Price \$70.00	Black Fox Set (Animal Scarf and Barrel Muff) 26.75 November Price \$31.00
Hudson Seal Coats (40-inch with Collar and Border of Skunk or Black Lynx) 97.75 November Price \$115.00	Kamchatka Blue Fox Sets (Barrel Muff and Scarf) 63.75 November Price \$75.00
Hudson Seal Coats (45-inch Flare Model) 110.00 November Price \$130.00	Moleskin Set (Barrel Muff and Straight Scarf) 63.75 November Price \$75.00
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35.00	Raccoon	29.75
39.00	Skunk	33.10
40.00	Beaver	34.00
47.00	Black Fox	39.90
58.00	Persian	49.30
65.00	Pearl Wolf	55.25
72.50	Black Lynx	61.60
75.00	Kamchatka Blue Fox	63.60
75.00	Battleship Grey Fox	63.60
80.00	Red Fox	68.00
87.50	White Fox	74.35
90.00	Moleskin	76.50
95.00	Kolinsky	80.60
100.00	Dyed-Blue Fox	85.00
100.00	Cross Fox	85.00
110.00	Slate Fox	93.50
115.00	Pointed Fox	97.60
119.50	Ermine	102.60
130.00	Fisher	110.50
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