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MAJ. HORNBAKER  
DIES IN FLORIDA

Former Manassas Resident was Widely Beloved.

Major Joseph Nourse Hornbaker, retired, died at his home in St. Petersburg, Florida, on July 30. He was buried in Arlington National Cemetery, Wednesday, August 4, with full military honors, after a short but impressive service in Fort Myer Chapel.

Major Hornbaker was born in Manassas, Virginia, October 4, 1876 and was a brother of the late Dr. Frank W. Hornbaker, resident physician of the District of Columbia penal institutions at Lorton. He was educated in the public schools of Prince William County, Smithdeal Business College and the College of William and Mary. In 1907 he married Mary W. Price of Washington, D. C. who died last November. He was graduated from George Washington University with a D.V.M. degree in 1911, and entered the Army in 1913 with the Quartermaster Corps. From 1913-1918 he was Inspector of Animals at the Front Royal Remount Station and in 1919 served in the office of the Surgeon General. Later he was stationed at Manila, Philippine Islands, and was Meat Inspector with the China Expedition in 1921. After returning to the United States, he served at Fort Bliss, Texas, and at Fort Huachuca, Arizona until his retirement in 1924.

In 1925 he established his residence in St. Petersburg, Florida. On July 5, 1927 he was appointed Director of the Bureau of Sanitation in the Department of Health in that city and established a reputation by his work in mosquito elimination in St. Petersburg and Pinellas County. In recognition of his work in that field, he was elected first vice-president of the Florida Anti-Misquito Association at the state meeting in 1932.

He was a member of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity, the Kiwanis Club, Army and Navy Club of St. Petersburg, American Legion, the Masonic Fraternity, having taken his 32nd degree at the Temple of Heaven in Peking, China, and was a member of the Egyptian Temple of the Mystic Shrine.

Major Hornbaker is survived by an only daughter, Mrs. John E. Metzger of St. Petersburg, Florida, a sister, Mrs. James E. Bradford of Manassas, two half brothers, Fred B. Hynson of Manassas, and Read Hynson of Philadelphia, and a half-sister, Mrs. W. G. Powell of Alexandria.

CLARA MERTON LAMB

Miss Clara Merton Lamb, a former resident of Manassas, passed away Wednesday, August 4, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Robert Gulick, near Aldie, Va. She was a daughter of George F. and Eliza Lamb and was born January 5, 1874, in Manassas.

Miss Lamb was a member of the Manassas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy and leaves many friends and relatives in this section. She is survived by one brother, John T. Lamb, one sister, Mrs. Robert Gulick, and a nephew, George Gulick.

Rev. H. H. Lefferts will conduct the funeral services at the home, at Lenah on Friday at 2:30 p.m. She will be buried in Manassas Cemetery about 3:45 p.m.

LOCAL DEALER IS PRAISED

Mr. Franklyn Hibbs, well-known electrical dealer for this area, is in receipt of a letter from the sales headquarters of Westinghouse, specially citing him for sales promotion in Manassas.

The communication is from R. C. Cosgrove, manager of refrigeration sales, in which Mr. Cosgrove states that he will take special pleasure in watching the progress of Mr. Hibbs in the refrigeration field.

MURDER SUSPECTED

Luther Beale, a colored youth of the Gainesville vicinity, was found dead on Sunday morning, just off the Lee Highway, a short distance west of Gainesville.

Beale bore evidences of rough handling, and his death is said to be attributed to the results of a free-for-all the night before.

Two colored men are under arrest for questioning but no formal charges have been placed against anyone as yet.

DAIRY FESTIVAL MEETING

Pres. R. S. Hynson of the Piedmont Virginia Dairy Festival Association has called a meeting of all officers and directors for Wednesday night, next August 11, at 8 p.m. in the Town Hall at Manassas, Va.

The purpose of this meeting is to consider rotating the holding of the annual celebration throughout the counties and cities of the Piedmont Dairy Association.

Any persons interested in this matter are most cordially invited to be present.

GEO. B. COCKE, Sec.

ROAD LEAGUE  
AIDS COUNTY

Increasing Membership Adds Influence in Getting Road Improvements.

Virginia has a right to be proud of what has been accomplished in highway development and construction during the past fifteen years under the "Pay As You Go" plan of financing. Our highway system compares favorably with the systems of our sister states who have incurred large bonded indebtedness in reaching a stage of highway development about equal to our own. However, we can not afford to flatter ourselves with the thought that our highway system is complete. With our Route 234 and Route 223 unbuilt we have a striking illustration of the urgent need of more and still more highway construction. Furthermore, a modern road is no sooner completed than it becomes necessary to widen and further improve to cope with the increase in traffic.

If we are content to operate our highway department upon the "Pay As You Go" plan we must jealously guard our sources of highway revenue from diversion of any nature and use every means to insure that overhead is kept at a minimum to the end that our money be spent for actual miles of road.

The Citizen's Road League of Virginia has been formed for the purpose of fighting any diversion of highway funds by either direct or indirect means and under its leadership every county and city in the State has been organized and members enrolled under local chairmen.

G. Raymond Ratcliffe, of Manassas, is Chairman for Prince William County and reports membership in the League to date, as follows:

Manassas—J. Dennis Baker, Jas. E. Bradford, E. R. Conner, W. F. Cocke, L. L. Carter, C. W. Fitzwater, Rev. A. Stuart Gibson, R. S. Hynson, A. A. Hooff, J. H. Stauff, W. C. Sadd and Hunton Tiffany.

Dumfries—Mrs. Janie C. Abel. Triangle—C. C. Cloe. Occoquan—Thos. F. Joyce. Cherry Hill—H. O. Russell.

Dues in the League are nominal, \$1.00 for two years, but it is hoped that this will prove sufficient to carry the modest office expenses at Richmond. It is not your money but your name and influence that is desired. Therefore, if you are in sympathy with the objects and principles of the League send in your name for enrollment at once. The names of new members will be published each week in the Journal.

Every highway user is a stockholder in our highway system. Let us protect our investment.

MISS MARY DE BELL IS HONORED AT PARTY

Miss Louise Simmons entertained in honor of Miss Mary DeBell of Manassas, house guest of Miss Evelyn Brent Adams, at a porch party and launch ride last Saturday night.

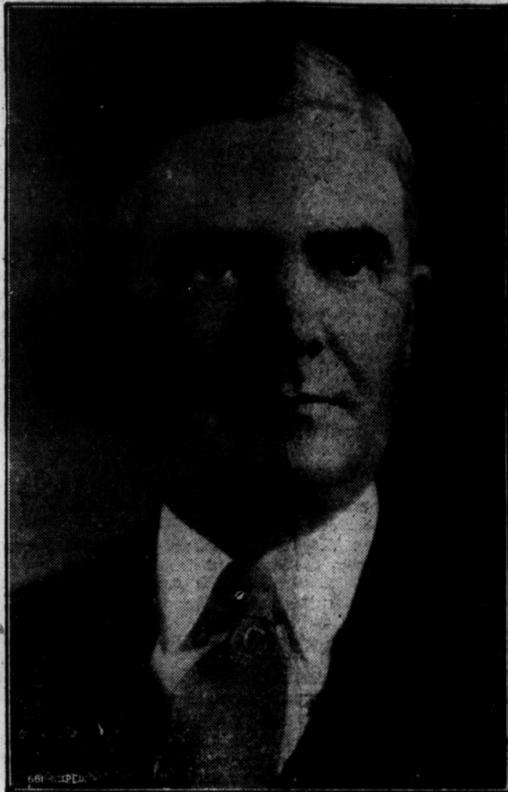
Among those present were Misses Mary DeBell, Evelyn Adams, Audrey Davis, and Ruby Lee Norris. Messrs. Marvin Smith, Samuel Bagby, Latnie Lumpkin, David Winegar and Preston Fairy.—Rappahannock Record, July 29.

MISS SUE CONSTANCE ARRIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shepherd of Nokesville are the proud parents of a baby girl. The little lady will be known as Sue Constance.

The members of the Presbyterian Church gave Rev. DeChant a surprise party on his birthday Monday evening at his home in Manassas.

JAMES H. PRICE WINS BY HUGE MAJORITY



HON. JAMES H. PRICE  
Democratic Nominee for Governor of Virginia.

HAS HANDSOME MAJORITY



SAXON W. HOLT,  
The next Lieut.-Governor of Virginia

The vote in Prince William gave Mr. Holt a pleasing Majority. The sentiment for Daniels spread over from Stafford to some extent but outside of Dumfries District, it was clearly a Holt victory.

Mr. E. R. Conner, campaign manager for Mr. Holt, was in Richmond today and reports that Mr. Holt sends greetings and thanks for the support he received here.

Editor of the Journal,  
Dear Sir,

I am in a meeting here in Winchester, among the mammoth apple orchards.

I feel that I should report in summary form about my little trip to the western coast.

9,000 train miles. Gone 101 days. God kept me unusually well. Expenses cared for.

Traveled in 30 states. Visited my 48th.

Will be glad to see old Prince William again.

Br. I. N. H. BEAHM

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Davies, Jr. have gone to Connecticut to spend a three week vacation at the summer home of Mrs. Davies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith.

ELECTION RETURNS

The county election returns for Prince William will be printed by precincts next week.

LIBRARY NOTICE

The Ruffner-Carnegie Library of Manassas High School is open to the public through the summer every Thursday morning from 10 to 12:30 o'clock.

The library has now a good collection of both recent and standard fiction. It has a full collection of the Pulitzer Prize novels, for instance, and most of the worth-while fictions recently presented in the motion pictures. It has also many of the best recent biographies, and much good material on current questions.

The library readers will, in addition, be interested to know that the State Library in Richmond will send a new loan collection early in September.

CARNIVAL WELL PATRONIZED

The fine weather has greatly promoted the wonderful success of the annual volunteer fire carnival being held throughout this week.

The grounds at Lee and Grant Avenues are packed each evening with merry-makers who play bingo, take the thrilling rides, eat hot dogs or otherwise indulge in festivities.

The cause is good and the firemen are receiving due recognition for their splendid work all season and under all conditions.

CELEBRATES 77th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. James P. Smith, of Culpeper, and her brother, John W. Smith, of Washington, D. C., have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith in Manassas since July 23. Mrs. Smith will return to her home in Culpeper on August 7. On the 29th Mrs. Smith celebrated her seventy-seventh birthday at the home of her son here.

TO My Friends and Supporters:

I am unable at this time to write a personal letter, as I should like to do, to each of my friends and supporters. I am adopting this medium of expressing to them my sincere appreciation for their loyalty and assistance in Tuesday's primary. I assure them that I shall never forget their devoted-work in my behalf.

ROBERT W. DANIEL.

Brandon, Virginia.

Mr. George Herring called up the Journal office shortly before noon to authorize a statement that he is filing a formal bill of particulars, protesting the recent Primary election in Stafford County.

The alleged nature of the charges is so flagrant that unless Mr. Herring does take such action, it will be a grave injustice to his friends, to Stafford County, and to himself.

DEMOCRATIC CLUB  
ENDS MEETINGS

Conclusion of Campaign Brings Rest for Young Democrats.

The final of the booster series of meetings by the Young Democrats of Prince William County was staged a night earlier than previously advised, this being on account of a similar meeting in Fairfax on Friday evening.

The business session was quite brief, and speaking followed. Mr. Hawes Davies presided, introducing Messrs. John Galleher, Otho Wearin, of the 6th Iowa District, and lastly the local candidates for the General Assembly.

The candidates for office naturally told about their own platforms while Mr. Wearin gave a resume of the new prosperity under the Roosevelt regime. His talk was filled with humor and helped brighten up things.

A dance followed the speaking which was greatly enjoyed by all.

MOSES A. C. WINS  
ANOTHER GAME

Sunday Moses A. C., defeated Yellow Cab from Washington, D. C. The score was 7 to 4 in favor of Moses A. C. Runer allowing only 4 hits and 13 going down swinging.

"Doc" Godfrey, who was hurt a couple weeks ago, is improving. Doc is missed by every one. But due to his absents Swartz has been playing in his place. Swartz does his best and fulfills the place, you couldn't help but miss little "Doc" on second base. It is very quiet on second without him. We are hoping "Doc" will be able to play soon.

All the players needs to be praised by everyone. They have not lost a game for so long they wouldn't know how to act.

Moses A. C. will play the Yellow Cab Saturday at the Haymarket field day. This will start at 10:00 o'clock.

Sunday, August 8, Moses A. C. will play the Warrenton Springs. This will be played at Warrenton. It will begin at 3 p. m. You are invited to attend. So if you can't, attend Saturday and Sunday.

The gate prize was won by one of the young men of Haymarket.

MARY J. DAVIDSON

Mrs. Mary J. Davidson, 69, widow of Roland L. Davidson, died Saturday, July 31, at her home, 950 Shepherd St., Washington, D. C. She was a member of the Petworth Baptist Church, Joppa Lodge of the Order of the Eastern Star, and Lodge No. 11, Mayflower Council, Daughters of America.

Mrs. Davidson was Mary J. Matthews of Manassas, Va. In 1907 she married Roland L. Davidson and moved to Washington. She is survived by three brothers, J. P. Matthew, Los Angeles, R. M. Matthew, Roanoke, Va., and B. F. Matthew, Manassas, and four sisters, Miss Mattie S. Matthew, Manassas, Mrs. Ada C. Hoal, Roanoke, and Mrs. Icy Hawkins and Mrs. Laura Moncrief, both of Washington.

Funeral services were held in Washington on Monday, August 2. Rev. Dr. Henry J. Smith, pastor of Petworth Baptist Church, and Rev. Dr. Thomas E. Boorde, pastor of the Ericson Memorial Baptist Church, East Riverdale, Md. and the Wilson Avenue Baptist Church, Colmar Manor, Md. officiated. Special services were conducted by the lodges of the Eastern Star and Daughters of America. She was buried at Bristol, Va. on Tuesday.

Holt Overcomes Daniels for Lieut.-Governor:

Staples Defeats Galleher for Attorney-General.

Prospect of Contest in Stafford Holds Moncre Victory in Doubt.

Hon. James Hubert Price was swept into office Tuesday by an unprecedented majority. Returns from 1628 precincts out of the 1704 precincts in the State this morning gave Price 164,373 and his opponent, State Senator Vivian L. Page 26,634.

The veteran Saxon W. Holt, of Newport News polled 108,168 to 81,583 for his opponent for Lieutenant-Governor, Senator Robert W. Daniel. Attorney-General A. P. Staples was re-elected by 97,922 to 74,218 for John Galleher, of Leesburg, who developed unexpected strength, especially in Northern Virginia, carrying Prince William, Fairfax and other nearby counties.

The only congressional contest was that to fill the vacancy created by the recent death of Andrew Jackson Montague. The winner was Dave E. Satterfield, former Commonwealth's Attorney of Richmond, who was opposed by State Senator Gordon B. Ambler.

The contest for Delegate to the General Assembly for the combined counties of Prince William and Stafford was the outstanding feature locally. Both candidates have served previously in the legislature. The incumbent, Frank Moncre, carried both counties over his opponent, George Herring, in the last election, but Prince William County, this time, gave its own citizen a lead of 772 to 548. In Stafford County Moncre lead by a vote of 646 to 406.

However the Moncre margin of approximately 18 votes, is jeopardized this morning by the definite prospect of a contest in certain large Stafford County precincts, where alleged irregularities, if proven, would completely upset the results and send Mr. Herring to the General Assembly.

HOME COMING AT ANTIOCH

The annual home coming day at Antioch Baptist Church, which will be held on Sunday, August 8, will be exceptionally interesting this year, as it commemorates the 100th anniversary of the church.

The Anniversary Sermon will be preached at 11 a.m. by the Rev. P. H. Chief, of Flint Hill, who will assist the pastor, Rev. Barnett Grimsley, in a series of meetings, to be conducted at the church each evening, at 8:00 p.m. during the week.

After lunch and social hour on August 8, a memorial service will be conducted, at which time pictures will be presented to the church, of the Rev. V. H. Council, late beloved pastor of Antioch, and an early founder of the church, a layman, Mr. James Smith, of "Hagley". The Revs. Grimsley and C. Wirt Trainham will conduct these services respectively.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Virginia Lois Cornwell celebrated her sixth birthday on July 29. After her little guests had played games, they were invited into the dining room, which was decorated with yellow and green cut flowers and crepe paper, where delicious refreshments were served. The favors were lovely little baskets of candy, balloons and crackers. Those present were Misses Katherine and Martha Ann Graham, Betty Lee Jenkins, Norma Jean Wells, Louise Wine, Mary Blakemore, Richard Graham, Benjamin Cross, Jackie Weatherall, Jackie Martin, Robert Wine and Billy Gue.

NEW DEAN OF LAW SCHOOL

Dr. Frederick Deane Goodwin Ribble has been named Dean of the University of Virginia Law School, following the resignation of Dr. Geo. Boardman Eager, Jr., former acting and assistant dean. Dr. Eager, who had held the acting deanship since the resignation of Dean Armisted M. Dobie more than two years ago, will continue his professorship.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul Cooksey on Tuesday afternoon, August 10, at 2:30 p.m.