Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory

State and Water Streets, Dover DE 19903

Find A Grave # 11915969

Name: Jackson, Isabel Hope Hughes

Birth date: July 17, 1905 Death date: December 16, 1977 Burial Date: December 19, 1977 Age: 72

Lot Number: 73 Space: A

Spouse: William Avery Hughes Sr. (1901-1983) m. 1924, and Harry Richardson Jackson (1989-1971)

Children: William Avery Hughes Jr. (1929-1983)

Parents: William Malcolm Hope and Amy Louise Stanford

Siblings: Mrs. W. I. Galliher

Residence: 144 Kings Highway, Dover, DE

Cause of death/Burial/Obituary: see next page

Service/occupation information: Republican leader

Officiate:

Lot Owner: Isa Millington

Inscription:

Isabel Hope Jackson July 17, 1905 December 16, 1977

DIMENSIONS: H 52" x W 22" x D 15"

STYLE: headstone in shape of a celtic cross

Repairs needed: cleaning





Inventory date: March 26, 2020 Recorder: Ellen Richardson

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The News Journal, Wilmington, Del., Saturday, Dec. 17, 1977

Isabel H. Jackson, P leader, dies

By MARTA McCAVE

DOVER - Isabel Hope Jackson. prominent Republican state committee member and official, died yesterday morning in Kent General Hospital, Dover, after a long illness. She was 72.

Mrs. Jackson, of 144 Kings Highway, was a former member of the Kent County Republican Commit-



tee and the Republican State Committee, of which she was first vice chairman from 1964 until 1972. She was a co-founder Women's the Republican Club of Dover and a member

Mrs. Jackson

of the National Association for State Vice-Chair-

In a statement issued vesterday. Gov. Pierre S. du Pont IV recognized Mrs. Jackson's contribu-

tions to the party. "Over the years, her advice and counsel were sought by officeholders and political workers alike, who relied on her experience and knowledge, particularly in the Kent County re-

Although her involvement in politics officially began as a precinct worker in Wilmington in 1928, Ms. Jackson's exposure to politics began in her childhood in Dover. In the days when the General Assembly remained in Dover for the duration of the session, living at the Hotel Richardson, members often met for dinner at the home of Mrs. Jackson's father, William M. Hope, a Senate attorney and a member of the 1912 Bull Moose Party.

In addition to her political work, Ms. Jackson was a former president of the Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church of Dover, the first executive secretary of Wesley College Alumni Association and a former chairman of Old Dover Days.

Mrs. Jackson's husband, Harry R., former corporate safety director of International Latex Corp. and Dover City councilman, died in 1971. She is survived by a son, William A. Hughes Jr. of Dover, and a sister, Mrs. W. I. Galliher of Princess Anne, Md.

Services will be held at 2 Monday afternoon at Christ Church, Water Street, Dover, with burial in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends at the church from 11 until time of services.

Instead of flowers, the family suggests that contributions be made to the Isabel H. Jackson Scholarship Fund of Wesley College.

