

Kent County Board of Election Supervisors, 1946-50. Member, Kent County Welfare Board, 1950-58. County Commissioner of Kent County, 1950-58, Chairman, 1958-60. Member, Rock Hall Volunteer Fire Department; Kent County Farm Bureau; Masons; Lions. Director, People's Bank of Chestertown. Married. Member of the Senate since 1961.<sup>1</sup> Chairman, Joint Committee on Investigation since 1963.

WILLIAM L. HODGES, Democrat, Baltimore 6th; born in Baltimore, December 8, 1907. Attended Baltimore parochial schools; Baltimore City College. Real estate salesman. Served in the U. S. Navy, 1944-45. Member, Baltimore City Council, 1959-62. Honorary president, Veterans Democratic Council. President, Allied Democratic Clubs, Inc., 6th Ward. Member, Holy Name Society; American Legion, V.F.W.; Friendly Sons of St. Patrick; Eagles; Moose. Married. Member of the House of Delegates, 1951-59. Member of the Senate since 1963.

GEORGE RAYMOND HUGHES, JR., Republican, Allegany County; born in Cumberland, July 12, 1925. Attended Cumberland public schools; University of Maryland; University of Maryland Law School, LL.B., 1952. Admitted to the Maryland Bar, 1952. Served with the U. S. Navy, 1943-46. District Director, Decennial Census, Maryland Sixth Congressional District, 1960. Member, Maryland and Allegany County Bar Associations; American Legion. Married. Member of the House of Delegates, 1955-59. Minority Leader, 1956-57. Member of the Senate since 1963.

HARRY R. HUGHES, Democrat, Caroline County; born in Easton, Talbot County, November 13, 1926. Attended Caroline County public schools; Mercersburg Academy, Mercersburg, Pa.; Mt. St. Mary's College; University of Maryland, B.S., 1949; George Washington University School of Law, LL.B., 1952. Admitted to the Maryland Bar, 1952. Navy V-5 and Aviation cadet training. Member, Governor's Reapportionment Commission, 1962; Governor's Commission on City-County Fiscal Relationships, 1959. Member, American, Maryland, and Caroline County Bar Associations; Rotary; American Legion. Married. Member of the House of Delegates, 1955-59. Member of the Senate since 1959. Member, Legislative Council, 1957, 1958, and 1961. Chairman, Executive Nominations Committee, 1963-64 Sessions. Chairman, Committee on Taxation and Fiscal Matters, 1962-64 Sessions. Chairman, Finance Committee and Majority Leader, 1965 Session.

WILLIAM S. JAMES, President of the Senate, Democrat, Harford County; born in Aberdeen, February 14, 1914. Attended Havre de Grace public schools; The Tome School, Port Deposit, 1928-32; University of Delaware, 1932-34; University of Maryland Law School, LL.B., 1937. Admitted to the Maryland Bar, 1937. Trial Magistrate, Havre de Grace, 1944-46. Member, Board of Library Trustees, Harford County, 1945-53. Past President, Havre de Grace Rotary Club. Married. Member of the House of Delegates, 1947-55. Member of the Senate since 1955. Chairman, Legislative Council Committee on Taxation and Fiscal Matters, 1959-62. President of the Senate and Chairman of Rules Committee since 1963. Chairman, Legislative Council since 1963.

JOSEPH V. MACH, Democrat, Baltimore 2nd; born in Petersburg, Va., March 5, 1921. Attended Virginia parochial and public schools. Businessman. Served with the U. S. Navy, 1944-46, Asiatic-Pacific Theater. President, First Bohemian Democratic Club, 7th Ward. Chairman of Board, Czechoslovak-American Civic Association. Executive Director, Mary Dobkin Children's Fund. Member, American Legion;

<sup>1</sup> Appointed to the Senate, January 4, 1961, vice George B. Rasin, Jr., resigned.