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## GOV. HODGES HAS SLAMMED FAIR LOUISIANA.

When the Times Record gave former Governor Hodges of Kansas such a nice report of his auditorium meeting a few weeks ago it was for the purpose of covering the news and doing it fairly. It was not printed for the purpose of doing anybody a favor. The Times Record is for prohibition, first, last and all the time. We are also for Louisiana's best interests. When the governor made his talk he made comparisons between Kansas and Louisiana that placed Louisiana badly in the background. New comes T. M. Gilmore of Louisville, Ky., president of the National Model License League, and in a letter to the Lake Charles American Press, furnishes the following comparisons taken from United States census reports:

Number of insane, per 100,000 population, in state and private hospitals, 1910; Louisiana 130.78, Kansas 172.30; Kansas had 31 per cent more insane in proportion to population.

Number of insane, per 100,000 population, admitted to hospitals in 1910, suffering from alcoholic psychosis; Louisiana 2.4, Kansas 4.41; Kansas admitted 83 per cent more insane with alcoholic psychosis to hospitals in 1910 than Louisiana admitted.

Number of paupers, per 100,000 in almshouses, 1910; Louisiana 11.33, Kansas 43.49; Kansas had 283 per cent more paupers in proportion to population.

Annual average divorce rate, per 100,000 married population in last period tabulated; Louisiana 127, Kansas 186, Kansas had 45 per cent more divorces in proportion to population.

Percentage of divorces to wives for drunkenness, same period; Louisiana 2.6, Kansas 3.1; Kansas' rate was 19 per cent greater.

Percentage of divorces to wives for cruelty; Louisiana 9.9, Kansas 21.3; Kansas had a 145 per cent higher rate than Louisiana had.

Church membership in 1906 (last period tabulated); Louisiana 50.6, Kansas 28.4; Louisiana had 78 per cent more church members in proportion to population than Kansas had.

Juvenile delinquents, per 100,000 population, in institutions, 1910; Louisiana 6.9, Kansas 25.68; Kansas had, proportionately, 272 per cent more than Louisiana had.

Number of savings depositors per 100,000 population (1913); Louisiana 7,545, Kansas 1,148; Louisiana had 557 per cent more, in proportion to population, than Kansas had.

Average savings deposits per capita; Louisiana \$18.19, Kansas \$4.12; Louisiana's per capita was 341 per cent greater than Kansas' per capita.

The latter two comparisons make clear that part of your Jennings' special telling how Governor Hodges compared Kansas and another state beside Louisiana on bank deposits. It is apparent why Governor Hodges did not choose Louisiana for that comparison. — Jennings Times Herald.

In severe cases of sore lungs, you need an internal and external remedy. Buy the dollar size BAL-LARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP, you get two remedies for the price of one. With every dollar bottle there is a free HERRICK'S RED PEPPER POROUS PLASTER for the chest. Sold by ESTORGE DRUG CO.

## CITRUS FRUIT LOSSES.

Blue-Mold Decay, Stem-End Rot, and Other Diseases Reduce Profits.

Washington, D. C.—If the growers of citrus fruits can not deliver his product at the market in sound, attractive condition, the money and labor invested in his orchard are largely, if not entirely wasted. This is the conclusion reached by investigators of the U. S. Department of Agriculture in a new Farmers' Bulletin No. 696.

Too many growers, points out the author of the bulletin, fail to realize that under modern conditions of handling, of long distance shipment, and of selling a perishable commodity such as citrus fruits the marketing of fruit in sound condition is as essential to success as its production.

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## TOM'S SUDDEN ABHORRENCE OF BOOZE AND BOSSES

Candidate Thomas C. Barret will hold a meeting in New Orleans on November 19th at the Athenaeum, and, according to the literature emanating from his press bureau, he "will be the first of the aspirants to present his claims directly to the voters of the City of New Orleans." Mr. Barret's manager declares that the candidacy of his chief has been acclaimed by hundreds and thousands of citizens who are opposed to ward boss and whiskey ring control.

In his new found devotion to strict and State-wide prohibition Mr. Barret is now denouncing the bosses and the saloon interests for "throwing their support to his opponent." It now comes with rather poor grace for Thomas to revile the very men whose support he had hoped to obtain a month or so ago, before he (or any one else for that matter) had found out that he was a prohibitionist. So solicitous was he a few months ago for the interests of the "whiskey ring" that he strongly supported the act providing for a Constitutional Convention that specifically excluded the liquor question from consideration in the convention. And he was elected a member of the convention with that inhibition against liquor agitation written in the act defining the convention's scope.

The question that naturally arises is this: If Tom Barret had succeeded in getting the support of the New Orleans "bosses" when he came down with genial smile and glad handclasp to mix with the "boys" and find out how they regarded his candidacy, would he have gone back home to become a ranting prohibitionist and an arch enemy of the Demon Rum? Or would he not have had a good word to say for the old time friends who had stood by him, and another word or two in reiteration of his previously expressed devotion of the idea of local option as the Democratic solution of the liquor question?

No answer is needed. Oh, expediency, what stunts are pulled off in thy name! — Jefferson Democrat.

## WASHINGTON BURIAL.

Tuskegee, Ala., Nov. 17.—Simplicity marked the funeral of Booker T. Washington, noted negro educator, race leader, and author, which took place here this morning at the institution which he made famous, and which has played such an important part in the elevation of the negro race. Fully 8,000 people came to Tuskegee to pay the last tribute of respect to Dr. Washington, only 2,500 of whom could get into the chapel. The line of march formed in front of the administration building, headed by the members of the board of trustees who were present, among them William G. Wilcox, of New York; W. W. Campbell and Charles W. Hare, Tuskegee; A. J. Wilburn, Wm. J. Schieffeld, New York; Belton Gilreath, Birmingham, Ala.; Frank Trumbull, New York; Warren Logan, Tuskegee Institute and Victor H. Talane, Montgomery, Ala. William H. Baldwin, 3rd, of New York, also walked with the trustees. The trustees were followed by members of the faculty and the active council of the school and a number of distinguished visitors, educators and students. The simple Episcopal burial service was read, and many old plantation songs which Dr. Washington loved so well, were sung. The services closed with the reading of a few of the thousands of telegrams of condolence from all parts of the country. Prominent men in all walks of life, whites as well as colored, attended the obsequies. Among the most notable negroes were Charles Banks, Mound Bayou, Miss., first vice president of the National Negro Business League; R. H. Boyd, secretary National Baptist Publishing board, Nashville; Ira T. Bryant, secretary A. M. E. Sunday School Union, Nashville; W. H. Hale, president A. and I. State Normal School of Tennessee; Stephen H. Newman, president and George Wilburn, C. E. secretary Howard University, Washington, D. C., and many other noted negro educators and leaders. — N. O. States.

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## WEEKLY REPORTS OF DEMONSTRATION AGENTS.

Mr. L. W. Wilkinson, recently appointed agent in Jefferson Parish, reports the following lines of work emphasized during the week:

1. Inoculation against hog cholera and charbon
2. Spraying for insects—grasshoppers eating some small crops.
3. Preparation of seed beds without clods.
4. Proper setting of plants.
5. Importance of irrigation in trucking.
6. Use of implements to minimize hand work.
7. Growing feed for stock.
8. Less acreage in truck.
9. Less broadcasting of crops. Drill and cultivate.
10. Organization for marketing farm products.
11. Made width of rows to suit crop, implements and drainage conditions.

The territory in which Mr. Wilkinson is engaged is devoted largely to the trucking industry. He is an experienced agriculturist, and good results are expected from his work.

Mr. T. H. Casanova, agent in Vermilion Parish, reports that 2,000 acres have been planted to oats where practically none was planted last year.

Mr. J. A. Anders, agent in Lafayette Parish, reports: "Farmers are well up with their crops and quite a little fall plowing has been done. The acreage in oats has been increased 50 per cent and the farmers are still planting. A number of registered hogs have been brought in during the past few months. The desire for better stock is growing fast." — Bulletin.

### PATENTS

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## THE PROGRESSIVE PLAN

Some of the voters are probably wondering just when the Progressives in this parish will make a move toward the selection of its parochial candidates. For the benefit of these people we will give the information necessary.

In the first place, the Progressives will not proceed in conformity to the primary election law, but will act in consonance with the general State law bearing upon elections. According to this law, the State Central Committee of the Progressive party will not be able to meet until after the 20th of December. The State Committee will very likely name a date for a primary election to select candidates for State offices. But, whether the State Committee orders an election or not, we understand that it is the idea of the Progressives of this parish, after the State Committee has performed its duty, to call a primary election to be held sometime in January for nomination of parochial candidates. This will be in accord with the law and will undoubtedly be fair in all respects. — La Fourche Comet.

## A PREVENTIVE FOR CONSUMPTION.

There is a preventive for consumption that never fails, and it will even cure cases in the early stages. There is no guess work about this, it has been thoroughly proven by the very highest authorities. Some of us have said "it is the cheapest of all remedies for consumption; it is not patented or controlled by the first; it is guaranteed not to disturb the digestion; it is not unpleasant to the taste; it may be procured everywhere; it should be inhaled freely seventeen times a minute; it is manufactured solely by God Almighty. The name of this wonderful remedy is FRESH AIR." — Modern Farming.

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## STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting articles from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die. I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good. I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Theodor's Black-Draught, and quit taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it. I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it. I am so thankful for what Black-Draught has done for me." Theodor's Black-Draught has been found a very valuable medicine for derangements of the stomach and liver. It is composed of pure, vegetable herbs, contains no dangerous ingredients, and acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely used by young and old, and should be kept in every family chest. Get a package today. Only a quarter.

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