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Biography

NAME HUGHES, ISAAC F. (Deceased Jan. 17, 1931)

Occupation Grocer

Address 1223 S. Orange Drive, Los Angeles

Birth (Date and Place) July 29, 1861

Paulsboro, N. J.

FATHER William M. Hughes

Birth (Date and Place)

If Deceased, When July 1876

MOTHER

Birth (Date and Place) Pennsylvania

If Deceased, When Lawrence, Kansas

IF MARRIED, TO WHOM Elizabeth Griffitts

Birth of Same (Date and Place) Aug. 17, 1862, Lawrence, Kans.

If Deceased, When

When Married 1881, Trenton, Mo.

CHILDREN (Married Names of Daughters)

Herbert F.

Earl E. (Deceased)

Ray A.

Fay E. (Mrs. Frank E. Smith)

Lester

TITLES OF BOOKS, ARTICLES, MUSIC, OR OTHER CREATIVE WORK

(In the case of printed matter, please give date and publisher; of periodical publications also name of magazine and date.)

REVIEWS, CRITICISMS, AND OTHER BIOGRAPHICAL NOTICES

(Please note printed matter concerning yourself or your work. We would appreciate any such material you may send, clippings, reviews, portrait.)

ANCESTORS OF DISTINCTION OR LOCAL INTEREST

(Please include names of local interest as "forty-niners," or any one connected with the affairs or development of the state or city, as officials, professional men, merchants, etc.)

EDUCATION (Schools, Colleges, Degrees, Etc.)

High school, Lawrence, Kansas

CLUBS, LEARNED SOCIETIES, ETC.

Mason; City Club

RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION Methodist

POLITICAL AFFILIATIONS Republican

RESIDENCE IN CALIFORNIA SINCE 1906

SKETCH

(Please make this as full as possible, giving business affiliations, positions of honor or trust with dates if possible.)

Isaac F. Hughes was born July 29, 1861, in Paulsboro, New Jersey, and reared on a farm in Lawrence, Kansas, where he attended common and high schools.

At eighteen years of age he became a miller in a flour mill, and for the following twenty-seven years engaged in that trade and the grocery business.

During this time he was a member of the city council in Lawrence, Kansas for four years, and a county commissioner for six years, in the same place.

Removing to Los Angeles in 1906, Mr. Hughes again entered the grocery business. He was proprietor fourteen years of a store situated at Washington and Arlington Streets, and retired from business life in 1923.

Appointed to the Recreation and Playground Commission in 1923, Mr. Hughes served until July of 1925. On the Commission he devoted his efforts to the development of Queen Anne Playground.

In 1925 Mr. Hughes was elected to the City Council from the Third District and served until 1928.

Mr. Hughes died January 17, 1931, at his home in Los Angeles.