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Do you milk the cows at home? If so, you have a chance for the \$10 cash prize at the Arizona State Fair at Phoenix.

Any boy or girl, 12 or under, may enter this contest by registering with the fair commission on or before 3 o'clock the afternoon of November 4.

No entrance fee is charged. Just send a postal or call the fair commission (No. 1483) on the telephone. Give your name and address and state that you wish to enter the juvenile milking contest.

Six cows will be used in the contest, which will start at 4 o'clock the afternoon of Monday, the 14th. Six different milkers will compete each day, the same judges watching all the milking. Cows will be added to the herd if necessary, and an opportunity will be given every boy and girl to compete.

Three of the prominent dairymen will act as judges. Think it over as you fill the milk can tonight. Ten dollars will buy many of the things you want, and you can have them if you enter and win the contest.

LIVESTOCK MEN TAKE UP MANY VITAL QUESTIONS; MR. HEARD'S STATEMENT

Handicaps to Shipper to Be Eliminated As Result of Action of Market Committee of National Livestock Association

HUGHES' STRENGTH IN MIDDLE WEST

Arizona On List of Many National Speakers; Col. Roosevelt May Make His Arizona Address in Phoenix; Good Roads News

Dwight B. Heard, who returned Monday from a two weeks' trip through the east, has been asked several times by Republican reporters, since his return, to give a statement but he has been too busy until yesterday when the following was obtained from him: "My recent eastern trip was a rather interesting combination of work connected with the American National Live Stock association, general business and politics. The meetings in Denver of the marketing committee and the executive committee of the American Live Stock association, were most successful. The marketing committee meeting was attended not only by the committee but the officers of the association and Mr. Walter L. Fisher, former secretary of the interior, who has been employed by the marketing committee in its investigations.

"As an immediate result of the recent efforts of the American National Live Stock association to improve the marketing conditions at the great central markets, to secure real competition in these markets, to eliminate certain practices which handicap the shipper, and to arrange for accurate publicity both as to the supplies of cattle and of dressed meat, some definite improvement has already been made. The question of publicity has been settled by the recent appropriation of congress just before adjournment, of \$65,000, which will be used by the bureau of markets in obtaining all facts as to live stock and dressed meats, supplies and prices, and arranging for the publication both daily, weekly and monthly of such facts. This will prove of immense advantage to the shipper.

Better Handling Methods
"Stockmen shipping to the central markets report an improvement in the handling of their cattle in the stock yards and it is now proposed by our marketing committee, through the cooperation of the federal trades commission and the United States Bureau of Markets to conduct a thoroughgoing investigation into the live stock industry to the end that real competition may be secured and the producer of meat as well as the consumer receive absolutely just treatment. Under the resolution of Congressman Doolittle, introduced just before the close of congress, this whole matter is now before the Federal Trades Commission.
"In the meeting of the executive committee the very vital transportation problems which have been raised by the recent decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission in what is known as the Shreveport case, in which the authority of the Interstate Commerce Commission is extended to

control intra-state rates, were taken up and an appeal made to the Interstate Commerce Commission to suspend action under the Shreveport ruling until a more complete investigation can be made."
"In view of the interest of all shippers in this matter the Republican will later publish the entire resolution on this subject.

Range Homestead Bill
"The range homestead bill which recently passed the senate but has not been concurred in by the house, was carefully discussed and the position taken that before such a law could be operated with practical success, classification of the public lands must be insisted upon. This attitude is supported by friends of conservation generally.

On Political Situation
"The political situation in Colorado is very interesting. Governor Carlson, the present republican governor, who just won out in the primaries after making a straight-forward fight for prohibition, will undoubtedly carry the state and there seems to be a practically complete union of republican and progressive forces in Colorado.

"This same condition I found in Kansas and Illinois. In the former state Governor Capper, the republican governor, who has given a splendid progressive administration and who has been a leader in the fight for real prohibition will undoubtedly be re-elected and there seems no question but what Hughes will carry the state by a handsome majority. He is receiving the vigorous support of such well known Kansas progressives as Wm. Allen White, Henry Allen and ex-Governor Stribling.

"The result of the Maine election is naturally having a very stimulating effect on republican workers everywhere. The results obtained in Maine were due to the excellent team play between the republican and progressive forces. Mr. Milliken, who was elected governor on the republican ticket, has a splendid progressive record, is a close friend of Colonel Roosevelt as was one of the senators elect, and made a clean-cut fight for enforcement, not evasion, of the prohibition law.
"At Chicago I had a conference with western members of the Hughes national campaign committee and also with Mr. Frank Hitchcock of the advisory committee, all of whom realize that there is a splendid opportunity to carry Arizona this fall and are going to send to Arizona some of the best national speakers including Senator Borah and Senator Burton, and while I was there it was decided that Mr. J. S. R. Garfield, former secretary of the interior, would make one or two addresses in Arizona early in October, and there is at least a possibility of Colonel Roosevelt including Phoenix in his western trip now under consideration.

Good Roads
"In the east, particularly in Iowa and Kansas, I found an increased interest in good roads and better paving. A number of the smaller cities that I visited such as Waterloo, Ia.; Manhattan, Kans.; Wichita, Kans. and Atkinson City, Kans., are building many miles of first class paving. Arkansas City, which is right on the edge of what is known as the mid-continent oil field, with less than fifteen thousand population, has nearly twenty miles of paved streets within its borders. The work in the Kansas cities is being well done, real competition is being secured, and they are selling their improvement-paving bonds on a very favorable basis. The last bids in Manhattan, Kans., selling on a 5 per

GREATEST PROSPERITY CANAL OVERFLOWS COUNTRY EVER KNOWN SPOILS FOOTBALL GROUNDS AT H. S.

"The greatest prosperity the country has ever known."
"This is the word brought from the east by Larry Goldwater, who has just returned from a two months' absence in New York. Mr. Goldwater declared that the prosperity prevailing throughout the land had made table cloth political questions of secondary importance, the one all-absorbing topic being the stock market.

"According to the local merchant the foreign goods are not being missed to any great extent except the imported goods, hose, toys and certain other articles from Germany. Domestic manufacturers have found out for themselves just what they can do and they have done it well. That is especially manifest in the newly-wear apparel. They are not depending solely on the Parisian models that are being received, but ingenious designers of New York have created costumes that rival those from the world's knowledge fashion center," said Mr. Goldwater.

"He admitted however that merchandise at the old prices would be scarce. He accounts for this in the high cost of labor and material.

"He said it was almost impossible for the manufacturer of garments to compete in price with the wages offered by the ammunition plant. The scarcity of makers of crude garments had raised the price of the common necessities such as a pair with the raise of price of the most expensive luxuries. The advance will be not on one particular type of merchandise, but on everything, he asserted.

"Take, for example, linen. Russia is not producing flax and it was made apparent to the buyer that the popular table cloth would scarce be of cotton, and that a fairly good piece of the cotton cloth would have to be sold at \$1.50 a yard to make any profit, as the statement made by Mr. Goldwater.

"Despite the advance in goods of every description, Mr. Goldwater and Sam Wilson, the New York buyer, expect to order the biggest year in the history of the Goldwater establishment, and have accordingly prepared for it. A large amount of the autumn and winter stock has already been received. Although built along simple lines, the new suits are attractive, smart and elegant. The leading materials are broadcloth, bores and the fashionable colorings burgundy and green. The shirts are a trifle longer and narrower, while the coats are longer and have a decided flare. Everything is fur trimmed, mole being the leading fur.

"The evening frocks are exceptionally lovely; tulle in the delicate shades is featured. There are some charming combination taffets and georgette crepe models and others of satin crepe and tulle. Metallic lace is used as an effective trimming on some, while fur ornaments a few of the sheerest and most exquisite frocks. Bead, wool and silk embroidery is a popular embellishment on the simple afternoon gowns.

The canal heartlessly flowed over its banks yesterday and laid waste the high school athletic field. The athletic association just finished digging down in their "jeans" and coughing up a few hundred dollars to level it and put it in perfect condition.

Instead of it being a field it looks like a vast lake, and it is thought that the football activity will be postponed and boats floated in the field. There is enough water in the field to actually float a battleship and carry the entire student body as a crew.

"Coach Geary and Athletic Director Osborne were out in bathing suits trying to pick a crew to meet the Varsity of Stanford. Coach Geary pulled Mr. Osborne out of the treacherous water after he sank for the third time.
"It really is a dirty shame that such an accident of this kind occurred. It's not only a loss of money, but forces the Varsity to train between the narrow space of the buildings.

MRS. THARALDSON TELLS OF CONGRESS

Declaring that the burning of the Congress was like a huge picnic, Mrs. Pilya A. Tharaldson, a passenger on the ill fated steamer, says she thoroughly enjoyed the experience, but it was one she would not care to go through a second time.

"Mrs. Tharaldson was at present in Bellingham, Washington. In a recent interview in the American-Reville she is quoted as follows:
"It was just like a big picnic. Everybody was jolly and good-natured and even when the flames broke through and the black smoke poured out of the ventilators there wasn't a sign of panic or undue excitement," said Mrs. Pilya A. Tharaldson, a passenger on the steamer Congress, which burned recently. With Mrs. Dan Bronson, Mrs. Tharaldson arrived in Bellingham Sunday.

"Mrs. Bronson and myself were in our staterooms when the first alarm of fire was given at 2 o'clock in the afternoon," said Mrs. Tharaldson last night. "For some time there had been strange noises overhead, men rushing back and forth and the hauling across the deck of chains and ropes. I had made many trips before and I thought it was merely fire drill, but Mrs. Bronson, who was making her first coast voyage, became alarmed at the noise and finally we went out to investigate. A steward told us that the ship was afire and we went back after our baggage. It was no use. They told us to put our suitcases back, saying that they were safer there and that we would not be allowed to take them with us on the lifeboats.

Life Belts Issued
"Life belts were issued to all the passengers and for more than an hour we stood huddled together on the bow while the snapping flames poured through the ventilators and the vessel forged ahead toward shore. The crew had to force pillows down the throats of the big ventilators on the bow to prevent the smoke from suffocating us, but even with danger so close there was no panic.

"The cool, collected man on the bridge, with his set face and his calm manner, prevented the passengers from losing their self-control and in my estimation prevented the loss of life which so often accompanies fire at sea. To Captain Cousins and his crew must go high praise for their conduct in the face of disaster.
"As we drew into Coos bay the sand dredge Colonel P. S. Michie which was at work near the shore sputtered and blew her whistle. With the last pound of steam we answered the signal and dropped anchor. Then, without haste or confusion the women and children were loaded into the lifeboats and rowed to the Michie which put out from shore to meet us.
"Since the lifeboats on the burning side of the ship could not be used, it was necessary to make several trips with the boats before all of the ship's company could be taken to safety.

Baggage Gone
"At Marshfield the people of the town took us in and treated us like invited guests. A carnival had just been concluded at the resort and the inhabitants turned on the illumination which had been used during it and that night the big panel, "Welcome," burned for us. We were accommodated for the night at private dwellings and the next morning those of us who were short clothing and toilet articles were supplied with them.
"Then we were shipped through to Seattle by special train.
"While I am glad that I had the experience neither Mrs. Bronson or myself would care to go through it again. One fire at sea is enough. So far as I know all of our personal baggage was destroyed."

INSPECTORS NAMED GANDY-LANEY FIGHT

Two of the three inspectors who will recount the contested precincts in the contest for nomination of county attorney were named yesterday. Judge Stanford appointed Lyster Cassidy, A. H. Davidson, the contestant who favors the nomination of Clyde M. Gandy and believes he received a sufficient number of votes to be declared the nominee, named George Purdy Bullard, L. M. Lanev, the contestee, had not notified the court of his choice of inspector when the court adjourned at 5 o'clock. It is proposed that the count begin at once to insure the candidate time to campaign for the general election.

enance when he at last stumbled into the parental domicile he told the truth. The only thing which kept him going was the thought that sooner or later he would locate some hunter operating without the law. In all that weary twenty-five miles he never ran across a single hunter, and had to report to his boss that his first expedition had netted him nothing.

It is the general opinion at Mr. Willard's office, that the hunters had been tipped off that a deputy was coming, and were on the lookout for him.



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ALLEGED SOCIETY BLACKMAILERS PLAN TO MAKE A HARD FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

That the alleged society blackmailers who are said to have operated most successfully in high places will make a determined fight for their freedom is the announcement of their attorney, Charles E. Erbstein. Most important among the alleged swindlers who were arrested in Chicago are W. C. Woodruff, Edward Donahue and James Christian.



Left to right, top: Attorney Charles E. Erbstein and James Christian. Bottom: W. C. Woodruff and Edward Donahue.

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MING WILL CARRIES INTERESTING HISTORY

The filing of the will of John O. Ming, dated April 2, 1882, yesterday revealed the startling information that the late mining man had a wife, Mary S. Ming, at present residing in Pettie county, Mo.

According to the terms of the will the entire estate is bequeathed to Mrs. Ming. The property, real and personal, is said to be worth \$16,000. Whether or not the woman mentioned in the document drawn more than thirty-four years ago was the legal wife of the deceased will have to be proven. No mention of her has ever been made by the western relatives. Furthermore, the man she claims for her husband and from whom the was not divorced according to her knowledge, was three times married after coming to Arizona. It was only a few years ago that he was divorced by his last wife, now living in Los Angeles.

Ming died in Phoenix the Fourth of July. Shortly afterwards his brother, M. F. Ming, who was a one-time well known resident of this city, filed a petition for letters of administration to be granted L. L. Plank. Since no will was forthcoming the petition was granted by Judge Lynnman. The heirs mentioned were the dead man's brother's and sisters, Charles L. Ming of Los Angeles, M. F. Ming, of Marshall, Mo., Mrs. Dora Montgomery of New York, and Mrs. Lucretia J. Kinsel of Kansas City.

Fred Blair Townsend, who filed the will in the superior court, stated that the hearing had been set for October 25.

DEPUTY TAKES BIG HIKE' NO RESULTS

There is nothing as exciting as a man hunt, but when that man hunt calls for about twenty-miles of hiking, stumbling and plunging over, through and across desert, swamp and river, there is no excitement or fun in it either.
Lester Bonar, who graduated from high school last spring, has been appointed a deputy game warden by State Game Warden Willard, and set to the task of rounding up and watching over the duck hunters, who make the Salt River their habitat.
Young Bonar started out Saturday night, in a machine. He went about twenty-five miles down the river, left the machine, camped all night, and started back the next morning for Phoenix on foot. He claims that he walked every foot of the way and from the looks of his clothes and his count-