

DISCRIMINATION IN PURCHASING MILK'S URGED BY MICKLE

Public Should Be Educated to Encourage Use of Best Quality of Milk.

INSPECTORS VISIT DAIRIES

Let Highest Score Man Advertise, Is Advice of State Dairy and Food Commissioner.



Top to bottom—Dr. D. W. Mack, chief dairy and milk inspector of Portland and president of the association; Robert Ireland, manager of the Portland Pure Milk & Cream company, an interested delegate, and H. C. Smith of Salt Lake, state dairy and food commissioner of Utah.

A banquet at the Imperial hotel tonight will mark the conclusion of the second annual convention of the Pacific Northwest Association of Dairy and Milk Inspectors, which convened here Tuesday.

This morning the half hundred delegates enjoyed an auto trip into the surrounding country and put in a profitable three hours looking over dairies which supply the milk to Portland.

Election of officers is scheduled for this afternoon and in addition a number of papers on topics of interest to the profession will be read.

Milk inspectors in Portland have no desire to boost any particular dairy no matter how high its score, owing to the storm of protest it causes among dairymen and their friends. This was brought out very clearly at yesterday's session, following an address by J. D. Mickle, state dairy and food commissioner, on "Essential Cooperation Between Producer and Consumer of Clean Milk."

Many Papers Read.

Mickle urged that the consumer be educated to discriminate against second price milk and in complimenting dairymen who serve Portland declared that the public should be willing to pay a fair price for a first class product.

This offered Sidney Williams, a certified dairymen from Seattle, an opportunity to voice his opinion that inspectors should tell the public who has the best milk when inquiry is made. Mickle and the majority, however, took the view that such procedure would be unjust.

Let the highest scored man advertise. That's what I'd do," said Mickle. And others took the stand that the present system of simply giving out the dairy scores without comment is the just system to all.

Dr. C. H. Wheeler, former health officer for Portland, reviewed the early history of the better milk campaign, which was launched with success in 1909.

F. H. Bothell, assistant western dairy investigations, bureau of animal industry, of Salt Lake, spoke on the trouble of interesting consumers in good milk, which he declared is exceedingly difficult.

Ignorance Said to Be Exasperating.

"Ignorance and apathy in this connection are exasperating," he said. "Most people want milk with lots of cream in it at a low price, and that is about all they ask. But they are learning the value of a wholesome product."

Dr. R. G. Hall of this city discussed the standard of milk required for infant feeding, after which noon adjournment was taken.

Others who spoke were: Professor E. F. Pernot, city bacteriologist; Dr. Smith, chief meat inspector of Seattle.

Streetcars Will Spread Slogan for Roads Bond Issue

For a week every Portland streetcar will carry a card exhorting Multnomah county men and women to vote for the good roads bond issue according to arrangements by the New Chamber of Commerce yesterday. The entire service has been contributed by Walker Campbell, of the Pacific Railway Advertising company, donated the space, the Portland Printing company donated the printing, and the Pacific Paper company donated the paper used in printing the cards.

Germany Would Buy U. S. Off, Says Paper

Cologne Gazette Publishes Sensational Article Concerning America Supplying Ammunition to the Allies.

(International News Service.) London, April 8.—The Daily Mail says the Cologne Gazette publishes conspicuously an article entitled "America, What Will It Cost?" suggesting that if nothing else will induce the United States to stop supplying munitions of war to the allies, the German people might be willing to buy America off by paying her in cash. "The billion or two" she is making out of the "unholy traffic in German and Austrian mines."

COUNTY COURT NEWS

The county commissioners requested the Pacific Fire Extinguisher company to repair at once water meters on the courthouse switchboard in accordance with the company's guarantee.

A letter from Ferdinand Mayer of San Francisco regarding scagliola columns in the courthouse enclosing one from Lewis A. Hicks, president of the Lewis A. Hicks company, general contractors for the courthouse building, was filed without action. The sum of \$1000 has been held up by the county because of alleged defects in the columns, and Mayer is seeking payment of that amount.

George H. Griffin, contractor of the Sandy river bridge, presented a claim for \$241.94 for work and material on the bridge. The matter was tabled pending a conference between the board, Roadmaster Yeon, District Attorney Evans and C. H. Purcell of the state highway engineer's office.

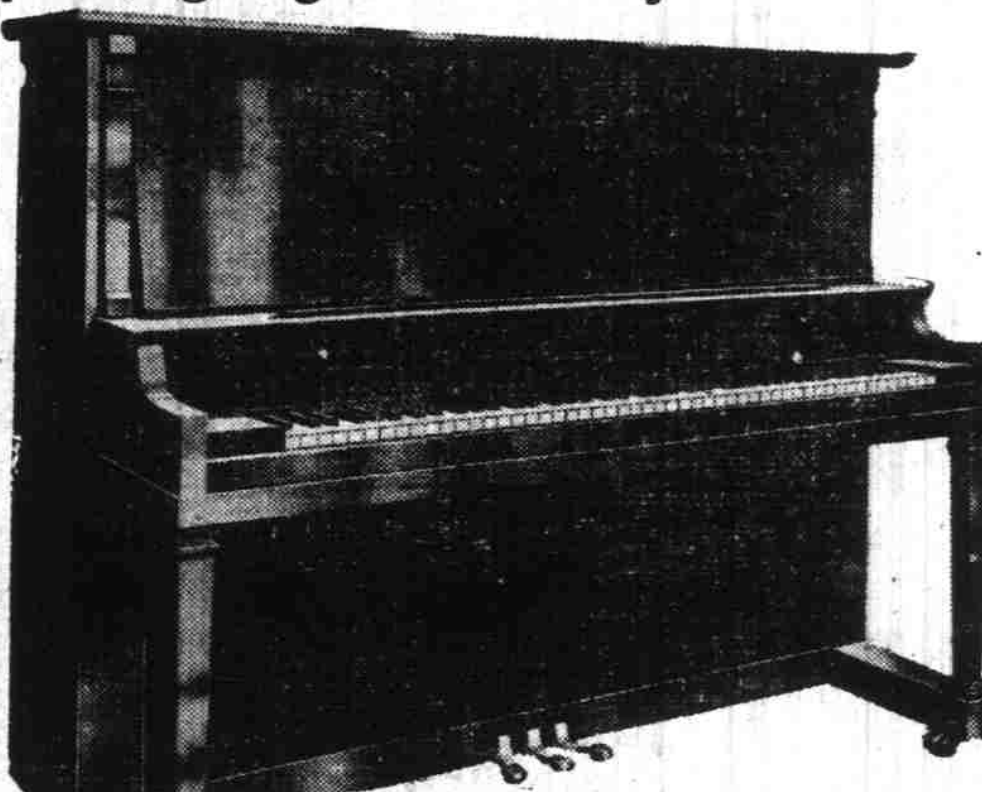
The board filed without action a report by Superintendent of Ferries Welch that slabwood at \$215 per cord is cheaper for use on the St. Johns ferry than oil at 80 cents per barrel, the price the county pays for oil for that boat.

No Hope, So Ends Life

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Cal., April 8.—Harvey Clayton Merrill, 33, was found dead today in a room in the New Commercial hotel, with the gas turned on. Merrill left a note saying: "There is no hope for me in this world. I have been a confirmed derelict for 10 years. God bids my mother and give her peace. I hope to be with her in the next world."

He: E. C. Callaway, city chemist of Portland; Dr. Mack, chief inspector of dairymen who serve Portland declared that the public should be willing to pay a fair price for a first class product.

Your Check for \$218 During Gigantic Factory Piano Sale



Buys This \$325 New 1915 Model This Week—While They Last

Guarantee

DETAILS OF CONSTRUCTION. Folding Top with Drop Moulding. Genuine Ivory Keys. Full Composite Branded Metal Plate. Bushed Tuning Pins.

Double repeating action with brass flanges, coppered brass strings, three string to each treble note. Full size action with rest, rolling Colonial fall-board, heavily nickel-plated action rail and action brackets. Patent new system Anti-Friction Agraffe. Nickel-plated pedals with corrugated loop-cap.

In genuine quartered Flemish oak, magnolia walnut and handsome figured mahogany.

CONSTRUCTED THROUGHOUT OF FIRST-CLASS MATERIALS. Height, feet 7 1/2 inches; width, 5 feet 4 inches; depth, 2 feet 3 1/2 inches; 7 1/2 Octaves Compass.

15c Buys All the Popular Player Piano Music. Visit Our Talking Machine Record Exchange Department. Bring Us All Your Records to Exchange for Cash Ones.

Other New Pianos \$215, \$218, \$230.

New Player Pianos \$235, \$435 to \$595.

Terms, \$10 Down, \$5 or More Monthly.

Schwan Piano Co.

Open Evenings During Sale.

MANUFACTURERS' COAST DISTRIBUTORS' WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, 111 FOURTH ST. MAIN 5323.

WIDOW OF MEMBER OF F-4 CREW SAYS SUBMARINE UNSAFE

Mrs. Elsie Nelson Says She Knew Conditions and Had Fear of Trouble.

(Pacific News Service.)

Los Angeles, April 8.—Mrs. Elsie Ebright Nelson, widow of William Nelson, chief machinist's mate of the United States submarine F-4, lost with its crew of 21 men, two miles off Honolulu harbor, on the morning of March 25, has returned to the home of her mother, Mrs. I. M. Ebright, after a 10 days' visit on the docks at Honolulu during the vain attempts to rescue her husband of 16 months and his companions on the F-4.

By virtue of her intimate association with the man who probably knew more than any other about the actual condition of the F-4 when it made its last fatal dive, she is perhaps as well qualified to speak of the disaster as any person living. In an interview she made the following charges:

"That although the F-4 had just been drydocked and her machinery overhauled, she was ordered out for submarine work with her motors defective.

"That this condition was known to the officers and members of the crew and that they and members of their families, in consequence of this knowledge, feared just such a catastrophe as occurred.

"That the condition of the motors was reported to the proper authorities by William S. Nelson, chief machinist's mate and ranking engineer on the F-4 before the submarine's departure on her last trip.

"That, on this last trip, the F-4's tank containing only a four day supply of air instead of enough for two weeks, as required by the regulations, was refilled.

"That the food supply, required by the regulations to consist of 500 rations, was similarly deficient."

Try to Move F-4.

Honolulu, April 8.—Cables have again been affixed to the sunken submarine F-4 today and an attempt is being made to drag it into shallow water, where an effort will be made to raise with the aid of specially built pontoon scows. The tugs Navajo and Intrepid are today engaged in the work of fastening two more hawsers to the submerged deathship, so that there will be no danger of losing it again. Eager watch is being maintained for the cruiser Maryland, which is en route here with new devices to be used in hoisting the F-4 to the surface.

Robber Takes \$500; Posses Have Guns

Bandit Forces Bank Cashier to Sit Still Under Revolver While He Helps Himself to Cash.

(Pacific News Service.)

Harlem, Mont., April 8.—Armed posses are hunting for the bandit who entered the Blaine County State bank here yesterday and rifled the cash drawer of \$500, after forcing Cashier S. E. Moore to sit in a corner of the bank store with a revolver.

The robber then drove Moore into the vault, but at Moore's urgent request he not only let him go but gave him a revolver.

The bandit's overcoat, mask, two revolvers and \$300 were found cached in a building just behind the bank.

Economy Basement Store

Phonograph Records 15c Each
Fit Any Machine—Run Two Minutes
—Including popular pieces, such as *Along Came Ruth, He's a Rag Picker, It's Going to Be a Cold, Cold Winter; Push Dem Clouds Away, My Hidden Treasure, Rose That Will Never Die, When the Angelus Is Ringing, If I Had You, California and You, and a hundred others.*—Basement

NO PHONE OR MAIL ORDERS FOR ECONOMY SALES

Lipman Wolfe & Co.
"Merchandise of Merit Only"

All Our 50c Folios Sale 39c
—These Folios contain some of the best numbers of our best composers, also duets and Violin solos.
A Special Cleanup of 25c and 30c
—Classical and Popular Instrumental Numbers, Sale Each.....10c—Basement

Lowest Known Prices for Famous Wm. Rogers' Silver Tableware

100 New Trimmed Hats—Special \$1.95
—Just 100 hats at this price—including the smartest models of the season, in the new plain and fancy-weave straws—sailor effects, turbans and bonnet shapes, in black and the most fashionable new colors. These hats of materials, skillfully trimmed by our own millinery artists. The most remarkable hats we have yet placed on sale at the exceptionally low price of \$1.95.
—Basement

Table Spoons
Dinner Forks
Butter Knives
Your Choice 22c Each
Dessert Spoons
Dinner Knives
Sugar Shells
—Basement

Two New \$1.50 Kimonos 98c
—Come in plain rose, wisteria, gray, Copenhagen, navy, pink and blue crepe, in empire or waisted style, finished with elastic and heading of self material. Set-in sleeves. Trimmed with shirring. Another style of dainty figured crepe, with small yoke, kimono sleeves, finished with cord pipings.
—Same style as illustrated.—Basement

\$1.25 and \$1.50 House Dresses 79c
—Of striped and checked gingham and percale in light and dark colors. Made with pointed collar, embroidery edge, or sailor collar, trimmed with self or colored bands. Piped or belted waistlines, with plain skirts. Excellent materials, extra well made. Sizes 34 to 44.
—Basement

Sateen Petticoats 89c
—Made in the new flaring style, with deep circular flounce.
—Of exceptionally fine quality black sateen, extra well made and finished, with extra width at bottom, fitted elastic tops.
Chambray Petticoats, 49c
—Amoskeag chambray in blue and white nurse's stripes and gray and white, with deep flounce and with dust ruffle.
—As illustrated.—Basement

50c Corset Covers 39c
MADE WITH NEW CAP SLEEVE
—Of fine lawn, with round neck, yoke of embroidery, lace insertion and edging, cap sleeve trimmed to match. Sizes from 38 to 44.
—As illustrated.
50c Women's Drawers 29c
—Of splendid quality long-cloth, well made, in knickerbocker knee, trimmed with embroidery edge and ribbon drawn. French hand top, open or closed style.
—As illustrated.—Basement

Remnants of Laces, Embroideries, Chiffons
And Nets—Less One-Third to Half Regular Prices
—Remnants in lengths from a half to two and a half yards, which have sold regularly from 5c to \$6.00 the yard.
—Edges, flouncings and all-overs of shadow laces, Oriental laces, Cluny laces, Venise laces and Valenciennes laces.
—In the embroideries you will find all-overs, edges, insertions, galloons, flouncings and beadings.
—Chiffons in various colorings—Nets in white and ecru.
—Basement

New 75c Middy Blouses 50c
—Made of plain white linen finished material, with white, cadet or navy collar, band on arm embroidered, laced fronts, white or colored collar, cuffs and pocket, some braid trimmed. Sizes 6 to 20 years.
—Same style illustrated.—Basement

Children's 25c Aprons 18c
Made in Regulation Overall Style
—With round neck, short sleeves, pocket, belted back. In navy and white gingham. Sizes to fit children up to 6 years.
75c Playtime Overalls 59c
—Sizes 2 to 8 years, for boys or girls. In striped or plain denim, round neck, three-quarter length, with deep flounce and with dust ruffle. Completely cover the clothing. As illustrated.—Basement

Here Are Huck Towels 9c Each—Dozen \$1
—These huck towels are excellent for hotels and rooming houses, and at \$1.00 the dozen offer an excellent opportunity for laying in a supply as they are of an extra quality which has never before been offered at such a low figure. They come in plain white or white with red borders. In sizes 34 by 17 inches.
15c Turkish Bath Towels, Sale 10c
Pure White, Hemmed Ends—Size 36 by 18 inches.
THESE SPECIAL PRICES ON TOWELS FOR FRIDAY ONLY.—Basement

Economy Basement Notion Sale
Polishes
15c Imperial Silver Polish 12c
25c Imperial Silver Polish 19c
25c Liquid Veneer Polish 17c
50c Liquid Veneer Polish 37c
50c Johnson Floor Wax 39c
50c Old English Wax 39c
10c 3-in-1 Oil 19c
25c 3-in-1 Oil 19c
25c Wizard Polish 18c
50c Wizard Polish 39c
1.00 Wizard Polish 84c
Gas Needs
25c Welsbach Gas Mantles 15c
40c Self-Light Gas Mantles 28c
1.00 Welsbach Gas Lights 50c
75c Lindsay Gas Lights 25c
20c Upright Gas Globes 12c
15c Inverted Gas Globes 10c
10c Gas Chimneys 7c
Notions
5c Silk Hair Nets 12 for 25c
5c Safety Pins 3 for 5c
5c English Pins 2 papers, 5c
5c Hair Pin Cabinets 3c
25c Shell Hair Barrettes 10c
25c Tango Pins 10c
—Basement

Extraordinary Hosiery and Underwear at Very Special Economy Prices
For Women
25c Lisle Thread Hose 17c
—Black lisle thread hose, extra fine quality, with double heel and toe. All sizes. 17c a pair or three pairs for 50c.
15c Cotton Hose 10c
—Black cotton hose in fast color. Made with double heel and toe. An everyday hose that will give excellent service.
50c Union Suits 39c
—Of fine ribbed cotton with low neck and sleeveless, tight and lace-trimmed knee. In small, medium and large sizes. Three and four, fine ribbed, elastic and full length.
—Basement

Odds and Ends of Full Skeins of Yarn Economy Sale Price 5c Skein

Because these yarns are slightly soiled from handling and others just a trifle faded, all colors and sizes. No duplicates and none exchanged.

Stamped Guest Towels, Special 10c
—These stamped guest towels come in a large collection of artistic patterns, in size 15 by 27 inches.
Stamped Night Gowns, Special 50c
—Of fine quality nainsook, extra full and long. Stamped in new designs, in eyelet, solid and basket designs. Round, square and V necks, with short kimono sleeves.
—Basement

Remarkable Neckwear at 10c and 25c

At 10c
—New styles in neckwear, selling regularly at 25c and 35c. Oriental lace collars in the new flare shapes, organdie vestees with military collars, vestees with dainty pleatings.
At 25c
—A new shipment of the latest models in neckwear, selling from 35c to 50c regularly. Pleated back collars of voile, flat collars of pique and organdie, collar and cuff sets of pique and organdie, lace pleated back collars, organdie vestees, lace trimmed and hemstitched effects, in all the new styles.
—Basement

Boudoir Caps 29c
—Of embroidery, grenadine, figured crepe, in dainty colors, trimmed with ruffles, laces, ribbons and embroidery. In round and Dutch styles.
—Basement

Alarm Clocks 69c
Guarant'd 1 Year
—Made by the New Haven Clock Company. Brass case, heavily nickel-plated, with all solid brass movement, all brass pinions.
—Basement

12-Inch Full Jointed \$1 DRESSED DOLLS 29c
—Beautifully dressed in colored percale frocks with bonnets to match—shoes and stockings. They have curly hair in light and dark shades—eyes that open and close.
—Basement

Women's Tan Napa Working Gloves 50c Pair
—For house work and for garden purposes—made with gauntlet cuffs. One of the best gloves for all around cleaning wear. Protects the hands—and will fit well.

Wizard Mop and Polish at Wholesale Prices

—They remove the dust and renew the luster of finished woodwork and floors. This Triangle Mop, with adjustable handle, does the work.
—Call and have us demonstrate their many superior features.

75c Wizard Polish Mop .43c
\$1.00 Wizard Polish Mop 68c
\$1.50 Wizard Polish Mop 88c
25c Wizard Polish .18c
50c Wizard Polish .39c
\$1.00 Wizard Polish 84c
—Basement

Apron Friday

50c Coverall Aprons
Made of light and dark-colored percale—with round necks, kimono sleeves, belted back, finished with white piping. In regulation overall style. 39c

\$1.00 Housedress Aprons
Of extra quality percale—an apron which forms a complete dress. Has square neck, side fastening, kimono sleeves, pleated back, belt fastens to the front. Trimmed with colored embroidered edges. Sale 75c

New Rubber Aprons
Made in plain white or lavender and blue stripes. Most practical for general housework, indispensable in kitchen and laundry, and a necessity for the nursery and sickroom. Sale 50c

75c and 85c White Aprons
White band aprons, aprons for nurses, waitresses, parlor maids. Trimmed with lace insertion, embroidery ruffles and insertions and hemstitching—with and without bibs and straps. Of lawn or dotted Swiss. Sale 59c

35c and 40c White Aprons
Tea aprons, band aprons, waitresses' and parlor maids' aprons. Fresh, crisp, white aprons, made of excellent quality lawn, trimmed with tucks and hemstitching, some with embroidery insertions and edges. Sale 29c