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Mrs. Wm. Naylor, of Mountain Dell, was awarded Auerbach's special prize of \$5, and a silver medal and \$3 from the society, for the best 10 pounds of butter.

L. Hansen was awarded a diploma and \$5 for the best cheese under one year old, and a gold medal and \$10 for the best quality and display of cheese.

Appended to the report of the committee is the following:

D. A. & M. Society.

Gentlemen—We respectfully recommend an award of a gold medal to the Kaysville and Meadowview Creamery companies for prize number 47, as we consider their butter, in quality and display, about equal.

Respectfully,

ROGER FARRER,

AMOS S. GABBOT,

Awarding Committee.

The recommendation of the committee had not been acted upon up to the time of going to press, but the awards as above given are based upon the expectation that it would be adopted; hence the same award to the Kaysville and Meadowview creameries.

The apparent conflict between the Charlestown dairy and Mrs. Wm. Naylor is explained by the fact that Mr. Auerbach gave \$5 for the best ten pounds of creamery butter, and the same amount for the best ten pounds of butter other than creamery.

The above is the revised action of the committee, and changes some of the awards previously announced. Great interest has been taken in the contests in the dairy department, and the above are the final results.

The fact that there were two hundred and sixty competitors for the four prizes offered for the prettiest babies, is a sufficient commentary on the enthusiasm with which "Utah's best crop" is cultivated. That so large a number of mothers should have endured the jam that these did, is also a sufficient commentary on maternal pride in this community. Some one has said that it is the privilege of every mother to look upon her own as the prettiest and sweetest babe in the world, and these proud and happy mothers were merely exercising this privilege.

Of course 256 of them failed to win any prize at all; that is they failed to receive one; but each will doubtless comfort herself with the reflection that the judges didn't know a meritorious baby when they saw one.

The first prize, \$20, was awarded to Cyril, child of Mrs. M. L. Farley, of Ogden. The little daughter of Mrs. Sylvia Tobias, Sylvia, took the second prize, \$15. Mrs. John Nelson's little son, Elmer, took the third prize, \$10, and Mrs. James's child took the fourth prize, \$5.

The competing little ones were carried in procession before the awarding committee, who, presumably, "took points" as rapidly and correctly as possible. But that satisfaction was given by their decisions is beyond the possibilities.

Ketchum (Idaho) *Keystone*: It is reported that W. A. Clark, the Montana millionaire, will buy the Camas No. 2 mine at Hailey, the purchase price being \$150,000.

AT HOME AND ABROAD.

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—In the United States court of appeals today Judge Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court, severely handled the famous strike injunction of Judge Jenkins. Harlan held that a body of men had the right to quit irrespective of the discomfort which might result. They had, however, no right to conspire, do damage or embarrass. He did not agree with Jenkins's definition of a strike or that it was necessarily illegal. Judge Harlan held there was such a thing as a legal strike. Judge Jenkins's injunction was modified.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 1.—A special to the *Times* from Phoenix, Arizona, says: At 2:15 a.m. today an eastbound Southern Pacific train was held up by three men a mile and a half east of Maricopa. One of the robbers rode out of Maricopa to a point where the other two flagged the train. The former then climbed upon the engine, and, at the points of two revolvers, compelled Engineer Holliday and Fireman Martin to descend, uncouple the engine and pull out three-quarters of a mile. One robber entered the express car. The other stood guard outside. No shots were fired and the passengers were not alarmed.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 2.—Specials to the *Times* from Emporia, Strong City and other western Kansas towns tell of a storm of cyclonic proportions that broke over that territory this evening. As far as known there were no fatalities. The storm struck Emporia about 7 o'clock and soon took on the proportions of a cyclone, and in half an hour's time had done thousands of dollars in damage. Trees and shrubbery were uprooted, signs and fences demolished and much other property injured. Strong City suffered a like fate. The storm came from the west, creating damage enroute and shutting that part of the state off from wire connection.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Oct. 2.—The train robbers were overtaken about eighteen miles east of Phoenix by sheriffs. A fight ensued in which one robber was fatally wounded and another was captured. The third escaped.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 2.—A terrible cyclone struck this vicinity at 7:30 o'clock this evening and almost devastated the business portion of the city. Several people are known to have been killed and many are injured. The main portion of the business center, bounded on the south by Third street, on the north by the river front, on the west by Center street and on the east by Commercial street, is practically in ruins and the amount of damage is incalculable.

The total property loss will probably approximate half a million dollars.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Oct. 2.—What will probably result in the biggest strike of textile workers this city has ever seen was inaugurated today when 250 weavers left their looms at the Loraine mills as a protest against the reduction of wages. Thirteen hundred are involved.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—A dispatch received here from Wilna, Prussia, describes a terrible outrage upon the part of a number of robbers. A rich farmer,

it appears, resided in the town of Gicanisski, near Wilna, with his wife, three children and four servants. The farmer was believed to have a considerable sum of money in the house, and this fact became known to a gang of robbers, and they attacked the farmer's residence, killing him and all of his household, completely looted the house and escaped with their booty.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The Ward line steamer *Saratoga* from Havana arrived in port today. Captain Berle says, at Havana it was reported that the village of Dagua, 120 miles to the east, had been almost entirely demolished and about twenty souls perished. Of the reported destruction of more than half of the town of San Domingo, Captain Berle said he had heard nothing.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—A dispatch from Shanghai says the Hang Koo province has been depleted of troops. The viceroy, in anticipation of a rebellion, is causing the construction of fortifications at Woo Chang. The British consul advises all women and children to be sent to places of safety. A volunteer corps has been formed in Hang Kow for the protection of the city, should trouble arise.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—A special from Key West, Fla., says: More than fifty human bodies have been washed up along the reefs near here in the last two days, most of them being badly decomposed. They were buried where they were found.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 4.—No news has yet been received as to the effect of the Japanese success at Ping Yang upon the Chinese court. Previous to that event it was announced that the entire imperial family, led by the sovereign and his mother, was bitterly opposed to every proposal for peace. The efforts of Li Hung Chang to bring about foreign intervention through the agency of the diplomats at Peking has been completely nullified by the warlike resolutions of his superiors.

That the aged statesman is in a position of some danger is admitted on all sides. The rulers he has faithfully served for fifty years, giving them power and security when their very existence was menaced, and sacrificing ambition and even personal honor in their cause, are now exasperated at the mishaps for which they hold him responsible and they are ready, according to the best authority, to inflict humiliation if not heavier punishment on him unless the tide of disaster can be turned.

Von Hannekin, the military engineer who swam ashore from the *Kow Shing* at the time of that ship's destruction, has been appointed commander of the naval station at Wei Hai Wei.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 4.—Superintendent of Police Cobe received a telegram from Elliston, Indiana, today stating that the bank there was robbed last night of \$5,000.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 4.—The Columbian relics loaned to this government for display at the Chicago fair by the Pope, began their homeward journey today. They will be delivered to Ambassador McVeagh at Rome, for