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Road Department Fixes Wage Scale

The Arizona Highway Commission has taken a step that will meet with the general approval of the public.

In calling for bids for the oiling of the Nogales-Tucson road from Continental south to the Santa Cruz County line the commission includes a schedule of minimum wages to be paid by the successful bid-

This is the first time in the history of the road department that contractors bidding for such work are told by the commission exactly what minimum wage must be paid. Heretofore a contractor could fix his own wage scale.

It means that from now on contractors on state

road jobs will have to pay a living wage.

A copy of the call for bids for the Tucson road improvement appears elsewhere in today's International.

Smoot - Hawley Tariff Act

Although Republican orators continue to picture the Smoot-Hawley tariff act as a beneficent piece of legislation, they will have difficulty in convincing the American producers who are keeping a sharp eye on the Imperial Conference at Ottawa. It is clear to all but the most partisan worshippers at the high tariff shrine that England and her dominions are engaged in agreeing on measures of self-protection made necessary by the high tariff wall which has been erected around the United States.

The conference is dealing in such terms as "imperial preference," but the result will be to discriminate against many essential raw materials and manufactured products, which have in the past formed the backbone of the foreign trade of the United States.

What for instance can the coal producers of the United States do to meet the shrinkage in business which they will have to face if Welsh coal is so favored within the British empire so as to force out the output of the American mines?

The steel industry in this county cannot help but be affected if Canadian and English plants are given the protection which has been proposed at Ottawa.

The tobacco producers of the East and South will not relish the further restriction of their market which is possible if the Engish dominions erect the proposed trade barrier against the United States.

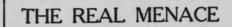
The agricultural sections of the Middle West can look forward with little satisfaction to the proposal that "preference" be extended to Canadian and Aus-

ed States by no means ends there. The conference is ing an effort to prevent Arizona from getting loans considering restrictions on many other articles. The from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation at greater their number the more severe the blow to in- Washington for unemployment relief in this state.

dustries in this country. of the United States have already suffered tremend- loans solely for the purpose of relieving the serious ously. The volume of foreign commerce has never unemployment situation in Arizona and not for any been as low in recent times as it is today. Our Cana-personal glory. dian markets, the most logical that we possess, have suffered greatly since the Smoot-Hawley schedules person in Arizona that thousands and thousands of were adopted. If only a part of the suggestions which our citizens are out of work-men, women and little have been made at Ottawa are adopted, it will mean children are hungry-work is needed by thousands a further shrinkge in this business and that all hope of men in order to get funds with which to buy food

of any increase in future years has been lost. Defenders of the Smoot-Hawley tariff act can point to nothing concrete within the limits of the zona from getting federal loans at such a serious time United States to justify that piece of legislation. They as the present that person in our opinion is stooping can cite no figures to show that it has done anything to the lowest politics imaginable. but strangle foreign trade. Unless control of the government is taken from the Republican party, which cessful in his effort to learn the identity of any perenacted this ruinous law, a completly vanished for- son-Democrat or Republican-who might be bucking eign trade is likey to be the only monument that the Arizona's effort to get relief for the unemployed. Smoot-Hawley rates will have.

In this time of economic stress the tariff issue should attract unusual interest. Supporters of the Republican platform's declaration in favor of still high- he wheat pit of the Chicago Board of Trade, the er tariff rates should be required to answer in detail the charges against the Hawley-Smoot tariff made in theirs is not the only business the Hoover Administhe Democratic platform.—Chicago Daily News (Ind.) tration has closed in the last three years.



By Albert T. Reid



Internal Strife In G. O. P. Ranks

Chances of Democratic victory in Arizona next November are enhanced by internal strife in Republican ranks.

Wholesale desertions from the Republican fold, estimated at more than 3,000 who registered as Democrats in Maricopa county, indicate that many members of the state's minority party are in a rebellious

The situation has been brought about, according to reports from the state capital, by the activities of a party leader in seeking personal control of the G. P. organization.

The method employed in obtaining a full Republican ticket for the primary—the first time since statehood—has further ired many members of the mission. It even propose tires on wheelbarrows. party. It savors too much of the old machine days during the administration of William Howard Taft.

Republicans were successful in the state in 1918 and 1920 when they were a militant and united party. They again were successful in 1928 when Democrats were divided.

This year it is evident the Republicans must do some housecleaning. It appears the job must be done by the rank and file of the party in selecting a candidate to head the Republican ticket who is not controlled by one man who dominates a clique of professional politicians.

While the Republicans battle among themselves, Arizona Democrats have no cause to worry over the outcome next November.

Someone Bucking Federal Loan?

Apparently several politicians at Phoenix, think-The threat against the foreign trade of the Unit- ing they can hurt Governor Hunt politically, are mak-

George W. P. Hunt is the governor of this state Under the Smoot-Hawley tariff bill the exports and as such he has made application for the federal

> Hunt is aware probably more so than any other for themselves and families.

If any Arizonan is actually trying to prevent Ari-

We sincerely hope that the Governor will be suc-

Governor Hunt in his efforts to get federal loans is entitled to the co-operation of everybody.

If the Hoover Administration succeeds in closing members will have the consolation of knowing

of going to New York. Nearly 6,000,000 fewer persons visited New York during the past 12 months than during the previous year.

New Yorkers are supposed to be very nervous people. The explanation given is the constant noise in the city. New York, recently, maintained what was known as a noise abatement com-mission. It even proposed to put rubber

Well, well. New York hat shops are selling colored Panama hats. They come in all colors.

Over on Sixth Avenue there is a sign in a gypsy fortune teller's window which reads: "Have your head read by this great woman who studied for ten years in Jerusalem.

Walking through the Grand Central of men and women come out of the station exits laughing heartily. Shortly a man came walking out who was plainly mad through and through. He had no shoes. They had either been stolen during the night on the train or lost by the porter. He had to get out. Fortunately there is a shoe store in the station.

There is a labor union here made up of house wreckers. And every one of them is a Russian.

There are more bootblacks on the streets of New York than ever before These men anticipate what they will receive for a shine by the quality of the men's socks. The usual charge for a shine is a nickel, but more frequently a dime is paid.

Unemployed artists—there are hundreds of them here—have received permission to sell their paintings on the streets of the city.

The other day the New York police dumped 4,402 pistols, 638 shotguns and rifles, and 240 other weapons including blackjacks, daggers, dirks and sling shots into the sea. These weapons had been taken from criminals during the last year.

There are spots in New York where pedestrian traffic is so heavy that police are required to keep persons moving.



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