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50 Millions in Wool Market Loans Are Approved

Figure Represents 75 Per Cent of Pre-War Parity Price on Product

Authorization of \$50,000,000 in wool marketing loans up to 75 per cent of the pre-war parity price on wool was made by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Washington, D. C., yesterday.

First word of the loan fixing was brought to Laramie in telegrams to the Republican Boomerang from Senators O'Mahoney and Schwartz.

The \$50,000,000 will be available through the Commodity Credit Corporation to take care of 250,000,000 pounds of wool, or 75 per cent of the pre-war parity price on wool.

The loans will be open to all producers, according to the program.

MARKET STAGNANT
The action successfully terminated negotiations which had been in progress since early in the session.

While this does not meet expectations of wool producers, it will afford relief to holders of last year's wool and material and landing this year's wool.

Senator Schwartz said in his telegram, "The woolmen had sought loans of 75 per cent on the current half parity prices rather than 75 per cent on the pre-war parity price."

The loans are of non-recourse variety so growers will incur no financial interest in the wool.

LITTLE STORED HERE
"This action can be interpreted as an indication of government agreement in the future of the wool industry," Senator O'Mahoney said.

Dan John A. Hill, wool specialist at the University, said last night that there was little wool being stored in Albany county, but the loans would cause all sheepmen that the price would not be depressed further this year.

Vandenberg Outlines Plan for Congress

WASHINGTON, March 12.—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R, Mich.), frequently mentioned Republican presidential possibility, outlined today his own idea of a congressional program.

"I'd be willing to stand on it," he said in an interview. The senator only smiled when asked whether it could be secured after a possible 1940 platform.

Detachment of Kennedys Sails for England

There are so many Kennedys that they travel to Europe in allotments. This is just a part of the family of Joseph P. Kennedy ambassador to the court of St. James in London. Left to right: Kathleen, 18; Robert, 13; Mrs. Kennedy; Edward, 6; Jean, 20; and Patricia, 14. The Kennedys' four other children will join them in the spring when they finish school in the United States.



18 of 21 Russian Plotters Are Given Death Sentences

MOSCOW, March 13.—(Sunday)—(AP)—Eighteen of 21 defendants were sentenced to death today in Moscow's greatest treason trial.

Those whose lives were spared were: Christian Rakovskiy, former ambassador to France who was sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment; S. A. Resonoff, former member of the Soviet Trade delegation to Berlin; 15 years and 10 months; D. G. Yevstov, heart specialist, 25 years.

Those who must die—former high-ranking Bolsheviks—were charged with treason and murder at the hands of foreign powers—will have at most five days to live.

However, if precedent is followed, the condemned men will be executed within 24 hours.

Appeals for clemency usually made immediately, heretofore have been rejected immediately in cases of such prominence as this, with a former premier and five former secretaries.

825 Persons Seek Positions Only 16 Can fill
Eight hundred twenty-five applicants have filed for examination for 16 classified positions in the Wyoming unemployment compensation commission. It was announced at the University yesterday.

Dr. A. R. Humbert, professor of law and supervisor of the commission's merit examination, said that more than 2,000 had asked for information on the examinations.

The deadline for filing applications was on March 5.

Written examinations for group 2, clerical workers among the 16, will be held at Basin, Casper, Cheyenne, Laramie, Newcastle, Rock Springs and Sheridan on March 26.

Written exams for other positions will be given Tuesday.

Information from the exams and ratings of applicants will be kept in the permanent register for future hiring for positions in the unemployment compensation division and in the state department of service, both of which are under the commission.

Residents of Berlin Are Joyful at Unification

Two Chancellors, One Ruler, One Language

BERLIN, March 12.—(AP)—German Nazis were frantic with joy tonight as they grasped the full import of Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler's proclamation on the Austrian coup.

"I have now decided to extend the aid of the Reich to the millions of Germans in Austria," Dr. Fuhrer proclaimed.

"Since morning soldiers of the German defense force have been marching over all the frontiers of German Austria."

Even as the proclamation was read over all German radio stations by Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels, Hitler himself had crossed the Austrian frontier on a triumphal return to the country of his birth.

Reliable sources estimated 50,000 German soldiers had entered Austria during the day.

The immediate destiny of the 140,000 Germans and Austrians seemed to be—on Hitler, one language, one Fuehrer, but for the present two chancellors and Arthur Seyss-Inquart in Austria and Field Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goerdeler, named acting chancellor in Germany during Hitler's absence.

Dr. Fuhrer's steamroller, it is said, may be expected to turn toward Czechoslovakia, where there are 2,500,000 Germans in whom Hitler has proclaimed his interest. He is known to have professed.

Man Hurt in Train Mishap Still in Serious Condition

Ralph Woodring, 41, Port Collins driver, who suffered a broken back and head and foot injuries Friday morning while hopping a freight train here, was reported in a fair condition at the Vinson Memorial hospital Saturday night.

His condition is serious, however. He was dragged 200 feet by the train when he missed his foot, but landing a west-bound freight in the yards here.

Pole Mountain Skiing Ruined by Warm Weather

The sudden warm spell which descended upon the Laramie region yesterday morning has spoiled the skiing at Pole mountain, skiers stated here last night.

The course is not fit for skiing. At noon yesterday morning the mercury had climbed to 56 degrees, the highest in 100 days, year according to the recordings at the 1937 office in the depot. It stood at 40 degrees at 2 p. m., having climbed from 28 degrees at 2 a. m., the lowest in the 24-hour period.

Rural Instructors Hear Talk on Teacher Retirement Act

Nearly 20 rural teachers attended the annual spring conference here yesterday in the high school auditorium. The attendance was much smaller than last year's, according to Miss Helen Nelson, county superintendent of schools, because of illness in remote sections of the county made many of the roads impassable.

Fuehrer Casts Eye Toward Czech Border

Thousands Roar in Big Celebration as Leader Rides In from Berlin

VIENNA, March 12.—(AP)—Adolf Hitler joined Austria and Germany tonight as he defied the world to part them.

He proclaimed the new Pan-German union from a large balcony, cheering thousands.

As Hitler spoke Nazi torches, banners and flags swept through Europe and round new fears of European war. Troops came by land and by air.

"No other attempt to part this people will be in vain," the train-phant Fuehrer told wildly cheering throngs massed to welcome his return to his native land and fulfill the old dream of German unity.

Hitler's letter, which he sent to Mussolini by special courier, was read to the council by Count Galeazzo Ciano, foreign minister.

The foreign minister informed the council that Italy had rejected a French proposal for concerted action in the Austrian situation.

"The Italian government has for obvious reasons determined not to interfere in any way in Austrian internal affairs," the council's communique said, adding:

"The grand council emphasizes especially that the Austrian plebiscite was ordered without previous notice by Schuschnigg."

"No only was it not agreed in accordance with the Munich agreement," it said.

Police Judge Has Busy Day as Boy Scouts Take Over City Government

Justice was speedy and traffic violations costly in Laramie throughout Saturday.

Boy Scout law retained supreme force from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m., with diminutive officials, from mayor on down, in complete charge of the affairs of state.

It was the annual day for the Boy Scouts to run the city—and how.

Violators were arrested immediately and justice was swift throughout the day as a steady stream of citizens, young, old, prominent and otherwise, were hauled into municipal court for infractions.

The Scouts were running the town as a climate event in the annual drive to raise funds for additional construction of the Boy Scout lodge in the Snowy Range. The number of arrests and amount of fines was not available last night.

Substituting for Tom H. Barrett in the post of police chief was Billy Smart of Troop 134 had a particularly busy day.

"Do you plead guilty to this?" he would ask.

Mother-in-Law

Mrs. L. O. Thompson, shown here of Amarillo, Tex., presided over the national mother-in-law celebration in Amarillo, Texas, brought a record crowd to town.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, observation, 7 weeks Saturday morning. Temperature 40 degrees; minimum for night 37 degrees; wind light S. by E. at 12 miles per hour; barometer 22.675 inches, falling.

California Body Votes Down Mooney 'Pardon'

SACRAMENTO, Calif., March 12.—(AP)—The California senate tonight night killed by an almost unanimous vote an assembly-approved resolution "pardon" Tom Mooney, convicted member of the 1936 San Francisco Preparedness day parade.

The action at least temporarily disposed of the question as to whether the legislature had the power to pardon. Senate concurrence was necessary to technical enactment.

Remarking before the assembly, however, was P. O. Morrison, asking Gov. Frank P. Merriam to pardon Mooney. The assembly also passed a resolution of that nature a year ago but the senate likewise voted not to concur.

Bryce Osbourn Sues Gibbs over Contract

Bryce M. Osbourn yesterday filed suit in the district court against Archie M. Gibbs, owner of the University Lodge, 152 South Third street, seeking \$104.65 he claims due him as wages as manager of the restaurant since Nov. 1, 1937.

The suit sets forth that on Feb. 12, 1937, Osbourn and Gibbs entered a contract for operation of the lunch room. Osbourn was to be the manager at \$27.50 a week and the contract was to be in effect one year.

On November 1, Osbourn charges, Gibbs discharged him although he had diligently performed his duties and was willing and anxious to continue them.

The amount sought represents his wages from November 1 until yesterday, the expiration date of the contract.

THE WEATHER

FORECAST
Sun is set 5:58 p. m.; rises 7:15 a. m. Monday, probably light rain or snow; cold; east and southeast winds; showers Sunday and extreme cold; storm Monday.

CONTINUED COLD

Observations at University
From midnight to midnight Friday, March 11, 1938.
Temperature (degrees Fahrenheit): Maximum 42; minimum 28; mean 35.5; normal 28.5.
Total wind 94 miles; prevailing direction W; maximum velocity 28 miles per hour at 10:50 a. m.
Precipitation 0; total for month 28.3; departure from normal plus 11.1.
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Murrell Ready to Hire Archited and Proceed with Connor Plans

Keeping abreast of the times with other local improvements, Laramie soon may boast one of the finest small hotels in the state when the projected \$50,000 renovation and remodeling job on the Connor hotel is completed.

John Murrell, Miami, Fla., at the north side of the hotel covering the two adjoining lots. The addition will house part of the projected restaurant, cocktail lounge and dining room.

The remodeling to include both inside and out will employ much class work. The front portions of the outside of the building at Grand and Third streets will be completely covered with a modernistic finish of cream and black glass.

The present hotel building will be completely changed. In its enlarged state, the lobby will have modernistic glass, wood, new floors.

