

AAA Sets Wheat Loan Rates Under Allotment Plan

WASHINGTON, June 6.—(AP)—The agriculture department announced today a schedule of rates—said to average about 98 cents a bushel—at which it would make loans to farmers on this year's wheat crop.

The loan program was established under recently approved legislation designed to support market prices of the basic crops—cotton, wheat, corn, rice and tobacco—at 85 per cent of parity.

A similar program last year provided wheat loans at 56 per cent of parity.

(Parity is a term used to describe prices which would give farmers as much purchasing power as they had in the pre-war period 1909-14.)

The schedule set up base loan rates for the principal bread-grain markets and provided a formula for determining rates on grain which might be stored under loan elsewhere, either on the farm or in smaller markets or country elevators.

Rates at the terminals were higher than those which would prevail elsewhere. They are designed to reflect the normal price relationships which take into account transportation and handling costs in moving wheat from the farm to the big markets.

The schedule for the terminals includes:

Portland, Ore., and Seattle, Wash.—No. 1 soft white, No. 1 western white, No. 1 hard winter, No. 1 white club, No. 1 red winter, No. 1 western red, and No. 1 northern spring, all \$1.05, and No. 1 mixed \$1.02.

Rates at other points, including farms, will be less than the rates at the closest and most accessible terminal market by the amount of freight and handling costs that would be required to move the grain to the terminal.

All growers who complied with 1941 AAA acreage allotments for wheat will be eligible for wheat loans. Farmers who overplanted their allotments will be eligible for loans at 60 per cent of the prevailing rate on wheat produced on their excess acreage. The loans, which will be callable on demand, will be made up to December 31, and will fall due April 30, 1942.

Interest will be at three per cent. Simultaneous with the wheat loan announcement, the department made known it would make loans on rye and barley produced in 1941. The rates on rye will be 35 cents a bushel less than the rates applicable for No. 2 hard winter wheat, or 50 cents, whichever is lower. Barley rates were set at 45 cents a bushel for No. 1, 44 cents for No. 2, 42 cents for No. 3, and 39 cents for No. 4, with a discount of two cents for mixed barley.

Noble Succeeds Kinsel Temporarily as City Cop

Fred Kinsel, who has been serving for several months as a member of the city police force, left today for Portland, where he has accepted employment. Mrs. Kinsel, who is employed in the county agricultural agent's office, will remain here, at least until a later date.

Charles Noble has been given temporary appointment on the police force until the return of Mayor A. J. Young, now on business in the mid-west, who will make a permanent appointment. Mr. Noble has served as special officer on numerous occasions.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

ANDERSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Anderson, Rt. 1, Roseburg, at Mercy hospital, June 7, a son, six pounds and 12 ounces.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

THOMAS—COOPER—Ervin William Thomas and Marian Georgia Cooper, both residents of Roseburg.

WOODS—MONTMOLIN—Willard W. Woods and Elsie de Montmolin, both residents of Los Angeles.

BLACK—CROUCH—Carl Theron Black and Mayme Elsie Crouch, both residents of Roseburg.

GOODMAN—O'NEIL—Ira Benjamin Goodman, Roseburg, and Grace O'Neil, Salem.

DIVORCE DECREES

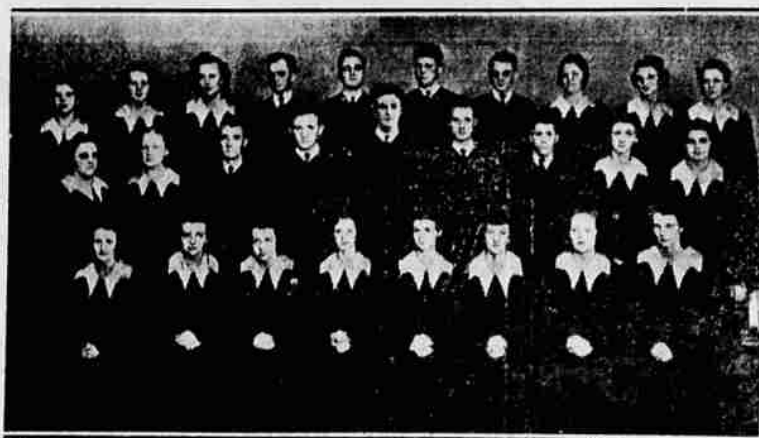
COZAD—Bertha from Lester Cecil Cozad; married at Seattle, Wash., Mar. 8, 1935; cruelty.

DIVORCE COMPLAINTS

WHITE—Raymond E. against Dorothy V. White; married at Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 1, 1932; cruelty.

GATES—Ruth H. against William A. Gates; married at Roseburg, Aug. 1, 1935; cruelty.

Dated For Concert at Roseburg Baptist Church



The Hinson choir of the Hinson Memorial Baptist church, Portland, Oregon, will give an interesting program of choral and piano music in the First Baptist church of Roseburg, Friday evening, June 20, at 8 o'clock. Rev. H. P. Sconce, pastor, announced today. The Hinson choir is under the direction of Lauren B. Sykes, A. A. G. O., and is one of the six choirs in the Hinson church, the total of which is 165 voices. Each year the Hinson choir tours some portion of the Pacific coast in an effort to create interest in good church music and raise the standard of church worship music in general. The Hinson choir is a twenty-seven selected voice group which sings its program entirely by memory with accompaniment and a cappella. No admission will be charged for their Roseburg program and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Britain Reinforces To Defend Suez Canal

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said, was designed to protect the port against the RAF and to serve as a base for attack on Cyprus. The Columbia Broadcasting system's reporter in Ankara reported that German transport planes, presumably carrying ground crews, were shuttling daily between Syria and Rhodes. In the Italian Dodecanese.

This reporter also said German pilots, technicians and officers walk about the town of Aleppo in shorts, "apparently disguised as sportsmen." Aleppo has been bombed by the British.

FRENCH SOLDIERS LOATH TO FIGHT AGAINST ALLIES

LONDON, June 7.—(AP)—The British Broadcasting corporation today quoted a dispatch from the Free French news agency saying General Dentz, high commissioner to the French mandate of Syria, has asked Vichy to send more troops "and if necessary German troops" to take the place of those "whose allegiance to Vichy is uncertain."

The report added that the general already has handed anti-aircraft stations in Syria to Germans who arrived as "tourists." The British found hope today in a dispatch from Zurich, Switzerland, quoting a French diplomatic source as saying that Generalissimo Weyand, commander of France's colonial forces, could not guarantee the attitude of his men in North Africa if they were called on to fight the pro-British "Free French" forces of General De Gaulle.

Moreover, the British news agency which carried this report said Weyand at his own insistence had been relieved of responsibility for the conduct of French troops in Syria.

Commercial sources at Damascus said that Egypt's recent prohibition of trade with Syria—in accord with Britain's declaration that the French mandate is "enemy occupied"—had put Syria at the mercy of the British blockade.

(United States Ambassador John G. Winant, home from London, was said authoritatively to have told Vice-President Wallace and senate leaders in Washington that the British believed they had enough men and equipment in Africa to meet the German drive on equal terms, and that they were hopeful of keeping the Mediterranean out of axis control.)

(By the Associated Press)

German artillery on the invasion coast of France shelled British shipping in the English channel and the Luftwaffe reported "especially successful" raids yesterday off Scotland and west Africa resulted in destruction of three merchant ships—20,500 tons.

A rumble of explosions heard on England's Folkstone coast and glimpses of Spitfires and Hurricanes told Britons today that the RAF again was challenging the Germans over their own occupied ground across the channel. London last night had its first bombing since May 11.

Two German supply ships were picked out of a convoy off the coast of the Netherlands by the

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Pendergast, O'Malley Get New Prison Terms

KANSAS CITY, June 7.—(AP)—T. J. Pendergast, former democratic political boss, and R. E. O'Malley, one of his lieutenants, were sentenced today to two years each in prison by a three-judge federal court which found them guilty of contempt in deceiving it in Missouri's \$10,000,000 fire insurance settlement.

Both already have served federal terms of approximately one year for income tax evasions.

The government charged that while Pendergast was wielding the power which once helped elect Missouri governors and United States senators and while O'Malley was state superintendent of insurance they accepted \$500,000 to help speed up a case in favor of fire insurance companies. The government said the payments were made by a Chicago attorney representing the insurance companies. He since has died.

Takenitch Bears Flee Captivity, Stay in Tree

REEDSPORT, June 7.—(AP)—At the last report Carl Cook's tame bears were up a tree and all efforts at their domestication appeared to have failed.

Cook purchased the Takenitch lake resort recently. With it went a big black bear in a pen. The bear grew vicious and had to be destroyed.

Cook got two new bears, lately trapped but appearing quite amiable. For several days they seemed resigned to life on the island under the scrutiny of tourists, but yesterday they clawed a hole in the fence and went on the prowl. Cook and some helpers tracked them down but the bears climbed a tree.

They still looked tame and Cook hated to shoot them, but they wouldn't come down. Cook hadn't been able to make up his mind at a late hour.

Cattle Rustler Grandma Ordered Freed From Pen

SALEM, June 7.—(AP)—Circuit Judge McMahon yesterday ordered Myrtle A. Gardner, a Coos county grandmother who began several months ago to serve four years in prison for cattle rustling, released from prison.

He upheld her contention that she was deprived of her constitutional rights because there were no women on the jury list when she was tried in Coos county circuit court.

Willis Moore, assistant attorney general who defended the habeas corpus suit brought by Mrs. Garner, said he would appeal.

Elks, Guests Will Frolic Tomorrow at Idleld

Members of the Elks lodge and their invited guests will frolic at Idleld park Sunday in an all-day picnic and strawberry feed. A program of games and contests will be enjoyed, and dancing will be provided throughout the afternoon and evening.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Bell Spending Week-End Here

Lieutenant and Mrs. Maynard Bell, of McChord field, Washington, arrived in Roseburg last night to spend the week-end visiting here with relatives and friends. Lieutenant Bell, who is serving as adjutant of the 95th bombardment squadron at McChord field, is leaving June 19 for Leavenworth, Kansas, where he will attend staff and command school for two months. He will be accompanied on the trip

Stock and Bond Averages

Compiled by Associated Press
June 7:

	20	10	10	10
RR's Ind's Ut's Fgn.	64.3	104.7	101.0	44.6
Prev. day	64.2	104.6	100.9	44.5
Month ago	66.5	104.6	101.2	43.5
Year ago	49.1	99.1	92.1	36.3
1941 high	66.5	105.3	101.5	45.9
1941 low	60.2	104.2	99.0	38.0

MARKET REPORTS

WHEAT
PORTLAND, Ore., June 7.—(AP) Open High Low Close

Sept.	86	87	86	87
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by Mrs. Bell. After completing school, Lieutenant Bell expects to be assigned to the new airbase at Pendleton, Oregon. Lieutenant Bell was a member of the News-Review staff prior to being called into active service with the army.

Roosevelt Threatens to Take Over Struck Plant

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would let picket lines stop return of the men.

The union called the strike to enforce its demands for a union shop, a general wage increase of 10 cents an hour and an increase from 50 to 75 cents an hour in the minimum wage rate.

At requests of the mediation board the walkout was postponed twice. Then as the board sought to perfect some temporary working agreement pending a final settlement, it was made effective.

Word spread last night that Mr. Roosevelt was contemplating the course announced and early this morning the comment on the report by Bill Backman, member of the CIO negotiating committee, at Ingleswood, was:

"We will not go back to work today. The strike will continue."

Planes Badly Needed

Through its labor policy advisory committee, the office of production management late yesterday "condemned and denounced" the strike along with the other two west coast stoppages. It also called on "public spirited" labor officials and members of the striking unions to take action to get the operations started again.

The reason for the possible drastic action, Secretary Early explained, was the fact that there is an actual shortage of planes and "planes are so badly needed for defense."

Federal action in other strikes, he added, would depend upon "how badly needed" are the products involved.

Early said the order drawn by the president was prepared under the president's powers as commander in chief in the proclaimed unlimited emergency.

The president, he continued, had decided yesterday morning at the time of his press conference that the aviation strike "must end by Monday of next week."

Congress Also Aroused

In congress, a drastic anti-strike amendment forced delay in house consideration of the \$10,000,000,000 military appropriations bill.

Administration leaders strove today to round up sufficient house support to defeat the anti-strike rider, introduced by Rep. Starnes (D-Ala.). It would prohibit payment of the bill's funds to any defense worker who "voluntarily" struck for more than 10 days.

A vote was forestalled yesterday when the leadership forced a quick adjournment until Monday. Rep. Casey (D-Mass.) called the amendment "hasty, ill-tempered and emotional," and other administration supporters voiced concern lest the measure demoralize defense production by arousing a violent labor reaction.

BRIDGES PRAISES ORTON FOR DEFEATING U. S. BOARD

SEATTLE, June 7.—(AP)—A telegram from Harry Bridges, west coast longshore leader, today commended the stand of O. M. Orton, International Woodworkers of America president, in his stormy controversy with the national mediation board. The telegram stated:

"You have our unqualified and wholehearted support in your stand against the union-smashing proposals of the national defense

mediation board. Congratulations on your courage and determination in the face of the extreme pressure that is being put upon you to sign away the fundamental rights and living standards of your membership."

Orton walked out of the mediation board Wednesday and issued a statement in which he accused the board of "labor-busting" tactics in connection with the board proposal to halt the strike of timber workers which has kept 12,000 to 20,000 out of work in Pacific northwest mills and camps.

His action drew a lengthy attack from CIO President Philip Murray and from the office of production management's labor advisory committee.

LAUNDRY DRIVERS END STRIKE AT MARSHFIELD

MARSHFIELD, June 7.—(AP)—A three-day laundry strike ended yesterday when teamsters signed a contract that grants city drivers an \$8 increase to \$38 weekly, rural drivers a rise \$10 to \$40 weekly. A week's paid vacation was included.

Portland, June 7.—(AP)—

Conference called by Mayor Earl Riley in an attempt to settle the two-week old bakery strike continued today.

The mayor, who asked that the city's bread supply be restored to normal by Monday, said that "definite progress" was made in a day-long discussion of baker workers' wage demands yesterday.

Roseburg Armory Will House Air Spotter Unit

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organizations now using the building.

Spotting Plan Outlined

The plan outlined by the army calls for insulation in the building of living quarters for a trained army detail consisting of one commissioned officer and 15 enlisted men.

A huge plotting board would be set up in the center of the auditorium, and communications facilities would be installed, together with clerical equipment.

Under the aircraft warning service, proposed to be established, observers would be located at frequent intervals between Roseburg and the California state line. These observers would have direct communication facilities to the Roseburg armory, where, in addition to the army

personnel, there would be a crew of 75 or more trained civilians, principally women, divided into three eight-hour shifts. Every plane passing over the territory would be reported and its course charted and information transmitted by direct wire to a central plotting office in Portland. It is expected that the organization of the warning service, which is patterned closely upon the British system, will be completed and put in operation about July 1.

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