

Price Control Is Ready for Adoption

WASHINGTON, July 28.—(AP)—Speaker Rayburn told his press conference today that price control legislation had been satisfactorily revised by the administration and probably would be introduced this week.

Rayburn said the measure probably would be accompanied by a presidential message and indicated he thought its passage should be expedited by congress.

"We are liable to wake up here some day and find a lot of runaway prices," the speaker declared.

He gave no details of the new measure but said he thought it now was in satisfactory form.

Some weeks ago, it was disclosed that Leon Henderson, price administrator, submitted a bill to Rayburn and other leaders to provide a form of mandatory price and rent control restricted to defense areas.

The difficulty of determining the geographical limitation of that measure constituted a principal objection to it.

Informed officials predicted that the revised measure would give the president broad powers to freeze prices and rents but it was not expected to extend such authority to farm prices and wages.

Nazi Claim Success In Northern Sector

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flying upon them 200 casualties. Other units were reported to have raided German artillery batteries (commonly placed behind the infantry) and routed a German motorized column.

These significant references to Russian activity followed a report in last night's communiqué that Germans were burying tanks for use as stationary pillboxes because of a shortage of fuel.

All evidence on this side indicated that the German drive against the Russian lines was draining the German army's strength and that its progress was coming to a halt in the sixth week of the war.

Nazi Version Differs.

BERLIN, July 28.—(AP)—A red army division shifted from the far east to defend Moscow has been destroyed and the bloody "battle of Smolensk," on the highway to the Russian capital is about to end in victory for Adolf Hitler's army, German war reports declared today.

All Russian attempts to prevent annihilation of trapped forces in the Smolensk area have failed and battle is "drawing to a successful conclusion," the high command reported.

The claim that another Russian division had been wiped out was made in war dispatches which said the unit was trapped east of Smolensk. (Russian divisions number roughly 15,000 men.)

DNB, official German news agency, said that the knockout was delivered by a German tank division and that prisoners' statements disclosed it had been moved at least 4,000 miles across Russia's vast space to bolster the capital's defense.

DNB, official German news agency, said German fighters had shot down 123 Russian planes and destroyed 17 others on the ground yesterday and last night.

Also in the Smolensk sector, the Germans reported 83 Russian tanks captured or smashed and still another nose being drawn around eight Russian batteries.

Once the Smolensk battle ends with the success the high command expects, military commentators said, the center of the German front may be ready for a direct assault on Moscow.

Both Claims Viewed.

(By the Associated Press) Destruction of three red army divisions (about 45,000 troops), including a contingent shifted from the far east to defend Moscow, was reported by the Germans today, while the Russians declared officially that Adolf Hitler's 37-day-old blitzkrieg was "a washout."

Hitler's high command asserted that the bloody "battle of Smolensk" was over.

Stock and Bond Averages

STOCKS

Compiled by Associated Press
July 28:

	30	15	15	60
Ind's RR's Ut's Stks	63.3	18.5	32.4	44.3
—New high				
Prev. day	62.6	18.1	32.4	43.9
Month ago	59.1	17.0	31.4	41.6
Year ago	58.1	15.5	35.7	41.7
1941 high	63.9	18.3	35.5	45.0
1941 low	54.8	15.4	30.3	39.1

BONDS

RR's Ind's Ut's Fgn.

Monday	64.7	104.9	102.1	46.3
—New high				
Prev. day	64.7	105.0	102.0	44.7
Month ago	64.3	104.8	101.5	47.3
Year ago	56.2	102.9	96.5	37.3
1941 high	66.5	105.3	102.0	48.2
1941 low	60.2	104.2	99.0	38.0

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Wingspan: 210 ft. Range: 7500 mi.
Fuselage: 132 ft. Engines: 8000 h. p.
Weight: 70 tons. Crew: 10 men.
Gas load: 11,000 gal.
Speed: Over 200 m. p. h.



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Just 14 years to the month after Charles Lindbergh made his historic non-stop flight to Paris in the Spirit of St. Louis, the U. S. Army's B-19 super bomber is getting its first tests. Pictograph shows how the monoplane of 1927 compares with the giant four-motored bomber of 1941. B-19 could make flight Lindbergh made, and come back again without stopping.

FUNNY BUSINESS



"We just operated in time—he would have gotten over it in a few hours!"

lensk" on the highway to Moscow was about to end in a German victory, and Berlin military commentators hinted that the center of the Nazi invasion forces now may be ready for a direct assault on the Soviet capital.

Nazi war dispatches said the Russian far east division was wiped out in a trap east of Smolensk, where it was crushed under the onslaught of a German tank division.

The Germans quoted prisoners' statements that the red troops had been moved at least 4,000 miles across Russia's vast hinterlands to bolster the capital's defense. If true, this would indicate a waning of Russian reserve power on the western front.

Two other Soviet divisions, the Germans said, were "annihilated" in the Mogilev sector, southwest of Smolensk.

The Russians gave an entirely different picture, asserting that the conflict had settled down to an old-fashioned siege and that two German divisions were wiped out over the weekend.

Jap Press Attacks U. S. Freezing Act

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already are based in northern Indochina.

Larger deliveries of rice to Japan also were exacted in the agreement between Vice Premier Admiral Jean Darlan and the Japanese ambassador, Sotomatsu Kato.

Japs Hunt Killers

SHANGHAI, July 28.—(AP)—Japanese marines reported failure today in two searches for persons responsible for week-end shootings which brought death to a Japanese navy warrant officer and precipitated a 12-hour "reign of terror" for Jewish and other European refugees and hundreds of Chinese civilians.

The marines threw a cordon about the Sincawei area just outside the French concession last night in an effort to apprehend a group of Chinese who fired at three Japanese army sentries, wounding one slightly.

This shooting followed the slaying of the warrant officer Saturday night in the Hongkew section, Japanese-occupied part of the International settlement. A Chinese gunman was sought and the Japanese promptly closed Soochow creek bridges.

MANILA, July 28.—(AP)—War jitters increased noticeably in the Philippines today as the Japanese rapidly consolidated their gains in French Indo-China and the United States, preparing

for any eventuality, unified troops in the Philippines under command of General Douglas A. MacArthur.

Re-Collection of Metal Is Required at Sutherlin

Collection of scrap aluminum was a double task for Sutherlin residents today, Sheriff Cliff Thornton reported. The community had gathered a large quantity of scrap metal, which had been placed in a wire cage on the street leading east from the town. About 3 a. m. Sunday some unknown persons drove a car into the cage and dragged it about two miles along the Calapooa road, scattering the pots and pans along the right of way and leaving the broken pen beside the roadway. Late residents have been re-collecting the battered utensils while police are investigating to establish the identity of the culprits.

Yoncalla

YONCALLA, July 28.—Miss Charmaine Sefton left Saturday for Portland where she will visit her grandparents for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips returned home Wednesday from a week's visit with their son and family in Newark, Calif.

Miss Norma Hitchcock spent last week at the Epworth league institute at Little River.

Mrs. Sam Walkinshaw and Miss Dixie Lee Walkinshaw spent three days last week visiting friends in Eugene and attending the pageant.

Word has been received from Albany of the birth of an eight pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson. Mrs. Thompson will be remembered as Miss Rosie Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Davis, many years a resident of Yoncalla. The baby was born July 25th.

Tearful Results

GREEN BAY, Wis.—A tear gas salesman who demonstrated his wares to law enforcement officials produced plenty of action but failed an order.

While showing a tear gas billie it discharged and fragments of the shell slightly wounded two men, including Sheriff Andrew Lom. A few minutes later a gas grenade discharged in the hand of an officer, who suffered severe burns.

Police Captain Clarence Grognet said local authorities were not interested in the salesman's products.

Strikes Continue To Hamper Defense

By the Associated Press
The AFL Chemical Workers union notified the defense mediation board in Washington today that it would accept board recommendations for settlement of its long-standing dispute with the Western Cartridge company, Alton, Ill.

The dispute had carried a threat of a strike of 550 smokeless powder workers.

The board had set today as the deadline for acceptance or rejection. No answer had been received from the company when the unions acceptance arrived in the mail.

The board's recommendation called for a 5 per cent wage increase—similar to one granted other company employees July 13—and provided that additional increases demanded by the union be submitted to arbitration, along with the question of paid vacations. Any increases arrived at by arbitration would be retroactive to July 15, the date on which mediation ceased. The present minimum is 52 cents an hour, with average hourly wages considerably higher. The union asked a minimum of 78 cents an hour and boasts in some classifications up to 50 per cent of current scales. The board said these demands were higher than appeared justified.

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Goonster Released on Parole from Prison

SALEM, July 28.—(AP)—Albert N. Banks, former business agent for the Salem teamsters (AFL) who hired three men to burn the non-union Salem box factory Nov. 20, 1937, will be released Friday on parole from the state prison.

Banks, sentenced to 12 years, became eligible for parole when Governor Charles A. Sprague commuted his sentence on June 6 to 9 years. Banks has served three years.

Albert Earl Rosser, former head of Oregon teamsters, still is in prison, serving 12 years for ordering Banks to pay three men to burn the mill.

FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at the Roseburg Undertaking company parlors for Walter V. Storey, of Lookingglass who was killed in an accident at a Canyonville saw-mill. The Rev. John A. Barney officiated. Interment was in the Tennille cemetery.

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Student at Swim School Passes Practical Test

Art Stephens of Roseburg, who recently completed a Red Cross course in lifesaving at the water safety school held at Brookway, had occasion to put his newly acquired knowledge to practical use. Members of the class were enjoying a swim and picnic on the last day of the school. A resident of the Brookway district was observing proceedings from a boat and was standing up in the craft when he suddenly slipped and fell overboard. He was unable to swim and his struggle in the water when his plight was observed. Stephens promptly effected a rescue in the approved Red Cross fashion.

Governor Sprague Accuses Lindbergh and Wheeler

GRESHAM, July 28.—(AP)—Governor Sprague Saturday accused Charles A. Lindbergh and Senator Burton K. Wheeler of making "an effort to confuse the people."

"I am willing to accept the leadership of President Roosevelt when it comes to policies of the government, and I urge you citizens also to accept his leadership these days," he told an audience at dedication of a new postoffice here.

Broken Coupling Causes Minor Trailer Damage

An Oregon Express company freight trailer suffered minor damage Sunday in an accident near Sutherlin. The coupling between the truck and trailer broke as the vehicle struck the railroad crossing just south of town. The

Lumber Plant Site Plans Ready for Completion

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take up the options on privately owned lands connected with the site and to take over the property to be vacated by the city of Roseburg.

Delays Anticipated.
Due to the fact that vacation proceedings will require several weeks, it is not expected that the site will be ready for occupancy for considerable time.

The company proposes to occupy that portion of the S. P. yards formerly used by the car repair department, which was transferred from Roseburg several years ago. The area of the yards to be used for loading docks extends from a point near the large fuel tank immediately south of the roundhouse, southerly to Sykes street.

The lumber company has asked the city to vacate streets and alleyways and to donate city-owned property adjoining the railroad right-of-way and bounded on the west by the alleyway between the right of way and Fullerton street.

The site originally was planned to include a portion of the McCell property, south of McCell street, but due to inability of the committee from the city council to obtain a satisfactory price on the land, options have been taken on private property in the last two blocks on Fullerton street to include those entire blocks in the site and thus give the room needed for the plant proposed by the lumber concern.

The plant as outlined to the council would include several loading docks, sorting sheds, dry kilns and planing mill.

Famous Spender and Play Boy Dies in Sanitarium

WASHINGTON, July 28.—(AP)—Edward B. McLean, lavish spending intimate of the late President Warren G. Harding and one-time publisher of the Washington Post, died yesterday in the private sanitarium where he had been a patient since a Baltimore court found him mentally incompetent in 1933.

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