

PROGRESSIVE PLANS TOLD BY COSTIGAN

Unemployment, Farm Aid Major Issues; Tariff Change Proposed

Editors Note: The so-called "progressive" wings of both national parties appear at the present time to hold the key to every important activity to be undertaken by the congress at its next session. With the calling of the recent conference of these progressives in Washington, many eyes were turned to the west, where the figure of Edward P. Costigan, Colorado's new Democratic senator and a liberal of many years standing, occupies a commanding position.

NEW YORK, March 20. (UP)—Two inescapable duties, both of them of broad humanitarian purpose, lie before the next session of congress in the opinion of Edward P. Costigan, Colorado's new Democratic senator and the recognized leader of "Rocky Mountain liberalism."

The first is the relief of unemployment. The second is the relief of agricultural distress, and until every earnest effort has been made to correct the unfortunate economic balance now existing, all other political issues should be set aside.

Allied with this program, and in fact directly linked with it, will be "a vital approach to national handling of the power problem involved in Muscle Shoals legislation."

As for prohibition—"let us take care of the food question before we discuss the drink." "The most important thing today," he said, "is the growing disposition on the part of industrial leaders to join with the law makers in frank and open discussion of the nation's problems."

"They have realized that the economic health of the country is inextricably bound up in tariff legislation, in legislation affecting credits, and in similar regulatory laws."

Senator-Elect Costigan traced the Wall Street index with recent memory indirectly to the raising of the 1922 tariff to the "amazing" heights of the 1929 act—"which curtailed the ability of foreign debtor nations to pay us in commodities, and which therefore sent a stream of gold into our country with the result that easy credit in turn brought about with stock speculation."

"Will there be a progressive attempt to revise the tariff?" he was asked. He hesitated a moment before replying. "You say that one proposal already has been made to the progressive group; that the rates of 1922 be re-established, or that an endeavor be made to re-establish them as the maximum basis for the tariff. But that, you understand, is only a proposal. There will be some exchanges of views by correspondence this summer on that matter."

Costigan is chairman of the progressive committee on tariff, and an appointment was made to him by virtue of his long service on the tariff commission of President Woodrow Wilson.

"Will the progressives operate as a bloc in the next session?" he was asked. "If you mean in the sense of a new party, no. But if you mean in the sense of cooperating on all matters concerning what we deem distinctly public welfare measures, I presume we will find progressive sentiment crystallized in what is known as a 'bloc'."

Three Sentenced For Robbery In Alturas Quickly

ALTURAS, (Modoc Co.), March 20.—Dexter Dickens and Oliver Forrest, Indians, and William W. Larson, a white man, were sentenced to a minimum of one year in San Quentin here Tuesday on a charge of holding up and robbing Juan Garcia, a Mexican laborer, last week.

On the advice of their attorney, all three plead guilty. The two Indians had previously confessed and Garcia pocketbook and watch were found on Larson. This was one of the speediest criminal cases on record here since the trio was arrested, tried and convicted within less than 30 hours after the complaint was filed.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

PORTLAND Livestock
PORTLAND, March 20. (UP)—Hogs estimated 400, all drivable, including 200 on contract. Market steady to strong. Light butchers \$8.25@8.35, mostly \$8.35. Some 228 pound weights and a few 118 pound slaughter pigs \$7.75 and small packages 125 pound pigs to feeder buyers \$8. Cattle estimated 50, calves 10. All drivable. Market steady. Few medium grade heifers \$6.75. Low cutters to low medium cows and heifers \$5@6; medium to fairly good bulls \$4.75@5; medium grade 150 pound weaners \$9. Sheep estimated 1,000, including 200 on contract. Strictly choice lambs quoted 20c higher, other classes steady. Two double deers good to strictly choice 91-pound lambs \$1.25 straight. One double deck good to strictly choice shorn lambs bought to arrive at \$2.25 for off ear weights averaged 82 pounds medium to near choice 74 to 80 pound trucked shorn lambs \$1, near choice 100 pound weanlings \$6 and 155 pound ewes \$4.

Vegetables
 Portland prices to farmers: Carrots, 20@25c dozen bunches; lugs, 40@45c; turnips, 25c per dozen bunches; lugs, 25@40c; spinach, fancy, 75@90c orange box; beets, 35@40c dozen bunches; lugs, 40@45c; potatoes, large, \$3.00@3.10; small, 65@75c; cabbage, flat type, 65@75c crates; parsnips, bulk, 40@50c lug; radishes, best, 20c dozen bunches; celery root, 60c dozen; broccoli, southern Oregon, No. 1, \$1.15@1.25 crates; No. 2, \$1.00@1.10 crates; green, Italian, 70@75c; apples, face and fill pack, large, 60@75c; small, 55@60c box; Brussels sprouts, best, \$1.25@1.50 box; ordinary, \$1.00 and 1.15.

Butterfat
 Portland wholesale prices: Butterfat, direct shippers, track, 22@24c; No. 1, grade 18@19c; station, No. 1, 25@27c; No. 2, 21@22c; Portland delivery prices.—No. 1 butterfat, 27@28c; No. 2, 23@25c; sweet, 30@31c; Portland, 27@28c.

Live Poultry
 Heavy hens, colored, 4 1/2 lbs., 20c; do 2 1/2 to 4 lbs., 15c; under 3 lbs., 13c; springers, 30@33c; roasters, 21c; old roosters, 3c; ducks, 22@24c; geese, 15c; turkeys, 20@22c.

Butter and Eggs
 Portland dairy exchange prices—Butter, Cube extras, 29c; standards, 29c; prime firsts, 28c; firsts, 27c.
 Eggs: Poultry producers prices—Fresh extras, 17c; standards, 16c; fresh, mediums, 15c; pullets, 9c dozen.

Wheat
 B. B. bluestem, 67c; soft white, 66c; western white, 66c; hard winter, 63c; northern spring, 63c; western red, 63c.

SAN FRANCISCO
SAN FRANCISCO, March 20. (UP)—Butter: Extras 29c, prime firsts, 28 1/2c.
 Eggs: U. S. No. 1 extras, large, 19 1/2c; medium, 18 1/2c; small, 17 1/2c.
 Cheese: Calif. fancy flats, 16c. Potatoes: Rivers, \$1.75@2.10; Wash. Netted Gems, \$1.40@1.50.
 Poultry: Broilers 27@28c; fryers, 20@22c; colored roasters, 2 1/2 lbs. and up, 35@36c; old roosters, 12@13c; leghorn old roosters, 12c; leghorn hens, all sizes, 20@21c; large colored hens, 24@26c; turkeys, young, nominal.
 Grain: Barley feed, 95@97 1/2c; wheat, milling, \$1.20@1.25.
 Butterfat: Market price, 29c; L.o.b. San Francisco, 29c.

LOS ANGELES
LOS ANGELES, Mar. 20. (UP)—Demand for cattle was slow today and the market ruled steady to weak. Receipts were 500.
 Hog receipts none.
 Sheep receipts 1,000; spring lambs 25@26c lower.
 Hogs: Good light easterns quoted around \$8.75.
 Cattle: Medium to good steers \$7.25@7.75. Few good cows \$6 @6.10; bulk common to medium,

MOVEMENT TO FARMS SHOWN

Large Increase Shown In Rural Population In Last 10 Years

SALEM, Ore., March 20. (UP)—Unemployment has established the farm as a refuge. For the first time in 10 years, the number of persons living on farms has shown an increase. A federal report reaching the state house shows that in all parts of the country the farms have gained in the numbers of persons living on them.

This situation is believed remarkable when the present plight of the farmer is considered and when the climate conditions of 1929 are reviewed. The indication would be that as bad as conditions were in this place, east a gloom on the entire community. Mrs. Kerr, who was 44 years of age, passed away Wednesday afternoon after battling an internal cancer for months.

Deceased was prominent in church and social affairs and had lived all of her life in Modoc county. Her suffering first began shortly after a trip to Europe three years ago. A wide circle of friends have virtually watched at her bedside for many weeks. Besides her husband, LaRue Kerr, building contractor of this place, deceased leaves one brother, Albert Thomas, and five sisters, Mrs. Ada Ballard, Mrs. Laura Lybarger, Mrs. Florence Smith, Mrs. Rachael Asher and Miss Frances Thomas, all residents of this place.

Longshoreman May Be Charged With Murder

ASTORIA, March 20. (UP)—Otto Lahtinen, longshoreman, is expected to be made defendant against first degree murder charges in connection with the death of Henry Kansas, also a longshoreman, after a coroner's jury late last night found that Kansas had died from a stab wound inflicted by Lahtinen last Monday night.

The killing allegedly occurred during a liquor party. Lahtinen was taken into custody a short while after Kansas' body was discovered, and freely admitted stabbing Kansas. He insisted, however, that he acted in self-defense as Kansas was beating him.

Radio Business Shows Big Gains

SALEM, March 20. (UP)—Retail radio business in the United States during the third quarter of last year increased 12 per cent, according to reports received at the state department for vocational education. Retail business amounted to \$17,624,281. A total of 28,848 electric console and midset receiving sets were sold. Combination radio-phonograph sales totaled 7499, it was shown.

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AT THE PELICAN
 Bringing to the spirit of Jack London's famous "Sea Wolf" to the speaking screen with a graphic realism that the silent picture could never hope to equal, Milton Sills scores a triumph in the Fox Movietone offering of that name, which opened yesterday at the Pelican Theatre.

Seldom has an actor fitted a role so well. The part of the domineering, brutal sea-captain, an experimenter in the stuff of which men's souls are made, might have been written expressly for the noted player of two-fisted roles. And the two chief victims of his curiosity, Jale Keith and Ramond Hackett, are equally well cast in their respective leading parts, as indeed, are the supporting players, especially Mitchell Harris, John Rogers, Nat Pendleton, Sam Allen, Harry Tenbrook and Harold Kinney.

Opening in Hakodate, Japan, where the Wolf is preparing to sail for the Aleutian sealing grounds, the star is colorful and intriguing from the very first. First-fights galore, in Sills' finest style; the chaunting of the boy, his development under the stern and merciless environment, the sea battle with Death Larsen's vessel, and the final swift climax to all make "The Sea Wolf" one of the real outstanding vocal films of the year.

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AT THE RAINBOW

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The outcome of this tangle in which ambition clashes with mother love is forcefully portrayed by an excellent cast which includes, besides Miss Veloz, H. B. Warner, Ramond Hackett, Marlon Shilling, Ika Chase, Wheeler Oakman, Rose Dixon and Arthur Hoy.

Adaptation and dialogue for the picture were made by Howard J. Green and the direction, by Guthrie McClintic, is deft and refreshingly novel in its treatment. In fact, we advise all the

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