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Living Costs At New High

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Living costs inched up to an all-time peak last month, the Labor Department announced today.

A bigger-than-usual increase in food prices sent the consumers price index up by 1 per cent to 125.7 per cent of average 1947-59 prices.

More than 800,000 railroad workers will receive penny-an-hour pay boosts based on the advance in living costs since last September.

Prices of new and used cars fell sharply in March and kept the index from climbing to an even higher record level, the department said. The cost of used cars alone fell 4.1 per cent—the biggest monthly decline in almost five years.

Arnold Chase, Labor Department price chief, said the chances are that the index will go up slightly from now until July because of rising grocery costs at this time of year.

Prices for food rose 3 per cent last month. Pork, chicken, eggs, and fresh fruits led the advance in food price tags.

However, many fresh vegetables were cheaper last month because of ample harvests of lettuce, tomatoes, cabbage, celery and onions.

The fractional rise sent the index to a level 1.6 per cent above the March, 1959, figure. Chase said most of the increase occurred from March to October with relative stability in purities since last

fall.

Spring clothes, gasoline, and house furnishings increased in price and heating oil was cheaper as it usually is at winter-end, the department said.

The February index was 125.6.

This means that it took \$12.56 to buy the same goods and services that sold for \$10 about 12 years ago.

The new increase in living costs was anticipated on the basis of a wholesale price report last week showing higher costs of farm products and food in March.

The wholesale price index jumped six-tenths of one per cent last month, the largest monthly rise in two years, to 120 per cent of the 1947-49 average. This is equalled the record high set last April.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics said that raw winter weather in March pushed up prices of live stock, meats and eggs. Vegetable prices also moved up seasonally.

The rise in food prices offset some declines in other price categories. Low grocery prices had held down the price index for most of the past year.

Despite the new increase, one official said the overall price rise for the year may be smaller than expected two or three months ago because a widely heralded business boom has not developed yet.

Over \$800 Collected In Cancer Crusade

First results from the Adams county cancer crusade showed more than \$800 has been collected with many places still unreported or uncontacted. Mrs. A. R. Holt house said this morning that mopping up will continue until all sources have been contacted.

The reports from the Business and Professional Women's club who led the canvass through the city showed that Decatur collected about \$750 of the total announced today.

The three sororities, Delta Theta Tau, Tri Kappa, and Psi Iota Alpha also worked the three other sections of town in the drive for research funds that started on April 20. Other volunteer workers will be listed later this week.

The report from Monmouth is not completed; nor are the results from Berne, Monroe and Geneva.

Mail in contributions will be handled by Justin Bleeke at the First State Bank of Decatur.

drive will continue until at least the end of the month to assure the best possible results from the county, Mrs. Holt house said.

Nikita Repeats Demands Over West Berlin

LONDON (UPI) — Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev said today the Western powers would lose all rights of access to West Berlin if they refuse to sign a peace treaty with Communist East Germany.

In a speech at Baku in southern Russia, Khrushchev repeated all the demands on West Berlin that touched off the Berlin crisis 18 months ago and brought the world close to war. His hour and 40 minute speech came just three weeks before start of the Paris summit conference.

Khrushchev listed disarmament as the first topic for the Paris conference but his emphasis was on Berlin. He said the "dangerous knot of difference between states" cannot be eliminated until the West withdraws its occupation troops.

Khrushchev said the German government should resolve around the question of a peace treaty for all of Germany as well as the problem of West Berlin, as TaNa news agency account of his speech reported.

If contrary to "common sense" the West would not care to join with Russia in seeking a solution to the problem of a peace treaty, "we, of course, shall go it alone, and conclude a peace treaty with the German Democratic Republic (East Germany)."

"If the Western powers did not choose to sign a peace treaty with the GDR (East Germany), that would not entitle them to the rights they want preserved," he said.

"They would naturally then forfeit the right of access to Western Berlin by land, water and air."

If Russia signs a peace treaty with Communist East Germany, Khrushchev said, that would put an end to the terms arising from the surrender."

The rights the Western powers obtained as a result of Nazi Germany's surrender, including the right to maintain the occupation regime in Western Berlin, would also lose their strength, become invalid with respect to the GDR territory."

He said that once a peace treaty is signed East Germany "would exercise the sovereign rights over the whole of its state territory." And he pointed out that West Berlin is inside East Germany.

Girl Scout Rally On Tuesday Evening

The camp rally for all Decatur Brownies, Intermediates and Girl Scouts and their families, will be held at the Decatur Youth and Community Center Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock.

A pot luck supper will be served and all attending are asked to bring table service. A varied program will follow the supper. Co-chairmen for the rally are Mrs. Richard Gehrig, Mrs. Arthur Girod, and Mrs. Luke Majorki.

Heat Wave Showing Signs Of Weakening

UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL — An April heat wave which spawned temperatures up to more than 20 degrees above normal showed signs of weakening in Indiana today.

After an abnormally warm weekend with temperatures shutting between the 60s at night and the upper 80s in the daytime, forecasters said cooler weather would invade the state on the heels of showers and thunderstorms to night.

The five-day outlook called for temperatures average 3 to 8 degrees below normal highs of 62 to 73 and normal lows of 40 to 55.

The mercury shot up to a range between 84 at Fort Wayne and 91 in the Louisville area Sunday, roughly the same levels reached Saturday. Overnight lows were in the low 60s both days.

Before the hot spell relents, the mercury will range from 73 to 89 in the north and 84 to 91 in the central and south this afternoon.

The new showers activity, which may bring rather heavy rain to some areas, was expected to start tonight and continue through Tuesday. More rain may come around Friday or Saturday. Altogether, it should add up to one-half to an inch and locally more.

The outlook for Wednesday was cool. Some moderation was expected Thursday and Friday but it will be cooler again Saturday.

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Thousands Of Students In Korea Riot Against Syngman Rhee's Regime

City Votes Tuesday On Sale Of Utility

Fine Arts Festival Here Friday Night

The fine arts festival, scheduled for the Decatur high school auditorium Friday at 8 p.m., will feature the best in area art exhibits and a music recital program. The exhibits may be viewed before and after the 8 p.m. concert, according to Miss Kathryn Kauffman, art teacher at D.H.S.

The program for the concert is: "An American is a Lucky Man," arranged by Simone; "Rockin' Chair," by Carmichael-Ringwald and "Blue Skies," by Berlin-Bould.

— Choir.

"Whistle Your Blues Away," by Howard — senior octet.

"Battle Hymn of the Republic," Steffe-Ringwald — Choir.

"First Roamanian Rhapsody," Enesco; "Carnival of the Animals," Saint-Saens; Jazz Medley, arranged by Clint Reed; "Toy Symphony," Haydn; "The Music Man" highlights, Willson; — band.

"O Give Thanks," Michael Kaehr — Choir and Band.

An oil painting by local artist John Sheets will be presented to a person attending the festival.

Late Bulletins

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Supreme Court today rejected the 16th appeal of convict-author Caryl Chessman.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Supreme Court agreed today to examine the constitutionality of Sunday "blue laws" in three eastern states.

Congressmen Hear Gen. de Gaulle

WASHINGTON (UPI) — French President Charles de Gaulle told Congress today that unless the United States, Britain and Russia agree to destroy their nuclear weapons, France will be compelled to stockpile them.

He told a joint session of the House and Senate that not only peace but life itself "will be in jeopardy if the temptation and the threat of war remain hanging over the world due to nuclear weapons."

He said that at the forthcoming summit meeting "the fate of mankind may be oriented either towards calamity or towards peace."

De Gaulle, whose government exploded the first French atomic bomb in the Sahara Desert earlier this year, said: "Feeling the renunciation of atomic armaments by those states who are provided with them, the French republic obviously will be obliged to equip itself with such armaments."

Final Session Today

De Gaulle spoke to the joint session after he and President Eisenhower concluded their pre-summit talks in general agreement on grand strategy for next month's Paris meeting with Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev.

He spoke of organizing a "Western Europe ensemble." This, de Gaulle said, could create a "balance" which might one day "enable the old continent to bring a reconciliation between its two parts, to find peace within itself,

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does not despair at all of seeing peace established in the world" but on the nuclear baron possibility, he said: "We have reached the last moment when an agreement appears possible."

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Western Europe Ensemble

He stressed that only Allied unity can steer the world "towards peace" and away from "calamity."

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Accept Chang's Resignation

In the day's substantive action, the assembly voted to accept Saturday's resignation of Vice-President John Chang. There was no debate. The assembly also voted 116-0 in favor of a demand for lifting full martial law immediately.

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