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WEATHER FORECASTS FOR KRAKOW, WARSAW
 AND POZNAN AREAS, 26 FEBRUARY - 15 MARCH 1952

I. KRAKOW AREA

The following forecasts for southern Poland, compiled by the State Hydrological and Meteorological Institute in Krakow, are taken from the Krakow newspaper Dziennik Polski. All temperatures are in centigrade.

2 March

Cloudy and foggy with intermittent rain and drizzle in the valley, rain and snow in the uplands, and snow in the mountains. Clearing somewhat in the west during the day. Highest temperature during the day around zero. Temperature range high in the mountains from -4 degrees to -10 degrees. Light and moderate westerly and northwesterly winds.

4 March

Some cloudiness and fog in the morning. Mostly clear and warmer during the day. Temperature range in the uplands during the day from 2 degrees in the east to 10 degrees in the west. Temperature during the night around zero with some frost. Temperature range in the mountains from -3 degrees to -8 degrees. Light to moderate southwesterly and southerly winds. Possible foehn in the mountains.

5 March

On the whole, fair, or rather fair, with increasing cloudiness, especially in the San River basin and occasional snow. Temperature range in the uplands during the day from -4 degrees in Slask to -12 degrees in the San River basin; during the night from -8 in Slask to -20 in San River basin. Prevailing light easterly and northeasterly winds.

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7 March

Cloudy with occasional snow, gradually clearing during the day. Temperature range during the day from -10 degrees to -6 degrees; high in the mountains from -14 degrees to -20 degrees. Moderate northerly and northeasterly winds with sudden gusts. Strong winds in the mountains.

Report on Skiing Conditions

Snow depth in centimeters: Karpacz, 44; Sniezka, 232; Miedzylesie, 54; Ladek, 29; Cieszyn, 25; Wisla, 75; Koniakow, 128; Barania Gora, 252; Klimczok, 231; Szczyrk, 76; Skrzyczne, 251; Kubalonka, 126; Rajcza, 58; Zwardon, 160; Pilsko, 220; Sucha, 92; Zawoja, 72; Babia Gora summit, 295; Leskowiec, 151; Lubon Wielki, 172; Witow, 45; Gubalowka, 130; Bukowina, 99; Hala Ornak, 175; Dolina Chocholowska, 162; Hala Gasienicowa, 224; Kalatowki, 68; Hala Kondratowa, 151; Dolina Pieciu Stawow, 290; Kasprowy Wierch, 240; Lysa Polana, 120; Morskie Oko, 243; Obidowa, 103; Rabka, 64; Turbacz, 235; Szczawnica, 66; Rogacz, 140; Krynica, 82; Radziejowa, 142; Iwonicz, 45; Barminek, 81; Przemysl, 17.

Skiing conditions in the mountains are good. Fresh powder snow of 5-20 centimeters covers a layer of granular snow. Some heavy snowdrifts. Danger of avalanches in the Tatry.

8 March

Generally considerable cloudiness with occasional light snow during the night and day, gradually clearing locally. Temperature range during the day from -4 degrees to -8 degrees; during the night from -8 degrees to -15 degrees. Moderate northeasterly winds.

9 March

Fair with some haze during the night and morning. Freezing temperatures. Temperature range in the uplands during the day from -5 degrees to -10 degrees; during the night, from -12 degrees to -17 degrees. Highest temperature in the mountains -8 degrees (inversion gradient). Moderate easterly winds gradually changing to light southeasterly winds.

11 March

Fair with some fog in the morning and increasing cloudiness in the afternoon from the west. Highest temperature during the day 6 degrees, during the night -6 degrees; temperature range high in the mountains from -8 degrees to -3 degrees. Calm or light southwesterly winds with passing foehns in the mountains.

12 March

Generally fair in the morning with gradually increasing cloudiness in the west. Temperature range during the day from 2 degrees to 6 degrees; during the night from -3 degrees to -8 degrees. Calm or light southerly winds. Fog during the night and in the morning hours.

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13 March

Generally quite fair with occasional increasing cloudiness and light rain in the mountains. Temperature range in the uplands during the day from 2 degrees to 7 degrees; during the night from -5 degrees to -10 degrees. Temperature range high in the mountains from about -5 degrees to -10 degrees. Prevailing light southwesterly and westerly winds.

14 March

Cloudy in the morning with rain in the valleys and snow in the mountains, gradually clearing during the day. Cooler. Temperature during the day around zero. Temperature range high in the mountains from -6 degrees to -14 degrees. Moderate northerly winds.

Report on Skiing Conditions

Snow depth in centimeters: Szklarska Poreba, 52; Karpacz, 32; Sniezka, 212; Bielsko, 36; Wisla, 50; Barania Gora, 225; Rownica, 200; Klimczok, 196; Szczyrk, 65; Skrzyczne, 245; Wielka Racza, 231; Lipowska, 212; Pilsko, 220; Gubalowka, 138; Bukowina, 98; Hala Ornak, 162; Dolina Chocholowska, 173; Zakopane, 82; Kuznice, 139; Kalatowki, 122; Dolina Pieciu Stawow, 282; Kasprowy Wierch, 244; Myslenickie Turnie, 155; Glodowka, 125; Obidowa, 99; Turbacz, 230; Krynica, 69; Jaworzyna Krynicka, 183.

Skiing in general is good in the mountains. Loose granular and frozen covers prevail in the Sudeten Mountains, packed snow in the Carpathian Mountains, and loose granular and frozen covers in the lower reaches.

15 March

Quite fair in the south with considerable cloudiness and occasional snow in the east. Temperature range in the uplands during the day from -1 degree to -5 degrees; during the night from -5 degrees to -11 degrees. Temperature range high in the mountains from -14 degrees to -20 degrees. Light with some moderate to strong northwesterly winds.

II. WARSAW AREA

The following forecasts are from the Warsaw newspaper Ilustrowany Kurier Polski.

26 February

Temperature range during the day from about 7 degrees in the west to -4 degrees in the east.

27 February

Generally cloudy and foggy in the morning. Considerable cloudiness during the day with some drizzle, rain, or snow. Temperature range during the day from -2 degrees to 5 degrees. Light variable winds.

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28 February

Considerable cloudiness with snow or rain in the south and some in the west. Considerably cooler temperatures moving from northeast to south. Temperature range from about -14 degrees in the Suwalki area to a few degrees above zero in the west.

1 March

Cloudy and foggy with possible snow in the east and rain or drizzle in the west. Light frost in the east during the night.

5 March

Generally fair or quite fair. Some increasing cloudiness in the east with light snow. Temperature range during the night from -6 degrees in the west to -20 degrees in the east; during the day from -3 degrees to -10 degrees.

12 March

Generally cloudy and foggy with light rain or drizzle, clearing during the day in western Pomorze. Temperature range during the night from 1 degree to 3 degrees; during the day from 3 degrees to 6 degrees.

III. POZNAN AREA

The following forecasts are from the Poznan newspaper Glos Wielkopolski.

26 February

Foggy in the morning. Generally considerable cloudiness during the day with some light rain or drizzle. Highest temperature 6 degrees. Prevailing light or moderate northwesterly winds.

27 February

Generally cloudy and foggy in the morning. Considerable cloudiness during the day with occasional drizzles in the west and snow in the east. Highest temperature during the day from -2 degrees in the east to 5 degrees in the west. Light variable winds.

28 February

Considerable cloudiness with passing rain or drizzle. Considerably cooler temperatures moving from the northeast to the southwest. Highest temperature during the day a few degrees above zero. Light or moderate northerly and northeasterly winds.

29 February

Generally considerable cloudiness with light rain locally. Fog. Highest temperature during the night, -5 degrees. Thaw during the day. Light variable winds.

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1 March

Cloudy and foggy with rain or drizzle. Highest temperature around 6 degrees. Prevailing light westerly and southwesterly winds.

2 March

Cloudy and foggy with rain or drizzle. Highest temperature around 6 degrees. Prevailing light westerly and southwesterly winds.

4 March

Throughout the country, generally cloudy with some fog and intermittent snow or rain. Thaw during the day throughout the country. Prevailing light southerly and southwesterly winds.

5 March

Generally fair or quite fair. Temperature range during the night from -6 degrees in the west to -22 degrees in the east. Highest temperature during the day from -3 degrees to -10 degrees. Light or moderate northeasterly and easterly winds.

6 March

Cloudy with snow and local snowstorms in the south. Elsewhere, cloudy, clearing locally. Temperature range during the night from -5 degrees in the west to -13 degrees in the northeast. Highest temperature during the day from -4 degrees in the east to 2 degrees in the west.

7 March

Generally fair or quite fair. Temperature range during the night from -6 degrees on the western coast to -20 degrees in the northeast. Highest temperature during the day around zero. Light or moderate easterly winds.

8 March

Generally fair. Temperature range during the night from -6 degrees in the west to -18 in the northeast. Temperature range during the day from around zero in the west to -8 degrees in the east. Moderate northeasterly and easterly winds, occasionally strong with sudden gusts in the south.

9 March

Generally fair. Temperature range during the night from -6 degrees in the west to -18 degrees in the northeast. Temperature range during the day from around zero in the west to -8 degrees in the east. Moderate northeasterly and easterly winds, occasionally strong with sudden gusts in the south.

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11 March

Increasing cloudiness in the west with possible light rain. Elsewhere, generally fair. A fall in temperature during the night to a few degrees below zero in the west and to -15 degrees in the southeast. Rise in temperature during the day to 9 degrees in the west. Light or moderate southerly and southeasterly winds.

12 March

Generally cloudy and foggy in the northwest and west with light rain or drizzle, clearing during the day in the northwest. Elsewhere, gradual increase in cloudiness. Temperature range during the night from one degree in the west to -12 degrees in the east. Highest temperatures during the day from 3 degrees to 7 degrees. Prevailing light southwesterly and westerly winds.

13 March

Variable cloudiness. Highest temperature during the night, about -4 degrees in the northwest. Highest temperature during the day from 2 degrees to 5 degrees. Moderate westerly and northwesterly winds.

14 March

Variable cloudiness, considerable in the south with intermittent snow or sleet. Cooler. Highest temperature during the day around zero. Moderate or strong northwesterly winds with sudden gusts.

15 March

Generally quite fair with gradually increasing cloudiness in the north. A fall in temperature during the night to -8 degrees. Highest temperature during the day 4 degrees in the northwest. Prevailing light or moderate northwesterly and westerly winds.

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