

HEARST CHOICE RULES AT CLEVELAND

Lewis to Name Staff to Plan Steel Organization Drive

ROLLING MILL STRIKE WON IN BALTIMORE

Pittsburgh Workers Press Leadership to Begin Campaign By Alan Max (Daily Worker Washington Bureau) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 9.—The general staff of the forthcoming steel drive, the Steel Workers Organizing Committee, will be named sometime this week by John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers and chairman of the Committee for Industrial Organization, it became known today.

War Department Supplied Ammunition to Black Legion

Benson Gets Data for Inquiry—6 Held for Ecorse Flogging By George Morris (Daily Worker Michigan Bureau) DETROIT, Mich., June 9.—Ammunition was furnished free by the U. S. War Department to the Rifle and Pistol Club, which was uncovered here as a "blind" for the Black Legion, it was revealed today. The cover-up organization for the Legion operated in Cadillac Square in the very heart of the city.

29 FACE TRIAL BY THE NAZIS FOR TREASON

Communists Active in Aiding Workers in Wage Demands FRANKFORT-AM-MAIN, Germany, June 9.—Twenty-nine Communists went on trial before the People's Tribunal yesterday, charged with high treason.

PARIS POLICE CHIEF OUSTED BY LEON BLUM

Chamber Appoints 33 to Prepare Report on Legislation PARIS, June 9.—The Blum Government today removed the reactionary head of the municipal police, Paul Guichard, as speedy action on the proposed labor legislation was demanded from the Chamber of Deputies by Premier Leon Blum. Guichard was replaced by Camille Marchand.

Landon Victory Seen on First Ballot; Tories Map Planks

Housing Required For Delegates To C.P. Convention Liberty League Chief, Weir, on Committee Directing Program By Marguerite Young (Special to the Daily Worker) CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 9.—The Republican national convention was tapped to order today with a gavel that came from the Chamber of Commerce of an Ohio city. There were sixteen hundred people watching and none to deny that Governor Alfred M. Landon will be nominated for President. They sang a patriotic song, but not the Star Spangled Banner, listened to a Negro spiritual, assented to a list of committees, and recessed to hear the keynote speech tonight.

Mayor's Appeal for State Trooper Aid Is Refused

TONAWANDA, N. Y., June 9.—Strikers remained in possession today of yesterday's battlefield in front of the struck Remington-Rand plants. No attempt was made by company officials to sue scabs through the picket line today.

Rand Pickets Stop Scabs

Records of the National Rifle Association revealed that the Black Legion "blind" had received 9,400 rounds of cartridges for free practice since it was organized last year. When queried, George Quindt, president of the "rite club," merely pointed to 1,900 similar rifle clubs chartered in the United States, and to a Congressional appropriation which provides free bullets.

British Plan New Arab Curb

LONDON, June 9.—New repressive measures to check the Arab revolt against British imperialism in Palestine are being planned by the British government, William Ormsby-Gore, recently appointed Colonial Minister, announced yesterday in the House of Commons.

Picketing Ban Fought in South

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 9.—Plans were being completed today to break the complete ban on strike activities ordered in St. Francis County, center of the general walkout of cotton workers in Eastern Arkansas. Picketing and other strike action was forbidden over the week-end by Sheriff J. M. Campbell who resurrected an ancient ordinance.

Cooks, Countermen Win Rank and File Election Victory

A hotly fought election campaign in Local 325 of the Cooks, Countermen and Assistants Local 325 has culminated in the whole thirty-three candidates of the United Progressive Rank and File slate sweeping into office by a three to one majority.

Insurrection Law Fought In Tennessee

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., June 9.—The Central Labor Union here took a determined stand against the infamous Georgia "insurrection" law, when it unanimously passed a resolution last night condemning the recent arrest of 18 Negro and white workers under that statute in Atlanta.

Mellon Devised 12 Methods To Evade Payment of Taxes

WASHINGTON, June 9 (UP).—Andrew W. Mellon sat with his hat clutched tightly in his hands today while the government concluded final arguments alleging he defrauded the government of \$2,050,000 while Secretary of the Treasury.

A. T. and T. Officials Spread Influence To Outside Firms

WASHINGTON, June 9 (UP).—A Federal communication commission investigator testified today that American Telephone and Telegraph officials, through a complicated maze of interlocking directorships, "had some voice in the conduct of companies which had total assets of about \$34,000,000,000 on Dec. 31, 1934."

Paris Writer Sees Restoration Coup By Austria, Italy

PARIS, June 9 (UP).—Genevieve Tabouis, political expert of the newspaper Oeuvre, asserted today that restoration of Otto Von Hapsburg to the throne of Austria is planned for June 26 or June 30.

House Marks Time On New Tax Bill

WASHINGTON, June 9 (UP).—Congressional conferees in a 4 1/2 hour session today on controversial features of the new tax bill after a meeting with President Roosevelt apparently failed to point the way to a compromise.

Republicans Draft Planks

CLEVELAND, June 9.—Efforts to concoct a Republican platform that would be all things to all men got under way before the resolutions committee at 3 P.M. (Eastern Standard Time) today in a third-floor room in Public Hall.

Royalist Coup Is Thwarted In Spain

MADRID, June 9.—Setting arms and ammunition from royalist headquarters, government authorities today reported that they had uncovered and smashed a monarchist plot to seize control of the country.













