

RELIEF BILL PASSES SENATE

HOPES GROWING FOR STRIKE SETTLEMENT BY MEDIATION BODY

Unionists in Mahoning Valley Area Chant Optimistically, "We've Won Strike"

STEEL MILLS MAKE NO MOVE TO OPEN

Heed Appeal of President Roosevelt and Governor Davey To Prevent Bloodshed; Steel Executives Are Willing To Return To Further Conferences

Cleveland, Ohio, June 22.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's steel mediation board held a second conference with John L. Lewis today and called the executives of four strike-affected companies to another meeting tomorrow.

With the seven-state walk-out in "status quo," through the intervention of the President and the Ohio National Guard, Chairman Charles Taft, of the mediation board, expressed optimism as to the board's chances of bringing a settlement.

Taft said the steel executives, before they left their first meeting with the board yesterday, had told him of their willingness to come back at the board's request. A spokesman for the steel men had said previously they had no intention of returning voluntarily.

Meanwhile, in the hills of the Mahoning Valley, unionists chanted, "We've won the strike."

Quick moves were made last night and early today and the "status quo," which the labor secretary so eagerly

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Says 'Slain' Man Living; Three Held

Wilmington, June 22 (AP)—"I am morally certain Paul Krochmalny (for whose alleged "cremation murder" his brother, Pete Krochmalny, Pete's son, Paul, and Erwin Williams, a relative by marriage are being held without bond) is alive," William Bellamy, counsel for the three defendants, said today.

"I cannot say that I am positive that he is alive, but I am morally certain the man it is alleged has been murdered is alive today," he said, but refused to give any reason for his belief.

Bellamy yesterday said he would have "a surprise for every one interested in this case," but said today his statement about his belief Paul Krochmalny is alive was not the surprise about which he spoke. He went to Whiteville today to continue his work on the case and was scheduled to return this afternoon.

YOUNG SLAYER ASKS FOR ELECTRIC CHAIR

Boy, 19, Gets Life Term, However, For Killing Girl, 17 After Attempted Assault

Buffalo, N. Y., June 22.—(AP)—Tommy Smith, 19, pleaded with a judge today to send him to the electric chair for the murder of 17-year-old Mary Ellen Babcock, but he was sentenced to life imprisonment instead. Tommy told the court he was "an insane maniac."

Tommy was found guilty last week of first degree murder for stabbing his blonde neighbor during an attempted assault in a field February 25.

Surrenders For Death Of Father

High Point, June 22.—(AP)—Police officers said today a man they listed as John Bernard Clifford, alias Frank Travers, young New York city magical apparatus salesman, had admitted to a signed statement he killed his own father with a 20 gauge shotgun. The police revealed the strange statement written by the 26-year-old prisoner, who last Friday morning walk-

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Britain Will Not Talk About Debts

London, June 22 (AP)—Sir John Simon, the British chancellor of the exchequer, announced to the House of Commons today Great Britain does not intend to reopen the war debt discussions with the United States in connection with the pending proposals for an Anglo-American trade agreement.

The chancellor made the statement in a written answer to a question from the floor. He was asked whether it was correct to infer from a recent government statement "arrears of interest and principal now due the United States in respect to war debts now amount to 174,000,000 pounds (about \$370,000,000); whether it is proposed to continue to allow arrears to accumulate and whether it is proposed to reopen discussion of the matter with the United States government in connection with any proposals for a trade agreement."

BLUM CALLS UPON SOCIALIST PARTY TO BACK CABINET

Must Preserve People's Front At All Costs, De-throned Premier Tells Followers

ANSWER EXPECTED LATER IN THE DAY

Formation of Chautemps Cabinet Considered Certain in High Circles; French Ambassador to U. S. Recalled To Join in New Government At Home

Paris, June 22 (AP)—Leon Blum urged the Socialist party today to participate in the cabinet that Camille Chautemps is trying to form as a second people's front government.

"We cannot refuse to participate in a people's front government headed by a radical socialist," the former premier advised his followers at a party council. "We must preserve the people's front majority."

The radical socialists were the most moderate element in the coalition government which Blum headed until his resignation yesterday. Chautemps, twice before premier, and seven times a cabinet minister, sought a promise of support from the socialists, the dominant group, before trying to form a new government.

The Socialists' decision rested with the Socialist National Council. It was expected later today after extensive debate.

Formation of a Chautemps cabinet nevertheless, was viewed by high government authorities as a virtual certainty.

Georges Bonnet, financial expert, recently named as ambassador to the United States, was recalled in an attempt to straighten out France's snarled affairs.

It was believed Chautemps wanted him as finance minister.

SECURITY PROGRAM STARTS ON JULY 1

Outlay of \$4,700,000 Annually Next Two Years Involved in Plan

Raleigh, June 22.—The Public Assistance Division of the State Board of Charities and Public Welfare vir- tually has completed plans for the formal inauguration in North Carolina on July 1 of the social security program authorized by an act adopted by the 1937 session of the General Assembly. The new legislation will involve an outlay of approximately \$4,700,000 for each year of the next biennium, according to Nathan H. Yelton

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First Photo of Soviet Flyers After Flight



Linking two hemispheres by air over the North Pole for the first time in history three daring Soviet fliers landed their low-winged monoplane at Vancouver, Wash., after an epochal flight from Moscow. Smiling, and gesturing their appreciation of cheers from the crowd that gathered, the trio, Chief Pilot Valeri Chkaloff, Co-Pilot George Baidukoff, and Navigator Alexander Beliakoff posed for the above picture. Trouble with the fuel pump and poor visibility forced the Russians to land 797 miles short of their San Francisco goal. They covered more than 5,000 airline miles, second longest non-stop flight on record in annals of airplane travel.

Belgian Premier Here



Premier Paul Van Zeeland in the United States admitted to explore prospects for a world economic conference and to visit and talk with President Roosevelt, Premier Paul Van Zeeland of Belgium is pictured in New York. Premier Van Zeeland will receive an honorary degree from Princeton university.

Drys Claim Victory For Wake Voting

Raleigh Will Go Wet but County Is Expected to Defeat Control Plan

Raleigh, June 22 (AP)—Raleigh and Wake county voted slowly and quietly today on the question of establishing county ABC stores. At noon a survey of 15 of the 18 city precincts, with an estimated registration of 15,500, showed only 2,655 votes had been cast, and reports from county precincts said voting was light in rural areas.

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, June 22.—Church bells were tolling throughout Raleigh and Wake county today, closing the intensive campaign which has been conducted by the drys to defeat the liquor control and liquor stores plan voted on over the city and county today. The dry leaders were confident they will win and defeat the liquor control movement, although those favoring liquor control maintained they have a chance—though a very slim one—to win the election. The prevailing opinion in most circles here to-

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Britain To Hold Aloof From Any Naval Display On The Coast Of Spain

Germany Demands Non-Intervention Committee Make Good In Undertaking To Protect Joint Naval Patrol; Would Seize Loyalist Submarines

London, June 22.—(AP)—Great Britain will refuse to join any naval demonstration off the coast of Spain as a German-sought "warning" to the Spanish government, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told the House of Commons today. His announcement followed swiftly upon an excited report that Germany demanding punishment of the Spanish republican regime for what the third Reich contends was a torpedo attack on her cruiser Leipzig, had presented France and Britain with a virtual ultimatum for stringent ac-

tion, perhaps a four power naval display of warning near Valencia.

Issue More Warrants At Strike

Lumberton, June 22.—(AP)—Attorneys opened arguments today before Recorder Leslie Huntley in strike-riot trials involving Myles Horton, organizer for the TWOC, and seven alleged participants in Monday's disorder at Manfields cotton mill. Warrants, meanwhile, had been served on nine additional striking employees, each of whom was released on \$100 bond.

Horton, now under \$1,000 bond, denied yesterday he urged striking employees "to kill and stomp Henry Wiloughby," 17-year-old non-union worker, at a union meeting June 16. The youth had previously testified the organizer goaded the men to further action after he had been struck, shoved and kicked. Horton's testimony was corroborated by 14 witnesses, including two non-union employees, and disputed by five.

ISLAND CONFAB TO EMPHASIZE SPLIT

Will Be Early Next Week Before News Leaks From Roosevelt Party

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Columnist Washington, June 22.—It will be a few days after President Roosevelt's confab (June 24, 25 and 26) with congressional Democrats, on Jefferson island, in Chesapeake bay, before news begins to leak out in much detail. There will be plenty of leakage eventually, however. Of senators and representatives there are 407 Democrats on Capitol Hill. The minute it was announced that the Jefferson island outing was planned it was evident that there would be few absentees from the succession of three all-day parties—the attendance being in relays because the insular clubhouse hasn't facilities

ELECTRICITY BROKE AIRPLANES' SIGNALS

Science Association Told Of Condition That May Have Aided Winter Air Crashes Denver, Col., June 22.—(AP)—Discovery that electricity, streaming out behind air liners in flight, caused the static which broke off radio signals just before some of last winter's fatal air crashes, was announced today to the American Association for Advancement of Science here.

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat cooler tonight.

Slash To Billion Defeated By Heavy Vote By Senators



Mrs. Mary Norton (above) Congresswoman from New Jersey became the first member of her sex to hold chairmanship of a house committee when she accepted leadership of the House Labor Committee. She was first to introduce in Congress a resolution for repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. (Central Press)

Six Days of Heated Controversy on New Appropriation of \$1,500,000,000 End

POST OFFICE ACTS UPHELD BY FARLEY

Postal Chief Says He Had Power To Refuse To Carry Mail Into Strike Plants; Navy Announces It Will Construct Two New Battleships Itself

Washington, June 22 (AP)—The Senate approved the administration's \$1,500,000,000 relief bill today, winding up six days of heated controversy. A few minutes before, with shouts of "no," a majority defeated an amendment to cut the bill to \$1,000,000,000. The proposal was made by Senator Bridges Republican, New Hampshire. Efforts yesterday to require specific contributions from communities for relief projects likewise were defeated.

In the meantime, Postmaster General Farley contended in United States District Court the Post Office Department had legal authority to stop deliveries of mailed foodstuffs in the strike-besieged steel plants in Ohio.

Farley made the contention to a mandamus action brought against him by the Republic Steel Corporation, in which the latter sought to compel the department to permit delivery of packages containing food and clothing to its plants in Niles and Warren, Ohio.

The postmaster general charged the corporation had offered such packages for delivery primarily to involve the government in the industrial controversy.

Elsewhere in Washington the Navy announced it would deconstruct its two new battleships in government navy yards. One will be built at the New York yard and the other in Philadelphia.

Meanwhile, White House officials said President Roosevelt had virtually recovered from his nasal trouble of yesterday.

FLIGHTS OVER POLE TO BECOME REGULAR

Russian Flight Commander Just Arrived from Moscow Discusses Developments

San Francisco, Cal., June 22.—(AP)—Trans-polar flights will be regular occurrences in one or two years, maybe three, says the man who piloted Soviet Russia's plane on the 5,300-mile jaunt from Moscow to Vancouver, Wash., last week-end.

"A return flight would be easier," because we would have tail winds," said Pilot Valerio Checkoloff. "With contemporary technique and equipment, we think there will be regular flights over the North Pole in one or two years, maybe three."

Checkoloff and two companions, welcomed by 5,000 persons who thronged Oakland airport last night, said they next wanted to try a Moscow-New York flight, via the polar regions. Today they looked forward to viewing the country in which they landed Sunday after an epochal 63-hour flight from the Soviet capital.

Paul Wendel Is Accused Of Slaying

Taxi Driver Points Finger at Witness in Parker Trials At Newark

Newark, N. J., June 22.—(AP)—A witness for Bruno Richard Hauptmann in his Flemington trial for the kidnap murder of the Lindbergh baby interrupted the Federal court conspiracy trial of Ellis Parker and his son today by rushing up to Paul Wendel and shouting, "This is the man; this is the man."

Parker, chief of Burlington county detectives, and his son, Ellis, Jr., are on trial in connection with the abduction of Wendel, whose discredited confession to the Lindbergh kidnap-

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OUR WEATHER MAN



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