

REPUBLIC RE-OPENS LAST CLOSED PLANTS

Non-Striking Steelworkers Return Under Guard



Workers filing past guardsmen at a Republic plant in Cleveland
Non-striking workers at the Upon Nut plant of Republic Steel corporation in Cleveland return to their jobs under protection of Ohio National Guard troops. Gov. Martin L. Davey of Ohio ordered the guardsmen into Cleveland when Republic announced it would reopen three plants of its four plants there. The C. I. O. protested strongly against the limitation of pickets at the plant gates and armed actions of governor, sheriff and mayor as efforts to break the strike. Sheriff Martin L. O'Donnell had reduced the pickets to 12 at each gate.

INDICTMENTS GIVEN AGAINST EIGHT IN STRIKE BOMBINGS

Gus Hall and Seven Others Indicted for Illegal Possession of Explosives
TWO ARE DEAD, 28 INJURED AT ALCOA
Complaint Filed With N. L. R. B. for Conduct of Youngstown Sheet and Tube and Police Officials; Troopers on Guard at Tennessee Strike Scene

Cleveland, Ohio, July 8.—(AP)—Republic Steel Corporation reopened the last of its strike-closed plants, and the grand jury of Trumbull county Ohio, (Warren) returned indictments charging eight men with illegal possession of explosives in connection with strike violence.
The grand jury's action came in the wake of 157 indictments returned early this week by inquisitors in adjacent Mahoning county, (Youngstown).
Today's indictments were against Gus Hall, deposed CIO organizer, and six other men arrested as bombing suspects, and one whose name was not made public.
On scattered fronts, the WCWC sought to bolster through suits and charges their fight for signed contracts.
Steel and Tube, Inc., employs normally about 500 men, and smallest of Republic's four Cleveland units was opened to workers while police and Ohio National Guardsmen formed a protective circle at the mill.
Leo Pressman, general council for John L. Lewis' CIO, came to Cleveland from Pittsburgh to confer on pending court proceedings.
Before leaving Pittsburgh, he announced he had filed a complaint with the N. L. R. B. charging Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company had "acted in collusion" with city and county police officials and officers of the Ohio National Guard in an effort to defeat the strike.

TWO DEAD IN STRIKE ALCOA, TENN.—(AP)—Alcoa—owned by and named for the Aluminum Company of America—was tense but quiet today under the guns of 300 soldiers called in after two men were killed and 28 hurt in a pitched battle between strikers and company guards.
Ferguson Klink, 30, striker, died of bullet wounds after yesterday's fight. A few hours later, W. M. Hunt, 42, a special officer, succumbed to similar injuries.
Hope for early settlement of difference between the company and strikers was expressed by Fred Westmore, president of the local Aluminum workers union, an A. F. of L. affiliate, and said he would appeal to Governor Gordon Browning today to name an arbitrary board "to try to

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Officials Of N.C. Railroad Been Named

Guire Is President, Weathers, Sec. - Treas. and Dennis a Director

Greensboro, July 8.—(AP)—Lee Weathers, Shelby newspaper publisher, became secretary-treasurer of the North Carolina Railroad Company, by designation of Governor Hoye and V. D. Guire, of Lenoir, was named president, and E. B. Dennis, of Gastonia, attorney.
Mrs. R. R. King, of Greensboro, cast the State's vote of controlling stock as proxy for the governor.
Governor Hoye announced the selections were made for one year, and salary changes had been made to give Weathers \$1,200 instead of the \$1,500, which the retiring secretary, Herbert Pelee, publisher of the Elizabeth City Advance, received.
As president, Guire will get \$900, while retiring president, Mrs. Charles B. Aycock, of Raleigh, received \$800. Dennis's pay of \$1,000 will compare with \$800 received by the retiring attorney, Henry Fisher, of Charlotte.
Directors elected on the governor's recommendation include Henry A. Dennis, of Henderson.

FIND PLANE PARTS KINGSFORD-SMITH

Famed Australian Flier Lost on London-Sydney Flight In 1935

Los Angeles July 8 (AP)—A rubber airplane tire and landing gear picked up in the Andaman sea off the coast of Burma furnished a new clue today to the fate of Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, lost Australian flier.
Carl Squier, Lockheed Aircraft vice-president, said the gear had been positively identified "as belonging to the monoplane in which Kingsford-Smith and Tom Pethybridge, disappeared Nov. 8, 1935 on a flight from London to Sydney."
"Inspection indicates Sir Charles landed on land," said Squier. "For if he had landed on water, the wheels would have been folded into the wing the normal flying position."
The strut supporting the gear itself had one shift twisted.
Lady Mary Kingsford-Smith has never given up hope her husband will be found alive.

COTTON ACREAGE IS ABOVE LAST YEAR

Agricultural Department Report Shows Crop Below 10 Year Average

Washington, July 8.—(AP)—Agricultural Department estimated today cotton in cultivation on July 1, 34,192,000.
The figure compared with 30,960,000 a year ago and a 1927 to 1936 average of 37,885,000.
The average abandonment of acreage between July 1 and taking of the crop in the ten years 1927 to 1936 was 2.3 per cent. Last year's ginning totaled 12,368,533, equivalent 500 pound bales, while the average ginning for the 10 years, 1927 to 1936, were 13,200,857 bales.
The acreage in cultivation July 1, and its percentage of 1936 cultivation on that day, by states follows: Virginia 65,000 acres, or 120 per cent as compared with 1936, North Carolina 1,000,000 or 111 per cent, South Carolina 1,643,000 or 116 per cent, Georgia 2,644,000 or 115 per cent.

COTTON IS STEADY IN DAY'S MARKETING

Cotton futures opened barely steady three to six lower on the pre-bureau liquidation and foreign selling.
Prices shortly after the first half hour were three points net lower to one higher.
Futures closed steady 22 to 25 points higher; spot steady, middling 12.55.

	Open	Close
July	12	12.25
October	12.08	12.36
December	12.01	12.30
January	12.02	12.32
March	12.07	12.36
May	12.06	12.38

Bar Probe Roosevelt's Tax Return

Committee Votes To Let Fish Present Evidence on Family, However

Washington, July 8.—(AP)—The Senate-House Committee on Tax Evasion, barred today an investigation of President Roosevelt's tax return or tax practices.
The committee agreed, however, to let Representative Fish, Republican, New York, present any evidence he might have in respect to other members of the Roosevelt family, Secretary Morgenthau and the secretary's father, Henry Morgenthau, Sr.
Only after a long argument did the committee vote to let Fish appear at its session tomorrow.

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Chairman Doughton, Democrat, North Carolina, said members of the Republican minority favored Democrats in deciding against leading the President into the investigation.
Meanwhile on another front, hot tempered bickering over parliamentary rules virtually blocked Senate debate on administration's court bill.
Both administration and opposition leaders took advantage of numerous interruptions in the speech by Senator Logan, Democrat, of Kentucky to give notice they would take every possible technicality in their bid of intra-party fight.
Among the first so to act was Administration Leader Robinson, who said he would insist during the fight of the enforcement of a rule designed to resist filibustering.
At the height of the controversy with the Senate as near to complete disorder as it has been in years, Senator Pittman, Democrat, Nevada, president pro-tem rebuked Senator O'Mahoney, Democrat, Wyoming for speaking out of order.

COUNTIES SHARE IN EQUALIZATION FUND

Money Will Aid In Providing Old Age and Child Assistance

Raleigh, July 8 (AP)—N. H. Yelton, director of public assistance announced today that the state's 100 counties would be eligible to take part in a \$200,000 "equalization fund" to help them finance old age assistance and child aid social security program this fiscal year.
The counties include Bertie, Craven, Green, Jones, Nash and Warren.
The counties ruled eligible, Yelton said, were those whose combined levy for assistance under the two programs would exceed 10 cents on the \$100 valuation with the equalization fund to contribute 75 percent of the difference.

TROOPS AT MADRID TAKE OFFENSIVE

Small Villages in Madrid Sector Fall Into Hands Of Government

Madrid, July 8.—(AP)—Government forces announced officially today they had surrounded a village west of Madrid.
Other villages in the sector were captured, the government said, and a number of deserters had given news of enemy movements intended to check our advance.
(Correspondents with government forces were limited to censorship by government communique and barred from use of telephone).
Government forces, in a new offensive to smash insurgents seized positions on Madrid's western front, were reported to have extended their curving 15-mile salient despite a counter attack at Brunete.

TWO GOLD TEETH PUTS MAN IN JAIL

Escaped Convict Identified Over Phone By Oscar Pitts

Raleigh, July 8 (AP)—Two gold teeth put Fred Pugh in Central prison today to finish a four to five year sentence for house breaking and larceny.
Pugh escaped with six other convicts from a prison camp in Fender county June 27.
He was arrested in Farmville on suspicion and gave an incorrect name. The Farmville Police Chief telephoned Oscar Pitts, acting penal division director and as he reached the description of the gold teeth. Pitts identified Pugh and a personal check bore out the deduction.

OUR WEATHER MAN

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Generally fair tonight and Friday.

PRISON POLITICS SEEN IN POSTING WHIPPING NOTICES

Whipping Law Has Been On Statute Books Since 1917 and Is Still In Effect

WAYNICK ACCUSED BEING "TOO SOFT"

Whitley Would Like To Have Oscar Pitts' Job and Wants Whip Used for Better Prison Morale; No More Whippings Than Usual Since Notice Given

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, By J. C. BASKERVILLE.

Raleigh, July 8.—The decision of Chairman Frank L. Dunlap and of the State Highway and Public Works Commission to post notices in all of the prisons and prison camps informing the prisoners that whipping of prisoners is still permitted by law and can be used as a method of punishment in the belief that this action would put the prisoners on notice, improve prison morale and thus make it unnecessary to use the lash except in extreme cases, Chairman Dunlap said today. There are indications, however, that there is some back-tracking and something of locking the stable door after the horse has been stolen in this action, according to some very authentic reports that have been current for some time. Some observers also believe that there are some very definite traces of prison division politics involved in the whipping notices incident.
Chairman Dunlap maintains that so far as he knows, there have been no more prisoners whipped within the last two months, since he has been chairman of the highway commission, than before he took over that office. He also maintains that the only reason it was decided to publish the notice to prisoners of the adoption of a new prison rule permitting the whipping of prisoners, was because in many prison camps and units the prisoners had gotten the idea that the law permitting the lashing of prisoners had been repealed and that it was now against the law for any one to whip them.
"The adoption of this rule permitting whipping merely puts the prisoners on notice that the law adopted back in 1917 is still in effect and that prisoners can still be whipped when the offense seems to justify it," Chairman Dunlap said. "According to this law which has been in effect all this time, and which has been evoked from time to time all along, a prisoner may be whipped on order of the chairman of the highway commission or such a person as he may designate."
This same law also provides that 24 hours must elapse between the time a prisoner commits an offense and the administering of a whipping, that the whipping must be done in the presence of the prison physician or chaplain and that it must be administered by some one other than

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BITTER FIGHT ON IN THE HOLY LAND

British Attempts to Settle Dispute Between Jews and Arabs

Jerusalem July 8 (AP)—Bitter opposition among the rank and file of both Jews and Arabs toward Britain's proposed "surgical operation" on Palestine was considered in some British circles today as the forerunner of possible united front of Jews and Arabs.
The British royal commission proposed last night, the Holy Land be divided between sovereign Jews and Arabian states with a few British Mandates over the holy cities of Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem.
Both Arabian and Jewish masses were astounded today at the radical solution of the British government of their problem. It was suggested that the age-old revivals would embark on an attempt to work out their problem around the council table.
Among the stern-faced population of two races which heard last night's report in Hebrew and Arabic, were many listening to a radio for the first time in their lives.
It was generally thought that the commissions plan—subject to League of Nations approval—was something sensational in hitherto unheard of in the history of the strife torn country. While a strong undercurrent of opposition formed, no disorders had been reported.

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Colorado's Planes Soar In Search Of Missing Earhart

No Trace Found of Plane or Missing Flyers After Searching Flight

SEARCH SHIFTS TO REEFS AND INLETS

U. S. Battleship Seeking Lost Flyers to South and East of Howland Island, Their Objective; Planes Were To Resume Hunt This Afternoon

San Francisco, Cal., July 8.—(AP)—Navy planes were scheduled to fly from the battleship Colorado at 12:30 p. m. (E. S. T.) today, to continue the search for Amelia Earhart, but no word had been received from the ship at 1:30 p. m. (E. S. T.).
MIGHTEST PEACE TIME SEARCH IS UNDERWAY
Honolulu, July 8.—(AP)—The mightiest peace time search of the United States Navy was launched today for Amelia Earhart, missing around the world flier, who officials hope is awaiting rescue on a coral reef sand spit somewhere southeast of Howland Island.
The battleship Colorado cruising south and east of Howland catapulted its three fighting planes last night to open the aerial survey in the hunt undertaken when Miss Earhart failed to arrive in Howland last Friday on a 2,570 mile flight from New Guinea.
The aircraft returned to the ship after a two hour and twenty minute flight to report that no trace had been sighted of the missing plane or Miss Earhart or Navigator Fred Noonan.
The planes planned to resume their search today at dawn, (12:30 E. S. T.) cruising over Winslow reef, 120 miles below the equator and southeast of Howland.
From the vicinity of Winslow reef, the Colorado can catapult her plane search of many inlets and reefs in the North Phoenix islands.

Chinese And Japs Battle At Peiping

Japanese Seize Part of Railroad; Fighting Broke Out About Midnight

Peiping, China, July 8.—(AP)—Fighting raged in the western suburbs in this ancient dragon capital between Japanese forces and Chinese General Sung Cheh-Yuan's 29th army today, after a midnight clash between troops conducting a secret night maneuver.
Japanese soldiers seized a part of the railroad from Peiping southward to Hankow and repeatedly attacked the city of Wanpinghsien. There was heavy fighting in the vicinity of the marble bridge of Marco Polo, 20 miles west of Peiping.
The Chinese were reported to have established their position at Wanpinghsien in the face of an ultimatum from Japanese troops demanding their immediate surrender.
Chinese army soldiers said the fighting broke out about midnight when maneuvering Japanese troops tried to capture the Yantze river bridge.

Stock	Price
American Radiator	21 1-2
American Telephone	168
American Tob B	79
Anaconda	56 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	52
Atlantic Refining	30 3-4
Bethlehem Steel	20 3-8
Bethlehem Steel	91 1-2
Chrysler	105 1-2
Columbia Gas & Elec	13
Commercial	14 1-2
Continental Oil	16
DuPont	158
Electric Pow & Light	19
General Electric	54 5-8
General Motors	54
Liggett & Myers B	98 5-8
Montgomery Ward & Co	10 5-8
Reynolds Tob B	50 1-8
Southern Railway	33 1-2
Standard Oil Co	68 5-8
U S Steel	109 1-2

800 MAY ATTEND 4-H SHORT COURSE

Practically Every County In State Be Represented At Raleigh

Daily Dispatch Bureau, In the Sir Walter Hotel, By J. C. BASKERVILLE.

Raleigh, July 8.—Approximately 800 of North Carolina's most outstanding farm boys and girls will attend the annual 4-H Short Course at State College July 26-31, L. R. Harrill, State 4-H Club leader estimated today.
Coming from practically every county in the state, the delegates will take part in a well-rounded program of education and recreation. Agricultural and educational leaders have been selected to speak at the conference.
State College specialists will instruct the boys and girls during classroom periods. Special courses in food conservation and marketing, handicrafts, home management, clothing, foods, and home beautification have been provided for the girls who attend.
Boys will receive instruction in crops, livestock, poultry, conservation, recreation, life saving, bees, and agricultural engineering.
Harrill pointed out that special courses open to both boys and girls.
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Execution of R. G. Brown Set Friday

Renovations on State Prison Death Row Not to Bother Execution

Raleigh, July 8.—(AP)—Final preparations were started at State Prison today for the execution Friday in the lethal gas chamber for Robert Glenn Brown, convicted in Craven county for murder, in the first legal asphyxiation in some time.
"We are ready," commented Warden H. H. Honeycutt. "The renovation on 'Death Row' is in such shape that we can carry out the execution."
"There is no reason to interfere," said Parole Commissioner Edwin Gill.