

COMMUNIST CONVENTION OPENS TODAY

Farley Lashes Liberty Leaguers in Convention Speech

Claims 1936 Election Issue Is Continuance of New Deal

Declares Big Financial Interests Behind the Republicans ASSAILS DUPONTS

Democrats Jim Crow Missouri Delegate

N.Y. Negro Leaders Shun Session In Protest



JAMES A. FARLEY

STEEL FIRM GUARD KILLED IN CLASH

Portsmouth Company Thugs Open Fire on Picket Line

RCA CAMDEN PLANT SHUT BY STRIKE

12,000 Radio Workers Demand More Pay, 35-Hour Week, Vacations

700 Delegates to Attend Ninth National Sessions

Agenda and Schedule Of C. P. Convention

WEDNESDAY Morning Session-10 to 1 o'clock-Called to order by Charles Krumbel...

William Z. Foster to Preside-Browder Reports Today

FIVE-DAY SESSIONS Nominations on Sunday at Madison Square Garden Rally

CONVENTION HALL, PHILADELPHIA, June 23.—Chairman James A. Farley opened the Democratic National Convention here today with a broadside against the Republican Party...

Liberty League Crew Farley declared that the Republicans "could have chosen Borah, but he was earmarked with the stigma of liberalism..."

Fails to Mention Hearst But the speech fails to mention William Randolph Hearst, the fountain head of fascist reaction in America...

Roosevelt Action Spurs Sanction Ban In England LONDON, June 23.—Arguing against a Labor Party motion of non-confidence in the Baldwin Government...

France Drops Sanctions Asks Stricter Application of Letter of League Applications—Belgian Transport Held Up

Disputes Seen On Platform

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CONVENTION HALL, PHILADELPHIA, June 23.—In a tentative platform circulated among convention delegates here today, Democratic Party chieftains omit all mention of constitutional change and restrict the plank on foreign affairs to a generalized statement on taking the profits out of war.

FRANCE DROPS SANCTIONS PARIS, June 23.—While recommending stricter application of the sanctions provision against aggressors now included in Article XVI of the Covenant of the League of Nations...

Lemke Confers With Townsend

WASHINGTON, June 23 (UP).—Representative William Lemke conferred for one hour today with Dr. Francis E. Townsend and the Rev. Gerald K. Smith, mapping campaign strategy as the presidential candidate of the New Union Party.

Applications Begin PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 23.—Signed applications began coming in for membership in the Amalgamated Association, recognizing the steel workers organizing committee as collective bargaining agents in all matters involving wages, hours, and working conditions today as Carnegie, Illinois Steel Corporation made first preparations for the coming struggle by erecting a woven wire fence at the Homestead Works...

Explaining the government's attitude towards sanctions, Blum said: "In the present state of things, their maintenance would be only a symbolic gesture without real effectiveness. What good would it be to perpetuate measures whose only effect is to increase the suffering of the people?"

Tenants' Union Asks Plank on Right to Organize

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Textile Men Back McMahon Pledge To Stick to C. I. O. (Federal Press Correspondent) The United Textile Workers of America executive council, meeting at New York, backed up President Thomas F. McMahon in his announced determination to stay in the Committee for Industrial Organization "regardless of consequences..."

Kenosha Labor Assails Green's Platform Stand KENOSHA, Wis., June 23.—William Green did not enhance the prestige of the AFL by his appearance before the resolutions committee of the Republican convention in Cleveland...

National Chairman



WILLIAM Z. FOSTER

By Joseph North Hearst once asked, "Who are the real Americans?" If he'd send one of his prying G-men to the Communist Party convention hall he'd find them there.

Final Session Convention—MADISON SQUARE GARDEN—1:30 to 6 P.M. a) Adoption of Platform. b) Nomination of Candidates. c) Election of National Committee. ADJOURNMENT.

You'll Find Them At C.P. Convention

Men and Women Who Build America—Delegates From Mine, Mills and Shops Arrive for Historic Sessions

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Legionnaire Released

No Charge in Bielak Case—Detroit Worker Dies After Clubbing by Policeman DETROIT, Mich., June 23.—William Moore, foreman in the Hudson plant, who was implicated in the murder of John Bielak, union organizer in that plant found murdered more than two years ago, was released today on a writ of habeas corpus by Judge John J. Maher after authorities claimed they could place no definite charge against him.

Farmers To Attend Convention

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Karpis Pleads Innocence

ST. PAUL, June 23 (UP)—Alvin Karpis, last major figure in the Barker-Karpis gang, pleaded not guilty today to federal charges of kidnaping William Hamm, Jr., wealthy St. Paul brewer.













