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COMPLETE UNITY AT ST. P Enemies of the Class Party Solidify Workers "DEATH BENEFIT" STOLEN Disrupters

LOOMS IN ITALY

Fascisti Cabinet Quits as Big Strike Looms

(Special to The Dally Worker)
ROME, Italy, June 18.—Civil war is brewing in Italy and Premier Benito Mussolini is making one last desperate effort to save himself and the Fascist movement by massing his forces again against the growing opposition of Communists, Socialists, and less radical anti-Fascist

The red-handed blackshirt A Gompers unofficial observer at concomposed of eleven of his trusted Fascist chieftains, and has mobilized thousands of Fascist militiamen who are now marching into Rome.

General Strike Looms. Bloody disturbances in the provinces are reported as the Fascist troops march in. Fascisti and Communists

Communist and Socialist leaders who attempted to bring a general strike in Deputy Matteoti, are still held in the dungeons of the jail. Their literature has been destroyed by the police and terror. The Fascist Directory uses all means of oppression to keep the lawn the other night. radicals and the workers "quiet,"

even to the effective method of sudden death. The local Babbits have not had a chance to advertise their own exclu
(Continued on page 3.)

Chaos In Cabinet.

The Italian cabinet has resigned but King Victor Emmanuel has not yet formed his "cousins." the members of the Order of Annunciation, in to a new ministry. Sig. Federzoni, former Minister of Colonies, has taken over the Ministry of the Interior resigned by Sig. Finzi, Fascist leader involved in the Matteoti scandal. Mussolini himself has taken over the Ministry of Colonies. Crispo Moncada, Prefect of Triest, has been appointed Director of Public Security to succeed Gen. De Bono, altho it is not certain yet whether the latter has left his post as head of the national

Pieces of blood-stained clothing, a revolver, and parts of the automobile cushion of the machine in which the Socialist Deputy Matteoti was kidnapped, have been found in a valise in the hotel room which was occupied by Sig. Filippelli, former editor of the Fascist paper, Corriere Italiano, who was arrested and charged with homicide together with Sig. Dumini.

The protest against the brutal murder of the anti-Fascist Socialist deputy and against the wholesale graft-(Continued on page 2.)

control thru Banker Dawes.

at the expense of the workers.

WALL ST. THANKS GOD MAMMON AS

FASCIST DAWES RUNS WITH CAL;

By LUDWELL DENNY

(Federated Press Staff Correspondent)

temples for the Republican convention which nominated the two strike-

breakers, Coolidge and Dawes, on a platform written for the railroads and

bankers against the farmers and labor. After two months of cold sweat at

the beginning of the Washington probes when it seemed that Gary's candi-

date, Coolidge, would have to be sacrificed to public opinion, Wall Street

won all around. Not only has it saved Coolidge and Mellon, but Wall Street

has now gotten rid of the Ohio-Oklahoma gang and tightened its direct party

would-be imitator of Mussolini, he is the founder and active head of the

Minute Men of the Constitution, condemned by both American Federation of

threw the Illinois delegation to Wall Street's candidate, McKinley, in 1895.

In the war for profits he was general purchasing agent for the American

expeditionary forces, and under the regime of Hell an' Maria Dawes grafters

got good pickings. Latterly he went to Europe and prepared the Dawes'

plan which provides for a Morgan-Allied capitalists' receivership of Europe

Labor and left wing groups as a Fascist open shop organization.

Dawes choice is considered a direct slap in labor's face. As friend and

It is recalled that Dawes as a henchman of the notorious Mark Hanna

NEW YORK, June 18.—Capitalism is giving thanks In its Wall Street

WORKERS WATCH FOR BLACKSHIRTS

A PER CAPITA SHARK



Night is Wet

protect against the kidnapping and Evanaton contains Chicago's most murder by Fascisti of the Socialist exclusive Main street. Evanaton lates to his cousin Janus Petropolus, would not permit girl garment strik- an ex-soldier and the victim of Westers to walk its streets and picket. ern Electric tuberculosis. If Ku Klux But Evanston's chamber of commerce Klansmen or other "hundred percentwith the influx of the blackshirt le- asked the whole country, including all ers" are inclined to scoff at this man gions, Rome is in the grip of black police reporters of the second class, because his name harks back to sun-

den death. The strictest censorship siveness since the famous Mounts page. Hiring a horn-rimmed press agent, they made descent on weary LABOR BEATS city editors with announcements that Charley Dawes resided in their midst.

Nary a Worker. Thoughts of refreshments in minds of mob. Hundreds stand. All the best Rotary minds there. In three quart hats Rained like hell. Hats would make fine rain gauges.

The crowd stood surrounded by wet

weather he would get.

Pipes at Opponents. promise change of weather bureau administration. Man who acts as if he had drunk a hatful amuses outside likely. edges of crowd by calling for heavy beer and light climate.

After speech hungry assembly passed thru front hall of palace. On way to exit from servants' entrance they slipped Charley warm grip and

Happy occasion for all who read about it in papers.

Promised \$2,000 Denied Buffer's Survivors

By KARL REEVE

In the last issue we stated that Western Electric defrauds workingmen out of the promised company pension by laying them off before they reach pension age. In this issue we tell-in the words of a workingman who was the administrator of a premier has established a Direcvention. He is as crooked as he looks. of "buffer's consumption"—how Western Electric buffer who died the insatiable trust holds out promised company death bene-fits from the helpless dependents

of their victims. The testimony of Theodore Pappageorge of 646 Blue Island Ave., whom we are quoting, is just part of the evidence that has come into our hands of the relentless exploitation methods of this Morgan controlled electric desired, their particular lavoration of the St. Paul Daily News with the head-line "Third Party Meet Split Impends; Farmer-Labor Men May Walk Out As Radicals Seize Walk Out As Radicals Seize This was not long after mention of the St. The announcement that Alex Howat was here to represent the workers of his state brought the delegates to their feet cheering. just part of the evidence that fought in Catania until the carabi-niers interfered on behalf of the Charley Dry Tho the relentless exploitation methods of this Morgan controlled elec-

tric monopoly.

Good Enough to Fight. that he was considered plenty good

cops. They hope for short speeches candidate, George Hay, beat General French and German elections. and big free lunch. Got disappointed Jan Smuts, leader of the South African party in the parliamentary elec-Charley comes on front porch and, tions yesterday. Smuts party, which cism in Italy and possibility of a real program come out of this convention, gether in the Teapot Dome parties. with weather dripping down back of favors close affiliation with the policy neck, reads long speech. He wrote of the mother country, England, lost to power there, as well as in other speech before he knew what kind of its majority in the Dominion parlia-

ment at the same time. These defeats may bring a serious Denounces opponents and fails to situation in the empire's affairs, escoalition government, as seems

Mostly Old Dutch Republicans.

parliament. The labor forces, includis being formulated. ing many Negroes, to some extent, The essential problems of each his domestic policy. Colonel W. the Communist movement. Crewswell is the leader of the Labor party in South Africa.

It is expected that a labor-nationalist government will be formed, which will have a substantial majority over the South African party. English imperialists are not a whit pleased with the turn of government and the labor rule in England is dubiously eyeing South Africa.

DANISH "LABOR" RULE PLANS TO RECOGNIZE SOVIET RUSSIA SOON

(Special to the Daily Worker.) COPENHAGEN, Denmark, June 18.—The new Labor government is considering taking the necessary steps for de jure recognition of Soviet Russia. The strong sentiment of France and Japan toward recog nition and England's and China's agreements are potent influences for Danish action.

CAPITALIST LIARS



Planning daily menu of convention

International Begins

almost every country of the globe assembled here for the Fifth Congress of the Commun
It is is a sample of the stuff that has daily poured from the press. Workers party and the Federated Farmer-Labor party were read off.

Big Applause for MacDonald.

But the cheering, that had greeted to tramp up Charley Dawes' front ny Greece it should be remembered ist (Third) International, which I am sure there is no danger of any the name of the Kansas coal miner, with tremendous demonstra- our unity and harmony here demontions of enthusiasm for the unity strate our ability to carry on our busi- in this tremendous structure where the

> More than a thousand dele- against us." gates have been received here with great ovations. See Progress.

Everywhere are eager little groups of delegates who find that they have a common language in which they can discuss their problems. Mutual concent progress of the Communist move-

Watch Fascism. The precarious condition of Fasparty of workers and peasants coming oppressed countries, give the working class delegates much to debate over. rally the great mass of farmers and The American situation, where a Farmer-Laber convention is in prog- ganization and that type of candi- in New York city. Let them have pecially if the opposition parties form ress with American Communists par- dates. ticipating, also furnishes a topic for the international's delegates' specu-

The sessions of the fifth congress, The nationalists, who are out and now shifted to the historic old Kremout for secession from the empire and lin, are considering with the utmost for independence, gained considerably seriousness that world situation of lain the election and will offer marked bor and the Communist movement. opposition to the South African party The basic program for the organiza which still retains a plurality in the tion of the workers thruout the world

supported the nationalist leader, Hert-country's proletariat will be taken up zog, to defeat the tough old general, during the three weeks' sessions and who has been so bitterly anti-labor in, an effort made to unify the work of

Andy Mellon Must Dodge Again; Means Means to Get Him

NEW YORK, June 18 .- Andy Mellon, secretary of the United States treasury, will have to dodge again to woid spilling the booze about his ootlegging activities.

Thomas B. Felder, counsel for Gaston B. Means, former department of justice investigator, and his secretary Elmer W. Jarnecke, is on Andy's trail and will attempt to have the old anker-bootlegger testify in the case of Means and Jarnecke which comes up soon in federal court here.

Attorney General Stone has given Hiram C. Todd, his special assistant, to proceed at once with the case, al tho Means had written for the removal of Todd, with whom he clashed before the Senate Daugherty Investigating committee. Nine jurors have already been chosen for the case.

Defeated at Convention

Mahoney and Foster Defy Press Plots

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL. ST. PAUL, June 18.—Com- gathering of national farmer-labor forces in session here. plete unity, as predicted in these tional farmer-labor convention of the second day of their meeting.

cious prevarication let loose on this doesn't mean that there was the gathering by the hireling a dull moment during the whole

press and those who own it.

Toward the end of the mornsion. ing session, after the convention committees had been appointed,

Mahoney Brands Lies.

Fifth Congress of the Communopened in the grand opera house walkout, disruption or blowup. Let not long ago occupying a prison cell of the workers of the world. ness in spite of the attacks made convention is being held, when anoth- Class Farmer-Labor Party!" was

Delegate William Z. Foster, of the Workers party, then secured the floor and spoke as follows:

lery on the Wisconsin senator and his ilk. Mr. MacDonald had been selected gates. Taylor assured the delegate william Z. Foster, of the lery on the Wisconsin senator and his ilk. Mr. MacDonald had been selected gates. Taylor assured the delegate william Z. Foster, of the lery on the Wisconsin senator and his ilk. Rally Farmers and Workers.

"In answer to the statement which was made by Brother Mahoney I want to state on behalf of the Workers gratulations are exchanged on the re- party that we have not come here for the purpose of capturing this conven-CAPETOWN, June 18.—The labor ment, especially as shown in the tion. We realize that in order for a not get together in their own party, do not expect to see a Communist a Communist form of organiation, or Communist candidates nominated. We expect to see a platform which will

"We repudiate the statements in the press. The statements are made farmer-labor movement in the United States and for no other reason."

The members of the various com nittees then adjourned to the Labor Temple to draw up the reports. Tear Buckets for Press.

Other speeches against the redbaiting press were made with J. O. Bentall, recent candidate for congress on the Farmer-Labor ticket in the Duluth, Minn., district, making a mocollection to purchase tear buckets as he closed the first morning sesfor the yellow press editors.

"I am sure that they will need them after this convention has adjourned." He declared, "They will have to weep over the fact that all of their prediccome to naught."

HOWAT AT ST. PAUL WHILE LEWIS MACHINE IS REVIEWING HIS CASE

ST. PAUL, June 18 .- Alexander Howat, ousted head of the United Mine Workers in Kansas, is here as a delegate to the national Farmer-Labor convention from the Trades and Labor council of Pittsburg, Kan. Howat has returned to work in the mines near Pittsburg and rejoined the union, while the international executive board, in session today, will pass upon his

ALEX HOWAT TYPIFIES SPIRIT OF FARMER-LABOR CONVENT AS CLASS PARTY IS ORGANIZING

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL (Editor of the Daily Worker)

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM, ST. PAUL, Minn., June 18 .-Alex Howat, the Kansas coal miner, and not Robert Marion La Follette, the Wisconsin politician, typifies the spirit of this great

This became more apparent than ever as the delegates from dispatches, came giant-like into the farms and the factories, the fruit states, the cattle states, the the convention hall of the na- mines and the mills rolled up their sleeves and took up the tasks

Due to the fact that the delegates insisted on having their on the second day of its sessions own way in the election of convention officers, and in making as many nominations and as long nominating speeches as they It came as the result of the pleased, the selection of the three important committees on endless flood of yellow, mali- organization, program and candidates, went over until today. But

time the convention was in ses-

Miner's Name Rocks Hall. Even during the reading of the cre-William Mahoney came to the dentials committee report the deleplatform carrying a copy of the gates insisted on cheering, as long as latest pink edition of the St. they desired, their particular favor-

the name of LaFollette by the temporary chairman, William Mahoney, had "This is only a sample of the many been received in silence. Rounds of methods used in an effort to make applause also swept the convenion whole city is swarming with this convention a failure," said Ma- hall as the delegates of the Minneworkers' representatives from honey. "This is a sample of the stuff sota Farmer-Labor federation, the

Delegate William Z. Foster, of the Illinois, turned the first heavy artillman Charles S. Taylor of Monas vice chairman, and after he had been ushered to the platform he had

No Bankers' Convention. "The bankers and the landlords tell us that the workers and farmers must ing in this convention," said Taylor. not get together in their own party." He then turned his attack on the Re-Farmer-Labor party to be a success said MacDonald. "They say it can't publican convention at Cleveland and it cannot be a Communist party. We be done, but they have no objections to the workers and farmers getting to- New York. The convention cheered The gang that is taking \$27,000,000,- eral Daugherty as the protector of 000 annually in profits out of the workers and farmers started their convention last week in Cleveland, as the arch bootlegger of the age. workers. We expect that type of or- and they plan to finish up next week delegation in the world than with the (Continued on Page 2.)

This was not long after mention of Capitalist Parties Given Burglars' Brand

> By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL. ST. PAUL, June 18.—A new demand for the National Farmer-Labor Party extending from Maine to California started the second day's session of this gathering of city and land work-

The slogan "For the Mass coal miner, Duncan MacDonald of | raised by the permanent chaira few words to say on his own ac- William Z. Foster, C. E. Ruthenberg or any other Communist.

> "There is going to be no red baitthe Democratic convention to come in as he branded former Attorney Genthe big burglars who loot the people

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the press. The statements are made for the purpose of destroying the ST. PAUL FOR CLASS PARTY NOW: NO DELAY FOR JULY 4TH GANG

By CARL HAESSLER (Federated Press Staff Correspondent)

ST. PAUL, June 18.—"LaFollette! We are here!" triumphantly declared William Mahoney, chairman Farmer Labor national convention arrangements committee as he greeted 504 delegates representing 26 states at the opening of the June 17 convention.

"LaFollette ordered the farmers and workers to stay away. Like Pershtion that the convention take up a ing at LaFayette's tomb, we can say LaFollette, we are here," Mahoney said at this convention or postponed until

All press reports that the arrangements committee had done this and sive political action had met July 4, that, excluding him and her, etc., after the Democratic national convenproved erroneous. The committee had tion in New York. The northwest ions of splits and disruption have reached the no decisions on program and southwest went strong for imme or those entitled to sit and when the diate action, backing Taylor. Half of convention opened every credentialed Mahoney's total strength came from delegate, whether Workers party or Non-partisan league, Amalgamated ceived 718 votes to 106 for Mahoney. Clothing Workers' national headquarters or the huge Minnesota delegation on the floor, split, 70 for Taylor, 63 was in his place.

The only decoration in the munici- made unanimous as were other conpal auditorium apart from many flags vention officers elected. These are was a greeting over the stage: Minne- vice-chairman Duncan McDonald, cansota Farmer-Labor Party Welcomes didate for governor of Illinois on the

Class Party Now.

ernoon on issue of the permanent Farmer-Labor party and born on a chairman. While State Senator Charles | Minnesota farm; assistant secretaries E. Taylor of Montana and William Otto Wangerin, secretary Minnesota Mahoney of Minnesota were the can- railroad shopcrafts legislative comdidates, the issue in reality was mittee, and Mrs. Jessie Kastner of whether steps for a permanent third Washington State Farmer - Labor party organization should be taken party.

the Cleveland conference for progres-Minnesota. On roll call Taylor re-The Minnesota delegation, strongest for Mahoney. Taylor's vote was then Labor party ticket and former Mine Worker official; Secretary Alice Lor-The first test vote came in the af- raine Daly, chairman South Dakota

(Continued from page one) ing of Fascist officials, grows hourly in spite of the repressive measures being used by Mussolini in his last head of the government.

Mussolini Brings in Troops. leader sees his day done. To prevent this, he has brought all his Fascist reserves to Rome.

But neither the Fascists nor the other reactionaries whom the king labor. seems inclined to entrust with the government, can stop the rising tide of opposition and save the country from violent civil war unless strong action is taken at once. The people are too much aroused over the Fascist oppression and the latest horrible crime against the deputy to submit without a fight.

European officials look with great posing forces and anticipate the gravest results for all Europe unless some sort of stable influence comes to the rescue in Italy. What that "stabil- not even radical! izer" could be is not predicted, be cause none is evident in the turmoil, nor has any been for the two years the Fascists have ruled, except their now exposed iron fist and brass heart.

Dawes Plan Endangered. The capitalists are greatly worried

the prospective July inter-allied conit is, the French situation almost too of the arrangements committee, while America. delicately poised, and the rest of middle Europe and the Balkans still in turmoil, particularly in Poland and Roumania, the proponents of the American financiers plan to "save" (by enslaving) Europe, have cause enough to be upset and frightened.

Soviet Inspires Hope. Off in the east stands Soviet Russia, a bulwark and hope to the oppressed workers and peasants, who are learning quickly that there is nothing for them in any government but one formed by themselves. The capitalist industrial lords of Europe and America know well enough that it is the Communist idea which they must fight most if they wish to save their hides and fortunes.

Fascist forces have been disintegrating for months due to internal to the delegates. wrangling over the division of spoils. Charges and counter-charges of graft given Mussolini a good many sleepless nights. Probably he has already own share of the boodle when the that they are strangers to the truth. critical moment arrives and he is on the outside all around, as he seems very near to being now.

Graft Leaks Out. in which certain shady dealings of the from the mis-education she had relara O vealed. Mussolini succeeded for the few weeks' interval in keeping news press, and particularly out of the for- reports in the yellow press attacking eign news service, but the poison is the convention as communist control-

leaking out now. doomed in Italy, altho similar move- pear in these malicious publications." ments in other countries, such as the Like Taylor she admitted she had Ku Klux Klan and American Legion, not been in secret sessions with Foster have not yet reached their peak. And and Ruthenberg. Sig. Benito Mussolini. After that, of the disinherited and the disposses who knows?

The Capitalist Press Greets The St. Paul Convention Alex Howat Typifies St. Paul HERRIOT Numbering 127. Illinois is second with noted that "Groups of 25 Farmers" POUND On their conventions. This is our conventions. This is our conventions, Michigan, Michi

By EARL R. BROWDER.

ST. PAUL, June 18.—It was quite interesting to read about had on the convention. He didn't and Oregon terrific effort to maintain himself as our convention in the kept press just before the big meeting think that LaFollette had hurt the opened. Each has a different story, each lies in a different manner. While the arrangements committee was completing prepa-If the king succeeds in bringing rations for the big gathering, and hundreds of delegates flock he said. "There are 75,000 coal min-

news out of the rather fertile it says, altho Foster, a member of ana, Ohio and other states. They imaginations of reporters tinged the committee, "strenuously fought couldn't come because they couldn't with the malice of enemies of the move, but found himself in the

"Radical leaders in secret session," shouts the St. Paul Dispatch, probably the Minnesota Star, which used to lette frowned on the situation. because its reporter was too lazy to dig up a story. Then it proceeds to ing to the Star, the Communists have feature of the temper of the arriving Communists, and that Moscow is in cars, like the monied gang that went delegates is that most, Communist or complete control. not, are quite cold to LaFollette) and alarm on the present straining of op- then proceeds editorially to prove very instructive. The actual facts of in a humorous vein, declaring: "I all his struggles to prove that he is press.

been barred from the convention ex- ous championing of the workers' and then went and sat thruout the entire cept such as manage to sneak in with farmers, has become very popular. Teapot Dome meeting of the Repubover the effect Italy's internal war on train back home. The reporter for stined to make a host of new friends

minority.'

call itself a "labor" paper. Accord-

Luckily, the workers do not have The St. Paul News is somewhat to depend upon the journalistic prosmore original. The Communists, ac- titutes entirely. The DAILY WORKcording to that apostle of truth, have ER, with its class angle, and its vigorunion credentials. To read its story, At this convention, as at so many allican party at Cleveland," concluding we all might as well take the next ready in its short life, it seems de- with:

ST. PAUL BARS "RED BAITING"

(Continued from preceding page.)

gang that met at Cleveland or the hour. bunch that meets soon in New York." Taylor demanded the land for the users and the jobs for the workers.

Brooks No Delay. "The situation today brooks no further delay," said Taylor in conclusion.

Farmer-Labor party." A large number of greetings from local unions and other workers and nonpartisan organizations were read

Vice Chairman Duncan MacDonald in taking over the chair also turned have been flying thick and fast and his attack on the kept press. He urged that the delegates so conduct themselves that the subsidized sheets will laid his plans for escaping with his know when the convention adjourns of national candidates who will stand MacDonald presented the convention's secretary, Alice Lorraine Daly, Miss Daly before her. South Dakota, for her promised remarks. She confessed she was a pro-Less than a month ago Italy was duct of Minnesota's schools, including shaken with the attack of Massino the State University, but admitted it Rocco against the minister of finance, had taken her some time to recover

Lies Don't Interest Her.

led and I answered that I am not in From all indications Fascism is terested in such trival matters as ap-

with the downfall of Fascism goes | "Today and tomorrow let us think sed who are looking to us to lead the

way. Let us not forget the millions

Spirit of Youth Right.

She pointed out that the leaders of modern revolutions have been between thirty-two and forty-six years of age. "The spirit of youth is divinely courageous. The spirit of youth is apt "We are here to act for the class to be right. I believe the spirit of youth is here.'

Woman Rings Unity Call.

Assistant secretary Jessie Bullock Kastner, Washington, urged the delegates to get together on the things they could agree on, and then differ outside on everything else from evolution to bobbed hair.

"The platform decided on," she said. 'let us then proceed to the selection on that platform." As she sat down, Miss Kastner was given cheers, like

Release Labor Prisoners.

This was followed by the announcement by delegate Ryan, Washington, that Miss Kastner, as a member of the Washington Legislature had introegates seated.

COMMITTEES CHOSEN

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 18 .- The convention committees were selected as follows:

Organization committee-Whitney California; Dietrich, Colorado; Bedacht, Connecticut; Foster. Illinois: Kramer, Iowa: Howat, Kansas: Simons, Massachusetts: Reynolds. Michigan; Mahoney, Minnesota; Cannon, Missouri; Wilson, Montana; Green, Nebraska; Brunn, New Jersey; Weinstone, New York; Knutson, North Dakota; White, Ohio; Stallard, Oklahoma; Conte, Oregon; Merrick, Pennsylvania; Putnam, South Dakota: Halzafel, Tennessee; Kennedy, Washington; Tenhune, Wisconsin; Meitzen,

Platform committee-Ryckman, California; Ballam, Connecticut; Mac Donald, Illinois; Howat, Kansas; Git low, Massachusetts; Cohen, Michigan; Hathaway, Minnesota; Clark, Missouri; Stoner, Montana; Dietrich, Nebraska; Lore, New Jersey; Poyntz, Rhode Island; Whitmer, North Dakota; Wilkins, Ohio; Cobb, Oklahoma; Conte, Oregon; Manley, New York; McGowan, Pennsylvania; Ayres, South Dakota; Rubenbrock, Tennessee; Ryan, Washington; Naylor, West Virginia; Donovan, Wisconsin.

Committee on nominations-Gorman, California; Falkner, Colorado; Bittleman, Connecticut; Browder, Illinois; Kelvig, Iowa; Fraley, Kansas; Lovestone, Massachusetts: Owens Michigan; Enstrom, Minnesota; Mihelic, Missouri; Holland, Montana; Taylor, Nebraska; Snyder, Oklahoma Krumbein, North Carolina; Henke, North Dakota; Ruthenberg, Ohio; Strom, Pennsylvania; Siegel, Rhode Island; Hagen, Tennessee; Mason, Washington; Reben, West Virginia; Halonen, Wisconsin.

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Fine For Race Discrimination.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has won a civil rights case in the Cleveland, Ohio, courts, where a restaurant keeper was fined \$50 and costs for refusing to serve Mrs. Grace Taylor because of her color.

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LaFollette Attack a Fizzle. MacDonald then differed with Temporary Chairman Mahoney in the ef-

fect that the LaFollette attack had convention.

"The others are not here because they didn't have the price to come," Mussolini's political enemies back into the city, the capitalist everyone is kowtowing to "Battling to the government, the blackshirt papers proceed to manufacture Bob." The Communists are ousted in Illinois. The same is true in Indi-

Have No Pullman Cars. "In Ohio, out of 440 coal mines, 360 rehash all the old misrepresentations, got a strangle hold on everything. It mines are closed down. They have It says that the Communists are for says that all the permanent officers no work. That's why they are not LaFollette (whereas the outstanding selected are either public or secret here. They couldn't charter Pullman to Cleveland and is next week going All of which is entertaining, but not to New York." MacDonald continued therefrom that the Wisconsin senator how the arriving delegates feel and know we are taking a chance by comis a Communist. Poor "Bob," after speak are ignored by the capitalist ing here among you reds in the north-

> When the laughter had died down, Wisconsin aggregation of LaFollette "that attacked this convention and but declined.

this prize specimen of prostitute news- and deliver another blow at the poi- are yellows," and as he sat down ference on the Dawes report. With paperdom sees nothing but one desoners of working class thought—the waves of applause swept thru the osophy from the coal mines had swept into the convention and captured it. LaFollette's name had become anathema.

500 from 30 States. The preliminary report of the credentials committee, delayed several showed nearly 500 delegates present

from about 30 states. Other organizations with delegates Veterans, the Workers party, the Prison Comfort league, the Federated Farmer-Labor party and the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America.

Union Ladies Sore at Late Congress; Lotta Gas; No Work

(Special to the Daily (Norker.) WASHINGTON, June 18 .- "Never,

in all probability, has a session of congress left behind it such confusion and disappointment as exists since sued by the National Women's Trade Union league. It gives details of the pass the deficiency appropriation bill in which they are playing a part. duced a resolution in that body de- and of the government printing office | While some of the delegations of the Fascist fighting out of the since yesterday what I think of the credentials committee showed 522 del- affecting salaries of more than 200,000

government employes. legislation got nowhere; the federal new party is to take, and the platform group of business agents was active financial lords whom he is really servdepartment of education measure did that is to be adopted. not emerge from committee; the postal wage increase bill was vetoed at the last moment by Coolidge; farmers' relief legislation was not acted upon; small convention in themselves. Ev. such men as Frank Fisher of the expelled German customs officers the workmen's compensation bill for the District of Columbia, ousting pri- wing to plant the seeds of disruption of the electrical workers, and a few French and Belgium Ruhr railway opvate insurance companies from this line of graft, was strangled in committee; three proposals for international tribunals for settlement of international disputes were merely discussed

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remainder on a 50-50 basis.

braska. But smaller delegations, sometimes a single delegate has appeared from such isolated States as Alabama, Maryland, Tennessee, Rhode Island

Fight For Chairmanship.

The race for the permanent chairmanship of the convention furnished the first struggle of the convention. Senator Charles E. Taylor, of Montana from his state and it all looked like Nebraska, in the midst of the nominabuy a railroad ticket or get gasoline tion, started a fight for his method of for their flivvers. That is why they nominating by states and voting by Exactly opposite is the story of didn't come, and not because LaFol- states. Temporary chairman Mahoney had declined the permanent chairmanship in a very definite speech, but the Minnesotans threw Thomas Vollom. defeated candidate for Governor in Monday's primaries into the arena, while Taylor was hesitating for breath in an effort to put over his proposi

Non-Delegate Barred.

Mahoney, in the chair, ruled out a delegate. But South Dakota came to MacDonald turned his guns on the meantime Duncan MacDonald and "Brass Check" press to shreds so much

But the delegates had another card instructions. up their sleeves. Having tired of making nominations they insisted on having a look at the candidates, now a plea for the class Farmer-Labor including Mahoney, who had had a Party, the first outspoken plea of the change of heart and thrown his hat convention. The demonstration it into the ring. With MacDonald in the aroused was proof positive that the attacked Herriot for proposing to the German situation as uncertain as feat after another in all the decisions lying capitalist daily press of huge delegation. The workers' phil-Taylor, Putnam and Mahoney, were strongly centralized, and that they will each given five minutes to speak.

Taylor Wins Overwhelmingly. The vote by states showed Taylor Mahoney and Putnam getting only his while delegate Arnold, of South Dahours because of the large influx of own State of South Dakota with its kota, wanted it printed in a leaflet, credentials at the last moment, 14 votes. MacDonald was made vice which was also approved. chairman, the only opposition came for a time from the candidacy of C. U. Burquist, of Minnesota, but his the balloting.

Press Writers Name Red. One of the intensely revealing mo-Minnesota has the largest delegation the capitalist newspapermen having cretaries.

editor of "The Liberator" and special writer and cartoonist of the "Daily Worker" as their choice.

The press writers claimed they numbered more than 25, and that they had hastily organized into the Upton Sinclair Brass Check Local No. 1. Most of the delegates were acquainted with Sinclair's exposure of the capitalist press in his book, "The Brass Check." notice on Premier Herriot that the and Robert Minor was immediately sidered him and his cabinet agents seated as a delegate with one of the of the bourgeoisic and would oppose big demonstrations of the convention. Press Delegate Hits Press.

Upon being called upon for a speech, Minor ripped into the subsidized press in general, and especially for its treatment of the convention news. He extended an apology to the convention for the prostituted newspaper profession, one of the products of a sordid society.

He told of his covering of the republican convention at Cleveland for the Daily Worker, pointing out how the republicans had nominated a re-Vollom as a candidate as he was not frigerator for president, and a "Hell 'n Maria" for vice president, blowing bat for the nomination of its gubern- hot and cold at the same time. Before atorial candidate, A. L. Putnam. In the he was through, Minor had torn the Scott L. Lipple, were also nominated so, that his constituency, passed up a note that he should return for further man labor. "Why did you not say

Demands Class Party.

In closing his remarks Minor made be satisfied with nothing less.

Minor's speech made such a hit that delegate F. H. Schoonmaker, Wisconsin overwhelmingly elected permanent made a motion that was adopted, that chairman with 718 votes, 116 going to a copy of it be sent to Upton Sinclair,

Alice Lorraine Daly Secretary. Delegate Joseph Manley, Illinois, paid a glowing tribute to Alice Lor- to the chamber of deputies by beginseated directly were the World War name was withdrawn in the midst of raine Daly, in nominating her for ning with a hypocritical "conciliasecretary. She was elected without tory" smile at Germany and saying opposition. Miss Jessie Bullock East- that France would not move out of ner, Washington, and Otto Wangerin, the Ruhr until Germany had given in ments of the convention came when Minnesota, were made assistant Se-

WORKERS' AND FARMERS' CAUCUS IN PLANNING CONVENTION WORK

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 18.—Cau-|St. Paul Trades and Labor assembly. cuses are today an accepted part of two to one. the Farmer-Labor movement as a result of the gatherings since adjournment yesterday of the delegations of ditorium to the Labor temple for fur- mergue, are only a little less obvithe adjournment of the senate and the 30 states with representation ther caucus. This was fought on the ously attentive to the demands of the here. They not only selected their ground that many of the farmer dele- French and American capitalists who representatives on the various con- gates had gone off to other meetings, are still the "power behind the vention committees, but talked over and it was pointed out that the hold-throne' (or "chair," now) than their effect of the failure of congress to the big issues of the young movement ing of this rump gathering would not predecessors, Millerand and Poincare.

good part of the night deciding their with him. stand toward the LaFollette candi-This bulletin notes that rail labor dacy, the form of organization the

Hathaway Beats Starkey.

Minnesota delegation constituted a ment. In the small Starkey group are occupied territory and 600 of the 800 ery effort of its most reactionary Building Trades council, J. J. McCoy have gone back to their jobs. The was successfully fought. The com- others. mitteemen selected were William Ma. It was this element that managed honey, organization; C. A. Hathaway, to get a snap vote in the St. Paul platform; Louis Engstrom, candi. Trades and Labor assembly, sending dates. Hathaway, member of the Starkey as its delegate, with the in-Workers party, defeated the reaction. struction carrying the joker that if lary Frank Starkey, delegate of the the Communists were in control he WAR PROFITEERS' ROTTEN SHIPS

TO BE SALVAGED BY MORE MONEY

(Special to The Daily Worker)

board vessels from rust and decay in the harbors and roadbeds where they

engines are to be installed on sixty of them, while private enterprise will be

Chicago Branch Agents!

A most important meeting of Branch Agents will be held in THE DAILY WORKER Building, 1113 W. Wash-

month in boosting the Chicago circulation and at the

Saturday meeting new plans will be presented and worked out which will give further impetus to the rapidly growing DAILY WORKER circulation.

Saturday. Workers Party branches which have not yet appointed their Branch Agents should arrange to have

representatives present at the meeting and to elect their

Marked progress has been made during the past

It is essential that every Branch Agent be present next

lie is to be made by the board, it was announced today.

ington St., Saturday, June 21, at 3:00 P. M.

permanent agents at once.

WASHINGTON, June 18 .- One more effort to save the 375 idle shipping

Starkey sought to have the Minne ating its "right to reparations." sota delegation adjourn from the Au-social reformists, Herriot and Doube fair to them. Starkey then called Herriot is a little shrewder in readmanding the release of all class war to return to the house and senate for fined themselves to the selection of with him to the Labor temple, and a Donald of England, he is not really in-"I have been asked by delegates prisoners. An additional report of the signature another appropriation bill, their committeemen, others spent a few of his boon companions went off terested in the workers and peasants Reactionaries Aided G. O. P.

on the Republicans' side in the recent ing. state primaries, that they really have Already 7,000 Germans have been The more than 100 delegates of the no place in the Farmer-Labor move- allowed to return to their homes in the

should withdraw. If he bolts the convention, the Minnesota delegates say he will bolt it alone.

California Shelves Anti-Red. In the California caucus the Pacific coast delegation completely isolated, so far as the committees are concerned, another turbulent factor in the person of Walter Thomas Mills, who specializes in anti-Moscow arguments and forgets all about the With funds made available by congress, Diesel Zyep internal combustion fight against the capitalists. The California delegates decided they could encouraged by the shipping board to take over and similarly equip the get along without Mills' services, and put J. H. Ryckman on the platform committee; D. A. Gorman, committee on candidates; Anita Whitney, organization committee. The Washington delegation made

these selections: J. H. Ryan, Tacoma, platform; John C. Kennedy, organization, and Samuel Mason, candidates. Brass Check Local No. 1.

Two of the California delegates, W. W. Holther and J. H. Ryckman, have sent the following telegram to an offense only to the extreme nation-Upton Sinclair at Pasadena:

"More than 25 correspondents at convention organized on the job as Upton Sinclair Brass Check Local No. Gave Bob Minor credentials as their delegate. Called up for speech, Bob savagely excoriated capitalist press. Local demanded Bob's recall for further instructions. Tremendous ovation. Harmony prevails. Wire greetings. Holther and Ryckman."

Communists Attack Dawes' Plan

(Special to the Daily Worker.) PARIS, June 18 .- The 29 Communists in the chamber of deputies served They caught the spirit of the thing revolutionary workers of France conhim vigorously as the left bloc made its debut.

> Marcel Cachin, Communist spokesman, tore Herriot's speech into tatters, branding the Dawes report, which Herriot accepts without reservation, a plan to enslave Europe. "First the bankers are laying their hands on Germany," said Cachin, "and France's turn will come next. The Dawes report cannot solve the reparations problem.'

> While Herriot mouthed about freedom in general and peace for the world, he said nothing about the exploitation of subject peoples by the French imperialists. Herriot talked about the evacuation of the Ruhr after the French capitalists took their pound of flesh out of the body of Geranything about the evacuation of Syria and Morocco?" demanded Ca-

The Socialists, true to their role of crawling time servers, supported Herriot, but on the question of a break with the Vatican a Socialist deputy open an embassy in Moscow and to close one at Rome.

The new Herriot government is a middle-of-the-road one much like the Ramsay MacDonald "Labor" rule of England, and both seem determined to stuff the Morgan-Dawes reparations plan down the throat of Germany. Herriot goes to England Saturday to confer with MacDonald.

Herriot and President Doumergue fact all the guarantees provided by the American financial "experts" who assisted "Hell-an'-Maria" to put over Morgan's little plan for running western and middle Europe as one branch

of his banking business. Not Far from Reactionary. France's new government asserts its severest opposition to the German takes care to safeguard its own nationalists and industrialists by reiter-

of his country, but tosses them a few social-reform promises like scraps of It is charged that the little Starkey food from the banquet table of the

erators have hired 80,000 German workers to run the lines.

Another Social-Democrat. The new French government is opposed to the German nationalists and industrial lords, who in turn cordially hate Herriot. The German democrats seem on the whole pleased with the change in French affairs. Herriot is not too reactionary nor radical for them. He is a business man. But German Communists, of course, see thru the futile pretenses of Herriot and know that he will try to force the enslavement of German workers as well as French

The German industrial leaders want the masses of German workers to pay the reparations, while France seems intent upon forcing every German factory to meet a specified industrial obligation. The German workers will pay anyway besides giving the German industrial barons their profits, unless the growing Communist movement succeeds this time in sweeping away the debris of the social democracy and the cheap beer-cellar nationalist plots.

Premier Herriot protested again that his cabinet was one of "conciliation" toward Germany and that his minister of war, General Nollet, was alist militarist Germans.

Exploitation of the colonies may have been put in the program for the imperialists, or perhaps it is just a phrase anyway. Repudiation of any notions of conquest, however, was one part of the statement of foreign policy. Reduction of the standing army was another. Recognition of Russia with "protection of French interests" is an important part. France will allow dermany to join the League of Naions, according to Doumergue and Herriot, after the beaten nation complies with the treaty of Versailles.

Word has reached here that the League of Nations is already considering taking over military control of Germany under the announced terms

Ruthenberg Is Still Under Sentence. Did You Get Your Defense Button Yet? LABOR DEFENSE COUN-CIL, 166 W. Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois.

FROM ST. PAUL TO WASHINGTON WITH THE DAILY WORKER

The representatives of the workers and farmers from all over the United States are at St. Paul building a class party that is destined to sweep the political parties of capitalism from power and place a Workers' government in Washington. During the next few months one of the greatest political battles ever waged in America will be fought with the Farmer-Labor Party leading against the capitalist parties. Get into this fight NOW with the DAILY WORKER. Let your answer to LaFollette and his disrupters be a subscription to the fighting Communist daily. Subscribe now.

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SUCCESS SECRET LIES ON THE HIP

Win," is Slogan

Democratic conclave meets here next week Bill Bryan's well-known frock coat will cover a powerfully loaded hip from which he will produce a flask of drinks for all and sundry of his and Klansmen will lie down in crowd- laid to Smith was a characteripasses made will be toward the other fellow's rear.

The mere fact that the meet will be staged by Tex Rickard, the well-known picker of knockers out, and will be staged in his Madison Square Garden where Rickard exhibits these Ks. O., has nothing to do with nothing.

May Fight For the Moon. The only fights will be between the delegates and the New York cops who have said they will not allow any peddlers of splintered moonshine to come near Madison Square. The betting is that the delegates will win the decision in the first round.

Oscar Underwood who was against the Klan and was defeated in every state where the Klan was against him will indicate his willingness to appoint Grand Dragons to cabinet posts and janitorships in Washington if he

Third class postmasterships will be reserved for Jews exclusively if Doc-Evans, head of the flery double crossers get the honor of the vice-

Real Peace Propaganda.

The leaders of the peace at any price faction have been doing clever their findings were biased. work, everybody says. They have confined their talk exclusively to who will get what job when the Jackass is turned loose in the lush pastures of the three American Legionaires who Washington. Then they pointed out he would never arrive unless all the Democrats agreed to stop fighting. They stopped.

People who bought ring side seats for the convention a few days ago at \$100 a shot expecting to see a grand free for all battle royal, are rioting in Madison Square and surrounding territory demanding that the backers give them back their money. Choruses of hundreds of voices can be heard at all hours yelling, "Foul! Gimme my money back." The Democrats promise refunds from the U.S. Treasury after

"Music in the Air."

The news of the fights in the G. O. P. comes as sweet and solemn music to the Democrats. Couriers, tired and ragged but with a happy gleam in their eye come nearly every hour from Washington with news of the latest insults Slemp is hurling at Butler and Butler is hurling at Lodge and Lodge is hurling at Slemp and Slemp is all for everybody who is battling somebody in the G. O. P.

Tammany Overlooked Bet.

Tammany is just a little piffed because they didn't think of having Charley Murphy buried by a rabbi as a peace offering. Bernard Baruch attends mass regularly at St. Patricks. The first time he attended he knocked down a plate passer with the generosity of his contribution to the Peter's Pence Fund.

Women Ask Donkey Party for Plank Against Hysteria DAILY WORKER KNOCKS ELECTRIC

(By Federated Press.)

NEW YORK, June 18 .- A plank "to abolish in the war department the campaign of espionage and vilification carried on since 1922 against the nation-wide crganizations of women who have co-operated to improve legisla tion in congress and in the state legislatures" has been proposed to the Women's Democratic Platform committee by the National Consumers' league. Maud Wood Park, chairman, Women's Joint Congressional committee, says in a supporting statement: "It is a sorry picture. Men of

wealth, economic and political power, men of military rank and prowess, screaming aloud in fear of wo men voters, hissing 'Bolshevist' thru chattering teeth at every woman prominent in public life." The equal rights constitutional

amendment of the National Woman's party and a plank urging prohibition enforcement have also been put before the Democratic platform commit-

FIGHTING WASHINGTON LAWYER RESISTS DISBARMENT PLOT-HE ADVOCATED THE GENERAL STRIKE

(By Defense News Service)

OLYMPIA, Wash., June 18.—Refusal of the state board of fifteen years and to promise him a sistent. He dogged the heels of the "Hips Not Heads Will law examiners to grant a jury trial to Elmer Smith, Centralia \$2,000 death benefit for his dependents Welfare department of Western Elecattorney and radical, who is facing disbarment for criticism of Superior Court Judge John M. Wilson, has been carried to the (Special to The Daily Worker)
NEW YORK, June 18.—When the Lengthy argument before that court has just been concluded. State Supreme Court by George F. Vanderveer, counsel for Smith.

of Assault Charge

(Special to the Daily Worker.)

Emma Sue is seven months old;

wuz nobody to take the babies so they

Party Activities Of

Local Chicago

BRANCH MEETINGS.

South Side English, 3201 S. Wabash

Russian Branch, 1902 W. Division

Scandinavian, Karl Marx, 2833

The third annual picnic of the

Controls Cicero Police.

had to come 'long, too.'

Thursday, June 19.

Hirsch Blvd.

Friday, June 20.

S. Halsted St.

While C. H. Gerding and his squad of stool pigeons are comb-

ing the plant to find out whether or not another DAILY WORKER

St., Chicago, Ill.

Smith was charged with casting aspersion upon the judiciary when he publicly assailed Judge Wilson for his conduct of the enemies, the wise ones say. That will Centralia Armistice Day trial at be the keynote of the Jackass Jockeys, Montesano in 1920. The objec-Peace and Harmony. The Catholics tionable language specifically ed hotel rooms together. The only zation of Judge Wilson as "a tool of the lumber trust."

He Helped Strike.

Another accusation against Smith was that he helped a general strike in the lumber fadustry to compel Governor Hart to liberate the eight I. W. W. members who are serving long terms in Walla Walla prison in con- little Negro babes-in-arms don't realnection with the Centralia rioting on ize yet that the farm they have just November 11, 1919.

Last October Smith was tried before the board of law examiners at Chehalis, the trial lasting several days, daddy are supposed to be criminals. Finally, the board recommended that They don't know either that the two Smith be disbarred, declaring that he "men" of their family, the 12 and 14 had made false charges against Judge year old brothers, Eugene and Nath-Wilson, and had violated his oath of aniel, were sent to the "reformatory." office in counselling a general strike.

Offered Proof. During Smith's trial before the law board, the defense repeatedly offered his deputies invaded their farms and declarations.

Affidavits presented to the supreme court with the record of Smith's trial show that two members of the law board, expressed belief that Smith was guilty before his trial. Vanderveer argued that the two examiners prejudiced the case, and thus to three years.

Vanderveer pointed out that Judge Wilson, in advance of the Centralia trial, had made speeches eulogizing were killed when they attacked the I. W. W. hall; that Judge Wilson once agreed that a fair trial of the I. W. W. defendants could not be held in Grays Harbor county, but subsequently ruled that the trial must be held in that hostile locality; that thruout the trial be prohibited the defense from introducing any evidence to prove that 100 business men conspired to raid the I. W. W. hall, or that there had been a previous raid upon the I. W. W., but permitted the prosecution to introduce freely all evidence calculated to show that the I. W. W. conspired to finaupon the Armistice Day

Lawyers Praise Bosses.
The law board found that Smith violated his oath of office in advocating a general strike in the lumber industry to compel the liberation of the Centralia defendants. "If his counsel were acted upon," said the board, "the lumber industry in the Northwest hurling at Beveridge. The Dems are would be demoralized. We know how large an element the lumber business is in the industry of the northwest. It Workers party, Local Chicago, will be and sent to the funeral a floral wreath you do, give him the burial of a mil is an obvious fact of which we may held Friday, July 4, at Stickney Park worth sixty dollars. take judicial notice that the larger Grove. A very elaborate program has Petropolus had been the sole sup- I did not want to bury my cousin like

Vanderveer pointed out to the supreme court that wherever good working conditions prevailed in the lum- freshments, etc. ber industry of the northwest, it was largely due to years of struggle by the 22nd St. line. Then take a Lyons- tor of his affairs and died a short time two thousand dollars which my the I. W. W. to obtain decent condi- Berwyn car to Stickney Park Grove. later. tions in the woods.

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secret service guessing.

the inside dope.

most of the men away, and hir-

are educating a lot of workers who

never thought along those lines be-

Spies Fight Unionism.

"C. H. Herding, head of the West-

(Continued from page 1.) Morgan's open shop firm also found it soldier in the war for democracy.

enough to receive it.

Western Electric Tuberculosis. telephone appliances, ruined his lungs fare department. and he died in the Columbus Extension hospital on July 28, 1922, at the

rewarded by death. thing for him were his fellow buffers lars more.'

Government pension fund, subscribed his cousin's relatives. fend Morgan's millions in bloody 1918. to by Petropolus when he was a

worth while to employ Petropulos for Pappageorge, however, proved per--but they were not considered good tric. "Twenty people from the Western Electric have come in to see me about the pension," said Pappageorge Petropolus worked at his buffing to the DAILY WORKER. "Then one job until fifteen years of fine rubber day they sent for me, and I went up dust inhalations from the hard rubber and talked to Mr. Hinrich, in the Wel-

Not a Dog's Burial.

"Hinrich asked me how much I had age of 33. He had entered the com- paid for Petropolus' funeral expenses. pany's employ while still a boy, you I told him between five and six hunsee, and stayed with it until he was dred dollars. This did not count the tombstone which I erected for him Then the only ones who did any and which cost several hundred dol-

and finishers, who clubbed together "'What,' Hinrich said, 'what did



JANUS PETROPOLUS

Fought in the world war under the flag of the United States; killed by the Greek branch, 722 Blue Island Ave. slave-driving system of the Western Electric Company.

number of employers of labor in the been arranged, consisting of speakers, port of on aged mother and two a dog." lumber industry treat their employes of whom Comrades James P. Cannon, orphaned sisters, and since Petropolus assistant executive secretary of the had a Western Electric employes Workers party, will be the main death benefit policy, good for two speaker; dancing, music, games, rethousand dollars, he was not afraid my consin's pension account with the to die. Petropolus called in his cousin, company. I told him I would not take To get there, take any car to end of Poppageorge, made him administra-

Admission is 35 cents and 50 cents at Company Wished Him Luck. the gate. GET YOUR TICKETS IN TRUST SPEED-UP PLAN ON NOODLE and since that time until his death was they need it very bad." The DAILY WORKER exposure of the conditions in the Western Electric plant has the company officials and company an employe of the company, except

my during the world war. buried in Elmwood cemetery, and There was nothing left over, but Pap- Send in that Subscription Today. reporter has slipped in, and while the employment office is turning death cut him off for all time from the blood sucking Western Electric coming only a few and then with ern Electric secret service, who has pany, the attitude of the corporation great precaution, men high up in the administrative branch have told me himself what his ideas are life had been so loyal suddenly the administrative branch have been calling on the DAILY Western Electric will not tolerate the Changed.

WORKER and giving the paper inroads of unionism in any form into When Pappageorge, as his cousin's Company Put off Paying. the Western Electric plant, and he administrator, went to the Welfare "You are doing great work," an of further says his force, which is said department of the Western Electric fice man employed in the Western to be composed of one of every ten company to arrange to have the \$2,000 Electric for the last nine years told men in the Western Electric plant, is sent directly to his cousin's mother the DAILY WORKER yesterday. "You going to fight all forms of unionism." the Western Electric officials put him "Gerding declares," the office man off, Pappageorge declares.

continued, "that he is anxious for the First they said there was no proof DAILY WORKER exposure to blow that Petropolus had a mother and two over. He believes that at this time if sisters in Greece. Then, after Pappa the American Federation of Labor put george went thru his cousin's papers one million dollars into the organiza- and took the documentary proof of tion of the Western Electric, the Petropolus' dependents to the Welcomplete organization, of the plant fare department at the Hawthorne could be accomplished. But Gerding plant, they still clung to their money

does not fear this very much, he says, because many of the Federation of Lawas no proof that Petropolus was supbor officials are obligated to the large porting his three relatives. Pappaindustrial plants and are afraid to put george immediately got on the job, on an aggressive unionization cam- and at much expense collected from the American Express company, the First National Bank of Chicago and "You can't ride on a street car, or several other banks, receipts for talk to a passer-by without meeting a drafts ranging from 50 to 500 dollars man who has worked in the Western which proved that Petropolus had

Electric plant," another man said to been sending his family money. the DAILY WORKER. Practically And He Was a Veteran. every man I meet in Cicero is either But the Western Electric, realizing working in the Western Electric now, that Petropolus was dead, and there or has worked there in the past. The was no chance to get more work out Western Electric controls the politics of him, refused to pay Pappageorge and administration of the town of Ci- the money for the family, which is

Finally Not a Cent. "Then Hinrich offered me \$150.00

dead man, and showed the bills he line. But when Petropolus had been had paid out in funeral expenses

Promoted-to Death.

"I have placed the matter of collecting the money due my cousin's family from the Western Electric in the er Block building," Pappageorge told the DAILY WORKER reporter. "I had repeatedly tried to get my cousin to leave the Western Electric and go-into business with me. I knew his work ers would be electing the president of was killing him. But Petropolus said, their company, not the president of a 'No, I have been here so long, and I Sunday school picnic and baseball have made so many friends here that club," said an observer who stood out-I can't leave. Besides, if I stay here side of the Western Electric factory, a little longer, they are promising me watching the parade of candidates for

Just Wouldn't Pay.

"I asked the Western Electric why they weren't going to spend more they would not pay."

WORKER reporter a sworn state- workers to a pitch of nervous enthument by Petropolus that he had siasm over the question of who is to orphaned sisters and an aged mother head the ice cream supply committee whom he was supporting. He also for the coming year, changed their showed the DAILY WORKER Petro-pulos' honorable discharge from the est attraction for the employes during United States army, where he served the past two weeks has been the sale during the war in the 62nd infantry. of the DAILY WORKER, with its only Thus Employes Are Tricked.

ises of sick and death benefits, and of autos, expensive campaign cards, wrung out of them by their work, only a small item in the campaign, leave their families destitute and which is in full swing for two weeks starving.

Another article on the Western Electric pension fund will appear to-

BIG ELECTRIC EXPOSE **BRINGS NEW FRIENDS** TO THE DAILY WORKER

Subscriptions to the DAILY WORKER from Cicero have begun to pour in, expressing appreciation of the expose of the Western Electric slave-driving, low wage system. Here is a typical letter just received by the DAILY WORKER.

If you have any more news of the Western Electric scab practices, send it in or call up the DAILY WORKER. Don't forget to send in a subscription to the DAILY WORK-

The letter follows: "Here is a two months' subscription to the DAILY WORKER. I got the paper from one of my work mates who was interested in the Western Electric exposure.

"I have worked there myself, so I know that you are telling the truth in the DAILY WORKER. Every young worker I ever met in Cicero has also either worked at Western Electric or has close friends who work there. They are all interested in your expose and admit that what you say about conditions there is the actual truth.

"You are doing good work. Go to get a few more subscribers for you this week.

"Yours with appreciation,

"CICERO FRIEND."

Political Prisoner Will Talk on "Free America" at Picnic

Jim Thompson, ex-political prisoner, who has learned about freedom in the cousin's policy calls for. Later Hin- United States while serving time in Petropolus had no qualms about his family because the Western Electric officials sent him word before he died "The Western Electric claimed they Thompson will tell the story of the 11 that they wished him all kinds of luck, and hoped he would get well had no proof that Petropolus was I. W. W.s who are in prison in the soon. The victim of Western Electric sending money to his family every state of Washington because they tuberculosis entered the company's month. They said: 'We only pay death fought the American Legion to a employ when he was fifteen years old, benefits to employes' families when standstill in defending their hall during a raid. To get to Grove, take 22nd Pappageorge showed the DAILY street car to Western Electric, transduring his service in the American ar- WORKER the bank account of the fer to Berwyn-Lyons and go to end of

Trust Pockets 'Death Benefit' BOSSES BOOST

hands of Attorney Devine, in the Reap- But Hawthorne Politics Can't Hide Expose

> "If Cicero were Russia these workoffices in the Hawthorne club for employes (including all "higherups"). Company officials who decided that

they gave my cousin an insurance po- than the usual \$100,000 of the worklicy for two thousand dollars if they ers' money this year for red, white didn't intend to pay it. But they said and blue streamers, for autos, for hand-shaking contests, for brass Pappageorge showed the DAILY bands and for pamphlets to rouse the too true expose of the slavish methods Thus the Western Electric tricks its used by the Western Electric comemployes while living with fake promwhen they die, with the life blood patriotic costuming and racket, is

Bosses Subsidize Club.

The Hawthorne club counts among its members every worker, man or woman, factory or office slave. It also counts large numbers of bosses, salaried company officials, who are expected to see that things go "right" in the club. It is these bosses who control the nominating committee, which practically dictates who is to be elected.

Extreme noisiness as a substitute for action is the principle on which the Hawthorne club is run. The club reading matter is carefully worded to give the impression that this club is an employes' organization for promotion of social and recreational activities. It is subsidized by the Western Electric company, which necessarily then controls the club.

Workers Want Expose.

Touted up as it was, the campaign parade was met with extreme apathy by the workers who crowded the streets of Cicero at lunch time. Workers hurried up to any the paper for themselves and for friends in the

"You needn't be afraid to buy the paper, Bill," said one man to a friend who looked on with his hands in his pockets. "Everybody's reading it now. No wonder the company arrested Reeve. They never bumped up against anything like this before."

"We want to join the organization that gets out that sheet," said a group of workers to Jack McCarthy, sales manager. "It will be a hard job, for one out of every ten men in Western Electric is a stool pigeon, but a membership drive by your party would raise the roof off this place in a month.'

Send In that Subscription Today.

This Lifer Might Have Been Sent Up After "Goldfish"

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 18 .-The so-called truth serum, a drug said to cause persons suspected of crime to tell the truth under its influence, was tried out with surprising results on Martin Hulbert, life termer in the Misouri penitentiary here. He was convicted of murder. The experiment was made at Hulbert's request. The work was performed by Dr. E. House, Feris, Tex., who has specialized in these

Under the drug, Hulbert answered romptly and intelligently. Who did you kill?-I didn't kill any-

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TECHNICAL AID-FREIHEIT PICNIC POSTPONED TO JUNE 28—TAKE NOTE

The picnic planned for June 8 by the Society for Technical Ald to Soviet Russia and by the Freiheit was postponed on account of the bad weather to June 28, at Stickney Park, Lyons, III. Those who had tickets for June 8 can use them on June 28.

Those who have not yet procured tickets may get them at the Soviet School, 1902 W. Division St.; Russian Co-op Restaurant, 1734 W. Division St.: Freiheit office, 1145 Blue Island Ave.; Cheski's Restaurant, 3124 W. Roosevelt Road.

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SWIFTS HIDE

Excess Capital

By LELAND OLDS.

(Federated Press Industrial Editor.) Swift & Co., the giant meat-packing and food trust which has piled up profits of over \$250,000,000 in less than a generation, is all het up over the Federated Press statement that excessive profits have been made at marine warfare, now aged 75. the expense of farmers and consumers. The F. P. assertion that the true magnitude of Swift's profits has been concealed by financial manipulation stirred this big corporation to reply in a letter asserting that the current 8 per cent dividends on \$150,000,000 capital stock represent a return of only a little over 6 per cent on the gladly go with the bourgeois parties stockholders' actual investment of of the middle, but the more radical over \$213,000,000.

Invester Profits Bring Excess. This letter reveals how capitalization of enormous profits is used to blind the public to the current rate of profit. The actual cash put into indicate their tactics. In public they the business by the owners, accord- can say little enough, for their organs the only paper which deals with the ing to the federal trade commission, have again been suppressed. It is safe than \$86,233,000. The remainder is women, welded in the closest-knit orlargely the capitalization of profits in ganization of any of the parliamentary excess of reasonable dividends. This groups, will be able to follow an obmeans that the stockholder's annual structionist policy that will simply dividend is not 6 per cent, but 14 per compel concessions. cent, and his average profit since 1896 has been at the rate of more than 17 per cent. To capitalize profits means to earn excessive profits and put them "comrade." His party has suddenly in the business so they will them- decided to give up the name of Peo-

packing industry presented to Presi- "Radical Socialists" in France. dent Wilson in 1919, "Swift & Co. has grown in 33 years to a position where business, and \$30,746,000 by reason of this way. an appraisal of the property account in the fiscal year 1918."

\$128,000,000 from Exploitation.

000,000 represents a forced contribu- a test on republicanism and monarchtion by farmers and consumers.

show that net profits to stockholders interested in plebiscites of this sort. or nearly three times the entire cash should be called to establish a united investment of the owners.

The character of this company's exploitation of the country during emer- Russia Glad Crook gency is revealed in the unexampled profits of the two years America was at war. Net profits for 1917 were \$44,650,000, and for 1918 \$44,364,000, averaging more than four times prean annual return of about 30 per cent

figures, they had power enough over under the Protestant president. appropriations made by the senate to force the commission to discharge the expert who made the investigation.

Engineers' Chieftain Gets Good Grip Upon

CLEVELAND, O., June 18.-Warren S. Stone is indeed "grand chief" of the who would betray any party. Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers The triennial convention of the broth- Malone Jumps Again! erhood and its insurance organiza tions elected Stone president of all the engineers' activities-union, banking and insurance. Two vice presidents, a secretary and a grand chief engineer will head the departments under Stone's leadership. No wonder. they say he's out of the labor class!

Negro Residential Segregation Case

been taken to the United States su-unhindered. preme court for the decision of the Malone recommended Governor Al court of appeals of the District of Co- Smith of New York as the only man lumbia, affirming a decree of a lower who could beat Coolidge in the race court, which would permit real estate for the White House. He made no owners to agree among themselves mention of any third party interfernot to sell property to colored people, ence in the game. and to insert such agreements into the sale contracts.

LUDENDORFF, FORMER HEAD OF THE KAISER'S ARMY HAS ASSUMED THE LEADERSHIP OF TEUT SOCIALISTS

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER

BERLIN, June 18.—The parliamentary situation as it has re-Farmers Give vealed itself in the course of the week presents a hopeless muddle. The Marx cabinet is back on the job, as before the elections, with slight modifications. The farce of trying to enforce the Dawes' reparations scheme will be undertaken, at least on paper, tho it virtually means enslavement of the German working class.

How hopeless the bourgeois parties are may be judged from the fact that the monarchist nationalists could offer no better chancellor than Admiral von Tirpitz, father of unrestricted sub-

Young Worker

Current Issue

The latest issue of The Young

Worker, official organ of The Young

Workers League of America has just

come off the press filled with real

issuance with impatience, since it is

political and economic questions of

workers. In this field it holds sway

the league on its program for the

the farmer-labor party, including

planks for the abolition of child labor.

the 6 hour day, 5 day week for the

Max Shachtman on the real extent of

John Harvey analyzes the imperialist

bigger navy, and other young writers

A better buy for a nickel can not

name put down for a yearly subscrip-

A Letter and a Reply.

To the DAILY WORKER-Most of

your devoted readers are so smugly

ordinary interest. In other words,

too thick. The general write up is

Another point. Besides not bal-

use such a barbarism. Your ordinary

to supply sixteen daily extras.

But as Communists, your workingmen he asks.

comrades in the shop just describing until next week.

would want to get some real foreign

their particular industry. No highbrow

a bit of editing.

news of that order is spread a little Chicago, Illinois.

out its shortcomings.

also too verbose.

treat of other phases of activity.

The Socialists, tho numerically the strongest party next to the Nationalists, figure largely negatively. One reason is the disunion within their own ranks. The older wheelhorses like Scheide mann, Noske, Ebert, and Wells would element in their party which for the first time makes its appearance in the reichstag is opposed to coalition.

Communists United For Action. The Communists have said little to come to a point where they wait its Representatives is not \$213,000,000 but somewhat less to predict that a body of 62 men and the day from the angle of the young

Ludendorff a "Comrade."

General Ludendorff has turned others. There is also an article by ple's Freedom party and call itself "From an original investment of National Socialist party. Comrade \$300,000 in 1885," says the federal Ludendorff has about as much to do trade commission report on the meat with socialism as have Herriot's

The royalists are planning frequent the stockholders' equity is now valued demonstations. They seem to be part at \$234,576,000, and more than half of of well-laid propaganda for monarch this increase taken at \$130,092,000 ism disguised as patriotism. In Bay has come from profits (over and above aria it has been said that Prussia reasonable dividends) invested in the would be captured for monarchists in

Socialists for Dawes Plan. To clarify the issues, the Socialist Brought up to date, this means that party demands a popular referendum of the claimed \$213,000,000 investment on the Dawes' report. They hope all belonging to stockholders, the owners democratic and libera, elements will have contributed not more than \$86,- vote in favor, while the reactionaries 233,000 in cash. The remaining \$128,- will vote no. In this way they expect

Federal trade commission figures The Communists say they are not 1896 have totaled \$251,721,107, They believe a workers' congress front against the bourgeoisie.

Millerand is Out;

war profits. Swift was the most shameless of the packer war profit- shameless of the packer war profit- war profits. Swift was the most is rejoicing over the downfall of the shameless of the packer war profit- was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. Millerand-Poincare regime in France, an agreement with Russia will be concase.

MOSCOW, June 18.—Altho Russia is rejoicing over the downfall of the or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and Seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and seattle. Radity was involved in each or another bourgeois savior, or the St. International profits and seattle was a seattle MOSCOW, June 18 .- Altho Russia most of the officials do not expect on the entire net worth of the company and of nearly 60 per cent on the government. The big capitalists who cash investment of the stockholders. backed the Catholic Millerand are still Altho the big packers could not refute these federal trade commission change in the republic's foreign policy

Editor Steklov writes in the Izvestia that the Herriot party has never deforeigner, or even native laborer, is comrade with a letter of harsh critiparty of workers and peasants against the bourgeoisie, and that the "left bloc" has no program which could be offered the masses to bring a fight against reaction. Steklov denounced Brotherhood Business Millerand as one of the most dishon est characters in France, and the eanest renegade in the world-one

Coming from Paris to Boost Al Smith Russian papers are there for a regu- with a Communist squint that makes

(Special to the Daily Worker.)

PARIS, June 18 .- Dudley Field Malone, former collector of the port of New York and one of Woodrow Wilson's managers at the Baltimore convention, departed yesterday on the Berengaria for the democratic convention. He said that if McAdoo and In Supreme Court the Ku Klux Klan dictate the democratic candidate, the republicans NEW YORK, June 18.-Appeal has would surely walk into Washington

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NEW YORK CITY Party Activities

OPEN AIR MEETINGS. Saturday, June 21.

Section 2-110th St. and 5th Ave. Speaker, Jack Statchel. Section 3-165th St. and Prospect-Speakers, Joe Brahdy and Joe Pad-

ection 4 — Grand St. Extension, Grecht and Sam Nessin.

UNION HILL, N. J. Saturday, June 21.

Columbia St. and Bergenline Ave.-24th St. and Bergenline Ave.—Speak-

a Snappy Sheet APAN

on Provisions

(Special to the Dally Worker.)

TOKIO, Japan, June 18.-Japanese ecognition of Soviet Russia is nearly a fact. Mr. Yoshizawa, Japanese envoy to Peking who has been discussing the matter with Mr. Karakhan. the Russian representative, will report here personally to Foreign Minister youth, control of state militia and Shidehara.

child labor, proving that the statistics the following points: re-establishment before the German elections-Gerof the U.S. government fall about of relations as soon as the agreement many has had to make amends by 2,000,000 short in their calculations. motives behind congress's drive for a tion on time basis to be concluded; ed by anyone—in New York or elsein a fixed time and concessions to be serious complications for the state in be obtained. Send in the money to given Japan on the island; debts to be which they occur. The German elec-The Young Worker, 1113 W. Washingwritten off on most favored nation tions may stimulate French interest ton St., Chicago, Ill. Or better yet, stipulation basis; concessions to in friendly Russian relations. send in a dollar bill and have your Japan in Eastern Sibiria.

the Russian Soviet government and the military party which opposed the Japanese agreement is ready, it is Russia, and put in the business men's really only a matter of days before group which desires Siberian trade.

Reply-We Are Chastened.

our paper, along comes an anonymou

O'Flaherty. And above all, why not

We are humble and chastened after

translation. And we all admit-espe-

But the criticism that cuts us to the

THE VIEWS OF OUR READERS ON

LIFE, LABOR, INDUSTRY, POLITICS

that it is high time some one pointed ever A. V. F. may be, can't you get a

too benighted to me. It should appeal necessarily a lone hand game, either.

to the broad masses. By devoting It would be extremely interesting to

not an intellectual giant. Even the cism. The DAILY WORKER, says he,

bespectacled worker for the cause of is high-brow. It does not balance its

either sex likes a bit of so-called hu- news. It hasn't got enough "human in-

man interest stuff. In the daily strug- terest stuff." It has no real foreign

gle, and particularly at this time of news like Humanite or Rote Fahne.

depression, there is enough news of Its writers are mostly long-winded and

the kind to make Brownian sermons somewhat stupid-all except Tom

Again, sociological news when more letters from the workers, de-

pithily presented is the cat's meow. scribing their shops, industries, etc.,

news. The files of the Humanite, reading this letter. Our news is un-

Rote Fahne, and I do not know what balanced, doubtless; we are afflicted

lar harvest at practically no cost. I St. Paul outweigh all other news until

once hoped to be able to see a paper June 17th. Our foreign news comes

that would be a sort of universal pulse to a great degree from Humanite and

Another point. Sometime ago you cially when talking to members of the

were to run a serial. With popular in- Irish Federation-that O'Flaherty is

terest in pseudoscience there is an un- the only genius in the office. We admit

explored mine of articles by ordinary all our defects. We boast no more-

stuff. And think of the impetus to the quick, is that the workers do not

to see himself in print. Of course with WORKER. Ah, now, that strikes

The object of the paper must be to clique? That rubric should be newsy

SOVIET RUSSIA'S INTERNATIONAL POSITION STRONGER SINCE JAP, FRENCH AND GERMAN ELECTIONS OF CAPITAL

By ANISE.

MOSCOW, June 9.—Sudden and almost spectacular strengthening of Russia's international position follows a series of elections in Germany, France and Japan.

In France, the National bloc is out of power, its place being taken by the Herriot group with strong interests in Russia.

Brooklyn - Speakers, Rebecca Herriot last year visited Russia and arranged for soviet participation in the Lyons fair.

What this means for all Europe can be judged from the note almost of ter-Speakers, George Powers and oth- ror prevailing in the Polish and Roumanian parliaments. They see their large military subsidies cut off; they begin to fear that the new French government will deem Russia more mportant than Poland or Roumania.

> See Understanding With Russia. A France returning to the old policy of understanding with Russia,—that is what these little nations trained in the devious ways of European diplomacy

A sharp note sent by Chicherin the Polish government regarding percaused a flutter in Warsaw. It is amusing to see a Communist government rushing to the defense of religon, but the protest concerns violation of the Riga treaty guaranteeing freedom to the small nationalities in churches, in villages of White Rus sians and Ukrainians, are being forcibly taken from the Greek church

and given to the Roman Catholic

Germany Cans Red Raider. Meantime Germany, where som misguided reactionaries so far got A synopsis of the agreement drawn control of police powers as to raid up between Japan and Russia includes the Russian trade legation on the day is signed; continuation of the Ports- apologizing and firing the chief of mouth treaty and institution of a new police who did the job. Time was treaty of commerce; fishery conven- when Russian delegations were raid-Saghalien island to be evacuated with- where. Now these affairs lead to

Anti-Russian Japs Lose. Since China has already recognized Across Asia, Japan has thrown out Send in that Subscription Today. Japanese recognition goes into effect. Prospects for speedy agreements have never looked better. China has signed

> Anglo-Russian negotiations seem to be proceeding in a business like way

an agreement recognizing Russia.

In all these directions Russia will onsult her own interests. In spite of Brother O'Flaherty frequently makes flutterings in the diplomatic centers of some pretty good shots. I know sev-Europe, it can be predicted she will eral noncom's who buy the paper for make no alliance with any other govsatisfied with the DAILY WORKER his flings. Give us more of him. Whoernments as long as she is ruled by

livelier bird from the Liberator she may throw her trade in one direction or another, where she receives Dubious of Herriot make Communists. As such it seems and principally intersting. And not the greatest advantages. Old Man Hughes Behind Times.

> But enough for one day.—A. B. C., sidered an unfriendly act. Hughes was ignored The general tendency in Russia in foreign affairs is to swing from the Just as the editors of the DAILY old interest and admiration for Amer-

ancing your news, you limit yourself WORKER were getting all puffed up ica, and to base plans on Europe and to purely ideational news, if one may with pride, because of the praise given Asia.

"Emperor Jones" to Sing for National Negroes' Conference

(Special to the Daily Worker.) NEW YORK, June 18.—Latest deveopments announced today for the eating, and everything picnicky will 15th Annual Conference in Philadelphia, June 1, of the National As- young and old. Fox Chase car No. 50 sociation for the Advancement of on 5th street takes to Church Lane Colored People, include the following and the farm is nearby.

The Sunday, June 29, mass meeting of the N. A. A. C. P. Conference to be held in the Philadelphia Metropolftan Opera House. The entire proceedings of this meeting, which opens at 2:45 that even an untutored laborer would Rote Fahne, but maybe it suffers in p. m., daylight saving time, are to be broadcast by radio.

Paul Robeson, for two years a men ber of Walter Camp's All-American football team, member of Phi Beta Kappa Society and star of Eugene O'Nell's "Emperor Jones" and "All God's Chillun Got Wings," will sing at the Metropolitan House meeting on paper when everybody gets a chance write enough letters to the DAILY Sunday.

home! Our real editors, the readers Labor Crawfish I note on page 4, col. 7, Volume II., in the shops and factories, are not on No. 67, an article. What is its news the job enough. We pass this on to value? Propaganda value, educational those responsible, with the repeated King of League's "Labor" Annex

value? Nil. In view of col. 5-6, page 5, why col. 4, page 4? Why the redundancy of col 6, page 4? We heard that opinions, your criticisms. Help to edit the DAILY WORKER. (Special to the Daily Worker.) GENEVA, Switzerland, June 18. The "labor" annex of the League of Nations, the international labor council, opened its sessions here today with the election of Hjalmar Branting, Social-Democrat as president.

Branting, a Social-Democrat, was premier of Sweden during the period mmediately following the war, and was instrumental in keeping organized labor under the domination of the League. He is present Swedish representative on the council of the League. Acclamation greeted the an nouncement of his election

Another Politician. GENEVA, June 18 .- Hjalmar Brant ng, Swedish representative on the council of the League of Nations and former premier of Sweden, was unapi-mously elected president of the International Labor Conference.

KLAN COUNTS PROFITS NEAR MILLION; NUMBER NEW KNIGHTS 338,593

NEW YORK, June 18 .- If all the nighties of all the 338,593 members that the Ku Klux Klan has gained in the past year could be gathered up and shipped to Europe, there would be enough woolen goods to clothe the children of France, Germany and Roumania during the entire period of the coming economic

Profits to the Klan from the sale of nighties this year totals \$926,285, out of the year's \$2,208,809.44 receipts. Almost a million dollars were gotten out of poor suckers for the privilege of parading the streets in official negligee. Officers of the Klan got \$870,000 for inspecting uniforms. The rest of the \$1,-282,523.61 spent by the Klan this year went for tar, feathers, ropes and acetylene torches.

Progressive Tacoma Central Body Hit by Aged Labor Faker

(By the Federated Press.)

TACOMA, Wash., June 18.-Full ompliance with the disciplinary demands of the executive council, American Federation of Labor, as trans mitted by President Samuel Gompers, was quickly voted by the Tacoma Central Labor council. Neglect to do so would have meant automatic lifting of the Tacoma charter within 60 days.

While the acts obnoxious to the parent body were not specified they were referred to generally in the Gompers letter as failure by the Taolutionary and dual movements; neglect of the laws of the A. F. of L.

A demand for the report of Or ganizer C. O. Young who made the investigation for the A. F, of L. was voted down and concurrence with the ultimatum ordered expressed in a Communists and they are not. But uitable resolution.

quartet of city central bodies to re- two ports monthly, calling enroute at cevie disciplinary attention from the the ports of Roumania, Greece and And this is just the moment which executive council. Previous cases were the Adriatic Sea.

Young Workers League to Picnic Next Sunday in Philadelphia

(Special to the Daily Worker.) PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 18 .-The first grand annual picnic of the Young Workers League, branch No. 2, is coming off next Sunday, June 22, at the Louis Flaxman Farm and all the young people in town who have good sense are going to be there. A glorious program of sports, dancing, provide entertainment and fun for

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DIPLOMACYSHO

Newly Opened Closet Shows Skeletons

Special to the Daily Worker. BERLIN, June 18 .- The double ealing tactics played by monarchist Germany and England in their elaborate preparations for the world war are revealed by documents to be published on the 25th of this month in the fourteenth volume of official German Foreign Office documents.

Territory and trade as factors in deciding the alignment of the governments of Europe in the struggle were being weighed as far back as 1898, correspondence between Kaiser Wilhelm and Count von Bulow, then Foreign Minister, shows.

Kaiser Guessed Wrong. Asiatic rivalry between England and Czarist Russia gave the emperor and von Bulow assurance that England. even if rebuffed by Germany, would never form an alliance with France as long as France was allied with

Feeling safe from English agression Germany considered herself free to reect suggestions of an Anglo-German alliance, put forward by Joseph Chamberlain, colonial minister.

A communication from Wilhelm to Bulow, dated April 10, 1898, reads;

Wilhelm's Note. "An honest understanding between England and France would in any event signify the end of the Russian-French union. Russia would be sure to notice England's friendly attitude to Germany."

Bulow appended the following notes "That does not matter, provided the English cannot prove to the Russians nor the Russians to the English that we played a double game."

Ship Service with Russia Booming in Many European Ports

MOSCOW, June 18.—The State Black Sea shipping board is running fourteen regular lines during the curcoma body to confine itself to its own rent season. It is proposed to make territory; failure to recognize the su- large shipments of Donetz coal to the preme authority of the national and Near Eastern ports, where Russian nternational unions within their in- coal is successfully competing with the dustrial jurisdiction; furthering rev- English product. Steamers between Odessa and Vladivostok will ply four lines yearly.

According to the State Commercial Fleet, the Italian shipping company 'Lloyd Triestina" is, in connection with the restoration of Russo-Italian relations, re-opening the Odessa Trieste line. Mixed freight and passen-The Tacoma council is the last of a ger steamers are to ply between these

> freight and passenger ships, there is a regular freight service, and the steamers call at Roumanian ports, Constantinople and Greek, Italian, English and Dutch ports.

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The World of Labor o Industry J. Agriculture

Ex-Prisoner Leads Fight in Illinois

By TOM TIPPETT,

Federated Press Staff Correspondent. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 18.-Kate Richards O'Hare has started another crusade. It is a crusade against the prison factory trust. After spending 14 months in the Missouri state penitentiary as a political prisoner, Mrs. O'Hare has first-hand information on how prison-made merchandise is manufactured, how the contracts are negotiated with political crooks and how the market is flooded with working class wearing apparel tainted with the prison task system.

Mrs. O'Hare is in Illinois with a staff of field workers campaigning against the sale of prison-made mate rial. She exposes the prison trust before trade unions and gets a boycott pledge. Then she secures from the merchants a signed agreement against handling prison-made materials.

Reliance Has Monopoly. Mrs. O'Hare says the Reliance Manufacturing company has a monopoly on prison contracts. Its headquarters is at 212 West Monroe St., Chicago Milton F. Goodman, president. This concern manufactured in 17 prison sweatshops in 1923 more than 16,000, 000 work shirts. More than 6,000,000 were Big Yanks and the other 10,000,-000 comprised the other three Reliance brands, Black Beauty, Milton F. Goodman and Honor Bright blouses for boys.

"All of these prison-made garments are sold in competition with the products of free labor, (are purchased by farmers, workingmen and their wives who would revolt at wearing the products of sweated convict labor,' says Mrs. O'Hare. "Cleverly worded advertising conceals the fact that these articles are prison made. This advertising of the vicious prison factory trusts comes into millions of spectable publications, daily newspapers, farm journals and magazines published by fraternal societies."

Huge profits are gouged out of the prisoners by a task system imposed by ignorant and degenerate prison foremen. Failure to complete the task is punishable by prison torture, sometimes ending in death.

Convict Goods Flood Market. Flooding the market with convict

labor products puts free labor out of

"The girl who sat next to me in the prison workshop in Jefferson City, disease-laden garments went into the commerce of the United States under false labels, and were sold to inno- A full Farmer-Labor party ticket has and contributes promptly. cent purchasers to put on the bodies been nominated for the second con-

CRADLE OF LIBERTY **ROCKS IN STRIKE OF** BUILDING WORKERS

BOSTON, June 18 .- Fanuell hall, two public high school buildings and the fire alarm signal station, all under construction or repair, are on the strike list of the Boston United Building Trades council. Over 1,500 union men are out because the contractors for the city refuse to follow the statute and pay the union scale, as provided by the "prevailing wage" clause.

Communist and Labor Leaders Grabbed on Hoary Law in Canada

By JOHN ROBUR

(Federated Press Staff Correspondent) TORCNTO, Can., June 18.-A curi- serves as chairman of the council. ous instance of interference in the of receiving "alms." The law which ment of the Industrial Council and has has b en invoked by the police is the old law against vagrancy, which forbids the collection of "alms" without a certificate from a clergyman or two justices of the peace.

Young, president of the trades and la- J. Halkett, Brooklyn, chairman of the bor council, Harvey Murphy, an active board of Building Trades unions' replabor worker, and Walter Swift, a resentatives, New York City; Thomas member of the Communist Party of J. Curtis, the Bronx, vice-president of Canada. They intend to fight the case, the New York State Federation of Laclaiming that the rights they are as- bor; Jeremiah Ryan, Binghamton, secserting are exercised unchecked in retary of the Central Labor union of

Caucasian Workers Have Live and Strong Labor Organization

MOSCOW, June 18. - The trade unions of the Caucasus at their annual session, held this week, report that 95 per cent of all industrial and office workers are organized, and 50 per cent are working under collective agreements. The trade unions have American homes in the pages of re- in all 230,000 members, of whom 103,-000 are in industry, 50,000 in transport, and the rest in office employ. lyn, a building contractor. ment. Fifteen per cent are women, the small number accounted for by the fact that the main industries are oil and manganese mining, while the main population is Mohammedan.

West Va. Farm-Labor Party in Field to

Mo.," Mrs. O'Hare relates, "was in the Farmer-Labor candidates from con- Barbers' union of Brooklyn. There was a great open sore on sixth congresional district of West chased the stamp books which the lo-theme of the book. which the pus Virginia. "We are forced to represent cal committee has gotten out especialdripped. This girl was making baby ourselves and put men in office who ly for the children of the Ruhr strikunionalls, and she would use the gar- do not have to answer to Logan counments to wipe this pus from her face, ty coal operators, but to the people and toss them into the pile of finished alone," declared Charles Massau, forgoods. She coughed and sprayed her mer state chairman, Farmer-Labor workers should give the appeal of the who rules him; the "potheen" deal-

gressional district of West Virginia.

HAS BAIT FOR

Industrial Council

(Special to the Daily Worker.)

ments to the Industrial Council of the state labor department were anexpressions of his satisfaction at the re-establishment of the Industrial Council after three years banishment. five employer representatives, to sug-

Smith, already endorsed by many educational campaigns of labor has New York labor officials, anticipates arisen here. Three labor speakers, further support for his campaign for who took up collections at their meet- the Democratic presidential nominee ings, have been arrested on a charge on the strength of the re-establishplaced well-known A. F. of L. leaders on to represent labor.

Al Wants These.

The council appointees are as fol The three alleged "vags" are John lows: Representing employes: John Binghampton; John M. O'Hanlon, Troy, Secretary-treasurer of the New York State Federation of Labor; Mrs. Sarah A. Conboy, Brooklyn, international secretary-treasurer of the United Textile Workers.

Representing employers: Maxwell S. Wheeler, Buffalo, head of legal department of the Larkin company; Frederick H. Swan, Rochester, vicepresident of the Robeson Rochester corporation; Charles M. Winchester, Albany, president of the J. B. Lyon Printing company; Michael Friedham, New York City, president of B. Altman & Co.; William F. Kenny, Brook

Barbers Show Their Class Solidarity By Aiding Ruhr Miners

sent out by the International Work- so long. ers' Aid of New York in behalf of the Give Bosses Battle ers Ald of New York in behalf of the The struggle of the curate between his uncrushed love for the priest's first response by a contribution of \$50 niece, Lily, who has been "satisfac-SMITHERS, W. Va., June 18.— made by the Independent Journeymen torily" married off to a wealthy old

gressman down are in the field in the The executive committee has pur-devotion to the Lord is the main work with tuberculosis germs. These party, to the nominating convention. International Workers' Aid attention ers selling their whisky to the island-MORGANTOWN, W. Va., June 18.— ganization purchases the stamp books ous postmaster; the proud descendant

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ON RUSSIA AGAIN

Al Smith Puts Them on Berlin Correspondents "Sold" on Czarist Yarn

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 18 .- Appoint Federated Press Staff Correspondent. episode has just been written here for nounced by Governor Al Smtih with the "Brass Check" in connection with a news story concerning the Russian swinging the big bell on the ambassador to Germany, Krestinsky, speaker's table. He soon found, The new law permits the Industrial The dispatch was dated Moscow, and however, that the only way he Council, composed of five employe and contained the "news" that Krestinsky could swing the bell was to do it had put an ultimatum to the executive in the rhythm of the "Internagest to as well as to advise on request. committee of the Communist Interna- ed more as though he were playing the industrial commissioner, who tional to the effect that if the embas- an accompaniment to the song than sies and legations were further to be as tho he were calling for order. burdened with carrying on bolshevik propaganda in the countries in which they were accredited, Krestinsky handed him a high silk top hat which Howard in the presidential contest would resign from the diplomatic serv- contrasted strangely with the red of the International Typographical

Russian imperial army, who acts as a broken up the meeting. 'tipster" to this correspondent.

(The Chicago Tribune was among noticed in its columns.)

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BOOK REVIEWS

THE REAL IRELAND. By Esther Lowell.

THY NEIGHBOR'S WIFE, By Liam O'Flaherty. (Boni and Liveright.)

Unsparingly real is this story of a Irish Catholic curate in the NEW YORK, June 18.—The appeal hurled upon the credulous public for

in their unions and see that their or- ers with no discrimination; the offici of the old O'Malleys, who ruled the island, who wins the love of the mismated Lily; the old Socialist, John Carmody, who relishes his Friday morning bacon so much that he takes it out where his Catholic neighbors can hunger in its succulent odors; his young sister who shows off her new beau from the mainland at every opportunity; the peasants who have never given up their pagan rites but only accepted a Catholic veneer on them; all of these are carefully drawn with all their petty hopes and ambitions, their pride and their faults.

The action is crowded into the short space of a week, but almost every phase of the islanders' activiies is covered in that time from the arrival of the boat from the mainland each day, to confession and mass, to distributing the mail, to the great sports day of the Gaelic Athletic Association. Even the various political factions have a chance to give their views at a "Rally for Ireland" speech-

"Thy Neighbor's Wife" is well worth reading for a true picture of Ireland. The young author knows his own land, its people and their language. We agree with T. J. O'Flaherty's review in the "Irish People," that another book should be forthcoming lealing with the real people in the island, the people who feed, clothe and house the parasites he has so effectively castigated in "Thy Neigh-

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REDS' SONG AND LAUGHTER TOO **MUCH FOR LUDENDORFF-SOCIALIST** REICHSTAG, SO SESSION ADJOURNS

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER (Federated Press Staff Correspondent)

BERLIN, Germany, May 28.—(By Mail.)—The opening ses- Defense Asks Hughes' sion of the second Reichstag since the founding of the republic broke up in the midst of a singing contest between the Communists, who with sixty lusty voice chanted the "Internationale," and the ultra-reactionaries and nationalists, who answered the challenge by shouting "Deutschland, Deutschland Uber Alles" at on the case of Michael Bilokumsky. BERLIN, Germany, June 18.—A new the top of their voices. While the singing progressed, the presiding officer, by custom the oldest man in the house, and in this States, has been sent to Secretary of case a Socialist named Bock, at first tried to call for order, by State Charles E. Hughes by the na-

TYPO REACTIONARIES

WIN ELECTION OVER

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 18 .-

James Lynch, of Syracuse, N. Y., has

Other officers elected were:

Treasurer.

Seth Brown, Los Angeles, First

York, Second Vice President; J. W.

Hayes, Minneapolis, Minn., Secretary

All the officers elected ran on the

'Administration Ticket" with Lynch.

Operative Leader

By ARVID NELSON.

(Special to The DAILY WORKER.)

week upon receipt of a telegraphic

message from the sheriff of Alger

county, Mich., ordering that Ronn be

taken into custody. Ronn was imme-

diately locked up in the Superior city

jail. His attorney later learned over

the telephone from Munising, Mich.

that Ronn was charged with being

vate store building, located at Chat-

Upon arraignment in municipal

court in Superior, after the Michigan

sheriff's arrival, Ronn was liberated

under \$1,000 cash bail, pending extra-

dition proceedings seeking his sur-

render to the Michigan authorities.

Correspondents of the "Tyomies,"

local Finnish daily, report that Jack

Hautaluoma has obtained his release

Superior addressed this meeting.

ganizations in Superior.

Ronn has never attended nor ad-

Ronn and his friends in Superior

the central states, with which it is

Again; Accused Them

The police again have Dr. Spencer

000 mail robbery near Roundout, Ill.

Brown was recently convicted in

connection with another robbery and

had "goldfished" him. At that time the police were very sore at Brown.

of Using Goldfish

MILD PROGRESSIVES

tionale." The result was that it sound-

Prevent Reichstag Action. Whereupon someone behind him cotton handkerchief with which the union, according to complete unoffi-The story is not only made of whole veteran socialist had just wiped his cial returns today on the typographicloth but emanated, not from Moscow, brow. Solemnly and stately Bock put cal election. out from Berlin. The yarn was the "lid" on and ostentatiously left the launched by a Berlin correspondent of speaker's desk as a mark that he had an American metropolitan paper, who adjourned the session. The Commun- Vice President; Austin Newson, New got it from an ex-army officer of the ists had won their point: they had

It makes a difference whether a par-The story did not originate with the ty is represented by seventeen depuarmy officer either. The "tipster" in ties as during the first Reichstag, or turn relies for his information upon by sixty-two as the Communists now the anti-bolshevik emigre dailies ap- are! Their tactic will openly and pearing in Berlin in the Russian lan- avowedly be that of making parliaguage. One of these, Dni, invented ment impossible. They served notice in the first session that the rules of order adopted by the house will not the American papers that ran the exist for them. Epstein, a longshorefalse story. No retraction has been man from Hamburg, calmly continues to smoke his pipe despite the admoni tions of the pages of the house to de-

Demand Release of Communists. The first clash came within twenty seconds after the chairman had called the house to order. The Communists immediately demanded that, before the house do anything else, the eight Communists who are either doing time or being detained for examination by the Bavarian government be voted their liberty. The socialists said they would support a motion for their liberation, but that the house must first elect its officers and constitute itself Arran Islands and a delightful relief for business. The "voelkische," or from all the fantastic fairy stories of swastika Ludendorff-Hitlerites, supthe Emerald Isle that have been ported the Communists because one of their men is also doing time. Before a vote could be taken, the singing contest ensued during which the chairman left.

Voices were not the only thing brought along by the Communists. devil from South America, and his They were also in part armed with ployed with particular vigor when the much a puzzle to himself as it was sirens and whistles, which they em-Tirpitz were called. Also, they laid upon the table of the house a pair of iff of Alger county, Mich., arrived in blue spectacles said to be a replica Superior and it was disclosed that of those used by Ludendorff when he Ronn and Jack Hautaluoma, manager fled to Sweden in disguise during the of a Finnish co-operative store at first days of the revolution; a glove Chatham, Mich., were jointly charged stuffed with paper so as to make it with exploding a bomb last October look like a human hand, which was under a certain store and postoffice offered as a reminder of Scheide located at Chatham. Hautaluoma had mann's dictum on the eve of the sign- been placed under arrest in Michiing of the Versailles Treaty, "Rather shall my hand shrivel than that I sign the treaty;" and a bouquet of flowers for the Muich socialist leader Auer who, when Count Arco, the counterrevolutionist, was ill sent a bouquet to the latter as a "purely human act" having nothing to do with his political sympathies. Socialists Wane.

The ranks of the socialists have under \$1,000 bail in Michigan. These been greatly thinned as a result of the reports also state, that a number of last election. They have just one hun- other members of the Eben, Mich., dred members instead of the 170 of Finnish Workers' party local have the last parliament. Tho they are the been arrested and others summoned second largest party of the Reichstag, for a hearing before the authorities, they give one the impression of be- who have also seized all the minutes ing "all dolled up and no place to go." and records of the local. The authori-They have at no state of the negotia- ties, it is reported, charge that a motions over the coming cabinet suggest- tion was made and passed at a cered that the socialists be a part of the tain meeting of the Eben Finnish locoalition. This makes the old party cal to blow up the building of the priwheelhorses pretty sore, but the more vate storekeeper, and that Ronn from radical element is very much pleased

Speaking as a leader of this more dressed any meetings of any kind in radical element, Tony Sender said to that locality, altho he is affiliated your correspondent: "The best thing with and active in all the labor orthat can now happen is for the bourgeois parties to form a purely bourgeois government including the see in this charge of the Michigan au nationalists. Then the class lines will thorities a plot of some kind against be clearly drawn. I am glad our party the rising co-operative movement in is not wanted by them for a coalition."

The socialists have declared in a hoped to link up the Co-operative Cenmanifesto that they see in the accepttral Exchange, a co-operative whole ance of the Dawes' committee recomsale association of the co-operatives. mendations the only solution for the and the movement of the radical farmwoes of Europe, but they insist that ers and workers in general. the burdens arising therefrom for the German people must be distributed in Police Grab Brown a more "social" way.

Full Ticket Nominated. NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 18.-William Mackenzie of Stamford, and a member of the Carpenters' Union Brown in custody and are holding him incommunicado. This time Brown was nominated for governor by the State Farmer-Labor party convention, not Robert Mackenzie as formerly anis held in connection with the \$3,000. nounced. Candidates for presidential electors, congressmen, and for all state offices were nominated also. J. J. Ballain left as delegate to St. Paul. his chief defense was that the police

Aid for Russian

(Special to the Daily Worker.)

NEW YORK, June 18 .- A protest tional defense committee. New York division. Intervention of the secretary is requested.

Bilokumsky was deported on May 27 on a warrant from the department of labor, which should have sent him to Russia. Since deportation to Russia is impossible at present, Bilkumsky was thrust into hostile Roumania by the United States authorities.

The national defense committee protests that if Bilokumsky is left in Roumania or in any other country that is hostile to Russia, he may either be imprisoned or murdered." The protest adds further: "In view of the fact that the life or liberty of one of those whom we are defending is placed in jeopardy by a department of this country we deem it necessary to call your attention to the fact and ask you to intervene in behalf of said Michael Bilokumsky, feeling sure that no such act on the part of the labor department would meet with your ap-

Austrian Workers Aid German Miners Striking in Ruhr

Austrian workers, who up to the present time have refused to make a pecial collection for the striking Ruhr Attempt to Railroad Cominers, have finally joined in with the International Workers Aid, according to the American office, in action for the locked-out workers. Dr. Julius Dempler, Prof. Carl Gruenberg, Counsellor Victorstain, Dr. Max Alder, Dr. SUPERIOR, Wis. - Eskel Ronn, J. Bach, and Dr. Margaret Hilferding manager of the Co-operative Central signed the the call sent out by the Austrian Social Democrat Party for Exchange, was arrested by local auassistance to the German workers. thorities on Tuesday morning of this

The strike of the coal miners in the Ruhr and in upper Silesia and Saxony continues unabated with hundreds of workers out. In Germany, the International Workers Aid has made collections even among workers in the Ruhr district that are still employed. The Czech workers have sent 20 boxes of food. Children have been distributed complicated in the bombing of a pri- between Belgium and Holland. The American Committee has sent \$5,000 ham, Mich., which occurred last Oc. and another \$5,000 is on its way. All workers of New York continue to support the campaign and dispose of names of Bismarck, Ludendorff and to all his friends and acquaintances. the local special stamps for the chil-On the following morning the sher- dren of the striking workers issued by the local office at 208 E. 12th St.



The Poor Fish says: I see where these confounded Soviets are trying to turn the calendar upside down. They cannot give us peace and quiet, what we need, we that work so hard. Not alone do they want to rob our capitalists of their hard-earned wealth, but now want to give the workers a day off out of every five. What would they do in their spare

Are you self-conscious about the impression you make on people?

PERSONAL appearance has a lot to do with the way you feel. Clothes count, of course. But still there is one thing so many people overlook—something that at once brands them as either fastidious or

not well kept they at once become a liability.

Louis, U. S. A.

Notice today how you, yourself, watch another person's teeth when he or she is talking. If the teeth are

A large tube of Listerine Tooth Paste is only 25 cents; at your drug-gist's.—Lambert Pharmacal Co., Sain

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Who Owns Crowe?

efficiency campaign which had the objective of cisti dictator for a showdown. slashing the payroll two million dollars yearly by The boasted purity of purpose of the Italian laying off thousands of workers and increasing the Fascisti, it seems was about to be exposed by Matoutput per employe so as to maintain the former teoti. The saviors of Italy like our own Ku Klux standard of production with a reduced staff and if Klan, the Falls, Daugherties and Coolidges were possible increase it.

into believing that increased efficiency on their tunes for themselves with the loot. The deposi- French parliament and editor of that anarchism and anarcho-syndicalism The Franco-Russian part meant more work for them and more pro- ters whose savings were stolen now call frantically great Communist daily, L'Humanite, was strong indeed. The workers were TRADE-AGREEMENT. sperity for the whole country including the com- for the documents that are alleged to be in Signor pany. What was good for the company was good Matteoti's portfolio when he was kidnapped and for its employes. After all are not the Western most likely murdered by those who had reason to Electric Company and its employes members of fear the threatening exposure. The comrades of can't send the WORKER any French one happy family?

company buncombe in a series of articles written their organizations wrecked, and their printing by its staff reporters who went into the plant and plants smashed, are also watching the situation worked in order to get the facts first hand. Thou- with an interest that bodes ill to the arch assassin two there and I was embarked in a sands of the papers containing the stories were of the Italian workingclass. sold daily at the gates of the plant. The workers | Mussolini, the black dictator tried the wrong were glad that at last they had a paper to tell the kind of dictatorship. He tried to block the onward truth about the conditions under which they la- march of evolution. Backed by capitalism he

ed hat. The propaganda of the bosses went in one from class rule that for a moment promised to win ear and out in another. The workers had their in Italy. Today he sees his edifice crumbling about eyes opened. So had the stool pigeons of the elec- him. What he may do or can do in this critical tric trust. Karl Reeve, the man who made the exposure for the Daily Worker was arrested and a racy but it is a reasonable deduction from the recharge of disorderly conduct placed against him. ports coming from Italy that the end of his bloody When he appeared in court a man from state's rule is not far off. attorney's Crowe's office was there at the request of the Western Electric Company to assist the trust in blocking the expose. Crowe's office is now busy trying to frame up on the Daily Worker for Is it a criminal offense to criticise a president of Comrade Cachin's splendid speech, I

He is always at the service of the bosses. He would friends? never be elected to office but for the votes of the workers who are not yet class conscious.

Republican tickets are like Crowe owned by the and the things for which he stands. employers.

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The "Third Degree" Every now and then a howl goes up from the

liberal elements over some particularly obnoxious incident connected with the working of the capitalist government. But the shouting soon dies down and the capitalist government goes along riding roughshod over the people's "rights," recognized more in breach than in observance.

The arrests of two Chicago teachers on suspicion of being connected with the murder of the Franks boy, and the tortures inflicted on them in an attempt to extract confessions of guilt from pass into eternity if they ever faced a number of them under pressure has again brought these bru. men approximating their number, followed him tal police methods to public attention.

The two teachers were beaten, frightened and threatened with death unless "they came clean," "told what they know," or informed the police "where they buried the body." To justify the illegal detention of these men, incommunicado, the the teachers confessed to sex persersion and

After the Leopold-Loeb confession was secured, the two victims of police brutality were released. When the facts of their treatment became known, an investigation of the truth of the charge made against the police was started but the two men had a taste of what the police can do in the way of punishment and are afraid to testify.

But for the comparative prominence of the tutors the beating and torture they suffered would never come to light. Had they been ordinary work- power will they be immune from such outrages. ers, nobody would bother about them.

The brutality of the police will continue until the workers who suffer most from it will exert their political and industrial might and wipe out ning Journal, commenting on the Chicago, Mil- ist message before the workers of all Paris, to the chamber of deputies! the brutal capitalist system which brutalizes its

Capitalist governments do not maintain power because they serve the people. They exist by force and are primarily for the purpose of keeping the

workers in subjection. The "third degreeing" of workers must go. But it will not go until the workers act.

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Mussolini in a Fix

Signor Matteoti, millionaire Socialist deputy, who was kidnapped by the Fascisti has not yet been returned dead or alive. It is quite likely he will never be returned alive. The wife of the missing deputy implores Mussolini to give her back the body of her husband so that she can give him decent burial. The black shirt dictator hypocriticalalive. He knows better than anybody else except those who did the kidnapping whether Matteoti Chicago, Illinois can be returned alive or not.

Mussolini and his murder gang have killed thousands of Italian workers during their career of crime. But they were applauded by the capitalist press of the world. Now the story is different. Mussolini's gang did away with a millionaire socialist. This is striking too near home. :It is an act of desperation, which shows that Mussolini is finding the ground slipping from under his feet. It is no wonder that his face was yellow when call-It is no wonder that his face was yellow when called When the Daily Worker began its exposure of on to explain the disappearance of Matteoti. The the conditions that exist in the monster plant of anti-Fascisti bourgeois press which tolerated and the Western Electric company in Cicero, the offi- approved the murders of the Communists now becials of that company were in the midst of an gins to dig up enough courage to call on the Fas-

found to be colossal thieves who looted one great The bosses were trying to bamboozle the workers financial institution and build up tremendous forthe murdered workers and those whose homes were election stuff, at least I'll send them The Daily Worker set off a bomb under this burned, who saw their labor temples destroyed,

bored; a paper that would fight their battles. turned his face to the past and sought by artifi-The inefficiency system was knocked into a cock-cial means to thwart the movement for freedom

Les Majeste

coming to the aid of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? It all. This sturdy old of Expension of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the constitute of the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the United States? Not according to the unorganized and exploit the unorgani Who owns Robert E. Crowe? He is backed by patched together quite a long time ago outside of the Chamber of Commerce, the Chicago Tribune recent additions, which are also carelessly ob- off the bat, to the DAILY WORKER! and all the capitalist papers in the city of Chicago. served, and anyhow what is a constitution between

Since the Teapot Dome party held its convention in Cleveland and affirmed Wall Street's nomina-The employes of the Western Electric company tion of Calvin Coolidge, two outrages were comare urged to read the story of the St. Paul Convenmitted against workers and citizens of the United rade Ferguson, the Communist who ception of the retiring Convenience of the Communist candidates. tion, join a political party of the workers that will States for availing themselves of their constitu- is running as Labor Party parliamentelect men to office pledged to represent the workers tional right to state their views on current events ary candidate for Kevingrove. Glasalone. Politicians elected on the Democratic and and to criticise the president of the United States gow," said the secretary amiably, "and

> In the city of Philadelphia, in the state made quarters of an hour to get to your famous by the much touted progressive governor, hotel, pack up, and get the train to Gifford Pinchot, H. M. Wicks, of the Workers' party, was arrested while speaking at a picnic, because of his criticism of Calvin Coolidge. True WORKER any special stories. By the to Pennsylvania style the arrest was made by time we would have finished in Glasmounted policemen, or cossacks, and the outing broken up.

> In Buffalo, New York, as a member of the Proletarian party was speaking on the street corner in Comrade Cachin. On the train to Glasthe vicinity of the headquarters of the American gow; in between the rousing meet-Legion, a gang of hoodlums was organized by the ings in Glasgow-international ones legion which seized the defenseless speaker, and Frenchman, Cachin, the Dutchman, beat him severely. Not satisfied with the first Edo Fimmen, and the semi-American, beating the brave warriors who would no doubt myself-and on the train, on Monday, down the street and gave him a second beating.

The capitalist class care nothing for law; order or constitutional methods except when their own purposes can be served thereby. Their laws are made to protect their ill-gotten property and to keep the workers down. They violate their own Communist Party had, for the first police issued fantastic statements to the effect that laws officially and unofficially. In Philadelphia time, organized a really centralized Comrade Wicks was arrested by uniformed servants of capitalism. In Buffalo the extra-legal districts—it is the legacy of the old arms of the capitalist government punished the revolutionary federalist and autonom worker who that he had a right to express his opin-list thought of France. But in the ion on the affairs of the country in which he was living and working.

> This state of affairs cannot be remedied by try- scient one, in which every unit of the ing to democratise or civilize capitalism. The party participated with energy. system must be destroyed and the workers must set about reconstructing society on a Communists' basis. Only when the workers have governmental

"The cure for highway robbery is unfailing in hundreds of them, but for purposes punishment of the robbers," says the Chicago Eve- of propaganda, to bring the Communwaukee and St. Paul robbery. The darned trouble fight practically alone. They had rade Doriot," said Cachin. "But they is there are too many robbers and they control the called upon the socialist party to form, government.

At a mass meeting in Tokio speeches were made denouncing the United States and resolutions the proletarian Communists. But the frowned down over the clear, keen of the teeming city—the city of fabu- "Good-bye, comrade! Best wishes! passed calling on naval reservists to be ready for 'defense of the nation's honor." Did you ever hear inything like that before? Of course you did and of Labor joined with them, and the ery likely you will hear the same story again.

MARCEL CACHIN, GREAT FRENCH COMMUNIST, TELLS OF PARTY'S AMAZING SUCCESS IN CAMPAIGN

By CHARLES ASHLEIGH. (Special to The Daily Worker)

LONDON, May 20.—(By Mail.)—"Man proposes, and the ly said he would be glad to return her husband movement disposes," would be an apt adaptation of an old adage, By the Soviet shipyards. for the use of revolutionists. The last couple of weeks, or so, has In the rout seen much sudden changing of my plans and, incidentally, those Of Wrangle's forces plans I had made regarding the DAILY WORKER, owing to the Along with all the other exigencies of the class struggle.

Communists Double Membership.

unaccustomed to the idea of a strong,

Great Swing to Left.

have voted for the Socialists and the

Radicals, hoping that these parties

It is terrible to try and be a correspondent of the one Englishspeaking Communist daily in the world and, at the same time, to be ruthlessly ordered here and there by genial, but quite relentless, officials of the Communist party of Great Britain.

For instance, I wished to report the French elections for the DAILY WORKER. I had had the opportunity of getting to Paris. So I got there, But then, alas, came a peremptory wire from England, and back I went. For the British Communist party was going to have a party congress and many, also, there has long been the THOUSANDS of burned bridges they wanted me there. I had fraternal tradition of centralized, disciplined HUNDREDS of burned villages delegate's credentials from the Workers Party of America, for one thing: and, for another, Marcel Cachin, just re-elected as Communist deputy to the And in France the old tradition of When they sign was to be present as fraternal delegate from the French party, and I was centralized Marxian party of revolu- But I wonder to interpret his speech.

So I thought to myself, "Well, if I two or three stories on the British party congress." And with that conso

lation did I salve my soul. Back to London I came. A day or special delegate's coach, on the train for Manchester, where the congress was to be held.

The following morning the congress opened. During the opening speech I scribbled a few lines of my opening describing the hall and giving the number of delegates. I also enclosed the resolutions and the agenda. This

And no sooner had I got this done when I was called from my place. Be ready to interpret Cachin," I was told. I secured pencil and paper, with Cachin, and my labors began.

And then, after I had interpreted debts on to the proletariat. But it was not to be. Again I was

called from my seat. With Cachin to Glasgow.

"We're going to send Comrade unist who you've got to go with him to interpret his speeches. You have only got three-

Meekly, I left. It seemed that I hould never be able to send the gow, the Congress would be over.

But, after all, I did get a story for the DAILY WORKER, and a good one, too. Because I spent three days with returning to London; all this time I was talking with Comrade Cachin.

FRENCH COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN.

Naturally, he talked about the elec tions. He told me how the French campaign. The French traditional election campaign they had organized straight from headquarters in Paris. t was a stirring campaign and an ef-

Fight in 500 Constituencies.

ause they had any hopes of success rance. The Communist Party had to workers, organized in the trade unions affiliated to the Unitary Confederation with courage and ability.

By ANISE

A SHIP LAUNCHING (Federated Press Staff Writer)

They have celebrated The LAUNCHING of a ship WRECKED by the French invaders. The Chalirdal was seized Boats in sight, To carry off the officers Of the White Army. But in their panic hurry They ran it on a sandbar. The Communists have more than So the French removed oubled their membership. They had The ENGINES, only 10 deputies in the chamber before And smashed up all the woodwork, the election. Now they have 26. They And scrawled polled nearly a million votes. In some Across the broken cabin-walls; industrial districts the Communist "Good-bye, Bosheviks! vote was greater than the total vote This is good enough for you!"

of all the other parties. This is a great success, especially to be realized But the Bolshies if we can get the right focus on Didn't think it good enough, France. Germany is different. In de- So they towed it into the harbor feated Germany the process of At Odessa capitalist decay has gone much And fixed it up again further than in France. In Ger- Just as they fixed parties of the workers. In France, All thru south Russia. the workers have not been reduced to And now such conditoins of starvation and They have finished it in time misery as are the German workers. To carry freight to France

HOW MANY MORE Little freight ships And higger ships of state. As Comrade Cachin remarked, this Scattered thru the broken lands narks the beginning of great Com- Of eastern Europe, nunist advances in France. There is Which were wrecked a definite swing to the Left, as was By Poincare, unmistakably shown by the elections. Will be fixed up at last? Hundreds of thousands of workers By those BOLSHEVIKS?

stability and an alleviation of the bur- French elections, and had been edit- railroads that cannot safely ship valing a daily paper in between whiles, uable consignments from city to city, But they will be unable to do this, Then he had traveled to London, and said Comrade Cachin. The bourgeois then from London to Manchester for parties of the Left cannot bring peace the congress. From there we had gone and the owner of a nifty figure, was to Europe, nor can they cope with the straight on to Glasgow, where he had on the pay roll of Jefferson Livinggrowing financial problems of France. made two long, fighting speeches, and ston, millionaire and owner of a large Only revolutionary action can do this. now we were making another long Kentucky breeding stable for racing In five years' time the French state train journey back to London. And horses. He was running a harem on will not even be in a position to pay from London, he was to go straight the side, it seems. The old man simthe interest on its ordinary national to Paris, to his beloved paper. He ply could not get out of business. debt-let alone its enormous war talked of the paper with love and un- Miss Buell, however, was too extravadebts to other countries. And then quenchable enthusiasm; it was evi- gant, declared the old capitalist supwill come national ruin. And the So-dent that "Humanite" was his life's porter of the home, the family, the cialists and Radicals, like the Social- job to him. Yet, he had to attend the purity of young and virtuous wemanmounted the red-draped presidium ists and Radicals in Germany, will chamber, and party councils as well. hood and the sturdy foe of Communseek to throw the burden of these And public speaking was another con- ism, so he cut her off with the protinual occupation.

ening and reporting. Ah, the good of the Socialists and Radicals. Then ple are of the same stock as the Irish, the loss of the turfman's affections, stories I would be able to send, hot will come the great movement of the Welsh and Gaelic Scotch—is a fighter such as they were, or at least until masses over to the Communist Party. born, and he exults in the struggle as she got a decent job with good pay. come to the cause.

ABOUT THE DAILY WORKER.

listened with close attention, and im-

It was a happy meeting this: be

ween the editor of an historically fa

nous paper, the paper founded by

Jaures, with its circulation of about

50,000 among the workers of France

and the roving occasional correspond

nt of a new and vigorous young pio

seer journal, which is just setting out

with dauntless courage and untiring

igor, to attack the monstrous power

Greetings to Daily Worker.

ing the trade union movement

of American capitalism.

Workers And Peasants Only.

One of the striking things about the last election, said Comrade Cachin, Cachin at once to Glasgow, to speak at two meetings tomorrow for Communist candidates. With the exputies who stood for re-election, and of the heroic sailor, Marty, all the ed in the DAILY WORKER. He reccongress of the French Party, it was United States. He asked me a dozen decided that no full-time party officials questions about the DAILY WORK-

should stand for the Chamber. So, every one of the candidates was Cachin does not know English, and so came among their electors, to bring distribution, and many other keen Particularly striking was the number say, I could not answer, being an exdidates in the Communist cause.

"So," said Comrade Cachin, "when thing I knew about the paper, and the chamber opens, they will march about the Workers party and the in, straight from the factories, the Trade Union Educational league. He nines, the fields, or the prison, carryng with them the marks of their ard mediately spoke in warm approval uous and ill-paid toil, bringing with when I mentioned the tactics of the them, into the effete atmosphere of party with regard to the formation of the chamber of deputies, all the vigor a Farmer-Labor party in America, and of their proletarian hatred of capital- when I touched on the policy regardism and determination to end it."

Jailed for Work in Ruhr.

Marty was not the only ex-prisoner vho was elected. Comrade Cachin imself, not so long ago, passed five nonths in the Sante, the well-known Paris jail, for having brot the message of brotherhood from the French workers to the workers of the Rhur. That splendid fighter, Vaillant-Couturier, who has also been re-elected, also has suffered imprisonment in the workers' cause, as have several others. The case of Jaques Doriot is partic-

plarly interesting. Doriot is a young worker who holds a prominent position in the Young Communist movement of France. Together with others of this comrades, he was recently sentenced to six months' imprisonment There are over 500 electoral consti- for activities among the French soldfor activities among the French soldiers in the occupied German territory. daily across the wide Atlantic, and leave the poor Socialists and J. A. H. tuencies in France; and the Communiers in the occupied German territory. ist Party presented its candidates in He was sentenced and imprisoned every single one of them! Not be about three days before the election. And, on the Sunday following his im- the American proletariat. The work prisonment, he was triumphantly ers and peasants of France will watch, elected, by a working-class suburb of with sympathy and understanding, of which are built upon blood a

the struggle of the American workers "They have not yet released Com- and farmers against the powers of soon will. We're going to see to it and wish them all success in their ef- He was to go on to Paris, to take with them, the bloc of the workers that he is free for the opening of the forts and peasants, but the socialist party chamber, the first week in June." And had preferred an alliance with the the old fighter's chin shot forward, tion. We were in London. We for I had two committees to attend bourgeois liberals, rather than with and those fierce, beetling eyebrows

Cachin's Man-Sized Job.

Comrade Cachin did not seem to be great majority live lives bereft of joy, ternational. in years. He had spoken at an aver- an immense empire, the foundations WORKER after all!

The Minnesota Daily Star is in deadly fear of the Communists. We do not blame it. Every grafter and political crook from the Statue of

Liberty to the Golden Gate has several substantial reasons for fearing the communists. One reason is that the communists are out to abolish the robber system on which grafters thrive. We can dispense with all the other reasons as superfluous. The Communists are becoming an important political factor in Minnesota and the slimy Van Lear warns all those would "play ball" with the radicals that they are marked for slaughter. The Minnesota Star has a lot of impudence to warn anybody. It has one foot in the grave and another in the political underworld of the Twin Cities. It has lost every share of decency it ever possessed and is a stench in the nostrils of all progressives. Van Lear was made mayor of Minneapolis by the radicals and the progressives. He sold them out. He would not be elected dog catcher today. The Communists do not wage political campaigns in order to get elected to office.

Van Lear is warning those who like himself look on the working class movement' as a stepladder to power, influence and graft.

The police claim that the solution of the \$3,000,000 train robbery is at hand. Nothing remains to be done except the location of the loot and the robbers: that is, the robbers who have not yet been arrested. Those arrested are supposed to be innocent until proven guilty, but as usual the police declare they have the culprits. Perhaps they have. We are so accustomed to police "confessions" and the methods used in securing them that a policeman's word counts for little. in the capitalist press commenting on will bring them peace and financial age of five meetings a day, during the the inefficiency of the privately owned

> Miss Muriel Buell, 28 years young verbial nickel. Muriel is now telling heartily as does any youth, newly The world waits with baited breath while the judge is making up his mind, if he has any.

That interesting old faker, Arthur Brisbane, produces almost as many editorials as Ford does flivvers. He is usually clever, tho not always truthcandidates came straight out of the ognized to the full the importance of thru editorials; sometimes he writes factory or workshop, or from the fields an English language daily paper to boosts for the Standard Oil company of the peasantry. At the last national the Communist movement of the in return for juicy advertising contracts. He is nothing if not original. Brisbane is employed by William ER: about its make-up (Comrade Randolph Hearst at a salary of \$100,a worker or peasant. At 5 o'clock, had not read the paper), about the Hearst at the present time is engaged when the factory gates closed, they territory it covered, the methods of in trying to establish the open shop them the message of Communism. questions, some of which, I regret to in Seattle. But, to prove how good system in his Post-Intelligencer plant of working farmers who stood as canile from America, and thus somewhat Hearst is, his hired man Brisbane friend of union labor this scabby out of touch. But I told him everywrites an editorial for the Hearst papers which serves as a caption to a picture showing Hearst's young son with a group of pressroom employes. He is in overalls, like the rest of them. He has a union card in his pocket, Arthur reminds us. But perhaps it is in George L. Berry's union The picture may appease the anger of the Seattle printers who are on strike against the scabby Hearst.

> LaFollette insists that his new organization must not be called a party. It must be the tail to Bob's kite. La-Follette is also very much disturbed about his running mate. He may have as much trouble in finding a suitable companion as Coolidge had. It is said Warren S. Stone is his favorite, but Gompers does not look with great favor on Stone's rise to lower, industrially, financially and po-"Tell the comrades of America," litically. Gompers, who has done his said Comrade Cachin, "when you level best to kill every kind of a conwrite to the DAILY WORKER, that vention that showed any inclination the French proletarian vanguard, or- toward forming a labor party, will no ganized in the Communist party of doubt find the Democratic party plat-France, saluted them, and wishes form to his liking. The other labor them all success in their splendid fakers who with Gompers induced fight. Tell them that Humanite sends LaFollette to rail at the St. Paul conhopes it will grow and grow and plant Hopkins to carry the brunt of the Laits roots ever deeper in the hearts of Follette campaign.

> > tears and death.

We were out in the surge of the American capitalism and imperialism, streets. It was the time of parting. up again the arduous, joyful burden The train steamed into Euston sta- of his work. I had to hurry away, ed out into the roar and bustle that night. A warm hand grasp, ous wealth and squalid poverty. The And we parted, each to his place in ity of seven millions, of whom the the ranks of the army of the great in-

very fatigued, altho he is getting on health and fulfillment. The center of But I got a story for the DAILY