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# COMMUNISTS FLAY LA FOLLETT

Foster Denounces Senator's Leaders and Program as Capitalism's Last Reserves

AS WE SEE IT

By T. J. O'FLAHERTY.

ARTHUR SEARS HENNING, the most authoritative political liar on the staff of the Chicago Tribune, invaded the realms of free verse in his attempt to extol the United States. which is at this moment-according to the republican party—basking in the reflected glory of Calvin Coolidge. His History Marvel of Henning saw bricklayers going to work in flivvers, fields heavy with grain (he did not mention the grain growers heavy with worry over what the grain speculators and elevator owners would do to them), and a young lady returning from college-perhaps a coincluding the osculation.

sings Henning? Well, what of it? the parasitical capitalist class. The labor fakers. railroads, flivvers, Pullmans, even the rouge on the cheeks of the girls who ous capitalist auxillaries are kissed the rustic, were produced by very useful allies of the capitalers in the field of journalistic harlot is no exaggeration to say that ry, are. Who does all this wealth but for the aid of these hirerightfully belong to? To the pro- lings, the capitalist class in ducers or to the exploiters of the pro-

take what rightfully belongs to them. capitalist robbers in the world. political sagacity of the republican party is even more so.

work because the boss does not see that they may be able to meet it. fit to employ them and those who don't work because they are too busy trying to spend the profits from the ists look at things thru the spectacles provided by their masters. But the workers are also beginning to see things. There are many Tribunes today and only one DAILY WORKER, but the Pribunes will be on the decrease while the DAILY WORKERS time to suggest that our readers send a new subscriber on it.

OOKING for arguments to use not in itself a reason for eyestrain. resorting to the same illegal methods Nevertheless, the author of this column was obliged to visit an optician and thereby hangs a tale. The white collared slave who waited on me remarked that in his opinion Calvin Coolidge would our next president. My answer perceptibly narrowed his collar. As his bile was passing that portion of the human anatomy known to the laity as Adam's Apple, he managed to inquire how Calvin hit the bottom of my estimation.

. . . .

SUCH a superfluous question almost rendered me bereft of speech so I resorted to the dirty Yankee trick of asking him how Calvin Coolidge happened to win his approbation. He was knocked much more speechless than I was, if you will pardon the "bull." In order to break the deafening silence. I began to limber up by linking Calvin with Wall Street, assuming that my auditor did not know the dictionary defini-(Continued on page 3)

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Crookedness

By T. J. O'FLAHERTY (Article 1)

The DAILY WORKER in the ed from Northwesten University, kiss. performance of its duty to the ing a rustic male at a village way sta- revolutionary movement for the tion. Everything looked good to him, freedom of the workingclass, not only is obliged to fight the capitalist system and the capi-OW different all this is to the condition of the people in Europe, beneficiaries of that system but The wealth of this country was not also the labor lieutenants of created by the Chicago Tribune and capital or better known as

This slimy crew of treacherevery country would not hold power for a week.

CIMPLY because this country is crican phenomenon. He can be found trades assembled in Cooper Un-task to perform, namely, to S wealthy is no reason why the in every country in the world. But ion hall yesterday to protest save the capitalist system from few should be allowed to grab off all he can be seen in the United States against the czarist tactics of the being overthrown by a revoluthe wealth while the workers exist at his worst because the capitalist officialdom of the International tionary mass movement of the on the crumbs that fall from the class of this country can afford to Ladies' Garment Workers' Untables of the rich. It is an additional pay their agents better for service ion, which for two years, under

species and hold him up to public fighting union members who OR ourselves, we will admit that rather to make use of the career of off every effort at real gain for built on individual membership with a got. I should have said "unemployed eral and the miners of Illinois in parworkers." There are two kinds of ticular of the nature of the situation unemployed. Those who are out of with which they are confronted so

The Horrible Example.

The specimen we have selected for our attention is no other than Frank labor of others. Henning may see Farrington, president of the Illinois an increase of fifteen cents in dues "But above all these differences, of Chicago politicians, and that of America.

waged inside the miners' union of Il- tions against the action of the ma- perpetuates its rule. linois. Farrington and his henchmen chine. are seeking re-election to the offices will increase. And this is a good which they have disgraced by their presence, and which they have used a brick flying back to the business to serve the interests of the coal opoffice of this paper with the name of erators of Illinois rather than the miners who are paying their salaries.

The Farrington machine having long ago lost the confidence of the against the capitalist system is Illinois miners is now in desperation in getting rid of its opponents that (Continued on page 4)

#### ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS CONTINUE TO GROW IN SAME OLD SWEATSHOPS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.-Sweatshop conditions in the artificial flower industry in the United States do not seem to have disappeared, if statistics reported by the department of commerce in its census of manufacturers for 1923 are a fair

These figures show that \$4,501,-701 was paid in wages to an average of 4,695 persons in the industry last year-an average yearly wage of \$958. Salaried workers to the number of 654 received \$1,395,659. or \$2,134 each.

The work done for these wages and salaries resulted in a gross profit to 223 establishments of \$4,-564,469. Of the 223 shops, 168 were In New York.

ers Party candidates for president and clares. vice-president of the United States have gone on the ballot with a bang in Rhode Island. The Communist standard-bearers, William Z. Foster and Benjamin Gitlow, received many Tuesday. The workers of Rhode Island, who

Rhode Island and Massachusetts will have a field who represent the control of the govchance to voice a concrete protest against all ernment by the working class.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 12.—The Workthe capitalist exploiters who have oppressed them in the dust-filled mills," Ballam de-

In order to make doubly sure that no excuse can be made for throwing the Foster-Citlow electors off the ballot, Comrade Ballam will file four hundred more signatures hundreds of signatures more than the amount required, John J. Ballam, district organizer, tells the DAILY WORKER.

Tuesday. The workers of Rhode Island, who brave the open shop wages and working hours, and the occupational diseases so preorganizer, tells the DAILY WORKER. valent in the textile mills, are now given a "Now the oppressed textile workers of chance to support the only candidates in the

In New Plot

(Special to The Daily Worker) NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Thou- Britain. sands of rank and file workers The labor faker is not a purely Am- in the cloak and dressmaking reason why they should get busy and rendered than any other collection of the direction of President Mor-The impudence of the American cap There are degrees of treason even ris Sigman, in New York, and scorn in order to satisfy a desire for have attempted to put thru provengeance against the breed, but gressive measures, has choked were backing up the bosses.

move of the officials-the foisting of form.

Overflow Meeting.

vesant Casino, and hundreds of on to say: "But some day a Commun admittance.

which they mind as the fact that this of the All-American Soviet." increase is enforced over the heads | Must Organize Advance Guard. of the membership and against their build up the machine.

To Drop Dictators.

the Sigman machine has been using in the Workers Party. to overthrow the official dictatorship, ican workers in their

union along the path of reaction.

At the national convention of the seen it. (Continued on page 3)

### FIRST COMMUNIST CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT PREDICTS DAY WHEN WORKERS WILL RULE IN AMERICA

"The last reserve troops of capitalism," was William Z. I will tell you a secret—I do not Foster's characterization of the LaFollette leaders and program expect to be elected." in the presidential campaign, in the first big meeting in Chicago of the Communist presidential candidate.

kissed the rustic, were produced by very useful allies of the capitalthe workers, not by the class whose ist class in the latter's incessant Reactionary Officials "third party" as a sure cure for the ills of the working class, Foster pointed out that LaFollette in America is performing the will head the government that same historical role as that of the social-democrats in Germany, rules over America, only when the left bloc in France and the MacDonald government in Great

working class.

Calls It "Hopeless Mulligan." "The differing characteristics of the italists and their fuglemen merits admong labor fakers. It is not the purmiration. To attribute this wealth to pose of this series of articles to pick in Chicago, has depleted the the wisdom of Calvin Coolidge and the on any particular specimen of the union treasury, has expelled the in France, and the LaFollette movement," said Foster, "only serve to emphasize their common historical

"The first is a party of workers this country is rich. But we ask as odious a political leper as ever ex. the workers, and has surren-long history, the second is a federathe five or six million of unemployed isted in the United States in order to dered the rights of the union to long history, the second is a lederate the five or six million of unemployed isted in the United States in order to how much of this wealth they have enlighten the working class in gen. the arbitrary demands of bosses omic organizations with a more brief and government agents who historical background, the third is a parliamentary combination of labor A resolution calling for a and petty bourgeois parties and huge mass meeting in Madison groups, and the last, the LaFollette Square Garden and another re- movement, is a hopeless mulligan of solution denouncing the latest all class elements without any definite

anything his paymasters want him to Miners' Union, also known as Dis- without even a pretense at consulting their common element and their comtrict 12 of the United Mine Workers the membership-were carried by ac- mon social function stand out with clamation. A sum of over six hundred startling clearness. All are the The time for making the exposure dollars was collected to carry on the blinders put upon the masses, the is opportune as it coincides with the fight and a committee of one hundred embodiment of the 'democratic illuelection campaign that is now being and fifty elected to circulate the peti- sions,' by means of which capitalism

"I have the great honor of being the first Communist candidate for Hours before the time for which president," said Foster, in opening his the meeting was announced, workers speech. "I will tell you a secret-that were flocking direct from the shops I do not expect to be elected." The to Cooper Union hall. A big over- laughter of the crowd quickly changed flow meeting was held in the Stuy- to enthusiastic cheers as Foster went workers stood outside, unable to gain ist will head the government that rules over America, only when that The workers made it clear that it time comes the position will not be is not so much the increase in dues called president—it will be chairman

Mobilization of the advance guard

will. They have lost faith in the of- of the workers was stressed by Foster ficials and know that the funds which as a fundamental aim of the Workers tion to "reduce crime," is the real reaare to be raised will be used, not to Party in its election campaign. The gain the demands of the workers strengthening and building of the Workagainst the bosses, but to enforce the ers Party, thru the enlistment of all lecisions of the bureaucracy and to workers who realize that the only The anger of the rank and file emphasized by Foster. He appealed to result of klan lawlessness, are promiworkers in the needle trades, which all such workers in the hall to put eant" in the state constabulary. Carlhas been aroused by the tactics which in their application for membership lary. Harry Herrin, klansman who

Ever since the beginning of its term oppression," declared Foster, and he n office, the Sigman-Perlstein "so- called for united and energetic efforts cialist" officials have tried to lead the to extend its circulation to the millions of workers who have not yet

needle trades held in Boston, the ma- ''Our biggest task today," said thine expelled the militant workers- Foster, "is to combat and destroy the (Continued on page 3)

"Each of these four movements," said Foster, "has but one American Soviet."

Glenn Young Exposed as Cossack Officer

By KARL REEVE.

That the Illinois department of constabulary, with offices at same historical function in the Unit-104 West Monroe Street, is composed almost entirely of Ku Klux Klan members, with a sprinkling crats in Germany. it was organized as a basis for the workers from the coming imcase the employers succeed in ed by the speaker, who asserted that of Wall Street and that LaFollette over on the people of Illinois, is list wars be ended. disclosed in an investigation of the organization by the DAILY WORKER.

Members of this private corporation disclose to the DAILY munist International as a delegate WORKER that over two hun- from the Workers Party, declared ER, the only real working class newsdred klansmen in Herrin are members of the state constabu- ticket on the ballot for the first time packed to its capacity and then some. lary, and that S. Glenn Young, the southern Illinois klan raider and law breaker, is an officer of the state constabulary.

The state constabulary is a private organization composed of gangsters and thugs, with a number of honest workers who are roped in to believ son for its existence

Recent Herrin Killers Are Members. Most of the klansmen who took road for their class leads to the over- part in the recent klan riots at Herthrow of the capitalist system was rin, when six men were killed as a of imperialist war." drove up in an automobile and shot for the past two years, has now "The DAILY WORKER is the at sheriff Galligan during the recent reached a point where they are ready greatest single weapon of the Amer-klan outbreak in Herrin, is a "sarg-(Continued on page 6)

Electricity Increases Crops.

Application of electrical current to their wages reduced. plants so as to stimulate growth is entirely feasible, experiments have indicated, according to Prof. V. H. Blackman of the Imperial college, universome of whom had prove themselves LaFollette illusion, which is the sity of London, who is here on invitaof the university of Chicago.

# THE PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN The biggest Communist rally ever staged in Chicago was

held yesterday in the Ashland Auditorium, when an audience that packed the great labor amphitheater to the limit heard William Z. Foster, noted strike leader and Communist candidate for president of the United States on the Workers Party ticket, state the Communist program and exposed the pretensions of the capitalist pseudo-reformer, Robert M. LaFollette, to represent the masses of workers and exploited farmers.

Tremendous enthusiasm was aroused when William F. Dunne, Communist candidate for governor of Illinois, introduced the first Communist candidate for president in the history of the United States.

"I have the great honor of being the first Communist candidate for president," said Foster, and then with a merry twinkle in his eyes he continued, "but \*

This sally brought gales of laughter from the audience but Foster had them cheering im-

mediately after when he said: "But some day a Communist that time comes the position will not be called president, it will be chairman of the All-

Foster Full of Vigor.

Foster was in excellent form and full of vigor after his arduous crosscountry campaign. The fact that he did not travel in special trains, accompaned by honorary guards of police and delegations from the American Legion, as is the case with his opponent LaFollette and the two other UTDDIN DIOTE capitalist lackeys, did not seem to ave detrimental effect on his health. Foster is accustomed to hard cam-

paigning. Foster sailed into LaFollette with enthusiasm. "Our biggest task today is to combat and destroy the La-Follette illusion, which is the greatest obstacle to the development of the working class and its struggles."

He called the LaFollette movement "the last reserve of capitalism" and points out that it was performing the ed States that the MacDonald govern ment performed in England, the Her riots in France and the social demo

working class interests or could save ization of Europe." a legal state constabulary in perialist war, was particularly attack-

> William F. Dunne, who recently re- save the capitalist dictatorship." turned from Russia where he attend ed the Fifth Congress of the Comthat the placing of the Communist paper in the English language, was in American history was an event of historic importance.

> nists into the national struggle as a spokesmen. potential force with which American capitalism will have to reckon," he force. Many packing house workers, declared.

> He pictures the United States as tion work among them, came to hear the headquarters for the world-wide him. There was a large representaconspiracy of the capitalists against tion from the membership of the the rising tide of working class re- Amalgamated Food Workers' Union

> "The Dawes' plan makes America the center of world counter-revolution and it holds over the heads of the world's workers the constant threat red kerchiefs around their necks and

Big Welcome for Gitlow.

Benjamin Gitlow, candidate for Gitlow. rice-president on the Communist tickevery line of industry would have Whip, a Negro weekly.

"Every attempt on the part of the workers to resist the expressions of carried a copy of the Special Chicago the capitalists will be brutally sup- edition of the DAILY WORKER. Outpressed by the bosses," declared Git- side the hall, in front of the Auditorilow. "The crisis in agriculture will he best fighters during the Chicago greatest obstacle to the development tion to address students and faculty not be ended owing to the slight in- other gatherings, bought the DAILY crease in the price of wheat, because

# STATE CONSTABULARY

When the ordinary worker hears of the activities of the "State Constabulary of Illinois" he jumps to the conclusion that this organization is a part of the state machinery such as the state constabulary of Pennsylvania. The DAILY WORKER discloses that such is not the case.

The state constabulary of Illinois is a private organization backed by Chicago politicians, the Ku Klux Klan, and those employers of labor who allow it to shake down the workers because it shouts Americanism and builds up the skeleton for a state militarism.

S. Glenn Young, the notorious Southern Illinois gunman, uses the state constabulary as his sole authority for his lawbreaking activities. Politicians use the organization to push militaristic propaganda and to aid them into office. The workers pay the expenses and all they get in return is a tin star and and organization which will shoot them down in times of strikes and

This issue contains the first of a series of articles exposing the milltaristic. Ku Klux Klan activities of the state constabulary.

The illusion that LaFollette upheld it is based on the economic demoral-

He declared that the republican and democratic parties are servants represents the small exploiters of labor. "LaFollette will be used to stave off the workers' revolt, to turn Communists Enter National Struggle. it into reformist channels and to so

Hail the DAILY WORKER. The great labor auditorium, flying banners hailing the DAILY WORK-It was a great gathering of men and women from the rank and file of "It marks the entry of the Commu- labor who had come to greet their

> The union groups were out in full who remembered Foster's organiza-

carrying their banner. Many Unions Represented. Other union groups were conspicu-

ous for the beautiful colorful bright every few minutes loud and long cheers were given for Foster and

An outstanding feature of the meetet was given a rousing welcome. He ing is the large representation of Nedeclared that capitalism in the Unit- groes. No other political meeting in ed States was going thru a crisis and | the city of Chicago was so largely atthis winter would see factory after tended by Negro workers. With them factory shut down and workers in is seen Joseph Bibbs, editor of the

Everybody Reads "THE DAILY." Nearly everyone in the audience um building, passers by on their way to

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## **JUDGE ADMITS** SACCO, VANZETTI **ATTACK IS WEAK**

## Copy of Decision

By ART SHIELDS
(Federated Press Staff Correspondent.)

Vanzetti has just been received each and every county. by defense attorneys Moore, McAmorney and Thompson.

It contains the startling admission that the murder case against the two young radicals must rest on circumstantial evi-

#### State's Evidence Shaken.

The state's direct evidence had been badly shaken by affidavits of Lola Andrews and Louis Pelzer confessing perjury, and by numerous other affidavits attesting the criminal record or general unreliablity of other witnesses.

It was further shaken by the affidavit of an important new defense witness, Roy E. Gould. This witness stood so close to the murder car that one of the bandits shot him thru the overcoat. He got an excellent description of the man and gave his story to the police at the time but was not called by the state. The gist of Judge Thayer's argument disposing of the Gould affidavit which clears Sacco, was that after all the testimony of another eye witness made little difference—that the state's case depended on circumstantial evidence. Judge Builds Up Case.

Judge Thayer devotes several pages of his opinion to an argument for the piece of circumstantial evidence which he considers the strongest. This is mation about themselves when they | Coolidge-Dawes ticket. weer arrested. The two Italian workingmen made the explanation afterwards that they were seeking to avoid persecution as radicals—they were arrested at the height of the Palmer anti-red hysteria—but Judge Thayer affidavit which shows that Wheeler brushed this explanation aside.

been especially marked in Massa Daugherty case. chusetts and many arrested workers had adopted the policy of mystifying didate for senator, is trying to break their captors for their own protection. the old belief here that a democratic Thaver Acts Like Prosecutor.

like special prosecution's pleading crats know that the whole Daugherty thruout the 210 pages. There is no investigation is so steeped in political dispassionate judicial tone. The man filth and corruption that is not at all on the bench is ardently trying to get difficult to prove that everyone conthe two men before him for sentence. nected with it is tainted. All the wit-He meets strong defense testimony by nesses who were called, the questions slurring defense council or passing investigated, the general atmosphere es, Philadelphia Workers Party the buck to the jury. The defense affidavit, signed by Louis Pelzer, in hish fertile soil for such suspicions ilization day to Sunday, October 19. which this star state's witness admits and recriminations. he lied when he said he saw Sacco firing is entirely passed over in the the Daugherty investigation was betext of the certified copy of the opin- gun, an effort was made to have the ion turned over to the Sacco-Vanzetti so-called progressive leader, Wheeler,

of Lola Andrews, arch perjurer and General. Plenty of evidence was censures Fred H. Moore, senior defense lawyer, who got the woman to swear that she had testified falsely Wheeler spurned everyone who even under the coercion of the district attorney when she identified Sacco. want to talk about the workers be-Later the district attorney got hold cause he felt then he would be open of Lola Andrews again and obtained to attack along class lines. Instead another affidavit repudiating the one he limited himself to whiskey scanshe gave Moore. Judge Thayer in- dals, prostitution and debauchery. Tosists that she is now telling the truth. day Mr. Wheeler sems to have gotten He says nothing concerning a prior into a cesspool himself. affidavit that Lola Andrews made before the trial, stating that she positively had not seen Sacco at South New Orleans Traction

Before Court in January.

Again he scolds the defense for what he terms "cruel and atrocious" treatment of a certain Goodridge, an-I other star state's witness who sought | to swear Sacco's life away. The de- reputable old harlot the New Orleans fense dug up the fact that Goodridge Public Service., Inc., which was oblighad served two prison terms and had ed a short time ago to change its two indictments still out against him. name from the New Orleans Railway Thayer alleges that the defense has and Light company in order to prevent real success. attempted to persecute Goodridge on being run in by Guy Maloney's men on the basis of his criminal record. He a "D. & S." charge, is at it again. agrees that Goodridge's testimony had already ben sufficiently impeached at the trial. But the theory of the judge is that the veracity of the state's direct witnesses doesn't matter so much-that the case rests on circumstantial evidence. So if Sacco and Vansetti go to the chair it will be another victory for circumstantial

The case will probably come before mission to salesmen. the January term of the supreme

#### FALL BRINGS NEW INCREASES IN RETAIL COST OF OUR FOOD

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.-With the advent of fall the retail cost of food took another jump in 20 cities during September, the highest increase, amounting to three per cent, being reported at Bridgeport, Fall River, Mobile and New Haven, the department of labor announced to-

#### WORKERS PARTY IN NEW YORK IS PROUD OF ITS ACHIEVEMENT IN FILING 22,000 NAMES FOR TICKET

By HARRY M. WINITSKY. Campaign Manager Workers Party.

NEW YORK CITY, Oct. 12 .- It was on Tuesday, Oct. 7, at the stroke of midnight, that Comrade Charles Krumbein, the organizer of this district, and Comrade Edward Lindgren appeared at the office of the secretary of state at Albany, and filed over 22,000 signatures to put the presidential and vice-presi-Lawyers Finally Get dential as well as the candidates for governor and the entire state ticket of Then Workers Don't the Workers Party on the November election ballot.

The task of putting over our ticket has been an exceptionally difficult one, and the comrades and district office can be justly proud of its achieve ment. Every possible effort is made by the capitalist class to make it almost impossible to have a class party put its candidates on the ballot and the law therefore, requires that we file at least 12,000 signatures to put our national BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 12.-A and state ticket over. However, the Workers Party filed over 22,000 signa copy of Judge Webster Thayer's tures instead of the 12,000 required by the law. The laws of the state of opinion denying a new trial to New York further require that we file at least 50 signatures from each and Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo every one of the 62 counties in the state and we have filed at least 100 from

> In addition to the above 22,000 signatures filed in the office of the secretary of state in Albany, Comrade Harry M. Winitsky, the campaign manager and Comrade Benjamin Lipshitz, the chairman of the campaign committee on outside activities, filed over 31,000 signatures at the office of the board of elections in the city of New York to put on the ballot of this city 20 local candidates of the Workers Party.

The Workers Party of this district has filed over 55,000 signatures in the state of New York and we are confident that our candidates will go on the ballot this year.

Now that our candidates will go on the ballot and the tremendous task manufacturers will risk the of gathering and filing the petitions is over, the campaign committee is now planning a whirlwind finish for the COMMUNIST campaign in New York In addition to the open air meetings held thruout the city every night, over 30 indoor meetings have been arranged for thruout the city in all the congressional districts, and the committee has also arranged for monster "RED NIGHTS" in each congressional district in addition to the indoor rallies. The proved demand for cotton goods first red night was held in Williamsburg, Oct. 10.

The second red night was held in Harlem, Saturday night, Oct. 11, where eleven meetings were held with 58 speakers participating. The "RED NIGHT" will wind up with a grand rally to be held at 110th street and 5th avenue, and will be addressed by Juliet Stuart Poyntz, William W. Weinstone and Abraham Markoff, candidates in this district and Harry M, tucket office that the organization is Wicks, Harry M. Winitsky and Rose Pastor Stokes.

Red Nights in Other Districts. Oct. 17-Bronx, 23rd congressional district. Oct. 18-East Side, 14th congressional district, Oct. 25-Lower East Side, 12th congressional district.

#### WHEELER DODGED THE CLASS ISSUE AND GOT MESSED UP IN CESSPOOL; IOWA DEMOCRATS SCENT VICTORY

(Special to The Daily Worker)
BURLINGTON, Iowa, Oct. 12.—The democrats are making a big effort simply the fact that Sacco and Van- to sweep into power because of the notion being spread that many regular zetti gave the police erroneous infor- republicans will bolt Senator Brookhart in view of his open attack on the

> In line with this aim the democrats have produced a certain Al Fink with a big story. The story aims to let the cat out of the bag and tell some

> > Party Put It Over

(Special to the DAILY WORKER.)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 12.-

Sunday will be the first of five in-

tensive days of agitation and propa

ganda that will end up with the huge

ceum, 6th and Brown streets on Fri-

On October 19, party members of

or two by a distribution of 30,000

branches who have shown a splendid

Eagles Temple, will be a fitting pre

lude to the hardest week of Commu-

nist work that Philadelphia comrades

had yet undertaken. The excellent

concert program which cannot be in-

cluded here owing to the lack of

space will be a real inspiration to our

Yowls Active.

A special column in the Philadel-

20,000 cards and circulars will be dis-

Open Air Meetings in Chicago.

Monday, Oct. 13.

the industrial work.

activity in the campaign.

comrades.

Owing to extraordinary circumstance

of the so-far untold phases of the and Brookhart bribed Roxie Stinson Yet persecution of radicals had in order to secure evidence in the

Daniel Steck, the democratic canvictory in Iowa is as rare as a hen's Judge Thayer's long opinion reads tooth. The strategy is good. The demo-

It is interesting to note that when look into the strikebreaking and spy The judge comes out as a protector activities of Burns and the Attorney be examined. Mr. Wheeler did not

### Ring Tries to Sell Stock Thru Workers

(Special to the DAILY WORKER.) NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 12.-That dis-

Not content with charging the publie seven cents for a ride in the things called street cars, is now unloading twenty-five thousand shares of its preferred stock on an unwilling public and its employes at one hundred bucks a share.

Conductors, motormen and track walkers have been presaid into service to sell their friends-not forgetting themselves. This also saves com-

Attack Pa. Sedition Law.

SHARON, Pa., Oct. 12.-The United Trades Council of Western Pennsylvania meeting here, heard representatives from Allegheny county savagely attack the Flynn sedition law of the state, especially in connection with the persecution of Farrell Communists. Allegheny county representatives, speaking to the one hundred delegates, hurled cutting invectives at young workers to assure the success district attorney Leroy Rickard for his of this mass meeting. activities in bringing about the conviction of the five Communists in Farrell.

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## WAGE SLASH IS HELD UP UNTIL **ELECTION DAY**

## Know What'll Happen

(By The Federated Press) PAWTUCKET, R. I., Oct. 12.

-The general wage reduction which employers have been insisting was inevitable has been put off in all but a few cotton mills of this state.

In fact the Blackstone Valley mills of the Manville-Jenckes corporation are the only important ones attempting the new policy. Talks of wage cuts hangs in the air but it is very doubtful if the majority of the new program.

Wait for After the Election.

What will happen after election is problematical but the slightly imeems to be giving the unions a somewhat better strategic position. Thomas F. McMahon, president of the United Textile Workers' Union

told the Federated Press in his Pawtaking in new members every day. He declared that a restoration of the wages will be forced.

"We propose," said Mr. McMahon "to restore not only the ten per cent but the rest due us from the 221/2 per cent cut of January, 1921."

The United Textile Workers' executive is meeting the manufacturers propaganda for the alleged economic necessity for a wage cut with five rebutting arguments, which he summarized for the Federated Press as

1. During the past year employers have increased per capita production 25 per cent at the most conservative estimate, with an average reduction in overhead costs of 25

2. Cost of cotton materials, the most important cost factor in the industry, has gone down more than 30 per cent in the last six months.

3. The entire labor cost in textile mills is only 17 per cent of every dollar spent by the American cotton consumer.

4. Practically all textile corpora-tions have in the last few years increased capitalization from 100 to Young Workers Help 300 per cent by stock dividends, entirely taken from profits, without additional investment for new machinery.

> 5. The ten per cent cut, which means as much to the textile workers who average about \$18 when on full time represents a cost sav-

> > Play with Tariff Situation.

McMahon is emphasizing the fact Gitlow mass meeting in the Labor Lythat the manufacturers, now urging a wage cut, control the republican machine which promised the workers full time at high wages after the Philadelphia will be given 50,000 Fordney-McCumber tariff bill passed copies of Special Philadelphia Edi-In spite of these promises the repubtion of the DAILY WORKER for dislican textile manufacturers are now tribution to be followed within a day seeking to put wages below the level party platforms. The October 19 existing before the passage of the Red Sunday mobilization day will in- tariff law which protects them from European competition. clude the Young Workers League

## The concert and ball of the city NEW PEACE' HOAD central committee which will take place on Saturday, October 18, at the

(Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINTON, D. C., Oct. 12. -- A new "peace" hoax is being peddled in The distribution of 10,000 platforms Washington these days. This time it and cards for the Rose Pastor Stokes is not a conference that is being promeeting was a test that convices us posed, but a real business-like apthat the big distribution will be a proach is being put forward. The biggest business interests con-

trolling the radio industry of the company in an air-tight monopoly are on The Young Workers' League of this the job to pacify the universe. They city has been an important factor in are working overtime trying to sell our campaign work and especially in the idea that the establishment of super-power broadcasting stations in The splendid co-operation and the the principal capitalist countries of astounding ability of these young comrades has been a real contribu- the world will bind the "nations" clostion to every campaign and move that er and inspire them with a spirit of brotherly love. the party organized in Philadelphia.

It is proposed to broadcast the phia edition of the DAILY WORKER music, politics, the art, the literature will be devoted to the activities of the of the big powers as a means of promoting an international culture and

A mass meeting of young work- brotherhood. ers has been organized by the Phila-Great Britain, France, Belgium, delphia City Central Committee of the Germany, the United States and the Y. W. L. in the Eagles Temple for South American countries are to be chel from New York as one main sion here is working on details of the speaker, who will be preceeded by plan. Soviet Russia has not been local speakers of the Y. W. L. recent- mentioned. Nor has it been decided ly developed on the party platforms. whether stock exchange news and secret treaties and alliance between is \$10.50. tributed at the shops simploying imperialist powers will be broad-

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## Schwab Drives Miners From Their Homes and Into Communist Ranks

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

TODAY, more coal miners, with their families, are being driven from company-owned shacks, called "homes," at Dakota and Barracksville, near Fairmont, West Virginia, capital city of the most brutal white terror dominions of the home state of John "Wall Street" Davis, democratic candidate for president.

Davis does not protest. It has been his job in the past, and may be again, when election day has passed, to aid on the legal side of these ruling class attacks on the workers. Davis is a lawyer.

But the yellow officials of the United Mine Workers of America, who are kissing the feet of "The Strike Breaker" now occupying the White House, thought this Coolidge could be urged to break his silence. It would be good campaign stuff!

Van A. Bittner, of Pittsburgh, official "red baiter" of the John L. Lewis administration in the international miners' union, sent the telegram to the ivory domed sphinx in the White House, that was to draw a protest from him against the West Virginian evictions.

President Lewis is a political lackey of the Coolidge administration. Lewis wants "The Strike Breaker" re-

International Organizer Bittner also wants Coolidge reelected. He is also for "The Strike Breaker."

But the coal miners want to know what they are getting out of it. They want to know how the million coal miners of the nation are benefitting thru this alliance of their highest officials with the "open shop" administration in Wash-

Bittner is in West Virginia for the Lewis administration. He has to show some results. A telegram from Coolidge, the republican, protesting agginst capitalist misrule in democratic West Virginia, would help.

Bittner, in his fondest dreams, saw republican votes sprouting everywhere in the mining camps. It would also help in the coming referendum in the miners' union for the election of international officials.

But the White House was as silent as ever. Coolidge's brain refused to function as Bittner had hoped. Labor officials are accepted as bootlickers. But they must never

They are given a kick in the face occasionally, to keep them in their places. If they are very, very good, under these circumstances, they may get a cheap meal ticket, in the shape of a government job.

But they must never ask favors on behalf of the workers, not even to keep themselves in the good graces of the rank and file of their respective unions. That is treason to the capitalist master.

The coal miners of West Virginia may starve. Their children may sicken and die, under the open skies, with winter coming on, with no homes and no work. But Coolidge remains silent. When he speaks it is only on the side of the

The coal mines at Dakota and Barracksville are owned by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, headed by Charles M. Schwab. Schwab is typical of the American capitalist class. Bethlehem, Pa., Schwab's home town, is a typical American

Coolidge is silent because he is for Schwah and th Bethlehem Steel Corporation. He can afford to remain silent because he knows the deputy sheriffs of West Virginia will do their duty, as interpreted by the mine owners.

The coal miners are being driven from their homes because they object to a wage cut. Schwab is trying to slash wages fifty per cent. This huge wage cut is in violation of the union agreement signed at Baltimore by the Schwab interests.

But wage contracts are only pieces of paper, to be torn to shreds by the mine owners, whenever they wish. Only the workers must consider wage contracts "sacred" and never violate them.

For 61 years, since 1863, the coal miners of West Virginia, thru their toil, have been sending forth coal to the rest of the world by the hundreds of millions of tons. They dig coal in 51 of the 55 counties of the state. They labor in one of the largest continuous coal fields in the world. The Fairmont field is one of the richest. West Virginia stands only second to Pennsylvania and Illinois in production. But it is the label "non-union" that is put upon most of the coal produced. It is put there by the mine owners, successful in their long war against the mine workers.

But the coal miners of West Virginia, dispossessed, out

of jobs, hunted by mine guards, fight on. Their record is one of the most militant in America's labor history. They will build their economic power, thru their union, in spite of Coolidge's bootlicking lackeys, Lewis and Bittner. They will achieve their 100 per cent union, like the coal miners of Illinois. They will see the need of class political action. They will realize, more and more, in the days to come, like the coal miners of the Ruhr, in the valley of death between France and Germany, that their interests demand that they join the Communist ranks.

Miners of West Virginia! Let the days of begging favors from the mine owners and their political puppets pass!

Stand erect and fight thru your union, and your party, the Workers (Communist) Party, for the seizure of all power. Only in this way can you achieve your emancipation.

#### Shop Collections Show Fine Results

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Subscription lists of the shop collection drive, when they arrive at campaign headquarters look like dirty, greasy, crumpled Thursday, October 30, with Jack Stallinked. The radio conference in ses scraps of paper, but each carries a story of its own.

List No. 20,843, returned by Ed Sonntag, is well covered with names and carried a total of \$22.10.

Herman Gund returns List No. 16,441. He has made a collection among the workers employed by the Fleishman Cake Baking Co., the total of which

The Amalgamated Clothing Workers are r w employed at part time. Their earnings are not large but List No. 20, 15 brings in \$8.80 from the grated by officials greedy for the nafifteen workers employed in the Pinchuk Bros. shop. This collection was made by Max Novick.

Other lists come in, but there are too many to be dealt with individually. The campaign committee is badly in need of funds now. We call on every holder of a list to finish his shop collection and turn it in now.

# IN THE SKIES,

### All Promises Forgotten After Publicity Stunt

By SYDNEY WARREN.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 12.

Here's the story of how a worker was buncoed out of a bungalow he was supposed to have won in a building fair contest promoted for free advertising purposes by the British Columbia Manufacturers' Associa-

About a year ago this organization started a campaign to sell British Columbia products by offering a bungalow worth \$5,000, as the first prize in a lottery contest.

Two Bits a Throw.

A 25 cent ticket admitted the holder to view an exhibition of canned fruits. bricks, tiles, wood veneers, bottled pickles and other displays of gastronomic and artistic value.

The ticket also entitled the person to a chance in the lottery. For \$1 four tickets of admission and five chances on wigning the bungalow were given. Under certain conditions the winner of the bungalow also would receive a piano and \$500 in furniture. It looked good to everyone in Vancouver and most of them bit-some to the tune of several dollars.

D. G. McDonald, a purser aboard the Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Alice, was among those who bit and when he came into port one day and was told that he was the lucky man and had won the \$5000 bungalow and in addition the piano and \$500 in furniture, he felt that either he was receiving his heavenly reward or at least that his planets were exceedingly well-aspected, speaking in the manner of astrologists.

For some days he had no peace. He was announced as the winner in the local Brass Check Press and his photograph appeared with several interviews from a bevy of sob-sisters. A few days after the furore McDonald received an invitation to attend a banuet to be given by the British Columbia Manufacturers' Assn. at which he supposed he would be formally presented with the prizes he had won. But such was far from the case. After the eats, the chairman, J. A. Cunningham, president of the association, broke the news to McDonald gently. He prefaced his remarks by saying that he didn't wish them to get beyond the four walls of the banqueting room and then bluntly told McDonald that, so far as getting the bungalow, he thot he had won-but, well the association was financially hard up and that he would have to wait for his bungalow until it took the shape of a mansion in another

Forget Their Promises.

McDonald then asked the secretary of the aggregation of business pirates what about the piano and the furniture he had also won and was informed that the firms that had offered to provide these articles as prizes had decided, now the publicity was over, that it was hardly necessary to live up to their promises, certainly not profitable; the excuse offered was that if they gave these articles they exposed themselves to a violation of the laws against lotteries. This happy that only came after weeks of free advertising.

The association in an outburst of generosity then suggested that Mo-Donald buy a lot in the expensive Shaughnessy subdivision and that the association would build him a house on the lot for \$10,000, putting in their materials at wholesale prices. Mc-Donald asked what about the \$5,000 bungalow he had won but at the question the association lost all further interest in him.

In order to spar for time the members of the association assured Mc-Donald that they would individually, if necessary, pledge their names and mortgage their properties to see to it that he was fairly dealt with. Shortly afterwards the organization went out of business-before McDonald could take legal action.

#### Moans Departure of Ancient Customs of

**New Mexico Indians** SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12. - "A hundred helpless Indian tribes are caught in the net of the U.S. Indian bureau," John Collier told the Indian Defense Association. Collier denounced the recent attempt to kill the religion of the Pueblos, and the constant drive to substitute American customs for the ancient tribal life of the Indians. Witter Bynner, the poet, who is in San Francisco after a long sojourn in New Mexico, says that the tribal habits and traditions of the aborigines are being slowly disintetural wealth owned by the tribes. All the Indians of California are backing a festival in San Francisco the proceeds of which are to go to the tribes in northern counties, many members of which are said to be starving.

## Great Throng Hears Communists Outline Workers' Struggle For All Power

# RAISES SLOGAN

### Show Daily Worker Is Powerful Weapon

(Continued from page 1) gles."

LaFollette Accepts Capitalism.

The LaFollette program, Foster pointed out, accepts capitalism as its starting point. It completely igished with the system that causes them. LaFollette wants to tinker around the capitalist machine and repair it. He wants to soften some masses. He wants to extend the demstead of struggling to establish their

own power to control society. Never, however, does LaFollette or his program touch the vital question obvious fact that the present system He does not propose a single measure publican party? that so much as hints at overthrowing that dictatorship. Foster drove home this point with great emphasis with appreciation.

No Blows at Capital.

he advocates now. One would think, the United States. from the boasts of his boosters, that measures, so far from weakening the ions will dominate the government capitalist dictatorship have strength- 100 per cent. ened it.

"Take, for exmaple, the direct elecmerly senators were elected by the legislatures, and the corruption, the open purchase and sale of votes by means of which the capitalists deterthe press, of the schools, of the plete and undisputed control of industry-the capitalist class continues Its dictatorship undisturbed, while democratic parties in power. that something has been fundament

new dress by LaFolletteism. "It is a great mistake to suppose because the big capitalists oppose La-Follette now, that this proves LaFolthousands, and turned to patching up have reached. the shattered system. The capitalist class of America will similarly turn to LaFollette, and LaFollette will per- But he will be used, he has for 45 form the same service for them in America that Ebert and Scheidemann

"War Referendum" Is Joke.

LaFollette says he is against war, volt, to turn it into reformist channels to abolish capitalism the world over declared Foster, but his program leads directly to war, just the same as that of Coolidge or of Davis. He proposes a referendum on war, but not the slightest move to control and remove the cause of war, capitalism.

Even now, Foster pointed out, so quite widely beginning to recognize system. American, German, French, meet it. how valuable LaFollette is to their Italian and English capitalism were class interests, and their antagonism all born in civil war. to him is being softened a great deal, "We live under the most ruthless, workers will ever gain power, and while a few big ones, like Spreckles the best organized, the richest, the that is thru sufficient organization, and Vanderlip, actually go along and most intelligent and militant ruling intelligence and militancy, to take receive decisive voices in LaFollet- class that world history has ever power from the capitalist class in te's councils. But the workers are recorded. It can be absolutely de- open struggle. building up a Frankenstein, by sup-pended upon that our ruling class porting LaFollette, that will turn and will not yield its power without a capitalism. The working class could evour them, just as did the monster struggle. Even if the workers should have won its freedom at that time

GITLOW SHOWS LaFOLLETTE FAILS TO TAKE STAND ON VITAL ISSUES CONFRONTING NATION'S WORKERS

Benjamin Gitlow, Communist candidate for vice-president OF CLASS FIGHT on the Workers Party ticket, was received with cheers. He said in part:

"Capitalism in the United States is going thru a crisis. The winter of 1925 will see factory after factory shut down. The streets will be full of hungry men looking for jobs. About seven to eight million workers

"As a result of all this situation poverty and untold misery is confronting the workers. The campaign to reduce wages will be pressed with reof the working class and its strug- newed vigor by the capitalist class.

Capitalists Use Progressives.

LaFollette Not For Workers

served the Wall Street gang inside of

the republican party as a progressive.

He will continue under the cloak of

progressivism to do the same thing

That is why so many bankers, manu-

facturers and multi-millionaires sup-

All Power to Workers!

smash workers' organizations.

working class solidarity.

Organize World's Workers.

"The Communist International is

For the World Revolution.

and false promises.

Workers in every line of industry will and to so save the capitalist dictatorship. have their wages greatly reduced.

No Relief for Agriculture.

"Every attempt on the part of the have made excellent use of the proworkers will be brutally suppressed gressives. A progressive, Woodrow by the capitalists. The crisis in agrinores the fact that all the ills of the culture will not be ended because of the country into the war in the servworking class spring from the capi- the slight increase in the price of ice of Wall Street. A progressive, class. talist system and can only be abol- wheat because it is based on the Herriot, is at the head of the French economic demoralization of Europe.

"The crisis in industry in America coupled with the crisis in agriculture aries and imperialists. MacDonald, a will greatly intensify the class conflicts going on in capitalist society of its more glaring evils and make it The producers, that is, the workers more beautiful and palatable to the and farmers, in desperation and revolt ocratic forms, and lead the workers the crisis will produce, will become against the intolerable conditions that to look to their reforms for relief, in- factors in big mass struggles against the capitaists who dominate the econ

omic and political life of the country. "The workers in this campaign must know what the attitude of all of power—which class is to rule. He the political parties will be to the his power to betray the workers. He throws a mask over the brutal and struggles of the workers that will ensue as a result of the conditions. is a dictatorship of the capitalist class. What will be the attitude of the re-

Republicans Use Mailed Fist.

"The republican party will use the and clarity to a crowd that was at mailed fist against the workers. That tentive and which greeted his sallies is all the workers can expect from that party, a party that has for its presidential candidate 'the Strike "LaFolette's backers boast that 15 Breaker,' Coolidge, and for its viceout of 18 measures formerly advocated presidential candidate, 'Hell and by him have been enacted into law. Maria,' Dawes, the agent of J. P. Mor-They were all of the same sort that gan and company, the arch-Fascist in

"The republican party in power these measures had been a blow at means wage cuts, Daugherty injuncthe rule of capital. Nothing of the tions and the most brutal suppression sort. Capitalism is stronger today by of all strikes. The republican party a hundred times than it was when La. in powers means that the open shop Follette began his work, and his crowd that is out to smash the un-

#### Democrats No Better.

tion of senators," said Foster. "For- different in power because the demo-"The democratic party will be no cratic candidate is also owned and dominated by Morgan and his Wall Street gang. The candidate of the of the unorganized and the amalgamamined who should fill the offices, condemocratic party is John W. Davis stituted a festering sore and an in- Co. Morgan does not care which way the workers vote because it they vote the capitalists lose their control of the offices? Not a bit of it. With the offices? Not a bit of it. With their control of party machinery, of Davis will be elected; if they vote democratic then his legal counsel, Davis, will be elected.

ideas and the means of spreading its unemployment, wage cuts and "The capitalist dictatorship, with ideas to the masses, with their com-brutal suppression of the workers, is the Communist International because safe with either the republican or the Communist International is more

the masses are fooled into thinking want to continue in power their en-"If the workers in the United States ally changed. But it is the same old aires and billionaires, they can do capitalist system, fitted out with a nothing better than vote and support the two old parties.

#### LaFollette Silent on Big Issue.

"But then the workers will ask me, the capitalist exploiters and butchers eltte represents the workers. Capi- How about LaFollette? Won't he of the workers. talism is still arrogant, and thinks it serve the interests of the workers?" can rule thru a Coolidge. German In the face of the crisis developing in that world organization of the prolecapitalism also used to oppose the the United States what has LaFol tariat that points out to the workers Clothing Workers social-democrats of Germany; they lette to say on the question of unemof the world the lessons of the last hounded and outlawed the socialists; ployment and wage reductions? Not world war. but when their hour of crisis came, a single word. He is as silent as a and capitalism could have been over- clam in this respect. Why? Because the final culmination of capitalist thrown in Germany, the ruling class LaFollette represents that section of glory, that it results in the butchery strike of the garment workers—and turned to the social-democracy, which the capitalist class that has not yet of the workers, and in the creation of tied up the entire union in such a

"He represents the small business ing the workers of the world into anmen, the small exploiters of labor. other imperialist world slaughter. years been used, as an upholder of the

workers in 1918.

of social-democracy with the German elect their own men to office, the car "Again all this reformism and class ghastly joke; it is designed as an the class struggle. We know from his- workers threatened the capitalist sys. ficials proceeded to sell out. instrument of war itself, for it will tory that ruling classes cannot be tem, the murderous rascisti, agents become merely a means of more ef. driven from power by a slow process of capitalism, restroyed even the this city against the dues increase fectively mobilizing the masses for of reform. In every case that a ruling pretense of democratic government markes the beginning of the mass the coming world imperialist war, by class has been disposed in the past it and drowned the workers' movement struggle against the autocratic methfooling them into thinking that they has been thru the open struggle by in blood. The same thing is being have something to say about the description.

The rising class. Capitalism itself prepared by the capitalist class of New York, and in Chicago.

America, behind the protective mask lutions, that made one world revo- of "progressivism," and the American early in the game, the capitalists are lution against the prevailing feudal working class must prepare itself to

Workers Must Take Power. "There is but one way in which the

"The world war was a crisis for

## Situation Parallel to

"In the past the capitalist dictators

government, loyally saving the face of the French militarists, reactionorganized, and have been crystallized other method at a time when they ward American working class see in keeps the workers from developing a means that when the next great war, revolutionary movement against capnow definitely in preparation, is so many American workers were italism and so becomes the biggest defender of British capitalism and imwide proletarian revolt, will lead the "LaFollette in power will not serve the workers. He will not oppose working masses against their oppreswage cuts. He will do nothing to sors, and smash once for all the capitalremedy unemployment. He will use ist dictatorship and the capitalist system, and will establish thruout the will do with them what he has always world the rule of the workers." done, fool them by fake reform issues

# "For forty-five years LaFollette has HARPER SCHOOL

#### Give Moderwell, Dever "The only party that is organized to 2 Days to Make Good ttle in the interests of the workers

the Workers Party. It is the only The strike at the Harper school at of the crisis developing in the United Englewood has been shifted two days, States that has the courage to come from Tuesday to Thursday, Oct. 16, out flatfootedly for the working class, to give the board of education one "The Workers Party proposes to more chance, this time to make good lead the workers in a struggle against on its latest promise to install new facilities capable of handling the overunemployment, wage reductions and flow caused by crowding the junior the attempt of the capitalists to high school classes into the school.

The children in the 4th, 5th and "The slogan of the Workers Party is 6th grades, ages from 9 to 11, have work or relief for the unemployed at been ousted to make room for the new unior high school. The parents are fighting the autocratic decision of the tion of the union thru the organization board. They charge that this move tion of the existing unions as a measure against the open shop war. payers, they have something to say Against the capitalist dictatorship, a And they are saying it straight from workers' and farmers' government "The Workers Party is also part of el with its precarious crossings and of imperialistic war. the resulting evils to health from cold ment. The Workers Party, the Com- lunches put up in the morning and munist Party, is proud to adhere to kept for several hours.

Mass Meeting For Strike. Mayor Dever's advice not to strike than an expression of international against the autocratic rule of Charles M. Moderwell, who he said was a friendly gentleman, but to try to set-"The Communist International is a tle this trouble thru negotiating with militant, revolutionary, international the board of education brought a loud organization of the working class. It voice of protest from the entire committee of 200 hundred who waited on is preparing and organizing the workhim. This indignation was further ers of the world for the final strugshown at the parents' mass meeting gle to wrest control of the earth from held immediately after the conference with the mayor when the meeting WORKERS PARTY CLAIMS NEW

#### Meet in New York "It shows the workers that war is Flays Sigman Rule

voted to go on with the strike.

succeeded in reaching the pinnacles of untold misery of them. The Commu- way that attempts to introduce any shot down revolting workers by the wealth that the Wall Street kings nist International shows the workers progressive measure could be choked of the world how capitalism is lead off.

Expelled Active Workers.

The anger of the membership at this ruthless expulsion of some of the nearly all of them asked to join the Workers Party. "And the Communist International most active workers Sigman tried to capitalist order of society. In the is the organization that will turn such soothe by a pretense of putting up a performed for the German capitalist order of society. In the is the order against the face of the rising tide of revolt against a world war into a war against the fight for the ten demands formulated the capitalist system, LaFollette will capitalists. It will help the workers by the left wingers, led by the Trade be used to stave off the workers' re- turn the war into a world revolution Union Educational League. That the proposed fight against the bosses was nothing more than a pretense was proved by the subsequent surrender talist class would throw aside its of Sigman and his aids to the demand mask of democracy and resort to of Al Smith, governor of New York, collaboration the Workers Party," force to maintain its rule. We saw that the entire problem be submitted declared Foster, "raises the slogan of this happen in Italy, where, when the to a mediator, to whom the union of-

The holding of mass meetings in ods of the union bureautrats, both in

#### DAILY WORKER GIRLS SELL MANY PAPERS AT LA FOLLETTE MEETING

Gertrude Walsh, Bessie Siegel and Kitty Harris sold hundreds of copies of the DAILY WORKER at the LaFollette meeting last Saturday night. They stayed right on the job and continued the sale of the DAILY WORKER after the

#### **DUNNE SHOWS SIGNIFICANCE OF** COMMUNIST PARTICIPATION IN NATIONAL POLITICAL STRUGGLE

William F. Dunne, Communist candidate for governor of well founded. Illinois, who acted as chairman of the great Communist election campaign gathering, told of the significance of the participation To him Wall Street was a horrible of the Workers Party in the present national political struggle. Dunne said in part:

controlling the workers' organizations, movement. It marks the entry of the all the time. battle against capitalism, they took gle as a potential force with which Follette will betray the working munist International for the organ- the left bloc government in France,

"Never has there been a time when their salvation. fore have millions of workers and working class. farmers shown to the American capitalists the solid front of a revolt that with all its confusion and floundering represents the first stirring of broad they do not yet understand.

"Neither do they visualize the cure | ican revolution. and to give them knowledge of the hind the slogan of the dictatorship us. of the working class, is the revolumunist) Party of America.

Aids Europe's Ruling Class. the ruling class of Europe new hope

the shoulder. They say they will not the center of world counter-revolution the world. and it holds over the heads of the "We will not disappoint these comgers of one mile and a half of trav- world's workers the constant threat rades.

the world revolution. Opposition for Capitalism.

"No party in America except the Workers (Communist) Party understands or cares for the interests of the working class in this great historic period. A right wing, a center working class and the Communist port Robert Marian LaFollette. and a left wing of American capi- society!"

"The entrance of the Workers talism are represented by the repubballot for the first time in American status quo, others agitate for some

the parties of capitalism. Never be ship, fight for the interests of the only needed more air.

Future Belongs to Communism.

has this revolutionary field all to itself. masses of the American working class Ours is the opportunity, ours is the aroused to action by oppressions duty and ours is the responsibility. which they feel, but whose causes In the hands of the Communist Party of America is the future of the Amer-

You remember, comrades, when the underlying causes of their misery, to election campaigns were on in Engonvince them of the necessity for land, Germany and France. You reclear thinking and clean cut and member how anxiously we waited for militant action, to harden their reso- news of the struggles of our comlution with the doctrine of the class rades abroad and you remember how struggle, to organize them for the jubilant we were when the news of conquest of power, to mass them be- their splendid achievements reached ed to be "agents of Lenin and Trots-

"They watch us just as anxiously tionary task of the Workers (Com- today. The Communist International and every party of it, is watching today our conduct on the field of strug-"The American capitalist class is gle. They want to know how far we furnishing the depleted commissariats have travelled on the path of Leninof European capitalism with the ism, they want to see by our actual munitions of counter revolution. The achievements in the struggle, how American capitalist class has given much of the teachings of the great that it may be able to prevail against lated into action. The Russian workthe forces of social revolution. The ers and peasants, holding the first line American capitalist class has exacted trenches in the world revolution, while its price for this and most of that they build a Communist society, are price it expects and plans to have re-lalso watching us. They know what was made without any regard for funded thru the sweat and blood of role the American capitalist class their wishes. As parents and tar the workers of Europe and America plays and they want to know how that it hopes to coin into dollars. | well we wage our war against it in | gence of the most mentally bankrupt "The Dawes plan makes America the most powerful capitalist nation in to prove a united front between John

"Under the crimson banner of the dance. "The American ruling class chal- world social revolution, led and inlenges Japan in the Orient and it spired by the words and deeds of challenges Great Britain for world Lenin, bound in unbreakable ranks by the discipline of the Communist ing Communists the world over:

Forward to Workers' Rule.

"Down with world imperialism!

ADDITION TO ITS OWN LOCAL

Comrade Manuel Gomez, who is taking the initiative in the formation

leus around which a large Spanish branch will be bullt.

in arranging the meeting at which the new branch was organized.

#### AS WE SEE IT By T. J. O'FLAHERTY.

(Continued from page 1) tion of "capitalism." My fears wer(

monster, and Calvin Coolidge the Knight of the Terrible Silence, who (Communist) Party into a national lican, democrat and LaFollette par his lair with a sniff of the nose and a campaign for the first time, the plac- ties. All wish to preserve American biblical quotation, "thot that Mr. European Development campaign for the first time, the plac- ties. All wish to preserve American biblical quotation, that Mr. capitalism, some to maintain the Coolidge had no connection whatever with Wall Street," he declared. Busiby a bold and courageous struggle, history, is an event of greatest sig-slight changes that will serve to ness of proving the connection. "Fur-But the LaFollettes, the Eberts, the nificance, not only for the party it- further fool the workers, but all are thermore," I remarked as my quarry Hendersons, the Vanderveldes, were self but for the world revolutionary for American capitalism first, last and was retreating toward the window we are on the sixth floor of a loop Instead of leading the workers to the Communists into the national strug- "The LaFollette movement repre- office building-"not alone is he a sents in America the social pacifist faithful tool of capitalism, an enemy up the battle for capitalism. They be- American capitalism will have to movements that have arisen in of the workers-with brain and trayed the working class, just as La- reckon. The program of the Com- Europe, MacDonald in Great Britain, brawn," glancing physnologically at the counter jumper, "but his mind ization of the working class for the the petty bourgeois social-democratic makes a vacuum congested in com-"But since that time a new power conquest of power is heard for the governments of Germany, Sweden and parison." This was almost too much. has arisen in the world. In all coun- first time by thousands of workers Denmark. Because it ostensibly fights "Why," he moaned, "I would not be tries Communist parties have been whom we could have reached by no big capitalism, the politically back- lieve that of him even if I knew it to in the Communist International. This are agitated by the problems arising it the expression of all their indict- dow and I had my glasses, so I took is the greatest fact in history. For it out of the decay of world capitalism. ments of big business, their hope and a parting shot. "My favorite candidate for the presidency is William Z. "The working class is doomed to Foster, the Communist-" As I launched upon the world by capitalist questioning the more manifest evils disappointment. The LaFollette move shut the door after me, I heard the imperialism, the Communist Interna- of capitalism. Never has there been ment cannot and will not, because of noise of an opening window I waited tional will raise the slogan of world- such a disgust with and distrust of its middle-class character and leader- for the tell-tale thud, but perhaps he

> LF Messers. Fitzpatrick and Nocklef are not whiling away the hours which they are obliged to spend in their chairs at Federation headquart ers, solving cross word puzzles, they might try their brains on the latest mind twister, turned loose in the political bedlam of Illinois. Nockles and Fitzpatrick are experts in the art of proving a united front between William Z. Foster and Dawes because Dawes, who is playing "Tarzan of the Apes," in the G. O. P. jungles, took occasion to swat Fitzpatrick and Co. because in the sulphurous mind of ky," as the formula goes. Foster slammed them because they were, indirectly of course, agents of Dawes and the capitalist class of which Dawes is a very vocal and class conscious member.

> THAT Dawes hates Foster more I than an Irish devil is alleged to that. But a moron would feel insulted at being placed on the same intellectual footing as some of the labor fakers that draw big salaries in the American labor movement. Yet, we dare Fitzpatrick and Hell an' Maria Dawes, LaFollette is the image around which these political medicine men do their

THE labor fakers from Farrington to Fitzpatrick are supporting Len Small in Illinois. Small is so crooked "But first of all it strives to crush International, we go forward in this that he could sleep comfortably on a struggle with the battle cry of fight corkscrew. A skunk would suffer from paralysis of the olfactory nerves in the vicinty of Len Small. Yet this is the gentleman behind whose banner the labor fakers are marching-"Forward to the dictatorship of the the same colection of skates who sup-. . .

WALKER, Olander and Farrington, plus the holp-up men who were refused admittance to Joliet by Small. made a political deal with the governor. At this time Len was on the COMMUNIST LEAGUE OF NATIONS outs with the Dawes-Brundage-Crowe - Deneen - Tribune - News sections of the republican party. This A new branch of the Workers Party has been organized in Chicago, this gang represents the open and above week, this time among the Spanish-speaking workers. Eight members, seven board open shop element in the reof them Mexican laborers empleyed in the stockyards, have formed the nuc- publican party. But Small licked them in state politics and now in or-Members of the Greek branch of the party co-operated wholeheartedly der to save this state for Coolinge they buried the hatchet, which they formerly aimed at Small's neck, and took Small to their respectable bosof the new branch, spoke to the workers. At the conclusion of his talk, oms. It is true they still disinfect J. Espinosa was elected secretary of the newly-formed branch and Cruz their political homes when Len is visitor and after the first week in November, they may again try to quarantine him. But for the moment he is in the Dawes' camp and picking his teeth with the tail of the LaFollette lamb after having eaten the fat-

Harry Gannes, member of the na-WORKER pointed out, the deal be tween the labor fakers and Small preplacing a candidate for governor in the field against Len. Thus the Lahind Small. Fitzpatrick and Nockles are supporting Small. The Chicago Federation of Labor endorsed his candidacy. Small is supporting the national republican ticket. He is supporting Silent Cal and Noisy Charlie. A vote for Small is a vote for Dawes. How about it Messrs. Fitzpatrick and Nockles? But for the labor fakers this kind of political company is prefbranch library in Holden park, Lake erable to that of "Bill" Foster, the Communist candidate for president.

Building Bolsheviks-the D.

It's your paper-Build on It.

#### Borunda delegate to the city central committee. Williamson Gives Third Lecture for

The third lecture in the Young Immediate Problems of Reorganiza-Activities; (b) Industries to be concentrated upon, and (c) Tasks of city subject. organization, its separate units and

Inasmuch as the league is now be ing reorganized, every active comrade street. will have to do a bit more than his share during the reorganization period. He is expected to attend this meeting and become better fit to carry out the task set before us.

The first meeting of area branches takes place this Friday. Meeting placas are listed elsewhere in this paper League members who are working in industries and have not yet enrolled in the class should do so at this meetng of the class.

#### Gannes Speaks on Dawes Plan Before Industrial Class German Party Branch ed calf.

Workers' League industrial class of tional executive committee of the eight lectures conducted every Mon- Young Workers' League is speaking day at 2613 Hirsch boulevard, by John today on "The Dawes' Plan and its vented the LaFollette crowd from Williamson, takes up, "Chicago-Its Effect Upon the Workers of Europe." Comrade Gannes has made a spetion," covering (a) Survey of Past cial study of this subject and will give Follette movement in Illinois is bea very interesting talk on this timely

The German branch of the Work ers Party, at which this lecture will be delivered, meets at 1665 Bissell

Request Funds for Library. Request for a bond issue of \$200,-

000 to be used for the construction of a combination community house and street and Central Park avenue, was made on the mayor today by representatives of the Austin library association.

Join the Workers Party!

# **OWENS SPEAKS** OF PROBLEMS OF

## Workers Party

(Continued from page 1) WORKER from the newsies. People on their to the meeting were greeted by others coming in the opposite direction reading and talking about the Communist daily.

#### Swabeck Opens Meeting.

'Arne Swabeck, district organizer of the party, called the meeting to order. Comrade Swabeck briefly introduced to the crowd the chairman of the meeting, William F. Dunne, Communist candidate for governor of Illinois, who has recently returned from the sessions of the Fifth Congress of the Third International at Moscow, to which he was a delegate.

Owens Speaks On Negro Question. Gordon Owens, Negro candidate for congress in the first congressional district in a short speech outlined the party program on the Negro question, He told the Negro workers present that the real cause for race discrimination is economic; that the real issue is a class issue and not a race issue. He said that the Workers Party is the only political party that stands for the recognition of the Negro race on an absolute equal footing with all emancipated workers of the world.

#### Stress Need to Read.

scriptions for the DAILY WORKER, of the Illinois mine workers. to be carried thru during the fall and

doined.

#### Owens Given Ovation.

appearance on the platform of Gordon | the workers. Owens, a colored comrade, who is running for congressman from the five minutes after Owens had been an enthusiastic audience prevented him from speaking.

white, they have been prevented from class - conscious," said becoming Owens. "Even some of their most influential leaders teach them to look on the Negro problem as a race problem, rather than as the class problem that it really is.

"Today all this is changing. The Negroes are leaving the capitalist parties by the hundreds and coming into the Communist ranks. They are beginning to understand that their real enemy is the capitalist, both the black and the white capitalist, and that their real task is the overthrowing of the capitalist system with its law of hunger, war and death."

A thunderous burst of applause greeted the announcement that Robert Minor, one of the party's bestknown cartoonists, writers and speakers, was to address the rally.

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The LaFollette Illusion—

first reading this pamphlet ...

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It is there that minds are open to the measures, parties and candidates

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organizer and fighter for the workers, and LaFollette, the lawyer and

fighter for the middle class. (Editorial Daily Worker.)

THE ABOVE "HITS THE NAIL" on the head. Nothing could be added to that. It's up to you reader, to do everything physically

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LITERATURE DEPARTMENT

Workers Party of America

Chicago, III.

Parties and Issues in the Election Campaign-

### Spotlight Thrown on Labor Faker

(Continued from Page 1.) and universally respected miners' Russia. And why not? There are no

leader, Duncan McDonald. But the coal operators cannot al. of the Soviet Republic. ways save Farrington from the wrath Outlines the Position of of the rank and file and the main purpose of these articles is to supply the career of Frank Farrington in the coal diggers of Illinois with the neces. miners' union, the DAILY WORKER sary material to expose this charla. ran into some juicy morsels relating tan in his true colors and send him to the activities of John L. Lewis back into obscurity or into the open which will look just as well all by Miners' Union.

#### Romance Given Cold Shoulder.

In gathering the facts on which this series is based the DAILY WORKER career since he first went down a disregarded everything except what mine at Streator, Ill., up to the prescould be proved before a working ent day. He has been going steadily class court, and what deals with his down ever since in the estimation of relations to the organized coal miners the honest coal diggers of this state, of Illinois. Farrington's life is inter- but his relations with the banking esting in many ways, but let a DeMau- business show that otherwise the ner's jury on charges of murpassant or a Dumas weave the gar- business of being a labor leader does der after an inquest. land of romance around those inci- not pay so badly. Few coal diggers dent which have to do with his more have an orange grove in Alabama, or Comrade Dunne made a short intro- or less unconventional relations with can afford two homes in widely sepductory speech striking the key-note the opposite sex. We do not care arated cities." of the afternoon's rally. Then came whether Farrington in this connection musical selections by the Freiheit played the role of a Tom Jones or a tution of the miners' union whenever the DAILY WORKER. Herman Pupick. We are not writing he felt like doing so, and whenever Illinois to whom he pledged his loyar mentary evidence. We will place the ty, we propose to place him in the criminal in the box to testify against ter robbery case.

"The men were indicted the next of evidence at our disposal, that will make the charges stick.

The material gathered for the pur- is quite handy with the pencil, parpose of writing these articles was se- ticularly when it comes to putting cured thru the aid of bona fide mem- in a bill for expenses. Like the vil-

#### Gas Masks Wanted.

new evidence of perfidy on the part series made his debut in union poliof the labor misleaders of America, tics by attacking a sub-district presi- show up, and that "Sodie" Ginsberg, The necessity of supporting the yet the writer cannot adequately ex dent for charging up one dollar a day DAILY WORKER, the Workers' press his amazement at the panorama for a hotel bill. We will show as we Monthly, and other literature of the of crookedness that was revealed in go, along that Farrington not alone of suspicion strongly in their direcparty was stressed by Comrade Dunne the documents concerning the unholy was generous in his estimation of his tion," Adams told the DAILY WORKwho urged all militant workers to work engaged in by Frank Farring own traveling expenses but was equal ER. take active part in the drive for sub- ton while paid to function in behalf ly generous in allowing the union to

story is that Farrington was able to bers of the opposite sex were indis-Next on the program was the or- get away with it. Others who had pensable to the comforts of his jourchestra of the Young Workers' played the game on a large scale were ney. This predeliction for female League which rendered revolutionary caught with the goods, but the Parks, companionship is set down here to selections in which the audience Brindells and Murphys allowed their prove a point and not to make a point greed to get the better of their judg- against Farrington's orientation away A tremendous ovation greeted the er than his prototypes in treachery to have no particular love.

#### He Counts the Votes.

How Farrington succeeds in getting Walker, shares honors with Farring first congresisonal district. For fully elected has always been a mystery to ton for a few brief paragraphs during announced, the cheers and shouts of help to clear up that matter. The announce the goods. coal operators are for him one hundred per cent and this gives Farring- rington went to bat for a notorious Comrade Owens spoke of the twelve ton a powerful club to use against judge in the Collinsville district.

The comrade Owens spoke of the twelve ton a powerful club to use against judge in the Collinsville district.

During the same period the p 'I don't give a God damn whether

#### FAMOUS MOVIE FILM. "POLIKUSHKA," WILL RETURN TO CHICAGO

The famous story, "Polikushka," by the immortal writer, L. N. Tolstov, which was made into a moving picture by the Moscow Art Theatre, is coming back to Chicago for one evening only. The picture was shown in Chicago at the Orchestra Hall only once last winter. Thousands of workers who were unable to see the picture at its first showing are anxiously awaiting its coming back. Final arrangements for showing the picture again in Chicago are now being made. The date and place will be announced in the labor press.

#### you fellows vote for me, I'll be your John L. Lewis used against Alexander next president anyway." Needless to Howat and the miners of Nova Scotia. say, this crooked autocrat is a bitter His latest victim is the well-known foe of the proletarian dictatorship in

Frank Farringtons under the red flag

#### Some Juicy Morsels. In making the investigation of the

service of the enemy, he is now serv. themselves when the opportune time William Bell, the Negro lynched ing from the offices of the Illinois comes. Suffice it to say that it is not surprising that labor fakers with a Streets, last week, will visit "past" should not feel very kindly state's attorney Crowe today toward the DAILY WORKER.

We have followed Farrington's

Farrington has violated the constia new moral code, but because Far- it was to his advantage to do so. rington has betrayed the miners of This charge will be proven by docu-Illinois to whom he pledged his loyal- mentary evidence. We will place the

#### Wizard at Figures.

Tho not a literary man, Farrington bers of the Illinois Mine Workers' lian in Victor Hugo's "Toilers of the Sea," whose honesty was almost painful until he was favored with a big Accustomed as we are to discover opportunity, the "villian" of this And the remarkable part of the companions, when he felt that mem-

ment. Evidently Farrington was wis- from Anthony Comstock, for whom we Watery-Eyed John. The lachrymal squirt can, John L

We will show how "Brother" Far

who present to revolutionists a prob- him. He also counts the votes which dent of the Illinois Miners' Union enlem that is complex in the extreme. is a factor that should not be sneezed dorsed Col. Frank L. Smith, of Dwight. "The great majority of the Negroes at, as any labor leader could testify to. | dorsed Col. Flank D. Shipti, or Bulling, or Bulling, or governor on the democratic are proletarians, but thru the insidi- In fact, during his campaign for electicket. What he said about the Small ous influence of the schools, the press, tion he often makes the statement: forces in the letter of endorsement a wife and baby without support, had

#### have a copy of the letter. A Crooked Trail.

Farrington's trail from the time he wrong man. entered the coal mine at Streator, until he turned over the political mahinery of his office to the crook, Len lynching, the wine shop where Ep-Small, will be gone into. The story of his conduct during the "outlaw joint. They charge that the police strike" of 1919 makes nasty reading. So does the correspondence between the place altho they are well aware himself and the other notorious labor of the law-breaking activities going crook, John L. Lewis, over the Lester on. Many of the Negroes complain mine, of Williamson county ill-fame.

cursed with the leadership of this Napoleon of labor fakers do not take, WORKER.

The next aritcle of this series will deal with the early days of Farring ton's career in the miners' union, when he was preparing for the role out." This lad who works in a shop which he has since played, with so near the Maxwell street police sta-

ACTIVITIES.

Monday, Oct. 13.

Rehearsal of Freiheit Mandolin Orchesra, North Wood St., near Division.

Northwest Jewish, 2642 Le Moyne Ave.
Lithuanian No. 3, Wicker Park Hall, 040 W. North Ave.
Lithuanian No. 77, Meldaxis Hall, 2242

V. 23rd Pl.

Hungarian Branch

Hungarian Branch, 1500 Sedgwick St. German Branch, 1665 Bissell St. Harry annes speakeing on "The Dawes Rep-tation Plan."

Italian Cicero, 1402 S. 50th Ct., Cicero 19th Ward Italian, 1103 S. Loomis St.
DAILY WORKER agents' meeting at
DAILY WORKER office, Monday, Oct.
13, 8 p. m. Increasing membership in
DAILY WORKER Bricklayers' Union,

pally worker Bricklayers Union, special matter to be taken up.
Tuesday, Oct. 14.
Pollsh Roseland, 205 E. 115th Street, Stancick's Hall.
Northwest English, 2733 Hirsch Blvd.
Irving Park English, 2041 Drake Ave.
Ukrainian No. 1, 1532 W. Chicago Ave.

## YOUNG WORKERS LEAGUE

## DEMAND CROWE LYNCHING CASE

#### Demand Will Be Made on State's Attorney

Attorneys for the family of by a mob at Maxwell and 14th and demand a speedy indictment of the two white men identified as participants in the attack on Bell.

These two men, Otto Epstein and Irving Rockowitz, were held to the grand jury by the coro-

Demand Immediate Indictments. "We are going to insist on indictments in this case at once," George Adams, attorney for Ernest Bell, brother of the murdered Negro, told

"We are going to point out to state's attorney Crowe that speedy indictments were issued in the Loeb-

day. We see no reason why a speedy indictment should not be issued by the grand jury in the case of the brutal murder of Bell."

#### Cab Driver Disappears.

Adams told the DAILY WORKER that the lives of Negroes in the city of Chicago must be protected.

"The fact that Jack Pasch, after being called as a witness, did not the cab driver, has been missing since the lynching, points the finger

Mrs. Goldblatt, mother of Betty Goldblatt, one of the girls who gave the alarm which caused the lynching of Bell, and later admitted a white man in a Ford car had first approached her, told the DAILY WORKER about her daughter.

#### Never Had Any Trouble.

"Betty is only eighteen years old," said Mrs. Goldblatt. "She has had the burden of supporting the family, as my husband has been out of work for five months. I lave a family of five, and my youngest daughter is just recovering from the uninitiated, but these articles will this series. In this article we merely an attack of pneumonia. I am sorry the whole thing occurred.

"I have lived in this section for 15 years, and have had no trouble of

any kind with the Negroes. "I am the only white family living in this house (1071 Maxwell street)

#### and have had no trouble." Leaves Wife and Baby.

Bell, the murdered man, who leaves makes interesting reading today. We a splendid reputation among the Negroes of the neighborhood, and the police declare the mob lynched the

According to prominent Negro shop keepers in the neighborhood, of the stein worked is a notorious bootleg in the Maxwell street police station, only a block away, have never raided that the police in this district greatly If the miners of Illinois who are exceed their authority in their treatment of the Negroes.

"I was going home the very evesteps to replace him with a man who ning the lynching occurred, Wedneswill use his office as it should be day at five o'clock," a young Negro used, to direct the never-ending strug who attends the Wendell Phillips gle of the miners against the bosses, High school, said to the DAILY it will not be the fault of the DAILY WORKER. "I was near the scene where the murder of Bell occurred, when a policeman called out to me, 'Hey there Nigger, have you got any dice in your pocket? You better look much damage to the interests of the tion, charged that police often make insulting remarks to men and women of his race who are peacefully walk-WORKERS PARTY LOCAL CHICAGO ing the streets. He declared that there used to be Negro policemen in there used to be Negro policemen in the Maxwell street station, but that the white police had "Succeeded in running them out."

Epstein did not testify at the cor- Foley admitted. Then Clark came in Girls Join Strike oner's inquest. He refused to stand and took the police to Bell's body. up and take his coat off to be identified by an eye-wtness.

Samuel Davis, who heard the evidence, refused to permit the attorney for Irving Rockowitz to heckle the Negro witnesses.

"This is not a trial but an inquest," the impression that you were Epstein's lawyer and I refuse to permit WORKER reporter, "I am anxious to your cross questioning to go any fur-+ther.

#### Police Search Only Negroes.

Testimony of Maxwell street police officers who answered Epstein's re-Monday, Oct. 13.

Industrial Class—Comrade Williamson rill take up outline No. 3: "Chicago, Its memediate Problems of Reorganization." Every student enrolled should be present. Every industrial member of the league the has not yet enrolled should do so at the started indiscriminate with the started indiscriminate and started indiscriminate. who has not yet enrolled should do so at this meeting.

Tuesday, Oct. 14.

Irving Park Branch, 4021 Drake Ave.

Wednesday, Oct. 15.

Class in Elemnetary Marxian Economics, by Earl R. Browder at 2612 Hirsch Boulevard. League members enroll!

Marshfield Branch Y. W. L., Taylor and Lytle Streets.

Tants and started indiscriminate searching, while Bell was lying dead on the street. John J. Foley testified he went out at 11:20 p. m. and searched about twenty Negroes in a pool-room on Miller street. "I found no guns or knives on any of them," room on Miller street. "I found no guns or knives on any of them," actively mixed up in the fighting.

## THE POWER COLUMN

Twice every week—this column uncovers to your view the motive power behind the DAILY WORKER. Here for the interest and inspiration of every reader—and especially the DAILY WORKER agents and committees—are tried and proven suggestions and accomplishments to drive the DAILY WORKER to further

Here is POWER—the power of brain and effort of men and women of the working class who not only believe—but ACT!

#### Have You Ever Heard of Hanna?

F you haven't, you had better learn about it-it is some place in Wyoming. It is also the stamping ground of A BRICKLAYER—and what a bricklayer! This town in the wilds of Wyoming is the home of Fred Williams, branch agent for the DAILY WORKER in the only branch in Hanna, Wyo.

A week ago Comrade Williams was elected to replace another agent unable to serve. He had no sub blanks, not even information on how to procede. But he had the energy and the perseverance of the instinctive, born BRICKLAYER and the desire to build the labor movement by building the paper best serving labor's interest.

So he took sample copies of the DAILY WORKER and "went out to get 'em." His first letter to us brought a money order for \$23.50 for five 6-months and one 1-year sub. AND HE WANTED INFORMATION ON HOW TO PROCEDE about his work! He also wanted some sub blanks. Within a few days and before he could have received his supplies (he needed no information on how to get subs) we received another letter from Comrade Williams enclosing \$26.00 worth of subs including two for 1 year and four for 6 months. And just as we were writing this, a third letter arrived with three more yearly subs and one for 6 months. For good measure he includes two yearly subscriptions for the organ of the little fighting Johnny Reds "The Young Comrade."

In ONE WEEK and by himself he has secured \$71.00 worth of "subs" for the DAILY WORKER—six for 1 year and ten for 6 months! You will notice he has not sent a single "sub" under six months. Here's a member of the D. W. B. U. (DAILY WORKER Bricklayers' Union) to boast about. And we are doing it whole-heartedly. We are also asking Comrade Fred Williams to give our other DAILY WORKER agents advice on HOW TO PROCEDE! We want him to tell our bricklayers "How in Hanna" he does it!

#### BRICKLAYERS IN THE D. W. B. U.

(These locals include Bricklayers of the D. W. B. U. who in 3 days -Thursday, Friday, Saturday-have sent in NEW subs to "Build the DAILY WORKER." The grand total represents the number of NEW subs since October 4.) **Grand Total** Oct. 4 to 11

LOCAL NEW YORK-Business Agent L. E. Katterfeld (22).. 87 G. E. Kellas, Johannsen, Louis A. Baum, Clara Fox, Fred Cammer, Lena Greenberg, Jeanette Wilensky, Codkind (2); B. Katz (2); John Christianson (3); Schwartz, Jewish Harlem Branch (4); Br. Y. W. L. No. 12 (11); I. Aaronson, Brooklyn; Laisve, Lithuanian Daily, Brooklyn.

LOCAL CHICAGO-Business Agent John Heinrichson..... "Mother" Bloor (2); Al Schaap; Sam Hammersmark; Arne Swabeck: Nick Pannas (3).

LOCAL HANNA, WYO Bus. Agt. Fred Williams	16
LOCAL DETROIT—Bus. Agt. Edgar Owens (5)	14
LOCAL WORCESTER-Bus. Agt. Michael Zieper	9
LOCAL MINNEAPOLIS-Bus. Agt. Walter Frank	8
LOCAL CLEVELAND-Bus. Agt. J. Hamilton	7
LOCAL MILWAUKEE-Bus. Agt. J. C. Gibson	4
LOCAL GARY, IND.—Bus. Agt. John Rusak	4
LOCAL PHILADELPHIA-Bus. Agt. John Lyman	4
LOCAL SUPERIOR-Bus. Agt. Helen Heinonen	3
LOCAL BALTIMORE—Bus. Agt. S. Cohan	3
LOCAL TOLEDO-Bus. Agt. A. W. Harvitt (2)	2
LOCAL PORTLAND—Bus. Agt. C. Gibbons	2
LOCAL FINDLAY, MASS Bus. Agt. Elsie Pultur (1)	3

#### \* \* \* \* OTHER BRICKLAYERS: Our Members At Large-

(This is not a total list. It includes only those Building Bolsheviks who have sent in NEW subs Thursday, Friday, Saturday of last

BIG SANDY, MONT .- Ira Siebrasse (Second time he has "heaved back" a brick to us.)

LOS ANGELES, CAL.-Anna Cornblath. TACOMA PARK, D. C.-John Vaska. RUPERT, IDA .- L. W. Meyers. MULLEN, IDA.-B. Ofner. KANSAS CITY, KAS .- Geo. Meyler. SOUTH BEND, IND .- J. Yoka. DORCHESTER, MASS.—Lewis Marks. ISHPEMING, MICH.-John Best (2). KANSAS CITY, MO .- Otto Zulauf. EASTON, PA .- A. Hoffman. RUSSELTON, PA.-Louis Vucich. VESTABURG, PA .- Anton Z. Yelich.

An New York Bricklayer, Comrade G. E. Kellas, is a kicker. Unlike the chronic one we read about he's a wicked but good, constructive kicker. He tells us about what he thinks are loopholes in our system and then offers some practical suggestions. He says:

"I hate like hell to complain but when I think that complaints will help I am doing them gladly."

And then after he gets the kick and suggestions "off his chest" he

"I am one of the very first readers of the DAILY WORKER and when I missed it I felt like a crime was committed and if the public library wasn't here, where I went and read all the copies I hadn't received, I wouldn't have known what to do . . . .

"After that complaint and suggestion I am enclosing my "brick" for a six month subscription and as I am now in New York and a member of the DAILY WORKER Bricklayers' Union I'll try to do my best to send you more bricks to build up "The National Labor Daily." Scab never I was and never I expect to be."

Atta boy! No scabbing on the D. W. B. U.!

Negro Attorney Interested in W. P. Program.

George Adams, attorney for the Bell family, told the DAILY WORK-ER that Bell had a good reputation. Adams had heard of the DAILY Davis declared. "I have been under WORKER. He was wearing a Coolidge button, but told the DAILY get in closer touch with the Workers Party. They seem to have a clear cut program on the Negro problem, and the Negroes don't seem to be

> party.' Al Friedmann, who testified he was in the wine shop when the lynching occurred, was badly scratched and cut on the right cheek. Rockowitz appeared at the inquest with a badly discolored left eye.

> getting much out of the republican

Rockowitz, who is a driver for the restless. Yellow Cab company, testified he was

## at Shop of the Flow-Meters Co.

ters company shop at 2040 Diversey Ave., came out on strike yesterday joining the striking men machinists and specialists who struck this week against a ten per cent reduction in

shop with scabs, and declaring his Saturday, Oct. 18, at 8 p. m. loyalty to the strikers. Only one or two scabs were able to get past the New York comrades should not miss pickets yesterday. About two hun- All of the comrades whom you worked dred men looking for work were turn. so hard to put on the ballot will b ed away by the pickets yesterday and present, among them Comrades Alex warned that there was a strike on.

of the strike, as the tool makers and campaign, Harry Winitzsky. other departments are known to be

# **BOARD MEETING**

#### Plan Fight for Action on Teachers' Councils

Charging that members of the board of education are deliberately postponing action on the Teachers' Councils and other important measures for reasons of their own until after election, Miss Margaret Haley has instructed the members of the Teachers' Federation to be sure to be at 650 South Clark Street, at a committee meeting of the Board of Education at 4 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon,

to insist upon immediate action. When the recommendation of Superintendent McAndrew requiring principals to meet with teachers goes thru it will also mean that notices of meetings cannot be circulated to the teachers by the Teachers' Federation, or any other body, Miss Haley made clear to the meet-

McAndrew at "Big Biz" Dinner. It will mean that only notices of the superintendent sent thru the principals can be brought before the

teachers in the schools. Miss Haley charged that the superintendent's speech at the chamber of commerce dinner at the LaSalle Hotel last week, where sat the president and four members of the board of education and the mayor in the person of his representative, Francis X. Busch, shifted the fight on the teach ers' councils from the teachers on to

Ella Flagg Young. "And we are perfectly willing to leave the fight where he has put it,"

#### Lauds Ella Flagg Young.

"Ella Flagg Young stands before this country today as an educator. McAndrew has not yet made his reputation as an educator. In the words of a certain distinguished gentleman. 'An irritator is not an educator.'" This remark brought applause from the teachers that lasted for several min-

"Mr. McAndrew has shifted the issue from the teachers' shoulders to

one able to bear it the in her grave. "And we'll take this Ella Flagg Young theory of education to the club women who asked us for \$10 for a memorial for Mrs. Young and we will say to them: 'Do they want brass, do they want marble, or do they want omething that is going to live.'

"Ella Flagg Young said: 'The voice of authority or position not only must not dominate the councils, but must not be heard."

#### Carry Fight to Legislature.

"When we go before the legislature in Springfield, we will say to those gentlemen: 'Do you want to go back to a system of education that was stamped a failure by that great educator, Ella Flagg Young, or are you going to say she was not fit.' The fight is no longer McAndrew against the teachers, it is now McAndrew and the board and the business interests dominating the board, against Ella Flagg Young."

Miss Haley then went into a detailed explanation of the real cause of the fight on the teachers. The order has gone out to cut down public education because it is costing too much. There is a standing deficit and the board of education is bankrupt.

"This is a fierce attack upon you. If they break your resistance power it will be easier to break the resistance power of all the teachers in the United States. There is only one way to meet this issue and this it to get the money from those who are keeping it from the board of education, the wealthy tax dodgers.

"Some interesting facts will come out in this fight before we are thru. We will expose certain gentlemen who are being paid large salaries just to protect the interests of these rich tax dodgers. That is the reason why we want this fight to be brought to a showdown now and the board is putting it off until after the election."

Another mass meeting was authorized for next week, full particulars as The girls working in the Flow-Me. to time and place to be given in a notice to the teachers later.

#### First Campaign Ball.

The Communist youth of New York will greet our Workers (Communist) wages.

The foreman also came out on strike, refusing to work in the same

Party candidates at a ball given by branches one and six at the Park Palace (The Carlton), 6 W. 111th St.

This is the opportunity that the ander Trachtenberg, H. M. Wicks and All signs point to a further spread the generalissimo of the N. Y. State

A large percentage of the proceeds of this affair will go to the campaign fund of the Workers Party. The Rec. Vote Communist This Time: Revelliers will furnish the music.

# The World of Labor Industry J. Agriculture **WAGES BRING**

## Rail Board Meet

By LELAND OLDS.
(Federated Press Industrial Editor) Deficit wages was the striking term used by President E. H. Fitzgerald, Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, to describe to the

easily be an immoral practice engineered by Ben Legere and his instatement of Howat, MacLachlan for workers because it can only be done by denying the families such essentials as sufficient milk for the babies.

Undernourishment is Result.

ticed on such inadequate wages. trict: These assertions he supported by figures from the recently issued cost of living bulletin of the U.S. department of labor which is based upon a house to house study of the annual expendicandidates for district officers. tures of more than 12,000 typical wage earners' families, previously reviewed in the Federated Press economic news service.

Discussing the minimum amounts required to enable wage earners to maintain a decent standard of living the railway clerks argue that "No man can support a family with three children on less than \$2,000 a year unless he sacrifices many of the decencies and comforts which go to make up the American standard of ers in clerical occupations."

New Departure. which Fitzgerald is presenting to the pared by the University of California. board was the submission of a series of budgets adapted to the prevailing requirements of the various classes of employes covered by the case. These

## MILITANTS OF DISTRICT 5, MINERS' UNION, SENDING OUT CALL FOR ACTION IN COMING ELECTIONS

(Special to The Daily Worker)
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 12.—A drive to elect militants to the official positions in the coming district and international elections of the United Mine Workers of America, on a platform which calls for the formation of a fighting organization and the reinstatement of Alexander Howat, Jim MacLachlan and Thomas Demand More Money at Myerscough, the fighting miners who were forced out thru the Nigra to be Deported to longer hours and less pay is being in hours aboard government boats, the

Two years ago the progressive min

medium of the "blue sky" locals.

them. Militants of this district have

Election of organizers, 6-hour day

unemployment relief, protection of

foreign-born, amalgamation, alliance

with railroad workers. Organization

campaign, and all the platform calls

for, and those locals who are against

exorbitant salaries for officials, spine-

unionism and secession movements.

Oust the union wreckers and ex-

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tellers, Alfred Fillipelli, Local 235,

Miners, support this ticket, get

follows:

machinations of the corrupt and+ reactionary machines of Lewis continue, the organization will fall. and Farrington, is being put thru by members of the locals ers had a ticket opposing the administration. The rank and file supportof District 5. ed this ticket solidly, but thru the

These miners demand also the nationalization of the mines with workers control, the election of organizers, boodle and bribery it was announced rail labor board the wages paid the six-hour day and the five-day we lost. However we cannot let the to members of his organization. week, higher wages and better work. opportunity pass by not opposing He demands restoration of 1920 ing conditions, the formation of a nominated an entire ticket to oppose labor party, amalgamation, and ex-Saving money on existing press opposition to dual unionism, seminers who believe, and want officials wage rates, said FitzGerald, may cession movements—such as those to fight for a fighting organization, re-One Big Union—and discrimination and Meyerscough, nationalization of against Negro and foreign-born work-

The call sent out by members of 5-day week, higher wages and better District 5 to all locals in the Pitts- working conditions. A labor party maiming.

Infant deaths and undernourished | To all sincere members of the U. children are the result of thrift prac- M. W. of A. in the Pittsburgh dis-

The district and international elections will soon be held, and the locals of District 5 are now nominating

The election this year finds the organization in bad straits in more ways than one. The treasury is nearly bankrupt thru the corps of "organizers" and officials continually draining it. So bad indeed that the district offices cannot pay the death claims to the dependents of our deceased comrades. Thru their reign of reaction and corruption the organization has suffered, and if it is to

living. And \$2,000 a year is inade. budgets ranged all the way from that quate for the maintenance of such a for an unmarried clerk up to that family on the scale expected of work. for the married employe with three children. These budgets, which represent the minimum satisfactory liv-A new departure in the wage case ing standard in each case, were pre-

> The contrast between the wages required to meet the budgets and the actual wages of railway clerks and other station service employes was shown as follows:

Per Year	Minimum budget		
Chief clerks and assistants	\$2,925	\$2,118	
Clerical specialists	2,925	1,861	
Clerks (B group)	2,236	1,454	
Clerks (C group)	1,255	1,159	
Mechanical device operators	1,914	1,288	
Stenographers and typists	1,914	1,395	
Telephone switchboard operators	1,277	902	展
Baggage agents and assistants	2,236	1,366	
Baggage and parcel room employes	1,817	1,062	
Callers, loaders, scalers, etc.	2,001	1,249	
Freight handlers	1,817	1,078	

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## Land of Terror

By LAURENCE TODD. fascist sluggers may give him, in November. They murdered listed. Matteotti, the Italian socialist

He will be deported altho assistant secretary of labor White has been fully informed

The Reason Why.

The chief reason why the gentlespoken White is going to do this is that it is easier to agree with a fanatical reactionary who acts as his legal adviser than to follow his own huless and reactionary leadership, dual mane impulses. The law permits the secretary of labor, in whose stead no discrimination of Negro and for White is acting in these deportation eign workers and many other issues cases, to determine whether an alien which space does not permit to be is such an undesirable person as to mentioned should be enough to con- justify the punishment of deportavince the membership to nominate tion.

and endorse this ticket from top to When the Federated Press correspondent went to see White, to learn why he proposed to return Nigra to pense account artists. Put in honest, Italy Nov. 18, he found that White clean and efficient men who will lead was unfamiliar with the case, which the miners to victory and power. A he had finally decided last April. He platform stating the views, aims and thought chief justice Taft had renderpledges of this ticket will soon be ed a decision in the I. W. W. cases printed. Order your share and pass which made deportation necessary. it around. Individual contributions The decision, rendered last January, and assistance needed to carry on the in the cases of Nigra, Mahler, Oates and Moran, the four ex-prisoners now now in power. Do your share. Write awaiting deportation, upheld the right of the government to send these men back to the countries from which they be fighters of the working class, and came.

pledged to fight for the platform is as White first suggested that "We are not passing on the radicalism of any alien." Then he thought that he might cal 155, Charleroi; vice-president, permit an alien to depart at his own Mike Brajdich, Local 3257, Wyano; expense to a country other than his secretary-treasurer, John Rafferty, Loown, if that country would receive cal 4426, Harmarville; International him. So, if Nigra could get assurboard member, Andrew Harmison, Lo- ances that he would be permitted to cal 1724, Houston; board members of enter England, that solution might be sub-district No. 1, Louis Dufour, Lo- arranged.

cal 1973, MacDonald; No. 2., James | Presently the legal adviser came in. Douglas, Local 2125, Houston; No. 3., He was asked whether Nigra could Ralph Bernabe, Local 1190, Ellsworth; legally be permitted to depart to Eng-No. 4. Walter Jones, Local 2399, land. Daisytown; No. 5., John Indof, Local

"I wouldn't let him," explained the 2353, Fitz Henry; No. 6., James Hick. adviser sharply. "This fellow is an ey, Keller; No. 7., George Solomon, undesirable citizen, he was one of Local 4426, Harmarville; auditors, Pat that Haywood gang, and they were H. Toohey, Local 1724, Houston; convicted of destruction of property, sabotaging the war and all sorts of crimes. He's an anarchist and the law Hazard, Peter Wekick, Local 1829, requires that you deport him.

When reminded that Nigra was Meadowlands, Joseph Biscoe, Local never convicted of being an anarchist, and that the issue was simply his leyour local to nominate the candidates. gal right, the adviser again displayed Notify the undersigned of the action radicals. White joined the chorus taken. Send for the platform. Help and it was suggested to him that Seh. us make the U. M. W. of A. a militant Pepper, at the invitation of president fighting organization Line up the Harding, investigated the evidence in miners in your territory with the these cases and pronounced it wholly insufficient for conviction.

Hoping to hear from you at the Not Even As 'Good' as Teddy. earliest opportunity, I am, fraternally The record produced by White your, Pat. H. Toohey, secretary camshowed that he had already, at the paign committee, Room 5, 805 James advice of his departmental lawyer, decided that Nigra and the three other I. W. W. trial victims were undesirable aliens who must be deport-WASHINGTON, Oct. 12. - Approved to their countries of origin. He ed applications for world war veterwithdrew his promise that Nigra ans' adjusted compensation are reachmight go to a country where his life ing the veterans' bureau from the would be safe. army, navy and marine corps at a

"President Roosevelt refused to let Elihu Root send Rudowitz back to Lodz, Poland, closed, only two or three Russia to be hanged by the czar," he mills working full time, and virtually was reminded.

Bazaar in Wisconsin. Junior Workers League of West Al. tile industry is steadily growing worse lis will have a bazaar at 9 p. m., Sat. reports the department of labor buurday, Oct 18, 1924, at Miller's Hall, reau at Washington. 8th and State Sts. Admission 10 cents. Good musical program; lunches and refreshments served. Everybody wel-

### CANADIAN GOVERNMENT TRIES TO LENGTHEN WORKDAY OF SEAMEN

By SYDNEY WARREN.

(Federated Press Staff Correspondent.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 12 .- The Canadian government merchant ma rine is attempting to reduce expenses by forcing seamen on government ressels to work longer hours with time off in port in lieu of overtime pay. It also blacklists seamen who complain of food and other conditions. The Gray, which the government chartered from a private company, is the first

troduced. On this vessel the men are food is poor and on some of the vesand are compelled to take the wheel. These conditions forced the unsuc lumbia and apart from this reduction after a three months strike, the gov-

Overtime Without Pay. Coasting vessels of the Canadian against food or living conditions. government have been paying overime to donkey-men aboard until recently an order came to compel these as to the likelihood that he is pay and receive time off in port, and tion has succeeded in maintaining January 1923, and all but the sending Nigra to death or on arrival in port if the man has itself, due largely to its aggressive for the overtime he has worked.

Apart from the poor wages and long the union.

Your Union Meeting

Second Monday, Oct. 13, 1924.

No. Name of Local and Meeting Place
625 Boiler Makers, 5324 S. Halsted St.
14 Boot and Shoe Workers' Joint
Council, 1939 Milwaukee Ave.
Brewery Workers' Joint Ex. Board,
1790 W. 21st St.
301 Brewery Workers' 1700 W. 21st St.
1 Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, 910 W. Monroe St.
593 Butchers, Hebrew, 3420 W. Roosevelt Road.

Butchers, Hebrew, 3420 W. Roosevelt Road.
Cap Makers, 4003 Roosevelt Road.
Carpenters, 2705 W. 38th St.
Carpenters, 4039 W. Madison St.
Carpenters, 2040 W. North Ave.
Carpenters, S. C., 9139 Commercial
Ave.
Carpenters, 505 S. State St.
Carpenters, 1457 Clybourn Ave.
Carpenters, 122 N. W. St., Waukegan.

gan.
Carpenters, 2040 W. North Ave.
Carpenters, 6654 S. Halsted St.
Cigar Makers' Ex. Bd., 166 W.
Washington St., 7:30 p. m.
Coopers' Joint Ex. Bd., 2525 S.
Halsted St.

Machinists Dis. Council, 113 S. Ash-land.

Moulders Conf. Bd., 119 S. Throop Painters, 3316 W. North Ave. Painters, 19 W. Adams St. Painters, Madison and 5th Ave. Painters, 111th and Michigan Ave. Painters, 2432 S. Kedzie Ave. Painters, 240 W. Randolph St. Railway Carmen, Cicero and Superior.

rior. Rallway Carmen, 5252 S. Ashland. Rallway Carmen, 88th and Com-mercial.

1162 Railway Carmen, 92d and Balti-

Textile Mill Crisis in Poland

the entire reminder operating with a

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Building Bolsheviks-the D.

hired for deck work at \$65 a month sels the men's quarters are filthy This is \$5 less a month than is paid cessful strike of the Seafarers' union WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.— lumbia and apart from this reduction after a three months strike the row. Pietro Nigra, Italian subject, in wages men employed on the Canone of the victims of the I.W.W. adian government vessels are comferret out active union men and to the war, will be deported to Italy and should a member of the crew possible were hired on the company's

Union Keeps Alive.

In spite of the defeat of the union workers to work overtime without during the last strike, the organiza- manufacturers, was arrested in more than a few hours' leisure time secretary, W. Donaldson. The mem- before the fact" of the planting coming to him, he is discharged on bership has increased and has men of the suitcase containing a some trivial excuse and gets nothing on practically all the coastal and deep- clockwork mechanism and 78 sea vessels to further the interests of

## YOU'RE OUT OF LUCK IF YOU GO BROKE IN NEW ORLEANS, LA.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 12.—Philip De Vault, aged 18 years, of Washington Court House, Ohio, who claims ting the bomb at their plant. he has traveled 1,800 miles in the past three weeks, was arrested on his arrival in the city on a charge of vagrancy. When confronted by the judge he was asked how much money he had in his possession. On being assured that the boy was penniless hizzonner fined the wanderer \$10, or in the event of being unable to pay same to serve thirty days in the house of detention.

In the prison the boy fainted for lack of food arriving there after dinner 4 Engineers (Marine), 601 Capitol Was served, having fasted for the past

Capt. Rennyson, the warden took the lad under his personal care and

## de Engineers (Marine), 601 Capitol Bldg. Dengineers, 4643 S. Halsted St. Engineers, 4643 S. Ashland Ave. Engineers, 180 W. Washington St. Engineers (Loc.), 2900 W. North Ave., 7 p. m. Firemen and Enginemen, 5058 Wentworth Ave. Firemen and Oilers, 175 W. Wash. Gardeners and Florists, Neidog's Hall, Hinsdale, Ill. Hotel and Restaurant Empl's Joint E. Bd., 166 W. Washington, 3 p. m. Ladies' Garment, 328 W. Van Buren Lathers, 725 S. Western Ave. Longshoremen, 355 N. Clark St. Machinists Dis. Council, 113 S. Ash-Reports no Progress on Unity Proposals

(By The Federated Press) HAMBURG, Germany, Oct. 12. -Machinists Dis. Council, 113 S. Ash-land. tended the 9th International printers' congress at Hamburg in September. The principal problems related to obtaining new national affiliations and amalgamation of the many crafts into a single industrial printers' union.

The congress, which is affiliated with the Amsterdam International Federation of Trade Unions, failed to get the British and American unions more.
Railway Clerks' Dis. Council, 165
W. Madison St.
Railway Clerks, 549 W. Washington St.
Rollway Clerks, 165 W. Wadison St.
Rollway Clerks, 165 W. Madison St. enters the Amsterdam body. The 549 Railway Clerks, Madison and Sacramento.
695 Railway Clerks, 75th and Drexel.
781 Railway Clerks, 549 W. Washington Blyd.
877 Railway Trainmen, 2900 W. North Ave., 9:30 a. m.
195 Retail Clerks, Van Buren and Ashland.
Sailors' Union of Great Lakes, 355
N. Clark St.
16986 Scientific Laboratory Workers, City Hall, Room 713.
143 Signalmen, 2100 W. 51st St.
3 Switchmen, 323 Collins St., Jollet.
III. British unions object to some of the fraternal provisions. The Russian un- requiring highly skilled workers. ion applied and will be admitted if Every shop in the city except that of it agrees to observe the international the Knipe Bros. works under agree-

amalgamation. Rules adopted by the rick believe implicitly in his innocongress safeguard the autonomy of both the primary and the auxiliary Knipe brothers and the police officers. organizations in the printing trades.

Class Collaboration. TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 12. - The

Ill.
Teamsters, 220 S. Ashland Blvd.
Trade Union Label League, 166 W.
Washington St., 7:30 p. m.
330 Typographical, 180 W. Washington
(Note—Unless otherwise stated all neetings are at 8 p. m.) building trades council of Tacoma is regularly sending representatives to the Tacoma chamber of commerce at With approximately 32,000 textile the request of the council's business workers unemployed, 100 plants in agents.

reduced number of working days in the week, the crisis in Poland's tex-

# TWO YEARS OLD

### Even Prosecutor Weakens in Frame-Up

(By The Federated Press)
SALEM, Mass., Oct. 12—After nearly two years' delay the case of John E. Merrick, member of the Shoe Workers' Protective hysteria trial at Chicago during pelled to work overtime without pay see to it that as few union men as Union who was charged with planting an infernal machine for such tender reception as the refuse to work overtime he will be vessels. One of the blacklisting near the shoe factory of Knipe discharged at the first port and black- schemes inaugurated by the govern- Bros. in Ward Hill near Haverment shipping board was the listing hill, is coming up in the court of all seamen who made complainst of Essex County.

Merrick, who was running an auto repair shop after having been blacklisted by the shoe charge of "being an accessory sticks of dynamite were dis-

Merrick Is Arrested.

Merrick has always been an active union worker. He was well liked everywhere-by workers-but the employers didn't agree. Three weeks after the dynamite suitcase was found outside the shoe factory, half-buried in snow, Knipe Bros. offered \$2,000 reward for arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for put-

The reward was offered after one of the Knipe brothers had conferred with Sergeant Joseph U. Ryan and officer Hussey of the police department.

Ryan and Hussey came into Merrick's repair shop several times and looked around. Ryan admitted he had been in at least four times. Finally Merrick was arrested and the back of an old alarm clock which the police claimed was like the one in the suitcase and several pieces of wire and metal such as are found in any garage were introduced as evidence against him. In the preliminary police court hearing the circumstantial evidence was not enough to sustain the charge of Merrick's actual planting of the suitcase. But he was held on the other charge.

The suitcase actually contained enough dynamite to blow the town off the map but it would never have exploded and had as a matter of fact the factory for two days be fore its discovery was announced. There were two wires leading outside of the suitcase and these would have had to be joined to make the necessary connection to permit the mechanism to work its deadly intent.

The criminal court has convened five times since Merrick's arrest and the district attorney has refused to prosecute. He does not see the case against Merrick but the officers want their ward and Merrick wants to be freed of the charge.

Haverhill is the capital of the women's novelty shoe manufacturing ment with the Shoe Workers' Protec Little progress was reported in tive union. Fellow unionists of Mercence and charge "frame-up" against

#### Dunne's Dates

w. Frankfort, Ill.—October 16.
Christopher, Ill.—October 17.
Du Quoin, Ill.—October 18.
Madison, Ill.—October 19. afternoon, St. Louis, Mo.—October 19. evening.
Belleville, Ill.—October 22.
Springfield, Ill.—October 22.

#### Remember to Register

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#### The Low-Down on Courts

ner in which they function in America, the all-jis of the capitalist system. important role they play, is known to but few.

In Professor Beard's "American Government by ex-President Hadley of Yale University—an acknowledged authority on American jurisprud-

When it is said, as it commonly is, that the fundamental division of powers in the modern state is into legislative, executive, and judicial, the student of American institutions may fairly note an exception. The fundamental division of powers under the constitution of the United States is between voters on the one hand and property owners on the other. The forces of democracy on the one side, divided between the legislative and executive, are set over against the forces of property on the other, with the Judiciary as arbiter between them.

This theory of American politics has not often been stated. But it has been universally acted upon. The general status of the property owner under the law cannot be changed by the action of the legislature, of the the executive, or the people of a state voting at this polls, or at three put together.

This is fairly clear. The courts are the only authority that legally can change the existing relationships between property owners and the propertyless. They are the obstacle, powerful because accepted, between the masses of workers and the minority of landlords, financiers and industrial lords. Back of their decisions there stands of

spokesmen whenever courts are criticized.

#### Our Imperialists Eye Brazil

Natural resources of other lands and naval propaganda go together.

Scrutator, financial writer for the Chicago Tribune, tells of the discovery of great tracts of land suitable for rubber production on the lower tributaries of the Amazon.

Then comes the inevitable reaction of the imperialist mind:

If one will take a map of the Amazon valley and of the Atlantic ocean and note how the mouth of the river projects toward Africa and Europe the thought occurs that a great Brazilian naval base in one of the many numerous harbors of the Amazon estuary wouldn't do any harm, provided Brazil adheres to her tradition of diplomatic co-operation with the

The mouth of the Amazon may be close enough to the Caribbean to insure control to any power dominating the Caribbean, but a naval base in the mouth of the river would be a nice litle lock on the door of what is probably the greatest source of future wealth on this globe.

those above, emanating directly from the publicity to identify the dead man. centers of the robber band which owns America, are never backward in lauding the splendid enterprise and courage of the American businessthe guns of a mighty war fleet.

forty or fifty American army officers are now at- attorneys, but by trained psychologists. tached to the Brazilian army in the capacity of The murder occurred in a neighborhood that is "instructors" is of considerable significance.

tionary of the South American nations, Brazil will ively Jewish. make a fine base for the conquering forces of American imperialism.

by actual or threatened force of arms becomes closures of the violent nature of American mobs more and more the basic policy of American cap- and the influence over them of the capitalist press italist government.

#### Unemployment

The director of the New York City Industrial Aid Bureau announces that there are least 300,000 out of work in the metropolis. In reality the total number of unemployed much greater, for at least 60% of this figure represents union members. Unquestionably there are many out of work in the ranks of the unorganized. Most surveys do not take adequate account of the disemployed in the ranks of the non-unionized. The later, of course, consisting primarily of the unskilled and less skilled, are the worst sufferers from this dreadful | LaFollette is to hand over the progres

It is further reported that this condition is more acute than any time since the great depression. The employment bureaus are besieged with ance of this Tammany Hall and La

Let no one mistake this situation. The condition pictured is not abnormal. It arises out of may have more far-reaching effects in the very system of production and exchange. It is the New York political situation than not merely a Marxian hypothesis that capitalism may appear at first glance. It is an rests on the maintenance of a huge industrial re- alliance which may result in a more Next to an open demand for the confiscation of serve army. It is a fact of capitalism itself—permanent combination and a broadnatural resources now held by the capitalists no- a dreary but irrefutable fact. The Russel Sage movement to include a section of Tamthing arouses such intense antagonism from the Foundation has just announced the partial find- many Hall in this state. most powerful sections of the capitalist press as a ings of an employment survey it has been making criticism of the courts or proposals to curtail their for the last five years in the various industries of litical chief of Tammany Hall in New seventy cities in 31 states. Its findings add fur- York state; the candidate of the demo It is common knowledge that the courts are bul- ther proof to the mountains of evidence already cratic party for re-election as governwarks of the capitalist system but the exact man-piled up in substantiation of the Marxian analys. or. Al Smith during the war, not only

We are told by the Foundation investigators first term in office that the first prosethat on the average, the good and bad years in- cutions of the Communists in this and Politics" we find the following statement made cluded, there are continually several million men state took place. It is the Tammany out of work. Every year there are from one to Hall of Al Smith that was responsible six million workers jobless for weeks or months. dicalist Law, which was a dead letter One out of eight workers are thus affected.

And the social degradation is the worst feature Gitlow and the other Communists. It is bid for Smith's support by touching suited to "East Side, West Side, All of the acute condition. Says the report:" There is Tammany Hall, lately led by Charlie something which we are just beginning to recognize, a resentment on the part of the workers Hall of ward heelers and crooks of against an industrial situation in which such in- all varieties, of which Smith is now security and uncertainty are possible. It is not the political feader. only unemployment but the fear of unemployment, cal force which kills every spark of favorable record of Smith, altho Northe knowledge that any joy is uncertain and in- class-consciousness in the local labor secure, subject to the fluctuations of economic movement. Tammany Hall has bolt for governor who supports LaFollette change, which are responsible for much of our ed the door of the trade unions to ev- was on the platform. present industrial unrest."

These are the facts. This is what we have with us. No communist critic could paint a blacker lands, Peter Bradys and Coughlins, is Smith himself is not averse to such an only by securing the overwhelming ery and to win over every honest sopicture. And the workers, the sufferers, alone can a political machine corraling the understanding being reached. This support of the industrial cities. In cialist supporter to the Workers change conditions for the better.

#### Militants Win in Nova Scotia

The long, bitter struggle waged by U. M. W. of A. District 26, (Nova Scotia) for the return of its autonomy has ended in victory for the militant rank and file and the revolutionary elements who Neilson, who was recently found ceive a tin star and permission to pal court, is listed as a vice-presically be sanctioned by the state of

course the armed forces of capitalist government Empire Steel corporation and its coal company of the state constabulary. but the courts are the first line of American capsubsidiaries but the Lewis machine of the United
subsidiaries but the Lewis machine of the United
difficulty in finding excuses for going
nois. Practically every member, the
Fred Sterling, lieutenant governor of are suposed to send in news and build Mine Workers as well. Openly and shamelessly, before the public and carrying on DAILY WORKER learns from a reli-It is their task—and they do it well—to give the Lewis, who now betrays his own union and the seemingly legitimate activity, while it able source, is a member of the Ku United States district attorney; How S. Glenn Young is the "inspector" for proper sense of error to any rash person or group whole labor movement by the support of Coolidge, cloaks its alliance with the klan and Klux Klan. The few who do not be ard Hayes, judge of the municipal the constabulary in Marion, Illinois. that challenges the right of the few idlers to rob when troops and gunmen were brought in to terrorthe many toilers—to preserve the legal fiction of ise the striking Nova Scotia miners, revoked the democracy in a nation where by no possible legal charter of the district and cooperated with the correct and elsewhere. The Illinois state constabulary, in spite of review; Robert M. Lee, city editor of gether by an occasional banquet enactment can the natural resources and the ma- porations and Canadian government to drive stabulary is founded on a law passed its exhorbitant charges, is constantly the Chicago Tribune; Homer Hogan, where law enforcement and military

A provisional board of Lewis' lackeys and cap-Any agency whose sole task is to legalise robbery italist tools was set up to rule the district. Every is too sacred to be tampered with. Therefore the effort was made to break the spirit of the miners wild howls of rage that arise from capitalism's but at the special convention they forced from Lewis, they have elected militant officials who represent them and who will fight their battles.

The Nova Scotia miners face now another wage cut and the lack of desire on the part of Lewis to fight his coal company allies is probably one of the contributing factors in his surrender to the rank istic sentiment and entering activities senatorship from Illinois, but has also backers, in addition to mixing into and file of the district.

The policy of the Communists and the Canadian section of the Red International of Labor Unions in the Nova Scotia district has been proven correct. It has triumphed over the disrupters and kept the miners together. This is a remarkable achievement in the present period of reaction.

#### America—100 Per Cent

Two hysterical girls and and a mob seeking ex itement have murdered a harmless Negro.

The girls claim that following their conversa tion with two men in an automobile, around midnight while they were crossing the street, a Negro spoke to one of them and took hold of her arm. They reported the matter to the proprietor of a nearby sacramental wineshop-a euphemism for Clynes, Ramsay MacDonald and a Brown, Seattle, Washington. bootleg joint—and the murder followed.

Negroes who were on the scene and who escaped say that no one spoke to the girls after they left The parrots who put down for print ideas like the men in the machine and the girls are unable

> We give our opinion of this typically American atrocity for what it is worth as follows:

We do not believe that any Negro spoke to the man. Here, is proof that these entrepreneurs, girls. We believe that they went to the wineshop though they long for the rich rubber lands of and said that they had been accosted by a Negro Brazil and the profits to be made therefrom, con- either because they thought it would be a good the British workers in the 90's but sider the risk too great unless they can oppress joke, or because they were hysterical and thought and plunder native labor under the protection of a Negro had spoken to them. Psychology has scientific explanations of these cases and the two girls M. Hyndman. They both betrayed the In the light of these disclosures the fact that should be examined, not by ignorant prosecuting

populated jointly by Jewish and Negro people. The capitalist oligarchy. They made the The largest and richest, as well as the most reac- mob that committed the murder was almost exclus-

Race hatred has reached a high pitch when one lutionary class conscious proletarians oppressed race becomes the executioners of an-The protection and expansion of business abroad other. The whole affair is illuminating in its diswith its constant appeals to racial prejudices.

# A Three-Cornered Deal--Smith, LaFollette and

By WILLIAM WEINSTONE.

LaFollette is entering into a deal with the Smith forces in Tammany Hall, and the socialist party is on the inside of this deal. The deal consists of an exchange of votes in the present elections. Smith is to knife Davis and sive and socialist votes to Smith in his contest with Teddy Roosevelt, the republican candidate. The socialist party is a willing tool in the further Follette election alliance; an alliance which will sacrifice the socialist party Who is Al Smith?

threw his full support to the Wilson administration, but it was during his for putting into use the Criminal Synsince 1901, for the conviction of Ben Murphy, arch corruptionist and servile tool of the capitalists, the Tammany

ery voice expressing the interests of | These facts indicate clearly that the

The socialists have been playing for his three-cornered deal for some time. They voted for the resolution introduced in the Schenectady convention of the New York State Federation of Labor, declaring Smith to be "a friend crifice Norman Thomas. of labor." With their vote, the resolu tion was adopted unantmously.

Norman Thomas, the socialist party wrote a letter to Smith, published in the New York Times of September 29, his future third party support. that was a direct bid to Smith to acfy his position, Norman Thomas declares that in view of the report that representative Carew had been to large measures controls. Washington seeking a LaFollette endorsement of Smith's candidacy, that letter is but an indirect endorsement in a most favorable light. This letter is but one of the links in the policy of a rapproachment with Smith.

ectady on September 17, declared, acording to the New York Leader, that "Smith has a good record" and is a niracle in Tammany Hall.

LaFollette, speaking at Madison Square Garden, surprisingly touched upon local issues, and clearly made a Smith will claim support from labor. Frank P. Walsh, who backed Smith for president at the democratic nationand supporter of LaFollette, at a

the workers. The labor movement of socialist party and LaFollette desire ty. The republicans hold the upstate New York state with its Jimmy Hollan understanding with Smith and that farming sections and Smith can win socialists to expose fully this treach-

Smith by LaFollette or an open disavowal of Davis by Smith. It will work out, by Smith giving only lukewarm | What the Treachery of the Socialist support to Davis and having his machine knife him in the actual vote. The socialists and LaFollette will sa-

What Is Behind the Deal. support of the cities in the East, he candidate for governor of New York cannot hope to make a great national freed only by the destruction of Tamshowing or build up a strong base for

LaFollette knows well the lesson of cept LaFollette and throw over Davis. the Roosevelt campaign of 1912, which upon the LaFollette movement after Pretending to call upon Smith to clari- failed precisely because it could not the election, by bringing in these Tamsecure the support of the eastern manyites into the third party. This cities. These votes Tammany Hall in will still more destroy the indepen-

summate with Smith is typical of the ty which has been propagated by the Smith must therefore choose between politics being played by LaFollette in socialist party, will fade from the LaFollette and Davis. The letter fur- other parts of the country. In Mon- scene. The socialist party is dealing ther declares that "With much of the | tana the LaFollette-Wheeler forces en- its death warrant as a labor organizaplatform of the democratic party tered into an alliance with the local tion in furthering such a deal. adopted at your behest progressives machine democrats. In Wyoming, acgenerally, including socialists, are in cording to the New York Times, a sympathy." The whole tenor of the similar deal was made with Judge its local organizations as a result of Rose, running for senator on the demof Smith, placing him on many issues ocratic ticket, in which local democrats are to let the national ticket shift for itself, thus indirectly supporting LaFollette, and in return receiv-Norman Thomas, speaking at Schen- ing the backing of LaFollette for their candidates.

lowers of Smith. Both rely upon the funder the arm and torch. It has ac middle class for support. While Smith may talk the demagogic phraseology Around the Town," LaFollette speaks the same demagogic language but suited to "field and farm." Both pronounce themselves as friends of labor, and al convention and is today an elector both represent minorities in the old parties. Important the Tammany meeting in Town Hall, spoke of the Hall may be in the democratic party, the old guard interlocked with Big man Thomas, the socialist candidate Business holds the deciding influence.

awake to the necessity of an alliance with LaFollette and the socialist parvotes of labor for Tammany Hall. deal may not come into the open this respect the socialist party is a Party.

because the socialists too draw ther support from the industrial cities.

Party Means. The attitude of the socialist party toward Smith reveals the full treach ery of the socialist party when it is borne in mind that labor in New York LaFollette knows that without the state is held to capitalist politics chiefly by Tammany Hall and can be many Hall. The Smith-LaFollette-socialist party alliance during the elecdence of labor in the LaFollette move-The deal which Lafoilette will con- ment. Even the mirage of a labor par-

The socialist party in New York state maintained that it would build the endorsement of LaFollette. But in reality it has steadily given way to every demand of LaFollette. It has withdrawn its most prominent local candidates, London, Lee and Panken. It withdrew its own candidate in the 20th congressional district, a former On the other hand, the middle socialist stronghold and endorsed La class followers of LaFollette are Guardia, the war jingo, LaFollette's really class brethren of the fol. candidate, whose name appears today cepted a subordinate position on the local and state directing committees Now it has gone still further back ward, completely giving up a fight against Smith, thereby sacrificing Norman Thomas and its state ticket. In place of increasing the socialist vote. it will cut its vote in half. The so cialist party, having abandoned the class struggle and independent political action, comes as a beggar to the table of LaFollette, enthusiastic over Smith this year is particularly every crumb that this lord of the middle class throws in its direction.

It is the duty of the Workers Party to increase its agitation against the

## Constabulary Stars Flash

(Continued from page 1)

The workers had to fight not only the British the Herrin courthouse, is a "captain" formed, "under the state laws of Illi- ficial organ of the state constabulary

state such as prevails in Pennsylvania to stir up militarism. in 1787 which allows "officers of the running at a deficit. But the capital- city editor of the Herald and state to call to their aid peace officers ist press, the large employers, one iner; Robert Thomas Loughran, offiof the state in accordance with law hundred per cent Americans, and cial editor of the United Press, and the state constabulary has for its ex-

come members are privileged to do is use. to apprehend criminals in the commission of crime-and every private citizen is authorized to go that far. The entered politics. At the present time no lawful connection with the state of those who buy these stars exceed their state constabulary, however, gets in the organization is backing not only Illinois but is a private organization authority, I don't know." its real work in drumming up militar ex-governor Deneen in his race for the formed by James R. Howe and his such as are carried on by the klan to put up J. M. Leventhal, a democrat, politics, and its alliance with the klan, during the Defense Day celebration

The workers who join are made to of the constabulary.

Seek Control Thru Politics.

The constabulary has frequently

nicipal court. Leventhal is secretary building up of the organization to act

guilty of assault after a jury trial in carry a gun. The organization was dent in the "Constabulary News," of Illinois. nois, Indiana and Wisconsin," and Other vice-presidents, as announced

in the pursut of stolen property and thugs clinging to the skirts of the Edward W. Geiger, assistant editor of istence," a high officual of the orcapitalist system find the state con- the Chicago American. Some of these ganization told the DAILY WORKER But the only thing those who be stabulary very convenient for their men, when interviewed, declared in a confidential moment. "We give their names had been used without away a tin star, but in reality it does

as its candidate for judge of the mu- makes one of its principal aims the on September 12.

ent" in the state constabulary. Carl pay \$24.50 in return for which they re- Dennis Eagan, baliff of the municillary which employers hope, will offi-

S. Glenn Young an "Inspector." with those employers who want to in long to the klan are attracted to the court, Theodore Steinert, member of In addition to the "inspectors" and stitute a Cossack militarism in this constabulary because of its activities the house of representatives; Edward the news items in the Constabulary

> not give the wearer more privileges The state constabulary, which has than an ordinary citizen. Perhaps

## Our Readers Views on Many Subjects

A Veteran Revolutionist.

Some Betrayers of Workers. I look back today and see the treachery and betrayal of many of

host of others.

these comrades of past days when I helped with my voice and pen to carry their victory into the House of Commons. Especially that one Judas and lickspittle of capitalism, J. R. Clynes. With him I class Ben Tillet whose name and portrait was revered and hung up in thousands of homes of Club who today to the revolutionist and Internationalist he has gone like my workers of Britain in their hour of crisis during the world war and sold themselves, bag and baggage, to the Social Democratic Federation of Great Britain, of which I was once a member, stink in the nostrils of true revo-

Communism Hope of the Workers. of all other countries, the Red Star of Russia is a beacon light to the real revolutionary units who are fighting in the political field and showed their with some Russian students

banner of the Communist Interna-To the DAILY WORKER: Since tional against great odds and the 1887 I have been active in the Inter. treachery of the Amsterdam Interna national revolutionary movements of tional. The future is bright with many countries. Today I look over hope. The doom of capitalism is fast the records up to the present time of approaching in every country of the those stalwarts of my early days in world and it behooves the workers to Manchester, England and other Brit. so mobilize their forces that Commun ish cities with whom I fought shoulder ism, the hope of the workers of the to shoulder in revolutionary battles. world, shall stand triumphantly on the Such men as George Lansbury, Jack ramparts and ruins of decayed capi-Jones, Keir Hardie, Ben Tillet, J. R. talism. Yours fraternally,-Vincent

Everything To It.

To the DAILY WORKER:-After reading Comrade Buchwold's impressions of a LaFollette meeting entitled "Nothing To It," in the Los Angeles Special, I feel duty bound to write about my impressions of a Foster

Some 1000 tickects were sold at 25c Theatre where Foster spoke Every seat was occupied and many people were turned away because the house could hold no more Tore Capitalist Institutions to Ground

Comrade Foster attacked the institutions that support capitalism, and believe me, he tore them to the ground. He not only proved that the covernment was "the executive board" of the capitalists, but convinced the dullest of us that the army and navy, the schools, newspapers and the churches were all used to poison our minds and force the workers to lead the lives of semi-slaves. Mobilization

He diagnosed the different parties

nese Immigration Law.

Lifts LaFollette Illusion.

After quickly dismissing with the sixteen years old. epublican and democratic Comrade Foster swept the LaFollette might a spider's web. The program of the Workers Party was well delivered, added to which was an appeal for new members for the local. This was the cause for another of the spontaneous bursts of applause which punctuated Foster's entire speech.

The defunct second international did not escape Foster's denunciation. He predicated a Communist president of the United States who would be called the Chairman of the People's Commissars of the United States, in the near future amidst thunderous ap-

It was the most inspiring meeting have ever attended

> Isadore Spenser, Los Angeles, Cal.

Will Russian Student Correspond? To the DAILY WORKER: There are a few good comrades here who enjoy reading the DAILY WORKER. After reading my copy I pass it around to comrades who can't afford to subscribe. This section of the country has been very hard hit by bank failures, a low cattle market and a very dry season-all these and many other conditions make it very hard to raise

We were very much interested in the recent article from Kuzbas as we once that of joining that colony. We But comrades, both of America and Day was explained and also the Japa- are glad to note they are making a

My daughter wishes to correspond

American student. This is her third year of Deming High School. She is

The news of Russia interests us illusion from the people's eyes as one DAILY WORKER and I spend all of very much. We enjoy reading the my spare time reading it. I hope it will continue until the revolution and then too. Yours for Communism,

Mrs. S. M. Calkins, Deming, New Mexico. TO A CAPITALIST ORATOR.

But I think you're a fake and a fraud, I surely admire your cast-iron nerve, But know not the freedom you laud. I'm not even free for for a master to

From a master I cannot be freed, I'm in bondage forever, I cannot get loose, I'm in bondage because I'm in need.

For those who can rise upon others who toil,
For THEM there is freedom and light,
But for the poor toiler, the son of the soil.
There is nothing but darkness and night.
He cannot aspire to knowledge you know,
For in science he never can train,
Altho his muscles continue to grow,
He must suffer reduction in brain.

When the workers will all of their pro-

When the workers will all of their ducts receive,
There is never no need to be poor,
It is while we for others' great fortunes retrieve
That the wolf is on watch at the door.
When only the worker has right to dictate,
What share to the loafer shall fall,
Then truly we'll see the perfection of state
And the end to the living on GALL.
—THOR.

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