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IN THE LAND OF PLENTY WORKERS REMAIN IN DEBT

Whole Families Slave for Masters' Gain

By a Worker Correspondent. MT. VERNON, Wash., Feb. 1.—According to a speech by a local rotarian broadcasted over the radio we have the finest soil to be found anywhere with the world record for oat production, and one of the greatest dairy industries in the United States.

Prizes for Contributions

Every week valuable books are offered as prizes for the best worker correspondents' contributions. These prizes go to the worker whose work shows an effort to produce an article that will interest other workers.

LAUNDRIES IN SEATTLE FOR THE OPEN SHOP

Bosses' Move Will Be Met by Strike

(By a Workers Correspondent) SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 1.—Laundry bosses here have again declared for the open shop and the smashing of the unions in the laundry business of this city, by notifying the unions that their agreement has been terminated and that hereafter they will not deal with the unions.

FORD MOTOR CAR WORKERS MILKED IN DIVERS WAYS

Boss' Wife Plays Trick on Low-Paid Men

By a Worker Correspondent. HIGHLAND PARK, Mich., Feb. 1.—It is a common occurrence in the tool room of the Ford Motor company to be asked to contribute towards the support of the children and wives left behind by Ford workers who die while in the employ of the "diver" magnate.

ILLINOIS EMPLOYMENT IN 1925 IS 3 PER CENT UNDER 1924 AND 11 PER CENT UNDER 1923

By LELAND OLDS, Federated Press. Slight employment gains reported by factories in Illinois and New York in December failed to pull the year's average in either state abreast of 1924. This is admitted by statistician Cahn of Illinois. But the general tone of the reports is optimistic because the year ended with an upward trend.

Letter from Siberian Village

By AL KERDOD, Village Correspondent. ATCHAIR, Omsk Region, Siberia. (By Mail.)—At the end of October in our Siberian village of Atchairs, in the Omsk district, we held an agricultural exhibition. The peasants presented about 1,000 exhibits.

Prolet-Tribune's Satire on Yellows Delights Workers

By a Worker Correspondent. Prolet-Tribune, the Russian living newspaper published by the Chicago Worker Correspondents of the New Mir, is getting under the skin of the white guards who share the editorial control of the Russian counter-revolutionary sheet, Ruskyy Vlastnik.

NEW YORK BARBERS' UNION DONATES \$10 FOR STRIKING MINERS

By G. KONOVALOV, (Worker Correspondent) NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Local 752 of the Barbers' Union of New York at its last business meeting donated \$10 to the aid of the striking coal miners.

PROSPERITY TALK GROTESQUE JOKE TO BAG WORKERS

By a Worker Correspondent. DENVER, Colo., Feb. 1.—Prosperity is Calvin Coolidge's slogan for the year of 1926. Prosperity is the song the whole capitalist press sings and they tell the workers and farmers it will be their's for the year of 1926.

Communist Reinstated By Action of Workers In Long Island Shop

By a Worker Correspondent. NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A well functioning shop nucleus in one of Long Island's largest shoe factories forced the bosses to re-instate a Communist worker whom they had fired for his militant activity.

Gangsters Outslugged By Building Trades Workers in Passaic

By a Worker Correspondent. PASSAIC, N. J., Feb. 1.—Heavy handed union painters and plumbers of Passaic turned the tables on a bunch of gangsters who rushed into Amalgamated Clothing Workers' headquarters to beat up Organizer Werthelmer and an associate.

How Garment Boss Bulldozes Workers

(By R. D., Worker Correspondent) PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 1.—A year ago when the boss introduced a line of children's pants into the shop where we work, the boss declared that we would have to accept a 10 per cent reduction since he was unable to make anything in children's pants as he had to sell them "cheaper."

St. Louis Corporation Divides Blood Money

(By a Worker Correspondent) ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 1.—The Liggett Meyers Tobacco company, which has its headquarters here and is capitalized at many millions of dollars, has announced that it will divide among its shareholders the huge profits it has squeezed out of its slaves this year.

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Shipping Board Turns Down Stanley Dollar

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The \$3,000,000 bid of Stanley Dollar, owner of a number of Trans-Pacific steamship lines, for the five ships of the Admiral-Orient line was turned down by the shipping board as being too far below what the board members thought was a "fair price" for the ships.

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(By a Worker Correspondent) LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 1.—The Angelus Furniture company, where I am employed, is a hell hole for the workers. The working conditions are unbearable, and wages—only \$2.50 a day. In this city where the cost of living soars above the clouds, imagine a worker supporting a family on \$2.50 a day.

