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# LABOR'S RANKS IN ANTHRAGITE WAR AGAINST CAPITALIST PROGRAM **INITIATED BY WORKERS PARTY**

THE central executive committee of the Workers (Communist) Party has taken the initial steps in a campaign to draw the workers and exploited farmers of this country into an organized fight against the capitalist program which was presented to con-gress in the message of President Coolidge.

This campaign will take the form of mobilizing the workers and exploited farmers in support of a united front labor ticket, as a step toward the formation of a labor party, in the state and congressional elections of this year, the organization of councils for the protection of foreign-born workers for a fight against the proposal to register, finger-print and photograph the foreignborn workers and to organize all trade unions, workers' fraternal and benefit societies, labor political organizations, which support the workers' and peasants' government of the Soviet Union for the recognition and defense of

Current Events By T. J. O'FLAHERTY

A<sup>S</sup> was stated in this column a few days ago, Superintendent of Schools, McAndrew did not object to congress, a program for the strengththe exhibition of the fife and drum picture entitled "The Spirit of 1776" capitalist class, for the use of the because he was anti-militarist, but governmental power against all atmost likely because he wanted to tacks upon the interests of the caphave everything smacking of the col- italists at home and abroad, onial revolt against British rule banthe bloodiest queen in British history \* \* \*

and tarred with the same reactionary favorable to the capitalist elements that are committed to unity with British imperialism, than to the more nationalistic elements who use the "Spirit of 1776" to keep the American workers in a state of emotional excitement.

the Soviet Union. President's Message an Attack Upon Workers and Farmers. THE message of President Coolidge to congress is considered to be a definite challenge to labor by the central executive committee of the Workers (Communist) Party. The message contained, according to the statement issued at the time of its delivery to ening of the financial position of the

The boast in the president's mesished from the school rooms. Color is sage that this country had the greatlent to this theory by the fact that est military establishment it has ever Mr. McAndrew favors calling schools before maintained in time of peace after the libertine British queen, Eli- and that army and navy would be zabeth, and the hypocritical Victoria, used to "support stability among all peoples" involves the threat of inwho slaughtered rebellious subjects volving the United States in new imwith a glycerine tear on her eyelids. perialist war. The proposal for legislation to outlaw strikes in the coal MCANDREW has easy sailing with industry and on the railroads means the opposition in the teachers' tieing the workers hand and foot in tieing the workers hand and foot in union because the opposition is stupid their struggle to win a higher standard of life thru forcing the capitalists has shown that at every opportunity. THE support of the proposal to Yet, we find the so-called "labor mem- I register, fingerprint and photoher" of the school board call him one graph the foreign-born workers is part of the best patriots in town. What of the program to make it impossible has Margaret Haley to say to this? for the workers to carry on a struggle If McAndrew is jimmied from his job in their interests, because it will it will not be due to the reactionary create millions of workers who thru labor leaders and the tame tactics of fear of deportation will be prevented Miss Haley, but simply because he put from organizing into unions, going on his foot in the puddle, by sponsoring strike. The capitalists hope to use these enslaved foreign-born workers to force down the standard of life of the whole working class. The hostility of the American gov ernment to the Union of Socialis Soviet Republics is part of the fight (Continued on page 2.)



HOLDING THE MEAT AX IN RESERVE

Class Collaboration in the Stockyards.



**IS GROWING FAST** 40,000 Miners Asking Maintenance Men Out

DEMAND FOR 100

PER CENT STRIKE

### By PAT TOOHEY. (Worker Correspondent)

PITTSTON, Pa., Jan. 17 .- Following the action of the Wilkes-Barre general grievance committee, which at their meeting here a few days since adopted a resolution demanding Lewis withdraw the maintenance men and declaring for a general strike in the anthracite fields, the general grievance committee of the Pennsylvania Coal company, composed of twelve local unions with a membership of 13,000 adopted a similar resolution at their meeting here last night.

The movement for the withdrawal of the maintenance men and for a general strike in the anthracite fields to insure a complete, speedy and victorious settlement of the present strike, two of the chief demands propagated by the progressive fore es since the very beginning of the strike, is gaining momentum thruout the anthracite field. The action of the Pennsylvania committee places on record, within three days, approximately 40,000 miners for the demand that the maintenance men be withdrawn.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by the committee. Their action will influence other committees undoubtedly. By a provision of the resolution the locals affiliated with the general committee are urged to discuss and take similar action on the resolution adopted by the general committee.

Talks Turkey To Lewis By unanimous vote a wire was sent to Lewis % Union League Club N. Y. C. stating among other things "A resolution was unanimously adopted this





M<sup>R.</sup> JOSEPH WISE, the patriotic NO WOMEN WAN correspondent for the most stupid news service in existence, the International Labor News Service, went to the trouble of sending mats of his photograph to every labor paper that receives that news service. Fortunately for the news service and for the wider distribution of Mr. Wise's likeness, the service is distributed gratis. Otherwise Joseph's face might not be known outside of his favorite soft drink parlor. Not forgetting that Calvin Coolidge became vice-president of the United States for his servicesmen's strike. \* \* \*

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THIS notorious strikebreaker Wilson claims to be head of the Seamen's Union of Great Britain and Ireland. but the Irish workers would just as soon see a polecat in their midst as (Continued on page 2)





# **Find Opposers**

NEW YORK, N. Y .--- (FP)-New York women workers are decidedly job?" is the stock argument of the in favor of a 48-hoar work week law stool placed next to a Negro worker. real or fancied-in breaking the Bos- being passed and are indignant that The stool argues in the same manton police strike, Mr. Wise lined up any working woman could be induced ner among the white workers and in with Havelock Wilson of England and to appear in Albany or in Washington this way creates distrust between is helping to break the recent sea- against protective legislation for wom- these two big groups of workers. en workers.

> ference of organizations interested in the passage of a 48-hour bill for womn working in New York factories and stores, says that a poll of women working in Rochester, Syracuse, Utica Troy, Elmira, Binghampton, Watertown, Oswego and other upstate cities proved that it would take a microcope to find working women who oppose the 48-hour-week bill.

Led by the Women's Trade Union League, an "active lobby" of working women will remain in Albany during the legislative session to secure the 48-hour-week bill's passage. Governor Al Smith included the measure in the labor program announced in his annual message to the legislature. Over 100 women from New York city alone will attend the hearing at which the bill comes up.

Workers in shoe, knit goods, textile collar, clothing, kodak and other fac tories as well as retail women clerks are affected by the shorter work-week (International Press Correspondence) bill. Laundry workers would be another large group aided.

Present New York legislation limits is also prohibited for women.

By VICTOR ZOKAITIS.

Racial antagonisms and national hatreds are encouraged and exploited in every way possible by the meat packers to keep the workers in the packing house industry divided. As long as the workers hate each other they will never unite to change conditions. The packers know that as long as they can keep the workers divided, they can continue to pay small wages, force the workers to work longer hours, maintain whatever sanitary con-

**Turkish Minister in** 

Hot Talk on British

**Over Mosul Frame-up** 

ANGORA, Turkey, Jan. 17. - The

tions of double dealing by England

which he charged had violated the

promise of Lord Curzon at Lausanne

that no decision of the league of na-

ditions they please and make+ the workers speed up. Company-paid spies, who are usually put among the relief hands at Armours, go from place to place on the floors, spreading hatred of one work-

er for another. The Negro worker is propagandized so that he distrusts But Women Unionists against the Pole. The "American" foreign minister, Tefik Rushdi Bey, against the foreign-born worker. "Have nothing to do with those

white B-----, they're out after your silence

The Negro worker fears to organize tions would be made without the con-Mary E. Dreier, chairman of a con- and strike for better conditions, besent of Turkey. This promise, said Tefik, "has been buried and forgotten

(Continued on page 2.) along with Lord Curzon."

Stalin Shows Russia In **Period of Transition** 

value of production in 1913 was seven EDITOR'S NOTE:-In this instalment of his speech before the Russian Communist Party congress, Secretary Stalin gives figures to show the development of the transition from capitalism to socialism. Russia's big problem grows out of the fact that the Soviet Union is still an agricultural country. This section of Stalin's speech

follows:

With regard to industry, the total cent.

the Great Northern Theater, 21 Lenin Anniversary West Quincy street.

Carson in his charges shows that after he had bought two tickets to see the "Student Prince" and went to the theater with his lady friend that despite the fact that his tickets called for seat 7 and 8 in row K he was told that "it must be some mistake" and told to sit in an obscure portion of the theater.

Carson upon seeing this discrimination practiced against him protested to the box office. At the box office little recognition was given his claims and his money was refunded. The box office attendant later declared after being asked

"The central question of the revolution is the question of power."-Lenin. Hear this question discussed at the Lenin Memorial meetings.

Read-Write-distribute The DAILY WORKER.

Draws Thousands In America, as in every country in

the world the closing days of January are attracting countless throngs of workers to meetings held to commemorate the life and work of Vladimir llytch Lenin, the leader of the world revolution which first broke through

the power of capitalist imperialism in Russia. These meetings attract not only

Communist workers who belong to organizations of the Communist political or industrial movement, but bring in vast masses of workers who recognize that Lenin belongs to the working class as a whole and that his life's efforts were directed to the liberation of all oppressed and exploited peoples.

In America tens of thousands are tion between January 22 and February 1. The following list should be scanned for the nearest meeting.

More may be added from day to day.

. . . Show Film in Chicago.

In view of the great prominence given by the capitalist press to the personality of the leaders of the Russian Communist Party, particularly those who took leading parts in the recent congress, the film which will be shown at the Lenin memorial

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## New Austrian Cabinet Hopes to Unite the

Ramek yesterday formed a new cabinet after a break with the christian and broadway. socialist group. The new cabinet will league of nations.

with your help. Send in a sub.

By A Worker Correspondent

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 17 .- Because of the carelessness and negligence of fire boss W. O. Swift at the scab mine of the Wilkeson Coal and Coke Co., two miners lost their lives on Nov. 27.

The state has decided to punish Swift, who pleads guilty to the charges. His certificate will be revoked for ninety days.



(Special to The Daily Worker)

ROME, Italy, Jan. 17 - Tomorrow expected to gather at the Lenin me- the chamber of deputies is scheduled morial meetings held under the au- to discuss the return to the chamber spices of the Workers (Communist) of the Aventine opposition, the po-Party held in all sections of the na-pulists, who have been absent for some time.

Mussolini and his black shirt brigands and murderers did not want the opposition to be there when discussion were going on so when the de-

puties of the opposition left the chamber yesterday they were set upon by fascist gangsters and hoodlums, led by the fascist deputies and so severely beaten that they will not be able to appear tomorrow.

> Mothers of Brooklyn Hold Protest Mass **Meeting Monday Nite**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 17. - A nass meeting of Brooklyn mothers who are determined to get better Country with Germany school conditions for their children from the capitalist public school board

will be held on Monday evening, Jan. VIENNA, Jan. 17. - Chancellor 18. at 8 p. m., at the Educational Alliance, 76 Throop Ave., near Lorimer

The demands are better schools follow a policy aimed at union with built near the homes of the children. Germany to revive, so it is hoped, the Only recently six children lost their economic life of isolated Austria, now lives at the crossing of Flushing Ave. perishing under a receivership of the and Broadway. This is becoming a very grave matter for parents.

All mothers and fathers are urged Five thousand new subs in three to attend this meeting. There will be weeks is a big job-but it can be done speakers in English, Jewish. Italian and Lithuanian.

crease up to 95 per cent of the pre- tal 80 per cent and the private induswar level was planned. This year in- try 20 per cent. The private indus-

dustry has developed more quickly try is growing in an absolute sense, than agriculture. The work of elec- as however, the state and co-operative trification has developed so quickly industry is growing more quickly, that, allowing for a continued develop- nevertheless the former progressivement in the same tempo, the whole ly loses its specific gravity.

plan of electrification for the So-viet Union will be completed by 1932. FROM this for ows that the pre-ponderance of socialist industry The electrical industry is develop- over private industry is beyond all MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., Dec. 18-(By Mail)-The speaker then for 1925-26 reckons 170 per cent of which is in the possession of the state proceeded to a statistical description the pre-war level. In 1923-24 the and in the possession of private pers-

hours to nine for women clerks, wait- of the people's economy. Agricultural state and co-operative industry ac- ons, the preponderance is on the side resses, messengers and elevator oper- production in comparison with the counted for 76 per cent and private of the state ators, 54 hours per week, 6 days. year 1913 now stands at 71 per cent. industry for 24 per cent of the whole. The state holds wealth in its hands

Women in canneries may now work Next year an increase of this per- In 1924-25 the state and co-operative to the value of 11.7 milliards, private 10 to 11 hours according to season, centage to 88 per cent of the pre-war industry accounted for 79.3 per cent of the other hand chiefly en-Work between 10 p. m. and 7. a. m. production is planned. and private industry only for 20.7 per gaged in the peasant economy, hold cent. (Continued on page 3)



The specific gravity of private in- meeting at the Coliseum, on Sunday

why Carson was accorded this treatment: "We usually attempt to be courteous about it, but when was given in the national assembly they insist on demanding the same while the members listened in grave recognition as white patrons we refund the money." His speech bristled with accusa

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## **ITALIAN DEBT** CANCELLATION PASSES HOUSE he says is due him from the klan.

### on Palmer declared that the receipts Endorses Coolidge on Palmer declared that the receipts of the klan were \$414,033. About \$160, 000 of this was collected on robes and **Treachery in America** 1000 of this was collected on robes and masks and \$254,083 from new mem-

(Special to The Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17-The house of congress ratified the Italian debt dollar for each new member and fifty settlement by a vote of 257 to 133, cents on each robe and mask sold. He thus taking the second step necessary got part of this commission, but the to enable this government to cancel klan still owes him \$50,000, he said. seventy-five per cent of the Italian debt in order that Mussolini's gov-ernment may be able to secure loans from Wall Street, and incidentally voted to transfer the burden from the Italian despotic government to the shoulders of the American taxpayers. The senate has not yet ratified the debt settlement. After senate ratification the thing will be completed united States accomplished by Coo- Secretary of War to Be

MUSSOLINI AND POPE OPPOSED IN OWN RANKS

lidge and his political machine.

(Special to The Daily Worker) ROME, Italy, Jan. 17 .- The two dictators of Rome, the pope and Mussolini, are having difficulties. Since the pope lost temporal power and as Antonio Labriola said "consoled himself unified air service, that have been inwith assuming infallibility," he has troduced in congress during this sesbeen striving to get back into Eu- sion. ropean diplomacy. Mussolini is not unsympathetic toward this desire as he feels that his regime needs the aid of the catholic hoodlums of Italy who crawl before the pope.

Pact Hits Rocks.

It seems that this scheme is not as successful as the two dictators desire, so Mussolini's paper, the Populo d'Italia, claims that "one ungrateful cardinal" has constantly hindered efforts of a rapprochement between fascism and the vatican.

Incidentally Farinacci, secretary of the fascist party, has been hostile to the move and so Mussolini finds him- struggle." Hear this message of Lenself in a dilemma which forces him to inism at the Lenin Memorial meetthe pope. While gaining much need- ings, Sunday. ed support from the papists, he may



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Mr. Wilson. The strongest union in Ireland, the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, treats Wilson as to do with him. He is an ordinary



the superior court for \$50,000 which Nationality Also Used to Split Workers

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cause of his distrust of the white worker, whom he thinks is trying to take away his job. The white worker is also afraid to organize making the very same excuse that the Negro worker does.

The bosses in the various departments at Armours are white. They "ride" the Negro workers as much as

of revolt on the killing and other floors. In one department the boss had been abusing the Negro workers as much as he possibly could. Every **GRAFT MUDDLE** time that he gave orders to a Negro worker he would do so in the vilest of language.

> As a protest against this behavior of the boss, one day the Negro work ers stopped the chain and refused to work on the hogs that were being sent

thru. It was their protest against the WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 .- A general vile and inhuman treatment that the boss was subjecting them to. investigation of the military aircraft situation, with the object of bringing Shortly after this spurt of revolt.

This book grazed the boss

out one general bill covering the the boss approached one of the Negro whole subject, will be started next workers and tried to show his "su-Tuesday by the house military affairs periority" by calling the worker a committee, it was announced this aftnumber of names that reflected on ernoon by its chairman, Rep. John M. this worker's parentage. The worker Morin of Pennsylvania. enraged by the boss' continual nagging and abuse, threw a hook at the

Secretary of War Davis probably will be the first witness. boss.

In the year and a half he was drag-

Palmer would not reveal what his

earnings were, but said he got one

MILITARY A

**First Witness** 

(Special to The Daily Worker)

The committee will consider all the arm. The worker then threw a secscore or more of bills proposing an ond, this time hitting the boss on the fleshy part of the arm. For the rest of that day there was no more abuse of the Negro workers. Then

white workers.

## **Bishop Brown to Tour** with Biedenkapp for

Two additional dates have been arranged for the tour which Bishop Brown and Fred Biedenkapp are making for the International Workers Aid. These are Detroit, Feb. 12, and Cleveland, Feb. 14.

one another. "Not class collaboration but class the "yards" the employment office is

lose the left section of the fascisti. | HELP SAVE THE DAILY WORKER!

Wilson congratulating him on his services, Mr. Wise was transported with the employment office, picks out the joy. He now shares his happiness with his less fortunate brothers who the plant anti-Mexican feeling has did not have his opportunity to play a strikebreaking role. Well, "every dog the spies are able to so propagandize \* \* \*

THE one oasis in the arid reactiona scab and no reputable labor leader Lary desert of Montana, is Sheridan ers." continually refer to them as "greasin the British Isles will have anything county, where the workers and farm-The "100 per cent American" atti- mere petition of the petition of the la pre ted a farm tude is encouraged in the "yards" and Filipino people and that a revolution ministration. No sooner did the new administration assume office than they turned the spotlight of publicity on the old party grafters who precedits bonus schemes, its "profit sharinged them. So raw was their conduct we-are-partners idea." as "American" that even a capitalist court was commethods. When foreign-born workers THIS contemptible rodent could not pelled to convict them. But tho down, argue against these schemes of the secure a journalist in Great Britain they were not entirely out. Sheridan packers and show the need for a change in conditions and begin to talk lacking in common decency as to be- actionary forces of the rest of the of unionization, many of the so-called "American" workers, who suffer from the same evils that the foreign-born workers do, tell the foreign-born time in antiquity was a seaman, put "get" the farmer-labor administration workers: "Go on back to the old country if you don't like the way things are run here." Tho the meat packers play upon the Mary from a rebellion of his refrac- News, published in Plentywood. It apracial prejudices and national antagonism of the workers, woe unto the worker, who dares allow his antagonism or his prejudices to interfere with the speed-up system and the steady operation of the chains. If any victim of company propaganda allows his prejudices to interfere with the profitmaking of the packers, he soon finds, himself out on the streets. They were bound to seek revenge. While at work they must bury these What the exploiters are doing is, antagonisms, but the moment they cease working, the racial antagonisms Communist Intrigue was Broken" frame Salsbury and Erickson. Unand the national hatreds can have full sway. One of the Negro workers on the hog killing floor at Armours tells of outing during the summer, when all of the workers are invited to come . . . THE workers and farmers of Sheriployed by Armour. "But," said the Negro worker, Hardy, once upon a time secretary- that should have been the moment to program of class political action. We believe the Sheridan county produc-JOHN VARGA

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## **Spanish Dictator Not** Having Pleasant Time; Hangs Peasant Rebels

HENDAYE, France, Jan. 17.—an al-leged attempt to assassinate General de Rivera, Spanish dictator, has been frustrated, according to reports re-ceived here from Madrid.

Pedro Morante, a Spaniard, who recently returned to Spain from the United States, has been arrested in connection with the attempt and has been placed in an asylum.

Three peasants of Caudete, Spain, have been hanged by order of a court martial which convicted them of hav ing participated in a struggle with the civil police. Fifteen peasants are still in jail awaiting sentence. Twen-

ty-one have been released.



## **Cause Indignation**

MANILA, P. I., Jan. 17-Protest is unning high in the Philippines as a esult of Governor General Leonard Wood's latest outrage, the arrest of Manila City Councilman Antonio D. Paguia. Senor Paguia was sentenced o two months in prison for venturing o criticize the governor general.

Lese Majesty.

"This is Philippine autonomy un ler the Jones act!" a prominent Filpino nationalist remarked bitterly in an interview here today. "Just as t is 'high treason' for a native of India to say anything disrespectful of the British viceroy or the king-em peror, so it is a prison offense in the Philippine islands to impugn the the abuse was rained down upon the motives, integrity or capability of Uncle Sam's imperial representatives. In departments where Lithuanians We have had enough of 'autonomy. and Poles work, spies able to speak Nothing less than complete and im-Int'l. Workers' Aid the languages of these workers mix mediate independence can satisfy the among them and start arguments over Filipino people."

whether Vilna is Lithuanian soil or Senor Paguia criticized Gen. Wood whether it should belong to Poland. A in the course of a political campaign number of times these arguments speech. This was at a time when the have led to fist fights outside of the governor general had committed a "yards" and have ended up in the whole series of acts directed at the police court. In this manner these continued enslavement of the Philiptwo nationalities are played against pine islands, which have become the favorite prospect for Wall Street's

projected establishment of vast rub Since the Negro worker is becoming ber plantations under the American nore and more militant and is protesting against rotten conditions in flag.

### Breaking Promises.

now hiring as many Mexicans as it Only a few weeks ago Gen. Wood possibly can. Armour & company has vetoed the bill passed overwhelming-ly in the Philippine resistature for a referendum of the population on the ssue of immediate independence. Si Mexican workers and hires them. In multaneously with this, came the publication of President Coolidge's mes sage to congress, advocating still greater and more arbitrary powers for

It is becoming more and more evident that the United States congress will never grant independence on the



### By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

**TODAY**, Chicago's annual appropriation bill calling for the expenditure of \$183,487,318 for all 1926 municipal activities goes into effect, but without providing one additional cent for increasing the wages of any of the tens of thousands of municipal employes. The morning issues of the kept press consider this fact, that no wage increases were permitted, as the greatest victory scored in the approval of the budget. They put it into the headlines as follows:

THE TRIBUNE: "Council Turns Down All Salary Increases."

THE HERALD-EXAMINER: "Employes of City Denied Wage Boost." \* \* \*

Additional exultation grows out of the fact, as recorded by the Tribune, that: "There was only one negative vote, that of Alderman Wiley W. Mills (37th Ward)." The only alderman openly identified with organized labor, Oscar F. Nelson, vice-president of the Chicago Federation of Labor, voted for this anti-labor budget, altho he had previously demanded wage increases for policemen, firemen and janitors.

Alderman Nelson is a democrat in politics. He believes in the old capitalist parties. He is one of the most extreme fighters against the labor party. He does not believe in in-dependent political action. The capitalist parties are good enough for him. He does not recognize the class struggle. He recognizes no classes. As a result he does not wage a class fight. So in the final vote he casts his ballot for the capitalists' budget prepared by the political agents of business, for their employers' government in the city of Chicago.

The budget vote reveals the fact once more that Chicago labor does not possess a real "friend," not to mention a class fighter of its own in the whole city council. This is true because, first of all, every alderman owes his first allegiance to either the democratic or the republican parties, both being the political expression of the exploiting class in Chicago.

To be sure, the sycophantic mayor of Chicago, William E. Dever, on the very day that the budget bill passed without a single wage increase, speaking at a banquet given by school engineers to board of education officials, declared:

"I want to say publicly that our firemen, policemen and other employes are greatly underpaid. . If we expect to keep good men in office, the time has come when we must come out openly and demand more revenue."

That is the usual political buncombe. It may sound good to those officials of labor who refuse to struggle, who count their "friends" in the old capitalist parties by the promises they get. The game must be still very good or Mayor Dever wouldn't thus rub salt into the wounds of workers torn by the struggle between the stationary or falling wage rate and the increasing cost of living.

Dever's democratic administration, just like the whole Chicago city government, is the instrument of great business. Business believes in cheap government, which means low wages, thus thrusting the cost of its own government up-

on the backs of workers oppressed by this government. It is the custom of municipal employes of all kinds to fawn upon the politicians, becoming cogs in the old party political machines, in return for small favors. Their absolute helplessness, even to win small favors thru political support is shown by the ruthless manner in which the city council has rejected all their wage demands.

Municipal employes, like all other workers, must organize into powerful trade unions to fight for their demands. The unions they already have must be strengthened thru taking a decided and determined stand upon militant programs of struggle. But the lesson to all the workers of Chicago is the absolute need of breaking with the old parties and organizing the labor party, to win the workers from the capitalist parties and fight the capitalist city government. If this isn't plain to the Fitzpatricks, the Nockels, the Olanders and the Walkers, there are great numbers of workers who will become aroused by this latest rejection by the city government of the simplest needs of municipally employed labor. These will join in the growing demand for the labor party.



(Special to The DAILY WORKER.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 .- Testifying before the house interstate foreign commerce commission today, Harvey S. Firestone, rubber king of Akron, Ohio, formulated the reasons of big business for further enslavement of the Philippine Islands.

"It would be a great thing for the Philippine Islands and for America if the Philippine land laws were so changed that American investors would not be injured if the islands were given independence," said Firestone.

"If the Philippines are to be developed, capital must have assurance that it will be properly protected, which the present political situation does not assure."

Wants to Stifle Legislature.

Firestone's remarks about Philippine independence were uttered to offset the real import of his further remarks that "the present political siuation" in the islands is not favorable. What he really wants is the proposal of Major General Wood, imperialist agent of Wall Street in the Philippines, to abolish the local legislature that frequently resists the more brazen acts of despotism on the part of Wood.

### Wants Government Assistance.

Firestone also proposed government assistance to his private rubber enterprises to enable him to experiment with lands that might produce rubber in order to overcome the British rubber monopoly, which would force American taxpayers to foot the experimental bill and then permit Firestone and the American rubber and tire combines to reap the benefit.



WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17 .--President Coolidge coyly remarks that he is "powerless" to do anything in the anthracite strike situation, with the idea of getting a definite grant of power to wage open warfare on the miners' union, just as he did in the policemen's strike in Boston which boosted him into the limelight.

To forward this general movement along, Senator Copeland of New York Saturday introduced a measure, which, after being blocked by filibuster he followed with a stronger one after withdrawing the first one. Administration leaders did not like

a special Mexican employment agent who walks out into the crowd around been aroused among the workers and has his day" according to the proverb. the workers that the workers look the governor general. with distrust upon the Mexicans and

labor hurglar, who associates with the shipping magnates, "stools" for the government and sells out the members of his union, who are kept in line by means of government force. × \* \*

or in any of His Majesty's colonies so county could not withstand the recome his fugleman, even for pay. But state. The reactionaries are always Victor Olander, secretary of the Illi- busy. They know the value of organnois Federation of Labor, who some- ization. They were determined to the British flunkey on to Wise and of Sheridan county. Joseph did the best he could, in his illiterate way, to prove that Wilson THE blow has fallen, according to was saving King George and Queen L the latest issue of the Producers'

tory subjects in England, Ireland, pears that the reactionary tools of the Scotland, Wales, South Africa and bankers at the state capitol in Helena Australia. So far it has not been an- sent in a stoolpigeon to Plentywood nounced that Joseph was given the or- in an effort to compromise Sheriff der of The Garter for his services, Salsbury and county Attorney Erickbut Buckingham Palace does not for- son. Those two officials made things get even its potboys and Wise is as hot for the confidence men who had obsequious a flunkey as ever trailed been preying on the farmers for years. behind a king.

. . . UNDER the caption: "How Big striking at the farmers, by trying to Wise tells the world how he played der the present regime, the producer the role of assistant strikebreaker. could hold his head up in Sheridan The strike happened while the prince county, but the grafters, whether opof Wales was on his South American | erating under the cloak of legality or tour and no doubt, Joseph thot it merely as a plain burglar, was on the would show a sorry lack of dignity defensive. on the part of the workers to throw a monkey wrench into the machinery of the empire while the crown prince | L dan county must stand behind was tasting the good things of life their elected officials who are being in the southern hemisphere. Wise im- persecuted because they were loyal to mediately, after emerging from his their interests. If Salsbury and Erickfavorite soft drink parlor, perhaps. son, were willing to play into the "exposed" the strike as a conspiracy hands of the mortgage bankers, there to overthrow the British empire. How would be no government stoolpigeons did he know it? Easy. He saw in on their trail. When the farmer-labor the Chicago Tribune that George ticket went over in Sheridan county,

treasurer of the I. W. W. was in Eng- start a state-wide campaign to whip land and actively engaged in helping the rest of the state into line for the the strikers. . . .

NEEDLESS to say, nobody paid the ers have that object in view. If they slightest attention to Wise an put their shoulders to the wise slightest attention to Wise ex- put their shoulders to the wheel and cept poor Havelock Wilson, who want- organize, they will be able to thwart ed to have somebody posing as a la- their enemies and defend the leaders bor man, recognize him officially. He who remain faithful to their trust. could not find anybody in England to Eternal vigilance is the only safedo it. So he had to take anything guard for every gain made by the prohe could get. He took Wise. This ducers, and no gain is guaranteed undolt dumped his intellectual offal on til the entire power of government the public and posed as a first-rate for the entire nation is lodged securestrikebreaker. The fact that the strik- ly in the hands of those who produce ers lost made him feel good, but when all wealth, namely, the workers in the he received a letter from Havelock industries and on the land.

is used at every possible opportunity ary independence movement is needagainst the foreign-born worker. The ed. A movement for the organization company thru its propaganda, paints of a Filipino section of the All-Amer ica Anti-Imperialist League has al ready been started here.

The Paguia case has resulted in great intensification of nationalist feeling. Protest meetings are being held everywhere. There is no doub about the fact that the arrest of the Manila City councilman, carried out under pressure from General Wood, is a direct challenge to the nationalist movement

"Today in England as well as in America, the necessary prerequisite of any true, peoples revolution is the destruction of the ready made state machinery."---Lenin. Thus Lenin answered those who quoted Engels on the possibility of a peaceful revolution in Great Britain. What this means to America will be discussed at the Lenin Memorial meetings.

> They all suffer the same rotten unsanitary conditions. They all are abused by the boss. They are all the victims of the packers' greed for more profits and because of this, their interests are one.

By allowing the company-paid spies, and company-subsidized newspapers to keep the workers divided, the work how the company arranges a picnic or ers allow the packers to wax fatter and fatter while they are exploited more and more. The workers in the out. This gathering is supposed to packing house industry must unite increate a spirit of "good will" and co- to one union regardless of their color operation" among the workers em- and their nationality and demand bet ter conditions.

As long as the workers remain di-"every time we go to one of those af- vided their rotten conditions will exfairs, we find ourselves 'Jim crowed'." ist. When the workers bury their rac Regardless of whether the workers | ial antagonism and their national hat in the "yards" are black, white, brown red and refuse to fall for the company or any other color, their grievances propaganda and unite into industria against the packers are the same. unions, then will conditions be chang They all suffer under the speed-up. ed for the better.



## Start Campaign for Mass Struggle

(Continued from page 1). creating improvement in the condi- tions and fraternal organizations will mittee on labor.

tions of life of the workers and farm- be asked to send delegates will be ers and for the right of the capital- created for the fight against the speists to continue their exploitation and cial danger which the foreign-born oppressions of those who produce the wealth of the country.

THE attitude toward the farmers expressed in the president's message shows the same determination to continue exploitation of the farmers conferences.

which has created a crisis which is causing widespread suffering in the agricultural sections of the country. This is the analysis of the situation faced by the workers and farmers workers and their organizations to the of this country made by the central danger which they are facing. Efforts day at the offices of the United States executive committee of the Workers will be made to place the trade (Communist) Party and the campaign unions and other organizations on which it has initiated has as its pur- record thru resolutions endorsing district. pose to organize a widespread move- the united front movement for the inment to organize the workers and ex- terests of the workers and exploited the Atlanta penitentiary on a conspirthese conditions.

Unite Existing Organizations.

ng organizations of the workers and To finance the work of building a he organizations of the farmers shall movement of hundreds of thousands be united thru conference of delegates of the workers in support of this proof all workers' organizations and gram the Workers (Communist) Parsimilar conferences of all farmers' ty is calling for a special campaign jury and possible death today when a organizations. The Workers (Com- fund "to fight Coolidge's capitalist bomb was exploded under the porch munist) Party will endeavor to bring program" to which all workers are of the residence of Phillip G. Machabout conferences of delegates from asked to make contribution. The mem- relli, Mt. Washington contractor. he trade unions, labor political organ- bers of the party are specially urged Machrelli had ignored several "black zations and labor benefit and fraternal to take up the collection of funds to hand" demands for money. organizations to support a united la- make an aggressive campaign posbor ticket in the state and congres- sible.

sional elections as a means of carist program.

up conferences of delegates of farm- this country for a more militant strugers' leagues, co-operative organizations gle against the capitalist class. Its on a local and state scale and allying campaign is launched with the purthese with the city workers in their pose of giving this movement a cenfight against the capitalists. Special organizations in the form of every form possible

workers are facing. The campaign for the defense and

recognition of the Soviet Union will also be carried on thru united front First Steps in the Campaign.

The central executive committee of rying on the fight against the capital- the Workers (Communist) Party has expressed the opinion that the con-The same plan will be followed in ditions are ripe for a forward movethe agricultural states thru building ment of the workers and farmers of tral direction and stimulating it in

the first measure, which merely called on Coolidge to "take steps" to end the strike. The administration leaders wanted empowering resolutions if they wanted anything at all. So some old guards and some democrats "talked to death" the first measure, and it was withdrawn at 2 o'clock.

At once Copeland sponsored a joint resolution giving the president the authority to seize the anthracite mines during the strike, operate them until June 1928 and during government operation to fix prices, profits and wages. The sum of \$10,000,000 was authorized by the bill to carry against all movements which are eign-born, to which all labor organiza-bill was referred to the senate com-| councils for the protection of the for-



court, directing the execution of the verdict against John W. Langley, congressman from the tenth Kentucky

way mass movement will be organ- stealing of 140 cases of whiskey from acy conviction in connection with the ized and special organizers placed in the belle of Anderson distillery near THE proposal of the Workers (Com- the field to assist in the work of or- Lawrenceburg, Ky., in October and November, 1921.

Bomb Blast Endangers Seven.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 17. - Seven

CHICAGO FITZGERALD BEAUTY SHOP Marcel Waving Hair Tinting Shampooing Facials Manicuring Scalp Treatments Open Evenings by Appointment. 15 E. Washington St. Low Suite 1314 Venetian Bldg. Rates Call DEArborn 4777.

### THE DALLY WORKER

Leninism Guides Russian Workers and Peasants

IN NEW YORK

**No Docile Workers** 

By ROSE BARON.

I. L. D. Press Service.

NEW YORK CITY-A large crowd

attended a mass meeting arranged by

Gitlow and Flynn Speak.

union miners are facing long terms

of imprisonment, and about the Pitts-

burgh cases of the ten Communists

who were indicted and charged with

violation of state sedition laws. Their

cases are now pending. He made an

ppeal to the audience to support and

oin the International Labor Defense.

Elizabeth Gurley Flynn in her

peech, gave the whole history of the

Richard Ford case. Ford was origin-

ally arrested for his activity in or-

ganizing the hop pickers' strike in

Wheatfield, California, and after serv-

ng 11½ years in jail on a framed-up

harge, has been rearrested, charged

again with a murder with which it is

officially admitted he had nothing to

lo, and he is now in danger of being

Heretic Wants No Docility.

Bishop Brown spoke for an hour.

Among other things he said: "That

the government and the church have

been under the dominance of the idle.

ailroaded to the gallows.

Benjamin Gitlow spoke in detail

### Supreme Court Hands Down Labor Decisions; I. L. U. MEET **BIG SUCCESS** Uphold's Seamen's Act

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17-Labor lost one point before the federal supreme court just after the holiday recess. It lost in the Oklahoma "current wage" Heretic Bishop Wants case. The state law requiring contrac-

tors to pay wages, on road construc tion, in harmony with current wages in the region, was held to be void, because too uncertain in its operation. In the case from San Francisco involving Section 2 of the Seamed's Act, the supreme court held that ves- the International Labor Defense, New sel owners must enforce that law. It York Section, to help the Pittsburgh, requires at least two watches or di-visions of the work for sailors, and Jan. 12, at Star Casino, 107th street

three watches of 8 hours each for and Park avenue. firemen, oilers and water-tenders. Seamen cannot be held for desertion when they insist that night and day about the Zeigler frame-up, where 20 watches be equally manned.

## FRENCH CABINET **NEAR COLLAPSE IN MONEY CRISIS** Herriot May Succeed

## **Premier Briand**

(Special to The Daily Worker) PARIS, Jan. 14-The tumbling franc threatens Premier Briand's cabinet. Today the Parisian newspapers pointed to yesterday's fall of the franc, as an ominous warning of what

may happen if the political obstacles continue to be raised. "The franc's fate is being decided

in the finance commission and in the The idle class want the workers to be docile while they construct a governchamber of deputies' corridors," said the Paris Midi today. "If the Doument for the idlers, and they want the mer tenacity and the Briand strategy workers to be reverend while they fail to crush the political obstacles worship their non-existent, unreal, and placed before them, yesterday's slump therefore perfectly idle Christ.

"I urge you to take over the goverment and make it in reality a gov-

ernment of the people. When you if the finance commission rejects the will be in power, do not exclude the M. Weinstone, Chas. Refutition, Jan. 24, 10 Central Stat, Robert Minor, Jan. 23, 8
Jamestown-Jan. 31. Local speaker.
Buiffalo-J. O. Bentall and Nat Kaplan, Jan. 24, 8
Doumer program and appeal to the chamber of deputies over the heads of the finance commission. Should he a chance to do as much work as any-Canton-Canton Music Hall, 810 E.
Binghamton-J. O. Bentall and Nat
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Binghamton-J. C church's altar and repent. Now I am

The strength shown by Edouard preaching to the church and urge it Herriot in his election as president to come to labor's altar and repent." Robert Dunn acted as chairman. A of the chamber yesterday seems to collection of \$176.00 was made. The leave no doubt but what he would be the next premier if M. Briand and proceeds of the meeting will be used to help the Zeigler, Pittsburgh and Ford cases.

Bandit Attack Leads to Special Congress

**UNION LEGISLATION** (Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. - With the executives and employes of American railroads standing shoulder to shoulder for the first time in history, spokesmen for the carriers and labor organizations today urged the senate interstate commerce committee to hasten enactment of the bill setting up a new system of ar-

SENATOR WATSON NOW

THE LEADER OF R. R.

and your associates representing the bitration for the settlement of railminers proceed to call out all the road disputes. The bill is an outmaintenance men". The wire was standing example of class collaborasigned by Tony Panue, chairman of tion and is a new phase of such polthe general committee and a recogicy in that it is to be fixed in the The miners of the Pennsylvania federal laws. Coal company, 13,000 of them, were

Railroad presidents and union labor leaders joined in praising the proposed legislation. The bill, introduced by Senator Watson of Indiana, has the approval of President Coolidge.

all members after the strike dragged on a month or so. They, however, rein adopting this maintenance men resolution. A group of delegates This action on the part of the two fought against it at every step. The general committees in demanding assembly must not be considered a the maintenance men be withdrawn radical gathering when they take signifies that at last they are realizing such action as this; far from it. The the only definite means of terminating conservative temper of the meeting this strike is by a united front of all was marked by their action in comthe miners of the anthracite field. mending Rev. Curran for his favor-The wire of the general committee to able activity in "behalf of the miner." Lewis was sent direct to the Union

The Resolution.

The resolution in part follows:

'Resolved, that in order to wage our

struggle effectively and to bring our

fight to a quick, successful termina-

tion, our tri-district scale committee

be urged to call a general strike in

the anthracite region including all

maintenance men, thereby making it

impossible for any scabs to continue

to produce coal for market under the

Close Down the Washeries. By PAT TOOHEY.

League Club, as was the resolution

· of the Wilkes-Barre general griev-

ance committee.

(Worker Correspondent)

**GRIEVANCE BODY** 

MAINTENANCE

Lewis Sabotaged Move

for Many Weeks

(Continued from page 1)

morning by our committee, represent

ing 13,000 miners, demanding that you

expelled from the United Mine Work-

ers a year ago by Lewis for going on

an outlaw strike which tied up all

collieries of the Pennsylvania com-

pany. Lewis was forced to reinstate

member this action of Lewis.

nized Lewis supporter.

FOR WITHDRAW

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Jan. 17 .--The general assembly, composed of all general grievance committees in the Wilkes-Barre field at their meeting here Sunday night adopted a resolution by an overwhelmingly majority demanding the withdrawal of the maintenance men and for a general strike.

This action on the part of the assembly came after the discussion on how to close down certain washeries producing coal had been closed. It was pointed out by several delegates that to do this would be impossible as long as the maintenance men continued working and to win the strike the withdrawal of the maintenance men was absolutely necessary.

Lewis Didn't "Deem 'It Necessary." The resolution was before the assembly for several weeks but no definite action was taken. When first presented they decided to notify Lewis "when he deemed it necessary to withdraw the maintenance men we will support you." A local union drafted a resolution favoring withdrawal, adopted it and forwarded a of the assembly in demanding for a copy to Lewis in New York. He replied to the resolution by stating "it would be impractical to do this at the present time when the public is with us." Lewis' letter was read to the assembly.

The resolution adopted by the assembly was sent to local unions under the jurisdiction of that body some weeks ago, returned and was then approved of by a big majority.

WORKER.



### Progressives Were Right.

assembly.

For many months the progressive miners have led a militant fight for the withdrawal of the maintenance men. During all these months of the anthracite strike it has been the maintenance men who have kept their fellow union members walking the street. In many places this is a major general strike and withdrawal of the

dictatorship of the proletariat."-Len- Lyceum, 66 E. 4th St., Manhattan. in. Hear the message of Leninism at

In Gudok, official daily organ of the Russian railway workers. Workers and Peasants Shown Reading Various Publications in Soviet Union While Flag Floating Over Factory Carries Greetings to the Fourteenth Congress of the Russian Communist Party Attend The Lenin Memorial Meetings LENIN MEETING IN FOUR HALLS THE SAME HOUR

## Demonstration Jan. 24

NEW YORK CITY, Jan. 17. - The

New York Prepares Big

workers of this city will pay tribute to the greatest leader of the oppressed

Vestone, Ben Gitlow, M. J. Olgin, W. Weinstone, Chas. Krumbein, Jan. 24, p. m. Jamestown—Jan. 31. Local speaker. Columbus—Robert Minor, Jan. 23, 8

Binghamton-J. O. Bentall and Nat Kaplan, Jan 25. Endicott-J. O. Bentall and Nat Kap-an, Jan. 25. Syracuse, J. O. Bentall and Nat Kap-an, Jan. 26. Utica-J. O. Bentall and Nat Kaplan, Jan. 27. Schenectady-J. O. Bentall and Nat Kaplan, Jan. 29.

NEW JERESY

Trenton-Jan. 24. Palace Hall, S. Broad St., 2:00 p. m., Tallentire. Trenton-N. H. Tallentire, Jan. 24, 1

PENNSYLVANIA

Yorkville-Miners' Hall, J. Williamson, his position a weak one.

Jan. 24, 7 p. m. Neffs—J. Williamson, Jan. 24, 2 p. m. Toledo—Robert Minor, Jan. 16, 8 p. m. Lorain—Jan. 17, 2 p. m. E. Liverpool—Brahtin, Jan. 24, 3 p. m. Steubenville—Brahtin, Jan. 24, 8 p. m. Bellaire—S. Amter, Jan. 24, 2 p. m.

INDIANA Gary-Turner Hall, 14 and Washington, Tom O'Flaherty, Jan. 24-7:30 p. m. South Bend-Workers' Home, 1216 Hol-fax Ave., Tom Bell, Jan. 24, 2 p. m. E. Chicago-Columbia Hall, McCook and Vernon St., Max Salzman, Jan. 24, 2 p. m. UNDIANA Coolidge Charged with Introducing "Rule of Yesman" on Ship Board

headway.

be but a beginning." Herriot May be Premier. The premier may take a bold step



Verona—Ferry's Hall, James Otis, Jan. 24, 8 p. m. Republic—Croatian Hall, Geo. Papcun, C. W. Fulp, Jan. 24, 8 p. m. Rural Ridge—James Otis, Jan. 24, 8 p. m. Cannonsburg—D. F. French Club near East Mine, Jack Johnston, Jan. 18, 7 p. m. Waukegan—Workers' Hall, 517 Heim-dismissing Bert E. Haney, of Port-land, Oregon, as a member of the Wast Frank Johnstone, Jan. 19 A musical program of revolutionary The assembly was not unanimous the Lenin Memorial meetings. music is being arranged. The program will include the Freiheit Ge-Rural Ridge—James Otis, Jan. 24, 8 m. Cannonsburg—D. E. Earley, Jan. 30, 8 Karal Ridge—Jack Johnstone, Jan. 19. West Frankfort, Lithuanian Hall, E. 4th St., Jack Johnstone, Jan. 20, 7. p. m. **POLISH BUREAU GREETS DAILY** sangs Verhein, Lithuanian Choruses, Hungarian Orchestra and Ukrainian Chorus. Benjamin Gitlow, Jay Love-WORKER AS MASS ORGAN OF Daisytown-Home Theater, Tom Ray, MISSOURI stone and M. J. Olgin in addition to Jan. 31, 2 p. m. New Brighton-D. E. Earley, Jan. 31, 2 Washington St., W. F. Dunne, Jan. 31. of the "regulatory bodies." THE AMERICAN WORKING CLASS others will speak at all meetings. Admission is fifty cents, the ticket being WISCONSIN Milwaukee-Freie Gemeinde Hall, 8th and Walnut St., Earl Browder, Jan. 24. CALIFORNIA. San Francisco-Jan. 24, Workers Par-ty Hall, 225 Valencia St., 2:00 p. m., Tom Fleming and W. Schneiderman. Oakland and Berkeley-Jan 31, Work-ers' Hall 1819 10th St., W. Schneiderman. WEST VIRGINIA good for any of the meetings arranged. Triadelphia—Tom Ray, Jan. 24, 2 p. m. Pursglove—Tom Ray, Jan. 31, 2 p. m. KENTUCKY Newport—Robert Minor, Jan. 21. COR two years The DAILY WORKER has led the most conscious of the \* \* \* working class in America on the road of Leninism. The third year of MASSACHUSETTS. Quincy—Jan. 24, Malnatis Hall, 4 Liber-ty St., 7:30 p. m., Eva Hoffman. Maynard—Jan. 24, Walham St. Hall, 35 Walton St., 2:00 p. m., J. P. Reid. Lawrence—Jan. 24. Ideal Hall, 18 Essex St., 2:30 p. m., H. J. Canter. Fitchburg—Jan. 24. Suomi Hall, 801 Man St., 7:30 p. m., Iocal Finnish com-rade. its existence is marked by many gains. OHIO Let us then in the third year close our ranks, make more energetic, Lima-Robert Minor, Jan. 18. ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Jan. 17. more decisive attempts to enlarge the influence of our DAILY WORKER, Dissatisfaction with the refusal of to work in the direction of getting new subscribers for The DAILY **DUBLIN WORKERS GREET DAILY** 

In particular we enthusiastically greet the ever growing worker correspondents', columns.

We are calling upon all worker correspondents of Trybuna Robotniza that they should write their experiences from the shop, mine and factory, they should join in the work with The DAILY WORKER correspondents.

On the second anniversary we extend our heartlest wishes that The DAILY WORKER should become a mass organ of the working class of America.

We are sure that there are many Polish workers in America who will help to accomplish this goal.

Forward to the factories, shops and mines with the Communist torch, our DAILY WORKER.

> Polish Bureau, Workers (Communist) Party, B. K. Gebert, Secretary.

# WORKER ON SECOND ANNIVERSARY

rade. Boston—Ford Hall, Ashburton place, Bert D. Wolfe, Jan. 22, 8 p. m. Newton Upper Falls—Russian Club, 48 High St., R. Zelms in Russian, Jan. 24, 7:30 p. m. Lanesville—Finnish Workingmen's As-sociation Hall, 1060 Washington, L. Marks, Jan. 23, 7:30 p. m. Gardner—Al Schaap, Jan. 24, 8 p. m. Brockton—H. S. Bloomfield, Jan. 24, 7:30 p. m. The following greeting was received by The DAILY WORKER from the which was begun thru the medium of James Connolly Workers' Educational Club of Dublin, greeting The DAILY anonymous letters, was at first treat-WORKER on its second anniversary and saluting The DAILY WORKER as ed as a joke, but according to the latthe standard bearer of the American working class: est reports it has gained considerable

"We have great pleasure in sending fraternal greetings and congratulations on the occasion of the second anniversary of The DAILY WORKER.

"That the paper has justified its existence is proved by the extreme hostility of the boss class. We salute the standard bearer of America's fighting working class elements.

"For the secretary,

"GEORGE W. DAY."

Federal troops have already executed six of the bandits in Sunday's raid. This brings the total of deaths of bandits and their victims to twenty. All bandit victims have now been cutive interference" in the functions identified as members of the train crew and second class passengers. Two women were among the passen-

gers put to death. U. S. Government, DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 17 .- The sixth **Propose to Secede** 

Those who sponsor the movement

ask that the United States relinquish

Alaska and territorial waters and

withdraw all future governmental ex-

penditures. The secessionists advo-

cate a government similar to that of

Denmark with the proviso that a pres-

ident must be the ruler.

victim in twenty days was claimed by the Chicago and Eastern Illinois daylight flyer between St. Louis and Chicongress to enlarge the powers of the Homewood, drove onto the tracks at territory of Alaska has resulted in a Glenwood. The train was running 70 possible movement of secession from miles an hour at the time of the the United States by Alaskans, it has accident. been reported here. This movement,

> The Lenin Drive means quick action-send your sub today!

Flyer Takes Sixth Vivtim.

"The Story of the Earth" and "History of Civilization," by Sam Ball, every Sunday and Thursday at 7:30 p. m., at Brotherhood College, Desplaines and Washington Sts. Admission free,

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**STALIN SHOWS RUSSIA IN PERIOD OF TRANSITION** 

village is to follow the town and large merce produced in 1923-24 37 millions rect this mistake. industry. These are the conclusions and of this 14 millions went to the ex- TN November of this year the central chinery and new factories. The trans- out a connection of the interests with the tween the metal balance and the (Continued from page 1.) wealth to the total of seven and a half which we must draw upon the char- chequer. 1924-25 produced a profit I committee had already decided ition from the policy of a maximum advantages of the center with the balance of our economy as a whole. In of only 22 million rubles in conse- that the foreign commerce for next exploitation of everything to hand in interests and advantages of the provof nationalized wealth is extremely high. Nevertheless, one can describe S tions of the state budget. The this ten millions went to the exche-balance of not less than 100 millions. In a new industry, demands great developing the constructive initiative demand for metal and the maximum our order of society neither as capital- state budget has risen to four milliard quer Our budget can only maintain its bal- resources. Owing to lack of resources, in the districts, the problem of possibilities of metal production, there

rubles. In comparison with the year For the year 1925 foreign commerce ance upon the basis of an active trade the development of industry will not the speedy industrialization of is a difference of some ten millions. ist nor as socialist. THE speaker then went on to des- 1913, the total of the state budget to- produced 44 millions of which 29 mil- balance, as no capital imports from proceed as quickly as it has done up the country. After an overpro- The speaker pays particular attention cribe further the character of our gether with the communal budgets is lions went to the treasury. The speak- abroad take place. From this depends to the present.

7:30 p. m. Worcester-Belmont Hall, 54 Belmont St., Bert D. Wolfe, Jan. 24.

RHODE ISLAND.

Providence— Russian Club Hall, 14 Randall St., Max Lerner, Jan. 24, 2 p. m. NEW YORK New York—Central Opera House, 67th St. and Third Ave., New Star Casino, 107th St. and Park Ave., Miller's Grand Assembly, 318 Grand St., Brooklyn, Man-hattan Lyceum, 66 East 4th St.: Jay

social order. This represents a transi- 74.6 per cent, An important point is er discussed in detail the passive bal- the maintenance of a stable currency In agriculture, however, the exist- now faced with the question of a The metal industry is the basis of tional form from capitalism to social that the income from sources apart ance of the foreign commerce. In and the further development of our ing possibilities are by far not ex- crisis in firing material and industry all industries, and its balance must ism. The private economic undertak- from taxes is greater than the income comparison with the year 1913 the industry and agriculture. These are hausted. Agriculture can continue to is developing more strongly as the be brought into agreement with the ings according to the extent of pro- derived from taxes. The question of following must be observed: In 1923- on the whole the statistics and consi- develop at the same tempo upon the production of firing material. The general balance of industry and transduction are predominant in it. But the profits of our state and co-oper- 1924 we reached in foreign commerce derations upon the character of our existing technical basis, for this reas- Soviet Union is approaching that port. With regard to the lack of agreethe share of socialist industries is ative undertakings for the past year 21 per cent of the pre-war level. In people's economy as a whole and up- on the balance of industry in the stage upon which Russia under the ment between the balance of qualified growing from day to day. The share deserves particular attention. 1924-25 26 per cent. This year has a on the role of socialist industry in future will for a very long time not bourgeois regime stood, that stage labor power and the industrial balof socialist industries is growing upon the basis of its concentration and or-the basis of its concentration and organization, thanks to the existence of state industry and the united metal great attention. basis of these ideas in the question ial possibilities in it which have not became necessary. The firing mater- year 1925-26 totals 433,000 men. We

the proletarian dictatorship and the undertaking sproduced in 1923-24 a profit of 142 million rubles. Of this structions for the creation of an act-transport, credit and banking systems are in the hands of the state. Our industry subjects the private 315 million rubles and of this 172 million rubles and of this 173 million rubles and of this 173 million rubles and the ruble rubles and the ruble ruble rubles rubles and the ruble rubles ruble Our industry subjects the private 315 million rubles and of this 173 mil- ans and the central committee have an agricultural country. Industry has ies, and further, to raise the level of prove its technique so that it can Stalin will show the predominance of industry and all other economic forms lions fell to the exchequer. That is made a great mistake. It is the task approached the pre-war level, its fur- the provincial type of Soviet indus- overtake the development of indus- state commerce in comparison with ever more and more. The fate of the 54 per cent. The state internal com- of the present party congress to cor- ther progress means a development try. Without a development of indus- try.

duction of firing material we are to this factor.

yet been utilized. The task of the ials balance was not in accordance can only satisfy this demand to the

NOTE: - In the next instalment, private capitalist commerce.



uanians, South Slavic, Swedish, and the Greek language fraction bureaus, the Young Workers' League and the central executive committee gathered in the third conference called by the organization department to discuss ways and means for mobilizing the greatest number of party members in the present party campaigns.

Among the subjects discussed, as outlined by the C. E. C. representative were: 1. The DAILY WORKER subscription drive; 2. The mobilization of the membership for the party campaign to raise a fund to finance our numerous activities: 3. The intensification of the campaign for the protection of the foreign-born workers; 4. Launching of the Into the Unions campaign for our membership and the organization of trade union fractions. In discussing The DAILY WORK-ER subscription drive numerous constructive suggestions were made, Among these follow:

1. Offering combination subscrip-tions of The DAILY WORKER with FORM COUNCI 1. Offering combination subscripthe foreign language paper. This is especially worthwhile and practicable for the weekly foreign language papers.

2. Every language paper is to print special subscription appeal circulars either for the combination offer or for The DAILY WORKER only and to circularize its entire mailing list. This may be done thru the columns of the language papers, if economy demands it.

3. Each language fraction bureau is to issue a special appeal to all the readers of the organs of the party in | eign-born workers by reactionaries led its language for The DAILY WORK- by Secretary Davis, who seeks to fin-ER subscription campaign.

4. Every language paper must devote a special section thruout the period of the subscription campaign to the drive for DAILY WORKER subscribers.

5. In addition to the special section mentioned above, every language paper must also carry, thruout the campaign period, special articles about The DAILY WORKER.

advertize the paper.

7. The challenge system has prov-ed especially helpful among the Finnish comrades. That is, one comsubscribes to The DAILY DAILY WORKER. This process confor The DAILY WORKER.

DAILY WORKER in its columns. -

# N. Y. Communists Ask **Organized Effort**

(Special to The Daily Worker)

NEW YORK CITY, Jan. 17 .- The new campaign of persecution of forgerprint immigrants and list them as

encountered opposition from the New York organizations of the Workers (Communist) Party, William W. Weinstone, general secretary, having issued a call to the New York workers which reads, in part, as follows:

Attack on Working Class.

must meet with the resistance of the

This bill of Senator Oswald rests

strict or city in which

10. Every language paper thruout the party for the campaign for the means for raising the greatest posthe campaign is to feature prominent- protection of foreign-born workers, sible fund to enable the party to get ly a subscription blank for The The matter is becoming more press- into mass work at full speed and with ing and serious, in view of the Aswall all its energies. The language frac-11. The language fraction bureaus bill for alien registration and de- ticn bureaus and the district executive

should put forward the slogan for portation and the open endorsement committees will each receive 25% of January 24, is awaited with keen in-DAILY WORKER for your son or In the course of the discussion it be made to mobilize the sympathizing workers.

daughter." Often we find cases where was shown that the time is at hand workers in this drive. the children of the foreign-born work- for every language fraction and dis- Definite quotas will be assigned to what manner of men are those who ers can read English and tend to be trict organization to push forward the each district and language raction to are leading the greatest social devedrawn away from the revolutionary project for organizing united front be raised in the campaign. Success is lopment in the history of the human proletarian outlook of their parents. councils for the protection of foreign- essential in this fund campaign if race, the slow building up of a new If the foreign-born Communist parents born workers. These councils shall the party is to move forward, make order on the ruins of a dying system. will arrange it so that their children be composed of delegates from various its new shop and street nuclei living regularly receive The DAILY WOR! national labor organizations and units and mobilize the working and ER, as subscribers, they will be do- wherever possible trade unions. The exploited farming masses against the from a technical point of view that

ing a great deal towards bringing fact that such legislation is a menace capitalists and their government. their native-born children into the to the whole working class, regardless Another conference of this char- date. The picture of Comrade Krup-Communist fold. This is a problem of the nativity of the individual acter is to be held soon to consider skaya, Lenin's widow is remarkable. to which we will have to give consi-, worker, affords us a real opportunity the problems of the Young Workers It seems as if the sorrows and heart derable attention. But the step men- to mobilize scores of thousands of (Communist) League, particularly the aches of the proletarians of all age tioned is a very effective beginning. workers against the Coolidge govern- question of Young Pioneer work.

> fore, an attack against the American meet these new bills. The Workers born workers as well, and an answer Party calls upon all workers' organizmust come from the entire working ations to take the necessary steps to class, foreign-born and American-born get together in an organized fashion

Calls For Councils. as in the past taken the initiative ing class and to fasten these czaristic

he laws introduced in previous ses-

Once again the workers of New, York must organize themselves to

to conduct a struggle against these The Workers (Communist) Party sinister measures to divide the work

mobilizing mass opposition against measures upon-the working class. Workers of New York! Close your ions of congress for the same ob- ranks against these czaristic laws! jects. The formation of united coun- The immediate formation of councils cils for the protection of foreign-born for the protection of foreign-born workers which resulted from the agi- workers in which all labor unions and tation of the Workers Party caused workers' organizations are represent the reactionaries to halt in their at-led, is an immediate necessity. No tempt to introduce these coercive time must be lost to defeat these slave laws.

> William W. Weinstone, General Secretary, District 2.

like the students in the bourgeois diplomacy. Not so much credit to night schools, who have the petty Tchitcherin as to the government ambition of acquiring knowledge, so which gives him an easy policy to as to exchange it for dollars and work with, that is, an honest policy.

committee of students, who take up familiar faces. cussion being sincere and thoro.

When the next semester of the spite of the fact that most of the stu- not see this picture without being

and Labor History of America. In In the class in "Capital, Vol. I" we he challenges to subscribe to The he declared that what he recommend- the two months since the classes covered the first three chapters thoed is that on the special day or days began, I have learned to appreciate roly. In the class in "history, we tinues to forge a chain of subscribers designated all aliens be required to the necessity of the courses for every- have acquired at least some insight 24th at 8 p. m.

8. Every language paper agent and designated by the naturalization bu- ingclass activity, whether in shop, the American workingclass. I am certain that every comrade who atYour Eyes Sunday

(Continued from page 1)

Everybody is interested to learn

Excellent Photography.

The picture is the best of its kind has been exhibited in this country to are concentrated in her face, as she gazes with tearless but anguished eyes on the dead body of her life omrade

What kind of a looking man is Jos. Stalin, general secretary of the powerful Russian (Communist) Party, a candidates? Well, he looks every bit like the man of steel he is said to be.

Then you can see Kamenev, president of the Moscow Soviet, prominent figure in the recent discussion in the Four Simple Tasks Russian party.

There is Gregory Zinoviev, presi dent of the Communist International, active, alert, speaking to a great throng of workers in Red Square.

Conveys Sense of Power.

Georges Tchitcherin, famous Soviet diplomat who is able to make the most experienced liars of the capitalist powers look silly in the art of Other leaders: Rykov, premier, suc-The relations between the students cessor to Lenin; Kalenin, president of definite day on which the Young and instructors are entirely different the Soviet Union and many others. No from those I have seen in other doubt many of those who will attend schools. In each class there is a the memorial meeting will recognize

All the workers, regardless of naring to the class. There is no gulf tionality, must not lose the opportunbetween student and instructor, dis- ity of having their enthusiasm nourished by a picture that gives such an Considering these factors, it is not impression of the tremendous power (One of the students in the Chicago at all surprising that we have made that is behind the Soviet government. very good progress in our studies, in Power is written all over it. You can mass work on a real basis.

conquer the world.

seats in the Coliseum. This picture tration group who will be responsible other attraction, on Sunday January



The Norwegian Klassenkampen, on October 31, reports the following on the basis of an interview with the secretary of the Young Communist

League of Iceland: "The Communist Youth League of Iceland was founded in 1922 on the every one of its members who can-not read English: "Subscribe to The last reactionary message." of the total funds collected by the party in this campaign. Special efforts must Reykjavik. In May, 1924, the league issued its own organ, Raudi Fannin.

"The league functions under particularly difficult conditions, which are aggravated by the fact of its international affiliation (Y. C. I.) and the tremendously strong Icelandic nationalism. The league supports the policy of the labor party in so far as it proposes demands for the working class. The majority of the league membership are at the same time organized in the labor party, in which they participate in the Communist opposition. The struggle between the Communists and the reformists within the party is an extraordinary one; the reformists still have the majority and at the last party congress, upon motion of the right wing, the party executive was empowered to expel from the party all members of the Communist Youth. The great mass of the league members are fishery workers, this branch constituting five-sixths of the country's production. The class struggle in Iceland is sharply developed and there are many strikes in which there are generally battles with strikebreakers and police. During the last session of the Iceland parliament the conservative cabinet proposed the formation of an armed militia of an obviously fascist character which was to have been composed of several thousand men and intended as a combat organization against the working class. The proposal fell thru beparty with one million members and cause of the opposition of the peasants.

> "The tasks of the Iceland Y. C. L. consist above all in struggles against the capitalists. The work of organization of the league has been begun."

for Chicago Y. W. L.

Our Chicago league has certain tasks to accomplish. Its first task to establish more order in the functioning of the league. Meetings, must be held regularly. All officers must fulfill their tasks or be removed by the membership of the shop nuclei and concentration groups. Each comrade must be assigned to definite work The units of the league must set a Worker will be sold in the factory

around which the unit is concentrated. Comrades must be assigned to sell papers at union meetings. Dues mus be paid regularly. Our comrades must accomplish these elemental tasks within the next three weeks. This will make it possible for us to begin

One of the tasks of each of our a shop bulletin. A comrade must be

Nearly ten thousand people can find | elected by the shop nucleus or concentrict office has offered to the units

the use of technical machinery in getting out these bulletins. The fact that Oakland and Berkeley-Jan. 30. the unit chooses one comrade to get San Franciscoout the bulletin does not mean that Berkeley-Feb. 1, Lenin-Liebknecht the other comrades should not write nemorial mass meeting. for the bulletin. All the comrades By WILLIAM SIMONS. San Jose-Open. Workers School Secretary. must work together and find out the The party and league D. E. C.'s conditions in the shop. Each com-Class Committee Meeting. On Monare co-operating to make this organrade should write on a different day, Jan. 25, at 19 South Lincoln St., ization tour a success. phase. The bulletin must be interest a meeting will take place of all ining and must combine the economic structors and class committees. Each with the political activities of the Communist Prop in class committee should meet with Head of Lakes School their instructor before the general league.

## UKRAINIAN Y. C. L. GREETS ITS PATRON, NEW YORK LEAGUE

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R .- The fifth conference of the Leninist Young Communist League of the October District, Kharkov, sends greetings to its leader, the Young Communist International, which together with and under the leadership of the Communist International is leading the working class and its youth towards victory over their common enemy-world capitalism.

Simultaneously the conference requests that hearty greetings and assurances in their near emancipation from capitalist yoke be given over to our patrons-the New York organization of the Y. W. L. of A.

Fifth Conference of the Ukrain-| ian Leninist Y. C. L., October District, Kharkov.

Lenin-Liebknecht memorial mass meeting.

Oakland and Berkeley-Jan. 25, 26, 27. 28.

Berkeley-Jan. 29, general membership meeting of all branches of Young Workers League of San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley (Bay Cities Local), held at Finnish Hall, Berkeley.





**Chicago Classes** 

By M. H.

enroll in a place and with an official one who wishes to engage in work- into the process of development of

WORKERS' SCHOO

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The renewed effort of the reaction-

6. The language papers should aries thru Secretary of Labor Davis utilize the campaign period to begin and Congressman Oswald of Louisithe practice of quoting from and con- ana to register, photograph and estabstantly referring to The DAILY lish a systematic terrorization of the WORKER in order to popularize and foreign-born workers in the country

entire working class. WORKER and he mentions the name tration will probably be a necessity of one or more comrades (in the col- and the present statements of Secre- in Capital and the other in the Social tivity. umns of the language paper) whom | tary Davis on this question, in which





school),

upon the help of the president's mes- Workers School begins on Feb. 8th, dents have every night during the convinced that here is an invincible league units is to publish and dissage in which he declared that regis- I am going to be sure to be there. I week-and even Sundays-taken up force, a movement that is destined to tribute to the workers in the shop have attended two of the classes, one with some form of workingclass ac-

Students Enthused At with the instructor, questions refer-

in the language fraction bureau literature union, or elsewhere. agent shall henceforth be supplied the alien resides. The workers School ranks above all tended the class till now will register

also with DAILY WORKER subscription cards and material and shall reother DAILY WORKER agents get.

working class children.

9. Each language paper and The manufacturers to lower wages, length- students, coming together after a hard DAILY WORKER should carry aren hours and worsen conditions of the day's toil in shop or factory, motivticles by prominent party members of workers.

school struggle of the proletarian chil- The Reorganization Bulletin issued by very near future.

of the past. And the greatest factor in izational work. It also manifests it- in the different cities and districts,

The reorganization of our Pioneer tion of the preparatory work and the considerable detail.

simple and obvious that it will not excessively mechanical view of the ference of the Pioneer League.

permit mistakes to arise. On the con- tasks of reorganization. In its worst

other schools I have ever attended, for the second semester. "The Work-An Open Shop Move. Behind this move to register and in composition of students, caliber of ers School has proved that it fills an

ceive the same commission that the photograph the millions of the United instructors, and methods of study. It important place in the workingclass States is the effort of the open shop is really inspiring to be in a class of movement.

"Imperialism is the last stage of ated by the desire to become leaders, capitalism."-Lenin. Pledge yourself the • nationality in question, telling The attack against the foreign-born equipped with better ammunition to to fight imperialism, at the Lenin what The DAILY WORKER means to workers contained in this bill is there-

> ARTICLE II. The Reorganization of the Pioneer League.

up here and others to which special with a strong insistence on following ceremonial externals-(salutes, uni- average attendance of 22 for 8 ses- these pamphlets to sell. They must

exaggeration that the Pioneer League school nuclei. Our fundamental task paratory work and on the correct pol- monial externals have always, from for 4 classes. The students of both agents must organize for the sale of are doing. was made up of a number of detach- at present is to reorganize the Pioneer itical (anti-mechanical) conception of the very beginning formed a part of classes have shown great interest, these pamphlets at union meetings ed "groups" serving largely as inner League upon the basis of school reorganization. Already the work of our Pioneer organization-a testimo- and have derived considerable benefit and at any other meetings at which educational and political circles parti- nuclei as soon as possible, in most reorganization on the basis of school ny to the deep-seated nature of its from them. Other classes which proved workers gather. cipating to a certain extent in the gen- cases, immediately. At our present nuclei has gone a great way in the sources-but its has up to now been of value are History of the Internaeral class struggle but to almost a stage of development it is not neces. Pioneer League and all signs point to decentralized, haphazard, unsystem- tional Revolutionary Youth, John Wil- drive for the Young Worker. We want minimum degree in the particular sary to argue about this any longer. the completion of this process in the atic, and therefore subject to innu- liamson; Imperialism, Manuel Gomez;

class joining Wicks class on Friday. The class in English, Ida Dailes, ends Jan. 15. History of the International Revolutionary Youth ends with a review on Sunday, Jan. 17. Browder's class in Capital, Vol. I, will end on Monday, Jan. 18. American Social and plished. studied, and decisions based upon Labor History will conclude with ses

> ments of Communism, and Public Speaking will have 2 more sessions,

meets each week on Thursday nights in the Editorial Room, Daily Worker, term of the class on Feb. 8.

"Stand by Lenin's Russia." Pledge yourself to the defence and recognition of the Soviet Union at the big

Schneiderman Tours

There are also special tasks for our league now. We have at least 1,000

SUPERIOR, Wis .- "And what's going on at the head of the Lakes?" may successful classes this term in educa- burg pamphlets to sell. Our comrades be the thought of many a comrade. tion as well as in attendance, are must organize for this. Every com- And is it a wonder that they should

eager to know what the different ONLY a very short time ago it could have been said with but little consideration on the basis of Bulletin, on the proper role of pre-by our Pioneer League. Military-cere-H. M. Wicks, with an average of 19 other young workers. The literature league at Superior, and see what they the strict line of the Reorganization forms, pledges, rituals, insignia, etc.) sions; and Elements of Communism, sell them to their shopmates and to leagues are doing. Let us take the

The Superior league is just as busy and active as it was prior to the "red hate school" last winter and

spring. It is working, planning, and And then we have the subscription scheming on the question of school to make our Young Worker a weekly fractions, and as a result, many inmerable and serious errors. The na- Public Speaking, H. M. Wicks; and again. This can be done only if our teresting incidents have taken place. comrades get on the job and sell the Let us first see how this idea of quota allotted to them. There is no school fractions was introduced to the reason why each comrade should not students of the various schools. The be able to sell at least 5 subs. This member of the league first tried to get has been done before. The getting of hold of those students whose parents subs broadens the influence of the had sometime or other been conleague among the young workers. It nected with the party, either directly makes it possible to reach them every or indirectly. From such students it time an issue of the Young Worker is easier to get sympathizers, but we is published. Our comrades should are not looking for the easiest way raise a small fund and subscribe for to get members-not by any means.

We have learned that thru the sympathetic young workers who have hardest ways we get better results, These are four simple tasks for our and get our ideas across to thirty or

Chicago comrades. They have three forty students instead of one, or two. weeks to accomplish them. Just a lit- This "hard way" is to talk about it tle organized effort will make it cer- in the school room. This can easily tain that these tasks will be accom- be done in the higher grades, especially in the high schools, for present-day MAX SALZMAN. situations and happenings are talked

about more readily than in the lower grades.

These various discussions usually Calif. for League take place in the English and history classes. One comrade has done good

LOS ANGELES, Cal.-The National work in this way, for when any ques-Executive Committee is sending Com- tion on religion, or on politics connot a simple matter of "redividing" ficulties and complications. It takes a steps towards centralization in most every Pioneer leader consider his own ganizer of California, on an extensive whole class becomes interested and dents for the beginning of the second organization tour thru the northern turn their attention to this comrade, part of California, where the leagues from whom they have learned to reare arranging a series of meetings for ceive a snappy and true answer. This

comrade states: "In this way I have All members of the party and the gained many friends-comrades who league, please note the following dates are eager to learn of the truth."

and co-operate with Comrade Schnei- The outcome of the school fractions derman to help build up a real live here in Superior will be revealed soon A sub a day will help to drive functioning Young Workers League: in our own paper, the Young Worker. San Francisco-Jan. 21,-22, 23, 24, A Comrade.

as a general characterization. Of gives detailed instructions as to this League. The second great task in ed a sub-committee to examine this Lewis. course, exceptions existed in certain process of reorganization, the ideolo- the reorganization of our league is the whole question and to report on a genadvanced organizations, such as New gic preparations, the first steps, and creation of a centralized, national eral and uniform system of military- which began Nov. 15, is soon to end. York and Chicago. But in general it the proper organizational forms. We Pioneer organization. The Pioneer ceremonial externals for our Pioneer Due to various reasons, some of them could not be denied that the Pioneer will here call attention to two basic units must cease to be "colonies" of League. A special bulletin on this avoidable, some classes have not met

League, as it stood only a short time errors of a contrary nature. First is the Young Workers League as they matter will be issued as soon as pos- for the alotted 8 sessions. Arrangeago, was a sectarian organization, de- the error that arises from a "sub- are still to a very great extent today. sible. All Pioneer and Pioneer lead- ments have been made to continue tached from the class struggle (and conscious" hesitation as to reorgani- An organization must be built up ers organizations should, however, in these courses. especially from the school struggle) zation and a sort of skepticism as to which, while remaining under the pol. the meantime consider and discuss The class in Elements of Commuand isolated from the masses of the its immediate possibility. It consists itical and organizational control of the whole matter and communicate to nism on Tuesday with Carlson is dis-

in an over-emphasis of the ideologic the Y. W. L., will permit the Pioneers the national Pioneer department their continued, arrangements having been We can now say that very fortun- preparation extending it for entirely to feel that it is their own organiza- suggestions and experiences. ately this undesirable situation is fast too long a period and divorcing it tion and will actually function as Pioneer Leaders! Discuss Your disappearing and becoming a thing from any actual political and organ- much. The consolidation of the league

### Problems!

These are the main points involved the development of our organization self in an exaggerated notion of the the formation of a nation-wide league in the reorganization process. For and in the breaking of our isolation is "difficulty" of nucleus work, and so of Young Pioneers is a task of prim- the reorganization to be properly carwithout question the reorganization of on. The remedy for this error is an ory importance. The reorganization ried out these points must be careful-our league. Bulletin takes up this question also in ly examined, their implications

League has already gone to consider- actual reorganization work, a constant In this task also we have made a them framed and put into effect. The sions on Jan. 20 and 27. Wick's Ele able lengths in many of our organiza- stimulation to the work of actual re- great deal of progress in the last success of our work also involves a tions and in some has been completed. organization. The other error is of an few months. Whereas the Pioneers constant exchange of experiences and As we announced at the beginning (in opposite nature and is perhaps more were almost completely decentralized the transmission of the lessons drawn on Jan. 22, and 29.

our Reorganization Bulletin) and as dangerous. It arises from an insuffi- only a short time ago we now have from these experiences thruout our The Worker Correspondents class experience now proves more and more cient understanding of what the re- a thoroly centralized organization in whole organization. For this reason clearly, this reorganization process is organization work really is, of its dif- District Two (New York) and the first it is the greatest importance that the groups into nuclei but is an in- superficial and frivolous attitude to of the other cities and districts in experiences and send in a summary of attempt is to be made to enroll stuvolved and many-sided process con- the whole reorganization work. It the country. Nationally also the cen- them together with all suggestions, taining within itself a whole series of entirely underestimates the signific- tralization has greatly improved and etc. to the national office. As many problems of the most varied nature. ance of the preparatory work, ideol- the possibility has been created for of these letters as possible will be

Nor is the reorganization work so ogic and organizational, and takes an the speedy calling of a national con- published in our party and league press and the subjects\_involved in 3. Military Ceremonial Externals. them thrown open for discussion. trary, our brief experiences with re- forms it considers reorganization to The third phase of reorganization Come on, Pioneer leaders, start the Lenin Memorial meetings. organization have already disclosed a be redivision on paper of the existing which the Reorganization Bulletin al- discussion going! Reorganization-

number of common errors of one kind groups without any reparation what-or another, some of which we will take ever. This error must be combatted development of a system of military-Ploneer work- write us about it! capital away.

dren. This would have been correct the national Pioneer department 2. Consolidation of the Pioneer tional Pioneer committee has appoint- American Social and Labor History, When Do They End? The first term

made for comrades in the Tuesday not the money available.

meeting, so as to arrive at joint reommendations. How Are the Classes? The most scopies of the Lenin-Liebknecht-Luxem-Capital, Vol. I-Earl Browder, with an rade must take at least 5 copies of think of this, for every comrade is

**Problems of Pioneer Work** 

### Page .

Workers Write About the Workers' Life

## LOS ANGELES UPHOLSTERERS' UNION **HEAD IS FOR STICKING WITH BOSS**

### By R. D., Worker Correspondent.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 14 .- In a long street car ride down town with the secretary of the upholsterers' union of Los Angeles, I learned the following facts about the trade here:

There are two locals, one of 400 members, the other of about 70. They are led by the business agent, an Englishman of the more intelligent type, and the secretary, also an English-+

man. They knew each other in the The secretary didn't state how much, old country and work together in but from other sources, I'm informed harmony here, like old friends. Be- it is between \$25 to \$40. Dues are by Joseph C. Hedges, a lawyer from fore they took hold the union was in moderate.

bad shape. Now it is getting along He doesn't believe in making near Camp Lewis. It was the second all right. Wages are for piece work mostly and many of the speedsters trouble for the boss, he said. Close make \$60 to \$65 a week. A good day's class collaboration is his motto. No work consists in a davenport and strikes! He says the bosses were graham was charged with first dechair. In rare cases an entire 3-piece formerly against the union, but they gree murder. The jury brot in a verset of the cheaper sort is finished. have come to see a new light, and dict of first degree murder and a re-It takes hustling.

Most of the hands are young men union relieves them of many strains This is the first hanging verdict in who can do one thing and do it fast. about amount of work and quality. Pierce county since 1909. Jobs are scarce and hard to get. And The men turn out all that they humanit is hard to join the union. It is run | ly can, and as good as such work can there have been five other murders. as a kind of closed corporation. New be expected to be. The public seems But in these cases the murderers were members aren't wanted. If a young to buy the stuff, so everybody is neither poor nor friendless. They man wants to join, he is put thru the pleased. "But it isn't the kind of work got life imprisonment. The poor man third degree as to his trade ability; we used to turn out in England! We will be hanged. former affiliations; and then asked to called it there 'raggedy, paggedy'! put up a good sized initiation fee. And then he laughed mirthlessly.

## WHERE FUNDS COME FROM TO FEED **"OPIUM" TO THE WORKING CLASS**

### By C. S. SHONTS, Worker Correspondent.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 14 .- Practically all the avenues of information are owned and controlled by the exploiters of labor. That explains why the exploiters of labor are so successful in keeping the great mass of people ignorant and weighted down with so many prejudices.

The people don't read the papers much tho, so the exploiters are organizing to patronize the churches more so as to get a still stronger grip on that machinery of capitalist pro-+ theology is out of date! This only

paganda. Roger W. Babson, statistician-in- means that if they were efficient they would do very much more. The safechief of Wall street in a letter given limited circulation, says concerning ty of all we have is due to the churchthe churches: es, even in their present inefficient and inactive state. By all that we

"The value of our investments depends upon the strength of our churches. The underpaid preachers of the nation are the men upon whom we really are depending rather than the well-paid bankers, lawyers; and brokers. The religion of the community is really the bulwark of our investments.

"And when we consider that only 15 Prosperity of South per cent of the people hold securities. of any kind and less than 3 per cent hold enough to pay an income tax,

the importance of the churches becomes even more evident."

"For our own sakes, let us business Orleans but on the Gulf coast, thoumen get behind the churches and their sands of strangers are in the city preachers! Never mind if they are vainly seeking employment. Charity not perfect! Never mind if their organizations are taxed to capacity.

**Tacoma Jury Goes the** THOMPSON REAPS Limit When Poor Man Is Tried for Murder BIG PROFITS ON

(By a Worker Correspondent.) TACOMÁ, Wash., Jan. 13.- Jesse Ingraham, formerly of Texas, drove from Montana to Washington in his wagon. Time after time he was run Employes Hungry into and crowded from the road by passing motorists who believe that horse-drawn vehicles have no rights. On Nov. 19, his wagon was run into

Seattle, while he was on the highway cities of the United States, having time that day. Ingraham drew his forty-eight houses in the city of Chigun and shot at the lawyer. Two cago alone. This makes John R. weeks later the lawyer died, and In-Thompson one of the largest of the food profiteers in the country. In the eyes of Thompson, the worknow are in favor of it, because the commendation that he be hanged. ers, who are responsible for his suc cess on the financial field, are no more than a group of animals in the zoo. The twelve-hour day is the order of Within the past year and a half the day, thruout the Thompson system. The minimum wage paid the Thompson workers is fourteen dollars per week, while the maximum is ne ver more than twenty-five, very few

> And Rowan Objected to Being Dumped Out By "Violent Means"

> > By NORMAN BURSLER. (Worker Correspondent)

killful the bosses are in getting thers to fight their battles is illusrated by the following: He was a wobbly literature agent

with his propaganda. His eye was swollen and the dry blood could be seen through the broken skin of his "What's the matter with your eye," I asked, as he bought a copy of the Daily Worker from me. ree slave market and one of the E. P.'s (Emergency Programites) came up and tried to get me to argue with him. I said 'why do you always pick on me; there's about thirty other fellows who think as I do at the headquarters.' He socked me in the eye. That's the only way those fellows can fight. It was a one-sided argument." "Now we have disagreements with the Communists, but they come right

Mostly in the Papers own organization and fight us." NEW ORLEANS-(FP)-Attracted

are you from? Were you ever in jail, etc.? If you don't answer the questions to suit them, you don't get the job.

Spy System.

THE DAILY WORKER

**Toilers' Misery** 

Restaurants

By RUFUS P. HEATH.

(Worker Correspondent)

ever get the maximum.

Employment System.

Three-fourteen South State street is

where the employment office for local

Chicago is located. They have a wait

ing room in the rear of the house

where you may wait when seeking

work, providing you wear nice clothes

The superintendent of the company

stands at the door and sizes you up

you look good to him, you may go in,

sit down and wait to see whether or

not there is an opening. If you don't

look good you will never get into the

house, unless you are going to eat

something. Otherwise you have to

wait outside on the sidewalk in all

kinds of bad weather for the superin

tendent to come out and talk to you.

You form a line like a bunch of pris-

oners, while he inspects the line and

only the fastest of the former em-

ployes, who are not recognized as

members of labor unions, are allowed

to enter. They come out and order

you to stay away from the window

saying "Keep away from the front o.

the doorway and windows, when we

want anyone we will call you." The

ask you such equestions as these

What are you looking for? When

have you worked before? Can you

work fast? Can you keep the hous

clean? What is your name? When

as you attempt to enter the house. If

and prove to be a fast worker.

They keep the unions out by the use of the spy system with one or more stoolpigeons in every house. The largr the house the more spies. Someimes disguised as workers and someimes as customers, they begin a conersation with you, talk revolution

## HE WILL JOIN THE RED NAVY AND FIGHT FOR PRINCIPLES OF LENIN

By A Worker Correspondent LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 15 .--Friedfertig's book store. Across the street is the Times building, a few doors away is the central police station.

Workers come there to talk and to buy radical magazines.

It is Saturday night, and the fleet is in. Three workers are discussin ing the possibility of a war between the U.S. and Japan. A sailor enters. He wants a Russian-English dictionary.

"My friend," says Friedfertig. "you want to learn the Bolshevik Thompson's is a corporation, which controls restaurants in forty-seven language?"

"Yes, sir"; says the sailor, "I've been reading Lenin's works in English, but I want to read them in the original. I know some Russian, but not enough, and I got hold of Lenin's book, 'State and Revolution,' so I got to have a dictionary. I walked all over town to get one."

"I have just the thing you want," says Mr. Friedfertig, "but I am curious to know since when has the navy started raising Bolsheviks?'

"The navy," said the gob, "does not raise Bolsheviks, but Leninism does. When the next fracus comes along, here is one who is going to join the Red navy and fight for the principles that Lenin has given the world."

"Imperialism is the beginning of the socialist revolution."-Lenin. Pledge yourself against imperialism at the Lenin meetings.

This Week's Prizes!

Every week The DAILY WORKER offers prizes for the three best contributions sent in by worker correspondents. Last week's prizes were won by a stockyard worker, a garment worker and a domestic worker. Send in-your stories about the conditions in your factory, mill or mine. You may win one of these valuable prizes.

First Prize: "Capital," by Karl Marx, first volume.

Second Prize: "Ancient Society," by Morgan. This book explains the development of society from savagery thru barbarism to civilization. It was acclaimed as a masterpiece by both Marx and Engels at the time of its publication.

Third Prize: A DAILY WORKER cartoon, original drawing. framed.

## A BRIEF TRIBUTE TO OUR GREAT **COMRADE VLADIMIR ILYITCH LENIN**

### By CHARLES A. BROWN, Worker Correspondent.

Plundered and bled for more than 400 years by cruel czars and "grand (?) duke" parasites; exhausted by the world war on Germany (having lost more men than all allies combined); starved by the worst famine in history, her railways, bridges, mills and factories dynamited; her ports blockaded by former "christian" (?) allies, Soviet Russia, directed by the mastermind of Vladimir Ilyitch Lenin, conquered the allied "christian"-pagan plunderbund on seven far-flung battle fronts and +-

squelched to a finish those other hir- also, is the most efficient plan for ed "christian" assassins-Wrangel, wealth-production yet devised on this Kolchak, Seminoff, Yudenitch, (also earth. It alone will provide abundant several other kinds of white terror useful wealth for each useful wealth-"itches") who were financed to carry producer and will therefore bring union against Soviet Russia by the versal health, joy, and leisure to all French, British and American bankmankind.

Production for use of producers Yes, the victorious red armies of the Union of Socialist Soviet Repubthru world industrial co-operation is Communism. lics fight for an all-conquering prin-

cipal-Production for the use of pro-Down with cruel, wasteful, wicked ducers.

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capitalism! Down with allied capi-Production for the use of producers | talist plunderbund. Long live Comis the most effective idea ever shot munism! Long live the United Sointo a capitalist plunderbund. cialist Soviet Republics! Long live Production for use of producers, the honored memory of Lenin!



# BERKELEY, Calif., Jan. 17 .- How

a quite active one, always on hand forehead.

"Oh, I was walking down to the

out and tell us what they want, while these fellows hide right under our "Don't mind the eye so much, but by newspaper reports of the many I, have to go to the Department of public improvements not only in New Justice and get my Industrial Pio-





# "Lenin on Organization"

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hold dear, let us from this very day

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these the value of all we own ulti-

mately depends."-B. C. Federationist.

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Volume 1 In the

### FIRST announcements of an American edition of the complete works of the great revolutionary leader, V. I. Ulianov (Lenin) were made a year ago. At that time the great task was begun. Up to the present, voluminous research work, careful translation and thorough study and planning prevented the appearance of the work of the great revolutionary teacher and leader. The first volume of this work is now on the press and will be ready about February 15. It will be the first of probably six volumes all in a uniform, attractively bound edition, containing all the speeches and writings of the great figure of modern

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### nd report what you have to say to he superintendent or the manager. ou must agree with every thing a ustomer says. In this slick manner ou loose the job before you know it nd you don't know what it is all bout.' You just get fired and that is ll there is to it. Come back for anther job and they tell you, "We don't vant you."

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By JOHN PEPPER.

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Address all mail and make out checks to THE DAILY WORKER, 1113 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago, Illinois	separately they are of tremendous importance as indicating the express	trol" materials. The bill is endors-	mission, a "no-strike" board with the majority appointed by ex-sec-	the praise of the Locarno pact are peace gestures.	sections of the workingclass. This tactic, like that of militarization of
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Entered as second-class mail September 21, 1923, at the post-office at Chicago, Iil., under the act of March 3, 1879.	dominate all other questions of state But the real significance of these	World Court and the majority of the the senate favoring the entry of the	listed and it will be noticed that of the eight cited, five have to do with	gestures. Peace maneuvers are de- signed to create confusion in the ranks	D ism, Lenin said: "capitalism has produced
Advertising rates on application	events for the workingclass is reveal ed only when we consider them to		internal affairs.	of imperialist opponents (while strengthening the imperialist front	one-tenth of the population of the
Agitate for Revision of Dawes Plan	gether—as the imperialist mosaic into which all actions of the American ruling class now fit snugly and into	the Locarno pact as an instrument for permanent peace.	introduction of the Capper-Johnson	against Soviet Russia) war gestures are for reminding them that behind the gestures of peace lies the will to	and exaggerated figuring, less than

According to Berlin dispatches one of the foremost business men which they are firmly fastened with of Germany, Louis Hagen, speaking before the Cologne chamber of dividends flowing in an unbroken commerce, an American banking firm is openly advocating a "revision stream from every capitalist and many of the Dawes plan."

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Following close upon the heels of boasts that the Dawes plan has rescued Germany from its chaotic condition, the speech of the tion of the workingclass, to continue German magnate deserves consideration. The real condition of Germany is revealed by Hagen:

"The increase in unemployment, the greater number of bankruptcies, and the protesting of drafts-remnants of inflated pricescannot be expected to disappear immediately with the early dawn of better times."

Tho Herr Hagen implies that the increasing unemployment, the increase of bankruptcies and the worthlessness of German drafts may eventually be overcome, the important fact is that he admits matter of no moment provided they that the condition of Germany is growing worse instead of better.

England, that participates with the United States in the Dawes plan, is gratified over this condition, as the one thing British industry fears thru the Dawes plan is a revival of German industry to unions in their daily struggles that a compete with its own industrial concerns. Herr Hagen also sounds thoro understanding of the meaning a note that is becoming ever stronger since Locarno to the effect of new developments is necessary as that he hopes to see the creation of "a European union, which will on the needs of the new situation. not be forced to allow the North American union to outdistance it THE class peace policy of the Ain all fields." Continuing he said:

"The whole of Europe must work for this aim, since not only are the German economics sick but the economic system of all the continental countries as well."

Further barriers in the path of enforcing the Dawes plan is whether the masses of the membershown by the fact that the month of December closed with a deficit of \$40,000,000 in tax returns in Germany.

As far as German business men and industrialists are concerned, its expulsion policy directed against by the party, already show good remuch as they, in collaboration with other European nations, may the Communists and the left wing in sults. What was really the chief purdesire to resist the growing power of Wall Street in Europe, they can never formulate a solution for their predicament, because the to the effect that "American labor has tude of the party toward the non-Comquestion of stabilization can never permanently be solved within the accepted the existing order, there is munist masses, the breaking down of confines of the capitalist system.

The breakdown of the Dawes plan will aid in exposing the social-democratic traitors to labor who have hailed it as the savior of Europe and will result in accelerating the swing of the masses things have the closest connection ed which most unwillingly, had to acof labor toward the German Communist Party-and the proletarian with such events as the following: revolution, which alone can finally overcome the power of the House of Morgan and the imperialist brigands of the world.

## • No More Income Tax Publicity

By unanimous vote of both republican and democratic members of the senate finance committee the Mellon tax bill is to be submitted for ratification. Senator Reed Smoot announces that the bill will be introduced Tuesday and that debate will proceed on the thing. Thru this agreement the opposition is reduced to the insurgents in both camps and the approval of the bill is assured.

Never was there a more palpable fraund perpetrated upon the 'sovereign voting kings," the American people. The big incomes ure to be benefited to the tune of millions upon millions of dollars, THE leaders of the socialist party the middle class will continue to pay the same tax it paid last year and those who paid low income taxes are to be exempt from this form of taxation, while the vast masses of labor will not be affected, but will continue to pay indirect taxes that will help to driven by the pressure of the working keep down their standard of living. The publicity clause of the income tax law is to be revoked so that the public will not be able to learn the facts regarding incomes of the billionaires in the class of Rockefeller, Henry Ford and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon. The voters of the country learned much more about the ramifications of the income tax law than they were supposed to know, so both democrats and republicans unite to shield their campaign contributors.

the golden cement of interest and colonial countries.

NOR the trade unions, the organized and therefore most powerful sec-American imperialism in China as a British propaganda agency engagto adopt an ostrich-like attitude to ed systematically in creating susward events which point unerringly picion of America's purposes in to new wars of conquest to be waged China. in behalf of the American plunder bund, and for which the unions will ment reached between the railway be mobilized after being castrated brotherhoods, the government and and made into eunuch-like organiza tions of cannon-fodder, is to court dis aster. Nor can the trade unions con tinue to believe that the onward

march of imperialism is for them a formally concern themselves with the economic interests of their members. It is precisely because imperialism presents new problems for the trade merican trade union bureaucracy, al to the German Communist Party,

its denial of the class struggle and its our enemies and even many party entry into the field of insurance and members shrieked that in instigating banking, is a direct consequence of a new party crisis the executive was America's premier imperialist position shattering the German party. ship know it or not.

The hostile attitude of the A. F. of C. I. letter and its proposed tactics L. officialdom towards Soviet Russia, which are now actually being applied general, statements by President pose of the letter? Nothing other than Green before chambers of commerce the shattering of the unbending attino room for class hatred or the class the Chinese wall with which the C. struggle in America," the opposition P. G. shut itself off from the socialof the bureaucrats to the drive for democratic masses.

world trade union unity, all of these 1. Hoover's warning to other governments - categorical statements that the United States will tolerate

no monopolies or foreign government subsidies or raw materials such as rubber, sisal, nitrates, potiodine, quicksilver, tin, silk, ash, etc.

The joint bill just introduced 2.

ganized railway and mine workers use force to the utmost. and the railway and coal capitalists and the government-are of primary class struggle. Towards the workers both peace importance in that they express two

entirely different but inseparable re- gestures and threats of war, open or 6. The public denunciation of the sults for the labor movement at home covert, are made. of an imperialist foreign policy. Reuter news agencys by agents of The five other events are surface L threat against the workers (it kills

signs of the inescapable contradic- two birds with one stone, however) it shows the war-like determination tions in a capitalist society which is in its final stage-imperialism, a pe- of American imperialism to both the riod of wars and revolutions. They rival imperialist nations and the Arepresent the reactions to, the at- merican working class.

The agreement between the rail tempts to solve these contradictions on the part of the American imperial- ways, the government and the railthe railway capitalists which will ists, their spokesmen and their in- way brotherhoods, the Lewis proposal

JL of people (less than the population of the with the most liberal rated figuring. less than specially in the wealthy and powerful nations, who plunder the entire world by the simpl 'clipping of coupons.'.... It is easy to perceive, that from such large additional profit (for it is received in addition to the profit which the capitalists extract from the workers of 'their-own' country) labor leaders and the upper strata of the workers' aristocracy CAN BE BRIBED. So the capitalists of the 'progressive' countries bribe them by a thousand different means, direct and indirect, open and secret. "This upper strata of workers of 'workers' aristocracy,' which is wholly petty bourgeois with regard to their manner of living and the size of their earnings as well as with regard to their entire world viewpoint, constitutes one of the main props of the second international, and at present the main peace-time SOCIAL PROP FOR THE BOURGEOISIE. For the truest AGENTS OF THE BOUR-GEOISIE IN THE LABOR MOVE-MENT are the labor lieutenants of the capitalist class..... (Emphasis in the original-W. F. D.)

MANY workers have been puzzled by the new-born friendship bethat the German | national, German been closed by the capitalists. The tween the American labor aristocracy Peoples, Wirtschaftspartei, and cen- credit crisis has become a market and and bureaucrats and the social traitrum generally maintained their production crisis. Nor can the Ameri- tors at the head of the second internastanding. Democrats and social-demo- can credits help in this. Neither can tional and the German trade unions in particular. Here is the reason, i. e., they are one in their support of capitalism, tho they differ on such questions as independent parliamen-

tary action. Even on this question appear because today the German so-In view of this situation the Com- cial-democracy forms a coalition govparties.

The debauchery of large sections of the American labor movement is a matter of the gravest concern to every honest worker and it is a part of the war on the whole working class conducted by American imperialism-it is the corollary of the in-

(To Be Continued).

### The German Communists' Success! es, chiefly benefited the Communists. | many. The new course, demanded by Mos- During the last month the number cow, has clearly made it possible to of unemployed his doubled, it is to overcome the fearsome effect of the day one million.

A FTER the recent lengthy letter ad-dressed by the Executive Comtactics propagated by Ruth Fischer." mittee of the Communist Internation-The Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung savs:

Notes of an Internationalist

"The survey now available shows

Thanks to the new tactics of the with Soviet Russia. Concerning the recent Provincial, Landtag, and Kreistag elections we find the following very interesting expressions in the bourgeois press. "The heavy losses which the social-

The number of part-time workers has grown greatly and today includes

The same tactics are used in the

THE Capper-Johnson bill is a war

many millions. Hundreds of factories have simply

The governmental crisis adds to the feeling of insecurity and the gifts of millions now being made by courts, hungry and freezing proletarian.

for social policies, and an alliance

party, thanks to the intervention of The winter of 1923 was a tragic the Communist International, the Ger- period of severest defeats for the German party's isolation has been brok- man revolution movement but all en down, the growth of the social- signs now promise that the winter of creasing enslavement by American democracy has been brot to a halt. 1925 signifies the introduction to a imperialism of the workers of other

which the New York Forwards out-

"Community Chest"

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Heavy on Chest and

more and more clearly that the E. C. crats lose, while the Communists, at Locarno conjure bread for the hunthe expense of the latter, can boast of gry masses. a somewhat accelerated vote increase.' The Clerical Germania: "The winners are the Communists | cabinet and parliament to the deposed who generally held their ground and and expelled dynasty will certainly the American and German bureauin places even increased the number not add to the contentment of the crats are not so far apart as may of their votes and mandates." The Liberal Boerenkurier says: "On the whole the Communists ad- munist Party follows the correct tac- ernment with the purely capitalist mittedly seem to have won an in- tic when again and again, it calls upcrease.

. This increase every- on the social-democratic masses and

Great potentialities today confront period of the C. P. G.'s integration and lands. democracy has suffered in many plac- the Communist movement in Ger- success. Socialists Advocate Recognition of Soviet Russia ELEVEN

Various bourgeois papers can be citwhere it makes itself apparent is also upon the social-democratic party knowledge the correctness of the C. gained at the expense of the social- for a united struggle against Locarno, I. tactic in view of its already fine democrats."

## Britain's Hand in Greek Debt

With its customary subterranean diplomacy against the growing power of the United States in Europe, England is striving to induce its dependent nations to repudiate all efforts toward debt settle ment with the government at Washington.

The dictator, Pangalos, an agent of Lombard street, whose duty it is to defend the power of England, now contemplates re futing the latest Greek debt memorandum to the United States.

Britain relies upon Greece as an aid in its struggle for domina tion of Turkey and-that territory at the eastern extremity of the Mediterranean. Greece, as a tool of Britain is expected to help blaze the trail toward domination of Constantinople, in order to bottle up the Black Sea against Russia.

Now that pawn of Britain is called upon to play a new role in resisting the rapid penetration of American finance capital into all parts of Europe.

Despite the pacifist twaddle about the "spirit of Locarno" this conflict between the two great imperialist powers of the world portends the inevitable clash of arms, wherein the working class will be called upon to defend its rapacious exploiters in a struggle for domination of the world.

In such a situation it is eminently fit that the workers everywhere take advantage of the Lenin memorial meetings to learn how effectively to combot these imperialist conspiracies.

Ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, caught corrupting voters in Missouri in an effort to obtain the 1920 presidential nomination on the republican ticket is now playing the con game of trying to pose as the benefactor and spokesman of the farmers in the corn belt, in an effort to secure the 1928 nomination. While he cannot be described as resourceful, we may concede him a degree of audacity that intelligent men do not possess.

det a member for the Workers Party and a new subscription for the DAILY WORKER.

By WILLIAM WEINSTONE. in their recent declarations advocate the recognition of Soviet Russia and the establishment of trade relations. To this step they have been

But the counter-revolutionary pur- advocated not for help to the workers' nasses who have come to realize that pose of the socialists, their identity republic. Support to Russia by the Soviet Russia stands for protection with bourgeois aims, is openly see in socialist leaders it to be a noose with igainst imperialism and therefore it the resolution adopted by the Jewish which to hang the Soviet republic political expediency for these sosocialist verbond' at its convention upon the gibbet of bourgeois demoialist leaders to advocate this sloheld during this week. The resolution | cracy. can.

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advocates recognition of Soviet Rus-The socialist leaders, however, fasia so that the "industrial develop- of the famine, not to help the strugor this slogan at a time when recogment following therefrom will help to ition of Soviet Russia has been taken liquidate the system of dictatorship ip by groups of bankers and hig business men and when it has become and terror and will help to establish

## FINNISH BUREAU OF WORKERS PARTY GREETS DAILY WORKER

THE Finnish bureau of the Workers (Communist) Party extends its heartiest comradely greetings to The DAILY WORKER on the occasion of its second anniversary.

Since The DAILY WORKER was established, our language dailies have found in The DAILY WORKER a great inspirer, leader and have had much help getting from it very valuable news of the conditions and struggles of the working class here and abroad. In addition to this, The DAILY WORKER has contained fresh news of the party life all over the country. It is very clear, that thus The DAILY WORKER has done very much towards unifying our foreign language press, being for them a common source for all kinds of valuable news.

We assure you that the Finnish comrades, who have done much for the establishment and maintenance of The DAILY WORKER, are willing and ready to do all they can to make The DAILY WORKER an ever more powerful and influential leader and an organ of revolutionary workers in America.

And especially in the circulation campaign that is now going on, we promise to do our duty that The DAILY WORKER will get a wider circulation, which it so well deserves. We want to emphasize this fact to all comrades thruout the party, because from our own experience in building up our three Finnish dailies, we realize that by having efficient circulation machinery the success of the paper is guaranteed. By special campaigns, as at present, we can raise the circulation occasionally, but unless a good regular circulation machinery is built up, we may easily lose what we have won by special efforts.

Mere words do not count very much. Let the comrades all along the line demonstrate in practical work by getting continually new subscriptions and renewing old ones that they really stand behind their daily paper. If we do this, then at the third anniversary we will find The The DAILY WORKER three times as powerful and influential as it is now. Long live The DAILY WORKER! 3 0

> With Communuist Greetings, The Finnish Bureau of the Workers (Communist) Party, "enry Puro, Secretary

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a democratic system of government," isinister moves at Locarno. The bour slogan. No one will accuse the social-Here is stated plainly enough that geois masters do not simply hope that ist leaders of turning Communist the aims of the socialist leaders assorecognition will destroy the Soviet when bankers associated with Morgan ciated with the Forwards (which doregime: they base their hopes upon and company, and when such respect- minates over the socialist party) are concrete deeds-the organization of able citizens as Senator Borah pubthe imperialist states into an alliance. identical with those of Baldwin, Chamlicly declare for recognition of Soviet berlain, Lloyd George, Mussolini and against Soviet Russia. The spirit of Morgan and company. Recognition is Locarno is not peace, it is war against the Soviet Union.

The workers of New York and the workers of America cannot be content simply with the advocacy of recognition and the establishment of trade relations. We must go one step far-

Hoover entered Russia at the time ther. Everywhere the workers must take up energetically the slogan of gling proletariat and poor peasantry, recognition and defense of the Sobut to peacefully penetrate and desviet Union. A whole campaign to detroy the revolution. The socialists feat the aims of the Forwards socialnow calls for the entrance of Coolidge and Kellogg, of the American dollar fore the workers, in dispelling the ilinto Russia, so as to destroy the fruits lusion that recognition alone would of the victorious Russian working bring peace to the Russian workers from the imperialist bankers must be

class. Here is plain speaking. The For- taken up in all workers' organizations. wards wing of the socialist party does The lies spread about Soviet Russia, not conceal its real purpose in taking the lies about the Soviet regime in up the issue of recognition.

For this reason it is not sufficient strips the most yellow journalism, can for the revolutionary workers to ad- be answered only by relating the ac vocate recognition of Soviet Russia, complishments of the first workers' alone. To this must be added the republic.

slogan of defense of the Soviet Union. An agitation pointing out the dan-Recognition and defense of the Soviet ger and the need for defense of the Union must bee the watchword of Soviet Union against Locarno and the every friend of the Union of Soviet mastery of the American dollar, will Republics. Recognition of Soviet Rus- bring nearer Russian recognition and sia by England, France, Italy, etc. is will thus deteat the yellow bourgeois a mask behind which lurks the socialists.

## Fur Workers to Give Broader View of the World-Wide Struggle

NEW YORK, Jan. 17 .- A broader labor journalism policy to "present the current history of our union and link our struggle with that of the workers of other industries and countries" is announced by the Fur Worker, official organ of the International Fur Workers' Union, to begin with the January issue.

The new program comes with the accession of O. Shachtman, editor and general president of the union, elected at the recent convention in Boston. the maintence of headquarters, and R. Youkelson is the managing editor salaries of so-called scout masters

Well, as the late lamented P. T. Bar-He will like it? Give your union num said "there is one born every brother a sub to The DAILY minute." In this city the clock is The DAILY WORKER with your WORKER,

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The last week of the current seaon of the Chicago Civic Opera Company will be distinguished by excepionally fine programs.

Monday night will be graced by the merry, tuneful "Barber of Seville" with its atmosphere of old Spain; its flowers and mantillas; its caballeros and senoritas. The cast-Macbeth, ists in discrediting Soviet Russia be- Claessens, Rimini, Trevisan, Lazzari, and the great Tito Schipa. Conductor, Moranzoni.

Tuesday night will witness the hird presentation of Tolstoi's dranatic "Resurrection," music by Alano, with the star cast headed by Mary Garden that made its American premiere New Year's Eve. an epochnaking artistic triump. Ansseau and Baklanoff will support, and Moranzoni ill conduct.

Wednesday night will feature the reurn of Titta Ruffo singing opposite harles Marshall in the tragic "Otel-," with Anna Fitziu and Alexander Kipnis. Marshall's triumphant introduction to the United States was in this great opera, of love and intrigue. Conductor, Moranzoni,

Thursday night will be distinguished by the beautiful, lilting, ever popular "La Traviata," with Muzio, Schipa, Bonelli, and Ballet divertissement. Conductor, Moranzoni.

Weak on Community Saturday's matinee (Jan. 23) will attest the tremendous reception al-NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17. - The ready given "Resurrection," with a udget of the community chest organ- fourth presentation of this great ized for sweet charity's sake has work, for the especial benefit of the been placed at \$1,177,001.14. However, subscribers for that day. The cast as before-Garden, Ansseau, Baklanoff, out of this sum, twenty-five thousand dollars will be expended for renumer. with Moranzoni conducting.

Then; on Saturday night (Jan. 23) ation of the drones for collection and necessary expenses, \$120,000 for will come the finale of a wonderful emergency funds and maintanence of season in a revival of the beautiful headquarters." The American legion and romantic "Lucia di Lammermoor" with Macbeth, Schipa, Mohica, Bonelli, is down for \$7,982.50, and the boy scouts, composed of the sons of well Lazzari, and Corps de BBallet: St. to do parents, receive \$20,699.35 for Leger will conduct.

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