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## WALKER DENIES **CARAWAY STORY** OF SMITH FUND

#### Farrington on Trip with Coal Operators

(Special to The Daily Worker) CINCINNATI, O., June 29 .- John Walker, president of the Illinois Federation of Labor, appeared before the executive council of the American Federation of Labor here and denied Senator Caraway's charge made on the floor of the senate, concerning funds turned over to Walker and Frank Farrington to get the "labor vote" to support Col. Frank L. Smith, who won the republican nomination

for senator in the Illinois primaries. An attempt to reach Farrington at Springfield for a statement failed. It was said at his office that he went on a trip down the Illinois river with some "operators," presumably coal.

Caraway's Blast.

Senator Caraway's blast on the cam paign of Frank Smith and Senator McKinley in Illinois, which he wants investigated by the Reed committee now looking into Pennsylvania, contained the following sentence: "I want to know how much money was given to John Walker and Frank Farrington, the men who are said to have handled the labor vote in Illinois."

Walker's Denial.

Walker's reply was: "There is not a single word of truth in the charges made by Senator Caraway. I have been engaged in the trade union movement for 30 years. During that time I have taken part in elections and no man can truthfully say that I ever accepted or received a single penny, directly or indirectly nor did I pay out a single cent to any man in any

Smith More "Considerate."

After denying Caraway's allegation that Smith paid for palatial labor headquarters at the Congress hotel from which Walker and Farrington were supposed to have directed the labor vote, Walker concluded:

"As president of the Illinois Federation of Labor, I did support Smith for senator because he was more considerate to the interests of labor than was Senator McKinley. I have no doubt that the reason behind this attack on me is the desire of the democrats to destroy any influence I migh have toward the defeating of the dem-

Senator Caraway claimed that Smith won the republican nomination in Illinois only after he spent \$2,000,-000 to get it. McKinley was supposed to have spent \$1,000,000 according to Caraway's information. He also alleged that Smith retained his job as chairman of the state utilities commission to milk the powerful utilities company for election funds. Samuel Insull, the leader of Illinois traction interests was charged with having contributed \$500,000 to Smith's campaign. Farrington and Walker were very active in Smith's behalf.

Olander Keeps His Eyes Open.

By CARL HAESSLER, Fed. Press. "I have kept my eyes open for labor corruption in politics," says Sec'y. citizens," A number of questions were Treas. Victor Olander, Illinois State asked Mr. Beyer by some of the dele-Federation of Labor, in commenting gates, dealing with the question espeon the Caraway charges regarding the | cially of how to organize the unorgan Illinois republican primary slush ized and keep out the company unions. funds, "and I failed to find any trace (Continued on page 2)

#### CHARGE FARRINGTON SPENT INSULL MONEY TO HELP ELECT SMITH



FRANK FARRINGTON

President of the Illinois United Mine Workers of America who could not be reached for a statement on Senator Caraway's charges because he was on a trip down the Illinois river with a group of coal

### Pennsylvania, Illinois-Next?



#### 'Industrial Citizens" Must Work Harder

The convention of the Railway Em ocratic candidate for senator, a foe of | ployes' Department opened Monday in Chicago with over a hundred delegates from various rail centers and all the officers of the affiliated international unions present, but the first session terminated at an early hour after the appointment of committees.

> The convention session opened Tuesday with a report by Captain Beyer, efficiency expert for the railroad unions and father of the "B. & O. Plan." His report dealt especially with the question of efficiency in industry and also with education based upon the idea of class collaboration.

New Name For Workers.

"We must establish efficiency in production," declared Beyer, "in order to secure increases in wages. Then we will be fully entitled to the benefits of industry."

Mr. Beyer also found a new name for workers. He calls them "industrial

Mr. Beyer's report was referred to the committee on officers' reports, and probably all the features of the report will come up for discussion at a later

Harry Scheck, representing the 'union label department" of the American Federation of Labor, spoke to the convention on the importance of the union label and urged the delegates to patronize the union label stores while in Chicago, Donald Richberg, attorney one of the speakers to come before the convention.

#### Railroads Show Big **Profits During May**

NEW YORK, June 29. - An impressive array of favorable earnings The agricultural department of the statement from the leading American region is distributing 270,000 poods of railroad companies for May failed to graded seeds. Fifty thousand poods stimulate any interest and activity in of seeds out of a special fund are to railroad stocks today and, lacking spe- be distributed among new settlers. cial developments, the industrial stock | Plans are considered for supplying the market was also dull and featureless. region with 4,000 tractors. As in the last few sessions of the market, the moderate boom which featured the first two weeks of June appears to have disappeared, for the time being at least.

## SACCO-VANZETTI MASS PROTEST MEETINGS IN

Tonight, there will be a Sacco and Vanzetti meeting at Raven's Hall, 15th Ave. and Lake St., Melrose Park, III. Speakers will be Luigi Candela, Max Schactman and Victor A. Zokaitis.

Pullman Meeting.

Saturday night, July 3, a mass Hall, 200 East Kensington Avenue. Speakers will be T. J. Vind of the South Chicago Trades and Labor Assembly, A. Presi, of the International Labor Defense in Italian and J. Louis Engdahl and others.

Northwest Hall Meeting.

Thursday night, July 8, a mass meeting will be held at the Northwest Hall, corner North and Western Ave., with Ralph Chaplin, Ida Rothstein, George Maurer and Fred Biedenkapp as speakers.

Sacco-Vanzetti Conference. Friday night, July 9, a Sacco-Vanzetti conference will be held at 30 North Wells St.

## INCREASE GRAIN CROP ACREAGE IN SOVIET UNION

#### To Resubmit Their Consolidation Plan

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., June 29 .- In the Simfaropol district (Crimea) the winter crop belt has been increased by for the rail unions, is announced as 16 per cent as compared with last year, comprising now 280,000 dessiatines. The spring crop belt has been increased by 10 per cent as compared with last year.

In the Northern Caucasus there will tines, an increase of 500,000 dessiatines, as compared with last year.

In the Kuban district the area under cultivation has been increased by 7.6 per cent. There were 3,152 agricultural implements sent to the villages in 1924 and 6,899 in 1925.

#### Steel Stock Highest Yet.

NEW YORK, June 29 .- United States Steel Corporation stock sold at \$140 a share on the stock exchange today-the highest price in its history.

# **NINE JURORS**

#### Judge Refuses to Quash the Indictment

UNIONTOWN, Pa., June 29. - The under the criminal syndicalism act measures." ended with the selection of nine jur- Democratic votes will decide this in-Twenty-one prospective jurors were examined. Six were challenged by the defense, five by the prosecution and one by mutual agreement.

Seek to Quash Indictments.

A motion to quash the indictment. that the same arguments will be considered later.

charges no specific utterances, publications, or names no specific organization alleged to be seditious.

Similar to Pittsburgh Cases. The indictment is similar to that in

the Pittsburgh and Farrel cases which are still under advisement in the courts. The case has attracted widest attention locally.

Jurors Selected.

The following jurors have been selcted; Nellie Gillmore, young girl clerk in florists' shop; James A. Wiliams, farmer; George Bowman, insurance agent; John Bean, country store keeper: Irene Golden, public school teacher: Frank J. Holland seventy-three year old laborer, former ly a stationary engineer and railroad worker; Ezra Hilling, caretaker school building, formerly tailor; Harry Bigam, railway worker, formerly a miner and Mrs. Mary Coffman, wife of a school janitor.

Fear Trade Union Questioning. The attempt of the defense to ques tion prospective jurors on their views on trade unionism and strikes was not be sown this spring 4,227,000 dessia- permitted by the judge. William Wilson, 70 year old painter and decorator, was challenged by the prosecution because he had heard one or two speeches on socialism.

#### LEHOTSKY IS FIFTEENTH VICTIM OF ILLINOIS STEEL COMPANY BLAST

GARY, Ind., June 29 .- John Lehotsky is the fifteenth official victim of the blast at the by-products plant of the Illinois Steel company. Lehotsky died of injuries received in the blast, in the hospital of the steel corporation.

His body is now at the undertaking establishment of Williams, Marshall and Goode.

# FESS MEASURE

#### Administration Exerts Big Pressure

(Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINGTON, June 29. - The battle over farm relief legislation, which is enlivening the dying congress, developed more clearly today into an out-and-out political contro-

versy to place the blame for the failure of congress to do something for the farmer at this session.

The administra tion's eleventh hour drive to jam the Fess co-operative marketing bill through the senate was characterized by the embittered representatives of

the corn belt as

merely "a grand gesture." which even if successful will come to naught, inasmuch as the house already has re jected the same bill.

Break Party Lines. Charges and counter charges flew about the capitol today, and old coalitions were knocked down and new ones set up in their places, as the battle proceeded grimly toward a decision. It may be possible to get a vote late today which will settle the controversy and permit the apprehensive miners to accept lower wages and members to go home to face whatever longer hours. If the miners vote fate the November elections hold for against it, the owners and the govern

Administration Pressure.

The administration, under the ac tive generalship of Secretary of Agri- of the Miners' Federation." culture Jardine, is staging a grand final drive to get a favorable vote in the senate on the Fess bill. Rebellious republicans from the middle west were showered today with telegrams from back home urging them to 'stand by the president." Most of the telegrams and messages came from members of the national committee and state chairmen, chambers of commerce and banks, and other sources usually quick to respond to administration pressure exerted from Washington. Offsetting these messages were others, from farm organizations that backed the unsuccessful fight for the McNary-Haugen bill, urging them first day of the trial of George Papcun to stand firm against "all half-way

ternal republican row, and both republican factions are striving mightily to

get minority support. Close Vote.

was made by Attorney Isaac Ferguson. by such ordinarily conservatives as National Sailors' and Firemen's Union. claimed that 18 republican votes are men's Union in disgust. assured against the president's pro-The motion to quash was made on gram, as well as 30 democratic votes. the grounds that the indictment If these figures are borne out, the White House is defeated and congress probably will adjourn by Saturday.

No Good Anyhow. Actually, the passage or defeat of the Fess bill by the senate means little, so far as the enactment of any definite program is concerned. Even (Continued on page 2)

#### Where Does He Stand on Sacco and Vanzetti?



John J. Cummings of Boston has nnounced his candidacy for governor of Massachussetts on a wet platform. Massachussetts workers, however, are much more interested in knowing how this particular Democrat stands on the release of the two framed-up workers Sacco and Vanzetti. Cummings can be sure he will be asked this.

## ELEVENTH HOUR Climax Reached DRIVE TO RUSH in Mine Strike; May Pull Pumps

### Urge Increased Aid to Miners.

MOSCOW. June 29 .- Proposals for the formation of an Anglo-Russ Trade Union Committee to aid the striking British miners was suggested today in a telegram sent to the British Trades Union Congress by M. Dogadov, secretary of the Soviet trades unions.

LONDON, June 29 .- The British coal strike will reach a parliamentary climax tonight, when a vote will be taken on the government's bill to force a longer working day in the coal in-

fight is expected in the house of commons prior to the vote on the government measure, which is expected to be adopted. The tories will give their solid support to the measure, while labor will oppose it en bloc and the liberals will probably be divided.

A. J. Cook, leader of the miners, has threatened that if the government forces the passage of the bill, that the strikers will retaliate by withdrawing the safety men who are now keeping the mines from being flooded. The government has been unmoved by this threat and it is understood is prepared to use men from the military and naval forces to do the work of the safety men, if they should be with-

**BRITISH STRIKE** 

Sent to England

NEW YORK, June 29 .- On the eve

union decided to transmit \$5,000 at

once: \$3,000 for the New York joint

board plus \$2,000 for the general of-

fice. An appeal to affiliated locals to

Appeal Made to Locals.

The New York District Council of

Painters is sending \$500, says Evelyn

"The millionaire press is howling UNION'S MONEY for a ballot in the mine fields. Very

Challenges Baldwin.

"Let a ballot be taken to ask the ment must accept their verdict and call off the lockout. If the miners vote in favor of it, I'll resign as secretary

It Makes a Difference.

"Another example of capitalist press ctics is the attack being made upon the Russian unions for helping us. "No capitalist paper has yet pro-

The general executive board of the

Amsterdam Gives-Nothing.

assistance. Their action stands out n bold contrast to the International Federation of Trade Unions (Amsterdam), which Mr. Hodges so much admires, yet which has not sent us a Preston, chairman of the British Minfarthing. Deeds alone count in a strug-

"On every side we have proofs of the loyalty of the continental workers, but the German miners and trans-The vote on the Fess bill, late to. port workers showed how their best day or tomorrow, is expected to be efforts were being thwarted by the close. The insurgent republicans, led scabbing tactics of Havelock Wilson's It was formally overruled by Judge Watson or Indiana and McNary of Small wonder that decent chaps like John Morrow with the understanding Oregon, believe they will win. It is Henson have resigned from the Sea tributing \$5,000, Miss Preston states.

## BRITAIN TO GET HUGE QUANTITY OF U. S. COAL

## Rapidly Vanishing

hat twenty-six steamers have been chartered to carry coal from America GARY WORKERS to England and arrangements have been made for the importation of at least an additional 170,000 tons of American coal.

In addition, large quantities of German coal are to be sent to England and arrangements are being made for are stocked with British coal for supplying their shipping. Coal stocks inside the British Islers are rapidly van-

BULLETIN.

(Special to The Daily Worker)

The strike is sixty days old today and the bitterest sort of a

well, then," says Cook.

GOING TO HELP Many Donations Being

of the cloakmakers' strike in New York, this group of workers with others in the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union is sending \$10, 000 to the striking British miners.

ested against foreign coal coming in to beat the miners. They only howl when the workers abroad prove their world solidarity by sending us help.

"The Russian workers are helping contribute generously is expected to is and we are glad and proud of their bring in the remaining \$5,000 pledged.

> New York Central Trades and Labor Council. Secretary John Coughlin of the New York city central body is sending appeal letters to all affiliated locals for trade union contributions to the British miners. Many Contributions. The Jewish Daily Forward is con-

#### Individuals have sent in a total of \$3,000 to date to her committee. Miss Preston's group represents the British Women's Committee for Miners' Ra The Amalgamated Clothing Workers was the first American union to contribute to the British miners and was followed by the United Mine

## Stocks Within England

(Special to The Daily Worker) LONDON, June 29 .- It is reported

The total quantity of American coal for which shipping arrangements have been concluded is estimated at 1,250,

## ASK BERGER TO PUSH PROBE

Workers of America. The Amalgamat-

ed gave \$10,000. The miners here

pledge \$50,000, according to A. J.

Cook, secretary of the British Min-

ers' Federation. Action on the Brit-

ish situation is expected from the

American Federation of Labor execu-

tive council session in Cincinnati.

GARY, Ind., June 29 .- The Gary workers' investigation committee wired Congressman Victor L. Berger thanking-him for his promise to aid shipping large quantities of foreign in getting an investigation of the blast coal to depots abroad, which usually in the by-products plant of hte Illinois Steel company, subsidiary of the Gary-controlled United States Steel corporation. The telegram also asks ishing and still more serious crippling Berger as to what action Secretary of industry is certain to follow if coal of Labor Davis has taken towards starting a probe of the explosion.

#### **NEW YORK INTERNATIONAL LADIES' GARMENT WORKERS SEND \$50 CHECK** TO JAILED 1924 STRIKE PICKETS

In a letter greeting the jailed 1924 International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union strike pickets for defying the anti-picketing edict of "Injunction Judge" Denis E. Sullivan, the New York International Ladies' Garment Workcrs' Union encloses a \$50 check to be used to buy flowers for the jailed pickets.

Immediately after the imprisonment of the Chicago strike pickets the Journeymen Tailors' Union, Local No. 5, sent a check for \$25 for the same

## **NEW RAIL LAW** PLEASES R.R. **COMPANY UNION**

#### Praises "Responsible" Labor Leaders

(Special to The Daily Worker)

SALT LAKE CITY, June 29. - That the company unions on the American railroads are quite pleased with the new Watson-Parker law is shown in the magazine of the one existing on the Union Pacific system, whose system convention is to meet at Salt Lake City July 6.

The June issue of the magazine, or, as it calls itself-"The Shop Employes" Association Bulletin"-was printed before the passage of the law while it was yet a bill before congress. But its editorial speaks hopefully of its passage under a headline saying, "An Industry Prescribes for Itself."

"Maintain All Rights-But"

"Overwhelming sentiment in the railroad world is behind the railway labor act. Under the proposed legislation, both the railway corporations and the unions maintain all their rights, but ... "-and there follow the provisions of the law showing where the "but" ties the unions hand and foot to compulsory arbitration, class collaboration and robs them of the right to strike. This is said to be

the spirit of these times. This harmonizing of . . . interests appears to make the railway act almost an ideal piece of legislation. If congress is well advised it will accept promptly a measure that is the fruit of long and sober Farrington on Trip with discussion by responsible managers and labor leaders in the railroad

"Responsible" Labor Leaders.

Now that the company unions can celebrate the acceptance by "responsible labor leaders" of the new law, it is seen that they have nothing to fear from said 'labor leaders," who have thus become "responsible"-not to the regular trade unions-but to the company unions, or-in other words, to the railroad companies.

That the company unions are fully responsible to the companies, may be seen in the fact that the company union on the Union Pacific system advanced the date of its convention a week-"owing to adjustments made necessary by conditions existing on the management's side."

#### Lassiter Back at Old Job After Giving Up

(Special to The Daily Worker)

ordinance directly aimed to outlaw penditures in that year. picketing in this city. It was adopted

The reason the council acted was because the striking employes of a local stove foundry began to picket the place and attempted to organize a union. This was declared illegal, punishable by a fine of \$100 and six months in jail.



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#### JAILED GARMENT STRIKE PICKETS A Y BACKSTAIRS POLITICAL IN PENNSYLVANIA FLAY BACKSTAIRS POLITICAL

The following letter of the jailed International Ladies' Garment Workers Union 1924 strike pickets thanks the Chicago branch of the International Labor Defense for their aid and mercilessly flays the attempts of the Chicago unions to play backstairs politics to effect their release and calls for a real North Dakota May Be fight on the injunction menace:

FIGHT INJUNCTIONS.

"George Maurer, Secretary, International Labor Defense,

"23 So. Lincoln St., "Chicago, III.

"Dear Comrade Maurer:

"Garment workers serving sentence at the Cook county jail instruct me federal agents, Major William B. to express thanks and appreciation to the International Labor Defense for helping to lessen the burden of jail life. We feel the injustice of government counsel, told the senate slush fund by injunction in labor disputes could be eliminated by an active campaign on committee today at its inquiry into the part of organized labor thruout the country.

RIP BACK-STAIRS POLITICS.

"To our great sorrow the Chicago labor movement finds it more expedient to play back door politics and beg favors of capitalist politicians than to voice a mighty protest against our being in jail for the cause of fund raised by the W. C. T. U. of Pennlabor. However, we are not discouraged at the lack of sympathy shown us by sylvania, was under charges of ilthe officials of the Chicago Federation of Labor. As members of the working legally transporting liquor at the time class we are honor bound to fight all enemies of labor whether in or outside of his appointment, Wright revealed.

"The unity and idealism of the sentenced garment workers shall be an inspiration to organized labor to fight the injunction pest in the open even upon the cost of going to jail.

> "Fraternally yours, "Frieda Reicher.

Maas won hands down.

STATE SYSTEM

of "Co-operation"

(Special to The Daily Worker)

ROME, June 29 .- New and more

drastic anti-strike laws are being pre-

pared by the fascisti to fit in with

tary of the fascist party, declared:

"The worker must be made to un

derstand fully that he is part of the

The worker must work for the good

of the state altho he may be at odds

with other classes. If this can be

and feel they are active collaborators

"Economic Patriotism."

subordinate themselves to the state."

representation. The others, so far as

the strike is concerned, are beyond

"Speaking for garment workers in jail."

## right to strike. This is said to be very fine in the following words: "This bill is a tremendous stride forward in the statesmanship of industry. At all points it dovetails neatly into the spirit of these times. This harmon-Beats Candidate

## Coal Operators

(Continued from page 1) of it where Sen. Caraway says it exist-

Practically every labor organization except the Chicago streetcar and elevated men indorsed Smith for the republican nomination for U.S. senator. Labor, the national publication of the railroad unions, flooded the state with a special pro-Smith edition just before the April primary.

Brennan Hopes. Democratic labor men see a chance for George Brennan, their party candidate, to reach the senate as a result of the disclosures. Gossip at labor headquarters dealt with the possibility of switching labor support from Smith to Brennan. Neither Smith nor Brennan is a conspicuously valuable friend of labor.

Caraway, an Arkansas senator, was on the senate committee headed by Tacna-Arica Business Borah that investigated the 1924 presidential campaign funds. He sat quietly through most of the Chicago ses-GADSEN, Ala., June 29 .- The city sions, which did not succeed very council at its last meeting bassed an much in trailing down republican ex- vin A. Maas, shown above, who ran on

### Ponzi, Finance 'Wizard,' Taken in Texas as He FASCISTI BAN Was on Way to Italy

(Special to The Daily Worker) NEW ORLEANS, June 29. - Chas. Ponzi, financial wizard, wanted by Massachusetts and Florida authorities was under arrest here today.

He was decoyed from the Sic Vos Turati Explains Method Non Vobis, Italian steamship, where he was working as a steward, by Chas. Krueger, United States customs inspector. As he left the ship he was grabbed by deputy sheriff George Lacy, of Houston.

BOSTON, June 29. - Extradition the new "syndicalist" organization of papers were being prepared today and the state. Augustino Turati, secre-Inspector John Mitchell of the attorney General's office was ready to leave for Houston, Texas, to bring back Charles Ponzi, ex-financial juggler, state. The state is the most import who was captured at New Orleans ant element of our new experiment as he was fleeing to Italy.

#### White Guard Cossacks Not Popular in U. S. A. done, now could the workers strike: All classes must work harmoniously

CLEVELAND, June 29.—The show in the destinies of the nation." of the 112 white guard Cossack horsemen, which has been going on here since June 15, came to a sorry end yesterday. The men claim that they the workers a form of "economic pawere under contract at \$9,000 a week, but as the show did not attract enough attention, and the manager was not In the new state form, however, only making enough money, he tried to the fascist trade unions are allowed lower the fee. The show was to go on to California and was then to be filmed by the Metro-Goldwyn company. But the men determined to return to New York. A new manager s being sought.

#### PILSUDSKI DECLARES PERMANENT MARTIAL LAW THRUOUT POLAND

WARSAW, June 29 .- Marshal Pilsudski has issued regulations which are tantamount to a permanent declaration of martial law to stop demonstrations of the socialists in their attempt to have a dissolution

of the sejm proclaimed. Marshal Pilsudski's regulations provide heavy penalties for those who create disorders, interfere with communications or carry arms illegally. Nearly 300 army officers were dismissed because he was displeased with their methods of administration.

# EX-FEDERAL MEN

## **Next Inquiry**

(Special to The Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, June 29 .- The private secret detective staff used by Governor Gifford Pinchot to enforce the prohibition law in Pennsylvania was composed chiefly of dismissed Wright, Jr., the governor's special Pennsylvania's \$3,000,000 senatorial

One a Bootlegger. One of the Pinchot investigators, all of whom were paid thru a \$130,000 He was the "Mr. Z,' whose identity Wright refused to disclose because he is still an "under cover man" for

North Dakota Next. WASHINGTON, June 29 .- The senate slush fund committee will investigate the North Dakota republican senatorial primary as a result of the charges of Senator Gerald P. Nye, insurgent republican, it was announced today, but the inquiry cannot be held until after the Pennsylvania and Illi-Labor Supported until after the Pennsylvania nois inquiries are concluded.

A copy of Nye's charges, that eastern capitalists had raised a huge slush fund to defeat him, was filed with the committee this morning. Members declared the committee couldn't possibly act before the primary, which is held tomorrow.

#### Eleventh Hour Drive to Rush Thru Fess Program for Farmers

(Continued from page 1) should the senate pass the measure, it will then have to go to the house and the house already has defeated it. And even should the house be in a mood to reverse itself, it is unlikely that it could be accomplished, for the rebellious farm bloc there threatens to filibuster.

House leaders have had difficulty already in holding their members in Washington while the senate stages its great "sham battle." Many mem-bers aiready have gone some to see about their political fences, leaving their colleagues to stew about and Congressman Oscar Kellar had the make the best of the situation. upport of some St. Louis labor offi-Adjournment by Saturday was still ials in the republican primary race

#### for congressman from the 4th district of Minnesota. His opponent was Mel-Washington Officials straight-out anti-Volstead ticket. Surprised at France: Threaten Her Credit

good bet today.

WASHINGTON, June 29 .- Administration officials were amazed today at Premier Briand's announcement to the French parliament that the Mellon-Berenger debt agreement will not be presented to the chamber for ratification until the Franco-British debt is adjusted.

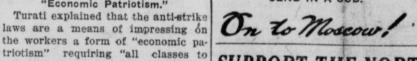
Briand's action came entirely unexpectedly, it was said, and was in direct conflict with the assurances given by M. Berenger, the French ambassador, when he deft Washington several weeks ago.

Officials said it has now become more than ever impossible for France to obtain any credits in American money markets.

#### Saskatchewan Mob Seeks to Lynch a Negro Worker

MELVILLE, Saskatchewan, June 29. -An unsuccessful attempt was made by a mob to lynch a Negro named Barnes Circus here.

SEND IN A SUB.



#### Pickets Forbidden by Special Ordinance of Alabama City Council

PANAMA, June 29.-Settlement of the Tacna-Arica dispute between Chile and Peru is still attainable thru peaceful negotiation, General William Lassiter said today upon his return from Arica where he took the place of General Pershing as director of the plebiscitary proceedings.

General Lassiter returned last night on the cruiser Denver. He will resume his duties as commandant of the Canal Zone.

If you want to thoroughly understand Communism-study it.

#### SUPPORT THE NORTH DAKOTA FARMER-LABOR TICKET JUNE 30

The farmers and workers of North Dakota have for a long time sup ported the republican party in the state. No headway in their fight against the capitalists who exploit them is possible by working thru this party. The time has come for the farmers and workers to support their own party and fight for farm relief within this party. The time has come for the farmers and workers of North Dakota to join forces with the farmers and workers of other states thru the building of a virile, national farmer-labor movement. The primary election is on June 30. Vote for the candidates of the

Following are the candidates for the Farmer-Labor party:

William Lemke, United States senator.

Ralph Ingerson, governor.

Donald C. McDonald, congress 1st district. C. W. Reichert, congress 2nd district. D. I. Todd, commissioner of agriculture. Charley G. Johnson, secretary of state.

Alian McManus, state auditor. There are five candidates running for state representatives on the armer-Labor ticket from the 41st legislative district. They are as follows: John Kjorstad, A. C. Miller, Oluf Erickson, O. A. Mattingly and P. J.

The farmers and workers of Williams and McKenzie counties should casualties would be between 500 and support these men wholeheartedly and roll up a big vote for them ( ) June 30. 1,000.

## Let the Filipinos Raise Standards of Revolution in War with Wall St.

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

exploit in the past, it is declared

from \$300,000,000 to \$500,000,000 has

been taken by better situated for-

eign exploiters, principally British.

This must not be. Rather the op-

posite should be true, say dollar

politicians of the type of Represent-

ative Bacon. On the sesqui-centen-

nial of the American Declaration of

Independence, in order to find a vic-

tim for the holiday celebration, the

Filipinos must be sacrificed on the

During the first four months of

this year the United States retained

145,755 tons as compared to a mea-

ger 27,182 tons taken by the British.

But the biggest yield, 75,723 tons,

came from British Malaya; while

Ceylon, also British, exported 18,845

tons, and Dutch Java 18,543 tons,

leaving American production not

But the Filipinos will not be a

willing sacrifice. Even in the house

of representatives itself, the resi-

dent commissioner of the Filipinos,

Pedro Quevara, proclaims against

the territorial dismemberment of

the Philippines. But Quevara takes

too much for granted when he says:

"This nation (the United States)

fought for its territorial integrity

and will never consent or initiate

the territorial disintegration of any

country and much less of the Philip-

pines. This is the hope and faith

This sounds too much like the

speech of some insurgent senator,

who finds conditions in the republi-

can party far too comfortable to

permit him to get out. The United

States won independence of Great

Britain. This placed the American

colonies in the role of new aggres-

sors, so that, in the space of 150

years they not only expanded across

the whole North American contin-

ent but, like an insatiable octopus,

sent their tentacles out into the

Pacific Sea to gobble up whatever

islands, rich in natural resources,

were within reach. The less hope

and faith the Filipinos have in

American "democracy" and the more

ready they are to fight for their

own interests, the quicker they will

achieve results beneficial to them-

Let the eleven millions of Wall

Street's subjects in the Philippines

raise the cry for their own libera-

tion, and then support that cry

with the will to struggle, and they

will arouse much greater sympathy

and support among their best al-

lies, the workers and farmers of

the United States who suffer under

Filipinos raise the standards of rev-

olution, even as the American col-

Manuel Roxas, speaker of the

lower house of the Philippine legis-

"We are engaged in a tremen-

dous war against the surging tide

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ONE hundred and fifty years ago the United States was aflame with the revolutionary struggle against Great Britain.

The battles of Lexington and Concord and Bunker Hill had been fought. The armies of the colonists were massing in the war for inde-

To be sure, at that time the United States was different than it is today. It consisted of thirteen separate colonies, with their own conflicting interests, scattered along the Atlantic seaboard. But they were united thru their hatred for British

This week-end the United States will indulge in the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence that separated the American colonies from the British Empire, then the dominant power in the world.

The Atlantic Ocean separated Great Britain from her American colonies. Today the Pacific Ocean lies between the United States, now the dominant imperialism, and her colonies, the Philippine Islands, where attacks on American misrule in the orient fan the flames of new revolutionary efforts. Americans will spend the anniversary celebrating in a multitude of different ways, enjoying themselves to the utmost of their means, but way off, almost on the other side of the world, the Filipinos use the occasion to voice their grievances and state their demands upon the Wall Street oppres-

A century and a half ago the colonial leaders, Thomas Jefferson, of Virginia; John Adams, of Massachusetts; Benjamin Franklin, of Pennsylvania; Roger Sherman, of Connecticut, and Robert Livingston, of New York, reported their draft of the declaration of independence to the Continental Congress, which quickly adopted it.

Today the Jeffersons, the Franklins and the Shermans of the Philippines are proclaiming their hostility to the Bacon and Kiess bills now before the American congress, just as the American colonists fought inst stamp acts and other tyr-

"Rubber" is the urge that is driving American imperialism against the Filipinos. It is forcing the issue. Representative Robert L. Bacon, of New York, demands the partition of the Philippine Islands so that the "necessary concessions" can be wrung from the Mohammedan Moros on Mindanao and adjacent isthese islands and declare that there are 1,500,000 acres capable of producing 70,000 tons of rubber annually, making it possible for American rubber taken from the Philippines to compete with British rubber from Malaya, or Dutch rubber from Sumatra. New dream of U.S. imperialism!

Because the United States has not had sufficient rubber lands to

#### BRIAND ANNOUNCES NO RATIFICATION OF U. S. **DEBT BEFORE BRITISH**

PARIS, June 29 .- The French government will delay ratification of the Berenger-Mellon agreement for the settlement of the French debt to the United States until the French debt to Great Britain has been settled.

Premier Briand made this announcement today when he presented his ministerial declaration to the chamber of deputies. Premier Briand said that the Berenger-Mellon agreement would not be laid before the chamber, nor any recommendations as to its ratification made, until the British debt problem is settled.

This announcement came as no surprise, despite reports that the government had earlier been reported as prepared to recommend rati-

#### 8,000 Homeless After Leon, Mexico, Deluge

WASHINGTON, June 29.-Between 7,000 and 8,000 people are homeless in the vicinity of Leon, Mexico, from the disastrous floods of the last week, and money and clothing are necessary to prevent suffering, American vice-consul EM Taylor reported to the state department today after an investigation of conditions. There is also danger of an epidemic, Taylor reported. There is, however, no shortage of food.

Taylor said the number of dead is unknown, but from other sources the state department was advised the

## **VOTE RECOUNT** HITS CROWE AND DENEEN GANGS

#### May Need 50 Teams to Go Over Ballots

In a recount of two precincts by employes of the county court it was found that in a territory where Deneen-Lundin-Small forces were in control the same practices prevailed as in those precincts where the Crowe-Barrett-Thompson gang controlled.

A complete recount of every republican ballot cast in the April 13 election has been ordered.

In the recount conducted by the county court it was found that the votes in the ballot box did not tally with the sheets. Municipal Court Judge Wililam R. Fetzer, who was credited with 674 votes on the tally sheet actually received but 10. Fetzer is one of the Crowe machine. Assistant State's Attorney Robert McMillan, a Crowe henchman, was credited with 689 votes. The ballots showed that he had received but 343 votes.

1921 Primaries.

During the 1921 primaries this precinct gave Len Small, then a political ally of union-smashing Robert E. Crowe, 700 votes while Small's opponent was only credited with one vote. No contest was made at the time. It is declared that no attempts were made at that time to count the ballots, but that the returns were 'duped up" by the election officials.

Wage Earners' League. During the April 13 primaries an agregation of Chicago trade union officials calling themselves the Cook County Wage Earners' League, worked hand in glove with the unionsmashing Crowe-Barrett-Thompson machine to put Crowe's henchmen in the primaries.

Crowe, who is dissatisfied with only the control of the state's attorney's office, is now seeking to gain control of all the county and municipal offices. Thru these offices Crowe will then be able to serve the open shop bosses of Chicago much more efficiently than heretofore.

#### War Hospital Donor Didn't Pay a Cent

(Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29. Senator Glass, democrat, of Virginia, charged on the floor today that Edward Hines, who gave \$1,500,000 for construction in Chicago during the war of a hospital bearing his name, had "secured hundreds of thousands of dollars to which he was not entitled thru returns of contracts during onstruction of the hospital."

"Hines offered the hospital as a gift but he did not give one solitary dollar for construction," said Glass.

#### Workmen's Fund Branch capitalist rule at home. Let the Gives for Sacco, Vanzetti

Branch 232, Lakeview, of the Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund of America has donated another \$25 to the Sacco-Vanzetti defense fund. The organization of which this is a branch has 55,000 members, mostly workers and pays sick beneits of \$15 per week.

Your neighbor will appreciate the favor—give him this copy of the DAILY WORKER.

THIS WEEK Is left for prizes and votes for the

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All Hungarians and sympathizers of our movement are cordially invited.

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## 1,500 HEAR THREE POOR SPEECHES AT N. A. A. C. P. MEET

#### Bishop Carey, Walling and Roosevelt Talk

A bishop awed by the presence on the same platform of a colonel who had dined too well, an ex-socialist who stopped thinking when America entered the world war, and the forementioned colonel, were the principal speakers at the mass meeting held under the auspices of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Pilgrim Baptist church Monday night.

The speakers, in the order named, were Reverend Archibald J. Carey, William English Walling and Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. They spoke to an audience so far above them in intelligence that it applauded only to be polite. 1,500 Negro men and women filled the auditorium and 500 more were unable to get in.

The performances of the speakers were preceded by a prayer which asked divine approbation for everyone present except the newspapermen.

Colonel Roosevelt furnished the low comedy touch. (The moment he appeared on the platform a rapid poll of the press table showed that the unanimous opinion of these experts was that the colonel possessed what is playfully called a "brannigan.")

#### Roosevelt Interrupts the Bishop.

He interrupted the bishop a number of times, insisting that his ancestors came from Georgia and not from Holland as popular rumor has it and was very merry thruout the bishop's speech. But his merriment ceased abruptly when the chairwoman inadvertently referred to him as the former head of the Sinclair Oil company. The colonel's balancing feats on the edge of the platform are excelled only by the Four Marx Brothers.

William English Walling offended the colonel somewhat. After eulogizing Al Smith as one who, in favoring the direct primary, was bringing New York into the United States, Walling mentioned the anti-saloon league as a typical example of an organized minority functioning thru the direct primary. With this statement the col onel took issue.

Under stress of emotion he forgot Walling's name and referred to him as "Wallace."

"As far as I am concerned, Mr. Wal-

lace," said the colonel, "you have chosen an unfortunate example." Another hurried vote at the press table decided that in making this statement the colonel was speaking

from his heart. Walling Likes The Smiths.

#### Walling's speech was poorly delivered, lacking in substance and was an echo of the pre-war Wilson period. "Non-partisan voting is comparatively new and there is not always a full realization of what it means." he said. When there is no friend to be voted for and no enemy to be voted

against, a colored citizen may vote for 'his' party." Walling is against parties. He is for "organized minorities" within the two old parties and he declared that in those states where the direct

primary exists popular government is now in full bloom. He submitted no detailed evidence to substantiate this broad statement and the inference is that the election of Al Smith and the nomination of Frank L. Smith recently were great victories for popular government.

Walling evidently is a great believer in the Smith family.

#### Audience Remains Calm.

The highpoint in Reverend Carey's address was his praise of an Illinois Negro regiment which, during the Spanish-American war, volunteered for service in fever-infested territory after a number of white regiments had refused duty there.

The audience, much to its credit, did not show by applause that it was as enthusiastic about this incident as the bishop was. Nor did it appear to be greatly interested in other feats of arms, which the bishop described, performed by Negro regiments many of whose members were promply jailed or lynched as a reward on their return to the land of the free.

The solo and chorus singing was magnificent.

Don't forget the Workers (Communist) Party Picnic Monday, July 5, at Chernauskas Grove.

## RATIONAL LIVING

To Reappear.

It its last issue, a year ago, RATIONAL LIVING, the radical health magazine, announced its suspension for one year, due to the voyage of its editor, abroad. The editor has had to extend his stay in Europe. But soon after his return to New York, at the end of the summer, the magazine will be published again and will appear regularly in the future.

#### Active Workers of the Co-operative Central Exchange Which Has Begun the Publication of an Illustrated Monthly Organ



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#### CO-OPERATIVE CENTRAL EXCHANGE ISSUES THE FIRST NUMBER OF ITS POPULAR MONTHLY MAGAZINE

THE first number of The Co-Operative Pyramid Builder, official organ of Co-Operative Central Exchange, with offices at Superior, Wis., has begun Builder," explains the co-operative publication with a circulation of 16,000.

George Halonen of the Educational department of the Co-Operative Central Exchange writes that altho the office sent out but one circular announcing the magazine, over 16,000 copies of the first edition were ordered by af- union movement, fascism, general in-

filiated co-operatives. The management had calculated on 5,000 circulation as a good beginning. The magazine is departmentalized ber containing British and Passaic and contains many special features of strike pictures, cuts of co-operative general interest to working class read- classes and buildings, pictures of ent is out. Did you get your copy? ers, dealing with the American co- destruction wrought by fascists in a Hurry up! Send in your sub! It's operative movement, the world trade | workers' club, photographs of officers only 50 cents,

formation on international affairs, news and comments, etc. It is well illustrated, the first num-

and active workers in the American co-operative movement and one or two The material is extremely well written and readable, short and to the

One article in particular, the first in the magazine, entitled "The Pyramid

movement, its organization and aims. in a very appealing and understandable manner. The present number contains 26 pages of reading matter and pictures

with a decorated cover. Subsequent issues will contain 32 pages, -W. F. D.

The American Worker Correspond-

## MANY NEGROES NORTHERN CITIES

#### Unskilled Workers Seek **Employment**

The National Urban League in a eport sent out by its department of industrial relations points out that there are more Negro unskilled workers in the big cities of the northern states than there are jobs and that many are walking the streets seeking work. Not only are there many unskilled workers idle but there are also a number of skilled workers jobless in Chicago, New York, Cleveland, St. Louis and a few other cities.

Many Idle in Detroit.

"More men come into the city than the industries can absorb," comments the report. "Most of those now idle are newcomers."

Over-Supply in Chicago.

"While there is no alarming unemdoyment situation, yet there is an ver-supply of labor," points out the eport. Further migration of Negroes nto Chicago are discouraged.

Unemployment in Philadelphia.

delphia without the necessity of in- in a new drive against the people's dustrial firms sending labor scouts out army—the Kuominchun. of town for recruits."

Plenty Workers in Harrisburg. In Harrisburg, Pa., no additional workers from the outside will be needed as there are plenty on hand.

Keep Away From Newark. Negro workers are told that the expansion that is to take place in Newthe Negro population.

Conditions Bad in St. Louis. "We do not encourage a wholesale influx of Negroes into the St. Louis industrial district until conditions im-

#### Alien Property Graft to be Probed; However. Dawes Names Probers N. Y. Health Official

(Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINGTON, June 29. - Senate nvestigation of the alien property custodian's office and records drew a tep nearer today when the judiciary committee favorably recommended the King's resolution proposing the in-

The investigation, if ordered by the enate, will be made by a select sommittee of five senators appointed by Vice President Dawes.

## Free Speech Absent

(Special to The Daily Worker) FALL RIVER, Mass., June 29—Free Mediterranean Scene peech isn't allowed in Fall River for ear the unemployed mill workers night be disturbed, speakers scheduld for a meeting in behalf of three arrested Portuguese workers found

when they arrived in the mill city. Prof. Harry L. Dana of Cambridge, Robert Zelms and Harry Cantor of the International Labor Defense went to Music Hall and the doors were locked. with police on guard. They went to chief of police Martin Feeney, who denied doing anything to stop the neeting, except telling the hall ownr that there might be trouble. A free peech test will be staged in the coton mill city.

The three Portuguese whose cases vere to be presented to the audience re Diamanillo Texeira. Antonio Ales Perreira and Antonio da Costa. They are out on ball pending deortation proceedings. Charges were rought against them for the publication of their monthly paper, A Luta, indicate any widespread damage of which attacked the established church any extensive casualty list. and state. The liquor charge which

Large Dance Floor

Refreshments

## YET BUTLER FAILS TO AID SACCO-VANZETTI READS WITH INTEREST;

BOSTON, Mass., June 29.-Massachusetts Senator William M. Butler, writes from Washington that he 'read with interest" a clipping sent him about the latest developments in the Sacco-Vanzetti case.

The clipping related something of the Madeiros' confession and supporting affidavits filed with the defense motion for a new trial for the two Italian workers. Since Butler "read with interest." he must have learned from the clipping something of the strength of the evidence clearing Sacco and Vanzetti and showing their innocence.

#### Chinese Militarists Join in Opposition to National Armies

PEKIN, China, June 29 .- General Wu Pei-fu and Marshall Chang Tso- THE FATHERS lin, reactionary militarists of China are now in conference here relative to LABOR LEADERS the future of the Pekin government which, the ignored by much of China POLITICAL PARTIES and flaunted by the nationalist Canton government, seems valuable to these FARMERS generals as a trading point with forign supporters.

There are rumors that the forces "There is a sufficiently large num- of both generals, Wu Pei-fu having ber of Negroes unemployed in Phila rather less than Chang, shall be united

#### Attorney Seeks to Delay Robert Scott Murder Trial

Another attempt to delay the murder trial of Robert Scott, which was to begin before Judge William Gemmill, has been made by Attorney ark would not warrant an increase in William Stewart, on the grounds that he has been so busy with the sanity trial of Russell Scott.

Attorney Stewart argued a motion for a new trial in the case of Russell July 3. No date for his execution will be set until after the hearing of that motion.

Robert was to go on trial on the same charge for which Russell is sentenced to hang.

### Gets Five Years for Milk Graft and Bribes

NEW YORK, June 29. - Thomas . Clougher today was sentenced to from five to ten years at hard labor in Sing Sing prison for his part in the milk graft scandal.

Clougher, who was once secretary to Health Commissioner Dr. Frank J Monaghan, was convicted of giving and taking bribes to secure the admission of western cream to this city.

His crime described by Judge Cohn as a "heinous one," especially in view in Fall River, Mass. of the fact that he was an official of the health department.

## of Many Earthquakes

ROME, June 29. - Reports of serious earthquakes and panic in Southern Italy were officially denied by the government today. Recurring earthquakes, lasting for a period of more than thirty minutes, were recorded on the seismograph at Faenza Observatory, but no damage was reported in Italy

SINGAPORE, June 29 .- Two earthquakes, of twenty seconds duration, were felt here at 10:30 today. The shocks were the most severe for many years, although no extensive damage s reported

LONDON, June 29 .- Mediterranean countries, and the Mediterranean islands in particular, have been terrorized during the past twenty-four hours by recurring earthquakes, according to reports received here. As yet there are no reports which would

The earthquake area appears federal authorities attempted to pin have stretched from southern Italy to on these three mill workers has fail- India, and its center was apparently in the islands off the coast of Greece

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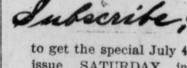
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## Workers (Communist) Party

### More Caution in Our Shop FUNCTIONARIES **Nuclei Work**

BY JACK STACHEL.

DIGHT and left deviations are not R only to be found in the upper party cadres and in the consideration

WE must fight against both of these tendencies on the part of our membership in the shop nuclei. Both of them exist, both are anti-Leninist. We must recognize, however, that these tendencies are due to a lack of experience in the approach to the masses, lack of experience of the whole party. Some comrades ask the stion, "which of the two tenden-

is more dangerous at the present time?" and the answer is that this depends on the particular situation involved, Also that the situation is invariably so implicated that the right deviations lead to liquidation of the Communist nucleus thru too much exposure, while the deviation is exactly due to a desire to avoid exposure. I, therefore, say that we must have more caution in our work and not expose our comrades too much, because at this time, when we are getting our roots planted in the shops, this is our

WILL now give some experiences that we have had in the New York district to illustrate the necessity for caution. In one of the large plants employing about 2,000 workers we have succeeded in organizing a party and Young Workers' League nucleus. The comrades worked well and published a shop bulletin, which was very well accepted by the workers. In a short time the comrades came to the district office and informed us that they had already formed a shop committee of 16 workers. The bulletin was published, not in the name of the party or the Young Workers' League as the organ of the nucleus, but it was stated that it was published by a group of workers in the shop. The shop committee began to look upon the paper as its organ.

How Not to Form Shop Committees. THE district executive committee immediately recognized that the situation in the nucleus and in the shop as a whole was a dangerous one. The shop committee was organized on ords, it was not really a shop committee, but the basis of a union in that industry. There is no union in shop began to talk of strike. Fortunately, our comrades soon enough told the workers that premature strikes are dangerous, but the workers still believed that they were forming a union. The paper naturally, to them, became the organ of their future union. Every member of the party and the Young Workers' League became a member of this so-called shop committee.

What were the dangers here? In the first place it is the easiest thing in the world to liquidate the nucleus thru this method of forming committees. We must always assume that one out of every 10 in the shop who will join such a committee is either a spy of the firm or will give them information in one form or another. Of course, it may be true that there is not a single spy in this committee of 16, but, basing ourselves on past experiences, we must nevertheless assume the possibility of there being one in the committee. Unless checked by the district executive committee this committee would in all probabilty now have about 30 members and would continue to grow. The danger spies increases with every increase the membership of the so-called shop committee." We have every member of the party and the Young Workers' League there. We, therefore, run the risk that every Communist and militant worker in the shop will be fired and we will lose everything. We will liquidate the nucleus and we will discourage organization

100 POINTS

Form Committees on Departmental Delegate Basis.

THE proper method of forming a 1 committee in the shop is to organ. New York Offers Excel- Andrews Plans New of our major policies, but find their ize a committee in each department expression in our every day work in of the most trusted and militant workthe trade union, the fraternal organi- ers, and then to form a delegate body zation, and in the shop. In the shop of one representative of every departthe right and leftist tendencies are ment. While not doing away entirely symbolized by two types of comrades. with the possibility of spies getting The first who, after working in the into the committees, it can first of all shop for 12 years, is not suspected be kept secret much more easily, and by anyone of even having progressive then the danger is localized and min-during the last two weeks in july, is ideas, the comrade who conceals the imized. Even in this delegated body party. The other extreme, the leftist or shop committee only one or two of Stachel as instructor. type, is symbolized by the comrade the Communists should enter to guide who, after getting a job at 8 a.m., is the work. In some cases to properly. called "Bolshevik" and "Trotzky" by lead the work we may need a few the entire shop and is fired at 12 m. more, but by no means all the Com-Both of these types are dangerous to munists, for if there is a spy, and we the work of the party to the degree have not all the Communists exposed, basis of proletarian strength; Princithat they are afflicted with these ten- we can still continue to do the work ples of Leninist Organization; Struc

Who Publishes the Shop Bulletin?

FOR a while the prevailing idea tern; Problems of Party Reorganizaamong the leading comrades in for work in non-Party organizations. New York was that the shop bulletins published by our nuclei should not state that they are the organs of the study in other parts of the country, Communist nucleus, but, rather, that it is being published by a group of I workers in the shop. Here, too, there are a great many dangers. In the first place, I want to make clear that the nucleus while it must do everything to stimulate organization of the unorganized, and may be the basis for a union in the industry, if no union exists in that industry, cannot adopt the letariat. conception that that is its only task. By leaving off the name of the party from our shop papers we foster this idea among our own membership and give the empression to the workers in the shop and to the union officials that we are out to organize unions, and nothing else, thus failing to appear as a political organization before the workers in the shops as well as the organized labor movement. Furthermore, by concealing that the bulletin is published by a political party the contents of the bulletin are written accordingly. We are compelled to talk mostly "organize the unorganized," and one step must lead to another; that is, organize the unorganized means strikes. We must be careful of premature strikes called by the bosses or provoked by them to root. bosses or provoked by them to root out the militants, at the same time giving all the support of any group of workers that are out on strike. Our task is to stimulate, aid and even lead when necessary in the organization of the unorganized, but as a Communist Party we must consider this only as one of our activities, even if at this moment it is the most important activity of the party. At the same time we must tell the workers and speak to the organized labor movement of the necessity to stimulate the American Federation of Labor to organize the unorganized. We must speak thru the individual membership; in other organs of our nuclei to the workers, ested and participates in all their struggles. Some comrades say that that industry. The workers in the the party is not known, therefore, we cannot publish the name of the party. Others say the workers think that the party is interested only in the revolution and does not work for the immediate interests of the workers so we must not use the name of the party. Others say that the party is too red for the workers. The sum total of all these arguments is, let the party be put into the ice box until the revolution, then we will give it to the workers. Our answers must be we must convince the workers thru our participation in the everyday struggles in the shop that the Communist Party is their party, is their leader, and that the Communist Party fights for the everyday needs of the workers. At the same time we must never fail to connect the immediate interests and needs of the workers their present-day struggles with the

#### Secretaries, Attention!

ultimate aims of the party.

All shop and street nuclei secre aries must attend the meeting of the Executive Committee Section No. 4, on Friday, July 2, 1926, at 19 S. Lincoln St., at 8 p. m., sharp. In case it is impossible for the secretary to attend, a comrade who has full knowledge of the situation in the nucleus should substitute for him. Be Sure to

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# **WORKERS' SCHOOL**

## lent Courses

NEW YORK, June 29 .- One of the nost important courses for party funcionaries offered by the National Summer Training School in New York

Jack Stachel is the organization secretary of the New York district,

the largest in the country. The main topics to be taken up in force numbers 3,200 men. -the nucleus will remain in the shop. ture of the Workers (Communist) Party and its relation to the Comin tern; Problems of Party Reorganiza

> The outline of this course, which can serve as a basis for discussion and ollows:

> Organization the Basis of Proletarian Strength.

Organization and politics, Organization and administration. Role of organization in a Bolshevik

Organization forms. Different organizations of the work The party, the vanguard of the pro

Opportunism in organization ques ions.

h. Role of organization in split of S.

D. L. P. of Russia, 1903.

i: Attitude of right and leftist groups
on questions of organization in the different parties of the International.

Principles of Leninist Organization. a. Every member an active member nd a member of one of the party organ-

b. Discipline.
c. Democratic centralization—in dif-rent periods of class struggle.
d. Shop nuclei as the basis of Com-unist organization.
e. Party fractions in the trade unions, operatives and other organizations of the working class.

working class. The party cadres—professional revo-

ees, etc. Shop nuclei, street nuclei, sub-

sections, sections, etc.
e. Party conventions and conferences;
enlarged plenums; general membership
meetings.
f. Conferences of functionaries.
g. Democratic centralism and discipline in the Workers (Communist)
Party

Membership in the party and the cruiting of new members.

i. The language bureaus and their ork—fractions in language organiza-

Fractions in the trade unions and other organizations.

k. Relationship between the party and the Young Workers (Communist) League.

Problems of Party Reorganization.
a. The shifting from small to large

street nuclei—Concentration groups.
The building trades, railroad work-

Small factories The problem of the functionaries.
Housewives, non-proletarians, etc.
Drawing every member into ac-

Shop committees. Nuclei activity and the organiza-of the unorganized. Nuclei activity and the party cam-Relation of the units to the lower

executives, sub-sections and sections and their relation to the district commit-Reorganization and party democ-

organization for Party Work and for Work in Non-Party Organizations.

a. The organization department of the central executive committee and the

Organizers in the units and lower Systematic everyday organization Organizing for the membership re-

Organizing for press campaigns. Organizing party campaigns-elec-

Control of the activity of the memership, the creation of an apparatus for Organizing and utilizing mass

eetings, etc.
i. Organization of united front meetand conferences.

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Vol. 6—2, 28, 30, 34, 36, and 37,
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Zinoviev—History of the RKP (German) or the different numbers in the Workers Monthly.

A BUST OF

#### GARY WORKERS TO HOLD MASS MEETING ON FOURTH OF JULY

GARY, Ind., June 29 .- A mass meet ing is being called by the Gary work ers investigating committee for Sunday evening, July 4, at 7:30 o'clock at the Turner Hall, Fourteenth and

## 'War" on Liquor

WASHINGTON, June 29 .- With the biggest dry army ever assembled by the government, General L. C. Andrews, prohibition chief, will launch a "war" on liquor soon after July 1. About 4,000 officials and agents will the course in "Organization" with Jack | make up the prohibtion army on land supported by the coast guard, customs service and other law enforcement agencies unofficially co-operat-

ing in the drive. The present land

# COURTS AIDING

#### Give Injunctions With a Generous Hand

(By IRVING FREEMAN.) The capitalist judges of Essec county are competing with one another as move hand or foot without assistance. to how many injunctions they can sign in Newark and vicinity against. the trade unions. The latest to be signed by Vice-Chancellor Backes was against the Building Trades Council and Local No. 478 International Broth-Stablemen and Helpers.

The defendents are guilty of attempting to organize the teamsters who drive the trucks that haul lum- law covered the accidents. ber for several firms in the lumber that is handled by the unionized men partment of the steel mills. engaged in constructing buildings.

One Dozen Injunctions. vorn-out argument that labor organduct of their business. Today there give no information as to how are a dozen injunctions in force what the settlements were. against the local unions who are carying on drives to organize the unor-

their standard of living. The local judges and the employers workers from organizing by the intro- compensation yet. luction of injunctions.

New Struggle Coming.

forcement.

Organized labor in the state of New Americanization.

Intermediate forms between shop Jersey will be compelled to stage a costs.

#### Two R. R. Workers Killed.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, June 29. -Two men were killed and at least fifteen others injured, many seriously, when 'speeder" and the machine went into a ditch north of here this afternoon. All on board the speeder were workers.

Open your eyes! Look around! There are the stories of the workers' as you fight.

# BLAST VICTIMS OUT OF DANGER S A Y DOCTORS

#### Refuse Special Nurses for Gary Workers

GARY, Ind., June 29.—The doctors at the Illinois Steel company hospital declare that the remaining victims of the explosion in the by-products plant blast are out of danger.

Refuse Names,

When asked for the names and the number of the victims that are still in the hospital, the doctors refused to let the reporter for The DAILY WORKER know these facts. He was referred to Mr. Martin, secretary of Mr. Gleason, chief superintendent of the steel mills.

No Special Nurses. The doctors when asked whether the victims of the blast, many of them need constant attention day and night, had special nurses to care for them, the doctor declared that they had none, but that a few extra nurses had been hired.

Lehotsky's Complaint.

The doctor claimed that a nurse was constantly at the bedside of John Lehotsky, who was the fifteenth official victim of the explosion. John Lehotsky complained a number of times that he was not properly being cared for. The doctor claimed that these victims of the blast needed no special nurses, the many of the men are very seriously burned and are unable to

Compensation. At the general office of the Illinois Steel company, Martin was busy "in conference." A man named Kowal was sent out from the office. Kowal refused to divulge any names or the erhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, number in the hospital and when asked what compensation the workers or their families would receive, he declared that the Indiana compensation

The reporter was told to go to see business. These drivers haul lumber K. M. Burr, head of the safety de

Twenty in Hospital.

Burr declared there were still 20 The open shoppers offer the old in the hospital and that some of the settlements with the victims and their izers are interfering with the con- families had been made. He would

When asked whether the men in the hospital had been approached he ganized workers and thereby raise declared that the men in the hospital refused to listen to any talk of compensation now. He declared they are hostile to any form of unionism merely waved their hands and declar and are attempting to prevent the ed that they are not inclined to talk

He also admitted that the company was telling the victims of the blast In view of the fact that the anti- and their families not to hire lawyers njunction bill has been passed by but to go to Superior Court Judge he state legislature to go into effect Greenwald and get their advice free July 4, 1926, we can expect strong It is pointed out that this judge will opposition on the part of the bosses give them free advice while if they and the judiciary to prevent its en- go elsewhere they will have to pay high fees.

No Valve Open.

Mr. Burr when asked whether in strong fight against the open shoppers | the inspection of the gas piping in the who are opposed to unionism at all by-products plant a valve was found opened, he declared that no valve had been found opened.

He was then asked how it was that the coroner's jury brought back the verdict that a valve was open, while he stated that the valve was not the wheel came off an Erie railroad open, he answered that the worker who opened it, soon realized his mistake and shut it off when it was too

Gary workers are urged not to sign any waivers or agree to any settlements with the company until they have seen a lawyer, not in the pay written up. Do it! Send it in! Write they are entitled to under the compensation laws.

#### **TEACHERS' FEDERATION OPENS** CONVENTION AT NEW YORK; TO FIGHT OPEN SHOP EDUCATION

NEW YORK, June 29-(FP)-The annual convention of the American be set up at the seat of the national Federation of Teachers will open here June 29 at the Civic Club. Checking of intolerance by boards of education, the upholding of professional standards of teaching, and the strengthening of the federation thruout the country are vital matters to engage the delegates.

Teachers are alarmed over the tendency of intolerance to swing from industry to education, the widespread establishment of compulsory military

training, and the emphasis upon a+ nationalism which is being imbedded hard hit by a decree of Thomas Fineinto the consciousness of children in every state.

Has Had Hard Fight.

blighting hand of employing interests because of attacks by allied manufacand superpatriotic official groups. These groups foster the doctrine that for teachers to join unions is "dis- regain territory taken by its eneloyal," because they place themselves mies. It is planning a nation-wide in the position of fighting the public. | campaign to enlist unorganized teach-

This condemnation was echoed widely generally.

that education boards had the right to dismiss teachers for joining untion has had a hard fight against re- eration disintegrated under the iron actionary influence in the nation's pressure of the Loeb regime. And educational system, and against the in California various locals were lost turers and merchants.

Now the federation is setting out to That doctrine was loudly voiced ers in opposition to the interests during the Boston police strike in which seek to enslave the next gener-1919. Gov. Calvin Coolidge and other ation mentally and economically thru public men condemned the walkout, tainted teaching. This drive is to which was stamped as "revolution." have the backing of organized labor

by school boards. At that time the President William Green of the A federation had made large strides in F. of L. is expected to speak at the organizing New England teachers. But | convention's opening session. On the as a result of the kickback against same program will be President John the police strike the federation lost Sullivan of the N. Y. State Federapractically every local, in that sec- tion of Labor and John P. Coughlin, secretary of the Central Trades and

## WITH THE YOURNG WORKERS

#### Violation of Child Labor Laws on Increase in Illinois State

CHICAGO.—Illinois employers are increasing their violation of the state child labor laws, according to William H. Curran, chief factory inspector.

The Ililnois law prohibits children under 14 from working for compensation during school hours, before 7 o'clock in the morning or after 6 in the evening. It also prohibits employers from working children under 16 more than six days a week, eight hours a day, and before 7 in the in particular. The following will be morning and after 7 in the evening. Another provision debars employers from putting children under 16 to work in a large number of prohibited S. A. occupations regarded as detrimental

to health and dangerous to life.
Owners of fruit, vegetable and gro cery stores, the inspector points out, persistently violate the law by employing children under 16 on such machines. That violations occur is demonstrated not only by the work of the factory inspection division but also by the fact that not infrequently accidents to children under 16, injured while working on power machinery, are reported to the industrial commis-

Nor is the employers' attack on the lives and limbs of child workers due to ignorance or carelessness. It is rather due to a determination to violate the law and a wanton disregard of the rights of the children.

As a precautionary measure against violations of the child labor law, when a child obtains a working certificate requirement is made that the certificate specify the kind of work he will do. This would ayyear to be a safeguard against placing the child in a prohibited employment. But in spite of this, some employers transfer the child from the work his certificate calls for to one of the numerous illegal

### Jailed Garment Workers Thank

The jailed garment workers in Chi- of the Y. W. L. eago have sent the following letter of in their behalf:

Cook County Jail. Young Workers League,

District No. 8.

Dear Comrades: The garment workers at the Cook county jail instruct nie to express thanks and appreciation to District No. 8 for the cheer and

good things sent to us. We feel the time is coming when the injustice done to the laboring Child Labor Discussion growing class consciousness of the workers in the United States.

The unity and idealism of the sentenced garment workers shall be an inspiration to fight all enemies of

Fraternally yours, Frieda Reicher. For Garment Workers in Jall.

#### Youth Schools Being Set Up

The Communist youth movement in this country is planning to extend its lation. struggles around you begging to be of the steel trust to find out what educational activity this year. In addition to issuing a political minimum persons between 14 and 18 had been cities, full time training schools on cases that were revealed by different both a district and national scale will investigations where girls worked 58 be set up. Four district schools and hours per week, young boys working one national school will be set up this 10 hours per day, etc. In London alone summer and fall. The summer district over 14,000 boys and 13,000 girls 16 schools will be held in Superior, Chi- or 17 years of age. ago, Boston and the New York districts. A national training school will Youth Unemployment committee in the early fall.

> SCRIPTURE LESSONS IN CONTINU-ATION SCHOOLS.

WURTENBURG, Germany. - The ministerial department for the technical schools of Wurtenberg has issued a confidential order (No. 3825 of May 3, 1926) demanding statistics regan, state education superintendent, garding the confession of faith of the pupils in trade and commercial schools for the purpose of the introduction of Ten years old, the teachers' federa- ions. In Chicago, Local 1 of the fed- religious-ethical instruction or scripture lessons in these schools,

SEND IN A SUBL

#### For a Mass Organ Thru ployment exchanges. Worker Correspondents

#### Mass. Youth School Plans 5-Week Course

By NAT KAY.

BOSTON, Mass .- The Young Workers (Communist) League of District No. 1 will have a district training school for 50 students that will come from 23 different cities including 2 students from Maryland and about 8 from New York district.

This school will last for five weeks, and each student will be given a thoro training of the labor movement, generally and the Communist movement taken up:

1. Elementary course in economics. Classes and parties in the U.

The state and the class struggle.

The theory of imperialism. American imperialism.

6. Tactics and strategy of the class struggle.

7. The work of the Y. W. L. in all its fields

8. The history of the Y. W. L. and

Y. C. I. 9 The history of the Youth move-

The instructors are Comrade Nat Kaplan and N. Krut.

There will be five periods during the day. All sorts of exercises will be conducted between the regular studies. The school will also have a library and reading hours. The entire school will be organized on a basis of subcommittees, as agitprop, industrial department, literature, sports, pioneers, Negro, house committee (for the distribution of work among the students, the maintenance of housing, etc.), research, bulletin committee, united front committee, financial committee, social, secretariat. Every student will have to be a member of some of these sub-committees.

The management committee which has been elected to manage all affairs and supervise all sub-committees is composed of the following comrades: Janhonen (Finnish D. O.), E. Berkowitz, Krantz, M. Goldberg, ,A. Slifka, D. Schwartz, L. Futran, Riseman, Heino, and the two instructors, N. Young Workers League Kaplan and N. Krut. The committee is directly responsible to the D. E. C.

We hope that as a result of this thanks to the young militants of the schooling, much improvement and Young Workers League for their work benefit will result for the Y W. L. of this district, especially since this will not be an academic course, but a practical course which will enable the comrades attending the school to do practical organization work, the

day after returning from the school. For information all mail should be addressed to the management committee, 36 Causeway St., Nat Kay, Secre-

## in British House of Lords

LONDON, England.-In the house of lords on May 18, arose a discussion on the employment of children and young persons bill, which gave local authorities the power to make by-laws regulating the employment of young persons between the ages of 14 and 18. Viscount Astor who moved the second reading of the bill stated that during the last 60 years persons over 18 employed in factories and work shops and children of 14 years and under had been protected by legis

However, the protection of young course for its sections in the various partial. He then went on to show

## Increases in Britain

LONDON, England .- On May 10 the otal number of unemployed registered at the employment exchanges in Great Britain was 1,576,000. This was 391,749 more than a year ago. The total of young persons was 108,000, of these 50,000 boys and 58,000 girls. That is 39,155 more than last year's number of young unemployed.

In view of the fact that young unemployed from 14 to 16 are not registered at the exchanges and also that unemployed from 18 to 21 are already considered as adults, the number of young unemployed is much higher than estimated by the government em-

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in Pennsylvania the foderation was

THE SECOND PRIZE WINNER

# TOBACCO BARONS

## with Cheap Labor

By a Worker Correspondent.

WINDSOR, Conn., June 29. - The American Tobacco company which has large tobacco plantations in the Connecticut valley has sent a number of its agents thru the south to recruit Negro workers for their plantations

Low Pay, Long Hours.

Shipment after shipment are sent in. The American Tobacco company is known for the low pay that it pays its workers. The workers are forced to work out in the blazing sun ten and twelve hours a day.

No provisions are made for washing one's self. The men working on the plantations are housed in barracks.

No Sanitary Provisions.

At one end of the barracks is usually an open cesspool. At the other end is the kitchen. There is no such thing as sanitary fixtures in these barracks. Formerly the tobacco company would hire only Polish and Lithuanian workers. As soon as these workers began to demand more, the him: company started to import Mexicans and Spaniards. These two groups are now demanding more.

#### Seek Negro Workers.

The company is seeking to import Negro workers. The work in the tobacco fields is hard. The pay low. The average wage is about \$4 or \$5 a day. The work is seasonal. It lasts but two or three months.

The plantation owners in the Connecticut valley promise transportation to and from the job. When the workers get here they find conditions so bad that they leave. The company then deducts the transportation to the job from the pay due the worker.

The company is making its efforts to recruit large groups of Negro workers in Tennessee and Georgia.

#### This Week's Winners

The first prize this week, the book "Lenin on Organization," goes to Goldie Chibka, author of the story "When the Slack Time Be-

The second prize, the book "Social Forces in American History," by A. M. Simons, goes to the author of the story "Tobacco Barons Seek Army of Negro Workers."

The third prize, "My Flight from Siberia," by Leon Trotsky, goes to the author of "Buda Motor Co. Furnishes Bad Drinking Water." Watch for the announcement of

next week's prizes.

#### Peoria Regular Low Wage Town; Children Slave; Unions Sleep

(By MAX COHEN, (Worker Correspondent)

PEORIA, Ill., June 29.—An increase in the number of boys and girls applying for work during school "vacation" is noted here. Last year there were 177 working permits issued, dent of the machinist local and a pracwhile 202 have been granted so far.

It is revealed that most of these applications are for factory work. The employers are glad to take in these prospective wage slaves because the bosses can get them to work for almost nothing and in most cases get out as much work as from the adult

Peoria is well known to the working class as a cheap (wage) town. Of course it costs as much to live here as in any town in the 100,000 class. There are many instances of weekly wages as low as \$14 to \$18 for workers with families to support. With vacation at hand the bosses let the "highly paid" worker go and put in school children who will work for less.

The fact that so many more children must work in order to help provide for the family substantiates the report that Peoria wage workers are very much underpaid.

The local trades and labor assembly has taken no action in a good many years toward organizing the unorganized. Meanwhile the labor situation, with low wages and the replacement of adults by child workers the order of the day, is getting more aggravated.

THE FIRST PRIZE WINNER.

#### When the Slack Time Begins

By GOLDIE CHIBKA

MY friend Mary works in a garment shop. Her boss, like all other Mary asked. "Can they go to Europe Mary asked. "Can they go to Europe different friend Mary works in a garment To Flood Connecticut more because he is losing money. He expensive cars and live in always preaches to the workers of his ments in the finest hotels?" shop to be thrifty. Mary's boss, Mr.

tual and a good speaker.

Not long ago he announced that Bolsheviks! You'd better find yourafter work he wanted to address the self another job." workers and, of course, the workers were all curious as to what news he had to tell them. So they waited after was a well organized union shop. All way. five o'clock and Mr. Smith began his speech by saying:

"Listen, if you workers are not going to do any better, if you are not cheered her silently for her courage. going to produce more, I will have to go out of business because I can- that evening and the boss has not an- "New York City, not meet competition.

you. You will then have to look for he discharged one of his bookkeepers trampling on the civil liberties of other jobs and they are not so easy and one shipping clerk as they con- the people of Lawrence. The united to find now. As for me, I can go into sider themselves "too good" to join front committee of Lawrence is an any other business. I can go into the a union. Mr. Smith had a splendid organization of various textile work-

more profitable." working in that shop eight years ago, Mr. Smith had increased his business ers the same story about losing course, he is used to it, and spring is are forced to labor long hours for a money. So she could not resist asking

"How is it, Mr. Smith, that every year you lose money and yet you have how she is going to get along for business? What about us workers? Do we even make enough to live?"

The boss became very angry. enough to live? Do you know that you to starving. Every year when slack earn just as much as a public school time begins we begin to worry. Perteacher, while public school teachers haps he is right when he says that the

GOOD ORDER

Too Much Association

with Labor's Enemies

By HUGO OEHLER

(Worker Correspondent)

ment paid \$60 a month for their build-

new officers were elected, things have

changed and the laboring movement is

changing with it, less active and more

friendly to the enemies of labor. The

trade unions are now meeting in a

few rooms at \$60 a month in the same

building where the chamber of com-

Something Wrong.

In this same building the knights

of the ku klux klan meets. The trades

unions, the ku klux klan and the

chamber of commerce-the combina-

tion is enough to convince any level

headed worker that there is something

The secretary of the Trade and La-

bor Assembly is Dr. C. V. Hope, presi-

ticing dentist, one who has been a

socialist and, like the rest of his com-

rades, has long ago forgotten the

struggle of the workers. In his rest

room connected to his dentist office

he has a picture of Sammy Gompers,

No Time for Organizing.

Dr. Hope is also one of the state

examiners of the dental profession and

last week found time to run down to

and, as we came in his office, he had

time to examine some of the appli-

cants' papers, but he has very, very

little time for the trade unions or the

Unorganized laundry workers in

Topeka are working 11 hours a day,

contrary to the state laws. However,

this does not seem to bother most of

the leaders of the Topeka labor move-

ment. The membership is falling off

and new blood, young blood is not

Will share apartment. Modern.

Detroit, Mich.

\$15. 18 Forest E. Apt. C. 6.

unorganized workers of Topeka.

Wichita to examine some applicants

the largest I have seen.

wrong with the labor movement.

merce meets.

But since the first of the year, when

and you did not even go to a public school?"

bosses, urges the workers to produce twice a year and have three different more because he is losing money. He expensive cars and live in rich apart-

Mr. Smith became furious and Smith, considers himself an intellec- shouted:

"You are talking just like those

But Mary smiled. She knew he could the other workers of the shop were quiet, but their faces expressed approval of Mary's remarks and they

Several weeks have passed since noved his workers with any more "You know what that will mean to speeches. In order to cut expenses, real estate business which is much chance to show how thrifty he is him- ers' clubs and committees of work-Mary knew that since she began work a little longer and speed up the purpose of organizing the workers

As has been his custom for the last immensely. Yet at the beginning of few years, Mr. Smith will soon be sail- dented speed up system. Wages are every season he had told the work ing with his wife for Europe. Of extremely low. Women and children ficer in the patrol wagon. lovely in France.

Mary, like the rest of the workers of the shop is already worrying as to large number of workers have no not reply made enough to go into the real estate many weeks without work during the slack time.

"It is funny," says Mary. "Mr. Smith is so used to his trips to "What," he said, "you do not make Europe, yet we workers can't get used have to go to college for many years workers are 'Bolsheviks.'

#### Workers On Hot Metal Gag, But Must Drink

By a Worker Correspondent

TOPEKA Kan., June 27.-Last year the Topeka trade unions could be Motor Company in Harvey, Illinois, proud of their Labor Temple, a nice building conveniently located on Kansas avenue near the railroads, with ample space for the workers at reasonable prices. The trade union move-

In the smith shop of the Buda plant the workers toil under high temperature by the furnaces, anvils and steam hammers, and in the molding room, where the air is polluted by the dust of the molds and cores, the heat from the molten steel dries the throat and makes every pore of the body sweat.

And They Never Complain! Under such conditions it is only natural for a person to drink much water. But the water they have in hose places is so rotten, smelling of oil and grease, that you want to vomit every time you take a swallow of it. And the funny part of it is that no-

body ever says anything about it. Some workers were asked as to the reason of that criminal neglect, and they said they used to have decent drinking water last year, but for the last 10 months it is unhealthy, yet nobody pays any attention to that fact. An Open Shop.

The Buda plant is an open shop and there is no labor organization of any kind in it. The work is piece rate. The bosses are careless of the workers' health and comfort.

All the workers know that, if the company wants to, it can give them a supply of pure, fresh drinking water for the price of a few dollars, but it is not done because the fat dividends might be diminished a wee bit.

The DAILY WORKER will expose all the rotten conditions if the workers from different departments will write about them, because it is the only daily in the English language which will fight for their interests under any and all circumstances.

#### Uswoco Mill Worker Has Wage Complaint

(By a Uswoco Mill Worker.)

LAWRENCE, Mass., June 29.-Usvoco Mill in Lawrence is very busy at the present weaving samples, but it seems that the new weavers that were put on lately can exist on smaller wages than the old timers, altho the new help has to be just as efficient as the older ones. They are requested to weave samples for \$21.84 a week, whereas those weaving samples all thru the year are getting \$24.50.

This is nothing new for the Uswoco. This kind of thing has been going on for years, and the only reason the workers can find is that when the company puts extra sample weavers on it is always during slack periods, conditions during the busy seasons? | DAILY WORKER.

## LAWRENCE, MASS. ORGANIZES FREE SPEECH FIGHT

#### Hold Open Air Meeting on July 4

LAWRENCE, Mass., June 29.-The American Civil Liberties Union call his stock of copies was confiscated. on that organization to co-operate with the Lawrence textile workers' organization in staging a free speech

Free Speech Meeting.

A free speech meeting has been ar- here. ranged in Lawrence for July 4. This meeting will take place at 3 o'clock not discharge her because this shop on the corner of Common and Broad-

> The letter to the American Civil Liberties Union follows:

Trample Workers' Right. "American Civil Liberties Union, "100 Fifth Ave

"Gentlemen:

self. The other clerks will have to ers from mills banded together for whose conditions are miserable.

"They are subject to an unprecelunch hour; but are obliged to snatch a bite while tending the machine.

Authorities With Bosses.

the mill owners. They are determin- wagon ed to stifle the united front committee because the workers are sympa-THE THIRD PRIZE WINNER. ing at the mill gates. Now they re- Garfield if he knew what was good fused us permits to hold open air for him. meetings in the public streets.

'We, of the united front committee vendors using the public streets reguints last arrest. larly without molestation.

Refuse Meeting Permits.

HARVEY, Ill., June 29.—The Buda of the city ordinance re open air meetis supreme law in Lawrence, Mass.

Seek Co-operation. at the elementary rights of the work-We are confident that we can defeat with being disorderly. this police tyranny with your unstint-

ed aid. "We expect to hear from you be-fore we make any definite plans for the conduct of a free speech fight. We shall then advise further.

"Fraternally yours, "United Front Committee of Lawence Textile Workers."

#### Bill Seeks to Make Hindus Eligible to Citizenship in U.S.

WASHINGTON, June 29 .- (FP)-Under a bill introduced in the senate by Copeland of New York, Hindus would be made eligible to American citizenship under a definition of the term "white person" as including members of the Aryan race.

Sen. Copeland's bill would define white persons" as they were defined in the report of the Dillingham Immigration Commission, in its dictionary of races and people. This document held that among the members of the white race belong "the dark Hindus and other peoples of India still more emphatically because of their possessing an Aryan speech relating them still more closely to the white race, as well as because of their physical type."

There are 3,000 Hindus in the United States.

## Another "Impartial"

SALEMN, Mass., June 29. -Salem hodcarriers, affiliated with the North Shore Building Trades Alliance, have put their claim for a wage increase of 10 cents an hour to arbitration. The union is to choose its representative, the employers theirs, and the two chosen are to select the third. The men get 90 cents an hour and have returned to work at the old rate pending settlement. They struck May

Hell in New Jersey Starts Proof That Hell Really Exists

PASSAIC, N. J., June 29 .- (FP)-Police ire here has been aroused by the pictorial presentation of textile strike conditions in the brochure, "Hell in New Jersey," issued by the General Relief Committee of the strikers. While Anthony Gallo was selling copies of the brochure for the benefit of the relief, he was struck by Lawrence United Front Committee of Officer 74 of the Passaic police, the Textile Workers in a letter to the United Front Committee charges, and

Councilman Joseph Dvorschak of Wallington, in voting against an increase of police in that town, express ed his belief that the bringing of special police into the strike zone was responsible for the reign of terror

# PASSAIC POLICE

"Public authorities are again Use Rubber Hose on Strike Worker

> PASSAIC, N. J., June 29 .- Jack Rubenstein, picket captain and strike leader, was arrested for the tenth time and was "given his medicine" in the Garfield police station cell.

> Jack was walking alone on Jewell street when he was passed by an of

> "What are you walking that way Arrest Picket Captain.

When he came up to the patrol

wagon which had stopped, Officer "The public authorities and local Number Two continued to abuse him press are working hand in hand with and finally told him to get into the

"Am I arrested?" asked Jack. "Yes, you are," said the officer, and thetic and are eager for our message. Jack was hustled off to a cell in the Two months ago City Marshall station. On the way he received

Club Striker.

In his cell, Rubenstein was attacked feel that we must defend the right of by Officer Number Two and "Whitey a union to talk to the workers and Adamchesky," who has been a party

lay down on my bench, for I could to cover the damaged place in the hole. "City Marshal O'Brien refused to see in their eyes what was coming" give any reason for withholding the he said after his release on bail. "I permit. We are sending you a copy knew if I even tried to defend myself there were fifty more waiting to ings. The law is on our side, and jump in on me, and if I was standing employs a large number of workers, we intend to call the police to order up they would only knock me down. but the bosses deny the workers even and to test in court if necessary I cuddled up on the bench and proplenty."

vice, co-operation and aid. This ar- large area of echymosis (bruises), a would do that. bitrary action of the police is a blow swelling and tenderness over right

## PASSAIC STRIKE, IS LABOR'S CRY

## Friday Night

PASSAIC, N. J., June 29 .- The Gening the coming vacation period.

In the appeal of the Passaic strikare being made to create a \$100,000 Feed the Children Fund. With this fund a number of vacation camps are to be opened and good wholesome food provided the children.

"It seems strange that after nine bombs have been thrown that the police have been without a clue to the perpetrators of the deeds and have apprehended nobody," commented Weisbord on the bomb explosion un in the near future to frame-up active unionists. "In 1912 similar conditions prevailed in Lawrence, Mass., during Arbiter on the Job the textile strike in that city. Bombs were thrown, and then outside police The authority was called in

#### They Do Everything That Way in Jersey

ORANGE, N. J., June 29 .- (FP)-Patrolmen here are being used to paint traffic guide lines on the streets. A protest against this has been sent to The Daily Worker the director of public safety by John Nilan, secretary of Local 242 of the Painters, Decorators and Paperhangand that is their only excuse. When are the workers to have enough sense to take their chance to better their night. Hand him this copy of the work.



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J. Arnold Ross, oil operator, formerly Jim Ross, teamster, drives with his young son, "Bunny," to Beach City. In the hotel they meet Ross's lease-hound, Ben Skutt, who has arranged for Ross to meet a group of property owners, whose land Ross is anxious to get because it contains oil. Skutts enters with Ross and the boy whose the discord is at the highest point. He attempts to get them to sign a lease with Ross. Bunny is sitting near the window taking it all in. A boy appears at the window. He tells Bunny he is Paul Watkins and the lady of the house his aunt. He ran away from home, but he is afraid his aunt will send him back. Bunny sneaks Paul into the kitchen and Paul eats his fill. The two become fast friends. In the house, however, things go wrong. The meeting breaks up in a row and Dad and Ben Skutt come out disgusted. However, Dad is drilling in nearby Prospect'Hill. The roads are bad. Dad goes to see a local official. He makes arrangements for the roads to be quickly repaired and slips a roll of bills into Mr. Benziger's hand. As they go out, Bunny tells Dad about Paul, the run-away son of a family of "Holy Rollers." Several days later Bunny is playing in the "field" when he meets Mrs. Groarty, Paul's aunt. She said she received a letter from San Paulo enclosing 25 cents in stamps for the food he took and saying that he was hitch-hiking and not te look for him. The roads were fixed and Ross works his men night and day te get his derricks up in the new field. After three weeks of fast work the first drill begins "spudding in" on Mr. Bankside's leased land. "All aboard for China," the foreman says, and as the owners drink a sip of champaigne in honor of "Ross-Bankside No. 1," the drill is already a half dozen feet under ground. Dad spends busy days in his little office directing oil operations in his many fields. The third evening he guessed he would have to go over to Lobos River. He agrees to take Bunny. Bunny's poetry and history education could wait. He was learning about oil now.

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Well, they made the trip back to the old field; and Bunny remembered all the adventures of the last ride, the place where they had had lunch, and what the waitress had said, and the place where they had stopped for gas, and what the man had said, and the place where they had run into the "speed-cop." It was like fishing-I mean, for real fish, like you catch in water, not in oil-wells; you remember where you got the big fish, and you expect another bite there. But the big fish always come at a new place, said Dad, and it was the same with "speed-cops." A cop miserable pittance, while the greed of for? What are you doing here any- picked them up just outside Beach City, passing a speed-trap at the mill owners is so great that a way?" the officer shouted. Jack did forty-seven miles; and Dad grinned and chaffed the cop, and said he was glad he hadn't been really going fast.

They got to Lobos River that evening; and there was the rig, fishing away-screwing the stands of pipe together and working down into the hole with some kind of grabbing device on the end, and then hauling up and unscrewing-stand after stand, fifty or sixty of them, one after another-until at last you got to the bottom one, only to find that you had missed your

Well, Dad said his say, in tones that nobody could help hearing. If he couldn't find men who would take care of their own O'Brien and Director of Public Safety much "fatherly advice," a local alias bones, it was doubtless too much to hope they would take care Peter Carr prohibited us from speak- for threatening, about getting out of of his property. They stood there, looking like a lot of schoolboys getting a birching-though of course the "rough-neck" who was wholly to blame had been turned loose on the road long ago.

There was a salesman from a supply house there with a patent device which he guaranteed would bring up the obstacle the first run; so they tried it, and left the device in the holehave the use of the streets. Especial to nearly all the beatings handed out it had held on too tight! Evidently there was a pocket down ly when we see numerous organiza in Garfield, and who brutally beat there, and the crowbar had got wedged crossways; so they'd tions like the Salvation Army, pan- Jack with a rubber hose so that he have to try a small chunk of dynamite, said Dad. Ever listen handlers, fakers, and patent medicine was sent to a hospital at the time of to an explosion four thousand feet under the ground? Well, that was how they got the crowbar loose; and then they had a "As soon as I saw them come in I job of cleaning out, and drilling some more, and setting a casing

Thus, day by day, Bunny got his oil lessons. He wandered about the field with Dad and the geologist and the boss driller, while they laid out the sites for future wells; and Dad took an envelope and pencil, and explained to Bunny why you place your wells on the four corners of a diamond, and not on the four corners of a square. You may try that out for yourself, drawing a such an ordinary comfort as drinking whether the will of the mill owners tected my face, but they got me circle about each well, to indicate the territory from which the water. oil is drained; you will see hat the diamond shape covers the A doctor's certificate, signed by Dr. ground with less overlapping. Wherever you overlap, you are ad- D. H. Tellman, shows that he has "a drilling two holes to get the same barrel of oil; and only a dub

> They drove back to Beach City, and found that Bertie had posterior chest, abrasion and contu- come home. Bertie was Bunny's sister, two years his senior, ers to organize themselves and to sion of the right thigh, and contusion and she had been visiting the terribly fashionable Woodbridge educate other workers to join them. of the right eye." He was charged Rileys, up north. Bunny tried to tell her about the fishing-job, and how things were going at Lobos River, but she was most cruelly cutting-described him as a "little oil gnome," and said that his fingernails were a "dead give-away." It appeared that Bertie had become ashamed of oil; and this was something new, for of old she had been a good pal, interested in the business, and arguing with Bunny and bossing him as any older sister should. Bunny didn't know what to make of it, but gradually he came to understand that this was a part of the fashionable education Bertie was getting at Miss Castle's school.

Aunt Emma was to blame for this. She had granted Jim's right to confine Bunny's training to the making of money, but New York Relief Meet Bertie at least should be a young lady-meaning that she should learn how to spend the money which Dad and Bunny were going to make. So Aunt Emma got the name of the most expensive school for young female money-spenders, and from that time on eral Relief Committee of the Passaic the family saw little of Bertie; after school she went to visit her strikers is sending out appeals to un- new rich friends. She couldn't bring them to her home, because ions and fraternal organizations ask- they had no butler-Rudolph was a "farm-hand," she declared. ng them to take care of some of the She had picked up some wonderful new slang; if she didn't like children of the Passaic strikers dur- what you said, she would tell you that you were "full of prunes" this was away back in history, you understand. She would

give a pirouette and show off her fancy lingerie, with violet-colers it also points out that attempts order ribbons in it; she would laugh gleefully: "Aren't I a speedy young thing?"-and other phrases which caused grandmother to stare and Dad to grin. She would be pained by her father's grammar. "Oh, Dad, don't say 'jist'!" And Dad would grin again, and reply: "I been saying it jist fifty-nine years." But all the same, he began saying it less frequently; and that is how civilization progresses.

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#### Strange Advice to Negroes

Fifteen hundred Negro men and women listened Monday evening to speeches delivered by William English Walling and Theodore Roosevelt, speeches whose content was poison of the most virulent

Walling urged the Negroes to place no faith in parties but to vote for their friends and against their enemies. He urged, therefore, vote for their friends and against their enemies. He urged, therefore, that the Negroes adopt the "non-partisan" method of voting which A stood completely solid during time the seat of the new power of the white workers and farmers have tried and found wanting and the strike, the Council of Action had the workers as well as of the old the British Gazette, is that the guilty the speakers, from the Communist, which they are now beginning, as in Minnesota, to discard and build been particularly effective, taking "democratic government" to , which

If the Negroes, 90 per cent of whom are workers and farmers, no Communists or organized minority had Joe Vaughn, a Communist, as its a bolt dropping in the press, and ruinfollow the advice of Walling, they become supporters of both the movement existed there. One of the representative on the Council of Acdemocrat and republican parties instead of merely supporters of the so-called left wingers from London tion; it would be hard to find a more republican party as most of them are at present. They become tied to both parties of American capitalism-doubly enslaved.

A heavy responsibility rests upon the National Association for local leader: the Advancement of Colored People when they allow their followers to be duped by a man like Walling who, in the darkest hour thru of labor organizations on the first TNCIDENTAL to the infamous pol- "behind the scenes" stories of the which the American masses passed—the war period—deserted to day of the strike, meeting in the printhe Wilson camp and assisted and condoned every act designed to throttle and punish with ferocious jail sentences every expression of dissenting opinion.

For Walling the war was a good thing. For the masses of the was the only church big enough, and talk politics at strike meetings." This which reigned among the big ones Negro and white workers it was a bad thing. By following the advice of Walling and his kind the labor movement became cowardly and impotent.

If the Negro masses accept his policy, weakness and impotence motion was made by a brother (who very glad to have you speak but you puffing advertisement of the contents,

will be their portion. What is there in the records of the republican and democrat parties in the last fifty years to warrant the belief that in their ranks elected. We didn't know what that loyally, still we must be careful of the rules of the game. The result was can be found enough "good men" to force the social, political and was, but he said all the big places their feelings, and not talk politics." a delicate irony. Thuseconomic emancipation of the Negroes?

This type of man is not found in the ranks of the capitalist parties but outside them. It is not because they are "good" in the moral sense necessarily, but because they have learned thru bitter experience that the power of the capitalist parties is in the hands man in charge of the pickets, and duces the speaker). of southern and northern bankers and industrial lords-that the capitalist parties are the instruments of a special class-the capitalist class—the class which keeps both Negro and white workers in and did it."

Walling's proposal amounts to nothing more or less than an alliance with the enemies of the Negro masses.

As for Roosevelt, his platitudes "governmental rights and civic opportunities"-have been the stock in trade of republican politicians for years. It is a strange conception of their duty to their race which moves the N. A. A. C. P. to bring such a speaker to their

Surely any group which has the interests of their race at heart, and which knows even a little of the futile efforts made by the labor unions and farmers, the tremendous waste of time and energy, and the complete lack of concrete results achieved by the non-partisan policy, should at least have given the question of independent political action by Negro and white workers and farmers a place on the program of its conference.

The failure to do this has made the N. A. A. C. P. a field for exploitation by every self-seeking politician and a prey to the ambitions of every whirling dervish of the democrat and republican parties who cannot for one reason or another, gain admission to the inner councils of the capitalists.

### Asking At Smith to Investigate His Man

New York City believes in being first in all things. If Pennsylvania corporations and millionaires spent \$3,000,000 to corrupt the voters in the republican primaries, Gotham traction interests and Wall Street banks spent twice that amount to put over Governor Al Smith's candidate for mayor of the city.

According to figures submitted by City Magistrate David Hirschfield, who was commissioner of accounts under Mayor Hylan, the backers of Al Smith and his candidate, the broadway he-butterfly, Jimmy Walker, spent the enormous sum of \$6,000,000 in the primary | der the chairmanship of an American, and election of 1925.

The victory was cheap at that, considering the fact that about Tacna and Arica for eleven months. twice as many people cast votes in New York City as in the state of hand. She is partial to Chile because Pennsylvania. Mr. Hirschfield, being a good democrat, like Al Smith, ought not to object to the New York traction interests spend- look after there, ing as much per vote for the candidate of America's leading democrat as the Mellon interests spent to put over a Pennsylvania republican.

Mr. Hirschfield is also a very simple-minded man and demands that Governor Smith appoint an impartial tribunal to investigate the New York slush fund. Does Mr. Hirschfield imagine that Al Smith is going to investigate himself and Tammany Hall?

While the politicians who are out fighting against those who are in and expose the fact that the great public utility combines spent millions of dollars to elect their own mayor it would be the better Previous to the beginning of the part of wisdom for the workers of the city of New York and of other places where such scandals have broken, are breaking and will break, to ask why it is of interest to the corporations to spend so much ditions prevailing in the shop and to on their candidates.

An inquiry into these slush funds from a class point of view will furnish one more valid reason why labor should create its own polit- text that they would be needed to fill ical party and challenge both old parties. It will also reveal why the labor officials at the head of various branches of the trade union movement support Tammanyite candidates in New York, Pinchot in Pennsylvania and other capitalist candidates in other parts of the country. Part of the slush fund determines the political policy of these leaders in the labor movement who support capitalist candidates. They are for sale to the highest bidder and oppose the creation of a labor party because it would spoil their graft.

Inbecrite!

## Glimpses of the Great Strike

By EARL R. BROWDER.

COMING into London just after the Britishers were, on the whole, taking going about their business with a sublime disregard of the fact that world history had just been made under their noses. And instead of making records of all the small and great experiences, the new creations of the nasses in their great movement, all attention was being turned to the record of the betrayal and the official history. Much, very much, of the story of the strike which matters the most, will never be told because British workers haven't learned to write about their own life. But fragments London is a collection of 25 cities, being gathered, which may some day help make the whole picture. Here having its own organization, its own are a few of such fragments:

complete charge of the town during had been elected real left-wingers. the strike period. It was known that In Bethnal Green, the town council dropped into the town to learn how perfect example of transition forms of

"We called a meeting of all officials sang 'Lead Kindly Light,' after which out like this: were doing it, and that the council | Speaker: "Oh, certainly, of course, should sort of take charge of things we won't talk politics. We'll just talk and especially stop all transport. That about the strike and the issues comsounded reasonable, so we elected the ing out of it." council, and put the Salvation Army C. of C .: "All right, then." (Intro-

Chilean Delegate

in Tacna-Arica

the general strike (great applause). "grovelling for peace." Going the the future

WHAT did the workers think of the In this fight, we have found out that betrayal? On this point, there the government is not on our side, will be much published, for the workthat it is on the side of the employers, that it is the great strikebreaker ers are writing many letters, some est one of all, the most to the point,

shillings for your fund. If you will Chairman (after the meeting): "We throw our leaders in the Thames certainly appreciated your wonderful ger you!" and he left the room. we will next week send you three speech, and I'm so glad you adidn't pounds."-(Signed) "Three Railtouch on politics, because these Tory THE large Royal Albert Hall was workers are so touchy about it."

Council for certain purposes, but each Town Hall, etc. Four of these town halls were turned over to the strike recruited during the strike. Thus, committees or Councils of Action of conscience of one of the blackleg printers brought on a momentary amnesia, which in turn resulted in ing all the stereotype plates after the original type had been distributed.

However that may be, a certain they had worked it. This is the story organization such as may be expected other printer certainly did slip-up at as I heard him repeat it from the to show themselves during the pro- exactly the correct moment, while reading proof on the pamphlet of Hamilton Fyre which purports to tell cipal church. Of course, there was proclaimed that the great strike was it is a perfect exposure of the silly, some jealousy on the part of mem- "purely an industrial struggle," went fatuous, arrogant, and altogether debers of other churches, but we solved instructions to local strike commit spicable bourgeois inside the labor that by pointing out that this one tees "not to allow any speakers to movement, and of the rank panic platform. Then we had prayer and in most places; in others it worked proof-reader must have been deeply disgusted with the book, for, when he the meeting took up its business. A Chairman of Committee: "We are got to the cover, and there read a is a local captain in the Salvation must understand that most of our he so far forgot his craft-pride that Army as well as a transport worker) workers here are Tories, voted for he slipped in a question mark where that a Council of Action should be Baldwin, and while they are striking it should not have been according to

"Mr. Hamilton Fyfe was in the best position to know all about it and in this book he tells what he

man in charge of the pickets, and duces the speaker).

The miners have fighting leaders own fear or weakness, but by the fear then everybody prayed for the success (Addressing meeting): of the strike and the work of the "Comrades, I will not talk politics to Nothing is further from them than ed leaders. They tasted a moment of Council of Action, and then we went you tonight, for we are interested in such action as Thomas boasted of-

story which excellently illustrates this

It was during the negotiations carbetrayal of the Great Strike, one of which are even forcing their way (hisses and cries of 'shame, shame'). ried on between the miners, the gen was instantly struck by the fact that into the official journals. Even "Lans- But in spite of Baldwin and his fascist eral council, and the Baldwin cabinet bury's", which is so afraid of hurt aids, in spite of Sir Simon and the in the tense hours before the general it rather as a matter of course, and ing anyone's feelings that it doesn't miserable echoes of Baldwin in the strike was to go into effect. Things criticise the leaders, has carried some | Liberal Party, in spite of the false | had come to a deadlock. Everyone "hot stuff" from railroad workers de spokesmen of Labor who cringe and was silent. Lord Birkenhead, presidnouncing Thomas & Co. But the brief- crawl before our enemies, we will ing, demanded: "Well, has no one stand solid in this general strike un- anything to contribute?" Still deep si was sent to the Women's Committee til we win." (Tremendous cheering, lence. "Mr. Smith," said his lordand cries of "Down with Baldwin," ship, addressing the venerable presi-"Up with the real Labor govern- dent of the Miners' Federation, "haven't you a final word for us?"

"Yes," said Herbert Smith, "Bug-

packed with 10,000 workers who had paid six pence to two shillings TT was certainly strange how acci- per seat for the privilege of demdents would happen to spoil the onstrating support of the miners. It work of the few blacklegs who were was a generous and warm-hearted audience which gave money-a thousthey say (though I can't vouch for it) and pounds-and rings, watches and that the reason why it is impossible jewelry, to help feed the miners. It to get a copy of the first issue of also gave freely of its applause to all William Paul, editor of the Sunday Worker, to the Lady Cynthia Moseley, wealthy aristocrat turned labor party. the applause became a storm of cheers and songs of greeting. The climax of the meeting was when Cook

"The most magnificent thing that has come out of this struggle so far is the demonstration of what real international solidarity means, in the assistance given us by the Russian

The demonstration which followed and the singing of the International, indicated that in the hearts of about 9.999 of the total 10,000 workers present, the Anglo-Russian Unity Commit tee was a very vital and very living

THESE little pictures are not nearly so important as the statistics of the decline of capitalist production, or the weighty theses which must be read by all of us on "The Lessons of the Great Strike." But still, slight as they are and fragile, things, most of them to be taken with a smile, they do reflect quite truly that enormously important historical fact-that the workers of Great Britain had set their were only snatched back, not by their

#### WITH THE STAFF

Being Things From Here and There Which Have Inspired Us to Folly or Frenzy

#### Who's a Swede, Eh?

Gustav Adolphe was a jolly young

O, a jolly young Swede was he, Though his mother's folks came from

And his father's from gay Pares.

He came to visit the U.S.A. And the plute press went to ravin'

At the face and the form And the hair and the eyes

Of this "typical Scandinavian."

#### . . . GOING SUMMERING WITH BILLY THE FAT?

Bill Taft (you all know Billy the Fat) s reported as having been too sick to leave Washington to occupy his summer home in Canada. The DAILY WORKER bunch have also been delayed in leaving for their summer homes, but chiefly because they haven't got any. We imagine that darn few workers have left for sumsummer homes left for them, after the capitalists occupy 'em. We note Taft has chosen Canada, probably for the cool,

#### Bishops and Bacteria.

We should like to know how many of the thousands of lips that have kissed the episcopal rings of the prelates, attending the Eucharistic Congress deposited what varieties of germs, and how many of each on the blessed jewels, and how many lips carried them off again.

This seems to be a problem for one of those ecumenical councils that worry themselves trying to determine how many angels can dance on the point of a needle.

#### Stand Back and Don't Crowd.

The "comrade at the next desk" was ooking over the Philadelphia papers: and found an item concerning the appropriation of 7,500 francs by the feet upon the path of revolution, and Colonial Council of the Virgin Islands to provide for an exhibition at the sesqui-centennial. The item was headed-"Virgin Is. To Exhibit Here."

#### Oh, Dahm, Give Us a Younger Elder!

Under a bombardment of eggs, vegetables, and stout sticks, four disciples of John Alexander Dowie were chased out of Evanston, Illinois, by a crowd of 700 angry citizens. Elder H. A. Nichols was plastered from head to foot with eggs and Elder E. F. Dahms was badly battered.-News item, June

#### THEM WUZ THE DAYS

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 25, 1861 and enormous damage was done to several institutions. The mob went from one bank to another, wrecking as it went. The Capt. Hibbard Zouaves, preparing to leave for war, were called and the rioters dispersed. Fifty-two were arrested. The inflammatory meeting was held. A cannon was procured and a demand made on the mayor for the release of the prisoners. The mayor refused and defied the rioters. They threaten to take the town by storm. Every citizen who can get a gun is armed and martial law has been declared.

Our idea of nothing to kick about is given by the item from Olso, Norway. A protestant minister accuses the nurses in a Catholic hospital of having deprived a protestant patient of his bible and burning it. Our idea is that it is bad luck enough to be in a hospital.

#### AIN'T THE DEVIL BUSY!

The jolly old friars have a right to protest. At the greatest celebration of the Eucharistic congress, just when the representative of the pope started a parade of three miles around a breaking so many ribs and tramping on so many of one another that the Chicago hospitals were filled to the doors, \$200,000 of silken vestments ruined, and more straw hats spoiled than would feed Nebraska's cows over them about it raining on the just and the unjust, but it never said anything

#### Speaking of the Eucharist

"I had two locust preachers?" sadly

over the land and eat up everything." "That's right," said Mrs. Retlaw, "I

Augustin Edwards is the leader of the Chilean delegation on the plebiscitary commission that has been, untrying to settle the sovereignty of she has large interests of her own to

### "Natural Bloom" Cigar Workers' Strike

NEW YORK June 28 .- For the past nine weeks the "Natural Bloom" cigar workers have been on strike. strike the best workers were making \$25 to \$30 a week on piece work. The Florida Collapse Is bosses, in order to destroy union confurther cut wages, brought in a bunch of new workers, agreeing that they should join the union under the pre-

number of orders on hand. No sooner had these new workers employed than the bosses claimed that orders had been cancelled and started to lay off the old union workers.

The company also established a factory in Passaic in order to defeat the pickets at the New York factory. In Passaic the pickets have great difficulty to get near the factory. All workers should remember that the

'Natural Bloom' cigar is being made

A sub a day will help to drive

Kidnapped Evangelist, Back, Starts Revival



There was something queer about Almee Semple MacPherson's abduction. Her tale of harrowing experiences in the desert after being "spirited" away in broad daylight from a Los Angeles bathing beach is hard to swallow. lake, bearing the sacred monstrance Enters Ninth Week If it was publicity she was after, she got it. It seems very logical that there should be a revival on the occasion with the "actual body" and the "acof her "return." She has a big following of retired wealthy who have gone to California to clip coupins. Workers, tual blood," etc., all hell broke loose who have no money to build temples, are not interested in her "four-square" gospel. The woman "Billy Sunday" is in a driving storm of wind, rain and shown in bed, recovering form her escapade. The mayor of Douglas, Arizona, is questioning her. Below is the taxi. hail. The faithful fled for shelter, driver that was supposed to have found her in Mexico and the sanitarium to which he took her.

### Hitting Banks; Run for Palm Beach Cash

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., June 29 The movement of \$10,000,000 in cash in armored motor cars from Miami to West Palm Beach during the night became known this morning when all banks in the city, with the exception of Palm Beach Bank and Trust Company and the Commercial Bank and Trust company opened their doors in the face of crowds thru which excitement ran high.

With the emergency supply of cash available, bank officials were confident the near-panic among depositors would rapidly subside. The Palm eBach Bank and Trust company, it was announced today, probably will reopen within 60 days.

### Gary Workers!

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#### New Railroad Merger Involving a Billion Is Planned by L. F. Loree winter. The good book had warned

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29. -Plans for another gigantic railroad about hail. merger, rivalling in magnitude the proposed billion dollar Van Sweringen Nickel Plate consolidation, have been practically completed, and will be submitted this week to the Interstate Commerce Commission for approval, it was learned today.

The new merger involves the Kansas City Southern, Missouri-Kansas-Texas, and the St. Louis-South western railroads. L. F. Loree, president of the Delaware and Hudson, is sponsor of the merger.

Loree's plans will differ from Van Sweringen's in that he does not propose to make stock exchange obli-

Reminds us of the hostesses who were returning from seeing the visitors off-on the train. "Who did you have, Mr. Brown?"

asked Mrs. Retlaw. "Oh, a very nice minister. Who did you have?"

observed Mrs. Retlaw. "You mean local preachers. Locusts are those insects that swarm

had two of them."