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## STRESS NEED FOR NEW MILL UNION AT W. I. R. MEET

Weisbord Emphasizes Importance of New Bedford Strike

## **138 Delegates Present**

## Formulate Plan to Aid **Textile Strikers**

The necessity of the formation of new textile union for the exploited workers in the industry throughout the United States was the major point of most of the speeches delivered at the Textile Relief Confer-Relief, held Saturday afternoon at the Irving Plaza Hall. One hundred and thirty-five delegates, trade unions, fraternal organizations, workers clubs, workmen circles, women organizations and shops were present

Decisions on the work of the conference were passed unanimously. They included plans for a big tag day in October, a Workers Song Festival, the formation of a New York City clothing and shoe station, house-to-house collections for textile group headed by Frank McGarry, Los Angeles on Sunday, Sept. 23rd. strikers relief, and the sending of who was named president by the Ben Gitlow, vice-presidential candiranization meetings.

workers leader, spoke after the ing a seven-hour session of the nist Party speak, are being held opening of the conference. He Lewis-Boylan executive board. The every Sunday night, in San Franunion and the necessity of holding formed a dual union. a Textile Mills Committee Convention soon

Relief, emphasized the necessity of and five members of their executive a huge national Workers Interna- board.

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## Big Communist Rally ed the McGarry forces. September 28

The candidates of the Workers heroic Pittston mine leader who at the first large election campaign against the Cappellini machine in rally to be held in New York this District 1. McGarry capitalized his rally to be held in New York this year at the Central Opera House on September 28 at 8 p. m. will expose the political role played by the so-called "progressives" who with the capellini machine. The Mc-continued on Page Five



Left to right: Capt. Egge, Commander of the Soviet Icebreaker "Krassin," Prof. Samoilovich, in charge of the Amundsen rescue expedition; and an officer on the "Krassin." With the rescue of 13 of the Nobile crew to their credit, the Krassin crew has again put out to the Arctic regions, determined not to give up the search until some trace at least of the Amundsen crew is found. The Italian fascist government recently ordered its ships to discontinue their search. Amundsen, lost explorer, is shown at right.

To Speak in

Coast Cities

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 16.

-Wm. Z. Foster, Communist presi-

# FORCES Foster, Gitlow

## Miners Had Deserted "Opposition"

(Special to the Daily Worker) members of the so-called insurgent Francisco. He will then speak in Albert Weisbord, militant textile the United Mine Workers follow- and local candidates of the Commu- demolished homes.

Unprincipled Opposition.

The McGarry - Brennan - Harris Wednesday. In Oakland, every Tuesforces refused to take any stand on day night at 10th and Broadway. principle against the corrupt Lewis The following headquarters are injured. Advices from the island of machine and sought to become the open for any worker to get Commu- Humacao placed the death toll above administration for Lewis. Due to nist campaign literature, or to sign thirty-five and indicated more might IN RED CAMPAIGN this policy which went contrary to the vast die dates on the ballot: In San Franmajority of the rank and file min- cisco, 1212 Market Street; In Oakers, the membership rapidly desert- land, Workers Book Shop, 2123

cooperated with Alex Campbell, the

Telegraph Ave.; In Berkeley, Com-The so-called McGarry opposition rades Hall, 1819 Tenth Street. (Communist) Party who will speak at the first large election campaign

**STORM IN PORTO RICO KILLS** Tornado Sweeps Over day sent a letter to Mayor Rolph, Florida Coast

dential candidate, will speak on Friday evening, Sept. 21st, at the Civic SAN KUAN, Porto Rico, Sept. 16 SCRANTON, Sept. 16.—Eight Auditorium, Larkin Hall, in San (UP).—With communication service leaflets, which were received by Workers Union, who were expelled only partly reestablished, estimates sailors on board every one of the of damage in last Thursday's hurri- 47 warships in the Pacific Fleet by Corn, last night gathered at the collection lists and speakers to union and other labor and fraternal or-tion held about two months ago, the Eagles Hall, on October the 5th, day, adding a large number of deaths. and other labor and fraternal or- tion held about two months ago, the Eagles Hall, on October the 5th. day, adding a large number of deaths were Friday night expelled from Election Rallies at which the state to the disaster of ruined crops and

stressed the importance of the New charge against them was disloyalty cisco at 1212 Market Street, and in killed in Cayey and the island of ship. Bedford strike, the need for a new to the organization for having Oakland at Fraternity Hall, 7th and Humacao, it was reported, and the tarist Peralta Street. In San Jose, meet- toll is expected to be greatly in-Included with McGarry are John ings are held every Sunday after-creased by information from the in-Fred Biedenkamp, national secre-Walter Harris, secretary-treasurer meetings are being held as follows: creased by information from the in-terior region. Conservative estimates tion was seen in the announcement tary of the Workers International of the so-called insurgent group In San Francisco, 20th and Mission, placed the damage at more than by the jingo speakers that the War every Friday night; Fillmore and \$50,000,000. O'Farrell, every Friday night;

Cayey, which is twenty-five miles Third and Minna, Monday and southwest of here, reported at least thirty persons were killed in that vicinity and more than 100 seriously

Officials here were of the opinion that at least 100 persons were killed on the entire island but full infor mation will not be available until roads and communication lines are restored.

Ponce suffered terrible destruction, it is known, but no details were available tonight.

Later Released

NAVAL OFFICER Harlem Straw Vote Reveals ATTACKS YOUNG WORKERS LEAGUE

San Francisco Jingoes Furious as Sailors Get Leaflets

Police "Investigating" 120 LEFT WING

Leaflet Urges Defense of Working Class

(Special to the Daily Worker) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 16 .- The militarist authorities in San Francisco, thrown into a furore by the distribution of over a thousand leaflets by members of the Workers (Communist) Young League to sailors of the Pacific

Fleet during its recent visit to San Francisco, have begun a campaign of suppression of all Communist Score Knife Committee

Captain Black, jingo in command Charge Corn Intends of the U. S. S. California, yesterdemanding that the activities of the

Young Workers (Communist) One hundred and twenty butcher League be investigated in connecworkers, all members of the miliby the corrupt leadership, dominated Ninth St., for the purpose of organ-

Jingoes Hold "Lectures."

So panic stricken were the naval officials, that "lectures" were hur-More than fifty persons were riedly arranged on board every In these lectures the mili officials urged that the sailors "pay no attention to the Bolshevik literature" that they had mittee," and that he had been forced Department of the United States to fight the entire five attackers was "investigating the matter."

Immediately after the receipt of all brandished butcher-knives. the letter from Captain Black, Mayor Rolph issued an order to the police department of San Francisco, commanding them to investigate the activities of the Young Workers (Communist) League, with the purpose of taking drastic action

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TER TALKS TO

his being framed-up by the right wing gangsters and sent to prison. While the meeting was in prog-WORKERS ress, a crowd of the right wing knife-wielding gangsters gathered ress, a crowd of the right wing

outside on the streets and attempted to start a riot, with the incention JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 16 Militant Miners Hail of blaming it on the militant left wing workers assembled in the hall. Finally, Corn, one of his assistant Workers' Solidarity Dance in Hargangsters and several policemen lem. Tickets for this dance will be broke into the meeting room, intend- sent to all the units and all com-BUTTE, Montana, Sept. 16 .- ing to reate a riot among the work- rades are asked to buy tickets and Here on the battle ground of some ers present. The workers stood attend this dance in a demonstration of the most bitterly contested labor their ground, however, and not only of the solidarity of black and white

BUTCHERS MEET

FOR NEW UNION

Defense of Framed

Militant

to Levy \$25

wing-controlled leading clique.

been attacked by Corn's "knife com-

with his back to the wall, while they



Workers Party Platform on Negro Question Impresses Workers Thruout Country

A decided trend on the part of the Negro voters towards Plass Resolution for the the Workers (Communist) Party candidates is seen in several straw votes taken within the last fortnight on the streets of Negro Harlem.

Openly resentful at the consistent treachery of the republican party, aware of the traditional enmity of the southern



Negro Workers Rallying to

**Communist Election Drive** 

Workers Solidarity Dance to Wind Up

izing a real militant workers union among the butchers that will be free trict 2 of the Workers (Commu- president. of the corruption and gangsterism nist) Party. It will be marked by now rampant in the yellow rightdiscussions on the problems of the

Negro workers and by an effort to Moore, Workers Party candidate for A resolution, passed unanimously raise funds to push the Party's Ne- congress in the 21st Congressional by all of the 120 workers present. reiterated the stand of the expelled gro work. members that Shiffrin, now in jail Negro comrades will be assigned under charges of manslaughter, had

by the district agitprop department to lead the discussion in as many units as possible. Where Negro comrades are not available the units ticket in the coming eletion to raise will select one of their own memtheir hands, not a single hand was bers to lead the discussion.

seen. The call for a socialist show-Warn Workers Against Corn. Collections are to be taken up in ing of hands met with the same It warned the workers in the all units for the purpose of financ- lack of response, while the call for union against Corn's intention to ing our Negro work. These collec- a democratic showing netted just levy a tax of \$25, on each member, tions must be sent to the district three hands of persons who had not and urged them to protest against Contribution yet recovered from the virus of the office immediately. this tax. Geing on to define their lists will be distributed to each Al Smith gaff. The call for those member and all must try to get con- who would vote for the Workers stand in the attack on Shiffrin, the resolution closed with a pledge that tributions from their shop mates Party met with quite a different reevery possible effort would be made and Party sympathizers for this sponse, however. There was a sponin the defense of Shiffrin to prevent most important work. Subscription taneous raising of hands, followed blanks for the Party's Negro press by hearty applause.

will also be given out and each com- This same method of taking a rade must take a year's subscrip- straw vote is being followed by Edtion in order both to support the ward Welsh, candidate on the Workwork and to keep himself properly ers Party ticket for assemblyman in informed upon the problems and the 19th Assemby District, and by other speakers, and meets with pracoutlook of the Negro workers.

trend of Negro workers towards the

Party observable, but throughout

the country. The Negro workers

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**OPEN AIR MEETING** 

Napoli, Red Candidate,

Speaks

air meeting of the Workers (Com-

munist) Party at 116th St. and

First Ave. at which Napoli, Work-

ers Party candidate for state sena-

tor was speaking. Napoli was as-

sailing the democratic and republi-

can parties as tools of big business.

when someone in the audience, said

to have been a member of the Amer-

ican Legion, began to interfere. The

fascist walked away and returned

Police Saturday broke up an open

Negro Week will wind up with a tically the same results. And not only in Harl

ers are welcoming with open arms the aggressive election campaign the Workers Party is waging in Harlem to elect three militant Negro leaders on the Party ticket, headed by William Z. Foster for This week is Negro Week in Dis- president and Ben Gitlow for vice

Speaking to a huge crowd of Negro workers last Tuesday night at Lenox Ave. and 134th St., Richard

District, after devoting an hour to a graphic exposure of the treacherous role of the bosses' parties and their socialist allies, called for a show of hands. To his call for those who would vote the republican

years ago.

With the formation of the "Prog-assive League" by heads of the Laressive League" by heads of the La-Follette movement, with the express purpose of campaigning for Al Smith, the delineation of the political forces becomes clearer. More clearly than ever is brought out the identity of the socialists; the "progressives," following a 1,000 Copies Will Be vacillating policy with regards to affiliation with either the socialists Distributed Each Day block the open shop drive and the treachery of the U. M.W. A. maor democrats, bring home to workers the essential fact that as far as the workers are concerned there is Continued on Page Two



Police Arrest Workers office of the Daily Worker, and will be the first big scale attempt of the for Picketing

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 16 .- Negro workers. A new office has been opened in Kreiger will have as his assisers. The meeting will be held at exploited Negro masses. the new office, 42 North 9th St. In spite of the fact that the Philadelphia branch is new and is only in the process of organization as yet, the office is busy day and

night with many workers in the Continued on Page Two

## Nine Dead as Result of Rockford Storm

the body of Olaf Larson, 27, from day. the ruins of the Rockford chair and furniture company factory.

remain in the wreckage.

DRIVE IN HARLEM

STARTED

A mass canvass of Harlem for the

purpose of getting new readers for

Daily Worker will be distributed to the Negro workers in the vicinity. This distribution will be continued practice. daily for the entire week.

The distribution will be supervised by S. Kreiger, of the business militant daily to attract the atten-

tion of the great masses of exploited

Philadelphia, a branch of the Na- tants a committee composed of tional Organization Committee of members of the Harlem section of the Cloak and Dressmakers' Union. the Workers (Communist) Party. There will be an official conference These workers will rally and are exon Tuesday evening, Sept. 18, con- pected to be a big and powerful sisting of delegates from shop com- factor in the work of popularizing Mercer St., Newark, for important block the postponement of the hearmittees for the purpose of building the only real fighting workers' pa- Party work. up a militant union for the work- pers in the United States among the

REFORMIST

(Wireless to the Daily Worker.) | teration" in the tenants protection VIENNA, Sept. 16 .- What seems law is inevitable.

to be the beginning of the complete unless the next elections bring a so-ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 16 (UP). betrayal of the interests of the Aus- cial democratic majority. which con--Death toll of the tornado which trian tenant farmers is indicated as tingency is unlikely, the social dem-

Articles in the social democratic



The party congress delegates are "Arbeiterzeitung" and "Abend" hint almost exclusively officials, as the start work on several plays on work-Larson was caught under the that the congress will decide to workers have been sifted out in ing class subjects, written by active factory's water tank and crushed to partly abandon the tenant's protec- carefully prepared district conferdeath. His body was the first re-covered since Friday. Five bodies points to the difficult situation in wing, under the leadership of Ren-tor, will work with the Workers to these craftsmen in Cisco, Texas the provinces and declares that "al- ner, is expected.

Continued on Page Three Class Struggle EAST PITTSBURGH, Pa.—The first convention of the National POLICE BROWBEA Miners' Union which met here September 9-10, worked out and adopt

ed the following statement of the policy the new organization expects to pursue in its efforts to make the coal fields fit for a miner to work

chine. The deep crisis in the coal in-

the Daily Worker in its Election dustry has become ever more acute. Campaign Subscription Drive for The ranks of the hundreds of thous- for a Red hysteria drive, police of-10,000 new readers, will be inaugur- ands unemployed miners are swell- ficers yesterday virtually kidnaped ated today, when 1,000 copies of the ing with the rapid advance of labor Joseph Costa, a young textile saving loading machines, conveyers striker, and worked for hours in a and mechanical devices. A terrific vain effort to force admissions from speed-up system is being put into the boy of his "subversive activi-

While the profits of the coal operators have grown into stagger-rested on a framed-up charge of ining figures, the misery and want vading a public school, "desecrating among the coal miners is appalling. the American flag" and "swearing Yet the operators pursuing their Continued on Page Four allegiance to the Red Flag," was

Members of the Party!

All New Jersey comrades are to

spector John G. Harberg, who, to-Attention All Newark gether with two "dicks," nabbed the young striker immediately after the hearing on his case, which was postponed to Monday morning. Costa pleaded "not guilty" to the

ties."

JOHN J. BALLAM. Acting Dist. Org. Dist. 2. BETRA

Finally, after all efforts to force

Theatre

Workers Theater to Meet Tonight; Plans The Abend declares openly that for Many Plays

> Union Square, Room 34, at 8 p. m. Arrangements will be made to

members during the summer. Boris

Communist Message (Special to the Daily Worker)

nome of the strikebreaking Anacon- gathered outside from entering the da Mining Company, the industrial STRIKER city that once sent its flaming message of revolt east and west thruout the country, William Z. Foster,

in, raise wages, shorten hours, and Costa Kidnapped, But ers (Communist) Party ticket spoke Thursday night to a rapt and enthusiastic audience on the program of class struggle in the National Plat-NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Sept. 16. form of the Communist Party in -In an attempt to lay the basis

election campaign. It was in Butte that the slaves of its fighting days.

It was in Butte that the heroic Costa, who last Friday was arda Mining Company and hanged Continued on Page Three

seized by Federal Immigration In- Progressive Workers of Building Trades Hold Electiond Rally

Under the auspices of a progresreport without fail Monday, Sept. charge and although Prosecutor sive group of building trades work-17, between 4:30 and 7:30 at 93 Raphael Berracini attempted to ers, an election campaign rally will be held on Saturday, October 6th, Howard Donovan, arrived here toing the demand was finally granted. at the Labor Temple, 243 East 84th day and took up his duties immedi- tion of Hoover's department of Costa, who is a courageous mili- St. The meeting is scheduled to ately.

tant, could not be intimidated. open at 2:30 o'clock. Even when Harberg produced a pair of handcuffs and threatened to beat the workers' viewpoint will be dishim up, Costa maintained his com- cussed by speakers and the role

Austria Socialists Fighting Peasants Costa into admissions of guilt had tools of big business will be ex-failed, he was released. Workers will be urged to

dates for office, under the emblem of the Hammer and Sickle.

The first meeting this fall of the ed to be present to address the Workers Theatre will take place to- meeting as well as well-known to nine today with the recovery of cratic party opened here on Satur- duction of the tenants' protection night at the Workers Center, 26-28 militants among the building trades

BARBERS ORGANIZE

struggles in American history, the prevented the rest of the gangsters workers. hall, but ejected Corn and his protecting gangster from the meeting

Corn, in an assertion which he made later in the evening, charged that he had been struck while in the hall. This, however, was denied by

the left wing workers present. During the meeting the progressive group of the Bakers Union do-

nated the sum of \$500 for the defense of William Shiffrin. Two hundred dollars were given in cash and

the leadership of the I. W. W. in few days. The Delicatessen Clerks for president of the United States, followed suit with \$100 in cash and will make a two-day campaign visit It was in Butte that the heroic Frank Little was taken from his bed at night by an army of headland week. Among the militant left Newark where a torchlight parade at night by an army of hoodlums wing butcher workers themselves, is to be staged in the evening after under the direction of the Anacon- \$1,900 was raised to free Shiffrin. a day spent engaging in the cus-

> meeting were Werner and Teitle- candidate. baum of the expelled group of the Butchers' Union; Bronsky, Okun and Weiss of Bakers' Union, and D. Vacker of the Grocery and Fruit Clerks' Union. Malamud acted as chairman of the meeting.

### Secretaries of all units in the district meeting on Monday night are asked to call at the district office to make sure of getting their instructions for Negro Week, con-

tribution lists, tickets, etc. **Hoover Will Speak** 

in Newark Tonight

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- Hercopper kings revolted under \$300 more promised within the next bert Hoover, republican candidate

Among those who addressed the tomary stupidities of a presidential In Newark it includes laying a with two policemen, who ordered the wreath on the Washington monu- meeting to stop. The audience of

ment, a visit to the birthplace of about 100 workers were angered by Grover Cleveland, a guest at a re- the action of the police. publican reception. After the parade he will deliver his first speech

in an armory hall. NEW WALL ST. ENVOY It will be broadcast by a large BAHIA, Brazil, Sept. 16 .- The hook-up of the stations allowed to newly appointed American consul, exist under the autocratic dominacommerce

TWO GIRLS WIN HUNGER STRIKE

Knitting Mills

Amanda Rittmer, and Mertice Hudson, two young mill strikers are free here today as a result of a hunger strike which they carried rests by local police for their ac-

The last arrest occurred elever didate for congress from the 22nd statement to the press in which you days ago during a demonstration of state that Negroes are indignant at locked out workers of the Allen New York district, and Negro the treatment they have received Knitting Mills. Both girls went to workers' leader, has sent the fol- at the hands of the republican par- jail refusing to accept bail and have lowing letter to the Reverend S. L. ty and are therefore turning to the forced their release through a hun-

BRUSSELS, Sept. 16 .--- The skele-Glagclin. well-known Russian direc-tor, will work with the Workers to these craftsmen in Cisco, Texas didate for president on the demo-Theatre and Halifax. Nova Scotia. cratic party: Continued on Page Three sino at Lierre, near Antwerp. The action of the Independent ton of a British soldier has been

# tivities on the picket line.

Arrested for Picketing KENOSHA, Wis., Sept. 16 .--

Rev. Dr. S. L. Carruthers, Dear Sir: I have just read your



**MOORE HITS MISLEADER** 



democratic parties as the eager posed. Workers will be urged to vote and work for a working class platform and working class candi-

ers (Communist) Party are expect- Workers (Communist) Party can-

workers

-The Journeymen Barbers' Inter-

spittle in the service of a reaction-Several candidates of the Work- ary party," Richard B. Moore

Carruthers, of the Independent democratic party for relief from ger strike. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 16. League of Negro Voters, which endorsed Al Smith, Wall Street can-

the unfair discrimination .against them

Characterizing him as a "lick-Voters, Ansonia, Conn.

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THE DAILY WORKER, NEW YORK, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1923



# 200 REPLIES TO LOCAL CIRCULAR

## Progressives Stand on Militant Program

Indications of a growing revolt against the reactionary administration of Wm. L. Hutcheson, president of the Carpenters Internores-Union, was seen here by progresthe Carpenters' International sive members of the organization following reports received by the Defense and Reinstatement Committee of former Local 376.

Nearly 200 replies favorable to the appeal sent out by the committee to union locals throughout the country have been received, it was announced by Morris Rosen, former president of Local 376. Rosen is to present the appeal of the local before the coming convention of the International to be held at Lakeland, Florida, September 29.

Outgrowth of Reactionary Drive. The Defense and Reinstatement Committee of Local 376 was formed following the country-wide drive administration against all progressivism within the union ending with the destruction of the local. The appeal by the local which came before the Indianapolis convention of the International four years ago closing session in one of the stormiest scenes in the history of the organization.

Local 376 sent out a review of its beaten up.

been received by Nathan Rosen, thugs in Allegheny Valley. The gates present. secretary of the committee, 174 sluggers, whose names are John The Resolutions Committee, Grafton St., Brooklyn. Thousands Arcure, Ray Spatti and John Don- elected unanimously after a vote of Brooklyn-Powers, Vera Bush, Mcof copies of the appeal have been nelly, were held on a charge of at- the delegates present, is made up of Donald, Rosemond. sent to many of these locals at their tempted murder on a bond of \$1,000 the following workers: Pogano, of request for distribution among their each. The bond was furnished by the members ers organization.

Many in Direct Support.

Among the replies are numerous letters declaring direct support of the appeal of Local 376. Others indicate that they will instruct their delegates to fight to give Morris Rosen a hearing at the Lakewood convention. A third group, evidently not wishing to declare themselves at this time indicate that their delegates would like to meet Rosen dur- Watt to Speak on New the Photographers Union. ing the convention to discuss the issue further.

The replies both as to character and number are considered of the greatest significance by progressive tional Miners Convention at Pittscarpenters.

against Hutcheson four years ago, the police and 200 Lewis thugs, predicted that there would be a they showed their fighting spirit by strong progressive opposition to the holding an all-night session in jail.

Progressives Gaining.



Above, the S. S. Ecuador, listing badly to port as the result of a broken rudder, off Cape Lazarus, Lower California. Passengers are shown being rescued by heroic work of the crew and seamen of a small Mexican freighter

## WORKER SLUGGED STRESS NEED FOR BY LEWIS'S GANG NEW MILL UNION four years ago by the Hutcheson Steel Slave Mistaken 138 Delegates Attend

for Coal Digger W. I. R. Conference

By W. J. WHITE.

Continued from Page Cne (Special to the Daily Worker) tional Relief Organization, accom PITTSBURGH, Sept. 16 .- Three panying his appeals with graphic was railroaded by Hutcheson at its Lewis gangsters attacked George descriptions of the New Bedford Talevsky, a steel worker, in East strike, showing the need of the mili-Pittsburgh while he was returning tant striking workers.

home from work. They proceeded Harriet Silverman, secretary of Since then resentment against the to beat him up under the impres- the New York Branch of the Workpolicies of betrayal carried out by sion that he was a coal miner. Pas- ers International Relief, spoke on the Hutcheson machine has been sersby seeing the man attacked by the need of forming a permanent spreading. Recently, the Defense the gangsters went to his rescue New York organization to function and Reinstatment Committee of and saved him from being seriously all the year round to raise aid for

developing struggles between the case to several thousand locals The Lewis gang were under the workers and the big industrial throughout the country. To date, direction of Jack Hasson, of New barons. Her proposals for a plan of nearly two hundred replies have Kensington, one of the paid Lewis work were also delivered to the dele-

the discredited United Mine Work- Deak, of the United Textile Work- Wilson (Y. W. L.).

Board; Buckenberger, of the Lower ander, Donaldson. Furriers; Ostrow, of the Architec- Lamb, M. Himoff (Pioneer). tural Iron and Bronze Workers; Wildhorn, of the Office Workers

Union; Bulatkin, of the Hotel Workers, and Baum, representing



September 28

**ARRANGES WEEKS OPEN AIR MEETS** 

## Negro and Elections Is Topic

The Workers (Communist) Party has arranged the following open-air mostings for the current week, at which the environt will be "Negro Problems and the Election Campaign." All sneakers must get bulletins at the district Agitprop Department

#### Monday, Sept. 17.

Passaic, N. J .--- Edward Wright. Plainfield, N. J .-- Sidney LeRoy. Rutgers Square, N. Y .--- Hendin Epstein, Joe Cohen, Blum, Holtz (Pioneer).

First Ave. and 49th St., N. Y. DeLeon, Spiro, Kagan, Caplan. Twenty-eighth St. and Lexington Ave., N. Y .- William Frank, Sumer, Alkin, Ackerman.

### Tuesday, Sept. 18.

Grand St. Ext. and Havemeyer, Goes Way of All Fake Brooklyn-Bimba, Suskin, G. Welsh, R. Ryant (Pioneer). Fifth Ave. and 125th St., N. Y .--

J. Codkind, Gill Green, Silverfarb. Sutter and Williams Sts., Brooklyn-M. Taft, Lipzin, Chernenko, C. Delrimo (Pioneer)

Longwood and Prospect, Bronx .---Grecht, Primoff, G. Spiro, William ers' and Waitresses' Union, resigned Margolis, B. Kaplan (Pioneer). Lenox Ave. and 133rd St., N. Y. organization at the meeting of the

-R. B. Moore, L. Oak, G. Lloyd, union held last Thursday. Williams, Baum (Pioneer). Eagle Pencil Co .-- Phil Frankfeld. Wednesday, Sept. 19.

Second Ave, and Tenth St., N. Y. though left wing followers refused C.-Hendin, Sumner, Alkin, Acker- at the same time to support the man, Schatzkamer (Pioneer).

kapp, Alex. Gussakoff, Ross, Cap- last attack on Rifkin. Rifkin re-

Raum, Blake, Kagan, H. Eisman wing was based on the strike (Pioneer). Fleet St. and Flatbush Ext., carried thru in the most modern

Bricklayers Union, local 1; Ave., N. Y .--- John Sherman, Charles banquet including judges, lawyers

ers Union, Passaic District Council; Seventh Ave. and 131st St., N. Y. Liebowitz, of the Furriers Joint C .--- R. B. Moore, M. Yusem, Alex-

Bronx Workers Club; I. Gordon of Savanth Ave. and 197st St., N. Y. the Bronx Youth; Pine, of the C .- Markoff, Ed. Welsh, Grace

> Passaic, N. J .--- Vern Smith, Evelyn Blacker, Ida Starr. Thursday, Sept. 20.

One Hundred and Thirty-eighth St. and St. Ann's Ave., Bronx-Nes-

sin, Padgug, Harfeld, Leo Margolis, Malliken (Pioneer). Fortieth St. and Eighth Ave., N. C.-Cibulsky, Peer, Bydarian. Twenty-fifth St. and Mermaid

Ave., C. I.-Shapiro, I. Zimmerman, Midolla, H. Gold (Pioneer). Steinway and Jamaica Ave., Asoria, L. I.-Schachtman, Powers,

Vera Bush, Heder. Jefferson and Henry St., N. Y .-Joe Cohen, Silber.



of the American militarists, and map showing course of latest maneuvers. Much attention is being naid by the war-schemers to the value of dirigibles and planes in the middle Atlantic sector. Note on the map the proximity of Canada to the dirigible's course.

Progressives

of which he was chairman, Louis

Rifkin, president of Local 1, Wait-

Wall St. Al Smith **RIFKIN FORCED** to Leave for Tour in Kenny's Coach OFFICE ALBANY, Sept. 16 .--- Travelling in a private railway coach owned by

a millionaire stock jobber and loanmonger, William F. Kenny, the democratic candidate for president, Al Smith, will start on his western

LAKE ONTARIO

BUFFALO

PENN

OPITTSBURGH

WEST

VIRGINIA

VIRGINI

tour in a few days. A group of Following a vote of non-confipoliticians will accompany him on dence in the committee which had the trip. charge of the recent Trufood strike

Former Senator Gilbert M. Hitch- from August 25, because of rain, and disorderly conduct. The scab's wife cock of Nebraska will be with the which will be held Saturday after- claimed that she was the boss of the gang until they reach Omaha and noon, September 22, at Ulmer Park, shop. Immediately after hearing then his place will be taken by Sen- Brooklyn, will lose nothing because this, the manager of the Sigman from his office as president of the ator Burton K. Wheeler, the copper of its postponement, according to a union rushed to court to defend her. trust senator from Montana, a can- statement by the T. U. E. L., issued didate for re-election.

PLAN PICNIC OF

T.U.E.L. SATURDA

of New Union

Criticism of Rifkin, begun by the left wing several months ago, paved the way for his final defeat, althird party ticket last presidential and announced that many more bosses. election but has recanted and is now events have been arranged which one of the main supporters of the were not scheduled for the former entire imperialist policy of the Wall date. The statement reads, in part, Street wing of the democratic par-

ty. He voted for the adherence of and supports all the reactionary measures in the senate of the repub- The past year has marked the grow ing militancy of workers, increased lican-democratic Wall Street coalithe vigor of their fight against both tion against even the middle class the exploitation of the bosses and liberals with whom he identified the treachery of the right wing himself a short time ago.

### MUELLER SENT OFF.

BERLIN, Sept. 16 .--- After a heated debate in the German cabinet. and indications of the instability of the present social democratic reich, Chancellor Mueller left for Geneva in the unions.' to continue the evacuation-war debt negotiations. The cabinet, after many hours of discussion approved

Every new reader of The DAILY WORKER is a potential soldier in the coming battles of the workers.



Police Arrest Workers for Picketing

Continued from Page One trade coming to seek information. All these workers continually show their interest in the new union.

\* \* \* PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16 .--Strikes have already been declared in six dressmakers' and eight cloakmakers' shops. Workers are constantly picketing in front of the

buildings. The Philadelphia police, pursuing their usual tactics against left wing workers, have arrested two pickets who were peacefully walking up and down the picket line.

Both arrests took place at the Brownstein shop, located at 41 To Celebrate Formation North 11th St. The pickets arrested were Esther Miller and Pauline Goldberg.

Pauline Goldberg was beaten up The Trade Union Educational by the wife of a scab and then ar-League Picnic, which was postponed rested by the police on charges of

This fact, according to the mililast night and addressed to all left tant strikers, conclusively proves Wheeler was the candidate for wing workers of the city. The that the interests of the Sigman vice president on the LaFollette statement urged their attendance clique are tied up with those of the

The militant and progressive dress and cloakmakers, however, are determined to fight to a finish, despite the provocative tactics of the

"This year more than ever before Sigman clique, which is alarmed at the United States to the world court the progressive workers of New the inroads being made into their York have cause for celebration. ranks by the new organization.

> **Kellogg Fears Franco-British Naval Pact**

> > **BIG DAYS**

union officials, and, above all, has WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- Due seen the birth of the new union to the Franco-British naval pact and movement in the needle trades. It the threat against the United States it fitting that all left wing worksea power implied in it, official ers get together to celebrate their victories-won through the active opinion here has expressed itself to the effect that the United States leadership of the T. U. E. L. groups government may not join the dis-

armament conference that may take The festival of the left wing place in Geneva during the course of workers will be enlivened by many next year. events, including poetry readings by

The union of the two large pow-Michael Gold, A. B. Magil and others; eating contests, etc. Ulmer ers' governments in the naval ac-Park may be reached by taking the cord will not produce very favor-B.-M. T. West End train to 25th able results as far as the United States government is concerned. Ave.



group of reactionaries under the Union Square, N. Y. C .-- Bieden- leadership of Lehman, who led the signed under fire. Wilkins and Intervale, Bronx---Criticism against him by the left

Ninety-ninth St. and Lexington of the strikes be celebrated with a

and bosses as honored guests. The proposition for this was defeated; and instead, a committee was ap-

to the non-confidence vote. Rifkin was elected to office on a united front progressive ticket, although he has always been criticized

by the left wing.

strategy and settlement, which was

pointed to investigate the expenditure of funds. The reactionary machine led the attack against Rifkin having opposed all organization

Mueller's policy.

class-collaboration style, ending with Rifkin's proposal that the end

work. The strike committee's re-

fusal to account for over \$7,000 led

ON WHILE JAILED

Developments

MINERS CARRIED

When 120 delegates to the Naburgh were thrown into jail after Rosen, who ran for president the convention had been attacked by

machine at this year's convention. They conducted the business of the Big Communist Rally convention; chose the new union's

"The issues which the progressive name becoming increasingly more vital hind the bars of the boss-dungeons. our trade," Rosen declared. "Non-union conditions are spread- incidents of the great Pittsburgh ing. No less than 75 per cent of the convention that will be described to working below the scale. We find Watt, the first president of the new a progressive loss of job control by National Miners Union, at the huge the workers, lowering wage levels Solidarity Mass Meeting in Central and the increasing use of non-union Opera House, 67th St. and Third materials. In our International, in Ave., Thursday night. spite of the fact that the use of Watt, who has been in the forenon-union trim is prohibited by our front of the coal diggers' struggles, and ganization wink at the practice and epoch-making convention.

als, elections and conventions every manager, Organization Department, employed. two years instead of every four as Cloak and Dressmakers' Union, will the organization.

to the fact that they are much bet- Harold Williams, secretary of the feld. William W. Weinstone, Dister organized.



Talk About Rhineland gates Conference for Miners' Relief. to emphasize the importance of do-Evacuation

GENEVA, Sept. 16 .-- After the conclusion of the third conference of the five leading imperialist powers here on plans for Rhineland evacuation negotiations, it was anagreement had been reached.

The official communique said the Gertrude Gordan, chairman of following points were decided upon: the bazaar committee, recommended First, official negotiations on ear- that the committee subdivide itself ly evacuation of the Rhineland will be opened on the request of Chan- trol the Rhineland after evacuation cellor Herman Mueller of Germany. of troops.

Second, necessity for complete The negotiations will be carried and definite settlement of the rep- out through diplomatic channels, it arations problems, including the was announced, and the composition, constitution of a committee of fi- operation, and duration of the comnancial experts for that purpose. mission will form the subject for Third, acceptance of the principle negotiations between the govern-

of constituting a commission of ments of France, Great Britain, verification and conciliation to con- Italy, Belgium and Germany.

National Miners Union carpenters are rallying around are and adopted the constitution-all be-Continued from Page One little to choose between the two. This was only one of the dramatic A vote taken from the democrats and given to the party of the petty business men is a case of out of building trades workers are today the workers of New York by John the frying pan into the fire.

ers of the Workers (Communist) Party will have something to say

working man," as both democrats "progressives" claim-with constitution, the officers of the or- will deliver an official report of this tongue in cheeks. The "progres- Mikell (Pioneer). sives" who are backing Smith now

workers who protest against the violation are removed from the job." speeches by other leaders of work-violation are removed from the job." Speeches by other leaders of work-The burning issues of the trade ers' struggles. Two leaders of new of New York as well as his collabor-Rosen stated are organization of union movements among the needle ation with traction interests to rob the uporganized, amalgamation of trades workers, Ben Gold, general the workers out of millions of dolthe building trades unions, reinstate-ment of expelled members and loc-Union, and Hyman Koretz, general failure to meet the needs of the un-

Communists candidates scheduled at present, rank and file control of bring a message of solidarity of the to speak at the Central Opera

needle trades workers with the House on Friday the 28th are Wm. The progressives will make a fighting miners. Other speakers F. Dunne, Robert Minor, Rebecca in the past, Rosen predicted, owing ganizer, Millinery Workers' Union; Fort Whiteman and Philip Frank- kamer (Pioneer).

Negro Committee for Miners' Re trict organizer of District 2 of the Frank, Suskin, Goliger (chairman). lief and speakers representing the Workers (Communist) Party will Youth Conference for Miners' Relief preside. A nominal admission charge and the Children's Relief Scout of twenty-five cents will be made Groups.

to defray the cost of the hall. In-Several thousand workers are ex- dications are that this will be the pected at this big solidarity meet- largest Communist election rally Moreaic, Alexander, Lustig, J. Rong which is being arranged by the ever held in this city.

National Miners' Relief Committee, 99 Broadway, and the Shop Dele- and visit various councils in order

Working Women's **Bazaar** Committee **Makes Plans at Meet** 

The Bazaar Committee met on nounced today that the discussions Thursday evening, Sept., 13th, in had been satisfactory and that an the central office of the Council of Workingclass Women



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-Ben Lifshitz Pasternack, Julius Cohen. Mershon. S. Finkelstein (Pioneer).

tone and Pitkin

Two Hundred and Nineteenth St and White Plains Ave .- Ben Gold, R. Wortis, Weich, Spiro, Severino One Hundred and Sixth St. and At the Central Opera House rally Madison Ave .- Listen Oak, Gill on the 28th of this month, the speak- Green, Williams, Kagan.

Friday, Sept. 21.

on Smith's being the "friend of the Grecht, Ross, B. Gussakoff. National Biscuit Co. (Noon)-Bristol and Pitkin, Brooklyn-

Ragozin, Baum, Julius Cohen, L.

Fifth Ave. and 110th St., N. Y. Taft. Gamilla, Lyons.

Varet and Graham Ave., Brook lyn-Primoff, Chernenko, Rosemond, Wellman (Pioneer).

Fiftieth St. and Fifth Ave., Brooklyn-DeLeon, V. Smith, McDonald. Market Plaza, Newark, N. J .--- M.

Sumner, C. Martin, S. Ackerman. Paterson, N. J. (3 Governor St.) -Bert Miller, L. Duke.

much better showing this year than will include Gladys Schechter, or- Grecht, Juliet S. Poyntz, Lovett N. Y.-Joe Cohen, Silber, Shatz-Clinton St. and East Broadway,

Ave. A and 7th St., N. Y .--- Wm.

Saturday, Sept. 22. First Ave. and 116th St. (Italian)

-Auerbach, Rolfe, Napoli, Magliacano

First Ave. and 79th St .--- G. Lloyd, sen (Pioneer)

West New York, New Jersey (14th St. and Bergenline Ave.)-Markoff, C. Martin.



Bryant Ave. and 174th St., Bronx a special day should be set aside for -Chas. Zimmerman, Padgug, G. the purpose of collecting articles, Spiro, Severino, R. Yukelson (Pio-



BIG NIGHTS

TILL THE BAZAAR **BIG DAYS** 

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# Rosario Strike Spreading to Buenos Ayres as Workers Fight for Their Demands

# **CITY EMPLOYES** JOIN WALK-OUT **DESPITE THREAT**

## Companies Failing to **Resume** Service

ROSARIO, Argentina, Sept. 16. -As the strikers here still refuse to go back to work after months of resistance that tied up the second largest port in Argentina, the strike threatens to assume general proportions by spreading to Buenos Ayres, tions by spreading to Buenos Ayres, the capital and largest port in Argentina.

In spite of the orders of the municipal authorities that the companies resume telephone and streetcar operation, the firms have thus far failed in maintaining service by the use of strikebreakers, due to the effective resistance of the pickets. The city workers are also threatening to join the strike on a demand

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make them public.

for higher wages, in spite of the anment that they will be immediately if they continue in their demands.

up and thousands of tons of grain await shipment. The street car strike was originally called when the company refused to re-hire Communist and anarchist workers whom it had discharged.

# FOSTER TALKS TO your support of the party of slav-ery, peonage, disfranchisement, and You have none because you are a **BUTTE WORKERS**

Militant Miners Hail been high-hatted and that the Ku Congress, 21st Congressional Dis- of America, white and colored. And Communist Message

are very well aware that democrats Continued from Page One have consistently barred Negroes from a trestle until he was dead. from political positions-this is the During the days when the revolu- unbreakable law in the south, and tionary spirit was high, Butte was it is very seldom that it is broken an armed camp. Pacifism had no in the north. How many Negroes place among the red-blooded work- have been appointed to office by Al Smith? ers of the copper mines.

In those days the editors of the of Carlyle, "the Negro is useful Butte Bulletin sat at their type only as a servant," is the rule of democrats and republicans alike. There were many casualties Surely you cannot be ignorant of reach. in this bitter class conflict and all the open determination of such the casualties were not on the side Negro-hating democrats as Carter of the battling miners. It was no Glass, Heflin, Hoke Smith, et al, workers of Los Angeles will be uncommon thing to read in the Butte to keep the Negro in his place as given a chance to hear the message Bulletin that another company gun- hewers of wood and drawers of

rested many times and in constant vides its support between the major Workers (Communist) Party candi- work, etc., have convinced them that danger of assassination by the tools parties which are alike dominated date for president, will speak here. of the copper trust.

The militant spirit is not dead in the Negro and white workers whose vote for the Workers (Communist) Butte. The workers who attended class interests are identical. It Party, and a beginning of the real the Foster meeting made that quite should be perfectly plain to every fight against the open shop. clear. They applauded the uncom- thinking Negro that only by defeatprising note of class struggle in his ing both of the corrupt old parties geles, in point of view of production speech, and showed that the spirit of finance-capital can his interests and payroll, is the motion picture that defied all the power of the and the interests of his white broth- industry. This industry also is the mighty Anaconda was ready to be er-worker be protected. harnessed into a disciplined battle

Second Byrd Ship Sails on Imperialist Antarctic Voyage



Photo shows the second ship of the Byrd im perialist expedition to the South Pole, the Eleanor Bolling, which sailed from New York Saturday. The expedition is a publicity stunt for the U.C. Navu.

| interests are diametrically opposed

candidates is nothing less than without whose support neither Straw Vote Favors the

What is your answer to that?

Sincerely.

LOS ANGELES TO

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Bosses Starting Open

Shop Drive

LOS ANGELES (By Mail) .- The

ing Al Smith and other democratic to those of the big corporations

jumping from the frying pan into Smith nor Hoover could hope to win.

the fire. It means political insanity The Workers (Communist) Party

and suicide for the Negro worker, demands abolition of race discrim-

ynching are so weak and witless lick-spittle politician in the service

your colleagues advance to justify practices in courts.

that I wonder that you dare to of a reactionary party.

its power to elect republicans. You trict, New York.

The merciless dictum

SMITH LICKSPITTLE WORKERSPARTY

PUPPET QUEZON **BACKS STIMSON** IN PHILIPPINES

## Defends Imperialism of U.S. Government

MANILA, Philippines, Sept. 16. "Outside capital is necessary, and must receive proper inducement", declared Senator Manuel Quezon, president of the Philippine senate, n a speech before the congress yeserday in which he defended Governor-General Stimson's plan for an nomic policy that would benefit the American landowners at the expense of the native peasants.

Attempting to win the native landowners to the side of the American program, Quezon predicted that the plantations and industries developed by the American capitalists would eventually become the prop erty of the Philippines.

In an effort to ward off the nouncement of the minicipal govern- as for the white worker as well. ination, segregation of Negroes, Jim were rather aloof at first, the Ne- storm of criticism aroused by Stim-In rushing madly into the ranks Crow laws, laws which disfranchise gro comrades report. The attitude son's policies in the Philippines, the fired and replaced by strikebreakers of the democratic party in their dis- Negroes, which forbid intermar- was that the Workers (Communist) senator praised the governor-gengust at the open treachery of the riage, which prevent Negro children Party was "just another white peo- eral very highly, stating that "he The port of Rosario is still tied republicans, Negroes are forgetting from attending public schools. We ple's organization," and the Negroes accepted the position inspired by a that the democratic party is the demand a federal law against lynch- are rather skeptical of white people high sentiment of duty and moved traditional enemy of the Negro ing, equal opportunity for Negroes, and their organizations. They have by the noble ambition of honoring

vey, and now the Reverend Car- strictions in trade unions against home to them that the Workers interests of our people. ruthers are leading their brother Negro membership, and aboliition (Communist) Party was not a white While advocating complete serv-Negroes in this mad rush to de- of the convict lease system and the people's party, but a party of all iency to the American regime and struction. The arguments you and chain gang, and of discriminatory the workers, black and white. Speak- to its policy towards the island, ers of their own color told them the Quezon, at the same time, held out truth about the Workers (Commu- hope of "independence" and promnist) Party, and told them how ised that in some future date, after

twenty-four Negro workers had sat United States capital had firmly tion of the Party, participating in come.

all important committees, acting as You explain that "Negro appli- (Signed) RICHARD B. MOORE, chairman of some of these commitcants for jobs in Washington nave Director of Negro Dept., Workers tees, and helping to draft a program been high-hatted" and that the Ku Klux Klan is doing everything in Congress, 21st Congressional Dis- of America white they learned that many Negro workers have been nominated on the Party ticket, and that a Negro, Lovett Fort-Whiteman, was nominated for comptroller in New York state. That Negro workers have been nominated by the Party even in the southern states.

**NEGROES TURN TO** 

Communists

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Platform Impresses Them.

In addition, they have been greatly impressed by the Party platform and its bold, vigorous denunciation of lynching and other crimes against Negroes. Its utter fearlessness in

voicing their demands for full equality: economic, political, social; for abolition of all Jim Crow distincof one of the leading opponents of tions in the army, navy and civil man was found dead in such and such a place. Bill Dunne was ar-rested many times and in content. Moreover the Ku Klux Klan di-23, when William Z. Foster, the employment; equal pay for equal the Workers (Communist) Party is by the oppressors and exploiters of A huge turnout for Foster, a large a genuine friend and fearless cham-

pion ard Moore. Lovett Fort-Whiteman, undoubtedly mean that repressive government. The largest industry in Los An-Edward Welsh, etc., are high in the measures will soon be taken against councils of the Workers (Commu- the leaders and members of the resentation on the highest bodies of League. only one where any appreciable or-ganization has been effected. The

it is the Party of all the oppressed

The result is that many of them not

only decided to vote for the Party

but became members as well. Hun-

Negro in Revolt

Negro workers against the treach-



Striking children at Public School 50 in Brooklyn, whose mothers have been picketing the school in protest against the transfer of the children to a building in a section of the city where they would have to walk long distances thru traffic. Above, the children picketing with placards

## traditional enemy of the Negro ing, equal opportunity for Negroes, and their organizations. They have by the noble ambition of honoring and equal pay, abolition of all re- cause to be. But it was soon driven his own nation through serving the NOTED USSR SCHOLAR TO LECTURE HERE

Professor Waldemar G. Bogoras- | expended \$1,500,000 for educational Tan, head of the department of and scientific work among the northethnography of the University of ern nationalities. During recent in respect of the 9,427 branches in the National Nominating Conven-tion of the Party, participating in come.

of Americanists to be held in New University of Leningrad are devot- pared with 228,124 in June. Short-York City September 17-22. Pro- ing their energies to raising the cul- time workers were 247,460, instead fessor Bogoras-Tan, one of the tural and economic level of these of 221,951.

world's leading authorities in the primitive people. YOUTH LEAGUE field of anthropology of the inhabi-tants of the polar regions, was for Prof. Bogoras-Tan will remain in tants of the polar regions, was for- after the close of the congress for merly connected with the Museum the purpose of giving a series of of Natural History in New York and lectures.

HONOR TOLSTOI close contact with American anthropologists engaged in studying the coples of the Arctic circle both in dredth anniversary of the birth of Professor Bogoras-Tan devoted home village of Yasnaya Polyana many years of his life to the revofirst steps following this order were sia, being at one time an active modern school and hospital, in the taken when plainclothes men vis- member of the Narodnoe Voli (Peo- presence of his relatives, peasants ers (Communist) Party at 1212 was exiled by the imperialist Rus- and admirers from over the whole Market St., in an attempt to dis- sian government to the extreme world.

the polar wastes. During his ten cation of the Soviet Union, at the years of exile he made extensive re- unveiling of a statue of the great According to a statement of the searches among the natives of these writer, explained the significance of San Francisco branch of the Work- regions. Since the 1917 revolution his life and work, paying tribute Further informed that militant ers (Communist) Party, all these he has been occupying important ed- to him as a far-seeing realistic arfighters of their own race, like Rich- activities on the part of the police ucational posts under the Soviet tist, and a rebel always sincerely Works With Minorities. pacifism could not apply to the ex-For the past few years he has

MOSCOW, Sept. 14 .- The hun-Leo Tolstoy was observed in his yesterday by the dedication of a of the vicinity, and Tolstoy scholars

Lunacharsky, Commissar of Eduseeking for truth, but also pointed out that his policy of resistance and

ploited masses.

SPANISH LABOR **UNION SUPPORTS** SANDINO FIGHT

Page Three

Federation Commends Independence Army

PARIS, Sept. 16 .- The brave struggle of General Sandino and his army of independents for a free Nicaragua was approved in a resolution unanimously adopted by the 500 delegates at the convention of the Spanish Federation of Labor, which took place in Madrid last week, in spite of the arrests of some of the delegates in the police dragnet which preceded the fifth anniversary of the dictatorship of De Rivera.

The resolution commended the revolutionary army for its war 'upon the oppressors of their coun-

try." This is the first meeting of the Federation of Labor during the five years that De Rivera was in power. It is a known fact that delegates to this convention were arrested, according to facts received here, although the dictator, in a statement issued last week, declared that the number and the nature of the arrests were not fully known.

## **Unemployment** in **Germany** Increasing

BERLIN, Sept. 16 .- Inquiries made by the German national center elicited that at the end of July, 1928, States to participate in the Congress Prof. Bogoras-Tan's courses at the unemployed was 252,850, as com-

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Navy Officer Demands of Natural History in Hear been in "Investigation" Continued from Page One against any further anti-militarist North America and in Asia. activities that the League might

try to carry on among the armed forces on the Pacific Coast. The lutionary movement in Czarist Rusited the headquarters of the Work- ple's Will). For these activities he cover the identity of the leaders of northeastern section of Siberia, near the distributions.

Expect Repression Soon.

nist) Party, that the Negro has rep- Young Workers (Communist) been engaged principally in organizing the work of elevating the cul

Undaunted, however, by the po- tural and economic status of the

against the copper kings, the Re publican and Democratic parties and the whole capitalist system.

is almost unbearable. The work- for the abolition of the whole corers have no protection against the terrible grind. Anaconda is getting out more ore than it formerly produced with double the present force. nist) Party.

The I. W. W., once powerful in this region, is dead.

organization of the National Miners

Union, to take the place of the cor- and the workers must give both the characterizes the whole attack. Folrupt and bankrupt United Mine cold shoulder. He asked the mem- lowing are some of the statements Workers of America betrayed and bers of the audience who were not from the Times: wrecked by John L. Lewis and his already members to join the Work-

reactionary machine. He told of ers (Communist) Party and join in ican Federation of Labor in the the preparations now being made by the struggle to organize the workers unionization of the great Los An- mode of living depends upon its textile workers to organize into and poor farmers in the United geles motion-picture industry is one ability to lead the Negro masses inone big industrial union under mili-states for the fight against the to give great concern to supporters to the political camps of their ene-to the political camps of their ene-by the Soviet Union: on if neces

union that will fight the bosses for better conditions instead of begging Foster called attention to the welfare of free American industry, in the past, but are beginning to

Foster Explains Program.

Imperialist War Danger. grave danger of another imperialist not only here but everywhere. war that confronts the workers of

"The program of the Workers all countries. The capitalist powers. merely the control of the film-mak- In their desperate effort to stem working class. Join us in the fight (Communist) Party," Foster de- while quarreling among themselves clared, "calls for the complete over- look on the Soviet Union as their throw of the capitalist system, and enemy. This is the heart of the war

the establishment of a Workers and danger, he said. Farmers Government to supplant the He declared that the Soviet Union the industries, to their shops. All attempting to divert the Negro masses from scrutiny of the record present Wall Street state appara- was the fatherland of the workers other industries, to their shops. tus that is used to crush the work- and peasants of all countries and the

talist grindstone. In the Soviet the Soviet Union. Union, the workers and peasants, in Foster attacked the republican and counter-attack. Against the open- the party. This in itself is a conthe fact of a hostile capitalist world democratic parties and their candi-are building up a socialist society dates, declaring that both were Chamber of Commerce of Los An-parties do not warrant the Negro and doing it with success. The equally anti-labor. Both were geles, workers must fight for union- workers voting for them. This in night in all its sky darkening, des-American workers and poor farmers backed by Wall Street and had as ization of all the industries of Los itself is an additional and forceful tructive fury.

be no permanent improvement in visor the leading open shoppers in These must not be vacillating, com- should vote for the Party of the and property. the conditions of the exploited pro- the United States.

ducing classes until they have polit-Raps "Socialists." ng, uncompromising, class-conscious ical power in their own hands, dis- The Socialist Party, he declared, organizations. That is one of the possess the parasitic masters of had repudiated the class struggle most effective answers to the challand and industry and operate the and is now just another party of lenge of Harry Chandler, the Los machinery of production and distri- capitalism, supporting the imperial- Angeles Times and the "open-shop

bution in the interests of the work- ist League of Nations, the world principle.

ers. This is what they are doing in court, the Kellogg anti-peace fraud the Soviet Union. This is what the in the guise of an anti-war treaty SWEDE PAPER WORKERS WIN workers and subject peoples of all and other imperialist institutions STOCKKOLM, Sept. 14 the world must do. The workers

peasants of the U.S.S.R. have blazed the way." presidential candidate who spoke paper industry. Aggressive tactics expansion. Stormy applause greeted Foster recently had a very poor meeting, used by strikers from the start are

when he denounced Senators Walsh the apathy of the audience being in given credit for the success. and Wheeler, one a well known striking contrast to the enthusiasm STRIP MINER KILLED

agent of the Anaconda Mining Com- displayed by those who came to hear pany and the other an alleged pro- the Communist candidate.

There is no difference between nation-wide tour in behalf of the Wheeler and Walsh he pointed cut election campaign. Traer Coal Company strip mine.

present election is a vote for the movie worker may be considered the best paid of all the workers in this only party that stands upon a clear-Significantly enough, the

actorm of full economic poli-Speed-Up System. The Butte miners are in the grip of a speed-up contract system that The works. The works in the movie industry, the pressed Negro race, the only party which carries on a militant fight the whole correst in the movie industry, the stage hands, carpenters, electricians. etc., are better organized than all other industries in this city.

This fact seems to have been the dreds of copies of the Party Platrupt system of class and race exploitation-the Workers (Commu- cause of a concerted campaign now forms have been sold so far in Neon in Los Angeles to break the or-

gro Harlem, and it may be safely Whether the democrats or the the leader and mouthpiece of the predicted that the sale of the platrepublicans win, the Negroes and labor-hating "American Plan," openform in this section will run into

Foster's audience listened atten- every other oppressed group loses shop bosses, is leading this fight. the thousands before the campaign tively while the speakers told of the -the working class loses, for its In a vicious editorial in the Sepis over. tember 9 Sunday edition the Times

> erous republican machine threatens to throw into a panic the group of "The progress made by the Amerpetty-bourgeois Negro leaders whose

challenge their ability and disinter-"Much more is at stake than estedness.

ing business," and here the Ameri- the revolt from the old parties of against imperialist war!" can plan bosses let the cat out of the rank and file, the Negro henchthe bag. They are afraid that the men of these bankrupt parties are

There can be only one answer by of these parties, with the false arers and keep their noses at the capi- workers must be prepared to defend the workers to this provocation from guments that the campaign is based the Times and that is a determined upon the individual rather than on

must do the same thing. There can their campaign managers and ad- Angeles and of southern California. argument why the Negro workers

promising, craft unions; but fight- working class, the Workers (Communist) Party.

## **Cooperative Bakery**

Richard W. Gray, meteorologist of LOS ANGELES, Sept. 16.—The the United States Weather Bureau "Co-op" Bakery at 2708 Brooklyn at Miami, warned that the disturb-

RICO

**STORM IN PORTO** 

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Grave anxiety prevailed for lives

Terrific winds, sweeping rains and

seas of awe inspiring height brought

fear to the thousands who dwell in

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we., long a center of the revolu- ance far exceeded in intensity the Victory after two months of strike tionary workers movement in Los disastrous hurricane of September, Norman Thomas, the socialist has come to workers in Sweden's Angeles, has decided upon a further 1926, which swept Miami and the interior of Florida with appalling

The Cooperative Consumers loss of life and property damage in League has arranged to purchase the millions.

the corner lot next to its own build- From Daytona Beach, 250 miles ing for the price of \$15,300. With- southward to Miami, the gravest MURPHYSBORO, Sept. 16 .- Da- in the immediate future a large danger apparently existed, with the gressive now campaigning for Al South and the state of th vid Craig, 60-year-old miner of Hal- modern Co-operative Cafeteria will hurricane center placed by the work as a trackman for the Truax- to the growing chain of revolu- Beach, a city with summer populationary co-operatives in this country. tion of 20,000.

alize that the Workers (Communist) lice activities, the League has con- northern tribes in Russia. The Party was their Party, in a genu- tinued its anti-militarist activities. Northern Institute in Leningrad, ine sense, and in the same way that When the fleet continued on its which was founded four years ago journey and stopped in the San by the Northern Branch of the Alland exploited workers of America. Padro Harbor, the sailors were Russian Central Executive Commitagain met by members of the tee and of which he is the director, Young Workers (Communist) is doing notable educational work League distributing anti-militarist among the "lesser" northern tribes who in Czarist times were considliterature.

The leaflet distributed in San ered only as objects of exploitation Francisco reads in part: "Sailors! insofar as they were given any no-Workers In Uniform! Fight tice at all. Many of the tribes were Against Capitalist Wars! You left almost completely exterminated. The the factories, mines, and farms, or new school is attended by 300 stuthe unemployment market to 'Join dents of 42 nationalities, who are the Navy and See the World.' You given a four-year course, during which they are supported by the In the meantime, the revolt of the are workers, and yet the Wall Street government is using you against government. Some of the students the workers and peasants of China to attend the school and spend many come from a distance of 7.000 miles and Nicaragua, who are fighting to months in traveling on foot, reinfree themselves from the rule of the deer, dog-sled and other conveyances big capitalist powers. Tomorrow before reaching the railroad. Many they will use you to fight the work-have never eaten bread nor seen a of the open shop and to all who ap-preciate its vital importance to the mies. These masses are refusing to follow the old leadership blindly as against our fellow-workers in Amerupon the expiration of the course. ica. Do not be a tool of the bosses, Last year the Soviet government but use your training to defend the





towns and cities which dot the shore line-in winter time the playground in Los Angeles Grows of eastern America.

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Packing House corkers Know Communists Fight for Them, Says Correspondent

# **UNSSES, POLICE FRYING TO FRAME** OHLER, OTHERS

## Workers Party Rouses Workers to Union

(By a Worker Correspondent) KANSAS CITY, Kan. (By Mail). With the hearing for Hugo Oehl r, Nelson S. Yocum, E. B. Eastwood and Sam Kassis, charged with he violation of the Kansas State Criminal Syndicalist Law, starting Monday, 1 p. m. at the state court house, there are practically no new developments in the case of the packing interests against the Communist Party.

While only these four are indicted for the violation of the syndicalist WINERS' UNION code of the state there are six others who are charged with vagrancy and against whom other charges such as the syndicalist law or of a similar character will be prought. The persecution and he frame-up of militant workers and Communists was carefully planned by the company and government officials. When the raid

the Sacco-Vanzetti meeting, greed for more profits have followed Square Garden, New York City, on November 4. which was held under the auspices a policy of closing so-called unproof the International Labor Defense, ductive mines, speed-up production at Shawnee Park in Armourdale, cutting wages, establish the oper Kansas, the police had about a doz- shop and exterminate the union. In en spies, stool-pigeons from the this the operators have found compacking houses, and detectives all plete support from their criminally clad in overalls, planted in the corrupt tools-the Lewis machine.

At the same time higher ompany officials and police in plain clothes, headed by Beatty, capain of the police force, were hiding of unemployed coal miners has grown of unemployed coal miners has grown When the meeting was finished this aggregation reinformed by fifteen policemen in uniform descended pon the meeting and began the ar- these 300,000 unemployed coal minrests.

Ochler and E. B. Eastwood were face of a situation where unemploy- St., 2nd floor. he first ones to be arrested, then ment prevails everywhere. Lassis and Nelson S. Yocum, while The corrupt Lewis clique sold out Tabernacle Hall, 20th & Lawrence tywood. the stool-pigeons began to round up completely to the "open shop" drive Sts. the audience. Among the arrested of the coal operators. Strike after were mothers with their children, strike was defeated by their treas- Son Theatre, 14th & Farnam Sts. announced. vho were released after a protest. onable policies of serving the bosses. It is important to note that Beatty They divided the miners against referred the protesting mothers to themselves by signing of separate he company official who evidently agreements. First by signing ur was conducting the raid. The po- some of one company's mines ice were careful to exclude Ameri- while permitting the rest to operate can born workers and arrested only "open shop," next by signing sep-those who looked like foreign-born inclusion of the Pennsylvania When the arrested were and Ohio strikers while the other nounced. brought to the jail they were harged with vagrancy and released Lastly, this corrupt clique comunder a \$500 bond. Meanwhile the pleted its dastardly wrecking policy nounced. torneys, were busy in formulating scale, cutting wages in Illinois and Final arrangements to be an- Final arrangements to be an-

On Thursday afternoon it became sylvania and Ohio strike and enknown that Hugo Oehler, district tirely destroying the union in those organizer of District 10 of the fields.

Workers (Communist) Party, and Nelson S. Yocum, E. B. Eastwood and Sam Kassis were indicted under bosses' agents who comprise the he criminal syndicalist law.

More Victims of Imperialist "Air Consciousness"



of a home-made plane, built and pilot ed by L. W. Dugger, of Kansas City, Mo., which crashed to the earth recently. Dugger was burned to death. The passengers were seriously injured.

William Z. Foster, Workers (Communist) Party candidate

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GITLOW TOUR

Wednesday, Sept. 19, Duluth,

Small Auditorium,

Dak. Paterson Hall at McKenzie

Sunday, Sept. 23, Belden, N. D.

Final arrangements to be an-

Saturday, Sept. 22, Bismarck, N. line.

for president, and Benjamin Gitlow, vice presidential candi-

which will bring them into every important city in the United

## FOSTER-GITLOW TOUR DATES **ISSUES POLICY** Adopt Militant Plan of date, are now on the first lap of a nation-wide speaking tour

## Class Struggle

Continued from Page One FOSTER TOUR

Tuesday, Sept. 18, Aberdeen, Wash. Final arrangements to be Minn. Woodman Hall, corner 21st Old Union Smashed. announced Wednesday, Sept. 19, Portland, In district after district the union

has been smashed. Working condi- Ore., Swiss Hall, 2831/2 Third St. Minn. Friday, Sept. 21, San Francisco, Hall. tions have been lost. The number Calif. Civic Auditorium, San Fran-.000. In complete collab- cisco. Sunday, Sept. 23, Los Angeles, Hotel, 422 Main St. oration with the coal operators the Lewis machine pursued this reac- Calif., Whiting Woods, Rosemont, tionary policy of trying to drive Calif.

Tuesday, Sept. 25, Salt Lake City, ers out of the industry. This ir Utah, W. O. W. 168 S. W. Temple

Friday, Sept. 28, Omaha, Neb. Mont. Final arrangements to be Saturday, Sept. 29, Kansas City. Mo. Musicians Auditorium, 1017 Final arrangements to be an-Washington St. Sunday, Sept. 30, Chicago, Ill. Sunday, Sept. 30, Seattle, Wash.

Final arrangements to be an- Final nounced "open shop," next by signing sep-Monday, Oct. 1, St. Louis, Mo.

inal isolation of the Pennsylvania Final arrangements to be an- Final arrangements to be an-Wednesday, Oct. 3, Indianapolis, districts were taken out of the fight.

Ind. Final arrangements to be an- Final arrangements to be olice, the county and district at- by abandoning the Jacksonville Thursday, Oct. 4, Cincinnati, O.

Indianapolis, betraying the Penn- nounced.

200 Students From Agents of Bosses. Far North Attend These black reactionaries and Leningrad School whole of the Lewis machine nation-

the criminal syndicalist law. Hugo Oehler made a tirade ally and in the various districts have wrought a terrible destruction. The United Mine Workers has now been practically completely exter-world has been functioning in this

SHOP PLUMBERS

**BOSS HECKLES** 

WANY ACCIDENTS <sup>1</sup> ductions on Broadway: "Cross My Heart," "Lucky Strike" and Lay Off Many; Risk Is Motorman's

(Bu a Worker Correspondent)

CLEVELAND, Ohio (By Mail) .--Patterson McNutt will present: A vicious plan of speed-up and staff "This Thing Called Love," a comedy reduction is now being inaugurated by Edwin Burke at the Maxine Elin this city by the local traction liott Theatre tonight. Minor Watinterests, the Cleveland R.R. Co., son and Violet Heming are featured who own the sole rights of trans- and the cast includes Juliette Day, portation in the city and suburbs. Malcolm Duncan, Ruth Garland and The new plan was put into effect Bruce Elmore.

on the 10th on Euclid Ave., the "Broadway" of this city.

Articulated or two car trains is "Cross My Heart," Sammy Lee's nounted on three trucks, with an musical show, which opens at the aisle connecting the cars to allow Knickerbocker Theatre. The cast the other, have been introduced. Under the old system two conductors were necessary to operate a two-car rides on the rear car instructing dle doors with which the new cars

are fitted. Afterwards, the company States, winding up with a monster mass meeting in Madison declares, when the car riders are R. Irving will come to the Biltmore acquainted with the new machinery this evening for a limited run of only one conductor will be necessary. two weeks.

This means that a considerable number of the men will be thrown out of employment to swell the large numbers that are already roaming Sam H. Harris and Albert Lewis

the streets of this "city of homes." will present "The Big Fight" by Motormen's Risk. Along with the new cars comes Estelle Taylor. Other players in-Thursday, Sept. 20, Virginia, the announcement from the company City that five minutes will be cut off the Arthur Vinton and William Ricclude Edna Bennett, Jack Roseleigh,

running time on the Euclid Ave. ciardi This is going to be a dangerous "The New Moon," a musical procedure, especially for motormen as it is almost impossible at the comedy, will open at the Imperial and Peggy; Ray Huling and an 8-hour day. present to make the schedule time Theatre, Wednesday. Oscar Ham- "Charlie"; The Colleanos. The present to make the schedule time Theatre, Wednesday. Oscar Hamowing to the volume of traffic and merstein 2nd and Frank Mandel are the large number of automatic traf- responsible for the book, while Sig-Monday, Sept. 24, Plentywood, fic signals that the carmen have to mund Romberg wrote the music. Thursday, Sept. 27, Denver, Colo. Mont. Farmer Labor Temple, Plen- contend with. Lately many serious The cast will feature Evelyn Her-

accidents have occurred owing to bert, Robert Halliday and Gus Shy Wednesday, Sept. 26, Great Falls, the high speed at which motormen and will include Max Figman, Wilhave been forced to operate the cars. liam O'Neal, Marie Callahan and on an eight mile stretch of Euclid Edward Nell.

Friday, Sept. 28, Spokane, Wash. Avenue, three-fourths of which lies in the busiest section of the city This running time is only forty-five minutes from about 7 p. m. to 5

a. m. What with a stop at every arrangements to be ansecond block, and traffic signals that only alternate every thirty-Monday, Oct. 1, Portland, Ore. five or sixty seconds, and an inspec tor hiding behind a telegraph pole with a watch in his hand, you can Tuesday, Oct. 2, Astoria, Ore. easily imagine the risks a motorman Foster, Gitlow, Whitney anhas to take to keep the car on time and keep his job. The schedules are

Thursday, Oct. 4, Oakland, Calif. O. K.'d by the city traction commissioner Mr. Ballou, who works hand in hand with the R. R. com- Though suffering from a belated pany in speeding up the men.

Insurance Gag. A group insurance and retirement ready been obtained for the petiup. The insurance plan was intro-on the ballot, while a similar numduced following the declaration of ber have been obtained for Anita the supreme court of Ohio declaring Whitney, the Communist candidate "Step on It," Is His His unconstitutional the closed shop con-tract then existing between the Car-men's Union and the R. R. Co. Boris Susman an

Boris Susman and Arthu

MEN IS CAUSE OF Burke Comedy Opens Tonight DELEGATES SENT VIOLET HEMING.

THIS week will see five new prouled for this evening, the Jack Big Show," tomorrow night and Schwab and Mandel's new musical "The New Moon" for Wednesday.

SPEED UP OF CAR Five New Plays This week - - PLUMBER HELPER

Star of "This Thing Called Love."

PALACE

Eddie Dowling, late star "Honeymoon Lane," assisted by Kate Plumbers' helpers come to the LaVerne, in a condensed version of helpers along.

the play, "Sun Up"; Gaston and Andree, with Lorna Jermaine, as-Milton Herbert Gropper and Max sisted by Edna Mackay; Buck and Marcin, starring Jack Dempsey and **Bubbles**;

> Stewart. HIPPODROME

feature photoplay will be "Manmade Women," starring Leatrice Joy and son, Taylor Sister, Ann Bronson H. B. Warner.

BROADWAY





A mass meeting of plumbers' helpers will be held prior to the departure of the delegates to Atlantic City on Wednesday, Sept. 5. Word has reached us from Chiago, Ill., that the plumbers' help-

TO CONVENTION

Unions Organized in

Several Cities

ers there have organized a union In Philadelphia, the Plumbers' Helpers Union is making great headway. A delegation will be sent to the United Association Conven-

tion Our hopes are not based on any conventions. Only by organizing strongly on the jobs can we achieve of our aims.

Smith and James F. Hamley; Lucille mass meeting. Bring your fellow -A. P. H.

SEEK 8-HOUR DAY.

Members of the Gloucester, N. J. "Toto"; Margaret police force recently began the cir-Stewart, with May Day with Beulan culation of petitions throughout the city to obtain sufficient signatures

to have placed on the November Al Van, with his gang; Bob Hall; election ballot the question as to Orville Stamm and Billie, Alexander whether the police force shall have

> Josephine Davis, Jazz Lips Henderand Dottie Lucke, Bobby Joyce and Marie Hisgen. Olive Olsen; the Eno Troupe. The feature photo-

Hughie Clark and His Gang, fea- play will be "Freedom of the Press" turing Dick Luke's Arcadians, starring Lewis Stone.



# Another opening for this evening

'This Thing Called Love," are

Dempsey-Estelle Taylor h w.

includes Lulu McConnell, Mary Lawlor, Eddie Conrad, Clarence Nordstrom, Fairchild and Rainger rain, but the new cars will require and their orchestra. Harry Tierney only one. At present a conductor wrote the score and the lyrics are by the passengers how to use the trea- responsible for the book.

Ochler urged to have the conditions reversed and have the laborers kill Thruout the past labor history of tribes whose very existence has been

More "Crimes."

E. B. Eastwood, who is secretaryorganizer of the Kansas City branch dition we the delegates assembled at of the International Labor Defense, is also indicted on the same charges. His crime consists in making an an- and completely repudiate the Lewis nouncement after the meeting of some picnics and other I. L. D. af-So this is termed assisting fairs. Hugo Oehler in organizing, teaching, preaching sedition, violence, clique can no longer speak in the etc., against the government. Sam name of the coal miners. We call Kassis, a member of the I. L. D., upon the rank and file in all the was, according to the police, distributing the Labor Defender, the ernment.

were arrested at the Sacco-Vanzetti al Miners' Union. faced with the prospect of being the whole of the rank and file coal Party. arrested on the charge of belonging to the Communist Party and will also lose their jobs.

Meanwhile the persecution of the Communist Party and other militant workers is the most "going" subject of discussion, not only among the Packing House bosses, but also among workers in other industries. The workers know that the Communists are persecuted because they are fighting for the interests of the workers against those of the bosses. Particularly do the Packing House workers feel and resent this attack. They know that the attack against ists because the Party was the acowards the need of a union.

murdered by the capitalists and their government, and that the workers must organize in order to prevent further recurrences. This is seditions, according to the hardis seditious, according to the hard-just an attempt to maintain their habiting the frozen northernmost is sedified, according to the hard just an attempt to maintain their reaches of European and Asiatic reaches of CHANIN'846th St. W. of Broadway from the union. Free evening, Sept. 4th, when Comrade the men away from the union. Free plumbers are forced by the bosses mokers, free concerts, free picnics. Anita Whitney of Oakland, candi-

according to police statements, drastic wage cut and the shackles Ochler urged to have the conditions of a company union. Laplanders, Samoyeds, Tungus, Ostyaks and so on—some of them

the capitalists. It is evident that this country the coal miners can discovered only recently-have sent the stool-pigeons of the Armour Co. show a splendid record of militant daring members to taste this Ruswill testify to statements that struggle for working class organiza- sian culture of which the white men Ochler never made and on the basis tion. The unbreakable solidarity and from warmer climes have told them. of his speech at the Sacco-Vanzetti unconquerable fighting spirit which Many of them had to travel for two meeting they will try to railroad him. made possible the building of a once months or longer by reindeer and great union still lives. We will build dog or floating in diminutive punts again where the traitors have to get to the Leningrad school.

destroyed. Faithful to our great tra-

this convention, representing the rank and file coal miners, finally machine and resolve to build the new

John L. Lewis and his corrupt our rightful demands.

fields to refuse to recognize any upon our standard of wages and mittees to protect the plumbers and official organ of the I. L. D., and them. Fight against the check-off strikes, clubbings, jailings or de- of Plumbers Helpers. other I. L. D. literature. This, too, and thereby destroy their hope to tective ambushing have been our is a seditious act against the gov- keep you enslaved to the company lot. Courts and police and all the

union. Break. completely with the forces of the government have been The Packing House workers who Lewis machine and join the Nation- against us regardless of whether

the republican or democratic party meeting in Armourdale are now be-ing urged to turn state evidence ounce of our energy to fight to the We therefore declare in favor of a against Hugo Ochler and the others. last to remove every obstacle to policy of independent political action If they fail to do so they will be build an organization to comprise by the workers through a Labor

> ma ers. An industrial organization In all industries of the country taking into its membership all men today, the standard of living of the employed in and around the mines, workers are being attacked, wages except the bosses. Within our ranks reduced and the speed-up system we welcome the colored miner as intensified. The employers are purwell as the white, the foreign born suing their open shop drive. The miner as well as the American. We basic industries are unorganized. pledge ourselves to fight for com- Yet the mood for struggle of these plete equality for all, in every res-pect, regardless of race or nation- Miners' Union declares as its policy ality. to assist these workers in their

Importance of Negro Workers. struggles against the employers. To The Negro miners are an import-ant part of the workers in our in-militant unions. Class solidarity dustry. They must be brought into against the attacks and exploitation our union, drawn into full partici- of the capitalist employers is our pation in every sphere of activity slogan. To promote it is our object. the Party was undertaken and di- and leadership. Ours is the fight to We declare that we will spare no rected by the packing house inter- unite all coal miners under the ban- efforts to extend this class solidarity ner of one great organization for to embrace all the workers of the ive factor in rousing the workers the protection of our common in- world, to strengthen them in the terests. struggle for complete emancipation

-M. C. |, Our object shall be to fight cease- from capitalist exploitation.

Speed-Up Order

(By a Worker Correspondent) to speed up on the job.

D. W.

"I can do twice as much," "if you ers. can't work faster get the h---- off marks are taken by the plumbers as they are meant, and they continu-

ally try to work faster.

lessly to secure the best possible It is impossible for the plumbers wages and working conditions ob- on this and other jobs to appeal to tainable through our organized the local union; the misleaders of power. Only through struggle have labor immediately call up the boss we gained in the past, and we de- on the telephone and arbitrate the union, the name of which shall be the National Miners' Union. We gained in the past, and we de clare our unalterable opposition to class collaboration. Our policy will gate appears there are no differbe one of militant struggle to win ences between the workers and the boss.

For a Labor Party. What is necessary for the plumb-In the attacks by the operators ing trade is to organize job com-

an arbitration board. This was in ballot without great difficulty.

free dental treatment, and now free date for U.S. senator, spoke to an Mr. Marks, the senior partner, is uniform caps have been given to the enthusiastic mass meeting at the ontinually heckling the workers. men, all paid for out of the nine and Walker Auditorium. Over four His favorite expressions are: "Get seven cent fares that are being hundred dollars were raised from

the work done," "throw it up," wrung out of the car riders, the the collection for the campaign. "step on it," "are you a cripple?" great majority of whom are work- The names and addresses of nearly 18,000 voters who declined

During all this time neither the to state their political affiliations, this job." All of these brilliant re- officials of our local union or our as well as about 1,500 who regisinternational have done anything to tered "socialist," are being canhelp the membership. In fact they vassed to sign the Communist peconspired with the R. R. Co. and tition blanks.

the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Los Angeles will also have a of New York to put over the insur- number of nationally prominent ance plan on the men. Under the speakers, such as Foster and Gitinsurance plan the workmen have low, speak at mass meetings. There no legal guarantee whatever, noth-ing but vague promises by the R.R. meetings arranged, not only in Los Company. "The R. R. Co. reserves Angeles, but also in the surroundthe right to change, alter, or amend ing cities and towns. the plan any time," and for that

they deduct \$2.50 per month, and permit us no say in the matter ex-more letters about the conditions of cept to withdraw, which by so doing the Cleveland R. R. workers and the you lose 79 per cent of the money class collaboration activities of our wage cut agreements signed by working conditions, in all past helpers of the American Association that had been deducted, and perhaps local and international union offiget the "air" into the bargain. Time cials. CARMAN.

pemitting, I hope to write some



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Mill Workers Realize Old Labor Organizations, Led by Misleaders, Do Not Aid Them

# **SEES WORKERS READY FOR NEW TEXTILE UNION**

## Organizer Reports on New England Tour

That the textile workers everywhere are ripe for struggle and will respond eagerly to the call for a convention to organize a new union issued by the National Textile Mill Committees is the opinion of John Di Santo, Passaic textile worker, who has just completed a tour of New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Connecticut textile centers for the Textile Mill Committees. Di Santo was one of the delegates to the United Textile Workers Convention. who was there to represent one of the six local unions which broke away because of the U. T. W.'s re-

actionary policies. "Everywhere conditions for the workers are growing more and more rotten," Di Santo stated yesterday

in an interview with the Daily Worker representative. "Everywhere speed-up, long hours and unemployment are the order of the The U. T. W. and the A. F. T. O. are doing nothing to relieve

In Lawrence, where the multiple loom system prevails, Di Santo found the workers in the Pacific mill running 105 Draper automatic looms. This compares with 90 looms In Nashua, N. H., which is already a large number. Terrible unem-ployment has cursed the city of Lawrence for several years. Lowell, Mass., is left a desert through the Termoval or cleating of unit 2F, section 1. Will meet today at Clinton and E. B'way., at 8:30 p. m. Speakers: Tillie Lurye, M. Cullens, Klingoffer, Pioneer speaker. Mass. is left a desert through the Note in the international transformation in the internation in the international transformation in the international transformation in the internation in the internation in the internation in the int Piopinent has curied the cur

cheaper labor in these centers. hour week for women as well as men setts is still "hampered" (from the bosses' point of view) with the 48-hour law for with the 48hour law for women.

A pay envelope of a dye worker in the American Printing Company in Fall River, Mass., for 55 hours work showed the enormous sum of \$13.91. Another worker's envelope contained \$19 and some change for 60 odd hours' work. Child labor is abundant throughout New England. Di Santo claims. Not only legalized child labor of from 14 to 16 years, Ave. Comrade on Imperialism. but the employment of children younger than 14 is also common.

Di Santo's tour has helped to insure a representation from New England centers for the national convention to be held on September 22-23 at Irving Plaza, New York City. Delegates have been elected from the following centers, from



wholesale grafter. At right, Dis- . trict. Attorney Newcombe, "investigating" the case. Workers Party Activities

Units, branches, nuclei, etc. of the Workers (Communist) Party and the Young Workers (Communist) League in New York City are asked to send notices of their activities to this column. There is no charge. All notices must arrive one day in advance to ensure

Organization Conference. An organization conference of Sec-tion 2 will be held tomorrow at 101 West 27th Street at 6 p. m. All unit and subsection organizers must attend. **Units of Subsection 3C.** A. meeting of units of Subsection 3C. m., at 101 West 27th Street. There will be a report from the election campaign directors.

Party Roll Call. these conditions, and everywhere the workers are completely dis-gusted with the leadership of these organizations. The new union will certainly go over big in New Eng-land."

Maine is becoming greater with the inducement of longer hours and 6:15 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. cheaper labor in these centers. Maine has now offered a 50 per cent cut in taxes as a bait to manu-facturers to move there. The 60-Description of the factor of the Executive Subsection 3E.

Unit 4F, Subsection 3C. Unit 4F, 3C will hold an educa-tional meeting today at 101 W. 27th St. at 6.30.

Section 8. Section 8 meets Wednesday, Sept. 19, at 154 Watkins St. at 8:30 p. m. Branch 4, Section 5. A business and educational meet-ing of the branch will take place today at 8:30 p. m., at 2075 Clinton Ave. Comrade Stamler will speak on imperialism.

onx Special Membership Meet. members of Section 5 must at-

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Victim; Sewer Grafter; "Investigator" NEARING SPEAKS GEHRIG, KOENIG HIT IN DELAWARE TOWN IN TOUR At left: William D'Olier,

Queens sewer graft witness, First Time Red Speaker murdered by gangsters in hire of Talked There grafters. In center, former

Queens Boro President Connolly, the ultra-conservative town of New- 7 to 5. mately 137 people at the Opera The Yankees concern and Wiltse. The Browns

munist ideas and movement in the aided them. tend a special mobilization meeting for important Party work tomorrow at \$:30 p. m., at 2075 Clinton Ave. "There is no essential difference be- from the mound. tween the democratic and republi-

E. C. of Subsection 3C. A meeting of the enlarged execu-tive committee of Subsection 3C will take place on Wednesday, Sept. 19, 6:30 p. m., at 101 W. 27ht St. All members of the committee and func-tionaries must be present. can parties," said the speaker," for both dwell on insignificant peculiarities, of the candidates and ignore

submergence of the working class idle, now hold a two-game lead over while they differ in no essential way the Giants. on the issues they do deal with.

"Union membership has decreased A special discussion meeting will be held today at 6 p. m., at 108 East 14th Street. Subject is: The disciplinary decisions of the district office. by a third since the war and many unions are in a precarious position.' Nearing continued. "Production has increased two-fold since the war but of the enormous profits all but a few per cent has been made by a few concerns while wages have not

A special meeting of the Italian unit, Section 4, Harlem will be held tomorrow at 8:30 p. m. at 143 E. 103rd St. Election of a new execu-tive committee of the unit will take increased and have in many industries decreased. Thus the working class is faced with the need and the desirability of forming strong unions. The Workers Party aims

> "In the international field the United States finds itself the dominant nation due to its wealth and to its loans and investments abroad.' Outlining this situation Nearing discussed the possibilities of war which he said were quite likely to

be stirred up in several different 6F S1 meets tomorrow at Marks Place ways." "For Any Kind of Insurance" NANTES, Sept. 14 .-- Over one

Italian Unit.

**ARL BRODSKY** hundred striking dockmen were arrested here yesterday, when police broke up a demonstration of the Telephone Murray Hill 5550. The police were later forced to 7 East 42nd St., New York release all of the strikers following

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(By United Press) Labor and Fraternal The New York Yankees retained their half game lead in the Ameri-

can League race Sunday by defeattions in New York City and ing the St. Louis Browns while the Philadelphia Athletics were winning vicinity are asked to send notices from the Cleveland Indians. of their activities to this column. Home runs by Gerhig and Koenig There is no charge. All notices For the first time in its history helped the Yankees beat the Browns,

must arrive one day in advance to ensure publication. ark, Delaware was visited by a Com- Lefty Grove pitched the Athletics munist speaker when Scott Near- to a 7 to 1 victory over the Indians, ing addressed a crowd of approxi- allowing but four hits.

House on Monday evening, Sept. 10. made but six hits off Johnson and "You will have to face the Com- Zachary, but three Yankee errors

of 1928," was the challenge laid with two errors in the sixth inning down by the noted economist. to score six runs and drive Shaute \* \* \*

The New York Giants lost a half game in the National League penthe really important issues such as to the Pittsburgh Pirates Sunday. nant race by dropping a 1 to 0 game the concentration of wealth and the The St. Louis Cardinals, who were

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League New York, 7; St. Louis, 5. Philadelphia, 7; Cleveland, 1. Washington, 11; Detroit, 7. Chicago, 7; Boston, 1 (1st) Boston, 2; Chicago, 0 (2nd).

National League Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 0. Cincinnati, 4; Brooklyn, 3. No other games scheduled.

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Local 22 T. U. E. L. Local 22 of the Trade Union Educa-tional League will hold its annual Dance on October 12 at the Park Palace. . . . Icor Concert. Saturday night, September 29 at Town Hall, 113-123 W. 43rd St. a concert will be held for the benefit of Jewish Colonization in the Soviet Union and the new Jewish Soviet territory in Biro Bidjan.

Jewelry Workers Notice

Organizations

The Jewelry Workers Notice. Club will hold a ball and concert on Saturday evening, Nov. 2, at the Web-ster Manor, 11th St. All fraternal organizations are urged not to ar-range conflicting affairs for that date. . . .

Dressmakers' Dance. On October 13, the Dressmakers' Local 22, T. U. E. L. will hold its annual dance at the Park Palace.

I. L. D. Autumn Revel. Proletarian Autumn Rével will held at Webster Hall, Saturday, A Protection of the set of the international Labor Defense. Prizes will be awarded to particl-biest clothes. Mathematical clothes and shab-biest clothes. A Protection of the latter of the lat



The Spanish Workers Club will have a lecture on "Bourgeois and Proletarian Literature," by Miguel Cruz, tomorrow at 8.30 p. m. at 55 W. 113th St. Labor and Fraternal

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> Many Meetings Choose activity. Membership campaigne Convention Delegates and increased attendance is reported

MCGARRY FORCES Labor Defense Groups Show Great Activity;

Lectures on topics of workingclass Continued from Page Gne interest and social affairs are also Garry forces gave lip service to the being arranged b, many branches. fight against the contractor system A drive for subscriptions to the but showed its true character when Labor Defender has been started it refused to make any fight and is meeting with success. against Lewis. This did not save All I. L. D. branches have also them from expulsion by the Lewis begun preparations for the annua

machine which, carrying out the Autumn Revel of the New York policy of the coal operators, is deorganization, which will be held in termined to root out all opposition. Webster Hall, 119 E. 11th St., on New Union Has Correct Plan. Saturday evening, October 27. It Anthracite miners see in this is planned to make this one of the event another confirmation of the most colorful affairs that the I.L.D.

correctness of the policy of the has ever held. on newly formed National Miners' Union whose leaders from the start condemned the unprincipled activities of the Brennan-McGarry group. The National Miners' Union i planning a meeting in District 7 in

the near future which will initiate a drive in the anthracite. One unior of the anthracite and the bitumin ous miners is the policy of the new





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Autumn Revel Oct. 27

With the conclusion of the sum

of the New York Section of the

International Labor Defense, 799 Broadway, have taken a new lease

on life and are showing increased

activity. Membership campaigns

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## "THIS IS TERRIBLE. LET US HAVE PEACE"

## Told You So By Fred Ellis



## Loans to the Soviet Union

The loan mongers of the world are evincing extraordinary interest in the possibility of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics being able to absorb huge amounts of investment capital. The reason for this sudden interest in prospects for future Soviet loans is the demonstrated ability of the Bolshevik government to meet German demands for loan payments months before they fall due.

The financial world was astonished to learn that during the first business week of September 21,000,000 marks worth of gold was sent into Germany from Soviet sources. This transaction had been preceeded by a large number of smaller shipments of gold from the Soviet Union into Germany. For a time the financial world was unable to ascertain the motive for such a gold movement and so their experts on statistical analysis began to delve into the problem. What was the motive of the Soviet Union in shipping such amounts of gold?

The answer was soon forthcoming. The gold shipments that culminated in the 21,000 000 marks movement were for the purpose of placing sufficient gold in German banks to cover the first payment of German govvernment guaranteed credits, amounting to 80,000,000 marks (\$20,000,000). It has been ascertained that the total amount that will fall due between October and January 1929, is already in the hands of the German bankers.

This fact is a staggering refutation of the professional traducers of the Soviet Union who have carried on a persistent propaganda to the effect that the Bolsheviks could not meet the payments on these loans. The lie factories of Paris and Riga, as well as Kellogg's propaganda mill at Washington, and Matthew Woll's Civic Federation liars, will have to invent new slanders against the U. S. S. R.

American financial writers are now speculating upon the volume of future loans that will flow to the Soviet Union.

With gold again moving from London to

Union is travelling toward the construction of socialism. The loan mongers of the world know this and will try to market the products of their home industries and prevent the development of Soviet industries.

But the Soviet Union that has faced the bullets of the imperialists and defeated their mercenary legions on its own soil, that has known how to deal with the spies and sabotageurs of the enemy, will also meet and defeat the intrigues of those who try to utilize credits to the detriment of the revolution. They will, of course, not refuse short-time. credits, but never will the Soviet Union permit itself to be placed in a position where it is dependent for industrial commodities upon the imperialist bandits who, at the very moment they grant credits, will conspire against the workers' and peasants' government. The progress of the Soviet Union on the road to socialism is a guarantee against the im-, perialist plotters.

Furthermore, the class conscious workers of the capitalist countries who are the only real defenders outside the Soviet Union of their socialist fatherland will continue their fight against the imperialists whether they grant long or short-term loans, knowing full well that conspiracies, in one form or another, against the Soviet Union will cease only when capitalism falls before the world proletarian revolution.

# Kellogg Pact

The swindle of the Kellogg pact as an alleged preventive of wars is emphasized by the aircraft maneuvers at Paris, less than a fortnight after the signing of the document by various nations. The maneuvers at Paris were, like all similar exhibitions, intensive propaganda for ever greater armaments.

British and French army staffs viewed They are the prey of the greedy fight against the interests of the 10 per cent of their wages. the performance and made observations "with a view towards perfecting the offensive and defensive ability of the French air force." It is particularly significant that a mock airplane attack on Paris was managed in such a way that had it been real it would have completely destroyed most of the city and the general staff itself. The inevitable conclusion to be drawn from the Paris performance is the necessity for doubling and trebling the air forces as well as the antiaircraft forces. Let no one think for a moment that such maneuvers before staffs of officers from other powers reveal to them the real condition of the military forces, even though they may have a joint entente against other imperialist powers.



# Housing Vital Problem of Negro Workers

## By RICHARD B. MOORE.

gressional District, Workers (Communist) Party.

One of the most vital problems

this problem now is will be realized when it is known that the record of the death rate in cities shows that Rent Laws, and the Dwellings Law the masses. dren of other races. This fright-

unsanitary and beastly conditions the homes of the masses. They gro masses are forced to pay the just, unreasonable and oppressive ing houses. rents for houses in every state of agents, like the others, protect their for workers. Rent for wage earn-

of them.

which the Negro masses face is the are the tragic results. When mea- owned and controlled by all the eaten by rats because rapacious problem of housing. How very vi- sures are introduced for the protec- workers under the system of Com- landlords refuse to make repairs. cannot help attracting the attention tal, in fact, how actually menacing tion of tenants or for the improve- munism, which alone can solve the The issue which this legislature is of prospective business men to the ment of housing conditions, such as problem of housing, of labor, etc., now called upon to decide, the issue field of religion as a fertile source the extension of the Emergency and guarantee a decent life for all now squarely before it, is whether of income. Aimee has found it that

rible housing conditions imposed basis of their class interests as capi- fights for a program of housing and health and lives of its citizens. upon the Negro masses under the talists to kill laws which would help labor in the interests of the masses, Paris - Two Weeks After the present oppressive capitalist system to abolish fire-traps and disease- the Workers (Communist) Party. improve in some slight measure the (Communist) Party on housing de-Rent profiteering, overcrowding, standards of safety and health in mands: 1. Abolition of all laws which re-

are at their worst in the segregated ought as one to wipe from the sta-sult in segregation of Negroes. districts where Negroes are com-tute books any laws which afford Abolition of all Jim Crow laws. The pelled to live. Unable to move out tenants and workers the slightest law shall forbid all discrimination of these miserable ghettos, the Ne- legal basis for a fight against "un- against Negroes in selling or rentmost exhorbitant and outrageous rents." The Negro landlords and 2. Municipal fixing of low rents

dilapidation and lack of sanitation. class interests, their profits, they ers should not amount to more than 3. Municipally built houses should

A BIG fat, oil worm has finally

turned Harry Sinclair who has been kicked around like the "Ole hound dawg"

for several years is now on the inside of the boot. You all heard of the scandalous way in which this patriot was treated for his patriotic action in becoming a party of the second part to an oil deal, which

T. J. O'Flaherty relieved the navy depart-ment of a state full of oil. Big hearted Harry agreed to shoulder the burden.

WELL, Harry lost several pounds of excess avoirdupois and perhaps a million dollars in legal fees before he was finally absolved of sin. But a true patriot will never rest until he has given his country convincing proof that his heart only palpitates for two worthy purposes, namely love and patriotism. When the time came for the oil Ameer to file his income tax report he lopped off a couple of millions from his taxable income, which he claimed was lost to him thru bad luck with the horses, a few bad debts and sundry items amounting to half a mil-

UAD Sinclair succeeded in convinching the internal revenue departof the truth of his tale ne would have saved \$250,000-almost enough to buy the next administration. And he might have succeeded but for the cupidity of two internal revenue agents who tried to hold him up for \$35,000. Rocking with indignation, Sinclair got in touch with the competent authorities, who had the agents arrested with the dough

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health and welfare of the people, it Harry broke into the press and is would pass this bill forthwith. The now eligible for a cabinet position. Evidently he learned something from the Teapot Dome scandal.

whose fingers and cheeks have been eaten by rats because rapacious THE arirval of Aimee McPherson in town, on her way to England, the richest state of the richest coun- way. In one respect it resembles One can to eight times faster than the chil- New York legislature this year, it the duty of the oppressed Negro resources, cannot provide a housing start without much capital. The is seen that black and white land- and white workers and tenants is code which will provide sufficient customer bears all the expense and unless he dies too soon he is cerinnocents, is due directly to the ter-them. They line up together on the heartedly the only party which standards for the protection of the tain to be all velvet. There is another resemblance. Insurance. though encouraging thrift, thrives

slave property were confiscated in to bank them for a dying day. Reorder to abolish chattel slavery. But ligion, while warring on sin, would the issue is not now confiscation. go to bed supperless only for the We have not yet come to that again jolly old sinner.

Candidate for Congress, 21st Con- Exploited by Sharks; Face Exorbitant Rents; dreadful conditions among the masses will be realized from the Slum Conditions: Segregation pathetic fact that we have mothers appearing in court with children

Negro children are dying from two Bill which were brought before the In the present election campaign try in the world cannot find enough the insurance business. ful mortality, this slaughter of the lords unite in the fight to defeat clear. It is to support whole- light and air and which will compel

"The landlords have raised the cry which is based upon rent, interest and profit. Berty and disease-the workers (Communist) Party. The program of the Workers workers of the masses, breeding slums, laws which would improve in some slight measure the communist of the Workers of the Workers of dollars of the thriftless, who are more in-swered that millions of dollars of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the program of the Workers of the Workers of the Workers of the Workers of the thriftless, who are more in-the thriftless, who are more in-We have not yet come to that again.

There is not a single confiscatory provision in this Dwellings Law provision in this Dwellings Law Bill which requires only the barest AIMEE is going to England to save the Anglo-Saxons from beer and minimum standards for health and sin. The English are between the safety. As a matter of fact, this devil and the deep sea, alright. They bill does not begin to require what must choose between Aimee and is really necessary for the protec- Pussyfoot Johnson. Wise people tion of the masses. Against this always pick the lesser of two evils. false cry of confiscation, we raise Pussyfoot, in addition to being a

New York the question of disposing of the enormous gold supply in the United States becomes more complicated. Since the Soviet Union is able to absorb a tremendous volume of credits, this question inevitably forces itself to the very forefront in financial circles. It is a certainty that credits will be granted. with or without recognition of the Soviet Union by the United States government.

Let no one imagine, however, that because credits will be extended the loan mongers are any more friendly to the revolution than before. They will remain, as before, the relentless enemies of the workers' and peasants' government. In fact, they will endeavor to utilize their loans for counter-revolutionary purposes. The Berlin correspondent of the New York Evening Post, speaking of credits to the Soviet Union says:

"Many persons think the Soviets ought to buy finished articles for consumption, which can be bought on short term credits, instead of machinery, which requires long-term It is understood from very recredits. . . . liable sources that it is possible, if the Russians are willing to accept large short-term credits, Americans are ready to participate with the Germans in placing considerable sums at their disposal."

. While appearing as merely a technical question of finances, the distinction between short-term credits for articles calculated for immediate consumption and long-term credits for machinery is of the greatest political significance. Short-term credits mean that the banking capitalists will place at the disposal of the Soviet Union only those credits that will enable the Bolshevik government to purchase the finished products of the industrial capitalist countries-hoping the Soviet Union will become a mere market for the absorption of such commodities and will be dependent for its needs upon the capitalist world. Long-term credits mean placing at the disposal of the Soviet Union money that will enable the government to continue its policy of socialist construction by establishing its own industries-its own machinery of production.

The greatest need of the Soviet Union is not merely the machinery of light industry that will enable it to produce textile and other commodities for immediate sale and consumption. Its greatest need is the establishment of heavy industries; industries that produce the machinery of production for the lighter industries.

The presence of the British did, however. also emphasize the new Anglo-French entente that first took the form of a naval agreement between the Baldwin-Chamberlain tory government and the Poincare-Briand imperialist government.

While the sham air fight was going on in Paris the puppet president at Washington, Cal Coolidge, and his antedulivian secretary of state, "Nervous Nelly" Kellogg, were still trying to conceal their fury at the Anglo-French naval agreement which was consummated in defiance of the naval arms policy of the United States.

Within a short time we may expect similar sham battles off the coasts of the United States which will "reveal" the fact that all the sea coast cities may easily be destroyed, as an excuse for our own jingoes to demand armaments that will surpass those of any other nation.

This frenzied preparation for another imperialist war, the logical inevitable result of the contradictions generated on a world scale, is the outstanding political problem of the day, yet as far as the campaigns of the democrats, republicans and socialists are concerned, this fact is utterly ignored.

It is only the Communists that face the reality of the situation and wage a determined struggle against the war-mongers. All those workers and farmers of the United States, who will be the victims of the next of the candidates of the Workers (Communist) Party and help wage a fight against imperialism and all its agents-the Herbert Hoovers, the Al Smiths and the Norman Thomases

landlords and grasping capitalists oppressed Negro masses who are who literally suck the life-blood out being crushed into the dust. Workers Fight the Slum System. profit.

#### Negroes Jim Crowed.

It is the workers' and tenants' or-Exploited at the point of producwages for the most taxing and men- black and white. ial labor, Negro workers are set The American Negro Labor Conupon at the point of consumption by gress sent telegrams to the gover- lords of all working class homes in rent hogs and landlord sharks who take advantage of their segregated State, demanding the passage of 6. Immediate establishment by condition to gouge and bleed them these laws. The Harlem Tenants municipalities of homes to shelter to death. Terrible indeed is the League sent resolutions and dele- the unemployed. plight of these workers caught in the meshes of this vicious and lethal gates along with the representatives 7. Municipal aid to workers' of other tenants' leagues and labor building cooperatives. system of profit-making and rent- bodies to fight for the protection gouging. Impoverishment, degrada- and the welfare and lives of the

tion, disease, and death-this is the masses of the people. terrible toll which Negro workers are forced to pay under this vicious system which yields ill-gotten gain

parasites.

and blood money to a few capitalist plain and pointed. It is clear be-

Negro Landlords Just as Oppressive higher rents and to clean up the vile gro workers are forced to live by It is a fact worthy of special note and full of great significance that Negro landlords and real estate will have to be waged against the is a fact worthy of special note and survival of the Negro workers Similar conditions are to be found in all working all conditions are to be found in all working all conditions are to be found agents are ready participants in bitter opposition of both black and in all working class districts. and active supporters of this vicious white landlords who fatten upon In "prosperous" America the system which pauperizes, degrades, these vicious and murderous condi- workers, black and white, are forced and tenants should learn from this enough votes in this election camand crushes the masses of the Ne- tions. The Negro tenants and to live in slums and hovels, but in that they must support the party of paign to fill a high hat. Al Smith gro race. It is an undeniable and workers of other races, will have to Soviet Russia, where the workers their own class which alone can be has stolen Norman Thomas's camweighty fact that Negro landlords carry on this necessary struggle for rule, the best houses are occupied and agents are no more considerate the salvation of the black and white by workers and "the building of

of the purse, safety, health, and workers. lives of Negro tenants than any The Only Solution-Communism. part of the whole constructive pro- Communist! Join the Workers claimed for themselves, will divide other landlords

Indeed, it is to be observed that leagues and powerful labor unions which spends millions yearly to

Negro real estate agents have been as their essential and effective in- erect houses for wage earners.' very active class in increasing struments for this vital struggle. The oppressive nature of the cap- 'Labor' Laws Are in They are exceedingly active They must organize politically to de- italist government of America is and skillful in the business of per- feat the parties of the capitalists clearly to be seen in the callous dissuading landlords to put in Negro and the landlords, the republican regard of the lives of the masses of tenants at doubled rentals. What and democratic parties. They must the people by the capitalist politidoes it matter to them what these defeat likewise the socialist party, cians who killed the Dwellings Law tenants do, or how they live in order the treacherous party of the small Bill, and other such measures. The to pay these oppressive rents? What business men and yellow liberals fight against this capitalist exdoes it matter to these Negro who have forsaken the class strug- ploitation and degradation of the say the state and federal authori. unions, the socialist party was busy agents and landlords whether black gle and who fail to fight for the in- workers is and must be carried on ties. Well, man, they are on paper, babies live or die? Only one thing terests of the workers. They must against the bitter opposition of both of course. They must against the bitter opposition of both of course. lords and capitalists of whatever class struggle, the Party of the This was brought into bold view in In the construction of new build- expected that this treacherous pol-

Lessons

race, and that is profit. Profit For Landlords\_Slums For fights militantly against the sys- Bill. One of the most militant fight- materials. No people are allowed Workers.

The higher the rent, the greater talist exploitation-the Workers and workers in that struggle was the candidate of our Party, Richard

the commission, the larger the gain. (Communist) Party. And again, the less coal burned, the Under the banner of this militant at all the hearings at Albany. We fewer repairs made, the greater proletarian party the black and B. Moore, who as president of the the boss also saw this but as usual labor bureaucrats, being "practical" the profit. So rents are raised, white tenants and workers must Harlem Tenants' League, appeared didn't give a damn.

the profit. So rents are raised, white tenants and workers must Harlem Tenants' League, appeared didn't give a damn. steam heat and hot water are hard- fight for the abolition of the capi-guote in part from one of his Workers, see that the safety laws the Rev. Norman Thomas's halo. world slaughter, should rally to the support ly to be obtained, and repairs and talist system of rent, interest and speeches exposing before the legis-are enforced. If we do not protect They prefer the more juicy honors sanitation are neglected by black as profit which is responsible for their lature the oppressive housing condi- our lives, who will? It is up to us. of the capitalist parties. well as by white landlords and oppression and degradation. They tions,

agents. With results for the masses must fight for the establishment of "If the legislature were converof these workers that are terrible a workers' government under which to contemplate. Destitution, degen-eration, disease, and death, these factories, mills, mines, etc.—will be moved by considerations for the women factory workers. eration, disease, and death, these factories, mills, mines, etc .- will be moved by considerations for the women factory workers.

the true cry of murder, for the chronic snooper, is a confidence be rented to the workers without lethal conditions under which the man. He passes off a glass eyeball masses of people are now compelled for the real article. Since Aimee

4. Immediate enactment of state ganizations that are found fighting laws providing for abolition of the to live amount to murder. To the faced a jury in her kidnaping trial tion where they are paid the lowest for the protection of the workers, right of eviction by landlords gentleman who quoted from the de- and learned from experience that calogue, "Thou shalt not steal," we short skirts are more effective in against wage earner tenants.

5. Compulsory repair by the land- reply, that there is another com- softening the male heart than the mandment which is still more bind- most eloquent address from learned nor and legislature of New York bad condition. ing, "Thou shalt not kill." "I ask this legislature not to be Satan by giving her calves the air.

overawed by this display of the But by meeting the sinners halflandlords who have packed this way she brings in the customers.

hearing. The millions of the peo- Pussyfoot is too old-fashioned. He ple demand the passage of this law. persists in looking at sin straight

(Editor's note):

This article by the candidate of our Party for congress in the 21st The lesson of this situation is congressional district exposes the terrible housing conditions existing fore our eyes. The fight to reduce in the Jim Crow quarters where Ne-

homes for workers is an essential Workers (Communist) Party. Vote 1924, which the socialists then

They must build strong tenants' gram of the' Soviet government (Communist) Party!

(By a Worker Correspondent)

workers, farmers, and tenants which the struggle over the Dwellings Law ings hoists are used for carrying up icy would win them the support of fights militantly against the sys-tem of rent-profiteering and capiers for the protection of the tenants to ride on them. Recently I saw democrats are either running the men riding on them because they government for the capitalists ore wanted to save time. In one place are in a respectable opposition. The

CASSELL.

WHILE the Workers (Communist) Party was incurring the wrath of the capitalists and the labor fakers by participating in the struggles of the workers for wages and Labor laws are supposed to be working conditions, and leading the in the interests of the workers. So left wing struggle in the trade slandering the Communists and assisting the reactionary labor lead-

ers in ousting the militants. They the trade union bureaucracy. But mong, do not see any sense in

Interest of Bosses

judge and act accordingly."

They are the fewer here for the rea- with his eye. son that even now at this hour they are toiling and sweating and grind-ing to produce the profits and rents THE Workers (Communist) Party is now on the ballot in twentywhich these oppressors squeeze out of them. But these workers are almost ready for filing. This is a

watching to see whether this legis-lature will sacrifice the health and party with only one election camlives of its citizens to the greed of paign behind it. In the heyday of

counsel she has compromised with

oppressive profiteers. They will the socialist party it was only on the hallot in 41 states. But for the The capitalist politicians of both "traditional" socialist voters, who the republican and democratic par- have gone to sleep since the war, ties killed this bill. The workers the socialist party would not get

depended upon to fight for their paign thunder and a considerable vital interests. This party is the chunk of the LaFollette vote of

between the democratic and repub-

. . .

lican parties.