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ANOTHER GASTONIA STRIKER FRAMED; MURDER CHARGE

Says U. S. Won't Be on "Reparations Bank' Board, Officially

Demand Full Payment

Holds France, England Must Do Collecting

WASHINGTON, June 26 .-- Secre tary of State Stimson today issued a statement designed to place on France and England the burden of the looting of Germany by war victors. He said that the U. S. government would not officially participate in the "Reparations Bank," the financial institution established on the progosal by Owen D. Young and J. P. Morgan at the Dawes Plan Board of Experts meeting recently

Stimson's statement is considered here also a quite direct hint to the English and French governments that they are expected to pay the debts they owe in America, without regard to the question of whether they can collect equal amounts from Germany or not.

Will Have Its Agents.

The reparations bank is an organization which will handle all payments from Germany, and will finance the marketing of payment in kind. Stimson's statement today does not mean that the U. S. will not have unofficially representation on its board. Young and Morgan were called "unofficial" delegates to the board of experts, but actually exercised complete veto powers and took general charge of the negotia-

nnouncement made May 16 that the United States would have nothing to do officially with the actual collection of the indemnity from stated that the United States insists Textile Workers Union, the Commuon the full payment of debts owed nict Party and the Communist

Young and Morgan, with their Newark, Friday night.

THERE MUST BE \$5,000 BEFORE SATURDAY TO SAVE THE 'DAILY

This is the plain, unadorned fact. We put this question before our readers as our revolutionary duty to the working class. The very appearance of the Daily itself reveals the tremendous difficulties under which we are keeping the paper alive. We had to reduce the size of our paper from six to four pages. All our credit is cut of. Everything we get must be paid for spot cash. The United Press, that was furnishing us news service has cut off the machines that carry that service into this office because we could not meet our debts. The engravers have cut off our service for pictures for the same reason. It is only with the greatest sacrifice that we are able to get out international news.

We are working on the vert narrowest margin to exist at all, and we see before us the end of the week with the heavy bills due and there are not sufficient funds coming in to meet these bills. UNLESS WE GET SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO PAY SOME OF OUR DEBTS AND THE CURRENT EXPENSES WE WILL BE FORCED TO SUSPEND ON SATURDAY! At this moment when the working class of every section and of every industry in the country is beginning to fight against wage-cuts, the speed-up and all the effects of rationalization, at a moment when the capitalist class has set out to murder the leaders of the organizational drive of the National Textile Workers Union unless the working class of the United States and of the world is mobilized against it, the Daily Worker is more indespensable than ever before. But just in this situation we face our greatest difficulties.

Surely, at such a time, our readers will realize the necessity of immediate financial assistance to enable us to get through the difficulties we now face. It is in such a situation as exists at present in the United States that we have a real opportunity to become in fact what Lenin said a Communist paper should be, "not only the collective agitator but the collective organizer of the working class."

Rush your contribution to help us overcome this immediate crisis. Mail or bring funds direct to the Daily Worker office!

Correspondents, Join

the Fight to Save the

Gastonia Prisoners!

Aided by the capitalist courts

of North Carolina, the mill

bosses are attempting to send 14

Gastonia workers, with their

leaders, to the electric chair. A

large-scale Sacco-Vanzetti case

The voice of the powerful army

of worker correspondents of the

Communist press must be raised

to fight this attempted mass-

murder. Workers, let the mill

bosses and the capitalist courts

know that you will not permit the

murder of these 14 courageous

fighters. Let these 14 workers.

Stimson's statement reiterates his Warn Workers to Keep Negroes

Police-aided gangster's brutality Germany. He has several times against members of the National by European countries to the United Youth League will be denounced at a League meeting at 3 Governor St.,

alternates, Perkins and Lamont, held A recent meeting of the National a conference yesterday with Presi- Textile Workers Union to rally mass dent Hoover, at which it is under- support to defeat the Gastonia stood they advocated at least un- frame-ups had been preceded by official representation on the repara- threats continued from gangsters to (Continued on Page Two)

faced with electrocution by the tions' bark board by the Washing- League girls to "keep away from law of the bosses know that you will fight for their lives, to the

EMERGENCY FUND Do this now, thru the Daily Worker Worker correspondents show your nower. Write in at once, expressing your solidarity with the 14 frame-up victims of

> Do it now! It may soon be too Worker correspondents. ioin in the fight to save the Gas

Fund Is Still Growing Too Slowly the Gastonia courts.

Cincel Levittan N. Y
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Jee Guarascio, New York
D. Armundo, New York
A. Shirer, New York
Joe Notooli, New York
M. Mancusooo, New York
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F. Lisi, New York
C. Rogenbaum, New York
S. Amler, New York
H. Raskin, New York
D. Dubovitz, New York
Peta Swanson, Unit 4 S-4, N.Y.
H. McKiernon, Brooklyn , N. Y.
Camp Nei-Leben, Glenham,
H. Casten, Brooklyn, N. Y.
1F-Sec. 3, New York, N. Y
Th. Sepp, Philadelphia, Pa.
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Palest Toucher, Danley, Pa
Robert Tosche, Clifton, N. J.
Chas. Faessler, Atlantic City .
V. Palm, Chicago, Ill
J. J. Skahan, Hudson, Mass
Puss. Wom. Aid Society,
Hegewisch, Ill
John Stropin, Chicago, Ill

John Reichle, Madison Heights, D. Zini, No. Little Rock, Ark. 20.00 Illinois

S. Hartley 2.00 Gust M. Chaky 2.00 ****** 1.00

Stephen Kovacs50 Louis Lukacs T. Hamm 1.00 Gastonia Strikers to A. Proffom Mirafsky Andy Gyrych, Monessen, Pa... 2.00 I. M. Thomas, Barberton, Ohio 2.00 S. Zino, Braddock, Pa. . 5.00 Al Minkin, Brooklyn, N. Y... 3.69 Lee Zirlin, Bronx, N. Y. 5.00 Jee Miller, Toledo, Ohio * 5.00 Albert Langendorfer, Newport, Kentucky 5.00 Helen and Fred Douglas, Paterson, N. J. ... 10.00 M. Goldstein, Woodridge, N. Y. 1.00 4.51 M. Arkin, Woodridge, N. Y. ..

1.00 David Falk, Canton, Ohio ... 5.00 Charles Moschel, Cincinnati, 10.60 Geo. Elles, Waukegan, Ill. 2.00 Gust Pappas, Wankegan, Ill. . . S. Sotiros, Waukegan, Ill. 1.00 Nick Patchis, Waukegan, Ill. 1.00 W. N. Patterson, Zanesville, O. 5.00 Nick Vassilopulos, Waukegan,

I. Pazar, Detroit, Mich. 200 Nasto Tarleff, Waukegan, Ill Collected by S. Hartley, Cleveland, O. Steve Tesinos, Waukegan, El. 1.00 Frantzis, Waukegan,

the appeal for aid in the Daily Worker I am

contributors will be published in the "Daily" withou

WILL "THE DAILY" SURVIVE?

Send in Your Answer!

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tonia prisoners!

Attend Chicago Anti-

War Picnic on July 4

The presence of several strikers the great mass picnic arranged for June 29. picnic at which all national elements workers. of the basic industrial proletariat of 4.00 Chicago will be represented by their

German Workmen's Sick and Bene- pioneer strike of the food workers pital where he was laid up for nearfit Societies to prevent announce- who have suffered so long from ly a week. ments of the Gastonia struggle and open-shop exploitation. Our memthe coming anti-war fight at a re- bership has doubled. Every day sees cent picnic were defeated by the more workers joining the union from huge workers' audience which gave cafeterias which have not yet been that every trip may be his last, now the Communist speaker, Eric Baker, struck. In the course of time we such support that he was able to will have a city-wide strike that will tell the story of the Gastenia de- be on a much larger scale than the fense and the July 4 anti-war dem- present strike."

At the last picnic of the Scandi- Girls of Salofelt Shop navian Workers' Organization at Geneva, Ill., an improvised fife and drum band in a car paraded the meeting grounds and pushed contributions for the Gastonia defense

The July 4 picnic will be held at Chernauskas Grove which can be reached by taking the Archer Ave. car to the end of the line, and changing for Justice Park car to Grove.

MAVERHILL SHOE STRIKE. HAVERHILL, Mass., (By Mail) Over 250 workers of the Mitchen Shoe Co. here have struck for better rages and a five day week

FREE 12 MORE

Strike Will Continue, Kramberg Says

yesterday released on a writ of occasions during the last six weeks, tell the story of the Gastonia textile habeas corpus signed by Supreme hospital with two bullets in his leg. Judge Leighton.

The order was obtained by Philip responsible were the same. Wittenberg, lawyer for the cafeteria The men behind the footpads are workers union, on the ground that wealthy Bronx ice dealers who rethe special sessions court which convicted the strikers had no jurisdic-

Others Jailed.

sentenced to serve 60 days in jail for Brook Aves. The bosses have deviolating an injunction obtained by termined to get rid of his competithe Wil-low Cafeterias, Inc. Over tion at any cost. 100 other strikers also sentenced to Their hired gunmen first set on 60 days in the Workhouse on the Jackson early in the morning of same charge are expected to be released in the next few days.

one day in jail. They chose to spend route did not succeed and he was Gastonia frame-up. a day in jail. They had been ar- back on the job again. expected to add further interest to charged and four cases adjourned to within an inch of his life. Though

"This is only the beginning of the Then on June 4, at 8 o'clock in 5.00 Wm. Long. Wellington, Ohio 5.00 own special features, but it will be fight for union conditions in the the morning, he was shot at from of the executive committee of the very excellent beginning in this He was removed to the Lincoln Hos- on the sinking Avalon were trans

Give \$10.50 to Daily

The girl workers of the Salofelt Hat Company, realizing the grave danger in which the Daily Worker finds itself at the present moment, and knowing that the suspension of the only daily organ of the working class would seriously cripple their struggles as well as the entire labor movement, have made a collection among themselves and contributed a total of \$16.50 out of their meager earnings to save the paper.

They promise to give still more

Imported Gunmen to Stiffen Gangs Planning Strikers' Death

Fred Erwin Beal, held in Gasto-

owners. The Gastonia Gazette says,

ternational Labor Defense, 80 East

Help; Not Enough

11 street, New York.

"Release Mill Prisoners" Is Masses' Vote

A resolution was adopted by the reat New York mass meeting yes terday, in Union Square, condemn tile strikers, and pointing out the mill owners' reason for resorting to this attempt at the murder of 14. The resolution states:

"American capitalism is trying to workers to long term imprisonment for leading and engaging in the heroic Gastonia strike and for degunmen of the southern textile manufacturers, and

"The capitalist state, not satisfied with its use of militia against (Continued on Page Two)

SHOT BY BOSSES

Thugs Attack 3 Times; Protest Planned

secution of a Negro worker by boss of Gastonia defense. gangsters has just been revealed to the Daily Worker, after weeks of suppression by the capitalist sheets Bedacht, Bloor, Two working hand in glove with the Gastonia Strikers at Tammany police.

Alfred Jackson, driver of an ice wagon, who lives at 550 East 133rd St., New York City, has been at-Twelve cafeteria strikers were tacked and beaten on three separate the latest attack landing him in the In each case the murderous thugs

sent Jackson's "encroachments" vate preserves. Jackson is well liked by his working class customers and does a thriving trade in the The released workers had been neighborhood between 135th and 137th Streets and Cypress and

> May 2 as the Negro worker was hours of dancing will alternate bemaking his rounds. He was jumped on without warning, slugged and

rested in the mass picketing demon-stration in front of the Princeton the onslaught and before he had Rescue 14 Fishermen his body was horribly bruised as a assassins.

Jackson has insisted on returning to his work in spite of the entreaties of his wife, who, fearing accompanies him on the wagon. Feeling among both black and white workers acquainted with the

story of this dastardly boss persecution is running high in Harlem. A mass demonstration of protest against the guerilla rule of the ice barons and against the Tammany police who wink at such unheard-of violations of a worker's "rights" is being arranged in conjunction with

SEAMEN FAKERS MEET.

he misleaders of the International ers.

BIG CHICAGO CITY

ing the frame-up of Gastonia tex- Touring Speakers Get Strong Response

CHICAGO, Ill., June 26 .- A big city-wide conference, attended by railroad to death 14 union organizers and strikers and six other class organizations, is being arranged by the local International Labor Defense for Sunday after noon, July 14, at Temple Hall fending themselves against the Marshfield and Van Buren Sts. brutal attacks of the militia and where plans will be considered for Chicago district to raise funds for along with 13 other workers, by or- Lineberger, and carried without exthe defense of the victims of the der of the Manville Jenckes mill tradition papers to the Gastonia Gastonia frame-up. The conference will also organize the defense of the 27 workers who were arrested at an I. L. D. protest demonstration southern organizer of the National mediately sent its representative. against the Gastonia frame-up on June 15.

> The conference will be followed by Gastonia frame-up victims to Inmass meeting in the evening in the same place.

Strikers To Assist. Two Gastonia textile strikers, Al fred Hayes and John Wisna, will arrive in Chicago Saturday to aid in the preparatory work for the con ference. They will be in Buffale A story of the most ferocious per- this Thursday and Friday in behalf

Detroit Picnic July 4

DETROIT, Mich., June 26. Binnie Green and Elizabeth Ine Ginnis, Gastonia textile strikers, will struggle and the frame-up arising from it at a mass picnic lead by the Communist Party and the Communist Youth League at the Rochester Picnic Park, Thursday, July 4.

Others woh will participate in the speaking program from 4.30 to 6 p. m. will be Max Bedacht, of the Central Committee of the Communist Party. Ella Reeve (Mother) Bloor, N. H. Tallentire, District Organizer of the Communist Party, Philip Frankfeld, District Organizer of the Communist Youth League, Alf. Goetz and Philip Raymond.

An athletic program will be given by the Labor Sports Union, and six Company's courts and are determined loyalty to the strike and the union. tween track and field contests.

men and women to the electric chair; The Daily Worker. Mother Bloor and the two strik- the bailing out of the eight workers In Jefferson Market Court Magis- felled to the ground, suffering in- ers are coming here as part of their who are facing charges of assault trate McQuade yesterday sentenced juries which incapacitated him for nation-wide tour in the big mass with intent to kill; the countless local business man today notified 6 cafeteria strikers to \$2 fine or several days. But the attempt of campaign of the International Labor other legal expenses involved in a several strikers that he had been the bosses to scare him off the Defense to save the victims of the trial of this size and importance approached by members of the thousands of dollars, the I. L. D.

Cafeteria, 27th St. and 6th Avenue fully recovered from the first beat- from Ship Endangered The presence of several strikers on Monday. Four others were dis-

BABYLON, L. I., June 26 .- Four-July 4th by the Chicago District of There are now 33 cafeteria owners result of the thrashing and though the contributions received imported from the northern proper the Communist Party. This will who have signed an agreement with he knew that his very life was in not only be a great international the union, involving over 600 danger, he stuck to his post, defying the ice bosses and their paid sank in Fire Island inlet after a collision with the trawler Winifred H. just off Point Democrat

Two passengers on the Avalon against the coming imperialist war. berg, secretary of the union, vicinity of 135th St. and St. Ann's collision but were immediately picked ferred to the Winifred H.

Captain Oliver Davis Oakley of the Avalon and Captain Hiram M. Stein of the Winifred H. charged each other with being responsible for the accident.

The Avalon sank in seventeen feet of water and later was raised.

De Priest is Against Social Equality for

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 26 .--Who wants social equality?" asked the Negro congressman Oscar De the Communist Party of District 2 Priest before 1,500 Negroes 'here one year. Within this one year the last night. The position of the revolutionary situation has greatly Negro under the rule of the white changed. The fighting against supremacy, De Priest held, was not Chiang Kai-shik, conduced by Gen-WASHINGTON (By Mail). - to be blamed upon the white lynch- eral Pai Chung Hsi and Li Tsung about the different parties. Recent

to organize the unorganized seamen nasty snubs from those he does not can still give the Nanking govern- tang) adopted some of the organi and have expelled militants who "blame for the social status of the ment much trouble. Besides that, zation mechads of the Con demanded organization of the unor- Negro" since his wife was accidently General Feng Yu-Hslang, the so- Party and reorganized itself. But ganized, will hold their next annual included in a tea-drinking party with called Christian general, is to con- it cannot find many followers, convention here in February, 1929. Hoover's spouse at the White House, duct a campaign against Chisag (Continued on Page Too).



GASTONIA, N. C., June 26. Another strike leader is arrested and charged with murder. Delmar Hampton, an active textile striker of Gastonia was jailed in Gaffner, South Carolina, at 10 A. M. this morning, and held until 3 P. M. the afternoon, when he was handed over to three carloads of deputies nia jail and slated for electrocution, from Gastonia, in charge of Sheriff

Hearing news of his arrest, the "Beal is the bird we want." He is International Labor Defense im-Textile Workers Union. Send funds Paul Crouch, from Charlotte to for defense of Beal and the other South Carolina, but he arrived after Hampton had been carried away.

Juliet Stuart Poyntz, national sec-

retary of the I.L.D., is leaving this evening from Charlotte for Gastonia with the I.L.D.'s attorneys, to demand Hampton's release on the grounds of lack of evidence and the fact that he was kidnapped from South Carolina. Reject Attack on Strikers.

The South Carolina Federation of Labor meeting in Spartansburg, has refused to pass a resolution submitted condemning the Gastonia strikers now in jail being framd up for murder.

Spekaers declared that Defense Reports Much they are against the National Textile Workers Union, the federation woul not go on record in any way that will interfere with the defense With the trial of 14 Gastonia tex- of the strikers in jail or the Lorsy ile strikers and strike leaders on strike.

charges of murder, tentatively set The American Legion, Gastonia for July 29, the importance of speed post, however, at its meeting last in raising defense funds is being em-inight, issued a long resolution asphasized by the International Labor sailing the strikers and calling for Defense whose nation-wide campaign conviction of those in jail,

in behalf of the Gastonia frameup The Gastonia Gazette in its editovictims is enlisting thousands of workers and sympathizers with the the A.F.L. textile union. This sheet has been trying to create a mur-One thousand dollars a day is the derous lynching movement ever since amount needed, the National Office the raid on the ten colony which reof the I. L. D. announces. The secur- sulted in teh shooting of Chief of ing of an adequate corps of defense police Aderholt, who led the raiders. lawyers to combat the 14 leading Poyntz today visited the strikers North Carolina attorneys who are in in Gastonia jail, and found them all the employ of the Manville-Jenckes in good spirits, and resolute in their to send every one of the 14 framed They sent by her their greetings to

GASTONIA, N. C., June 26, - A necessitate the raising of many "ch amber of commerce" crowd with a definite proposal that he join a new secret organization to "rid the old Tar Heel state" of all union or ganizers.

The plan as explained to this man. the emergency appeal of the I. L. D. is to utilize the hired gunmen of has been good, it is still far below the Manville Jenckes textile mills the \$1,000 a day that is needed. company, especially a group to be familiar lynch law methods.

4.00 Odessa Br. 225 W. C. N. Y. 25.00 a class-struggled de monstration cafeterias of New York," Sam Kram- a window while delivering ice in the were knocked off the boat by the The attempts of social-democrats declared. "The union has made a finished by the Winifred H. The others of the executive committee of the very excellent beginning in this He was removed to the Lincoln Hose. On the sinking Avalon were trans-

Writes of Growing Movement, Persecutions, and Perspectives of the Struggle

We have received a letter from a Kai-shik and general Yen Hsi-shan, verbatim:

Many Small Contributions.

Though the response thus far to

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Dear Comrade:

The misleaders of the International ers.

Seamens' Union, who have refused De Priest continues to receive are not exterminated yet, so they Nationalist Party (not Kyomis-

comrade, a native of China, who the general "on the fence". Howwrote of recent events there to ever, the American and Japanese one of his friends in t he U. S. The imperialists are backing Chiang facts it gives concerning the situa- Kai-shik, supplying him with amtion is extremely interesting to munition and money. So there is those who realize the world impor- little hope for General Feng to win His Enslaved Race tance of the course of the struggles the fight. But he plans, in case of in the East. We print the letter defeat, to retreat to Shen-Si province, where he will make a firm stand. In short, like mad dogs, the You have left Chine for almost Kvomintang leader or rather gen-China into a great civil war, Now let me tell you someth

(Continued on Page Too).

FOREIGN NEWS

MacDonald Continues 'Disarmament' Parleys with U. S.; 'Labor' Premier to Broach Soviet 'Recognition' in Speech July 2

Wall Street's Cue in "Naval Cut" Farce.

LONDON, June 26 .- Imperial Britain is waiting on Imperial U. S. make the next pass in the half-hearted shadow-boxing which goes the name of naval disarmament and which is used to draw the atn of the world's workers away from the frenzied war preparations ing made on every hand by the capitalist powers. Ramsay Mac-"labor" premier, looks for Wall Street's government to sound the other parties to the last fake conference and get them to define Although there is no nope for its rising.

Although there is no nope for its rising.

Although there is no nope for its rising. some more futile sparring. The backstairs pow-wow in which MacDonald and Hugh Gibson, stuffed shirt Wall Street amparty, much less for it to exercise sador to Belgium, indulged on Tuesday night ended in a deadlock,

Figure How To Rob Pauperized German Workers.

PARIS, June 26 .- Both parliament and the government expect to be arled in discussions on the war debts and the problem of grinding ore another. Not only the workers "The reactionary bureaucracy of tives. as of marks out of the impoverished workers and peasants of Gerlany, for the next four weeks or longer.

Dawes Will Keep Calves in Hiding.

LONDON, June 26.—When U. S. Ambassador Dawes is presented Doctrine of Sun Yan Sen becomes Gastonia and are working hand in United States Senate. Queen Mary tonight, he will not wear silk knee breeches and patent a thing of the past, and people get hand with the bosses against the The anti-Hague fight is lead by a er shoes with silver buckles, as will the rest of the Wall Street tired of talking it. To many people workers. chamberlain to don long jeans for the hand-kissing ceremony.

As to the Chinese Committee of the court in the

MacDonald, New Columbus, Discovers U. S. S. R.

LONDON, June 26 .- It is understood that resumption of diplomatic alions with the U. S. S. R. will be broached in the "king's speech m the throne," already prepared by MacDonald, on July 2. The "labor" ernment restorday cabled all the dominion premiers for approval of volutionary movement is rolling on "The struggle of the southern tex- Hague's finances. Roberts was on Grain move, forced by mass sentiment. Relations were broken off followthe British imperialist raid on the Arcos House, Soviet trade center Hunan, Kiangsi, Fuchien, Kiangsu, entire American working class and during the Teapot Dome case and in n London, early in 1927.

EMERGENCY FU

(Continued from Page One) Christ, Waukegan, Ill... 100 Bill Hatzis, Wankegan, Ill. . . is Vamvas, Waukegan, Ill. 3.60 Vasil Dinef, Waukegan, Ill. . 1.00 Dritsas, Waukegan, Ill. . . ouis Bolovenas, Waukegan,

ome Osman, Waukegan, Ill. 2.00 Worker, Waukegan, Ill. . . Telis. Waukegan, Ill. ry George, Waukegan, Ill. 1.00 Nicoloff, Waukegan,

ies Spaneff, Waukegan, Ill. ohn Lolles, Waukegen, Ill ... eo. Latsous, Wankegan, Ill. eles Ginakas, Waukegan,

eve Anastos. Waukegan, Il!. W. Pautebos, Waukegan, Ill.. es George, Waukegan, Ill. Cust Christ, Waukegan, Ill. . . Worker, Waukegan, Ill. . 1.00 S. Ganes, Waukegan, Ill . . 1.00

Tom Bogtono, Waukegan, Ill. John Ballas, Waukegan, Ill... Sarkisian Bros., Waukegan,

Communist Unit, Rochester, Unit 1F, Section 6, New York 19.50 imperialists and the Komintang. Unit 5, Section 3, N. Y. 14.90 For fear of a new rising of the carry out its bloody plans, and Unit 2F, Section 1, N. Y. 24.55 Communist Party, and much scared "That we endorse the campaign

Communist Unit, Kingston,

WORKERS CALENDAR

PENNSYLVANIA Philidalphia L. L. D.

Serenton Communist Pienic. The Daily Worker will benefit from plenie to We given by the Commu-at Party at Eunas Parm, June 20. ske North Scranton Electric Car to alle Ave., where a committee will cet further.

ILLINOIS

Chicago C. Y. L. Hike. eet at 9 a; m. at the district of the C. Y. L. for the hike wankee woods, June 30, by

Chicago Federation of Working

Women. conference for textile relief ally called for June 23 will be 10 s. m. June 30 at the Capitel ag. State and Randolph Sts.

Chicago Protest Meeting. mass protest meeting against the tonia frame-up will be held at m. June 27, at Temple Hall, Van de and Mnrahfield. Auspices:

Cleveland Social Insurance Conference.

munity Fund and for Social Legisla-

Massillion Bulgarian Workers. Lee Graver sceeds will go to the Labor Defense.

Cleveland Swedish Workers Club Picnic.

MARYLAND

Communist Picnic, Baltimore. Cooperative bus will take you to des-

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MICHIGAN

description. Despite that the Com-Detroit Membership Meeting. aference for social insurance General membership meeting for held at the Insurance Center Detroit; Sunday, June 30, at 9:20 a. E. June 27, at 8 p. m. exided m. at New Workers Home, 1343 E. Conference Against the Com-

Militarists Welcome Stunt Flyers



Photo shows the crew of the Yellow Bird, after their transatlantic flight for the benefit of French imperialism, being welcomed by French militurists on their arrival at Le Bourget Field, Paris. The met chous the stowagay, Arthur Schreiber, who some say, was stowed away with the full knowledge and consent of the imperialist There to get more publicity.

LETTER TELLS OF GROWTH OF CHINESE PARTY

Describes War Lords Persecutions

(Continued from Page One) there is no hope for its rising. not strong enough to be called a tions, fighting bitter fight against tionalization. and peasants are dissatisfied with the A. F. of L. and of the United Hague's name was mentioned in

Party, it has made marvelous pro- solidarity of Negro and white work- grafted thousands of dollars. gress in organization,, and in influers, to stop the fight against child. The appointment had been mensouth China the revolutionary com- tions for the coming imperialist one of the attorneys for the legismunist wave is intense, and the "e- war. ing in tsrength. In Peiping, formerly Peking, the conservative and reactionary centre in noth China, red appearances regularly every two Nick Antonio, Waukegan, Ill. 1.00 weeks. Particularly in the months .50 of May, communist leaflets are Steve Stratis, Waukegan, Ill. 3.00 found daily. In spite of the dif-A Worker, Waukegan, Ill. ... 1.00 ficulties confronting them, they have perfected the art of propaganda to

Br. 6, Section 5, New York: 33.00 At the Sixth Congress of the Chi-Unit 2, Section 6, New York. 14.00 nese Communist Party, a resolution Unit 7, Section 1, New York. 11.00 was adopted, in which local upris-Unit 3B, Philadelphia, Pa.... 14.00 of local uprising, the Party is pre-Unit 9, Boston, Mass. 26.00 paring a large-scale uprising, an

government, but in dealing with the socialist party, and Communists, the law reserves its enacted by the Nanking government, ers to defend themselves, against the authority in Tsinanfu should the imperialist war and for the overtelegraph the government for deci- throw of bloody American imperial-The Bulgarian Macedonian Worksting called by the Executive Comlittle at the Free Letts Hali, 531

Seventh St. July I.

The Bulgarian Macedonian Worksting called by the Executive Complete at the Free Letts Hali, 531

Lee Graber's Farm. Part of the proceeds will go to the International Labor Defense.

The Bulgarian Macedonian Worksting called by the Executive Complete at the Graber's Farm. Part of the proceeds will go to the International Labor Defense. rades in China, I wish to tell you of another ruthless massacre in Can-The Gastonia strikers will benefit from proceeds of the picnic to be given by the Swedish Beach, June 30. The program begins at 2 p. m. The Beach is two miles east of Geneva on the lake.

The Gastonia strikers will benefit suspected of having in it some young contrary, they become more determined, and more class-conscious. One more thing to tell you, that is tree method of propaganda of the night had the school surrounded. and all the students arrested. The to buy a book on sex, he finds the

students were carried to the out- contents are Communist under the skirt of the city, and with machine cover. Frequently people bought The first annual picule of the Baltimore section will be held June 22 at the Cooperative Center. Dancing, in mercilessly killed. Mass murder like this is not at all unusual in gluded in program. Take Middle River car 23 to Maise Ave., where the Kwengtung. According to the result of investigation, the total killed

Baltimore Lithuanian Tailors Meet. volved with the Communistic activemong which are Hsien Tai book-Open ship conditions will be denounced at a meeting of Lithuanian Hall, \$51 Hollins St. June 27, \$5 p. m. Speaches will be delivered in Lithuanian and English. A similar meeting for Polish tailors will be held June 26 at \$5 pm. at the Polish Home, \$10 S. Broadway. torture towards the Communists defy theni!

Friendly

Fresh Food

Bathing

Sports

Hiking .

Atmosphere

Rowing, Fishing

Cultural Activities

Entertainment

"Release Mill Prisoners' Is Masses' Vote

(Continued from Page One) strikers, its evictions of sick and starving women and children from homes, its smashing of the tent colony, its beating up of workers on the picket line is bent upon repeating its actions in the Sacco-Vanzetti Gastonia strike.

Try To Stifle Union.

Kvomintang, even the petty bourge- Textile Workers, the fake "progres- connection with that of the millionisie and radical intellectual are be- sive" Muste movement and the so- aire oil swindler Harry Sinclair, now coming gradually disillusioned. San cialist party have betrayed the tex- serving a soft "term" in the District Min Chu Yi or the Three Peoples' tile workers of Elizabethton and of Columbia Jail for contempt of the

As to the Chinese Communist this way to prevent the growing through which Hague and his clique

with unusual rapidity, especially in tile workers is a struggle of the the government staff of lawyers and Kuangtung provinces. Even in that only through working class the prosecution of Sinclair. Shantung province, the Party is en- solidarity can be won the strike now Workers' Union, therefore Be It

Pledge Support.

workers gathered in mass demon- Hague. stration in Union Square on Tuesthe New York Section of the In-Unit A, Section 4, New York 15.00 ing is strictly prohibited. Instead for the victims of the Gastonia conspiracy and pledge our full working the State House tomorrow night. class solidarity and support to the Unit B, Section 4, New York 6.00 uprising on a national-wide scale. Gastonia prisoners and strikers Unit 2F, Section 3, New York 27.00 The Party is conducting at present until the strike is won and so that Fight in Boss Wars or an energetic campaign against the imperialists and the Komintang. until the strike is woll and so that the murderous capitalist class of the United States will not dare

"That we will intensify our strugright. Two days ago, several Com- gle for the organization of the unmunists were arrested in Tsinanfu, organized, against capitalist rathe capital of Shantung province, tionalization, for equality for the According to the law or regulation Negro race, for the right of work-

ton. A middle school in Canton was munists are not intimidated. On the

night, had the school surrounded Communists: Sometimes if one goes mentioned phenomenon, many pub--those who were more or less in- lishers have been recently closed, measures turning against

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GRAFTER HAGUE

Served 10 Warrants, But Is Paroled

JERSEY CITY, N. J., June 25. and Centralia cases and on mur- The race for graft privileges was indering the militant leaders of the tensified today when Mayor Frank Hague, of Jercey City, a democrat, was arrested ten times on as many "This frame-up against the Gas- warrants tonight and then, under influence on the masses. The Third tonia prisoners is an attempt on formal arrest, paroled in his at-Jarty-the party of opportunists the part of the capitalist forces to torney's custody after his citation for like Wang Ching Wei and Chen stifle the campaign for the organ-contempt by the republican legisla-Kung Po-is dying out. Hhe Kvo- ization of the unorganized and for ture because he refused to answer mintang is divided into many fac- the struggle against capitalist ra- questions regarding his financial affairs and those of his wife and rela-

republican opposition which seeks "American capitalism hopes in control of the municipal machine

ence among the masses, through it labor, to put an end to all obstacles tioned in the state senate today of is still working underground. In standing in the way of its prepara- Owen J. Roberts of Philadelphia as lative committee investigating

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 25. and thinks he has had enough.

Build shop committees and draw the more militant members into

MacDonald Greets Wall Street Envoy



Ramsay MacDonald devout defender of the British empire, conferring with the representative of Wall Street, Charles G. Dawes.

THUGS AIDED BY **NEWARK POLICE**

Big Gains

Soviet spring crops were in good Sinclair's name was brought into condition early in June, according joying great popularity and is grow- being led by the National Textile the debate, and Senator Simpson of to M. Y. Kalmanovich, head of the Hudson County, a Hague supporter, Soviet Zernotrest (Grain Trust), shouted: "If it took five years to which operates over two score large get Harry Sinclair, it will take three farms in the Soviet Union. Kal-Resolved that we, thousands of times five years to get Frank manovich, who has just arrived in this country, stated that the reports Hague's ten arrests followed each received up to June 3, the date of day, June 25, under the auspices of other at intervals of a few seconds his departure from Moscow, also inas ten warrants were served on him dicated that the area sown this evening when six thugs jumped on the International Labor Defense, 80 ternational Labor Defense, the asten warrants were served on him dicated that the area sown this me from a touring car at Fair St. E 11th St., Room 402, New York Workeys International Police New York Workers International Relief, New York local, the National Textile had cited him for contempt. He is especially in the Northern Caucasus, York local, the National Textile paroled for 24 hours, during which the Volga Region and Siberia. Kall and blackjacks. They slugged the Morkers' Union, the TUEL, and the must decide whether to answer manovich and Professor M. M. Wolf, and left me there unconscious. Communist Party, New York District great the Castonia pricences the Questions asked him. During this member of the Presidium and head "When a comrade later picked me trict, greet the Gastonia prisoners time he is expected to seek a writ of of the Agricultural Section of the up a cop came and threatened to Philadelphia workers are determined and strikers and demand freedom habeus corpus. If the writ is not Gosplan, the State Planning Com- arrest me for causing a disturbance, to smash the frame-up being used granted, Hague is to surrender at mission, who arrived simultaneous- even though a woman who saw what on the Gastonia textile strikers and

"The Zernotrest cultivated about after the others." stated Mr. Kalmanovich at the of- badly beaten that he had to be taken Unit 1F, Section, 1, N. Y..... 20.00 by its growing influence and of the I. L. D. to smash the murder A Yale birchman, Prof. Douglas Mac-Unit 3F, Section 1, N. Y..... 13.00 strength, the militarists have adopted frame-up and the campaign of the Intosh was refused citizenship today poration. "It was formed last year frame-up and the campaign of the Intosh was refused citizenship today to organize and operate large grain to organize and operate large gr Unit 1R, Section 1, N. Y. ... 10.00 much more severe measure against W. I. R. for relief to the striking by the federal district court because to organize and operate large grain again, we'll it. If you read the newspapers of textile workers and that we pledge in taking the oath of allegiance he in taking the oath of allegiance he in taking the oath of allegiance he increased on at 16 out of the strikers direct from Gastonia. it. If you read the newspapers of textile workers and that we pledge in taking the oath of allegiance he said he would not feel obliged to Shanghai, you are sure to find allegiance he said he would not feel obliged to all full support to the struggle being said he would not feel obliged to at 16 out of the nist Youth League members, taken Formal Wankegan, III... 100 Branch 4, Section 5, N. Y....116.00

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Off Negroes

(Continued from Page One) the Negroes." The treats were ig-

The story of the open alliance be- day in Erie, Pa. tween the gangsters and police was | The trial of the 14 workers told to the Daily Worker by Ralph charged with murder is only a little Garcia, a Negro worker, yesterday, over a month off. Funds are needed "I was walking from the League at once to save them. Rush all-conhall to union headquarters Friday tributions to the National Office of They were armed with lead pipes City. and blackjacks. They slugged me

ly, outlined two of the most impor- happened protested that the gang- to assist in the relief of the Southern tant projects on the Soviet program sters had attacked me. 'Go home textile strikers' was seen in the for the reconstruction of agricul- before I knock your brains out,' the diversity of labor organizations cop told me before he left to go present at the Workers International

350,000 acres of land this year," | Another Negro worker was so

"jail you," police told

this state farm lasted only 9 days, Soviet Government has allotted 4,- Southern mill barons' attempt to 650 tractors being employed. This 000,000 acres of land to the Zerno- murder Fred Beal, southern organ-

THOUSAND A DAY

Defense Reports Much Help; Not Enough

(Continued from Page One)

workers' organization, with a promise that more would be collected; \$9.10 from the Curtisville, Pa., local of the I. L. D., composed mostly of miners, many of them unemployed; \$25 from Julius Deter of Loui. ville, Ky.; \$15 from the Benfield, Ill., I. L. D., another miners' local, with a promise to send more; \$21 from the Hungarian Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Society of Trenton, N. J.; \$16.20 from the St. Paul I. L. D.; \$5 from the Japanese branch of the I. L. D. in San Fran-

A small I. L. D. branch in Ashtabula, O., sends \$19 and writes: "Enclosed is our answer to the bosses and their treatment of the textile strikers at Gastonia. This is all that this organization has in the bank,

Ella Rceve (Mother) Bloor, beloved labor veteran, has already started her tour thruout the country to raise funds for the defense of the frameup victims. She is being ac-Trust Reports Warn Workers to Keep companied by two young textile strikers who have just come from Gastonia. On Tuesday night Mother Bloor and the two strikers will speak in Pittsburgh in the Labor Lyceum, 35 Miller St., on Wednesday they wifl be in Youngstown, O., and on Thurs-

Philadelphia Meeting.

PHILADELPHIA, June 24.-That Relief protest meeting here yesterday. The speakers were "Mother" Ella Reeve Bloor, veteran of many labor struggles, who is now touring the country for the International Labor Defense, Chester Bixby, and white and Negro textile workers.

"Mother" Bloor outlined the sit-

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Must Not Die. The 22 Strikers Must Be Freed at

This new attack of capitalist justice in North Carolina is a part of the attack of the American imperialist government on the entire working class. It goes hand in hand with the process of capitalist "rationalization", the speeding up of

the workers at long hours and for low

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pay, and is a part of the preparation of the capitalist government for a new bloody imperialist world war.

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CEMIENT BY FEODOR LATHERS' UNION

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Gleb Chumalov, Red Army Commissar, returns to his town on the Black Sea after the Civil Wars to find the great cement works, where he had formerly worked as a mechanic, in ruins and the life of the town disorganized. He discovers a great change in his wife, Dasha, whom he has not seen for three years. She is no longer the conventional wife, dependent on him, but has become a woman with a life of her own, a leader among the Communist women of the

One evening Dasha tells Gleb the story of what happened to her when he went off to join the Red Army: The town was invaded by white guards and Dasha and her small daughter, Nurka, were seized and tortured. They are released and Dasha gets a job in the Co-operative in the bakery department, doing secret organization work under the sup vision of Efim, an old soldier. She is arrested again together with Efim and others, and all are tor-

And again they fell upon Efim with their whips, and he turned his head first to one side and then to the other and was silent. And Dasha felt the great sacrifice and the terror which lay in the silence of the moustachieed one. And she realized that only one thing was necessary: to be silent, even until her ribs cracked; to be silent even if it suffocated her heart.

well, speak, woman of the devil! What kind of goings on have you had with this rascal? If you tell us we won't bother him any more and we'll let you go home.

"I don't know about any goings on-. I've been left without my husband with my little daughter. . . . Why do you torture me so?' Again an unbearable fire burned through her. Her heart seemed to burst, she cried out shrilly:

"What have I done to you? Why do you beat me so? "Speak! Just one word and we'll let you free."

As soon as Dasha heard these last words she realized that they knew nothing about her business. They had arrested her only because they had done so on the previous occasion. They had not taken any of the other women. Ah, but Fimka? Fimka was different: it was because of her brother. Probably they had taken her by accident in her home. Dasha understood this now, and her blood flowed again

"Stop torturing me. I work and don't interfere with any one. "Give that fellow another ration! Let him have it! Harder! Make

FIM'S body lay in the mud already shuddering in the preliminary convulsions of death. The Cossacks, tired out, covered with sweat, continued to flagellate the bloody flesh. Their whips scattered drops of blood and minute morsels of raw flesh.

The body of Fimka's little brother Petro fell with a moan of terror into the gory filth, beside Dasha. Covered with mud, with animal terror in his eyes, he jumped to his feet, slipped and fell again; again he bounded up and began to run with naked feet in the mire. Cossacks leapt after him, their whips raised. Petro howled with his whole body. He escaped them once more, and ran, blind and lost, in the ether direction. But a Cossack, jumping in his path, whooped and gave him a blow with all his might on the knees. Petro howled like a dow and fell down heavily on his belly in the slime.

With dead eyes, Dasha looked at the torturing of her comrades. Dumb, with bursting brain, she could not turn her gaze from them. She saw only blood which boiled and bubbled like the moving sea. In the air was blood, and blood was in her brain; behind the dusty windowholes was blood.

SHE recovered consciousness in that bright room where the Colonel was sitting, frowning, smoking and vindictive. "Well, young woman, how do you like our kitchen? Now tell

us what you know. "But I know nothing-. Nothing at all."

"Didn't you recognize that lad or that girl?" "I know Fimka and Petro. I've known them ever since the ere

Two officers, as young as he, whispered something in the Colonel's ear. At first he frowned, and then sucked in his cheeks.

"Give her to us, Colonel; we'll disinfect her a bit."

Straight into her face, grimacing, they breathed horrible words, more painful than the whip.

She threw herself in the corner of the room, her hands extended. "No! No! I would rather die! Don't!"

The Colonel raised his hand, smiling.

"All right, it won't happen if you will only tell the truth. Come

"What shall I tell, when I know nothing? What do you want from me? Aren't you ashamed? You are still young-

The Colonel leaned against the back of his chair and screwed up his eyes spitefully.

THE two officers seized her under the arms and dragged her into another room. They flung her on the floor, dragged the clothes from her shamelessly and violated her.

Till midnight she lay, half-naked and half-dead, in the cellar. As they had thrown her so they left her. Fimka crawled up to her, mouning, then without speaking laid her head for a moment on Dasha's breast, and then crawled away. Twice she seemed to see Nurka: the child was stamping with her little feet, dancing the wild Hopak dance, tipsily. Dasha stretched her hand towards her and shouted in terror and disgust:

"No, don't! Don't, little Nurka!"

She was crawling towards her, like Fimka, imploring in despair for she knew not what. Then Nurka came no more into her mind. She saw no more of her as though Nurka were the extinguished image

After midnight—she remembered it as though in, a dream—she was brought to herself by the noise of a motor-lorry. She lay upon its wooden floor among others who crouched and lay there. Bit by bit she recognized Fimka, her little brother Petro and Efim, the moustachioed one. Around them stood officers and Cossacks with rifles in their hands. All were silent, benumbed like corpses.

Only one thing remained vivid in her memory: the many-colored stars which seemed to be so hear, within arms' reach.

SHE had no fear. She knew she was going to her death. The lorry would stop and they would be thrown out, and they would be led to the seashore—then she would be no more. She knew this—but she had no heart, only a block of ice. There was no terror, only this unbearable coldness in the heart. It was all so simple as though it had no existence in reality; and yet quite ordinary, the tedious progress of a dream which one does not credit while dreaming, knowing that these images will soon pass. Nurka was forgotten, as though she had never existed; then suddenly her image flew past her, with little hand outstretched and one short outery: "Oh!". This shook her like a blow of the whip in the cellar. Then Nurka disappeared again and was forgotten like a dream long past.

The comrades lying on the floor of the lorry were shaken about like corpses: it was Efim (he had been thrown into the lorry like a corpse) and Fimka and Petro. Dasha had no pity for anyone; her heart was no more than a lump of ice that could never melt.

When the car stopped, Dasha was no longer alive; it seemed that her life had ended with the motor's movement. When she was pulled off the lorry to the ground she stood as motionless as she had lain. Close to her stood Finks, shivering with the cold, catching hold of Dasha's dress, and pressing herself close to her like a child. The long-moustached Effim lay at their feet like a corpse. But Petro was stamping ceazily in one place, disfigured by the whipping and turning his head-his face was black with blood-howling spitting, grunting. And then Dasha (but it seemed to Dasha it was not she, but some

other person) whispered hurriedly and sternly into Fimka's ear:

"Be silent and silent and silent. Silent and silent, Blind, dumb

FAKER SPEAKS AT

Asks for Cooperation of Owners

BOSSES' BANQUET

(By a Worker Correspondent) JERSEY CITY, N. J. (By Mail) The conditions of the building trades workers of northern New Jersey are getting worse each day, but while the conditions get worse the union officials, headed by Theodore Brandle, who also is president of the New Jersey Building Trades Council, and who owns a big insurance company, runs the "labor" bank, and is also president of the structural iron bosses association, the Iron League of openly the bosses' tools.

Assures Bosses of Friendship. Brandle has many times appeared as guest of honor at open shop buildirg bosses' dinners, and has assured them that he would allow no strike to occur.

One of his henchmen in the building trades unions is William J. Murphy, state organizer of the Wood. Wire and Metal Leathers International Union. In this union, to be suspected of being a militant and favoring strikes to improve our conditions means expulsion from the nion and possibly slugging by gangsters, who are in the service of the building trades union misleaders. These gangsters also serve the besses against any building trades workers who strike against the labor

fakers orders not to strike. Murphy gave a typical example of what we lathers are up against, when he was the main speaker at a banquet of the Builders Legue of Hudson County, the bosses' association.

Asks Bosses' Cooperation. Here is part of the labor mislead-

er's speech: "I have come here tonight to outline to you gentlemen severa! changes that were made in the local. which, I am sure, will work out satisfactorily, both to the men emto assure you that the International the piece work rates should be cut. ditions here that needed changing. These changes have been made, and to prevent a cut in the piece work now I am here to ask for your co- rates. operation in helping to fulfill them, will supply you with men at the foremen were doing them a favor. We know that most of the builders do not like to hire men involved, and would rather deal with the same story, the big boss wants Atlantic Avenue tunnel. His head sincerity in trying to maintain fair ly advice' to take a wage cut to shock.

half of the Builders' League for tel- for the time being piece work rates percent. ling the members of the changes are maintained. made in the Lathers' Trade. He also have become the bosses' tools. -N. J. LATHER.

PENNA RAILROAD SWEATS MORE PROFITS.

per cent payable July 15 to common and in this way thru the "friendly" stockholders on record of June 2. The board of directors also voted a quarterly dividend of two per cent payable August 31 to stockholders on record of August 1. The annual extra dividend was the seventh of the corporation.

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A view of a street in the East Side on a hot summer day forms a contrast, to say the least, with the fashionable beaches of the rich. Photo shows Orchard Street, with tens of housands of workers and their families sweltering in the heat-with practically no playgrounds

CON GAME AT THE TRY TO FRAME New Jersey, becomes more and more country the bosses' tools.

"Friendly" Foremen Two Workers Jailed in Part of Scheme Picketing

By a Worker Correspondent) new underhanded and treacherous methods of cutting wages. Foremen at both the Hupp and Murray Body plants have discovered a method of cutting wages without alarming the workers and avoiding the usual unrest, discontent, and even walkouts or strikes that follow the announcements of wage cuts.

In the pass the bosses merely notified the men of the new piece-work, bonus or hourly rates and let them know that if they were dissatisfied they could go to hell out of the shop." This often caused great unrest and discontent and resulted in considerable trouble and less to the

A New Con Game. The foremen at Hupp's and Murray's work it different. They approach the men in a "friendly" feshion, informing them that the big boss thought the men were earning ployed and to the builders. I want a dollar a day too much and that Union, as well as this local, wishes Then they pat the workers on the to cooperate with the builders to the back, sympathizing with them best of our ability. We found con- against the company, but advising them to turn in a dollar a day less

The workers follow the advice, also wish to asure the members thinking their foremen were good voiced their determination to remain of this league that in the event you fellows, square shooters, etc. The solid. receive unfair treatment at the hands workers actually accept a wage cut of contractors or solicitors, the union without resisting and thinking their

Try Trick Second Time A few weeks or a month later the Long Island railroad, was found directly, because of the extra work the foremen come around again with dead today on the tracks of the save the piece work rates. Again Goldowsky, head of the bosses' they have nothing in their hearts intervention of the foremen the league thanked Mr. Murphy on be- but gratitude for the foremen and men have accepted a wage cut of 25

As soon as the workers have be- the moset treacherous, the most deassured Mr. Murphy that he will come accustomed to the reduced moralizing that the workers have have the co-operation of the league. vage rate from \$8 to \$6 a day, cut-ever had to face. It must be thoroly This shows the way the fakers ting of piece rates begins. A change exposed and fought and the workof models occurs. A slight change ers in the auto industry from now of this or that operation excuses a on must fight against trese 'found-

big slash of piece work rates in the piece rates more easily since to force a wage cut on them in the PHILADELPHIA, June 26.—The by increasing their speed they still most brutal and insulting mannet Pennsylvania Railroad today de- can make their pay. But the day Auto workers organize into the Auto clared an extra dividend of three has been cut by \$2 a day previously Werkers' Union.

strikebreaker at the Melrose shop. of the bosses. A great picket demonstration be-

Mass picketing continued in front under the banner of the N. M. U. of all the shops still on strike. Thirty-one shops have yielded to the demands of the Architectural Iron and Bronze Workers' Union, which is leading the strike. In six weeks of the strike, over 250 strikers have

A mass meeting of the strikers was held last night at Irving Plaza, Irving Place and 15th St. Strikers

peen arrested by the Tammany po-

TRACKMAN KILLED. BROOKLYN, N. Y., June 26 .-Jeremiah Kelley, a track-walker of

a contractor or solicitor, but I make piece work rates reduced. Again was resting on the third rail and the statement to you to prove our they receive sympathy and "friend- his death was attributed to electric

> This method of cutting wages is ly" wage cuts as sharply as tho The workers now accept the cut the boss came to them and attempted

> > -MURRAY WORKER.

WAGE CUTS AT THE BERTHA CO. MINE IN PENNA.

Men Welcome National Mine Union

By a Worker Correspondent BURGETTSTOWN, Pa. (By Mail). A few words about conditions in the Bertha mine of the Bertha Consumers Coal Co. here.

The working and living conditions at the Bertha mine are the worst that a miner can work and live under. I worked in this mine for seven years when we had union conditions. checkweighman, etc. The ars at that time weighed at least two and a half tons level and from three to four tons if you built them 12 inches above board and now no matter how oig a car is you load the average is fron 2 to 21/2 tons.

Loading Machines.

The company not being satisfied with what it was stealing from the miners lut over another scheme, The Tammany police terror which seems to be the policy of the DETROIT (By Mail). - Workers against the iron and bronze strikers operators thruout the country in must be constantly on guard against of New York continued Wednesday, their endless drive for more profits. with the arrest of two pickets. One The company has installed loading of the pickets, John Auguston, ar- machines in the mine and has cut rested while picketing the Madison wages from 58 to 40 cents a ton. Iron Works on Longwood Ave., the The boss tells the men that they can Bronx, was released, but an attempt make more money on the loading will be made to frame up the other machines at 40 cents a ton than picket, who was arrested on charges they could make at 58 cents a ton of felonious assault at the Melrose without the machines but they do Iron Workers, in the Bronx, and re- not say one word about the number leased in \$2500 bail. The charge of men being thrown out of employagainst this picket was made by a ment by this vicious speed-up system

What are the miners of the Bertha fore the Jackson Iron Works, Car- mine going to do to fight this speedroll St., Brooklyn, succeeded in up system? They are organizing bringing out all of the workers in to fight wage cuts and the bosses' this shop. These workers had re-speedup. They are joining local 124 turned to work after being fooled of the National Miners Union and by misleading promises of the the only true fighting organization bosses. They found no improvement of the miners of this country, and in conditions after their return and they are determined to have the joined the strile again yesterday. Bertha mine organized 100 percent

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Black Haiti

By JACQUES DICHARSON

Jacques Dicharson is a young seaman who has spent the greater part of his adult years fighting for the working class. He was born in San Francisco, but was brought up in Paris. He came back to San Francisco in 1921 and took part in the big San Pedro strike of the Marine Transport Workers of the I.W.W. in 1922. He was one of the large number of strikers rounded up and thrown into jail in the government's effort to break the strike. Later Dicharson became an organizer for the M.T.W. in Mobile and New Orleans. In 1926 he went to Kingston, Jamaica, and began organizing a branch of the M.T.W., but was railroaded to jail and kept there five months. his release, Dicharson, disgusted with the tactics of the I.W.W. left th eorganization. He spent most of the next three years in Huiti, Santo Domingo, Porto Rico and St. Thomas, suffering untold perses cution at the hands of the agents of American imperialism because of his militant activities.

"Black Haiti," which has been written for and is appearing exclusively in the Daily Worker, is an unusual human document that is animated by the spirit of the class struggle. It is all the more significant in that it is the work, not of a professonal traned writer, but of a worker relating his own experiences and observations.-Ed.

I had just left ship. I could still feel the blows that the cowardly first mate had dealt me without justification. I was battered and bruised. The S. S. Seatonia had entered the harbor of Port au Prince that morning. I had wanted to go in the city to buy some medicines. The mate had objected. He had said that I was not aboard ship for the pleasure of touring but work. I knew that well. I had experienced it before. More than once. He continued candidly, saying that he did not have any use for me as I was a sea-lawyer or "bolsheviki agitator."

I didn't care if he had any use for me or not. Didn't expect him to, but I told him that I had come off watch at four o'clock that morning. That it was not customary for a man coming off watch at that time to do day work, not unless the vessel stayed in port a few days; the watches then would be broken and rest before the ship's departure. This was not the case. The vessel was due to leave in the afternoon, I had a right to go in town. (I thought I had a right. A serf slave ing under the existing conditions of this present system has no rights, except the ones that his master is willing to give him.)

He hit me. I had no time to ward off the blow. I fell. He struck me down again, as I attempted to rise. I lost consciousness. (Some readers may think this to be a little exaggerated or too raw, but it is only the common treatment that a merchant seaman receives at the hands of the organized servants of capitalism. Woe to the man that attempts to strike an officer back on board ship. I've seen them beaten and kicked into a bloody writhing mass by the rest of the mates, then thrown in the lazaret on bread and water for the rest of the trip. Lucky is he, if he is not shackled to one of the stanchions.)

had one dollar and fifty cents as I made my way up the Bord de Mer. I didn't stop to gather my meager belongings or to ask the skipper, as the captain is called, for the few cents that I had coming. No, I knew better than to do that. I knew how the captain would stick by his officers. I had played the game and lost, so I went

I eluded a few natives that wanted to show me where the post office was. They were mostly sad puny little girls and boys, clad in rags. I turned into a side street and I came on the Place Geffrard. The Place Geffrard was before Wall Street occupation the meeting place of the Haitian bourgeoisie. It seemed at present like it had been forgotten for many years. The little kiosk in the center was overrun by weeds. Things that undoubtedly must have been statues lay shattered on the ground. . . . A horde of vandals must have passed there and left them in its wake. . . .

I learned that the American colonist did not believe in restoring the Place Geffrard. It was too close to the harbor. The meeting place of the rabble. No, they were developing the National Park. It is much further up-town in front of the National Palace. The natives are not allowed to come there unless they have shoes on their feet, is the majority of the Haitians are too poor to buy shoes, they can't listen to the concert played there twice a week.

Of course this suited the bourgeois element fine. They did not have to mix with the laborers as they had been obliged to do in the past. This was the reason why it looked so sad and pitiful to me as I gazed on it that morning.

BOISTEROUS laughter attracted my attention. I noticed across the street a huge sign proclaiming to the community and the world atlarge that this was the American bar. A fat, well-fed European, apparently a German, was presiding over the counter. I entered the place. It was chock-full of marines and naval sailors. They seemed more or less under the influence of Bacchus . . .

Poor comrades! . . . In a way they were more to be pitied them blamed. They had wanted to see the world. The beauty and lure of the tropics had been promised to them by the harlots that had recruited them when they had been broke and hungry, somewhere in Frisco or was it Battery Park? . . . Their souls had cried for the better things of this farcically conventionalized world of ours . . . They had found the dreary routine and common sordidness that are forced upon them here in Haiti. They take to drinks . . . Why not? . . . It isn't allowed, but the higher officials close their eyes. It's just another way to keep them under the yoke . . .

IT was in there that I met George Hey. George was a young Englishman a few months out of England. A wonderful little fellow. mention his name here, as he helped me a whole lot. Helped me when I was in the verge of despair in the hands of the dirty capitalist. When I was lying in the hospital near death. When doctors, sisters, even the capitalistic god had turned me down and had seemed

The stifled atmosphere of the little mining town where he had scen birth. The gross injustices his comrades were receiving at the hands of the wantons of society. The prevalent misery. The diseases, and all the drab things connected with a mining town, had been more than deciding factors in his coming to Haiti.

AS I entered, I made my way to the farthest end of the counter. I tried to draw the bulky German into a semblance of a conversation as I ordered a beer, but to no avail. I had left ship with dungarees and a blue shirt on. Undoubtedly my appearance did not class me in with the wealthy parasites. I turned to go after gulping down the lager, and bumped into a small underfed fellow about my own age. The suit of whites that he was wearing hung loosely about him. With his sallow face and sad eyes he seemed entirely out of place in the American bar. The outstanding feature I then noticed about him was his nose. It looked similar to what Italy does on the map of Europe.

"I beg your pardon," I said, patting him on the shoulder and making my way toward the door. "Don't mention it, old man," he responded, grinning good-naturedly

at me. "You're a stranger here, aren't you?" "Yes, Jack's my name. I'm an American. I just came out of one of the boats that was here this morning," I replied.

"I'm pleased to meet you, Jack. I'm a Britisher from merry old England, and George's my name." "Would you mind having a glass of beer?" he asked.

Without waiting for me to acquiesce he took me by the arm, and tack we went to the bar. *

what they are advertised to be at home," he sadly concluded. After we had refreshed ourselves, George took me by the arm and ed me to the street. We came on the Rue Republicaine or Grande Rue as it's often called. He asked me if I ever had been in the

As we went on a little farther I noticed the contrast between the few well-fed Americans and foreigners and the masses of natives. Most of them were walking bare-footed, apparently in a haze. Others were leading rachitic she-asses. They looked as if they were suffer. ing from the pangs of hunger. Some had open sores on them. Poor devils. . . One or two of them at one time or other would stoom

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"VOU see," he continued, "there isn't much that one can do here, except to drink if one is inclined that way. The Tropics are not

Tropics before. I told him that I had just come out of Jamaica, and that it was a wonderful little place, providing it could break away from the claws of Bond Street and its cliques.

down to the gutter to drink or wash himself in the polluted water that was stagnating there. Some of them had shirts. Others it appeared never had such a luxury.

Statement of the Central Committee on the Expulsion of Jay Lovestone from the Communist Party of the United States of America

The struggle against the line and decisions of the Comm International in our Party has now reached its climax. The Party is face to face with an organized attempt at a split.

The Political Secretariat of the Executive Committee of the Communist International has informed the Central Committee that "Comrade Lovestone left June 11 for the U. S. despite the decision of the Political Secretariat of the ECCI." By this action Lovestone has defied the decisions of the ECCI and has violated the discipline of the Comintern, despite previous warning, in the most flagrant manner.

It is now the duty of the Central Committee to take the necessary measures against the breach of discipline of Lovestone and to point out to the Party the political meaning of Lovestone's conduct.

The open defiance by Lovestone of the decisions of the Communist International is only the last link in the long chain of acts of struggle from within the CI against the Comintern and its policies. By this action Lovestone begins the open struggle against the Communist International from without, and is undertaking a definite step of open organization for the splitting of our Party.

The present step of Lovestone against the Communist International is the culmination of a process of political development of a line in opposition to the line of the Communist International. Beginning with individual Right errors and deviations, this line quickly crystallized into a platform which places Lovestone today into the ranks of the international Right fighting against the Communist International. After the Ninth Plenum of the Executive Committee of the Communist International, which began the struggle against the Bight danger, Lovestone and Pepper took up their opposition to this struggle under the cover of the theory of American exceptionalism. They declared that the Right danger did not exist in America. The course thus begun was consciously followed by Lovestone and Pepper at the Sixth World Congress of the Comintern. It was at this Congress that the internationally crystallizing Right wing made its first definite attempts at formulating its platform and of seeking to have this platform adopted as that of the Communist World Party. The heart of this program was contained in its emphasis on the growing strength and stability of world capitalism and of its underestimation or denial of the growing contradictions of the post-war crisis. Both Lovestone and Pepper made themselves the spokesmen of these attempts of the international Right wing. They added their ve to attempted to dull the consciousness of the parties of the Communist International to the growing class struggle.

The thesis of Lovestone and Pepper presented to the Sixth Convention of our Party further expresses this development to the Right In the thesis the situation in America is analyzed in the manner of the international Right. In place of emphasizing the intensification of the contradictions of American capitalism and the necessity for preparing the Party for the sharpening class struggles, it overemphasized the strength of the capitalist enemy and underscored the elements of difficulty. The battle cry of the international Right against the Communist International found its ready echo in Lovestone's slogan of the "running sore" in the Comintern.

emphasis of the strength of the enemy.

After the Sixth Congress political divergence with the line of the Communist International passed over into organizational steps against the CI. When the attempts to prevent the recall of Pepper from work in the United States could no longer succeed, Lovestone and Pepper entered into a conspiracy to defy the decisions of the Comintern and to deceive not only the Central Committee of our Party but the entire Party and the CI. This action in the Pepper case had nothing in common with Communist principledness, but was an act of deception, a rotten maneuver clearly showing the imprints of petty bourgeois poli-

The political struggle of Lovestone and Pepper against the CI reached a further stage in the mobilization of the Sixth Convention of cur Party against the Open Letter and the Organizational Proposals of the Comintern. The representatives of the CI were treated as ambassadors of an enemy who were to be fought, deceived and out-The mobilization of the convention against the CI decision was & mobilization against the CI itself. The Communist integrity of the delegates to the convention, composed of the best proletarians of our Party, would never have permitted open and obvious propaganda against the Comintern. The mobilization therefore took the form of deception of the delegates to the convention, and of concealed maneuvers against the CI. Lovestone did not dare to suggest to the convention delegates that the resistance to the CI decision should go farther than to secure a reconsideration by the CI of the disputed questions. The "running sore" slogan supplied the "political" excuse of non-acceptance of the decisions.

A Cablegram from the Communist International

The Central Committee submits the following cable for urgent and immediate consideration of the Party:

Moscow, U. S. S. R., June 22, 1929.

Communist Party of America,

43 E. 125th St., New York City.

Comrade Lovestone left June eleventh for United States of America despite decision Politsecretariat, Executive Committee, Communist International, despite his promise to submit political declaration for press recognizing his mistakes, condemning his factional work and undertaking to carry out decision of ECCI, did not submit declaration; it now became clear that notwithstanding his persistent denial in the ECCI he, together with Pepper, during sixth convention was factionally intriguing behind back of convention, and whole history of Pepper's fictitious departure from U.S. A. prior convention was invented by

After arrival in Moscow, however, the delegation, under the insti-

gation of Lovestone, adopted a course which from the very beginning

transgressed the rights and duties of representatives of a loyal sec-

tion of the Communist International. The delegation of the American

Party in Moscow fought in a spirit which placed them in an obvious

attitude of opposition to the Comintern. The ultimative character of

the ten demands submitted by the delegation to the American Com-

mission on April 10th, the declarations of May 9th and May 14th ap-

pear as undeniable witnesses to this effect. And the statement of

Comrade Gitlow to the plenary session of the Central Committee of

the CPSU repeated the slanderous attacks of the Right elements of

the International upon our brother Party of the Soviet Union. The

disgraceful defiance of the CI in the session of the Presidiffm of May

14th was not merely a logical outcome of the antagonistic line adopted

by Lovestone against the CI, but was part of a consciously calculated

rational Right wing, shows that he is not only in contradiction with

the line of the Communist International, but with that of the American

Party as well. The American Forty has always regarded itself as a

staunch defender of the line of the Communist International and

readily and promptly gave its support to the struggle against Right

eiements and against all deviations within the Communist International.

For that reason Lovestone was compelled to adopt a resolution of con-

demnation against the conciliators Evert, Humbert Droz, etc., at the

same time secretly and privately he tried to rally the Party for strug-

gle against the CI-by condemning the treatment of the Everts, Hum-

pert Droz, etc. Lovestone repeatedly tried to keep up Communist ap-

pearances by resolutions against the Right danger in the CPSU. At

the same time, he insidiously mobilized against the CI and against

the Central Committee of the CPSU under the slogan of "No hooligan-

Lovestone was bound to come into open conflict with the Comintern

and with the Party. This has manifested itself in the defiance of the

CI by Lovestone and in his unauthorized return to America; the de-

cisive political conflict between the opportunist line of the internation-

al Right, accepted by Lovestone, and the Bolshevik line of the Com-

munist International has now found its final expression in the fla-

this issue of the Daily Worker) sent from Moscow to former group

supporters glaringly reveals the intention of Lovestone in the action

delegation," says this cable. Thus suggesting public political pro-

paganda against the Soviet Union practically under the slogan of

markable document. Thus demanding the defiance of the Comintern.

The cablegram of Lovestone of May 15th (published elsewhere in

"Start wide movements in units and press for return of complete

"Take no action on any CI instructions," commands this re-

This contradictory position could not very long be maintained,-

ism" against the Right elements of the CPSU.

grant breach of Comintern discipline by Lovestone.

which he has now taken.

"Release the Political Prisoners."

Lovestone's course since he has chosen the path of the inter-

plan of campaign of Lovestone against the Communist International.

both with sole object misleading ECCI, convention and even own faction. In view of this Politsecretariat ECCI calls upon all members and organizations CPUSA to condemn these methods of intrigue, falsehood and disruptive activities, methods petty bourgeois politiciandom and demoralization of Party intolerable in Communist movement, all former factional supporters of Lovestone sincerely wishing carry into effect decisions ECCI must understa - unconditional necessity of open repudiation of the supposition expressed by Lovestone at session of Politsecretariat ECCI June seventh that many while declaring solidarity with Open Letter ECCI are not sincere and that "they play the saints in order to retain intact their factional apparatus" which according to Lovestone statement the former majority of the CEC had. Politserretariat ECCI demands all former adherents Lovestone publicly disassociate themselves from him. Politsecretariat, Executive Committee, Communist International.

"Carefully check up all units, all property, all connections, all mailing lists of auxiliaries, all sub-lists, district lists, removing some offices and unreliables. Check all checking accounts, all organizations, coeing that authorized signers are exclusively reliables, appointing secretariat for auxilliaries and treasury, dis-authorize present signator Instant ly finish preparations sell buildings; especially eliminate W trusteeship. Remove Manya Reiss." These are undeniable definite stars to take our American Party out of the Communist International. These are measures that could be uncertaken only by an enemy of the Comintern to split the Party.

This effort of Lovestone to split the Parcy did not succeed. The American Party has learned enough out of its own history and out of the history of the Cominteen to place the authority and revolutionary integrity of the Communist International above all. That is why, in spite of Lovestone's expectations and instructions our Party accepted unhesitatingly the CI Decision and exposed and isolated Lovestone. Levestone who had thus unhesitatingly cut himself loose from the CI by open declaration of war against it on. May 14th, found that by this act he had also cut himself loose from our Party. It was a recognition of this fact that he was isolated and not a repentance or a change of mind that led him to the declaration of June 9th, in a cable printed elsewhere in this issue. This cable was sent through factional connections in the United Statees and transmitted to the Central Committee. It found immediate factional circulation in the Party. This cable was an attempt to sneak back into the confidence of the Party by means of a common deception. At the same time, through the cable. Lovestone aimed to keep before the eyes of the Party his platform of struggle against the CI. While declaring formal submission to CI authority, this authority was openly challenged and its political judgment condemned as destructive to the Party. The Central Committee could not permit the use of the channels of the Party or the use of its press for this insidious purpose of Lovestone, and correctly evaluated the declaration of Lovestone not as one of submission to the CI, but as a further manoeuver against the CI. Events have proven the correctness of the stand of the Central

Immediately upon his return Lovestone failed to report his presence to the Central Committee but instead has been holding meetings and conferences with Party members, in which he continued his mobilization against the CI. Rumors of new expulsions by the CI were put into circulation by him, thus continuing his propaganda against the "running sore," "hoolighanism," etc. Lovestone, though urgently invited to appear before the Secretariat, and, in spite of his promise to appear, finally refused to come and answer for his defiance of the

In his defiance of CI decisions, his return to America, and by his conduct since his return, Lovestone has taken the logical step resulting from his irreconciliable political differences with the line of the CI. It is now the duty of the Central Committee and the Party to draw the logical conclusion from Lovestone's act of war. In defense of the unity of the Party and in expression of the overwhelming will

of the membership of the Party the Central Committee answers challenge of Lovestone's split with expulsion from the Communist Party of the USA. In expelling Lovestone, who has become a renegade to the cause of Communism, the Central Committee and the entire Party will mercilessly fight to destroy any of his attempts and maneuvers to splitting the Party. The proletarian membership of our Party will raily behind the Central Committee and will defeat the splitters and

The membership will quickly expose the manouvers of Lovestone to shield his acts against the Communist International with the banner of the Sixth World Congress. It will understand that these are the common mancuvers of all renegades. The will of the Sixth World Congress was decisively for a fight against opportunism and opportunists, a fight to eradicate factional strife, to establish discipline, to sharpen up the revolutionary line of the Party, to prepare for the severe class struggles shead. Lovestone is for the continuation of a factional fight, for a factional struggle against the Communist International. Lovestone is opposed to the struggle against opportunism and the opportunists, but instead works with the international Rights in the vain efforts to pices the opportunists in control of the the Communist International.

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of the USA, standing on the line of the Sixth World Congress, the line of the Communist International, is carrying out this duty in preparing the Party for the charpening class struggles. Lovestone wants to prepare the Party for struggle against the Cl.

The duty of the American Party is to eradicate factionalism from the Party, to tear it out root and branch. Lovestone seeks to maintain his faction and aims to transform the faction fight within the Party into a factional struggle against the Communist International.

The duty of the Party is to cleanse the Party of all bourgeois influences and to combat the Right danger in the most concrete and effective way. Lovestone attempts to mobilize the American Party for the defense of the international Right wing against the Comintern and for the adoption of his Right wing program by the American Party.

The duty of the Communist Party of the USA is to combat the clearest expression of bourgeois opportunism as embodied in Brandlerism. Lovestone wants to import Brandlerism into the United States.

The duty of the American Party is to maintain its unity on the political line of the Comintern. Lovestone wants to split the Party, for rejection of the line of the Comintern, and for the revision of the

The Central Committee calls upon the Party members to give a

most decisive answer to the international Right wing and to its Amer-The last step of Lovestone, his efforts to split the Party, turns any concealed opposition to the CI Decision into an open agency against the CI. The Party must ruthlessly expose the concealed op-

position which will seek to carry on the policies and tactics of Love-The unity of our World Party, the unity of the American section, the Bolshevik integrity of our Party is the concern of every Party

member. Every Party member will rally to the defense of the Party. Fight against the contamination of the Party by petty bourgeois

Defeat the international Right and its American lieutenants.

Combat unprincipled factionalism as the main obstacle to Bol-

Struggle against all attempts to split our Party and maintain our Party as an active and worthy section of the Communist International. Repudiate all methods of intrigue, falsehood and deception as anti-Communist bourgeois politiciandom.

Mobilize for the unreserved acceptance and speedy application of the only correct line for our Party, the line of the Sixth World Congress and of the Address of the Communist International

Strengthen the work of the Party, increase its day-to-day activities, deepen and broaden our trade union work, intensify the struggle against the war danger, build the Party.

Maintain Bolshevist discipline as the only firm basis for Party

CENTRAL COMMITTEE, COMMUNIST PARTY OF AMERICA.

Material for Enlightenment of Party Membership on the C.I. Address to Our Party

On June 9th the Secretariat of the Central Committee received the following cabled statement by Lovestone from Moscow:

Moscow, U. S. S. R., June 9, 1929.

While still maintaining my disagreement with the Open Letter and its organization instructions and my conviction that they will not prove helpful to the Party I hereby condemn all resistance to Comintern decisions and call upon the Party membership to take no steps to resist or hinder the execution of the decisions of the E. C. C. I. In this connection I therefore withdraw my previous declaration of nonsubmission in the presidium as incorrect and impermissible in the Comintern and offer this statement of my submission to the decisions of the ECCI as supplanting my previous declaration.

I strongly urge all comrades to drop factionalism and to dissolve the groups. With Communist Greetings .- JAY LOVE-

The Secretariat of the the Central Committee in acting upon this cable decided to inform the Comintern that it considered the statement of Loovestone inadequate. The Secretariat also decided not to publish this cable.

While pretending to condemn his declaration of May 14th, he, in reality brought again before the American Party members his platform of opposition to the CI decision and his characterization of that decision as inimical to the interests of our Party. The Secretariat of our Party is of the opinion that it was Lovestone's duty to give political substance to his repudiation of his declaration of May 14th and to the splitting cable of May 15th by a complete abandonment of all reservations to the CI decisions,

The cable of May 15th was an instruction to take all organizational steps for a splitting away of our American section from the Communisc International. The cable read as follows:

"Traft decision means destruction Party unless firm solid front maintained. Take no action any propossals by anybody or cabled CI instruction cabling draft letter instructing publish same. until delegation arrives. Situation astounding, outrageous, can't he understood until arrival. Possibility entire delegation being foreibly detained, therefore, unless you hear from us within ten days that we are returning start wide movement units and press for return complete convention delegation inclusive Lovestone Wolfe to hear report our side case.

"Decision proposes publish American and world press document which would completely destroy Party and CI in eyes American masses, calls leadership petit-hourgeois politicians unipled dishenest misleaders intrigues which can not be tolerated any section CI does not mention single Party achievement such as Southern work, provides basis expelling on question formal discipline thousands members entire majorityites, ignores a Central Committee during direct membership attacks convention. We support unreservedly will Sixth World Congress and convention open letter but new decision overthrows both creating ceneral CI crisis by disowning Sixth Congress will. Removes our secretariat members enlarging reorganizing Secretariat supplantig political committee, leaving Poster general Secretaryship open at speeches lay basis Weinstone general secretary pushing Weinstone Wicks for Secretariat, strategy being cover support opposition by boosting Weinstone Wicks Weisbord who presented true majorityites, attacks sharpening on Minor Stachel Ballam Amter and Zimmerman. Desperate speculation on splits our ranks. Entire delegation solid as one also every American Moscow including Zimmerman Trachtenberg who just arrived except Sklar. We count on you all to show same splendid spirit. Only this can save Party from destruction.

"Carefully check up all units all property all connections all mailing lists of auxiliaries, all sublists district lists removing same offices and unreliables. Check all checking accounts all organizations seeing that authorized signers are exclusively reliables appointing secretariat for auxiliaries and treasury disauthorizing present signature. Instantly finish preparations sell buildings especially eliminating W. trusteeship. Remove Mania

. Pepper here we not softening with him maintaining sharp distinction. We think Harvey action extremely unwise. His appointment served show up crassly line pursued CI Foster appointment because Harvey neither worker nor non-factionalist Crouch worker mass figure nonfactionalist.

'Absolutely don't cable acknowledgement or cognizance this cablegram but guide thereby."

The Political Secretariat submits these cables to the Party membership to show to what extent the anti-Comintern intentions of Lovestone had developed. The unwillingness on the part of Lovestone and of those who still follow him, to condemn this outrageous breach of Communist faith with our Comintern throws a reflection upon their protestations of final submission to the CI.

The Political Committee in its meeting of June 25th had before it a declaration of Comrade Bertram D. Wolfe as follows:

Secretariat, Communist Party. New York, June 23, 1929 United States of America.

Dear Comrades:

I have your letter of June 21 giving me 48 hours to make a written statement of my position on the latest Comintern de-

Enlightenment Campaign on the Comintern Address to the Communist Party

THE Polbureau is desirous of securing the broadest possible Enlightenment Campaign on the Comintern Address and the immediate Party tasks outlined therein. All Party members and particularly the comrades active in the workshops in the basic industries are invited to write their

opinions for the Party Press. Resolutions of Factory Nuclei also will be printed in this section. Send all material dealing with this campaign to Comrade Jack Stachel, care National office, Communist Party, 43 E. 125th St., New York City.

NEW YORK SECTION FIVE FUNCTIONARIES MEETING.

We, the members of the section executive committee and unit functionaries of Section 5, District 2, Communist Party USA, after hearing the report of comrade Robert Minor on the Open Letter to the 6th Convention and the address of the Executive Committee of the Communist International to the members of our Party, after a thoro discussion, completely accept and endorse this address and pledge ourselves to unreservedly carry out all decisions contained in it.

We fully agree with the clause in the address declaring that the criticism directed by the CI against the leadership of our Party is not a victory for any group. We recognize that the criticism of the CI directed against the leadership of the Party indirectly reflects against the leadership of our section, who were following in Sect. 5 the same narrow factional lines practiced above.

We consider the address in connection with the open letter to our 6th convention one of the most important political documents our Party has ever received from the CI. It gives the correct political political ? ? with regard to questions of the strength of American Imperialism, radicalization of the working classes the U. S. A., war danger,

Trotzkyism and especially with regard to the immediate tasks confronting the Party in the USA in the Third Period.

The address puts an end to factionalism, which was sapping the very foundations of our Party. The address lays the basis for a united mass party in the USA free from factionalism and right or "left" opportunist deviations

We declare our full determination to fight any open or concealed opposition to the Comintern in the attitude of comrade Lovestone, Wolfe and Gitlow, or comrade Bert Miller in New York. We pledge our full support to the CEC in the steps and measures it is taking to carry out the line of the CI in the American Party. We pledge ourselves to mobilize the membership of our section for the complete unconditional acceptance of the line of the Comintern and a ruthless fight against all those who will in any direct or indirect way hinder the carrying out of this line

Thru a united Party free from factionalism with a correct line given by the Comintern. Forward to a mass Communist Party and the final victory of the proletariat in the USA.

cisions. At the same time you instruct me what my statement "must" declare.

My convictions on the questions involved prevent me from making the declaration you dictate.

For example, I cannot honestly declare "that I recognize the complete correctness of the Comintern Address and the related Comintern decisions on the American question" since I regard that address and the accompanying decisions as INCORRECT AND INJURIOUS to the American section of the Comintern and the Comintern as a whole. I submit to the decisions referred to not because I agree with them but in spite of my disagreement, as a matter of discipline and loyalty to the Comintern.

You also instruct me that I must "denounce and emphatically condemn the anti-Comintern conduct" of the delegation from our Sixth Convention to the Comintern. I emphatically do not regard the conduct of our delegation as anti-Comintern, but on the ontrary, am convinced that it did its best to defend and urge nat it that and what our convention that was in line with the best interests of the Comintern.

To sum up, my position is one of disagreement with the recent address and related decisions and submission as a matter of discipline and lovalty.

With Communist Greetings.

(Signed) BETRAM D. WOLFE.

The Secretariat and Political Bureau regard the statement of Comrade Wolfe inadequate particularly in his refusal to condemn his actions in the Presidium session of May 14th. The Secretariat also asked Comrade Wolfe for a statement of attitude on the splitting cable of Lovestone on May 15th as well as upon his attitude toward the violation of discipline on the part of Lovestone in returning to the United

Comrade Wolfe in his answer to the questions put to him clearly showed his unwillingness to condemn Lovestone's flagrant violation of CI discipline or to condemn the open steps taken in the cable of May 15th to split our Party. In addition to this Comrade Wolfe made it clear that he could not conscientiously defend the CI line and make himself an agent of the Central Committee and of the Political Bureau in the carrying through of the major campaign of the Party at the present moment: The Enlightenment Campaign on the CI Address. The Politic cal Committee came to the conclusion that it cannot permit the establishment of the institution of passive members of the Polbureau, members who declare either their unwillingness or their incapability to carry out the Party line as formulated in the Address of the CI. Members of leading Party committees, who cannot be active in leading the Party membership in the campaigns of the Party, have no place on the leading committees of the Party.

At the Political Bureau Comrade Wolfe continued to take issue with the basic political line of the CL

The Political Committee therefore decided unanimously, against the vote of Wolfe, to suspend Comrade Wolfe from membership in the Political Committee of the Party.