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DAILY WORKER MUST BE SAVED BY WORKING CLASS

To the readers of the Daily Worker, Comrades:

The Daily Worker is NOT going to close its doors.

We are fighting with our backs to the wall. We are in desperate financial condition—so desperate that we do not know from one hour to the next how it is going to be possible to meet the demands of creditors who threaten to crush out the life of the Daily Worker. Yesterday, Monday, we were scheduled (by some of our creditors) to close down and quit. Any "reasonable" business estimate would be that we had to quit. Any but a fighting Bolshevik paper would have quit. But we didn't. The Daily Worker keeps on, and is willing to say this morning that it is going to continue to keep on.

None but a fighting Communist paper could have survived but the Daily Worker is going to survive.

Why?

Because the WORKERS are going to stand by the Daily Worker.

Above all, the Communist workers, organized in our Workers (Communist) Party, together with the other militant workers in the trade unions, the many thousands of unorganized workers who know that only with the leadership of the Workers (Communist) Party CAN they be organized, and the sympathizers with the cause of freedom of the working class—these, we are confident, are going to see the Daily Worker through.

We know that you will help save the Daily Worker. The only question—the dangerous question—is, HOW SOON?

Monday it looked as though the Daily Worker would miss a few days of publication. This alone would have been a calamity, and we knew it. We managed to get out Monday's paper, knowing that the disappearance of the one and only daily newspaper in the English language would have been heralded from the house-tops by the enemies of our class.

For several days we may have to run in the crippled condition—reduced to only four pages, without cartoons, etc. But we will carry on, because—and ONLY because— YOU will help.

The receipts Monday were \$741.46. This is a large amount than was received on any previous day, but it includes mail of Sunday. The flow of donations is NOT YET LARGE ENOUGH OR RAPID ENOUGH TO SAVE THE DAILY WORKER.

Does His Own Job

General Electric, who together with

J. P. Morgan, is on his way to

Europe to supervise personally the

shylocking of the German workers.

AGAINST RIVERA

Law on Spain

Spain is in another crisis.

with the fascist regime.

whole population.

not labor unions, however, but asso-

ciations of all sorts of elements who

From what information is obtain-

Planned for Portugal, Also.

Here is the list of receipts up to Monday night:

unday\$ 12.00
Ionday
Cuesday
Vednesday
Thursday
riday
Saturday and Sunday624.21
Monday (yesterday)741.46
Total to last night \$3.842.09

Comrades, you will see that the flow of donations IS NOT YET LARGE ENOUGH OR RAPID ENOUGH TO SAVE THE DAILY WORKER. Only by the barest margin did we survive with \$3,000 in a situation where \$10,000 was a minimum demand for the moment. WE CANNOT LET THIS HAPPEN AGAIN. WE MUST ENOR-MOUSLY INCREASE THE AMOUNT BEING RAISED.

The spirit which, when translated into action, will save the Daily Worker, is indicated by the following:

The New York District of the Workers (Communist) Party was given the quota of \$5,000 to raise in the district for the Daily Worker. The different section organizations of the Party were alotted quotas according to the best judgment of their respective capacities.

But several of the Sections WERE NOT SATISFIED WITH THE AMOUNTS THEY WERE ASSIGNED. They INCREASED the amounts they were alotted to raise for their fighting daily paper!

Here is the New York quota distribution as it now stands:

Section 1 assigned \$900, volunteered to raise. \$1,000
Section 2 assigned
Section 3 assigned 600
Section 4 assigned \$600, volunteered to raise 800
Section 5 assigned \$850, volunteered to raise 1,200
Section 6 assigned 300
Section 7 assigned 200
Section 8 assigned
Section 9 assigned
New Jersey assigned 350
Total TO BE RAISED in District N. Y\$5,650

But, Comrades, THE MONEY IS NOT RAISED YET. Meantime the Daily Worker, the fighting organ of the class struggle of the workers of this country, is IN GREAT DANGER.

We urge you to jump in and do your part with revolutionary spirit and speed to save the Daily Worker.

Fraternally yours,

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE.

Send funds QUICK to the Daily Worker, 26-28 Union Square, New York.

IRESS MAKERS PERFECT PLANS WIN STRIKE

of Organization Committee

Vorkers Refusing to Buy Fakers' Bonds

The words "general strike" are on lips of thousands of needle rades workers these days. The big feat of Marty. eneral strike in the dress trade hat is being called soon by the New ork Joint Board of the new Needle hey are now forced to toil.

Despite the frantic and at times posed as liars. reased by hundreds of workers, the Black Sea. efving the threats of the Schlesine intimidated into buying the infill be used as a strikebreaking und against them and their fellowcorkers.

Schlesinger's "Fair" Elections.

The news that Schlesinger is prearing to hold "fair" elections is ure-souled international officials (near 16th St.), Room 9. an hold their own with the choicest er of corrupt elections.

now in its new building at 131 tions of all the textile workers in V. 28th St. At present only the the city. loak and fur departments are in he new headquarters, while all usiness in connection with the dress trike will continue to be conducted t 16 W. 21st St. The Joint Board eports that more dress firms are Funds Vital it Our Press is to Live pplying daily for settlement, imressed with the power and influnce of the new union.

Organization Committee Meets. An all-important meeting of the organization Committee of 1,000 vill be held tonight at 6:30 in Manattan Lyceum, 66 E. Fourth St. he strike machinery will be perected at this meeting and the memers of the Organization Committee, tho will play the leading role in he strike, will receive important intructions as to their duties.

The proletariat of each country munist, of course, first of all actile matters with its own bourgeoisie— Earl Mark (Comunist Manifesto)

Paris Labor Elects Marty To Chamber

PARIS, Feb. 4 .- André Marty, former Communist deputy and leader fold Meeting Tonight of the French Black Sea fleet revolt, Tie Up Many Big Jobs; was again elected yesterday to the chamber of deputies by the workers of Puteaux, industrial district of

Iore Firms Settling During the preliminary elections ArgueInjunctionToday Marty headed the poll last Sunday and in the second ballot yesterday Rank and File Rely on was elected by a large majority. Marty ran against Cautherot, of the Republican Union, the "socialist" candidate having withdrawn, hoping in this way to bring about the de-

André Marty had but recently been sentenced to two years in jail ing Trades Employers Association rades Workers Industrial Union is in a charge brought against him by eing eagerly looked forward to not the government for writing an open nly by the dressmakers, but by letter to Marshal Foch, exposing the housands of cloakmakers and fur- French war aims against the Soviet Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, iers, who anticipate the coming Union and Foch's attempt to ortruggle as one that will help to ganize together with the British a Broach, the "little Caesar" of the Tyrant Places Martial by several speakers, adopted a resoree them from the intolerable war to "oust the Bolsheviki." Durweatshop conditions under which ing the trial Foch and other officials of the French government were ex-

he two scab company unions, the revolutionary workers for organnternational Ladies' Garment Work- izing and leading the revolt of the rs' Union and the Joint Council of sailors of the French Black Sea 'urriers, to boom up trade by de- Fleet in 1919, thus rendering the ices such as "organization" drives fleet ineffectual in its interven ion "victorious" agreements with against the Russian revolution. The he bosses, the ranks of the new in- sailors' revolt caused the French imustrial union are being daily in- perialists to withdraw the fleet from

e intimidated into buying the in-ernational bonds, which they know Big Mass Meet Tonight trades to support them, for if this strike is lost, it means that the

National Textile Workers' Union to the crafts in the industry. organize all the textile workers in The injunction issued upon the New York City, a mass meeting demand of the association, restrainhas been called for tonight, immearing to hold "fair" elections is ausing many smiles among needle district ausing many smiles among needle office of the union 247 Sixth Ave rades workers, who know that the office of the union, 247 Sixth Ave., five-day week and a wage increase,

1. F. of L. labor fakers in the mat- and passamenterie shops must at- 9 o'clock this morning. tend and take part in this campaign The Joint Board of the new union to organize and better the condi-

Worker for aid in its present crisis.

ing you the enclosed amount, \$.....

2,000 ELECTRICAL **WORKERS STRIKE**

Labor Fakers Stall as Men Come Out

Solidarity Not Court

Over 2000 electrical workers are

out on spontaneous strikes the Broach machine refuses to lead, on some of the biggest jobs in the city, and not merely, 500, as the Buildreported through the capitalist press. The men are members of Local 3 of the International whose president is the notorious

Electrical workers quit on the Grand Central Terminal Building, Brown Brothers 36-story building in dicrous efforts of the officials of André Marty is remembered by Wall Street, No. 66 Broadway, the censorship by the Spanish govern-Lefcourt Building, Seventh Avenue ment cripples the information and 26th St., Otis Elevator Co., a sources, the fact that martial law number of public schools, etc. A has been decreed after a conference couple of hundred million dollars between the dictator, Primo de Riworth of construction is being held vera, and King Alfonso, supposedly up by this attempt of the electrical limited to the Andalusian area, but workers to win the five-day week and so reduce the burden of unemployment in the industry.

The workers on strike rely upon er clique, workers are refusing to Nat'l Textile Union in the other workers in the building Building Trades Employers Associa-As part of the campaign of the tion will extend their attack to all Primo de Rivera is the royal decree

> is scheduled to come before supreme All the workers in the trimming court justice Levy for argument at

> > The history of all hitherto existing society is the history of class struggles.—Karl Marx (Communist Manifesto).

CAN 'DAILY' SURVIVE?

Respond immediately to the appeal of the Daily

The Daily Worker, 26-28 Union Square, New York.

Name

After reading the appeal for aid in the Daily Worker I am send-

Names of contributors will be published in the "Daily" without

TAXI DRIVERS PROTEST MEET

of Chauffeurs

Rule Against Cruising

of Greater New York, at Webster 25c. Hall, 121 E. 11th St.

The meeting, which was addressed lution protesting that Whalen's new "regulations" of traffic has done as much to cripple traffic as to help PARIS, Feb. 4.—Although strict it, and in addition has cut into the many are having a serious time to make a living.

The resolution further protested that the commissioner's office has J. L., New York City threatened to suspend the licenses of all drivers who attempt to enter the restricted zone, and attacked the restricted zone, and attacked \$10; By M. Sholup, \$10; John with broader aspects in the establishment of a special military court to have jurisdiction over both the

military and civilians, everything iner, which carried the matter further \$1; Leo Foster, \$1; Total .. dicates that the fascist regime of written a letter about the recent Lithuanian Central Bureau, Another symptom of the disconelection, to the "Taxi Weekly," an Brooklyn, N. Y. tent undermining the regime of open shop advertising sheet that Julius Littinsky, Brooklyn .. tries to be popular with drivers. In G. E. Powers, N. Y. C. permitting the formation of "vigiit he ridiculed both the democratic Sec. 1, A. Monoca, New York lance committees," or what amounts and republican parties as no good City (Collection) to armed bands of civil reactionaries for workers. Later a detective ser- Emil Free, N. Y. C. with full power to spy upon and, by geant approached him and told him Women's Council 8, Bronx ... inference, to murder anyone who the License Bureau had chalked the Sec. 6, S1, Alfred Glair & they may feel is not in harmony letter against his record, and that he "shouldn't say thing against the J. Balogh, Chicago, Ill. These shock troops for reaction democrats. Who do you think is Comrades of Syracuse, N. Y. running this town?" Such intimiare expected to be formed under the supervision of what, in Spain, are called "patriotic unions." These are dation is the regular thing.

toration of the right turn, a lifting ofsky, Cawan, Davoli, Riof the ban against cruising, a desig- back, Schwartz are enthusiastic supporters of Primo nation of taxi stands at street in- Contribution from the foltersections, and elected a committee lowing comrades in Detroit, able, the population throughout to confer with the mayor to protest Mich.: Gargunian, \$5; E. Sat-Spain is deeply stirred by the up-Spain is deeply stirred by the up-Whalen. rising at Valencia, although it appears to have been a purely military

attempt, led by the ex-premier, Jose ers, among them Charles Kroll, sec-Sanchez Guerra, returned from retary of the union, George Powers, A group of comrades of Yon-Martin Katz, A. Rabin, Dave Gor- kers, N. Y.: S. N. Grura, \$10; France. The popular interest in the attempted coup, and the alarm and man, A. Masko and Sol Auerbach. I. Kalodny, \$10; E. Cooper, Characterizing the new police \$5; I. E. Haywood, \$5; M. S., extraordinary suppressive measures of the government, show how deep regulations of Commissioner Whalen \$2; Horschhon, \$2; Minsky, and wide is the discontent of the as a part of the scheme for com- \$1; Kay, \$1; Raff, \$1; Kronplete consolidation of New York taxi- kets, \$1

Ciudad Real was timed to synchron- this consolidation of the bosses and City Executive Committee, ize with a similar movement in Por- corporations by a consolidation of

Carnegie Hat Shop Workers Answer Call to Save 'Daily'

gie Millinery Shop have contributed Rose Simon, 50c; Anonymous, 55c; \$61.50 to help save the Daily Work- Anonymous, \$1; Anonymous, \$1; er. Despite the fact that these Anonymous, \$1; workers hardly make enough to live Anonymous, \$1; Anonymous, Rules on Traffic Cut on they have responded generously to the appeal to save the only Anonymous, \$1; Schulman, \$1; Into the Earnings of Chauffeurs

Workers hardly make enough to live Anonymous, \$1; Schulman, \$1; Anonymous, 15c; Anonymous, 15c; Anonymous, 25; Anonymous, 40; for them as well as for all other Anonymous, 25; Anonymous, \$1; workers. The sum of \$61.50 is only Anonymous, \$1; the first collection and the workers Olga Garshin, \$1; B. Burt, \$1; N.

tributors:

Vida Lyroda, The anxiety of Police Commis-Berta Natz, 25c; Lena Koltan, 50c; \$1; S. Pecker, \$1.

The workers in the Hattie Carne- Sarah Levine, 50c; Glotzer, 50c; The following is a list of the con- Abramovitz, \$1; O. Borcy, \$1; L.

for Fares Cuts Wages man, \$1; R. Hartenstan, 25c; N. gold, \$1; I. Greenberg, \$1; F. Dober, Eisenberger, 25c; Yolada Botag, 25c; \$1; S. Kleinbern, \$1; R. Kosofsky, sioner Whalen to make the front page every day with some new Martha, 25c; Minny Zucrov, 50c; S. Sigel, 50c; Esther Rehine, \$1; page every day with some new Clara Brener, 25c; Lena Leile, \$1; B. Cohen, \$1; R. Resnick, 50c; I. stunt, is causing great hardship to the taxi drivers of New York. This Frida Bornstein, 25c; Sarah Nadel- D. Kleinman, \$1; S. Rosenfield, \$1;

was the keynote of last night's man, 50c; Bessie Kalinsky, 25c; T. Giorgio, 25c; Fame, 25c; S. Stein-the provision in the 15 cruiser bill meeting of drivers held under the Rose Schnurman, \$1; E. Perlmutter, Kasser, \$1; E. Bingham, \$1; M. auspices of the Taxi Driver's Union 50c; A. Kaplan, 25c; R. Buonaim, Schwartz, 25c; S. Soocher, 50c; R. Brillion, 50c; A. Brillion, 50c; A. Eva Cohen, \$1; Lillian Ginsbord, Sloaninsky, 50c; R. Schiffman, 50c; 54 to 28. Coolidge's plan was to \$1; M. Forman, \$1; E. Sharkan, 50c; F. Levtan, 50; C. Olajaky, 50; D. build all the cruisers immediately. N. Rodrigez, 50c; F. G., 50c; F. Ee- Morra, 25; R. Kravitz, 50; A. Ler- but the senators were known to be gun, 50c; I. U., 50c; S. Abend, 50c; rum, 25; Rose Gramo 50c.

VOTE NEAR ON IMPERIALISTIC

Hypocrisy of Pacifists Shown by Agreement to Limit Debate

Demand Right Turns have promised to contribute more. Wilkes, \$1; D. Redcust, \$1; D. Ten Minute Speeches

25c; Bertha Klein- Sorken, \$1; A. Farber, \$1; T. Fish- Motion for Increase in Plane Carriers

> BULLETIN. WASHINGTON. Feb. 4. - The Senate tonight defeated the amendment backed by Hoover and Coolidge, which would have abolished calling for construction of five cruisers a year, all to be finished within three years. The vote was afraid that government red tape would delay the building if the three

year limit were dropped.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. - The cruiser bill, American imperialism's armament plan in preparation for the coming war, is slated for passage tomorrow. A modified cloture rule went into effect today, by unanimous consent. Speeches between noon and four p. m. were limited to a half hour each, and after four, only ten minutes was allowed.

In view of the fact that all senators agree to the limitation of debate the so-called opposition becomes more openly hypocritical than before, and the tenor of the

speeches loses importance. Against Plain Speaking. Senator Neely, democrat, of West Virginia, said for the benefit of the 5.00 workers and farmers back home, that Senator Reed's speech last 5.00 week was jingoistic.

But Neely said he would vote for 5.00 the pending bill. For More Plane Carriers.

Senator Bingham, Conn., introduced an amendment to provide for the construction of three aircraft carriers instead of one. Senator Tyson, Dem., Tenn.

started the discussion with a speech 11.00 endorsing the bill in its present 4.00 form. He hinted strongly at a war 4.00 with Japan as well as with Great 3.50 Britain, saying: "If we have another war it is

3.00 quite likely to be in the Pacific as 3.00 well as in the Atlantic. In this 3.00 great ocean are our farthest pos-3.00 sessions, the Philippines. We need a navy to protect them."

For Commerce Rivalry. Senator George, Dem., Ga., also 3.00 3.00 endorsed the bill and the time clause. He said: "How elusive is 3.00 the dream of universal peace. In 2.00 the next war, when every weapor is being used, how can we hope that 2.00 our commerce will escape? We 2.00 must have a navy to save it."

Other senators spoke for the bill

EMERGENCY FUND

February 4, 1929. | Ed. Brenner, Camden, N. J. H. M. Richter, Chicago, Ill. \$100.00 Comrades in Utica, N. Y .: Nucleus 2, Pittsburgh, Pa... 50.00 From treasury, \$5; Stanley 50 00 Prenis \$1: Stanley Lukashethis as a dictation over their lives. Corf, \$5; A. Schreibman, \$5; One instance was given by a driv- A Friend, \$1.50; H. Solomon, than violation of the rules. He had Projetcos Workers, N. Y. C. 27.86 Scandinavian Workers Club

Co. Shop, N. Y. C.

Kleiman, Gasboro, Sinkew, E. The resolution demanded a res- Duofsky, B. Shapiro, D. Dur-Acosta, \$1.25

The meeting heard several speak- One of New York's Railway Slaves, N. Y. C. cabs into fewer and fewer hands, A group of comrades of Yon-Sol Auerbach, former cab-driver of kers, N. Y .: Chas. Cooper, HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Fron- Philadelphia and at present on the \$12; Bloshow, \$5; Flexman, tier, Feb. 4 (UP) .- The Spanish re- staff of the Daily Worker, declared \$1; Smith, \$1; Riffkin, \$1; volt which broke out last week at that the cab-drivers "must answer Worner, \$.50

Worcester, Mass. Wm. Long, Wellington, Ohio

wich, \$1: Wm. Goodis, \$1: Leona Rimkus, \$1; K. Kraus, \$1; K. Mirochiski, \$1 Leonard Auberger, East Liverpool, Ohio 33.50 N. Bostnick, N. Y. C. Karl Marx, Chicago, Ill 26.00 E. Wagenknecht, Cleveland.

25.00 Collection by A. Darin in 20.00 Brooklyn: Stein, \$5; Grachoff, \$5; A. Genriper, \$5; L. 20.00 Brodesy, \$2; Ars, \$1; A. Kos-20.00 arin, \$1; S. P., \$1 15.00 A. Gaisner, N. Y. C. Polish Branch 57, Brooklyn.. 15.00 G. Holn, New York City ...

13.00 Laundry Workers Fraction,

New York City

10.00 Brooklyn, from: R. Ragozin, \$5: M. Bragin, \$2: A teacher friend, \$1; A faction friend, \$1; I. Kushner, \$1; A teacher

L. Ars, Monroe Bridge, Mass. Four Arbeiter Sporters, NYC China Decorators, N.Y.C.... M. Hyman, 3B, Brooklyn ... P. Koster, Chicago, Ill. N. Karell, Bronx, N. Y..... H. Leff, 4F, 2A, N. Y. C A Student of James Monroe High School, N. Y. C. Vincent Manchica, N. Y. C.. A. Gorelick, Bronx, N. Y....

20.10 D. Farber, Brooklyn, N. Y... W. Simon, Norwich, Conn... 5.00 J. Marteno, Moline, Ill.

Hudson & Myrtle Ave. Boys, Brooklyn, N. Y.

(Continued on Page Three)

Call Mass Protest Meeting Against Tip Toe Inn; Tammany for White Chauvinism

SIX PICKETS ARE **GIVEN SUSPENDED** SENTENCES HERE

Negro, White Workers Defended by I. L. D.

The three Negro and three white workers who were arrested last Friday for picketing the Tip Toe Inn on E. 14th St. were yesterday given suspended sentences by Magistrate Jean Norris in Third District Court. A suspended sentence is a declaration of guilt and while involving no punishment, means that the defendants can in the future be arrested on the slightest provocation. Hit White Chauvinism.

The picketing of the Tip Toe Inn took place in protest at the action of the management of the restaurant in refusing to serve several Negro wrokers who came into the restaurant on Jan. 26. The three Negro workers who were arrested are Harold Williams, Oliver Golden and Leonard Patterson. The white workers are Sol Horowitz, Bertha Bialek and Sam Persily.

Two policemen appeared as the sole witnesses against the workers who were defended by Jacques Buitenkant representing the New York District of the International Manor. Sympathetic organizations Labor Defense. Magistrate Norris, are asked not to arrange any affair York District of the International who is notorious for her anti-labor bias, did everything in her power to

for that evening.

Women Theatre Party

Workers Laboratory Theatre. The Workers' Laboratory Theatre meets every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 p. m., at 334 E. 15th

German Speaking Comrades.

prevent Buitenkant from presenting the facts while giving the district attorney all possible leeway.

Call Mass Protest.

A mass meeting to protest against the white chauvinism of the Tip Toe Inn and the aid given the restaurant by the Tammany police will be held next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at St. Luke's Hall, 125 W. 130th St.

Women Theatre Party.

A good opportunity for Jewish workers to see the regular week-end play in the Schwartz Art Theatre on 14th St. and 3rd Ave., this Friday evening, at reduced prices if tickets are gotten in advance. The full price will be charged on the day of the performance. Tickets in advance may be gotten at the central office of the United Council of Working Women, 80 E. 11th St., Room 533, or phone Stuyvesant 0576. St. Luke's Hall, 125 W. 130th St. Among the speakers will be a representative of the Negro pickets, Harold Williams, and one of the white pickets, Sol Horowitz, Buitenkant, the defending attorney, Alfred Wagenknecht, national secretary of the International Labor Defense, and Richard B. Moore, organizer of the American Negro Labor Congress.

The meeting will be held under the auspices of the New York I. L. D. and the American Negro Labor Congress.

German speaking comrades are wanted to participate in building a mass chorus. Applicants are welcome every Tuesday, 8:30 p. m., Labor Temple, 243 E. 84th St., Room 18—Uthmann Singing Society. The meeting will be held under

ally to the support of the militant eedle trades workers.

A Workers' and Farmers' Cestume that has been arranged for Friday, seb. 15, at the Pythian Temple, 70th it, east of Broadway, as the first art of the W. I. R. campaign to nlist the co-operation of all trades Ball has been arranged for Friday, Feb. 15, at the Pythian Temple, 70th St., east of Broadway, as the first part of the W. I. R. campaign to enlist the co-operation of all trades throughout New York for the coming strike.

Trade unions, sympathetic organwith Local New York Workers' International Relief, 799 Broadway, Room 226, for blocks of tickets for this affair and to do everything possible for the dance as an expression of solidarity with the fight of the new industrial needle trades union.

Armenian Fraction Ball.

A ball will be given by the Armenian fraction of the Workers (Communist) Party and the Armenian Labor (Communist) Party and the Armenian fraction of the Workers (Communist) Party and the Armenian Communist paper and the Poultry Workers' Union will hold a banquet to celebrate the opening of union offices at 314 E. 9th St. The Paterson textile strikers on Saturday evening at 221 E. 27th St.

Free Spanish Communist paper and the Paterson textile strikers on Saturday, Feb. 17.

Jewish International.

Anti-War Meeting in Brooklyn ThursdayEve Will Rally Workers

What the war lords plan to gain "Singing Jailbirds" Benefit. what the war fords plan to gain at the expense of plunging the working class into a new world slaughter will be exposed at the meeting to fight the war danger this Thursday evening at the Royal Palace, 16 Manhattan Ave., corner Graham Ave., Brooklyn, held under the joint auspices of Section 6, Workers (Communist) Party, United Councillation of the section of the section of the seventh Ave. Subway line.

"Singing Jailbirds" Benefit.

A benefit performance of Upton Sinclair's "Singing Jailbirds" will be given under the given under the auspices of the Harlem Champion Theatre, near Sheridan Square Club, and is for the benefit.

Paxton Hibben Buried in Moscow; Thousands of the "Negro Champion." Tickets may be obtained at the Champion's Office, 169 W. 132rd St. Sheridan Square is on the Seventh Ave. Subway line.

Moscow, Feb. 4.—The remains of Payton Hibben American radical (Communist) Party, United Coun-

Carnival Now Available

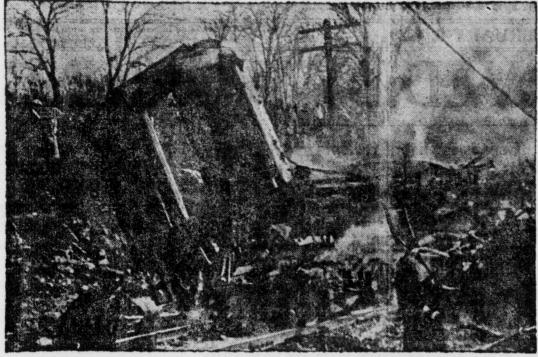
All labor unions, fraternal organizations and groups wanting to attend the New Masses Spring Carnival on March 1, may apply for blocks of tickets at special prices

Painters, Carpenters, Chauffeur Wanted.

A most novel entertainment is being prepared for this affair. Tickets are now on sale at the Workers Bookshop, 28 Union Square and New Masses office, 39 Union Sq.

ENGLISH JOBLESS GROWS LONDON (By Mail) .- The total number of unemployed registered at the exchanges in Great Britain last week totalled 1,800,000. This is 220,000 more than one year ago this time.

6 Rail Workers K led in Crash



When the Cannon Ball Limited crashed head on into a freight train near Henderson, Ky., six work ers of the train crews were killed outright. Photo shows the complete wreckage. The L. H. & St. L Company, which forces its trains to race at breakneck speed, without taking precautions for the safety

Fraternal Organizations PORTER PLAY AT Office Workers. The Office Workers' Union has arranged a dance for Washington's birthday eve, Feb. 21, at Webster Manor. Sympathetic organizations 1347 Boston Road, Bronx. The orchestra will illustrate the talk with excerpts from Schubert's work. * * * Boro Park Workers.

Boro Park Workers. Boro Park Workers.

D. Bergelson Jewish writer from the Union of Socialist Republics, will fecture at the Boro Park Workers' Club, 1373 43rd St., Friday evening.

Labor Temple Poetry Forum.
The Rebel Poets will give a recit
the Labor Temple Poetry Foru.
E. 14th St., Thursday from 8:

New Masses Spring Carnival.

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Will take place Friday evening, March 1, at Webster Hall, 119 E. 11th

St. Music by Vernon Andrade Renaissance Orchestra. Tickets are on sale at the Workers Bookshop, 26 Union Square, and at the office of the New Masses, 39 Union Square. Labor organizations are urged to apply for tickets at special rates.

The Masses Spring Carnival.

Communist League this Friday, Feb. 8, at Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E. Fourth St., will be a one-act, three-scene playlet depicting the main features of the Porter case. How John Porter joined the army and then deserted, how he became a leader in the New Bedford textile The Metropolitan Workers Soccer eague will hold a ball on February 23 at the Laurel Garden, 75 E. 116th St., basement. All interested in arrange any conflicting dates.

Dr. Liber to Lecture.

Dr. Liber will lecture on "Books and the Cultural Upbringing of Children" in the auditorium of the United Workers' Cooperative House. 2700 Bronx Park East, on Friday evening at 8:30 under the auspless of the Library Committee of the Cooperative. tial which he turned into a revolu-

Brooklyn Anti-War Meet.

A meeting against the war danger will be held at the Royal Palace, 16 Manhattan Ave. Brooklyn, on Thursday evening. The meeting is under the joint auspices of Section 6 of the Workers (Communist) Party; United Council of Working Women, Council 4; and the New York Branch of the All-America Anti-Imperialist League. Many prominent speakers.

Against Militarization.

The tenth anniversary of the murder of Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg is being demonstrated wany prominent speakers.

Freiheit Symphony Orchestra.
Important rehearsal tonight, under chief conductor Arnold Powell, 1292 South Boulevard, near Freeman St. Subway, Bronx. Instrumentalists are invited to communicate with Rubia Goldman, Sec., 3451 Gilles Place, Bronx. Freiheit Chorus Annual Ball.
The annual ball of the Freiheit
Singing Society will take place Friday, Feb. 22, Washington's Birthday, at the Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E.
Fourth St.

International Labor Defense, Harlem.
The Harlem section of the I. L. D.
will hold a mobilization meeting to
prepare for the I. L. D. bazaar, 8:30
p. m., tomorrow night, 143 E. 103rd

cil of Workingclass Women, Council 4, and the N. Y. Branch All-America Anti-Imperialist League.

Speakers at the meeting will be Bert Miller, organizational secretions.

Workers Culture Club, Brownsville.

The third anniversary of the Workers Culture Club of Brownsville will be celebrated with a concert and vetcherinka Saturday evening, 154 Watkins St.

* * * Several thousand workers gathered. of Paxton Hibben, American radical

ist League; Ray Ragozin, United Council Working Women. Anthony Bimba, chairman.

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Memorial Meet Sunday

Laundry Workers Give Show.

The Laundry Workers Section of the Trade Union Educational League has taken the entire theatre for the show of "Singing Jailbirds," performance of Friday. All workers are welcome that night to see the show. Tickets will be sold at the theatre box office, and also by members of the T. U. E. L., Laundry Workers Section.

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 4.—The Workers (Communist) Party and Young Workers (Communist) League of Paterson will hold a Lenin memorial meeting and demonstration against the war danger this Sunday, at 6 p. m. at Carpenters Hall, 66 Van Houten St. William Hall, 66 Van Houten St. William W. Weinstone and George Pershing will speak.

Painters, carpenters and a chauf-feur are wanted to do volunteer work for the Workers International Relief. See Louis A. Baum, 1 Union direction of Jacob Sheaffer, and the Freiheit Symphony Orchestra.

"Franz Schubert" will be the subject of a talk by Nathan Alterman on Friday, Feb. 15, at Rose Garden.

EXPOSE FRAME-UP OF CLERKS AT QUICK TRIAL

Own Witnesses Reveal A. F. of L. Plot

The framed-up charge against three members of the Retail Grocery, Fruit and Dairy Clerks' Union of Greater New York, brought by officials of the right-wing Grocery Clerks' Union, were exposed in the General Sessions Court yesterday, by the contradictory statements of the witnesses brought by the prosecution and the case was dismissed.

The three workers, David Vacker, organizer of the new union, Herman Kowarsky, vice-president, and Hyman Vacker, executive board member, were charged with first or second degree assault by the right wing local number 338. That the charge was a completely framed one with

defense were heard, Judge Donnelen was forced to dismiss two of the defendants. The jury, so conclusive was the proof against the right wingers, declared the third defendant "not guilty" immediately.

Pioneers Theatre Party.

The Young Pioneers of New York, together with the Negro Champion, will hold a theatre party at the Grove St. Playhouse, Sunday evening to see "Singing Jailbirds." Tickets at the district office. defense were heard, Judge Donnelen

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Workers Culture Club of Brownsville Plans Increase in Activity

The Workers Culture Club of Brownsville, now in the midst of a membership drive, announces that during February its weekly activities will be expanded to include features hitherto never held.

All-America Anti-imperialist League Many prominent speakers.

Sendinavian Workers Athlete Club. Workers of the needle trades workers of Greater New York, Local New York Workers International Relief appeals to all workers of New York to ally to the support of the militant needle trades workers.

A Workers' and Few Advances and all others are invited. Two good fazz bands are eased and polity workers. A Workers' and Electron of the militant needle trades workers.

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Trying Plaza Hail.

W. I. R. Bail.

A Workers' and Farmers' Costume Ball will be given by the Workers International Relief, Local New York, Friday, Feb. 15, 8:30 p. m., Pythian Temple, 70th St., East of Broadway.

The decision is retroactive to last

At this demonstration—which will take place this Friday evening at take place this Fri

In Center of Tammany Graft Exposure Fight WHITE TERROR



When Commissioner of Public Welfare Bird S. Coler, for thirty ears a Tammany man, blew up and exposed the fact that Tammany Hall insisted on placing in his department deputies who showed up drunk and insisted on showing indecent photos to girl wards of the department, his successor was already in office. Above is Dr. William Schroeder, Jr., new head of the department, with his family.

Workers Party Activities

Section 8 Membership Meet.

International Women's Day.
A preliminary conference to International Women's Day will be held at the Workers Center, 26 Union Sq., at 6 p. m. Friday.

Section 5 Functionaries.

* * * * Branch 5, Section 5.

All Section Women Work Organizers are ordered to immediately send in to the district office, for the attention of Sylvia Spiro, the names and addresses of the newly elected Unit Women Work Organizers.

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the purpose of attempting to jail
the leaders of the militant union became evident when the prosecution
witnesses, including police detectives, implicated each other with contradictory statements.

Even before the witnesses for the

German Fraction Social.

The German fraction will give a party Saturday Feb. 16, 8 p. m., at Labor Temple, 243 E. 84th St., for the benefit of "Der Arbeiter," "German language organ of the Party. Tickets may be had at the Daily Worker business office, 26 Union Square.

Unit 6F. Section 1.

All members are requested to be present at the unit meeting tonight at 6:30 p. m. Important matters will be discussed. Greek Fraction Entertainment.
The annual entertainment of the Greek Fraction of the Workers (Communist) Party will be given Saturday, at 8:30 p. m., at the New Palm Garden, 306 W. 52nd St., between Eighth and Ninth Aves, Proceeds will be applied to "Empros," Greek Communist weekly. Williamsburg Y. W. L.
The Y. W. L. of Williamsburg, Unit 2, will hold a social and dance at its headquarters, 690 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, on Sunday evening, Feb. 17. The proceeds of the affair wil go towards building up a weekly Young Worker.

Inter-Racial Dance, Bronx.

An Inter-Racial Dance will be given by the local section of the Party on Monday evening, February 11, 8 p. m., 1330 Wilkins Ave., near Freeman St. Station, Bronx. Harlem Jazz Band.

Office Workers, Y. W. L. ffice workers of the Young

(Red Aid Press Service)

BEKLIN (By Mail) .- According o a report from Riga, the politica

AGAINST LABOR

GROWS GREATER

Prisoner Is Killed by

Torture

prisoner, S. Samoilov, has committed suicide in the Riga Central Prison by hanging himself to the bars of his cell. Samoilov was wellknown in Riga trade union circles and was in prison in connection with the disturbances of Aug. 22. Samoi lov, who was still awaiting trial, was formerly editor of the Communist newspaper "Kolokol."

It must be assumed that the ter A section membership meeting will rible conditions which are known to be held tomorrow at 8:30 p. m., 154 Watkins Ave., Brooklyn, to take up the question of the Daily Worker Drive.

Unit 3. Section 4.

Unit 3, Section 4 of the Workers (Communist) Party will hold an affair Saturday evening at the Czechoslovak Workers Home, 347 E. 72nd St. The entire proceeds will go to the Daily Worker Emergency Fund. All workers are urged to attend this affair. The authorities in Riga have just ordered the suppression of the Workers' Cultural Association and the closing down of its rooms, on the pretext that this cultural or-Unit 2, Section 5.
Frank Horwitz, who has just returned from the Soviet Union, will speak on his impressions tonight at 1330 Wilkins Avenue, the Bronx, at the meeting of Unit 2, Section 5. All are urged to come and bring friends.

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Cultural Association of the Toiling Cultural Association of the Toiling Youth" has also been suppressed.

> The authorities in Riga celebrated Christmas by suppressing the newspaper "Work and Bread," which had issued a special Christmas number. The reason given was that the newspaper contained material "against he security of the state and calculated to stir up the people."

Co-Op Workers School Spring Term to Open

The Spring Term of the Co-perative Branch of the Workers School at 2700 Bronx Park E., will egin classes the week of Feb. 11. All functionaries of Section 5 are called to a special meeting for Thurs-day, 8 p. m., at 1330 Wilkins Ave. Workers are requested not to delay registration for classes.

Registration starts Monday, Feb. A very important meeting of Branch 5, Section 5, will be held to-day, 8:30 p. m. sharp, 1330 Wilkins Ave. 4th and will continue every day exof cept Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Register now for the following courses. English 1 (for beginners) Ida Hoffman, Militant Tuesday and Thursday, from 8 to 9:15 p. m. English 2-Monday and Worker, Passes Away Wednesday, 8 to 9:15 p. m.; English Williamsburg Y. W. L.

The recently organized Young Workers League of Williamsburgh holds a class in "Fundamentals of Communism" at headquarters, 639 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn. every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. All, young workers of the neighborhood are invited to attend.

Section 5. Brook.

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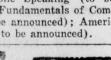
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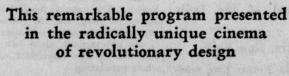
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the last convention. The convention liest moment for the calling of a definite steps: Committee as laid down in the s adopted at its last Plenum der our banner. The sharpening reoledges its full support to the action, police attacks, speed-up, and g class struggles, the organ- and mood for struggle on the part ing of new unions, in the fight needle trades struggle, the Paterstrike, the spontaneous strike of the of the Right danger within the expressmen, the increased Left supas the main danger, and the port in the building trades, etc.), to eliminate Trotskyism from and further indicated by the election vote for the Communist Party. The Party must bend all its ener- must strengthen the Communist and in every section, etc. dler and the Conciliatory and the A. F. of L. machine, bound Workers' Industrial Union. p; the District Convention ap- up with the capitalist political mas the open letter to the Mos- chine, particularly Tammany Hall), Committee by the Party of the for the further progress of our

I. Fight Against War Danger.

e District Convention pledges The convention regards the fight the policy of the bureaucrats to conto be a bulwark of support to against the war danger as the cen- vert the unions into company unions. Central Executive Committee tral task of the Party. From this The district must overcome the pashe Bolshevization of our Party for making our Party in the de States a mass Communist Party organization for the coming unions as shown by lack of attentions. y, capable of mobilizing the period must be viewed. The fight dance at fraction meetings and es under the banner of Lenin- against the war danger means not union meetings, insufficient discifor the destruction of the capi- only the agitational and organiza- pline and the poor execution of their system and the establishment tional efforts to fight the imperial- tasks, incorrect united front tactics he dictatorship of the prole- ist policies of the American gov- (building trades), and must link up errors as follows: view of the overwhelming sup- general agitational activities, but sections with the work of our trade of the Party membership and means more energetic and deter- union activities. cularly of the industrial sec- mined efforts to organize the unorof the Party for the Central ganized, to fight against and expose mittee and the fact that there social reformism, to proletarianize no fundamental differences of the Party, to increase Negro, womiples between the CEC and the en, youth work and all phases of

1. The convention fully approves fraction in the Central Trades and masses, and declares that it is District Executive Committee upon subordinate itself to the will the necessity of building up the

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ernment, anti-military work and closely the work of our units and

ices of principle nor roots in the emphasis in the report of the Labor Councils of New York. III. Fight Against Social Reformism ne Majority on the basis of the Trade Union Educational League as tivities against the socialist party. World Congress theses and the center for the organization of the correct estimation of the "Left" imperialism. for the new unions that this unity may be speed- and Left wing, and greets the ef- the recent "Left" maneuver of the forts of the district in conducting socialist party (anti-Wollism) and actionalism is a mortal menace strike activities (needle, garment directs the attention of the Party

ur movement and must be de- and furrier, textile, rubber in New and the district to sharpening up the attack against the socialist party and the labor bureaucrats, ex- tendencies. posing and fighting against the Muste group as a menace to the workers and an attempt to isolate 1.00 the Communists in the labor move- proval of the fact that real anti-1.00 Yonkers organization (united front decisive change in this shortcoming, creasing violence to the labor move-1.00 forum), the symposium arranged by the Women's Federation, the endorsement of the statement issued

IV. Party Organization.

The district must fight against

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the improvement in the contents of the shop papers, the increase in membership and the establishment of new units, the building up of the 1.00 authority of the sections, making them more and more the political 1.00 leaders in their territory, the grad-1.00 ual abolition of subsections, the con-1.00 solidation and strengthening of weak units, the shift of the majority of our membership from the residential sections to the factory sections, and the improvement in

the proletarianization of the district. Champion. At the same time it must drow the attention of our Party to definite weaknesses and defects in our or-

(1) Lack of sufficient attention to New Jersey, the home of some of the largest industrial plants, esproletariat, to the big shops and to

heavy industry. (4) The fact that our Party has as yet too little influence among the metal workers, the marine workers, the strategic sections of the proletariat in the present period of war danger, the insufficient number of Negro members in our Party; (5) The high turnover in our Party

2 of the Workers (Communist) tasks before it in the period of the the Paterson strike, in which we of increasing war danger and ploited of the adult workers. wholeheartedly endorses with growing war danger and if the Par- succeeded in winning important sec- sharpening class struggle, it is imny reservations the theses and ty is to accomplish the tremendous tions of the silk workers to our initions of the Sixth World Con- tasks before it and utilize the un- fluence, etc), the strengthening of trict orientate rapidly to the task of the Communist Interna- usual opportunities for the growth the Left wing fractions, etc. It re- of bringing the great bulk of our gards as an immediate task the Party membership into shop nuclei, building up of a strong local center as the most correct and effective The convention approves the work of the Trade Union Educational form of Communist organization. to the industrial Negro. the District Executive Committee League, directs the Communist frac- To this end all units and sections and greets the progress that the tion in the Trade Union Educational of our Party must bend their ener- into the trade unions. lass struggles, leading to an Party has made in this district since League to take initiative at the ear-

as growing ever more favorable for Trade Union Educational League as our comrades are in sufficient num- living under slum conditions, segrebers to form shop nuclei; the in- gated, persecuted, bitterly exploited. 2. The district must take all sistence, under pain of Party disci- The district must raise the issues of al Executive Committee in the increased exploitation in needle, steps to increase decisively the atshoe, textile, building trades, etc., tention of the Party in the district Party members in the factories spread and effective issue against are increasing the fighting spirit to the unorganized industries (sea- where they work; the attachment Jim Crowism, all forms of labor dismen, food, traction, electric, metal of capable comrades to shop nuclei, crimination. It must overcome the n of the unorganized, and the of the workers (as shown by the industries, shoe, textile, etc.). The to give them correct policy and tendency to Right errors (a) work convention approves the activities guidance; the colonization of com- in the churches (Moore); (b) overist social reformism, in taking son strike, the spontaneous strikes of the district in the Paterson strike rades into the large factories, parin shoe, the New Brunswick rubber and its criticism of the work of our ticularly in New Jersey; focusing inism; (c) failure to bring forward gles, etc., and the assistance given local fraction (which, while general- the attention of all existing units sufficiently the face of the Party ly correct, showed hesitation at upon the need of assisting political- in Negro work; (d) the resistance times to take the offensive against ly and materially in the building up to the development of the ANLC. of shop nuclei in nearby factories; 3. At the same time the district effective assistance to shop papers

e District Convention whole- gies to take advantage of this grow- Left wing fractions in the old he functioning of Party fractions edly supports the resolutions ing mood for struggle among the unions, organizationally and ideo- in the trade unions and in the (a) The mass character of the In- R., of increasing the membership, e Central Executive Committee masses. The convention instructs logically. In support of the indus- language fractions must be imne struggle against the Right the District Executive Committee trial union of needle trades just proved. More effective control over stration; (b) The holding of wom- better prepared campaigns, of link-Conciliatory groups in all sec- and all Party organizations to take formed, the Party must concentrate these fractions must be established. stration; (b) The housing of wolf prepared campaigns, of himself these fractions must be established. en's shop delegate conferences; (d) ing the W. I. R. up more closely of the Communist Internationnote of the following accomplishon the organizational and ideological Greater assistance must be given in The activities of the women in class with the shops, and the greater he fight of the Central Comments, shortcomings and errors, it strengthening of the left wing of their work and more rigid discipline struggle activities (miners' strike, mobilization of the entire Party for e of the Communist Party of directs the District Executive Com- the Amalgamated and the Cap and must be established within factories. struggle activities (miners and incommunity factories) textile, needle) and general class the strengthening of the W. I. R. Soviet Union against the Right mittee to take energetic measures Millinery Union fractions and give The fractions in our foreign laner and Conciliatory groups in to correct these shortcomings and its full support to the coming strike guage organizations should lay more the proletarian housewives organ-Party of the Soviet Union, as errors, to sharpen up the fight of the dressmakers called under the emphasis upon carrying forward izations. as in the German Party against against social reformism (the S. P. auspices of the Needle Trades their activities, linking up directly with class struggles.

The building up of strong frac- The convention greets the effections in the building trades, print- live proletarianization which has ing trades is a matter of immediate been accomplished in the leading and decisive moment as the build-committees in the sections. Everying trades stand before big battles thing must be done to assist these tories for the development of womagainst the employers and against committees in the development of en delegate conferences.

> The convention notes the increased anti-imperialist activities (demonstrations, mass meetings, Mella murder, Hoover trip, Colombia strike demonstrations, etc., etc.). It directs attention to the necessity work. of overcoming the shortcomings and

(a) Our anti-imperialist work not yet deep nor wide enough.

the Right errors in our trade union base (connections with trade unions, work (remnants of craft ideology shops, etc.) in the anti-imperialist the part of the Party organization. politicalization of our trade union

(needle trades, suit and bag makers, the general anti-imperialist issues building trades, etc.). The district with the anti-war issues.

committee (proletarianization).

Anti-Militarist Work.

The convention registers disapment, and avoiding such errors as militarist work has not yet been efthe Panken error, the united front fectively started on the part of the with the socialists made by the Party organization, and calls for a

1.00 at Brookwood by some of our com-The District Convention takes activities among Negroes, efforts to note of the definite progress made establish Negro apparatus) but dein the direction of stabilizing the clares that the following shortcom-Party organization, the establishings and errors must be quickly ment of a number of shop nuclei overcome in order that we may fulin important industries, the publica- fill our Communist tasks in the tion of a number of shop papers, mobilization of the Negro masses:

> and developing the Negro workers in the Party.

3. The necessity of the Communist fraction and the ANLC in building up this organization, increasing its membership and improvement of its work.

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members into Negro activities.

6. More attention to Negro work -more attention in drawing in

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9. More organization of Negroes

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The convention greets the activi-

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I. R. and the district to the neces-

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The district records progress in sity for the establishing of a strong

essity of overcoming the following

(a) A decided change in orientation and practical work to the fac-

(b) The more systematic followup of contacts established thru such trebling of the open air meetings.

committees of the district.

the Party apparatus for women's in the proletarian sections. It notes

The convention greets the improvement in the composition in the Still decidedly insufficient connec-(d) The necessity for the improv- members of the YWL (more youth, tion between the work in the shops essity of increasing decisively the ing of the district anti-imperialist more English-speaking and proletar- and trade unions and general poli- sale of Communist literature in the ian), participation of the League in tical activity; (f) Weaknesses in shops and among the Party com-(e) The necessity of fighting gainst the tendencies to put librals into the forefront of fighting maperialism.

strikes, anti-military and mass the establishing of an apparatus for election campaign work; (f) Insufficient consciousness and insufficient forces drawn in election work

The convention directs the incomstrikes, anti-military and mass the establishing of an apparatus for ing in Negro workers as well as sity for still further improvement ing D. E. C. to at once give attenwomen and youth into the struggle in the composition of the League- tion toward the overcoming of these directs also the Party to overcome weaknesses and to preparing the or- 7 East 42nd Street. New York (g) The overcoming of pacifist the still existing underestimation of ganizational and agitational mavouth work in sections of the Party really accomplishing the tasks called Automobile organization, and the necessity for for by the slogan, a League unit | INSTRUCTION TAUGHT. Complete where a Party unit exists.

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Women's Work.

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(c) Proletarianization of women's

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(e) Development of broader prole- in our sections and units in the electarian housewives' organizations, tion campaign and the greater moband overcome such errors as the campaign. At the same time it symposium arranged by the Wom- points to the following weaknesses; (b) Still insufficient proletarian en's Federation in New York—the (a) insufficient day-in and day-out underestimation of women's work on political activities; (b) Insufficient

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District Convention of Dis. stroyed if the Party is to meet the Brunswick, shoe, and particularly membership. In the coming period Negro women who are the most ex- arrests, the increased persecution of chinery for the coming election rades, and in making literature work foreign-born workers (Greco-Caril- campaign. The Party must make a part of all activities of the Party. lo case) and the necessity therefore special efforts to make greater inof broadening out the work of the roads into the proletarian elements I. L. D., building up a stronger who still follow the socialist party, membership body, connecting the I. to exposing the so-called non-parti-L. D. closer with the shops and san policy of the A. F. of L. bu-8. The shifting of the orientation trade unions, the necessity of the reacracy, to fighting Tammany Hall the campaign to stamp out all its entire Party regarding defense work as well as the republican party.

Cooperatives.

10. Concentration of the entire tralization of defense work thru the development of real consumers coit declares that it is necessary that of Trotskyism who persist to build the district exercises very rigid di- a Trotskyist faction in the Party; rection of the work of the Commu- it must increase its struggle against with the following objects:

> duty, relating the district work with members in proportion with Party workers, and that the Party must the national activities, the support members. (b) To prevent the development gle.

of producers' cooperatives in place of real consumers' cooperatives. (c) To prevent the too rapid ex-

pansion of the consumers' coopera-(d) To check the tendency to

go into the cooperatives instead. trict to establish a firm control and York district, make still greater discipline of the Communist frac- headway in the winning of the tion in the cooperatives, to stamp masses of workers for Communism out factionalism as a deadly men- and will establish the New York disace to cooperative enterprises, di- trict as a powerful pillar of support rects the D. E. C. to take all steps for the Leninist line in the Workers to unify the Communist fractions as (Communist) Party of America. well as to establish better and closer working relations with the Left

wing elements in the cooperative or-

The convention welcomes the in- Daily Worker, Press and Literature. tensive efforts that have been made The convention points out that by the district in the last election there has been real support on the campaign, the accomplishments in part of the district and the sections carrying on a mass campaign (1,to the Daily Worker. At the same 000,000 pieces of literature, the time it regards such support as still insufficient. It directs the attenthe greater increase in shop activition of the Party to the necessity of ties, the issuance of shop papers. taking more effective steps to the first revolutionary parade since bringing the Daily Worker closer to the post-war period), which has rethe workers in the shops and trade unions, increasing the financial supthe progress in increasing activity port, linking up the issues of shops and the class struggle with the Daily Worker. This will mean a and the district must fight against ilization of the membership for the greater reflection of the work of the Party in the columns of the Daily Worker; having the Party face shown more to the masses, and the maintenance of a greater revolutionary proletarian spirit in the paper. The convention greets the work; (c) Insufficient taking up of improvement of the Communist tone local issues by the district and by in the paper as well as the various the sections: (d) Insufficient attenmass features of the Daily.

The convention points out the nec-

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Unification of the Party.

For the accomplishment of these tasks the convention again repeats the necessity for the unification of the Party on the Bolshevist line of leave the trade union struggles to the Comintern, and believes that the fulfillment of these tasks will The convention calls upon the dis- still further strengthen the New

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in the needle trades), tendency to league.
capitulate in the face of difficulties (c) Insufficient connecting up of

The convention approves the ac- against the tendencies to put lib-

against imperialism.

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The Cabinet and the Coal Miners.

Whether Stimson or Morrow or any other of the Morgan special deputies receives a cabinet appointment when Wall Street-owned Hoover replaces Wall Street-owned Coolidge on March 4, it is certain that Andrew Mellon, secretary of the treasurer, will retain his post. Servants are hired or pensioned off but Wall Street goes right on. And Mellon is Wall Street

Befouled with splatterings of the oil scandal, which openly smeared the Washington political gang too black for any whitewash to wash white, Mellon has utilized his privileged office to ply the leaders of the old miners union, the United Mine Workers, with every corruption that could induce them first to break last winter's heroic strike of the miners and afterwards to drive still lower the living standards of the coal diggers.

These inducements, which Lewis and his gang were as eager to accept as the Mellon-owned companies were to offer them, have enriched the officialdom of the old union, while wrecking the union and bringing the coal miners of the country to the verge of utter destitution.

And this policy of progressive wage slashing has not ceased and is not scheduled to cease under the new era of Hoover prosperity. While the Mellon interests can give a bribe, while the Lewis officialdom can take one, the old gang in the U. M. W. of A. will continue in Wall Street's service. will continue its drives against the miners' wages and living

But not only wages are being slashed. Hours are being piled on. Deadwork is no longer paid for. The tonnage system is virtually abolished. There are no checkweighmen, no pit committees. Safety conditions are almost non-existent in the mines while the company store bleeds the miner of the last of the pitiable wages which the Mellon interests care to pay for the labor of his body.

And everywhere the blacklist and the spy system permeates the mines.

The one bright spot in the night of boss oppression and almost unparalleled official treachery is the National Miners Union, organized at the April 1 Conference in Pittsburgh last

Born in the thick of the fight that bitter winter, the National Union is still leading the struggle of the miners against each fresh attempt of the coal companies and the traitorous officials of the old union to destroy the coal miners and their standards.

The National Union has done more. It has entered the unorganized fields where the old U. M. W. of A. had never ventured or from which it had withdrawn upon receipt of the proper inducement and left the miners as piteous victims to the rapacity of their boss oppressors. In Kentucky, an unorganized territory, the National Union has already won its first strike in that state. It is building its organization in all parts of the American coal fields.

As never before the miners need this great fighting organization to lead them in their battle against wage cuts and against violations of the living and working conditions of the miners of all kinds.

The National Union can wage its struggle most effectively only if all the militant coal miners are organized under its banners.

Under the banners of the National Miners Union the miners of the entire country must enroll to fight the new era of oppression and persecution which is the actual meaning for them of the advent of Hoover and the Mellon dynasty.

Thousands of Accidents Among Building Workers the Bulgarian toilers, and the loss of the best and many sons of the

brick and glass together to make and orphans.

fall or collapse, scaffolding suddenin order to lessen this appalling toll ly crumbles, rickety ladders give of life. way. The building worker walks on I-beams or planks where a misstep would send him hurtling to probable death stories below. As he works, bricks or debris from above may

Electricians Gassed.

Electrical workers report that coal gas from open salamanders gathers near the ceiling. Working on electrical connections along the ceiling, they are often overcome by gas and fall to the floor, sustaining sponsible for the great loss of life

tics estimates that the number of workers' lives on dangerous jobs reported fatalities-about 10,000-is and that they lobby incessantly in a fraction of the real number, and state and city legislative bodies of the Central Committee of the ceived is given below. We agree that probably 23,000 are killed on against enactment of adequate codes the job each year. Other estimates, or appropriation of sufficient sums made by responsible safety authori- to enforce them. ties, run as high as 35,000 fatalities in all industries.

200,000 Injured.

In New York state alone, more than 1.000 construction workers lose their lives each year, while 20,000 more are injured, according to the American Engineering Standards Committee report in 1928. They esof them union men-lose their lives ada for slavery on farms.

compensation and lost wages. season,

At least a third of all the work- Even the most advanced states make ers killed in industry lose their pitiful contribution to the support ed to give up the struggle. In spite lives in putting steel, cement, stone, of the tens of thousands of widows

A national safety standards com- proletarian battlefield. They fall from dizzy heights while mittee for the building trades swinging structural iron into place, unions, in cooperation with the

No Safety Codes.

cities and non-urban communities for protecting building workers.

Employers are held mainly resevere injuries as well as partial in the industry. The trade union committee states that contractors The U. S. bureau of labor statis- neglect to safeguard adequately

To Help Lure Young British Workers to Canada Farm Slavery

WINNIPEG, Canada (By Mail). cident rate as 10 times greater. announced their readiness to co-This would mean that 10,000 con- operate with the Dominion governstruction workers-more than half ment to bring British boys to Can-

re injured!

The cost of this is estimated at to find themselves thrown out of ada during the harvest season, only some of them will never survive.

Which wished to execute him. True many Hall candidate for president to find themselves thrown out of "3.—In the city of Jliven another enough, one lawyer may be more in the last election, Al Smith, was "Long live Internation."

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1911. The room of the radical heads. With sorrowful voices they are discussing the participation of the franchisement, the relation to the working class movement. High-fallutin' phrases, sentimental avowals. Much smoke, no flame. The chair- Soviet Star light up the Hungarian man declares:

Stormy applause.

the table and asks for the floor. "If the students want to help the fighting Red Army, organizer. workers in the fight, then they must workers will elect their own leaders." iet power.

This small student was Mathias the working class movement.

Mighty International Protest Will Save Great Revolutionist from Hungarian White Terror

years ago has become true. The ished forever from Austria. workers themselves elected their

leaders. They elected Rakosi. Revenge does not stay out of it. students' club is full of young hot- The regime of the "democratic republic" of Hungary imprisoned him and the leading functionaries of the students in the fight for general en- Party. The police do not spare tor- nist International, and becomes sec- Commissar of the Hungarian Red

March, 1919. The red rays of the horizon. Dictatorship of the prole-"Our duty is to help the workers tariat. The energetic, never resting, in the fight with the weapons of wide-awake Rakosi is again at his our spirit. This mass needs a head. post. He becomes the Vice-People's Let them give us the leading role Commissar for Commerce. He is one in the movement and we will do our of the most active and loyal of the Soviet workers and at the same time vice-commissar. Agitator and pro- lice. Fastened with heavy chains, tor-A small, dark student pushes to pagandist, commander of the Red tured, but proud and unbroken. He the crime of attempting to over-Militia, political commissar of the

prove their intentions with deeds. mine of Soviet Hungary, was par- openly: If they immediately demand the tially destroyed by the Czech army, eading role they will get kicked as he organized under the greatest dif- and form the Communist Party." they deserve. Membership in the ficulties new military corps, defendparty organization, participation in ed the front, led the workers on the the daily tasks, distribution of leaf- battlefields, worked himself at coallets and pamphlets, house-to-house loading, until the front of the Red tence threatens me. But under no goes on hunger strike against the agitation, holding meetings, that is Army had been restored. In this circumstances will I deliver my dark cells, isolation, refusal to alour work if we really mean it. The way he aided the saving of the Sov. friends to any of the police of the low letters and visits, against the

Fall, 1919. Interior of the for-In this way began his activity in tress Karlstein near Vienna. Gend- "A Reggel" can be read: armes armed with machine guns

retary of the Comintern. The name Republic." known and respected. He was trust- unbreakable revolutionary. ed with the solving of the most dif-

bility, cleverness was needed, Ra- dered: kosi was in place. September, 1925. Rakosi in the the hands of the executioner. clutches of the bloody Horthy po-When the judge asked why he

When Salgotarjan, the only coal came to Budapest, he answered "To propagate Communist ideas

> On the question of his co-workers. "You can ask me as long as you want. I know that the death senworld. You can hang me, but I will slow, planned murder. say nothing.

November, 1918. The small Ra- from the whole world. That was the goes in the direction of the room of weight and he is ill. kosi is one of the first members of Austrian hospitality for the pursued the vice-police president Hetenyi. In Workers of all lands, you must the Communist Party of Hungary. leaders of the Hungarian proletarian one hand he carries a saber, in the for the second time save the life "Mathi" soon becomes known. He is revolution. other hand he holds a brown thong, of this true revolution agitator." Today Hardly had he been released from at the other end of the thong is a man Only you can do it! other hand he holds a brown thong, of this true revolutionary fighter.

hand likewise holds a broad thong, the other end of which is tied to the foot of the man walking ahead of him. The shoelaces are missing from here, tomorrow there. He travels the prison then Raksoi in the May the shapeless shoes of the imprisoned over the whole land, agitating and Day celebration of 1920 spoke be- man, the collar from his neck, on his forming organizations everywhere. fore the Vienna workers. The po- coal-black head a hat. The group What he said as a student a few lice arrested him and he was ban- remains standing for a while before Hetenyi's room, The chained man suddenly straightens himself, Now comes a period full of proudly holds his head erect, and changes and activity for Rakosi. As an expression of pride comes over delegate of the Hungarian Commu- him. Proud as a peacock he steps nist Party, he takes part in the Sec- through the doorway. His name is ond World Congress of the Commu- Mathias Rakosi, one-time People's of Rakosi becomes internationally That is Mathias Rakosi. A proud,

steps follows the policeman. Behind

him comes a detective, whose right

The hurricane of proletarian pro ficult and responsible problems. test swept through the whole world. Where courage, determination, mo- Tens of millions of workers thun-

"Hands Off Rakois," and the storm swept the axe from The state attorney spoke:

"I charge Mathias Rakosi with is a revolutionary and a Communist. the crime of attempting to the state and the social order."

Mathias Rakosi was sentenced to eight and one-half years prison and all courts of appeal, to the royal court, confirmed the sentence.

January, 1929. Mathias Rakosi

He wins his hunger strike, but In the Budapest bourgeois paper despite the promise of the prison authorities to relieve the discipline, "Early Sunday. At the end of the he is still in danger. He remains in keep watch. Hunger, cold. Cut off corridor appears a policeman and a dark and cold cell. He has lost

days because they gathered at union headquarters for an organizational

"7.—The union clubs have been closed throughout the country and the archives have been confiscated. On Oct. 9 during the raids on the paper 'Edinstvo' all of the manuscripts, even old numbers, were confiscated.

Torture.

"8.—A large number of workers are maltreated and deported from their living quarters for the reason that they are active in the trade unions, as for instance, the agent for our paper in the city of 'Imbol,' Comrade Stoyl Markoff, the secretary of the Bakers' Union, and in Russe, Comrade Yoto Malinoff, the administrator of the paper 'Noviny,' Angel Valeff, the proofreader of the magazine 'Nakovalna,' Christo Ra-

devsky, and others. "9.—The agent of our paper Chirpan, Nicola Raykoff, after suffering inhuman tortures, received deadly blows on his head as a result of which he became insane and died. The same fate has reached Comrade Al. Ahlanlieff, member of the executive of the Shoe Workers' Union in the city of Plovdina.

"10 .- All public, organizational and business meetings are systemuse whips and clubs freely.

Campaign of Terror. "This is only a small part of the many terroristic deeds of the fascist government. But that is not all. The government and bourgeois press is carrying on a campaign preparing public opinion for the outlawry of the I. W. T. U., and to this end the police force is doing everything to produce the needed evidence als against the leading members of

working class and their I. W. T. U. the government has its loyal allies, empty signs named 'Free Unions.'

"Against the mad white terror our unions together with the whole To World Proletariat.

"In this struggle the Bulgarian proletariat depends on the brotherly

"Long live International Workers' "Central Committee of theI.W.T.U." Haywood Elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners; How to Get A Pardon

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In previous chapters Haywood told of his boyhood among th Mormons in Utah; young manhood as miner and cowboy in Nevada mining in Silver City, Idaho; his advance to Executive Board membe of the Western Federation of Miners; his mission into the strike zone of the Coeur d'Alenes, in northern Idaho; back to work at Silve City; he leaves to attend the W. F. M. convention at Denver in 1900 Now go on reading.

By WILLIAM D. HAYWOOD.

PART XXVIII

THE convention was held at Oddfellows Hall on Champa Street Rumors were current that Butte Miners' Union Number 1 had ma some complaint about the finances of the organization. Boyce, mu to the amusement of all the other delegates, put all seven members

the delegation of Number 1 on the auditing committee, which had to audit the books of the year's work. It was a hard job at any time, but that year it was exceptionally so because of the receipts and disbursements in connection with the Coeur d'Alenes strike. The committee was expected to attend all the sessions of the convention, and to do the work on the books in between times. They brought in a satisfactory report, but none of them had any time to junket around Representatives of the American Federation of

Labor were received at this convention. The warden announced their presence, Boyce appointed an escort, and when t silk-hat brigade entered he gave three sharp raps of the gavel. We a stood up until they reached the platform and sat down. Three rap and we sat down. The orators were introduced one after the other One told of the good work that was being done by the Western Feder tion of Miners for the striking teamsters in San Francisco, not on with financial help, but also in that the western mining camps had su cessfully boycotted goods from San Francisco. We were glad to he the teamsters in their strike, but many of us, I know, were thinking about what the American of Labor executive board had not done f us in like circumstances.

When the speaking was finished, three raps of the gavel and stood as the trade unionists filed out. They had received an attenti hearing. Not a word had been spoken except from the platform, not murmur of applause, no vote of thanks. When the door closed, smil spread over the faces of the delegates, and many of them burst o laughing. Then we quieted down to the business of the day.

At this convention Boyce asked me if I would be candidate for t office of secretary-treasurer. James Maher was going to quit, as had been elected treasurer of Silver Bow county, Montana. I told hi that I appreciated his suggestion but I was afraid that I would not capable of filling the job. He said:

"I've been watching your work, and I would not have asked y I didn't know that you were able." "Well," I said, "if I'm elected, I'll do the best I can."

I told Johnson and Williams, the delegates from Silver City, th was going to run for the office of secretary-treasurer. They e couraged me by saying they feet sure I would be equal to it, althou it was a big job. I was elected.

The convention decided to move the headquarters of the W. F. from Butte, Montana, to Denver, Colorado, which was considered more central location for the mining industry. There were at that tir thousands of unorganized men in the iron and copper regions of Minr sota and Michigan. Then there were the smelters of Kansas and t lead mines of Missouri, which we were going to try to organize.

After the convention adjourned, Ed Boyce, Dave Coates and I we sitting in a restaurant, discussing the situation in Idaho while we a Boyce remarked that the board of pardons was going to meet there ve soon, and if I were there I might be able to do something to help secure a pardon for Paul Corcoran. He added, "You'll want to move yo family here right away; why not do both things on one trip? you leave tonight?" I replied, "I have only to pack my grip."

He asked Coates what time the trains left. Dave went to call and inquire. Boyce said to me:

"Now Bill, take the check book with you and draw for any amou if there is any chance for money to do any good. From Boise go Silver City and get your family, and you can be back in a couple

Coates returned from the telephone and told us the time a tra left that night, and that he had engaged a sleeper for me. "That's fine," I said, "I'm off."

Shaking hands, they both wished me the best of good luck. I we to the hotel, packed and got to the depot in time to catch the train f

When I got to Boise, I met Tom Heney and John Kelly. Kelly h been elected member of the executive board in my place. They we both working in behalf of Paul Corcoran. Henry had petitions sign by nine of the jurymen who had convicted Corcoran. The other thr jurors had left the state. "But there's a more serious situation confronting us," he sai

Lewiston Tribune. If we could put five hundred dollars in the han of the editor for advertising or subscriptions, he thinks it would st any criticism that they might feel inclined to make." The following day, the fourth of July, I went to the penitentia: a mile or so from Boise. The forbidding looking buildings were st rounded by a high wall with a tower on each corner. Over the ga

Frank Martin, the state attorney, is balking. He's afraid of t

was a sign, "admission twenty-five cents." I told the warden who was and that I wanted to see Paul Corcoran. He said, "This isn't regular visiting day, but it's all right, anyway," and sent for Paul. When Corcoran came in and I introduced myself, he was delighted

He was a fine looking man with a high forehead, a dark mustache, a clear, gray eyes. The year in confinement had already given him t prison pallor. He was working in the shoe shop. We sat down alor side each other at the table in the warden's office. The warden we out and there was no surveillance of any kind.

I spent most of the day with him. He knew that John Williams a had been to see his wife and babies. He was deeply interested what had occurred at the convention, and in every thing about t organization. I told him that I had come to meet with the board pardons and that I already had arranged to see Governor Hunt t next day. "Don't stake too much on it but we are going to do o damnedest!" I said. Then I bid Paul good-by. When I left a looked back at those somber buildings with their bars and shadow I had no premonition of the circumstances that were to make me bett acquainted with their gloomy interior.

The next day I met Governor Hunt in his private office. greeted me cordially and in the course of our long talk he said th penitentiaries were not built for men like Paul Corcoran.'

"You haven't seen Jules Bassett?" he asked. The board of parde consisted of Bassett, Frank Martin, and the Governor. When I to him that I had not, he said, "You won't have to see him. Bassett is right. But I can't understand Frank Martin." I suggested that might be afraid of adverse criticism. The governor remarked that the were some things worse than adverse criticism.

When I saw Heney and Kelly I repeated what the governor l said about Corcoran and the remark he had made about Jules Bass and Martin. I told them that I felt that Corcoran would be parder if nothing unforeseen occurred, if not at this meeting of the boa

In the next instalment Haywood writes of his talking charge Secretary-Treasurer of the W. F. M .: his work with Ed Boyce; t beginnings of the struggle of the W. F. M. against the smelle owners; the 1901 convention of the union

Bulgar Fascist Terror Against Workers Grows

workers in their fight against the white terror, is contained in a message received by the Bulgarian Bureau of the Workers (Communist) Party from the Independent Workers' Trade Unions of Bulgaria. The message follows:

"Dear Comrades: The five years of indescribable terror, which the Bulgarian government exercises over the Bulgarian toilers, and the loss working class who were sacrificed, could not conquer the rebellious spirit, could not compel the exploitof all, the Bulgarian labor movement stands solid at its post of the world's

Part of Anti-Soviet Bloc. "Lately, and especially after the rock and sand crush them in 100- Workers Health Bureau, has pre- signing of the loan from the imfoot excavations, hoists and derricks pared a safety code for the industry, perialist states, the Bulgarian government, to fulfill the will of the imperialists, undertook a new campaign of destruction against the As it is, 27 states have no safety working class and in particular codes whatever and in 14 others only against the Independent Workers' incomplete provision is made in the Trade Unions. The purpose of this labor laws for protection against fascist campaign is to make smoked dial invitation to all workers who revolutionary protest where another hazards. Most cities have incomplete meat out of the Bulgarian workers or poorly drawn codes while smaller for the coming war against the Soviet Union, in which it has been often have no provision whatsoever prepared to make Bulgaria a mili- pressed or inspired by him to strug- lows: tary base for the imperialists against

the Soviet Republics. "As illustration, we will mention here only a few facts in regard to swept throughout our country.

Z. Z. Z. Law. "1.-A month ago two members and indicted under the Z. Z. Z. law hatred the writer of the letter holds (law for the defense of the state)

been arrested with them under the Sacco and Vanzetti. same Z. Z. Z. law as members and In spite of the drama of court- of Boston as free men.—J. F. C."

An appeal to the proletariat of the world to rally to the Bulgarian Workers Stand Solid; Bulgaria To Be Military meeting. Base Against the U.S.S.R.

because they are members of the 'Rabotnichesko Delo' was confiscated legal Young Workers League. Censorship.

even in the emergency 'law for the able to continue publication. protection of the state.' The ban lasts from seven to eight days. Very in the provincial towns and villages. reasons. All labor papers are subjected to

the same conditions.

three times in succession, and 'Mladejka Duma' eight times. The inde-"4.-The official organ of our pendent daily 'Noviny' after the arunions 'Edinstvo' is under censure, rest of its chief editor and endless although such an act is not foreseen raids and confiscations, is now un-

"5.—The editor of our paper, Comoften the paper is confiscated, even rade Assen Boyadjieff, served two when it passes the double censor of and one half months in jail under the police and the attorney-general the Z. Z. Z. for articles. At present in Sofia and it is again confiscated he is again indicted for the same

"6 .- On October 22 in the city of Russe twenty-eight shoe workers "The organ of the Workers Party were arrested and kept in jail 10

Worker Remembers Haywood Since Old Frame-up Trial

The Daily Worker extends a cor- | check mass protest, to "soft-pedal" knew Bill Haywood, who met him in lobor structured by the But that is not the decisive factor. in labor struggles and were im- However, we give the letter as folgle against the employing class, to write us letters bearing on those events which are now history and when Gooding was reiling was reilin the vicious terror which has lately which should be treasured by the cloak of governor trying to get a present and future generations of rope around Bill Haywood's neck as American workers.

One of the letters we have re- zetti.

\$300,000,000 to \$400,000,000 a year work and stranded at the end of the terroristic process was carried on able than another, and this may evidence quite contrary to any idea compensation and lost wages. season, season, season, "Central C

"The first time I saw and heard when Gooding was sailing under the

of them is not stated) who defended capitalist-minded lawyer, these men

the murderer, Governor Fuller, succeeded in doing with Sacco and Van-"But, thanks to Clarence Darrow. I. W. T. U., Jordan Milleff and with the healthy working class he was snatched from the murder through forgeries and awful repris-

organizers of the Communist Party. rooms and the eloquence, or lack of We think that if J. F. C. had of the working class are carrying -The provincial governments of The fascist police in order to pro- it, of lawyers, the main fight is out- thought the matter over a bit, he on a life and death struggle. timate the national construction ac- Manitoba and Saskatchewan have duce the necessary evidence and con- side the courtroom. At a part of might have seen that there are more fessions, are resorting to unimagin-the general class struggle, a labor than one kind of capitalist-minded able means of torture as: beating trial is decided by the relation of lawyers. Darrow's eloquence in the workers until blood runs from class forces. Haywood, himself, Haywood's and other labor trials help of the international proletariat their bodies, and then throwing them credits the victory in his case to the aroused many workers to a general and is convinced that our class

for the Goodings and the Fullers as Haywood addressed a great crowd In prison they are under a constant- assassins of labor leaders, but we of at least 10,000 workingmen. There ly violent regime and the most bru-differ on the question of the relative I first saw and heard him. And I tal treatment which ruins their merits of Darrow as Haywood's bet that if Sacco and Vanzetti had lawyer and the lawyer (which one had Clarence Darrow instead of a the social-democratic party and their

each year, or die from injuries sus-tained while working. And 200,000 British workers into underground, damp cells. Con-fighting spirit of protest on a wide hostility to capitalism, but his en-have been lured to slavery in Can-sequently their health is ruined and mass scale that menaced the class