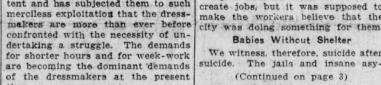


that graft can be ended without putting an end to capitalism. It is, moreover, an insult to workers' intelligence to hear a leader of the 'socialist" party condemning the other capitalist parties for being "true to few hundred got work for a few days the traditions" of capitalism.

If we look at England, where the "socialist" party controls the government in the interest of capitalism, we see that it is "true to the traditions" claims a leaflet issued by the Com-of capitalism. It cuts wages in Lancashire textile mills. It massacres munist Party of Detroit, exposing Indians and sends warships to loot China and Egypt in the best Tory capitalist style. In Germany the "socialists" have been the bulwark of capitalism against the workers, as "true to the traditions" of capitalism as the

same thing was done. Result? Over 35,000 workers applied for jobs; a at cut wages.

"We cannot live on promises! ex munist Party of Detroit, exposing Murphy's fake program. "They want to 'investigate,'" the leaflet goes on to point out to the workers. "Can Can your the preparations for the dress strike Forty delegates from different workinvestigations? eat



Conference. The conference started

at 11 a. m., with Joe Carr, one of the

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.-Secretary Wilbur, Hoover's secretary of the interior, whose function is to cover *"VOTE COMMUNIST"* up the \$40,000,000,000 shale oil land graft, while appealing for an "in-PLEDGE UNEMPLOYED vestigation," already resorts to the YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Oct. 1 .--

operations from 65 per cent to 40 per old trick of branding Ralph S. cent-more unemployed. Kelly's proof as "reckless and false." Kelly, former chief of field division

29, with every indication of a further The newspapers here announce intensification of the terror. Occurthat the Sheet & Tube Co. will cut ring within a week of each other, production another 5 per cent. A decline of 5 per cent in this largest these three Georgia lynchings are clearly designed to create a lynching mill in Youngstown will throw addiatmosphere for the trial of the six Atlanta "insurrection" defendants, tional hundreds out of work. The Sharon Steel Hoop Co. will cut its which is scheduled for this week in Atlanta, Ga., as well as to terrorize the Negro workers into working for nothing, since any demand for wages is instantly met with a lynching mob.

In the meantime, workers through

being held in hundreds of centers

throughout the country, with the In-

We could go on, but the workers will understand that all the "attacks" family satisfy their hunger with in- on a mass scale.

of the fake "socialist" party are not aimed at destroying capitalism, but in protecting it by pretensions that it can be "purified." There is but one bread! What you need is work! party against capitalism-the Communist Party. Vote Communist! "Murphy's program is a program of charity. The committee did not

## Breaking Up the Home

COMMUNISTS are frequently charged with the desire to break up the C home. But figures just made public by the census bureau show that the American bosses require no help. Two million additional women and girls have been drawn into offices, stores and factories during the past ten years. In 1920, 8,202,901 women and girls were so employed. Now the number is in excess of 10,000,000. In other words, according to these figures, over one-quarter of all American women and girls between the ages of 16 and 64 (!) are engaged in occupations outside the home.

But these figures are admittedly deficient. They do not include the thousands of housewives who are compelled to take in sewing or do other part-time work to supplement the family income. These figures fail to differentiate between the wives and daughters of workers and those of the capitalist parasites. Actually wage cuts, unemployment and speed-up in the factories, with the resulting impoverishment of the workers, have forced the great majority of the wives and daughters of workers into stores, offices, factories and domestic service in an effort to keep the wolf away from the family door. The present crisis is accelerating that process

These women workers are exploited even more ruthlessly then the men While during the more prosperous periods for which figures are available the average wage for men ranged from \$23.00 to \$25.00 per week (includ-ing, of course, the highly skilled workers), for women the figures ranged from \$12.00 to \$15.00 per week. Negro women and girls in the South averaged only from \$4.00 to \$6.00. It is also necessary to note that it is the highly rationalized industries (radio, electrical equipment, shoe, auto etc.), where the speed-up is most killing, that are now replacing men with

THE WOMAN WORKER, the fighting woman's paper, must be circulated widely among these women workers. They must be drawn into the revolutionary trade unions and into the Communist Party. They are new proletarian allies who will aid the working class in its anti-capitalist fight.

MORE MACHINES AND

SPEED-UP KILL MEN

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 1. -

Serious industrial accidents measured

in relation to hours of employment

are steadily increasing, according to

the statement of W. O. Stack, presi-

dent of the International Association

of Industrial Accident Boards. In an

address before his association. Dr. Stack' stated that there were 23,000

industrial deaths and 3,125,000 non-fatal accidents in the United States

Stack reported that while tempor stack reported that while tempor-ary injuries have decreased in recent years fatalities and permanent in-juries have increased. He listed as possible causes of this alarming

tion of industry, the unemployment

situation and concentration on mino

hazards to the neglect of major ones

IF JOB HUNT MADDENS YOU

MONROE. La., Oct. 1.-Beater

with a three-inch strap by a keeper,

Insane, was found critically injured

body was a mass of bruises and clotted blood. He was found in a little room which apparently had not been cleaned in months.

ondition

the increased mechaniza-

## **FASCISTS GET** POSTS IN NEW **AUSTRIA GOV**<sup>\*</sup>

VIENNA. Oct. 1 .- The newlyformed "minority cabinet" here of in 1929. Schober and Vaugoin, is the preparation for an open fascist dictatorship here. The Heimwher, the Austrian fascist army, for the first time is directly represented in the government. Elections are set for November 9, but the fascists are rapidly

consolidating their forces, and utilizing the aid given them by the Scho-ber-Vaugoin cabinet are becoming more open in their attacks on the W. L. Cleveland, inmate of the Central Louisiana Hospital for the workers.

"minority cabinet" with its fascist support, intends to follow the policy of the Bruening Government of Germany and rush through anti-he went to visit him. The man's of Germany and rush through anti-working class legislation. The Austrian Socialist, by all its action, is aiding the development of a fascist dictatorship in Austria.

The Union will also call upon the Unemployed Councils, A. N. C. L. active dressmakers to come to this branches, Language Benefit Organmeeting of the Shop Delegates' Coun-

time.

cil to listen in and familiarize themmention a single word about taxing selves. **Prepare Strike** 

Struggle Near

The members of the Shop Dele-

gates' Council will be called upon to

thoroughly discuss the dress situa-

tion and the proposed demands, and

also concrete measures to develop

the rich (whom Murphy consulted). Beginning with the coming week. who made fortunes out of your sweat the entire machinery of the Industrial and blood. Murphy promised bread -demand it! Murphy promised relief-fight for it! Reject charitydemand immediate unemployment relief from the city. Vote Communist



in the State and Congressional elections! For a workers and poor farmgovernment!"

**OPENS TODAY** 

Textile Union Pledges Sup-

port; Calls Workers to Aid

gala opening of what all signs indi-

cate will be one of the greatest af-

October 5.

#### Atlanta prisoners, opening the con-Union will be directed mainly toward ference by a short address. the preparation for the dress strike. Comrade Bimbow, a young Negro Special shop meetings, building meetworker, was elected chairman. ings and street meetings will be disccussion followed the report by. called for this purpose. Special dress Jack Karson for the section. strike leaflets and bulletins will be issued. Open-air meetings will be

The conference recognized the fail-ure to get delegates from locals of held in every section regularly for the A. F. of L., and more mass orthe preparation of the strike. Conganizations, and disccussed plans to ferences and mass meetings are reach those workers. Plans for orscheduled to take place for the mobilization of the dressmakers. All the on the basis of fight against evicforces of the Union will be thrown tions of unemployed, for immediate in for the building up of shop comrelief of unemployed and for the mittees and contacts in open shops, Unemployment Insurance Bill, were Which is just a more glib way of and prepare for strike. as well as company union shops, laid out.

ing class organizations, including of the General Land Office at Denver. published facts showing that the Standard Oil Co. and the Sinclair Oil izations, Negro Clubs, I. L. D., Com-Co. were given a \$40,000,000,000 munist Party and Y. L. C., repre-'present" by the Hoover administrasented their organizations yesterday tion. at the September 28th Unemployed

Immediately Wilbur and Hoover tried to cover up this wholesale graft. which topped the Teapot Dome scan-

dal of the Harding robbers. While Wilbur called Kelly's statement "reckless and false," another good supporter of the Hoover regime, Senator Nye, chairman of the Public Lands Committee, in a letter to Kelly greeted him in quite a different tone. He wrote: "However, you have been ers realize that only the revolutionso long in the service and your repureach those workers. Plans for or-ganizing more unemployed councils so fine that I feel in duty bound to The Metal Workers' Inrequest you to furnish me with as much detailed accounting of wrongdoing as you may be able to afford.' glossing over the \$40,000,000,000 steal.

STRIKE SENTIMENT IN out the country are rallying to the YOUNGSTOWN INCREASES Anti-Lynching Week designated by the American Negro Labor Congress YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Oct. 1 .-- A for the week of September 27 to Oc-

strong sentiment for strike is de- tober 5. Protest mass meetings are veloping amongst the steel workers of Youngstown.

ternational Labor Defense and other A general wage cut is expected in class struggle organizations co-op. the Youngstown Sheet & Tube, and erating in the mobilization of the enthe workers are determined to fight tire working class for the struggle it. In the discussion among the steel against the bosses and their lynching workers one can hear: "The reds are going to lead this strike." The work-

ary unions are able to fight against The Metal Workers' Industrial League issued a leaflet calling upon the workers to immediately set up mill committees, raise a strike fund,

On November 4 the workers will have the opportunity of delivering a smashing blow to the capitalist sys tem, which breeds race hatred and lynching, unemployment, wage cuts, speed-up, imperialists' wars, etc. Workers who are opposed to lynching and the starvation policy of the

bosses in throwing millions of work-The bosses arrested two comrades, ers on the streets to starve will vote against the bosses and their parties Kafkaleff and Joseph O'Dell, for disby voting for the only working class tributing the leaflets. The workers party, the Communist Party. vere eager to get this leaflet, in many instances asking for a bunch of them

so they could distribute such in the Land Stock Sale to mills. The M. W. I. L. must immediately Labor; "Can't Control"

step on the gas. More leaflets, more gate meetings for organizing mill NEW YORK .--- Employe stock purcommittees will be undertaken. The hase plans are recommended to Sheet & Tube workers need leaderbosses by the National Industrial 1907 and 1893, in the fall there was a seasonal upturn in ship and organization, which con and Conference Board as "an equitable The must be given to them by the M. W. but less expensive substitute" for old

Alabama Mine Cuts

age pensions and insurance. Reas-Knowing that the strike is being suringly the board states that the prepared, the bosses are planning to spread of these plans has brought no import scabs. They are opening tendency toward workers' control of restaurants in the mills, bringing in the business. In 1927, it reports, there cots, and replenishing their machine were more than 800,000 employe guns and ammunition stockholders in 315 companies, and

the market value of their holdings was over a billion, but this was only 41/2 % of the total outstanding stock in those companies.

Wages Another Tenth BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 1 .- The BUILD JOBLESS COUNCIL Bankhead mine near Jasper, Ala., has

The Unemployed Council of Boston cut wages 10%. The old rate was which holds a meeting every day ex-\$3.35 for nine hours. The mine has cept Saturday and Sunday, has been working two and three days a already held four meetings which week for several months. At Hull, have been very successful, securing Ala., miners work 10 hours for \$2.

near Warrier are working one day a seven new members. Two of these on the bosses that the workers intend to back it up by there, but has been a soup kitchen are Negroes. The workers have pledged themselves to carry on this This would indicate that the drop from last August is now only 33 points. But last August the crisis was entire rotten system of capitalism. cept food.

WORKERS! REMEMBER THIS NOV. 4! As the election draws near, facts begin to pour in to | already under way, and hence the drop from "normal"

prove that the economic crisis, with all its increased is much greater. unemployment, bitter misery for the workers, enters NEW YORK .- Tens of thousands One of the best indexes of the development of the crisis well into its second year with the future blacker than is freight loadings. Even during crisis years, such as 1921,

of workers are preparing to invade Madison Suare Garden for the Daily ever. Worker - Morning Freiheit Bazaar,

When the millions of workers go to the polls in Nowhich opens today at one o'clock and vember with the three boss parties (Republican, Demowill continue until Sunday midnight, crat and Socialist) enticing their votes here are some facts they should remember: Everything is in readiness for

"At the levels touched during July and August," the October 1st issue of the National City Bank Bulletin informs us. "composite indexes of business equaled prac-

tically the bottom levels of 1921." What the Daily fairs ever staged and supported by Worker pointed out two months ago is now grudgingly militant workers. Hundreds of workconfirmed by the National City Bank, namely "that it ing class organizations have gone on must be admitted that the showing for fall so far has record as supporting the Red Press not been very encouraging."

Bazaar and its purpose of raising funds to support the Communist Hoover told the workers last year there was no crisis. Then he said it wasn't a bad crisis. Now the bankers Press and make of it an ever more tell us that it is just as bad as 1921, when 10,000.000 effective wer oon against the attacks on the working class by the Fish were out of jobs. This winter 1921 will be like a "pros-perity" period in comparison with the conditions the workers will have to face and fight against. committee and other enemies of the

workers. Over 48 booths have been set up by hide the extent of the severity of the present sharp downward turn in the crisis. For instance, the Guaranty various organizations, and a huge assortment of articles will give work-ers an unequalled opportunity of eco-business index stands at 73.0 per cent. of normal, as ers an unequalled opportunity of economic buying. Workers can go to the compared with 75.9 for July and 106.3 for August, 1929. will mobilize in every shop to demand unemployment inbazaar direct from work and eat the This would indicate that the drop from last August, 1929, tasty meals that will be served them, now only 33 points. But last August is

All of the boss economists are resorting to a trick to fight against it.



31 members that are dues-paying The Neitona and Beltona mines members. At today's meeting we got

ance.

A vote for the boss parties is a vote to allow the bosses to transfer the yoke of the crisis onto the necks of the workers. It is a vote of confidence in capitalism, and its action and their brazenness in wage cutting.

car loadings. This time things are the reverse.

"The revised index of freight car loadings (for the

week ended September 20) consequently shows one of the sharpest weekly dcclines registered thus far this yar, the figure for the week ended September 20 being

81.7, as compared with 84.8 for the week ended September

These are facts that the boss politicians are silent

13, and 100.3 for the week ended September 21, 1929."

New York Times informs us:

about in their election tripe

system of exploitation. It strengthens the capitalist re-A vote for Communism is a vote against the capitalist system, which is the cause of crisis and all the misery it brings in its train for the workers. Capitalism can never

ultimately do away its contradictions nor the crises that grow out of them. Any upturn that may come about will be squeezed out of the workers' hides, unless they

Voting Communist is not enough, though vitally neces-

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DAILY WORKER, NEW YORK, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1930

# AROUSE THE WORKERS IN THE SHOPS

To Vote Against Wage Cuts! Vote for the Communist Party Candidates! Carry the Election Campaign of the Communists and the Demands of the Workers Into Every Shop!

## **300 Students In Armed Clash** With Bloody Machado's Cops; **Mass Unrest Growing in Cuba**

American Imperialists Prop Up Cuban Terror Regime; Uprising Threatens

of the National University and Machado's police yesterday, in which twelve students and police were wounded. Two students were re-ported fatally injured. Police used rifles, knives and the barbaric garrot. Over 300 students, among whom were some Communists, marched

from Aguirre Park, waving banner and firing in the air with shouts o "Down with Machado!" The police who attempted to prevent the demonstration, were given orders to "shoot to kill!" and fired a volley at the students. The students returned the

seething unrest which grips Cuba. day: Cuba is in the throes of the worst "T crisis in its history. The working mob violence against the Negro has masses are literally starving to reached the astounding figure of 29 death. Machado, the bloody execu-tioner of revolutionary workers, 's year as compared with eleven for the being propped up in his tottering power by U. S. imperialism, and "To effectively combat the lynching

directly by its agent ambassador, Guggenheim, of the copper trust family. Hundreds of arrests have been anti-lynching movement and has se

made of revolutionary working class leaders. Machado recently murdered as anti-lynching week as the begin-Chinese Communist. Nationalist opposition to against the bosses' lynch terror. Durbourgeois friends of American imperialism have appealed to Washing-

ton to intervene under the Platt amendment, to insure "fair elections. Former close associates of Machade, Zaya and Menocal, both forner presidents, and good tools of the National City Bank of New York. which holds most of the \$1,500,000,-000 U. S. capital invested in Cuba, have taken an "opposition" stand to Machado, and demand the revision of the election laws to permit them

to get a hand in the pie. While the Nationalist have been threatening "revolt." they have been staving off any action for fear of a genuine mass uprising that might result, and sweep them into the ash can along with Machado. Instead, they dilly dally with "liberal' senators in Washington, appealing for U. S. intervention to prevent a real uprising of the masses, under the lead-ership of the Communists. The lower functionaries among the Nationalists are threatening an uprising in the event the big shots don't act. 111th street. Lexington avenue: 86th and 99th streets. Park avenue: 103rd street. Second avenue: 106th street.



# HAVANA, Oct. 1. - Open street CALLS FOR FIGHT **ON LYNCHING**

## **30 Meetings Called by ANLC** for Anti-Lynching Week

The New York District Committe of the American Negro Labor Con-This clash is symtomatic of the gress issued the following release to

"The new wave of lynchings and

which is led by petty- ing this week it will carry on a vigorous campaign against lynching discrimination and segregation in the open air and shop gate meetings, cul-minating in mass anti-lynching demonstrations in Harlem on Saturday night, Oct. 4.

"Over thirty meetings have been arranged for that night and two cen-tral demonstrations will take place, one on 146th street and Seventh avenue, the other on 110th street and Fifth avenue.

"The meetings will take place on the following corners: Lenox avenue: 114th. 126th, 128th, 130th, 132nd, 134th, 138th, 140th, 142nd and 144th streets. Seventh avenue: 117th, 122nd, 126th, 128th, 132nd, 134th, 137th, 140th, 142nd, 244th and 145th streets. Fifth avenue: 113th and 125th streets. Amsterdam avenue: 125th and 145th streets. Eighth avenue: 124th and 150th streets. Bradhurst avenue, 144th street. St. Nicholas avenue: street. Second avenue: 106th street. "These meetings will start at 7:30

sharp and last until 8:30. The central demonstrations will begin at 8:45. "All workers and workers' organi-

zations are urged to participate in these demonstrations with their banners and signs and express their sol-idarity in the joint struggle against the whole vicious system of lynch-ing and race discrimination."

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## Millionaire "Socialist" Leader Hillguit Revealed As Lawyer of Crook Gang

Feels Communist Vote in Germany Is "Serious"; Vote Communist! Make It "Serious" Here!

Morris Hillquit, shareholder of Burns Coal Trust and Wall Street gambler, was given publicity in the capitalist press on returning from his summer vacation in Europe. The chairman of the "socialist" party was quoted as saying that conditions in Germany are "serious."

\$100 or for no fee at all, was given an expert and thorough beating. He recovered eventually and returned to his shop. A week later Mr. Ellinger called at The capitalist press, which is showering publicity upon the heads of the "socialist" leaders and candi-dates, has, however, failed to menhis office and shot him. Un-fortunately, Mr. Ellinger's aim tion the interesting fact that Morris fortunately, Mr. Ellinger's aim was as poor as his persuasive powers; Mr. Okonowitz lived, went on the witness stand, and, single-handed, sent Mr. Ellinger to Sing Sing in spite of the fact that while the case was being appealed Mr. Ellinger collected thousands of dollars from paint-are and class setters all over the Hillquit has acted as lawyer for an underworld racketeer and murderer. Morris Hillquit, known as a lawyer various capitalist corporations bank director, lawyer for the Newark Fur Rabbit Dressing Manufacturers speculator-de-luxe, has added a new laurel to his name. Couldn't Hide Morris

Courtenay Terrett in his recently published book, "Only Saps Work," which is prefaced by Broun's cam-paign manager, Morris L. Ernst, is trying hard to shield the "socialist leaders of the company unions in the needle trades and the leaders of the American Federation of Labor. He has failed, however, to omit the name of Morris Hillquit in his chapter dealing with the racketeering in the

**DRESS STRIKE** 

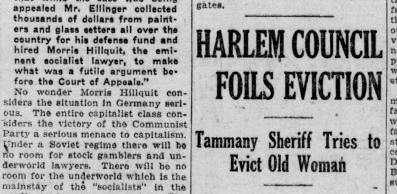
**REVOLT GROWS** 

laziers' trade "In the matter of the glaziers' trade," Mr. Terrett writes on page 107 of his book, "there hapneedle trades company union. The pens to be some slight public

## Labor Sports Union Convention Nov. 2; Form Union Clubs NEW YORK, Oct. 1.-The Eastern District of the Labor Sports Union of America is calling a district con-

vention for November 2, 1930, to take place at the headquarters of the Harem Progressive A. C. on 1492 Madison avenue, at 11 a.m. Some of the L.S.U. clubs in this district have already sent in their credentials from dom. This time Morris Green and a club in one of the Y. M. H. A. cen- Lewis E. Gensler are presenting him Theatre Guild Acquires New ers, and from a community house in

Harlem. The Eastern District has set itself the task of organizing L.S.U. opposition groups in some of the bosses' sport organizations, such as the Y's and the community houses, and of building some factory and trade union sport clubs before its convention. The Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union has made some beginnings in the organization of an L.S.U. Clothing Workers' Athletic Club. The Food Workers' Industrial Union has also started to do some work. Besides delegats from the L.S.U. soccer clubs of last year, the new clubs which came to the L.S.U. as a result of a struggle in the United States Football Association are also sending dele-



NEW YORK, Oct. 1 .- An eviction

Joe Cook is with us once again fter his long sojourn in "Rain or hing for many, especialy Joe Cook fans, for many evenings and matinees after his long sojourn in "Rain or Shine" and a flier through movieto come

DANDY" AT THE ERLANGER MEETS SAT. NITE

in a thoroughly Cookian offering en-Play, "The Party" titled "Fine and Dandy," with the The Theatre Guild has acquired book by Donald Ogden Stewart. Kay Swift has contributed the music. American plays which it has ac-quired during the present year. The new play is a comedy and is a satire on American business life. Paul James, the lyrics, but it is the master mountebank hand of Joe Cook himself that supplies the non-Miss Powell is also known as a nov-elist and her new book, "Dance are taking place every night during this week, which has been set aside sensical episodes here, there and everywhere from curtain to curtain. The evening's divertissement is first Joe Cook, then Joe Cook and rar and Rinehart.

inaly Joe Cook, with other charac-ters thrown in for good measure, a good chorus and music that serves its purpose without being outstand-Mary Blair, following a short vacation, has returned to the cast of 'Lysistrata," the Aristophanes play at the Forty-second Street Theatre. Charles Coburn, well known artist, The plot-yes, there seems to be a -something about goings on in has taken up the role of the grafting senator formerly played by Sidney Greenstreet.

the Fordyce Drop Forge and Tool factory and a side trip here and there. What matters it, if only vari-ous and divers opportunities are pro-Ann Pennington will introduce her new act with the Mound City Blue vided for Cook's special brand of nonsense, and in this show such op-portunities are provided liberally, with hardly a dull moment when the Blowers at the 58th Street Theatre today. This is Miss Pennington's

COMRADE will share 3-room apartment in Co-operative with comrades, 2800 Brom Park East, Apt. F52; come mornings.

Terror NEW YORK .- The American Ne-

42 ANTI-LYNCH

gro Labor Congress, the Harlem sec-Dawn Powell's play, "The Party," tion of the New York district, is thus adding further to the number of holding forty anti-lynching meetings by the National Office of the ANLC

as a special anti-lynching week. The meetings are being held for the purpose of organizing Negro and white workers to smash lynching and to demand the immediate acquittal of the Atlanta defendants.

The Young Liberators, the affiliated youth section of the American Negro Labor Congress, is holding a dance after the meetings to raise funds for their struggle against lynching. The dance takes place at 308 Lenox avenue. All workers are welcome.

A place with atmosphere where all radicals meet

102 E. 12th St. New York



NEWARK, N. J .- "Train the guns on the capitalist candidates," is the slogan of the Communist Election Campaign Committee of New Jersey Fish Committee Is Told of State, with headquarters at 93 Mercer street, Newark, N. J. Morrow, o the house of Morgan, Republican can didate, as well as the candidates of the other two capitalist parties, Dem-ocratic and Socialist, will be exposed before the workers. Richard B. Moore,

well known Negro Communist speaker, candidate for Attorney-General of New York State on the Communist ticket, will be one of the speakers in a state-wide tour, which was begun yesterday, October 1, with a mass meeting at Trenton, N. J.

Today a meeting for the Communist campaign will be held in Perth Amboy, N. J., at 308 Elmestreet. Speakers will be Moore, Graham, Sepesy, and Marks.

Friday, October 3, Werkers' Center, Mercer street, Newark, N. J. Speakers: Graham, Fliani, Levine and Marks, chairman.

Saturday, October 4, Union Hall, 205 Paterson street, Paterson, N. J. Speakers: Fliani, Myerscough, Marks and Vafiades, chairman.

Sunday afternoon, 3 p. m., Oddfel-lows' Hall, 1st and High street, Hackensack, N. J. Speakers: Vafiades, Myerscough, Marks and I. Roper, chairman.

## Labor and Fraternal

A MEETING OF WORKERS INTER-ented in workers' photography will be held Thursday at 6:30 P. M. at the local online or the Workers' International Relief, 10 East 17th street. The question of international workers' photographic exhibition to be held soon in New Tork City will be taken up and acted upon.

SACCO-VANZETTI BRANCH. I. J. D.-A general meeting will be held Wednesday, 8:30 P. M., at 1472 Boston rad.

W.I.E. WORBERS SCHOOL OF MUSIC AND DANCE For workers and workers' children, is new taking registrations. Classes open on Octo-ter 15. Register at the following branches of the W.J.R.:-10 E. 17 Street, 1500 Seventh Avenue, Bronx Co-operative, 2500 Bronx Park Eust.

SPECIAL MEETING PRINTING WORK-ERS' INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE Has been postponed. Comrades will be notified of next meeting date by mdil.

ANTI-RELIGIOUS AFFAIR TONIGHT Toung Detenders will discuss religion with a and calke-admission free-tonight at clock, at 1400 Boston read.

will be held on Current Folitical Events at the Harlem Progressive Youth Club at 1402 Madison avenue, at 8:30 sharp, tonight

CLEANERS AND DYERS Meeting today at 11 a. m. at 16 West 21st

LEAGUE MEMBERS IN THE CLEANING AND DYEING INDUSTRY Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at 16 West 21st street, third floor. Attendance of every comrade is urgent.

STEVE KATOVIS B. I. L. D. Meets Friday at 7 p. m. at the Workers' It Center, 7 East 'th street, between 5th renue and University place.

### PRINTERS

UL LAKCIPN-PAKIA Workers' Shield

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.-Plans for extending its fight against all legislation directed against the foreign born were announced yesterday by the International Labor Defense, 80 East 11th street. This followed the demand made by J. Louis Engdahl, General Secretary of the organiza-tion, for the immediate dissolution of

the Fish Committee when he ap-peared before it on Saturday. Announcement was made of the

pointing out the whole provocative role of the Fish Committee and its

Tells of I. L. D. Aims

him until late in the session when all the newspapermen had left, and then adjourned suddenly, declaring that they had to catch a train to Chicago, where the inquisition will continue

## this week.

Workers of Brownsville desiring to acquaint themselves with the theory of the class struggle will have an opportunity to do so by attending the

classes in Fundamentals of Communism and other kindred subjects that the Brownsville Workers Schoo offers this winter.

School starts Oct. 15. The classes school starts Oct. 15. The classes will be held every Wednesday eve-ning. Registration for school starts Oct. 1 at the Workers Center, 105 Thatford avenue, near Pitkin.

The school will also conduct an open forum every Sunday evening, beginning Oct. 19. The subject for

be: The Five Year Plan and the War al meeting of the Printing Work. The speaker will be C. Hathaway, Editor of The Daily worker.

situation is truly getting serious. Vote Communist on November 4 record which is illuminating. This deals with the case of and make it more serious for the Joseph Okonowitz, a contractor with a rare quality of courage. "socialist" leader, for the underworld and the entire capitalist class.

fore the Court of Appeals."

Okonowitz, refusing William El-

linger's efforts to enroll him-

'organize him,' the trade expres-sion is—in the Retail Glaziers and Sellers' Association, either at

the standard initiation fee of

West 128th street.

Young Needle Worker Set Upon,

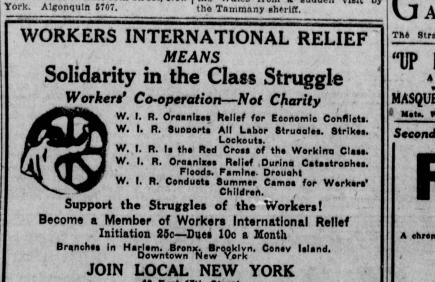
Beaten by Boss to the fact that already the nights are cold and exposure of a small child NEW YORK, Oct. 1.-A vivid in- would mean pneumonia and perhaps stance of the need of organization of death, the Tammany sheriff complied young needle trades workers was with the Tammany judge's order. yesterday when a young

7 Replace Furniture. worker told how when she and other workers demanded their week's pay When the Harlem Council of the Unemployed heard of the eviction, they were told to come around again. The Youth Committee of the immediately a committee was formed Needle Trades Workers' Industrial and preparations made for a meeting Union immediately issued a leaflet. Coming back for her pay the follow-The committee, arriving on the scene, placed the furniture back into the rooms. A picketing committee was ing week, the young worker was sav-agely set upon by the boss, who shouted widly, "You are a Comorganized and many sympathizing neighbors greeted the slogans that the members carried reading "Fight evic-

REPORT YOUR CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY

All meetings, rallies, demonstraers. tions and other campaign activity must be reported to the publicity department of the campaign committee Reports on all activities after they

The new address of the campaign committee is 50 East 13th street, New the Wales from a sudden visit by the Tammany sheriff.



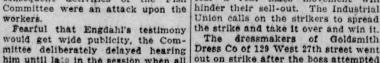




given Rank and File Begin to Resist Sell-Out NEW YORK .- The Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union points out that efforts of the Local 38 Interna-Committee. A half million copies of a leaflet that efforts of the Local 38 Interna-tional Ladies' Garment Workers (company union) bureaucrats are this leaflet will be printed and spread failing to hold the membership in throughout the country by the I. L. D., thus making the fight for the pro-tection of the foreign-born one of fighting munist." tection of the foreign-born one of fighting. the major issues of the present elec-tion campaign, at the same time ing great efforts to sell out the strike in Hattie Carnegie shop and force 450 of the most militant back to conspiracy to foster oppressive laws on the workers, both foreign-born and native. Compel Mass Picketing Only after the initiative displayed

## Engdahl from the first took the of-fensive before the committee. De-were the strikers mobilized for mass

fining the I. L. D. as the only defense organization of the working class which resists the boss persecution of the militant workers, Engdahl uoint-ficials of the company union are oped out that the very inception and posed to spreading the strike, as they consequent activities of the Fish fear a real mass movement will



to impose wage reductions on them. The Industrial Union had built up a shop committee in this shop and it a shop committee in this shop and it was through the initiative of this shop committee that the whole shop was mobilized to resist. The strike is still on and the In-dustrial Union is calling upon the workers to assist these strikers by, joining them on the picket line in front of the shop.

### BROWNSVILLE WORKERS'

discussion at the first open forum will

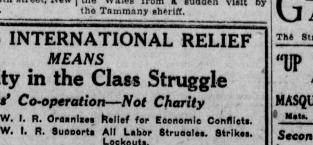
oct. 1. Party Organization-Thursday, 7:00, Oct. Speakers' Conference-Friday, 6:50, Oct.

Communist Activities

Auspices of Italian group of Harlem, for benefit of Sec. 4, Italian Workers' Club, 2011 Third avenue, Jazz band, Contribution 35c. BANQUET SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12 dmission 75c. Dancing will follow at 6 M. Admission 25c to the dance. 2011 rd avenue.

ATTENTION, SECTION 1 All comrades registered for the classes in Section 1 are to report to the Section head-ing nights: Fundamentals of Communism-Wednesday, Class for New Members-Wednesday, 7:30, Oct. 1. Destination of Communism-Wednesday, 7:30, Party Operational Section 2010

The Youth Committee reports that tions." etc. the campaign to organize more shop committees of young workers for the Youth Conference to be held Saturday, October 11, at 2:30 p. m., at Irving Plaza Hall, is still going on. All shops are urged to send youth dele-gates to this conference. meeting.



10 East 17th Street

Signs SHOW CARDS, 5c up. PRICE TAGS, 1c up Quick service. Drawings for cuts. Start to finish. CHELSEA 0275

ACME THEA. UNION SQUARE Between 4th Ave and Breadway Prices DAILY WORKER, NEW YORK, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1930



GARY, Ind.

## **Gary Boss Politicians Evict**, STEEL BOSSES Starve and Shoot Negro Workers PREPARE ARMS TO

Negro Workers Deliver a Smashing Blow Against the Vile Jim-Crowism of the Bosses in Gary-Vote and Support Your Party, the Communist Party!

### Daily Worker:

The Negroes are thrown into the filthiest sections of the city and are compelled to pay higher rents for their unfit-to-live-in shacks. In the center of this section is Washington Park, where Negro children are not allowed to go. They can't go into the playgrounds, and can't My Dear Comrades: go into the swimming pools.

#### Thugs Beat Youth

Two Negro men about 50 years old were arrested and fined \$25 put in one carload of rifles, one carand costs and 60 days, and a Negro youth was beaten by a gang load of machine guns, one carload of when caught in Washington Park. The youth was later arrested by the police. At Gleason Park a Negro+

football team was refused the grounds and was told that this park was not. a Negro park. When a young Negro worker was walking in this park he was stopped by a dick and was told not to be caught in that section again. Place Jim-Crow Signs

There have been signs placed at the Calumet river reading: "Nigger, don't be caught south of the river after

The Negroes are barred from the north side. At the Wabash tracks on the south side, at the Calumet river, on the east side, they are trying to run them all out of that section. Bosses Foster This

All of this is happening under the administration of our Republican mayor, R. O. Johnson, who was elected

by the Negro and white workers. Again we see one of the men that owns the property around Washington Park, one of the men that carried around petitions to drive the Negroes out of the east side, a man that discriminates against Negroes, a man that charges Negroes exorbitant rents, is coming out on the Democratic ticket for district commissioner. He appeals to the Negroes to vote Democratic and abolish the cor-rupt Republican party and promises full dinner pails for the

workers. Fake Promises

This is the same promise that Mr. Hoover made, with the result of 9,000,000 unemployed men starving. A Negro worker was shot down on the street because he was hungry and tried to get something to eat. was shot by Mr. Johnson's police.

#### Vote Communist!

told her that they did not pay rent for anyone. This is what the Democratic and Republican parties give



Mr. Editor: I am a poor Negro woman and live in an attic. What can we do about the situation? My baby was taken seriously ill and I took her to several so-called institu-tions said to be free hospitals medical attention for the with poor. I went from one to another with my baby and could

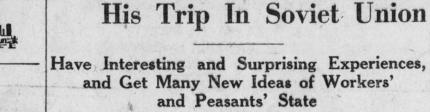
not get any attention. M. K.

# **R.R. LAYOFFS HIT** OMAHA WORKERS

### Answer to Attack Must Be ist to demand the things to save us. Struggle

OMAHA, Neb. The Daily Worker :--More news of wage cuts and layoffs in those days of Hoover prosperity, and here is some of it. The Union Pacific R. R. is building a new depot here, a grand structure, of course, to look at, or at the pictures of it in the capitalist press here or

A Negro woman's furniture was in the advertising literature put out thrown into the alley because she by the railroad. It is to be finished could not pay rent. And the city by January 1, and already the workers are being laid off, as a presage to the great event. They are being the workers for their votes. All of these promises are only illusions. follows: On September 1, 29 men; Don't be fooled by the Democratic or September 15, 45; September 22, 28, Republican (or so-called Socialist party) phrases. Vote for the only all, those kept on the job have had Party that fights for the workers, the only Party that stands up for the



(Continued) Soviet Girls

**Two American Sailors** 

When we went to the theatre to

attend the meeting we received our

to the doors with the town people.

As we filed in and squeezed our way

through the press, the orchestra

commenced playing the International. The entire audience rose to its feet

guests of the workers of Salisk, and

**ELIZABETH WORKERS** 

PUT OVER CUT

YOUNGSTOWN, O.

many

town.

Workers, Smash the Wage-

Cuts! Organize, Strike,

**Vote Communist!** 

Just to let you know what is hap-

pening in and around here: The

Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co. have

ammunition and one carload of army

Preparing Wage Cut

They are preparing for a wholesale

wage cut, and they know that the

workers will not stand for it, so they

are preparing to meet the workers

with brutal thugs, or the armed

I was over to Mayer's trousers fac-

tory a few days ago and had a

chance to speak to one of the girls

that works on a piece job, and she

told me she only made 57 cents per

day and their pay was only \$8.50 to

\$4.50 per week. They are afraid to go after a drink of water until the

boss leaves the room where they are.

Army Business Good

The recruiting station here is

forcing young boys, 16-18-20 years,

The conditions in Youngstown are bad and many face starvation. I saw

six boys, eight men and several girls

and women eating out of the garbage can a few days ago. Only one way

to stop these conditions-to organize

and demonstrate and Vote Commun-

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Editorial Note: - The steel

bosses are preparing a savage drive against the workers. They

are mobilizing guns, thugs, and later they will call in the militia. They will depend upon their

courts and judges to hand down injunctions. The police of the

bosses' government will be used

to beat, kill and jail workers. The bosses count on their

strongest weapon-the govern-ment machine-to break the re-

Steel workers! You must pre-

pare to fight back or else you will

be forced to take starvation

wages, work at a greater speed-

up, etc. You must organize im-

mediately shop committees of the Metal Trades Industrial League

and prepare for strike struggle. You must fight the use of bosses'

government machine by dealing

of the bosses to take up your

fight there. Vote Communist!

sistance of the workers.

A. R. W.

to join the marines.

forces.

beds. Now what does this mean?

the strange part of it was that we hadn't fully realized it until that It wasn't altogether our As one looks back on it all now, it moment.

fault. In what other country would seems like part of a pleasant fanan entire town turn out en masse to tastic dream. Some of us had welcome a bunch of lousy merchant sailors? As we reached the stage reasoned that interior Russia could not possibly be as black as the outand seated ourselves on the chairs side press would have us believe, but provided for us the cheering innever in our most optimistic moments creased in volume, if that were poshad we imagined it would be anysible:

thing like this. Returning to Salisk, Impossible to question the sinwe found we had sufficient time to cerity of such an outburst as this. make a few observations. We didn't As one gazed out over the sea of faces find any saloons. Wine and spirits one could sense the feeling which were to be had, but the stores which possessed all the people. No trace of misery and oppression here. They sold them were not doing a very thriving business. 'Nowhere on the had struggled for and achieved their trip did we meet or see anyone under freedom, and if looks and appear-ances count for anything, they certhe influence of liquor. Drinking is not encouraged, neither is it protainly mean to keep it. A group of hibited. Tact will sometimes ac-complish a whole lot more than un-of the stage and saluted us. Strange the Young Pioneers paraded in front popular laws unwisely enforced. I to relate, I don't think any of us felt have said elsewhere that food was embarrassed. The whole atmosphere have said eisewhere that food was plentiful. Ice cream sold for five cents a dish. The people walking the streets and the parks mere well clad, so genuine that one couldn't help but lean and to all outward appearances respond to it. The fact that we couldn't understand each other's lancheerful and contented. One must not forget the women. Maybe not so guage didn't mar the proceedings in silk dresses and stockings as the least. That meeting was a comon Fifth avenue, but that was hardly plete success.

to be expected in a country town. to be expected in a country town. Most of them were modishly dressed hand information about labor condiin white, all the latest style bobs in tions in America. When we candidly vidence, and their healthy, sunadmitted that a large percentage of tanned complexions didn't need the the American seamen, including ouraid of cosmetics to improve them. selves, didn't belong to any union The Whole Town Turns Out to Greet

whatever, their attitude seemed to express surprise and amusement tinged with sympathy. In a country where everyone belongs to a union greatest surprise of the day. The it is hard for them to visualize how anyone can possibly exist without them. We were asked if the working people in the outside world realized Communists were arrested in Buenos the progress the workers in Russia Aires. had made since gaining their freedom. We told them that, judging

(To be continued)

and cheered and applauded us-the from our own knowledge of condi-first American workers to visit their tions when we entered the country, ST. SEBASTIAN, Spain. - The workers of the Smelter Works Rentena, who have been on strike for 145 days, finished their struggle under the condition that there should not be any discriminations. But as soon as the workers-went into the factory the police came and arrested the leaders of the strike. When the news

passed around the workers immediately went out on strike again. convention steered clear of any

BRIEFS

from

FOREIGN LANDS

MOSCOW .- Forty Swedish peas

ants who were persuaded to leave

land" by lying propaganda, have

They report

now returned of their own free will

that the situation in Sweden is very

bad, and the conditions were the

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occasion of its election successes.

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BERLIN. - The Communists are

worst they had ever experienced.

to the Soviet Union.

proposals for unemployment relief. They touched on unemployment only to formally blame it on the Republi-can administration. The fake issue of "clean government" put up by the Republican Convention is substituted for in the Democratic Convention by one of "real booze." The jobless can go on starving, the striking exploited the outcome is war. workers will continue to get beat up sentenced under and injunctions

cenary judiciary, as usual, as far as WOMEN WITH BABIES Republican or Democratic parties are concerned.

Vote Communist It is only the Communist Party,

Tammany judges buying their offices and taking bibes wholesale in New York, the Democratic State Conven-tion here nominated Roosevelt again for governor. They also nominated as lieutenant governor, Lehman, the jail for his services to the workers; man who had more than any other Roosevelt and Tuttle fight sham who had more than any other man who had more than any other State Convention for governor William Z, to prover William Z, school hungry. Women with babies in their arms, for the first time in the history of New York, ask for shelter at the Municipal Lodging Roosevelt and Tuttle fight sham the protecting motherhood!" CHICAGO, III.—The Hilnois District school hungry. Women with babies in their arms, for the first time in the history of New York, ask for shelter at the Municipal Lodging Roosevelt and Tuttle fight sham



ns of imperialist antage

"Shanghai and China generally

constitute a 'battlefield' for world

trade....Among the competitors

America and Britain are the

chief contenders in Shanghai

and the Yangtsze Valley, pre-

viously known as the British 'sphere.' While previously British

influence in China was predomi-nant, that situation no longer

prevails, for America has now succeeded to Britain's position.

China now looks to Washington

for tips on the international po-litical situation, rather than to

London....China looks to Wall

Street for future financing and

to America for technical advice.

Large British public utilities in China, facing a non-too-bright future, look to the United States for purchasers. The tendency is

apparent on every hand and the

chances are that present rival-ries will be accentuated as time

The, same can be said of nearly

ery country in Latin America. In

the British dominions American im-

perialism is gradually encroaching on

These are the facts behind the Con-

erence. It is a war conference. The

ing the empire and the colonies for

blood and iron in India, Egypt, Irak,

Every worker should watch the tactics of Thomas and MacDonald

and remember that we have their

prototypes right here-Broun, Rev.

Thomas, O'Neal. In supporting the British Labor government they sup-

port and O. K. the murder of the

comes to a war between the imper-

Labor government ministers will sup-

the Socialists will back Wall Street

The British

British Labor government is groom-

war. At the same time it is using

against the colonial masses.

passes."

British "spheres."

"LABOR" MINISTER THOMAS ACTS

**Page Three** 

ominions into a force against Amer-The role of the British Labor gov ican imperialist penetration, it would worsen the crisis in the U.S. and rnment as the best aids of British nperialism is being emphasized in ne present Imperial Conference. J. speed up the war danger

INTERNATIONAL

ONEWSO

demanding the resignation of the An idea of how sharp world com-Thomas, minister of dominions, Bruening government, the immediate who was sent to Canada last year to petition is becoming between the withdrawal of the emergency decrees win trade for the British bosses, is United States and Great Britain can imposing the poll tax, as well as other the publicity agent for the Conferbe gleaned from an article in the pro-U. S. "China Weekly Review." In axes and anti-proletarian measures ence its August 23rd issue it prints these His job is to cover up the real pur-

introduced by the Bruening governposes of the meeting. Thomas talks about "peace," unity of purpose of the dominions and England, the de-MOSCOW .- A great growth of colsire of spreading good will to the do lectives in agriculture is reported minions, and such clap-trap. This is meant as pap for the workers. from Caucasia, where in the period from the 5th to the 10th of Septem-An Associated Press dispatch from

ber 2,301 peasant units united in 54 London September 30 gives a pretty good insight into the real purpo the Imperial Conference. The A. P. cable says: LONDON .- The Political Bureau "English business men, alarmed of the Communist Party of Great at the rapidly expanding export trade of the United States, are Britain has dispatched a cable of going to try to weld the British greetings to the German Party on the Empire into one solid economic bloc at the imperial conference, which starts tomorrow (Wednes-

day)." The same dispatch-goes on to quote the report drawn up by the imperial preparator . committee nference which again brings out the Anglo-British antagonism

"At present the United States exports only 8 percent of her total production. If she were to increase this by only 1 percent this would represent an increased export of \$350,000,000, which is equivalent to 10 percent of the total of British exports and would mean additional heavy competition for British industry in the markets of the world." Now, then, when you couple the

acts of struggle for markets with the crap that Thomas puts out as "peac talk," we get some sense out of it. We can then clearly see that Mr. Thomas and Mr. MacDonald are the agents of British imperialism preparing for war against American imperlalism.

Thomas in his first statement on the conference admitted that the results of the recent naval conference Indian masses by the British Labor are sure to be discussed by the Brit-government. It is true when it ish and dominion delegates when they reach the subject of foreign falists they will "split." policy defense on the agenda. When imperialists talk of markets and guns port their imperialists in a war, while

At the conclusion of his first inter- in a bloody conflict.

### ILLINOIS BASKETBALL ASK FOR SHELTER CONFERENCE FOR TOURNEY (Continued from page 1)

CHICAGO, Ill .- The Illinois District

DEMOCRATS IN HIT POLISH FASCISM ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 1.-More than two hundred workers shouted WORDY GESTURE their approval of a resolution in sup-port of the revolutionary Polish workers against the new wave of white terror instituted by Pilsudski, Nominate Gov. Roosevelt on at a meeting held here September 28. at 214 Fulton street. The resolution points out that the Polish bourgeiosie seeks a way out

We were their guests, the they certainly did not.

**Booze: Flout Jobless** of a great crisis that suppression of all workers organizations, especially the Communist Party, by more SYRACUSE, N. Y., Cet. 1 .-- With a preparations for war against the Soviet Union at the first signal from urmoil of loud words, capitalizing the misery of the unemployed with-

the Anglo-French banker advisers of Pilsudski. The resolution pledges out promising even to do anything turned out in a torrent by the merabout it, repeating that "the judiciworkers to aid in the fight against Polish fascism and any effect ary must be above suspicion," withit may have on the Polish working out even promising to more than masses of the United States. A collection of \$43.65 was reported.

shake a finger at the revelations of Is Growin!

. . . MONTEVIDEO .- The fascist military junta in the Argentine is continuing its execution of revolutionary workers, particularly Communists. Numerous Communist workers have been executed in the towns of Cordoba and Rosario. In one day 38

ment.

collective farms.

Negro workers.

### Cal. Steel Workers To Vote Communist!

PITTSBURG, Cal. To the Daily Worker:

Signs of the times: 145 people of the population of 10,000 of the indus-trial town of Pittsburg, Calif., voted for the candidates for governor of the three capitalist parties. The Socialist candidate got one vote.

This town is purely proletarian, except for a restricted subdivision and the main street in which live the company officials, the more prosperous merchants, and a few of the skilled "aristocracy" of workers. This is a good answer to the capitalist bunk sheets which persist in trying to maintain the illusion in the minds of the workers by means of the car-toons, news items, etc., that "The People" elect anybody. Nearly all of these 145 voters were directly interthe workers by means of the car-toons, news items, etc., that "The ested in the graft obtainable through their candidates, including the big boys who obtain their graft indirectly through favors and steals for their corporations.

The several thousand workers in town either have no vote or the few that do know it's no use. These few we are rallying to vote Communist. A Young Worker who has always

sonal occupation.

**Remember Katovis**, Levy, Gonzales, Weizenberg!

They have been murdered by Tammany, by the Garvey gang, by the A. F. of L. underworld. Charles Solomon, "socialist" candidate for state senator in the 8th District, Brooklyn, was the injunction lawyer for Miller's

Do not vote for the murderers of our comrades!

On with the hammer and sickle! Vote **Communist!** 

work, who will in due course be laid off at intervals.

More Layoffs The Stock Yards here had about 75 men, carpenters and laborers, the carpenters got 50c. an hour and the laborers 40c. The job lasted about two months and all are laid off now

as the work is finished. As there is no new work here to absorb such a number of men most of them have no other prospect but unemployment for the Winter, with all its attendant hardship and misery. Starvation Charity

By way of preparation for the im-pending distress the Bankers of the Community chest have announced that an additional \$70,000 will be needed this Winter. While an en terprising and thrifty local philanthropist has a plan to put the unlittle profit. So there you are, to be unemployed is to be treated as something like a convict

The savings banks here refuse to pay their depositors more than a small part of the amount of their

deposits. However, it is rumored that most of it will be released at Xmas, which will enable business men to get rid of some of their accumulated thrash that always seem voted Communist, except when disenfranchised through sea-ciations they have so many foreto find a ready market at this season. ciations they have so many fore-closures and outstanding payments that they cannot redeem their stock from their stockholders as has been their custom

Starvation Army Busy

The Salvation Army here is busy enlarging their quarters in prepara-tion for the rush season that is sure

However, the local capitalist sheets do not seem to have noticed it yet or rather do not wish to do so as most every day there is some Fairy Story printed about the advent of Story printed about the advent of a new prosperity, when and how, of course, is not mentioned, and this is, "Greater Omaha, A Good Place To Live In." So runs the sign carried on the street cars that have raised the fare a short time ago. —A Worker.

"FASHION" SHOES DISTORT WOMEN'S FEET

NEW YORK .- Speaking over sta-tion WEAF Dr. Thomas Darlington claimed that the high heeled shoes

worn by American omen placed the United States second to China in the istortion of women's feet. Darlington attributed nervous disorders, in-digestion and general inefficiency to a heavy blow to the boss parties —the Republican, Democratic and The Washington administration, "Socialist" parties—that today the Tammany administration, in are begging for your vote and hold out false promises and raise fake issues. Elect Communists \*he State and City are protecting the food profiteers. to city and State legislative halls

Vote against food racketeers!

The Cost of Living

state official to do with instituting battles over liquor and graft-on the "impartial chairman" strike- both of which they are in substanbreaking scheme in New York on the needle workers. Vote Communist! Vote for yourneedle workers.

Nothing for Jobless selves, workers, and give an answer Al Smith's nominating speech and Roosevelt's acceptance speech at the and political swindlers!

Legs Diamond, Strikebreaker-Gunman, **Granted Immunity by U. S. Government** 

#### By ALLAN JOHNSON

THE REGULAR TAMMANY PRICE IS ONLY \$ 75,000 FOR THIS JOB No picture of Tammany Hall, no matter how well drawn, could faithfully epict the organization's unimaginable depravity, its use of unbelievably barbaric methods to achieve its ends, its servile belly-crawling before the only masters it recognizes-capitalist exploiters.

Tammany is nothing more or less than a buffer state. It is the bulwark between capitalists and the vast working class they plunder and rob. Tammany governs the poor for the benefit of the rich and for its trouble is permitted to pocket some of the vast loot.

#### Herbert Hoover and Frank Fay

SPEAK EASY Is there any real difference between Hoover, who was bribed by the food trust during the war for permitting it to profiteer, and Frank Fay, Tammany gangster and Sight club owner, whose control of the New York milk supply puts him in partial control of New York's health? Is there any real difference between Al Smith, whose campaigns for public-owned power works have been punctuated by visits to republican utility companies who bribed him handsomely to keep on campaigning and "let it end there," and Mayor Walker, who campaigns for a five-cent fare and accepts a five hundred thousand dollar bribe which would make such a fare impossible? The answer, of course, is obvious. Hoover, Smith, Walker, the Tuttles, and Roosevelts and Vares and Big Bill Thompson and Heywood Brouns are spewn out of the same capitalist sewer. Inevitably they or their counterparts will continue to govern for their masters so long as capitalism exists. The cleavage between

capitalism and Communism is nowhere more sharp than here. In Soviet Russia the penalty for graft is death. In capitalist America the reward for graft is the White House, or the governor's mansion, or at the very least, a large fortune

#### Rothstein, Vaccarelli, Diamond

A long slimy capitalist chain links Hoover, Woll, Tammany, Smith and Walker to the racketeers who control the American Federation of Labor. Yesterday the connection between Paul Vaccarelli, gunman, strike-breaker and friends of the ignoble great, was discussed. In the same category are Legs Diamond and the late unlamented Arnold Rothstein. Legs Diamond, who was a little too much even for the cultured murderers

the new rule Germany, has been involved in the murder of at least 18 men. "Involved" is used here in its narrowest sense. Legs started his gentle career by stealing packages from express wagons (popularly called "wagon bouncing") around 20th street and Eighth avenue, New York. By the time Legs was 16 he had served a term for unlawful entry and attempted burglary. It was the only time that Legs' career was to be interrupted by a prison sentence. He developd into far too efficient a strike-breaker to be incon-venienced by the police again. His forty-odd arrests mean absolutely nothing. "The public must be pleased," the cops call it. Blackmailing a Specialty

When Legs finished his term in the reformatory, he applied for admission to Dick Butler's "mob" and was promptly accepted. The mob specialized in fur robberies and was eminently successful. To this day, Les' special little on the Hotsy Totsy murder charges.

hobby is blackmailing furriers, despite the fact that most of his arrests have been for carrying a gun, receiving stolen goods, felonious assaults and murders. Legs is one of the Al Capones of New York, divid-ing the honors with Bill Dwyer, Owney Madden, Dutch Schultz and one or two other murderers who like to keep out of the limelight. Between them they control the beer and booze racket in New York, as well as a list of sidelines much too long to mention at this time. Their references are unimpeachable. Bill Dwyer

moves in the highest political and financial circles and knows Jimmy Walker intimately. Owney Madden's night club is visited by the city's social "elite," and Owney himself may be seen strolling up Fifth Avenue with Cardinal Hayes almost any sunshiny day. As for Dutch Schultz, woe is he who disputes Schultz's strength anywhere north of 110th Street, including the office of the Bronx District Attorney.

#### Escapes Trial by U. S.

Legs, whose interests are more varied than those of his comrades, was indicted on drug-selling charges by the United States Government more than three years ago. He was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Cotter and released under \$15,000 bail. Diamond hasn't been tried on that three-yearold indictment yet.

Why not? Is the United States afraid of Legs? That isn't the answer. The United States Government is afraid of nothing except a strong Communist Party. Any Fish knows that. The United States doesn't fear Legs. It needs him. For Legs is a strikebreaker of note. Not quite as efficient as Paul Vaccarelli, perhaps, but extremely useful to capitalist pirates nevertheless

Every crime that Legs has committed has been condoned because of his ability to aid Tammany and Tammany's rulers in their hours of "need." Legs' immunity is grounded on his willingness to provide strikebreakers and scabs for any strike in the Metropolitan district. A couple of years ago Legs was shot and almost killed by gangsters who had wanted to supply the strikebreakers that Legs was commissioned to send to a strike in Brooklyn.

The whole court moved to Legs' bedside in Bellevue Hospital to free him from a technical charge of homicide.

#### Legs Gets \$50,000 "Subsidy"

Legs' subsidy as a capable and brutal breaker of strikes is neither inlirect nor disguised. Legs receives a "retainer" of not less than \$50,000 a ear from the Ship Owners' Association on a contract which provides that e quell all strikes successfully and supply scabs whenever they are needed. Grover Whalen, who also received a "retainer" recently, one of \$100,000 from a taxi company, was in complete sympathy with Legs' activities when

Whalen was police commissioner. After two rival beer runners had been killed in Legs' Hotsy Totsy Club

while Legs was standing behind the bar and police began to "search" for into strike against wage cuts, for a Legs, Whalen declared: "Of course, we cannot make bargains with crim-inals; but let him come down and ha will account of the search of the seven hour day, five day week! Don't seven hour day, five day week! Don't

Legs, whaten declared. Or bounds and he will receive all the courtesies of the starve—fight! starve—fight! (Written in a police station. A few days later he was discharged in General Sessions tiary). (Written in Hart's Island Peniten-

Added to the situation, as an in- made a beginning in a building simisult to the 800,000 unemployed work- lar basket ball leagues throughout ers in New York City and the 8,000,- the Illinois district, and attracting 000 in the country, Mayor Walker new workers' sport teams into the takes off his old suit and donates it L. S. U.

to a needy worker! What generosity! This high salaried Broadway cabaret The conference delegates repre sented 25 workers' basketball teams star, after raising his own salary and from Chicago, Milwaukee, and Gary, that of his henchmen, demands still representing in turn more than 400 more in the budget to satisfy the workers.

Tammany machine. Similar sport conferences are being called in Milwaukee and also in One judge after the other acceptng graft! Corruption from top to Gary, Ind., October 30. oottom-and the mayor himself balks

BUFFALO WORKERS' SCHOOL

Booze Parties

BUFFALO .- In the present phase of the class struggle leaders of the Millionaires and billionaires in working class are facing imprison-ment and persecution on the part of booze parties, squandering moneywhile workers starve. Long trips on luxurious yachts while shelterless the ruling class. These leaders must men and women have no place to sleep. Loving cup for Lipton to falo District Committee realizes the show appreciation of his being a necessity of training new leaders to "good sport." give proper leadership to hungry un-

an investigation.

On September 23, the Downtown employed and to the exploited work-Athletic Club opened its doors. A ers who are ready to fight against Wall street affair, it cost \$3,500,000 the miserable conditions of the tolland is equipped with the finest acing masses. This is the reason why commodations, luxuries and improvethe Workers' School was established ments of the day. Swimming pools, in Buffalo, which will open with a sleeping accommodations, de luxe suites with specially designed furgreat proletarian banquet Saturday, October 4, at 8 p. m., at the hall of niture, lounges, game rooms (for gambling), grill room, roof garden, squash tennis court, indoor golf course—this the parasites of Wall the International Workers' Order, 565 William street.

Hundreds of class-conscious workers will attend this banquet to give street are enjoying while the workers financial and moral support to this hungry and jobless, tramp the streets looking for work in vain. important working class institution.

in Every Garage"

How Long Will You Stand for This? Workers, how long will you tolerate this? How long will you tolerate the lying statements of Hoover, La-"A Chicken in Every mont and Mellon that the crisis is Pot, an Automobile over and the workers will soon return to work? How long will you tolerate the nerve of the bosses in spending hundreds of thousands of dollars on the mistresses, on drunken orgies and debauches, while you can find no work and must pick food out of garbage cans?

It is time to call a halt. You must Such was the slogan of the aise a mighty voice representing the Hoover campaign in 1928. What millions of workers of this country so that all the capitalists, the federal it really meant was wide-spread state and municipal governments will hear it, as they heard Budapest! unemployment, wage cuts, ex-Workers, organize to fight-join the ploitation, misery, starvation,---Unemployed Councils - and while struggling support the Communist and additional fortunes for the Party, your leader in this and all parasites.

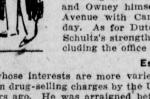
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Vote Communist! But together

with the Communists go into the

other fights.



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BY BURCK

# Side-Lights of the Election Fight in Red Berlin

#### By I. ERENBERG Where Victory Is Being Prepared

**Page Four** 

Wishing to learn the real proletarian, red Berlin, I went first through small poor streets to the Karl Liebknecht house on Bullow Square. It is not necessary to look for the Liebknecht

House. Before I even came to the Bullow Square, I noticed a huge, six-story corner building, all covered with red. Over the whole length and breadth of each floor, on the two corner sides of the building in huge letters, were the following revolutionary fighting, slogans

AGAINST THE YOUNG PLAN-MASS MIS-ERY AND FASCISM.

AGAINST S. P. G. (SOCIALIST PARTY OF GERMANY) TREACHERY-FIGHT WITH THE C. P. G.

FOR BREAD AND FREEDOM—FOR SOVIET GERMANY! JOIN THE C. P. G.! VOTE FOR BALLOT 4! (The Communist ballot in the elections).

In a huge window on the first floor a placard exclaims: "HELLO RED BERLIN!" Under-neath follow the quotas for the various party sections of Berlin. The quota set for Berlin durwitness such a tremendous enthusiastic and stormy proletarian mass demonstration for the Communist Party. In the street car on the way to the Sport Palace we saw workers' battalions marching in steeled lines with the Red Flags, banners and placards. The battalions form right at the shops and factories. From there each battalion marches separately over the streets of the city with its Red Flag, with its placards, with its own orchestra, to the Sport Palace, where all the workers' battalions join together in one huge workers' army and with great enthusiasm march into the Sports Palace. The hall is packed. Each marching workers' battalion is met with stormy applause. The working youths march in with their clenched fists upraised and here the Young Pioneers with their red kerchiefs around their necks. These are the only ones in their uniforms. The others (as of the Red Front Fighters' League, Y. C. L.,

etc.) are forbidden by the "socialist" police. The hall is the size of the Madison Square Garden, if 'not bigger. It is already so over-crowded there is no place to move around. Many cannot come in and must stay outside. Over the

LIEBKNECHT HOUSE IN BERLIN



Headquarters of the Communist Party of Germany, with revolutionary slogans, during the election campaign

ing the election campaign is five thousand new members in the party, five thousand new sub-scribers for the Communist press and 5,500 marks for the election fund. The comrades tell me that this quota is almost reached. This was ten days before the elections.

At the main entrance really stands a huge round box (one story high) all covered up with red. Near the building there are always groups of

workers and jobless. They read "Rote Fahne" (Central organ of the C. P. G.). They talk, dis-cuss passionately...What will be the result of the elections? But every one is optimistic. We march to victory ... Inside is turmoil. Most of the leading com-

rades are touring the country to agitate, to mobilize the masses and organize them for the struggle for-A Soviet Germany. The others that remained here are so busy, there is no time to speak even to a foreign comrade. Only ten more days left before the elections...There is so much work yet to be done to close this brilliant and most victorious election fight ... Whether there will be a victory nobody doubts. We will surely get over four million Red votes, a million more

than two years ago. But we have to get more and more fighting votes for Soviet Germany! Here came a whole battalion of young workers shock troups—Young Communist League mem-bers on tens and hundreds of bicycles and moto-dwoles. cycles. Every one of them gets a package of leaflets, pamphlets and papers and they all fly back to the workers' sections, to the shops and factories, to distribute them, to mobilize and organize for the class struggle.

whole length and breadth of the hall there are revolutionary slogans as: VOTE FOR THE C. P. G.! VOTE AGAINST BALLOT 4! DEFEND THE SOVIET UNION! FIGHT WITH THE RED TRADE UNION OP-

POSITION FOR A SEVEN HOUR DAY AND FOR A WAGE INCREASE! FIGHT AGAINST UNEMPLOYMENT! JOIN THE RANKS OF THE C. P. G.! WORKING WOMEN, VOTE FOR THE C. P. G.! VOTE BALLOT 4! YOUNG WORKERS, FIGHT WITH THE YOUNG COM-MUNIST LEAGUE AND VOTE FOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY!

On the steps over the platform marches up a column of eight workers. On every one of them is embroidered a huge letter. They form a line and together it reads: "VOTE C. P. G.!" Over them is a huge hammer and sickle

The first speaker, Comrade Walter Ulbricht, tells in simple, convincing words about the present critical situation in the country and about the only way to liberate themselves from this Young Plan Crisis-to seize the power by the workers to introduce the Dictatorship of the Proletariat and to establish a Soviet Republic! A stormy, but an organized three-fold outcry: "Red Front! Red Front! Red Front!" was the best unanimous, enthusiastic answer (like a Red oath) of the whole proletarian crowd.

Max Holtz, the Revolutionary Hero, Speaks The announcement of the chairman that Max Holtz, who just returned from the Soviet Union, would soon speak, was like an electric current A stirring ovation greeted this revolutionary hero, this favorite of the proletarian masses, when he appeared on the platform. warm, greetings from the first proletarian land. He told how the capitalist and reformist press wrote that he, Max Holtz, was kidnaped there in the Soviet Union, arrested and even shot to death. The entire proletarian audience burst out laugh-

**Organize and Strike Against** Wage Cuts

#### By A. WAGENKNECHT

Wage cuts, slashing already very low standards of living throughout all industries. Workers on the job, workers walking the streets, starving and suffering because of low wages and speed-up or no wages and no jobs. Workers everywhere in a mood for fighting, for striking and struggling against the bosses to halt their wage-cut offensive, to form a solid front for the Workers' Unemployment Insurance Bill.

And yet, in this very favorable situation the TUUL is not leading strikes against wage cuts of any size. Why not? The Trade Union Unity League has ten national unions and leagues, covering ten industries, among them the most basic. We have Trade Union Unity League district and local secretaries and leading bodies in the most important industrial centers. But we are not in contact with the masses of workers. We are not asserting our leadership. There is a total lack of check up on activities of all our affiliations and members.

Senator Wheeler Discovers a "Dictator" in the Soviet Union

### By Wm. Z. FOSTER Prisoner No. 52350 (Communist Candidate for Governor of

New York State) In these days of feverish preparations of the

that Bolshevik

capitalist governments for war against the Soviet Union every conceivable form of propaganda is used to discredit the first Workers Republic in the eyes of the workers, so that the latter may be deterred from rallying militantly to its defense. One of the favorite attacks of this kind is the assertion that Comrade Stalin, Secretary of the Russian Communist Party, is an absolute dictator in the Soviet Union and that tyranny prevails there.

#### Stalin's "Iron Hand"

This lying argument is repeated constantly in This lying argument is repeated constantly in the capitalist press. One sees it on every hand. Even many "friends" of the Soviet Union who advocate diplomatic recognition retail it in var-ious forms. For example, Senator Wheeler, who, just returned from the U. S. S. R., is now running a series of articles in the Hearst papers proposing recognition of the Soviet Union by the United States. He says that Stalin "rules with an iron hand," that he "almost completely dominates" the government; that "there is no free speech in Russia," that even the most prominent Party members don't dare to speak out, etc.

Red Sparks

Ah, Now We Have It!

Have you been looking for a solution to un employment? Are you, in short, hungry? All you have to do is to go to jail. A Chicago corporation has fixed it all up.

It seems that Chicago has been purified, and the old Criminal Court (all courts are criminal courts, but there are new and old ones) and the Old Jail, wherein your humble servant spent nearly a year once, is empty.

So a wealthy lady who is not yet in the "so-cialist" party, Mrs. Thomas D. Collins, and a certain John H. Krafft, vice-president of the Straus National Bank, with a number of others, have formed a company entitled: "The Tower Town Food and Shelter Fund, Incorporated." ... So lovely of them! They have leased the Old Jail on Dearborn street for a period of 90 days-count 'em, N-I-N-E-T-Y. And will operate it as a "free shelter and eating place" for that period. Please notice that the presumption is that "prosperity" will be back about a week before Christmas. This ought to set Heywood Broun into action with a "Give a Job till Christmas" movement for Chicago.

Mrs. Collins, the chief optimist in this venture, " says that expenses will be limited to fuel—"and we hope that some kind-hearted coal dealer will give us some coal."

The U.S. Army is to contribute horse-blankets. fleas included, free. The hotels are to turn over the come-backs that are too rotten to dole out to their kitchen help and strain their garbage through a sieve, thus contributing "food."

Jobless workers, take hope! Though the rich would be pained to pay taxes enough to pay you Unemployment Insurance, because that would be 'charity" or a "dole," still they have a "great heart.'

They will see that you are sheltered in a jail which has been condemned as unfit for prisoners, fed on the most select garbage and warmed by that rarest of all bipeds-a "kind-hearted coal dealer."

As Karl Marx once said, the capitalists will do EVERYTHING for the workers, except get off their backs.

### "Goodwill" Trips

The trip of Hoover to Latin America was called a "good-will" trip. But before a year had gone by, the whole southern continent was in a ferment, with revolts, coup d'etats and war talk everywhere.

Maybe you heard about the latest movement in Chile. Some Chilean gentlemen are supposed to have "hired" a couple of American aviators to drop down from Argentina into the most strategic town of Chile, to get the soldiery there to rise in revolt.

It seems to have missed fire somehow and the revolution was placed under arrest. But one funny thing we noted was that the airplane they used was named "Friendship."

We are betting odds that the next few months, maybe weeks, will see a revolt in Cuba. Every-body there is falling over everybody else demanding "peace and order"-a sure sign of riots and revolt

One of the big shots, Menocal, who is playing the fake "nationalist" game against the present fascist tyrant Machado, is assuming to speak for "the people." Machado has fixed up the November elections for his own crowd to win, and Meno-cal is warning him that:

"The people of Cuba demand the postponement of the election. If it is not done, grave conse-quences will result."

That is a warning or we miss our guess-and we seldom do.

### "Treasure Island"

The Daily Worker agent in the city of Brotherly Love is Comrade Silver, and he is reputed as "one of the best." We tremble to think of what the worst may be. Apparently the D. O. in Philadelphia neither trembles nor thinks of the re-sponsibility resting upon the district to see that

## be concretized for the several shops, mines or mills you have decided to concentrate upon. You must in advance decide upon the steps which

will lead to winning the workers in a shop, mine

or mill for our union, league or shop committee thus enabling us to lead them into struggle.

A shop concentrated upon must be studied.

Daily and accurate information must be obtained from as many departments in the shop as pes-

various forms of wage cuts and speed up so that

we can clarify these attacks upon living stan-

dards to the workers. No matter how small our shop committee, it must meet at least once a

week. At every meeting concrete tasks must be

assigned to all members inside and outside the shop; at all meetings there must be a check up to ascertain whether tasks assigned have been carried through with success. Only by following

this step by step policy, will the workers begin

to "feel" our leadership, only in this way will the workers begin to regard us as a fighting

sible. Especial attention must be given to

Brown

#### Wedding and Neukoln

I ride with them to the famous workers' sections, Wedding and Neukoln. Here you feel the Red Berlin on every step. Almost on every workers' house there are red flags, banners and huge placards with the following slogans:

VOTE C. P. G.-VOTE BALLOT 4! HELLO RED BERLIN! WIR GREIFEN AN! (We are the offensive!) LONG LIVE SOVIET GER-MANY!

You can really feel on every step that we are the offensive. You become electrified with it. You are eager to join the Red heart and soul of Berlin and cry out: "LONG LIVE RED WED-DING-RED NEUKOLN-RED BERLIN-RED GERMANY!

#### The Working Youth Demonstrates

A Y. C. L. member took me to a demonstration of the working youth of Neukoln for the election campaign of the Communist Party. Hohenzolern Square, where the demonstration was to start, was already crowded with the young workers. The militant singing of the revolutionary songs was heard for blocks and blocks.

The parade started soon. Everybody fell in line, four in a line and like trained Red Front Fighters marched and paraded over the streets of Neukoln. Ahead of them was waving the huge red flag. After it a huge placard with the words: 'ONLY THE COMMUNISTS FIGHT AGAINST HUNGER AND FASCISM. VOTE BALLOT 4!"

On the way more and more young workers joined the lines. The police, the watch dogs of the Socialist "comrade" Zoergiebel, followed the demonstrating working youth. But they did not dare break up the demonstration with their clubs, night sticks or black jacks. It was just before the elections and they had to keep up the illusion of "liberty and democracy."

Outside the Soviet Union you cannot see or | tarian Revolution

#### "Hitlers" and Detectives Wanted to Break Up Demonstration

A few "Hitlers" (of the National Fascist Party), who were smuggled into the hall, began a disturbance and even wanted to break up this demonstration. But here the organized and disciplined action of the German workers was shown. In order not to be provoked by the few "Hitlers" and to prevent any disorder, the whole proletarian audience stood up at once and in an organized way began to sing the International. While the spirited tunes of the International were carried over the huge hall the Order Committee threw the few disturbers out of the hall The singing finished and Comrade Max Holtz

into the street and for a long while you could still hear the revolutionary songs and the cheers for the Communist Party, for Soviet Germany, for Red Berlin.

FENSIVE! WE MARCH TO VICTORY!"

Being in Germany a few weeks ago, especially in Berlin, we could foresee this tremendous vic tory. The Communist hopes in the election fight were more than realized. Our four and a half million fighting votes were given for Soviet Germany. One million and three hundred thousand more than two years ago. In Berlin and in the other industrial centers the Communist Party overwhelmed the Socialists. The present elec tions are a big step forward towards the Prole-

#### By FRANK HENDERSON

The central task confronting the Fourth National Convention of the Labor Sports Union is the bringing of the revolutionary sports movement from its sectarian isolation to the broad masses of American young workers who are under the influence and control of the bosses' and reform-ist sports' organizations in the U.S. To understand this "sickness of isolation" and effec-tively administer a "cure" it is fundamentally necessary that we analyze our basic shortcom-ings and also the tasks confronting the coming National Cohvention.

Our present form of sports activity (technical isolation) is one of the basic reasons for our general isolation from the American worker sportsmen. We have not organized such appli-activity which would satisfy the needs of the workers' sports movement. Up to the present time the L. S. U. has been hidden from the

proceeded with his brilliant, fiery speech. After the meeting the workers marched out

WIR GREIFEN AN! WE ARE ON THE OF-

# Labor Sports and Mass Work

ganized sufficiently INDEPENDENT sports activity, but has acted too much as a "showman" and "entertainer" for festivals and celebrations of the workers. This is a vulgar distortion of the role of a revolutionary sports organization However, this does not mean that the L. S. U. should not provide wholesome physical culture programs, but that it should organize on a larger scale independent sports tournaments and sports festivals. By limiting ourselves to "program activities" we narrow and isolate ourselves from

the masses of young workers. Open sports meets, particularly open street runs, is one of the best means to bring the L. S. U. and its program to the workers and worker athletes. A splendid example of this is the recent open street run held in connection with the Penn-Ohio district conference. This street run reached tousands of workers who lined the streets of the working class section and also attracted non-L. S. U. members into participation. This form of sports must be en-participation a city, district, and national scale of the workers. Courseling the bosses sports movewith the Penn-Ohio district conference. This American young workers because it has not or- couraged on a city, district, and national scale

**ORGANIZE YOUR SHOP MATES** 

It was for the purpose of placing before all our organizations and members the immediate need of speeding up our organization work, that the National Bureau of the Trade Union Unity League decided upon the basis basis of the AC-TION SLOGAN of "ORGANIZE AND STRIKE AGAINST WAGE CUTS," to draw emphatic at-

tention to this as our central task. One month has elapsed since the national of-

not just a propaganda slogan. You are doing no leagues and the district and local leagues. Our activity should by now be at a peak, all forces engaged in it, perspectives very definite. How-ever, the situation today leads us to frankly say that we are only now starting.

"Organize and Strike Against Wage Cuts" is ot just a propagand sloagn. You are doing no great service if you only write this slogan into your leaflets and shout it from the house tops, or mechanically stick it under the noses of masses of workers. If we are to lead strikes or masses of workers now actually ready to strike, we must plan the strikes. All of our tasks must

and should be held in industrial centers and in

the working class sections of the cities. The popular appeal in sports to the young workers is basebal, basket-ball, volley-ball, boxing, wrestling, soccer, skating and track and field meets. Our past form of sports activity has placed too much emphasis on closed calesthenic and gymnastic meets which has little or no appeal to the American youth. As for sports activity for children, marble tournaments, kite-flying, city block meets, and junior teams in soccer, baseball and basketball must become the form of sports activity which will build the ju-nion sections and junior clubs. THUS WE SEE THAT ONE OF THE CURES FOR OUR ISO-LATION IS A CHANGE IN OUR TECHNICAL SPORTS ACTIVITY.

Another serious shortcoming (isolation from class struggles) of the L. S. U. is its isolation from the struggles of the workers. Firstly, from the general struggles, and, secondly, from sports struggles. The L. S. U. as a working class sports organi-

zation participates and supports the struggles of the workers (strikes-demonstrations), but we cannot record any serious efforts in this respect. We can record any school entries in this respect. May 1st. Aug. 1st, and in Workers' Defense Corps), but this is far from satisfactory. The L. S. U. must be involved more in the general struggles and particularly must the L.S. U. fur-nish a powerful physical-technical force to the building of the Workers' Defense Corps.

Also many of our members are workers in the factories and mines, but we find that no attempt has been made to involve the membership into the task of organizing factory or trade union sports clubs which would assist the building of the revolutionary trade unions of the TUUL in the metal, auto, textile, and mining industries in which militant left-wing strikes and struggles

economic organization, engaging in propaganda as well, instead of as a pure and simple propaganda club, only.

These are questions that must be dealt with at every meeting of leading TUUL committees and affiliations.

And in order to facilitate our tasks, to make it possible to function more efficiently and speedily to build and strike, we must at once gather contributions for the \$100,000 Organize and Strike Campaign. Into the shops, mines and mills with the collections lists. Collect from house to house in working class neighborhoods. Hold affairs. Request sympathetic workers' organizations to contribute. Put the drive for funds on the map. The "Organize and Strike Against Wage Cuts" program is a test of the ability and understanding of all the heads of our national unions and leagues, of every district TUUL secretary and leading committee, of every TUUL affiliation and member. Together we can, by the use of revolutionary strike stategy and action tactics, spike the bosses' guns, and in solidarity with the unemployed workers, march forward to victories.

ment and the State's control through "sports laws" of the official sports movement has been practically zero. The struggle against the bosses' sports movement means the organization of splits and the winning of the young workers from the bosses' controlled sports organizations by raising class issues such as discrimination against Negroes; against official rules and laws directed against the interests of the workers: and the exposing of the fascist and militarist leadership of these sports organizations. This struggle against the bosses sports movement (AAU) will bring us into a fight against the state apparatus-against the Sunday Blue Laws and the authority of the AAU and the State to sanction meets (bosses' sports) and prohibit oth-ers (workers sports) and the fight for the free use of playgrounds and athletic grounds by the workers and workers' children.

The above ills must be remedied through sys tematic education of the membership as to the class division in sports. The bosses use sports for their own class interests (exploitation of the workers, defense of the capitalist state, etc.). The workers must use sports for their class interest,' which means participation in the struggles of the workers against the capitalist state. These are some of the problems before the coming convention. It must be understood that our tasks are not mechanical, nor can they be accomplished over night. These tasks and a change in our work can be accomplished only by (1) a sharp struggle against the bosses' sports movement and the reformists, (2) a deep going change in our technical activity, (3) the education of the membership through educational bul-letins, (4) the fulfillment of international obliga-tions (5) and, above all, a conscious participation in the struggles of the workers. Without ef-fecting these changes we will remain a sectarian organization isolated from the young workers and the class struggle, but by lifting the L. S. U. from its present isolation we will win the Amer-ican young worker sportsmen and will become a vital factor in the struggles of the American working class. Sept. 27, 1930. FRANK HENDERSON.

That there is a dictatorship in the Soviet Union is true, but it is not a dictatorship of any individual. It is the dictatorship of the proletariat, the rule of the working-class through its Party, the Communist Party. That is, the workers in alliance with the poorer peasantry, own all industries and the land and govern the countrythe social parasite classes such as rich farmers. the few remaining capitalists, clericals and other non-producers being denied the right of citizen ship. The difference between the proletarian dictatorship in the Soviet Union and the capitalist dictatorships; which rule all other countries, is that the former carries on the government and the whole social process in the interest of the great mass of producers, while the latter exploits the toiling masses for the benefit of the capitalist class who own the great industries, the banks, etc.

#### REAL Democracy

Contrary to such capitalist politicians as Wheeler, the only real democracy in the world today (not for capitalist parasites but for useful workers directly control every phase of social activity. In the industries and in their general political life they criticize and direct the industrial and political policies with a thoroughness utterly unknown in capitalist countries. Their great Communist Party, gigantic trade unions and immense co-operatives, all democratically controlled, have no equal in other countries.

In such a Workers' Republic a dictator is abso-utely impossible. And Stalin is not a dictator. He is the foremost leader of the Russian Com-munist Party, indeed, of the world revolutionary movement. He is "the best pupil of Lenin," the clearest Marxian of the present day. Stalin en-joys great prestige. This he has won by his life time of splendid revolutionary service. Especially has his work been outstanding since the death of Lenin in 1924, when Stalin, far more than any other figure, has been able to find and forge ahead upon the correct path of socialist develop-ment through the maze of difficulties and dangers confronting the revolution in this crucial period.

#### Free Speech in the U.S.S.R.

It is a plain lie when capitalist apologists say, "there is no free speech in Russia" and that no one dares speak out. The fact is there is more real rank and file political discussion in the Soviet Union then any half dozen capitalist countries. Time and again the masses of workers have been plunged into great discussions of the terrific problems that have faced the revolution. Typical of these were the great debates over the questions raised by Trotsky and Bucharin. This is quite aside from the instant flood of rank and self-criticism of every Soviet activity. Such discussions penetrate into every factory, every village, every army unit, etc., with a thoroughness and intensity quite unknown in any other coun-try. Then the great rank and file of the Party speaks and the issue is decided. So, democrati-cally, works the Communist Party of the Soviet Unio

In the Soviet Union leadership depends upon ability to see the right road and to lead the masses militantly along it. Failure by any individual, however great may have been his past services, to meet these severe requirements means his limination as a leader. This is the iron law

an agent is responsible to the principal (See Blackstone on Common Law).

Of course, there is a tradition in many districts that a new Daily Worker agent being put in, automatically wipes out all debts owed before the revolution. The new agent starts off with the Year One. A moratorium, which the Daily Worker advocates, that farmers enforce against mortgage bankers, is mistaken by all new Daily Worker agents as applying to bills for Dailies sent their predecessor. And with three rousing cheers the D. O.s pass the buck on all responsibility for such little things as big debts.

But here, in the case of Philadelphia, we have the oldest Daily Worker agent in captivity. And the oldest Daily worker agent in capturity. And the Business Office is puzzled as to which is worse, to have a new agent come in and repudiate all debts of former governments, or to have an old one who, after getting Daily Workers for more than a year, in which the debt bequeathed by his predecessor of some \$900 has been suc-cessfully increased to about \$2,000, responds to entreaties for payment that the Daily Worker owes him money!

We have heard praises, undoubtedly justified, as to the way he has organized distribution to get the maximum sales, though 250 per day is not overly much. Anyhow, 250 per day are sent, and billed at One Cent per copy. Sometimes special editions are taken in larger lots.

Perhaps not all are sold at the rate of Three Cents. But it is getting beyond Business Office arithmetic when it is informed that after sending out papers at One Cent a copy to an amount of \$1,000 total, to have a middleman between it and the workers who pay Three Cents a copy, tell it that it owes him money for the job. The bookkeeper went over "Jalue, Price and Profit" by Marx, but couldn't and any reference to such economic mysteries.

The puzzle was referred to a Lenin School graduate, who settled the matter by referring to Robert Louis Stevenson's book, "Treasure Island," the best pirate story we know of. And the most adorable character in it is a roistering philosopher named Old John Silver. He was the best of the lot, but he was a pirate.

of proletarian revolutionary leadership. Only the progress of the revolution counts; no personality can stand in the way of that.

Trotsky and Bucharin performed excellent revolutionary work during certain periods and they enjoyed great prestige, but when they proposed policies hostile to the revolution and stubbornly refused to correct their wrong line they had to go, and go they did by the almost unanimous action of the Party membership-Bucharin into a position of minor importance and Trotsky, because of his openly counter-revolutionary stand, into oblivion.

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