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Still Harder!

ONLY six days remain before election day—November 4th! Much has been done during the past few weeks. Many workers who previously followed the republican, democratic and "socialist" parties—the three parties of capitalism—have been broken away. They are now energetically working with the Communist Party in its efforts to rally broad mass support for the Communist candidates on November 4th and to further develop the struggle of the workers for bread.

The demonstrations in Cleveland, Boston, New York and Detroit were particularly effective. Many thousands of workers, through these demonstrations, saw through the lying "relief" propaganda of the bosses and their political aides. They rejected the pre-election offer of charity from the bosses and categorically demanded unemployment insurance. They actually experienced the first stages of the bosses' plans to crush the rising struggle of the unemployed for immediate relief. They are thoroughly convinced that republicans, democrats and "socialists," alike, are agents of the capitalists, helping them to further worsen the conditions of the masses.

Many additional thousands of workers have been won for the fighting program of the Communist Party in the shops and factories. The persistent slashing of wages, the killing tempo of the speed-up, and the growth in part-time work, together with the more and more open betrayals by the A. F. of L. and "socialist" trade union bureaucracy, have all contributed to the disillusionment of the masses and to their increasing readiness to rally under Communist leadership for a fight against these unbearable conditions.

Many Negro and foreign born workers mercilessly hounded and discriminated against by the old parties, have found in the Communist Party a body that militantly fights for their demands. The fight against lynching, the fight against deportation, have made many Negro and foreign born workers stalwart defenders of our Party.

A review of our work clearly shows that a great gain has been made in the mass influence of the party among the workers. The Communist vote on November 4th will be much greater than in previous elections.

But much more can and must be done!

In the remaining six days, when all the capitalist candidates and newspapers are trying their hardest to confuse and line up the workers, the party of every Communist and every Communist sympathizer must be increased many fold. Our efforts in the factories and among the unemployed, among the Negro and among the foreign born workers must be redoubled.

Great election rallies must be held everywhere such as will take place in New York's Union Square on November 3rd.

On election day, November 4th, every worker must vote and see that his shop and neighbor also goes to the polls to "Vote Communist!"

And finally local organizations everywhere must see that checkers are in every voting booth to see that the votes of the workers are counted. Rally for a week of the hardest work the Party has ever done!

Fake Fight

CHICAGO furnishes a good example of the fight which the white capitalist politicians regularly make before every election to win the Negro votes and of the little concern which they have for the conditions of the Negroes after election.

"Big Bill" Thompson, Chicago's grafting mayor, has regularly posed in every election as a "friend of the Negro." With the help of Bishop Carey and Oscar De Priest he has regularly carried Chicago's Negro South Side.

But last summer Thompson's administration drove the same Negroes—its "friends" before election—off of certain bathing beaches and limited certain beaches to their use. In many other ways the city administration furthered the systematic discrimination and persecution against the Negro masses. But because Thompson was able to use De Priest and Carey he was able to smooth over and explain away the anti-Negro acts of his administration.

When the Communists, however, began to organize the Negroes of the South Side, together with the whites, for struggle against the unbearable conditions to which they were subjected, the true color of the Thompson gang became clear to many Negroes. After the influence of the Communists was clearly seen to be growing, Thompson's chief of detectives declared:

"Keep away from those G... D... niggers, or I'll destroy your organization and every G... D... one of you."

And now, six months later, the Chicago police department is sending its patrolmen around to Negro churches trying to line up the votes of the Negroes that they then called "G... D... niggers."

De Priest, temporarily on the outs with Thompson who is for the moment supporting the democratic senatorial candidate, is visiting the churches in support of the republicans.

But all of these efforts, the fight between Thompson and De Priest, are primarily efforts to keep the Negroes away from the Communists. They are efforts to befuddle the Negro workers, by a fake fight, into believing that they can secure something from the republicans, democrats or "socialists."

The Negro masses, to an increasing extent however, are beginning to see through the fakery of these "friends" and their own misleaders. They are rallying more and more behind the Communist Party which fights for the workers continuously—before and after elections! These Negroes will vote Communist November 4th!

"FEAR" KANCHOW TAKEN BY REDS

Chinese Communist Army Advances

NEW YORK—"Fears" are expressed in cable dispatches from Hongkong to capitalist newspapers here that Kanchow, a city of 250,000 population in Kiangsi province, has been taken by the Red Army. The Associated Press dispatch states that all efforts to communicate with the Kanchow wireless station, which is within the city wall, have failed, leading to the conclusion that the Communist army has captured this important city.

On October 6, the Red Army took Kian, four days' march from Kanchow, and has been concentrating its forces for a drive on the latter city. The same cable tells of the futile efforts of two of Chiang Kai Shek's gunboats to quiet Red Army batteries along the Yangtze river. Another report from Hankow states that the city of Nachowtung, in northern Hunan province, has fallen to the Red Army.

The cable from Hongkong also tells of a Communist military academy at Tungko, 100 miles eastward of

Seattle Police Try to Prevent Exposure of Capitalism

SEATTLE, Oct. 28.—Several workers were arrested here last night for giving out leaflets announcing a Communist election campaign meeting.

After spending 22 hours in jail, the workers were dismissed, the prosecuting attorney not being sure about the "law" by which the bosses courts were trying to hamper the Communist election campaign. The confiscated leaflets were not returned, however.

Kanchow, "where Red leaders are trained in modern warfare."

United States Consul General Frank P. Lockhart, at Peiping, is peddling a series of stories of "bandits holding foreigners for ransom," as a preliminary to a greater drive of armed intervention by the imperialist powers.

The onward drive of the Red Army in China shows the growing strength of the Communist movement, which is not only consolidating its power in the wide territory already under Soviet rule, but is making rapid progress in every direction. The Red Army is growing in unity, equipment, military experience and effectiveness.

Vote as You Fight! Against Hunger! Class Against Class! Vote Communist!

Sudden Discovery of Unemployment Just Before Election

Workers! Jobless and employed! Have you noticed the sudden astonishing interest which all the capitalists and their political parties have suddenly taken in you—just as Election Day nears?

Up till the middle of October, not a one of these liars but what what tried to hide the number of the unemployed. Tried to lie to you. Tried to kid you along that "prosperity" was coming back.

Only the Communists told you the truth. Told you that this depression is different from others. Told you that it may go on for years. Told you and still tell you that little "prosperity" there ever was for you will never come back as it was before so long as capitalists rule.

Suddenly—Hoover discovers an "unemployment emergency" which he has all along denied existed. Suddenly—the Tammany democrats begin making funny noises about "relief." Suddenly—the fake "socialists" trot out a fake proposal to prevent workers from fighting and voting for the Communist proposal for real, for substantial, relief and unemployment insurance.

But you will remember, workers, that only the Communist Party began fighting, has fought and will continue to fight for jobless relief. That only the Communists have taken the clubbings of the police to get bread, clothing, shelter, for the unemployed!

Remember March 6th! The Communists led the fight for "Work or Wages." Remember the workers



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clubbed by police in Democratic New York. Tear-gassed in Republican Washington, D. C., right at the door of the White House! Blackjacked and jailed in "socialist" Milwaukee! The workers led by the Communist Party on one side! On the other side the interests of the capitalists—protected by the city, state and national government run by Republicans, Democrats and "socialists!" Class against Class!

200 Districts to Meet at China Soviet Congress on December 11

To Represent Population of 30,000,000; Red Army, With 100,000 Advances All Along the Line

SHANGHAI, Oct. 28.—The First Congress of Soviets of China has been called to meet on December 11, the anniversary of the Canton Insurrection of 1927. Originally called for May 30th, the delegation from all the Soviet districts could not get together at that time, and the May 30th meeting was turned into a preparatory Conference. At present the Soviet Power has been established in 200 districts, comparable with what are called counties in America, with a population of 30 millions, with a Red Army of more than 100,000, and connections between these districts are rapidly being set up and perfected. Imperial intervention against the Soviet forces has failed to stop their growth, proving equally futile

700 WORKERS AT BUFFALO MEET

Big Crowd for Foster in Spite of Terror

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 28.—In spite of the fact that the Buffalo republican party city administration initiated a terror campaign against the Communist Party which culminated in the rail on the Party Headquarters in the day previous to his arrival, hundreds upon hundreds of workers came to the meetings to hear the message of the Communist Party through the Communist candidate for Governor, William Z. Foster.

Over 700 workers participated at the two meetings, at which Foster pointed out, "The Socialist Party is the third Party of capitalism, serving the interests of those who are exploiting the working class, who are throwing millions of workers on the streets to starve." Workers understood that not only the Republican and Democratic Party, but also the Socialist Party is their enemy. They demonstrated and cheered the Soviet Union, and showed their readiness to not only vote Communist on Nov. 4, but also to follow the leadership of the Communist Party in the fight and struggle for Unemployment Insurance, higher wages, shorter hours, and against evictions, race discrimination and mass unemployment, and to organize and strike against wage cuts.

JOBLESS WORKERS CALL TO SUPPORT THE M.W.I.U.

NEW YORK.—The Down Town Council of the Unemployed meeting yesterday at 27 East Fourth St., passed a resolution declaring solidarity with the Marine Workers' Industrial Union as the only organization in the industry organizing the workers there to fight against unbearable conditions of wage slavery, boss rule and resolving also that the Unemployed Councils joins the fight not only for better conditions but for the ultimate overthrow of the system by which workers are enslaved.

Workers Starve, Officials Live High on Cruise of 'Booker T. Washington'

In his vicious exploitation of the Negro workers in his employ, his barefaced robbery of their wages, his utter disregard of their comfort, his policy of starving them rather than spend one dollar if he could help it, there is not one bit of difference between Marcus Garvey, the "liberator" (from their money) of the Negro masses and the most vicious Negro-hating white capitalist exploiter.

No wonder the Negro seaman author of this series of articles is disgusted with his "over-fat, paunchy" appearance, his pomposity and pretense. No wonder the Negro masses are turning from this adventurer as it daily becomes clear that he has betrayed their struggles against imperialist oppression, that instead of militant struggle against the imperialist enemy, he preaches "loyalty to all

ORDER SERIO TO DEATH IN ITALY

U.S. to Hand Him Over to Fascists

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—The Department of Labor has ordered the deportation of Guido Serio to Italy by refusing to grant a "voluntary departure." This decision by the immigration officials spells a certain death for Serio because of his activity in Italy in the militant movement against the fascists. The pressure to deport him from the United States has been brought to bear by Mussolini and every move made by the International Labor Defense in behalf of Serio has been carefully watched by the Italian fascists.

Carol Weiss King, acting in behalf of the I.L.D., is going before Federal Judge William Bondy and demand a writ of habeas corpus which was instituted two weeks ago but delayed by the judge on the ground that the immigration department should "use common sense" in such cases and permit voluntary departure, meaning that Serio can go any place he chooses, but must leave the United States.

The I.L.D. will demand his immediate release from Ellis Island so he can depart to whatever country he chooses to go in order to avoid a certain death at the hands of the Italian government.

Only Communist Party Really Fights for the Unemployed

Suddenly these hypocrites all discover an emergency. Just before Election Day! They used to answer the workers' demand for Unemployment Insurance by saying: "No charity; no dole!"

But now, when they are forced to say something to catch votes, all they promise even now is rotten charity: soup kitchens, bread lines; beds in jail, part time work at part time wages. All they promise even now is hunger, misery and starvation.

With millions jobless for a year, all the foke "socialists" propose is what amounts to not more than \$10 a week for only 26 weeks and the employed workers must pay even that!

Only the Communist Party demands, and will fight after the election, in Congress and outside Congress, for real relief, for Unemployment Insurance pay; not less than \$25 a week, with \$5 additional for each family dependent, and the entire cost must be paid by taxes on the rich—all funds administered by workers only!

Workers! Be warned against capitalist election promises! Only Communists will fight for Unemployment Insurance and real, immediate relief, after the election! Just as they fought for it before elections. Vote Communist!

Woods' Record Shows Him Experienced Police Thug

His Policy Will be "Blackjacks and Breadlines for Unemployed;" Is One of the Leading Parasites in U. S.

By J. BARNETT Who is Col. Woods that Hoover picked to lead the bosses' fight against the 9,000,000 unemployed facing starvation this winter? Woods is an experienced police clubber of strikers. He has long experience in jailing unemployed workers. His experience fits right in with the Hoover policy of "blackjacks, bayonets and breadlines" for the starving workers.

In the great transit strike of 1916 Woods aided the bosses in bringing loads of strikebreakers from all over the country. A New York Times item of this period states: "Scores of men were knocked down by the police with their clubs and several arrests made." "They (the strikers) were charged repeatedly by the police." All this was on orders from Woods, and with his knowledge. At one time Woods had 6,700 cops on strike duty, with orders to club and arrest wholesale.

In the 1914 crisis, Woods showed what his policy is toward the unemployed. He arrested all unemployed he could lay his hands on for "vagrance." A few he turned over to the "Welfare agencies." Others he ordered out of town, with threats of a jail term—for being out of a job. He believes in fingerprinting all workers.

Woods is not only an experienced slugger of workers, but is one of the leading parasites who fatten on the

HOOVER CALLS MILITIA TO PREPARE FOR ATTACK ON JOBLESS WORKERS

SHOPMEN LAID OFF 1,400 NEW HAVEN

NEW YORK.—Widespread layoffs in the railroad industry give the lie to the Hoover bunk about prosperity being near again and the crisis about over. The entire force of the Readville car and locomotive shops of the New Haven railroad are thrown out of work for ten days. There are 1,400 of them. For the last four months they have been working only three or four days a week. The layoff includes even the clerical force at the plant.

The company has been kidding these workers along for weeks with the story that part time was only very temporary, and business would be better soon. Then it slapped them in the face with a complete lay off.

Arthur P. Russell, vice president of the New Haven, laughed at reporters who asked why the lay off and said, "I haven't been around to my office often enough recently to know much about it."

The New Haven unemployment comes on the heels of a layoff of 6,000 New York Central shopmen, announced Oct. 16.

Legion Wants Jobless Forced Into Army for Next War

NEW YORK.—Revelations are coming out of what is going on behind Hoover's "hunger committee" headed by the former police chief and clubber of workers, Col. Woods. While Woods fills the capitalist press with a lot of bunk about organization for relief "in case matters get worse," the Hoover government is mobilizing its police and military force against expected "bloodshed and rioting" this winter when 9,000,000 jobless men and women will face starvation and death by freezing.

A dispatch from Washington by the United Press correspondent Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., writes:

"It is understood, in fact, that adjutant generals of the National Guard have been advised to be in readiness to cope with any mass activities favoring of subversive propaganda. (Such as demands for real unemployment insurance to be paid out of the bosses' profits). I am informed that these orders were sent from Washington to the governors of all the states."

This is the policy that is being consistently followed by the Woods' committee. On the surface it prepares for longer breadlines, and behind the scenes it strengthens its police and military force to be ready not only with blackjacks and clubs for the unemployed who refuse to starve but with plenty of bayonets and bullets.

The American Legion in Milwaukee (Continued on Page 3)

WELCOME BURLAK IN HUGE MEETS

Throughout New England by Workers

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 28.—Ann Burlak, one of the six workers indicted in Atlanta for organizing Negro and white workers into militant unions without discrimination as to color, has just completed the most successful trip under the auspices of the International Labor Defense, ever undertaken in New England territory.

Factory towns in these various states responded with large meetings, enthusiastically greeting Ann Burlak who spoke on the Atlanta "insurrection" cases and other persecutions going on at present throughout the country.

At all her meetings, the halls were packed to capacity and the workers responded in a fashion which left no doubts in anyone's mind as to the determination of militant workers to guard against repetition of the Saco and Vanzetti murder. Even the capitalist press was forced to pay attention to these meetings, and in places where the police were always known to break up mass meetings they kept their hands off because of the fighting spirit of the workers.

29 Miners Entombed Thru Gas Explosion in McAlester, Okla.

McALESTER, Okla., Oct. 28.—Twenty-nine miners are buried alive and may still be alive in the lower levels of Wheatley No. 4 coal mine since an explosion last night. There is practically no hope of saving them, because the gas is so thick rescue crews were driven out entirely today. Several rescue workers were overcome by fumes. One, John Moore, was carried out unconscious. Before they had to leave, they saw four dead bodies on the sixteenth level. One man, William Donnelly, was killed at the head of the shaft by the explosion which entombed the 29 others.

This is but another of the perpetual slaughters of miners by greedy employers who forced them to work in gassy mines, in constant danger of death. One of the main points in the demands of the Mine, Oil and Smelter Workers' Industrial Union is safety underground.

The United Mine Workers of America agrees with the bosses to keep conditions dangerous in the mines.

Day's News from Capitalist Hell

Boss wives, dissipated, gangly, drag their burdens of gold, silver and pearl into the Metropolitan barn at the trifling entrance fee of \$20,000 while their salami-cheeked boy friends broaden the base for starvation by introducing the stagger system into new territory.

Workers! Don't starve in a breadline and watch wealth slip by in diamond tiaras! Smash the bandit system! Vote Communist!

Rush final orders for Special Election Campaign Editions. Midwest edition Thursday; Connecticut edition Friday; Eastern edition Saturday.

Readers! Your own order? 30 cents a hundred. Or to 60,000 news full tables page 4 today.

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# NEGRO WORKERS! VOTE COMMUNIST!

## VOTE AGAINST THE BOSSES LYNCING TERROR AND MASS UNEMPLOYMENT! VOTE FOR FIGHT ON LYNCING AND FOR SOCIAL INSURANCE TO EVERY JOBLESS WORKER!

By RYAN WALKER.

### Vladeck Social-Fascist, Calls for Race Prejudice

#### Appeals for Votes of Jews in Tammany Mouthpiece

NEW YORK—All for Vladeck for Congress, "every Jew who considers his vote a serious matter, must vote for Vladeck."

That's how an advertisement running in the Jewish Tammany organ today reads. As on a previous occasion, Vladeck in appealing for votes through advertising in that Tammany paper again hides his identity. There is no mention of the words "socialist," or "socialist party," in their advertisement.

There's hardly any candidate or any of the other capitalist parties showing such rottenness as Vladeck, Brown, Thomas and others are displaying in the present election campaign. Brown began by advertising

in the organ of Wall St. and Park Ave., the Herald Tribune, that he is not a Communist. On his posters as well as on the posters for Norman Thomas, the name of their party is omitted. Now Vladeck again is advertising for votes in the Tammany paper and appealing in the name of his Jewishness to "every Jew."

Jacob Panken, another "socialist" now arguing with the Tammany candidate, Sirovich, as to whether Mrs. Panken buys kosher meat or not, has made a speech at Stuyvesant High School Sunday afternoon, identifying himself with the Zionist and other Jewish nationalists in their present outcry against the MacDonald government which has stopped immigrants to Pleasantin and has concluded a political deal with the representatives of the Arabian bourgeoisie in the interests of British imperialism.

### THE ADVENTURES OF BILL WORKER

—Is That So?—



### MASS VIOLATION OF INJUNCTIONS

#### Picket Zelgreen Again 21 Arrested

NEW YORK.—Hundreds of workers packed the sidewalk in front of the Zelgreen Cafeteria, 217 West 34th St., yesterday in open mass violation of the injunction against picketing.

They were attacked by police on foot, horseback, in the riot wagon and on motorcycles. Twenty-one were arrested, one being badly beaten up by a whole squad of cops before he was thrown into the riot wagon. He was a worker, Napoleon, recently beaten up by police on a picket line. One woman picket was cuffed and struck, and arrested.

#### Struggle Goes On

The fight will go on! This is but the first round of a determined struggle of the militant workers of New York to smash the injunction evil by mass violation. There is no other way. The A. F. L. and the bosses cooperate to get injunctions against the strikers in every strike, and those who try to picket are jailed under Paragraph 600 of the Penal Code, providing sentences for violation of an injunction.

Mass violation of the injunctions, or loss of the right to strike—slavery—peonage and a fascist rule through court orders by the bosses and the A. F. L. misleaders, with continually worsening conditions—that is the question before the workers of New York!

There will be mass picket demonstrations—mass violation of the injunction—every day at noon at Zelgreen's cafeteria! All out to help the Food Workers picket! All out today!

#### Foster Speaks

The Communist Party election rally Thursday, Oct. 30, in Cooper Union, at which William Z. Foster, candidate for governor on the Communist ticket, will be a speaker, will be also mainly an anti-injunction mobilization. Foster will leave his upstate tour, and rush back to New York in order to take part in this most important struggle. A Communist vote is a protest against injunctions.

#### Serve Injunction

The demonstration yesterday was led by "Slim" Welsh, carrying strike placards. Eight or ten police were already on the ground, and their leader rushed up and served a lengthy copy of the subpoena on the picket. Welsh walked up and down reading it, still wearing the placards, and then tore it into ribbons. The police pounced on him, the four or five hundred demonstrators who had been clustering around jeered the cops, and began to march back and forth, singing "Solidarity."

The police attacks several times cleared a space in front of the cafeteria, but the pickets always swarmed back, in spite of everything the cops could do—and cops kept getting thicker and thicker. The patrol wagon arrived some time after the green "emergency wagon" and carried the arrested workers away during a chorus of "Boos" given the police by the crowd.

#### Jeer Police Sluggers

The sidewalk across the street was jammed for half a long block with spectators, many of whom jeered the police when they saw cops slugging women workers, or engaged in some other brutality against the pickets. Mounted police finally rode their horses off the sidewalk among the spectators across the street to drive them away.

#### Workers followed those arrested to Jefferson Market court where they were given a hearing yesterday afternoon, and 15 dismissed, the judge saying that he "did not want to advertise the Reds." Storms of laughter and a demonstration from the defendants answered him from the workers in the audience.

Six were held, charged with violating "Paragraph 600." Among them were "Slim" Welsh, Lalapoff and Rose Rosen. (Names of the

### BRAZIL REDS LEAD PROTEST

#### Call on Workres to Fight Boss Cliques

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#### I. L. D. In Fight

A statement issued yesterday by the District Office of the International Labor Defense reads as follows: "The International Labor Defense is behind these workers in their struggle against the courts in their right to picket and protect their class interests against the employers of labor. The courts in issuing these injunctions are attempting to cripple the unions in their daily battle for the right to live and their fight for shorter hours and higher wages. The I. L. D. will give their support to the workers in this militant fight and battle with these unions against any sort of suppression hindering them in their organization."

### DEFY POLICE TO WELCOME AMTER Phila. Workers Smash Cossack Cordon

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 28.—The reception of Israel Amter, one of the leaders of the New York Unemployed Delegation, at the Broad Street Station by 400 workers who broke through the police cordon, carried him on their shoulders, singing, cheering, was the most enthusiastic for years. The entire group, whose number increased continuously, marched down through the working class streets to the Broadway Arena, holding the banners aloft, distributing leaflets, with the police not daring to interfere. Another parade, consisting of automobiles and trucks went through other parts of the city, with a band playing revolutionary songs.

The rally, attended by over 1,200 workers, was equally enthusiastic. Beside Comrade Amter, there were several other speakers, including Bill Lawrence, District T.U.U.L. Secretary facing 20 years after he was found guilty on sedition, Richard B. Moore, Sadie Van Veen, H. Rothwell, of the Y.C.L., with E. Gardos, District Organizer acting as chairman. Several applications were secured for the Party and also for watchers.

The rally adopted two resolutions: one on the immediate repeal of the Flynn sedition law and the freeing of Lawrence, and another demanding the establishment of an emergency relief fund of fifty million dollars by the city.

### Red revolutionists, see that your unit, section, district, organization is in action. Get behind the Daily Worker campaign for 60,000 readers.

### Workers Calendar

- BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.**  
A Daily Worker Ball will be held on Thanksgiving Eve, Nov. 26, under the auspices of the Communist Party with the aid of the workers' organization. The hall will be announced later. Do not arrange other affairs for that date.
- Philadelphia, Pa.**  
Philadelphia will celebrate the 15th anniversary of the Russian Revolution on November 7, 8 p. m., at the Broadway Arena. All workers are invited.
- Akron**  
Slide pictures of "Boss Terrors" with lecture by Jack Rose, Sunday, Nov. 2, at 7:30 p. m., at the Ukrainian Home, 562 Corlies St. Admission 15 cents.
- Washington and Oregon**  
Fred Walker, one of the Portland defendants charged with criminal syndicalism will tour this district under the auspices of the I.L.D. The tour takes in the following:  
Oct. 27, 28, Astoria, Ore.; Oct. 29, 30, Clatskanie, Oct. 31, Kelso and Longview, Nov. 1, Hood River; Nov. 2, 3, Hood River; Nov. 4, 5, Roseburg; Nov. 7, 8, Portland; Nov. 9, 10, Aberdeen, Grays Harbor; Nov. 11, 12,

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A statement issued yesterday by the District Office of the International Labor Defense reads as follows: "The International Labor Defense is behind these workers in their struggle against the courts in their right to picket and protect their class interests against the employers of labor. The courts in issuing these injunctions are attempting to cripple the unions in their daily battle for the right to live and their fight for shorter hours and higher wages. The I. L. D. will give their support to the workers in this militant fight and battle with these unions against any sort of suppression hindering them in their organization."

### DEFY POLICE TO WELCOME AMTER Phila. Workers Smash Cossack Cordon

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 28.—The reception of Israel Amter, one of the leaders of the New York Unemployed Delegation, at the Broad Street Station by 400 workers who broke through the police cordon, carried him on their shoulders, singing, cheering, was the most enthusiastic for years. The entire group, whose number increased continuously, marched down through the working class streets to the Broadway Arena, holding the banners aloft, distributing leaflets, with the police not daring to interfere. Another parade, consisting of automobiles and trucks went through other parts of the city, with a band playing revolutionary songs.

The rally, attended by over 1,200 workers, was equally enthusiastic. Beside Comrade Amter, there were several other speakers, including Bill Lawrence, District T.U.U.L. Secretary facing 20 years after he was found guilty on sedition, Richard B. Moore, Sadie Van Veen, H. Rothwell, of the Y.C.L., with E. Gardos, District Organizer acting as chairman. Several applications were secured for the Party and also for watchers.

The rally adopted two resolutions: one on the immediate repeal of the Flynn sedition law and the freeing of Lawrence, and another demanding the establishment of an emergency relief fund of fifty million dollars by the city.

### Red revolutionists, see that your unit, section, district, organization is in action. Get behind the Daily Worker campaign for 60,000 readers.

### Workers Calendar

- BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.**  
A Daily Worker Ball will be held on Thanksgiving Eve, Nov. 26, under the auspices of the Communist Party with the aid of the workers' organization. The hall will be announced later. Do not arrange other affairs for that date.
- Philadelphia, Pa.**  
Philadelphia will celebrate the 15th anniversary of the Russian Revolution on November 7, 8 p. m., at the Broadway Arena. All workers are invited.
- Akron**  
Slide pictures of "Boss Terrors" with lecture by Jack Rose, Sunday, Nov. 2, at 7:30 p. m., at the Ukrainian Home, 562 Corlies St. Admission 15 cents.
- Washington and Oregon**  
Fred Walker, one of the Portland defendants charged with criminal syndicalism will tour this district under the auspices of the I.L.D. The tour takes in the following:  
Oct. 27, 28, Astoria, Ore.; Oct. 29, 30, Clatskanie, Oct. 31, Kelso and Longview, Nov. 1, Hood River; Nov. 2, 3, Hood River; Nov. 4, 5, Roseburg; Nov. 7, 8, Portland; Nov. 9, 10, Aberdeen, Grays Harbor; Nov. 11, 12,

### All Red Candidates to Be at Mass Rally in Union Sq.

NEW YORK.—The biggest red election demonstration of the present campaign, surpassing even the great demonstration at Madison Square Garden, will take place Monday, Nov. 3rd, at 5 p. m., on Union Square. Here the Communist candidates will appear before the workers of New York with a final message before the polls open.

### URGENT LEATHER WORKERS FIGHT TUUL Voices Demands of Rank and File

NEW YORK.—The Fancy Leather Goods Workers group of the Trade Union Unity League was issued to the members of the International Pocket Book Workers' Union which starts its convention Oct. 31, a call to action against the treacherous policies of the socialist and A.F.L. group in control of the union and of the convention.

The statement of the T.U.U.L. describes the speed up, constantly growing more severe among pocket-book makers and cutters, more machinery displacing workers, without any provision, to take care of those forced out, terror, blacklisting and espionage.

#### Real Demands.

The T.U.U.L. group outlines the demands which class conscious workers must fight for, which an honest leadership would mobilize them to fight for: seven-hour, five-day week without overtime; week work, no section work; abolition of the helper system (which is a wage cutting scheme); minimum wages for mechanics and helpers; unemployment insurance to be paid by the bosses and the state, and administered by the workers.

The T.U.U.L. calls for a union based on shop committees, shop delegate system of representation, rank and file organization committees.

The group points out that none of these things can be expected from the administration of the union, which, during the year it has been in office shows itself as rotten as the old clique, pursuing a policy of compromise and class collaboration at the expense of the workers. They refuse to keep their promise to reinstate the suspended members of the union.

### FIGHT ON SERIO, VIKUKEL EXILE

NEW YORK.—The deportation of Serio, Vikukel and the wholesale arrests of foreign born at the Communist ratification convention in Oregon will be protested at a mass meeting at the Central Opera House, Sunday afternoon, 2 p. m. on Nov. 2, under the auspices of the District Council for the Protection of Foreign-Born.

Arrests and deportations on a large scale is going on throughout the United States without any organized attempt on part of workers to stop it. A mass movement is now fast gathering force to halt deportations and protect the rights of foreign-born workers to organize into unions and militant organizations without persecutions on part of the department of immigration.

At the Central Opera House meeting, the speakers will be, J. Louis Engdahl, lieutenant governor on the Communist Party ticket, N. J. Olgin, editor of the Freiheit, R. Saltzman, National Secretary of the Council for Protection of Foreign-Born and Samuel L. Darcy, Assistant Secretary of the International Labor Defense. S. Horwitz Secretary District Council will act as chairman.

Vote Communist!

### NEW YORK ANTI-LYNCH MEETING

#### Many Organizations Answering ANLC Call

Tomorrow night delegates from many working-class organizations, shop committees, etc., will gather in St. Luke's Hall, 125 West 130th St., to protect the lynching terror of the bosses which has already claimed 38 working-class victims for the year, and to cut a program of struggle against lynching.

### TO RUN RACE FOR RED DRIVE SUN. Young Communists to Start in Bronx

NEW YORK.—The Young Communist League, New York District, is arranging a "Vote Communist" race for the coming Sunday all through Greater New York. The race will start at 1:30 p. m. at Bryant Ave., Bronx and will wind up in the evening at 27 E. 4th St., downtown. Another group will start from 105 Thatford Ave., Brooklyn, 2:30 and will arrive at 27 E. 4th St., downtown, at the same time when the Bronx race will be wound up. At a number of stations in Bronx, Harlem, Yorkville, Brownsville, Brooklyn and Williamsburgh, each of the racing teams will be relieved by other teams waiting for their turn in the race.

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LETTERS FROM THE SHOPS

TAMMANY MAN IN BOWERY TRIES TO SPLIT JOBLESS

Offers \$2 for Each Vote for Bosses

(By a Worker Correspondent) NEW YORK.—I was working in Ford's in Kearny, N. J. Six months ago the manager of the plant called 2500 men and told them that production has been cut down and as a consequence all were to be laid off.

On the Bowery Now. So I'm one of them and for six months I have been looking for a job all over Jersey City and New York but could not find a job of any kind. So today I'm living in Bowery St. The other day it was a cold day. In order to get some warmth I went into a mill house. There I found a good looking man well dressed. He was talking to a bunch of couple dozen men. Which he saw me he stopped and asked me what I was looking for. So I told him my condition and he says alright, you are one of us.

Agitating Chauvinism. So saying he started to speak again. I tell you fellows what we need is a third, I don't mean the socialist or the Communist Party. They are all foreigners and that's why I'm telling you to vote the democratic party. Because after November 4 our government is going to take all these foreigners and put all on ships and we don't care if they drown in the middle of the ocean. The result of all this will be that here in this country there is going to be lots of work only for us Americans.

To Buy Votes. At this point he lowered his voice and said: are you all registered. Everybody said yes. So he said, when you go vote there'll be a man that if you'll vote for the democratic party he'll give you two dollars.

He left the place. I followed him. I saw him enter a 9 floor building and I read the sign: Salvation Army hotel with two big signs:

Babson's Hook. "Business Depression is Caused by Dissipation, Dishonesty, Disobedience to God's Will a General Collapse of Moral Character—Roger W. Babson."

"Business Depression is Cured by Moral Awakening, Spiritual Revival and Righteousness—Roger Babson."

I went in and saw the same guy was talking to crowd of about hundred men, all unemployed.

Spinach Rancher Goes Belly Up (By a Worker Correspondent) SACRAMENTO, Cal.—W. Green at Courtland Colusa County, fruit grower and spinach rancher, went broke and could not pay his debts nor his employees.

The Farmers and Merchants National Bank had a title mortgage on his property and between the bank and the spinach growers' association put him in a bad shape.

"Farmer-Laborites" Play With Issues (By a Worker Correspondent) STILLWATER, Minn.—Am enclosing you a few notes, being issued by the Minnesota Federation of Labor and the Farmer Laborites (age pensions at 70 with numerous limitations, etc.).

They are all bubbles. Give them hell. Make it so hot for the seat of their pants that they will give up their fake issues.

Try Stop Veteran Selling the "Daily" (By a Worker Correspondent) SEATTLE, Wash.—I was selling Daily Workers, and had five under my arm, when a stool-pigeon grabbed the papers from behind tearing two of them. I was quick enough to get all of the papers back except one. While he was doing this a cop was looking on, but did nothing to stop the stool-pigeon. It looked as if the cop wanted me to get into a fight so that he could arrest me.

After this I went up town to sell the papers, when a man came up to me and tried to pick a fight. Just then a plain clothes man came up and said to me, "Keep still or I will put you in jail!" I told him I was an ex-soldier out of work, and I was doing this to get something to eat. Then he threw a lot of questions at me which I refused to answer—about membership in the Communist Party, etc. Then he said, "Why don't you sell 'good' papers?" I told him the Daily Worker tells the truth and speaks for the workers and ex-soldiers. More of the ex-soldiers are buying the paper, so they think its enough for them.

Don't miss full circulation tables each Wednesday in the Daily Worker.

10 Percent Cut in Pay for Men Of Weehawken

(By a Worker Correspondent) WEHAWKEN, N. J.—I'm taking this opportunity to let the Daily Worker know that the Lithographic concern here is cutting wages ten per cent. It seems that every worker will be squeezed out of his wages until he knows how to vote for the Communist Party.

Only recently we have been laid off three weeks at a time. And they are ready, therefore, to rob the workers within three days' notice without any mercy. The schemes of the bosses are to defend themselves and lay off the heaviest attack on wages and living standard until after election. And keep workers from being persuaded to vote for the Communist Party to defend their interests.

Every worker must get into the fight, otherwise we will be slaves if we don't vote for the Communist Party.

—Lithographic Worker.

DEMANDED FULL RATIONS, JAILED

Vet in Naval Can in 1920

(By a Worker Correspondent) NEW YORK.—I am reading the Daily Worker regularly and find it is the only paper that fights for the workers' rights.

I am an ex-serviceman. I've seen plenty in the world war. Was honorably discharged, re-enlisted and was sent to a naval prison for sticking up for our rights (of course we have no rights).

I was sent to prison for two years. Offense: "refusing duty."

Wanted Full Rations. I was a ship's cook and it was my duty to cook the slumgullion. Because I refused to feed the men on half rations money—you know where the other half went—I was sentenced to two years in a naval prison.

The captain wished me twenty-five years for daring to stand up and fight for what was justly ours. This happened on the U. S. S. Salen in 1920.

"Let's Fight Bosses." Let's go, workers and ex-servicemen, give the devil his due. Wake up, don't let them pull this stuff any longer. Hereafter I fight only against the bosses and capitalists and I vote a 100 per cent Communist ticket.

—S. S.

BOSSES FEAR JOBLESS FIGHT

Legion Wants Them to Join Army

(Continued from Page 1) kee, undoubtedly under Socialist influence, goes further. It is demanding that the unemployed be enlisted in the army for the "duration of the crisis," so that these unemployed can be used to club and shoot their fellow workers who fight for bread.

Austin A. Peterson, State Adjutant of Wisconsin, says this scheme "would teach men army routine, which would be valuable in time of war."

The plan was offered as a substitute to "unemployment insurance," and in reply to the Communist demand that the war funds amounting to billions, be turned over to the unemployed workers in the form of jobless insurance.

Hoover is working closely with every charity outfit in the country, who are already admitting that their funds will not be big enough to buy sufficient sloop for the same number of unemployed who stood in the breadlines last winter. The talk about supplying jobs is fast disappearing, and the ugly aspects of the boss maneuvers against the unemployed as well as the employed, is becoming clearer. While talk has quieted down about the "stagger" system, this wage cut drive is being put into effect.

Against this boss mobilization of all its black hundreds against the unemployed, the workers must organize their forces for a concerted drive for unemployment insurance, to come out of the bosses' profits. It is against this that Woods and his committee, together with all the local boss politicians, are so frantically fighting and preparing. Only the Communist Party is leading a militant fight for real relief. Vote Communist! Continue the fight for unemployment insurance.



40,000 SEARS CO. WORKERS' STOCK ALL WIPED OUT

Labor Buy Capital Bubble Exploded

(By a Worker Correspondent) NEW YORK.—Sears, Roebuck & Co. of Chicago sold stock to the majority of its 40,000 employees at the peak of business when quoted at 190 on the stock market, with the "laudable ambition" of all these poor workers to share in the great melon worth between \$900,000,000 and a billion dollars.

The golden melon proved to be an inflated bubble for the deluded workers as the stock fell down to 50 and is only worth \$250,000,000 with the opposite results of what they expected from their investments.

For not only did they lose all their earnings in favor of their bosses but they still owe the company half of their future earnings. Those that are fully paid up would not get 50 per cent of their investment.

What a fine sample of equality, of opportunity for all, including wage-earners when we compare the \$50,000 investment with Mr. Rosenwald, president of the Sears, Roebuck & Co., whose fortune is valued between \$300,000,000 and \$400,000,000.

Foster in Syracuse Today to Rally Masses for Social Ins. Fight

SYRACUSE, Oct. 28.—The Communist Party and the Trade Union Unity League of Syracuse will call upon the workers in this city to struggle for real relief for the unemployed by demanding that the City Council appropriate \$500,000 for relief of the unemployed.

Severe wage cuts have taken place in this city in the automobile, steel and textile industries. Speed-up has been intensified, and mass discontent is growing.

The workers of Syracuse will greet

Comrade Foster at the station at 7 o'clock tonight, from where they will march to the Alhambra. There they will rally the workers behind the Communist Party in the elections and urge, for a militant struggle against wage-cuts, speed-up and for the Workers' Insurance Bill of the Communist Party.

Tables Each Wednesday Will Register Activity for Mass Circulation

(Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of weekly reports, to be published each Wednesday which will show in figures by city and district the exact progress of the Daily Worker campaign for 60,000 readers.)

The campaign of the Daily Worker for 60,000 readers by January 1, and enough paid subscriptions to publish a 6 page paper by December is just getting under way. A few reports are coming in.

"UP AND OVER THE 60,000 MARK." CLEVELAND.

J. Fromholz, Daily Worker representative in Cleveland writes:

"We have worked out the plans to carry on the task of building the Daily Worker, up and over the 60,000 mark. The details have been sent to the section organizers, and in Cleveland, it has been sent to the units. We will do our best to reach our mark."

"The District Office will have a wall chart showing the progress of the Sections, and another showing the Cleveland units. This was very effective in the last drive, it holds the interest of the members, and stimulates them to action."

"Our plan will be somewhat different than the last drive. Our debt to the Daily was run up on account of the Sections not having paid for their bundles, and worked too hard on the Free Contribution. This way they can pay their one cent per copy, and sell some of the copies, and pass out some other, enough has been collected to pay for the bundle."

Today we publish tables which show the situation of Daily Worker subscriptions as of October 22, the day the drive started. These tables do not reflect activity since the campaign started. Next week's tables will show what has happened since the beginning of the drive.

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Tables will be based on actual receipts of subscriptions and orders for bundles listed in this office.

The following tables show the change in the subscription lists between Sept. 1 and October 21st.

Workers Starve, Officials Live High on Cruise of "Booker T. Washington"

Further Exposure of Garvey Deeds

(Continued from Page 1)

steady customer at the fount of Bacchus. His entirely over-dressed and over-bearing manner advertised to the world that he is selfish, greedy and wanton. If you are a total stranger, you would never guess in a thousand guesses the true identity of this person. Therefore let us introduce him to you. Let us introduce The Honorable Marcus Garvey, the greatest confidence man of the age.

Contrasted With His Victims. There he stands, contented and happy, living in a magnificent home and enjoying all the luxuries of life, while the poor working people who subscribed the money for his high prosperity are still living in the lowest degree of poverty. His Black Cross Navigation Company, and the steamship "Booker T. Washington" ("Gen. G. W. Goethals") are but distant memories now, but every day we come in contact with the poor people who tolled day and night, and even starved themselves and their children so as to make purchase of that boat possible, and as they pour out their troubles to us, we cannot help recall the disastrous cruise of that vessel.

I well remember in 1925 when Marcus Garvey was using his slick tongue and imposing bulk to urge the Negro people of the world to subscribe to the purchase of a Negro steamship line. Negro workers, groaning under the oppression and insults of the white bosses and anxious for a way out, had entirely forgotten the lessons of the failure of the Black Star Line. They were again easy victims of Garvey's gulf when he urged them to dig down and shell out once

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more. The poor women got down on their knees, and scrubbed the bosses' floor harder, while the men slaved overtime at pick and shovel, sometimes even working on Sundays so as to give Mr. Garvey the money he demanded.

Squeezed Millions Out of Women.

And, as the money came pouring in, Garvey hummed and hawed, parried and thrust until out of the millions of dollars he collected he finally spent \$100,000 for the steamship "Gen. G. W. Goethals," which he secured through the offices of a Negro broker, Anthony Crawford, because the owners of the boat would not have sold it to Garvey himself.

At the time I was in New York looking for a berth on some ship, and a friend informed me there were vacancies aboard the "Booker T. Washington." I was a bit cynical about working on any boat that Garvey was in control of, for I had a pretty clear understanding of the Black Star Line. A few friends even advised me not to make the trip, but the novelty of the thing appealed to me, and being myself a Negro and a seaman, I imagined I would be helping my race to some extent by working on board the vessel.

\$18 a Week Exploitation.

To make things short, I went down to the dock and was employed by the boatswain, an old and jovial Barbary by the name of Bully Hunt. This man was a good sailor and a staunch member of the Universal Negro Improvement Association. He put me to work with a few others to clean out the ship's hold which was in a filthy condition. I was to get \$18 a week. It was damn hard work and several of us wanted to quit, but the boatswain with soft words got us to stay, appealing to our race pride to help a "race enterprise." With the \$18 a week that we were "supposed" to receive, we were forced to pay for room and board ashore as there were no accommodations at the time on the boat and no meals were being served. We worked for the first few weeks without receiving a cent. Sometimes we were so hungry that a Jewish woman across the street had to have compassion on us, and credit us with meals.

While the crew was being mistreated and starved, money was pouring in from all quarters to Mr. Garvey. In the next article I will relate how thousands of dollars were collected in New York and Philadelphia and what became of it.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Cops, Fascists Attack German Hunger March

(Cable by Imprecorr) BERLIN, Oct. 28.—Unemployment parades were prohibited here on Saturday and Sunday. The Dortmund hunger march was stopped. Fascists attacked the group, killing a 16-year old worker and injuring six.

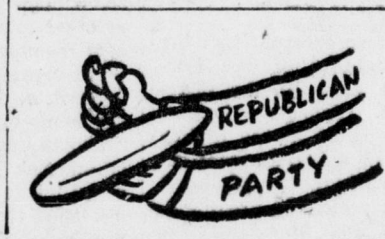
Police attacked the meetings everywhere clubbing ruthlessly. Over 1,000 arrests were made. Hundreds are still in jail.

(Cable by Imprecorr) Strikers Firm. BERLIN, Oct. 28.—The metal strike situation, involving nearly 140,000 workers, is still unchanged.

500,000 PEASANTS IN GREECE ON TAX STRIKE

ATHENS.—The bourgeois press reports that no less than 500,000 peasants have been summoned this year for not paying their taxes. The government has announced that it intends to enforce the payment with all possible means, with the auctioning of the peasants' personal property if necessary.

The Greek Communist Party has issued the slogan of a tax strike and the cases where peasants refuse to pay taxes are on the increase, as also are cases of collisions between peasants and tax officers. In the village of Azikli the police arrested 20 peasants for non-payment of taxes, whereupon the remaining peasants armed themselves with pitchforks and the like and freed their comrades. In the village of Zyrnovo the peasant women beat up the police and the tax officials.



Bloody Machado Finds Another "Red Plot"; Fascist Rule in Peru

That a Communist "conspiracy" to overthrow the Machado regime was discovered by the police, is the announcement made to the Associated Press.

Numerous students and Communists were involved in the "conspiracy" says the cable dispatch from Havana. The overthrow of the government, according to Butcher Machado, was to take place right before the November 1st elections. Students were supposed to be organized into groups which were to revolt simultaneously in different parts of the country. Since the so-called conspiracy was discovered, the police have begun a search of numerous houses looking for "arms and munitions." The report states that many arrests have been made in connection with this "plot." Machado orders frequent discoveries of plots and the follows with the usual arrests. Many Communists are now in danger of murder in Machado's jails.

Reports from Lima, Peru, show the growing fascist measures of the new government. Congress has suspended Article 156 of the Constitution, which permits military authorities to punish civilians "who propagate alarming false notices or attacks on the armed forces."

Workers Clash With Police in Shanghai

SHANGHAI.—On the 19th anniversary of the establishment of the Chinese Republic severe collisions between demonstrating workers and police took place here. The police declare that Communists disturbed the celebrations by distributing leaflets and making revolutionary speeches. Twenty-six workers were injured and many arrested.

Hoover Institutes on Best Way of Faking Unemployed Figures

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28.—Complete, detailed instructions for faking unemployment figures are given in the Journal of the American Statistical Association for September 1930. The trick consists mainly in leaving out of consideration all workers who have been denied employment because they are at or past middle age—the deadline set by the profit-grabbers. These workers are not really unemployed, the boss' figure butcher explains—they are "persons who have succumbed to enforced retirement" after continued failure to find a job.

Hoover has already instructed his hunger committee to leave out of consideration all workers who were unemployed when the "depression" struck. They number about one million, he says. No "relief" is even suggested for these unfortunate, or for the "enforced retirement" victims, who number several million more. These millions of hungry workers will not appear in Hoover's faked unemployment report, but they sure will look good in the Communist election returns.

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Czarist Agents Are Jailed in Soviet Union

(Cable by Imprecorr) MOSCOW, Oct. 28.—The OGPU discovered a counter-revolutionary engineering organization aiming at producing an artificial crisis by widespread sabotage in all branches of industry coinciding with intervention.

The leaders were arrested and made statements concerning activities in the Soviet Union and Paris where the organization maintained connections with czarist emigrants. The arrested were handed over to the Supreme Court for trial shortly.

LANDWORKERS IN APPEAL AGAINST POLISH TERROR

WARSAW.—The Red Landworkers' Union has issued an appeal to the workers and peasants of western Ukraine in connection with the Pilsudski terror in western Ukraine. The appeal points out that the pogroms organized against the workers and peasants have revealed clearly a united front between the Polish and Ukrainian fascists. The democratic People's Association, the radicals and the social democrats pretended to be opposed to the illegal terror of the punitive columns, but in reality they did not move their fingers to prevent it. The appeal concludes by declaring that the democrats, radicals and socialists are at one with Pilsudski in the preparations for war against the Soviet Union, and by calling on the workers to answer their united front with a united front of the workers and peasants in defense of the Soviet Union.

Newark Workers' Defense Corps Halts Vicious Police Attack

NEWARK, Oct. 28.—With the hasty and effective mobilization of a Workers' Defense Corps, a worker, whose name is omitted for very good reasons, was rescued from the custody of two police agents of the bosses last night at an International Labor Defense dance.

The comrade was distributing leaflets to advertise the meeting for Wm. Z. Foster to be held in Newark next Sunday, Nov. 2nd, when the two cops pounced upon him with clubs and were proceeding to call the wagon when they suddenly found that they did not need one.

The cops were "Handled very nicely," the comrade was rescued and to this writing we have failed to learn the nature of the excuse the cops gave for their disheveled and bruised experience.

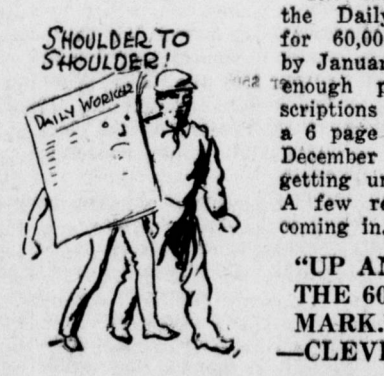
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# THE WORST SLANDERERS OF THE SOVIET UNION

By PAUL NOVICK

THROUGH the carelessness of the Russian white guard paper in New York, Novoe Kuskoe Slovo (October 22), it has been disclosed that the "socialists" are calling an anti-Soviet conference for November 9 at the Pennsylvania Hotel. In this connection, and because of the defense of the Soviet Union is one of the major issues in the present election campaign, the attitude of the "socialists" towards the Soviet Union must be dealt with.

That the "socialists" are the worst slanderers of the Soviet Union hardly needs proving to those following up the "socialist" press. The second ("socialist") international which is the Agitprop (department of agitation and propaganda) of capitalism is particularly active with regard to the Soviet Union. Abramovich and other leaders of the second international continually supply the capitalist world with all kinds of "news," theories, predictions, fabrications, misrepresentations for the consumption of all red-baiting newspapers. The Berlin Sozialistische Vjestnik, published by Abramovich and Dan, is one of the chief sources for the capitalist correspondents cabling the fabrications about "shootings," "riots," and "peasant uprisings" in the Soviet Union "occurring" now and then.

The Berlin Vorwaerts, central organ of the social-democratic party of Germany is always louder in attacking the Soviet Union. While in control of the government by Germany and of the municipality of Berlin the social-democrats have always taken care that "foreign" Communists, "agents from Moscow," conduct no propaganda in Germany, giving at the same time the Russian monarchists free reign. The activity of such blackguards as Orlov and his friends who were caught counterfeiting Soviet money was protected by the "socialist" rulers. At one of Orlov's trials it was disclosed that he was doing some work for the then "socialist" minister of the interior of Prussia, Grzesinski. The Berlin Vorwaerts was not shocked. Neither did the acquittal of Orlov shock that paper.

In the United States, there is division of labor among the "socialists." The dirty work is left to Algonern Lee, Abe Cahan and other Soviet-baiters. Lee, who is the candidate of his party for state senate in the 14th district, down town, New York, has recently addressed a meeting in that district, at the Church of All Nations, called by a group of Russian counter-revolutionists and "socialists" in protest against the execution of the scoundrels that were trying to bring about starvation in the Soviet cities by derailling cattle-trains, by putting rotten intestines into canned food, etc. And Abe Cahan, through his Jewish Daily Forward, is doing his damnest.

The Jewish Daily Forward is the mainstay of the S.P. in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston and many other cities, a great financial source for the S.P., subsidizing the New Leader, etc. The S.P. has never dissociated itself from the Forward, has never passed any resolutions voicing its disagreement with its New York daily whether with regards to its abominations concerning the Soviet Union or any other matter. The attitude of that paper is the attitude of the "socialist" party (Hillquit, Panken and other such luminaries are members of the Forward publishing association, while the editor and manager of the paper are leaders in the "socialist" party). If the New York Call had continued to live it would have acted the way the Forward is acting now. It will be remembered that before it went down, the Call, in 1922, printed the infamous series of articles on the Soviet Union by the British spy, Captain McCullough. The attitude of the Forward is therefore, a criterion for judging the "socialist" party in many respects and particularly with regards to the Soviet Union.

Anybody superficially acquainted with that filthy sheet knows that there is no paper in the United States that could compare with the Forward with regard to slanders, fabrications, mutilating of news, including cables of the capitalist correspondents, in order to paint the most horrible picture of the land where the workers rule. The Forward has so far been the only paper in the United States that has been reprinting from the Russian monarchist press in Europe the series of articles of the infamous Bessedovsky who was found guilty by a Soviet court for stealing \$15,000 from the funds of the Soviet embassy in Paris. Bessedovsky's articles were presented to the Fish committee by the Tammany police Inspector Lyons in English translation and have since become the Koran of that committee. Matthew Will is constantly in touch with his friends of the Jewish Daily Forward. Whatever agreements advanced by Abramovich on the pages of that paper soon find expression in the statements of Matthew Will in the capitalist press. Before appearing before the Fish committee Will was the honorable guest at a banquet dedicated to Abe Cahan, editor of the Forward, side by side with Thomas and others. As if by magic, the arguments advanced by Will at the Fish hearing were in line with the arguments of Mr. Abramovich in the Forward a few days previously.

The calumnies and fabrications of the Forward with regards to the Soviet Union could fill volumes. There is hardly an issue of that paper without any fake detective story about the O.G.P.U. or the Soviet Government, fake cables, or editorial attacks on the Soviet Union. Recently the Forward began reprinting from the monarchist press a series of articles of another scoundrel of the Bessedovsky type, Agabekov. After the Jewish religious holiday, Yom Kippur, the Forward, on October 1 had a story most prominently displayed on the front page that the O.G.P.U. had shot two Jews in the city of Berditchev, "in a fight between the religious Jews and Communists." The same story was repeated the next day, with the "shooting" taking place in a different city, Borissov. October 2—a story of "mass arrests." October 3—a story of "mass arrests." October 4—Moscow is ready to pay the old (czarist) debts. Oct. 6—"Cheka" shoots 17 peasants. Oct. 9—bread riots in Leningrad, etc., etc. Every day something different. If not a news story on the front page, it is an article by some provocateur like Bessedovsky or Agabekov or an editorial.

During the "wheat-attack" on the Soviet Union, the Forward gave Hoover's secretary, Hyde, a helping hand. No capitalist paper was yelling so loudly about "Soviet gambling" as the Forward did. One day the Forward splashed the news across the front page that the "Soviet gamblers" lost half a millions dollars on the wheat market.

These are but a few recent examples of the slanders and fabrications of the disgusting "socialist" paper. After screaming for years about unemployment in the Soviet Union, the Forward recently developed quite an interesting counter-revolutionary line of explaining the shortage of labor in the Soviet Union at the present moment. "On account of the frightful terror," the Forward said editorially on August 30, many workers have begun running away from their jobs. The remaining engineers and other specialists live in continual fear of arrest any day. The result is that the work suffers immensely. In Moscow there was a saying: 'As long as there are enough revolvers everything will be a success.' Now this belief is losing ground every day. The failure of the Five Year Plan is being realized even by the fanatic adherents of the Plan. The editors of the Communist papers and magazines have already been ordered to gradually prepare the public for that."

We have chosen the above excerpt from the mountains of similar material of the Forward because it reveals some of the characteristics of that sheet. You have here a "saying" which was fabricated in the offices of that paper and offered as an importation from Moscow. You have here the "failure" of the Five Year Plan which is "realized" etc., and that "the editors" have been "instructed" to prepare the public, etc. This sneaking kind of calumnies is characteristic of that "socialist" paper. The Forward, to prove that its stand is the stand of the "socialists" all over, has printed last Sunday, October 26, an article introducing a new book by Karl Kautsky, theoretician of the second international, "proving" that the counter-revolutionists sabotaging and plotting against the Soviet Union are really "revolutionists!" In addition to being the worst slanderers of the Soviet Union and the Agitprop of capitalism, the socialists, working hand in glove with Fish, Matthew Will and the czarists, cover themselves with fancy names.

The defense of the Soviet Union is one of the major issues confronting the working class all over, whether during an election campaign, or after. A war on the Soviet Union is in the making. The Geneva correspondent of the New York Times last Sunday openly stated that a blockade against the Soviet Union is on the order of business at the League of Nations headquarters. France and other countries have declared an economic war on the Soviet Union. In the United States the Hoover Government is openly engaged in creating a war atmosphere against "Moscow," whether in connection with Soviet timber, or Soviet wheat. The party of Hoover and Mellon, as well as the party of Smith and Roosevelt, are spreading anti-Soviet propaganda. The "socialists" are calling an anti-Soviet conference November 9. All this is part of one front of attack against the Five-Year Plan, against the land where the workers and farmers rule, abolishing capitalism with all its evils, including unemployment, and establishing the Communist Society.

On election day the parties of Hoover and Fish, and Cahan, Will and Lee, must get a smashing answer. A tremendous vote for the Hammer and Sickle will be a warning to the Soviet-baiters and all kinds that the workers of the United States are ready to defend the Soviet Union. A tremendous vote for the Hammer and Sickle will force to loosen up on the economic blockade against the land of workers' rule. A tremendous vote for the Hammer and Sickle will be a helping hand to the workers and peasants of the Soviet Republics. Vote Communist!

## Injunctions and Elections

By SAM DARCY

"Restaurateurs of the nation should hail with joy the decision of Supreme Court Justice Henry L. Sherman, who on May 7 (1929), in acting upon a plea of New York cafeteria owners, handed down a ruling which practically dispelled the old nightmare, 'Peaceful Picketing,' by which trouble-makers formerly terrorized operators."

Thus the "Restaurant Man," the official organ of the United Restaurant Owners' Association hailed the entrance of the Supreme Court in the struggle against the strike conducted by the cafeteria workers against the extremely miserable conditions which existed for them. These workers had, for months, heroically fought under the leadership of their militant trade union, the Hotel Branch of the Food Workers Union, and were having considerable success in establishing better conditions. The workers had practically

broken the back of the injunction issued against them through one of the most militant fights ever waged in New York.

### The Willow Injunction

An example of how useless the injunction became is illustrated in the way the capitalists themselves risked their money on it. The stock of Willow Cafeterias, one of the largest of the New York chains which operated at that time twenty-three stores, rose five points when the injunction was issued. One week later, after the first mass violations of this injunction, Willow stock fell seven points and continued to fall until it was finally removed from the Exchange. The famous Paragraph 600 was then vigorously introduced and literally hundreds of workers were arrested daily and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment.

The United Restaurant Owners Association explains in its editorial that it would not have

## THE TICKER



## Unemployment Insurance Versus Boss Charity

By A. VERBLIN

The Chicago Chamber of Commerce, the capitalist press of Chicago, the city government, the preachers, the A. F. of L. leaders, and a host of other minor capitalist lackeys are falling all over themselves to "relieve" distress amongst the unemployed workers. Campaigns are being organized, appeals for help are broadcast—all in the name of charity for the suffering poor.

Peculiar, is it not? When the Communist Party and the Trade Union Unity League demand social insurance for the unemployed, when they ask that every unemployed worker be given a minimum of twenty-five dollars a week, then the capitalist masters and their American Federation of Labor leaders raise their voices in strenuous opposition on the ground that unemployment insurance is the same as the dole system and the dole system is charity. And of course in the eyes of the wealthy bosses and well-fed labor leaders, it would be degrading for the starving American workers to accept charity.

### Bosses Charity OK With Bosses

But when the Salvation Army and other charitable institutions of the bosses go out to collect pennies for the purpose of giving "coffee and" to those out of work, there is nothing degrading. That deserves the support of all charitable and high-minded Christians.

It is all very simple. To give an unemployed

worker \$25 a week, so that he can support himself half-way decently is the kind of "charity" which the capitalists dislike very much because it would take too much away from their huge profits. To give a starving unemployed worker some dish-water and a few square feet of dirty floor to sleep on will not make it necessary for the capitalists to part with any of their ill-gotten gains and that is why they consider it charity of the praiseworthy type.

In the case of unemployment insurance, the bosses would be taxed and the money disbursed through representatives of the unemployed, so that the bosses would find it difficult to evade paying. In the case of help by charitable institutions, there would be voluntary contributions and no one could compel a boss to be charitable.

But why should the bosses all of a sudden become so interested in the welfare of the unemployed workers? It was only a short while ago that their newspapers were claiming that the unemployment situation was not so bad as some claimed it was, that it was only necessary for people to start buying again (they didn't mention with what) and prosperity would be ushered in all its capitalistic glory. What caused this change of tone? Why this hysterical appeal for charity relief?

### Try Stop Real Relief

There is only one answer. To put a brake on the movement for real unemployment insurance. To prevent the workers from organizing and demanding the passage of an effective social insurance law. The bosses are willing to donate a few miserable pennies to charitable institutions but not to part with a substantial portion of their profits which they would have to do in case of the passage of the social insurance law advocated by the Communist Party and Trade Union Unity League.

It is significant that at the same time when they are calling for charity for the unemployed the bosses of Chicago are intensifying the terror against the revolutionary workers. When Governor Emmerson's conference to discuss the unemployment situation met, the committee sent by the Unemployment Council to present the demand for social insurance before the conference was unceremoniously arrested and the governor was free to tell the conference what a good friend of the unemployed he was.

The police of Chicago have practically prohibited all campaign meetings of the Communist Party. Not one meeting passes by without an arrest. At a time when the capitalist parties are putting posters all over the city calling for votes for their candidates without being hindered in the least, the police are arresting all workers caught putting up "Vote Communist" signs.

## Bosses' Terror in Pennsylvania

By M. S.

COMMUNIST election meetings throughout western Pennsylvania are being broken up by police and candidates of the Party arrested while speaking to workers. Acting on orders from hearing the Communist program by open force. Despite the fact that the Communist Party has candidates on the ballot and that the state laws provide that election campaign meetings shall not be interfered with, the police openly show their contempt for these laws by attacking the election meetings and arresting Communist candidates.

Two successive meetings held in the Negro section of Pittsburgh were broken up by police even though permits had been issued for these meetings. When the arrested speakers were brought to trial, the judge cynically stated, "Since the police have already accomplished their purpose in breaking up the meeting, I will discharge the speakers."

Monessen, a steel town of 30,000, the en-

workers to keep them from going into the hall where the meeting was held. The police told the workers that the speaker had the permit to speak, but they had no permit to hear him. The police were led by Luksic, chief of police, member of the Croatian Club, who uses his membership there to spy on workers and have the company fire those who express working class ideas. This husky brute violently threw 63-year-old Pat Cusht to the ground when he spoke on August 1st demonstration and tried to kick him down a flight of steps.

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This campaign follows a notice by the secretary of state in West Virginia that the Communist Party will not be allowed on the ballot. This is not an accident. This takes place at the same time that the state of Ohio also refuses to place the Communist ticket on the ballot. The Communist Party issued a leaflet in the Wheeling section exposing this plot of the companies which is an attempt to prevent the workers from organizing. The leaflet declared that the Party will organize the workers "to resist the anti-labor activities of the police who are carrying through a campaign of terror on instructions from the coal and steel mill owners, and the police department will be held responsible for whatever consequences might occur." The action of the police are especially brutal in those sections where unemployment has reached a high peak, this is especially true in the Wheeling section, in Arnold, Glassport, Monessen and Negro section of Pittsburgh.

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Red Sparks  
By JORGE

## Party Work

Last week the New York District of the Communist Party girded up its loins, probably in B. V. D.'s, to put the candidates over Nov. 4. There are a whole string of candidates running, including Alex Trachtenberg, whom we particularly mention because to see Alex actually running is a phenomenal occurrence, physically unthinkable.

Anyhow, the District meant well, and to make it strong about, what is called "Unit Control," every Unit Bureau was adjured to make every Party member as busy as the proverbial bee. In fact it asked each Unit Bureau—"Did you give work to every member of your Unit for every minute of every day until Election Day?"

This is all very well, though it didn't draw any blueprints of how a comrade is to gather an audience about him (or her) while taking the morning bath and performing certain other functions demanded by nature.

Perhaps the District Bureau relied upon the Unit Bureau making their own blueprints and retaining a little rational in holding the comrades to account for minutes spent in, let us say, such necessary ways as reading Red Sparks.

The District might have made clear, perhaps, that while the Unit Bureaus were also to gird up their loins, still they should keep their shirts on.

But, alas, here and there Unit Bureaus exist made up entirely of machinists. At least one would think so from the mechanical way in which perfectly good instructions are so rigidly enforced as to make a simple worker stand completely dumbfounded.

For example, one Unit Bureau had decided that every member must report at a certain hour of a certain day to distribute leaflets or something, and a certain member of that unit was supposed to be on the dot.

So far so good. But it happened that this member had heard something about the Communist International requirement that Communists here should concentrate on building the Trade Union Unity League.

And it also happened that in his shop he had succeeded in winning two workers to the T. U. U. L. and learned that in order to get them to join the Metal Industrial League he would have to go with these two workers to the League meeting at the very hour in which he was supposed to be reporting to distribute leaflets.

The machinists in the Unit Bureau ignored all this, however. The building of the T. U. U. L. might be all right in the abstract. But it "isn't Party work!" Reason as he might, the comrade could not overcome the Unit Bureau's mechanical insistence that he was a criminal and must from the Party ausgestossen sein. He was actually expelled!

But he will also actually be reinstated with full honors for having more brains under his hat than the blueprint artists in the Unit Bureau all put together.

## Russian, But Not Red

Being a bit bashful we hesitate to comment about young ladies who go in for teetering around on their toes and prancing gayly across the boards in nothing much but cheese-cloth without any cheese.

But we understand that Irma Duncan is staging a show next Sunday, with such features as the rebel song "Dubinushka," and so on, but minus the real kids she had along last year. The reason is, we are told, that the genuine Soviet kids she had last year got the dirty end of the stick from Irma and went "back where they came from," taking their wonderful spontaneous art with them.

But Irma, being thoroughly "Americanized" in the Tammany Hall sense, has got together another batch of children, and is running along on the momentum of the real Soviet kids with a poor substitute.

As we said at the beginning, we hesitate to comment on dancing girls, in fact we rather stand in awe of any girl. Probably it's a "defense mechanism" against being rounded up and branded. But anybody who does dirt to Soviet kids and tries to run a show on their reputation, we hope will play to empty seats and go bankrupt.

## Today in Workers' History

OCTOBER 29, 1795—Citizens of London, clamoring for bread and peace, stopped King on his way to parliament. 1811—Louis Blanc, French revolutionist and historian, born in Madrid. 1917—Herbert S. Bigelow, Cincinnati pacifist preacher, kidnapped and beaten by mob. 1920—Charles E. Ruthenberg and Isaac Ferguson, American Communists, sentenced to five years in prison on "criminal anarchy" charge. 1923—Berlin troops arrested Communist-Socialist cabinet in Saxony when refused to resign. 1927—Captain Karstis and five soldiers executed, ten others imprisoned for five to ten years, for membership in Lithuanian Socialist Party.

near to have the Communist program brought before the workers. The election campaign committee announces that it will again arrange meetings in these towns and that the efforts of the police to obstruct the Communist election campaign will be met with doubly increased activities. No efforts of the police will keep the workers from becoming acquainted with the Party platform and with the Unemployment Insurance Bill. No efforts of the police will prevent the mobilization of the workers behind the Communist ticket of the present election.

It is interesting to note that the American Civil Liberties Union has not raised a single word of protest against the brutal actions of the police, despite the fact that these actions were called to their attention. It is also important to note that in the towns where the Communist meetings have been broken up the socialists have been welcomed with open arms. Not only have their meetings not been interfered with but the capitalist press gives them free front page advertisement for their meetings.

# AGITATE IN THE SHOPS!

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