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Utmost Support of National Hunger March

has issued a call to the workers of the U. S. to mobilize and participate in the National Hunger March to Washington on December 7. This Hunger March must be made a mass demonstration of the unemployed and part time workers against starvation and for the demands of unemployment insurance and immediate winter relief. The National Hunger March will unite all the struggles of the unemployed workers on a local basis and mobilize mass support behind the demands upon the federal government. The National Hunger March is the most important immediate task of the Party.

Hand in hand with increased starvation and misery, the cutting off of the miserable local relief, the spending of more billions of dollars for war preparations, the bosses increase their demagogic propaganda to fool the unemployed workers through all kinds of fake schemes and so-called "relief plans." The workers of this country have by now the experiences of the past "relief" plans of the bosses and their government as well as the pledges of the Hoover government to "maintain wags." In their starvation schemes the bosses have the full cooperation of their

loyal agents, the A. F. L. officials, the Musteites and the Socialist Party. The third winter of the economic crists is approaching. More hunger nd misery, evictions and wage cuts are facing us. It was the Communist Party of this country which led the monster demonstration of March 6, 1929, it was the Communist Party which urged and helped the workers n the organization of the Unemployed Councils to lead the struggles against eviction, for immediate relief, for unemployment insurance, as well as organizing the workers in the struggle against wage cuts, stagger system and lay-offs.

The Communist Party calls upon the workers of this country to rally behind the call of the Unemployed Councils Committee to help to make the National Hunger March to Washington a gigantic demonstration against hunger, for the demands of winter relief and Unemployment Insurance. The only way to make the Hunger March a success is through developing local struggles for the immediate demands of the unemployed workers, to intensify the struggles against evictions and above all to build the organization of unemployed—the Unemployed Councils.

The National Hunger March must be a rallying point of broad masses of the workers, employed and unemployed, white and Negro, men and women, youth and adult for the mutual demands, for Unemployment Insurance and the struggle against wage cuts.

The Central Committee calls upon the Party membership to give full assistance to the Unemployed Councils in the preparation of the Hunger March. Every District and Section Committee as well as every Party Unit shall consider the National Hunger March as the most important immediate task of the Party and draw in all possible forces for the support of the March.

CENTRAL COMMITTEE, C. P. U. S. A.

up their full wages.

youth.

9. No discrimination against

10. Enough relief to be paid to

part-time young workers to make

11. No evictions of young unem-

ployed workers in boarding houses,

12. Abolition of all vagrancy,

anti-hitch-hike and other laws

aimed against the unemployed

Communist League proposes that

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marches, organize youth hunger

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hunger marches and send youth dele-

The statement ends with an appeal

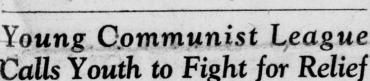
not to let the employers use young

workers as scabs, and for young

workers to join the Young Commu-

gates to the unemployment confer-

young workers in giving out relief.



NEW YORK.—"All young workers, fight for immediate winter relief and unemployment insurance, against discrimination for young workers, against hunger and wage-cuts! Not one cent for the bosses' war, but all war funds for the unemployed! Organize for the National Hunger March to Washington on December 7." This is the beginning of a statement issued yesterday to all young workers, employed and unemployed, by the National Executive Committee

of the Communist League of U.S. A. The statement tells of the cruel misery of the young workers and children of unemployed and wagecut parents. It tells how the boys young workers take part in demonand girls both sleep on garbage dumps and in parks because they have been discharged or their parents

It describes the war preparations, and the brutal orders of Governor ence to be held in Washington, D.C., Roosevelt and Governor Pinchot to when the national hunger marchers the militia officers to prepare to reach there Dec. 7. crush the demonstrations of the un-

It tells how the farmers are being driven into pauperism and their children starved. It describes the arrest for "vagrancy" of hundreds of young workers who have to hitch to disease by these young workers, starved until they have no resistance

Demand Winter Relief. The statement announces the following demands, put forth by the Young Communist League for the young workers to organize to sup-

port and to fight for: 1. \$150 cash for winter's relief for all unemployed young workers. 2. Unemployment insurance

amounting to full wages for all unemployed young workers, to be paid by the state. 3. Six-hour day for all young

workers under 18 and the sevenhour day for all above Abolition of child labor under

the age of 14 and government ance of thos now employed nder that age. 5. No discrimination against

Negro young workers. 6. Opening of public buildings for the use of the unemployed youth, under the control of the ung workers; free use of gyms,

the unemployed youth. 7. The opening of vocational schools for young workers on the basis of full wages, these to be under the control of the workers and financed by the government and

houses, play grounds, etc., for

food, shoes, clothes, books and carfare for the children of unemployed, part-time workers

Central Committee Calls for DEFEAT THE HOOVER HUNGER PROGRAM!

THE HOOVER PROGRAM - A CRUST OF BREAD ON A BAYONET

Buick

Make the Line of Hunger March An Unbroken Class Front!

Twelve million workers are unemployed. Millions more work only part time. Wage cuts in all industries slash the incomes of those still employed. Industrial production continues to drop. Hundreds of thousands of farmers are ruined

There is mass hunger and actual starvation in America -the richest country in the world.

Wall Street government, spending a billion a year for war purposes, and now organizing openly for war on the Soviet Union, refuses any form of relief for the starving millions. Banks, railway companies, steel companies all tap the treasury for hundreds of million with the tender help of Hoover.

Congress meets on December 7.

No representative of the working class is in Congress. No spokesman of the working class is heard in the halls sacred to the robber class of America. The legislative forum where anti-working class laws are passed is closed to the toiling, robbed and hungry masses of American workers-

But Washington-the seat of Hoover-Wall Street Government-will hear the thunderous voice of 12,000,000 jobless workers when Congress opens on December 7.

Twelve hundred elected delegates, marching from every important industrial center in the United States, bearing

the mandates given them by masses of workers assembling in hundreds of mass meetings, coming directly from the scores of struggles against evictions and for immediate relief which have made America a battleground for bread since March 6, 1930, speaking in the name of the martyred dead in New York, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Yorkville, Los Angeles and Birmingham, and in the name of the hungry millions of unemployed and EMPLOYED workers, will present to Congress the demand for unemployment insurance furnished free by the government at the expense of the capitalists, the demand that all war funds be turned over for unemployed relief.

The 1,200 marchers, bulwarked by mass delegations from the big cities in the vicinity of Washington, will expose before the working class of America, and the whole world, the monstrous state of affairs in which billionaire bankers, robber, railway companies and huge corporations like the steel trust are given grants of millions from the U.S. treasury while 12,000,000 jobless workers and their families are condemned to slow starvation-

A CRUST OF BREAD ON A BAYONET-this is the Hoover program for "relief" of the unemployed. Stinking

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CONFLICT OF U. S.-JAPAN SHARPENS

Japan Votes Against U. S. Participation In League Council

As a result of the pressure exerted by the United States imperialists the League of Nations Council voted on Thursday to "invite" a representative of Wall Street to participate in the Council sessions over the Manchurian war situation. The only vote against allowing the United States imperialists to sit in on the conferences was by Japan. The vote of the Japanese imperialists and the just been revealed, indicate a sharp-

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Mass Farewell to workers striking here against a ten Workers' Delegation Hundreds of workers left the United Textile Workers meeting on Lawto the Soviet Union

Demonstration at 10 ted front leadership, the rank and a.m. at Pier 56, W. 14th strikers themselves, and the united St., S. S. Laconia

onstration will be held for the Amer- warned that the employers are tryican Workers' Delegation to the 14th ing to cut wages here to the level anniversary of the Russian Revolu- of the Southern mill workers and tion at Pier 56, W. 14th St. The dele- described the starvation conditions in gates will sail on the Laconia (not | the South. He told the meeting that Caledonia as previously announced). The demonstration will also demand the Common because they are helpa halt to the imperialist maneuvers ing the mill owners cut wages, while against the Soviet Union in Manchu- "we meet in a back yard because the

The delegation consists of ten workers from three basic industries and one war industry: marine, metal, mining and chemical. Two new dele-warned them of A. J. Muste's strike gates have just been added: R. B. Hudson, one of the leading members of the Marine Workers Industrial Union in New York, and Mrs. Lynch, wife of a Negro coal miner of Pennsylvania, who was one of the most active in the recent strike.

of solidarity from the American toil- strike and cut the wages. ers to the Soviet workers and peasants. Their sailing is of direct concern to every worker and friend of the Soviet Union. All out to demonstrate today!

Communist Party Candidates and Speakers Election Campaign Conference meeting to be held today at Workers Center, Room 207, at 4 p. m. All those who are active in the campaign must be present.

4,000 HEAR FOSTER IN LAWRENCE

Strikers Leave U.T.W Meeting; Now Build Real United Front

Score "Arbitration"

Fakers In Secret Meet With Mayor's Board

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 16 .- Four thousand attended the National Texother actions which occurred in the tile Workers Union and rank and past several days, and which have file strikers' mass meeting in Lincoln Court yesterday afternoon to hear William Z. Foster, general sec-League and to further build up the united front of the 25,000 textile per cent wage cut.

rence Commons to walk to the Lin-

coln Court meeting. Foster urged the workers to carry on their struggle with solid ranks and to build and strengthen the unifile strike committee elected by the front strike committees in each mill. Dates and places for mill meetings at all mills were announced to be Today at 10 a.m. a farewell dem- held within the next 5 days. He the fakers are allowed to meet on bosses are afraid of militant organization." Foster urged the strikers to demand the right to meet on the Common, to demand the freedom of the arrested strike leaders. He breaking program which is that the workers should help cut wages to the point where they scab the scabs out of the jobs. Muste speaks on the Common today.

Foster pointed out that the present "arbitration" to which the U.T. The delegates will bring greetings | W. agrees is a scheme to break the

Pizer, Bramhall, Committed The chairman of the meeting was Rubin Pizer, local strike leader, who has just been released by the immigration authorities after they had to admit that there is nothing wrong about his U. S. citizenship. Pizer and Samuel Bramhall. Communist

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Raid N. Kensington Communist Party to Jail Jobless Leaders

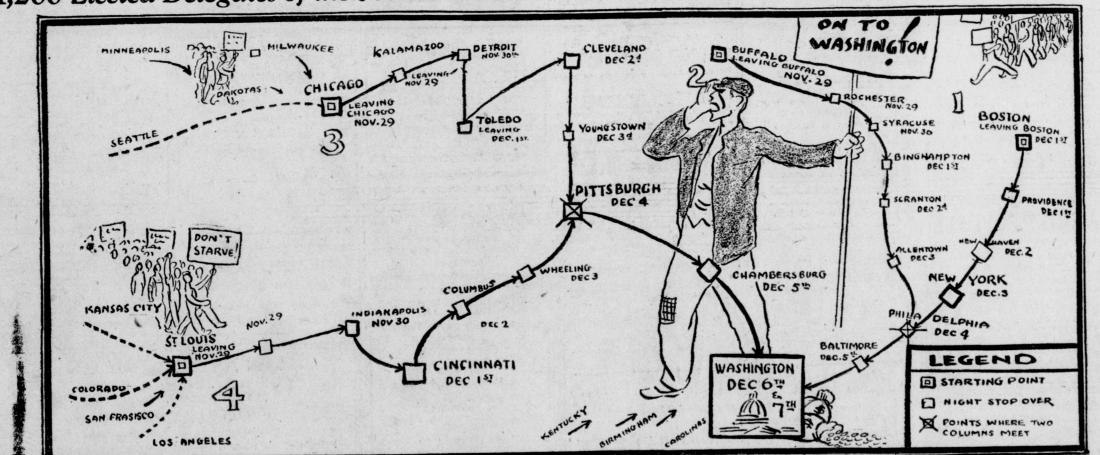
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 16 .-The Communist Party headquarters in New Kensington was raided last night. Three leading members of the section committee were arrested, John Sara, Nick Tcermegas and Wilkins. Wilkins is the Communist candidate for consta-

Fire engines were called out and were ready to use the water hose. The terror campaign is being intnsified to imprison the leaders of the unemployed

Workers are being mobilized to fight this terror and for the relief demonstration to be held on Monday at 7 p.m. at 1125 Third Ave., despite police threats. Demonstrations are being organized in the surrounding towns of Alleghany Valley. The Communist Party is holding a series of election rallies throughout the valley. There is to be a county hunger march in this county soon.

The last two weeks have been a series of ever greater mass demonstrations of the New Kensington unmployed miners and steel workers for immediate relief, with the city government alternately making promises and breaking them. A few days ago, state troopers, city police and firemen beat up and gassed a crowd of 1.000 which was marching on a city conference of the mayor, borough council, American Legion

nist League. hike around in search for work. It tells of the terrible toll of lives given to disease by these young workers, 1,200 Elected Delegates of the Jobless Millions Take This Route to Reach Washington Dec. 6!



TAILORS ESCAPE POLICE FRAME-UP

Ben Gold Speaks At Meeting at Noon

NEW YORK .- Seven members of the Amalgamated Rank and File Committee yesterday narrowly escaped being framed by the police and Amalgamated officials on charges carrying long prison terms.

The tailors of the left wing organization were going from shop to shop distributing leaflets calling a mass meeting today at noon at the Stuyvesant Casino, 9th St. near Second Ave. One of the shops so covered was that of Dan, 638 Broadway, doing work for Goldin & Sons. The shop had been the center of struggle between the Hillman clique and the newly organized dual company union of Orlofsky's. Only recently Hillman had promised the boss of the shop to reduce wages for his aid in lining up the workers in the A. C. W.

Police Arrest Left Wingers.

Yesterday morning goods in the shop were found cut and machinery

workers, they were arrested by detec- your jobs." tives and policemen.

Amalgamated officials were noticed the workers. in the police station and it was in- Muste is particularly active in the terpreted to mean that the Hillman textile industry, where his hanchmen gang had more immediate interest in are posted in the United Textile pinning the Dan shop sortie on the Workers Union offices, and especially Orlofsky clique rather than the left in the hosiery branch of that union,

Ben Gold will be the chief speaker Fashioned Hosiery Workers. at the tailors meeting at noon to spur organized resistance against both the Hillman and Orlofsky socialist cliques in the industry.

Election Bike Parade Of Young Workers In Bronx Today

Today at 4 p. m .the first Election Campaign Bicycle Parade will take the frankly reactionary capitalist can of the Young Communist League, the ciliation has not suffered any de-Labor Sports Union and the Youth crease in income. It gets as much this Center of the Cooperative will parti- "ear as last. A very large contributor cipate. It will start at 2700 Bronx to it is Harold A. Hatch, head of the Park East at 4 p. m. and will go Beerings Milliken Co., a textile firm down on White Plains Ave. to Boston with mills in the South and at Wap-Road, Prospect Ave., Southern Boule- pinger Falls, near Poughkeepsie

On the very same night open air meetings will be held at the following places: Prospect and Longwood, 161st and Prospect, Wilkins and Intervale, Washington and Claremont Parkway, 224th St. and White Plains Road, 174th St. and Vyse Ave., 180th St. and Daily Ave.

What's On-

Painters and Building Workers comrade leaving for the Soviet Union in a banquet tonight at 1700 Brons Park East, at 8:30 p.m. A good program will be held. All invited.

TUUL School Opens today at 3 p.m. at head-quarters, 5 E. 19th St. All unions and leagues are asked to notify stud-ents to come on time.

Friends of the Soviet Union,

Downtown Branch

"Storm Over Asia" will be shown
by the FSU at the Labor Temple,
14th St. and 2nd Ave. at 8 p.m. Ad-

ILD, Eugene Debs Br.

Will hold a concert and dance to-day, in the Auditorium of the Work-ers Cooperative, 2700 Bronx Park East, for the benefit of class war prisoners, at 8 p.m.

Long Island Workers Club
Will hold an entertainment and dance tonight, 111 Fourth St., at 8 p.m. Good time assured. All invited.

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League of Struggle for Negro Rights Are giving a concert and dance at Lafayette Hall, 165 131st St., tonight. There will be a play and performance by proletarian artists. Tickets may be gotten at 19 West 129th St.

Ossining Lecture on the 5-Year Plan Will be given by Sender Garlin, who has just returned from the Sov-iet Union, at 20 Brockville St. All workers are urged to come and hear about the country owned by the

Harlem Progressive Youth Clab Will hold a dance at 1492 Madison ve, Negro jazz orchestra. All in-

Pioneer Leaders Dance
And graduation will be held tonight at the Workers Center, 35 E.
12th St., at 8 p.m. Amter will speak,
Proceeds will go to Pioneer movement on the Pittsburgh. Snappy jazz
band. Admission 35c.

Bronx Workers Club
Will hold a concert and dance for
the benefit of the Daily Worker at
1610 Boston Rd., 8:30 p.m. All workers invited.

Brownsville Workers Center

Will have a concert and vetchering ka tonight at 118 Bristol St. Proceeds to go to the Morning Freiheit.

Trement Workers Club Will hold a lecture on the Man-churian situation tonight at 736 Tre-mont Ave. All invited. Womens Council 17
Will hold a package party and
Vetcherinka at the Brighton Beach
Workers, 140 Neptune Ave. Admission 25c.

International Workers Club

Settle For Bazaar Tickets

The Daily Worker - Freiheit Young Worker bazaar last week was a great success. The attendance jammed the Madison Sq. Garden hall and the sales were un to all expectations. The support of the rank and file was magnifi-

But there is one thing that threatens to turn victory into defeat. Many comrades have not yet turned in the money for the tickets they have sold. Immediate action, not in a few days but today, is vital.

Turn in the money at once, to the bazaar committee, sixth floor, 50 East 13th Street, for the tickets

MUSTE SLASHES

NEW YORK .- The "Fellowship of smashed after a nightly visitation of Reconciliation" of which J. A. Muste a gang, connected intimately with is chairman, has cut the wages of its of the church. Many members of her South, tomorrow (Sunday) evethe fight between the two cliques. office workers 20 percent, to go into the church were in the audience and ning, at 8 o'clock. Garlin, who re-As the workers came out of the effect soon. Muste's office manager expressed the greatest indignation cently returned from an extended shop, having distributed the leaflets told the girls: "If you don't take this against the action of their pastor in tour of the Soviet Union, will speak which were readily accepted by the wage cut, we can get hindreds to take hampering the mass defense move- on "The Soviet Five-Year Plan, the

At the police station efforts were standing head of the Conference for intact in spite of the terrific rain treatment the police were forced to general term of "Musteism" has conadmit they had no evidence to pin ducted some of the worst and most on the seven rank and file tailors. insidious forms of treachery toward

the American Federation of Full

Muste's "Fellowship of Reconciliation" is an organization which tries to put ever class collaboration, and end strikes. One of the latest acts was to send an agen, one Charles Webber, to Allentown to try to per-

The wage cut in Muste's own office Essex St., Passaic. comes with far less excuse than even place in the Bronx. The members offer, for the Fellowship of Recon-

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ers Home, 350 E. 81st St. All workers are welcome to participate. NOTICE

Section becommerters will be located at 136-15th St., and Prospect at 7:30 p.m. at the Hungarian Work- everyday from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.

NAACP BLOCKS MEET FOR 9 BOYS To Stop An Eviction

Barred From Church Workers Meet on St.

NEW YORK .- Four hundred Negro and white workers held an indigna- test the eviction of one of the worktion meeting Thursday in front of

Struggle for Negro Rights. In the and better living conditions. neantime, however, the leaders of the N. A. A. C. P., continuing their traitorous efforts to hamstring the Marine Workers' Role pressure to bear on the pastor. Thursday night when the workers In Garlin Talk Sunday showed up for the meeting they were told they could not have the use of

ment which alone can save the boys. Muste is also the founder and out- The large crowd continued to stand Workers. out the orders of the trustees and conditions aboard the Soviet ships pastor of the church.

Election Campaign Torch Light Parade

has been arranged by the Communist Five Year Plan. Party, Passaic Unit, for the coming election campaign.

The parade will start Saturday, suade the silk workers to go back, of Oct. 17, 7:30 p. m., at the corner of course with 'liberal' and "progressive" Monroe St. and 3rd. The parade will end up in a rally on Market and All workers and sympathizers with

cars are urged to come down to this parade and participate in it actively. Soviet "Forced Labor"-Bedchat's

series in pamphlet form at 10 cents per copy. Read it-Spread it!

Tenants League Calls Mass Demonstration

The House Committee of the Tenants League in the house of 30 St Marks Pl. is calling upon the neighbors of the block to join in a protest demonstration in front of the house this Saturday at 3 p.m. to pro-

St. Mark's Church at 138th St. and The attempt to evict the worker St. Nicholas Ave., when Rev. Lorenzo and his family is an action taken by Kind, pastor of the church, withdrew the landlord to defeat the rent strike his consent for a meeting in defense of the tenants who are demanding a of the 9 innocent Scottsboro Negro reduction of rent and repairs to the apartments. A victory of the ten-Rev. Kind had given his consent ants league to stop th's eviction will for the meeting several weeks ago mean a victory for the entire neigh-to a delegation from the League of borhood in the fight for reduced rent

mass defense movement had brought In Boss War Stressed

The role of the marine workers in the next imperialist war will be em-Mrs. Ada Wright, mother of two phasized by Sender Garlin, co-editor of the boys, and J. Louis Engdahl, of the Labor Defender, when he Welsh and other speakers, addressed speaks at the Marine Workers' Industhe meeting which was held in front trial Union Hall, 140 Broad St., cor-Hoover Plan, and the Marine

The latest pictures of Soviet facmade to implicate the left wingers Progressive Labor Action, which is storm. They stood intact when the tories, collective farms and Soviet in the Dan shop situation, but after the wing of the A. F. of L. that pre- pastor and trustees of the church harbors and shipping will be shown several hours of near third degree tends to be progressive, and under the called in the police to club the work- in contrast with the "Hoover Plan"ers and break up the Scottsboro de- breadlines, lynching and mass terror fense meeting. So militant were the Garlin will at the same time conworkers that the police decided it trast the miserable conditions of the would be better not to try to carry American seamen with the excellent maximum eight-hour day, large, clean, well-ventilated living quarters; one months' vacation with full pay for the engine crew and two weeks for the sailors: he will describe the ship committees, and tell of the part In Passaic Tonight that the 200,000 members of the Water Transport Workers' Union in An automobile torch light parade the triumphant completion of the

> Immediately following this meeting Garlin leaves for an extensive tour of the West.

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WAGE-CUTS FOLLOWED BY STAGGER PLAN IN ATLAS CEMENT PLANT

Force Workers to Contribute Part of Pay to Fake Community Chest Fund

Negro Workers Discriminated Against by Welfare Agents in Hudson, N. Y.

sidiary of the United States Steel Corporation, whose wages were recently cut 10 per cent and time schedule reduced from a full week to four eight-hour days, are now being bullied and frightened into contributing "at least one day's pay" to the Community Chest Campaign Fund.

will receive more than \$12 per week. On this miserable poverty and starvation pittance they will have to support their

200 FACE SLOW STARVATION IN

Houses: Eat Bones

bridge, which is about two miles south of the town. Here under the bridge is camped 200 workers. Very few have tents. A few have constructed a little shelter with pasteboard, from paper cartoons, which affords them some privacy. Most of the campers have only the bridge for how desperate a situation they face

I can't imagine a worse place for

Some of these workers sleep on

I talked with several of these people and learned that they are tools in congress and the senate to However the case did not end treated like swine. Their principal put through the present tariff legis- here. In two days time the landlord food is skimmed milk which generally unfit to drink. They also re- local mouthpieces organizing public and threw Sigmund's furniture out seive some old bones for soup, which are most always stale and green Atlas Cement Corporation. In this Branch immediately mobilized for ouldly bread.

children cannot attend school be- overburdened workers of which he remain in the house at 1417 Cook cause their clothes are not fit and was one. ecause they are poorly nourished. The only work offered these people cotton picking, which pays them

over the radio that here in America I wrote these particulars in a letter

GIMBLE CHARGES SALESGIRLS FOR UNSOLD GOODS

Moves Clocks Back to Gyp Girls Out of

your readers an idea of the working conditions now being endured by girls in the Gimbel Bros. store in

sell 25 dozen cakes of soap. If we soap ourselves. We are supposed to get dinner money when working until 9 p.m. To avoid paying this miserable 50 cents, they send us home at 8:30 each night. On Sept. 26, the last day of daylight saving time, we worked until 9 o'clock and then they moved the clocks back to 8 o'clock so that they wouldn't have to pay us the 50 cents for dinner. These clocks should not have been touched

Newspapers print the crimes of racketeers and do not publish the crimes of Gimbel Bros., because of the thousands of dollars they receive

FOOD STORES TAKE "RIOT

(By a Worker Correspondent) Jersey that one of the large chain food stores has taken out "riot insurance." Families out here in the

(By a Worker Correspondent)

HUDSON, N. Y.-Workers in the Atas Cement plant, sub-

Since these wage cuts have gone into effect few workers families this winter as best they can

Local papers have published stories, probably coming from the cement corporation's office, stating that the Atlas plant will operate all winter without undergoing the usual annual shut-down "for repairs and **ARIZONA CAMP** overhauling" which takes place every winter. No one here believes this however. One of the petty bosses, also a public official who is enraged Live in Pastboard over the wage-cut recently forced upon him, has stated that he knows for a fact that this is a false rumor and Stale Bread being spread for the purpose of deceiving the workers into believing

that they will be allowed to stay on

the present schedule all winter, so

that they can more easily be tricked

into giving up a day's pay to the

Community Chest Fund After the

chest drive is completed some flimsy

excuse to justify a complete shull

Mayor Betrays Workers.

This committee was appointed at the

behest of Mayor Michael Degnan,

also an employe of the Atlas Cement

say, a relatively poor man. His sal-

Community Chest Fraud.

There is a boys' club, members of

which are composed of workers' chil-

Scouts. The Salvation Army, Ameri-

can Red Cross, Humane Society and

Y. W. C. A. are also beneficiaries!

one day's pay to the chest."

Chest.

ner whatever by the Community cut

winter is by organizing all together,

Negro and white. Build strong Un-

employed Councils and elect delegates

to the giant hunger march to Wash-

ington, where we workers will de-

mand in no uncertain terms that the

government give the jobless unem-

U. S. Government Cuts

Fire Fighter's Pay

(By a Worker Correspondent)

SAN DIEGO, Cal.—Here are some

Last May the Standard Dredging

The federal government has cut

cut out all overtime pay.

HIT SAN DIEGO

down will no doubt be advanced.

(By a Worker Correspondent) PHOENIX, Ariz.—On September

30 I took a bus ride to the Salt River

The riverbed at present is dry, or nearly so, a few pools, green with pression, a special "Unemployment scum and mosquito breeding. Scat- Committee" has been appointed to tered all agout is loads of rubbish, tin cans and trash of different kinds. people to live. Any day heavy rains in the far off mountains may flood

rags, some on dirty mattresses and some in their clothes on the ground. All are American born. I am sure that nowhere in the world is there a more poor, squalid and neglected neighborhood as this one.

s than 50 cents a day.

I am writing this so you readers can throw the lie back into the face of those that tell of terrivle conditions in the Soviet Union. Not lonk any pretense of providing charity. there was greater love for ones neighbor than in any country in the world. The contrary to thi sis true. to the capitalist press and it was refused publication.

Dinner Money

I am writing this letter to give

A few weeks ago, during a soap sale at this store, each girl had to didn't do this we had to pay for the

of the wage cuts tha have taken place in San Diego. Co. slashed wages 10 per cent and

INSURANCE"

35 to 30 cents an hour. FRANKLINVILLE, N. J.—There is The San Diego Railway Co. emrumor floating around South New ployes' wages were cut 8 per cent. This wage-cut took place Sept. 1. Before the fish canneries closed tions of the workers in the Soviet down last January the workers were country and the small towns average getting 40 and 50 cents an hour. The longshoremen, who were un bout one to a dozen with sufficient When they opened in March this loading the ship, were especially infood to eat. The people in this sec- year, the wages were slashed to 35 terested. The whole crew, including tion, the majority of them 100 per cents straight. The workers in the some of the officers, were very enent American, are in a considerable fish canneries worked only 20 days thused about what they saw in the state of ferment. The majority have since January 1. The plants are now Soviet Union. Regular meetings were not paid taxes in over three years. | shut down indefinitely.

CHILDREN OF A NEW WORLD



A school festival in the Moscow Park of Culture and Rest on the occasion of the completion of the school term. A group of Pioneers and workers' children with their banners are celebrating the festival.

Workers Victorious in Fight Over Eviction in Sioux City

(By a Worker Correspondent)

That city officials already realize this winter is revealed by the fact has increased greatly during the that for the first time since the depact week due to the determined struggle it is carrying on against make a survey and study conditions

Just, a few days ago the council plant. The mayor, who has always been a ward politician, is, strange to ary as mayor of the city is only \$500 had occupied and paid rent for over day night the biggest open air meet- This is the same Murray who at per year. As a worker he has been a traitor to his own class. During forced open the door, and restored Over, 600 workers were present. the latter part of 1929 and the first part of 1930, when the greedy cor- the furniture in record time. A car load of dicks watched the "moving porations of the country were bringing every ounce of pressure to bear in job" but did not dare to interupon their republican and democratic fere.

lation, Mayor Degnan was one of the came with a shotgun and two men sentiment in favor of his master, the on the street. way he traitorously assisted in rais- action. The workers were determined However, before tackling the "moving job" again, a good committee was

of what the unemployed had been the house for the masses." SIOUX CITY.—The prestige of the Sioux City Unemployed Council any rate he agreed without much any rate has a constant and the contract of the council and the Sigmund another house.

Council Grows

acted on the case of Fred Sigmund, against the shutting off of electricity thrown out of the house which he militancy. For example last Satur- favors the workers! 3 years. The unemployed council ing in the history of Sioux City was that time took occasion to slander mobilized about 75 of its members, held right in the downtown district. and vilify the Soviet Union, the only

185,958 Fired in Year by Jobless

(By a Worker Correspondent)

There are families here whose ing the cost of living for the already that the Sigmund possessions would during the year of 1930 185,958 work- he did for the oil men. And that's Street, shot gun or no shot gun at the head of the Hoover unem- It is of the greatest significance to tions, only one or two of which make Lebeck evidently had been informed mittee.

doing and were planning to do. At ye think of that? argument to appropriate \$20 to rent for the presidency at the forthcom-

Telephone and Telegraph Co. laid off ers. Now we see this same Gifford that. ployment relief committee. Hoover

but he says he has no constitutional right to do for the farmers what

the farmers and workers of Oklahoma The Community Chest campaign sent to see Mr. Lebeck of the Wel- picked out one of the biggest ex- charlatan and mountebank be thoris a fake from beginning to end. The fare Board, to demand that he live ploiters of labor when he picked Gif- oughly exposed. He is a demagogue funds they raise in the name of up to the promise once made that ford. The unemployed can guess of the worst type and the farmers "charity" will go to ten organiza- there would be no evictions. Mr. will be forthcoming from this com- and workers must and will soon learn this. The revolutionary workers and

TUUL organizer, got on his feet and

right to address the meeting, ac-

and also of other states that this Served in the Spanish have breakfast consisting of bread, States. Needless to say, we held the American War (By and Old Veteran)

homa City. I am very badly afflicted and was put out of the National Soldiers' Home about nine months ago. They said that I was a Communist and for that reason I could

am living with a poor farmer who can't afford books to send his children to school. I would send the Daily Worker my last dollar, but now I have to borrow stamps to write you. I want to get the Daily Worker.

cording to a previous understanding, It's awful to live this life. I have but the chairman tried to ignore a place in the Poor House at Leaven-Sgovio. When he was unable to ig- worth, Kan., but I have no money to pay railroad fare. This is the bled workers to throw him out, conway the government treats an old downtrodden and needy group in the already cut to the bone and they them to address the workers, which ing. However, when the meeting adfor us when they called us to war. soldier. They could find everything journed the TUUL committee opened I was in the Spanish American War. a meeting outside the hall. Sgovio speaking to the workers from the then go around and speak to the shoulders of two comrades exposing workers. All I live for now is to see the attempt to organize a company a Soviet Government all over the range another meeting at the same union and calling on the workers to world. I am glad to see the exvote Communist in the election cam- servicemen falling in line behind the Workers Ex-servicemen's League.

SPANISH POLICE MURDER COMMUNIST

SEVILLE, Spain .- Jeronimo Navarro, an active member of the Commucluded our meeting inside the hall, nist Party of Spain, was murdered where the workers listened to the by police tools of Spanish capitalism program of th TUUL and the pro- in the struggle here in September. gram of the Communist Party in the His sister, Rosario Navarro, has taken election campaign. We are well on his place in the Communist Party

LETTER FROM USSR DESCRIBES LIFE IN Pioneers Build Strong Bodies and Minds In

Comrade Yaroslavsky, who is an honorary Pioneer, is talking with the delegates of the National Republics to a conference of Young Internationalists.

Oklahoma Farmers to March on State Capitol November 21

To Demand \$15,000,000 Appropriation For why? Because, he says, he sees what Relief of Destitute Farmers, 3 Year Moratorium on Debts

OKLAHOMA CITY.—The farmers in the matter and show him up good to increase production. f Oklahoma are preparing a march and plenty. on the state capital here November 21st. to demand relief. They will

many parts of the state. Oklahoma is the state where is ray is not giving them any. They found the so-called "radical" Gov- will demand that he does something ernor Murray (Alfalfa Bill). Far and really concrete at once. wide he is heralded as a hair-raising the revolutionary workers, will mass fellow, clubbing and smiting monopoly and "special privilege" at every on the capital steps November 21st turn of the road. He is "the man of and demand no foreclosures, no evictions, cancellation of debts for poor What

No doubt he will be a candidate debts for a period of three years withing national democratic convention.

This is the same "radical" Murray who on February 10th, this year, As a result of this successful strug- found it necessary to have in readigle, and also the militant struggle ness 5,000 national guardsmen to prevent the workers from marching in 1417 Cook Street, father of 4 chil- in the homes of unemployed work- the streets of this city, demanding dren, and old time resident of the ers, the Sioux City Council has jobs which means the right to live. city. Sigmund's belongings had been greatly increased in strength and No marching, says Murray. He sure

country where the workers and farm-

Oil Plan for Monopolists

"Relief" Head back "prosperity" through his oil NEW YORK .- According to offi- of farmers in Oklahoma have written cial statistics Mr. Gifford's American Murray, asking him to help them,

Already some of the farmers are

farmers, a moratorium of farmers,

needy families, a state appropriation

of \$15,000,000 for destitute farmers to

be raised by taxing incomes above

\$5000 and fortunes above \$50,000, and

lature immediately to enact farm re-

lief and unemployment legislation.

Conditions are worsening and farm-

ers are more willing to fight.

and workers against capitalism.

other demands.

not stay in the home.

demanded from the chairman the It is the only satisfaction I have living in this capitalist hell.

I wish that I was stronger. I would

"Avenge my brother's death and

Soviet Vacation Center Send Revolutionary Greetings to American (By an American Worker) MOSCOW, U.S.S.R.-We go to the station. A group Pioneers are coming. They'll be here on the 1:20 train. The train has arrived. The Pioneers greet the town with a roll of drums and bugle calls. They line up in twos and

CAMP FOR CHILDREN

Lenin's Children There's a six-year old boy with mussed hair singing at the top of his voice, though he can barely pronounce the words

march through the town. They have a three-mile hike to the

camp. One can see joy written on their faces as they go

of the song. I asked him if he was happy to go to the camp. He answered, "Sure, yes, certainly." See that older one there, he's singing, yet he has a serious look in his eyes. an immense task it is to complete the Five-Year Plan (though he has no doubt of its being completed). Even on his vacation this lad is (By a Farmer Correspondent) | farmers of Oklahoma will take a hand | thinking of better ways to work, how

laughing and singing on their way.

Well, we have reached camp. The come in truckloads and cars from losing faith in him. They think in boys fill their mattress bags with room. There goes the bugle call. They line up and march singing to the lake to refresh themselves by League received a call from Missouri swimming and also to take a bath Valley asking for advice. A worker, before tea. They return to tea, which is either tea and bread or milk and his home a few days before and had cookies. After tea they go to play no place to go except a covered ball-rugby, volley ball or basket ball wagon and a cow shed. The weather or else they go to the woods for ber- had sickened him and his three year ries. At eight o'clock all the Pion- old son. and Mexicans, free medical aid for eers have supper—a light supper—be- We called the Missouri Valley cause there has already been served workers together and advised that

> After supper there was a fine bonfire and we had singing and stories -sometimes there are speeches by the ray call a special session of the legis- leaders, League members, on how the Five-Year Plan is progressing, how workers' children are living in other cities and in other countries.

to bed soon.

At ten o'clock there is a bugle call. Murray's hand will be shown and We all stand up in front of the flag another step forward will have been and review what we did all day. Then to the inclement weather; that the made in the struggle of the farmers we salute the flag and go to the lake to wash before bed. At ten-thirty Prior to November 21st numberous the leaders go around to the rooms to the overseer of the poor and demand This is the same Murray who was farmers' meetings will be held thru- inspect the Pioneers to see if they going to smash the oil trust and bring out the state to popularize the de- have clean hands, faces and feet. mands and to organize the caravans If any dirty Pioneers are found their "plan," a plan which is resulting in of farmers that will wend their way names are taken and they are shamed strengthening monopoly. Thousands towards Oklahoma City on that day. in front of the assembled Pioneers. of police of Council Bluffs and weeks stay in the camp.

at eight o'clock. They line up and to keep us out of the town and deny march to the lake to wash before us the right of free speech, thereby breakfast. We attend the rising of perjuring his oath of office by viothe flag at nine o'clock and then lating the constitution of the United butter, eggs, cereal and tea. Then meeting in spite of Mr. Mayor Faiththe Pioneers go to the neighboring collective farm and work from ten STILLWELL, Okla.-I am an old till twelve o'clock. From half past veteran, 76-years old trying to get twelve till one o'clock they all go swimming. Then comes dinner. It consists of excellent soup, potatoes and meat, vegetables and bread and butter. Immediately after dinner they go to rest until tea.

Send Greetings to U. S.

On my leaving this camp the Pioneers instructed me to send their revolutionary greetings to the workers' children in America, with special greetings to the American Pioneers, with hearty wishes for the future Soviet America.

JOBLESS DEMAND VACANT HOUSES

Workers Empty Flats

Chicago, Ill.

Daily Worker: . When the unemployed branch of the South Side of Chicago sent out various committees to canvas vacant flats and all dilapidated buildings to

house the many thousands of homeless workers who are sleeping in Washington Park and many other parks and hallways, they also sent a committee to the G. F. Harding real estate office at 31st and Cottage Grove Ave. and found out that Mr. Harding had just taken an aeroplane to Europe. This was the report of the secretary and when the secretary was asked concerning the housing of the unemployed she openly stated that Mr. Harding had left strict orders for her not to allow any flats or buildings to go for the purpose of housing any unemployed men or women, and not to rent any buildings to any charitable institutions.

Mr. Harding has under his control over 500 empty flats on the South the American newspapers that print Side of Chicago. Why are these buildings and flats unoccupied? Is it because the workers of the South Many members of the crew joined Side refuse to live in them? No. the Marine Workers Industrial Union It is because the fat-bellied landlord while in Leningrad. The capitalists has drained the poor worker to the can howl their heads off "convict last drop, and, in order to keep up

MISSOURI VALLEY WORKERS WIN IN **EVICTION FIGHT**

Return Furniture of Family of Five to Home

(By a Worker Correspondent) MISSOURI VALLEY TA - The Council Bluffs Trade Union Unity Dick Foreman, had been evicted from

three meals and also they are going we set the furniture back in the house. The militancy of the workers was such that they did not want to do so at night but in broad daylight. So in the morning we put the furniture back.

The landlord then came and said: "Why?" We informed him that human beings have a right to live on this earth and that we workers didn't propose to see a worker, his wife and three little children exposed county was responsible and that he (the landlord) would have to go to the rent from him. This he agreed to do, so the first eviction case here has been won.

This is the town where the chief To my knowledge only three such Omaha tried to use an ignorant cases were found during my seven small town mayor as a catspaw for a chestnut that was too hard for In the morning the Pioneers wake them to handle. They advised him

POLICE TERROR IN KANSAS CITY

One Thousand in Mass DemonstrationAgainst Jailing of Militant

(By a Worker Correspondent) KANSAS CITY, Kan.-The workers here recently scored a smashing victory against police terrorism in Kansas City, Kansas. This is the consensus of opinion of close to a housand workers who turned out to a mass protest demonstration in Shawnee Park, against the arrest of Rich Realtor Denies to Herbert March, Y. C. L. organizer, while leading a body of children in demand for free clothing and food. The police judge had warned the

workers that henceforth the Reds 'would be tried on the streets" meaning that they would be clubbed and shot down. Not for years has Party and the Y.C.L. addressed the on charges of inciting to riot. He was fined \$25. But the case was appealed. In the meantime, while the frame-up, were being circulated. the trial was actually going on, leaflets denouncing the police attack and Elaborate police preparations were made to smash the demonstration. But the militancy and size of the demonstration. Police terror, admittedly inspired by the packing trust which controls the town, has received a sharp blow. The Party and the Unemployed Councils in Kansas City, are following upon this victory with organizational consolidation. There are now two strong Unemployed Councils and three functioning Party units, in Kansas We of the unemployed find that City. There is also a big Workers there been held a successful outdoor leaflets, etc., have been frequent. sas police arrests for distribution of

March's trial took place last week demonstration in Kansas City, Kan-Workers, join us!

A high spirit of militancy pervaded the crowd at the end of the

Give your answer to Hoover's program of hunger, wage cuts and persecution!

dren too poor, and thus socially tabooed, to be admitted into the Boy Bosses and A. F. of L. Fakers Likewise a self-supporting Home for

the Aged, together with the Hebrew Community Center and Hudson Or-(By a Worker Correspondent) JAMESTOWN, N. Y.-Workers at phan Asylum, dip into the funds the Art Metal Shop No. 1 had their collected in the name of "charity." The Public Health Co-operative Com- wages cut from two to 12 per cent

mittee will be given a paltry \$610 to Monday, October 5. care for Hudson's needy. And work- With this the workers refused to ers who receive only a bare pittance, start to work and about 300 started a starvation wage, are being "urged" to parade in the shop. The superin- T.U.U.L. leadership from Comrade (blackjacked) into giving "at least tendent came in and told the workers A large Negro population, the most refused, saying that their wages were city, is not represented in any man- were not willing to accept this wage

The superintendent said. "We have a \$200,000 order and we are trying get any relief from starvation this our best to keep you working. Now I am satisfied with all of you. Be good and go back to your bench." Demonstrate In Plant.

> this he told them to get their coats and get out of the plant, but the workers refused to leave the plant and paraded all day. The boss then selected a faker. G. S. Peterson, a foreman of one de- workers of other shops, sending them partment, who took the initiative in

he meeing he came to the Trade

Union Unity League headquarters in

When the workers refused to do

Workers Rally at Art and when the chairman opened the meeting Comrade Sgovio, district Metal Shop Against New Wage-cut

Munson, T.U.U.L organizer, and nore him he appealed to the assemto go back to work, but the workers | Comrade G. L. Anderberg, Communist candidate for mayor. He asked fusing the workers for the time bethey did giving them the T.U.U.L. policy.

These workers, about 400 of them. were enthused by the address of our comrades and demanded that we arhall on October 8 for all the metal workers in Jamestown. But when we paign, came to this meeting we found a committee selected by the boss to mislead the workers. Instead of organizing them into the T.U.U.L. they had planned to organize a company union. They separated the metal upstairs in the balcony and excluded calling a mass meeting Monday, Oc- all those who had organized the tober 5, at Nordic Hall. Previous to meeting. In other words the meeting

was run by the bosses.

The chief of police arrived and

tried to break up the meeting, but the workers, very much enthused, shouted: "Let him speak!" We then conthe way to defeat the labor lakers under the slogan:

But in face of this the T.U.U.L. here and rally the workers in real the Arcade Building and demanded committee succeeded in getting in struggl against the wage-cuts. U. S. SEAMEN ON PULPWOOD SHIP SPIKE ANTI-SOVIET FORCED LABOR PROPAGANDA

(By a Work(r Correspondent.) ALBANY, N. Y. - There was a Moore-McCormick ship named Arthe wages of the fire fighters from gosy in the port of Albany discharging a load of pulpwood from the Soviet Union. It was visited by hun-

dreds of workers from Albany who men, the crew answering questions,

were anxious to learn of the condi- that were fired at them a mile a

Union. held by the crew with the longshore-

Workers Crowd On Albany Dock to Listen to of the visitors were enraged about Sailors Tell What They Saw In the Soviet Union

minute. One of the visitors asked about hour." convict labor. "Why don't you ask about convict labor right here in Albany. Here the longshoremen have to work 16 hours straight without time and a half for overtime. It takes you longshoremen

that is loaded in the Soviet Union in seventeen days. In the Soviet Union they only work seven hours a day with a ten minute rest every

iet Union, but they can't fool the high rent, the poor workers can not L.L.D., the Unemployed Councils, the workers much longer, especially the meet the fat-belly's damnd they are The crew also distributed some seamen, who are going over there immediately evicted on to the streets crowd caused the police captain to cigarettes and some literature, which and seeing for themselves. And to die like rats, while these fat- change his mind. Speakers for the they brought from the Soviet these seamen are bringing the good Union. Around the ship one could news back here and spreading it bellies tour Europe. Workers, we see groups of workers discussing the among the workers they come in must organize and fight to the very

so many lies about the conditions

only five days to unload a ship Soviet Union with the crew. Many contact with who just eat it up alive. last man!

The Blast Furnaces of Magnitogorsk Begin to Roar

of 52,000 population, with the largest plant by distorting the plans so that steel mill in the world. This is the the plant would only have a producstory of Magnetostroi, now Magneto- tive capacity of only 600,000 tons. gorsk. The completion of Magneto- In the construction of the water gorsk and other similar plants are power dam, which is five-eighths of a the foundation of the economic in-dependence of the Soviet Union. It will supply electric power for the is the final blow to those who doubted plants, socialist city and the surthe ability of the workers' state, with rounding territory, they constructed their own resources and under their it two months ahead of the time own direction, to build a large basic set by American engineers. Shock industry. During this month the brigades, socialist competition, colhuge blast furnaces of Magnetogorsk lective initiative, is the answer to the

world is practically at a standstill, can be no incentive or initiative. while in the Soviet Union new, immense plants are being built, the | (750 miles away on a new railroad tikes of which cannot be seen in any built under the leadership of Bill of the capitalist countries. Steel pro- Shatoff) will come the coal that will duction in the United States is at its be fused with the iron ore of Manlowest ebb in years-28 per cent of etogorsk to turn out steel for the capacity. In the Soviet Union, at production of machines, tractors and the end of 1933, steel production will other machinery necessary for the be 400 per cent of its war produc- Socialist industrialization of the U. tion. A general campaign of wage- S. S. R. A total of 7,500,000 tons of cuts is being conducted in the steel coal will be needed yearly for the industry of the United States, but steel production in Magnetogorsk. in the Soviet Union wages are stead- To keep up with the production fig-

In Magnetogorsk alone during 1932- furnaces every 8 minutes. 1933 2,500,000 tons will be produced, will reach and overstep many of the in Magnetogorsk. leading imperialist countries in this basic industry. In 1929 the production of pig iron in Great Britain was Germany 13.4 million tons. In the Urals alone, during the present fiveyear plan, it will reach the capacity of 8,000,000 tons. The economic foundation of a socialist economy is

By JACK PERILLA plished this stupendous task. The Two years ago a small cossack vil-sabotagers also played their role of lage of 100 population-today a city destruction in the construction of the

bosses who blabber that under a The steel industry of the whole Soviet State, under Socialism, there

ures a trainload of 10 cars (40 tons The total pre-war production of capacity each) will leave the Magpig iron in Russia was 4,000,000 tons. netogorsk iron range for the blast

The whole section of the Urals, U. S. Steel Corporation in Gary, In- dustrialization of Magnetogorsk diana, the largest in the world until Street cars and busses will connect the completion of the Megnetogorsk the plant with the Socialist City and 3.000,000 tons.) With the completion constructed. An electrified railroad steel mills in the Ukraine, during the ing constructed that will tie up the present five-year plan, the U.S.S.R. whole section with the developments

poison gasses that emanate from the lights of bourgeois economists has omists who are 200 years old." This cay. steel plant a forest is being planted 7.7 million, in France 10.45 and in between the plant and the Socialist present futility of bourgeois econ-City, in order to make the homes omists. This article published in the livable. Capitalism has no such Cleveland Trust Monthly is the elegy concern as the health, of the work- of the "new era" economics and an ers in industry.

In spite of all obstacles the work-

italist economy prior to the crisis but

was incapable of understanding it

He introduced his article with the

following statement of the impotency

of bourgeois economics to even grasp

the significance of this most serious

crisis that the capitalist world has

"Few people foresaw this depres-

sion. Among the few who gave

warning of its coming there can be

found scarcely anyone who realized

that it was likely to prove unusu-

ally severe, exceptionally widespread

and of prolonged duration. These

statements are true alike of econ-

omists and business executives, of

hankers and business statisticians.

of American and of authorities in

foreign countries. The truth is that

two years ago the world was en-

tirely unprepared for any such per-

During the past decade the econo

mists of the capitalists have been

collecting data in a manner and to

an extent never before attempted by

the capitalist class. They have pre-

pared graphs and charts to cover

They have prepared indexes of

every conceivable series of data. They

have used every conceivable math-

ematical device to twist and turn this

data. They have derived out of this

data cycles of business activity vary-

ing in length from months to years

or decades. And then they have

fought over their data, their cycles

Ayres points this out for it wor-

"This nearly universal failure to

recognize the significance of the

gathering stormclouds of business

trouble is specially disquieting in

view of the fact that more and bet-

ter research work relating to the

problems of business cycles has been

done both here and abroad during

the past ten years than in all the

The bourgeois economists have per-

formed all their contortions for

collected. They have torn this data

in shreds in six different directions

and have put the puzzle together

again. But it makes no sense now.

It was a maze and remains one.

They have hung their intellectual

their economy, the capitalist system,

But he hasn't learned anything,

After this statement that this crisis

is in some ways unique he fills his

articles to the extent of several hun-

dred words with a rehash of the

his description of crisis.

They have collected and

tens of acres.

and their indexes.

after it had occurred.

American Workers in the Soviet Union Helping to Build Socialism



Last spring this group of American carpenters took their tools and woodworking machinery and moved to the Soviet Union, the land where workers rule, where unemployment does not exist, where not only are wage cuts unknown but wages are constantly being increased.

A few months ago, when American miners' living conditions were so much driven down to the starvation level that in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia there broke out strikes of coal miners of tremendous militancy-just at this time wages for miners in the Soviet Union were increased 30 per cent. On Oct. 1st one million steel workers in the U. S. received a wage cut-on the same day the wages of steel workers in the Soviet Union were raised 30 per cent. In the last 12 months the Soviet Union opened 518 new factories, mills, and mines, while in the U. S. in this same period factory after factory is either completely shut down or is working part-time only a few days

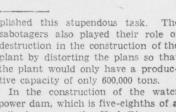
In the heart of the Urals (whichers in the Soviet Union forge forth gymnastics around their necks and s a new Socialist industrial center), building their own Socialist State. they have sunk deeper in the morass this plant will be able to serve the The achievements of the Soviet Union of incomprehension as the crisis of heavy machine industry in the vari- must be popularized among the ous centers of the Urals and the American working class—in the coun- has become more acute. Soviet Union with pig iron and try of plenty (starvation). The They have learned that it has bepartly finished steel

is 700,000,000 rubles (\$350,000,000), among the steel and metal workers merely another major depression. It This will include not only this im- of this country who bear a great is a major secondary post-war demense steel plant, but also a large portion of the brunt of the present pression, which is something differcoking plant, chemical plant and so- crisis and who are confronted with ent and more serious." cialist city. Schools, technical in- one wage-cut after another. stitutes, laboratories, communal kitchens and laundries are part of this tremendous program—much of which has already been completed.

Many were the obstacles that they were confronted with, but through overcome and the plan completed. Consider, for example, the fact that peasants, never employed in indus- kind of a court they use on arrested It would be rather futile to analyze try, and in spite of this they accom- strikers

achievements of Magnetogorsk must come more acute. Ayres points this The total investment in this plant become a real point of agitation out. He writes that "This is not

INNOCENT. SERVED 23 YEARS. most superficial summary of all bourgeois economics has said in describ-CHESTER, Ill., Oct. 8.—Jesse Lucas ing the course of crisis. He lumps the correct leadership of the Com- left prison a few days ago after serv- this together under the following munist Party all the obstacles were ing 23 years of a life sentence for a heads: "Price inflation, farm land crime which another man's confes- prosperity and speculation, price de-90 per cent of all workers employed sion now shows Lucas did not comflation and depression, city prosperity and speculation, secondary price in building the plant were former mit. He was convicted in the same deflation and secondary depression."



From the Urals and from Kuznets

to be increased to 4,000,000 tons dur- which until recently was uninhabiing the second five-year plan. (The tated, will feel the effects of the inplant, has a production capacity of the various other institutions being of Magnetogorsk, Kuznets and other with a radius of 50 kilometers is be-

admission that bourgeois economics Significance of Scottsboro was not only incapable of understanding the development of the cap-

P. Ayres, economist of the Cleveland tiently piled up. "What the country system which has reached maturity-

Trust Co. and one of the leading needs now is some well-trained econ- has already entered the period of de-

written an open confession of the is the intellectual bankruptcy of But Ayres does not want even the

"We Need Economists of 200 Years Ago---"

bourgeois economics. This is the open | bourgeois economics of 200 years ago.

By RICHARD B. MOORE (Head of the National Negro Department, I.L.D.)

"Praise be for the I.L.D." With this spontaneous cry of joy, millions of down-trodden Negroes on the Black Belt of the South hailed the united, militant, mass struggle of the International Labor Defense to save the lives of the nine Scottsboro boys. Smarting under the bloody yoke of the white, slavedriving, lynch-oppressors, these bitterly exploited and persecuted black toilers instinctively knew this movement of white and Negro workers, rising for united fight against this ruling class lynch frame-up, to be

Over the "grape-vine" telegraph, streets and houses, the struggle of the I.L.D. was heralded with lightning speed. Even in the churches where the religious, slave-superstitions of the hypocrital lynch-masters weight heavily upon them, the Negroes burst forth with new spirituals, singing not of the slavedrivers' Jesus, but of the I.L.D. as their "savior."

In such forms even among the most backward, their spirit of rising revolt flared forth in ready response. In the I. L. D. and other militant working-class organizations, the Negro masses recognized at once their allies and their leadership for the fight against the unbearable slavery, increasing starvation, and savage terror of the landlord-boss system of racial and na-

tional oppression. Equally significant is the militant. mass response of the white workers to the Scottsboro campaign. For the first time do we see millions of white workers in the United States and throughout the world battling in the forefront of the struggle in defense of the Negroes, demonstratng in the face of brutal police terror, giving of their last pennies, fighting side by side with their Negro class brothers, taking their stand squarely against the capitalist Jim-Crow lynch system. for equal rights and self-determin ation for the doubly oppressed Ne-

gro toilers Th's effective solidarity and fight of the white workers against the Scottsboro "rape" frame-up, despite the vicious and lying white ruling class howl for the "protection of white womanhood," is of the most tremendous importance. It shows that under the pressure of the increasing exploitation, misery, and terror of the deepening capitalist crisis, the white workers and poor farmers are realizing in life and deed that unity and common struggle with their Negro fellow-toilers is the only hope for the protection and emancipation of the entire

working-class. No less significant is the savage offensive of the white ruling class terrorists and their fascist and reformist agents against the united mass defense movement led by the I.L.D. The vicious attacks upon the International Labor Defense, the Communist Party, the League of Struggle for Negro Rights and other proletraian organizations; their furious drive to split and smash the united front; the violent | and nationalities! Rally to the

attempts of the police thugs and fascist gangs to break up protest meetings and demonstrations thruout the United States and in other countries; the terror at Camp Hill. Birmingham, Chicago, Barberton and elsewhere against the Negro toilers-all prove that the imperialist lynchers realize only too well that this working-class mass struggle is the only force which can free the Scottsboro boys and smash their savage lynch system.

The treachery of the Negro misleaders of the N.A.A.C.P., Urban League, UNIA, etc., is of the greatest political significance. The mass struggle of the ILD forced these reformist master-class agents into the open, to expose their true class white ruling-class lynchers and the worst enemies of the Negro masses. The betrayal of the Scottsboro boys by the NAACP top leaders through the Klan lawyer Roddy who urged the boys to plead guilty, aided the lynch court, and was the first to launch the attack of the bloodthirsty slave-masters upon the LL. D. and the united front mass movement, has been followed by ever

more vile betrayals. Wm. Pickens appeared at first to support the I.L.D. only the better to betray the Negro people. Speaking at Chattanooga, Pickens openly incited the southern lynch terrorists against "the Communists sapping through the densely ignorant masses of the Negro population." The very lynch press which howled for the blood of the Scottsboro boys praised him for this "warning." The Camp Hill massacre which followed when Ralph Gray and four other share-croppers were murdered by a police mob and scores arrested, and the murderous terror let loose in Birmingham, shows how effective was this ominous "warning."

The entire line-up of imperialist lynch terrorists and their white and Negro lackeys must be met by resolute struggle and merciless exposure. The united front must be built from below, winning still broader masses of white and Negro toilers and all who are ready to join in the struggle. The Scottsboro campaign must be intensified and broadened. It must be linked up with the defense of the 44 Negro and white miners of Harlan now facing another capitalist death frame-up, with the struggle to free Mooney, with the local defense struggles against the rising persecution of the Negro masses, with the fight to free Yokinen and against deportation of foreign-born workers, with the campaign for the liberation of all the victims of boss

The murder of the Scottsboro boys has been halted thus far by the mass pressure of the workers white and black. But a still more powerful fight is necessary to force their release from the clutches of the imperialist lynchers, and this depends upon persistent organization. The struggle to save the lives of the nine Scottsboro boys is of the greatest moment to the entire working-class. Workers of all races

Under the title of "We Need Some analysis and from the analysis and hundred years has been in vain. The and squirmed in a frenzied endeavor of the foundations already laid is old and brand new, huge establish-Economists 200 Year Old" Leonard data that the bourgeois has so pa- bourgeoisie cannot understand its own to escape just that economics whose foundation was laid by the fathers Reed were alive, he would write an- men, operating two and three shifts of political economy. They tried to other book: "Ten Years That a day, 350 days a year. The populaan objective science into a subjective for that is exactly what the Bolshesearching of the soul of the shop viks achieved in these ten yearsadmission that the development of The bourgeoise has during the past keeper, of the soul of the higgler and literally changed the face of Old peddler. This was marginal utility. Russia, But this theoretical way out left them change the face of the world. nowhere-the advent of imperialism, of the day in the sun of United States finance capital had as much relaion to marginal utility as to palmistry or Christian Science.

> They don't want their economics of 200 years ago. And why not? Be- this change. cause Marx took up economics, drained it of every bit of real insight these fathers of bourgeois economics had

ploitation, to cover up the historical ole in the proletariat in cleaning out this system of exploitation the economists of the bourgeoisie fled to marginal utility, to institutional economics and to statistics.

its heritage of theory of a century in the day the paraders file by; all the chief sources of electric power; and two centuries ago this heritage fell to the class that is destined to sweep out this bourgeoisie—the pro- rist I ternational, on the basis of recall, electricity plus Soviet power letariat. It is only in the ranks of the international development of im- equal Socialism. the proletariat that that heritage has perialism in the past decade underbeen evaluted for the analysis of the stands this crisis, and more, was able imperialist era of capitalism. The to predict it. proletariat has had need of the econdevelopment of capitalism-analyzing Comrade stalin stated: the growth of capitalism into imperialism and clearly showing the path

of the downfall of capitalism. This bourgeoisie harks back two centuries because it has not been able to understand this greatest of all crises that capitalism has yet known in its history. The proletariat through its world party, the Commu-

Mooney - Harlan - Scottsboro campaign! Build the united mass struggle led by the I.L.D. into a mighty force that will sweep over the lynch terrorists-that will free all working class prisoners!

The Scottsboro struggle marks a turningpoint in the struggles of the toiling masses of the world. In the U. S. the militant working-class led by the I.L.D. came forward as the defender of the Negro masses agains white chauvinist terror. This struggle demonstrates the rapidly growing invincible solidarity of the It proves the correctness of the program of the International Red stride towards its full realization.

"The struggle of the Negro masses for social and national emanthe proletarian struggles against cipate itself in the white skin where perialist exploitation. in the black it is branded..." Karl Marx. "The fiercer and more bloody becomes the murderous attack of must become the international sol-Aid on Work Among Negroes). mists "200 years old."

The Decisive Year... Socialist Building Speeds Ahead

Note:-The following is an extract from the pamphlet, "The Decisive Year in the Soviet Union," publishe by the Friends of the Soviet Unio: The author has spen many years in the U. S. S. R., studying conditions there. The pamphlet may be obtained from the F.S.U., 80 E. 11th St., Room 221, New York City. The great mainly, Soviet type); while a year socialist construction that Heller from now its production will reach describes will be studied at first- 25,000 trucks. Next to it is Dynamo hand by the American Workers' Delegation that will leave this month to attend the celebration of the 14th anniversary of the Russian Revolution. This delegation is now being ing. A whole new city has grown up organized by the Friends of the around this section of Moscow-new Soviet Union.

sive Year. This year is to prove whe- 1928 this was an empty lot. Today ther the Five-Year Plan is going almost a dozen acres are covered by through as anticipated or whether handsome buildings, housing the plications its fulfillment will be re- day every day in the year (except

Ten years passed since my first visit to Soviet Russia-but a brief satisfy the demand. "Come visit us space of time in human history. In next year," the plant director said to the capitalist world these ten years me, "we shall clean up all this muck have brought the masses greater around the buildings-some of them misery than they knew in 1921 - are on the point of completion-and more unemployment, severe wage put down lawns and flower beds!"reductions, harder labor thru speedups and rationalization schemes, a general lowering of the standard of rived in the Soviet Union. Communism is not yet established there; but other plants in Moscow - electrical the amount of preparatory work plants, (Electrozavod), metallurgical accomplished in these ten years to- (Hammer and Sickle), rubber (the wards the establishment of a so-What is Ayres' conclusion from his bourgeois economics of the past two century clawed its way, has wriggled cialist society, the depth and strength plants, furniture plants, etc., etc., nothing less than heroic. If John ments, employing thousands of worktransform bourgeois economics from Changed the Face of the Earth"; tion of Moscow is near three million as eventually they will

> the Russia of 1921 and compare it story. It was formerly called Zapowith the Soviet Union of today. Then rojye and was the headquarters of broken down transport, flooded natural fortress with the impassable They have given up the ghost. They mines, silent oil wells, and what was Dnieper protecting the place; from have bidden farcwell to theory. They most painful—the wretched villages here the Cossacks carried on their started out again with institutional with a strip of land cultivated here depredations over a wide territory, conomics under the leadership of and there, but miles and miles of coming back to Zaporojye with their Veblen and ended up collecting fig- waste land, unused, neglected, over- booty. Now Zaporojye-Alexandrovsk ares and drawing charts. This is grown with brush and wild grass. -is a peaceful, sunny town, basking the end of bourgeois economics-us- Now-what a change! Let me take in the glory of nearby Dnieprostroy. ing adding machines and calculating you around with me, on my all too To throw a dam across the Dnieper machines, chart paper and India ink. brief journey through the Soviet Union, and let us together examine heart of the former Cossack country,

> International Labor Day. The great- gime surveys and investigations were est demonstration of workers' solid- carried out, the tsarist government been able to gather and the basis arity the world has ever seen. A considering it of military importance of the further develogment of the genuine holiday spirit pervades Mos- to raise the waters of the Dnieper capitalist system since their time laid cow, bright, warm sunshine, smiling in order to make it a navigable river; bare the very soul of capitalist ex-skies, the sound of music everywhere. but the project never got beyond ploitation and drew the historically The marching hosts pass through the that stage. It was left for the Bollogical conclusions. To hide this ex- Red Square, in front of Lenin's sheviks to bring the project to realimausoleum, at first regiment after zation, not at all out of military conregiment of Red Army men, then the siderations, but in order to tap a vast workers of Moscow, young and old, amount of power for the rapidly men and women, over a million growing Soviet industries. Already in leaders, by delegates from distant for the electrification in the Soviet While the bourgeois has fled from lands. From early morning till late Union named Dnieprostroy as one of

At the fifteenth Congress of the omics of 200 years ago and through Communist Party of the Soviet Union Marx has used them. The bourgeoisie which was held in December, 1927, calls for a return of this two cen- two years prior to the present crisis, tury old analysis of the foundations Comrade Stalin summed up the anof capitalism. The proletariat has alysis of the Communist Internagone forward from this foundation tional of the historical period in dissecting every stage in the further which capitalism then found itself.

> "On the contrary, from the very fact of stabilization, from the fact that industry develops, from the fact that trade increases, from the fact that technical progress and industrial possibilities increase while at the same time the world market, the limits of that market and the spheres of influence of various imperialist groups remain more or less stable, arises the most profound and sharpest crisis of world capitalism, pregnant with new wars and menacing the existence of any form of stabilization.

"From partial stabilization develops an intensive crisis within the capitalist system, the developing crisis shatters stabilization—such is the dialectic of capitalist development at the present historical moment."

This is the Marxian analysis of the crisis that the capitalist class finds only a maze which their statistics make no sense of. This is the an- sions, by the industrial undertakings toilers of all races and nationalities. alysis by the proletariat of capital- projected in the immediate proxiism in the present period. Through Marx the proletariat took the genius Aid and is itself a great forward that was contained in the writings of the fathers of political economy. The revolutionary proletariat led by the Communist Party has, out of the munism. And Dnieprostroy is but one cipation are an inseparable part of magnificent heritage left it by Marx of a number of great undertakings forged one of its mightiest weapons that are beginning to dot the Soviet imperialism." "Labor cannot eman- for its attack on the system of im-

> The bankruptcy of the capitalist the approaching Socialist State. system is reflected in the bankruptcy

But let us see the city in its work-

lay clothes. Here is the Amo Plant (automobile manufacture). In 1921, when I first visited it, it was standing mous plant; it is already putting out thousands of automobiles (trucks -another huge electrical plant, employing over 10,000 workers, quadrupled in size and capacity within the last few years, and still expandplants, workmen's homes, clubs, tecinnical institutes. Nearby is my fami-The year 1931 is the third year of liar Ragas plant, now called Watthe Five-Year Plan, called the Deci- All Union Autogenous Trust. In through foreign or domestic com- latest machinery, working 24 hours a legal holidays) and planning additional buildings and equipment, to We visit another Wat plant, at Rostokino, at the other end of the town, I saw it completed in 1926, a bit of Nor has the millenium ar- a plant then. Now it has become a huge establishment. So it is with famous Bogair), clothing and shoe now; in 1921 it was less than two

Dnieprostroy

We arrive at Alexandrovsk in the wee hours of the morning; this is the As I write this I see in my mind railway station nearest to Dniepro--idle factories, hosts of unemployed, the Ukrainian Cossacks; a sort of

here at the Porogi (rapids) in the was an old dream of Russian en-A glance at Moscow, First of May, gineers. Already under the old restrong. They are greeted by Soviet 1919-20 Krzhizhanovsky, in his plans and Lenin heartily supported Krzhizhanovsky-for to Lenin, as you will

Cossack Country

Work on Dnieprostroy is now nearing completion; it comprises a dam of magnificent proportions and beauty, a power station to house nine turbogenerators of 90,000 h. p. each. and a lock canal to permit ships to pass above the rapids. The raising of the river level some 25 feet will flood a territory fifty miles in extent, and will provide sufficient storage capacity to permit uninterrupted operation of the plant. With the dam and power station as the center, a whole new industrial city is rising all around: an aluminum plant, chemical and metallurgical plants are projected here on a scale unknown in Russia, or in Europe for that matter, to take up practically the entire power generated; a number of buildings are already rising above the foundations-in a year or two the hum of machinery, the whistle of passing ships and trains will have replaced what was a short time ago a robbers' nest and an impassable barrier. Dnieprostroy was to be completed, according to original plans, in 1933, but the Five-Year Plan has hastened construction, so that it will be completed at the end of 1932; and part of the power plant, I was told may be in operation this year!

I was so impressed by Dnieprostroy its sweep and magnificent dimenmity, by the vast and daring scope of the whole layout-that I accepted this as a symbol of the growing might of the Soviet Union, as a milestone on the road to universal Comland in every direction and that create an impregnable foundation for

We bid goodby to our hosts-at 3 of its "theoreticians." The bankruptcy in the morning-and speed along to capitalism, the more indissoluble of its "theoreticians" of the bour- the next point Rostov-on-Don, for a geoisie is admitted and revealed in sight of Selmash (agricultural imidarity of the exploited and op- the demand of one of its chief pro- plements plant) and the large state pressed masses of the world." (Re- phets, Ayres, that the capitalist class farms, Giant and Verblud, in Northsolution of the International Red of the United States needs econo- ern Caucasus, some little distance from Rostov."

French Imperialists Sharpen Miner Murdered; His Negro Boss Barber Helps Attack in Finance War on U.S.

"Rumor" Attacks Effectual Because Based On Growing United States Financial Crisis

Hoover did not have a program all the government has also no power worked out for the visit of Laval, so to check it. the French government now denies that Laval has such a program. The its maintenance on the gold stand-French government had to deny this ard is being slowly undermined here because the New York Times already by the use of the same methods published what it said was the basis of this plan of Laval's. The French capitalist class has already rejected through its press the attempt on the part of Hoover to draw Laval out by intimating that he was in favor of a revision of debts based on the ability of the warious countries to the dollar,

Laval demanded, in the struggle that has gone on through the capitalist press and is therefore not "offical," that the United States agrees to cut the debts of the European countries to the United States by fifty per cent if they cut their armament expenditures by 25 per cent. Hoover has answered also "unofficially" through the statements of various senators, that the United States is going to demand cuts in the armaments before the debt question

investments are ever paid back.

n Europe is proceeding at full force, in that the imperialists are preparing on the results of the arbitration s The Times points out that although armed struggle.

Just as the United States capital- this attack is not "favored" by the 1st press stated some days ago that government, but quite the contrary,

> "Confidence in the dollar and in as were employed to destroy confidence in the pound sterling.

> "The French public is being led to believe that the United States is going in for wholesale inflation, and that in such inflation there is immense and immediate danger to

"In virtually all this comment it has become customary to describe the American situation as "critical," and as if there were likelihood of a forced departure from the gold standard.

"Under the guise of commiseration with this "critical" situation, panie is being surely spread more and more extensively, just as was done some months ago with regard

The attack in Poland has already resulted in a flight from the dollar which has played a very important The struggle between the United role in Poland as currency. The States and France is around the French attack through rumors has question as to which set of imper- been "successful" because the fintalists is going to get the most out ancial conditions in the United States candidate for mayor and also a strike of Germany now. The United States which the French have said are seri- leader, were on trial yesterday on bankers are trying to save their in- ous, are very serious. The attack of charges of speaking without a permit vestments at the expense of France, the French imperialists against the and creating a disturbance. They and if necessary by cutting the war bankers of the United States, as the were railroaded through, in spite of debt to the government of the United attack by both of them against the a brilliant defense and fined \$20 British pound, are based on such sub- each. The two workers conducted The French imperialists are strug- stantial facts of the worsening of the their own defense and proved the gling to get the reparations out of economic situation and the approach charges were rtumped up for strike Germany before the United States of financial instability that they have breaking purposes. The court took bankers get their investments back, their full effect in actually helping great pains to bar workers from afand whether or not the United States to bring this about. The financial tending the trial. situation is connected with the ques-Th New York Times reports that tion of war not only in the fact that ing was Fred Biedenkapp, secretary ently picked by the bosses for the still confined in the death cells of the attack auginst the United States | the reparations debts are involved but | of the strike committee, who reported

MAKE THE LINE OF THE HUNGER et leaders of the U.T.W. are with MARCH AN UNBROKEN CLASS FRONT! The Board of Arbitration will then officially endorse the settlement.

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charity, collected by a combination of all anti-working class organizations in the country, administered by the federal army, the national guard and the police forces, moldy crumbs from the lavish tables of the well-fed bosses and bankers who grow fat on the misery of the masses, given only to those who with becoming servility accept the murderous mercy of their rulers-this is the Hoover-Wall Street pro-

It is a program of action AGAINST the unemployed and AGAINST the whole working class.

Wage cuts and speed-up beyond the limit of physical endurance for workers still employed, mass starvation for the millions of unemployed and their families-murder in the streets as in Chicago, Cleveland and New York, gas bombs, clubs and mass jailings for strikers and unemployed demonstrators, feverish preparations for a new imperialist world war-this is the Hoover-Wall Street program in action.

The Unemployed Councils in a dozen huge industrial centers and the Trade Union Unity League, in issuing the call for the National Hunger March, realize the gigantic nature of the task undertaken but above all is realized the vital need for the working class, through nation-wide agitation, organization and discipline, to strike a mighty blow at the drive of the billionaire robbers and their government agains

he lives and liverties of the American working class-The National Hunger March is at this time the major struggle on a national scale, uniting the employed and the unemployed, in the elementary fight for food, clothing and shelter!

The National Hunger March is a political struggle on a national scale. It brings the elected representatives of hundreds of thousands of workers into direct struggle with and against the national representatives of American capitalism under whose rule the entire American working class is being driven daily deeper into pauperism, starvation and slavery!

The organization and support of the National Hunger March, from its starting point of local struggles, mass meetings and elections, gathering greater mass force as the march proceeds, to the demand on Congress and the return of the delegations reporting to huge mass meetings as they go back, is the major immediate task of all militant working class organizations and of every militant worker.

The National Hunger March will expose before the whole working class the traitorous activity of the leaders of the American Federation of Labor and its socialist party supporters, whose recent convention in Vancouver, B. C. went on record against unemployment insurance and immediate government relief for starving millions with hypocritical phrases such as "the dole is an insult to the dignity of American citizens," but who loudly applaud the Hoover program of wholesale degeneration of unemployed workers to the status of beggars herded and driven by bayonets and police clubs, their misery mocked and their hunger capitalized by the jeering mountebanks of the press and pulpit. It will answer the war of Woll, Green and Lewis on the Soviet Union-the only land where unemployment has been abolished, where living conditions get better every daybecause the imperialist class is the ruling class!

Workers! The Unemployed Councils and the Trade Union Unity League call for mass mobilization for the war against unemployment and starvation on a nationwide scale. We are not living in ordinary times and the National Hunger March is no ordinary struggle.

Out of the welter of lies and demagogy by which the rulers and their agents try toconceal the mass misery of the millions of the working class, out of the confusion and hesitation caused by enemy agents the workers ranks, and AGAINST the Hoover-Wall Street program of starvation and suppression, the National Hunger March emerges as the unifying force uniting the employed and unemployed, white and Negro, native and foreign born, youth and adults, for protest and action on a national scale.

It is an event, an action and an upsurge whose very name breathes militant mass struggle. Of supreme importance to the working class, it calls for unlimited effort and support to bring its vanguard of 1,200 delegates in a smashing drive for unemployment insurance against the seat of capitalist government, into the official home of Hoover, Mellon, Lamont and the other members of the executive committee of the ruling class which has ordained that millions of workers, their wives and children,

Little Daughter Is Hungry; Send Food!

HARLAN, Ky., Oct. 4 .- Widowed when her husband, Joe Moore, was shot down by gunmen before the National Miners Union soup kitchen in Wallins Creek, Ky., Nan Moore and her children are now destitute in this city.

"My little girl is now going to school and half the timeI have nothing to cook for her when she home," she writes to a friend in the International Labor Defense. "I am keeping house with my kids, but I am having a hard time and if I don't get help I just don't know what I'm going

Nan Moore and her children are only a few of the 50 odd dependents of class-war prisoners in the Harlan coal field for whom the International Labor Defense is raising relief. Send contributions to the Kentucky Prisoners' Aid, Room 430, 80 E. 11th St., New York City.

4,000 HEAR FOSTER IN LAWRENCE

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A speaker at the Foster mass meetparticularly in France and in Poland. to carry on the financial war through far. The State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration is meeting bebers at Lawrence. Eleven hand pickthem, cocking up a plan to make a settlement by means of a wage cut officially endorse the settlement.

Strikers Barred

The National Textile Workers Union at a meeting held immediately after the picket line, mobilized the workers for a meeting at 10 a. m. Wednesday, where fifteen delegates, ten men and five women, were elected to met th Board of Arbitration, and tell them that they would not accept the wage cut.

When this committee, headed by Fred Biedenkapp, appeared at the City Chambers, they were told that the chairman of the Board would with the bosses or their agents, behind closed doors.

committee told the chairman of the tions to elect delegates to the con-Board of Arbitration that the Na- ference. The call declares, in part: tional Textile Workers Union, and

could only see the eleven it had invited today, that the meeting was ing the Board if they did wait, the of getting them to just wait and be

N. T. W. hall and reported to the cuts.

Ala. Frame-Up of Negro

Tells Birmingham Police Willie Peterson Said Others Arrested in Frame-Up Were Innocent

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 16.have been formed in Birmingham, been engaged to defend Peterson.

The general sentiment in Birmingham among both Negro and white

ham county jail.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 15 .-The traitorous role of the Negro Williams is her brother. petty bourgeoisie (landlords, shop August 4 of two society women.

to view Peterson. There he declared that Peterson had taken a shave in Willie Peterson Defense Committee his shop and had discussed the murder of the two society women Ala., and Chattanooga, Tenn., under and expressed the opinion that the auspices of the Southern District of Negro workers then held by the the International Labor Defense. At- police were victims of a frame-up torney Rosenthal of Birmingham has attempt. Although this opinion was expressed by thousands of Negro workers, the police are now trying to workers, as well as some other he knew that he himself had comgroups, is that Peterson is being mitted the crime. It is on this ridiculous "evidence" and the "identifi- bottled milk for which any argument A protest telegram has been sent to cation" of Peterson's hat by Nell exists on the score of cleanliness, Gov. Miller of Alabama by the Chat- Williams, as the hat worn by the costs 19 cents a quart in New York, tanooga branch of the I. L. D., de- murderer, that the State hopes to and costs about 3 cents to buy from manding Peterson's release and hold- fasten the crime on Peterson and the farmer. The milk trust gunman ing the sheriff and the governor thus build up a "justification" for and racketeers come in for mention. responsible for the cold-blooded the murderous assault on him by shooting of Peterson in the Birming- Dent Williams in the county jail. in Relief" by Harry Raymond; "The Nell Williams is the sister of one of Greatest Disaster in History" (The the deed women. She was with Chinese Flood) by Grace Hutchins; them at the time of the attack. Dent

The Negro workers of Birmingham keepers, doctors, etc.) as betrayers are indignant at this further proof of the Negro masses was once more of the co-operation of the Negro petsharply exposed when a prosperous ty bourgeoisie with the Alabama Negro barber of the city came for- boss lynchers. They remember that ward to help the white bosses in their early in the case this same traitorous murderous frame-up of Willie Pe- group had joined the white ruling terson, unemployed Negro miner, class in putting up a reward to Peterson is now near death in the facilitate the frame-up of a Negro Hillman Hospital as a result of a worker in connection with the murdcowardly attack on his life in the ers. The petty bourgeois misleaders County jail here. Peterson is the also gave their support to the police latest of many Negro workers to be terror and wholesale arrests of arrested in the police attempt to Negro workers and the searching of framedup any innocent Negro worker their homes for Communist literain connection with the slaying on ture, as well as supporting the hideous frame-up of the nine innocent The Negro barber, who was evid- Scottsboro boys, eight of whom are

tion and Arbitration is meeting behind closed doors in the City Chambard Boston Workers Demonstrate This Sunday to Free Mooney

by the American ruling class.

gro boys, the white and Negro Harlan (Kentucky) miners, Berkman and Murdoch and other Lawrence strikers, see Biedenkapp. Biedenkapp the Imperial Valley defendants, etc. told them that it was against the The demonstration which is called principles of the N.T.W. for an offi- by the International Labor Defense cial to discuss settlements or policies will begin at 3:30 Sunday afternoon.

"The International Labor Defense the Rank and File Strike Committee, calls upon all workers and toiling represented the majority of the farmers, upon the local unions of the workers, and that they demanded the American Federation of Labor, the right to talk before the Board. The trade unions affiliated with the Committee told the chairman of the Trade Union Unity League, the rank Arbitration Board that all that could and file members of the Amalgabe done was to stop the wage cut. | mated Clothing Workers and other They were told that the Board unions independent of the A. F. of

secret, and that they could wait workers the results of the interview. When Biedenkapp asked They pointed out that this policy of them if there was any chance of see- stalling the workers is another way chairman said he did not think so. | quiet while the bosses greased the The committee came back to the rails for the railroading of the wage

shall go down into the pit of human misery so that more billions shall flow into the coffers of the robber class. Raise the banner of the National Hunger March to Washington in

every city! Rally to the support of the National Hunger March! Organize and carry through the local struggles for immediate relief-\$150 for winter relief for every unemployed worker-\$50 for each dependent! Stop all

Speed the 1,200 delegates to Washington with a million mandates and with the message that the American workers have chosen the path of Show in every struggle, in every mass meeting, in every election, in

every welcome and farewell to the marching delegates, that we know the name and address of our class enemies from the smallest hamlet to the capital city of American imperialism—Washington. Multiply the resounding tramp of the marching delegates by the active support of millions of workers until the dome of the capitol shakes

over the heads of the lackeys who carry through the imperialist program

of robbery, murder and starvation against the American and colonial masses in the name of American civilization and its "sacred institutions." On to Washington! Send the 1,200 delegates as the advance guard of an aroused working class determined to wring from the billionaire rulers the minimum guarantee of unemployment insurance—the guarantee that the basic necessities of food, clothing and shelter shall be furnished NOW to the hungry millions of the working class thrown out of their jobs to beg, steal or starve by a capitalist class so merciless in its thirst for profit that its spokesman Hoover, remains unmoved even

by the cries of hungry children which fill the air. "Capital," wrote Marx, "lives, however, not only at the expense of labor, but as an infamous barbarian slave owner, takes with it to the grave the corpses of these slaves, whole hecatombs of workers, perishing in times of crises."

We live in such a period. Workers have to fight for the right to live. Today in America a thousand workers will die from hunger and The National Hunger March will organize the fight against starvation,

the fight to force from the capitalist class the bare necessities of life for the millions now condemned to a starvation existence.

Organize the National Hunger March! Mobilize the maximum mass support for the Hunger March in every city and town and throughout the countryside. Rally every local union of the TUUL unions, of hte American Federation of Labor, every working class fraternal and benefit society for the support of the National Hunger March and the local

struggles from which it derives its mandate and mass character! On to Washington for unemployment insurance! Defeat the Hoover-

Wall Street starvation program!

purpose, was taken to the hospital Kilby Prison, Montgomery.

BOSTON. Oct. 16 .- Joining their L., the Unemployed Councils, Factory protests to the protests of millions of Groups, the working class members workers throughout the United States of the Socialist Party, the Communist and the whole world, Boston workers Party, working class fraternal organtomorrow (Sunday) will rally in izations, especially Negro and forthousands on Boston Common, Park- eign born, and workers clubs to join man Bandstand, to demand the im- in the United Front Conference mediate freedom of Tom Mooney, called by the L. L. D. for the release buried alive for 15 years in a Cali- of Tom Mooney and Billings, the fornia cell upon a ghastly frame-up Harlan miners, the Scottsboro Negro The demonstration will also de- tralia, Woodlawn, and all other class

boys, and the Imperial Valley, Cenmand the release of all other class war prisoners at the American House, war prisoners, of the Scottsboro Ne- Hanover Street, Boston, Sunday, October 25, 1931, at 10:30 a. m.

Hub Clerks to Get Cut In Commission

CHICAGO, Ill.—The sales clerks of chairman of the Board, he sent word ence on Sunday, October 25, 10:30 had their rate of commission cut by son: "negotiating" for a reduced wage scale on this year's contract. That the Amalgamated fakers will assent to this cut is the rumor going about.

Times Praises AFL Example to Bosses Fighting Insurance

The New York Times yesterday ditorially complimented the American Federation of Labor for being more willing to make the millions of jobless starve without insurance than even "nervous" business men themselves. Writing on the majority vote against unemployment insurance in the A. F. of L. convention the Times says:

"The action at Vancouver might well selve as an example of steadfastness and intelligent self-interest to nervous business men who have been behaving and talking as if the end of this familiar American world of opportunity courage, energy and enterprise were here. They ought to be willing to wait a little while longer before throwing up their hands and calling for revolutions and miracles. The Federation of Labor, with a general unemployment rate of perhaps 25 per cent-and n some trades nearly 50 per cent -has been as hard hit as any economic interest in the country.",

The force of the implied argument that the A. F. L. leadership is more in favor of saving profits at the expense of workers' lives than are many of the employers who fear the radicalization of the masses is not made less by the fact that the Times underestimates the extent of unemployment. There are many A. F. L. groups with 75 per cent unem-

ployment.

The Times editorial actually admits that many business men are convinced "that the special conditions under which American labor has existed and prospered have come to an end and that the chapter of higher living standards has been closed." While lauding the A. F. L. for waiting another year to see what the suffering masses will do, the editorial shows that a section of American employers are in favor of openly adjusting their class war tactics to this conviction, which means wage cuts and misery for the workers.

'Solidarity" Shows Up the Milk Racket; Cct. Issue Now Out

With the news rolling in of chilren in all great industrial centers aintingfrom hunger of babies under nourished for lack of milk, the proposed new robbery from the workers kids of what little milk they get is ppropriately the main article in the October issue of "Solidarity" monthly organ of the Workers International

The cover design is a striking cartoon by Gropper, showing the milk trust dumping milk in the gutter while a policeman clubs hungry children away from it. The facts on the milk graft are brought out by make out that Peterson thought the Paul Claude, in a leading article others were being framed because The fight of the trust to abolish "loose milk" is explained "Grade A." the only form of

Other articles are: "Racketeering "Prepare For The National Hunger March," by Alfred Wagenknecht; an article on the war danger by Vern Smith: and still other articles. You'll want to read this well illustrated issue Five cents a copy. Get a subscription for 50 cents a year, at 799 Broadway, New York.

CONFLICT OF U.S.-JAPAN SHARPENS

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ening of the |conflict between the United States and Japan.

The reaction in Tokyo to the vote in the League was so sharp that the many leave the league. ences which have taken place regarding the Manchuria situation the socialists. United States sent "two memoranda" vealed concerning them."

The New York Times now reveals that the Stimson statement of last Friday which was the occasion of a by the agents of the imperialists. sharp attack in Japan was not the Martial law is being enforced "bereal cause of it. The cause was the cause of the fear of a popular up-"conversations" in which the United rising." State simperialists had revealed Due to the continuance of the The Boston Mooney demonstration the Hub Department store, who a more of their position. The Times struggle of the imperialists and their

informed that the Hub bosses are tured as to whether the objection voiced toward it in Japan might cause of something said in the led the Tokyo Government to be- succumb. lieve that the American attitude was unsympathtic." While the struggle of the United

continues in diplomatic manoeuvres, the Japanese militarists continue their advance in Manchuria. Against this the Chinese masses are rising in more militant struggle. I Shanghai the Chinese refuse to sell the Japanese residents any food products. Japanese marines took part in an attack on the militant masses of Shanghai but "the ugly temper of the Chinese crowds when the marines appear is becoming more dangerous daily," reports the Times correspondent. In Canton thousands of students paraded to protest the murder of twelve students last Sunday

Socialists Aid Bruening Gov't in Fascist Moves

Communist Remelle Declares United Front of Workers Will Smash Fascism

(Cable By Inprecorr.) BERLIN, Oct. 14 .- The debate on | benches.) Bruening's speech began this after-The first speaker, Preitscheid, socialist, announced that although the socialists opposed the principla of government by emergency decree, favoring democracy, they were prepared to vote in favor of the government and against the withdrawal Communist bench: 3.). The socialists in their present form were an intolerable burden on Germany,

The next speaker, Frick, fascist and former minister of the interior, of Thuringia, delivered a very weak speech, the only interesting point in his statement being that the fascists were now prepared to arrive at an nderstanding with France. The Franco-German understanding was always declared by the fascists to be

The third speaker, Herman Remmele of the Communist Party, declared that the Communists would continue to fight Bruening with all their energy and all possible means. The second Bruening cabinet was the final stage preparatory to an open fascist dictatorship. He declared that placing the Reichswehr police in weakness and not of strength. Groener's task is to suppres sthe workers, but the government, which is suprupt. He exposed the pacifist phrases of Bruening and declared strument for imperialist war, as Remelle stated that the League of Nations was the capitalist international against Bolshevism. The Communist Party demanded that Ger-

United States counselor immediately Remelle declared that Bruening's capitalist class to Hitler and Hugenhad a conference with the Japanese economic policy was solely in the in- ber gprior to the fascist "National foreign office to "explain America's terests of the rich against the poor Opposition" meeting Sunday at Bad position." It is now revealed that and that Bruening's boast that big Harzburg, in addition to the published confer- strikes had been avoided is true, In his speech Bruening openly solely thanks to the treachery of the stated that if the government was

to Japan "which had not been pub- the Communist Party into illegality, of the Reichstag. Bruening stated for lished because the Japanese govern- Remmele declared that the workers the capitalist class that it is prement was doing its utmost to prevent would answer as the pre-war social- pared, as a last resort to save the public irritation." These memoranda ists answered the anti-socialist laws. German capitalist system, to use the were a very sharp statement of the The capitalist world is approaching entire armed forces of the country position of the United States im- collapse rapidly and it was no longer perialists to the invasion of Man- a question who would win in the German workers under the leaderchuria. In addition secret conversa- class struggle, but merely a question ship of the Communist Party of Gertions have been going on in Geneva of when the final victory of the many. "of so informal and confidential a workers would arrive. Fascism could character that nothing has been re- not alter the issue. The united front NEGRO JOBLESS JOIN COUNCIL of the workers would smash fascism.

will be followed by a United Front year ago were placed on strictly a reports the following from Washing- agents in the attempt to divide up When this message was given the Mooney - Harlan - Scottsboro Confer- commission basis (no salary) have ton regarding the massage of Stim- China the masses are faced not only that he would receive a committee of fifteen over St. Boston. A call has been of the fake Amalgaated, have been diplomatists resident here coniects. of three. The committee of fifteen over St., Boston. A call has been of the fake Amalgaated, have been diplomatists resident here conjectoububonic plague. The plague is spreading death among hundreds of thousands of Chinese peasants in Mimeographing, Cleaning, Repairing be largely a pretext and that the Western Honan and Western Chansi. resentment was actually felt be- The plague is expected to extend to the Yangste flood area where milcourse of conversations which had lions of those hit by the flood will PROLET-MIMO SERVICE & SUPPLY

(Cheering from the Communist

The Bruening government is proceeding with the transformation of the present semi-fascist dictatorship into a complete and open fascist dictatorship. For this purpose a war council is being formed to carry on the attack against the working class. of the decrees. (Laughter from the This war council was proposed in a letter which President Hindenberg opined that the reparations payments sent to Bruening and was included in Bruening's speech. In this letter Hindenberg calls for the formation of "a small committee of leading experts in different fields of economic endeavor, including representatives of employes, as an economic advisory board which, with the government, shall discuss the whole realm of economic and social problems, in an effort to arrive at uniform sugges-

This "advisory board," of which the government will constitute a part, will carry through the offensive against the workers, not only through wage-cuts and cuts in relief, but through the organization of all the fascist hordes with the armed inperial forces for the crushing of the working masses who in million masses are stirring for a decisive atthe hands of Groener was a sign of of hunger and misery. The "leading experts in different fields of economic endeavor" are the wage-cutting ported solely by bayonets, is bank-dustry and the bankers who are the monopolist owners of trustified inreal chiefs of teh fascist organizathe League of Nations to be an in- and Hugenberg. The "representations of Hitler, Seldte, Duesterberg proved in the attitude of the brutal socialists, the social-fascists, who tives of employees" are the traitor Japanese invasion of Manchuria. have given their full support to the present Bruening government in its fascist program. Hindenberg, who was "officially" responsible for the call fo rthe organization of this war council, gave the instructions of the

defeated in the Reichstag it would Referring to teh campaign to force be ready to govern without the grace to crush the rising militancy of the

> CLEVELAND, Ohio -About 100 jobless Negro workers joined Branch No. 8 of the Cleveland Unemployed Council on Monday evening at the first meeting since the mass funeral of John Rayford and Edward Jack-This is the branch to which both the martyred Negroes belonged.

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On the Carrying Out of the 13th Plenum Decisions

FOR CONCRETENESS IN THE STRUGGLE AGAINST SOCIAL DEMAGOGY

(Excerpts from a report by T. J.)

WE ARE today experiencing in Milwaukee an unprecedented flood of social demagogy which is indicative of the greater use of this weapon against the working class throughout the country in the months to come. We can already draw certain lessons from our struggle against the socialist party and against social demagogy in the Milwaukee section,

In the struggle against social demagogy it is necessary to remember that the social fascists and the capitalist demagogues can talk as well as we can. They can produce at times as "revolutionary" sounding programs for relief of unemployment on paper as we can. Therefore it is necessary not only to expose these people in words but in deeds. As long as we lag behind in the development of concrete struggles for immediate relief for the unemployed, as long as we fail to put into life our slogans of organize and strike against wage cuts, in the eyes of the workers the paper program of the socialist party may be just as good as our paper program.

The first task is therefore to show the workers by means of deeds that we know how not only to formulate correct programs and to advance correct demands but also to organize and lead the struggles for these demands and actually win some of them. To win the workers for our Party it is not enough to advance the slogan-Organize and fight against wage cuts. We must above all go into the shops and actually organize such strikes against wage cuts on a mass scale. It is not enough to demand immediate relief for the unemployed. It is necessary to actually organize the workers and lead them into mass struggles which will win them immediate relief.

On the other hand, it is necessary to so manouver that the socialists and capitalist demagogues shall have to expose before the workers their real program, not their paper program, but their program in deeds. We must above all manouver to force these people into taking action on specific issues before the working class in order to expose their program as nothing but empty phrases, in order to prove that in deeds these people always act against the working class. We must on no account rely on denunciation alone but must have a positive approach in our struggle against social dema-

For instance, in Milwaukee where the socialist party exercises a decisive influence in the city administration, a system of unemployment "relief" is in effect which practically amounts to forced labor. The workers put in three days a week on public works for which they are paid one dollar in cash and the balance in foodstuffs, etc. It is necessary here to expose this for what it is. To do this we must advance immediate demands of cash payment in full for a minimum wage of fifty cents an hour and we must demand actively to organize the workers on these fake relief jobs and to strike these The organization of the workers on the jobs in preparation for strike action must be accompanied by the widest exposure of this forced labor program in our agitation and by mass demonstrations of the unemployed before the City Hall deouncing this whole program. The comrades are already working along these lines in a similar situation in Racine, Wis.

In Milwaukee the comrades state that the socialist Sheriff, Benson, signs eviction notices in the morning and in the afternoon appears at mass meetings where he advocates unemployment insurance at the expense of the employers and the overthrow of capitalism. We must expose people of this type concretely. Therefore we must make every effort to collect a batch of these eviction notices signed by Sheriff Benson and when he speaks at a mass meeting we must have the unemployed there with these eviction notices in the hands of their leaders ready to expose him before the workers on this concrete action against them.

Always our aim must be to maneouver these people into a position from which they cannot squirm out by means of phrases, but which demands of them definite action on some issue before the working class. By such manouvers we can contrast their actions against the working class with their demagogic phrases. Only by seeing these people in action will the workers

learn their true role. The greatest danger in our struggle against social demagogy in the Milwaukee section as I see it, is that our comrades may develop the theory that the activities of the socialist party among the workers is of a two-fold character: that while on one hand its aim is to prevent the development of mass struggles, on the other hand its effect is to a certain extent to politicalize and develop the workers and make them more able to understand our program, and presumably more responsive to it.

The danger of a lack of clarity in this question is indicated by the fact that several weeks ago in a very excellent little mimeograph paper issued by the Unemployed Council, "The Hunger Fighter," there appeared a headline in which the socialists wre referred to as fascists. On the other hand, in the discussion at the membership meeting in Milwaukee there was advanced the idea that the years of socialist propaganda in Milwaukee have somewhat educated the workers and made them more political-minded.

This opportunist theory is not a new one in our movement. If one starts from this premise, the logical conclusion to be drawn is that the activity of the social fascists, insofar as it "educates" the workers, is a good thing. It must inevitably lead to a relaxation in our struggle against the social fascists and against social demagogy. The section and district leadership must see to it that any such dangerous tendencies are smashed as soon as they raise their

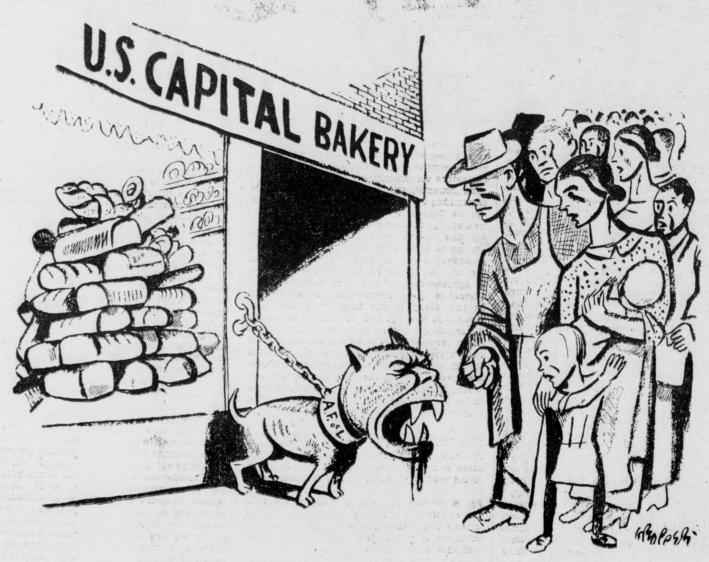
War Between America and Japan Has Been Prepared for Decades

By N. LENIN. (From his speech on war to the First Congress of the Soviets, delivered June 22, 1917).

You know that war between Japan and America is imminent, it has been prepared for decades it is not accidental, and it does not matter who will be the one to fire the first shot. It is ridiculous! You know full that both American and Japanese capitalists are equally predatory. Still, there would be talk about "national defence" on either side; it would be either a crime or a terrible weakness, a "defence" of the interests of our capitalist enemies. This is why we say that the schism among the Socialists is irreparable. The Socialists have completely deserted Socialism, they have gone over to the side of their governments, their bankers, their capitalists, this they have done in spite of their verbal' renunciation and condemnation of the latter. It is a matter of condemnation.

You call upon other peoples to throw off their bankers, yet you support your own bankers! Speaking of peace, you have not said what kind of peace! When we pointed out the glaring contradiction underlying the conception of peace on the basis of status quo, we received no answer. In your resolution which deals with peace without annexation, you will not be able to say that it is not a status quo. You will not be able to say that status quo means the restoration of pre-war conditions. What, then? To deprive England of the German colonies? Just try to do it by peaceful agreements! The whole world will laugh at you. Just try to take away from Japan, without a revolution, the stolen Kiachow and the islands in the Pacific!

A WATCHDOG OF THE BOSSES



stop Japan."

"At present." he continues. "Canton strives to conquer the Nanking group. But it would be more reasonable that the foreign powers recognize the independence of Canton (which will include the provinces of Kwangsi Yunnan and Kweichow. The intervention of the foreign powers through the recognition of the real existing situation presents the only way of saving China from the splitting into a number of Soviet Republic."

Japanese imperialism has come out for an open partitioning of China with the support of the League of Nations and in part of the imperialist powers. It would be the greatest mistake to think that United States imperialism is opposing the occupation of Manchuria because it struggles against the partitioning of China. "The maximum program" of American imperialism consists in the transformation of all China into a colony of the United States. Therefore the United States has been supporting the Nanking executioners not only in the struggle against the Chinese people but also in the war of the generals against the other militarists and Kuomintang groups which are the agencies of other imperialist powers.

The United States has been striving to unify China for a considerable part of China under the power of Nanking in order through its Nanking agency to transform all China into its colony. "The recognition" of Nanking even a verbal formal one, and not at all a factual one, on the part of the Mukden grouping has therefore aroused the suspicion of the Japanese imperialism. Japanese imperialism has chased and the other Manchurian warlords because they have attempted to utilize in their mercenary dealings with the Japanese imperialism the Japanese-American contradiction.

However, the American finance capital is not at all united in its policy in regard to China which is evident among other things by the statement of Bronson Reid. The separate groups in the camp of American finance capital have attempted to compromise, have signified their willingness to cooperate with Japanese capitalism.

American imperialism is extremely interested in the strengthening of its position in China and therefore it would not refuse to join the Geneva conspiracy of imperialists against the Chinese people, were this not prevented by the special sharpening of the Japanese-American contradiction. It is however, undeniable that the United States will attempt to compensate itself for the military occupation of Manchuria by Japanese imperialism by seizing another part of the country. Substantially the position of the American imperialists differs very little from that of the Japanese, English, French and others.

The government of the United States has expressed noticeable restraint during the events in China. The causes of this restraint consist first in that American imperialism, having large interests in Manchuria, found itself nevertheless bound by the crisis and therefore could not come out resolutely against the occupation of Manchuria, although it is not prepared to withdraw from there. The struggle for Manchuria is still pending. Secondly, in the very camp of American imperialism a struggle is going on for this or another direction of the Far Eastern policy. Thirdly, U. S. imperialism fears the renewal of the Japanese-English alliance which was broken up only in 1922 under the pressure

of the U.S. at the Washington Conference. As concerns the Japanese colonizers, they will attempt to cloak their adventure in a Chinese-Mongolian garb. The problem is the more difficult because the entire substance of this whole repulsive masquerade is evident. But the Japanese military clique is not very much embarrased by this circumstance. According to the tasks outlined by the Tokyo conductors there already arose "independent" Kirin, Hailungkiang and Mukden provinces and inner Mongolia which since long past, together with Manchuria, had been the attractive center for Japanese imperialism has also declared itself "independent." All of these "new state formations" are a milestone upon the road of transforming Manchuria and Inner Mongolia into

The bustle which has been occurring for nine days in Geneva, assumed in the light of these facts, a veritably abominable character of the business men of the League of Nations who are dealing in the blood of the Chinese people and have blessed Japanese imperialism's occupation of Manchuria. The Council of the League of Nations has attempted to cloak the Manchurian robbery organizing simultaneously as far as pos-

a second Korea.

By A. W. MILLS

THE National Hunger March to Washington on December 7 will be a mass demonstration against hunger and misery, for the demands of unemployed and employed workers for Social Insurance and immediate winter relief. In the course of the preparations of the hunger march, as well as the march itself, we will reach hundreds of thousands of workers, hitherto untouched by our agitation. The National Hunger March will expose the demagogy of the capitalist politicians, of the social fascists and will be a convincing demonstration to hundreds of thousands of workers, that only through militant struggle will we be able to force the bosses' government to grant concessions to the workers. The National Hunger March if properly prepared will be a mass struggle for the interests

not only activize our Party membership, but make our Party an integral part of the working class. Thus in the course of the struggle we are solving the problems which confront our Party forces, tactics, etc.

Let's take our Party in a few districts where

sible a united front of imperialists for the final

of Nations was to extend the possibility of maneuvering of the Kuomintang executioners. The League of Nations and the Kuomintang are atempting to strengthen the positions of the imperialists in order that they may retain their grasp of the heaving waves of the national movement which threatens to wash the Kuomintang as well as its masters from the face of Chinese soil. And in Nanking and in Tokyo and in Geneva they are working strenuously at present on the problem as to how most successfully to acomplish the partitioning of China. In the face of the entire toiling world the League of Nations has shown itself once more as an organizer of war and colonial robbery, and the Kellogg Pact is used as justification of this war.

gressive role in the conspiracy of the imperialists against the Chinese people. The "socialist" ministers of the English government are supporting the Japanese imperialists, the "socialist" press is standing up for its masters, the Berlin Vorwarts justifies openly the violence committed on the Chinese people.

The Second International is as much an enemy

The Chinese proletariat, the Chinese poor peasantry, the Chinese toiling masses under the leadership of the working class are already conducting a struggle against the imperialist partioning of China.

The red banner of independence and class liberation is already waving in the different regions of China. Only the toiling masses, under the leadership of the proletariat, will defend the Chinese soil from the new aggression of imperialists. Together with them will struggle shoulder to shoulder the toiling masses of Japan, Korea and Formosa,

entire world are surrounding with a chain of sympathy and solidarity the Chinese toilers in the struggle.

"You're not allowed to sell THAT paper around here, SEE! Beat it, or we'll run you

And that gent, workers, was Bert Wolfe, who was kicked out of the Communist Party as a renegade, but who still poses as a Communist! Fake "socialist" and fake "Communist." both of them with the police against the Communists, against the workers. Now do you savvy why they are called "social fascists"?

"Good News from London"

This was the title of an editorial in the Boston "Daily Record" on Sept. 22. And the

Maybe some of our Boston connections might

kid the Record editor on whether or not it was

an unmixed blessing in view of the painful howls

now coming out of Wall Street and Washington.

In the Brownsville district of N. Y. City, 2

"socialist" party candidate for alderman in the

23rd Assembly District, a social-fascist named

Friedman, was speaking to a cop at the edge

"We'll fix these Communists," he confided

The scene changes. It is Union Square on

the day when the "socialists" and other social

fascists were holding their "Mooney meeting."

Quite a way from the speakers and across the

square, one of the Red Builders was selling Dai-

ly Workers. A nattily dressed gent with no

jaw but lots of lip, sidled up to him and spoke

in terms of official authority, glibly, threaten-

to the Tammany bull, "you fellows and we so-

Two Souls With But, Etc.

long-eared editor started off in the first line: "The news that Great Britain has repudiated the gold basis is the best news that has come

out of Europe for a long time."

of a workers' meeting:

cialists will fix 'em."

It Makes a Lot Of Difference

If Washington "withdraws" its warships in the same way Tokio "withdraws" its troops from Manchuria, you can expect that some of these days some "unauthorized" gunplay will take place, and if a U. S. sailor is killed, "national honor" will demand war on Japan.

We thought of that, when we read an Associated Press dispatch from Augusta, Ga., about the Reverend J. M. Williams, pastor of the Methodist Church at Rochelle, Ga.

It seems that the Reverend was hard up, having been gambling in the cotton market. So, having a son, Raford Grady Williams, "bone of his bone and fresh of his flesh," who is a sailor in the U. S. Navy, this Methodist preacher murdered his son and collected the life insurance of \$2,500. The boy was home on a furlough, and was found dead, shot through the head, on

The preacher had planned the murder long in advance. He arranged the furlough on the excuse that there was sickness at home, and bumped off his own son for \$2,500. But the U.S. won't go to war against the Methodist Church.

A Mad Marinero

"What is a waterfront for?" asks J. J., a deep-sea fish from Philly. "Daily Workers sold up-town. Literature sold, but not to marineros, Meetings held, but not where the Delaware flows. Union organizers looked upon as the head of the General Defense Corps, general leaflet distributor, and janitor of 137 Pine St.

"When I arrived here a month ago, the Mane Workers union hall was used as follows: Monday night, the L.S.N.R. (in spite of the fact that it is the regular meeting night of the union); Tuesday, Unity Bureau; Wednesday, Unit; Thursday, Union Executive Committee; Friday, Czecho-Slovakian I.L.D.; Saturdays and Sundays for tag days.

"All are evicted. I am called an anarchist, but the union is holding its membership meetings. two seamen's meetings, union executive meetings and an open forum every week and is growing. Some spitooners say we are 'off the line' because we occasionally ask the seamen themselves what they want. Quite a few can't understand why the seamen wouldn't fight for free gas.

"Still the old trouble. Nobody wants to de T.U.U.L. work except us 'politically undeve' ped' ones. It's below their dignity. I'll say one thing, though; we got a darned good T.U.U.L. start here, only not enough concentration on the waterfront. But the T.U.U.L. is not to blame because the full timers can't be in a hundred places at once. Otherwise, it's as bad as Hudson wrote, only sometimes worse. But it isn't the district leadership so much as the section and units.

"Of course I know you wen't print this. You didn't print anything about New Orleans and Galveston. But I suppose we got to put up with some editors until the revolution."

Yeah! We're a lot of barnacles on the ship, mebbe. But you didn't remember that our liver fell down on us some months ago, and we couldn't do our duty by the Marine Workers Industrial Union-long may it wave!

However, about what Hudson wrote: It was all O. K. when he kicked about the Party not paying any attention to the marineros on South Street. But hanged if we weren't surprised to learn from a Y.C.L. organizer down there, that some of the bozos think that they have a monopoly on asking marineros to join the Party.

Yet they've let a lot of 'em go unasked, and one who is said to have been doing all kinds of work and trying to break into the Party for twe years, is given the cold and unfeeling eye and put off until the poor chap is utterly dishearte

If you want the Party on South Street, recruit members into it!

local demonstration, out of every struggle against evictions, out of every local hunger march, new recruits must come into the Party, compo of the most important workers. This can be done only, if we immediately take the necessary steps to build the Party Fractions in the Unemployed Councils, strengthening the existing ones, to carry through the Plenum decisions of assigning capable Party forces to the unemployed work. The National Hunger March must be brought in to every Unit of the Party, into every Section, and involve every Party member

in the activities of the Hunger March. Let's do everything in our power right now, so that when we write the resolution on the Hunger March, we shall not repeat the well known sentence, which we have repeated so many times in the past, "We underestimated the building of the Party, etc."

PARTITIONING CHINA

(Leading Editorial of the Moscow, "Pravda" of October 3, 1931.)

The crisis which is shaking the entire capitalist world has already led to an abrupt sharpening of the contradictions between the separate imperialist countries and groups of countries in all corners of the globe. The danger of new wars for the repartitioning of the world becomes ever more apparent from day to day. The Manchurian events are not only reminders of the fact that in the diplomatic offices and general staffs of capitalism preparations for war are going on. From the fields of Manchuria already sounds of cannonade are reaching us.

The toiling masses of China have even heretofore experienced upon themselves all of the horror of the imperialist oppression and exploitation, of the partitioning of their country into "spheres of influence," concessions, "treaty possessions," the seizure of economic and political rights of the country by the capital.

The Kuomintang could not unify China. The national unification of the country is possible only as a result of the victory of the anti-imperialists and the anti-feudal revolution. The puny efforts of the executioner of the Chinese workers and peasants. Chiang Kai Shek, to unify the country within the limits of the domination of imperialism over China, with the retention of the feudal and semi-feudal agrarian system, could not but suffer a shameful defeat. Foreign capital has during the domination of the Kuomintang conquered new positions in China. The Kuomintang-military groupings are merely puppets in the hands of one or other imperialist

The ceaseless wars of generals have been at the same time wars between the imperialists for the partitioning of the spheres of influence in China. Now the Japanese military clique is coming out openly for a new repartitioning of China. Now the hypocritical phrases about the "sovereignty and territorial unity" of China are being discarded. The sharpening of the imperialist contradictions as a result of the crisis. the enormous importance of the Chinese market and the struggle for the hegemony in the basin of the Pacific Ocean have entered into the period when the actual partitioning with all of the resulting consequences becomes the basic form of the further extension and strengthening w the imperialist position in China.

There is however one more reason predetermining the policy of partitioning: This is the struggle of the imperialists against the actual unification of the country by the Chinese toiling masses under the leadership of the proletariat.

The heroic struggle of the worker peasant masses against the imperialists and their genearl-Kuomintang lackeys has already assumed enormous proportions. The south of China and the valley of Yangtse are flaming in the fire of civil war. The red banner is already waving over the Soviet regions in the north of China. The soil is burning under the feet of the Nanking cossacks, the Canton hangmen and other general

The Kuomintang, that is the block of bourgeoisie and the landowners, is ready to sell out all of China, as it was selling it out up until this time in parts to the imperialists in exchange for the defense from the Chinese Soviets. The imperialists have supported and are still supporting the militarists and the Kuomintang through whom they are basically conducting the policy of colonial enslavement of the Chinese people. But the foreign imperialists and the Chinese slavedrivers are not slow to understand the real situation. The broader the front of struggle for the worker-peasant power becomes, the stronger thunders the storm in south and central China which is shaking the blood regime of the Kuomintang, the more distinctly approaches the date of the real unification of China. The imperialists are hastening to forestall the events. to tear into pieces the body of China, to crush the victorious worker-peasant movement and thus to "solve" the Chinese question.

This double purpose of the imperialists has been unequivocally formulated by Mr. Broxton-Reed. This American agent of the Japanese colonizers in "the Far Eastern Review" which stands all the time for the coopertion of American and Japanese imperialism in China says: "The Chinese problem may in the present conditions be solved only through the creation of several separate compact states within the limits of China. Another century will pass before the Chinese people are prepared for the basic elements of self government . . . Manchuria already constitutes a separate unit and this fact will have to be realized sooner or later . . . Neither the Kellogg Peace Pact, nor the League of Nations nor any other similar institution will

The National Hunger March and the Building of the Party the U.S. which is not affected by unemploy-

must be built.

ment. There is no worker in the U.S. who does

not feel the starvation conspiracy of the bosses

either through direct unemployment or through

wage cuts, speed up, etc It is the National Hun-

ger March and primarily the local struggles

around the hunger march, which will enable us

to organize and lead new strata of workers, who

until now perhaps did not even hear of our

Party, of our demands, of our program. And in

the course of this struggle our Party must espe-

cially be brought to the forefront, and our Party

The present struggles of the unemployed work-

ers in various parts of the country can not be

divorced from the mass campaigns of the Party.

This is true everywhere. Especially is this true

in the Pittsburgh district. The Pennsylvania

Hunger March was actually one of the steps in

the direction of the heroic miners' strike, in-

volving 40,000 workers. It was the hunger march,

where we made the first contacts with the un-

employed and part time miners, which helped to

expose the demagogy of the Pinchot government

and laid the basis of the struggle against wage

The hunger march in Ohio had a tremendous

the work among the unemployed, the developing

of the struggles for immediate relief and social

insurance in such towns as Homestead, Brad-

dock and other company steel towns, which will

be a first step to the organization of the workers

into the revolutionary unions and developing

It is just at the time of the hunger march and

its preparations, when misery and hunger in the

United States will be exposed, when wage cuts

and the Hoover stagger system will be shown in

its nakedness without the smoke screens of fake

promises, that we have the best opportunity to

compare the conditions of the workers in this

country, with the rising standard of living in the

Soviet Union, and mobilize the workers for the

The National Hunger March is a mass strug-

Quite often our Party members who are ac-

tive in the movement, absorbed with immediate

organizational needs of the struggle, do not see

the necessity of building the Party right from

the beginning. The growth of the Party does not

correspond with the developing mass struggles.

This is evident in many cases. Especially is this

evident among the furriers in New York. Lately

the union, through the application of a correct

line, succeeded in taking in over 3,000 members.

In the Party, however, we did not get a single

furrier. Does this mean that the furriers are

not ready for the Party? Of course nobody will

dare say no. It is our fault; it is the formal di-

vision of work. The Party comrades active in

the Furriers Union concerned themselves only

with the building of the union, leaving to the

Party units to build the Party. This is formalism.

In a personal conversation with a comrade in

connection with a strike, the comrade was proud

of the development of the strike, speaking of

the militancy of the workers, and correctly so,

but when asked "what about the Party or the

League?" the comrade answered this is the job

of the Party Unit, or League Unit, which con-

cenrates on this factory. This is formalism, for-

malism of which the Plenum warned so sharply

In building of our Party in the course of the

Hunger March we must get rid of this formal.

The experiences in the strike of the miners

has clearly shown that there, where we suc-

ceeded in building the Party our union work

was stronger, the strike was organizationally in

better condition. Especially in connection with

the developing of the activities of the Hunger

March, all these mistakes must be understood

Right from the beginning of the campaign,

hand in hand with preparations, along with the

developing of local struggles, our Party comrades

while leading the unemployed workers in the

struggle for relief have as their task to bring

forward the Party as the political leader of the

working class, to bring in new elements into

the Party, to strengthen our fractions in the

Unemployed Councils and thus strengthening

the unemployed work in general. Out of every

"division" or work.

by our Party membersship.

gle, and in such mass campaign, we must build

cuts in the mining industry.

strikes against wage cuts.

Defense of the Soviet Union.

our Party.

of all the workers in this country.

Our Party must be built in struggle. The latest events in this country have more clearly brought this truth to the attention of our Party membership. In secions of the country, where our Party does not develop struggles, our Party is weak, few new members are coming in, the units still remain the old dues collecting agencies isolated from the masses. In these sections of the country where there have been struggles of the workers against unemployment, wage cuts, for Negro rights, our Party gains strength and

is on the road to becoming a real mass Party. The struggles of the workers led by our Party

more struggles were organized and led by us-Pittsburgh, Chicago, Philadelphia and Cleveland. In these districts we see gains, more organizational stability, new forces coming to the front, a sharper struggle against burocracy and a swifter orientation to the shops and factories in line with the decisions of the 13th Plenum of the Central Committee.

The National Hunger March is a mass struggle, a struggle which can be brought into every

community. There is no working class family in

enslavement of the Chinese people

At the very same time the task of the League

The Second International is playing an ag-

of the Chinese people as the imperialists.

The toiling masses of the Soviet Union and the