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INTO THE STREETS TOMORROW AGAINST HUNGER, WAR!

SHANGHAI WORKERS THREATEN 100% GENERAL STRIKE

150 Cities Report Immense Increase In Unemployment

Borah Asks Capitalists to Throw Crumb of Relief to Starving Workers in Order to Prevent Real Relief Fight

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—A sharp increase in unemployment in 156 cities in the United States was reported in the Senate Monday, on the eve of the February 4th demonstrations to ganizers were prevented from reaching the meeting by flooded be held throughout the country to spread the roads, local strikers addressed the miners. fight for unemployment insurance.

Warning his fellow capitalist senators that they must make some pretense at "dealing with unemployment," Senator LaFoilette, who hid behind the Hoover armed forces when the Hunger March demanded the right to present its demands to

vation

Masses of Workers to March

to Union Square Tomorrow

NEW YORK.—Led by the Workers Ex-

Workers Will Parade from Square to City Hall

to Present Demands to Mayor

Servicemen's League, which will arrive in

Union Square at 1 p. m., scores of Unemployed

Councils, block committees, unions, and frater-

nal organizations will lead tens of thousands of

Congress, urged the capitalists to throw a few crumbs to the starving estimation of the vast extent of ununemployed to keep them from fighting for real unemployment insurance. time workers, or among the farm

Unemployment increased 50 per laborers. cent in 156 cities, said LaFollette, In 115 cities the increase was from 50 most rabid spokesman of the capito 100 per cent; 85 cities reported an ment increases every day and with increase greater than 100 per cent. it grow the millions who face star-He quoted American Federation of Labor officials who said there were 3.300,000 unemployed, who with their workers have to face on Feb. 4th, Nafamilies meant there were 24,000,000 tional Unemployment Insurance Day. "people in distress."

These figures are a great under- ADDITIONAL NEWS ON PAGE 3

workers in mass parades into Union

Square in a gigantic demonstration

on Feb. 4 against the hunger pro-

gram of Mayor Walker, against the

war maneuvers of the imperialist

countries, against unemployment and

for unemployment insurance and

The Workers' Ex-Servicemen's

League will parade from Cooper

Square, Eighth St. and Fourth Ave.,

arrive in Union Square at 1 p.m. and

take its place at the Broadway end

of the Square. The rest of the or-

ganizations will arrive in the Square

Mobilization Points.

Bryant Park, on 40th St. and Sixth

rally and parade down 40th St. to

Fourth Ave., past the gyp agencies,

gathering the workers, and bring

them into Union Square. The Needle

Trades Workers will gather in the

Eighth Ave., at 12, noon, will march

down Seventh Ave. to 28th St., on

28th St. to Sixth Ave., passing the

headquarters of the Needle Trades

Market, at 36th St. and

Ave., at 10 a.m., hold a mass outdoor

The Food Workers will mobilize at

at 1:30 p.m.

immediate unemployment relief.

Miles Thru Bitter Cold to Hold Mass Meet at Jellico Flood and Freezing Weather Make Relief Immediate Necessity for Strikers

Ky. Miners March 12

March to Rex Mine In Straight Creek In **Determined Strike Move**

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 2.—Hundreds of miners marched 12 miles in the bitter cold yesterday to attend an enthusiastic mass meeting at Jellico, Tenn. where Turnblazer, district organizer here of the United Mine Workers America lives. Although the National Miners Union or

Dire suffering has spread among the 8,000 Kentucky-Tennessee striking families as zero weather and an increasing

number of evictions add their toll of hardship to the already starving and

RELIEF! RELIEF!

The operators are proceeding to evict the most militant strikers in each mine. The militancy of the miners is shown by their wading through water up to their hips to attend a strike meeting last Sat-

The growing hunger of the miners must be answered by workers thruout the country sending supplies, tents, food and funds immediately. Funds should be sent to the Workers International Relief, 16 West 21st St., New York City. Food and clothing should be sent to WIR, Room 506, National Building, Knox-

The Liberty Mine in Straight Creek Ky., where the federal court recently

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sider the starvation among the part One fact is not denied even by the This is the situation the American

Tampa Workers Get 1-10 Years; Refused New Trial

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 2.-Judge Pettewary has refused a new trial to the 15 workers arrested in connection with the November 7th meeting held in Tampa. Sentences for assault to murder were handed down, McDonald, Lezama and Lima, nine and ten years respectively in the penetentiary; Alvarez,

T.U.U.L. Calls for Fight on

Marrero three years, with Cruz, Rodriguez, Cabrera, Campo, Hevia and Lopez receiving one year. Two women workers. Romero and Vasquez received one year. Further sentences for rioting have been withheld with no bail alowed.

The arrest of these fifteen workers was made on November 7th, the police, American Legion and fascist thugs, raided the Labor Temple in Yhor City where the workers were celebrating the 14th anniversary of the Russian revolution. A sixteenth worker arrested was later released. During the raid, which was conducted with the most savage brutality, a shot was fired, wounding a policeman. This served as the excuse of the wholesale arrests and charges of inciting to

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What Are You Doing to Spread the Daily Worker

truth about the bloody carnage the slaughter of thousands of the Chinese workers and farmers Only the Daily Worker educates the American working class to the true significance of the moves of world imperialism to war against the Soviet Union.

All District Daily Worker agents, unit agents, must spread the Daily Worker, must see to it that now more than ever the Daily Worker gets into the hands of masses of American workers and farmers. Answer immediately!

ers, in the face of actual, bloody WAR which the robber imperialists are now waging with murderous ruthlessness against the Chinese masses; in the face of the shameless and open advance by the Japanese to the Soviet border, it is unthinkable for the Daily Worker to

ONLY SPEED In

Rushing Funds Will

Save Daily Worker

IN the face of the ghastly slaughter of

tens of thousands of Chinese work-

Comrades, this is an historic period. The Daily Worker is needed now more than ever to rally, mobilize, educate and organize the American working

suspend.

The paper must not suspend. Every worker, conscious of the gigantic tasks before the American working class, will sec that it does not suspend.

Send every nickle and dime to fight the workers' fight against war.

You, worker, must throw every ounce of energy into the Drive to save the Daily Worker-to lead the workers of America in mighty protest and in struggle against the war danger to the Soviet Union and the imperialist attack against the Chinese masses.

Rush immediate funds to keep the Daily Worker alive and fighting.

Success of 5-Year Plan Based on Correct Party Leadership---Bukharin

MOSCOW, Feb. 2 .- The discussion on Ordjonikidze's report to the Seventeenth Conference of the Leninist Communist Imperialists Fear Armed Clash Party on the Soviet Union was concluded yesterday. The delegates under high tension listened to the speeches of the numerous comrades who dwelled particularly on the question of the economic independence of the Soviet Union from the capitalist

All speakers without exception pointed out the role of the Central Committee in the development of new industries. In his speech yester-

day Bukharin said:

"The tremendous successes in the socialist construction of our industries are fully based upon the correct political line of our Party. This pelicy presupposes a struggle against all deviations; in the first place, against the right deviation to which, at a certain time, I subscribed and the erroneousness of which I repeatedly recognized.

"For the successes in socialist construction, the highest merit belongs to world we will set our fron unity, our ernment,

and its Leninist Central Committee.' After Ordjonikidze's concluding speech, the conference adopted his report as a basis for the thesis. At this morning session, (Tuesday) Molotov will deliver a report on the direc-

second Five-Year Plan.

Denounce Fascist Murder of Workers' Leaders in Salvador

NEW YORK. - Denouncing the the Party and its Central Committee murder of the three militant work- of these workers and will call upon jalist murderers. The fear of the headed by Comrade Stalin. The Party ers, Augustin Farabundo Marti. Workers and poor farmers in the financial interests is that this under-

United States to demand an end to standing may be disrupted by irrethe workers and peasants of El Sal- of the imperialists, thus precipitating vador. The massacre of the work- an armed clash between the imperers and peasants was carried out by ialists themselves.

encouraged by the presence of Wall the desired loot of another imperialist

DEMAND JAPANESE GET OUT; FOUR OTHER CHINESE CITIES GET BOMBARDMENT THREAT

Japanese Rake Crowds of Refugees With Machine Gun Fire; Prevent Medical Aid to Wounded Workers

Workers of the United States Must Protest Rutl bas Butchery of Chinese Masses: Fight Hunger, War, Feb. 4

The United States and Great Prijain made a move yesterday to establish a neutral zone in the fighting in China. The move was concurred in by France and Italy.

The chief features of the move call for the setting of a neutral zone in Shanghai, between the Japanese troops and the Chinese defenders and for direct negotiations between Japan and the Kuomintang officials of whose readiness to sell out China the imperialists have no doubt.

The establishment of a neutral zone is motivated by a desire to eliminate the growing danger of a clash between the imperialists themselves, which threatened in the course of the vicious fury with which Japanese forces rained death against the Chinese masses in and around the International Settlement. It is also intended to hold Japan from seizing more than her share of the Chinese loot.

A furious wave of mass anger against the frightful slaughter of Chinese workers by the Japanese in Shanghai is sweeping over all China. Far from crushing the heroic resistance of the Chinese masses to the imperialist war of looting and partition of China, the Japanese atrocities have rallied new sections of the Chinese masses to the mass antiimperialist struggle, with a tremendous growth in the influence of the Chinese Communist Party.

Yesterday, in Shanghai the workers prepared to extend (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE)

Japanese and White Guards to Unite in Move Toward USSR Their past attempts Chao have been resisting the Japan-

to push the Soviet There have been several fierce battles Union into war having anese, supported by the Chinese failed in the face of the troops of the puppet Kirin govern-Soviet's firm peace pol- Japanese. icy, the Japanese have announced their intention to send an army directly to the Soviet

army is now battling Chinese forces aims of the Japanese imperialists. for the city of Harbin, principal Izvestia pointed out that the Japan-Marchurian city on the Chinese ese are mobilizing all the rotten Eastern Railway, which is jointly operated by China and the Soviet Union. A Mukden dispatch reports that their advance toward the Soviet frontier will be begun as soon as the Japanese have captured Harbin. Chinese troops under Gen. Ting

Japanese Mobilize White Guards. Several Japanese are reported to have been killed by angry Chinese workers in Harbin.

The Soviet newspaper, Izvestia, yes-The advance guard of this terday denounced the sinister war White Guard elements in Manchuria for an armed attack on the Soviet Union. It said:

"A stronghold of White Guard adventurers that is strictly anti-Soviet is being created in Man-

Over the Division of China

"Long live the iron Bolshevist Party Strive to Subordinate Differences in Action Against Chinese Masses

Fears that an armed clash may develop between the imperialist robbers now engaged in looting China and murdering the Chinese masses were openly empressed yesterday in fintions regarding the compilation of the ancial circles in New York. The danger, it was pointed out. arche not from the plans of the imperiolist governments but

from the possibility of unauthorized action by "irresponsible interests" in

This is a plain admission that the

joint armed intervention that the imperialists are now carrying out masses is proceeding on the basis of "We denounce the bloody murder an understanding between the imper-

No doubt any attempt of one or

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Striking Ky. Miners Relief The New York building trades contractors have announced a 25 per Campaign Must Speed Tempo what has already taken place in sistance from the AFL leadership. On the contrary, these leaders are

to overcome the late mobilization in and Indianapilis. many sections of the country, it was | St. Louis is mobilizing for a tag reported by the W.I.R. today. day on February 7.

In spite of police terror and severely cold weather Chicago reports petition, with W.I.R. branches being a splendid two-day mass collection of formed on the North and South Sides. funds in which thousands of volunser collectors operated from over 30

NEW YORK.—All efforts are being sub-stations. Funds came in from Mildirected by the Workers International waukee and Waukegan. The full results of the Milwaukee tag day are Relief to speed up the tempo of the not known as yet. ... campaign for strike relief for the .. Little or no activity is reported

Minn. A. F. of L. Members En-

Bill.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 2.

-Two hundred A. F. of L. mem-

bers, meeting at the A. F. of L.

headquarters on Monday adopted

a resolution endorsing the Work-

ers Unemployment Insurance Bill

and the Feb. 4 demonstration, de-

nouncing Mayor Anderson's re-

fusal to give a permit for Bridge

Square. Thirty - five thousand

leaflets have been issued mobiliz-

ing the workers to defy the ban on

Feb. 4th and to spread the strug-

gle for unemployment insurance.

Workers' Industrial Union, will go

along Sixth Ave. to 25th St., then on

to Broadway and on to Union Square

The Amalgamated Clothing Work

ers will march from 126 University

Place, march up Fifth Ave. to 15th

St., the headquarters of the Amalgamated Union, and on into Union

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dorse Unemployment Insurance

Kentucky-Tennessee miners in order from Anderson, Terre Haute, Clinton

Chicago leads in revolutionary com-

The Lenin Branch has organized CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE

cent wage cut. This is in line with of living. But they will get no asion scales and by forcing the workers working hand in glove with the bosto accept less than these scales. The New York cut is a signal for further wage slashes in the building industry throughout the United States.

The building trades workers now face the heaviest unemployment of any section of the working class, ranging frem 75 to 85 per cent. The so-called high wages in the building trades are a myth, the great mass of these workers are now facing starvation conditions. The proposed wage cut would force the building trades workers still deeper into pov-

erty and destitution

ses and the government to force the acceptance of the wage cut, as they have done in the other industries. including steel, coal, textile, railroad,

Building Trades Wage Cut The New York building trades con- | The worker will resist these fresh assaults on their meagre standards

> It is the task of the TUUL forces under the general leadership of the Eullding Trades Workers Industria! League, to give organization and

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was absolutely right! In the struggle Mario Zapate and Alfonso Luna, the continued savage terror against sponsible acts of the armed forces against these deviations it was able to "emccuted" by order of a military mobilize enormous masses of the tribunal at San Salvador, the Interleadership to the building trades working class for heroic class struggle. national Labor Defense, through its workers, We must fight against the Against the regression of the capital- General Secretary, J. Louis Engdahl, armed fascist mobs organized and wage cuts in whatever form they are ist world we will set the tremendous sent telegrams to the El Salvador armed by the Salvadorean exploiters the other imperialist power to seize proposed, whether by cuts in official development and technical progress legation at Washington and to the of the USSR. Against the capitalist state department of the Hoover Gov-

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DRESSMAKERS TO TAKE STRIKE VOTE TONIGHT AT MASS MEET

To Demonstrate Throughout Market at Noon Today: More Shops Join Strike

NEW YORK, N. Y .- The United Front Strike Preparation Committee today issued the final call to the to extend the time for the referendum dressmakers to come to Mecca Temple vote initiated by the Unity Committo vote for a real united frint strike tee of the Fur Department of the under rank and file leadership as Needle Trades Workers Industrial against the fake strike louckout con- Union and the Joint Council, throughspiracy of Schlessinger, Lovestone, out the entire week.

Negro and white, Spanish, Italian, against piece work, long hours, comand all other dressmakers, are called pany unionism, gangsters and police upon to organize in the shops and terror and for an agreement for sethuge mass meeting for the final strike of conditions of 1926, including an vote, at Mecca Temple, 135 W. 55th unemployment insurance fund at the tion of Mr. Aronson by the congress-St., 5 o'clock tonight. At this meeting expense of the bosses. dressmakers will receive their final All workers with International strike instructions until the call for books as well as Industrial Union is a personal friend of Mr. Sirovich the mass strike is issued. More Shops Strike,

strike are being made, additional there will be a lecture by Dr. nlotkin shops are coming down on strike on occupational diseases, especially daily. The number of shop strikes up diseases in the fur industry. The lecto date has already reached about ture will be given in the union hall,

Workers from open shops are called upon to report to the office of the the dressmakers strike demonstraunion, 131 W. 28th St., at once so as tions called for yesterday have been to make the final arrangements for postponed until today noon. The

The dress strike preparation committee elected at the shop delegate and Eighth Ave.; 38th St. and final strike preparations, All members at 253 W. 26th St. who were elected on the committee meeting without fail.

Furriers to Vote on Unity. The Unity Committee today decided

books are eligible to vote.

As the final preparations for the Today, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock, 131 W. 28th St.

> On account of the rain and snow places of meeting are as follows: 36th St. and Eighth Ave.; 37th St.

After the meetings there will be

at the conference must come to this demonstrations throughout the

TO UNION SQUARE TOMORROW

Square. The Building Trades Workers are gathering in Madison Park, Industrial Union, to Union Square, at 24th St., between Madison and Fifth Aves., at 12:30 and will parade ing class of New York City in the cown Breadway into the Square. demonstration to demand unemploy-The Downtown Unemployed Council ment insurance. Food workers are and the Block Organization Com- asked to report at union headquarters mittees will gather at Seventh St. at 5 E. 19th St. at 9:30 a.m. to be and Ave. "A" and parade into the Square from 13th St. and Fourth Ave. The branches of the International Workers' Order will gather in Mad-Ason Square between 23rd and 24th Sts., and march into Union Square on Broadway. Workers victorious in the rent strikes in the Bronx, under the leadership of the Unemployed Councils, will parade. Parades in all outlying parts of teh city will lead workers to central subway stations and then in groups to the Square. From Bryant Park, the Needle Market, Madison Square, Cooper Square, meet at Graham Ave. and Varet St. Tompkins Square and other nearby at 10:30 sharp in preparation for the already fulfilled its quota by doub- of the Party units among the masses points, unions, councils, organiza- march to Union Sq. They will march ling its membership and has set it- of workers and farmers in and out tions and block committees will up Graham Ave. to Bushwick Ave. self the further goal of tripling it be- of the shops. More mass forums, lecmarch under their own banners.

To Present Demands to Mayor. will continue from 1:30 until 3 p.m., tension where a big demonstration to recruit 75 members and have actuafter which all organizations will will be held. The workers will march ally carried out almost half their to storm the factories for new fightform into line and the demonstra- from here to Union Sq. between 12 quota by bringing 35 workers into the ers for the Communist Party. tion will escort a representative dele- and 1 o'clock. ion of workers to the City Hall. The delegation will present to Mayor Walker the demands of the unemployed workers for immediate cash ployed to demand unemployment in- at. relief and the endorsement of the surance will take place tomorrow in Workers' Unemployment Insurance the New Jersey cities as follows:

At this demonstration the work- 4:30 p.m. ers will voice the protest against the hunger program of Mayor Walker and p.m. the Tammany officialdom-the refusal to register unemployed work- Sts., at 5 p.m. ers, the throwing out of workers from the lodging houses into the Aves., at 3 p.m. streets, the starvation budget of the Home Relief Bureaus, the cutting 5 p.m. out of the building program, etc. COMMITTEE GOES TO CITY HALL WORKING CLASS /SONGS FEA- tion and feudal conditions has made

TODAY. Yesterday the chief inspector of

police came to the headquarters of the New York Unemployed Councils and asked a series of questions as to what the workers would do should Mayor Walker be sick or no one there to receive their demands. Carl Winters, secretary of the New York Unemployed Councils, told him the intentions of the workers bad been announced in sufficient time and the workers would march to the City Hall as planned.

A delegation of workers will go to City Hall at 11 a.m. today to announce their final formal plans for the march. The workers will be on hand at the City Hall at 11 to see that the delegation is not mistreated. A verbal agreement for the march was given by the chief in-

must be made the greatest demon- Berlin Tempo. giate unemployment relief.

p. m. on Feb. 4. Join the fight for they are learning useful trades, to unemployment insurance and imme- act the story of their savage youth. diate cash relief! Demonstrate In one scene they sing the haunting against the war maneuvers and at- "Bezprizornie Song," which became a tacks against the Chinese revolution- sort of "national anthem" of the wild ary workers and for the defense of children. It has never before been the Soviet Union.

Food Workers Prepare. Thursday, Feb. 4. National Day of stree.

Struggle for Unemployment Insurance, where an open-air meeting will Red Builders, help get subscriptions.

The Midtown Branch of the Workers' International Relief is giving a dance tonight at 16 E. 21st St. Admission free.

the bosses and Dudley Field Malone. The furriers are called upon to give At the last meeting of the Fish Dressmakers of International shops, their approval to the Unity Commis- Dealers Ass'n, of Bronx and Harlem, Industrial Union shops, of open shops, tee which is carrying on the struggle Mr. Aronson a wholesale fish dealer, come down as organized bodies to the tlements with the bosses on the basis tives.

conference will met Thursday, 7 Eighth Ave.; 39th St. and Eighth o'clock, at 131 W. 28th St. to act on Ave.; 40th St. and Eighth Ave., and

MASSES OF WORKERS TO MARCH

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) be held. After the open-air meeting, the food workers wil lmarch, under the leadership of the Food Workers' where they will join the whole workassigned for work in connection with the open-air meeting and demonstration at Union Square.

Furniture Workers Issue Call. The Furniture Workers Industrial Union calls on all furniture workers the 2500 mark. to rally to the demonstration tomorrow on Union Sq. The furniture workers will assemble at 5 E. 19th St. at 1 p.m. They will march from this

point to the square in a body. Williamsburg Demonstration.

The workers of Williamsburg will ror. From Bushwick they will march to fore the end of the drive. Meserole St. and to South 4th St.; In Chicago, the Jewish fractions in be resorted to. The various districts The demonstration in Union Square down South 4th St. to Grand St. ex- the mass organization have decided of the Communist PaPrty should take

New Jersey Demonstrations.

The demonstrations of the Unem- ting themselves a new mark to aim long in the fighting leadership of the Newark, at the Military Park, at in the South against all forms of

Elizabeth, at the Union Sq., at 3 the respect and support of Negro and

Hoboken, at 4th and Washington trict reports the recruitment of 14 new Linden-Roselle, at Price and Wood

Hillside (indoor), 9 Whites St., at Party in the Kenturky coal fields, the

TURE IN "ROAD TO LIFE"

possible the formation of three new The first Russian talkie has come units of the Communist Party in the to America. It is "Road to Life," the strike region. appealing and dramatic story of the The S-Nucleus in Newark, N. J., by 'wild boys." It is the first fully its steady work in the various deworked out talkie made in the Soviet partments of the factory has been Union and was directed by Nikolai able to register an increase of 5 new Ekk, formerly assistant to Meyer-

"Road to Life" has created a sen- nist League. sation wherever it has been shown. It was voted one of the best ten work on the part of the H-nucleus Family pictures produced throughout the en- resulted in the recruitement of three Frank Connor tire world by European audiences. new members. These are the first The German newspaper B Zan Mittag called it a "masterpiece of the art of the sound picture." It declared that "its equal cannot be found in anything done in German

or American studios." The director has used his dialogue and sound effects not only to tell the story of the picture, but to heighten Tens of thousansd of workers will its dramatic effects. The result is a be brought to Union Square in or- thrilling picture-"a moving human ganized bodies by the mass organiza- film that can be understood in every tions. The Feb. 4 demonstration country," says Manfred Georg in the

stration yet held in New York City- One of the charming features of against the war maneuvers of the im- "Road to Life" is the use of Russian perialist nations, against unemploy- songs-folk songs of the past, and ment and the starvation program of the dynamic, thrilling working songs the bosses and government, and for of New Russia. Many of these are of New Russia. Many of these are sung by the "wild boys" themselves, who were once real "wild boys" and came from their collectives, where they are learning useful trades, to act the story of their savage youth. In one scene they sing the haunting "Bezprizornie Song," which became a sort of "national anthem" of the wild children. It has never before been reproduced.

"Road to Life" enters its second unemployment insurance and imme- sung by the "wild boys" themselves, All out to Union Square at 1:30 came from their collectives, where

"Road to Life" enters its second week at the Cameo Theatre today, Food Workers, will gather on 40th with the distinction of having broken St. and Sixth Ave. at 10 a.m. on every attendance record of the the-

CONGRESSMAN AIDS ATTEMPT TO BREAK STRIKE

Sirovich Helping the Fish Bosses Against Workers

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The attempts of the Fish bosses to break the fish strike is now receiving assistance from a United States Congressman. Mr. Sirovich, written on the stationery of the House of Representa-

The letter contained an introducman to the Jewish "Day" telling the editor of the Day that Mr. Aronson and any courtesy that was extended to him by the Day would be appreciated. Aronson explained that with this letter he could get favorable publicity for the fish bosses in the

Sirovich is very prompt in coming to the assistance of the bosses but when the unemployed workers of his district went to present demands for relief from him on February 1st they were met with an array of police who barred them from coming within a block of his home.

Mr. Aronson, who is his friend, is the real power behind the attempt of the bosses to break the strike. It is reported that he was the one that hired the gang to beat up the strikers 28th, with the pay to the gang coming from a fund to which wholesalers donate as much as \$500.

racketeers, gangster and courts are subjected to bloody massacres organ- foreign exploiters. not demoralizing the fish strikers but ized against them by the terror govon the contrary, it is making them ernment that rules for the coffee and calls on all workers to attend the more determined to break through sugar magnates of Yankee, English Anti-Imperialist mass meeting to be this line up of enemies, including the and Canadian capitalists. At Santa held at the Manhattan Lyceum, Frireactionary papers that carry their Tecla in February, eight workers shot day night, February 5, to support the

of revolutionary struggle against

wage cuts, starvation, and boss ter-

Negroes Join In South.

oppression of Negro workers has won

white workers. The Charlotte dis-

In the face of the most virious ter-

ror drive against the Communist

activity of the Party in leading the

miners in their fight against starva-

Renewal of activity and intensive

new mmbrs which have been recru-

What's On-

WEDNESDAY
The dress strike, Trade Union
Unity Leaue and the A. F. of L. will
be discussed at the Prospect Workers' Club, 1157 Southern Blvd., Bronx,
at 8:30 p.m. Admission free.

The Brighton Beach Branch, F.S.U., will have an important membership meeting at 211 Brighton Beach Ave. at 8:30 p.m. All members are requested to attend and bring their membership books.

An open forum will be held at the Tremont Workers' Club. 2075 Clinton Ave., Bronx, at 8:30 p.m. All workers are urged to attend.

A meeting of the Alternation Paint-

The Sacco-Vanasetti Branch of the LL,D. will have an important mem-bership meeting at 792 Tremont Ave., Bronx. Every member should be

members of whom 6 are Negroes.

The fight of the Communist Party

Further Gains Reported in

NEW YORK. - The Membership ited for the last six years.

Party for organization into th party in recruiting 5 new members.

Party Recruiting Campaign

Recruiting Drive of the Communist, An open fraction meeting of Com-

The unit in Kokomo, Indiana, has ried through on the basis of the work

Communist Party. The Cleveland All workers and farmers who are

Jewish fractions accomplished their suffering from the effects of Wall St.

goal of 15 new members and are set- program of hunger and starvation be-

Communist Party Supports Needle Trades Trial of White Chauvinist Worker

and supports the mass trial arranged by the Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union for one of its members who attacked a Negro organizer of the union. This trial taking place on February 7th, 2 p. m. at the New Harlem Casino, 100 W. 116th Street, is a very significant step in the struggle for the unity of the Negro and white needle workers against the bosses and their agents, the ILGWU and Lovestoneite strike breaking leaders. This struggle for unity can be achieved only with the most stubborn fight to root out all ideas of race superiority, all racial and national prejudices, the ideology of the enemy class, from the ranks of the labor movement.

The lynch ideology of white chauvinism, Negro inferiority, all kinds of race and national prejudices are especially fostered and developed by the boss class in this period of the growing resistance of the Negro and white masses to the mass hunger, terror and war program of the bosses.

Support the struggle for unity of the Negro and white workers! Fight for Negro rights! Support the fight against the bosses' lynch ideas in the labor movement! Rally to the mass trial against race hatred and prejudice! Adopt resolutions in your organizations! Send delega-

Secretariat, Communist Party, N. Y. District.

DENOUNCE FASCIST MURDER OF WORKERS' LEADERS IN SALVADOR

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) in a protest demonstration demand-

of the International Labor Defense in killed, 25 wounded and 65 arrested. El Salvador. Marti was recently in On September 22nd, in Asuchillo, in the United States but had been de- a raid on a meeting of the Agriculported back to El Salvador in spite tural Workers' Union, 15 workers of the protest campaign that was or- were murdered, 20 wounded and 14 near the court on Thursday, Jan. ganized to demand his right of asy- thrown into prison. All this under lum in the United States.

This combination of politicians like organizations, the Salvadorean work- cently rose in armed struggles against wholesale fish bosses, ers during 1931 were three times their fascist oppressors at home and to death, 15 wounded and 80 arrested struggles of the masses of El Sal-

Must Build Shock Brigade.

tures, and other mass activities must

struggles of the entire working class.

Workers! Join the Communist Party.

NEIGHBORHOOD THEATRES

Street's battleships. Now the leaders deportation. On May 17th, in Sonare being put to death by firing sonate, in a protest action carried through during the hunger strike of Marti had been active in the work Marti in prison. Three workers were the guns of Wall Street's battleships. Following the passage of fascist It was against this growing terror legislation in 1930 outlawing their that the workers and peasants re-The International Labor Defense

Joe Freeman to Speak On Proletarian Culture February 4

NEW YORK .- Finishing up the "New Culture in the Soviet Union," a course which has proven extremely Party which began January 11th and munist Party members in the painting ends March 18th has already reached trade ended up with the drawing in of seven new members. The knitof "Voices of October" and a con-Daily reports come in telling of the goods fraction by its work in the tributing editor of the New Masses, mass response of workers all over the Needle Trades among the workers will speak on "Bourgeois vs. Proletarcountry to the call of the Communist who are preparing for strike succeeded ian Literature" on Thursday, February 4th, 8:00 p. m. at Irving Plaza, where be connected up with and car-

Every shop, mine and factory a

MORE JOIN RENT STRIKE DESPITE POLICE TERROR

Aroused Workers of Neighborhood Pledge Support in Fight

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.-Worker tenants of another house, 2704 Wallace Ave., Bronx, have joined the spreading rent strike in this section under the leadership of the Upper Bronx Council. The strike remains unbroken and is sreading to other houses despite the brutal assault on the workers and the eviction of three families from 665 Allerton Ave. yesterday by Tammany police called by Osinoff, the socialist landlord.

This act of the worker tenants of Wallace Ave. shows that the workers day of the strike than ever. here are not intimidated by the eviction and by police terror. Quite the the workers picketed throughout the contrary, they are more determined day, and several times came into colto force Mr. Osinoff to listen to their lision with scabs. demands for a reduction in rent.

The workers in the neighborhood of scabs in a taxicab. When the workare indignant and bitter against the ers tried to approach the scabs the police attacks in the interest of the boss attacked the workers with a lead Socialist landlord and have pledged pipe, injuring one. Coming to the aid ing the release of Marti, then facing themselves to give all necessary of the boss, police arrested Joseph moral, financial support to the strik- George on a charge of simple assault. ing workers.

ARREST FOUR IN **EVICTION FIGHT**

40 St. Block Committee Calls Mass Meeting

were arrested when members of the the inexperience of the few scabs he their Red Army, the provocations West 40th Street block committee has been able to get to the shop. and members of the midtown Unemployed Branch resisted police to put and will continue the struggle. They slaughter of hundreds of thousands of ck the furniture of Crawford, a call upon all sympathizers to come worker living at 332 W. 40th St.

The eviction of Crawford, who is the morning. The address of the shop who were striking for reduced rents.

workers, A. Brown, organizer of the first series of seven lectures on the unemployed branch, Crawford and two active members of the block committee were tried for daring to popular and has attracted ever 2,000 keep a family off the streets. Three people, Joseph Freeman, co-author received a sentence of one day and Brown a sentence of two days.

New York City making no provisions for them and the bosses entirely in-Irving Place and 15th St., under the different as to what happens to the fertile field for Dally Worker sub- against any attempt to evict the

secretary of the block committee, is 245 Canal St. It can be reached by took place suddenly, after weeks of the I.R.T. subway. negotiations with the landlord to meet the demands of the workers

Beginning today, the Acme The-In Jefferson Court the arrested atre—the Art Cinema of Union Square-will present "Cain," a tense against present-day civilization and seeks a haven on an island in the South Seas. Ler Poirier, noted French director produced "Cain" in a little known

Five more families are scheduled island off the coast of Madagascer. to be evicted on the same block, with The leading role, a sort of a modern The Recruiting Drive must every- auspices of the Friends of the Soviet families. But the workers on the native of the South Seas. The Acme block care and are calling a mass will show this film at popular prices. meeting at 325 W. 40th St. to unite A special midnight performance will the block in an organized fight be given on Saturday.

"Peace" Talk in Geneva Is A Move to Hide War Deed

NEW YORK .- With the United States, France, Britain and Italy recruiting their military forces up to war strength and rushing expeditions to China to join with Japan in the war against the Chinese masses, and if necessary against one another, the World Conference on the Limitation and Reduction

Durable Workers

Continue Fight

Against Lockout

Picket in Snow in Spite

Yesterday the strike of the Durable

workers against the lockout continued

with more militancy on the fourth

Despite the snow and bad weather

The boss brought down a handful

Bail was set at \$500. The workers

The police force was strongly mo-

the strike committee. Work is com-

The workers are sticking together

"CAIN" OPENS AT ACME

THEATRE TODAY

bailed him out.

of Police Attacks

of Armaments, the most hypocritical imperialist gesture of modern times, opened yesterday in Geneva.

Although delegates and representatives of the press from 60 nations were present at the opening session, Karl B. Radek, Soviet editor, was refused admission to the conference by the Swiss authorities.

The American delegation, accord-

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ANTI-WAR MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Rally to Call of Anti-Imperialist League

NEW YORK, N. Y .- The Anti-Imperialist League of the United States is calling a mass meeting against imperialist war and for the defense of Soviet China and the Soviet Union, this Friday night, at 8 p.m., at Man-

hattan Lyceum, 66 E. 4th St. Speakers at the meeting will inbilized but failed to intimidate the clude Max Bedacht of the Communist workers who kept up their picketing Party; William Simons of the Anti-Imperialist League; Suhan Chan of The boss is weakening as is shown the Chinese Anti-Imperialist Alliance, by his frantic but futile efforts to fill a representative of the Japanese the shop with scabs and in the ver- Workers Club, and C. Alexander of tures he has been making over the the League of Struggle for Negro telephone to individual members of Rights.

The direct intervention of world impletely paralyzed in the shop, with the perialism, including Yankee imperial-NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Four workers machines badly damaged because of ism against the Chinese Soviets and against the Soviet Union on the Manchurian and other fronts, the mass the Chinese masses by Japanese and out on the picket line at 7 o'clock in world imperialism, demand the most vigorous and determined solidarity with the workers and peasants in China and the Soviet Union. All workers should rally to this mass meeting, to prepare a mass anti-imperialist conference to be held February 21 at Irving Plaza.

dramatic story of a man who rebels Employed and Jobless Carpenters Call Meet To Discuss Problems

NEW YORK, N. Y., Feb. 2 .- A meeting of all carpenters, employed and Robinson Crusoe, is interpreted by unemployed, will be held today at 8 Thomy Bourdelle. His island com- p.m. in Painters Hall, 1325 Southern panion is played by Rama Tahe, a Blvd., with the object of organizing the carpenters in a united fight against the present conditions confronting them.

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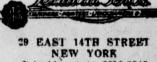
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December 26th you are advised that

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terms with you on the purchase of

your lands, we shall institute con-

respective of the outcome, will take

possession of your lands on or before

"Your offer of \$65.00 per acre is out

of all proportion to the value of the

lands and buildings theron. We have

made a very careful appraisal of the

lands which you own in the SW1/4

of the SW 1/4 of Section 19-131-29

and the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 and the

S 1/2 of the SE 1/4, Section 24-131-30,

and find the value thereof to be

\$4,575.00. This sum we hereby offer

"If you accept this offer, or in the

event that you desire further infor-

mation you are requested to call on

or communicate with Colonel Ross-

berg or Mr. Frederick J. Miller at

Very truly yours,

The Adjutant General."

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partment of Immigration, the Secret

Committee of 25 Outstanding Citizens,

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corporation heads, tobacco manufac-

turers, lawyers, politicians, etc.

demnation proceedings and.

May 15, 1932.

to you.

Little Falls.

"Fort Ripley, Minnesota

"My dear Mrs. Norberg:

December 31, 1931.

(By a Worker Correspondent) RANDALL, Minn.-The U. S. gov- how can you condemn the land when ernment in order to acquire land for | we have had no offer. Camp Ripley, an army base, is taking steps to force the farmers off their land, paying them a price far below its value.

One of the outstanding cases of this new confiscation move of the "Mrs. Christina Norberg, government is the case of Mrs. Norberg, a widow. Her husband took a piece of land thirty-five years ago as a homestead. The buildings alone cost \$9,000. It cost forty acres of when lands are required for public land to have the land ditched, to say purchases they may be condemned nothing of fencing. There is no by the government and it is not nefortgage or back taxes on the land. cessary to have made any previous The following letters tell the rest offer in connection theriwth. In the

December 21, 1931 "Bukject: Purchase of Land. "To:

> Mrs. Norberg. R. F. D. No. 2, Randall, Minnesota.

All land in Section 19-131-29 and Section 24-131-30 that have not been purchased will be placed in condemnation proceedings very soon. Prior to this, it is desired to purchase all land by negotiation where prices are reasonable and within the appraised value. Request that you furnish this office with your price on a basis of an immediate cash sale. R. A. Rossberg,

> Lt. Col., Q. M. C., U. S. P. & D. O., Minn. Ft Ripley, Minn. Dec. 26, 1931.

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most flagrant denial of elementary

rights. The jury was picked from a

group of openly labor hating business

men. Skinner, the state's attorney

completely ignored any legal bounds

and tried the workers entirely on their

beliefs and activities in the labor

Attempts at "red baiting" of the

Tampa workers during the trial failed

and the workers responded with

staunch solidarity and funds for the

"The workers have not for a mom-

a kitchen for the relief of active un-

meals a day. Affairs, mass collections

etc., have netted substantial funds for

the miners. A truckload of food is be-

ing sent to Pineville; 4,000 pounds of

dothes have been shipped by freight.

NEW YORK NEGRO MINISTERS

INDORSE CAMPAIGN

the Negro masses in New York for

the heroic Kentucky and Tennessee

miners, is the indorsement of the

Kentucky-Tennessee Striking Miners'

Relief eredentials by the regular

Monday conference of Negro Baptist

ministers. Pressure of the Negro

workers produced permission for ap-

peals to be made in all Baptist Ne-

New York reports a total of 22,000

sounds of clothing shipped to date to

Pineville, with large quantities being

gathered every day. Fund collections

are poor. The Icor mass meeting at

Star Casino, Sunday, donated \$77.

New York is mobilizing for a two-

day mass cash collection. All workers'

organizations are called upon to im-

bers for participation in the tag days

which will be held February 13 and

Workers' Theatre Groups are in-

Ocreasing activity for relief with a

gala theatre nite to be held at the

Manhattan Lyceum, evening of Feb-

ruary 4, all workers' theatre groups

participating with new plays. Febru-

ary 21, the Artest will present "Hier-

schlackert" at the Heckscher Thea-

tre, 104th St. and Fifth Ave. for the

Marie Radamsky, noted singers of

Russian folk songs, will give a benefit

Tickets are for sale only at the W.I.R.,

16 W. 21st St. All seats will be sold in

Stimulating reports come from

Knexville, Tenn., where a large group

nefit of miners' relief. Sergei and

ediately begin registering all mem-

ro churches

Indicating the great sympathy of

employed workers, serving 60 to 70

workers now in prison.

writes MacDonald, one of the arrested fused in the

"from the very first crack of a nlub conditions."

STRIKING MINERS' RELIEF

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ()NE) tivity. A splendid local W.I.R. branch

has been formed.

the local tag days!

The South is being toured by a

number of Kentucky miners who re-

port great enthusiasm but little funds

because of the severe impoverishment

of the farmers and workers. The

farmers especially are eager for or-

Workers are called upon to do their

hare by reporting immediately to the

Workers International Relief and

signing up as Kentucky Tennessee

Striking Miners' Relief Volunteers.

Every workers should participate in

Guards to Unite in

(CONTINUED ON PAGE TWO.)

Plan Attack On U.S.S.R. From Man-

churia and Inner Mongolia.

The Soviet newspaper carried a re-

White Guards at which General

Sichev and the editor of a Japanese

newspaper, named Osava, made

speeches urging closer White Guards-

Japanese relations. Izvestia also pub-

lished information of a society of

White Guards in Manchuria and

Mongolia headed by the notorious

General Petukhov, an official repre-

sentative of Grand Duke Cyril. One

of the objects of the organization is

to promote collaboration with the

Japanese for armed intervention

The murder of Chinese workers in

Shanghai and Nanking, the rushing

of imperialist warshirs against the

Chinese Soviet Republic, and the ad-

Siberian border of the Soviet Union

are all part of the war begun by the

against workers' Russia.

Move On U.S.S.R.

Japanese and White

riot, assault to murder, etc.

movement.

defense.

Tampa Workers Get One to Ten

"War Dept. "Camp Ripley, Little Falls, "Minnesota.

Fight On Building **Trades Wage Cut**

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and unofficial scales, or by cutting thte work day with corresponding reductions in pay. Our fight must be resolutely for the maintenance of the present day's pay.

This fight must be linked up with the struggle for the Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill and unemployment relief; against the inhuman speed up i nthe building industry; for the rotation of available work; for free union dues for the unemployed; for reduction in the salaries of union officials to prevailing union scales, etc. Employed and unemployed, stand united!

Building trades workers! Organize and strike against wage cuts; set up united front job committees, made up of working members of all trades in each building, to endorse the union scales; form rank and file opposition groups inside the AFL against the bosses and the corrupt union cuts; where strikes are initiated, take the strikes into your own hands and set up rank and file strike committees of the workers in all the building trades. Fight against the

WILLIAM Z. FOSTER, Sec'y.

ers here rallied to a Trade Union Chinese refugees were several times Unity League demonstration which raked with machine gun fire by the exposed the rotten graft in the Salvation Army soup kitchen. The police questioned one worker. Nobody was arrested. Due to mass action. the first eviction case has been won. Captain Pederson tried to pull the speaker from the chair, but was held back by the workers.

DEMAND JAPANESE GET OUT; FOUR OTHER CHINESE CITIES GET BOMBARDMENT THREAT

This planned frightfulness is aimed

at crushing the resistance of the

Chinese masses. The United States

responsible with the Japanese im-

perialists for this savage wholesale

tlement and threatening reprisals

on any resistance within the Set-

tlement against the Japanese, the

imperialist Settlement police "stood

by, unable to cope with the killings.

back into line by the ever-present

plain words, the United States and

British police in the International

Settlement turned over these Chin-

havoc and murder among the 100.

000 workers who remained in Cha-

pei because they had nowhere else

to go. Many additional thousands

were killed and wounded in the

latest bombardment. In pushing

their campaign of utter frightfulness

against the masses, the Japanese

even refused to permit medical aid

"The refusal to permit a Chinese

to have medical aid was not an

isolated incident. Two Hongkew

police detectives asked permission

to take a wounded Chinese to a

hospital, but the Japanese refused.

Bombard Nanking Masses.

On Monday afternoon, the Jap-

to wounded Chinese workrs:

'ronins' (Japanese gangsters)."

murdered!

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the general strike into the International Settlement in protest against the use by the Japanese of that socalled neutral area as a base for their military operations against the murder of workers. While claiming Shanghai masses and the Nanking neutrality for the International Settroops which defied the orders of Chiang Kai-shek and joined the against the Chinese if they carried workers in resisting the Japanese invaders.

Demand Withdrawal of Imperialist Forces.

The Shanghai workers demand the Some of the Chinese sought refuge withdrawal of the imperialist forces behind the police, only to be clubbed and a halt to the hunting down and murdering of Chinese workers by Japanese marines and gangsters in the International Settlement.

Streams of Chinese workers, including thousands of women and leadership; build action committees children, poured across the Soochow to develop the struggle against wage bridges from Hongkew yesterday, expelled by the Japanese from that section of the International Settlement. The Japanese are using the Hongkew area to concentrate their nationals. Chinese workers were murdered in family. The 25,000 Japanese nationals in Shanghai are to be evacuated to Japan, in preparation for an extension of the imperialist slaughter BUTTE, Mont.-Unemployed work- of Chinese workers. Masses of Japanese marines yesterday. An

imperialist press dispatch reports: "On two occasions, municipal police reported Japanese marines allegedly looking for snipers, raking the masses crowded in the narrow, overhung thoroughfares, with

frightful carnage inflicted by the Japanese on the workers of Shanghai and Nanking. They demanded the abolition of the anti-Japanese boycott Knomintang In Secret Conference With Japanese. While the mass murder o fChinese

orkers is being carried out by the imperialists, the Kuomintang betrayers of China are in secret conference with the Japanese naval and mili- all the American delegates, including tary authorities in Shanghai. That and other imperialists are equally the Japanese expect the fullest cooperation from these betrayers of China, that their only fear is the resistance of the masses, led by the Geneva as the American troops are Chinese Communist Party, to which resistance many of the Nanking Shanghai troops are rallying in defiance of the Kuomintang, is clearly shown in a faker, speaking for British imperial-Tokyo dispatch:

"Asked today how Japan proposed to put an end to that situation, Tokyo officials stated that if the Chinese troops were disciplined and reliable a plan could be found, but, as the Chinese authorities were unable to keep truces, the solution must be left to the men on the spot."

ese workers to the Japanese to be the Japanese intend to push their Use Field Guns Against Native City. war of frightfulness against the Chi-The Japanese yesterday resumed the bombardment of the Chapei nanese masses is further emphasized by the reorganization of the Japanese tive section, in which over 10,000 navy under a prince of the imperial Fushimi, member of the Supreme previous bombardments during the past week. Using field guns as well War Council, has been appointed chief of the neval general staff. as machine guns and bombing planes, the Japanese spread new Tokyo dispatch states:

emperor, who is commander-in-

cember, following the Japanese seizure of Manchuria.

War Spreads.

"A spirited advance on the Stock Exchange yesterday in the shares of steel, aircraft, arms, munitions

"Trading in these issues was unpast. Among the issues which the Wall Street community classified Arms, E. I. Du Pont de Nemours and others. United States Steel was up 35-8 points on the day, Bethlehem, 21-4, and the others closed with net gains of from a

U.S. Congress Wants Bigger Navy and Army.

gress for increased appropriations for the army and navy. The New York er American cities. "In the Senate, Chairman Hale

urged that Congress immediately enact legislation to bring the navy up to London treaty strength, while the House Committee on Aptook cognizance opposition to proposed redical reductions in army appropriations for the fiscal year 1933."

Orders for Warships Scribbled

the House, Representative

doing. They were so hurried yesterday that they wrote the orders on a scratch-pad on their knees to send our battleships and men over to the East. I am not willing to involve the United States government in war to protect those few Chinese merchants over there, and I think Congress ought to give our powers-that-be to understand we are not going to permit it."

This is just so much ballyhoo designed to deceive the masses. All groups of the imperialists, all of thecapitalist political parties, including

The "progressive," Senator Borah, last Friday joined with other senators in opposing an economic boythe Orient, and gave the hypocritical relief demands despite these bans. explanation that such an embargo Chinese." As if the world imperial- February 4th include: ists are not already engaged in an arms embargo against the only force families; 2.-Endorsement of the Un- ployment insurance and approval of in China that is fighting the Japa- employed Insurance Bill; 3.-Free the Workers Unemployment Insurnese invaders, against the Chinese gas, coal, and electricity for unem- ance Bill for which the workers of Soviet Republic and the Chinese Red ployed; 4.-Free food, clothing, and Philadelphia will demonstrate on Army

According to the published agenda five weeks of the conference will be ing to news dispatches, has assumed devoted to speeches. These speeches an extremely front row position in will be for the press and general the conference and it is reported that public and are in bitter contrast to the actual war which their armed Hugh Gibson and Hugh R. Wilson, are comfortably located in aisle seats. speeches will be made during the Indeed the American "peace makers" morning sessions. The afternoon are as much in the forefront in

A MOVE TO HIDE WAR DEEDS

character.

"PEACE" TALK IN GENEVA IS

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in the forefront in the occupation of

Arthur Henderson, the British labor

ism, is in the chair. Socialist Hen-

derson's task, according to a foreign

press report, was "to impart a sense

of optimism and reality to the dele-

gates," that is, in the face of the

actual war the imperialists are now

waging in China.

In other words the afternoons will be given over to secret diplomacy During these sessions the secret plots will be hatched, plots against the Soviet Union, plots to crush the workers' revolutionary movement throughout the world, plots against the Chinese masses and inter-imperialist quarrels and contradictions will The capitalist be aired.

sessions will be devoted to "neces-

sary conversations of a more private

The disarmament conference, in face of the feverish war preparations and the murderous events in China attempting as it is to put on a sober and peaceful face, will go down in history as one of the greatest bits of farcical hypocrisy of the twentietl

an international imperialist move to Workers, don't be fooled by the hide the war preparations that all fake Geneva Conference. Build antithe capitalist nations are making war committees in your shop, your against the Chinese masses and the neighborhood. Defend the Chinese Soviet Union. At the same time the revolution against the robber naconference is part of the imperialist tions! Defend the Soviet Union struggle among the various powers, Demonstrate against hunger and war Feb 4 Into the streets tomorrow!

Ky. Miners March 12 Miles Thru Bitter Cold to Hold Mass Meet at Jellico

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) , stantly for copies of the Daily Worker granted an injunction, has been de-

clared bankrupt.

With a view to a determined strike offensive in Harlan County where Sheriff Bloody Blair rules for the coal operators, a mass march will be made Wednesday to the Rex Mine near Harlan. Some miners who remain at work in large Harlan mines have received two wage cuts since the strike began. Starvation is rampant throughout this area.

A mass meeting will be held at Big Black mine near LaFollette, Tenn. The president of the NMU local there has just been discharged, and 1,000 miners in this section said they would follow the Big Black miners out on

Farmers in Tennessee who are sup-

Commenting on the \$50,000 suit against the Daily Worker, brought by Sheriff Broughton, the Middlesboro News calls on all coal operators and their agents to sue the Daily Worker. The operators are attempting to use a recent article in the Daily Worker on religion, to tell the miners the only reason the National Miners Union is in the

This has caused a great deal of discussion amongst the miners or the question of religion and is acting as a boomerang against the coal operators. The miners are asking questions about the Soviet Union and about religion. They discussed the use of religion by the coal operators in an effort to keep the miners in starvation by the use of

field is to destroy religion.

plying relief to the strikers ask con- religion.

150 CITIES REPORT SHARP

INCREASE IN UNEMPLOYMENT The International Labor Defense unemployed; 5.-No discrimination demanded today that police officials in unemployment relief against single

throughout the country keep "hands men and girls, aged or childless off" the demonstrations to be held on February 4th by unemployed workers in New York and more than 100 oth

Through its secretary, J. Louis Engdahl, the Labor Defense protested against the instructions issued the National Guard of Illinois to fire upon the unemployed of that state when they assemble before the city food and relief.

Branches of the International Labor Defense in every section of the country will mobilize their membership and sympathisers to prevent

Demonstrations have been arranged buildings in Milwaukee, Indianapolis. ton, Chicago, Providence, Kansas City, Oklahoma City, San Francisco, Butte, Montana, Minot, North Dakota, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Campbell and Youngstown, Ohio, Johnstown and New Castle, Pennsylvania, and throughout the Kentucky Union who gave the hosiery workers and Tennessee coal strike area, as

police chiefs have banned the February 4th demonstrations" said Eng-Demands to be made upon city

Bosses in Phila. Call On Fakers to Stop Feb. 4 Rally

> Form Sham Committee On Unemployment of Labor Misleaders

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 2.-The struggle of the capitalists against unemployment insurance does not only consist of police terror, prohibiting the use of the City Hall Plaza to the Unemployed Council, but they are also calling into action all the labor misleaders and the socialist

Through quick mobilization, there has been established in Philadelphia the joint committee on unemployment, the purpose of which committee is determined by its composition which consists of Rieve, Edelman and McKeown of the Hosier? a forty-five per cent wage cut.

Included in this committee are: Baruch of the Central Labor Union and the Philadelphia Record. which is part of the republican ma-

dahl. "Press dispatches state that chine and who elected Mayor Moore; national guards, machine guns and District Council who insisted that tear gas. The Unemployed Councils | the carpenters take a wage cut; the under which these demonstrations Amalgamated Clothing Worker; the Action and the socialist party. The purpose of this conference is to endorse the LaFollette bill which

posed as aimed to prevent the 1.-No evictions of unemployed growth of the struggle for unem-

and Capitalist War! Street

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IMPERIALISTS FEAR ARMED CLASH OVER DIVISION OF LOOT IN CHINA

power would be included in the category of "irresponsible" acts. The British imperialists have already complained of "unreasonable" acts by the Japanese in Shanghai. Nor were they concerned over the frightful slaughter Years; Refused a New Trial of over 10,000 Chinese workers by the Japanese. Their concern was chiefly over the Japanese threat against British interests and property in upon a worker's head every tobac- Shanghai

co worker in Tampa has recognized Sees Danger of Imperialist Clash and met as such the drive of the The trial was an example of the Tampa Tobacco Manufacturers Asso-Writing on the danger of an imperialist clash, Julius G. Berens, finciation to crush the Tampa Tobacco ancial editor of the N. Y. American, declares:

"Frankly nervous over the trend of events in the Far East, the financial community still leaned to the view that American complication may be avoided. The great danger, it was asserted, exists in the possible action of irresponsible interests in the 'war zone.'"

"The concerted efforts of this im-Within the imperialist agreement posing list of capitalist henchmen, itself, there is noticeable a constant with all their mass arrests, lockouts, sharpening of the antagonisms bedischarge of workers, police clubbing, tween the imperialists. The fight ent been deceived by the race hatred, eviction, coercion and threats have over the division of the spoils in patriotism, bunk and religious preju- not shaken in the least the solidarity China already has resulted in a sharp dice and other issues with which the of the Tampa Tobacco Workers," diplomatic clash and in an elaborate Secret Committee of 25 outstanding writes MacDonald, "On the contrary maneuvering between the imperialists citisens sought to confuse them," the solidarity of the workers has been which may result in a world slaughter with the imperialists attempting to truggle and they stand today more determined than ever to throw the workers at each other's MacDonald explains the entire case stand shoulder to shoulder in their throats in defense of the investments with the statement in his letter that fight for decent working and living and loots of the imperialists.

Use Diplomatic and Financial Pressure on Japan

Within the past few days, financial pressure has been added to the diplomatic pressure exerted by the U.S.. Great Britain and France to force CAMPAIGN MUST SPEED TEMPO Great Britain and France to force Japan to keep within the confines of the agreement, that is to respect the right of these powers to participate in the looting of China. Japanese stocks have been attacked on the New York Stock Exchange, resulting in a marked decline of Japanese bonds. That this is the result of American pressure on the Japanese is openly admitted in a dispatch from Tokyo:

"Today's session of the Tokyo Stock Exchange was suspended this afternoon because of drastic declines of all kinds of stocks.

"The drops were attributed to the situation at Shanghai and to the Anglo-American protests against Japan's actions there."

The warships which the United States and Britain are rushing to Shanghai are for the double purpose of joining in the attack on the revolutionary Chinese masses and for the purpose of seeing that Japan does not gobble up the loot of the other powers. U. S. Forces Directed Against Chinese

Masses and for PPressure on Japan. Here is open admission from the New York Times of the double role of the United States armed forces in China, against the Chinese masses and for the purpose of keeping Japan within the agreement for a joint lootport from Harbin of a meeting of ing of China:

"An extraordinary situation has arisen under which the mobilization of the International Settlement's defense forces, at first undertaken against the menace of Chinese troops, now is maintained chiefly against the possibility of overt Japanese action which might precipitate a crisis likely to involve all foreigners." Wall Street Approves Slaughter of

Shanghai Masses. exerting pressure on the Japanese for this purpose, Wall St. yesterday expressed frank approval of the Japanese seizure of Manchuria.

recital at their studio, February 7. vance of the Japanese towards the of China and the Soviet Union. Workers! Rally to the defense of imperialists in the desperate attempt Union! Organize anti-war committo find a way out of the crisis at the tees in your shop and organizations! expense of the international working Demonstrate Feb. 4 against hunger ere are carrying on intense ac- class, at the expense of the masses and war!

and their present attack on the Chi-

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) nese Revolution and the Chinese So-World-Telegram reports:

business all over the world.

upon the suppression of Chinese bandits (Red partisan troops and the Chinese Red Army.-Daily Worker), rather than upon the invasion of territory.

"Two days of inquiry in the financial district failed to disclose one strong criticism of Japanese seizure of Manchuria. At the same time. the firing on Shanghai (in which opposition was expressed to any

"There seems to be a kind of inthe strong take over the tasks and the territory of the weak."

Imperialist Investments in China "The total foreign capital invested in China, according to the most recent estimates, is about \$3,000,000,-

and robbery against the American forced down to the level forced on the border. colonial masses in order that the Four additional cities in Inner United States imperialists may be China were yesterday thre tened

On February 4, National Unemploy Insurance Day, all out against hunger and war!

viet Republic. Yesterday's New York

"Wall Street today remained definitely sympathetic toward the Japanese adventure in China, regarding it as basically a bit of international policing which would benefit "This attitude centered attention

over 10,000 Chinese workers were slaughtered-Daily Worker) was regarded with patience. Unanimous

American intervention of any sort. "Japan's action in Manchuria undoubtedly will give security to foreign investments there and it may open up territory for orderly busi-

Admit Attempt to Solve Crisis at Expense of Blood of the Workers

crudely stated by another Wall St.

ternational (imperialist - Daily Worker) eminent domain, by which

Manchuria.

Workers! The United States imperialists and their government are directly responsible for the present planned campaign of frightfulness against the Chinese masses, for the rushing of imperialist warships to attack the Chinese Red Army and the Chinese Soviet Republic, which is today admittedly the only government in China, the only stable force, the only force that can liberate the Chinese masses from the slavery and

anese opened a bombardment on the city of Nanking, recent capital of the bankrupt and fleeing Chiang Kaishek (Kuomintang) government. Nanking is 130 miles up the Yangtze River from Shanghai. The Japanese attack on Nanking shows clearly

the imperialist advance against the Chinese Red Army and the Chinese Soviet Republic in Central China. Hankow, 400 miles further up the Yangtze (from Nanking) is stated to be the next objective of the Japanese warships. Hankow is at present surrounded by the Chinese Red Army. Japanese forces in the city

already have set up machine guns on the streets in the effort to prevent a threatening uprising of the workers in Hankow to welcome the Chinese Red Army. United States and British warships are at Hankow and other points along the Yangtze River.

ness which has been closed in the

The attempts of the imperialists hai has also admitted that the warto get out of the crisis at the ex- ships and troops the United States pense of the colonial masses and of the world working class is even more against the revolutionary Chinese

"It is a hard-boiled point of view, but history supports it," he said.

The workers of the United States here have additional proof that the Wall Street imperialists are responsible for the frightful slaughter of Chinese workers in Shanghai and of Chinese worker-peasant masses in

oppression of the imperialists. Workers of the United States! The imperialists may soon be calling on you here to spill your blood in China, to protect their investments and loot. Here, is what you will be called upon to die for:

000. Of this amount Japan is credited with \$1,250,000,000 and England with a similar amount. THE AMERICAN INVESTMENT IN ALL CHINA, IN-CLUDING BOTH COMMERCIAL AND MISSIONARY ENTERPRISES. IS PLACED AT ABOUT \$250,000,000."

colonial markets.

That these forces are there to make war on the Chinese Red Army and the Chinese Soviet Republic has been openly admitted by the U.S. Rear Admiral Yancy Williams, who held a conference with other imperialist Times reports: naval commanders a few days ago to work out plans for the attack on the Chinese Red Army, U. S. Con-

sul-General Cunningham in Shangis rushing to China are to be used workers and peasants. Both in Shanghai and Nanking, the imperialists and their Kuomintang tools were successful yesterday in breaking down the resistance of the

to the Chinese workers and their leader, the Chinese Communist Party. Following his failure to disarm the troops which were fighting the Japanese in Shanghai, Chiang Kai-shek has refused to send reinforcements or munitions to these troops. Although there are 50,000 crack Chinese troops in Nanking, there was little resistance yesterday to the Japanese landing of marines under cover of a bombardment of the city. Nor did the Nanking forts reply to the fire of the Japanese warships which were spreading death and ter-

Chinese troops. Many of these

troops are reported on the verge of

China. The imperialists are plainly

ror among the workers of Nanking. While Japanese planes are wiping out whole populations in the congested districts of Shanghai, Chiang Kai-shek refuses to permit his planes to proceed against the Japanese! Chiang Kai-shek and the rest of the Kuomintang traitors are "faithfully adhering" to their agreement with the imperialists for the looting and partition of China. Only the Chinese masses, led by the Chinese Communist Party and inspired by the victorious advance of the Chinese

Red Army, are fighting back. The workers of the entire world must rally to the defense of the Chinese masses, to the defense of the Chinese Soviet Republic. The attack on the Chinese masses is an attack on the entire working class. An attack engineered and being car-The Standard Oil Co. and other ried out by the very imperialist murconcerns engaged in wage-slashing derers who have sentenced tens of millions of unemployed workers and workers, are the owners of these in- their families to starvation and death vestments that you will be asked to in the "home" countries and in the die for. This and the imperialists colonies. The attack on the revoluright to exploit the colonial masses, tionary Chinese masses is a prelude to seize whole chunks of China as to the armed attack on the Soviet they have seized Nicaragua, etc., with Union, now being prepared in Northincreased wage cutting in this coun- ern Manchuria, where the Japanese try as your standars of living are are rushing their troops to the Soviet

able to compete with Japanese and with bombardment by the Jay anese the Chinese masses and the Soviet other imperialists in the low-price imperialists. These cities are Tientsin, Chefoo, Tsingtao and Foochow. The Japanese demanded that the workers of these cities cease their demonstrations of protest against the

police attacks on demonstrators, Engdahl said. In these demonstrations, the organization will take part demanding the release of Tom Mooney, the Scottsboro Negro boys, and the Harlan, Kentucky, mine strike prisoners, according to Engdahl. before city halls or other official

St. Louis, New York, Baltimore, Boswell as in many other cities.

"In some of these cities, mayors or the socialist party, are supporting the officials threaten to disperse unem- Kelley of the United Textile Workpresent war on the Chinese masses, ployed workers with mounted police, ers Union, Morris of the Carpenters cott against Japan. These senators are being held are determined to Conference for Progressive Labor also opposed an embargo on arms to hold their parades and make their 'would work to the detriment of the authorities by the unemployed on the Daily Worker has recently ex-

school supplies for children of the February 4th

For \$50,000 Fighting Fund! FILL OUT AND SEND WITH DONATION NOW! My Answer to the Bosses' Hunger Program

press, however, has been forced to admit the general bankruptcy of the whole maneuver, the New York Times That this statement means that stating that the delegates "realize very keenly that this is not a conference to inaugurate a millenium." "No one expects any sensational accomplishments." says the Times. It is plain that the conference is century. Admiral Prince Hirovasu "The change in the command of each jockeving for supremacy.

the navy, which has had charge of the operations as Shanghai and Nanking, puts that service as well as the army under a prince of the royal blood. By this process the chief of the army and navy, practically assumes personal com-

Field Marshal Prince Kohohito Kanin was made chief of the general staff of the Japanese army in De-Munitions Stock Go Up As

Munitions stock issues went up on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday as the imperialists speculated on the war developments in China and on the Soviet frontier in Northern Manchuria. The New York Times reports:

and chemical companies was ascribed largely to the situation in the Far East. commonly heavy by comparison with the markets of the recent as 'war babies' were United States Steel, Bethlehem Steel, Savage

fraction to more than 2 points."

A big drive was started in Con-

In Frantic Haste.

Thomas L. Blanton indulged in a fake pacifist gesture, but admitted that the United States was rushing revolt as a result of this betraya lof warships and troops to China to protect American loot and investments. He said:

afraid that these troops will go over "That is exactly what we are

Senate Supports War On Chinese Masses.

Party Recruiting Drive

January 11 - March 18, 1932

RESULTS OF THE REVOLUTIONARY COM-PETITION BETWEEN CLEVELAND AND DETROIT

CLEVELAND LEADS IN TOTAL MEMBERS RECRUITED COMPOSITION UNSATISFACTORY IN BOTH DISTRICTS

District	Quota	Recruited from Dec. 1- Jan. 11	Recruited Jan. 11-27	Grand Total
District	- Branch	Jan, II	Same TI As	T Octal
Cleveland	420	20	62	82
Detroit	450	113	73	183
NO SHOP NUCLEI ORGANIZE				

No quota will be considered reached if the number of shop Nuclei will not be organized. Speed up your concentration work, organize shock brigades, mobilize your whole apparatus to penetrate into the factories.

Cleveland reports that 7 new members were recruited from large shops as

Detroit reports that 3 Ford workers have been recruited.

This is insufficient—more emphasis on the composition, more mass agitation

Rubber Quota

Rubber, Recruited

The composition of the new members recruited between Jan. 11-Jan. 27 is as follows:

Detroit Negroes Recruited Women Recruited 20 Employed Recruited Metal Quota 150 200 Metal, Recruited Transportation, Quota Chemical Quota Chemical, Recruited Auto Quota 350 100 13 Building, Recruited 150 Steel, Quota 10 Steel, Recruited

Wrong Tendencies in the Ranks of the American Intellectuals

PART 3. (Conclusion)

The Bolshevik Party under Lenin's leadership grew strong and united in a struggle against Menshevism and all other forms of opportunism. It is necessary in the United States to carry on a similar struggle against every form of expression of opportunism, and especially is it necessary to struggle in the sharpest manner against the special forms in which pacifism, opportunism and other theoretical allies of fascism present themselves in this country.

Broun, by the obviously studied manner in which he emphasizes his "belief" in pacifism and peaceful development toward socialism. placing the question of method always before that of objective, shows himself a conscious enemy of the masses. Not to expose this in the clearest manner when the opportunity presents itself, is to help to create confusion,

Comrade Gold answered Broun's charge that Communists are responsible for fascism in Italy by saying that there was no Communist Party there at the time that Mussolini began the preparation for the fascist dictatorship by the planned mass murder of thousands of Italian workers and peasants. The "main question of every revolution," said Lenin, "is the question of power." Capitalist democracy is only one form of capitalist dictatorship. The greater the crisis of capitalism faced by the multitudes of workers and colonial peoples, whose elementary wants capitalism does not satisfy any longer, the more rapidly and brutally the bourgeoisle discards the trappings of democracy, the more its dictatorship takes on a militant character-armed

force. The armed dictatorships do not necessarily | and growth of the Communist Party. follow in detail the Italian model, but always and everywhere the fig leaves of democracy fall one by one and capitalism's political powerarmy, navy, police, semi-official bands of gangsters-appears nakedly as the last defense of its system, cheered on by social fascists, or led by them. (Noske, Scheideman, etc. saving the capitalist "republic" by murdering Liebknecht, Luxemburg and thousands of German workers.)

Socialists know this very well. It is their historical role to conceal this throughout from the working class as far as possible, and thereby disarm the working class, prepare the way for fascist dictatorships and counter-revolution. Any toleration of such views, privately or on the public platform, and especially when the excuse is given that such intellectuals as Broun, their following, and the fringe of radicalized intellectuals who cluster around our Party, and the various auxilliary organizations, must be treated more "gently" than workers, comes under the head of "rotten liberalism" cited by Comrade Stalin in his recent polemic directed against such tendencies in the Communist Party of the Soviet Union, and there too, arising among the intellectual elements.

The struggle for clarity in revolutionary theory and practice by our Party and the Communist International, did not end in Europe with the desertion of the revolution by the social democracy, and the rise of the Communist International as the leader of the revolutionary working class. Neither did the struggle end in the United states with the desertion of the revolution by the Hillquits, Lees, Oneals and the recruiting

of Thomas, to social fascism, and organization From the reports we notice that the recruiting drive in Detroit and Cleveland is too narrow. The drive assumes primarily an inner organizational aspect.

This must be overcome immediately Did you issue a special call to the Ford workers to join the Communist Party? Did our Party Fractions bring in recruiting into the Unemployed branches and block committees? The very small number of Negro workers recruited into the Party is alarming. Detroit recruited 5 Negro workers into the Party and Cleve-

This can be remedied only if we immediately intensify the struggle for Negro rights, against discrimination and for the release of the Scottsboro boys.

TOTAL RECRUITED IN BOTH DISTRICTS-265.

TOTAL RECRUITED IN CHICAGO-PITTSBURGH-MINNEAPOLIS—989.

The Communist Party is the most conscious section of the working class, but nevertheless the currents and cross currents, the various trends and tendencies in bourgeois society, are reflected within it. In the struggle against these tendencies the Party is strenghtened. It is especially some intellectual elements who have joined our Party, and among those who are close to the Party, who suffer most from these influences. It would be well if some of them would study Marx and Lenin a little more, and what they term "cultural literature," perhaps a little more . . . Writing of the shortcomings of intellectuals in the period of the youth of Communist Parties, Paul LaFargue said: "These intellectuals who have spent their youth in the university that they might become experts on exercise, polishers of phrases, philosophers or doctors, imagine one can improvise himself into a master of the socialist theory by attending a single lecture or by the careless reading of a single pamphlet. Naturalists who have felt the need of painful research to learn the habits of mollusks or of the polyps who live in a community on the coral banks, think that they know enough to regulate human societies, and that by keeping their stand on the first steps of the ascending ladder of animal life they can the better discern the human ideal. The philisophers. the moralists, the historians and the politicians have aims equally lofty; they bring an abundant supply of ideas and a new method of action to replace the imperfect theory and tactics which in all capitalist countries have served to build up socialist parties strong in numbers, unity and

By more study of the Marxist-Leninist classics, by identifying themselves more closely with the American proletariat and its struggles, those intellectuals who are new members of our Party. or are close supporters of our Party and of the Soviet Union will be able to draw a sharp line between themselves and enemies of the workers like Broun; they will be able to assist our Party and the working class in a most decisive way, by aiding in the exposure of the anti-working class role of such intellectuals as Broun before the whole working class. They will thereby make it impossible for any militant worker to confuse them as Communists with the Brouns, Lees, Thomas and Claessens, who in describing, La-Fargue described also their role and tactics in

tactics as well as the theories of the socialist party; they wish to impose upon it a new method of action. It must no longer strive to conquer the public powers by a great struggle, legal or revolutionary as need may be, but let itself be conquered by every ministry of a republican coalition; it is no longer to oppose the socialist party to all the bourgeois parties; what is needed is to put it at the service of the liberal party; we must no longer organize it for the class struggle, but keep it ready for all the compromises of politicians. And to further the triumph of the new method of action. they propose to disorganize the socialist party, to break up its old system and to demolish the organizations which for 20 years have labored to give the workers a sense of their class interests and to group them in a party of economic and political struggle."

Lenin, writing on the same issue, called attention to the statements by Engels in connection with this question. "Let us refer to the remarks made by Engels in 1874 on the question of the significance of theory in the social-democratic movement. Engels recognizes not two forms of the great struggle of social democracy (political and economic), as is usual among us, but three, adding to the first two that of the theoretical struggle also." The statement of Engels referred to by Lenin and which he quotes at length, is made in the introduction to "The Peasant War in Germany" and contains the following, in reference to the struggles of the German masses:

"For the first time in the history of the labor movement the struggle is being so conducted that its three sides, the theoretical, the political and the practical economic (opposition to the capitalists), form one harmonious and well-planned entitty."

More responsibility to the masses, closer connection with the revolutionary party of the American proletariat, more study of the nature and character of the enemies of the American working class, more careful listing of their names and addresses and a better direction of all mail to them, sharper and clearer analysis and exposure of social fascism and social fascists. better organized and more militant struggle against them, are needed to correct the weaknesses and shortcomings in the ranks of those revolutionary intellectuals who are closest to

HOW TO PREPARE AND SUCCESSFULLY LEAD THE N. Y. DRESSMAKERS' STRIKE

THE directives given below for the preparation and successful conduct of the coming dressmakers' strike should be read and studied by all workers, but, particularly at the present time, by the dressmakers, in order that the members of the Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union and the United Front Committee may prepare properly for the coming struggle.

1. The single dress shop strikes which are to be spread and developed into a mass strike in the dress industry are directed towards the mobilization of the dressmakers for energetic and militant resistance to the systematic wage-cuts, lengthening of hours and general worsening of conditions, carried on by the bosses in conjunction with the strike-breaking burocracy of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union and the Lovestone-Zimmerman group.

2. Along with these shop strikes we also aim to develop the struggle for the right to strike, organize and picket against the boss rule of terror, against the use of gangsterism, police and injunctions as weapons against the workers.

3. The slogans of state social insurance for the unemployed, equal to full wages at the expense of the government and the employers, and of immediate relief to the unemployed, are not only demands of the unemployed in the dress industry, but are the demands of all those participating in the strike and of all workers engaged in the dress industry, irrespective of their political views or trade union affiliations.

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The dress strike will be successful only if the dressmakers, irrespective of their political opinions or trade union affiliations, jointly enter the struggle and fight side by side. The active participation of the unorganized working in open shops is of basic need for a successful struggle. Special attention must be paid to the problem of drawing into the general struggle the Negro workers working in their respective shops. In addition to the general demands there must be special demands for Negroes. It is equally important to draw into the strike the new elements who have never before participated in strike movements, such as the young American girls, Italians and Spanish workers.

4. One of the prerequisites for a successful strike is careful and planned preparation in the shops on the basis of a united front of all workers. This however, is not enough. It is important that the conduct and leadership of the strike should be in the hands of the strikers themselves, who are to elect from their midst all the necessary committees for militant strike preparations prior to the strike and the elections of the proper strike committees by all workers, organized and unorganized, members of the Industrial Union, as well as those belonging

to the I.L.G.W.U., after the strike is declared. 5. In order to be properly prepared for the conduct of single shop strikes, as well as the entire industry, it is necessary to call general meetings of all workers working in the shops which are to be struck. At these meetings the discussions should be centered around the aims of the strike, the concrete demands that are to be presented on the basis of the particular situation in each shop, as well as around questions of an organizational character, such as the creation of special committees for the preparations of the strike, whose functions, among others, is the organization of relief work, the activization of all strikers in general, and of each in-

dividual in particular, the distribution among them of the various tasks that are essential for

Simultaneously, special district meetings should be called, as well as huge mass meetings, involving all the strikers in New York. It is particularly important to draw in the unemployed in these meetings.

the proper preparation of the coming strike.

6. It is absolutely essential that neither the central committee nor the special shop committee in charge of the preparations for the strike is appointed from above, but is elected by all the workers, irrespective of their political or trade union affiliations, who are employed in their respective shops or who have participated in the United Front conferences. The aim is to coordinate the struggles and activities of the workers in individual shops with those of the central body in charge of the preparations for the strike. More than that, the demands must finally be adopted only after a thorough and exhaustive discussion by the workers. On the basis of the accepted program of demands, we must then proceed with the election of the leading organs or committees for the preparation of the strike.

THE FORMULATION OF DEMANDS.

7. In our program of demands, the central points must be put in the forefront and become the axis around which the entire strike is to revolve. Representatives of the unemployed must be included on all leading strike committees and they must be drawn into active participation in the conduct of the strike, and particularly in the mass picketing demonstrations. Through this unity of the employed with the unemployed, the attempt of the bosses to enlist the unemployed for mass strikebreaking will be successfully paralyzed.

In addition to the general program of demands, concrete demands must be worked out by the workers of each shop separately on the basis of the particular situation. The demands must include the various crafts and categories and particularly the Negro workers. These demands must not be brought down from the top ready made. The proposals made by the United Front Committee in charge of preparations must be submitted to a thorough discussion of the workers. The maximum attention must be made to proposals brought in by the workers at the

COMPOSITION OF THE STRIKE COMMITTEES.

8. Candidates for the General Strike Committee are to be selected by the Shop Preparation Committees, the number to be increased by adding the most active and trustworthy workers, if such motion is made by the participants in the meeting. Every worker, irrespective of which union he belongs to, is eligible to be elected to the General Strike Committee. But only those workers are to be elected as are ready and determined unresitatingly to defend the interests of the strikers. Care must be taken that the

bosses' agents, whose aim is to bring about the disintegration of the leadership and to break up the strike from within, through spreading false rumors, creating panic and distrust in our own forces, are not permitted to sneak into the Central Strike Committee.

The Central Strike Committee must elect an Executive, collective leadership and personal responsibility from the outset must be established as a prerequisite for proper functioning. Care ful attention to details must be paid.

AUXILIARY COMMITTEES.

9. For the successful carrying out of all the necessary work in the strike preparation committees, and following the declaration of the strike, the general strike committee must organize the following auxiliary committees: Organization, Trade Union Committee, Picketing and Defense, Legal Defense, Women's, Negro, Italian, Spanish, Youth and Relief, Agitation and

Education. The functions of these committees are as follows: 1. Agication and Education Committees-Agitprop brigades, arranges lectures, reports, concerts, movies and sport attractions for the strikers. It organizes shorttime courses for the preparation of instructors and members of the strike committees, etc. It must compare the conditions of the workers with

DIRECTIVES ISSUED BY NATIONAL BURO, NEEDLE TRADES WORKERS' INDUSTRIAL UNION.

those of the capitalist, expose the sham poverty of tthe bosses, etc. 2. The Organization Committee carries through a registration of all the strikers, draws in the unemployed, the workers' wives, as well as workers of other industries, into the work of the General Strike Committee. in a co-operative capacity. The Organization Committee calls meetings of the strikers, organizes demonstrations, picketing, etc. 3. The Trade Union Committee carries on a mass campaign to recruit new members into the Industrial Union or seeks to get new recruits for the revolutionary trade union opposition from the ranks of those who are members of the reformist unions. 4. The Defense and Picketing Committee guards the meetings of the strikers and demonstrations, and is to protect speakers and strike leaders from possible attacks by gangsters or the police. The Defense Committee has also the tasks of organizing the mass picketings. 5. The Legal Defense Committee must co-operate with the Workers' Defense Organization. 6. The Negro, Italian, Spanish, Youth, Women and Children's Committees are to carry through

mass work among their respective categories of workers, are to organize their mass participation in the conduct of the strike, carry through mass agitation work in conjunction with the Agitprop Committee and help all other committees by drawing the women, Negroes, Italians, Spanish and young workers into their work. 7. The Relief and Solidarity Committee arranges jointly with the organizations for Workers' Relief the collection of financial help towards the general strike fund, organizes the collection of foodstuffs, opens kitchens for strikers who are in need, as well as the unemployed, who are most

10. The success of single shop strikes prior to the declaration of the mass strike may give a decisive push to the more backward and vacillating workers of other shops.

11. Final decisions pertaining to the demands and tactics of the strike, as well as the date of declaring it, must be approved at general meetings and at conferences of the shop delegates elected on the basis of the United Front, who are to participate in the strike.

WHAT TO DO ON THE DAY OF THE STRIKE.

12. On the day set for the calling of the strike, the Central United Front Preparation Committee and the Shop Preparation Committees are to call shop meetings which are to be attended by all workers, irrespective of their political and trade union affiliations, religious beliefs, men and women, Negro and white, young and adult, for the purpose of electing Shop Strike Committees to take the place of the strike preparation committees.

13. At the conclusion of these meetings it is advisable to carry through demonstrations with placards bearing the central slogans of the strike, for the purpose of securing the attention of the working-class populace and enlisting their sympathy and support of the strike. Similar demonstrations are to be carried through near shops. calling upon the workers to down tools and join the strike. This will serve as a means of spreading the strike and of developing the fighting mood of the masses.

14. The Shop Strike Committees are to be united into block, section or district strike committees, for the purpose of coordinating the strike activities. It is the task of these committees to supervise the activities of the lower strike organs to give them practical help to inform the higher organs about the state of the strike and to receive instructions. The General Strike Committee, block or section strike committees must elect out of their midst a buro. The buro is to consist of a chairman, secretary and representatives of the various auxiliary com-

REGISTRATION OF THE STRIKERS.

15. Under no circumstances must all the activities in connection with the strike be left in the hands of the General Strike Committee. The full participation of all the strikers in all the activities must be secured. For this purpose the strike committees must at the outset carry through a full registration of all the strikers. The strikers must be drawn into the daily work of the Strike Committees, such as mass picketing, calling mass meetings, arranging mass demonstration, distribution of strike relief, struggles against gangsterism, protection of mass meetings and demonstrations, etc.

16. The development of single shop strikes through concentration on large shops at first. involving gradually more and more such shops,

will convert the strike into a real militant mass strike.

17. The successful conduct of the strike in cludes the activization and the solidification of the strikers' ranks. It is, therefore, necessary to give systematic information about the strike morement to the workers of other shops working for the same firm, whether in the same city or out of town. For this purpose it is necessary to explain to these workers the purpose of the strike, the demands of the strikers, and appeal to them to refuse to do strike-breaking work for the shops involved in the strike, as well as call upon them for moral and financial assistance. At such meetings special solidarity committees are to be elected.

MASS PICKETING.

18. In order to completely paralyze production on the premises, to prevent the possible use of the employers of strikebreakers or the sending out of goods and raw materials to be made up in different shops in this or other cities that are not affected by the strike-MASS picketing is absolutely essential. The wives and children of the strikers must be drawn into mass picketing. It is especially important to carry through the joint participation of white and Negro workers in this picketing as well as those of new elements that were recently absorbed into the dress industry, such as the American born, Italians, Spanish, who have had no previous ex-

perience in the class struggle. 19. At the time of distributing the strikers for picket duty, it is necessary to explain to the workers the cases of individual workers or departments that are vacillating or are under the influence of the boss or his agents. In such cases class-conscious workers must be assigned to exert upon them moral persuasion and visit the homes of the absentees in an effort to draw them into active work.

INFORMATION SERVICE.

20. The success of the struggle depends to a great extent upon whether the strike leadership fully realizes its tasks, is able to unfold the mass activity and initiative of the strikers, and is able on time to react to every developing situation in connection with the strike. The decisions of the strike committee must, therefore, be brought down to the rank and file and become the property of the workers. A full account of the strike committees' activities must be regularly submitted to the strikers and a check-up as to the extent to which decisions are carried through must be practiced during the strike. The General Strike Committee must issue a special Informatoin Bulletin at least once a week dealing with the progress of the strike, pointing out the weak points and shortcomings in the conduct of the strike, answering questions

that occupy the minds of the workers, informing them about the moves of the bosses and the strike-breaking leadership of the reformist company unions, directed towards the breaking

of the strike, giving brief important political information, posting important decisions of the General Strike Committee, etc.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTORS.

In order that the decisions of the General Strike Committee may without delay reach the widest possible masses, special instructors from among the more active and class-conscious workers are to be sent to help out in the weaker

sections or districts. 21. In case of any serious change in the situation, due to the maneuvers or strike-breaking of the reformist union or the state power, where changes or additions in the demands are made

necessary, these are to be submitted for discussion not only to the General Strike Committee, but to the general mass meeting of the strikers.

22. The struggle to reach a general agreement on the basis of the strikers' demands oces not exclude the possibility of conferences and settlements with individual employers just as the preparations for the general strike do not exclude preliminary single shop strikes.

STRIKE AND RELIEF FUNDS.

23. Simultaneously with the work of raising funds and handing out relief to those in need, special workers' delegations must demand of the city government material help for the strikers, such as free food for children, free gas and elec-

tricity, to prohibit evictions for non-payment of rent, the organization of kitchens and food distributing centers. These demands made by the Workers' Delegations must be backed up by mass demonstrations of the strikers and unemployed in front of the municipal building.

STRUGGLE AGAINST STRIKEBREAKING REFORMIST UNIONS.

24. Strike Committees, organized on the basis of the United Front, must not refrain from criticizing the strike-breaking activities of the company union's leadership and their allies, Zimmerman & Co. At meetings and in resolutions, the treachery of the latter must be unmasked. Only in this manner will the weaker, vacillating elements be definitely won over and become adherents of the class struggle. Those workers, members of the relormist unions, who through actual experience have convinced themselves about the strikebreaking activities of their leaders, must publicly declare it at mass meetings and in statements in the workers' press, as a result of which these traitors can be com-

pletely exposed. 25. The strike presents the best possibilities to completely expose on the basis of concrete facts the treacherous role of the corrupt bureaucracy of the reformist unions, for the development of the class-consciousness of the workers and the rooting out of the last vestiges of reformist influence. Mass agitation and propaganda and close contact between the workers of different political opinions and trade union affiliations are an aid toward closer unity and for raising the level of their class-consciousness. With extreme patience it is necessary to explain to the workers that the wage slashing campaign in the dress industry is but part of the general attack by the capitalists upon the living standards of the working class of the United States

of America. It is necessary to explain the role of the capitalist government and also the role of the strike-breaking trade union bureaucracy of the A. F. of L. We must compare the effects of the world crisis with its mass unemployment in the capitalist countries, and particularly in the United States of America, with the successful construction of socialism and the liquidation of unemployment in the U.S.S.R., and point out that the way out of this crisis lies in the consistent revolutionary struggle for partial demands of the proletariat as well as for the complete abolition of the decaying capitalist system. Each mass agitation will undoubtedly paralyze the influence of the reformists and help to strengthen the united front of the striking dressmakers.

26. The adherents of the United Front in the ranks of the reformist unions must expose the maneuvers of the bureaucracy designed to break the strike, by taking the floor at every meeting called by them and fighting for proposals that will lead toward the adoption of militant methods of struggle on the basis of the United Front. In case meetings do not take place or the bureaucracy refuses to call them, the adherents of the United Front are to call such meetings. It depends on each particular situation whether or not it is advisable to invite to these meetings the reactionary leaders to defend their acts be-

ROLE OF THE INDUSTRIAL UNION.

27. The members of the Industrial Union must be the driving force inside the United Front Strike Committee (shop strike committees and Central Strike Committee). They must show an example of activity and militancy. They must be in the first ranks on the picket lines. They must be able to find a common language with the members of the other unions and with the unorganized workers. They must in practice by their activities convince those workers of the militancy and correctness of the line of the Industrial Union. They must help those workers to carry out their activities and bring out their initiative. The Industrial Union must in time of struggles call periodical, regular meetings of the striking members of the union and instruct them to check up their activities.

28. The Industrial Union must not in the least weaken its activities or hide its independent face in the strike, which in itself would impede the formation of the united front and aid the enemy by giving him a trump card. We must display a maximum of initiative through

the issuance of appeals and declarations. 39. The ending of a strike must be approved at a meeting of all the workers belonging to the particular shop involved. If a group of shops is involved or all the shops on strike, then the ap-

proval of delegates must be secured. 30. It is extremely important to inform the press regularly about the preparations of the strike and to answer the rumors spread by the bosses and the fakers. Every effort to spread confusion and demoralization in the ranks of the workers must be answered. Therefore, it is necessary to organize a special press committee in the Strike Committees and Central Strike Committee which shall be responsible for the information and statements submitted to the press and to counteract all efforts to break the strike. The committees shall give information about the progress of the strike, stopping of shops, etc.

31. The strike of the dressmakers must not be isolated, but in order to get support of other sections of the workers, the Industrial Union and the United Front Strike Committee must draw in the workers of other industries, and clubs, fraternal organizations, such as Labor Sports organizations, Unemployed Councils, ILD, IWO. WIR. cultural organizations, etc. to give support to the strike. The representatives of these organizations must be fraternally drawn

the Central Strike Committee. At the same time, in order to strengthen the morale and solicarity of the workers, it is necessary to link up the dressmakers' struggle with the struggle of the miners. Scottsboro, etc.

32. The appraisal of the strike, its positive and negative sides must be published in the press and discussed at strikers' meet