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Voroshilov Warns that White Guards, Imperialist Robbers Plan to SIEZE Soviet Territory

DRESS STRIKE DEMONSTRATION IN UNION SQUARE TODAY

SPREAD UNITED FRONT AND SMASH SELL OUT DRESS STRIKERS URGE

Carry On Picketing Despite Legal Holiday; Picket All Shops Today at 7:30 A. M.

Schlesinger Conspiracy Exposed by United Front Strike Committee

BULLETIN

MONTREAL, Que.—The leaders of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union sold out 1,700 dressmakers to a 10 per cent wage cut here Saturday when they announced that the fake strike called Thursday was called off.

L. Fineburg, local labor misleader, declared that the union decided to accept the cut until conditions improved in the trade. Rank and file dressmakers in Montreal, in sending their greetings to the New York strikers, warned the dressmakers to repudiate the Schlesinger gang which is carrying on the same type of sellout in New York. Only by rallying to the United Front Strike will the dressmakers be able to defeat the Schlesinger sellout.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—While the Schlesinger clique is conferring with the bosses in order to put through a fake settlement and wage cut agreement, the rank and file of the dressmakers are mobilizing to continue the struggle for union conditions over the heads of the bosses' agents.

The rank and file committee of 50 elected at the strikers' unity mass meeting in Cooper Union is calling on all striking dressmakers to come in mass to the demonstration for one day on the line against any attempt of the bosses to utilize the legal holiday in order to make scab work. Committees of the Industrial Union were in the market to see that no one worked on the legal holiday. The settlement committee continued its work and all other strike activities.

Picketing Despite Legal Holiday. Despite the legal holiday, there was activity in the strike halls and on the picket line. The strikers were

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Thousands of Workers Roar 'Hands Off China' 'Defend the Soviet Union'

One of the mightiest demonstrations New York ever saw took place yesterday with a score of thousands of workers roaring in mighty chorus their determination to organize and struggle against the bloody Japanese war on the Chinese masses, for defense of the Soviet Union. The mass demonstration at Union Square followed by one of the most impressive mass parades and huge outpouring of the masses at Rutgers Square, was organized by a united front arrangements committee, representing the Communist Party, Young Communist League, Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, Trade Union Unity Council, Unemployed Councils, the League of Struggle for Negro Rights and many others.

About 20,000 workers filled Union Square which overflowed beyond the white dividing lines marked off by the police. At 12:30 the time the demonstration was called for, found the square filling up with many groups of workers still coming in. M. Scherer, national secretary of the Friends of the Soviet Union, opened the meeting and announced E. Levine, chairman of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, and himself a former U. S. marine as chairman of the meeting.

A high point on the huge demonstration was reached when the speaker, speaking for the Marine Workers' Industrial Union, presented the banner given the revolutionary marine workers by the marine workers of Shanghai, China, and pledged that the Marine Workers' Industrial Union would do everything possible to rally the marine workers to refuse and stop the loading and shipment of arms and munitions against the Chinese masses, and the Soviet Union.

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Party and Y. C. L. Members Attention!

Tom Mooney in his statement to the American working class declared that only the revolutionary working class mobilizing the rest of the workers would be able to free him and all other class war prisoners. In this respect, Mooney is right and therefore it is necessary that all Party and Y. C. L. members turn out in full force at the demonstration on Wednesday, February 24th, at Bronx Coliseum. We must make this one of the most imposing mass demonstrations that have ever been held in New York and thus crush the efforts of Mayor Walker to revive his political prestige which is stained with all kinds of crookedness and at the same time nullify the efforts of the Socialist Party to build up its organization by exploiting the name of Tom Mooney—the same Tom Mooney that they expelled from the Socialist Party in California because of his radicalism.

Popularize this mass demonstration in your shops and neighborhood and bring along as many workers as possible to the Bronx Coliseum.

All Party and Y. C. L. members must assemble Wednesday morning at the Pennsylvania Station at 11 o'clock to greet Mother Mooney who is arriving to speak at the Bronx Coliseum under the auspices of the International Labor Defense.

DISTRICT SECRETARIAT.

Greet Mother Mooney Wednesday at Penn. Station at 11 A. M.

All revolutionary workers are called upon to give Mother Mooney a mass greeting at the Pennsylvania Station, Wednesday morning, at 11 o'clock, when she arrives, to speak at the monster demonstration at Bronx Coliseum under the auspices of the International Labor Defense.

Tell your shop mates about it and bring them along also to the Bronx demonstration.

RALLY TO FREE RENT STRIKERS

Call Workers To Pack Court Room

NEW YORK, N. Y.—The tenants on strike at 733 Arnow Avenue, Bronx, have issued a call to all workers to rally to the support of 8 workers arrested for their participation in the strike. The trial will take place Wednesday, 10 a. m. at 181st and Boston Road. "Pack the court room" call the workers.

The lawyer for the landlord demanded on Sunday that the workers be held without bail. The fight put up by the workers and Beltenkant their lawyer, forced the judge to make their bail \$500. The bosses lawyer protested saying the judge took the case too lightly. The judge reassured him. He said that he understood the seriousness of rent strikes to the landlord and would send all rent strikers and workers putting back evictions to days in jail. Mass pressure in the court will show the judge that the workers intend to carry on their rent strikes and fight against the capitalist police and courts.

DRIVE OFF THUGS IN METAL STRIKE

Durable Strike Gains Strength

NEW YORK — Mobilized in one of the strongest picket lines of their three-week-old strike against a lock-out, the workers of the Durable metal shop, 254 Canal St., on Saturday successfully beat off an attack by scabs, routing them completely. This was the answer of the workers to the threat of injunction, the hearing on which was postponed till next Wednesday. Many of the scabs are members of the American Legion, who admitted being sent by that organization to help break the strike. Others told of being sent as scabs by the Bowery Y. M. C. A. and various police precincts.

Three of the workers on Saturday were arrested and are being framed up on charges of felonious assault because they dared to defend themselves when attacked by the scabs.

The strike, now in its fourth week, is being carried on with renewed vigor. Following the spirited fight of last Saturday, the workers are making preparations to continue to picket with increasing militancy, determined to fight on until the boss is forced to recognize their shop committee and the Metal Workers Industrial League. All workers should come to the picket line this morning and show their solidarity with these heroic strikers.

50,000 Endorse Anti-War Conference

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—20,000 workers at the Women's Conference yesterday and 30,000 workers at the Anti-War Conference today, enthusiastically endorsed the Friends of the Soviet Union anti-war and support the Soviet Union Conference to be held on Sunday, March 13, at Irving Plaza Hall, 15th Street and Irving Place at 10:30 a. m.

"All organizations, workers' clubs, unemployed councils — all shops and groups of workers—organize to fight against the imperialists' plans to attack the Soviet Union — elect 2 delegates to this anti-war conference," calls the F.S.U.

Eisenstein, Soviet Film Director, Is Banned from U. S.

NEW YORK—A report from Laredo, Texas, states that Sergei M. Eisenstein, well known Soviet film director who was making a movie in Mexico City, was refused admission to the United States at the border here by immigration authorities.

No reason was given for the exclusion, but the indications are that Eisenstein is charged with making a "political picture." The Soviet movie director was given a visa by the United States consul in Mexico City, and had been in the United States before.

Eisenstein is the director of the famous Soviet films "Potemkin," "Ten Days That Shook The World," etc.

Red Builders, help get subscriptions.

1917 War Scenes Reacted in N. Y. on Washington Day

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Washington's birthday celebration here was turned into an occasion for a formidable display of American imperialism's armed forces.

Fifth Avenue resembled a scene like that of 1917 when United States entered the war. Thousands upon thousands of soldiers, marines, National Guardsmen, American Legionnaires, militia, every army department of American imperialism marching with guns on their shoulders, bayonets fixed and shining, ready for use.

Dozens of machine guns, anti-air guns, tanks, army wagons, mu-

READERS

THE DAILY WORKER asks the support of the workers throughout the country because it is the only nationwide English daily paper that gives the workers day to day leadership in the fight against starvation and the whole hunger system. The bosses know well that such a paper is a powerful weapon in the hands of the working class.

Vern Smith, the Daily Worker reporter, is in jail in Kentucky. Young Harry Simms, who spread the "Daily" among the coal miners, was killed by the coal operators. The bosses fear the truth. Last Friday, the home of Turner, a coal miner, a subscriber to the Daily Worker, was burned to the ground by the coal bosses so that his bullet-riddled home should not remain as evidence of the murder and terror in Kentucky.

The Daily Worker will not desert the workers' battles in this most critical period of bosses' terror and starvation and of imperialist slaughter. Neither can the workers desert their paper now in its present financial crisis.

A minimum of \$1,200 a day is needed to keep the paper going, \$1,200 today, \$1,200 tomorrow, and \$1,200 for every day until the drive is completed.

If you have not yet contributed, do so with no further delay. If you have already contributed, try to contribute again. Fight the bosses' terror. Fight to keep the workers united. Rush funds to save the Daily Worker.

MOTHER OF TOM MOONEY SPEEDS ACROSS CONTINENT FOR MEETING BRONX COLISEUM TOMORROW NITE

Mother Mary Mooney is speeding by express train to the Bronx Coliseum meeting against the advice of her physicians who warned her that in making the 3,000 mile journey the condition of her heart endangers her life. She is particularly anxious to aid in the demonstration to be attended by 25,000 seeking a pardon for Mooney because Governor James Rolph, of California today denied a report published in New York that he had decided to pardon Mooney on March 15. The bosses are determined to have Mooney die in jail. Only tremendous demonstrations by the working class today can force his freedom.

Sujimori, member of the executive committee of the Left Wing Writers of Japan, and a member of the International Committee of Revolu-

Endorsement of Mooney Meeting in Coliseum Wednesday Night by Trade Union Unity Council

Upon publication of the news that Governor Rolph of California today denied reports that he would pardon Tom Mooney, the Trade Union Unity Council of New York issued the following statement:

"The fact that Governor Rolph continues the capitalist refusal to release Tom Mooney proves further that only by greater mass demonstrations of the working-class can this brave fighter be forced to free this brave fighter for the proletariat.

"The meeting in the Bronx Coliseum, Wednesday night, must be a success. It will completely expose the illu-

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JAPANESE, TWARTED AT SHANGHAI, WREAK FURY ON CHINESE MASSES

Workers and Truck Farmers Shot Down Fleeing from Homes, Fired by Japanese

United States Demands Nanking Send More Troops Against Chinese Red Army in Kiangsi Province

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Warning that "the White Guards supported by certain groups of imperialists are openly planning to seize Soviet territory in the Far East," War Commissioner Klement Voroshilov yesterday called upon the Soviet masses to be prepared to defend the workers' fatherland. Voroshilov's call was issued on the eve of the 14th Anniversary of the establishment of the Red Army.

"East and West, they are laying plans for intervention and preparing public opinion for an attack on the Soviets," Voroshilov declared. "They are organizing bands of white guards for the attack."

Voroshilov said that the Soviet masses will defend the slogan issued by Comrade Stalin, "We do not want a single foot of foreign soil, but we will not give up a single inch of our own."

The entire Soviet Union celebrated the anniversary of the Red Army. Voroshilov contrasted the hypocritical pacifist phrases of the imperialists at the Geneva "disarmament" conference with the robber war of the Japanese imperialists in China. He declared that the Soviet Union wanted peace as it has shown again and again, particularly in the face of the most brazen provocations in the Far East.

The Chinese soldiers and workers defending the South China city of Shanghai yesterday continued their heroic resistance against the combined military, naval and aerial forces of Japanese imperialism. They successfully held the town of Kiangwan against the most terrific onslaught of the Japanese troops, big guns and bombing planes. They counter-attacked several times with deadly effect at one time threatening an entire Japanese brigade with annihilation.

The Japanese, infuriated at the stubborn resistance to their armed forces, yesterday further developed their deliberate campaign of murderous terror against the Chinese masses. Tens of thousands of Chinese workers and truck farmers were added to the huge army of destitute refugees made homeless by the Japanese aerial bombing of the working-class sections of Shanghai. The suffering and misery inflicted upon defenseless Chinese men, women and children is indescribable, according to the admission even of the imperialist press. A Shanghai dispatch to the New York Times reports:

37 Deprived of USSR Citizenship Rights; Wreckers Are Jailed

(Cable by Inprecor) MOSCOW, Feb. 22.—Railwaymen responsible for the crash near Tosko when six workers were killed and thirteen injured were sentenced today. The station master received six years imprisonment, the engineer three years and two signalmen received two years each.

The Presidium of the Central Executive Committee of the Soviet Union today deprived 37 emigrants possessing Soviet passports of Soviet citizenship. They were charged with counter-revolutionary activity, included among them are Trotsky, Abramovitch, Garry, Dan and Petresov.

Shoot Down Workers Fleeing Burning Homes The Japanese were wantonly des-

"... As far as I could see in all directions there were leaping flames and smoke from the burning huts of Chinese truck gardeners. Few houses remained unburned."

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U.S. War Dep't Orders Rush Printing of Draft Blanks in War Move

American Workers! On Guard Fight Against Imperialist War! Defend Chinese Masses, Soviet Union!

The United States War Department has ordered a rush printing of thirty-three million draft blanks in preparation for the drafting of American workers for war. The United States printing office has been ordered to sidetrack all other work in order to rush this job through at once.

This means that the war preparations of the Wall Street Hunger Government are now in the final stage. For several months now the war industries in this country have been working overtime speeding out huge orders for the United States Army and Navy and for the Japanese imperialists. Wages of the workers are being slashed in these industries at the very time that tremendous orders are being handled. The bosses are using the crisis in the other industries to force down the wages of the workers in the war industries.

This completely exposes the illu-

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KNOXVILLE COPS BREAK INTO OFFICE OF WORKERS INTERNATIONAL RELIEF

United Mine Workers Joins In Offensive With Operators Against Striking Miners

Use Stool Pigeon's Insane Lies to Slander National Miners Union and Communists

BULLETIN.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 22.—The basis of a vicious frame-up against the Workers International Relief is being laid by the Knoxville police.

Yesterday several bootleggers, including one ex-deputy sheriff, rented an apartment adjoining the WIR office and painted the windows. Early this afternoon a policeman was seen entering the establishment. An hour later bootleggers invited the entire WIR office staff, including miners, in for a drink, but the invitation was refused.

Soon after a detective entered the WIR office and asked for a drink, saying he had heard there was a speakeasy in the building. Still later miners in a restaurant near the WIR office overheard a cop say he was going to get the WIR organizer on a framed-up gun carrying charge.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Feb. 22.—An open air mass meeting was to be held here this afternoon by the National Miners Union in defiance of High Sheriff Broughton's recent edict that all National Miners Union meetings were outlawed in Bell County. Only a driving rain that has been falling for 24 hours can cause the meeting to be postponed.

Knoxville police broke into local headquarters of the Workers International Relief late Friday night and ransacked the offices. Workers in the neighborhood saw the police wielding flash lights in the office for several hours. Police and American Legion is disseminating rumors that machine guns are being used in preparation for a "Red uprising in Knoxville." Police watch the office constantly and a frame-up is probable soon.

The Bell County grand jury convenes tomorrow to "consider" the cases of the jailed organizers, relief workers and Daily Worker correspondent, jailed for criminal syndicalism on Jan. 4th. There is little doubt that all ten will be indicted. The Knox County grand jury convenes tomorrow to take up the cases of Lester Symes, Jess Smith and Cleve Brackett, jailed for criminal syndicalism; for distributing leaflets calling on miners to attend the memorial meetings in honor of Harry Simms, murdered N.M.U. organizer. Coal operators are organizing their army of gun thugs, dropping all who have not killed at least one man and are hiring experienced killers in their places.

A widespread offensive is being launched all over the strike area by the United Mine Workers acting in cooperation with the coal operators to break the strike. Two mass meetings called by the scab-herding U. M. W. A. thus far have been flat failures, not a single miner attending the Pineville meeting and fifty miners attending Harlan meetings despite enormous preparations to make both meetings successful. Another mass meeting has been called by the U. M. W. A. in Middlesboro today. In addition to the N.M.U. mass meeting in Middlesboro today there will be others in Gatliff, Ky., and in Egan and Jellico, Tenn.

A successful section conference was held in Gatliff Friday. A scale com-

Need Tag Day Funds Immediately; Bring In All Collections!

NEW YORK.—The Workers International Relief is in urgent need of every cent collected in tag days for the miners and dress-makers in order to increase the inadequate relief to the strikers.

Many comrades who took boxes have not settled. All organizations must see that their members do so immediately. Delay imperils the relief campaign. Come at once to the W.I.R. Center, 16 W. 21st St., New York City.

WASHINGTON TO HEAR DELEGATES ON FOREIGN BORN

Upton Sinclair Hits Anti-Foreign Bills as Aimed at Workers

WASHINGTON TO HEAR

NEW YORK. — The Immigration Committee of the United States Congress has informed the Committee for the Protection of the Foreign-Born 32 Union Square, New York that on Thursday, February 23rd, a hearing will be given to the delegation which is being sent by the Committee and consists of Professor Oakley Johnson, J. Louis Engdahl, Charles Auerchur, J. W. Ford. The delegation will be headed by Max Levin, attorney for the committee.

In connection with the sending of this delegation, Upton Sinclair, famous American novelist, has sent in the following statement commenting about the anti-foreign-born bills. "The purpose of all bills relating to the foreign-born is to hold the lower classes of our population in slavery to the great corporations and business interests. So long as they are humble and patient serfs they may stay, but if they venture to rebel against starvation and oppression, we hold over them the club of deportation and separation from their families."

"The delegation will report on its return from Washington in many industrial centers all over the U. S. A. in order to broaden and strengthen the movement for the protection of foreign-born. All organizations are called upon to send in funds immediately so that the campaign against the anti-foreign-born bills can be started with full swing.

Want Pickets for Scrapers Strike

Meet at Finnish Hall Today at 7:30 a. m.

NEW YORK. — The strike of floor scrapers against a 25 percent wage cut which has been going on for the last week continues strong under the leadership of the Trade Union Unity League.

In order to carry the strike to victory mass picketing is necessary and an appeal has been made to all building trades workers and members of the T. U. U. L. or sympathizers to come to the Finnish Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 23rd, 7:30 a. m. to take part in picketing in front of the struck shop.

BRUNO WALTER, SOLOIST WITH PHILHARMONIC-SYMPONY ORCHESTRA

Bruno Walter concludes his seven weeks with the Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra with the concert next Sunday afternoon, Thursday evening and Friday afternoon, the conductor will also appear as pianist in the Mozart Piano Concerto in A major. The program includes the "Midsummer Night's Dream" Overture from his Symphony No. 3 in C minor, Johann Strauss' Perpetuum Mobile, and Wagner's Ride of the Valkyrie.

Alfred A. Hesse, now playing in "The Left Bank", Elmer's Rice's comedy at the Little Theatre, has written a three act drama called "House of Job" which may be produced in New York shortly.

The Viennese screen operetta "Das Lied ist aus" (The Song is Over) is now in its fourth week at the Europa.

Anti-Imperialist League Conference Sets New Tasks

NEW YORK.—The Anti-Imperialist Conference held on Sunday, the 21, at Irving Plaza, New York City, mobilized 123 delegates from 99 organizations representing 22,280 workers. The Conference, in answer to the greetings of the International Secretariat of the League Against Imperialism and the cablegram from Madam Sun Yat Sen, adopted a series of concrete steps in fighting against the attack upon China and the Imperialist War upon the Soviet Union. In addition to the general anti-war resolution, special resolutions were adopted, protesting against the terror which U. S. imperialism is letting loose in preparation for war, in El Salvador, Guatemala and other Caribbean colonies and in the Philippine Islands.

The resolution on organization adopted by the Conference called for support to the United Front anti-war demonstrations of February 22, and May 1. The Conference endorsed the mass meetings being organized by the anti-imperialist League in Harlem on March 10 and in Brooklyn about the same date, and also the Philippine Independence meeting the middle of March. Concrete steps were worked out for support to the anti-imperialist movement in the economies, particularly in Cuba. The Conference adopted a two-month plan of work with specific tasks for each of the organizations represented.

Several of the delegates were added to the Executive Committee of the Anti-Imperialist League, including George Marlen, author of "The Road."

It was also decided to send a telegram demanding the freedom of the Scottsboro Negro boys and urging all organizations to send delegates to the anti-war conference of the Friends of the Soviet Union, to be held on March 13, in Irving Plaza.

F. S. U. Postpone Lecture for Mooney Demonstration Wed.

NEW YORK.—Realizing the importance of the Tom Mooney meeting to be held by the I.L.D. this coming Wednesday at the Coliseum, the Friends of the Soviet Union is postponing the Scott Nearing lecture scheduled for this day to Friday, February 26, to be held at Ambassador Hall, Third Avenue and Claremont Parkway.

The F.S.U. urges all its members and friends to attend this mighty demonstration of working class solidarity on Wednesday—and to hear Scott Nearing speak on "The New Economic Order in the Soviet Union" on Friday, February 26, at Ambassador Hall.

Tickets purchased by comrades for Wednesday night (Scott Nearing lecture) may be used on Friday night.

THOUSANDS WORKERS ROAR "HANDS OFF CHINA," "DEFEND SOVIET UNION"

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stration at Union Square was the speech of Yu, representative of the All America Anti-Imperialist League, who pointed out that the concentrated imperialist war waged by Japan with the support of the United States and other imperialist powers is a step in the united imperialist war provocations and preparations for war against the Soviet Union, and called for revolutionary greetings to the revolutionary workers and peasants of Japan. O'Neal of the New York unemployed councils, was cheered for enthusiasm, when he voiced the demands of millions of employed and unemployed for turning over the billion dollar war appropriation for the relief of the unemployed masses to support the Chinese masses and defend the Soviet Union, the only country that eliminated unemployment and established a new socialist life for the masses.

A tremendous ovation greeted the introduction and remarks of Comrade I. Amter, New York district organizer of the Communist Party. Following Comrade Amter, the following resolution was received with a mighty shout of approval (resolution). The fighting dress strikers under the leadership of the United Front General Strike Committee and the Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union voiced their determination to battle against wage cuts, hunger and bosses war.

CALL WAR VETS TO GIVE AID TO METAL STRIKERS Legion Herds Scab In Attempt to Break Durable Strike

NEW YORK.—Calling to the attention of all workers ex-servicemen that members of the American Legion are being sent by that organization to act as scabs where workers are on strike, the Executive Committee of the Workers' Ex-Servicemen's League issued the following statement last night:

"To All Workers Ex-Servicemen, Members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars!

"The so-called campaign now being carried on by the Legion to find jobs for its unemployed members has been exposed in its true light as an effort on the part of the leaders of the organization to force the rank-and-file members to act as strikebreakers. This was proven in the case of the strike now going on in the Durable Tool and Die Co. against a lockout, where some of the veterans admitted to the pickets that they were herded together for scab duty by their respective posts of the American Legion.

"We call upon all working-class ex-servicemen to expose and condemn the strikebreaking role of the American Legion and to fight any attempt by said body to force its members to become scabs. We appeal to all worker-veterans to show their solidarity with all workers fighting against the attempt of the bosses to lower their already miserable standard of living. Unemployed ex-servicemen, the government owes you more than the "opportunity" to act as a scab. They owe us the Bonus, and we can get it by joining the Workers' Ex-Servicemen League and putting up a fight for it. We must support the struggle for unemployment insurance paid by the bosses and the government.

"We must also show our solidarity on the picketline with the workers of the Durable Shop, at 254 Canal St., New York City, and all other workers fighting for better conditions.

"Executive Committee, Workers' Ex-Servicemen's League."

MOTHER OF TOM MOONEY SPEEDS ACROSS CONTINENT FOR MEETING IN BRONX COLISEUM TOMORROW NIGHT

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draw so great a mass of workers that their roar demanding immediate and unconditional pardon of Mooney will be heard across the continent by the jailers of Mooney.

"Mooney, in his recently published pamphlet, "Tom Mooney, Betrayed By Labor Leaders" exposed the officialdom of the American Federation of Labor as being partners in the foul conspiracy to bury Mooney in prison for his militant activities. We, workers of the T. U. U. L., must rally stay, but if they venture to rebel against starvation and oppression, we hold over them the club of deportation and separation from their families."

"The continued efforts of the misleaders of the working-class, the Thomases, Musteltes, and Lovestone renegades to disrupt this meeting, must bring forth the greatest outpouring of workers in New York history to repudiate the fakery.

"A glowing example of proletarian sacrifice is that of Mother Mooney who is coming across the continent despite the advice of her physicians who have warned her that the trip might prove fatal in her weakened condition. All workers must be present to pledge their solidarity with this valiant aged working-class fighter on behalf of

BREAK WORKERS' DEMONSTRATION IN HAVANA, CUBA Many Face Death In Machado's Jails

Police attacked a workers' demonstration at Havana, Sunday, and arrested many of the marchers. A cable to the New York Times from Havana declaring that "some 200 persons carrying red banners were dispersed at Fraternity Park," refers to the demonstration as "a Communist parade."

A new reign of terror has been unleashed by the bloody ruler of Cuba, Machado, and a whole series of raids and arrests have been made of militant workers. Many of them face murder at the hands of Machado. Five workers of the sanatorium Quinta Canarias and three grocery workers were jailed. The police have not issued their names so that it will be easier to kill them secretly, as is the usual custom of the bloody Wall Street puppet Machado.

GERMAN JOBLESS OVER 6 MILL. NOW

5 Hurt In Hamburg Fight With Fascists

BERLIN, Feb. 22.—Official figures show that unemployment on February 15 reached 6,100,000. Numerous collisions between fascists and workers occurred over the week-end in various parts of the country. In Hamburg five were seriously injured and 20 less seriously. Five collisions occurred last night at Dortmund between fascists and Communists. One fascist was killed and many were wounded. Six Communists were arrested.

Last night the police raided the Communist local in Soliderstrasse, Berlin. They rushed through the rooms with drawn revolvers. One worker received a wound in the stomach and was rushed to the hospital in a serious condition. Eighteen workers were arrested.

Demand Punishment For Broederich for Looting U. S. Bank

NEW YORK.—The committee of 25 of the United States depositors has issued a call to all depositors to mass at the Criminal Court Building, Center and Franklin Streets at 10 a. m. today to demand the conviction of Supervisor of State Banks, Broederich, who is on trial for the part he played in robbing the depositors.

"Broederich is mainly guilty for our suffering," said a member of the committee, "we trusted him to take care of our savings."

Mass organizations, get into revolutionary competition to save Daily Worker.

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and Kromberg of the TUUL. At the conference of the left wing groups of the International held on Sunday, a resolution was adopted endorsing the activities of the rank and file members of the International for unity on the picket line, and for one strike for union conditions as against a fake settlement of the International.

All members of the International were called upon to give their fullest support to this movement for one strike. It was also decided that a mass meeting of cloakmakers be arranged to line up the active support of the cloakmakers.

Women Strikers to Meet. A meeting of all women strikers of the 6th hall will be held on Wednesday, 11 o'clock in the morning at the strike headquarters.

The executive council of the union will meet Wednesday night to hear a report on the strike and to discuss and act on the further struggle in the fur, the millinery and other trades.

A mass meeting and conference of all workers' fraternal organizations in Brooklyn will be held Thursday at 8 p. m., 795 Flushing Ave. All fraternal organizations are asked to send delegates to the conference to help carry through the spread of the dressmakers' strike in Brooklyn.

Strike Committee Meets Tonight. The executive of the strike committee will meet today, 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The Strike Committee will meet at 8 o'clock tonight in the office of the union, 131 W. 28th St., to review the status of the strike and adopt plans for the week. The committee of action elected at the conference of the labor movement is called upon to be present at this meeting. The following is the committee: Gorelick, Aronson, Sonis, Schechter, Lipson, Lifschitz of the Freiheit, Carson of the City Clubs, Sultan of the Russian organizations.

Postponed Hospital Workers Meet Will Be Held Friday

NEW YORK.—The meeting of Hospital Workers which was postponed because of the demonstration for Comrade Simms and scheduled for Wednesday has been further postponed because of the Mooney demonstration on that day. The meeting which is called to discuss a program proposed by the executive committee and to elect delegates to the T. U. U. C. will be held on Friday, 7:30 sharp at 108 E. 14th Street, Room 207, 7:30 sharp.

What's On —

TUESDAY All unemployed workers who wish to sell their papers, please be at the office of the Unemployed Councils, 5 E. 19th St., at 11 a. m.

ANNUAL FOUR-DAY BAZAAR!

of the International Labor Defense (New York District) February 25, 26, 27, 28 STAR CASINO 191th St. and Park Ave. Tickets: Thurs. 35c. Fri. and Sat., 50c. Sunday, 35c. Combination ticket \$1.00

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AMUSEMENTS

The Theatre Guild Presents REUNION IN VIENNA A Comedy By ROBERT E. SHERWOOD. THEATRE 45th St. & 5th Ave. Eve. 8:40 Mats. Thurs-Sat 2:40

Soviet Russia's First Talkie!

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THE TASKS OF THE T. U. L. AND THE COMING NEW YORK CONFERENCE

By JOSEPH ZACK. The Trade Union Unity League in the New York District has doubled its membership since October, 1931...

- 1. Clinging generally to agitation methods and tactics and often to outworn ones... 2. Sticking to small shop sections of industry, needle, food, etc.

Women and War A New Pamphlet Now Ready to Spread

What has the war in the East to do with women workers in factories, fields and homes in the United States...

The Main Inner Weaknesses of the T. U. L. In spite of the considerable advances made due mainly to the objectively favorable situation, and improvements in our methods of work...

"ECONOMY" DRIVE HITS U. S. POST OFFICE WORKERS

Substitute Clerks Fired By Thousands Throughout U. S. A. (By a Worker Correspondent) CHICAGO, Ill.—President Hoover's so-called economy drive has invaded the post office also.

Those substitutes who are "fortunate" and happen to be working, are making two or three dollars a week. They are supposed to feed their families with these miserably low wages.

As everybody knows, three bills were recently introduced in Congress proposing wage cuts. The advocates of wage-cuts have such supporters as the fake progressive Senator Borah.

JAPANESE, THWARTED AT SHANGHAI, WREAK FURY ON CHINESE MASSES

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) troying Chinese homes. Where incendiary bombs dropped by the Japanese airplanes failed to spread sufficiently destruction, the houses were put to the torch by Japanese soldiers.

The Essential Difference Organization inside big plants can only be done by developing the workers that work there into rank and file organizers.

More Political Discussion

We often said that strikes are feasible and can be won in times of crisis. Generally our active members will say yes, we illustrate it by example, actually when it comes to their "own" industry or shop they will often answer no.

Bell's Self-Defense Plus the Mass Protest Won Freedom

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Fred Bell, International Labor Defense organizer was acquitted Friday, Feb. 20 of the charge of inciting to riot.

How force? Did he physically force them, or did he speak to them? And was he trying to argue with the miners and convince them to organize, and was it your business to keep them from organizing?

Sera was questioned closely by the prosecutor on the program of the Communist Party, on whether he believed in "overthrowing the government," etc.

Every objective of the defense was overruled by McConnelly and the prosecution sustained in everything save the question of Musellin and Zima.

In examining himself, Bell told in great detail what the International Labor Defense stands for, and went into detail such as prisoners, relief, etc.

He quoted Woodrow Wilson, reading: "We have forgotten the very principles of our origin, if we have forgotten how to object, how to resist, how to agitate, how to pull down and build up even to the extent of revolutionary practices."

Under cross examination, when he was asked whether he was in favor of establishing a government like that in the Soviet Union, he pointed out that here was no unemployment in the Soviet Union, or starvation in this country governed by the workers and peasants.

But McConnelly's charge was extremely vicious. He practically told the jury that they had to convict. The circumstantial evidence was enough to convict, he stated.

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(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) front from Chapel to Woosung. The Chinese carried out a strategic retreat from the town of Kiangwan, drawing the pursuing Japanese Army into a trap.

"When the Japanese concentrated on the Chinese right flank, the left and center swung around to surround the enemy on three sides, leaving only a narrow line of retreat through which the Japanese fell back, covering their withdrawal with rifle and machine gun fire."

The Chinese forces pressed their advantage closely, the dispatch states, adding: "So bitter was the Chinese resistance at Kiangwan that the Japanese were obliged to draw reinforcements from the Hongkong sector."

More Workers' Organizations Line Up in Mooney Fight

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Two hundred fifty workers crowded the Jefferson Hall on Feb. 17th to attend a Mooney-Billings protest meeting.

A resolution was drawn up attacking the frame-up of Mooney and Billings and the Imperial Valley prisoners, demanding that Governor Rolph of California effect their immediate and unconditional release.

The meeting also protested the ratiocating of Sam Harman, a 58 year old, unemployed worker to 30 days in jail, because suffering from heart trouble and other ailments, he refused to work on the forced labor jobs of the Milwaukee County.

KNOXVILLE COPS BREAK INTO OFFICE OF WORKERS INTERNATIONAL RELIEF

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) are in Russia where if you mention the name of Jesus Christ you get killed in a minute.

This half insane outburst is characteristic of the attacks that are disseminated every day against the union and the Communist Party.

DULUTH, Minn.—The Communist Party, Young Communist League and Trade Union Unity League have arranged mass protest meetings against the murder of Harry Simms by the Kentucky coal operators thugs.

U. S. WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS RUSH PRINTING OF DRAFT BLANKS IN WAR MOVE

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) The dispatch admits that "a spirit of extreme caution" and care against offending Japanese imperialism has settled over the deliberations of the League of Nations on the Chinese situation.

This caution rises from the certainty that the big Powers are unwilling to take active measures against Japan. But this is only one way of saying that Great Britain is unwilling.

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CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 19.—Final arrangements for the Free Tom Mooney street run that is to take place on Saturday, Feb. 27th, 3.30 p. m. is being made by the International Labor Defense and the Labor Sports Union.

The run will start from 65th and Detroit Avenue and end at 55th and Central Avenue. A silver cup is being offered by the I. L. D. to the first club that reaches the Public Square.

This event is being held in connection with the anti-Olympic campaign arranged by the Labor Sports Union for some time in July. Tom Mooney is honorary chairman of the AntiOlympic Campaign.

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(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) even though he died in 1924—because they have never been able to find another leader. They said that heaven is Russia and hell is right here in the U. S.

I was always under a guard of four men from ten and never could go out by myself. They gave me 14 cents a day and said I had to live on that. They said the reason they weren't very strong yet was that they first had to throw every G— D— church in the U. S. in the lake and they were going to do that pretty soon.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 22.—Under the pressure of the terrific terrorism of the coal operators coupled with starvation, some miners have gone back to work within the last few days.

All section mass meetings scheduled for yesterday were postponed on account of heavy rain. A National Miners Union local was formed in Valley Creek Mine near Fraden with 90 men. An effort will be made tomorrow to pull this mine out on strike.

JAPANESE, THWARTED AT SHANGHAI, WREAK FURY ON CHINESE MASSES

The reverses suffered by the Japanese at Shanghai are intensifying the unrest in Japan and causing grave concern to the Japanese imperialists.

The European border states on the Soviet frontier are busy carrying on a vicious war against the Soviet Union at the same time that the Japanese are consolidating their hold on Manchuria and pushing large bodies of troops nearer to the Siberian borders of the Soviet Union.

Against whom are these tremendous war preparations aimed? Not against the Japanese, except as a remote possibility. A dispatch from Geneva shows clearly that the imperialists are frantically striving to submerge their ever sharpening antagonisms over the division of the spoils in China, and are desperately seeking a formula for the partition of China satisfactory to all the imperialist brigands.

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U. S. WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS RUSH PRINTING OF DRAFT BLANKS IN WAR MOVE (CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) The British imperialists are likewise rushing forward with their preparations for war. More British warships are speeding to Shanghai.

The United States and British forces in Shanghai are feverishly strengthening the defenses of the International Settlement against the revolutionary masses of Shanghai who are carrying on a heroic resistance against the robber war to divide up and loot China.

The imperialists are NOT letting Japan have a free hand in China, except in so far as the Japanese aggressions do not conflict with the interests and desires for loot of the other imperialist powers.

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WE WILL BUILD SOCIALISM IN THE SECOND FIVE YEAR PLAN

Leading Editorial in Moscow "Pravda" of Jan. 30

The socialist advance in a Bolshevik manner along the whole front, the mighty and constantly accelerated tempo of the Five Year Plan and the tremendous growth of productive forces, are literally changing the face of the U. S. S. R. under our very eyes.

A period of five years assumes the significance of an historical epoch. And the Five Year Plan is being accomplished in four years.

The foundations of the socialist economy of the Soviet Union were completed in three years of the first Five Year Plan. The second Five Year Plan will be the period of abolition of classes, the period of the construction of a Socialist Society.

The basic political task of the second Five Year Plan is the final liquidation of capitalist elements and of classes in general, the complete extermination of causes which tend to create class distinctions and exploitation, and the conquest of the remnants of capitalism in the economy and in the consciousness of the people; the transformation of the whole toiling population of the country into conscious and active building of a classless socialist society." (From the reports of Comrades Molotov and Kuybyshev)

The socialist industry, that leading power and basis of the construction of Socialism, is marching forward with gigantic strides. Under its mighty influence, the age old structure of the petty and of the petty dismembered peasant economy is rapidly crumbling. Collectivization is growing at a rapid pace.

During the second Five Year Plan, the last remnants of capitalist elements in our economy, will be liquidated. The deepest roots of capitalism will be torn out to the end and forever.

"The Communists can express their theory in one premise:—Abolition of private property," was stated by Marx and Engels in the "Communist Manifesto," that fiery document of the international proletarian revolution. The heroic efforts of the working-class of the Soviet Union, marching under the guidance of the party of Lenin along the difficult road of revolutionary struggle and socialist construction, are transforming this theory into a victorious reality. In our country, the private ownership of the means of production is retreating irreparably into the historic past.

The material bases of the second Five Year Plan, which will solve its economic problems and which will eliminate the technical backwardness of the U. S. S. R. are—the completion of the technical reconstruction of the whole of its economy and the transfer of all the branches of its economy to a base of the newest technique.

"In a maximum of ten years we must traverse that distance, which separates us from the most advanced capitalist countries"—is the main task put forward by Comrade Stalin. This problem can only be solved by an application of Bolshevik tempo in the socialist industrialization and by a resolute struggle for the mastery of the most advanced technical knowledge.

The second Five Year Plan must give a decisive success along this line.

Machine construction, which plays a leading role in the completion of the technical reconstruction of our national economy is to be increased 3 to 3 1/2 times.

To produce 100 billion kilowatt-hours of electrical energy against 17 billion in the last year of the first Five Year Plan, 23 millions of tons of cast iron; to mine 250 millions of tons of coal against 90 millions as in 1932; to construct 25-30 thousand kilometers of new railways. Such are some of the outstanding milestones of the Bolshevik tempo in the second Five Year Plan of socialist construction. The technical level of the U. S. S. R. will surpass that of the most advanced capitalist countries, thus securing for the Soviet Union the first place in Europe.

Having forever dispensed with the technical backwardness of the country, the U. S. S. R. will finally be transformed from an importer of machines into an independent and extensive producer.

The unheard of speed of the growth of productive forces of the reconstructed industry and agriculture create a base for the decisive acceleration of the betterment of living conditions of the toiling masses. THE SUPPLY OF GOODS WILL BE INCREASED TWO TO THREE TIMES COMPARED WITH THE LEVEL OF 1932. This becomes particularly important when compared with the shocking growth of pauperization of the toiling masses in the lands of the "much praised" capitalist civilization, where under the blows of the crisis, tens of millions of workers are thrown out on the streets, doomed to a death of starvation, and where tens of millions of small farmers are at the deadline of poverty and want.

The second Five Year Plan will completely change the face of the Land of Soviets.

The full technical reconstruction of the agricultural economy; the basic accomplishment of full collectivization and liquidation of kulaks at the very beginning of the second Five Year Plan; the growth of large scale agricultural undertakings, armed with the newest technical knowledge will transform agricultural labor into a form of industrial labor and will obliterate the differences created by capitalism between city and country.

The perspectives of the second Five Year Plan are grandiose. Its tasks—enormous and majestic. And the proletariat of the U. S. S. R. is in possession of absolutely all the possibilities, all the power, all the means and all the resources for the victorious fulfillment of this gigantic plan of construction of a socialist society in that period.

But it would be a grave opportunist error to think that victory in the second Five Year Plan will come of itself without efforts and without struggle and that the socialist society will somehow find itself in our midst.

THE ROAD TO A CLASSLESS SOCIETY IS THROUGH A BITTER CLASS STRUGGLE. Not without reason did Lenin constantly stress that the dictatorship of the proletariat is a FORM OF CLASS STRUGGLE, which in many respects becomes more bitter. "Between the capitalist and the Communist society is the period of the revolutionary transformation of the former into the latter, and the corresponding political transition period in which the State can be only THE REVOLUTIONARY DICTATORSHIP OF THE PROLETARIAT." (Marx)

Only the opportunist heroes of the theories of

a harmonious "ingrowth" of the kulak into socialism can speak about the "slackening" of the class struggle during the proletarian dictatorship. In reality, the formula of Comrade Lenin is:—"The destruction of classes to be accomplished through a fierce class struggle" (Stalin). Forms of class struggle will remain with the Proletarian State for a long period:—The pitiless suppression of the remaining capitalist elements, the determined fight with expressions of petty bourgeois tendencies, the fight for the socialist transformation of the poor and middle peasantry, for a socialist re-education of tens of millions of members of kolkhozes. (Collectives). Another form of class struggle in a Proletarian Dictatorship is the socialist upbringing of the backward strata of the workers and the strengthening of the labor discipline.

By building socialism in a revolutionary struggle, the working-class is being transformed and is remaking itself. Lenin always emphasized that "the past is holding us and is grasping us with thousands of hands." And he continuously spoke about the necessity of a determined fight against the powers and the traditions of the old order, against all manifestations of looseness of labor discipline, against the strength of the "habits of millions," for the conquest of which, the iron determination and perseverance of the working-class, organized into the State Power, is absolutely necessary.

"Accounting and control are the main requisites for the proper organization and for the proper functioning of the first phase of the Communist Society. All citizens become employees of the State—that is, of the armed working-class." Thus did Comrade Lenin describe the socialist society, the first phase of communism.

The class struggle will not be extinguished nor liquidated in the second Five Year Plan. We will then continue the most determined fight against the right opportunism, as our main danger, with the left opportunism, as our counter-revolutionary Trotskyist tendencies.

The Party and the working-class of the U. S. S. R. will attack in a determined manner all manifestations of rotten liberalism, of "gentlemanly mannerisms" and adaptability. The Party and the working-class of the U. S. S. R. have achieved victories of world renown and of greatest historical value. On the Leninist road they will also achieve decisive victories in their fight for the second Five Year Plan.

BUT THE FIRST AND MOST IMPORTANT STEP IN THIS STRUGGLE IS THE COMPLETION OF THE FIRST FIVE YEAR PLAN AND THE FULFILLMENT OF THE PLAN OF 1932.

The socialist industry is the main lever in the reconstruction of the whole economy of the country. Upon the work of our industry depends in a decisive measure the plan of the whole economy of our country in the completing year of the first Five Year Plan.

Industrial production must be increased by 36% without fail; production of cast iron must amount to 10 millions of tons and of coal to 90 millions of tons; production of machinery must be increased by 6.77 billions of rubles—such are the most important, fighting tasks of the current year.

But the quantitative achievements themselves become valueless if they are not combined with the exact fulfillment of all the QUALITATIVE INDICES. A Bolshevik struggle for the raising of the quality of labor and production, for a 7 per cent lowering of costs and for a 22 per cent raising of the productivity of labor—are the most important elements of the plan and the conditions of its fulfillment.

The current year must be a year of broadening and deepening of the socialist industrialization of the Land of Soviets and of the strengthening of its technical and economical independence from the capitalist world. More fearlessly and more determinedly to march to the goal of the mastery of the newest technical knowledge and production. There must be no machine which could not be produced in the Soviet factories if the task is approached with a Bolshevik determination. The struggle for the accomplishment of this slogan must be a matter of honor for all advanced workers, for all economists, for all scientific, engineering and technical workers.

The six conditions of Comrade Stalin show us clearly the true road to victory. We must see that they become a reality in the shortest possible period of time, not in words but in deeds; that the methods of work and of management on all sectors of construction of the national economy are reconstructed on the basis of these conditions.

The Party marches forward along the whole front, achieving new victories and developing new tasks. These victories are of major international importance, judging by the comments of the capitalist press on the theses of the second Five Year Plan.

The first Five Year Plan was greeted with mocking and derisions and with slandering. But somehow the obstinate facts of achievements and overachievements, have compelled a change of tone here and there.

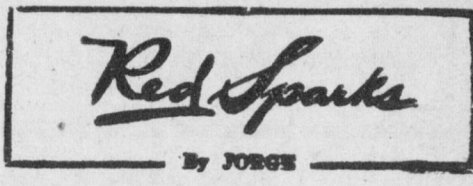
Regarding the second Five Year Plan some papers (Berliner Boersen Courier) continue their dull incitement about the impossibility of realization of the fantastic aims of the Soviets. But through the core of malicious lies and poisonous slanders and hatred a new tone is making its way. "The Five Year Plan is a new colossus," admits the Neue Freie Presse of Vienna. "The astronomical figures are breathtaking. The new Five Year Plan wants to acclimate a new region three times the size of Europe without the U.S.S.R." Even the Paris Temps, the mouthpiece of the French reaction, is compelled to admit that the Soviet Union achieved a victory in the first stage of industrialization without a foreign loan.

The international bourgeoisie, which is preparing a war against the U. S. S. R. watches our successes with a fierce hatred. But every one of our victories is an inspiration and cheer for the international proletariat and for all oppressed of the world.

We now see very clearly that "our main influence on the world revolution we exert through our economic policies. The eyes of the toilers of the world over, without exception and without exaggeration, are cast on the Russian Soviet Republic. That much is achieved. The capitalists cannot hide our achievements, nor can they pass them up in silence, therefore, they are playing up and magnifying our errors and weaknesses." (Lenin)

"REMEMBER, BROTHER, NOT MORE THAN YOUR SHARE!"

By BURCK



The Fourth Note

When the drive to "Americanize Europe" started a few years ago, we met even in the Soviet Union among the more backward workers there with the lie so industriously cultivated by American capitalists, that "In America, every worker has an automobile and a radio."

Indeed, "them wuz the daze" when the right wing in our own movement was fascinated by the "strength" of American imperialism and talked about it being "red-checked and young." Now look at it! And look at the Right Wing, too!

We were reminded of this by the dispatch of the International News Service of Feb. 15, telling of suicide of Ray Hayes, a San Francisco musician—one of the aristocratic trades—who, out of a job, took poison and then jumped out of a seventh storey window of a Frisco hotel.

Hayes left four letters behind. One to his wife who expects to become a mother. One to his mother. One to the capitalist press, saying in part:

"I cannot get work and there is no one I can ask for help." But the fourth note, says the press: "Was in the form of a will. It bequeathed his automobile, a piano, a radio and three saxophones to his widow."

Really, Hayes should have bequeathed his "rugged individualism" also, but possibly to President Hoover. However, what we want to call attention to is the fact that this skilled worker, though he had all that the lying propaganda of American imperialism said he should have as an American worker, an automobile and a radio, still he had NO SECURITY.

How much better off, therefore, are the workers of the Soviet Union who, building a socialist society on the basis of their own government established by revolutionary overthrow of the capitalists and landlords, began by securing a living to all who are willing to work and now are winning further security even in the enjoyment of autos and radios by building up a socialist system.

The moral of this yarn is not, of course, that American workers should not have autos and radios, but that they should have sense enough not to commit suicide, but should overthrow capitalism and gain security.

LOVE-TAPPING THE COPS

BOOK REVIEW
"Our Lawless Police"—by Ernest Jerome Hopkins
V. JEROME

UNDER a title held out as bait to the gullible, a liberal-fascist has here produced a "criticism" of police methods which, in essence and underlying motives, is as clear an apology for cop and cossack as any that might be offered (perhaps without the Liberal's hedging hypocrisies) by Commissioner Mulrooney himself.

In this period of intensifying government terror against the growing militancy of the workers, the bosses have need for the particular brand of Liberal-fascist, who, with a gesture of painting the devil black, will proceed to washing him white.

Such a retainer is Ernest Jerome Hopkins, and such whitewashing is his "sensational book written with fearless frankness and honesty," to cite from the jacket.

To begin with, the author proceeds from the theory that police tyranny and violence "misrepresent our national scheme of justice." Capitalist justice, that is, must, according to him, be kept out of the mess, exonerated at the outset from complicity in police violence and corruption.

A piece of brazen chicanery by which we are asked to acquit the master that sicked the bull-dog on us!

And since "our justice," which is so spotless, needs enforcement, the police (our brave critic of brutality leads us on) are at bottom pursuers of justice, workers in the cause of righteousness.

What better example could we have of the Liberal-fascist method of action?—calling us to a meeting against police brutality and then doping us with reverence for brute boss justice and for the brutes that seek to enforce it!

"Unlawful police work," he warns, "is the most dangerous means of stirring that fire (of rebellion) into a blaze."

Yet, on its critical side, the book contains revelations of police atrocity that should make the Spanish Inquisitors turn in their graves with envy. Here are tales of horror; of "confessions" forced through the unspokeable bestial and sadistic Third Degree; of false arrests, to keep the quota high, or made as business drummings for fee-splitting shyster lawyers and bondsmen. Significant in this connection are the accounts of police victimization of Negroes. Police break into Negro homes especially without warrants, insult the inhabitants, beat them, and arrest them on trumped-up charges or on no charges at all, knowing that the black worker has no chance in court. Most flagrant of all is the case of the Texan policeman who lured two Negroes into a bank and shot them dead so as to get the reward of \$5,000 offered by the local bankers' association for the killing of any bank robber.

Through it all, however, with the scoundrelly double-dealing of the Liberal, the author attempts to create an atmosphere of "understanding" for the policeman. He seeks to explain away the brutalities as a vestige, a necessary and natural remainder from an earlier stage when "we were a disorderly people." Or he lifts the guilt from the police by having them share in the "popular prejudices," whatever that may mean. "The police are human and, forgetting their duty, they, too, take sides." Through such chicanery he actually apologizes for police brutality to Negroes on the grounds of "popular

Then let us in a Bolshevik manner strengthen the might of the Land of Soviets, that invincible bulwark and mighty motive power of the World Revolution.

Let us, under the banner of Comrade Lenin and under the guidance of the Leninist Central Committee with Comrade Stalin at the head, accomplish the first Five Year Plan in four years and let us build socialism in the second Five Year Plan.

"The main thing at present is to set to work on the creation of that structure, the plan of which has been long drafted, the ground for which had been energetically and lastingly conquered and for whose construction, materials have been gathered in sufficient quantities; and now, having surrounded that structure with scaffolding and having donned overalls, not fearing to soil them in the auxiliary materials and strictly adhering to the directives of our guiding persons, we must build and build and build that structure." (Lenin)

sanction," calling the double standard towards Negroes "no worse than lynching," which he takes as a matter of course. Elsewhere he sets the policeman up as a fine, stout-hearted, sportsmanlike fellow with a "love of the fray." ("Seattle liked its pugilistic police.") And as a final appeal, he tells us how humane and sentimental and charitable the policeman is at heart, and that his bestiality springs from his high moral concern for safeguarding righteousness. Read him and weep: "Prevalently the policeman is something of a moralist. He reflects much upon right and wrong, sorting people into the two great classes..."

As for the class struggle, Hopkins pretends never to have heard of it. In fact, such a division of people into exploiters and exploited, would run counter to his blissful "national scheme of justice." To him the bludgeoned, the jailed, the deported, the tortured, the lynched, belong to a vast class of fated unfortunates, of pitiable derelicts, whom he lumps together as "mere indigents and morons and vagrants and unemployed men and migratories and drug addicts and immigrants and illiterates..."

Yes, sir, that's what they are! Morons and vagrants! Inmate criminals, mentally and morally! Sub-human, anti-social by their very make-up. Immigrants, morons and unemployed—12 million of 'em! Atta-boys! Treat 'em rough! Give 'em the works! Come on, let's...! Oh-or-er excuse me. I m-m-meant, Don't be lawless, officers.

Facts on War for Agitators

THE lessons of the last world imperialist war must be made known to the toiling masses of the country. Particularly to the younger generation "War to stimulate trade," "War to bring back prosperity," are some of the key notes of American imperialism in its ideological mobilization of the masses for war. We must actually and convincingly expose the imperialist aims and effects of war.

The main concern of American imperialism today is war against the Soviet Union, against Soviet China. We must particularly expose the lying campaign of bourgeois press to cover up the great Socialist achievements of the first Five Year Plan, and the establishment of a classless society through the Second Five Year Plan. The figures of the huge expenditures on armaments by the imperialist powers, should be contrasted with the figures of the peaceful policy of the Soviet Union in the building of Socialism. Also with the refusal to grant unemployment insurance, while billions are spent on war.

Losses in the World War, 1914-18.

For all armies in the imperialist war of 1914-18, the reported number of dead soldiers was 9,998,771. But that is only part of the story. Nearly 6,000,000 other soldiers were reported as "prisoners or missing" and at least half of these were dead.

Seriously wounded numbered over 6,000,000, and "otherwise wounded" about 14,000,000. Besides the dead soldiers, at least as many civilians died, either killed in air raids or dead from war diseases, starvation and exposure.

War widows in all countries numbered 5,000,000. These women are left to earn a living as best they can, under post-war capitalism, and the small widow's pension is never enough to live on.

About 9,000,000 children were left fatherless by the war, it is admitted by capitalist writers. And at least 10,000,000 men, women, and children lost their homes and wandered as homeless refugees over the land. So we have this list of what bourgeois writers call "the human cost of the great world war"—the cost born mostly of course by the working class:

10,000,000 known dead soldiers	3,000,000 prisoners
3,000,000 probably dead soldiers	9,000,000 war orphans
13,000,000 dead civilians	5,000,000 war widows
20,000,000 wounded soldiers	10,000,000 refugees

In the American army about 110,000 soldiers died in the war. Over 40,000 were seriously wounded and nearly 150,000 were "otherwise wounded."

War Preparations.

Every capitalist nation is prepared for war even to the last belt buckle. The United States heads the list of 60 nations in armaments and spends more for any other country for the army and navy—\$707,425,000 in the one year, 1930-31. (League of Nations; Armaments Year Book.) And that vast sum is only for direct military and naval expenditures.

Seventy cents out of every dollar you pay in taxes to the federal government goes for war, past, present or future, and not one cent goes for unemployment insurance to take care of jobless workers. The whole amount spent for war by the U. S. government each year now in "peace-time" is nearly \$3,000,000,000. Public health gets only \$22,496,000 this year (ending June 30, 1932)—less than the cost of one superdreadnaught. The U. S. battleship Indiana cost \$5,800,000 some years ago, enough to build a great univer-

sity or half a dozen large hospitals. And now the latest superdreadnaughts in the U. S. Navy cost over \$40,000,000 apiece.

Cost of the World War, 1914-18.

Grand total, \$186,405,851,222.
United States, \$32,080,266,968.
(From Direct and Indirect Costs of the Great World War, by Ernest L. Bogart, p. 267.)
The average daily cost of the war was more than 215 millions, or 9 millions per hour.

Workers' Enemies Exposed

Joseph Smythe, of Denver, Colo., has been expelled from the Communist Party as an unreliable and shady element, who disappeared upon being accused of connections with the police. He has been in Seattle, Wash., and may turn up now in California.

Bert Hall, of Denver, Colo., has been expelled from the Communist Party as an irresponsible, disruptive and white-chauvinistic element, who peddled slanders against leading Party members, tried to line up workers against the Party's program for organizing Negro workers, and who had previously been found guilty of misappropriating funds in the Unemployed Council.

Geo. D. Glazebrook, of Denver, Colo., has been expelled from the Communist Party as an unreliable, disruptive and suspicious element, who has spread malicious charges against leading Party members, and who has associated himself with stool-pigeons (Doty and Linde) and with other disruptive elements in the holding of anti-Party meetings and in vicious efforts to break up the Unemployed Council. He has been also charged with having served on the police force of Kansas City, and he is a member of the American Legion.

Description — about 6 feet tall, 180 lbs. in weight., blond hair, blue eyes.

Chas. Lea, of Denver, Colo., has been expelled from the Communist Party as an unreliable and disruptive element, who closely associated with Glazebrook in the crimes against the Party and against the Unemployed Council, and who also is a member of the American Legion.

Description — 38 years, 5 feet 7 in., slim, black hair and eyes, sharp face.

Jesse Younger, of Denver, Colo., non-Party, has been expelled and denounced by the Unemployed Council as an unreliable, disruptive and suspicious element, who associated closely with known stool-pigeons (Doty and Linde), and who turned to the police in his efforts to break up the Unemployed Council.

Description — about 30 years, 5 ft. 10 in., 150 lbs. brown hair sharp face. Claims to be from Cleveland.

Clarence Linde, of Denver, Colo., non-Party, has been expelled and denounced by the Unemployed Council as a stool-pigeon, who has been traced several times in his visits to the police.

Description — about 50 years, 5 ft. 5 in., 130 lbs., blue eyes. Claims to be a quartz miner.

Charles Linde, of Denver, Colo., non-Party, has been expelled and denounced by the Unemployed Council as a close associate of stool-pigeons, who

Learning from Mulrooney

One thing the N. Y. Times circulation manager can boast of is that Herndon Evans, Pineville, Kentucky, editor, must read the "Times." Anyhow, the ancient alibi of Mulrooney are being adopted in Pineville. We refer to the "explanation" by Evans, that he and his gang did not beat up Allan Taub and Waldo Frank, no siree. Evans says Taub and Frank were "fighting with each other to give the appearance of being attacked" just to make trouble for the kind-hearted Kentucky fascists.

Mulrooney's men have always contended that workers in demonstrations "throw themselves against the pavement" so hard as to sustain fractured skulls, just to give an excuse to charge the kind-hearted cops with beating them up.

Of course, Communists are supposed to be funny people, and might do some such thing, but, gee whiz, the disease seems to be spreading to lawyers and well known novelists! Anyhow, the novelists and dramatists that are on that committee will have some right smart material for their next novel or play.

Try This One on Stimson: Perhaps, Mr. Stimson, you could pull yourself away from the trans-Atlantic telephone long enough to explain how come that for the last many months you have been making funny noises which you claimed were "peace efforts" concerning China, all of them politely based on the general idea that you were supporting the efforts of the League of Nations; and now you come out with the broad inference that you don't agree with the French proposal for a League of Nations' police force because "France controls the League." So it seems that, as regards imperialist plans in the Far East, you were playing around with Mlle. La Belle France, one of the prize Soviet haters of the world, who 'also protested' at Japan's action in Shanghai—and sent another note along to Tokio saying: "Pay no attention to our protest!" Now, Mr. Stimson, please don't say there aren't any secret treaties. We've got a cracked lip."

It seems to us: That Ex-Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg, who is joy-riding around Southern California in a sixteen-cylinder Cadillac, and although a republican is perfectly at home with that freebooter of the democrats, Wm. Randolph Hearst; it seems to us, as we started out to say, that this imbecile old swindler who is co-author with Briand of the "Kellogg Pact," for which he got a cash prize (what was it? \$40,000?) from the Nobel (dynamite) Peace Foundation, should be compelled to return that money or be indicted for obtaining it under false pretenses.

Uncover Starvation and Misery

Visit the homes of the unemployed workers. List all cases of starvation, undernourishment, inadequate relief. Carry on a sustained and steady struggle for unemployment relief for the starving families from the city government, the large corporations and employers. Have large delegations of unemployed workers present at every meeting of the city council to fight for adequate relief for all cases of starving and undernourished workers' families.

participated in their efforts to break up the Unemployed Council.

Description — about 55 yrs., 5 ft. 8 in., 200 lbs., gray hair, blue eyes.

The revolutionary movement in Denver is getting rid of these rats and disrupters who have infested it for some time, and who have lately resorted to open alliance with the police in their efforts to break up the Unemployed Council, who hold meetings for organized efforts to disrupt the movement, who spread all kinds of unfounded charges against leading members, etc.

A sharp fight has also been started against disruptive elements, factional groupings and personal cliques within the Party and the sympathetic workers organizations in Denver, which have kept them in constant internal turmoil and blocked their growth and mass activities.

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