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- 1. Unemployment and Social Insurance at the expense of the state and employers.
- Against Hoover's wage-cutting policy.
- Emergency relief for the poor farmers without restrictions by the government and banks; exemption of poor farmers from taxes, and no forced collection of rents or debts.

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Smashing Victory

Shakes Butcher

Regime

CHIANG IN RETREAT

Cabinet Resigned As

**Reds** Pressed Gains

Nanking's main army, commanded

in person by the Wall St. Butcher,

Chiang Kai-shek, is in wild retreat

in Hupeh Province, following a amashing victory of the Chinese Red

Armies along the entire 200-mile

front in a battle which has raged

for over a week. The right wing of

the Nanking army has been driven

back on Kienli, on the Yangtse Val-

ley, and is being hotly pressed by

Another Mutiny.

Thirty-First Division mutinied yes-

terday and joined the workers' and

Red Army greatly strengthens the

Three brigades of the Nanking

the victorious Red Army.

joined the Red Army.

NANKING

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City Voting Lists

LEWISTON, Me., Aug. 10 .--Knowing that many of these workers will support the Commu-

nist Party in the coming election,

the local Board of Registration is pushing its plan to strike all

By "paupers" these capitalist

politicians refer to the 1,000 un-

employed workers who are receiv-

ing "aid" from the city from time

Local Communists are making

an energetic fight to defeat this

plan which would deprive many

of the jobless of the right to re-

cord their support of the Com-

More than 300 registered voters

had, signed the petitions to place

MARTIAL LAW IN

SPANISH REVOLT

**Royalist Hands** 

troops sprayed the Public Square

The city of Seville is reported in

monarchist elements and the seizure

of their huge landed estates for dis-

program and candidates.

the Party on the ballot.

to time

fighting of the past week. In the tempting a coup d'etat to re-estab-

early stage of the battle, on Aug. 3, lish the Spanish monarchy. Fierce

two full divisions of the Nanking street fighting occurred in four prin-

troops, numbering about 40,000 men, cipal cities, resulting in at least 7

mutinied, shot their officers and deaths in Madrid when government

Iron Red Wing around the highly the hands of the royalists. Military

Wuhan cities, consisting of Hankow, joined the royalist forces. The naval

Wuchang and Hanyang. The latter garrison at Cartagena is reported to

city is the center of the iron indus- have mutinied against the republi-

try and the site of the great Cen- can government. The Spanish Con-

tral China arsenal. The towns of sul General in Gibraltar is said to

changed hands several times during The monarchists have been allow-

the fierce battle, are again in the ed to perfect their plans for the

hands of the Red Army. Other present attempted coup by the re-

each case, the workers in the towns given objective support to the mon-

lowing an unbroken series of victor- tribution among the impoverished

peasantry.

Yanglo and Kotien, which have be implicated in the movement.

important industrial and strategic leaders in the town of Lalinea have

This tremendous victory for the with machine gun bullets.

'paupers" from the voting list.

Dailu, Norkei 4. Equal rights for the Negroes and self-determin 5. Against capitalist terror; against all forms of Central -Communist Partu 6. Against imperialist war; for the defense of (Section of the Communist International) NEW YORK, THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 1932 **CITY EDITION** 

# Maine Bosses Try to Bar "Paupers" from MASS ANGER RISES AS **VETERAN'S CHILD DIES**

Second Baby Killed by Army Gas Attack; Workers Ex - Servicemen's League Speeds Plans for Cleveland Conference

Sherwood Anderson Leads Group of Writers to Capital to Protest to Hoover; Waters for Forced Labor Camps

Will Be at the World Congress Against War



(Film-Photo League Worker-delegates elected from New York and New Jersey to the World Congress Against War to be held in Paris on the 27th of this Top row, from left to right: S. J. Stember, of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League; Joseph Brodsky, International Labor Defense; Lloyd Westlake, Newark Carpenter's Local, A. F. of L. Bottom Row: A. Johnson, ex-serviceman; James McFarland, Marine Workers Industrial Union; Joseph Roth, metal worker, and member of the Ithaca branch of the Friends of the Soviet Union.

## Pilsudski Forced to Free 50 Intellectuals Aiding World Anti-War Congress

towns have also been occupied. In publican government, which has Municipalities In-European Countries Elect Delegates to Paris Meet August 27th greeted the entry of the Red Army archists by its brutal suppression of with joyous celebrations and a sea the working class movement and its

of Red flags waving from houses in resistance to the demands of the MANY WAR VET ORGANIZATIONS ARE REPRESENTED workers for the liquidation of the

> Farewell for American Delegation to Congress Two Open-Air Meeings In New York on Monday, August 15th

a shattering blow to the Nanking are rallying to the fight against the The Spanish workers and peasants NEW YORK .- A cablegram received by the American Committee for monarchist coup. The Socialist Gen- the World Congress Against War from the International Committee abroad eral Workers Union officials are at- states that Marshall Pilsudski, facist dictator of Poland, has been forced to ing to exploit this anti-mon- release fifty Polish intellectuals who were arrested for their partici

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 10.-While preparations were being speeded throughout the country for the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League's mass veterans conference to be held in Cleveland September 23-24-25. another victim of Hoover's bloody Thursday died in the retary of the Central Committee

Gallinger Hospital. The receipt of this news has aroused mass anger in the ranks of the vets and jobless throughout the country. The victim was a baby, Bernard Myers, 12 weeks old son of John

Mr. Myers told physicians that the child was recovering from an illness, but became worse following the explosion of a gas bomb close to the child when the troops drove the vets

out of Washington. Physicians in the hospital admitted that the gas aggravated the child's illness and caused its death.

Writers Protest

BRIDGEPORT, Ohio, Aug. 10.-WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 10 .--Robert Stark, 24-year old Negro Headed by Sherwood Anderson, faminer of Old Lafferty, Secretary of mous novelist, a committee of writers and intelectuals arrived here to- the Central Relief Committee of the day to protest to President Hoover Workers International Relief for land, Mass., where she is held by against the use of troops against the Eastern Ohio, in an interview for the unemployed world war veterans and Daily Worker, appealed to workers tation their families.

throughout the country to make re Mr. Anderson said the delegation doubled efforts to aid the starviang will demand to know of the presid- miners locked out and blacklisted by ent whether the treatment accorded the coal companies, in an attempt to liam Z. Foster will speak here Frithe veterans in the capital is what force them into an acceptance of a day night in Regall Hall, 125 Frankunemployed will have to expect 25 per cent woge-cut and slave work- lin Ave., and a large crowd of an- force them into the bosses associan the future.

represents the National Committee

for the Defense of Political Prisoners is James Rorty, poet, of Westport, (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE)

Tonight Will Expose

NEW YORK. - Two open air neetings-one in Brooklyn and the Catholic Center Will Support Hitler's Premier-



VOTE COMMUNIST FOR

suppression of the political rights of workers.

the Chinese people and of the Soviet Union.

ation for the Black Belt.

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Refuses to Pay Fine Following Arrest; 800 at Nashua Meet: In Scranton Friday

James W. Ford Speaks in Many Coal and Steel Towns in West Virginia and Ohio

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 10 .- The suppression of the right of free speech for workers in Lawrence was vigorously denounced here last night by William Z. Foster, Communist candidate for president.

More than 800 workers crowded O'Donnell Hall to listen

to the Communist candidate, who has already brought TAILORS! DEFEAT the fighting program of the Party to tens of thousands of exploited workers and farmers hroughout the country. Fred B. Chase, farmer of Hillsboro, N. H., and candidate for U. S. Senator, also spoke, stressing the local issues of the campaign.

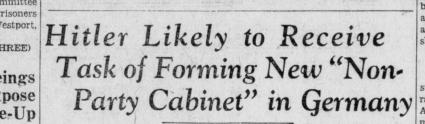
Appeal Case. Foster had been arrested Monday

night when he attempted to speak to 3,000 workers assembled to hear him at the City Hall Plaza in Law rence. Charged with "obstructing a

New England Sanatorium in Rut- File Committee yesterday. the Department of Labor for depor-

In Scranton Friday.

Included in the delegation, which (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE) (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE)



#### "Workers of the Amalgamated highway" and "disturbing the peace," Clothing Workers of America: Sid-Foster was later fined \$20. He reney Hillman is preparing to sell you fused to pay the fine, and the In- out to new wage-cuts under the ternational Labor Defense announced guise of the stoppage which he call that it would appeal the case. ed a few days ago. He is attempt-The meeting adopted a resolution ing to utilize you to build up and demanding the immediate release of strengthen the bosses associations,' Edith Berkman from the Central declared the Amalgamated Rank and

workers have not been called out by Mr. Hillman. SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 10 .- Wil-

rect their activities against the shops of the independent jobbers and thus "Workers are not interested in

building bosses' associations. They are interested in fighting wage-cuts and forcing union conditions in the hops

**HILLMAN PLAN TO** 

Stop Off Shops Where

Hillman Put Over

Wage-Cut

"Already the Hillman clique has

put over wage cuts in the shops of

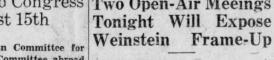
the contractors association. These

"Hillman wants the workers to di-

SELL YOU OUT!

## "How can this be done?

For a Real Strike "This can be done by turning the toppage into a real strike under rank and file leadership." The Amalgamated Rank and File Committee is showing the tailors the way. The Rank and File Committee calls on the tailors not only to stop the rucks of the independent to stop the trucks which are carrying goods from the association shops where the workers are working at wage-cut. "Direct your activities toward the Association shops. Picket these shops. Fetch these workers out ex-strike against the wage-cut. Rally all the tailors into a real struggle to turn the Hillman racket stoppage into a real strike for better conditions in



other in the Bronx, are being an

Henry Myers, war vet from Ephrata, EAST OHIO MINE **CHILDREN STARVE** Negro Secretary of Miners' Relief In Call for Help

**Robert Stark** 

This 24-year-old miner is sec-

of the WIR in Eastern Ohio.

by a tremendous anti-Japanese, antisupport of the anti-working class re- will convene in Paris on August 27.6 Nanking upsurge of the workers in the big cities under the blight of Manking and imperialist control.

Blow to Nanking.

The latest Red Army victory, fol-

ies in Hupeh and other provinces, is

cabinet has resigned. The resigna-

tions are a direct result of the Red

The entire Nanking

the working-class districts.

government.

The Nanking officials are indulging in the most desperate demagogic maneuvers. They have split into various factions, each faction trying to convince the Chinese masses that the other faction is solely responsible for the shameless betraval of China to the imperialists and the failure Amter Points Out Next of the Nanking government to offer the slightest resistance to the Japanese aggressions in Manchuria and Shanghai and the new Japanese threat to seize Jehol Province

and North China. Bandits Show Fear. Bourgeois press dispatches from Shanghai, South China, express the greatest alarm over the Red Army victories, declaring that the Nanking government is threatened with

the anti-Communist campaign." The Red Army victory is causing the greatest concern among the Japanese militarists who see in the that is, to organize in such manner growth of the Chinese Communist Power the death-knell to their rob- the city administration. ber ambitions in Manchuria, Jehol and North China.

Newark Workers Will Hear Moore, "Mother" Mooney Tonight at 8 posal that there shall be a grad-

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 10 .- 'Mother' ceiving above \$15,000 getting a cut Mooney and Richard B. Moore, now of 20 per cent, graduated downwards. on a nation-wide tour on behalf of Tom Mooney, the Scottsboro boys against that even a reduction of 20 and all class-war prisoners, will speak per cent of the salary of the Mayor here Thursday evening at Kreugers of New York means no real cut in Auditorium.

clude: Camp Nitgedaiget, Nitgedaiget, Beacon, N. Y., Aug. 12 and 13: Camp Kinderland, Aug. 14; Woodside, L. I., Labor Temple, 4132-58th St, on Aug. 16th.

#### WIN PLAYGROUND DEMAND.

A nieve initiated by Reuben Shulman, Communist candidate for asunemployment relief. "The Communist Party calls upon sembly for the Sixth Assembly District, to have 13th St. between Ave. A the city employees to put forward the and B closed to traffic in the evening above demands to resist all wage as a playground for the youth of the cuts, and to participate in the genneighborhood resulted in that street eral fight against the wage cutting being closed one evening a week. The campaign that is taking on ever East 13th St. Block Committee had larger dimensions, as witnessed only supported the demand and issued yesterday in the proposal to put thru leaflets. Now a move is on to have a second general wage cut in the this block closed every evening. railroads.

publican regime. URGES FIGHT ON CITY PAY CUTS

Steps in Struggle

NEW YORK .- Commenting on the action of the city firemen and teachers in refusing to accept the wage cut demanded by Mayor Walker, I.

Amter, candidate for governor on the Communist ticket in a statement issued last night declared: "The firemen and teachers have

taken the initiative in refusing to ac-"utter collapse," "with paralysis of cept the wage cut demanded by Walker. The Communist Party gave them the lead in this action and told them to go still further and as to be able to resist the action of "Recognizing the revolt among the

city employees against Walker's proposal, Nicholas Murray Butler sup-

ported by the Citizens Union, who know what it means when discontent omes manifest in the state machinery, came forward with the prouated cutting of the wages, those re-

"The Communist Party declares view of the starvation conditions un-

Other meetings in this section in- der which workers of this city and country are living today. It proposes: "1. That all salaries shall be reduced to a maximum of \$3,500 dollars per year.

"2. That there shall be no further wage reductions.

"3. That the savings thereby effected shall be used for immediate

City

The message pointed out that one cils of Wazier, Villers Campeau, Weinstein, now in the Bronx county of the most remarkable features of Vaux en Velin, Mallemort, Mont jail, on a framed-up manslaughter the movement of the World Con- Plaisir, Higennes, Chambly of charge. The worker was one of the gress Against War is the fact that France. Socialist organizations in leaders of the Muskin Furniture entire municipalities in Central Eu- Chambly also elected large delega- strike in Brooklyn. rope and France decided to send and tions. The Brooklyn meeting will be held finance delegations to the Congress. On motion of the Mayor of the at Hopkinson and Pitkin Aves., and Wide Representation.

the one in the Bronx at Intervale These include the Municipal Coun- (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE) and Wilkins Ave., both at 8 p. m.

# **Our Daily Worker** Is in Danger?

#### By EARL BROWDER

The economic crisis that is shaking the capitalist world to its very foundation, is main Minister of Defense. throwing millions of workers into the maw of starvation, unemployment and the develop- Catholics Prepared to Accept Hitler Daily Worker in the same issue. We ing imperialist war.

Ever larger numbers of workers are losing their faith in a system that subjects them to such a miserable existence. But capitalism will not abdicate. It fights ruthlessly writes: "The Center maintains the may be well that the fascist moveand with every means at its disposal-with the capitalist state apparatus, with the army and police, with the courts and with the capitalist press. It persecutes workingclass leaders and shoots down the workers demanding bread, it lynches and intimidates Negro workers, it deports the militant foreign-born, it prepares for imperialist war, for a war of intervention against the Soviet Union, it suppresses the revolutionary press, it attempts to crush all signs of opposition under the iron heel of the capitalist dictatorship.

Under these conditions, the greater must be our efforts to guarantee the existence of the Daily Worker. The "Daily" is the chief organizer of the workingclass. It is the chief weapon of the Party in the election campaign. It is the spokesman, the organizer, the leader of the workingclass. Against the voice of capitalist interests, it raises the voice of proletarian interests, against the lies and forgeries of the capitalist press about the Soviet Union, it shows the facts of the glorious building of socialism, against the demagogy of the Socialist Party, it calls for revolutionary struggle for the workers immediate needs and against the system of capitalism.

It is therefore the revolutionary duty of every class-conscious worker to whole-heartedly support the \$40,000 financial drive of the Daily Worker. Every Party member, every reader of the "Daily," every member of a revolutionary trade union and of the mass organizations must rally about him a group who will unite their forces in support of the "Daily." Our "Daily" is in danger of suspension. The workingclass must remove this danger.

Name .....

I contribute \$..... to the \$40,000 Save the "Daily" Drive.

#### ship; Wants Fascists to Accept Responsibility ranged by the International Labor Defense tonight on behalf of Samue SOCIALISTS RAISE NO OBJECTION TO "NON-PARTY CABINET'

Vorwarts, Socialist Organ, Places Final Hope On the Reich President's Decision on Matter

#### (Cable by Inprecorr)

BERLIN, Aug. 10 .- Hindenburg returned to Berlin today and imme- the clothing trade." diately conferred with Von Papen on the re-organization of the Cabinet. Further conferences are reported between Von Papen and Hitler, and between the Centre Party and Von Papen.

Indications are that Hindenburg may entrust Hitler with the forma tion of a new "non party cabinet of @ personalities." The fascists demand that former Chancellor Bruening, that Hitler be choosen as Chancel- head of the Catholic Center Party,

lor. Strasser as Minister of the In- was reported to be in favor of such terior, Goering as Minister of Trans- a re-organization of the cabinet, insisting that Hitler be given respon port.

Von Papen would become Foreign sibility. Minister, Von Gayl would be ap-That the socialists would take the pointed Reichscommisar for East same stand as Bruening, whom they Prussia and Schleicher would resupported as the "lesser evil" com-

pared to Hitler, was stated by the The Catholics are undoubtedly

pointed out that to justify this stand prepared to accept Hitler as Pre-Morris Hillouit, leader of American mier. The Nationalist Nachtausgabe Socialist Party, had declared: "It standpoint that foscists must fin- ment should gain full power as soon ally take over the Government res- as possible" because it "will probably ponsability and is prepared to toler- prove the starting point of its reate a Hitler Cabinet." cession." The socialists prove them-

The democratic Berliner Tageblatt selves social-fascists by their deeds. writes: "Our information indicates that the Centre is prepared to ac-

Schleisher's organ The Deutsche All- Speak Today, Saturday remeine Zeitung writes "Hitler's candidature to the premiership must be at 5 Central Meetings not cut wages, etc. reckoned with seriously."

NEW YORK. - Five central dem-Socialists Paved Way For Hitler The socialists continue the old polcy which paved Hitler's path to cower. The Vorwaerts offers no obection to a "non party cabinet." de- have been arranged for Friday and member of the union sell his union claring that the same must really be Saturday. They will be held in the book to a non-union worker for \$40 non perty"! It criticizes Hitler's Upper Bronx, Brownsville, Lower The Fuchs crowd is willing to sacrinualities finding him mentally Lower Bronx and Harlem Saturday. business agent, one of their men. lightweight as Premier but reposes the final hope in Hindenburg.

According to a later report not of. icially confirmed as yet Hindenburg election, will be rallying points from Bronx demonstration will be held at has already entrusted Hitler with the throughout each section, from which formation of the cabinet as above indicated. . . .

Social-Fascist Deeds

The Daily Worker pointed out in its issue of August 9 that according speaker at the Brownsville demon- York will be the main speaker at to widely circulated reports' Hitler stration, at Hopkins and Pitkin Aves. the Lower Bronx Rally, Avenue St. would be given the Premiership in the new German Cabinet. The Daily Worker indicated also speak at Seventh Street and Avenue 125th Street and Fifth Avenue

CUT NECKWEAR WORKERS' PAY

Gang Leader, Manager Railroads It Thru

NEW YORK. - Louis Fuchs, the ang chief and former manager for a boss, and now manager of the Neckwear Workers' Local, by threats and argument has forced through a meeting of the New York local a wage cut of 40 per cent for the "slip stitchers" (hand workers) and a reduction from 26 cents a dozen to 18 cents in another part of the trade Fuchs put up a real bosses' argunent in the last local meeting, wailing for the "poor employers", demanding that union scales go down to compete with non-union scales, cept Hitler's leadership." Papen and Leading NomineesWill threatening the workers that the businesses would be ruined and they would all lose their jobs if they did

In the Neckwear Workers local a business agent, named Rubenstein onstrations of the workers of New has been caught in some graft, tak-York, at which leading candidates ing money from bosses, and agreeing on the Communist ticket will speak, to having a boss who was a former Manhattan on Friday and in the fice Rubenstein and put in another

These mass meetings, the first of a series to continue throughout the B. Lower Manhattan. The Upper

neighborhood meetings to be held 174th Street and Vyse Avenue. Saturday night, George E. Powers the workers will march to attend the will be the main speaker at the Harmain demonstration at eight o'clock. lem demonstration, 137th Street. The Israel Amter, candidate for gover- same night Henry Shepard, candidate nor of New York, will be the main for Lieutenant-Governor of New George E. Powers, candidate for Chief John and Fox Street, and George E. Judge of the Court of Appeals, will Powers at the Harlem demonstration.



All organizations are urged in a no-tice sent out by the New York State United Front Election Campaign Com-mittee, today, not to arrange any meet-ings or collection of funds which will conflict with the Election Campaign tag days for New York City, set for August 13 and 14.



#### Page Three

## Fake Relief Plan Robs Nurses of \$1 Each Wk.

Action Forced by Growing Unemployment Is **Only Another Wage Cut Plot** 

### (By a Worker Correspondent)

NEW YORK .- There are in the United States 300,000 graduate nurses, and many more hundreds of thousands of undergraduates, practical nurses midwives and students. The students work in hospitals without any pay According to the statistics of the American Nurses Association, we have a present, considering only the graduate nurses, four times more than the hospitals could employ even at the @

This overproduction, as they call

it, increases yearly by 5,000 fullfledged new graduates who can find no work at all, which is admitted by the A. N. A. officials. These young graduates are girls in their teens or in their early twenties, and work very hard for two and a half years just for their diploma. They take Negro Secretary of the the places of two or three salaried

nurses while studying. Their hopes were to get through with their training and become in dependent economically! But what do they find? First, they must pay

\$10 in order to take the State Board examinations. Secondly, they have to pay \$12 alumni dues and \$21 regis-

tration in order to get night duty for hand in hand with the coal operators, the first three years. means waiting on call for days and state childrens' kitchens throughout weeks with three or four days work the mining area, affectig on their a month.

accept positions at any small pay and thorities are trying to force out the in many instances even just for Workers International Relief, the one maintenance, by taking post-graduate organization that stands between the courses?

Knowing that there is general discontent among the masses, the offi- Robbin have been ordered to move cials of the A. N. A. recently became somewhat disturbed, and put up another fake relief plan, which resulted in a dollar a day wage cut.

District 14 of the American Nurses Association called a special meeting of private duty nurses only, but forgot to call the private duty nurses. Half of those present were superintendents, supervisors and other offi- thin soup at night; but its cutting cials of hospitals, whose salaries were off means utter starvation for thousnot reduced, but most likely increased ands of children, already weak and as a reward for their "efficient" work. ailing from months of hunger, unless At the meeting, the nurses were told the W.I.R. steps into the breach, and by the officials that instead of pro- sends much more relief into the field testing and resenting this dollar a than is now coming in. day wage cut, they should make a motion "that we nurses graciously said, that the chief method of getting offer to reduce our fee by \$1 a day bread for themselves and their chil-

in order to provide more work for dren must be the method of forcing nurses.' The nurses were told at that meeting that they were not to take any

notes-these wage cuts must be kept out of the press Nurses, join the Medical Workers' organized and until it gets strength League!

Build Hospital Grievance Committees!

Demand the Recognition of Hosnow." pital Rank and File Committees, bread today." made up of skilled and unskilled employee Demand the dollar a day wage cut

back! Oppose all wage cuts! Fight for the Unemployment Insufance Bill! A NURSE.



height of prosperity and during KITCHENS CLOSE; EAST OHIO MINE **KIDS STARVING** 

> Miners Relief in Call for Help

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) ing conditions

Stark denounced the brutal action of the State authorities, working And this in closing down, last week, all the own reckoning, some 10,000 children. FOSTER SCORES

Is it any wonder that these girls At the same time, government auminers and starvation today. For instance, the miners of Glen

> Speaks to 800 Workers out of their W. I. R. kitchen, built by the men themselves, by the local School Bcard which owns the ground.

> The mine superintendent is a mem-(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) ber of the School Board.

Semi-Starvation to Starvation. thracite miners are expected to hear The State aid was not much, a him. The meeting will follow a little thin cereal at morning, without brief radio broadcast from one of sugar, mostly without milk; a little

the local stations. \*

LAWRENCE BAN

In Nashua, N. H.

Jailed for Ford Posters. BRIDGEPORT, Ohio, Aug. 10.-Sheriff Carpenter yesterday arrested two miners for putting up posters advertising the meeting of James W.

Ford. Communist candidate for "The miners fully realize, Stark Vice-President, to be held tomorrow in Powhattan, at the largest mine in the Eastern Ohio field.

Roman Mitzkeirtch and John Jothrough relief from state, county and osorovitch put up the posters, calltownship by organized mass struggle, ing atention to the election campaign speech by the Communist greatest struggles in its history. such as was carried through in the recent Jefferson County Hunger candidate for Vice-President of the March. But while the fight is being United States.

The sheriff came along and orenough behind it to force through relief, the miners must have imme-When they refused, he jailed ards. diate help. "Our children are hungry them and tore the posters down said Stark, "We must have himself. Miners put them up again

before morning. If Children Eat, Adults Don't. "Things are getting worse every In Coal and Steel Towns.

day," said Stark. "People are going WHEELING, W. Va., Aug. 10 .out and getting some kind of new weeds every day, and cooking them for greens, Take Old Lafferty, where Communist ticket, will speak here I live. No bread with the soup in

this Friday evening. On Saturday the soup kitchen, no meat, no grease to season the soup with — If the afternoon he speaks at Coverevening he will address a meeting of steel workers at McKees Rocks at heighborhoods. Trade Unions and Anciens Combattant, a railroadmen's heighborhoods. Trade Unions and Anciens Combattant, a railroadmen's heighborhoods. grownups eat at all, it's once every 24 hours. Often the children are so hungry their dad has to go without a



Workers Reading Their Fighting Paper

Unemployed Workers in Union Square, New York, Reading the Daily Worker's Call to Demonstrate Against Imperialist War on August First.

# Party Leaders to Speak at Daily Worker Meets there is more employment in these molls. Recently a 15 percent cut was put through in these mills,

### Mass Meetings to Mobilize Workers for Fight has most of its organization. to Save "Daily"

City Committees to Be Set Up to Organize Mass organization in only one of these being Collections

Mass meetings of Daily Worker readers, unit bureaus, secretaries of mass organizations and Party functionaries will be held soon in cities all members, with a larger number havover the country to mobilize the working class in support of the \$40,000 "Save the Daily" Fund, the Central Committee of the Communist Party announced today.

Nationally-known working class Pilsudski Forced to leaders wil speak at the meetings, bringing home to the workers the desperate financial crisis in which the "Daily" finds itself and explaining the necessity of building and organizing the paper at a time when

the working class is faced with the The following immediate tasks will be proposed by the speakers: (1) The setting up of large city commit-

dered them to take down the plac- tees, the tasks of which shall be as follows: (a) to guide the \$40,000 Save the Daily Campaign Committee; (b) to mobilize Party units, mass organizations and general readers. They will further propose that shop nuclei take up collections from workers in their shops, street units and take James W. Ford, Negro worker and up collections on a neighborhood candidate for vice-president on the scale, mass organizations, make collections among their membership and also mobilize their membership to visit organizations led by reactionaries for collections. Collections will Association National des Cheminous Anciens Combattant, a railroadmen's

of steel workers at McKees Rocks at the Lithuanian Hall, 24 Locust St., sented on the city committees, it was



Many Groups Already Formed In Ohio-Pennsylvania Mill Centers; 500 New Members Recently Secured Among Wage Cut Tin Workers

International

Notes

FASCIST TERRORISM IN GER-

MANY CONTINUES

(Cable By Imprecorr)

## **PREPARE FIGHT** AGAINST HUGE **METAL TRUSTS**

2.000 Attend Meetings In Warren; Starving Masses to Struggle

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 9.-The tal Workers Industrial League, to be 15, is being prepared through day to day work in the mill towns. The convention will organize the Steel and Metal Workers Industrial Union.

The best work of organization in the steel industry is being accompished in Warren and Niles, Ohio, where the Republic Steel Co. holds

way. These towns are in the Mahoning Valley, one of the most important of all steel producing sections.

These mills are the tin mills, which are more closely connected with ar- and two shotguns were found, which therefore there is more employment effort. ut was put through in these mills, fascists in Cologne yesterday reportgamated Association (A. F. of L.)

Tin Mill Workers Join.

Until recently the M. W. I. L. had taken place and in the Warren and many on the government's shoulders. Niles mills the union has over 500

ing applied for membership. **Free Fifty Supporters** of Anti-War Congress tion of the new Steel and Metal

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) are attended by over 2000 steel work-

of that city endorsed the Congress. to these meetings. They are being Mayors from Czechoslovakia have more and more discredited. The nnounced the intention of their workers, through their joining the

Many war-veteran organizations to fight wage cuts, etc. will be represented at the Congress, among them the Federation National largest French war-veteran organi-

The AssociationRepublicain des Anciens Combattants; The Federation organization for struggle inside the Cuvriers et Paysant, a Socialist warveterans' association; the Likue des Anciens Combattant Pacifistes; The Association National des Cheminots

gates to the Congress.

ders continued yesterday. During the last few days four Reichsbannermen were slain. Yesterday the fascists attacked the office of the socialist newspaper "Pro-First National Convention of the Me- letarier" near Bresslau. A fascist bearing a bomb was killed owing to held in Pittsburgh August 13, 14 and its precipitate explosion. The fascist papers are trying to twist the inci-

dent into a murder-attack on the fascists. . . SEARCH WORKERS' QUARTERS IN HAMBURG

(Cable By Imprecorr) BERLIN, Aug. 10 .- One thousan

five hundred uniformed policemen assisted by scores of detectives in plain clothes searched the whole workers quarter of Hamburg. It is reported that two pistols, three rifles

ticles of immediate consumption, and make a poor bag for such an immense Policemen who searched houses of

It is in the tin mills that the Amal- ed that over one thousand revolvers, many rifles, much ammunition and

organized But recently a change has

The native born workers form the bulk of the new members. The leaders of this movement were wellknown Amalgamated member. Mass ers was held on the graves of the neetings are being held regularly, the oming convention and the forma-

Workers Industrial Union being stressed. Some of the Warren meetings

ity of Strassbourg, the city council ers. The Amalgamated leaders come

espective communities to send dele- M.W.I.L., through their attending the mass meetings are showing they want

These workers' sentiment is for can be changed for one of immediate mill, based on local grievances.

#### Work Rapidly.

While being careful not to take immediate action, it is necessary to have a strike perspective here and to Anciens Combattants Socialistes of work very rapidly. Otherwise the Musteites, to whom the bosses have

BERLIN, Aug. 10 .- The fascist terrorism through bombings and mur-Death a Direct Result of Gas Attack by Army in Wash. (CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

Conn., who won the distinguished service cross in the Argonne for exe ceptional bravery. In commenting on Hoover's action in driving out the veterans, Rorty said:

DEATH OF VETS'

**CHILD AROUSES** 

MASS ANGER

"These men staged a spectable of misery and pathetic hope on the very doorstep o fthe government: a spectacle of helpless trust in an administration which, after nearly three years of cumulative miser and starvation revealed itself to be bankrupt. . ."

Others included in the delegation Waldo Frank, novelist: John are: Brooks Wheelwright, Professor Henry Wadsworth Longfellow Dana;

William Jones, editor; Quincy How Editor, and Elliot E. Cohen

Waters Forced Labor Camps hand grenades were found.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10. - While Searchers of the anti-fascist quarremnants of the bonus army were ters in Berlin produced practically no being driven, persecuted and tersorresults. The bourgeois papers are be- ized by police in all sections of the ginning to place the responsibility for country and not even allowed to the terror rampant throughout Ger- sleep in city parks, Walted W. Waters, self-styled commander of the BEF arrived here to carry of the DEMONSTRATION AT GRAVES work of organizing his forced labor OF MURDERED HUNGARIANS camps and liquidating the bonus (Cable By Imprecorr) fight

VIENNA, Aug. 10 .- A surprise dem-Wearing expensive highly polished onstration of many hundreds of workriding boots and carrying as much baggage as a far eastern potentate, murdered Communists Zallay and the curley headed aspiring young fas-Fuerst, in Budapest. cist ensconced himself in the Times

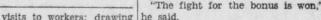
The police rushed to the cemetery Sduare Hotel. in autos and with reckless brutality Apeing generals, past and present broke up the demonstration. Many "General" Waters spent his first were injured and over seventy worknight in the big city participating ers were arrested. in a voluptuous orgy staged for his

benefit at the Hollywood Restaurant FOR REPEAL OF SECTION 98 at 48th St. and Broadway.

OF CANADIAN CODE A radio announcer of the NTG MONTREAL .- A delegation elected Station was the master of ceremonby the conference for the repeal of ies and Waters, playing well the role Section 98 of the Criminal Code and of a general, was the guest or honor.

against deportations in Cartier Di- He was given a ringside seat, was immediate strike, carrying with it vision, Montreal, exacted a promise introduced to all the girls in the show des Combattants Republicain, the greater danger that the movement from S. W. Jacobs, federal represen- and was the centre of attraction, will disintegrate if no strike can be tative in that division, to speak per- sitting among a group of gin-filled zation with a membership of 100,000; organized and unless the orientation sonally for the repeal at the next ses- pansies until three a. m. sion of Parliament. Although Waters declared that he

Owing to the mass pressure that will tour the country telling the peohas ben brought to bear from a large ple what happened in Washington, section of the working class, Mr. Ja- he made clear today his role as a cobs was forced to promise that he liquidator of the fight of the vets will raise the demands outlined in a against starvation. When asked if petition now being circulated at the he would support another march to coming session of the Parliament. Washington, Waters said, "No."



at 7:30. Ford's tour extends into the steel announced, and general readers of the "Daily" are to be drawn into the center of Western Pennsylvania. smaller war veteran organizations of given leeway, will take hold of the "Many places there is no soup-Meanwhile veterans in all cities center of Western Pennsylvania. the "Dally are to be date All money neighborhood collections. All money kitchen, no relief of any kind since to the union; assign forces for the are preparing for the mass veterans This is one of the big tasks of the struggle! increase activity inside conference to be held under the austhe State cut off relief last week. Sunday, Aug. 14, he will speak in gress. collected for the \$40,000 Save the Amalgamated locals; expose A. A. of- pics of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's Then there's the Red Cross flour "Daily" drive is to be turned into Bund der Kreigsopfer elected dele-In Germany, the International Convention of the M.W.I.L. the American Bridge Company conmeant to be sent in by the governficialdom and the Musteites. NOW! SUBSCRIBEI League in Cleveland. trolled city of Ambridge, where he Plans which have been worked out ment to feed all the hungry people. the City Committees, which will in gates to the Congress. will address a picnic. On Monday with the workers in the mills themturn send it to the Daily Worker. But mighty little of it gets to the Ford speaks at Clairton: Tuesday at A farewell meeting for the Amer- selves include organization of united SUBSCRIBE! strikers-many places the families A list of Daily Worker meetings ican delegation to the World Con- front grievance committees in the Cannonsburg; Wednesday, Aug. 17, and the national speakers assigned got only three sacks or less since Ford will wind up his tour by leadgress will be held Monday, August various departments; developing to speak at them, follows: W. W. April 1, many places none. In my own ing a hunger march of Favette camp, my family-five in it-got one County in Uniontown at 1 p.m., and 15th, 8 p. m., at the New School for work among the unemployed; to in-Weinstone, New York, August 17, and sack since the strike started five a mass meeting the same evening in Social Research, 66 W. 12th St., N. Y. tensify recruiting in the union; house Philadelphia, August 12; Jack Stamonths ago. And another family of Brownsville at Cramer's Hall, at 6 Cleveland, August 12; Clarenec Hath-Read the Daily Worker! mine here got one sack in that time. p.m. away, Milwaukee, August 11, Chicago Cut Off Light. Bring the DAILY to the Shops, Factories, Mills **BOOK SERVICE!** August 12 and Detroit, August 13; I. "In many camps where the coal and Farms, to Jobless Workers and Bonus Marchers! companies have control over the after daylight goes. It is getting Amter, Newark, August 10; A. Marklights, they cut off the strikers lights. harder every day. We are doing off, Buffalo, August 11 and Roches-TND OUT WHAT IS HAPPENING TO THE WORKING CLASS 1.66 But most places, the people have just everything possible to carry on the ter, August 12; M. Olgin, Washing-OF THE UNITED STATES AND ALL OVER THE WORLD lamps-and now there's no kerosene struggle for relief ourselves, for the ton, August 11, Baltimore, August 12 (There can be no revolutionary movement to put in them. In my own home we time being the workers must help and Boston, August 15; Harry Wicks, News of the Class Struggle Every Day! without a revolutionary theory.-Lenin.) have to sit in the dark that way, us in our fight." Bridgeport, August 14. P The Management Committee of the DAILY WORKER an-PROTEST HOOVER'S ACTION HUNGRY WORKER HELPS DAILY Director Tells of U.S.S.R. Film nounces the organization of a Book Service which will make GET TOWARD SOVIET AMERICA AGAINST VETS the literature of the class struggle available to workers in 5 PORTAGE, Pa., Aug. 10 .- Four "It is needless to say," writes in a every part of the country. R YOUR New York worker, "that the 'Daily' Portraying Negroes in U.S.A. undred workers in a mass demon-WEZ. C Books and pamphlets on the labor movement, Marxiststration vigorously condemned the Leninist revolutionary theory and practice, as well as workingaction of the Hoover government in PREMIUM in the hands of the American work-E class history and fiction, can now be obtained by mail directly sending troops to drive the vetering class. It would be impossible for from the DAILY WORKER. NEW YORK .- The story of the "The principal section of the film the workers to wage their struggle first steps in the making in Moscow shows the class struggle in America," ans out of Washington. A copy of E COMRADE THIS SERVICE is offered in co-operation with INTERNAagainst hunger and starvation, of the sound film, "Black and says Junghans. "But there is a prothe resolution demanding unemploy-M TIONAL PUBLISHERS. Any book or pamphlet issued by Inagainst a capitalist war and for a White", for whose production 26 logue which gives a glimpse of the ment insurance and payment of the CRIBE. ternational Publishers can be obtained now by writing direct to bonus was sent to President Hoover. workers' and farmers' government, Americans went to the Soviet Union old slave trade: the Arab traders in the DAILY WORKER, 50 EAST 13TH ST., NEW YORK CITY C without the aid of the Daily Worker. in June, is told in a letter received Africa, the shipment of slaves to Special Drive Offer-Wm. Z. "For this reason, in spite of the here from Charles Ashleigh, British America-in which the missionaries All Orders Must Be Accompanied by Cash! Foster's "Toward Soviet America" fact that I am not very far from Communist writer, who is now in appear, blindly to concur-and the with yearly subscription. starvation myself, I enclose \$1 for the Soviet Union. Ashleigh's letter auction scenes in New Orleans. If you live in a small community, where ordinary book U our fighting paper. follows in part: dealers cannot supply the reading needs of class-conscious work-**Q** Story of Slave in U. S. Workers, match the self-sacrifice of "Carl Junghans, German film "Then there is a swift impression ers, this is the service you've been waiting for. TAKE ADVANproducer, told me about the film, of the Civil War-which changed 3 this writer. Prevent your newspaper A TAGE OF IT TODAY! Avanta Farm from suspending in the midst of the 'Black and White', which he is go- the Negro's status from that of M tremendous struggles now being ing to produce in Moscow under the chattel slave to that of wage-slave-ULSTER PARK, NEW YORK waged by the workingclass and its auspices of the Meschrabpom Film and then we unfold the principal WORKERS RECREATION PLACE 8 vanguard, the Communist Party, Company. story, which concerns the class RATES: \$12.00 and \$10.00 Made German Film, against the hunger regime of Hoover struggle in the United States today. "Not so long ago, Junhans made a There is a lynching, which is shown THE WESTERN WORKER against the danger of another World Located one-half mile from station resh milk. improved bathing, 709 spring chickens and all kinds of vegetables growing for guests. War ,and for a workers' and farm- picture called 'Strange Birds of Af- to be an attempt to alienate Negro **UNTIL NOVEMBER FIRST!** ers' government. rica,' which was far stranger to the and white workers. directors of the German company DIRECTIONS:--West Shore train. For week-ends \$3.75 round trip. By motor: Albany 0W Route. By bus: Capitod Greyhound Bus Terminal. By steamboat to Kingston to Ulster Park 22c by train. "The film, is of course, to be a A fighter to organize and lead our struggles in the West FREE With One-Year Subs RENT STRIKE ACTIVE IN which commissioned it than its name sound film. But sound will be used PANAMA **RAISE FUNDS** BUILD IT! SUBSCRIBE NOW! would imply. "TOWARD SOVIET AMERICA." by William. Z. Foster. Cloth Bound. Usual not merely for dialogue, but also as "For Junghans had put into the a species of commentary, often in Balboa, Aug. 9.-An American land. lord was booed by rent strikers when film satire and acid protest against a satirical sense, thus revealing the "THE SOVIET WORKER," by Joseph Freeman. Cloth Bound. Sale Frice\_\_\_\_\$1.50 "THE LAND WITHOUT UNEMFLOYMENT"--Soviet Flotorial. Board Covers. Usual Sale Price\_\_\_\_\_\$1.50 SCULPTURED HEAD OF LENIN-FRAMED-\_\_\_\_\_\$1.50 he "attempted to enter a tenant the exploitation of the black people hidden motives behind the action of 52 Issues \$2 26 Issues \$1 13 Issues 50c house which he owns in the Canal of Africa by white imperialism. And the individuals as expressed in their Zone, according to a report in the so the film was drastically cut by motions on the screen. For instance, **Bungalows** and Rooms to FREE With Six-Month Subs his employers, and a sugary love- in the prologue, when the mission-Evening Panama American. ..... Street ..... "LABOR FACT BOOK"-MEMORIES OF LENIN-"SOVIET PLANNED ECONOMY" or SCULPTURED HEAD OF LENIN-Two Americans were also booed story grafted on to it. ary-who has just witnessed a scene **Rent for Summer Season** and "attacked," according to the "So then Junghans came to the in which shackled slaves are driven OTHER PREMIUMS WITH ALL SHORT-TERM SUBS! same newspaper by striking news- Soviet Union. Here for the Meschrab- with whips into the hold of a slave-City ...... State ...... Several very nice rooms and bungalows for rent for the summer season. Beauti-ful farm in Eastern Pennsylvania, 50 miles from Philadelphia. Running water, electricity, swimming, fishing, etc. Rea-sonable rates. Communicate with Tom Jessor, April Farm, Coopersburg, Pa. boys, who prevented them from buypom he is to make the picture, vessel-reclines under a tree and SUBSCRIPTION RATE: \$6.00 PER YEAR ing copies of the Evening Panama- 'Black and White,' which depicts the reads aloud a text from the bible, Western Worker Campaign Committee SPECIAL OFFER-YEARLY SUB TO THE SATURDAY exploitation of the Negro people in the monkeys in the tree chatter de-American. FEATURE DAILY WORKER-52 ISSUES-FOR \$1.00 1164 MARKET STREET, San Francisco, Calif. A chauffeur's strike will be de-America through the days of slavery risively and a parrot screams hoarsely clared next Monday. to the present. las if with scorn.

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## The Struggle for Irish Independence

THE British press reports that Prime Minister MacDonald, former leader of the Second "Socialist" International, is "resting' 'in Ireland.

It is obvious that Mac Donald's mission in Ireland is chiefly of a political character.

Mac Donald will undoubtedly try to resume the negotiations between the two governments over this burning question of land annuities, which is rendered more pressing by De Valera's refusal to swear allegiance to the British Crown, and his demand that Northern Ireland be united to Southern Ireland under the "Irish Free State."

But the Irish workers and peasants can expect no solution of their problems from the resumption of these negotiations. These negotiations will not further in the least their fight for national and social emancipation from the slavery imposed upon them by British imperialism and its allies, the British bankers and capitalists.

De Valera has thus far refused to pay the land annuities to which England is "entitled" in virtue of a treaty which "was forced upon Ireland at the point of the British bayonets and only after the country had been ravaged by British troops." But the government of De Valera is continuing to collect from the impoverished small farmers these hideous land annuities and intends to use them to ease its financial position and to lighten the burden of taxation on the Irish bourgeoisie whose perspective of industrial development is seriously endangered by the severe economic crisis,

De Vaiera's refusal to swear allegiance to the British Crown is in reality only a gesture intended to mislead the masses of Irish toilers who are lulled into believing that the government of De Valera really fights for the independence of Ireland. The "Irish Press," De valera's own paper stated that the government's refusal to swear allegiance is designed to "remove a cause of strife" which means that De Valera is attempting to dampen the aspirations of the masses of toilers for national and social emancipation.

But the British government will not relinquish her "right" to the land annuities and to Irish allegiance. Ireland occupies a very important strategical position for England. Lloyd George, with what a bourgeois writer characterizes as the "indiscretion of an opposition leader," said quite frankly

"If (during the last war) the coast of Ireland has been in the hands of an independent sovereign state which might have been friendly or might have been hostile, we might have been done in the struggle, and we are not going to take that risk in the future

De Valera cannot be counted upon to fight for an independent and united Ireland under the Irish Free State. That is shown by his advocacy of "some form of association with the British Commonwealth in some circumstances and for some reasons, and the recognition of the King as head of the association."

The Irish masses can achieve a free Ireland and a Workers' and Peasants' Republic only through the leadership of a mass Communist Party allied with the international proletariat and the national revolutionary struggles in the colonies. The Revolutionary Workers Groups which are leading the toilers in the city and country and are fighting against the illusions being spread by the De Valera government must be given support by the workers in the United States.

American imperialism in the interest of its struggle against its British rival is trying to pose as being a friend of Irish independence. But American imperialism which crushes Nicaragua and holds under its iron heel the Latin American peoples, Philippines, Porto Rico, Haiti, etc., is an enemy of the freedom of the colonial oppressed peoples.

The Communist Party organizations in the United States must everywhere support the struggle of the Irish people against British imperialism and its Irish allies. It must expose the pretension of friendship of American imperialism for the Irish liberation struggle. It must organize the Irish workers and petty bourgeois organizations to give full backing to a real revolutionary struggle for Irish emancipation. It must aim to draw the Irish workers in the United States closer to the Communist Party. It must protest the brutal policy of oppression pursued by British impeialism against the Irish masses



# What Hoover's "New" Policy in Nicaragua Means in Action

#### By WILLIAM SIMONS

THE election campaign period re-

sounds with "new" policies for old. Democratic candidate, Roosevelt, comes forward as the champion of the under dog, the "forgotten man." But the "new" policy gag is not confined merely to the election period. The Hoover government more than a year ago proclaimed a "new" policy on the question of the use of American Marines in the colonies.

In April, 1931, the Hoover administration, through Secretary of State Stimson, enunciated this "new" policy toward Central America and particularly toward Nicaragua. "No more marines to Nicaragua and the existing marines in Nicaragua would be withdrawn."

Heralded As Event This "change" of policy was heralded at the time by many Latin American papers as a tremendous event.

protection from the Chilean gov-

ernment for American copper mines

and got it. The demand had be-

force and maintains it by force.

American Marines Under an

agreement signed on Dec. 22, 1927.

by the American Charge d'Affaires

at Managua and the Nicaraguan

Minister of Foreign Affairs, the

National Guard was to total 1,229

officers and men at a cost of

\$689.132 a year. A report by Sec-

retary Stimson to the Senate For-

eign Relations Committee in Feb-

ruary, 1931, admits that "The

Guardia Nacional was increased

by the Nicaraguan government until

in October. 1930, it included a to-

tal personnel numbering 2.459 (an

increase of 100 per cent), officered

by 200 marines, both commissioned

and enlisted men. The annual

cost of the Guardia Nacional grew

to a total of \$1,116,000." American

Marines are not to go into the in-

terior of Nicaragua; this is left

to the national guard; but the kill-

ing of Nicaraguan workers and

"Make U. S. Property Safe."

When is the complete withdrawal

of marines to take place? Accord-

ing to a statement by Stimson to

Secretary of Navy Adams on Jan.

22, 1931, "After the Presidential

elections in November, 1932." and

he advised the special training of

Nicaraguan officers in order to

"turn over the whole Guardia Na-

1933." But this turning over of the

Guardia Nacional takes place if

"that should then be the decision

Translated into simple language,

safe for American "democ-

this means that American prop-

erty, investments and loans be

of this government."

to Nicaragua on Jan. 1,

peasants continues

cional

Hoover and Stimson cry "Change." But there is no change

Armed Forces Enlarged: Slaughter of Peasants and Workers Continue

Anti-Imperialist Struggle Must Be Widened

racy" by the Nicaraguan government itself, that instead of the American marines, the Nicaraguan Guardia Nacional does the dirty work.

Representative W. A. Ayres of Kansas, who attacked Hoover for abandoning the Coolidge policy that "persons and property of a citizen are a part of the general domain of a nation even when abroad" by denying marine protection to Amer-

MARINES OR WITH NICARA-GUAN NATIONAL GUARDSMEN OFFICERED BY OUR MARINE We can go further and say that

even if the National Guard were

drawal of the marines would save the Unite dStates money and furthermore permits it to "keep face." Whether marines will be totally withdrawn on Jan. 1, 1933, or not is not yet certain. They will probably not be withdrawn. The Nicaraguan Guardia Nacional is not sufficiently reliable. American marine officials of the National Guard have been killed; desertions from the Guard are frequent. The deepening crisis, resulting in greater mass struggles, makes it more difficult to keep the lid on in Nicaragua. Scottsboro Enters Swedish

#### Need Systematic Campaign. It is important to demand the withdrawal of American marines to carry on a systematic campaign for this demand, but the mere withdrawal of marines can be accomplished without any benefit to the anti-imperialist struggle in Nica-

officered by Nicaraguan instead of

by American marines, American

domination would still continue,

unless overthrown by a revolution-

## **RED PODOLSK** The Former Singer Sewing Machine Plant Near Moscow

## By MYRA PAGE

Our Correspondent in the Soviet Union.

(Yesterday's installment described the proceedings at a Trade Union Election meeting of the Red Pcdolsk workers. A full report was given to the workers of the accomplishments and shortcomings in production, and today we continue with this Union Election meeting.) . .

### PART VI.

Questions written on countless slips of paper are passed forward to the platform, carefully collected and tyed, for the factory committee to read and answer. A committee member, from the department of technical propaganda and workers' suggestions, challenges, 'Do you know that damages and waste in the factory last year amounted to nearly two million rubles? With this sum, we could build six houses. And since the November holidays, absences from work have increased. Is this the way to fulfill our program? Also our union mass work needs to be strengthened. We have about seven hundred taking part in our club's cultural activities. That means many departments have only a few who join in this work." So criticisms and demands come. hour after hour. The conference continues another evening in order that all who want to take part

can do so. There are resolutions giving the union's program for the coming year, and elections of the factory committee, consisting of forty-nine men and women workers, eight of whom are freed for their term of office from work at the machine. In Bulkov's place is elected a fitter, Peter Sergueff. After a hearty banquet in the new public dining room, all delegates return to the club auditorium to see a play presented by a Moscow troupe, "Armoured Train." On the way home we two Amer-

ary movement of the masses. Withicans agree, that this has been a real experience in working class democracy. Certainly far different from any A. F. of L. union meeting or convention we'd ever taken part in! In them the fakers had always put the lid on discussion, railroaded through their slate, and tried to browbeat or throw out any who dared criticize or bring

forward good programs. One of the slogans that ran along the platform had read, "Our Trade Unions are Training Schools in Communism. Yes, where the masses can learn through their organized daily experience and collec-

SINGER PRODUCTION FAR SURPASSED BY SOVIET

For several hours Varonin discusses with us production problems advances, set-backs, and prospects with that sure grasp, level-headedness and frank self-criticism that one soon learns are common traits of Russian Bolsheviks. Here there is space to give only the outstand. ing landmarks of the long and stillcontinuing uphill struggle of the Podolsk workers to develop their plant and master technique.

As soon as the workers took over the plant, in 1917, they found themselves faced with tremendous difficulties. Singer had followed a clever policy of importing over two thirds of the small parts to the machine, such as needles, shuttles and bobbins, so that only the casting of big parts and general assembling had been done at Podolsk This had kept the plant dependent on American imports, and meant the development of a few Russian skilled workers. Furthermore. Singer had carefully developed a type of sewing machine, and the neccesary machine-producing equipmeet along patterns kept secret by him: and when his man Dixon had beat his hasty retreat from Podolsk at the outbreak of the revolution, he had not forgotten to take the blueprints with him. ITost of the older engineers and Gepartment managers who could have helped were openly hostile to the workers' "Go ahead," they sneared. power. "See what a mess you can make of it.

So the workers had to start almost from scratch-without blueprints, small parts, necessary equipaway at the front, busy driving out skilled workers, and most of these ment or raw material, with few the enemy. In the first years, production slumped almost to zero, machines rusted, grew cobwebs Only part of the plant was used to produce small tools and other necessary implements. Then, the Soviet power consolidated, the workers could return, laying aside their guns and tackling production problems with the same dogged determination that they chased out the Whites.

Here the results: By 1928 the peak of production under Singer-409,585 foot-power sewing machines -had been surpassed, every year fewer parts being imported, more being produced on Soviet soil, until this year the factory is able to declare its complete independence of imports. Meanwhile hours of labor have been reduced from the ten and eleven-hour day under Singer to eight, and then seven, with one



ican citizens in the interior of

Nicaragua, at the same time admit-

OFFICERS."

ted that "IT MAKES NO PAR-TICULAR DIFFERENCE WHETH-ER WE FIGHT THE JUNGLE HOSTILES WITH AMERICAN

#### The Cox Movement and In June, 1932, American Ambassa dor Culbertson in Chile demanded

the Musteites

FATHER COX'S Jobless Party will hold its national convention in St. hind it the threat of Yankee inva-Louis on August 17th. The call for this convention, where it is expected Cox will be put forward as presidential candidate, shows that the movement is aimed at mobilizing and organizing large masses of workers in order to steer them away from a real mass struggle against the capitalist offensive. (in Central America, mind you).

Its draft program is the program of a petty bourgeois reactionary movement, striving to create for itself a mass base among the workers by the use of demagogy. It especially plays on the needs of the masses of starving unemployed workers.

Not only in its program, but in its forms of organization it is trying to pattern the movement after the fascist parties of Mussolini and Hitler. The use of the Blue Shirts by Father Cox for attacking striking workers reveals the reactionary nature of the movement and shows that it is attempting to follow in the footsteps of the bloody European fascists

The menace of the Cox movement is to be seen not only in its ability to mislead many honest workers with its sham radical phraseology, but by its activities among the unemployed. In and about Pittsburgh, where the movement received its start, Cox and his clique are receiving the backing of a section of big capital with the object of crushing the revolutionary trade union movement and suppressing any revolutionary movement which would endanger the war preparations of the master class. The Cox movement must be fought by all revolutionary workers as a menace to the immediate fight against the capitalist offensive and as an auxilliary fascist force to crush working class activities.

The Socialist Party and its ally the Musteites, encouraged the Cox movement from its very inception. In the February issue of Labor Age the Musteite group even endorsed the Cox march on Washington which was designed to wipe out the influence of the hunger march organized by the Unemployed Councils. The Cox march was eulogized by the Musteites as a "sincere and militant" movement. The Socialist Party and the Musteites even invited Father Cox to speak at a meeting in Philadelphia called in support of the LaFollette-Costigan unemployment bill.

Since then the Cox movement has exposed its face more openly, but the socialists and Musteites have not fought against it and the lone criticism of the Cox movement that has just appeared in the Musteite organ, The Labor Age, still praises the Cox movement as being progressive. It can find fault only because of his alliance with Coin Harvey. Muste says in the August "Labor Age": "Father Cox's movement once seemed a promising though confused movement of the unemployed but it has become more and more a movement of Father Cox rather than the unemployed, less and less promising ,more and more confusing. When he allies himself with Coin Harvey, people are bound to conclude that he is not straight forward or else hopelessly unrealistic."

The Musteites try to create the impression that Cox is leading a genuine working class movement which is spoiled by confused aims whereas in reality it is an anti-working class movement operating with demagogic and confusing slogans. Cox and his clique are by no means people attempting to serve the working class but unable to find the correct path. They are direct enemies of the working class movement operating consciously to divert it from the revolutionary path. In this attitude of the Socialist Party and the Muste group, we see once again their social fascist face.

Militant workers everywhere must not be mislead by the demagogy of Cox. They must fight against him and expose his organization. The exposure of the demagogy of Cox must go hand in hand with the intensification of the struggle for immediate relief and unemployment insurance. By building broad mass Unemployxed Councils, the possibility of the Cox demagogy to deceive the workers will be narrowed. The election campaign must be turned into a real mass struggle for the day to day needs of the masses and in that way reduce the possibility of Cox to mislead the workers. But in order to fight successfully against Father Const is imperative to fight against and defeat the Muste group and the Socialist Party, ist Party, warning made

### Swedish Like American Socialists Sabotage Fight for Scottsboro Boys

Strike Struggle

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

NDUSTRIAL centers of various sion. American imperialism stands ready to back up its demands with kinds in Sweden helped spread its huge navy roaming the Pacific the Scottsboro protest in response waters. During the mass uprising to the tour of the Negro Mother in El Salvador in December, 1931 from the United States. Interest in the Scottsboro campaign finds a American cruisers stood by ready to crush the uprising led by the basis among workers in all indus-Communist Party, if it proved suctries. It did not matter in Sweden cessful. American imperialism whether it was the great Asea Elecbuilt up its colonial empire through trical works in Vaesteros; the textile centers of Norrkoping and Bo-Where, then, is the change of roes: the workers of various trades policy? True, the number of maas in the nation's capitol, Stockrines in Nicaragua has been deholm or the seamen and harbor creased, but more than 1,000 still workers of Lervik and Soderhamm remain. But along with this has There was an equal interest everygone a corresponding growth in where. the National Guard, officered by

> It remained for the Social-Demokraten, the chief organ of the Social-Democratic Party ,to find a basis of cleavage, to find a forbidden ground in the working class struggle, where the Scottsboro mother, Mrs. Ada Wright, should not set foot. It discovered this forbidden zone to be Soderhamm, center of strike struggles. But great parts of Northern Sweden are pretty well covered with strike struggles, militantly fought against the emplovers' imported strike breakers, defended by the police power of the state.

### Under Cloak of "No Politics"

Like Vandervelde, Blum and other leading social-democrats, their counterparts in Sweden insist that the Scottsboro campaign must be completely isolated from "politics." Social-Demokraten, of Stockholm. argued that it was doing a disfavor to the Scottsboro mother and her cause to send her to speak in the Soderhamm strike zone. It would be putting the stamp of "politics" upon her non-political cause. But the Scottsboro mother gave her answer by declaring that it was the workers who were carrying on the basic struggle for the release of the Scottsboro boys, and that she had found specially strong support for the Scottsboro cause among striking workers. And she insisted on going to Soderhamm. And in Soderhamm striking workers themselves, thru their own spokesmen, specially greeted the Scottsboro mother and emphatically denounced the traitor role of the "Social-Demokraten." The strike pointed out that they,

### the victims of police clubs and bullets, could well understand the issue involved in the Scottsboro persecution and pledged themselves to help build the struggle until the

Scottsboro boys were freed from the clutches of capitalist class justice that reaches out for its victims among workers of all races and nationalities. They understand clearly that it is not purely a humanitarian issue that grows out of a mistake committed by the capitalist courts that are otherwise "fair and impartial."

After that the "Social-Demokraten" closed its columns to the Scottsboro campaign-the socialdemocrat in charge of Sweden's government - controlled radio refused the Scottsboro mothers the right to broadcast her appeal to the nation.

**Renegades** Ignore Case

The Kilblom right wing renegades (with whom the American Lovestoneites a r e affiliated) who received subsidies for their press from the Ivar Kreuger treasure chests joined the socialdemocrats in seeking to ignore the Scottsboro campaign which received considerable publicity in Sweden, as in Norway, from the press generally, including the syndicalist daily newspaper published

appeal can be measured in many ways. In Norrkoping, for instance, there were greater thousands in the Scottsboro demonstration than in last May Day's demonstration. The police of Norrkoping evidently felt the undercurrent of Scottsboro protest since they began making arrests early of those distributing propaganda for the meeting and a special police stenographer was brought down from Stockholm in order to get a record of everything that was said by the speakers. In fact the Swedish police built their activities more and more after the German model.

Support Red Aid Congress It may be said that the tour of the Scottsboro Negro mother in Sweden actually discovered for the Swedish workers not only the necessity but the tremendous possibility of building a mass Red Aid organization.

ragua, if it is replaced by a native National Guard capable of repressing the revolutionary movement. Demanding the withdrawal of marines without demanding at the same time complete and unconditional independence for Nicaragua, without support of a real anti-imperialist movement in Nicaragua. means to fall in line with the policy of coolie killing Hoover and colonial enslaver Stimson

The struggle of the Army of Liberation should be supported by anti-imperialists everywhere, but ousting of the imperialists from Nicaragua, confiscating their banks. plantations and other enterprises will be carried through by the masses of Nicaraguan workers. peasants, students and intellectu-Is under the leadership of the working class. The development of such an anti-imperialist movement should be aided in every way by revolutionary workers, by all antiimperialists, particularly in the United States.

The Anti-Imperialist League of the United States has carried on some propaganda on behalf of the struggle of Sandino's Army of Liberation, but this campaign a few years ago was only a campaign to send medical supplies to Sandino's Army, and not a mass campaign in support of Sandino's struggle.

Strengthen Anti-Imperialist League. An active campaign should be developed in support of the Army of Liberation, and for the development of a real anti-imperialist movement of workers and peasants. A nation-wide campaign should be carried on in the United States for the withdrawal of American marines from Nicaragua and Haiti as well. The formation of a branch of the Anti-Imperialist League in every important city in the United States will make it possible to carry on an effective campaign. If The District Committees of the Communist Party were alive to their responsibility to help the colonial struggles, a great deal could be done. But, as yet, they are not alive to this. They do almost nothing about colonial questions. It is also necessary to draw in for support to the colonial struggle wider elements of workers ,farmers, students and intellectuals. This should and can be done through the strengthening of the existing branches of the Anti-Imperialist League and through the organization of new branches, beginning with the district headd larter cities,

A view in the new Podelsk (U. S.S. R.) foundry, one of the five best equipped in the world. A shock brigade at work on the new conveyors.

tive discussions and check-up, how to master all problems of production and management, promote general welfare, and to live and work by the maxim, "One for all, and all for one."

. . . ONCE SINGER PRODUCTS, NOW SOVIET-MADE

We have seen how Soviet workers organized production and workers' management in the former Singer works, situated at Podolsk, a small industrial city near Mcscow. What results have they been able to obtain? Has production increased or fallen off? Has quality improved or gone backwards? In other words, is workers' control as technically efficient as capitalist con-

These questions take us back to the Red Director's office. Nicholas Varonin, originally a Leningrad machine driller, now responsible manager of this plant, is ready for us-charts, record books and pages of neat figures laid out around him.

A WORKER DIRECTOR

trol?

Incidentally, Varonin is typical of the new corps of directors and specialists which the working class is developing from its own ranks. Immediately after the revolution when the old engineers and technicians were creating havoc with their sabotage, the workers in his Leningrad pipe factory came together to choose from among themselves men to replace the wreckers. Varonin was one of them "Here," his fellows said. "you're literate and not so bad at figures." So they put him at technical work. How he sweated over made! But What blunders they all made! But somehow things got going.

forces increased from 4,000 to 11,000, wages raised by four times, and a complete system of social insurance covering old age and illness introduced. The plant has been expanded and old buildings reequipped until there is only one structure which remains the same size as it was in Singer's time Reginning in 1930, the Podolsk workers set out to do what Singer had never undertaken-produce industrial sewing machines, to equip clothing factories.

day rest in every five, working

And while the Podolski plant has been expanding, what has been happening in the Singer plants in America? The Daily Worker asks that workers send in letters giving information on these plants, and the workers' conditions. From a former Singer employee now in the Soviet Union, we hear that the Elizabeth, N. J., plant was reducing its production radically for the last three years, laying off workers last summer and fall at the rate of 200 a week, until about 3.000 were left, and these were getting only 2 or 3 days work a week. The unemployed Singer workers and their families were left without any relief whatever. Meanwhile, inside the plant, the speed-up increases, and one wage cut follows another. until in many departments earnings are as low as 30 cents an hour. Men with families to support are bringing home pay envelopes of \$6, \$8 and \$12.

Elizabeth and Podolsk - two worlds. The one, of capitalist rule and ruin; the other, where workers rule and are building a socialist society. Yet the time is not far off when the two worlds will become one-when American workers also will put an end to the rule and ruin regime, and set up their or (TO BE CONTINUED)

in Stockholm The response to the Scottsboro