GOVERNMENT SAYS OPERAS ARE "EDUCATIONAL"

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Metropoli ruled, because operas are "education-Workers' entertainment continues to be taxed, however.

FEAR TRANS-ATLANTIC PLANE

ROME, Sept. 15.—The opinion was expressed in official circles here that the monoplane American Nurse, which attempted a non-stop flight from New York to Rome and is now long overdue, is lost in the Mediter ranean or the Atlantic.

55 FRENCH LEGIONAIRES KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

five members of France's Foreign Legion were killed today when a train jumped the tracks and hurled into a ravine. Most of the train crew members were also killed.

HOOVER ASSOCIATE FOR HUNGER HANDOUTS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.— Walter Gifford, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. and of the Charity Organization Society of New York, and associate of Hoover, announced today that private charity would be expected to provide relief to the 15,000,000 unem ployed workers in the country.

SOVIET UNION NOW SECOND IN AIR MILEAGE

MOSCOW, Sept. 15. - The Soviet Union has now risen to second po-sition among the countries of the world in air-line mileage. Only the United States has a greater total mileage than the Soviet Union. More than 35,000 miles of air lines are now in active operation in the Workers'

COPS START DRIVE

NEW YORK, Sept. 15 .- With federal and city police tools of capital-ism present to back his plan, Charles Sheraton, of the National Identification Association advocated the finger printing of all Communists at the organization's convention yesterday. With the help of police chiefs a campaign for this is being started.

A Department of Justice Agent pre-

dicted that a "unusual finger printing scheme would be adopted within

RED CROSS AS STRIKEBREAKER NEW YORK, Sept. 15.-The use of the Red Cross as a strike breaking organization seen in the Kentucky and Pennsylvania coal strikes last year also exists in the textile areas of the South, according to a South Carolina organizer of the United Tex-tile Workers. Relief is denied workers who fight for their rights. The UTW now in convention in New York followed the line of the bosses' organizations in condemning 'he "activities of the Communists."

2 BOYS DROWN IN RIVER NEW YORK.—Two days, 9 and years old lost their lives in the irlpools of Hell Gate, East River, while trying to swim ashore from their raft made of boards from the exploded ferry, Observation.

A third lad who was was thrown on the beach by the current and escaped death.

TO REMOVE GANDHI

soon as Gandhi starts his hunger strike it will remove him from Poona jail to "a private residence". Gandhi says he will starve "even to death" until the communal law is with broad branches of trees. changed. His hunger strike is to start September 20.

STRIKE IN FEDERAL BUILDING CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 15.—A strike of union building cleaners on the Federal Building here was called when the government tried to cut the Labor Defense applied for one.

JOBLESS DEMONSTRATE

lief before the Reseland Emergency Relief Station today. Police attacked them. Details are lacking.

COUNTY MISSES PAY DAY AT on what basis was not made clear. DETROIT

DETROIT. Mich., Sept. 15.-The

DEMAND RELIEF IN PHILIPPINES MANILA, P. I., Sept. 15.—Over 500 workers under the leadership of the Philippine Communist Party de-monstrated today before the Philippine Senate demanding unemploy insurance and the withdrawal of the American imperialist exploiters from the Philippine Islands. delegation of seven presented the de-mands to Manuel Quezon, president of the Senate, in his office.

474,787,386 IN CHINA NANKING, Sept. 15.—The total population of China is 474,787,386, it was announced today by the Minister of Interior of the Nanking govern-

# Pickets in Painters

arrested Wednesday at the Skaler after that election left the So Construction job at 167 Anderson Party in disgust at its anti-working Street, where the workers are strik-class character. ing under the leadership of the Alteration Painters Union, were released the ballot in Georgia and Tennessee

man walked out and is among the election campaign this year will als

VOTE COMMUNIST FOR:

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

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NEW YORK, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1932

Sends Ring to "Daily"

The following two letters typify the spirit of workers who are

A worker from Gloucester, Ohio, writes: "I pass out the Daily

The second letter is from a worker in Hollidays Cove, W. Va. "I

straining every nerve, tapping every resource to help save the Daily

Worker every day among the Hocking Valley mine strikers with good

results. They are very much interested in the paper. The trouble is

that they are too poor to buy the Daily Worker. I want to send you

some money but because I am too poor, I am sending you my ring,

am sending you \$8 from the steel workers of Weirton and Folens-

bee, where the workers look to the "Daily" for guidance in their

struggles. We have scraped this money together from our last pennies

and nickels. We are willing to miss a meal or tobacco to help save

our paper from suspension. We pledge \$50 more in the coming month.

\$100 from yesterday's donations. The total contributions to date are

Workers, today's donations came to \$367.08, a drop of more than

Rush every possible penny now to the Daily Worker, 35 East

Veterans Demand the Bonus at the

Forward to the real struggles of the steel and metal workers.'

\$12,603.58, less than one-third of the \$40,000 goal.

WHAT IS YOUR ANSWER?

12th Street, New York City.

Worker from suspension.

the only thing I have left."

CITY EDITION

Price 3 Cents

men and Engine-

Now. when the railroad men are

seathing with in-

dignation against the proposed 20 per

cent wage cut, and justly suspicious of

their officials, who agreed to the first

men.

February, Wagner says not a thing

The Senator did made a gen-eral proclamation against cuts, but

never even mentioned struggle against this one. Unless the railroad

workers build anti-wage cut com-

mittees on a united front basis in every lodge of the brotherhoods and

Fake Insurance.

from the government or from the

shippers. It will be supported by the

resents a wage cut for you." He ad-

Next Wednesday at

Ellis Island

The case of Comrade G. W. Mills

who is under deportation for his ac-

tive participation in the struggle of

the employed and unemployed work-

ers, will come up for a hearing next Wednesday morning at Ellis Island,

before the Immigration Commission.

ers acting on orders received from

Mills was arrested in the Workers

Center and held for deportation on

charges originated in his participa

tion in the struggle of Pittsburgh workers and in connection with his

activity among the unemployed work-

Deportation Secretary Doak.

FOR HEARING

railroad men over this bill.

MILLS' CASE UP

about the coming wage slash.

WAGNER

VOTE COMMUNIST FOR:

Equal rights for the Negroes and self-determination for the Black Belt.

Against capitalist terror; against all

Against imperialist war; for the defense of the Chinese people and of

# NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Metropolitan opera tickets are now tax exempt, the Treasury Department has wiled because operas are "education-Miner, Lacking Money SEE JAPAN SPEEDING WAR DRIVE ON U.S.S.R.

United Press Reports Feverish Arms Production; U. S. Sends War Supplies

Japanese Capitalism in Desperate Plight Seeks Way Out by Anti-Soviet War

A United Press dispatch from Tokio, Japan, reports that Japan is seeding plans for war. The report quotes foreign military attaches in the opinion that the frantic Japanese war preparations presage an early attack against the Soviet Union. Some of the attaches express the belief that the attack may occurr any day now, as Japan is now ready to wage a major

Countee Cullen



Famous writer pledges "support in the national elections to the Communist Party and its candidates, William Z. Foster and James W. Ford." He is the author of "Cop-

## FLOG WORKERS' LEADERS, TAMPA

Jailed, Kidnapped

TAMPA. Fla., Sept. 15.-H. Gordon and Crawford were taken out from LONDON, England, Sept. 15.—The jail at 1 p. m. this morning, and im-British government has announced mediately kidnapped by a gang which Caught in the vortex of a catastrophic seized them while they were still in crisis, a fierce fight for markets and

federal custody. They were then severely flogged

Gordon and Crafword workers leaders here, were arrested Monday while attending a meeting to organiz the unemployed and fight for relief.

An attempt was then made to force their release through Federal Courts, or at least to break down the CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 15.-Unem- incommunicado and give them a ployed workers demonstrated for re- chance to see their attorney.

Reports were that the two workers were being held on charges of "violation of a federal injunction," and "violation of the postal laws," jus

Tampa was the scene last year of 3 Furniture Strikes county government here failed to pay its employees today. It is the first time this has happened here in recent years, though other cities have done it since the crisis. The county militant strikes in the tobacco fac-

# TICKET IN ALA

and will appear for the first time on the Alabama ballot.

One of the Communist candidate is Andrew Forsman, for over 40 years a militant leader of the workers. He Strike Out on Bail was a member of the Knights of Labor, and of the Mobile Centra Labor Union. He ran in 1920 on th NEW YORK .- The eight pickets Socialist ticket for U. S. Senator, but

resterday on \$5,000 bail each.

The strike is solid. Even the fore- In the whole South, the Communis A mass demonstration against the frame-up of the strikers will be held friday, Sept. 16, at 8 p.m., at Wilkens and Intervale Avenue.

Milo Reno and other Farmers Holi-day Association heads are opposing farmers fighting ruinous prices for picketing, and are condemned by the their products, and extending their polls in most Southern states.

Milo Reno and other Farmers Holi-day Association heads are opposing farmers fighting ruinous prices for picketing, and are condemned by the their products, and extending their products, and extending their below to include a tax strike and breakers. be a drive to give the vote to the disand Intervale Avenue. polls in most Southern states.

Report War Shipments

Entered as second-class matter at the Post Office at 25 New York, N.Y., under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Backs C.P. Ticket The dispatch reports the steady arrival of huge shipments of war supplies from the United States and many European countries, notably England, France and her pupper states on the western frontiers of the Soviet Union. (Information already received in this country show that the French puppet states are also accumulating huge stores of munitions in preparation for a joint attack, together with the Japanese imperialists, on workers' Russia.)

The Japanese industries are re-ported to be working day and night, rushing out vast quantities of war supplies.

The foreign military attaches refe to the construction of strategic railways in north Korea as highly significant and further indicating Japan's intention to attack the Soviet Union These railways, work on which is being rushed, will link up the Korean lines with the main rail transport lines in Manchuria, thus greatly fa-cilitating the movement of Japanese troops toward the Soviet borders The Japanese war preparations are in such an advanced stage and their anti-Soviet aim so evident that the foreign diplomatic corps in Japan do not hesitate to predict an early at-tack on the Soviet Union. A Tokio

"A majority of American and some European observers believe that those who control the policy of Japan are preparing for a new Russo-Japanese war. Whether Japan wants this war or not is not clear. Some of the attaches think the Japanese do want it and want it quick, believing they can defeat Rusisa and gain control of the Amur River Valley and Vladivostok before Russia can complete coun-ter preparations including double tracking the trans-Siberian railway. These observers argue the Japanese have long felt they even-Gordon and Crawford that they prefer to do it before the Soviet industrialization program

a more formidable enemy. The drive for war against the Soviet Union is further explained on the basis of the increasingly desperate of Japanese capitalism the sharpening of the conflict with American imperialism for control of China and supremacy in the Pacific, the Japanese imperialists are seeking a way out by armed intervention against the Soviet Union. The Japanese realize that the antioviet front constitutes the only posgrounds on which the perialists can now unite. They belieev that by starting the attack against the Soviet Union, they would succeed in temporarily pushing into the background the sharpening antagonisms between American and confident that sooner or later the Wall Street imperialists would join in the armed intervention against the main class enemy of the dying cap-

# Continue in N. Y.; **Group Deserts AFL**

NEW YORK.-The strikes led by the Furniture Workers' Industrial Union at the Ideal Chair Co. at Grand and Garrison Streets, Maspeth, L. I., and the Diamond Mat- another bonus march to Washington tress Co. at 4410 Third Avenue, are now in full swing, with ten more men oing down today.

Today, the workers of the Rockford

A Foster-Ford Electors Upholstery Co. at 511 Flushing Avenue have joined the Furniture Workand Congressmen

Industrial Union, which took over the leadership of their strike. The workers formerly affiliated with the opinion that the Local 76 leadership of presidential electors and Congressmen in Birmingham district, list of presidential electors and Congressmen in Birmingham district. they unanimously voted to join the speak Monday, Sept. 19, at 8 p.m., at sented the Workers Ex-Servicemen's Furniture Workers' Industrial Union. the Labor Temple, 1318 Walnut League at the International Conand help these workers picket their this meeting to the National Conven- part of the American delegation at shops, for a quick victory.

tion in Cleveland, to be held Sept. 13. the World Anti-War Congress.

### ST. PAUL VETS VET DELEGATES HEAR JOHN PACE **RETURN TODAY**

Back from Europe

Monday, Sept. 19—Boston, Tuesday, Sept. 20—Connecticut.

Wednesday, Sept. 21—Rochester. Thursday, Sept. 22—Buffalo.

They will report at a rally at Col-

ence of the Rank and File Veterans

for a National Wide Fight for the

MUCH DISHARMONY HERE

NEW YORK. - Ferdie Groef is

italist press.

umbus Circle Saturday, 5:30.

Marchers in America.

MALDEN, Mass.-Neal Bridgman, above, veteran of the world war,

his wife, Emilie and their two year-old baby, Robert, who is ill, are

shown looking over an empty milk bottle that formerly held the last

bit of food in their home in Malden. The couple and their baby were

also evicted recently from their home for non-payment of rent, and

W.E.S.L. Calls for New Gardner and Stember Bonus March

were forced to spend the night in the open.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 15.-Three hundred workers and ex-servicemen Joe Gardner, Bonus March leaders of attended a meeting Monday night in the rank and file, will return today Central Park and heard John Pace, from the International Congress of rank and file bonus march leader. War Veterans which was held in Am-A conference of rank and file vet-erans will be held tonight at 184 West of Europe expressed a great deal of Seventh Street in preparation for the sympathy and support to the Bonus

Call for New March

ans of Europe, Stember and Gardner Tour, NEW YORK .- One hundred thousand leaflets calling for support of will be off the press within a few days, it was announced by Emanuel national chairman of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League. Write to the W. E. S. L. national headquarters, 1 Union Square, Room

All workers are urged to join in Street. Delegates will be elected at gress of War Veterans and were also

# **POLICE CLUBBING FARMER PICKETS**

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Sept. 15.—
Sheriff's deputies, armed with special riot guns and tear gas bombs attacked farm pickets along the highways into Sioux City today, Many farmers were clubbed, and 20 were arrested.

mass resistance to foreclosure evictions and tax sales.

Thousands of farmers met last week in Sioux City and called for a which will be 23-25, 1932.

Much DISH NEW YORK.

# DRIVE ON VETS Socialists Stand by the

Man in White House PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 15 .-- A resolution censuring the govern-

ment for sending out anti-bonus propaganda through the mails in government envelopes was adopted at the American Legion Conven-PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 15.-The

bonus resolution passed the American Legion Convention today despite attempts of President Hoover to frustempts of President Hoover to frustrate the resolution by a statement claiming that immediate payment of the bonus would be a threat to his so-called recovery plans. The U.T.W. office all day today and has refused to talk with the few favorable prospects for his Old Age The leaders of the Legion forced

through resolutions vesterday demanding a larger army and navy, opposed the recognition of the Soviet Union and denounced the attempts to modify the naturalization laws to citizens without pledging to take up arms in the nation's defense.

reterans in Washington and his stand "poor boy."
Crying that full payment of the

would mean inflation and fiat money. Hoover, who only recently enabled the national banks to issue NEW YORK .- S. J. Stember and modity prices, said that the payment of the bonus would be disas

Socialists With Hoover. The socialists also say the same thing. But it is clear to all veterans and workers who are familiar with the program of the Workers Ex-servicemen's League that the demand of The delegates at this conference the rank and file is not for inflation represented the rank and file veterof currency to pay the bonus, but that the rich should be taxed to pay this sum. Likewise does the W.E.S.L Joseph Gardner will speak in Chi. cago on Sunday and will arrange suggest that the manufacturers and pankers shoulder the burden of undates in other cities. Stember will speak in the following cities: employment insurance for all the unmployed workers.

Hoover in his statement attempts o point out that the adjusted serce certificates were not intended to be back wages, but that they were designed to be life insurance poli-cies. Indeed, the only way a veteran can collect his bonus at the present time is to turn up his toes and die.
This is what the veterans are fight ng against. The bonus is considered as back pay and they do not want to wait until 1945 or die to get it. The Rank and File Conference to be held in Cleveland September 23 will raise the slogan of struggle for payment of the bonus at once.

SWEDISH WORKERS SENTENCED FOR PICKETING

erans are urged to greet them at the docks and also at the rally at Columbus Circle. They will bring a full report to the National Confer-STOCKHOLM. - Seven Swedish ard labor for participating in mass District, and Mauriz. Bonus which will be held Septempicketing before the paper mills in

Two leaders of the Communist Party have been convicted as "ringleaders" and sentenced to two and half years of hard labor each. composing a "symphony" called Several protest meetings against Tabloid to be dedicated to the capsentences have already taken place throughout the country. picketers.

# WITH PATERSON WORKERS FIGHTS FOR WAGE RAISE

rights of workers.

the Soviet Union.

Left Union Leads Only Real Struggle There Is; A. F. L. Followed by Mere Handful

Workers Victorious Already Where N. T. W. Program Adopted; Now Spreading Strike

By MARTIN RUSSAK

PATERSON, N. J., Sept. 15 .- It was only through the fighting leader. ship given by the National Textile Workers Union that the beginnings of a real struggle were developed in a number of mills here against the starvation wages, long hours, and slave conditions of the silk workers. The majority of the 30 shops that came out on Wednesday were struck by members

of the National Textile Workers Union, and their strike organized by the N.T.W.U. In all but a few cases most of these strikes have already been settled with wage increases ranging from 15 per cent to 20 per

The textile workers are called un on by the N.T.W. to extend their strike in the various dye shops and silk mills. They are urged to form United Front Strike Committees at once and strike in all unstruck shops. for 4 cents for 60 picks, for the eight nour day and 44-hour week, and no

Mass Meeting Today

There will be a mass meeting Friday night at 8 p.m. at the corner of Harrison and Summer St. Speakers will be Martin Russak, Martha Stone, and Morris M. Brown of the National Textile Workers Union. The efforts of the United Textile Workers Union and its Musteite misleaders to produce a so-called "stop-page" instead of a strike, have enced

At the end of the second day after the "stoppage" was to have begun, not more than three to four hundred workers have actually come out, among the more than 8,000 broadsilk workers in the Paterson mills. Many of these workers, seeing that they were betrayed by Muste, Budenz Gitlow, and the U. T. W. officials, went back to work soon after com-

Come To N.T.W.

ion have been meeting with the strikers of various shops, helping them organize their ranks with Unito pay for insurance out of their

strikers who came in to get advice Retirement bill for railroad worker from him as to what they were to do. Which is now before the Senate, It, like his insurance bills, provides for U.T.W. Exposed workers to pay for a pension to be

The U.T.W. and Musteite leaders The U.T.W. and Musteite leaders given them in their old age. Wagner stand naked before the workers of states specifically, "the retirement permit the foreign born to become Paterson as the perpetrators of the fund will receive no contribution most shameful and dastardly betrayal ever put over against a struggle movement of the textile workers industry composed of the carriers WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.— of Paterson. After weeks of wild Herbert Hoover in a new attempt to agitation in the columns of the local justify his bloody attack on the war capitalist press, with sensational animals and the men. It represents your savings"—he might have added, "It repjects to the carriers of the carriers and the men. It represents your savings in the men i ouncements of conferences with the against the full payment of the ex- Mayor's Arbitration Board, the manufacturers and the Chamber of Comment yesterday in which he claimed merce, the U.T.W. did everything possible to prevent a strike and to

# SOCIALIST RADIO

Jim-Crow Policy

NEW YORK .- More than 100 workers picketed the socialist radio station in the Hotel Claridge yesterday ers, that led to the historical Na-in protest against the Jim Crow politional Hunger March of last Fall of

cast over station WEVD, operated by the part of the employed and unthe Socialist Party, should ride to the station in the freight elevators, termination of Secretary Doak to because the white guests in the hotel had objected to Negroes riding in the leader of the workers and weaken the cause the white guests in the hotel

(National Organizer National Textile Workers Union)

WAGNER SAYS NO WORD ON PAY CUT At R. R. Convention, Only Praises Himself

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Senator Robert F. Wagner was the main speaker tonight at the convention of

in a complete collapse.

local of the A.F.L. unions on the rail-roads and prepare to strike against On Wednesday evening over 300 the cut, they are going to get it. orkers attended the mass meeting called by the N.T.W.U. All day Wednesday and Thursday representatives of the National Textile Workers Un-

ted Front shop committees. wages. He praises the Relief and The U.T.W. has refused to hold any Construction Acts of the Hoover gov-

break it up. The purpose of the U.T.W. was to place itself at the head of the growing struggle of the Paterson silk workers in order to smash this strugone billion dollars in paper and was the inflationary measure which brought about an immediate rise in brought about a b gle, to demoralize the workers, and ers Union.

Workers Denounce Its

of the Socialist Party. which he was the organizer. Recently the socialist leaders ordered that the Negro lecturers, musicians and entertainers who broadat a time of increased struggle on

ame cars with them. The picketeers marched around the relief hotel for 45 minutes with placards denouncing the socialist leaders for throughout the United States the attheir undisguised Jim Crow tactics tempt to carry through the deportagainst the Negro people. Among the tion of Mills, which will mark an inagainst the Negro people. Among the thousands of passersby who stopped to read the placards were hundreds

of Negro workers. Two of the picketers were arrest- demand the release of Mills. workers have been sentenced to a ed. They are Fieldberg, Communist total of six years and six months of candidate for assembly in the Fifth

Police attempted to intimidate the icketers, policeman No. 17013 kicking one Chinese worker. When a photographer from one of the capiVets' Mass Meeting in Harlem Tonight

tensification of the offensive against

the foreign born workers and against

the entire working class. They must

struggle against wage-cuts and for

Workers are urged to protest

NEW YORK. -- In reply to the talist newspapers asked a cop to pose for an "action" picture, the uniformed thug obliged him by raising his club over the head of one of the ing tonight at Lafayette Hall, 7th Avenue and 131st Street at 8 p.m.

# National Convention of the Legion NO FOOD, NO HOME, IS REWARD FOR VET HOOVER IN NEW dispatch to the New York Sun re-

# HOOVERVILLE WORKERS WILL PRESENT DEMANDS TO BOARD OF ESTIMATE

Delegation of 400 Families, Led by Unemployed Council, Turned Down by Welfare Dep't

EntirePopulation of Unemployed City to March on Relief Bureaus with Demands Monday

NEW YORK.—Under the leadership of the Unemployed Council, a delegation of impoverished workers inhabiting Hooverville, in the Red Hook section of Brooklyn, yesterday placed a series of demands for immediate re-

lief before the office of the Commissioner of Welfare, The Commissioner was too "busy" to see the delegation, but the demands were placed before his secret-

who followed the example set

by Mayor McKee last Saturday by refusing to answer all the proposals

ut forward by the workers that he

The demands were that either the

olice be prevented from carrying

out their threat to evict the workers

living in the shabby hovels, or new

shelter be provided by the City in

case the Board of Health demands

the City to use the workers living

mediate relief to all the workers and

A meeting of the 400 families of

Ecoverville was held last might at which it was voted to send a dele-

hich meets tonight, and present the

WORLD-TELEGRAM

Reporters and Office

Workers Hit

he employ of the World-Telegram receive a 10 per cent cut in pay.

department and all workers ex-

The cut is the second one in the

ant cin months. All workers earning

below \$40 were cut six months ago

The World-Telegram editorial policy

has been one of hypocritical opposi-

be effected by the slash.

SLASHES PAY

their families.

idn't turn down flatly.

# ARRESTS FAIL TO **BREAK REX LINES**

Trial Up Tonight; Boss Weakening

NEW YORK.—Last night the Tam-many police, anxious to break the employed; that the lot be leveled off, solid strike o fthe Rex Products Co., made a vicious attack against the on the lot and pay them unior pickets and arrested more than a wages; and that the City provide imdozen strikers. The high spirit of the arrested workers and of those who continued the picketing is a sign that the strike will go on until Mr. Rosenberg gives in to the demands of the

During the day the boss sent word that he wants to see the committee to negotiate. When the committee, elected by the strikers notified him that the strikers are ready to talk business, the boss objected to some of the militant members of the Settlement committee. On this point the negotiations broke off.

The fact that the boss called for a committee shows that he is weak.

Metal Workers Industria! Union is mobilizing all its forces to help the Rex workers win their strike. the W. 54th St. night court,

### Unemployed Council Calls on Carpenters for Volunteer Help

NEW YORK. — The Unemployed Council of Greater New York, which has just moved to 10 East 17th Street calls on all carpenters who can find the time to volunteer their services

cont the organized printers, mailers and prommen. All office workers will to help put the new office in shape.

The Council announces that the next issue of the Hunger Fighter will be off the press on Saturday, Sept. Bundle orders can be obtained at 10 East 17th Street. This issue of the Hunger Fighter will contain a statemen thy the Unemployed Council of Greater New York on the next steps in the struggle for relief.

### What's On-

the fall term of the Workers' School, 35 E. 12th St., third floor.

Volunteers are needed by the New York State United Front Election Campaign Sommittee. Comrades willing to help s apply at Room 505, 50 East 13th St.

Volunteers wanted to distribute posters and leaflets for the Workers' School fall term. Call at 35 East 12th Street, third floor.

Members of the Steve Katovis Branch, I. L. D., take notice: In the future meetings will be held every Friday at 15 East Third Street instead of every other Friday.

The Werkers Zukunft Club will have a lecting at 31 Second Ave., at 8 p.m.
The Bridge Plaza Workers Club will have question and answer evening at 285 Rod-

question and answer evening at 285 Rod-ey St., Brooklyn, at 8:30 p.m.
Section 4, Union County, N. J., will cele-rate the opening of their new section cadquarters with a banquet at 426 Court.
Elizabeth, N. J.
Brownswills Branch, LL.D., will have an oen-air meeting at Koptingon and Pil-175th Street at 8 p.m.

Council No. 32, U. C. W. C. W. lecture, 371 Saratoga Avenue, Brooklyn. Subject: "Role of the Women's Councils in the Class Struggle." Speeker T. Littinsky.

The Harlem Progressive Youth Club will have a general meeting at 1538 Madison Avenue, at 8 p.m.

The following open-air anti-war meetings The M.W.I.U sleafle unfer the auspices of the F. S. U. will be I.L.A. longshoremen:

The Stalin Branch and the Downtown Branch of the F. S. U. are calling a conference of Russian, Polish, Ukrainian and ther workers' organizations at 122 Second Avenue, 8 p.m., to make plans to combat white-guardist activities.



F. Truubee Davison, rich young on of a Morgan partner, is being groomed for governor of New York by a flock of society dames at Oyster Bay. Davison was practibooed from the platform of the New York American Legion convention when he called the bonus marchers "bums and hood-lums." He is the assistant secretary of war for aviation and got a medal for escaping overseas service thru

# TAMPA PARLEY IN N. Y. SUNDAY

To Organize Campaign to Free Victims

NEW YORK.-The 14 workers who were jailed on November 7, 1931, because they participated in a demonstration against terror in Tampa Preparations are also being made and for the release of the Scottsboro or the entire population of Hoover-ille to march to the Home Relief Negro boys, are completing the first year of a 10 year sentence to the Burcau in a body next Monday and demand immediate relief. A defense worst hell-holes in the United States. Gordon and Crawford, two workleaders, were taken out of the

mpa jail on Thursday and flogged The United Front Tampa Commit-ee is calling a conference for Sun-September 18, 2 p.m., at the Harlem Casino at 100 W. 116th St. organize a strong campaign against Tampa terror and for the re-

lease of the Tampa victims. all workers, and trade unions, frater-NEW YORK,—It was announced day that all unorganized workers

### DowntownUnemployed his pay cut will hit all the em. council Prevents An Eviction on East Side

NEW YORK .- The Downtown Unemployed Council yesterday prevented the eviction of a worker on Montgomery St. When the Council heard that a family on Montgomery St. was being evicted, three active members of the Council were sent to the scene tion to wage\_cuts, putting forward to the slogan, "High wages brings prosmobilize the neighborhood to forestall the eviction

The police were called out the 7,000 new yearly subscriptions by The Office Workers Union, 80 E. Workers remained in the vicinity of 11th St., announced today that the house until the cops left and union is taking steps to rally the then successfully put back all the workers to fight the cut.

Vet Meeting Sunday

NEW YORK .- Post No. 1 of the

# "Strike Against Wage Cut," MWIU Urges Longshoremen

Pledges Support to I. L. A. Rank and File; Calls for Anti-Wage Cut Committees

NEW YORK.—President Ryan of the I.L.A. announced yesterday that he had offered the companies a wage cut for longshoremen of ten cents an hour, and also a ten cent cut on overtime. The wages are now 85 cents an hour, Ryan offers to cut to 75, and the companies have been asking a cut to 70 cents, and overtime cut to \$1.10 from the present \$1.20. Ryan agrees to cut overtime ot \$1.10.

Ryan stated to the ship owners that he "regretted that the Marine Workers Industrial Union was taking advantage of the present wage scale discussions to hold meetings along the water front," and Ryan stated further, "We need the support and the co-operation of the steamship in-

open-air meeting at Ropkinson and Pilsued by the Longshoremen's Section
The Concourse Workers, Club will hold an
open-air meeting at Walton Avenue and
Union, local office at 140 Broad St.

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The Concourse Workers at James Rorty will speak on "Intellectuals and War" at the Tremont Workers Club, and War" at the Tremont Workers Club, of the I.L.A. is negotiating with the employers now, and has been for the million that will contain wage cuts and worsened conditions! Do not be knifed in the back."

The Steve Katovis Branch, I. L. D., will hold their regular meeting at 15 East Third Street, 8 p.m.

Council No. 5. United Co.

Council No. 5. United Council Workingsubmitted for a referendum," is ancommade Cory's house, 2823 West 22nd Street, Concy Island. All proceeds for the Daily Worker.

The Bath Beach Workers Club will have a special membership meeting at 2273 Bath Avenue, at 8:30 p.m.

The Bath Beach Workers Club will have against the wage cut, and strike against the wage cut!" is the final said that he would straighten out appeal of the M.W.I.U., which promises full support. conditions remain the same. The M.W.I.U lleaflet says to the At the Federico Shop, 223 Woster

St., the workers struck against a red-Powintown Branch. 216 East 14th Street.

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"Who is negotiating this agreement? Officials, the men who have ment? Officials, the men who have daily allowed your conditions to be the workers to agree to the cut. Grand Avenue. Speaker, Wilson.
West Bronx Branch, 167th Street and Broadway. Speaker, Miler.
Prospect Park Branch, 155th Street and Broadway. Speaker, Perlman.

The Stalin Branch and the Downtown.

"GOONA GOONA" PREMIERE AT CAMEO TODAY

"Goona-Goona", the Andre Roose-Workers Ex-servicemen's League will Avenue, 8 b.m., to make plans to combat white-guardist activities.

The American Youth Federation will begin its season's activities with an election symposium at 8:30 p.m. at 133 West 14th Street.

Unit 412, Section 4 (Harlem) will have an intertainment for the benefit of the Daily Worker at the Finnissh Workers Hall, 15 Goona" is a dramatic retelling of an West 128th Street, at 8 p.m. Admission 10c.

Velt-Armand Denis drama of Ball enacted by an entire native cast, will have its American premierer showing at the Cameo Theatre starting to-day, Roosevelt and Denis spent almost five years in Bali preparing and photographing this picture. "Goona-door worker at the Finnissh Workers Hall, 15 Goona" is a dramatic retelling of an old Balinese legend.

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Called Veterans Bums BUILD NEW POST OF W.E.S.L.; PLAN CONFERENCE SUN.

> Vets Launch Tag Day Drive for Bonus

NEW YORK. - War veterans in the New York fur industry answered the Hoover-Mitchell statement by forming a new post of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League and electing delegation to the Rank and File Conference which will be held in Cleveland September 23.

Members of the new post declared hat they have launched a drive to organize every veteran in the needle ndustry to fight for the bonus. The next meeting of the post will be held September 22, at 131 W. 28th St., toom 8, at 5:30 p.m.

VETS PLAN TAG DAY

To raise funds for the nation-wide ight for the bonus the New York ests of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League announced today that a city-wide tag day drive would be launched September 16. The drive will last until September 20. Boxes for tag day collections can

e obtained at the following places: 1 Union Square, Room 715. 1440 East New York Ave., Brook-131 W. 21st Street, N.Y.C. 127 West 125th Street, N.Y.C.

1130 So. Blvd., Bronx, N. Y.

122 2nd Ave., N.Y.C. Conference Sunday
A city conference of delegates elcted to the National Conference of Rank and File Veterans will be held in the Stuyvesant Casino, 2nd Ave. and 9th St. Sunday, Sept. 18, at 11 a.m. Comrade Gordon, recently returned from the International Con-

Prepare for Many Delegates at Women's

NEW YORK. - Preparations have been completed for seating a large number of delegates elected by unons, shop groups, mass and fraternal A call to action has been issued to organizations to the special Women's Election Conference which will be nal organizations and workers' clubs held this Saturday at 2 p.m., at Irhave been urged to send delegates to ving Plaza, 15 Irving Place, it was reported by the N. Y. State United Front Communist Election Campaign Committee, under whose auspices the onference will be held.

Main speakers at the conference vill be Israel Amter, candidate for Governor of New York on the Comnunist ticket, and William L. Patterson, candidate for Mayor of New

Organizations endorsing this conference include numerous Women's Councils, the Trade Union Unity Council, Local 107, A. F. of L., Paper plate and Bag makers Union and the Shoe and Leather Workers Industrial Union

Fur Workers Collect Defense Fund for Morris Lauber

NEW YORK.—The rabbit fur workers of local 58 at a membership meeting held Wednesday decided to out on bail facing a trumped up charge of homicide. Lauber was ar-rested during the recent victorious furriers' strike

The Lauber defense committee announced today that a conference to arrange for the defense of Lauber will be held in the near future.

### CITY ELECTION NOTES

discussions to hold meetings along the water front,"

NEW YORK.—A leafiet addressed to the International Longshoremen's owners' terms.

NEW YORK.—A leafiet addressed to the International Longshoremen's Section of the Marine Workers Industrial Union, local office at 140 Broad St. It calls on the longshoremen to vote now in every local against accepting the wage cut, which President Ryan of the LILA, is negotiating with the employers now, and has been for the ast few days.

"Demand that the officials give daily reports on all negotiations," says the leaflet. Ryan is negotiating in secret.

"Demand that the agreement be submitted for a referendum," is another demand. The last wage cut Ryan is negotiating the signed the concinent.

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"Demand an agreement that gives the rank and file ommittees to resist any wage cut, and strike against the wage cut," is the final appeal of the M.W.I.U., which promites full support.

Be Ready to Strike.

This means he will accept the ship-owners described to the strikers to present your interests? No! In the past they have negotiated fake agreement what was cout, which he has been interest to resist and worsened conditions."

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7:30 b. m.
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Speakers, J. Schiller, M. E. Taft, John Keimen.
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Helbern and Al. Lepin.
187th St. and Cambrelling Ave. Speakers.
Rose Chernin, candidate in the 6th A. D.,
and Papini G. Pallone.
7th St. and Second Ave. Speaker. Abraham Markoff, candidate in the 14th Congregional District.
10th St. and Second Ave. Speaker, E.
Jones.

Mobilize Workers for N.Y. Mayoralty Signature Campaign

The N. Y. State United Front Communist Election Campaign Committee issued an appeal today to the effect that unless sufficient signatures are mathered at once to place William L. Patterson, Communist candidate for Mayor of York City, on the ballot for the November 8 election, the bos ses may be in a position to deny

To make this impossible, all comrades and friends available must begin gathering signatures immediately. Less than two weeks remain for placing Comrade Patterson on the mayoralty ballet.
Volunteers for collecting sign-

atures should apply for petitions in Section 1, at 93 Ave. C, and at 25 Montgemery St.; in Section 2, at 347 E. 72nd St.; in Section 4, at 200 West 135th St. and at Room 215, 15 W. 126th St.; in Section 6, 226 Throop Ave., and at Queens Labor Lyceum, Putnam and Forest Ave., en Wednesdays and Thursdays; in Section 8, at 313 Hinsdale St., and at 257 Schenec-tady St.; in Astoria, Long Island, at Apt. 3-E, 2205 37th St.

## SUMMON PAPENTO ANSWER CHARGES

Reichstag Committee Passes Communist Resolution

BERLIN, Sept. 15. — Against the otes of the Socialists and Centrists, the committee for the protection of the Reichstag's rights adopted a resress of Veterans in Europe and the olution presented by the Communists Anti-War Congress will make a re- summoning Von Papen and some of his ministers to appear as material witnesses in an investigation of the events that led to the disbanding of the parliamentary body.

This committee is constitutionally masters, and demands that Election Conference empowered to function even when the Reichstag is dissolved and to change mayoralty election shall take place cn Nov. 8." ummon witnesses even by the appli-

> At the same time the Communist Walker. Party continues its work of mobiliza-

tion of the workers outside parlia-ment for a united revolutionary struggle, which alone can defeat the government.

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Communists SayMcKee Is Wall St. Tool

NEW YORK.—Israel Amter, Com-nunist candidate for Governor of nunist candidate for Governor of bosses' parties.
The hearing is before Supreme Court Justice John E. McGeehan and in favor of a mayoralty election on ov. 8, which Mayor Joseph V. Mc-Kee is attempting to eliminate by

"Acting for Franklin D. Roosevelt, and for James Farley of the National Committee of the Democratic Party, McKee is trying to stave off the election so that he can put through his program of cutting relief and wages,"

Amter charged. He added, "McKee is a Republican Party boss, former growth of the course of his remarks stated that if there were an election the would propose McKee on a joint Republican-Democratic ticket, Miller is a Republican Party boss, former growth of the course of his remarks stated that if the course of his remarks stated that if there were an election to be a propose which were an election of the course of his remarks stated that if there were an election to be a proposed to the course of the course of his remarks stated that if there were an election to be a proposed to the course of the course of his remarks stated that if there were an election to be a proposed to the course of the must be remembered that he is the same man who talked insultingly to the Unemployed Delegation on Sat-urday, Sept. 10, when he is the same man who talked insultingly to the Unemployed Delegation on Sat-urday, Sept. 10, when he is the same man who talked insultingly to the Unemployed Delegation on Sat-urday, Sept. 10, when he is the same man who talked insultingly to the Unemployed Delegation on Sat-urday, Sept. 10, when he is the same man who talked insultingly to the Unemployed Delegation on Sat-urday, Sept. 10, when he is the same man who talked insultingly to the Unemployed Delegation on Sat-urday. urday, Sept. 10, when he rejected the demands of the 1,130,000 hungry unployed. He is also the same man who issued orders on the day follow-McKee, on his part, yesterday de-clared himself a straight Tammany ing the demonstration, especially to the Harlem districts, that the Un-employed Councils of New York should not be allowed to represent the unemployed Negro and white workers of Harlem." This order, Amter declared, was made so as to prive Negro, Latin-American and talian workers who are openly dis-riminated against by the adminisration of New York City of effective leadership in their struggle for relief. Patterson for Mayor

"McKee's orders for drastic wagecuts was instigated by Wall Street, Amter further charged. "It is Mc-Kee's and Wall Street's 'economy program which lets the rich alone but places the burden upon the workers. McKee flatly refused the demands of the Unemployed Delegation on Sept. 10 for higher taxes on banks and corporations, so that relief might be increased and wage-cuts stopped.
"The Community Party opposes the

move by McKee, Roosevelt and Farley to stop the mayoralty election at the instigation of their Wall

The Communist Party of New York as nominated William L. Patterson It is expected, however, that President Hindenburg will go one step further toward the establishment of crisis, as its candidate for Mayor of open fascism by ordering that the committee also be disbanded.

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Some Evidence She Carried Dynamite

NEW YORK.—The death in the hospital yesterday of one of the workers injured in the Observation body from the East River raised the still three known to be missing, and an unknown number who may be ernor Nathan L. Miller appeared to argue McKee should stay in office without an election.

Miller in the course of his remarks tated that if there was a remarks to the course of his remarks at least 74.

Two investigations are going on, neither of which will do anything to punish what has now been proved to be wholesale slaughter of building date for the Socialist, Democratic and Republican parties, thus aban-

There have been persistent rumors that the ship carried, along with its live cargo of 126 men, another cargo of dynamite. The J. P. Carlin Contracting Co. which hired the ship to carry its men to work, denies that it loaded dynamite also. But some witnesses have testified they saw black smoke rising from the ship as she sunk, in addition to the steam from the exploded boiler.

TWO KILLED ON N. J. ROADS of a cloak shop (International Ladies Garment Union members) are on in two separate automobile crashes record to see that our Daily continues on highways in New Jersey. to function regularly. They sent \$20 crashes occurred at Elwood and at to the Daily Worker yesterday.

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NEW YORK .- Morris Hillquit for

the Socialist Party, John Godfrey Saxe for Tammany, and J. Joseph

Lilly, for the Board of Elections make up the battery of lawyers arguing for

a new trial this year for mayor, of New York. It is a united front of the

continued yesterday.

Harold R. Medina and former gov-

doning all pretense of independent

political action in this election, unless

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# STEEL MISLEADERS EXPOSED IN WARREN, OH

try where the great mass of workers The basis for such exposure and public plants in Warren, Canton, unorganized. The A. A., in spite defeat exists. The struggle in War- Youngstown, etc.)

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By BILL I/ JUNE

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favored section of the hot mill work- no successful struggle can be carried ed members having protested a wage rayored section of the hot mill workers which constitutes its base, are closely connected, not only with the officialdom of the Republic company, but with city, county and state government.

As is not uncommon in an industrial the consent of the carried through by the Steel and Metal cut are either locked out or on strike. Workers Industrial Union and united (whether a lockout or a strike headquarters but their responsible to the strike headquarters but the work. Most of them did not report for through by the Contact, did not report for through by the Contact, did not report for through by the Steel and Metal cut are either locked out or on strike. Workers the strike headquarters but their responsible to the strike headquarters but there is considered to the consent of the blacklist and eviction, had to be combined in order to workers. But the consent of A. A. officials, to Responsible to the strike headquarters but their responsible to the st

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trayed the militant traditions of the exposure fight against wage cuts, unemployment and the stagger system is dargerous and effective.

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their own members and the mass of

Communists, "outside agitators" and "cowardly disturbers" were beand to be combined in order to But the wage cutting provision of rated with great gusto by the A. A. should be no delay in carrying speaker the resistance of the workers. With the main issue—that of the been nullified by the militant action local press during and after the come some of the weakness in the

elected rank and file committees.
This is a measure which there

# TRY TO DEPRIVE WISC. JOBLESS OF THEIR VOTE

### General Policy of the Republican Party; Communists Protest

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 15.-Assistant Attorney General Samuel Bryan of this "Progressive Republican" administration has ruled in an opinion given the attorney general of Cooper County, that those getting any public voting in this election. If this decision stands, tens of thousands of jobless workers will be deprived of their

This decision follows in line with the announcement at the time the Maine Republican state government cut off the voting list the jobless get-ting any relief. It was then stated indirectly through the Republican national committee that those on relief lists would lose their vote wherever the Republicans could manage to cut them off. It is recognized that most of the 15,000,000 unemployed victims of "Hoover Prosperity" probably will not vote for Hoover.

mass protest against taking the vote away from the jobless. The Com-munist Party demands the right of the jobless to get relief, to get un-employment insurance, and also to

# SCOTTSBORO BOY IN DEATH HOUSE

### Williams Remains De- Sends Daily Worker spite Ruling

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 15,-Eugene Williams, 13-year-old Scottsboro boy whose conviction and death sentence was reversed last March by the Alabama Supreme Court as a result of mass pressure of workers all over the world, still remains in the

The vicious special persecution which the Scottsboro boys are being subjected to by the white ruling class in the South is again revealed by the refusal of the prison authorities to remove Williams from the death house despite the reversal of the sentence, and despite the announcement by the Solicitor General of Alabama that he had no objections to the release of the Scottsboro boy from the death chamber. The Solicitor General himself had removed his objections only under the pressure of the

ths of the current year are now

# Worker Correspondence

# HAMMOND OFFICIALS KIDNAP 4 CHILDREN

HAMMOND, Ind.—A few months ago the capitalist press carried noth-but the story of the Lindbergh kidnapping case. But in Hammond, when workers' children are deliberately kidnapped

in broad daylight by those supposed to be law officers, we do not hear the hue and cry go up that our homes are in danger. A man in Hammond by the name

of Pettit recently came to the Unemployed Council and told how the unemployment relief are barred from tron and two policemen, had come to his house one day and put him under arrest, telling him they were going to take him to Crown Point. He iressed his four children and went.
They took him part way to Illinois

and put them into various children's detention homes. This act constitutes kidnapping and is against the rights of any citizen. Not being satisfied with such per-

secution, they followed it up by trying to evict him from his home. This has been prevented, however, by his neighbors in the Unemployed Coun-

trumped up charge) and took him to agent of the company. Crown Point and put him in jail. The rumors are the The Communist candidate for governor of Wisconsin, John Bassett Blair is touring the state now, calling cuse for having illegally removed these children from one state to another. He was not released until threats were made against him that if he asked for relief in the next 30 days he would be arrested again. However, these thugs should be notified that he will have a working class defense, and it will not be so easy to hush the matter up behind closed doors. The workers of Ham. nond must fight the baby snatchers now in office.

—L. J.

NEW YORK.—The Durable Metal New York City, hired me at the rate about 500 are working. of \$8 a week, without saying anything to me that I was to contribute 10 per cent of my wages to the so-called fund of the unemployed. Five hours know of the 10 per cent contribution, so I quit the job. I am the father of five children and I cannot accept such conditions, and besides I am not to blame for the present depression

You will find enclosed the check for 52 cents which I received as pay-ment for my five hours' labor which I donate to the Daily.

RAMON ORTIZ

tions only under the pressure of the workers, led by the International Labor Defense.

Only continued mass protest will grow great. It would be better if, instead of quitting the worker would stay and orwing the demand that Williams be ganize a grievance committee to fight this robbery by the company.

Edior's Note—The sacrifice of this and of readers of Novy Mir, Frei-heit, Tribyna Rabotnicha and Laisve has been called for Friday, Sept. 16 at 7:30 p.m. The purpose of this job, this worker would stay and organize a grievance committee to fight this robbery by the company.

### Workers Forced to Buy Real Estate to Get Jobs at Ford's

(By a Worker Correspondent) DETROIT, Mich.-The Ford Motor Co., when it called many workers back some time ago, later took away their badges, in other words, fired them. Now here is what is hap-

The Frischkorn Real Estate Co. of Detroit, that is, the agents of this company, are going around and selling lots, promising those who them, jobs at Ford's. Some of these agents charge the worker \$15 as deposit on a lot, and after he gets a Recently they arrested him again job at Ford's, he pays \$6 per month on a charge of child neglect (a and an additional sum of \$35 to the

The rumors are that Edsel Ford owns bonds of this company, and in this way the company sells lots, offering jobs to those who buy with the consent of the Ford Co. On the other hand, some tens of thousands

At the Ternstedt Manufacturing Co., part of General Motors, the pay of the machine-setters was cut to 32 cents per hour. This factory produces small parts and is being propared for production, which will start about the sixth of October. This is They will only work at the most about three months.

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## The "Free Mooney" Run at the Olympic Games in Los Angeles



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# SURVEY OF INDUSTRY SHOWS NO GAIN COMING; STOCKS ARE NO GUIDE

Market Fluctuations Manipulated On Weak Basis of "Prosperity" Rallyhoo

Talk About Depression Ending Soon Is Meant To Fool Workers Into Not Fighting Cuts

The recent advance of the stock exchange, upon which Hoover bas ed his ballyhoo about the "returning prosperty", is being completely wiped out as stocks and bonds steadily lose ground.

figured prominently in the recent artificial advance resulting from a pegged market, lost heavily. Practically all industrial stocks participated in the setback.

Further proof that the stock exchange advances are not based on any fundamental change in the economic situation, is offered by a review of the Standard Statistics Company, clearly indicating that no upturn is in sight in the industries un-

exchange advances are merely based upon the false perspective of an im-pending recovery which in its turn has only Hoover's lying propaganda

The Daily Worker has exposed time and again the viciousness of Hoover's false propaganda designated to fool the workers into believing "that the actual crisis has been passed' but that "there is yet the possibility of a relapse" which can and must be avoided through the workers' submission to an intensified wage-cut-

Moover's campaign to "liquidate signing for the puppet state, Cheng and starvation. This manouver is per cent recession inJune.

was appointed by the Japanese sev-skillfully aided by William Green Utilities: Although there has as yet

While admitting that unemploy ment is increasing and will reach larger proportions before next winpan undertakes "the internal and ter, the President of the American external defense" of the puppet Man-Federation of Labor said on Labor Day: "There are indications that the economic skies are clearing and that faith and confidence are being recret military convention which, it is generally believed, is aimed against stored." As to the new wage reductive Soviet Union. said: "We refuse to accept them as final.....and will bid our time."

Norman Thomas also lends a wiling hand to foster Hoover's campaign when he says: "....there may be at the present time some improve-

ouver of the capitalists and their agents through the formation from the ranks of the workers of united front committees of action against any reduction of wages, for unemployment relief and insurance, for Standard Statistics Company's

Review. The following is in its exact wording the review of conditions in certain industries by the Standard Sta-

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Chemicals: It is unlikely that early ture sales gains will be of substanial proportions. (Early furture sales of chemicals are expected to register ome gains, although of no substanial proportions, in view of the war evelopments in the Far East, Edi-

Electric Equipment: Public purhasing power must be substantially ncreased before consumption of domestic appliances and lighter goods can be re-established at a wholly atisfactory level.

Coal: Anthracite production for the full year undoubtedly will fail by a sizeable total to equel even the small utput for 1931.

Metal Containers: Sharp declines re indicated in practically every canning pack this season, with the important corn crop expected to show recession of nearly 60 per cent.

Radio: The radio trade continues o make only slow progress against uch obstacles as excessive plant capacity, price weakness and sharply curtailed demand for the more proitable lines.

Shipping: Extremely low levels of operation continue to characterize all phases of domestic and foreign ship-

Steel: Obviously, large arrearages are accumulating in leading consum ing outlets, but as yet there is little sign of an early sustained increase Tobacco: Declines in cigare

appears even more patently as a year's totals, has shown comparatreacherous manouver to lull the tively little variation during the last workers into passivity, to stem their two months, an 11 percent contracstruggle against increasing misery tion in July having followed an 8

> been no definite recovery in electric power production, the trend has been relatively stable through the sumner months. Manufactured gas sales have been affected to a relatively small extent by depression. With drawals of telephone instruments continued their increase through July, more than 1,000,000 stations having been disconnected in the first seven months of the year. -(New York Herald Tribune, Sept.

In spite of the tremendous ballyhoo about the pick up in textile mills, the Herald Tribune (September 4, 1932) hows the real situation when it says: "It is estimated that if all retail stocks were replenished to a figure even near normal this buying alone would run the textile mills of the country at their present accelerated pace for at least one month."

In other words, one month's em-ployment is held out as a possibility or replenishing the stocks of textile This is quoted from The Textile Organ, published by the Tubize llon Corp.

14 COMMUNISTS EXECUTED IN CHINCHOW

SHANGHAI.-Kuomin, the semiofficial agency of the Nanking Government reports that four-seen Communists have been executed in Chin-

They were charged with conspiring against the Nanking Government. Thirteen others are awaiting trial and

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## U.S.S.R. Production Increases As Capitalist Output Goes Down The final figures showing the development of the socialist industry of the Soviet Union in the first six

available. As was to be expected these figures show a steady growth of production in the country of so-cialism, whilst in the capitalist countries production declines with equal for the demands of the whole national economy. To this must be added that in the course of the first last year, the various branches of production have increased as follows: The total output of state industry has increased by 18.2 per cent. This increase is, however, not divided equally over the various branches. The greatest increase is in the heavy industry, 28.2 per cent. Light industry has grown by 15.9 per cent, whilst the food industry with 6 per cent and the wood industry with 2.6 per cent, lag far behind the other branches of

Increase Unsatisfactory
But even this increase in heavy
industrial production is considered by the Soviet government to be insufficient. In this period of development the coal mining and iron smelting industries continue to be the chief anxieties of socialist construction. Taken as a whole, the coal industry has an increase output of 26.7 per cent as compared with last year. But last year's production was on much too low a level, and did not suffice industries. Only a few branches form

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six months there has been a tendency towards a falling off in the average daily output. Between Jan-uary and July it declined from 195,ootions to 172,200 tons. In the iron smelting industry the output of pig iron increased by 27.6 per cent, but the output of rolling mill products by only 12.7 per cent and the products of the by the cent and the products of the by the cent and the cent duction of steel by only 11 per cent.
The iron and steel works to have been opened this year have only been set working in part. Only four of the 20 Martin furnaces planned have been set going, and none of the new

It will be admitted that these causes are of a serious nature, and that it is a hindrance that precisely but the difficulties are not unsur-mountable. The measures taken by the Soviet Government machinery as can prove that they have been adequate training, besides this the provision of educational opportunities for the accelerated train-

But Soviet Regard In- industry for instance with 19 per cent, the chemical industr ywith 20 per cent, and the cement industry with 24 per cent. This insufficient devedopment of the productivity of labor is due again to the inadequate and in part incorrect utilization of the up-to-date means of production, as evidenced by the excessive damage done to complicated machnisry.

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# Roosevelt's Farm Program

THE democratic candidate for president relieved himself of considerable wind from the State House steps at Topeka on Wednesday, under the pretense of giving the farmers a "program." But the kindest thing that even the New York Times, that eminent organ of finance capital and a Democratic party paper, could say about Roosevelt's "program" speech had to be accompanied by the following:

"Kansas farmers must have eagerly debated what that may nean . . ." "Some things seem doubtful or at least ambiguous . . ." "did not suggest any not offering any concrete plan .

particular method to make his program effective."

What is the Communist view of this democratic party "program"? Firstly, he gives "six points"; but the vague and pious wish set forth in the first point, of a "tariff benefit over world prices" for "producers of staples" (and what about those who produce other things?) is made impossible of realization by the conditions of the other five "points." Even the last words of the first "point" (that the "plan" must "not stimulate further production") are either worthless words or, if not, they will defeat the whole "plan."

WE have known for some time that Roosevelt was flirting with what is known as the "domestic allotment" plan, born in the brain of a certain college professor. This "plan" aims to survey each farmer's production for the past five years and "allot" him certificates on his average crop. For example, a farmer's average crop of wheat is 1,000 bushels. If he grows 1,200 bushels under Roosevelt's administration, 200 must be sold at the "world price," but for the 1,000 bushels he gets the world -plus the full or half the amount of the tariff on wheat, which is now 42 cents per bushel.

This is the "plan" which Roosevelt is flirting with. And his Topeka speech was a "trial balloon" to see how it might be received. But he surrounds it with a barbed wire barricade of conditions. It "must not stimulate production." But that is precisely what it will do, and to such a degree that it will make the whole "plan" collaps

His second condition is that it "must finance itself." One of the most painful subjects in the "domestic allotment" plan is—Who is going to pay? Who will pay these "certificates"? Which certificates, by the way, will be a rich source of discount robbery by the bankers who cash them for the farmers. And Roosevelt speaks for himself, but not for the farmers, when he says that "agriculture" does not want any relief from the federal government

Third, Roosevelt says his "plan" must not result in "dumping." Yet dumping will inevitably be the most marked result of the plan outside of the result that the small and middle farmers of America will be more impoverished by it than at present. Though their crops will grow just the same, they will be discriminated against in "allotments" in favor of the rich farmer, who will raise a big surplus because dumping will be

so much velvet to him. Fourth, Roosevelt says his plan must be "decentralized." This to avoid federal responsibility, though he wants the political credit for it and also to put its operation into the hands of the local bankers, politicians and rich farmers. Fifth, it must "strengthen the cooperatives" (started as one of Hoover's pet ideas) which surely need "strengthening" both financially and politically, since they are pretty much bankrupt and Iowa farmers who belong to them have seen their "cooperative" officials hiring gunmen with their money to beat them up and help the rich farmers

The sixth "point" is that the plan must be "as nearly as possible"-"voluntary." Anything is either voluntary or compulsory; and nothing can be "voluntary as nearly as possible." Since the "plan" will help only the rich farmers and will injure the small and middle farmers, Roosevelt hesitates to say it will be compulsory, but if it is not compulsory and enforced by a dictatorship, it will not work at all

Roosevelt's further proposal, that "Federal credit" (denied by him to the farmers directly) "be extended to banks, insurance and loan companies" has the same bad smell as Hoover's "program" now being shown as no aid at all to impoverished farmers; and Roosevelt makes it certain by saying that these parasite bankers and other usurers shall be restricted in giving loans only to "sound mortgages. In short, helping the rich farmers who don't need it, and refusing to loan or extend loans to hardpressed small and middle farmers.

ALL told, Roosevelt's "farm program" is only another trap to catch farmer votes. If it could possibly work-which it cannot in the long run-it would help only a small percentage of rich farmers and farm corporations, and make the great masses of toiling farmers worse off than before. Against this demagogy and deception, the Communist Party

Emergency relief for the impoverished farmers without restriction by the government and banks; exemption of impoverished farmers from taxation, and no forced collection of rents or debts.'

Furthermore, the Communist Party supports the farmers in actual struggles to make these demands effective in life. It supports the "market strike" which Roosevelt men among the "Holiday Movement" are trying to betray. And it urges all farmers not only to vote the Communist ticket, but to organize to demand relief by mass action, and to prevent by their own mass power any seizures and forecloseures.

# More Power to "Pioneer"!

By HELEN KAY

Editor of "New Pioneer". THE well-known Jewish writer. Moishe Nadir, hearing of the situation in the NEW PIONEER, sent a liberal donation, to insure the appearance of the otember issue and with it, wrote "I can't, by the way, help telling you that I consider the New Pioneer i splendid magazine from the point of view of imbuing our workers' kids with the class struggle

"I don't know of any other red magazine of this kind that is edited with more care or is better illustrated and ornamented, or of one that comes nearer achieving what is set out to do. here's more power to the

### "ALWAYS READY"

The September issue is now off the press. A special school number, since the schools open on September 10th, and with it the fight for Free Food in the schools, the Nev. Pioneer emanates the life of the workers' children. From the lively cover, made by Jacob Burck to the back strip, it breathes life, vivacity, and struggle.

The New Pioneer is a true Pioneer. While it was forced to skip its August issue due to the fact that there was no money, and that bills from the districts were due and not paid for, its appearance in September is a real comeback! The New Pioneer promises its readers that as long as their support is as keen and wide awake as it has been, it will continue to appear regularly, and lead them in their fight for food and clothing.

IN AUGUST we could not inform our readers through the mails that we were unable to appear. This was due to the fact that the post office would have demanded at least \$150 for our five thousand

factor in the appearance of the August issue. For this reason thruout the month hundreds of letters and post cards came into our office sent by our readers with the ques-tion "why didn't the August issue of the New Pioneer come to me?" I've been waiting for it all month.

### Is anything wrong?"

SUPPORT COMES IN Our young supporters in the cities and in the camps, hearing of our situation in various ways, rushed around and collected funds to insure the appearance of the September issue. Frank Rallat, East Claridon, Ohio, sent the New Pioer a donation and said that he had worked for it. We wrote back immediately and asked him what work he had done. He answered: "You asked me how I earned the fifty cents. Well, I was driving a horse when he was holding the cultivator. We cultivated six acres of corn and a half an acre of po-tatoes and I get the New Pioneer

every month. From Bruce Crossings, Michigan, Pioneers write in from a territory where workers are starving: "We donate twenty-five cents for the Pioneer and challenge the Pioneers of Mass., Michigan, and Ironwood, Michigan, to do the same."

Here is a comment by Charles Yale Harrison, author of "Generals Die In Bed", and other novels: "I wish to congratulate you on your splendid magazine. It is vital upto-the-minute and breezy. It certainly ranks with the best of the proletarian publications I have seen. I hope you succeed in raising your list of readers to 100,000. You merit success. My son asks me to tell you that the revolutionary 'funnies' on the back page are better than the ones he reads in the capitalist

newspapers."

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# PARTY LIFE

White Chauvinism in Providence, R. I.

### By LORETTA STARE

THE struggle against white chauvinist tendencies, both concealed and open, in the Party, was sharply dramatized by the famous Yokinen case. We still find, however, that our work among the Negro masses does not bring the results that we should attain. This is largely due to the lack of understanding of the Negro question and the failure of our comrades to root out white chauvinist tendencies from our

Many comrades who are not involved in Negro work maintain that they are devoid of chauvin-istic tendencies. When drawn into Negro work, their concealed white chauvinism comes into the open Such is the case in the Providence,

During the Lucille Wright tour, this sister of two of the Scottsboro boys was scheduled to speak in The Party unit was informed and asked to make arrangements for this meeting.

### FIRST WRONG STEP

At the unit meeting, the Party made a decision that one comrade should visit a Negro worker who had dropped out of the Party. This Negro comrade was to prepare for meeting, get a hall, draw up a leaflet, and they, the Party, would help him give them out.

This wrong attitude is typical of many units in connection with Negro work. The idea that only Negro work. gro comrades should be given Negro work and the indifference and passivity on the part of our comrades who allowed this to happen is the most prevalent expression of the influence of white chauvinism.

### Y.C.L. FIGHTS CHAUVINISM

Seeing this incorrect an dindifattitude to the Lucille Wright meeting, the section of the Young Communist League and another Y. C. L. comrade tried to form a united front with Negro and Cape Verdean workers. Preparations were made by these com-rades, a hall secured and leaflets printed. During the course of these preparations, a discussion arose on the Negro question, between a leading Party comrade in this section and the Y.C.L. comrades. There this leading Party comrade made a statement which openly exposed his white chauvinistic tendencies: "Those 'niggers' don't want to be organized," "They're too dumb," etc. This brought about further discussion which involved other

Party comrades.

The chauvinistic tendencies which have so long been concealed were expressed in statements such as: "The Party is on its knees to the Negro workers, flinging arms around their necks in its desire to keep them in its ranks"; insinuating that the Negroes are inferior be-cause "their brains are smaller than the white"; "No special attention should be paid to the Negro workers; they are exploited more than the white workers and should realize who their enemies This was followed up with white chauvinist bourgeois talk

### 'PRACTICAL' POISON

At the next Party meeting, the unit decided that they could not raise the deposit on the hall. Their excuse was that in the first place the Scottsboro meeting would be a anyway. To save their suggestion was that Lucille Wright should speak on a street corner. No arguments could convince them otherwise. They said they were not white chauvinists. They were only "being practical."

When it was pointed out that their statements and their attitude towards the Scottsboro meeting were clear-cut white chauvinism the comrades denied it. It is clear that the comrades who made these statements do not think themselves They say: "I helped chauvinist. prepare for Ford's meeting"; "I was angry when I called them nig-

### SOCIALIST PARTY POISON

Not one comrade could give any facts or examples to prove any of their statements. No scientist has ever proved the slightest inferiority of Negro to white. The Party is not "on its knees" to the Negroes. This is the most vicious kind of Socialist Party propaganda. Our Party, which is a Party of Negro and white, does state, however, that special atetntion must be paid to work among the most oppressed

Negro masses.

The Negro masses have a justified mistrust of the white workers because they have been oppressed, misled and betrayed by the white means and betrayed by the white master class and by such fakers as the Republican and Democratic politicians, the A. F. of L., the N. A. A. C. P., the Socialist Party, other reformists, etc. Though we are the only Party fighting for Negro rights, we, as yet, have not proved to the Negro workers in Rhode Island that we are sincere and that together we can better their conditions. That is why we must pay more attention to the Negro masses.

To say that one was angry is not enough to cover over a statement so contradictory to the Party Ine. One is not a chauvinist for just a moment; the remark was an outburst of concealed chauvinism. UNIT CONDEMNED

Some comrades in the Providence Unit are allowing capitalist views to influence them. These views have to be condemned as anti-working class, as views that strengthen the capitalist oppression of the Negro workers of the Negro workers.

"The Negro masses know every-thing that goes on in our Party that relates to the Negro question. It is not possible for us to extend AND THE N. A. A. C. P. SAYS IT WON A VICTORY IN TEXAS!—This is a copy of a leaster scattered by the Ku Klux Klan in Denison, Texas, several weeks ago, just before the Democratic primary elections.

The last pargraph refers to the lynching on May 9, 1930, of George Hughes, a Negro, on the court-house steps in Sherman, seven miles from Denison. our political influence among them, except upon the basis of daily, continuous, uncompromising, relentless war, against every manifastation of white chauvinism." (Eary Browder



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"-E-R-R-- I'd make as good a president as Hoover or Roosevelt"

# Guns and Rope for Negroes Who Fight for Their Right to Vote

By ELIZABETH LAWSON

FIVE hundred Negro citizens of I Shreveport, La., approached the doors of the Lakeside Auditorium not very many weeks ago, prepared to hold a meeting in which they would plan to cast their ballots. They were, in the overwhelmingly majority, followers of the Democratic Party.

These Negro citizens found the auditorium guarded like a fortress. Posce, armed with rifles and machine guns, stood sentinel at every door. The meeting was broken up. White, editor of the Shreveport Afro-American, who was to be a speaker at the meeting, was driven out of town and forced to remain in hiding for many weeks. Said the police:

vote, the streets of this city will run red with blood."

### "WE DON'T WANT

At about the same time in Houston, Tex., C. N. Love, editor of the Houston Informer, who had also been active in the fight for the suffrage, awoke at midnight with the smell of fire in his nostrils. He found that slabs of wood saturated in oil had been pulled around and under the house, and lighted.

A short time later, at Denison, Texas, leaflets were distributed in the name of the Klan. They read: "Negro: the white people do not want you to vote Saturday. "Do not make the Ku Klux Klan

take a hand. you remember what happened two years ago, May 9?" (This

### 4,000,000 Negroes Now Barred from the Polls

refers to the date when George Hughes, a Negro, was burned alive at Sherman.)

FOUR million Negro citizens of the United States are today deprived of that most elementary democratic right, the ballot. Almost two-thirds of the Americanborn Negroes 21 years of age and over, are disfranchised.

In ten states of the Union and the District of Columbia, the nation's capital Negro citizens are area of disfranchisement covers an immense territory of the Southincluding the states of North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Virginia, Ar-kansas, Louisiana and Texas. It is through these states that the Black Belt runs—that great territory in which the majority of the population is Negro.

### SHARE CROPPERS. TENANTS RESISTING

NEGRO

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pened Two Years Ago

May 9th?

This year, the struggle has sharpened. The increasing unity of Negro and white workers, the struggles in the South, the resistance of Negro croppers and tenants against robbery and peonage—these have struck terror into the hearts of the white robber landlords, bankers, bosses and state officials. Their furious efforts to continue

and extend the disfranchisement of Negroes is one of their ways of trying to fight back the wave of

BY what methods are the Negro citizens disfranchised? First, high poll taxes, and the requirement that all personal taxes paid before registration. In

Georgia, all taxes legally required since 1877 must be paid six months before election. Picture the poverty-stricken Negro worker or tenant-farmer, deliberately kept on the verge of starvation, being able to meet these requirements. Second, a high property quali-

Third, a fake "educational test," whose only purpose is the dis-franchisement of Negroes. No Negro will ever be able to read to the "satisfaction" of the lily-white committeemen or poll-watchers of the South. Fourth, an "understanding and

character" test. But obviously, a Negro who wants to exercise his right of suffrage thereby becomes an "undesirable citizen" in the eyes of the poll-watchers.

Fifth, the famous "grandfather" clauses, which operate to permit persons to vote even when they are not able to meet other tests, or ir ancestors, provided they voted in 1867. The lily-white purpose of this clause is obvous.

Sixth, sheer terror-the use of armed force, by police, sheriffs and militia; the threat of lynching; the stirring up by the white press and other boss agencies of crowds of white hoodlums against would-be Negro voters.

### SOME RECENT EXAMPLES

Here are the some recent examples from the field of struggle for the suffrage: North Carolina: Negroes of Ra-

leigh who were unable to pronounce words in the state constitution or explain them to the "satisfaction" of the poll-watchers, were stricken from the lists. Two hundred and ten colored Democrats were de-prived of their ballot in this way. In other North Carolina localities a last-minute challenge to Negro voters-so late that there was no

time to answer it-resulted in the disqualification of over 1,400 Negroes. No whites were challenged. Tennessee: The state convention of the Democratic Party did not pass a proferred resolution against the franchise for the Negroes,— because it "would be inefficious" -that is, it wouldn't work.

But terror and intimidation were used to try to keep the Negroes from the polls. Former Governor Paterson, now once more a candidate for the governorship, said "It is a travesty upon law and decency to allow the votes of these Negroes to determine the result of a Democratic primary." Paterrson is being urged in the campaign as "the white man's choice."

Texas: In Houston, election judges refusing to admit Negroes to the polls were backed up by the police. At Sherman, a flaming cross warned Negroes in the name of the Klan to keep away from the voting booths South Carolina: Democratic com-

mitteemen invoked the grandfather clause to strike from the lists the names of Negro citizens.

THUS by one method and another, millions of Negro citizens are deprived of one of their elementary

A STORY OF MINERS' LIVES AND STRUGGLES

### INSTALMENT I

kloverdale, penn. "dear comrade do you still re-member johngavro from valar i only got three weeks for it and this is the eighth week that im out at kloverdale and im writing i greet you comrade and all the

### johngavro

member of the communist party WHY, of course I remember John

Gavro from Volar. A summer storm greeted me when I stepped off the train about noon, at the Valar station. I was told that the section had informed the miners' committee that they were sending someone out here today, but there was no one waiting for me at the station. I thought that it might be because of the storm. Hardly waiting for the sun to come out, I started for the camp. Leaving the shopping district, I passed over a little bridge into the camp of the miners.

In times of strike, it is not advisable to inquire regarding the whereabouts of the miners, because it is likely that one may bump into a spy, and then the company's gangsters will know that one is in town before it is desirable. If the worst happens one will immediately find oneself either in jail or in the hospital. So, on the alert, but not looking too much to the right or left, I went through the town.

### MEET JOHN GAVRO

Suddenly Hungarian words struck my ear. Ten or a dozen Hungarian mners, sitting on chairs and benches on the stoop in front of a store were talking. A young giant, well over six feet, with mustache and clean-shaven cheeks—as I later found out, this was John Gavrowas just explaining how, in his sailor days, a machinist was shot down by the officers because he stood up for a Negro stoker.

"Well," I thought, "judging by this, I'm on the right track." went over to them and told them where I was heading.

The district had sent me out because for the last three days, since the arrest of the strike leaders, there had been no news of the

One by one, they shook my hand warmly. I grabbed John Gavro's big palm with both my hands. I sat down to talk with them for a while, and then we quickly sep-arated to call the miners together on the empty lot behind the relief kitchen, for a meeting. They ar-ranged among themselves where each one was to go, and they part-Only Gavro stayed with me and the storekeeper.

### "NO PLACE TO GO"

"I have no place to go now, and I can't call anybody because I'm living in the company district among the strike breakers, mostly Poles and Negroes. They just picked them up and brought them here from the Chicago garbage heaps. They all look it. There isn't a single miner among them.

"My landlord is a company man, but his wife is Hungarian."

He said this hesitatingly, and when he mentioned the woman, he turned his eyes away like a schoolboy.
The storekeeper winked at me and

I understood. In spte of the fact that John Gavro was on strike, his landlady did not kick him out of the company's house, because "Because, you know, she is Hun-

garian, and I'm Hungarian too," John tried to explain, but the storekeeper laughed, at which Gavro "Well, what of it! I'm not home

all day, and I don't eat a single bite over there even though the woman offers it to me! And I don't even see the strike breakers. I go home in the evening and I leave at dawn. Where else could I sleep? I haven't money even for cigarettes. In the morning there's the black coffee with a little piece of bread from the relief kitchen. If there's some kind of slop for supper, we are lucky, but most of the time, there isn't even that."

### By EMIRY BALINT ONLY BREAD

AND COFFEE. "There has been no supper for two days now, and today only the kids got bread with their coffee,"

interrupter the storekeeper.

The storekeeper, to show me his poverty, led me into his store and pointed at the empty shelves. He explained that, actually, he was a miner, that now he was striking too, and that he only kept this little store on the side. He had no money to buy stock, and except for a few packages of cigarettes, there was hardly anything in this store.

"Why should I keep any stock?" he explained, "no one has any money to buy with. They even get the cigarettes one at a time for a penny apiece. . .

When we came out, John Gavro was no longer in front of the store. The storekeeper said that he must have got to feeling ashamed because of the woman

### "WHAT A MAN JOHN IS"

"But what a man John is!" he aid. "He would not miss the picket line for anything. He can hard-ly move his bulk, he's so hungry; nevertheless, he walks six miles there. We picket for one hour, and then six miles back, and here he gets a cup of black coffee with the rest. Today we had no bread either. He used to mine twice as much as any ordinary man, and he could lift a two hundred pound potato barrel like a bottle of beer. That's the kind of a man he was. All the same, I wouldn't like to take a wallop from him today either. . . . That woman is his ruin. She was always a rotten one She doesn't care whether it's a Pole, Gypsy, or Negro If the miner has any money left, she takes it away at cards or for whiskey. That's why she keeps the strike breakers in the house.

"That's the kind of woman she

"Well, if he likes the woman-" I interrupted. "I don't know. I only know that these single miners are like mon-

grel dogs. It's hard for them to leave the door where they get a SLOWLY the strikers gathered on the lot behind the kitchen. Men,

women, children. Blacks, whites. There were those who had hurried up pantingly inquiring after the provision truck. One or two women had come with pots. The children began to blubber when they heard



that I had not brought any relief. Twenty or thirty miners were buzzing around me, each one trying to push the other away so to be the one to tell me their troubles.

"The mine is operating with strike breakers. Formerly, hundred of us were working, now only two hundred and fifty. True, about a hundred of that number are now, but the rest, we are sorry to say, are from among us. came out a hundred per cent five weeks ago, but the miners are so poor around here, that if they come out in the morning, in the evening they are already asking for relief. So, one by one, most of them have gone back."

(To Be Continued)

### McNamara

### By HENRY GEORGE WEISS

Because he was strong and fearless In Labor's behalf They have caged him here, Yet he has grown stronger In their prison of stone and steel.

The labor-fakers have dropped away. The tools of corrupt politics Whom his martyrdom saved Heed him no longer. They are afraid of such men, Afraid of their sublime courage, Proletarian strength.

In the grey light of prison depths He looms a giant, A Prometheus bound to a rock For daring to light the torch of Freedom At the fires of rebellion.

democratic rights, as part and par-cel of the struggle of the white bosses to keep them apart from the white workers, to maintain them as a specially exploited group.

White workers are also dis-franchised—to a greater extent this year than ever before. The foreign-born, the soldiers and sailors, the youth, are disfranchised by law. An enormous percentage of the unemployed are disfranchised in fact, by residence qualifications, by poll taxes, by property-require-

ments, etc., etc. It is necessary to fight against the disfranchisement of the work-ers, black and white. But we must

never forget-while a certain percentage of white workers are prived of the right to vote, the Negroes in the South are deprived of the ballot—almost to a man. This national aspect of the problem should never be lost from sight.

In another article to be published soon, I shall show how the Republican, Democratic and Socialist parties have combined to deprive the Negroes of the South of the right of the ballot, and I shall take up the question: What is the duty of the Communist Party and of the revolutionary mass organizations in the fight for Negro arranchisement?