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In the Day's News

PLAN TO PILOT ROCKET MADGEBURG, Germany, Dec. 18. Engineer Heinrich Nebel has designed a rocket which would carry a pilot some 3,000 feet into the air on the first rocket-pliot flight to be at-tempted. The flight has been scheduled for next spring. The rocket i to return to the ground by means of a large, automatic parachute. The is to descend by a separate parachute.

. . . GOES TO PRISON TO SAVE STARVING FAMILY

DETROIT, Dec. 18 .- Richard Rambow, 26, and unemployed for three years is one of the thousands of workers who sacrificed their liberty as the only means of providing sup-port for their families. Rambow refused a probations sentence and chose a two year prison sentence instead after Judge Boyne explained eligible for a pension.

SALES TAX TO HIT TOILERS NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .-- A state Sales Tax of 1 per cent which would reduce existing living standards of workers and poor farmers to the tune of \$40,000,000 is being pushed by Seabury C. Mastick who is chairman of Anthony's Own Paper the Legislative Tax Revision Com-

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COPS DEFEND LANDLORD IN FIRE DEATHS

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- Trapped by fire and smoke on the top floor of a two-and-a-half story building, at 90-38 176th St., which has no fire escape tionary Forces, is graphically revealed two brothers, 20 and 7 years old, lost in the December issue of Anthony's their lives, while the mother and personal mouthpiece, "The B. E. F.two daughters were seriously and Camp Hushka News.' painfully burned. The police, who serve the landlords in eviction cases notorious police ally who announced immediately came to the defense of the owner of the building by saying that he was organizing a bonus that the rear entrance of the building freed the landlord from the obligation of installing a fire escape.

BANKERS ORDER 1,600 FIRED

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 18.-By of the Baltimore bankers, orders around 1,600 of the City's employees will lose their jobs because of the \$2,500,000 additional cuts in the estimates of next year's budget. The greatest reductions will be in the Departments of Public Works and Edu-Cation. Wages of public school teachers had been cut by 10 per

cent some time ago.

ISSUE CALL FOR ANTI-WAR CONGRESS TO FIGHT WAR PLOTS IN SOUTH AMERICA

Warn That Present Wars Are Prelude to **New World Slaughter**

Urges All Persons Against War to Support Congress Feb. 28 in Montevideo, Uruguay

MONTEVIDEO, Dec. 18 .- Declaring war against the imperialist wars and bloody coups now raging in South Amer- PASS WALL ST. ica, the Latin American Confederation of Labor, in co-operation with anti-war committees in Argentine and Uruguay, has initiated a broad movement for an anti-war congress at Montevideo, Uruguay, beginning February 28, 1933.

A call for the congress, issued by an organizational comthat a man must be sentenced for at least two years before his wife is mittee set up by the three organizations appeals to the toiling

EXPOSE SELLOUT

OF B. E. F. LEADER

masses and intellectuals of South struggle against war initiated by the World Congress Against Imperialist War, recently held at Amsterdam. The call points out: "The hour has arrived to take up

the struggle against war or to perish in the war serving the inter-ests of the imperialist oppressors, Shows Treachery the landlord slave-drivers and the CHICAGO, Dec. 18 .- The brazen

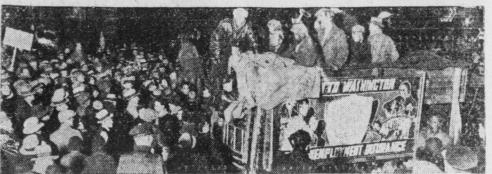
incipient, greedy, native bourgeoi. sellout of the struggle for immediate sies. We must frustrate the war payment of the bonus by George Anplans or be the cannon fodder sacthony, self-appointed national field commander of the Bonus Expedirificed to the interests of the money bags of our exploiters!"

> Danger of World Slaughter. The Call warns that the undeclared wars between Bolivia and Paraguay freedom

and between Peru and Colombia, ac-Anthony, alias Antonovich, is the companied by bloody coups in Chile, Brazil, etc., are rapidly developing into a continental war with the sinmarch to Washington. He arrived in world slaughter more bloody than the last one went into conference with General

'The insatiable voracity of the im-Frank T. Hines, administrator of perialist magnates and their native allies in Latin America, the semiveterans' affairs, and then "called off" the bonus march, stating that feudal landlords and the lincipient he had made an agreement with national bourgeoisies, is shedding riv-Hines providing immediate relief for ers of blood in the Chaco region, has the vets at the B. E. F. camp. The December issue of the "B. E. provoked armed conflicts on the frontier of Peru with Ecuador and F.-Camp Hushka News" orders a march to Washington in the follow-ing screaming headlines: "On to Washington! March Ordered After Plea for Relief Fails." Colombia giving rise to extensive war. But after the paper had gone to ness in Argentine-Bolivian and Bo-

cent some time ago. SENTENCE KRUEGER'S BROTHER STOCKHOLM, Dec. 18.—Torsten Krueger, brother and co-partner of the late Ivar Krueger whose immense swindle operations shook the cap-italist world and caused losses to



paraded Washington and presented demands to congress, entering New York Trucks of marchers who on the way back. They got a big reception from thousands of workers. Wherever the delegations come back, there is immediate growth of unemployed councils and intensified struggle for relief.

By N. BUCHWALD

(European Correspondent Daily

Worker).

MOSCOW, Dec. 18 (Cable) .- The

results of the All-Union contest of

the athletic societies reflect the improved material conditions and

higher health level of the Soviet

Over two thousand athletic or-

mass

Soviet Sports **FILIPINO BILL**

Senate Votes for Act Against Island Masses

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. - The America and of the whole world to immediately take up the world-wide struggle against war initiated by the to conference with the house of representatives. The senate bill provides that after it becomes law by action of the two houses of congress and has the signatures of the legis lature, which may approve it and call a constitutional convention, which will draw up a constitution to be voted on by the people of the islands. When, and if, the constitu-tion is adopted, the islands will enter upon a twelve year preparatory period, at the end of which time, if they have fulfilled all demands of the United States imperialists they will be granted what is described as

Juggle Date Question.

The capitalist press refers to this into a continental war with the sin-ister threat of a new imperialist world slaughter more bloody than the postponed for many years while the juggling with the constitution goes on. But even after formal independ-ence the Phillippines will be in a similar condition to the Cubans who similar condition to the Cubans who are now supposed to enjoy independ-ence—but where Wall Street im-perialism maintains in power a pup-pet government, maintains naval, military and air bases and crushes by bayonet and machine-gun any at-tempt to challenge Yankee tyranny. This bill is now before congress

only as a part of the preparations for war in the Pacific; to try to disintegrate the growing movement for independence in the islands and strengthen its military positions against Japan in the conflict for domination of the Pacific.

A nowerful anti-imperiali

1,500 PROTEST POLISH MURDERS Contests Show Great Advance Force N. Y. Consul to

Hear Demands

NEW YORK .- In an icy blizzard more than 1,500 working men and women demonstrated almost three hours up and down the snow-covered streets in the neighborhood of the Polish Consulate on E. 67th St., between Third and Lexington Aves.

In a militant profession of international solidarity, they raised the voice of the U.S. working class in protest against the inhuman torture by the Pilsudski government of revo-lutionary workers in Polish prisons; against the mass murder of Jewish and Ukrainian workers by govern-ment incited pogroms. "Stop this blocdy persecution now," the demon-

The demonstrators tried several times to march to the front of the Polish Consulate, but only a delega-tion of five succeeded in penetrating the war-like police guard and in laying the demands before the New York agent of Polish fascism.

The long line of marchers held up hundreds of banners bearing slogans fornia State Hunger March on Sacand demands. They shouted and marched and sang while the snow beat against their faces, and tried from three different points to force their way to the consulate. Each from time the Taminany police threatened force against the marching men and women

Police Interfere.

The police went out of their way to bear the brunt of capitalist class to direct traffic into the crowd while "justice" when he was sentenced to Carl Hacker, secretary of the International Labor Defense, was delivering the report of the delegation of five at the close of the demonstraary.

> The United Front Committee con-But for almost three hours the rhose case large crowd had marched in a line, "leniency" two and one-half blocks long, back Denver, of which 19 are A. F. of L.

HUNGER MARCHES ON 6 STATE CAPITALS FOR **UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF**

CITY EDITION

Intensified Struggle As Result of National Marchers Report and Call of National Comm.

Similar Action Follows Soon in Other States; United Front Conferences Plan Details

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 18 .- Six thousand workers in 23 meetings around the city heard the returned National Hunger Marchers report, and the immediate results of their reports are plans for:

A state hunger march on Harrisburg, Feb. 1.

A march by children of unemployed workers on the Board of Education here, Dec. 24.

Many mass demonstrations and mass meetings on block, neighborhood and section basis.

State Hunger March **MARCHERS WIN** The Unemployed Councils of Erie

and Pittsburgh will co-operate with FREE TOLL, GAS that of Philadelphia for a march from all parts of the state to the state capital. A united front conference of un- Jail Four, Reporting employed and workers' mass organi_

zations will be held soon, with the main task, in addition to the state march, of fighting evictions.

As a result of the reports of the marchers, several new neighborhood branches and block committees of the unemployed council have been organized. New unemployed coun-cils have been started in North Hills, and Arsly, where previoulsy there was no organization

. . . Prepare In Southern Cal.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 18. -Four field organizers left this city Dec. 15 to tour the southern California cities and help organize delegaramento, Jan. 10. . . .

50 Organizations Plan March.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 18-The United Front Committee for Winter Relief and Unemployment Insurance will hold a city-wide conference here to.

day in Carpenters Hall, for the purpose of completing arrangements to welcome the western contingents of the Hunger Marchers and to prepare for the Hunger March on the

Colorado State Capital when the legislature convenes early in Janu-

> south west. Marchers Arrested.

FARRELL, Pa., Dec. 18 .- Police of

Farrell and Sharon, and Carnegie

state police armed with clubs, tear

gas guns, and pistols invaded the Croatian Hall in Farrell Saturday

A permit for the meeting had beer

given, but it was revoked at the fast

minute. The local workers had is-

sued a leaflet exposing the low re-

lief and the new scheme of cu'ting

it still lower through an invsetigat-

Meet To Plan Struggle.

defeat the wage cuts in the mills

They were planning to build the

Steel and Metal Workers Industrial

Union and build the unemployed

council, as well as to win more re-

Ask Jobs For 1.000.

Shivering in the zero weather, Far-

Steel Co. police and Pennsylvania

strators shouted. Try to Reach Embassy.

for greater efficiency in industry

came from these athletes SENTENCE 6 IN SO.

RIVER FRAME - UP Long Terms Imposed; 15 More Face Trial

River strike frame-up, were sen-tenced in Judge Lyons court. Fred serve 18 months in the State Prison. Others convicted are: Frank Irisky, sentenced to 1 year in the County Workhouse, John Prujkowsky to tion. serve 6 months in the workhouse, and Bu

ganizations participated in the con-test. 443,000 athletes won their "G.T.O." letters certifying their fitness for "labor and defense." Nearly two and a half million workers ate qualifying for the coveted "G.T.O." distinction. The members of the athletic groups are among the leading shock workers. 86,000 suggestion

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Dec. 18.

-Six workers, on trial in the South Litz, only 20 years old, was made

50 in whose

in Farrell, Pa. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 18 .-

Triumphantly passing over the Mis-sissippi River toll bridge without paying toll, Columns 2, 3 and 5 of the National Hunger March swept into St. Louis, Friday, all together in one caravan, and ready for new struggles

They announced a series of victories, gained by the mass support of the workers in cities they recently passed through.

In Terre Haute, organized pressure of local workers on the city council forced it to provide 100 gallons of gasoline and oil for the trucks of the marchers. Fifty gallons of gasoline was won in the same way at Effingham, Ill., and 25 gallons from

Casey, Ill., town government. This line of returning marchers has had to battle every inch of the way. They were attacked and scattered by police in Maryland, Virginia

West Virginia, and Pennsylvania The weather is the coldest in this part of the country known in 15 years; the temperature in 4 below zero.

The column rested over Saturday in St. Louis, made reports to mass meetings of the unemployed and is now on the way to points west and

italist world and caused losses to Washington, D. C.!" thousands of investors, was sentenced to 3 1-2 years in jail for his part, in the Krueger Match debacle. In this way capitalism tries to maintain its fiction regarding "justice for all."

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and file.

MARTIAL LAW IN ARGENTINE

Bloody Terror Against Masses

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 18. - The Argentine Government declared martial law yesterday and launched a murderous attack on the Communist Party and other working-class organizations, as a sequel to the police invasion and gassing of a mass meeting of workers called last Tuesday night to protest against the growing mass misery and the government's drive to participate in the undeclared war between Bolivia and Paraguay.

Abolish Rights for Masses

All constitutional guaranties have been suspended, including freedom of government to arrest, deport or mur_ der its opponents without court pro-The government has suppressed the Communist press and closed the offices of four port workers' unions, arresting their organizers. The government used the alleged of a plot by Hipolito Irogoven and other leaders of his Personalista Radical Party for the seizure of power as a pretext for carry_ ing out the wildest terror against the iling masses, although admitting with the arrests of the Irogovenist U. S. FEARS WORLD DEBT DEFAULT that the proposed coup was crushed

Lies against Communists

To "justify" its terror against the working-class, the government alleges that the Communists and other re volutionary workers were implicated in the Irogoyen plot. It has broadcasted the vicious slander that the Communists had an arresment with casted the the Irogoyenists whereby the Com-

The martial law edict is being used in the provinces to crush the preparations of the ruined farmers for a march of 100,000 farmers on the capital to demand relief.

Win Use Of City Hall. HAVERHILL, Mass., Dec. 18.— Collection of signatures of 50 citiz-ens and persistent demands forced

, A Hunger-War Program. A "By means of the unlimited ex. gle,

The same issue of the sheet also redoubling of the seridom of the Incarries an article, captioned "A False dians, further enslavement of the attacking the Daily Negroes, letting loose war, the imper-Statement.' Worker for having exposed the fact lalists, the native landlords and imperialists out of the Philippine that Anthony and his henchmen bourgeoisies hope to unburden them- Islands. ruling Camp Hushka with an selves of the crisis . . ."

iron hand and terorizing the rank But such a war will have the contrary effect: "Hunger, economic ruin,

The writer of the article does not the destruction of the fruits of dereply to the charge that Anthony cades of labor, these will be the connbezzled money entrusted to him sequences of this new world war. for ex-servicemen at Camp Bartlett The daily trend of world politics last summer during the first bonus show the imminency of this. Japan

march. Neither does the writer ex- with its policy of military occupaplain why the camp M. P.'s man- tion of Manchuria, its war of pilhandled every rank and file veteran lage and dismemberment of China, who entered the camp to discuss the has intensified the struggle among necessity of another march on the imperialists, each in its effort

Washington. to obtain the greatest slice of the The Chicago Veterans' Rank and loot. The wars in South America. File Committee warns the B. E. F. the coups, the internal war in Brazil members against this latest treachery are also part of the inter-imperialist of Anthony's and calls on them to struggle.

join in a real united front struggle It's Anti-Soviet Aim. "The armed forces of imperialism for relief and payment of the bonus now in accordance with the program are being mobilized against the adopted by the rank and file con- Soviet Union, against the construcference of bonus marchers in Wash- tion of Socialism in what used to ington last Thursday. be the Russia of the czars . . . The

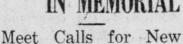
Latin American governments are WHAT? A REAL LIBERAL JUDGE preparing to collaborate actively and WINNIPEG, Canada.-Because he under the direction of the imperialsaid there is one law for the rich ist general staffs in this attack less leader, but is a new mobilization speech and press, thus enabling the and another for the poor, and re- against the Workers' and Peasants' fused to send strike pickets to jail, Republic.' Judge Stubbs is under investigation The Ca The Call outlines the following

proposals for combatting the crimequivalent to impeachment. inal war drive of the imperialists:

"This great Anti-War Congress ANOTHER STARVING VET CLEVELAND.—George Fisher, 33, World War veteran, after nine will have for its aim the prepara. tion of an effective struggle against nine war and against imperialism, its instigator and to unify all forces months of unemployment, has offered to work for anyone who will take care of his two daughters, aged 4 and 6.

uniting ploitation of the toiling masses, the against imperialist policy the toil-redoubling of the serfdom of the Inthe colonial masses of the Islands is the one thing that will drive the

> **HONOR ENGDAHL** IN MEMORIAL



Effort for Scottsboro

NEW YORK -Crowds were moving p-town yesterday evening and packing into the big Bronx Coliseum for City. the last tribute to J. Louis Engdahl. who died suddenly in the midst of the struggle he was leading to free BRITISH R. R. the Scottsboro boys.

Engdahl's ashes were brought into the Coliseum with the workers standing and the Workers' International Relief Band of 40 pieces playing a funeral march.

The meeting is not only in honor of a good comrade, fearless and tireto carry on the struggle for the Scottsboro Negro boys from the point where death struck down J. Louis Engdahl.

A principal speaker scheduded to address the meeting was Mrs. Ada Wright, mother of two of the boys threatened with electrocution on framed charges at Scottsboro. She is just back from the Scottsboro campaign in Europe, during which

(CONTINUED ON PAGE 3) Engdahl died. action the jury recommended

Joe Ploskon and John Kuchewsky, both of whom are 20, were sentenced to hold meetings, and in each case to 1 year each in the reformatory.

To Try 15 Others.

There are still 15 workers to be tried in this case. The International Labor Defense is mobilizing the maximum mass support to save the remaining 15 workers from similar

victimization. Both the New York and the local offices of the I.L.D. are taking up the question of appeal in the case of the workers who have been convicted. Immediate contri-butions, and a flood of mass protests are necessary to continue the defense of these workers. Funds

should be rushed at once to the I.L.D. Room 328, 80 East 11th St., New York

the police disrupted the gatherings. After the police pulled down one of the speakers at the first meeting in the middle of the block on E. 66th

St., the workers paraded to the corner of Lexington Ave. and continued the meeting in defiance of the police. Must Continue Fight. lief to the children.

The demonstration was called by a united front committee, including Jewish, Polish, Ukrainian and Russian organizations and the International Labor Defense.

In reporting the delegation's visit to the Embassy, Hacker said the consul had replied to them in expected demagogic terms, and cautioned that only p continued mass fight would have any effect in actually forcing the demands.

Roosevelt Jokes As STRIKE LOOMS He Signs Bill to Cut City Workers' Pay

U.S. Rail Union Chief NEW YORK .- In the comfortable Says He Can Cut Pay library of his town house, one of his ference to the governor at 1:30 P. many homes, the wealthy President- M.

elect Roosevelt, signed, as Governor LONDON, England, Dec. 18 .---Union leaders yesterday declared of New York, the legislature's bill that a strike on all British railways cutting wages of the teachers and before Jan. 1, seems inevitable, in permitting the Tannamy Board of ployed Councils for state hunger the dispute over proposed wage cuts. Estimates to cut wages of all other marches and delegations to the legis-However, they agreed through John Bromley, president of the En-ginemen's Union, to negotiate fur-ther with Sir Joseph Stamp and Sir Walter Wedgewood representing Wedgewood, representing cent of the bills passed by the legis-loyers. above, there are: Washington, Jan. 9 and Illinois, Jan. 29. lature. But not these.

local unions; Unemployed Councils, and forth along Third Ave., 66th and 68th Sts., bordering the neighborhood Citizens Unemployed Leagues, Indeof the consulate. They stopped twice pendent Unemployed organizations, fraternal organizations, etc.

Expose Child Hunger.

night and arrested the returned Na TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 18 .- On Detional Hunger Marchers scheduled cember 23 a committee of 50 needy to report to the mass meeting there children from many cities in New Those arrested were: Archer and Jersey will call on the Governor of New Jersey, Mr. Moore, and present Thompson, Negro steel workers; Fox and Loncar, young workers-all undemands to him for immediate re_ employed delegates on the National

Public hearings are being held throughout the state to expose the miserable conditions of the children and for the election of delegates to the governor. These hearings will elect committees of workers and their parents to go to the local school authorities to place demands for the immediate relief of the chil-

dren going to these schools. rell workers clustered around the The delegation will arrive in Trenhall, and 100 got inside. Late last ton on Dec. 22 in the evening and night the steel workers were meetwill hold a public hearing ing in a private house, planning a campaign to smash the terror and

On the 23rd at 10:30 in the morning the New Jersey Children's Conference on Child Misery will be held. This conference will elect the committee of children and parents to present demands adopted by the con-

Yesterday the mayor tried to brib a delegation demanding relief, by Following the call Dec. 14 of the offering them jobs. The delegates National Committee of the Unem. exposed this demagogy by proposing that he give jobs to the thousand unemployed workers they would bring before him.

lief.

March.

ing comm

Farrell has been a notoriously "tough" town on workers for a long time. It was here that during the 1919 steel strike men were forced to walk to Ohio.

Demand Free Coal.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Dec. 18 .- One of the most rousing meetings held recently welcomed the Lawrence delegation on the National Hunger March when they reported in Needham Hall on Wednesday night. The meeting was greeted by Farrell of the National Textile Workers Union who called upon the workers to take up a fight against the new wave of wage cuts which according to run has already begun in the Wood mill. Demands On Congress.

A resolution calling upon Congress to set all other bills aside to take up the demands presented by the National Hunger Marchers and to pass upon them in favor of the workers was unamiously passed. This resolution also denounced Governo Ely's wage cut program. It urged the N.T.W. and unemployed counthe crowd jamming the street, but way. considerable self discipline was evi-dent also, and there was no oppor-He contrasted this with the great expansion of production in Soviet and hot lunches in the schools and and for immediate cash relief to all unemployed, for free coal gas Once inside, proceedings were on a high plane of politeness, but not on a (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE) by the Unemployed Council."

STREET THE TREET

and solicates

Socialist Leader Aids Plunder of Masses

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 .- In ad-1 that increased tariffs against French | leader, issued a statement supportdition to increasing threats of war-like reprisals against French securi-fect the products of U. S.-owned ing payment of the war debts deties and the French tourist trade, plants in France and the other de-Washington officials on Saturday ex- faulting countries. These fears, howmunists were to be given 48 hours "to Washington officials on Saturday ex-sack the city." Washington officials on Saturday ex-erted other forms of pressure in their ever, did not lessen the volume of attempt to force the French Chamber chauvinist nationalist agitation in

to reverse its decision to default on Congress over the war debts. Hoover the war debts payments. and Stimson were in secret confer-They declared that the Wall Street ence throughout the day at the same time that Roosevelt held similar

government was willing to continue the debt discussions, but at the same Albany. time insisted on unconditional pay-

faulting states of the instalments due French dispatches report that Sen-

imposed by the imperialists. Blum assures U.S. capitalism that the refusal of the French Chamber to pay the December war debts installment was "only temporary." He says not one word about the growing mass secret conference with his advisers at misery in France arising out of the heavy taxations, armament burdens

French dispatches report that Sen- entire statement is a defense of

Walter the employers. Postpone Irish Cut. definite stand of north Irish rail-way workers for strike rather than FISH-NEARING DEBATE a new wage cut, has caused the companies to postpone the announced cut for one month.

Whitney Says He Can Cut.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 18.—A dec-laration by A. F. Whitney, spokes-man of the delegation of 1,500 railand more resisting the tax burdans ate an extension of the ten per cent

of continuation of the wage cut. negotiators should be co

high political level. The chief fea-BY VERN SMITH NEW YORK.—Some 3,000 attended the debate in Mecca Temple Friday win's wisecracks and the clowning

night between Congressman Hamil- by Fish. Nearing sat in business-like fashion ton Fish, Jr., and Scott Nearing, under the auspices of New Masses at the table provided, Fish-as bewage cut agreement, expiring Jan. 31, 1933," ended until Monday the at the New Masses and Workers Book lounged in an easy chair.

Nearing spoke first, and outlined The railroad workers were not blocks of tickets to scalpers. The the fairly well known features of consulted by their union representa-tives as to what they might think had and had not tickets, outside the over 50 per cent wage cuts, waredoors from 7.30 to almost 9 p.m. while house jammed and industrial plants fully able to provide for everything, is whether the cut siderable resentment was audible in only the capitalist principle of pro-intinued another year, as the crowd jamming the street, but duction for profit standing in the and for immediate cash relief to

Very Funny, But on Low Political Level

31, 1933," ended until Monday the sessions of the union representatives Shop were sold out ahead of time, Outlines Crists

and company officials here Saturday. but Briggs apparently sold large The only argument before the the scalpers plied their trade. Con-

PAGE TWO

MORE MEETINGS FOR MARCHERS

Block Committees Winning Relief

YORK .- Over 90 special od and organization meetngs have been held so far in New ork to hear the reports of National Hunger Marchers. More are planned. The Manhattan Committee of Action for Winter Relief will meet to-

night at 7:30 at 10 E. 17th St. to hear reports of the marchers and plan further struggle for relief here. All members should come prepared to make final settlement for supplies used for Hunger March. All works' organizations are invited to send delegates to this session.

Win Relief for Negroes.

Nine Negro families and one white family of unemployed workers, led by the Dean St. Block Committe made the Quincy St. Home Relief Bureau grant food and rent to three families and register five more. This block committee has won in 90 per cent of the cases it has brought to the Bureau.

Police Threaten Council.

The Warren St. and the Third Ave. a Bronx worker, will face charges of lock committees affiliated to the "disorderly conduct" because he has block committees affiliated to the Unemployed Council of South Brookto the 69 Schermerhorn Home Reto this Bureau to demand immediate swindlers. relief and she called the police and The Mu

the Unemployed Council in South borrowed the \$40, because he was des-Brooklyn, to threaten the members perate for work. that they would all be arrested if they went again to demand relief for bers demanded the return of the the hungry families.

white workers united in the Council and its demonstrations. The unemployed workers in the Council answered the police that it was their Council, fighting for them, and they would do all they could to build it up and to win relief.

Hospital Has Man Slugged. Lucian Pesco, unemployed for two years, got some work as kitchen porter at the Fordham Hospital, Bronx, a city institution.

The head dietician fired him for knowing about bootlegging and graft. Not only was he fired, but an ambulance driver was sent to beat him up, and the driver kicked Pesco in the face

JURY ORDERED TO SEAMAN CONVICT Judge Rules Sailors

Are Not Civilized

NEW YORK .--- Following instructions, which a lawyer unconnected with the case termed the most flagrant manifestation of partiality he had ever seen in a judge, the jury in the case of Govert Schouten ruling was voted down by the meet-ing, and the motion was put and case was appealed. Schouten was tried on a framed charge brought by the Seamens' Church Institute. The ices of Local 6 of the Intermetional

Job Sharks Rob \$40 from Worker BRyani 9-0290 - 0291 CARL MULLER, Prot Nº 1235 CARL MULLER'S EMPLOYMENT SERVICE 1173 SIXTH AVENUE NEW YORK . 19 1 Doler RECEIVED from M

the amount of Aour Salary's SC for providing a pos _ Sig. End princing Fee \$ 40 Bal Due \$ 10 Per-Tn accordance with Section 183-6 ? of Chapter 760 of the Laws of 1910 as printed on the back nereof.

The above is a reproduction of a \$40 receipt issued by the Carl Muller Employment Agency, 1173 6th Avenue, to Charles Doleys, of the Bronx, a \$50 per month job which the latter did not receive. The receipt and information were provided by the Sixth Avenue Grievance Com-

TO START TODAY

Framed on Charge of

Manslaughter

Pack Court Today As WEINSTEIN TRIAL Worker Is Tried for Fighting Job Sharks NEW YORK .-- Pack the court at

214 West 54th Street at 10 o'clock this morning, when Charles Doleys,

refused to permit the Carl Muller lyn have been so successful in get-ting relief for the cases they bring to steal \$40 from him, the Sixth Avenue Job Agency Grievance Comlief Bureau that Miss O'Neil, the mittee urges. Other members of upervisor of the Bureau, has de- the grievance committee also will County Court, Tremont and Arthur clared war on them. Friday morn- face charges in that court this mor- Ave's. ing several dozen workers went down ning for fighting against job shark

had the leader of the delegation ar-rested. Then she sent a squad of police grievance committee said. The total in another part of the City at the cent's Hospital despite the fact that with a sergeant to headquarters of price for the "job" was \$50. Doleys time the murder was committed, the her condition had become critical.

courts carrying out the wishes of the boss, have been making strenuous efforts to railroad him to a long jail When Doleys and committee memterm. The International Labor De-

stolen \$40, the former was handed The sergeant was particularly abu-sive when he found that Negro and morning for "disorderly conduct." fense uncil Magistrate Charles Brandt, Jr., issued the summons.

Printers to Get Fake Referendum

Can Vote for Cuts or for Howard to Settle Broadway, Room 338. NEW YORK .-- President Hewson

appointed a strong arm squad, called Workers' Center Is in assistant sergeants at arms" at the Danger; Banquet Jan.8 Typographical Union ("Big 6") meet-

yesterday, and jammed through by steam roller tactics a vote of 410 to 235 to put out a tricky referendum The provisional committee of the co 235 to put out a tricky referendum on the job printers' scale. The nist Party of the United States of in the shop is mobilizing the workers printers will be allowed to choose one or the other of two propositions: to which is to take place on Sunday, ginning at 12 noon and go to the or to let the International President Howard arrange the scale with the employers. Howard arrange the scale with the employers. committee declared:

Every motion to propose anything else the printers might vote for, was trade unions, trade union groups and ruled out of order. party units are urged to elect dele-In spite of Hewson's declaring the

gates to this banquet and to send their contributoin with the delegates motion out of order, a resolution was passed by the meeting denouncing the newspaper award. Hewson's in order to enable us to save the "We are at present confronted with ruling was voted down by the meetthe danger of foreclosure and thereby

the loss of our Center 150 apprent- ICOR Head Speaks on

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Mass Funeral Today for Mary Diaz

NEW YORK .- The funeral of Mary Diaz, who died last Thursday from wounds received in an explosion in the Majestic Metal Co., 200 Varick where she was employed, will St., Brooklyn.

Elected delegates on the National take place today (Monday) at 1 p. m. when a procession will start from Hunger March will also report. Ad-the Hernandez Funeral Parlor, at 62 mission is free and all are invited. West 114th St. to the Mt. Olivet

The accident which killed Mary Diaz, was due to the greed of the boss, Mr. Kasdan, who tried to save on 'overhead" by introducing a stencilwashing machine in the spray room in order to fire a number of the tencil_washers. This machine was medical tested before being installed in the paint room. It emitted sparks. Mr. Kasdan knew perfectly well that with

all the explosive liquids and paint- fountain employes, butchers, bakers, stuffs in the spray room an explo-sion was liable to happen. grocery clerks, etc. Mr. Kasdan, like other bosses, was

Mary might have been saved if she had been given the proper medical NEW YORK.—The trial of Sam weinstein, militant furniture worker dan "could not afford" to lay out any to take this much more money out

up on a charge of manslaughter, payment for the services of a pri-starts today at 9 a.m., in the Bronx vate nurse and private room. (The to make out he is doing this to give law requires that in an accident of this kind the boss must guarantee he also points out he is cutting down payment to the hospital, if the Com- his budget by the same amount of The Muller Agency swindled Doleys put of \$40 in cash for a \$50-per. nonth job which did not exist, the he proved conclusively that he was in another part of the City at the cent's Hospital despite the fact that bankers. It to the swollen money bags of the Organizer of the Young Communist League, New York District.

Forced Hospital Care

When the Metal Workers Union Group inside the shop had leaflets distributed to the workers exposing these facts, and because of the sen All workers' organizations are urged timent that these leaflets aroused to arrange protests meetings and to among the workers, Mr. Kasdan had send telegrams demanding Wein-the necessary attention secured for Mary Diaz. This proved too late

> Dozens of workers from the shops and many friends and neighbors of the dead girl viewed her body at the uneral home to express their in. lignation and protest against the brutal disregard of workers' lives

who is a "Socialist" and a financial contributor to the S. P., is circulating threats and rumors through some of the foremen and foreladies that hose atending the funeral will be

The Metal Workers Industrial

Workers' School Winter Courses

NEW YORK. - More than one hundred have already registered for the new Winter Term of the Work-

closes on December 23rd, is a record term, with 1,600 students enrolled.

Be Discussed Tonite NEW YORK .-- William Simon, sec retary of the Anti-Imperialist League will speak on "Real Filipino Inde-Big Rally, Manhattan Lyceum, 2 P. M.

pendence," and expose the present bill for fake independence now passe by Congress. The speech, followed by questions and discussion from the floor, will be tonite at 8 p.m. at the Club House, second floor, at 47 Sands

nunist League points out

Food Workers to Be South America between Bolivia and Paraguay **Charged Medical Fee** Tens of thousands more are being NEW YORK .- The 325,000 handlers

of food in New York City will after all their forces for another war. Jan. 1, be forced to pay for the examination required by the Sanitory Code of all persons en-gaged in food handling occupations. This includes cooks, waiters, soda

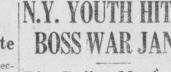
This examination was given free by the Department of Health, but thinking primarily of his profits as now, in carrying out the bankers against the lives of the workers. and the Tammany officials' intensified drive to shift more burdens on the shoulders of the workers, the and war veteran, who was framed of his money, or even to guarantee of the pockets of the food handlers. Health Commissioner Wynne tries in cold blood. January 15th is the anniversary of private doctors more business, but

the working class. League, New York District

ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Louis L. Schwartz

SURGEON DENTIST



Freeman Will Debate Bonus Marchers Need Levine on 5-Yr. Plan BOSS WAR JAN. 15 on Wed. December 21st

Josheph Freeman, author of "The Soviet Worker," and Isaac Don Le-vine, author of the vicious anti-Soviet book, "Red Smoke," will de-NEW YORK.—The working youth of this city will hold a giant anti-Plan a Success?" The debate will imperialist war rally on Sunday, Jan. be held in New Star Casino, Park 15 at Manhattan Lyceum, 66 East 4th Street, at 2 p.m. In connection

with this meeting the Young Com- Italian Socialist

Thirty thousand workers have al-Paper Supporting ready gone to their death in the Imperialist blood bath raging in Union Racketeers 2 Workers' Bookshops

NEW YORK .- The Italian "social-NEW YORK .- The two Workers ist" newspaper, "Stampa Libera," 81 ent daily to their death. Columbia E. Tenth St., has been caught work- Book Shops, one at 50 East 13th St. and Peru are feverishly mobilizing ing hand-in-hand with Sam Farulla, and the other at 1457 Wilkins Ave, former president of the Doll and Bronx, are making great prepara-Britain threatens Persia with war. Toy Workers' Union, and his suspi- tions to inagurate a sale on all liter-Movement of Japanese forces right cious friends. Farulla at the last ature. This sale will start on Dec. to the border of the Soviet Union and meeting of the union was forced to 21, and end on Dec. 31st. Realizing

shipping of huge armaments to that resign because of his co-operation that many workers who wish to buy border are going ahead at full speed. with racketeers and the bosses literature cannot do so because of In this atmosphere of feverish war against the interests of the member- lack of money, the sale is so arranged that the discounts will average preparations and war "rehearsals" | ship. already going on, thousands will The "Stampa Libera" is furnishing from 20 per cent up to 50 per cent

already going on, thousands will gether at this huge Lenin, Liebknecht Luxemburg Anti-War Mass Meeting. Liebknecht and Luxemburg, the leaders of the German youth move-ment were in the forefront in the struggle against Imperialist War in Germany. For this struggle against Imperialist war they were shot down Imperialist war they were shot down to the racketeering policy of Farulla that they will not have to make unnecessary trips. and company.

address.

Support: Act Now!

The Bonus Marchers in Washington need food and clothing to

enable them to get back to their local communities and continue

the struggle for immediate pay-ment of the bonus and for local

relief. Food, funds and clothing should be sent to the Veterans' Rank and File Committee, 154 W.

20th St. Sympathizers having

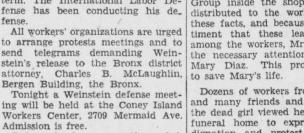
trucks or cars for use in the city

should also communicate with this

Sale Starts Dec. 21 at







Cemetery.

Defense funds are urgently needed. They should be sent to the Weinstein Defense Committee, care off International Labor Defense, 799 The Mai

The Majestic boss, Mr. Kasdan,

fired. America is arranging a banquet to stop work for a half a day, be-

"All revolutionary organizations, Sign Up Now for

ers School. The Fall Term, which

charge grew out of a demonstration at the Institution last August when 5.000 seamen protested the holding of men's baggage for debt, and were attacked by the Institute thugs

In giving the instructions the Judge told the jury to ignore the evidence of the defense witnesses, because they were all members of a workers' organization, and "had an axe to grind." That the Institute has an axe (worth hundreds of thousands dollars a year to grind) he did not say

He made the following five points the double wage cut." in his summing up of the case to the jury.

1-Seamen are not civilized workmen and require special officers to the employers. The printers got a stagger shift system which they are

2-The Institute has the right to fighting in the chapels now. order out and keep out any seaman they wish. (This is in spite of the fact that they beg money as "a sponsored by the Economics Club in home for all seamen" and advertize the school, and endorsed by the Stuthat they do not discriminate for race color or creed).

-Any special officer employed by the Institute has a perfect right at any time to club any seaman into submission and obediance to his or ing action against them. ders.

4-The city is entitled to protection from these "red hooligans." This gives the Seamens' Church Institute which seamen call the Holy Racket, virtual powers of life and death over all seamen

After the case went to the jury a lawyer in court remarked that "in 21 years of jurisprudence I have never met such an example of gross partiality."

What's On-

MONDAY PAGEANT rehearsal tonight at 8:30 at Workers' Center, 50 E. 13th St. All in-vited.

MASS meeting at Coney Island Workers' Club, 2709 Mermaid Ave., Brooklyn, at 8:30 p.m. to protest against frame-up of Sam meeting of the Economics Club,

MASS meeting at Y. C. Club House, 2nd 1007, 47 Sands St., Brooklyn, at 8 p.m. ub'ect: "Real Philippino Independence." pecker: Wm. Simon. Auspices Anti-Im-malist League and Unemployed Council.

MASS meeting at 1947 Boston Road to celebrate Bronx strike victory. Come at 8:30 p.m. No admission.

LECTURE by Bill Dunne at 114 W. 21st St. at 8 p.m. Subject: "The A. F. of L. and Fight for Unemployment Insurance." Auspices New York Workers Correspondence. Auspices New York Corky An-

LECTURE on "15 Years of Workers' Rule in Soviet Union" at First Unitarian Church, 1995 St. Queens, Long sland, Speaker: C. Sularoff. . .

ices of Local 6, of the International Typographical Union, met Friday at Biro-Bidjan Dec. 22nd their school, 220 West 19 St., and

The National Chairman of the adopted the following resolution: "Whereas, the apprentices of Typo_ Icor, the organization for the supgraphical Union No. 6, have been port of Jewish colonization in the made the victims of a double wage U.S.S.R., who is arriving this Friday cut, we the apprentices assembled at from the Soviet Union, on Thursday, this mass hearing in the school for Dec. 22, at Webster Hall, 119 East Printers' Apprentices hereby protest 11th St., at 8:30 p.m. will report on against the arbitrary wage cut and the achievements of the Jewish colrequest that the officials of "Big 6" onists in Biro-Bidian, where a Jewimmediately attempt to overcome this ish Socialist Soviet Republic will be condition by causing to be revoked proclaimed in 1933. He will also

speak on the present situation in the Soviet Union

The slash in apprentices' wages This reception is being arranged by the National Icor Committee and was part of the award of the arbiter in the printers' union negotiations with the New York branches of the Icor. Admission to the reception will be 15 cents.

Chapel Chairman Speaks

The meeting of apprentices was sponsored by the Economics Club in Dist. Training School **Graduation Ball Dec.24** dent Council.

E. Brown, chairman of the NEW YORK .-- Many workers are preparing to greet the 25 students World-Telegram chapel was the invited speaker, and denounced the who are finishing their course in the award and the double wage cut, urg- New York District Training School A member of the Economics Club of the Communist Party at a grad-uation ball Saturday Dec. 24, at 8

preceded Mr. Brown and spoke on p.m. at Rockland Palace, 155th St. and Eighth Ave. Among the 25 apprentices. Chairman Graham, of the scale

committee, who was instrumental in An interesting entertainment pro-securing the double wage cut. spoke, gram is being arranged, including tried to justify his action, and offered the argument that "wage cuts are the fashion, and we must have one too.

Socialist Urges Submission E. Cassidy, Socialist candidate in sion will be 40 cents.

the last election, and member of the union, urged that no militant action be taken. After hearing all speakers, the apprentices adopted the resolution

above, and sent it to the scale committee, the membership committee and the meeting yesterday afternoon of Local 6. They plan to report back on action taken in the Local trades. of the City Street Cleaning Depart-

meeting of the Economics Club, work shoveling snow. Dec. 22nd.

Gorky Awards to Be from 6 this morning to 4 this after-Announced Dec. 23 noon.

To further American proletarian writing, an Annual Maxim. Gorky Award has been instituted by the Revolutionary Writers Federation

Same Prover Printer

niversary Festival, in Central Opera House, Friday, Dec. 23. Sets of Gorky's works in English

volutionary movement. purpose instead.

Registration for th be closed several days before the Winter Term starts on January 9th.

In the new descriptive catalogue issued by the Workers School are listed 12 classes in Principals of Communism, 7 classes in Political Economy 3 classes in Marxism, 3 classe in Leninism, 2 classes in Trade Union Strategy, 2 classes in History of the American Labor Movement, etc. The teaching staff has been increased to 38 instructors teaching more than 53 classes.

Stage and Screen LUCRECE" OPENS TUESDAY NIGHT AT BELASCO THEATRE "Lucrece," Thornton Wilder translation of Andre Obey's play Wilder's with music by Deems Teylor, will pen Tuesday evening at the Belasco Theatre. Katherine Cornell, Robert Loraine, Blanche Yurka, Brian Aherne and Pedro de Cordoba head

the cast. "Anybody's Game," by Paul Barton, will have its premiere at the Bijou Theatre on Wednesday night. The players include Rdna Hibbard, Sam Wren, Louis Sorin and Marian Waring-Manley.

"Theatro dei Piccoli" will be pre sented by S. Hurok on Thursday evening at the Lyric Theatre. This is the first American presentation of this noted international group of marionette players, headed by Vittorio Podrecca. The program includes comic opera, fantasies, ballets, circus acts, vaudeville, etc. The group includes some 800 "players."

"Honeymoon," a comedy by Samuel Chotzinoff and George Backer will open on Friday night at the Little Theatre. Katherine Alexan-

der, Rose Alexander, Rachel Hart-NEW YORK .- Last night about zell and Joseph Spurin-Calleia head 1,000 shivering jobless, from all trades, waited silently at Station 9 the cast.

Civic Repertory plays of the week will include "Liliom," tonight, Wed-nesday and Friday evenings; "Alice ment, at 63 E. 11th St., where they sought a chance to obtain a day of in Wonderland," Tuesday evening and Wednesday and Saturday after-The small proportion of the jobnoons; "Camille," Thursday evening and "Peter Pan," Saturday night. seekers who would be given work would receive \$5 for 10 hours work;

ANNA STEN IN "TEMPEST" AND DNIEPERSTROY FILM AT ACME Anna Sten in "Tempest," an en-grossing film drama, is the screen feature at the Acme Theatre today Bankers Pay Relief and tomorrow. Emil Jannings plays the leading male role. The New NEW YORK .- More than 500 York Sun reviewer states: "Tempest

ublic school teachers met Saturday is extraordinarily interesting. . . in Stuyvesant High School and voted liked the dramatic intensity, House, Friday, Dec. 23. Sets of Gorky's works in English autographed by Gorky, will be award-brating the big ev *



Jobs Shoveling Snow

Teachers Vote to Let

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FISH, NEARING HOLD DEBATE

Amusing But Rather Superficial

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Union during this same period of in capitalist countries, cited the League of Nations report to prove the truth of this statement, and said: "Communism proposes a system of society, where every one shall have equal opportunity and get his proper share of all the good things of life, and a chance to enjoy

Task of Proletariat

"The ruling class won't establish such a society, the middle class can't, and the proletariat not only can but carries the chief burden of responsibility for doing so." "What the workers of the Soviet

Union have done, you can do.' Fish began, oratorical style, mod-ulated voice, dramatic gestures, and introduced himself all over again by reading "boners" about Hamilton Fish, Jr., in college examination

paper

Knows His Socialists Then he said he knew he couldn't convert the Communists present, but addressed himself to the 15 per cent of Socialists and Liberals present. Repeatedly throughout the debate he proved to them that he and they were united against the dictatorship of the proletariat, and urged them to abandon their pretense of opposition to capitalism and come out openly for the Republican Party. This at least was realistic, and the crowd's opinion of Fish obviously But from that point on, went up. the debate degenerated.

Fish Uses Duranty

Fish in this and succeeding turns at the debate, made but two points against Communism, such as could require answer. He declared that after 15 years of Communist rule, Soviet Russia should not have a food crisis if Communist rule was any good. He quoted Duranty's exag-gerated account of the food crisis.

Nearing in rebuttal made no adequate answer, did not challenge Duranty's figures or give any of the real figures, did not show that what tem-porary difficulties of growth exist, and compare them to the awful misery, poverty and starvation in the world of decaying capitalism, did not turn back Fish's argument on capitalism by asking what good capitalism is if it has starvation after 150 years of rule. Nearing confined himself to pointing out that the trend in capitalist production is downward, from high points reached in England in 1896, in Germany in 1910, and in United States in 1920. Eventually, probably soon, these trends ss. Neither side considered the possibility of imperialist war, or its effects.

The Red Vote

Fish's other main point was the smallness of the radical vote in America, which, he said, showed the surprising loyalty to American tradins of the American workers.

Nearing did not answer this by an description of the skulduggery of the capitalist press, of the repression of free speech, of the arrests of leaders, of the denial of franchise to unemployed, of the control of sources of nformation by capitalist agencies, nor even mention that though still small, the Communist movement ad-



For Right to Revolt?

onstrations.

Congressman Hamilton Fish pal of the Zarist emigrees in debate with Scott Nearing said the right of revolution was guar-anteed American workers. But he "loathes these marches and dem-

Fish Stories

CERTAIN bright gems of logic, plucked from the body of Hamilton Fish's discourse are herewith set down, in the hope that they will be as amusing to Daily Worker readers as they were to the crowd in Mecca Temple on Friday.

"This isn't the first depression, and it won't be the fast, Through sound American principles we will emerge once into a united front of employed as we did in the past." "(Crowd yells. 'How?"). "I'll tell you how. I'm not worried.

The American people, led on by the big bankers, gambled and speculated, laid off, and those still on the job, and the securities sold led to overproduction of factories and overproduction of real estate. (Our emphasis D. W.). "We've got to shorten the hours; I stand for the five hour day and five day week." (Crowd shouts: "How

about wages"?) "In the meantime wages will be ower." (Crowd: "A-a-ahi"). lower."

off, for 3 or 4 week's full pay in cash at the expense of the employers. "The best way to destroy Com-munism is to let it's principles be If the organization of these communism is to let it's principles of known. Communism stands for destroying all religion and teaching hetrod of god. (Crowd cheers). before the cuts take place, and if the lay-offs are proceeding and if these committees are maintained you in he laying the basis for a strong "It stands for sabotage and riots will be laying the basis for a strong all over the world." (Crowd laughs). Union and a strong Unemployee Council, fighting for Unemployme "It stands for dictatorship of the Insurance (Crowd applauds). proletariat.' "What I don't like is these march es and demonstrations." **Cicero Relief Head**

"Socialism or Communism might have been all right in Germany in 1848, where strikes were illegal, but not in free America, where we have the soundest, fairest, wisest, most honorable government, and the best ever devised by the mind of man."

"The reason I loathe Communism is becaues I loathe all forms of interference with the rights of the people. The Soviet Government took away even the right to worship god from "Walter Duranty is the greatest allowed by the Cicero budget. The 120,000,000 people Communist

propagandist in the "If my program had been accepted berg told her to get out, and that world. we could have avoided all the misery

she of depression. Under state laws, After the slapping, however, which every worker would have life, acci-dent, retirement and pension insur-ance. But I'm opposed to unemploy-seven children were placed in an ment insurance, because it becomes the foot-ball of politics." automobile and driven home in style. They received a \$6 supplementary

them.

Collect from

WORKER CORRESPONDENCE

LETTERS SHOW JOBLESS FIGHTS SHARPEN

Meeting for March Delegates to Launch Fight on Hunger

Gloversville, N. Y., Workers Ready to Struggle for Relief

Union Misleaders Do Not Help Employed Workers; Worker Calls for Industrial Union

CLOVERVILLE, N. Y .- We are going to start an Unemployed Council our meeting Monday to welcome home the hunger marchers.

There are a number of shops here now laying off help and cutting on the work of those who have a few days a week. There was a glove cutter, meeting here, a union meeting, some of the big men were there and said they didn't know what they were going to do about the cut they ex-

Chats with Our We have no Union here for all glove and leather workers. They Worcorrs have only cutters and that is no good. The boss cuts them, they call the

pect next month

and unemployed.

program of struggle:

bosses.

2-Winter relief of \$50.00 for all laid off and unemployed at the ex-

pense of the city authorities and the

3-Demands for those being laid

Cicero, Ill.

members together and talk. The big shots never help to get more wages. The workers here are lost; no leaders At last Monday's meeting of the New York group of Worker Corre-spondents a member who was a deleto get a good union started. But I think it would be a good time next gate to the Hunger March in Wash month, when they are out of work, ington, reported. In a short talk he gave his impressions during the march—the terroristic treatment by to organize them into some kind of union, not one craft only, but all leather workers together. the police, and the courage and dis cipline of the marchers.

EDITOR'S NOTE-To wait till next The workers listened with deepest month before organizing these work-ers would be fatal. The workers interest. When asked his own reaction, he answered that the march brought him much closer to the revolutionary movement and he will devote much more energy to help organize the masses. The form of this organization

should be joint committees of action of those already laid off, those being His report showed that when the worker is himself involved in a struggle, his report is lively and interesting. Other groups in the coun-try should send in reports of their around each shop with the following 1-Against wage-cuts and lay-offs. activities.

For its meeting on Monday, Dec. 19, the New York Worker orrespondence Group has ar-ranged for a talk on the role of the A. F. of L. in the struggle for unemployment insurance. The meeting is open to all workers, The and takes place at 7:30 at 114 W. 21st St.

Jobless Reinstate Communist Leader

Defeat Democratic In-Gets Slapped ; Is trigues in U.C. Forced to Shell Out

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

Here is more about the Unemploy-ed Council that we are making into Miss Ginsberg, supervisor of the Cicero. Emergency Relief, got her a fighting organization after the democratic organizers sold us out. face well slapped last week by a small Italian woman. The gas and At a meeting on Nov. 29 about 80 electricity of this family had been shut off. They were facing eviction, of the 700 jobless in this town attended. The president opened up with a talk about selling tickets for shows, dances, etc. The members woman took her several children to showed their disgust and demanded that the real issues facing hungry people be brought up. Several work-ers on the county relief then took the could do nothing for her. floor and told about feeding their babies canned milk and of other starvation conditions here.

Now the former Communist candidates took the floor and pointed Striker Beaten by Athens Cops

Cops of the capitalist rulers are the same the world over. Here is a street-car striker who has been beaten and is being arrested by Athens The blood can be seen streaming down his face and his pain is vividly pictured. '(Federated Pictures.)

U.S.S.R. Completes First Section Moscow-Donbas wton Falls, etc. R.R.; Most of Grain Quota There was much discussion before the policy of the union on the unemployed question was clearly under-stood. Failure to properly organize

Influx of Foods on Open Markets As Most of **Regions Report Complete Grain Collections**

Tests Made on Largest Bridge in Europe Just Completed Across Dniepr River Successful

By N. BUCHWALD

((European Correspondent Daily Worker). MOSCOW, Dec. 18.—The largest bridge in Europe has just been completed at Dniepropetrovsk across the Dniepr River. The bridge is con-structed of steel and concrete. Tests made with two American locomotives of 285 tons each gave excellent results

The first section of the new trunk railway "Moscow-Donbas" is com. pleted and has begun operation.

The government quotas of grain letarian dictatorship in the rural sec collections and storage seeds is com-pleted or is near completion in the tions, "Izvestia" urges a merciless struggle against kulak and other majority of regions throughout the U. S. S. R. The Moscow region, the counter-revolutionary elements, and the sternest punishment of traitors Leningrad region, the Tartar Socialmisusing Party membership for the ist Soviet Republic, German Socialist Soviet Republic, and the Bashkir Aupurpose of conducting within the Party a struggle against the Party. tonomous Socialist Soviet Republic This aspect of the situation is also completed collections ahead of time. stressed in an editorial in "Pravda' Central black earth region, concerning the forthcom Middle Volga region and others are assured of completion of the quota ing of the Party ranks.

on time; while some sections of the MEXICAN EXILES Ukrainian Socialist Soviet Republic Northern Caucasus and the Lower Volga are lagging behind. More Food In Open Markets.

The government quotas this year are lower than last year, making more agricultural produce available for the collective farm markets which

supply the urban population. Upon completion of the state deliveries Sends Appeal Here and seed storage quotas, all regions have the right to bring their surplus NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- Evelio M. grains into the open markets. The Vadillo, victim of white terror in Moscow region and the Tartar S. S. Mexico, who was recently rescued R. already have availed themselves of from exile on the Las Marias Islands this privilege, resulting in a greater through mass pressure of the re-influx of foodstuffs into the open volutionary toilers and students. markets with consequent lowering of writes a letter to the Daily Worker of the Cloth Hat, Cap and Millinery prices and elimination of profiteer- appealing to the workers in this Workers Union has filed suit against country in behalf of 80 class war Walker Hats, Inc., for breach of con-

The Communist Party, the press prisoners virtually condemned to tract, and the suit shows some inter-nd all agencies of proletarian public death on the Las Marias Islands. and all agencies of proletarian public opinion are conducting a vigorous Attack Red Unions campaign for completion of the grain

After describing the brutal white an organization in 1931 "to stabilize campaign for completion of the grain quotas, pointing out the disruptive role of the Kulak elements and the mecessity of a vigorous class struggle within the collective farms against in Vera Cruz, the letter states in the trade of the state in the trade will re-terror against the toilers of Mexico ocnsisted in thesa employers forcing their members to pay dues to Zarit-sky. Workers in the trade will re-terror against the toilers of Mexico the trade." Part of the stabilization there, to East Chicago and Indiana Harbor, used to take in \$45 to \$60 a day. Now \$10 is a good day's re-ceipts.

cleans

mittee.

Zaritsky's Suit

FACING DEATH

White Terror Victim

YOUNGSTOWN DISTRICT **BOARD OF STEEL UNION CLEARS UP SOME ISSUES**

Straightens Out Relations Between Union and Unemployed Councils ; Plans Campaign +

Will Make Full Use of Returning National Hunger Marchers; Building United Front

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Dec. 18 .- The main point on the order of business at the meeting of the District Board, Steel and Metal Workers Indus-trial Union, Dec. 11, was the return of the National Hunger March, and utilization of the steel worker delegates to Washington and the mass meetings where they will report. The idea is to take advantage of this opportunity for the building of the union, for

developing further the local struggle for relief, and the strengthening of the united front Unemployed Councils in the steel towns.

Mass meetings called jointly by the union and the Unemployed Council will be held in Warren, Niles and Farrell and Youngstown—according to plans made recently, while addi-tioned to plans made recently, while addi-tioned to plans made recently. onal meetings will be organized in Sharon, Newcastle, Ellwood City,

Union and Councils

tees can be elected and broadened

(5) recruitment of steel workers di-

ectly into the union, (6) organiza-

Shows Up Bargain

that he helped 200 employers form

were taken into custody conditions amply recompensed the these companies to make profits and

NEW YORK .- Mazzalo & Co., of-ficials of Local No. 78 of the Stone Masons deliberately stole the election

Elections

STONE MASONS

in the local. Dec. 10th. This local union is composed of highly skilled stone masons who have in the past suffered terrifically from the Unemployed Councils as united the misrule of the officials prevailing front, delegated bodies, but to make in office. of them instead loose "membership"

bership cards or dues) led to the cial scale of wages is at present \$13.20 question: "Why recruit both into the per day, no worker receives more Unemployed Councils and the union than \$6 per day. In spite of the -won't that confuse the workers?" many complaints lodged with the inion officials by the workers, no ployed work" and "union work" was glaringly seen when a District Com-mittee member of the union, who has on the job. been assigned to do most of his work

Threat To Suspend Jobless

Added to that, the major portion among the unemployed, building up the united front unemployed coun- of the membership is at present uncil, declared that the union had no employed, and is being threatened program to interest the unemployed with expulsion from the union be orkers and spoke against calling of cause of inability to pay dues. bint meetings by the union and the All these conditions arouse

joint meetings by the union and the nemployed Council, and also against membership to such an extent that recruiting steel workers into the when a score of rank and file called union at these meetings. a mass meeting to discuss problems Finally after a thorough discussion of the union, close to 400 workers apthe following program was adopted: peared at the Italian Workers ap-(1) joint meetings, (2) speakers from Second Ave., and 115th St. out of the the Unemployed Council and union, total local union membership of 650 (3) utilizing of meetings to elect un- At this meeting the workers solidly employed committees or to broaden voted for a selected slate of workers existing committees, (4) organization candidates for union office and submitted it to the local Union to be

(if possible) of squads to organize meetings in the neighbor-hoods, where neighborhood commitplaced on the ballot

Gangster Menace

Mazzola organized gangsters that visited the homes of every worker, threatening that if they do not vote tion of the unemployed steel workers for Mazzola in the union into an Unemployed be slashed. for Mazzola and Co. their faces would

Branch-to serve as the leading force Notwithstanding these threats over (through its fraction) in the united 400 workers appeared at the polls on front Unemployed Council or Com-Saturday and voted decisively in favor of the rank and file group. However, Mazzola, as Union president voided almost one-third of the rank and file vote on small technicalities.

In spite of this deliberate steel, the rank and file group was able, due to the mass vote in its favor, to ob-**Against Workers** tain four offices in the Union. The NEW YORK .-- Zaritsky, president workers are so aroused by this steal of the Cloth Hat, Cap and Millinery that they will demand at the next membership meeting the impeach-ment of these scandalous officials.

RIDE 'EM ANYWAY

HAMMOND, Ind .- No. 1 bus route which used to be one of the best here, to East Chicago and Indiana

he would say "ignorance and backwardness.'

He ignored the big increase in the Communist vote this year and the significance election of the first Comunist mayor in the U.S. in Crosby Minn

Right To March on Congress

Fish was allowed to repeatedly asert that Communists had the right to petition Congress, and that workers could strike in America, without any presentation of the evidence to the contrary by Nearing.

Fish, with the jail and deportation machinery of the government grind-ing back of his words, challenged Nearing to say whether Communists believe in overthrowing the government by force, and whether they followed the American flag or the red flag

The "Violence" Question

Nearing stated that the industries belong to the workers, and they will take them; that history shows that no ruling class permits such a change vithout resort to force, and that the red flag represents all that is good and hopeful in human relations, and he is for the Red Flag.

A Distortion of Marx

Nearing produced a quaint distortion of Marxism, like this: The introduction of machinery laid the basis for the change from feudalism to capitalism; the introduction of automatic machinery lays the basis for the change from capitalism to Communism

He overlooked the whole question of the revolution needed to overthrow the old system of society. Nor did he enter into the question of the contradiction between social production and private ownership, as the reason for the modern class struggle. He laid himself wide open for Fish to ask: "Where was the automatic ma chinery that brought on the Bolshevik revolution?' but Fish was too immersed in his native depths to think of that question.

For 15 or 20 minutes Fish forgot pparently that he was debating on communism, and while the crowd stened stupified, he launched into a tirade against France for not paying the debts!

Finally he hooked this up by declaring that he couldn't remember ever attacking the Soviet Union for not paying the debt.

The real substance of the flood of capitalist propaganda now, used in Crosby for instance against the Communist candidate who won the elec-

vances year by year. Nearing only raid that where Fish says "loyalty" man, eventually both must die." "Capitalism is better because it is the system of all the countries of the world outside of Soviet Russia."

"The Czarist government was overthrown by the Duma and liberals and Socialists: the German governwith whom we were at war, sent Lenin into Russia to overthrow

the first democratic government they ever had." "Every American has the right of revolution, guaranteed in the Dec-laration of Independence, but we

can't have any revolutions made in Moscow.

CALL ANT-WAR **CONGRESS FEB. 28**

Held in Montevido Uruguay (CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

for such action. It will decide the

best practical forms to realize this struggle. It will constitute a great united front gathering of all those who are against war. Its object will be: "To impede the South American war! To put an end to the Bolivian-Paraguayan war and the Peru-vian-Colombian and Peruvian-Ecu-ador conflicts!

"Against imperialism and its servants the native bourgeois-feu. dal governments!

"Against a new world war! Against the imperialist invasion of China! Hands off China! "Against the imperialist armed attack on the Soviet Union! Against the offensive of hunger and reaction let loose on the mil-lions of workers and peasants, the exploited and oppressed masses, the anti-imperialist students and

intellectuals!" . . For Mass Support.

NEW YORK. - The Carribbean Sub-Committee of the Latin American Confederation of Labor has issued a supplementary Call urging all

working-class organizations in the United States, and all persons op_ posed to war to support the coming Latin American Anti-War Congress. It urges the popularization of the

congress among the exploited masses of this country, the sending of delemunist candidate who won the elec-tion, did not appear in this debate. That propaganda is based on the old "nationalization of women" horror "nationalization of women" horror "nationalization of women" horror stories of famine, women eating their children in the Soviet Union, mas-sacre of workers, etc. Fish, however he might clown, was too clever to bring it up where it might be an-wwored ACongress. ACongres. ACongress. ACongres. ACongres. ACongres. ACong

grocery order. Their gas was turned out the necessity of organizing a on. Half their rent was paid, and workers referred them to the Unemstrong unemployed council and going to the county and city officials ployed Council as the only power and demanding work or more relief. which could obtain electricity This idea was taken up and met for with the approval of every jobless worker at the meeting. The Unemployed Council succeeded and lived up to its reputation.

A worker suggested that we put Comrade Blume on the committee. Comrade Blume is the Communist **Employed**: Sell candidate who was previously elect-

ed to the committee and then put off by democratic politicians. This to Unemployed vas put to a vote and 70 of the Stamford, Conn. workers voted for him.

The relief fakers are trying to It was then voted on to repeal put one more racket over on the the by-law barring Communists from workers. The selectmen collect the the organization. Every worker voted for this repeal. Plans are being made food from the barrels in the grocery for a demonstration at the city or county court house. C. stores, put there by part-time workhall peasants. ers who buy an extra can of some-C. C.

whing for the relief barrel. And now they are in business for **Jobless Die While** the city. The workers used to get re-lief checks and could buy wherever **Relief Doctor Runs** they pleased, but now they must buy **Private Practice** the food that is given to them and

cannot choose their food. The workers who donate this food do not know that it is not given to the un-SIOUX CITY. Ia .- Mrs. Maud Harmon, mother of 7 children, died of pneumonia. The Harmon family lived in an old home in below zero employed, but is sold to them. 0. C. weather. The cold comes in through SALVATION ARMY the doors, windows, and floors without fuel enough to keep warm.

Mr. Harmon first called for a doctor at 10 a.m. All efforts to get Dr. **BULLIES SANTA** lenderson, county doctor, failed. The neighbors finally succeeded in getting a doctor after 6 p.m., but too feat of the kulaks as a class amoun

late to save Mrs. Harmon. But Santa Claus Joins Dr. Henderson receives \$3,000 per Unemployed Council year for caring for the unemployed. He also has a private practice that takes most of his time.

NEW YORK .-- I received a post This is the second death in three weeks caused by the neglect of the card from the Salvation Army offering me work watching the pots for overseer of the Welfare Bureau, Miss

Watt, and Dr. Henderson. The Un. employed Councils are planning a The first day I had \$2.79 in my pot My God, the people sure had liked to kill me. The second day when I protest demonstration. E. B.

FORCED LABOR IN INDIANA INDIANAPOLIS, Ind .- The jobless

came in the Colonel said to me: Mrs. Murphy, we pay you \$3.00 a day. If your pot has not not more this evening, I will have to let you go. So up speaks a lleutenant or some-thing the colonel you go to be the set to be s on community relief are going to be let out to contractors to work for their bread and lodging. If they rething: "Now Colonel, you are too hasty. We must have the pots on the streets so as to keep our work before the people. We are paying fuse they will be cut off from the lists. If that isn't peonage, I don't know what to call it. these women \$3.00 a day, a very cheap

When this city started paying th advertizing." Colonel says: "All right ladies, you workers with a basket of grub I said it was the entering wedge for such may all go out. Let us pray." So he made a prayer to Jesus askaction by the bosses. At this present ing him to put it into the hearts of rate of progress, it wont be long the people to look towards the pots. until we will be put on the human

nto th collective farms. Commenting on the tuation "Izvestia" writes: "The kulaks are no longer a force pression of the Red Trade Union collector for Zaritsky and his gang. cannot ride. A.M. situation "Izvestia" writes: capable of waging an open struggle. Center which the Mexican govern But taking advantage of the insuffi- ment carried out on June 24th as cient organizational and economic

the failures of grain collections.

completion of collectivization and de_

to the liquidation of the class strug-

gle. Denouncing the fallacy of this

sage from the recent speech of Molo-

lective farms not under our guid-ance are guided by hostile anti-Sov-

iet elements . . . We have created thousands and thousands of collective

farms but we have not yet reached

the condition that they be our col

Cleansing of Party Ranks. Pointing out the necessity of

strengthening the organs of the pro-

"It must be remembered that col-

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viewpoint, "Izvestia" quotes a

ing.

part of its attempt to intimidate and strengthening of the collective farms, stifle the indignation of the workers remnants of the kulak class have found way into the cracks and holes bread, work and liberty." "Our number was increased when in the collective farm economy and continue to wage a masked struggle on September 5th the warship "Mawithin the collective farms . .

"We

zatlan" in a special trip to the Las Kulaks have made attempts to dis_ Marias Islands brought 51 workers and peasants from the State organize the collective farm economy of Puebla where they participated in from within, obstructing the executhe struggle against the hunger and tion of economic plans, exaggerating misery that afflict the region. the shortcomings of the collective

Appeals for Solidarity farms in an attempt to discredit the

Describing the unbearable and deadly conditions existing on the Las collective farm system among the "They attempt", continues "Izves-Marias Islands which he calls the "Siberia of the new Czars that rule tia", to conduct kulak policy repre-Mexico," Vadillo appeals for a united senting the interests of the collective struggle to save his comrades farms as opposed to the interests of "Only the working class of Mexico the proletarian state . . . In the united with their exploited class brothers in the United States can present collection campaign, these tactics have become the chief forms constitute the real and powerful of kulak resistance to grain deliverunited front that will be able to frustrate the criminal plans of the "Izvestia" further points out that

Bourgeois-landlord regime. the local Pary organizations are re-"In the name of our 80 comrades. sponsible for the successes as well as concludes the letter, "who remain In imprisoned in the Las Marias Islands. regions lagging behind, the Party orinvite the workers and anti-imganizations are insufficiently vigiperialists of the United States to par lant, underestimating the role of the ticipate actively in the campaign to kulak elements within the collective farms, adopting the attitude that save them."

the Soviet Union.

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CHESTER STOPS MURDEROUS EVICTIONS CHESTER, Pa.-An outrage contemptible that only a buzzard in human form would attempt was tried

lective farms."

here by the constable Thomson. He tried to evict a poverty-stricken woman worker and her sick daughter from a dilapidated shack on Flowers

St. Three attempts of his in the morning and afternoon failed failed through the quick action and solidadministration in Washington would arity of the workers in the Unem-

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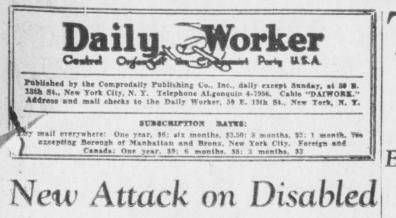
The Land of Plenty!

"Darktown," and so on.

is found on signs in parks.

Many white workers know little

SUN GO DOWN ON YOU."



Page Four

Veterans

WHEN U.S. imperialism plunged into the world war there were no promises it did not make to the youth and young men in its armed forces. These soldiers were told they would come back to a country fit for heroes to live in, they were the salt of the earth, there would be nothing too good for them when they got back. No sooner was the war ended than those promises were repudiated. The attempt of the ex-soldiers along with the workers who were in industry to get some of the things promised them was met by fierce suppression in the steel strike of 1919-20, in the strike wave of 1922 that embraced coal miners, railway workers and textile workers to the number of a million and a quarter. The Hoover butchery at Anacostia field last July was a continuation, into this period of the end of capitalist stabilization, of the same vicious policy pursued against the war veterans from the day of their re. turn from the imperialist war shambles

At this moment Congress at Washington is preparing further special attacks against the ex-soldiers. The same democratic and republican poliicians that approved the hundreds of millions of dollars looted from the United States treasury to enable the bankers and the stock exchange to re alize dividends off bonds and stocks of bankrupt firms prepares further attacks upon the veterans. On Friday a joint committee of congress listened to the "expert advice" of the Veterans' Administrator, General Frank T. Hines, who proposed to turn out of the government hospitals and cut off from relief, 356,555 wounded veterans—all those who are not 50 er cent or more permanently disabled. This, said Hines, would save \$51,-344,000 in government expenditure.

Thus, according to Hines, head of the department that is supposed to protect them, those hailed as heroes in 1917 are to be treated worse than dogs in 1932-33. What chance have these ex-soldiers who were crippled and maimed but "not 50 per cent or more permanently disabled" to get jobs of any kind at a time when capitalism dooms to stary. ation millions who are not disabled except from the pangs of hunger?

 $T^{\rm HIS}$ dastardly attack against the veterans should meet with mighty protests before all the veterans' bureaus and municipal relief bureaus. Besides their activity in the fight for the bonus, to defeat the drive against the disabled veterans, the ex-soldiers should participate in joint struggles for immediate unemployment relief and unemployment insurance. Many of the ex-soldiers, like millions of other workers, will never be in industry under capitalism. Those starving ex-soldiers who have not been workers must realize that only by identifying themselves with the working class struggle can they solve their problems

Now, in the transition of decaying capitalism to another round of wars and revolutions, the ex-soldiers must organize and become a powerful source of strength in the fight against imperialist war. At a time when U. S. imperialism is trying to induce its potential enemies to cut down their military machines, while Yankee imperialism is spending billions to strengthen its own army, navy and air forces, the ex-soldiers can tremendously strengthen the fighting front of the unemployed and part-time workers that demand that all war funds be used for the un-employed, for the ex-soldiers and relief of the impoverished farmers. They can strengthen the forces fighting to compel the government to aid the impoverished masses and not the bankers and R. R. owners as they are doing at present:

These ex-soldiers who fought in the last world war, and the millions of youth and young men whom U.S. imperialism intends to con-script in the new round of wars that are on the order of the day will add strength to the growing numbers of revolutionary workers who realize that the only way the crisis of decaying capitalism can be solved in the interest of the toiling masses is to smash capitalist rule and esa workers' and farmers' government.

Of course, Mr. Spivak, the author Thomas Helps Roosevelt his investigation. necessarily uses the expression

his efforts.

Negro rights.

to do this.

Belt.

temptuous term "nigger."

The Class Content of Exposure of Chain Gang Torture in South Shown by 'Daily',

AREHOUSE

Bared Facts of Oppression of Negro People

By JAMES W. FORD (Communist Candidate for Vice-President in the 1932 Elections)

facts in "Georgia Nigger,' the novel by John L. Spivak, show by means of the most startl ing and amazing documentary evidence and photographs of Negroes in chains, the modern slavery of Negroes. The book shows in cross-section something of what is meant by the national oppres-sion of the Negro people in the United States in 1932 when capi-talist "culture" has reached its highest point. It shows what a lie it is to pretend that Negroes are free, especially in the Black Belt of the South. It exposes Negro reformists and socialist 'friends of the Negro people' ignore the basic cause of the op pression of the Negro masses, and sing praises and boast of Negro progress and "justice" for Negroes

in capitalist America. America is still a slave country teeming with oppressed masses Negro toilers, foreign-born workers, the entire working class. Facts in "Georgia Nigger" strike like a whirlwind sweeping the veil from capitalist pretense, deceit and hypocrisy, and expose in the clear light, the conditions of misery and suffering of the most exploited section of the oppressed masses, the Negro toilers. The dramatic usc of the word "nigger" in the title and in the story of the book brings out the contemptuous attitude of the white chauvinist American slave drivers to their victims. The bitter National oppression and wholesale robbery of the Negro masses-intended to keep up the and lowest conditions of life for millions of Negroes in this country-stand out clearly. It all scandalizes American capitalist slavery; the title does not popularize white chauvinism, as some of our comrades seem to think; on the contrary, it stigmatizes the capitalist bandits and their con-

wherever there is the slightest THE conditions pictured in "Georgia Nigger" make the tinge of white chauvinism. about these conditions of the Negro anger of every Negro rise to the masses, even some are absolutely highest pitch, and should arouse ignorant of them. That is why every class-conscious worker, Negro or white, to redouble his efforts towards building a powerful movemany of them do not wholeheartedly support the fight for demands for Negroes. During the ment that will destroy forever the election campaign a white worker system that is the cause of iimcrowism, segregation and lynching, said to me that he just didn't believe that such conditions as exas well as the oppression of the enposed in "Georgia Nigger" existed tire working class. today, and asked me if I believed

of the book, is not a revolutionary. He is a long way from being a Communist. He is a liberal in political outlook. He is not fully clear about the meaning of the horrible things which he found in He often un-

PURPOSE OF EXPOSURE.

educate uninformed workers,

easy. The book is popularly written

and people will read it. It is how

ever necessary to conduct a fight

The exposures in this book is a

vindication of the Communist

Party program of struggle against

the oppression of the Negro masses.

To see this, it is hardly necessary

to do more than ask, what was the

reaction of the enemies to the

book? What was the reaction of the capitalist press? They tried to

"DAILY" BARED CONDITIONS.

tions imposed upon the Negro masses. During the election cam-

paign I especially found it valuable

in rallying and convincing white

workers to the necessity of sup-

porting the program of the Com-munist Party, unconditional equal

rights for Negroes, and the Right of

Self Determination for the Black

THE book has a very definite meaning for me and I am sure

it will arouse thousands of Negro

and white workers in the South

and throughout the country, against the system that is the

ing the election campaign a Negro

I stopped reading the book because

worker said to me: "Comrade Ford,

The following, for example, are

Dur-

cause of Negro oppression.

to convince some workers.

Nigger"? Capitalist landlord rule Such expressions are used in over the Negroes in the South is some towns in the South where not only kept up by means of force the Negroes are not allowed to live. of arms, lynch terror, but also by Most every town in the South has such conditions pictured in "Georgia Nigger". The bosses, its "Niggertown," "Buzzard Roost," furthermore, in order to maintain "Dogs and Niggers Not Allowed" their rule over the entire workpursue the imperialist ing class, "A Nigger has no rights that a policy of "divide and rule." They White man is bound to respect." This is why, as Comrade Browstir up race prejudice and white chauvinism, and "white superiorder said in one of his speeches, ity" bunk to prevent the unity of Negro and white workers. that the Negro comrades can smell the stench of the slave market BOSS PROPAGANDA

Chauvinism, race prejudice and o-called "white supremacy" is so-called kept up by the capitalist class. For example, the English ruling class tries to poison the minds of British workers by telling them that the English nation is better than any other nation. They then proceed to divide people into four general groups: (a) "Nordics," the so-called "superior" Anglo-Saxons, (b) "Squareheads," lower types, Germans, Dutchmen, and so on, (c) "Dagos," the mixed Mediter-ranean races and (d) "Niggers," that is Negroes, Indians, Chinese and so-called "colored" colonial The aim of such propapeople. ganda is for the purpose of splitting the ranks of workers. This

portant significance. But Communists are never led into bourgeois traps by softening words or to use implications that would tend to lessen the necessary vigorous struggle against rotten conditions.

That's what reformist and especially petty bourgeois Negroes do. It would entirely be their method, for example, to change the title of "Georgia Nigger" in order to soften it, and have it read: "Con-ditions of Colored People in Georgia;" or to try in some way to soften the use of "nigger," which would take away all of its oppressive significance. So far, however, they have been too wise to do this. They know it would make them utterly ridiculous.

TAKE their policy in the Scottsboro case. They do not look upon the Alabama Supreme Court as a lynch court that meant and means to lynch the nine innocent Negro boys. They talk about "justice" in capitalist courts; they look upon the Scottsboro case as "just another case." to quote Walter White of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

When the Communist Party went to the root of things, expos-ing the whole rotten system of

WAS THAT SONG?

A STORY OF AN UNEMPLOYED WORKER

By FRED R. MILLER

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THE STORY SO FAR-Previous instalments of "What Was That Song?" described the conversation between an unemployed worker and his wife who were about to be evicted. The worker has told her that the judge had given them five days to move; he then described his fruitless visit to the charities, and the demonstration for relief outside. Returning to his flat, the worker scrapes together the last bits of stale food. He goes out and sees an eviction fight in the street. 'ow read on:

thing. My knuckles is sore yet

I still had the burlap bag with

head of the next stinker, but I missed and that was too bad. Be-

cause they lammed into me right

 $T^{\rm HEY}$ locked up a whole bunch of us. Up to the time they took us all out of the station house and

brought us over to the jail, the

Reds kept singing songs. They was bunged up pretty bad, but that

didn't stop them. They was sing-

ing in the wagon while we was get-ting took to the jail, too. There

was one song they sang a lot of times. In the jail I got put with

two Reds, so I asked them, "What

was that song youse was singing all of the time?"

mean "The International?" 'Arise,

ye prisoners of starvation; Arise, ye wretched of the earth."

I says, "Yeah, that's the one."

"That's. "The. International,", they says. "It's the song of the

working class all over the world,

The workers' anthem. Like they,

try to tell you the Star Spangled

Banana is the American national

anthem, see, only it ain't, it's the anthem of the American capital-

ists and landlords and them cop

that prettied your face up. Well.

'The International' is the anthem

of the workers all over the

I says to them, "It ain't a bad

They says. "It's your tune, com-

They says, "Which one? Oh, you

I tried to get it over the

where I hit him.

SEEN the cop's club traveling up | rump and sat there nice as anyin the air. One of the Reds grabbed it and took it away from. him. The crowd was hollering and pushing to beat the band. People come running up from all over. A man with a derby on come out on the stoop, and somebody says. "There's the landlord. Get the dirty bastard." He was yanked down in the crowd before he knowed what it was all about. Somebody knocked his hat off with a floor-

WHAT

mop The cop lit out up the street blowing his whistle. He wasn't wearing his hat, either. I guess he was going to call the riot squad. -By Burck Everybody pitched in and helped the Reds take the furniture back in the house. I picked up a little table and carried it upstairs. The old lady that was throwed out was up there, standing in the middle of the room. Maybe she didn't look glad. Two young fellows and a woman was fixing up the rooms as quick as we brought the stuff upstairs. Going back downstairs I must of passed about ten people lugging pieces of the old lady's furniture. The halls was full of ten-

ants giving us cheers.

Right after we got the last of the stuff inside, a police patrol come tearing down the street. The kids beat it away in every direction, and so did some of the big people. The patrol stopped in front of the house and a gang of coppers jumped out. They all had their clubs in their hands. I got caught in the vestibule with a couple of other fellows. The cop that runs in first says to me, "Look at this Bolshevik bastard, will you. Come here, you." I let him have one. He went flying ass backwards off the stoop. He landed on his

rade. "Yeah?" But by the time I got out of that jail, it sure was my tune, and that's no lie. (The End)

world.

PARTY LIFE "It Is an Everyday Task!"

DURING the election campaign Norman Thomas and the leadership of the Socialist Party did everything in their power to defeat the mass struggle against the hunger and war program of Wall Street. They told the workers they did not need to fight; all they needed to do was to vote for Thomas then the capitalist parties, as a result of such vote, would do something for the starving unemployed. With the election campaign over these socialist leaders carry on the same anti-working class campaign under different forms.

Deception

Just before the opening of the short special session of the state legislature called by the New York governor and president-elect, Roosevelt, a Socialist Party group of leaders headed by Norman Thomas visited the state house at Albany. According to the report in the Evening Post of December 9th, Thomas, before the opening of the legislative session, conferred with Roosevelt and emerged from the presence of the governor "with the word that Mr. Roosevelt seemed 'sympathetic to the idea of taking what action is possible at the special session to reforms beyond the economies already agreed to.

The special session was rushed through in record time and confined itself exclusively to making provisions for wage cuts against the teachers. the firemen, the workers in the department of sanitation in New York City, and paying the way for Wall Street receiverships over various city and local governments of the state with the object of beating down wages of workers so that rich bondholders could get interest on their investments. The session under the slogan of "economy" was a signal for wage cuts against tens, perhaps hundreds of thousands of workers in the state and is an open invitation to private employers to speed up their offensive against the workers' standards of life.

It was the particular job of Thomas and his associates to deceive the workers into believing that Roosevelt is not an agent of Wall Street but a person "sympathetic" to aiding the workers. It was an attempt to weaken mass support for representatives of the unemployed so the mass fight for local relief throughout the state would be weakened. It was also a part of the game Thomas has consistently played-to try to cripple the mass movement against hunger by alding capitalism put over the illusion that something can be expected from the Roosevelt administration a Washington after the inauguration March 4th. Thomas tried to prevent the workers fighting against Roosevelt's program in New York for the double purpose of helping put over wage cuts in this state, and to avoid exposing before the workers of the whole country the fact that Roosevelt's program is no different from that of Hoover whose ineffable inamy as a "hunger president" has long been established. Thus the republicans, the democrats and socialists find a common ground todayafter the election-on the same capitalist program against the working. lass that characterized their activities before the election. Today, as then, they still maintain that division of labor essential to the deceptive practices of capitalist democracy, which is only a concealed form of the capitalist dictatorship.

A relentles campaign of exposure and struggle must be carried on against the anti-working class part played by the Socialist Party leaders. On the basis of united action of the working class, unemployed and partime workers. Negro and white, native born and foreign-born, organized and unorganized, the mass struggle must be carried forward and reach such dimensions that capitalism will be forced to come through with winter relief and establish a system of unemployed and social insurance at the expense of the state and the employers. One of our chief enemies, and the most polsohous enemy in the ranks of the workers, is the treacherous socialist party leadership.



Chicago Protest

CHICAGO, (By Mail) .- In a milit- U. S. government and urged the ant mass meeting held last Saturday workers to stand in a solid front to hight in the Hull House, between repel these attacks. Halstead and Polk Streets, over 200 The meeting adopted a resolution Greek workers protested against the of protest to be sent to the Greek raging white terror in Greece and Embassy in Washington, to the press. particularly against the latest mur- to the Greek government and to the lerous attack on the striking work- Chicago Consulate. For the latter working elses the closing of all they a delegation of 13 workers was elected,

of the Communist deputies. Besides Greek Workers in Greek workers who spoke at this meeting, Wm. Browder, secretary of the Chicago District of the Interna-Terror in Greece tional Labor Defense, spoke on the attack and deportation plans of the

it made me so mad I didn't know what to do." some white chauvinist expressions that aroused this feeling in Negroes and is a

part of the story of "Georgia Nigger": "NIGGGER READ AND RUN. IF YOU CAN'T READ RUN ANYHOW." NIGGER DON'T LET THE

her in the harshest chauvinist manner: "You nigger wench, you 'nigger": and has many bourgeois will either pay up or I'll come ions about the conditions which he found in Georgia prisons. back and clean out the whole lot for one, however, am thankful for of you."

hearing

GRANDFATHER LYNCHED.

I remember to this day, when a

white collector say to

tries.

ganda is

boy nine or ten years of age,

clinging to my mother's dress,

In the state of Georgia my grandfather was burned on a pile of cross-ties by a white lynch mob. What is the use, and to what purpose is an exposure such as he This was done before I was born; has made to be put? It is to be but later on, as far as I can reused to expose the horrible condi-tions of the Negro masses and to member I have overheard members of my family talk of this lynch. ing. The white lynchers said: "He even some members of the Comwas a smart nigger" or "the nigger didn't know his place" or "the munst Party, who don't know in order to arouse them to fight for nigger not only talked back to white men but tried to associate "Georgia Nigger", because of its with white women. fictional form makes this more

When my father, as a young man, got his first job in a coal mine in North Alabama, he gave his name as Force. The white foreman misunderstood him and wrote his name down Ford, and when my father protested in order to correct it, the white foreman said: "Keep that name and number, it don't matter about a nigger's name anyhow. Furthermore, I don't want to spoil the book by changing a nigger's name on it."

avoid printing anything about it; they tried to hide the horrible con-I know something also about the conditions of Negroes in the prison ditions exposed in it. The state of camps of Alabama, and they are exactly like the conditions pictured Georgia threatens to indict Spivak. in "Georgia Nigger." At Pratt The Daily Worker by means of mine, Alabama, I have seen a series of popular articles and by running the book serially, dares Negroes arrested for the least offense and leased out to the coal to expose the terrible conditions mine operators by police authoriof the Negro masses for the purties for a few cents a day and pose of intensifying and stimulatused like mules to draw cars of ing the fight for Negro liberation. coal in the mines. Out of these The Negro bourgeois press refused transactions the coal company made big profits. Pratt mine had Personally, I have found the facts a reputation throughout the state set forth in "Georgia Nigger" to be as the hell-hole of Alabama, where of great value in exposing race "bad niggers" were sent. During the election campaign prejudice, and the horrible condi-

was arrested in Washington, D. C. with some Bonus Marchers At the police examination, when I attempted to sit down, the chief of detectives, O. T. Davis said to "Don't put your black-in that chair. You may be good enough to run for Vice President on the Communist Party ticket, but no nigger is good enough to sit his black—in my chair." If I, as a candidate of a political

party with the backing of workthroughout the country was treated in this way at the capital of the country, think of what must be the fate of share-croppers and convict laborers, with no friends or backing, caught up on a rural chain gang in the heart of the South

At an election rally in Denver, Colorado I was scheduled to speak. Before the meeting the ku klux klan got out leaflets with the following inscription on them:

"The Black cat of the nigger party speaks here tonight."

COMRADES, what is the mean-What is the meaning of "Classic

the tactic of all capitalist cour "Communist Bandits" is the so-

called, degrading name the foreign imperialists apply to Chinese workers and peasants to stigmatize them as "no gooders." "Coolie is understood throughout the world to mean the very lowest conditions of life. So we see how widespread this bourgeois Chauvinist propa-

The Communist Party leads a relentless fight against Negrophobia. That is why it is not afraid to face the facts in "Georgia Nigger." Every Communist knows that it is not his duty to condone such words as "nigger" or the conditions pic tured in "Georgia Nigger." It his duty to use these facts with firm revolutionary understanding to combat these conditions. The Communist Party is the only party which carries on a real fight not only agains these contemptuous terms, but against the whole monstrous system of national oppression whch they symbolize. Words, of course, have im-

Free Scottsboro Boys. Is the Keynote of the

sounds the dominant note in the January issue of the "Labor Defender' which is dedicated to his memory. The issue, just off the press, and one of the best published in recent months, is full of important articles and vivid, dra. matic photographs on the Scottsboro case and other current working class struggles. William L. Patterson, national secretary of the I.L.D., analyzes the Scottsboro decision in the first of a series of articles on the background of the Scottsboro case. Joseph North tells about the picketing demonstration for the Scottsboro boys before the Supreme Court. Articles by Louis Colman on the railroading to jail of Washington unemployed workers, by Ortiz on what's back of the South American wars, makes the January issue one which no worker should miss

Workers reading these pages of working class heroism in the face of boss terror in the chain gang South, in Socialist Milwaukee and in Roosevelt's New York and other sections of the country will be im-pelled to support the Winter Relief Drive of the I.L.D. to provide funds for these prisoners and their fames. The last issue of the Defender" was ordered off the news-stands by Washington, D. C. police because the magazine car-ries in it stories and pictures, a call to struggle against ruling class brutality and courseston.

lynch terror, Negro oppression and "nigger status" set up by the white ruling class, as the basis of Scottsboro, the Negro reformists and the N.A.A.C.P. turned upon the Communist Party as bitterly as did the white lynchers.

S. P. LOCALS JIM-CROW NEGROES.

The Socialist Party leadership has downright contempt for the Negro masses. That is why social-ist party locals in the south jimcrow Negroes. That is why Norman Thomas, recent presidential candidate of the Socialist Party, in the face of the whole system of the National Oppression of the Negro people and in the face of exposures in "Georgia Nigger," said that there are no special problems for the Negro masses different from the problems of the white workers. That's why the socialist leaders refer to the Scottsboro Defense as a racket. But "Georgia Nigger" shows clearly to every honest worker that Norman Thomas lies the Socialist Party's declarations about equality for Negroes is an empty gesture. They support the shameful system of American white supremacy. . . .

VES, comrades, the struggle for Negro rights is one of the most important struggles of the Ameri-can working class. It means that we must carry on a relentless struggle against the conditions so amazingly exposed by "Georgia Nigger" and for the release of the Scottsboro boys which is the most concrete expression of Negro oppression and immediately connected with the conditions in "Georgia Nigger". It is the task of the Communist Party to lead the struggle for Negro Rights. It is the duty of every Communist and especially every white revolutionary to break down among white workers all bourgeois prejudices and white chauvinism. They must break down the wall of this American ruling class "nigger status" for Negroes and jim-crowism. Throw the full light of day on "Georgia Ni-ger". Explain its meaning fully. Negro comrades! We must car ry on tireless activity among the Negro masses to free them of their mistrust of the white proletariat. We must explain the bourgeois cause of the conditions exposed in "Georgia Nigger". We must not allow rotten liberalism, let alone bourgeois influence, to prevent us from relentlessly conducting such a struggle. "Georgia Nigger" is part of the

background of Scottsboro. The Negro masses mast be aroused to struggle for the release Scottsboro boys. Forward to the struggle against white chauvinism! For the national liberation of the Negro masses against the chain-gang system! For t' overthrow of immedalist operation is COMRADES: I am in the Daily a little? Make very move count. We all know that anyone who Worker drive. I know that we reads the Daily Worker for a while must break through the wall of lies will lose the prejudice that the that the capitalist press has woven capitalist class has instilled in his around the workers. We also know mind. How do we go about it? Now, we go about it wrong. We that people will believe what they make a "Red Sunday." Everyone is read before they will believe what supposed to go out and sell Daily they hear. I want to criticize the Workers and get subs. . . . I have gotten ten or twelve subs but never "Daily" now. Why don't you put a single one on Red Sunday. an ad in the Daily on the front page for the Saturday special as It is an everyday task to put the Daily Worker over. It is a well as the "Daily." And have a personal-contact proposition. It is a territory proposition. A man must look over two or three

blank to be filled in with name and address. Half of the comrades know nothing about the Saturday blocks and say to himself: This edition. All I know is that it is \$1 is my field. He must make a a year. So I made my own price route there. Call each week and of 60 cents for six months

CRITICISM, AND

of three

MORE CRITICISMS

It is criticisms. I will be criticized

next Tuesday night at the Or

ganizers' meeting, because the unit

is not larger. Because I have not done more. Because I did not at-

work hard every day in a building as a painter. I have a few there

who read the **Daily Worker** and subscribe for it. I do the best I can.

However, no matter how much I

do. I always hate to show my

face at the organizers' meeting

because there are some things that

I did not do but I was told to do.

Directives, directives, directives!

An organization letter, sometimes

one tenth of it! I am just as much

10 Communists. Sure, as organizer

hy not use the he

Communist as ever, but I am not

pages; Hell, I could not do

tend some meeting or other.

sell a Saturday issue. Always suggest that they subscribe. Tell Here is my own personal experithem about meetings, etc., In other words, sell the whole idea ence. I work every day; I have for several years. I joined the Party without any soliciting. Very shortly of our movement to them. We must popularize it under this system. Not make it so mechaniwas on the section committee Then I was drafted into a unit as organizer. Then, because I got the cal. The American will be a Comidea over to the section that our munist as soon as you appeal to him right. unit territory was too large and that a new unit was necessary in Well, I can't spare any more time the territory, I was relesed as ornow so I must close. More planganizer of my unit and told to go work, more results and less ahead and organize a new unit. directives. Less criticizing of com-rades who are doing their level This I have done. Last night we had our first meeting. I organized best.

They will do better if their the new unit in one week. I must work is recognized. go right out in raw territory and Comradely, organize a unit. Already we must form an unemployed council. Now FRED STANLEY. I am not kicking so much about that. Here is what I do kick about

Try to Frame Worker in Bombing of Dairy **Co-operative in Oregon**

ASTORIA, Ore., Dec. 18 .- Desperate attempts are being made by the authorities here to frame up some worker for the recent bombing of the Youngs Bay Cooperative Dairy, which is owned and operated by militant workers and farmers, affiliated to the International Labor Defense

The bomb, exploded on Nov. 30, demolished the boiler-house and partially wrecked the main build Fortunately, no one was injured. A second bomb was found Dec. 2, which had failed to go off. If it had ex-ploded, it would have killed hundreds of people who were at a meet ing a block away.

I should see that others help. But Ever since the dairy was opened, it if I was to go to all the meetings I would be so busy learning what to has been the subject of threats from fascist groups here, linked with the do that I would not even get a American Legion and other patriotic organizations. Evidence showing their chance to try to get help to do anything. If we are going to have a Daily Worker drive-let's have it! direct connection with the bombing However, I can't be at everything has been presented by the I. L. D. all at once. I must sleep some-times. We have spent enough but the authoritics have refused to pay any attention to it. Now they have announced they are going in charge some member of the Co-oper-ative with bombing the place energy at our meetings to overthrow the whole capitalist system. My wife won't stand for it either.

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