DEMONSTRATE FOR NEW TRIAL AND RELEASE OF TOM MOONEY, FRIDAY, 5 P. M., UNION SQUARE

And Other Language Groups?

"Enclosed you will find a money order of \$5. We Yugoslavian workers have read in our workingclass paper, "Radnik", that the Daily Worker is in a critical condition, and for that reason we are sending you the enclosed check.

"Yugoslavian Workers Educational Club, Eureka, Cal."



They Answer Tom Mooney

The Prospect Workers Center of New York has answered Tom Mooney's appeal with a \$35 contribution to the Daily Worker raising its total in the drive to \$100. This organization, which sometime ago challenged all the other workers' clubs, wants to know why it has received no answer. Aren't the other clubs aware of the danger threatening the very life of the "Daily"?

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3,000 HUDSON AUTO WORKERS IN DETROIT STRIKE GERMAN FASCISTS THREAT TO PREVENT T.U.U.C. Actively Aids WORKERS AT BODY PLANT JOIN BRIGGS

FURTHER SESSIONS OF REICHSTAG

Discover Nazi Plot to Exclude Communist Lists in the Election Campaign. After They Are Filed

(By INPRECORR CABLE)

BERLIN, Feb. 7.-Fascist spokesmen have announced their intention of preventing all further sessions of the Reichstag by force if necessary.

The pretext is advanced that Loebe is unacceptable as chairman because he is alleged to have insulted Hitler in a recent speech.

The Reichstag Control Committee met today. In order to prevent further discussion of the agricultural relief scan-?

dal in which scores of fascists 226 BARRETT ST. dal in which scores of fascists and their allies among the FORCED TO DROP Prussian Junkers are implicated, the RENT STRIKE WON

Defeated Socialist Leader of Landlords

NEW YORK .- The 226 Barrett St., Brownsville rent strike was won Monday night. The gains received by the tenants as a result of a well organized and fierce struggle of the workers in this vicinity against the landlord serve as an example to all

After many clashes with the landlord police and mashalls the 26 tenants got:

1. No evictions and the returning of previously evicted tenants.

(CONTINUED ON PAGE TWO)

making it impossible for the chairman to make him self heard. He therefore adjourned the meeting. **Communists Reveal** 00 **Fascist Election**



comed the gather-ing. He reminded the press represen-Von Papen tatives that last week Minister of the Interior Frick

convention of the party, was the first to be tried and convicted. He died in 1927 while the case was being (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE) appealed.

Albany Conference Plan

NEW YORK .- The enlarged Buro meeting Monday of the Trade Union Unity Council took up the question of delegates and preparation of bills for the State Conference on Unemployment Insurance and labor legislation scheduled to take place in Albany on February 25, 26 and 27.

The measures adopted by the Buro indicate not only the determination of the Trade Union Unity Council to -help build the Albany Conference to send speakers to every sympathe-

into a most powerful weapon in the tic organization to urge the election struggle, to force adopt immediate of delegates and immediate financial relief and labor legislation from the support. Organizations and indivi-legislature but also to balk all at-tempts to defeat the purpose of the delegates and contributions to the workers for better conditions.

The Buro decided to call upon each affiliated union, league and opposi-tion group to get out leaflets in sup-

N. Baldwin, William Kelley, James Hubert.

and Arthur, Bronx.

Conference, Room 336, 799 Broadway **Hit Disrupters**

port of the Albany Conference, and

CITY EVENTS

ATTEND TRIAL OF SAM WEINSTEIN TODAY

frame Weinstein to a ten year sentence. Trial is 10 a.m. today at Tremont

STUDENTS PICKET CITY COLLEGE TODAY

N. Y. Students' Committee for Struggle Against War to demonstrate against military preparations in college.

U. S. BANK DEPOSITORS REPORT ON LEHMAN

Depositors who saw governor will report results of trip to Albany at mass meeting tonight at 8 p. m. at Stuyvesant High School.

BRODSKY SPEAKS FOR SCOTTSBORO BOYS TONIGHT

Scottsboro mass meeting at 132 West 138th St., 8 p. m. tonight. Speakers: Joseph R. Brodsky, Countee Cullen, Louise Thompson, Roger

Workers should gather at the court room where they are trying to

Assemble at Convent Ave. and 139th St. at 9 a. m. today at call of

Although the Albany Conference (CONTINUED ON PAGE TWO)

Elect Strike Committee; Activity of Auto Workers Union Paved the Way for New Walkout

DETROIT, Feb. 7 .- News Flash-One Shot and three stabled in a riot among scabs returning from Briggs plant last night.

STRUGGLE; DEMAND 20 P. C. INCREASE

DETROIT, Feb. 7 .- The strike of 3,000 workers in the Hudson body plant has proved so effective that all the Hudson and Essex factories here, employing 6,000 men, were today compelled to shut down. This is the first strike in the Hudson plants in 25 years.

DETROIT, Feb. 7 .- Three thousand workers of the body plant of the Hudson Motor Company struck today for a 20 percent increase in wages and time and a half for overtime.

The news of this new revolt of the auto slaves spread with lightning speed among the auto workers of Detroit and was received with particular enthusiasm by the 10,000 Briggs Body strikers, who for more than two weeks have been waging a bitter struggle for higher wages, against "dead -

HUAN PING

(By Inprecorr Cable.)

work" (unpaid work), for rec-ognition of their shop commit-tees and other demands.

tees and other demands. The Hudson body plant reopened yesterday after a week's shutdown, WORLD WIDE but today the 3,000 workers decided to follow the example of the Briggs men and put up a fight against their **PROTEST FREES** slave conditions. The strike is a direct result of the organizational ac-tivities of the militant Auto Workers' Union and of the enthusiastic meeting Sunday at Danceland Audi-torium, where 3,000 Briggs strikers voted to continue their struggle in BERLIN, Feb. 7.-The Chinese delegation to Geneva reports offithe face of the greatest mobilization

of police, state troopers and comcially that Huan Ping, Chinese pany servicemen in the history of Communist leader, was released on Detroit. Jan. 24. His arrest, continual tor-A rank and file strike committee ture and threatened exceution was elected, which presented a list have been the occasion of worldof demands to the company shortly wide protests by workers and in-tellectuals against the Nanking

after the men walked out. The Hudgovernment (See story on page 3.) (SEE EDITORIAL ON FAGE 3)

struggle for better condition The Hudson workers already de feated efforts to cut their wages at the time of the first Briggs strike. which started against a wage-cut at the Briggs Vernor Highway plant Jan. 11 and resulted in victory within a few days. Now the Hudson men have decided to join their comrades at Briggs in a fight for higher wages

and other improvements.

Briggs Strikers Strengthen Picketing DETROIT, Feb. 7.--A mass meet-ing yesterday afternoon of the strikers at the four Briggs plants decided to reinforce the picket-line and to compel the secretary of the strike committee, who is against militant picketing, to resign. The Auto Work-

(CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE

DAILY WORKER IN FARMERS' FIGHT; MASS ACTION STOPS \$1,692,423,000 FORCE

(AN EDITORIAL.) WE must speak sharply in warning today that the DAILY WORKER IS IN REAL DANGER. The drive for funds TO SAVE THE LIFE of the Daily Worker is SO FAR NOT SUCCESSFUL. It will be. But only when you, the workers who read it, and the workers' mass organizations together with the farmers who also need it, come to the rescue on a much larger scale.

gage. That means that Kistner was obliged to pay back \$714 for an original debt of \$350-but this \$714 is worth five times as much farm produce as it would have been worth at the time the debt was made. So this actually neans that Cecil Kistner, the "dirt" farmer, was required by law to return \$3620 worth of farm produce in repayment to an insurance company Shylock for an original debt of \$350, less than one-tenth, in farm produce, of what the law now demands of him!

BRIDGEMAN CASE

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., Feb. 7 .- The

International Labor Defense won a

major victory with the dismissal of

the Michigan criminal syndicalism

charges in the Circuit Court against

William Z. Foster, Bill Dunne and

other outstanding leaders of the

Altogether 19 defendants were in-volved in the case. Charles E. Ruth-

enberg, one of the founders of the Communist Party, arrested with the

others in the Bridgman raid on the

pending for more than ten years.

realizing that they were about to lose their bloodsucking hold upon the American farming masses, began to retreat (a sly, swindling, manoeuvering retreat, but nevertheless a retreat).

farmers" but really for the joint stock banks and other mortgage holders out of the public treasury.

But the bulk of this ten billion dollars in farm mortgages will never be paid. Because the revolutionary lead-

THIS space on the first page of the Daily Worker

ought to be devoted exclusively to the direct struggle for the daily economic needs of the working class and farmers, and the whole series of great class battles in the U.S. and throughout the capitalist world teday.

It is for acquainting the workers with this struggle and giving revolutionary leadership in it that the Daily Worker exists.

It is impossible for the Daily Worker to continue publication at all, except by asking and obtaining the quick completion of the collection of the \$35,000 fund for the saving of the life of the Daily Worker and bringing about certain improvements in it. For this reason, from day to day we have been obliged to give over the greater part of the first page to these pleas to the working class for money -a thing that we do not like to do and which we shall stop as soon as it becomes physically possible to continue the Daily Worker without such pleas.

TODAY we want to explain to you further the material usefulness of the Daily Worker to the great masses of American laboring farmers.

Millions of farmers have been literally driven from their farms, losing everything they had and compelled to go to the city to beg for jobs that could not be obtained.

The working farmers contracted debts at a time when farm products were priced at more than five times what they will now bring. Mortgages were given on the farms. A tremendous total of debt towered above the head of American agriculture-estimated at about ten thousand millions (\$10,000,000,000) of dollars.

THEN came the rapid development of the agrarian crisis. It became necessary for the "dirt" farmers to pay back four times the amount of the original debt, measured in units of farm produce. That is, where a farmer had borrowed the money value of 100 bushels of wheat or potatoes or corn, or the equivalent of one bale of cotton, he has now to pay back 400 bushels of wheat or potatoes or corn for the 100, or four bales of cotton for one that he borrowed in the first place.

But it is even worse than this in many cases. Because under some conditions the unpaid interest is compounded tweleve times in each year. There is, for instance, the case of the farmer Cecil Kistner near Deshler, Ohio, who borrowed \$350, and had paid \$324 in interest, but still owed \$390 when his farm was put up for sale on the mortTHIS explains the desperate plight of the American laboring farmers! What should they do about it?

Ten per cent of all the farmers of the United States lost their homes in two years. The law of capitalism demanded this. The farmer who had labored a life-time to feed the American people was told to get out with his wife and children as empty-handed paupers to wander to the city. In the city the farmer could go to beg for jobs that did not exist. His boys could go to the alleys and poolhalls, his daughters were invited to find a way to live on the pavements of the city streets.

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B^{UT} there was also a voice which told the farmers not to submit to this What voice was it that told the formers submit to this. What voice was it that told the farmers not to starve, but to fight? It was, of course, the voice of the Communist Party.

A great wave of resistance swept thru the country. You all know it now: beginning with the Iowa farmers' strike, resistance was raised, especially by the Farmers' National Conference at Washington at the time of the openig of Congress. Consistency and a program were given, and the struggle rose to the level of the famous "Sears-Roebuck sales"! In Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas-this new "prairie fire" of what the bankers call "bolshevism on the farms" spread! Great gatherings of farmers rallied to the support of every one whose farm was put up for mortgage sales. Cows and horses, plows and harvesters were sold for one to eleven cents apiece. A hundred acres brought \$1.20. Hundreds of thousands of farmers who had never yet so much as heard of the Communist Party and who do not today know anything about it, joined in this mass movement. The movement leaped from the northwest to the southwest-to Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma; to the east, to Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Ohio, Michigan and Indiana-and is still spreading.

In the South (Georgia and Alabama) the struggle took on the most terrific fierceness. Negro farmers, faced with sheriff's gangs trying to seize their farming implements, their mules and cows, resisted courageously at the cost of their blood!

Still the movement spreads! Further and further, until nearly the whole of the agrarian United States is in the grip of rebellion against the looting of the farmers by the bankers and insurance companies.

WE have now learned that from such a mass movement a certain degree of victory can be obtained. Just a few days ago the great insurance companies, suddenly

THE New York Life Insurance Company suddenly an-I nounced that it would not insist upon foreclosing mortgages in the state of Iowa under certain conditions.

The Prudential Insurance Company, the biggest holder of farm mortgages in the country and having \$209,248,000 invested in 37,000 farms, trembling for fear that this enormous sum would vanish in the "eleven cent farm sales," announced that it would not press any more for foreclosures.

Other big insurance companies followed suit, the Metropolitan Life, the Equitable Life, the Mutual Beneft Life, the Hancock Mutual Life, the National Life Insurance Company, etc., etc.

What does this mean to the American farmer?

The Association of Life Insurance Presidents indicates that the farm mortgages in the hands of life insurance companies are about as follows:

Acina	53,408,000
Bankers' Life	66.341.900
Connecticut Mutual	39,890,000
Connecticut General	21.747,000
Equitable (N. Y.)	196,862,000
Equitable (Iowa)	54.178.000
John Hancock	174.536.000
Metropolitan	181.594.000
Mutual Benefit	150,270,000
National Life	33.720,900
New York Life	26,003,000
Northwestern Mutual	216,505,000
Pennsylvania Mutual	16.800.000
Phoenix Mutual	30,516,000
Provident Mutual	7,929,000
Prudential	209.248.000
Travelers	73,956,000
Union Central	138,920,000
	.692,423.000
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THIS enormous sum of nearly one billion, seven hundred million dollars is at stake in the struggle between the insurance company leeches and the American "dirt" farmers.

Every effort is being made to swindle, trick and deceive the farmers back into submission.

Governors, state legislators and U.S. Senators are tumbling over each other to rush "to the rescue of the farmer!" But they don't mean the rescue of the farmer. What they mean is that they are beginning to see that the ten billions of farm mortgages in the United States will, for the most part, NEVER BE PAID. They are trying to rescue their billions-not the farmers!

That is, this enormous debt load will never be paid by the American farmers provided the farmers are given correct revolutionary leadership by the revolutionary movement under the Communist Party.

Notice what measures the capitalist and "Socialist" politicians are putting forth. For instance, Senator Robinson's proposal is for \$1,500,000,000, ostensibly "for the ership will be active.

Various agents of the banks are in the field all over the country in the guise of "farm leaders." Among them are Simpson, Milo Reno, O'Neill, etc., and while foaming at the mouth whenever the farmers are looking these men all offer, not to repudiate this hideous load of swindlers' claims, but to find a way to pay the banks, i. e., a way to perpetuate the farmers' slavery to the mortgage holders.

But the Communist Party comes forward with the demand for the CANCELLATION of the farm mortgages! The Communist Party demands the confiscation of the land of the rich white landlords in the Black Belt for the benefit of the Negro and white working farmers!

THE next step for the farmers struggles must be to raise the great wave of demand of the whole laboring farmer masses for the complete cancellation of all of these Shylock claims. The Communist Party, through its great voice, the Daily Worker, must stir up the farmers to defeat the efforts of these swindling leaders who wish to tie them up to new mortgages, who wish to trick them into stopping the eleven cent sales, who wish to make them leave the bankers' claims intact, who wish to prepare them to accept the Roosevelt administration's form of so-called re-financing schemes which refinance the banks and re-enslave the farmers. The great struggle will go forward in a thousands forms. The direct action of the farmers has already brought a tremendous partial victory. The local elections in the near future will be another important step in which the Communist candidates will show the revolutionary way out of the crisis, throwing off of the parasite system which makes inevitable the enslavement not only of the working class of industry but also of the toiling farmers of the country.

T is clear that the voice of the Communist Party-the Daily Worker-must not be silenced in this struggle. The stakes are too great; the Daily Worker must not and cannot be allowed to die.

The Daily Worker must become bigger and stronger.

Yet the Daily Worker is in a really desperate situation for want of the comparatively small amount of \$35,000 we are attempting to raise.

We are confident that the workers and the dirt farmers will respond. 华 * *

CONTRIBUTIONS, which totalled \$351.99, improved yesterday, but NO1 ENOUGH. Of this sum, \$269.07 came from the New York district. which shows that the other districts have not yet awakened to activity. A flood of contributions from every district is necessary immediately to keep the "Daily" alive. Rush funds to the Daily Worker, 50 E. 13th St. New York City.

Received yesterday \$351.99 Total to date \$4,861.42

In Saturday's paper an error appeared in the total to date, which made it 13 cents greater than it should have been. This error was repeated in Monday's and yesterday's issues; it is corrected today.)

ing to place demands with the West.

chester County Public Welfare Dept.

unemployed out of the county as pos-

BY FOOD WORKERS

The meeting lasted till 3 a. m.

parade will proceed along Sutter to

Chamber of Commerce

Saratoga where a wind-up rally

NEW YORK. - Indications are today for more relief and rent for a

and establish a powerful union and Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this win better conditions. At the close unemployed family, which has been

starve.

family of four.

gets a cut out of it.

plain that the campaign inaugurated

by the Cloakmakers' Committee of

100 and the Industrial Union will

follow the example of the furriers

of the first day, Monday, already 17

akmakers to help picket the shop

beginning of the drive. The coun-

union conditions won by the cloak-

makers through many years of

American Youth Club

Unemployed Workers

NEW YORK .-- Promises and flop

houses were offered to the delegation of unemployed workers of the Am-

erican Youth Club, 407 Rockaway Ave., when they went to the Buro of

After much discussion and strong

argument on the part of the delega-

tion these unemployed received car

fare and were told to go to the com-

mittee for homeless men at 799

country offer the homeless unem-

a few crumbs such as jobs for one day, cast off clothing and old shoes.

There Sect. Ostrofosky

be sent away without relief. There- mittee. upon Ostrofsky promised to provide

relief.

Broadway.

ployed.

Get Relief for Many

heard reports that under the rule

Weinstein in Bronx STRIKE 29 CLOAK Westchester 'Welfare' Vicious Exploitation Is Workers' SHOPS IN 2 DAYS Out of the County YONKERS, N. Y., Feb. 7. - The Chief Counsel for the International Already Win 6 of Them; Unemployed Council here is prepar-

By DAN DAVIS INTERSTATE PARK, N. Y.—The clanks like those of Georgia's chain gangs echo through the Bear Moun-tain, Pallsades Interstate Park, some igam show Nueder where a Nueder in the boss will can me if few miss show Nueder where a Nueder in the boss will can me if is show Nueder where a Nueder in the boss will can me if is show Nueder where it where it is show of the list. That day they is show Nueder where it where it is show of the list. That day they is show Nueder where it where it is show of the list. That day they is show Nueder where it is show of the list. That day they is show Nueder where it is show of the list. That day they is show Nueder where it where it is show of the list. That day they is show Nueder where it is show of the list. The forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the forement and the forement and the committee is the list. The forement and the foreme

This family of rout. This family has been given "legal notice" to move by Judge Gerald Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this Relief Bureau "jobs." Lam, Palisades Interstate Park, some few miles above Nyack, where 2,800 Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this Relief Bureau "jobs." Lam, Palisades Interstate Park, some few miles above Nyack, where 2,800 Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this Relief Bureau "jobs." Lam, Palisades Interstate Park, some few miles above Nyack, where 2,800 Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this Relief Bureau "jobs." Lam, Palisades Interstate Park, some few miles above Nyack, where 2,800 Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this Relief Bureau "jobs." Lam, Palisades Interstate Park, some few miles above Nyack, where 2,800 Nonal, on a demand for \$62 from this Relief Bureau "jobs." Lam, Palisades Interstate Park, some to both the foreman will be asking to both the park and th

shops were struck and yesterday 12 more went out on strike, six were settled and negotiations proceed in and the family suspects some one three made for the groceries is \$4, 1,400 of these workers, living in to it that the bosses "law" is carried Brooklyn, Manhattan and the Bronx, out.

tear themselves out of bed. They by the ruling class of workers' rights to organize and to strike. Weinstein was framed up because Many men are fired for resenting recently raised from \$12,000 to \$14,000 a year. One of her underlings stated plainly that it is the intention of the department to move as many work just several hours before, some-side the boss. The worker knows work just several hours before, some-work just several hours before, some-the boss. The worker knows the boss is ready A state trooper always stands be-side the boss. The worker knows what this means. The boss is ready

particular family to New York-to and during the two week layoff there "Very sorry, but we'll have to fire will be a "day's pay" (\$4.50 minus 50c you, funds are running very low, the Bureau takes back to pay the The Home Relief had promised fare) less with which to feed the that pay would be forthcoming for fare) less with which to feed the the days when it rained and the men

At 8 a. m. the men are scattered At 8 a. m. the men are scattered at a m. the men are scattered throughout the park. Hands trained no pay for that day. Two workers to wield a pen, must now swing pick passed a petition around in the train

Strike Victorious Racketeer Clark

individual named Clark has repudiated his racket and endorsed the Unemployed Committee of Waiters and Waitresses of Greater New York .. Clark called a number of them to a

At the first meeting the unem- etcd in front of the house. Epstein Broadway. There Sect. Ostrofosky and the demonstration will be sup-told them to go to the municipal flop-house, the best the capitalists of this ported by the joint committee of mass house, the best the capitalists of this ported by the joint committee of mass ployed absolutely repudiated the made the most extravagant threats

ganize to better their conditions.

A comedy by S. N. EEHRMAN GUILD THEATRE, 52d St., West of B'way Eve. 8:20. Mats. Thurs., Sat. & Feb. 13 The committee postponed its own meeting, marched in a body to Bry-ant Hall, and its members took the mittee of 50.

T.U.U.C. Active for Albany Conference Lot in Bear Mt. Home Relief 'Jobs' (CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

Icy Winds

Despite the mild winter, icy blasts sweep the mountain side. Many of

the men, long unemployed, are force;

to come to work poorly clothed. The

have no heavy coats or heavy shoe

vide clothing. Aside from some bo

The Red Cross was supposed to pro-

which came in only a few sizes, little

was issued. Pneumonia and tse grippe take their heavy toll and cost the

workers many doctor bills. Several workers drop of exhaustion while

working. Only four out of one crew of thirty in the last shift were able

It's Profitable

published in the Jan. 20 N. Y. World Telegram, spilled the "benevolent"

Home Relief beans and admitted

are working better than the laborers we used to get from the agencies."

The World Telegram in the last

two paragraphs of the same article

starts its first sentence with: "Re-

tain workers are cheerful," and

"Many, exhausted by the day's work, find a seat, place their empty

lunch buckets on their laps and sleep

until the train pulls into Weehawken.

but my wife made me go to work.' He

would starve if he didn't and that he

might as well die up on the mountain

Home Relief Bureau, under the pre-tense of giving "jobs," and drown out

as in the bed at home."

gang in New York.

said his wife told him the children Trades Dance group.

then goes on to admit that:

"The main thing is that these men

to work a full week.

in preliminary conference at Irving

Plaza in January, the Socialist Party

issued a call for a separate city con-ference after the call for the Albany

The Socialist city conference is

scheduled but three days before the

purpose to divide the united efforts of the workers for unemployment

insurance, relief and labor legisla-

tion can be seen further through the fact that the Socialist gathering is

scheduled for a week night, to begin

at 8.30 p. m. No organization con-

idering the purpose of such a con-

ference seriously would make such

Call for Unity

to urge the workers in all organiza-

of the provisional committee and to

send letters of protest to the Socialist

Party against the manuever of the officialdom to split the unity of the

Such organizations as already

elected delegates to the Socialis

Conference are urged to instruct

their delegates to expose the splitting

manuevers on the floor of the So-cialist conference and to raise before

the rank and file delegates the need for merging with the Albany State-

wide Conference, and forming a solid

All organizations, shops, Trade

Boards and others were urged to draw

up bills that would include the de

mands of the workers represented for

discussion at the Albany Conference

To Raise Finances

tending the Trade Union Unity

Council entertainment and ball, Feb

11, at Irving Piaza Hall. The pro-

gram includes John Pinard, Aida

Sextet, Margaret Larkin and Needle

Unemployed Council Acts

will take up two main points: the Albany Conference, and the Rent

KAMERADSCHAFT

(Comradeship) English Title -SPECIAL ADDED FEATURES-

a mobilization for the conference

The regular monthly full delegate

united front of the workers

tions embraced in the Preliminary

The Buro of the T. U. U. C. decided

arrangements

Major William A. Welch, chief en- Conference to support the decision

their work. For this and other organization "'A man in my gang came to work work of the T. U. U. C., workers are

The might of these worker fighting meeting of the Unemployed Council

to the vicious exploitation of the p.m. at 15 East Third Street, Room 4

the echoing clank of a Georgia chain Strike Movement, which is itself also

AMLISEMENTS

workers.

Its

Conference had been issued.

State Conference at Albany.

getting \$2 worth of groceries per 4 and 4:30 each morning, for two the scene." There are also police-

unemployed out of the county as pos-sible. They are planning to send this long after the sun set. Miss the ferry to say:

family. For only family men can get were unable to work. The last time these "jobs."

2. Cancelling of back rent. 3. Recognition of permanent house committee to protect the interest of the tenants. 4. Reduction by \$3 on four room apartment during the winter

One man explained the importance of their work. months by \$4 in the summer period; \$2 to be taken off from the 3 yesterday, he said, "and he fell into a faint when we got halfway up the tending the Trade Union U room apartments rent in the winter and \$3 in the summer. mountain. We took him to the hos-pital and they said it was pneumonia. He said to me, I knew I was sick.

lords' association, to frighten or innumber of unemployed be staggered line. Day after day thugs and police

organizations in Brownsville and the Food Workers Unemployed Council spoke, and advised militant struggles of the house fought and won.

with another public meeting, in though he had a squad of police BIOGRAPHY



NEW YORK .- Joseph R. Brodsky, CENTRAL TRADES Labor Defense, will fight the case of Mass Picketing Today Sam Weinstein, framed furniture Tammany and Socialist worker, whose trial is scheduled to Unite to Put Over

JAM A.F.L. BILL ON Brodsky Will Defend

INSURANCE THRU County Court Today

Fake Scheme

NEW YORK .- In the face of bitter criticism from many of the delegates, the New York Central Trades and Labor Council came out in favor, at its last meeting, of the A.F.L. form of "unemployment insurance" bill, The C. T. and L. C. officially endorsed Senate Bill No. 208, entitled A. F. of L. Standard Unemployment Insurance Bill," now before the state legislature.

The bill is sponsored by Senator Byrne of Albany, and Assemblyman City last year. Condon of Yonkers, both Democrats and loyal allies of Tammany.

Provisions of Bill

The provisions of the bill are: Creation of a fund by employers con-tributing three per cent of their weekpayroll until \$125 has been paid in for each employe. Then benefits will be paid workers thereafter becoming unemployed, at the rate of \$5 to \$15 a week, but never more than three-fourths of the weekly pay.

No benefits are to be paid until after No payments are to be made before Oct. 1, 1933.

for dependants. No provision is made

many amendments to make it work butions). at all.

Bill Attacked

Delegates Woskow of Local 51 of that they had shorter hours and the Printing Pressmen's Union and longer vacations than European Delegate Peer of the Postal Workers severely criticized the bill as inadequate

Tammany delegates and officials of the C. T. and L. C. defended it hotly, as did also the Socialist dele-It was Sieberg who led the fight against a motion from the floor for and present amendments to the bill.

to unemployed workers Delegates Steiberg heartily support-

start this morning, in the Bronx County Court, Arthur and Tremont Aves., it was announced yesterday by the Weinstein Defense Committee. The bosses want to railroad Weinstein so as to intimidate the workers against fighting for their political and economic rights. Acquittal of Weinstein, brought about by mass pressure, will be a heavy blow to the three more.

Weinstein was framed up because mobilization called by the Needle he was militantly active in a strike Trades Unemployed Council in sup-

of furniture workers in New York port of the drive. Previously, about 75 strikers carrying placards calling for a united fight for higher wages

and denouncing fake strikes and racketeers, picketed the Bedford MANDELL BULLIES hop, at 315 West 36th St., one of ne struck shops. The Needle Trades Unemployed SCHOOL TEACHERS The Needle Trades Unemployed PARADE TONIGHT

ployed furriers, dressmakers and Threatens Pay Cuts at that are on strike and to help the Elmhurst Meeting struggles of the cloakmakers agains sweatshop conditions prevailing in the industry.

NEW YORK. - Edward Mandell

At a meeting of the executive council of the N. T. W. I. U., the del-egates greeted with enthusiasm the three to ten weeks of waiting, and Associate Superintendent of Schools then one-third of every 52 weeks of in charge of Queens, recently warned unemployment, but in no case for a gathering of 600 elementary school more than 16 weeks in any one year. teachers at Elmhurst that teachers would suffer if they did not contri-bute more money to the unemployed. of the misleaders workers can not earn more than \$2 and \$2.50 a day, There are numerous other restric-tions. No special provision is made for dependants No provision is made J. O'Shea, who said, about a month slaving 10 and 12 hours, and that the

"If a teacher resigns," he said,

"Better give now as much as you

Can it be that O'Shea is so alarm-

tween the teachers and the tax-

payers? Can it be that Dr. O'Shea

is not really so confident that only

small

"unrepresentative" group

there are 5,000 substitutes who are

ago, that he was confident teachers for marine workers, agricultural or could not find it in their hearts to domestic workers, or for workers in ignore those in need. He believed it domestic workers, or for workers in ignore those in need, He believed it establishments hiring less than 40 workers. All delegates to the C. T. and L. C. teachers, who would object in times

admitted that the bill "should have like these to enlarge their contri-Mandell went on to say that the teachers of New York were lucky in

teachers... he represented the public as questioning indignantly wheth-er teachers could not work harder Jewish Charities last week to demand for their money... and he asked them for three times more than they had

been contributing. Then he informed his audience that there must be an Steiberg of the Bookkeepers. annual swing of \$7,000,000 or there would be another salary cut. special meeting to draft, discuss knocking on the door, willing to make In the course of the discussion, Secyour place for \$6 a day and no vaca-

retary Quinn of the Council bitterly attacked the A.F.L. Committee for tion money. Unemployment Insurance and attackcan. Give willingly rather than ed the Albany Conference for Labor arouse the sentiment of the taxpayers. The teachers must also do their bit, Legislation, scheduled for Feb. 25-27. to draft and present among other and if there is to be retaliation, two bills, an unemployment insurance bill can play the game. of the sort that will be of some use ed he must try to foster hatred be-

ed Quinn in this attack.

When this organized body of workers pressed him further, he decided to give them some small change and pay the rent for unemployed who lived three in a box of a room rather than go to the hellish flop-houses. A debate sponsored by the club will

The committee, however refused to the consent of Local 325 strike com-

Asks Reduction in Tax NEW YORK .- The Chamber of

vill take place.

Commerce of the State of New York. at its regular February meeting,

just

Locked-Out Cafeteria axes and shovels and move rocks. next morning demanding that the Workers Picketing Waiters Run Out |226 Barrett St. NEW YORK .- Locked out members of Cooks and Countermans Local No 325 made a stormy demonstration

Monday at their union meeting held at 21 Sumner Avenue, Brooklyn, against the attempts of the Inter-Reject Stagger Scheme (CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) turning to New York, the Bear Moun-

national and local officials to impose struggle and sacrifice were destroyed. a settlement upon the workers de-manded by the bosses' association. and Elect Own Comm.

NEW YORK .- For the second time a week, the audience of unem-The members of 325 were locked ployed waiters called together by an out by a number of cafeterias in Brooklyn when they refused to agree to a slashing wage cut and unlimited hours demanded by the association.

ronight, in answer to the bosses and the attempted sell-out by the offi-cials of the union, the workers will neeting a week ago, and proposed

stage a torch-light parade and demonstration in support of the workers. The demonstration will begin at 7.30 p. m. at Georgia and Sutter Avenue, Brooklyn. From this point the

Stone and Pitkin, then along Pitkin with those now working.

Clubs, fists, and the shutting off that an organization be formed to send a letter to Mayor O'Brien and to Teagle, head of the "Share-the-lords' association, to frighten or in-Work" movement. This letter would timidate the tenants of this house propose that in all restaurants every- and other sympathetic workers who body go on half time and an equal lived near by and joined the picket

beat women and children who pick-

Approves Relief Cuts ; a meeting Monday but heard in the floor and exposed Clark's racket, even meantime that Clark was trying again

Bryant Hall. this time also repudiated Clark, en-

for relief for the unemployed. The workers of that house have The crowd elected a committee of chosen a committee of 15 to help the 25, the 'Unemployed Committee of remaining workers of the block or-Waiters and Waitresses."" This committee was to have held

Huan Ping Freed From China Jail by World-Wide Protest

s to live.

as of Feb. 6

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International Notes

By ROBERT HAMILTON

HEIRS OF THE POTEMKIN Somewhere out in the Java Sea tonight a Dutch battleship is steaming, in the hands of its mutineer crew. No one knows where it is headed, and a squadron of cruisers and destroyers is racing after it at full speed to capture it.

The De Zeven Provincien and its heroic Javanese crew are worthy de scendants of the Russian cruiser Potemkin of 1905, immortalized in Eisenstein's film. This naval revolt is but the most recent in a chain of prisings starting with the famou Potemkin, and continued in the Kie revolt in 1918 that gave the signal for the downfall of the Hohenzollern dy pasty in Germany and the Invergor-don mutiny in the Britch Grand Fleet two years ago which marked the beginning of Britain's cecline as a haval power.

The glorious tradition of the Potemkin lives on. The revolutionary upsurge in the Dutch East Indies. under the leadership of the Commu-nist Party, driven underground after the defeated uprising in Java and Sumatra a few years ago, is again making itself felt. Revolutionary greetings to East Indian comrades!

PROTEST ATTACK ON HALIFAX UNEMPLOYED

HALIFAX. - Vigorously protesting against the attack by Halifax gang-sters on the headquarters of the local unemployed and against the beating of Victor Benoit, unemployed organizer, President A. J. Herve and Secre-tary Harry McDonald of Local 5, Amalgamated Mine Workers of Nova Scotia, at Florence have written a letter expressing their solidarity with the unemployed workers and denouncing "the iron heel suppres advocated by the Rt. Hon. R. B. Ben-

GERMAN NAZIS BAN REICHSTAG

Plot to Throw Out Communist Lists

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

had assured the press that the Cabinet had no inte tet had no intention of limiting its reedom. Within a week the Cabinet had issued the most severe and sweeping anti-press decree in postwar history, said the Communist dep-

Conspiracy Against Communist Lists Deputy Pieck followed Torgler and nformed the press representatives that the Communist Party has re-ceived reliable confidential information showing that the Fascist-Nationalist Cabinet has formed a plan to declare the Communist Party election lists void after the expiration of the time limit for filing lists of candidates. In this way, said Pieck, the Fascists seek to prevent the filing of an alternative list by the Communist Party and thus leave it without candidates.

The Fascists reckon that in such a ituation a part of the Communist supporters would vote Socialist, but that a great number would refrain from voting and thus make it possile for the government parties to von Papen Replaces Braun

Guards Spoils

Japanese Soldier guarding the poils captured by the imperialist invaders when the Chinese city of Shanhaikwan was destroyed. hard enough

How US Aids Japan War; Arms for P.I.

(By a Worker Correspondent) BRIDGEPORT, Conn.-Here is important news-a Japanese

freighter of 5831 gross tons named "Keifuki Maru" steamed into the Bridgeport harbor last the's and began unloading pig iron wald she is still engaged in doing. The hip flying the Japanese flag has a crew of 39 men and officers. She claims to have picked up this cargo in Hol-land, which was consigned to some

metal shops in this state. She will be through unloading at about Wed. or Thurs., and then, according to one of the men, will leave Bridgeport empty for St. John, New Foundland, where the ship will pick up a cargo of finished iron. Then she will sail to Galveston, Texas, where she will get a cargo of cotton and then will take both cargoes to Japan.

We are watching this ship closely, especially since this is a munitions manufacturing town. It it begins load here, we will take action. We will not be quiet even if the ship does not load up here. _J.

> By a Worker Correspondent BROOKLYN, N. Y .- Your editorial showing that the Philippine Independence Law will in no way interfere with the continued dom ination of the Islands by American capitalistic interests, is corroborated by the following:

The 1,000,000 steel helmets and 60,000 lbs. of quinine temporarily stored at the Brooklyn Army Base at 59th St., and First Ave., have been shipped to the Philippine Islands.

Tremendous quantities of war medical supplies and ammunition have been sent to the Islands for the last nine months. The islands are now a veritable arsenal and there is no let-up in the shipments. The quantities are of the size that are prepared only in time of war.

What the Acerican capitalists are preparing for by these ship



LICENSED MEN ALSO GET GIBSON PROMISES PANTS TO KNOW THE BEACHES Relying on Mr. Gibson's statement NEW YORK CITY .- News has just in New York, I set out to find a pair that nobody need go without clothes eached us that a mate on a certain of pants, for a good part of me was

vessel, recently, worked, at sea, on a without the ones I had on. stage, over the ship's side, with his After waiting two hours uselessly broken leg still in a caste. Too bad at the Seamen's Church Institute, went to the Salvation Army at that someone couldn't have rigged Court Street, Brooklyn. The collector him up a scaffold to chamois, shine there treated me with the courtesy and polish the inside of the smoke- of a Polar Bear, refused me the pants stack, so that they could have cut and gave me a phoney address. I went to see the Reverend Pastor

the falls and dropped him upon the Gideon Olsen who has done a lot of boilers. good for the shipowners by telling Seems that these ardent lovers of the sailors to trust in god instead of capitalism are going a long way to organization. His secretary told me hold down their berths these panicky that maybe I could get a pair next Thursday. It seems to me that these lays too, eh? Maybe the revolutionpastors keep a secretary to stall off ary way out will also pierce and penetrate their petrified skulls, when they take it on the chin long enough and the needy while they take care of

the other end-the incoming cashof the racket. At Karlton Hill Mission, 367 DeKalb to hold on to second place only be-The beaches are now polluted with

censed men of all descriptions. The teamship Co. officials and stocknolders put their own, their friend's, and their neighbor's kids, a dime and balance when they catch next day to work for the pants. them through navigation or engineer-ing school, stick them on a ship and Bingo, all the master, mate, engineer and pilot ass'ns from hell won't stop Mr. Old-Timer, brow-beating officer

mixed up in the deal.

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nouse the way I had left it. from hitting the old gangway that -Disgusted Seaman.

e put many a good sailor upon. Capitalism shows no favoritism CHESTER JOBLESS when there's their own, or a dollar Solidarity between officers and FACE GAS ATTACK crew, in the fight against our common enemy, the shipowner, and un-der the capable leadership of the Stop Evictions, Phila., the aid of your paper! Rush your funds NOW, before it is too late! Revolutionary Marine Workers Indus-trial Union is our only means to vic-Berkely; Milw. Fight tory. Wages have been slashed to the bone and now the bone is being

sawed out in chunks. We must stop CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 7.-Unloosing the vicious process before we are comvolleys of tear gas into a crowd of Negro and white men, women and hildren fighting to prevent a sheriff's sale, police yesterday smashed the demonstration and helped the

HUDSON PLANT

Demand 20 P. C. Increase in Wages

-Sailor-Red.

the chairman of the committee as a are coming into the block commit-stool-pigeon and forced him to get tees so that the fight against evic-Steps are being taken to tions and for relief. will be carried strengthen the strike leadership by forward in spite of the gas attacks of electing representatives at meetings the cops. now being organized from the dif-

Stop Philadelphia Evictions.

PHILADELPHIA. Feb. 7.-Over Highland Park is crowded with state and city police watching every stopped an attempted eviction by driving away the constables from an move of the workers inside and outside the Briggs plant. Those who are working are under strict police supervision in each department and workers say that the plant looks like a prison. The Auto Workers' Union and the Briggs local of the union are issuing a statement protesting against the police control inside the factory and demanding the removal of those the police went through the neigh-

New York Alone on the Job; All D istricts Must Act! Friday through Monday-only \$791.77! For the third Throwing, the Bull! successive half-week donations have dropped badly. This total

is even worse when one realizes that this half-week includes the week-end, usually the peak (so far as contributions are concerned) of each week's activity. The drive has reached a point where an immediate doubling G Mandelbaum .05 R Hamkius .25 S Abrams .25 N X

"Daily" Drive Continues at Snail's Pace;

Donations Fall Again During Half-Week; PLANS FOR WAR

-tripling !- of daily funds is essential if the Daily Worker Merker New York's percentage fulfilled New York's percentage rulling Anonymous (25.2) still leads the districts. Boston, Friend which had been battling New York Sympathizer Kallenberg for first place, remained almost sta-O Dzrli tionary, adding less than a point to The its rating. Its total donation for

Ave., I was told that I would have to cause of the inactivity of the other work two hours for a pair of pants, districts. Connecticut still holds on and would have to hand over my old to third place, althought NOT A Coll. by Unit 3 pair to boot. I was told to come the CENT has been received from it for E W Anderson five full days! Just a glance at the This was too much for me, since I lates tabulation will show that, out-had walked all day without a bite to eat. I for the the form the side of New York, not a single dis-trict has begun to meet the crying I finally went back to the flop needs of the present campaign. The M branches of the International Work-ers Order have also fallen down bad-Iy. Because the upper terms of t

Because the "Daily" continues to C Cosick appear in four pages we should not N blind our eyes to the fact that it is J Stremlj M Car in imminent danger of suspension. We know that workers and workers' M Simurina Markulin organizations throughout the coun-S Cuca M Belich try will not let this happen. Come to Sympathize

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Bill Navikas Only \$329.96 was received over the James Venda week-end, or an average of \$164.98 TOTAL each day for Sunday and Monday. 1,000 workers in the neighborhood Detroit and Connecticut are glaringly Total to date DISTRICT 6 M Morhack absent from the day's donation list. J J Savako B Adler Joe Savadie Frank Vojik driving away the constables hold at contributed since with not a cent contributed since the drive started. Aside from New Kershaw Street. The constants had the drive started. Aside from the loaded the furniture into trucks be-fore the workers were ready for the made any show of activities at all for the drive down more Cleveland with Anonymous strict the workers were ready for the fight; then they held the constables at bay, while they unloaded the furniture and put it back into the house. After the furniture had been put back the police went through the neight. YORK'S \$220.62, the only district that for made any show of activities at all for these two days were Cleveland with S Strify Frank Smikal Mrs. Kerteen J Satieniak at the police went through the neight. waukee (\$18.50). Seattle and Calif-ornia combined give the West Coast only \$16.90. Where are all the house parties and affairs that were going to be arranged throughout the coun-try? And what has happened to the collection lists? Swing into action, districts! Speed all pennies, nickels, quarters, dollars to the Daily Work-er! Total received Sunday, Manday Same and borhood and arrested five workers only \$16.90. Where are all the house Total received Sunday, Monday Previously received \$ 329,96 DISTRICT 8 4179.47 John M. Hanson 1.00 Ed. B. Harris 2.90 Total to date SUNDAY'S & MONDAY'S CONTRIBUTIONS DISTRICT 9
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East Indies came out on strike yes-.20 ,25 terday in support of the mutiny of native and European seamen in the 1.00 Dutch 1.00 islands. Dutch warships stationed at the A strike at the flying-boat base de-\$220.68 Til to date \$3243.19 layed for several hours the pursuit by bombing planes of the cruiser, "De Zeven Povincien," which was seized

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three days ago by its native crew. \$175.71 The mutineers are now steaming to-1.00 ward the naval base and arsenal at 541.35 Surabaya, Java, where they are ex-56 pected to arrive tomorrow. A strike

That's what the boss papers do

every day in the week! Only the

Daily Worker gives a true account

of what is happening in the world. And when the "Daily" calls for

funds, it means that you must act.

The danger is serious. Only your

nickels and dollars can save the

"Daily," fellow workers! Rush them

STRIKES SUPPORT

BATAVIA, Java., Feb. 7.-Thous-

ands of native workers in the Dutch

distributed leaflets among Dutch seamen in this North Holland naval port calling upon them to support the struggles of the revolutionary seamen on the Dutch warships. Dis-patches from Dutch Guiana, South Recently the government appro-

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Must Triple Funds to Avert Suspension! AGAINST U.S.S.R. Not a Cent from Connecticut; Only \$2.25 from Chicago in Half Wk; Plans to Put Forces on War Footing

JAPAN SPEEDS

Page Three

HUGE SUM FOR ARMY

Factories Rushing Military Orders

The world-wide mass protest against the imprisonment and torture of Huan Ping, Chinese Communist leader, and secretary of the All China Labor Federation, has forced the Nanking government to release him, according to the report of the Chinese delegation to the League of Nations.

Huan Ping was arrested in Peiping early in January by the police of Marshal Chang Hsiao-ling, and was transported in chains and under heavy guard to Nanking, where he was thrown into prison with the Nanking Government refusing to re-veal his whereabouts. He was threatened by death by the same government which has acted as the hang-man of thousands of anti-imperialist fighters in China.

The toiling masses in China and throughout the United States and Europe at once thundered their indignant protest, holding demonstra-tions before the Chinese Legations and wiring demands to the Nanking Government for his release. Many such demonstrations were held in the United States, and a delegation of vorkers and intellectuals travelled to Washington to file a protest with the Chinese Ambassador to this country. Huan Ping is reported to have been released on Jan. 24. His release further emphasizes the power of mass protest and points the way to the further strengthening of proletarian international solidarity in the struggle DUTCH MUTINY ternational solidarity in the struggle against fascist terror and imperialist war.

Further War Steps

TOKYO, Feb. 7 .- The Japanese Government is considering plans for further speeding up its frantic war preparations, including the establishment of a Council of National Defense to set its armed forces on a war time footing and additional huge appropriations for the army and navy. It is generally admitted that these vast military preparations are not solely connected with the present robber against China, but are in preparation for a major conflict. The increased financial burden on the already tottering Japanese economy brought an interpellation in the budget committee of the Diet yesterday, by a Seiyukai Party spokesman who asked whether the war preparations were being made "with the United States Navy and the Soviet army as hypothetical foes

Big War Appropriation

While present military supplies and munitions greatly exceed the stocks accumulated preceding the war between Tsarist Russia and Japan, the Japanese factories are working over-

America, report large anti-imperialist priated the huge sum of 410,000,000



(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) ing out the two victims of the sher-iff and police raid and dispersing the crowd. There is great indignation among the workers here and many

Von Papen attended the session of he Committee of Three of the Prussian Diet yesterday, following Hin-denberg's decree dissolving the Diet. Von Papen replaced Braun, Socialist, giving control of this decisive committee to the Hitler government.

Adenauer Protests

Adenauer, Catholic, president of the Prussian State Council, has declared that the Hindenberg decree violates the Leipzig decision of the Supreme Court and the Constitution. Adenauer stated that he is therefore unable to ecognize Von Papen's right to replace Braun and refused to take part

in the session of the committee. With the Fascist president of the Diet, Kerrl, Von Papen then decided formally to dissolve the Diet and hold new elections on March 5.

More Serious Conflicts

There were further bloody conflicts yesterday between Fascists, and Communist and Socialist workers:

In Charlottenberg Fascists shot and seriously wounded the Communist vorker Reuter. In Wilmersdorf Fascists shot and seriously wounded a taxi driver. In Harburg Fascists shot and killed the Communist worker Leuschal and seriously wounded his companion. The murderers accidentally met a police patrol and were arrestec

Attack Socialist Parade

Socialist parade returning from a demonstration. Seven persons were wounded.

The above shooting and murders by Fascists were all without warning or preliminary conflicts.

A fight followed the burial of a Fascist killed by police in Homburg recently The police fired again, killed one and wounded several. In Dormagen, in the Rhineland area, the Fascist Schreiber was killed during a fight with workers. A member of the Fascist storm de-

tachment, Neubauer, has been killed under mysterious circumstances in a Fascist cafe in Feme. It is suspected that he was murdered by his col-

Alteration Painters Win Another Strike

NEW YORK. - Workers at the Zuckerman paint shop in Coney Island have won their four day strike The boss has signed up and granted demands. The struggle was led by the Coney Island local of the Alteration Painters Union and all the men in the shop have joined the union.

one cannot foretell positively. But it is certainly not consistent with preparations for independence. The shipments of war supplies and the "home rule" granted in the Independence Law must obviously have the same purpose, a more secure domination of the Phillipines

BACK FIGHT FOR ROLPH REMOVAL

NEW YORK.—A mass meeting at p. m. Friday in Union Square is NEW YORK.—A mass meeting at 5 p. m. Friday in Union Square is called by the I. L. D. to demand the release of Tom Mooney, and to derelease of Tom Mooney, and to demand that he be given a new trial of the Briggs strike and the Ford neighborhood, but also the threat of lockout, the index for the week ended a picket line in front of the furniture on the remaining indictment.

Speakers at the mass meeting will Feb. 4 declining from 47.5 to 38. be: Louis B. Scott, Ben Gold, Louis Hyman, James W. Ford, John D. Masso and John Ballam.

The mass meeting is endorsed by the Trade Union Unity Council, Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, Unemployed Council, International Workers Order, many militant union and A. F. L. locals, John Reed Club many workers' fraternal and professional groups

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 7.-In In Dresden yesterday evening Fas-cists made an armed attack on a master of the State Grange of California, the Tom Mooney Molders' Defense Committee joined the movement for the recall of Governor

James Rolph, Jr., and offered "to rally in support of the recall tens of thousands of workers and sympa thizers who back the Committee."

The offer of the Committee to support the movement 1.4144.2.1 for the removal of Gov. Rolph comes 33 just a few days before the hearing scheduled for Feb-- C., ruary 11, where Tom Mooney's attorneys, Leo Gal-lagher of Los An-

geles, and Frank P.

Walsh of New York Tom Mooney will argue the motion for a new trial

for Mooney. The motion will be argued before Judge Louis H. Ward of the Superior Court of San Francisco.

Spur Congress Preparations The Defense Committee's letter gives first place in its indictment of Rolph to his refusal of a pardon for Tom Mooney in spite of repeated confirmation of his innocence, and the emphatic conclusions of "Mooney's trial judge and jury" to that effect.

Danceland Auditorium has put new life into the strikers. The Briggs of the workers' home. The seme Mack Avenue plant, which employs 4,000, is still shut tight, and mass stopped another eviction in the same neighborhood at 5012 Stils Street. At recruiting for the Auto Workers' both of these evictions the workers er! Union is being successfully conducted adopted resolutions against Pinchot's among all the strikers. The company yesterday refused to deal with three representatives of the strikers' by the American ruling class .-- H.C. negotiations committee and the workers are determined to fight on. The Ford plants, which were forced to close throughout the country because of the effectiveness of the strike, have still failed to resume production, despite advance an-

'commissary plan" and will participate in the United Front Conference that is to be held at Boslovers' Hall, 701 Pine Street, Sunday, Feb. 19, at 2 p. m. . . . Defend Milwaukee Jobless. MILWAUKEE, Feb. 7 .- Block com-

mittees in a Fon Du Lac neighborhood prevented seizure of furniture nouncements to the contrary that by the Block-Deneman Furniture Co. Party 15. appeared in the capitalist press dur- here when an attempt was made to

store. The Fourth Auto Strike

(AN EDITORIAL.)

THE strike declared by 3000 workers in the Hudson Body

plant in Detroit yesterday is the fourth strike struggle in this section of the auto industry since the conference of 560 elected delegates from the various sections of the industry held Jan. 22 under the auspices of the Auto Workers Union. The strikers are demanding an increase in wages. We can now speak definitely of a wave of strike struggles in the auto

industry. The period when wage cuts in this industry were put over without mass protest and struggle has come to an end. In two of these strikes the workers have won victories.

It is clear that we are in the beginning of a stage of the struggle against the capitalist offensive, especially against wage-cuts, which will not be confined to the body section of the auto industry, or to the auto industry as a whole. It is clear that with the sharpening of the drive against workers' living standards and political rights, and the more skillful use of the united front weapons of struggle by the Communist Party and the unions of the Trade Union Unity League, 1933 will witness mass struggles on a large scale in many industries. The 560 delegates to the Jan. 22 conference came from the plants of

Ford, Chrysler, Cadillac, Chevrolet, Dodge, Hudson, Michigan Tool, and Plymouth. The task now is to win the strikes now going on, and to extend the

strike struggles to those plants not yet involved—to bring into action the workers in Ford's and other decisive sections of the industry. It has been proved that careful organization and militant strike action gets results. The strikes ad the victories won so far expose in the plainest way the real role of the officials of the American Federation of Labor and the Socialist Party with their preaching of hesitation and submission to the Wall Street offensive as against organization and mass struggle.

Workers: Rally to the support of the decisive struggles of the De-troit auto workers and their militant leadership! Prepare in the shops and plants of the industry in which you work the same kind of Rank and File organization, prepare for the most determined resistance through strike struggle, and the unity of employed and unemployed, to all attempts to cut wages. Prepare for mass struggles for higher wages-for more and better jobless relief-for federal unemployment insurance for all workers!

Extend the battle-line of the American working classs!



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'Plenty to Brag Revealing the Facts to the About in This Minnesota Workers, Farmers By WM. SCHNEIDERMAN.

(Organizer of District 9-Minnesota-Communist Party).

THE workers and farmers of Minnesota are preparing to organize a State Hunger March this month. Faced with this mass action for unemployment insurance and immediate relief, the Farmer-Labor Governor delivered an inauguration speech to the state legislature which outdid all previous ones for demagogy and "left" phrases. Warning the capitalists that they were faced with "impending revolution" unless some relief measures were adopted. Governor Olsen went so far as to propose "unemployment insurance at the expense of the employers", and made a gesture toward the stop-ping of foreclosures and evictions for farmers. The capitalist press made much of this inauguration speech, which was intended to strengthen the illusions of the masses in the Farmer-Labor administration. The reams of publicity succeeded in confusing many work-

An examination of the proposals show their treacherous and demagogic character. Governor Olson's proposals to tax 3 percent of the payrolls for an unemployment insurance fund leaves completely out of consideration the 200,000 now unemployed His unemployment insurance bill would not go into effect for more than a year, and no provisions are made for immediate relief until then. There are other "jokers" in his proposals, which space does not permit to deal with.

B^{UT} these facts are not known to the vast majority of workers in Minnesota who read the Republican and Farmer-Labor sheets. One of the greatest shortcomings of the revolutionary movement has been our failure to combat the mis ing propaganda of the social-fas-cists, and to build a mass circulation for the revolutionary press, particularly for our central organ, the Daily Worker.

We do not realize sufficiently how powerful a weapon it is in our hands. Our enemies realize far more than we do how important a



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Ukrainians from making any eco-

nomic advance, forbids the use of

shoots them down if they protest

A capitalist press corresponden

this summer asked a Polish govern-

ment official why nothing had been

given out about a recent slaughter

of scores of Ukrainian peasants by

Polish troops. He was told that Ukrainian peasant uprisings in Po-

land and their suppression were no

longer news. KHARKOV'S GROWTH

begin its present growth.

breathless pace.

language in schools and

\$35,000 will be looked upon not Only a few years ago the whole city of Kharkov was at much the merely as a campaign to raise money, but a task of the greatest political importance, because the same level as that hovel. It was financial drive cannot succeed if a dirty little trading city of 150,000, together with it there is not a its growth retarded not only by campaign to bring the Daily feudal conditions but by Russian Worker to the masses in the shops and mines, among the unoppression of the Ukraine. The Ukrainians suffered a double exemployed, and among the im-poverished farmers. In order for ploitation, not only as workers and peasants but as members of a subthe workers to give their last pennies for the Daily, it must be ject nation. made indispensable to them, as a leader and organizer of their $\mathbf{T}^{\mathrm{O}}_{\mathrm{visit}}$ the Polish Ukraine today,

struggles. Side by side with the financial drive to save the Daily Worker, we must build a powerful base for the paper by means of utilizing it in every one of our activities, build its circulation in the shops and in working-class neighborhoods The campaign to save the Daily Worker cannot be separated from the struggle for unemployment insurance, against wage cuts, for the relief of the poverty-stricken farm-ers, and against imperialist war. The workers and farmers of Minnesota who already know the Daily Worker should join wholeheartedly in this campaign, and should collect for and spread the "Daily" among the broader masses whom the crisis has radicalized. Without our fighting paper all our struggles will suffer. We must not lose it; if we go into the drive with all our energies, our "Daily" will be saved and strengthened.



Background of Mass Struggle Against Fascism in Germany

cisely on the basis of the growth of the forces of revolution, and the reinevitability of a further sulting acceleration of the tempo of this growth, as the result of the general conditions.

TREACHEROUS international so-I cial-democracy is trying to poison the working masses with defeatist spinelessness and its pessimism, and kill the growing desire of the proletariat to enter the revolutionary struggle. The doubledealing vileness of the new mano-euvres of the "left" leaders of social-democracy consists precisely in the fact that, while (in words, of course, praising the victories of the Soviet Union to the 15th Anniversary of the Revolution, they sell themselves to their own bourgeoisie with all the greater cynicism and attack, slander, and perjure Com-munism in their own country with all the greater brutality, using the police apparatus of the bourgeois state against it. The High Philistine of the II International, Otto Bauer, announces that if the Bolsheviks succeed in solving the problem of consumption, the U.S.S.R. will solve the problem of the world revolution. Not to mention the despicable provisio ("if") which he makes, when faced with the historic fact of the gigantic victories of socialist construction in the U.S. S. R., this most "lucid" admission of Otto Bauer was needed by him, above all, for the purpose of contrasting the victories of socialism ni the U.S.S.R., to the statement that in capitalist countries there fascism, for the purpose of leading the masses astray from a realization of the powerful growth of the revolutionary upsurge in capitalist countries. Herr Bauer will probably be prepared to recognize the German revolution; when it is an accomplished fact. "If the revolution has already started," said Lenin about the renegade Kautsky, "he also is prepared to become a revolutionary! But, we remark, every swine will ; ronounce himself a revolutionary then." Another Philistine and scoundrel, who was thrown out of the Communist Party of Germany, the 'non-Party" renegade and rapscallion Rosenberg, who is advertised by the whole social-fascist press for his book "Bolshevism," "bows down' before the great achievements and victories of the working class in the U. S. S. R., and simultaneously declares with "sorrow" that a "paralel decline" of the Communist International, and the "national isolation" of the Soviet proletariat is taking place. 'SOCIALIST" DEMAGOGY Just as the sun is reflected even in muddy drop of water, so in these statements of the social hangers-on of all types there is reflected the revolutionary onslaught of the working masses, the fear and frenzled hate of the proletarian revolution in the minds of these gentle men. The practical leaders of German social-democracy (including this same Bauer) had good reason, immediately after the elections to the German Reichstag, to appeal with ever-increasing frequency and urgency to the Commu-nist International to limit its activity, to give up its irreconcilability and "some of its convictions" ("Ge sellschaft," August-September 1932) in the name of the "united Marxist front" for the "salvation of the German Republic." These "Marx-ists," confused when faced with the SIGNIFICANT ARTICLES IN FEB. "COMMUNIST "A New Victory of the Peaceful Policy of the U.S.S.R."-Editorial. "The Revolutionary Upsurge and

revolutionary activity of the masses and kowtowing to the German bourgeoisie, say nothing about the bourgeois character of the "demoof the German Republic, cracy" and again endeavor to trick the masses with the bait of socialist phrases, demanding in the name of socialism that bourgeois democracy should be carried to its con-clusion, i.e., that the struggle for a revolutionary way out of the crisis, and the dictatorship of the proletariat should be abandoned.

THE XII Plenum of the E. C. C. I. and the Party Conference of the C. P. G. gave a Leninist reply to the renegades, by their clear a leading role in the struggle for the completion of the sowing plan Bolshevik directives on the preparation of the masses for the decisive revolutionary fights-a reply which was old and tried in the fights of the October Revolution. The development of the class struggle in Germany since the XII Plenum of the E. C. C. I. has completely confirmed the analysis of the XII Plenum. After a number of months of the frantic violence of the terrorist gangs of the fascists, of unrestricted chauvinist propa-ganda, and unprecedented treachery by social-democracy under the pretence of a struggle against fascism, after a series of spectacular parliamentary successes of Na-tional Socialism and a prolonged lull in the strike struggle of the proletariat, we now see an unceasing wave of economic struggles the extreme political sharpening of the economic struggle of the proletariat, the defeato f fascism and social-democracy, and the big success of the Communist Party in the new parliamentary elections. This new rise of the revolutionary wave and the combination of the Parliamentary and non-Parliamentary successes of the Communist vanguard in Germany, is a direct and unmistakeable reply by the German proletariat to the treach. erous work of social-democracy and likewise to all the defeatists and paniemongers, who in the ranks of the C. P. G., have opportunistically distorted the general line of the Communist International, who, during the presidential elections howled together with the socialdemocrats about the defeat of the C. P. G. and the German working ass, opportunistically distorting he slogan of the people's revolution and the task of struggling against ascism, opportunistically distorting the task of struggling against social democracy as the main social bulwark of the bourgeoisie. and thus weakening the fighting powers and the forces of the revolutionary vanguard in the matter of solving fundamental strategic task of the moment-the winning over of the majority of the working class

Revolutionary Viewpoint in World Literature By PHILIP RAHY

INTERNATIONAL LITERATURE, Central Organ of the International Union of Revolutionary, Writers, Moscow, U. S. S. R. American distributors: International Publishers, 381 Fourth Avenue, New York. Nos. 1, 2 and 2.

INTERNATIONAL LITERATURE, a magazine formerly published under the name "Literature of the World Revolution," offers a strik-ingly concrete illustration of the class point of view in culture. Published simultaneously in four languages-English, German, French, and Russian-it admirably fulfills the tasks which the Kharkov Conference of Revolutionary Writers set up for the international proletarian literary movement. The two numbers before us contain a rich selection of significant creative work by the leading revolutionary of the world. Besides writers stories, plays and short novels dealing with the actualities of the class struggle in different countries, we also find a comprehensive critical section, summarizing and analyzing from a Marxist-Leninst standpont the development of proletarian recreational expression in the domain of art and literature, exposing capitalist ideology in this field, and giving theoretical guidance and leadership to all sections of the L

U. R. W. Each issue of the magazine contains a number of short stories, sketches and short novels-the set that is being produced in proletarian literature. In these two numbers we find stories by V. Stavsky, O. Gabrilovitch, Bela Illes, Ed Falkovski, N. Tikhonov, Teppei Kataoka, Johannes Becher and many others. Within the space of a short review it is impossible to comment on all of them. It should be noted, however, that almost each of these narratives is by itself a concrete example of the synthesis of class purpose and art. In "White Stone," the Soviet writer, M. Chumandrin, describes industrial construction in one of the many new cities rising in the Soviet Union. and succeeds in showng the new socialist relations of production and the consequent changes in the human consciousness determined by them. "1930," a story dealing with collectivization in the Caucusus, presents a powerful picture of an old Tartar peasant who, despite the resistance of his Kulak sons, plays

other stories. NUMBERS 2 and 3, combined in one issue, contain a good deal of material on imperialist war. N. Tikhonov's short novel, "War," describes various aspects of modern. warfare, showing the class forces leading to armed conflict and the revolutionary potentialities inherent in the situation. Realizing the

and the stamping out of sabotage

and inefficiency. The story is subtly handled by the author, O. Gabrilo-

vitch. The same holds true of the

full meaning of the Japanese invasion of Manchuria and the growing threat of an attack on the Soviet Union, the I. U. R. W. sent out a questionnaire to leading writers of all countries which put the question: "What will be your posi-tion in the event of the imperialist powers declaring war against the U. S. S. R.?" The replies are expressive of the increasing radical-ization of middle-class writers. Many of them are becoming aware of the fact that the Soviet Union is the only country which is sincere in its struggle against war.

THE Leninist phase in proletarian literary criticism is evidenced by the articles of such critics as S. Dynamov, M. Helfand, A. Elistratova and A. Kirpotin. In view of the current use of Trotsky's theories of culture by the bourgeois critics Kirpctins article "Trotsky on Liter-ature" assumes special importance. Kirpotin gives a splendid analýsis of Trotsky's anti-Marxian position, and linking up his ideas on culture with his political views, he proves that Trotsky's Marxism in the realm of literature also "is the Marxism of the counter-revolution-ary parties of the Second International.'

International Literature is waging an energetic struggle against fas-cism and social fascism. Dynamov's analysis of the ideology of the British Labor Party on questions of culture exposes social fascism in action. Elistratova's article on the "New Masses" has contributed a good deal to the improvement in the work of the latter journal. This magazine provides indispen-

sable reading to anyone who wishes to keep informed of developments in the realm of proletarian litera-ture. Inasmuch as it is the collective organizer of the proletarian offensive on the international cultural front, it must be circulated widely among the masses of workers and sympathetic intellectuals

Georgia Bosses Hand Out a "Lenient Sentence"

By ANN BURLAK THE state of Georgia came into the limelight in the spring of 1930 through its first attempt at revival of the century old slave law. At that time the Unemployed Councils and the Communist Party electrified the entire country with the tremendous unemployed demon-strations of March 6. It was the first time the unemployed workers demonstrated on an international scale and really forced the governments to admit that unemployment existed and was becoming a serious

Herbert Newton, Henry Storey, Mary Dalton and Ann Burlak. All were charged with "insurrection." For two months these militant fighters were held in the Fulton Towers, because the state would accept no bail for their release. Meanwhile workers and various organizations all over the country raised a mighty protest against this vicious unprece-dented attempt at legal murder, and this mass pressure forced the authorities to release these fighters, although on exorbitant bail.

Practically a year and a half later, Angelo Herndon, young Negro

to lead a struggle against starva-

tion and misery of all unemployed

Rerndon has been sentenced to a

"Chain Gang Death" for 20 years

The prosecution openly stated that

it was because Herndon is a Com-

munist and a fighter that this

In a few days the other six com

rades who were arrested in 1930 will

be brought to trial before the same

judge and on the same charge of "insurrection." They will also be sent to this vicious slow death. The struggle for the freedom of

Angelo Herndon and for the other

six defendants is a struggle for the

right to live of the Southern

workers. We must organize a mass

movement around the slogans: For

the immediate abolition of the mur-

derous chain gang system.

vicious sentence was passed.

How the German C.P. Values Workers Correspondence

Note: The following article appeared in the "Rote Fahne" (Red Flag), organ of the Communist Party of Germany, under the title "The Worker Correspondent in Berlin," and was translated by Charles Blank. It shows what importance the German Party attaches to the letters of its worker correspondents, and what care it takes to develop the worker correspondence movement.

EVER since the Worker Corre-spondence movement of the "Rote Fahne" began, it has always looked upon the Worker Corre-spondence movement of the Soviet Union as its model. This means to enroll into the service of the revolutionary class struggle those workers who complain of their conditions and exploitation, and direct their letters to the only organ of the working class, the only organ which publ such ters; those workers who report to the "Rote Fahne" on the exploita tions and sufferings of their fellow workers in the shops, at the unemployment relief bureaus, and working-class neighborhoods. The Worker Correspondents were organized and trained to support the struggles of the workers and other toilers, the Communist Party of Germany and the Red Trade Unions and other mass organiza tions, by reporting from every bat tle front of the class struggle. The Worker Correspondence movement of the "Rote Fahne" has been in existence now for eight years, but its development runs parallel with the Bolshevization of the Party and its press. The movement itself also contributed a great deal to this process of Bolshevization. It met with many obstacles sometimes consciously placed in its path. But it successfully removed those obstacles, and alongside the Worker Correspondence movement of the "Rote Fahne," which, as the shock brigade, developed the move-ment as a whole, and alongside the great shop paper movement, worker correspondence developed around all mass papers, particularly around the Red Trade Union Opposition press, the sports press, the cultural press, and especially there devel oped a great, extensive, politicall; strong worker correspondence move around the "Arbeiterin ment ("The Working Woman").

past half year.

pate in this movement, which mobilizes around the columns of the paper, and which is organized and trained on the basis of the tasks confronting the paper. The worker correspondents gather material on factories, trade unions, local matters (community problems, unemployed relief bureaus, workingclass neighborhoods), cultural ma-terial, foreign matters and political subjects. These correspondents are organized into branches under the joint leadership of a Central Commission of the Worker Correspondence movement and the edi-

ALL members of the editorial staff of the "Rote Fahne" particitoo. that of the colder whites.

the "Rote Fahne," have solved an inestimably important political

problem, by constantly reporting the political state of mind of the factory workers in the course of the

Kharkov suffered, too, during the behind the present stirring events civil war that followed the Rusin Germany. It is taken from No. 20 of the "Communist Intersian Revolution, falling into the hands of Denikin and other white national," official organ of the guardists. Only after the Russian Executive Committee of the C. I., where it appeared under the title, Ukraine was liberated from these capitalist-paid hordes and a Soviet "The Communist Party of Ger-many Takes the Offensive.") Republic established did Kharkov Today Kharkov's population has grown from 150,000 to 750,000. It THE revolutionary crisis in Ger-

is a center of heavy industry and administrative capital of the Ukrainian Soviet Republic. Its increasing rapidity.

southern railway station, once used Communist Party the German proletariat has responded with the by 20,000 passengers a day, now serves 250,000 a day. And Kharhammer blow of the mighty wave of the anti-fascist united front kov continues to grow at the same against the bloody excesses of Na-tional Socialism, for which German social-democracy had carefully TRAVEL south from New York or Chicago about as far as it is prepared the way. With the blows of the daily growing mass strike from Moscow to Kharkov. Here, struggles and the general strike of too, you will find a change in the the transport workers in the four majority of the population, even million capital, the German workgreater than the change from Rusers have answered the bandit decree sians to Ukrainians. Not only are of the fascist government of von Papen. On the 15th anniversary eyes darker, but skins are darker, Here is a warm-blooded peothe proletarian dictatorship in ple from sunny lands, with a racial the U. S. S. R., the German work-ers replied to the fascist dictatorgenius as different as can be from ship, and the whole camp of the capitalist way out of the crisis with This Negro people, who are the

majority in Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi and the rest of what is six million votes for Communism. The XII. Plenum of the E. C. called the "Black Belt," now groan C. I., and the Conference of the Communist Party of Germany which followed it, set forth clear under conditions even worse than those of the Ukrainians under Bolshevik perspectives for the de-Czarist rule. They, too, are doubly velopment of the proletarian revoexploited, not only as workers, tenlution in Germany. The fascist ant farmers or sharecroppers, but dictatorship, which was established Germany after July 20th. is attempting to rally the forces of counter-revolution. Utilizing the wave of chauvinism to slur the acuteness of class antagonisms, it is striving, by its policy of imperialist aggression, to create the illusion of a real struggle against the Versailles System, and thus harness the masses of the pettybourgeoisie, duped by National Socialism, and frenzied by the agonies of the crisis, to the chariot of German imperialism. While furiously striking at the standard of living of the working masses, the fascist government of von Papen is attempting to unite agrarian and industrial capital by giving them sops in return-subsidies of billions to industrial capital, and the famous policy of "autarchy" (Economic autonomy or exclusiveness.-Ed.) in order to create the illusion that the capitalist crisis is really ginning to be conquered, and in this way, chain the toiling masses of Germany to the chariot of the capitalist system. CRISIS DEEPER But these attempts to rally the forces of counter-revolution are being brought to nought by the ever more rapid tempo of the growing wave of the revolutionary upsurge. The period of the optimistic prophecies of the German bourgeoisie's summer has come to an end. No one in Germany forecasts any alleviation of the economic crisis whatever. The crisis is growing spontaneously. And no one is able to stop the growing discontent and indignation of the workers against the bourgeoisie and its fascist government This is the essence of the situation. Only opportunists, who deny the class struggle or those who, like social-democracy, are consciously working for a capitalist way out of the crisis, can ignore this, or deliberately maintain silence on it. The XII Plenum of the E. C. C. I. and the Party Conference of the Communist Party of Germany opposed a Bolshevik resistance to this opportunist defeatist theory, which directly reflects the influence of social-fascism, namely, that the out-standing feature in the modern development of the class struggle, firstly in Germany, are the "vic-tories" of counter-revolution, and the "defeats" of the working class and its Communist vanguard. The important historical declaration of the XII Plenum of the E. C. C. I. on the end of the relative stabilization of capitalism; (Theses and Resolution XII Plenum E. C. C. I.) especially with regard to Germany where the processes indicating the end of capitalist stabilization, have

gone further than in other big cap-

italist countries, was made pre-

(The following article presents an analysis of the driving forces

many is maturing with ever

Under the leadership of the

PHAELMANN ON **WORKER CORRESPONDENCE**

The liquidation of the grouping in the Party and the consolidation of the Bolshevik line under the leadership of Comrade Thaelmann who is known to place great weight upon the Worker Correspondence movement, which is expressed repeatedly in his speeches and articles, not only created a broad and favorable basis for the development of the Worker Correspondence movement, but has placed before it greater and higher tasks. The obstacles and mistake of the past, not the least of which were the shortcomings of the press itself in this respect, greatly hin dered a deeper politicalization of the Worker Correspondence move The present political leadment. ership of the "Rote Fahne" not only makes it possible, but also demands that the Worker Correspondence movement in the coming year of struggles, be put upon a higher level and that it completely fulfills its political role.

In this respect the worker correspondents from the shops, who were nobilized through a campaign of

torial staff. The shock brigade movement is developing, and thorough political training is being This development imprepared. ratively demands the unification of all forces under the guidance of our Bolshevik Party organization. TASKS OF

WORKER CORRESPONDENTS

The Worker Correspondent must now more than ever before link up his reports on the sufferings of the working class with the great political problems on every front of the class struggle. The partial struggles in the shops for every day demands, the struggle of the jobless against hunger and cold, have a different meaning now than before. The worker correspondents must be fully conscious of what this is all about-the winning of the majority of the working class against the fascist dictatorship in Germany! They expose the enemies of the working class, the betrayal by the Nazis (fascists), and by the reformists, and mobilize the masses for decisive battles against capitalism, imperialism and against imperialist war. They defend the Soviet Union!

BOLSHEVIK SELF-CRITICISM

And if, besides this, they con-sider it their most important task to point with sound Bolshevik selfcriticism to the mistakes and shortcomings of our Party and trade union work, when they also consider it their most important task to bring the good examples of the Party and trade union work, and particularly the smaller and greater successes inside the shop and outside the shop to the light of day through the "Rote Fahne," then they are, as Comrade Stalin has characterized them, "the leader of

proletarian public opinion." With these principles, the Worker Correspondence movement in Germany enters the new year and will solve its tasks.

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY EDITIONS OF WORKS BY KARL MARX

CPECIAL anniversary editions of

two pamphlets essential to the understanding of Marx and his work, have been issued by Inter-national Publishers for the 50th Anniversary of the death of Marx. The great working class classic. the Communist Manifesto, has been issued in a five cent edition to enable the widest possible distribu-Lenin's Teachings of Karl tion. Marx has been issued in a ten cent edition

During February and March when many meetings will be held in the

Their cities, or the Jim Crow sections of the white men's towns, are as every bit as low a level as was old Kharkov. They have been kept in these conditions by brute force -the terror of the Ku Klux Klan and lynching bee, and the legal violence of the white man's law.

as members of a subject race.

The Soviet Ukraine was freed by the joint revolutionary efforts of the Russian and Ukrainian working classes under Communist leadership. And since then the Ukrainian workers and peasantsfree to rule themselves, to use their own language and develop their own culture, free at any time to separate from the rest of the Soviet Union, but finding more advantage in remaining in a free federation of workers' republics-have shown how great a civilization they can build. In the spirit of revolutioncompetition the workers of Kharkov are always eager to go Moscow one better. And the two cities are running a pretty close race in the matter of progress. SELF-DETERMINATION

FOR NEGROES One day the Negro workers and poor farmers of America, in alliance with their exploited class brothers of the white races, will win their freedom, too, through a Soviet revolution. They will then be free to develop their country. the so-called Black Belt of America, as the Ukrainians are developing theirs. The hideous hovels and shantytowns of the South will disappear, as such hovels are disappearing in Kharkov, and Negro cities and Negro culture will be free to grow in comfort and beauty. Only the Communist Party, uniting in its ranks Negro and white workers, as it unites the workers of every race, has raised the slogan of the self-determination of the Black Belt-the right of the Negroes to run a country of their own in that region where they form the majority of the population. Only through a Communist revolution will this goal be achieved, as the freeing of the subject peoples has been achieved in the Soviet

(THE END.)

50th Anniversary campaign of education of the workers in the principles of the revolutionary movement, these pamphlets should play an important part. They should be gotten to workers on every possible occasion, and be utilized to win the workers for Communism. They should be ordered in bundle lots immediately from Workers' Library Publishers, Box 148, Sta. D. M. 1

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"Technocracy — A Reactionary Utopia," by V. J. Jerome. Book Reviews,

in Germany INCREASED ACTIVITY IN STRIKE STRUGGLES

The determined course taken by the Communist Party of Germany to carry out the decisions of the XII Plenum of the E. C. C. I. and to cleanse the policy of the C. P. G. from all elements of the opportunist distortion of the general line of Bolshevism in the conditions of the end of the partial stabilization of capitalism, considerably assisted to bring about the revolutionary successes which have recently been achieved. The chief achievement in the revolutionary struggle of the German proletariat during the last few months is undoubtedly ever-increasing activity of the German workers in the strike struggles. This strike activity of th German proletariat was also of de cisive importance for the result of the parliamentary elections. This strike activity, which reached its culminating point in the strike of 22,000 transport workers in Berlin reflects most clearly that intensifi cation of the class struggle in Germany which was the keynote of the Reichstag elections. In these strikes, a most symptomatic feature was the fact that they resulted in material and political successes for the strikers in places where there was the most consistent Com-munist leadership, and on the other hand the biggest electoral victories of the C. P. G. were obtained in the districts where the strike movement was the strongest (To Be Continued.)

problem. It was the first time that unemployed Negro and white workorganizer of the unemployed, was ers demonstrated together in Atarrested, and again the white rulers lanta, Georgia. of Georgia used their old slave law persecure a worker who dared

It was on March 6, 1930, that the white rulers of Georgia opened war on the unemployed workers of Atlanta by breaking up the demonstration and arresting the lead-ers, M. H. Powers and Joe Carr These workers were first charged with "disorderly conduct." but that was considered too mild a charge for workers who refused to starve Then the ingenious Reverend Mr Hudson, the assistant prosecuting attorney of Fulton County, brought down the century-old statute books and found the infamous slave law that has never been used since the Civil War. The law read, "Who-ever shall incite an insurrection or revolt of slaves against their master or state is to be punished by death." After chattel slavery was abolished they left out the words "slaves" and "their masters."

ONLY one month later the Atlanta For the immediate release of Anpolice raided another mass gelo Herndon, Herbert Newton, Henry Storey, M. H. Powers, Joe Carr, Mary Dalton and Ann meeting of Negro and white workers and arrested four more militant leaders of working class struggles, Burlak.

Which Way Out for the Technical Intelligentsia?

"THE Bolsheviks desire the engineers and technicians to be drawn into politics." declared V. M. Molotov in the speech delivered at the Fifth All-Union Conference of Engineers and Technicians of the Soviet Union on Nov. 26, 1932. On the same occasion, Molotov said:

"The Bolsheviks want the engineers, technicians and agronomists to take a conscious and active part in the political fight-of course on the side of the working class and of the toilers, of course in order finally to overcome the bourgeoisie and their last influence. We do not doubt that the more highly developed the political consciousness of the masses of engineers and technicians becomes and the more profoundly they grasp and ponder the results and facts of the proletarian fight against the bourgeoisie and for socialism, for the future of the whole of humanity, more actively and successfully they will fight on our side, on the side of the October Revolution, on the front of socialist construction. Nay more, we directly assert, that without the necessary understanding, without the necessary recognition in regard to politics, no one can really call himself an intelligent, thinking and cultured human being.

"The mask of neutrality avails nothing. In the best case it is a sign of profound social backwardness on the part of a man, even if he holds a diploma or possesses a 'great name'. We remember also that, under the influence of this or that circumstance, there can even now be political vacillations in the ranks of the technical intelligentsia at the moment of intensificatio. of the class struggles, and that they are even inevitable. From this the Bolsheviks draw the conclusion that they must again turn to the technical intelligentsia, explain to them the r political lin to them the analysis of the facts of social development and of the class struggle, and must set themselves the task of not ceasing but extending and deepening the political work among the technicians and engineers.

This important speech is a companion-piece to "Technocracy and Marxism", by William Z. Foster and Earl Browder which together are published in one pamphlet.

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