### Shall Relief Be Cut While the City Pays the Bankers?

demonstrations will take place before the Home Relief Bureaus. This will be gatherings of workers to fight against relief cuts and evictions. What does a relief cut mean? It means taking away food from our

tables-milk from our children. What does the stopping of rent payments mean? It means destroy-

ing our homes-breaking up our families.

Not only families but even those single men who lived in the "Hoovervilles" along the river had their shacks destroyed by Tammany police

In political dives Tammany's judges and police met to discuss how to stifle the resistance to its starvation program. As a result sixteen militant workers were found guilty in the Bronx magistrate court yesterday-guilty of organizing the workers to fight against starvation. Sixteen seamen who demanded a place to live now face deportation. Many of them to fascist countries.

Why these cuts? Has the city no money? This is a lie.

On Monday the city paid back to the bankers \$16,000,000. The next day they borrowed \$12,000,000 from the money that was returned. On this loan the bankers got besides five per cent interest an additional three-quarters of one per cent. This "little" addition gives them \$90,000

The mayor draws a salary of \$40,000. Millions of dollars are spent on politicians for "salaries," while city employer wages are cut.

We demand that all salaries of these officials shall be cut. We demand that not a penny should be paid in interests to the bankers. All funds for the relief of the unemployed.

Fellow workers! Tammany's decision dooms us to starvation. Get your neighbors, every one on the block-demonstrate at the Home Relief Bureaus this morning.

Stop the relief cuts and evictions! Demand the release of all arrested workers and a stop to the reign of terror by Tammany!

#### To the Aid of the Striking Farmers!

Twice in the last month, National Guardsmen armed with bayonets, machine guns and tear gas bombs have been called out against striking farmers in the west, in Iowa and Wisconsin. In Iowa, martial law was declared. State militia with drawn bayonets have charged groups of farmers who were protesting against starvation. Yesterday a young farmer was shot in the back by a National Guardsman. In Shawano, Wisconsin, 1,500 National Guardsmen are quartered with full fighting equipment. Machine guns have been mounted in the streets of this farm town.

What is it that the farmers demand which has caused the state governments to send their armed forces against the farmers?

In Wisconsin, the striking farmers demand simply that the Milk Trust give up some of its enormous monopoly profit in order to permit the farmer to be able to purchase with the proceeds from the sale of his milk everyday necessities. The Wisconsin farmers demand simply that they be paid for their labor and for their expenses in preparing milk for the cities. At present, the Milk Trust not only bleeds the workers in the cities by exhorbitant prices for milk, but grinds down the farmers from whom it buys the milk.

The struggle of the Wisconsin farmers against the Milk Trust is a struggle to keep themselves and their families alive.

The Wisconsin farmers know who their enemy is. 'Our strike is not against the city consumers, but against the big dairies," they have said.

In the strike of the Iowa farmers, what have been the issues? In Iowa, the farmers fought against foreclosures by mortgage investors. The farmers of Iowa, who have been paying interest on mortgages for years, who bought their farms at exhorbitant prices which prevailed before the crisis, have refused to surrender their homes and their farms to the bankers, who have been getting fat upon their labor.

Thus, the fight of the farmers is against Wall Street finance capital, against the bankers who own their mortgages and control the milk trusts.

The fight of the farmers is part of the fight of the whole working class against the capitalist hunger drive.

The workers of Milwaukee organized in Unemployed Councils have already demonstrated their solidarity with the striking farmers. Hundreds of workers from Milwaukee joined with the farmers in the mass picketing on the highways. Heroically, they joined with the farmers in fighting back the attacks of the armed National Guard.

This example must be followed by the whole American working class. Trade unions, unemployed councils, worker organizations, all over the country should pass resolutions immediately declaring their support of the militant farmers in Wisconsin and Iowa.

## Develop Anti-War Struggles

Our struggle against imperialist war has of late slackened. This in mite of the growing war tenseness which permeates the whole international situation at the present time. It is necessary with the greatest vigor to develop anti-war activities. It is necessary to popularize the Resolution of the 12th Plenum Against War. Below, we print a section of the 12th Plenum Anti-War Resolution, outlining the immediate steps for struggle against imperialist war.

The general tasks of all Communist Parties in the struggle against imperialist war and military intervention and in the struggle against fascism, social democracy and bourgeois pacifism which facilitate the various methods of preparing and carrying on imperialist war and military intervention against the U.S.S.R., are as follows:

a) To develop a systematic ideological struggle against chauvinism and nationalism, to carry on propaganda for real proletarian internationalism, to expose to the masses all the machinations of the foreign policy of their own bourgeoisie, to expose all the measures of the home policy of the bourgeoisie in preparation for war, to expose the production and transport of munitions for imperialist countries, to remind the masses of all the calamities of the first imperialist war, to fight tirelessly against the militarization of the schools.

b) To react actively to all, manifestations of the anti-Soviet campaigns, to seriously improve the propaganda of the success of Socialist construction in the U.S.S.R., among the broadest masses, to mobilize the toilers against the whiteguards, to popularize the peace policy of the U.S. S. R., to mobilize the masses for the active defense of the U.S.S.R., China and the Chinese-Soviet revolution.

c) To expose on the basis of actual and well-known facts all the sophisms and maneuvers of the bourgeois pacifists and especially the social-democratic parties.

d) To expose widely to the masses the peculiar, secret birth and conduct of a new imperialist war (mobilization in parts, formation of a covering army, preparations to cleanse the rear from revolutionary elements) and in deciding the anti-war tactics of the Communist Party, to take into account the variety of the new methods employed by the bourgeoisie in preparing and carrying on war.

e) By employing the tactic of the united front, to set up legal, semilegal and illegal control committees and committees of action in the munition factories, in ports, in factories, on railroads, and on ships, for the purpose of developing mass activity and carefully prepared protest strikes and economic strikes to prevent the transport of munitions and troops, and to rouse the initiative of the broad masses of workers in this

f) To develop extensive mass work among the unemployed, among the youth, among working women and among emigrant workers, against imperialist war and military intervention. To draw the peasant masses into the struggle against imperialist war. To support the national liberation movement of the colonial and subjected nations.

g) To carry on extensive anti-imperialist work among the soldiers, among conscripts, reservists and in the special military organizations of the bourgeoisie. To strengthen the Party organizations and all the revolutionary youth organizations, bearing in mind that the whole Party, the whole of the Y.C.L. must participate in this work.

To organize the struggle of the soldiers for their every day demands and to support this struggle by the solidarity of the workers and the toiling peasants. To popularize revolutionary traditions and examples of

All the C. P.'s must carry on an irreconcilable Bolshevik struggle in their own ranks against an opportunist underestimation of the war danger, against opportunist passivity in the struggle against imperialist war and military intervention and against a pseudo-lest fatalistic attitude towards war.



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Naval 'Public Works' to Be Financed by Taxes on Everyday Necessities, Phones, Theatres. Declares U.S. Budget Director

WASHINGTON, May 18. - Representing the Administration, Budget Director Douglas, one of the authors of the Wagner Industry-Control Bill, presented today to the House Ways and Means Committee several tax programs, including a general sales tax to finance the public works program. Defends Sales Tax

Tax Phone Calls

In addition, he suggested a 5c tax

on telephone tolls from 25 to 50 cents

and an admission tax to amusements

to produce at least \$25,000,000 in

to provide for the public works pro-

In his message to Congress, Roose

The Wagner Bill provides for gov-

It also provides for a \$3,500,000,000

of the "public works" contemplated in

the Roosevelt program can be derived from the following passage in the

comprehensive program of public works which shall include among

of the London Naval Treaty of

Preparing Sales Tax

Provides for Stagger System

other things .

"The President shall prepare a

her things . . . the construction naval vessels within the terms

#### Emphasizing the necessity for im-RAILROADS TO mediately establishing new taxes to raise the required \$220,000,000, Douglas made what amounts in effect to an appeal for a general sales tax of 1 1-5 per cent. Although Douglas discussed the proposal to tax incomes, he warned the committee that such taxes would be inadvisable.

Follows Plan to Put "Czar" at Head of Whole Industry

taxès. He also presented as an alternative proposal of a 10 cent a pound CHICAGO, May 18.-Immediately tax on tea, a 5 cent tax on coffee and following their proposals for a rail car bill which will drive about 300,result of Douglas' appearance before result of Douglas' appearance before 000 workers out of the railroads, the Association of Railway Executives rethe Ways and Means Committee is to presenting the railroads, will demand indicate that the Administration fully reduction of from 20 to 25 per cent expects to impose a general sales tax in basic rates of pay.

gram. In accordance with the agreement entered into between the union representatives and the railroads at the velt officially asked approval of the beginning of the year, the notice will be posted about the 15th of June. Works Bill. According to the press, this notice The Wagner Bill provides for gov-will be accompanied by an offer to ernment control of industrial output, arbitrate to a 15 per cent cut, through hours of labor, wages, price agree-the strike-breaking machinery of the ments, etc. Railway Labor Act.

This posting of a notice for an ad-litional cut, after having broken the public works program. The character promise to return the first cut at the beginning of this year, comes immediately after the statement of Roosevelt calling upon the employers to in-

crease wages.
This 15 per cent cut in basic rates mean a permanent reduction in pay-5 per cent more than the 10 per cent cut given them a year and a half ago with the promise that it would temporary and would put 100,000 men back to work.

# NAZI MURDERER

Arrives May 25; Huge Protest Planned

NEW YORK, May 18 .- Hans Wiedemann, of the Nazi Ministry of Propaganda, sailed on the liner Columus Wednesday and will arrive in United States May 25 to represent German fascism in the World Fair. Wiedeman, a lieutenant of the notorious Goebbels, is part of the Nazi machine for incitement of violence against the workingclass.

One of his latest contributions to the Brown Shirt hounding of the Jewish people is his attempt to take German section of the Carnegie Exhibition of Art in Pittsburgh next October 18 and exclude all Jewish artists of Germany from exhibitng thèir works.

He comes to this country as a direct agent of the fascist murder regime and challenges the expressed Federation of Unemployed Bodies regime and challenges the expressed of the American masses against the German fascist govern-

Anti-fascist committees in New York are elaborating plans for a huge demonstration when the Columbus docks at the foot of 58th St., Brooklyn, Thursday, May 25. Thousands workers. Jewish. German, American and other nationalities, sympaintellectuals, professionals and all those opposed to the brutal

A mass anti-fascist protest meeting is being held in Chicago tonight, this meeting should plan to give Wiedemann the same reception, if he comes to Chicago, as the London workers gave Rosenberg.

#### Tag Days Start for Victims of Nazis decided not to invite the Unemployed

NEW YORK.—The National Committee to Aid Victims of German Fascism, established by the Workers International Relief and 35 organiza-

thousands who desire to strike a blow at Hitler's terror by aiding victims and refugees, the opportunity to congram of struggle.

The delegation comrade A. Guss, was elected on the Program and Policy Committee.

There he introduced an open letter to the National Committee of the National Committee.

## Demonstrations at BAYONETS AND MACHINE Home Relief Bureaus IS ASKED BY DOUGLAS Throughout the City

Relief Cuts"! "Down with Police Terror," "Bread, Not Police Clubs"! these will be the demands of unemployed workers of New York today in demonstrations at the offices of the borough Home Relief Bureaus of Manhattan, Bronx and Brooklyn, and local demonstration in Harlem.

The demonstrations will take place at 11 a.m. at 67 E. 47th St. in Manhattan, led by the Downtown and East Side Unemployed Councils, 422 E. 149th St., in the Bronx, led by the Middle and Upper Bronx Councils, 69 Schermerhorn Street, in Brooklyn, led by the Williamsburg and Boro Park Councils.

The unemployed workers of downtown will meet at 7th Street and Avenue A before the demonstration. Harlem unemployed will demonstrate at 125th Street and Third Avenue.

The Provisional United Front Committee Against Evictions and Relief Cuts elected at the Emergency Conference held yesterday of 15 workers organizations endorsed the demonstrations.

The Communist Party, in a statement last Saturday, said that it considered "the mass struggle and mass mobilization to force the city administration to provide rents and grant relief for all workers...the most important issue before the entire workingclass of New York at this moment." It called on all workers, Negro and white, native and foreign born, no matter to what organization they belong, to "unite in this

The Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union and the Needle Trades Unemployed Council called upon its members yesterday to participate in the demonstrations. They point out that the suspension of rent payment has affected thousands of needle trades workers who are unemployed for many months.

Prior to the demonstrations the needle trades workers will meet at the union headquarters, 131 W. 28th St., 9:30 a.m.

#### 16 UNEMPLOYED DECLARED GUILTY: FACE LONG JAIL TERMS SATURDAY

A Military Public Works Program Arrested at Relief Bureau; Judge Threatens "Gonshak" Sentences

NEW YORK .- Sixtee 1 workers who were arrested for picketing Wed-

nesday morning at the 149th Street Home Relief Bureau were declared large demonstrations of the farmers but the "Socialist" had no wish to guilty on charges of "disorderly conduct" and held without bail for further are planned. This comes as a result hear anything from the workers, or examination and sentence Saturday morning after a trial before Judge tried to clear the court prior to the ment that the restrictions that he the police tried to arrest Fred Bas

Court yesterday and Wednesday. Sentences similar to or even more the defendants were starving workers, works program will permit the expenditure of \$100,000,000 of public works funds, for naval construction nate sentence of up to two years on The specific way in which the money for public works is to be raised is not specified in the Wagner Bill or the Roosevelt message. Roosevelt rethe Roosevelt message. Roosevelt re-frains in his message from specifically

mentioning the Sales Tax. He talks rather of "emergency taxes" which he promises will be dropped when new the picket lipe was obstructing pedesrevenues come in from improved trian traffic, that the workers stuck business or the repeal of the 18th their placards into the faces of passamendment. The appearance of Doug-las before the House Committee to-language, shouting "To hell with the

day, and Roosevelt's statement that coos.' he will not veto a Sales Tax despite his election promise indicates that a lawyers, produced four witnesses who sales Tax will soon be imposed. Goldberg and Schwartz, the I. L. D. Roosevelt's message contains his proposals "to stablize industry" by restricting production, keeping up prices, and reducing the cost of production for the big industrialists. The plan provides for the government ad- was insufficient to support ministration of the stagger system in charges, Judge Burke denied this and the form of a 30-hour week at re- ordered the defendants to be finger-

#### demand relief. One Reason Why Relief Is Cut

The unemployed of New York, whose relief rations are cut and who are being evicted, should be aware of the expense of Mayor's office. This fat graft is a small part of the millions squandered by the capitalist govern-SALARIES IN THE

MAYOR'S OFFICE Mayor O'Brien ..... Thomas F. McAndrews, sec-

13.390 Jay T. Fox, assistant secrè-

John J. Murtha, executive stenographer ... Charles Colonico, chauffeur 2,530 John Packingham, chauffeur 2,530

Total .....\$67,710

# GUNS FAIL

See Page 4 for Hathaway's Second Article on Thomas' Maneuvers

THE WEATHER-Today, fair; slightly warmer;

NEW YORK .- "Shelter and Food," "No Evictions, No 300 Farmers Arrested; Military Terror Grows in Strike Area

> 34 National Guard Units Under Arms in the State of Wisconsin

APPLETON, Wis., May 18 .- A pitched battle between farm strikers and National Guardsmen took place this afternoon in which bombs were hurled and heads broken, when the troops repulsed a determined attempt on the part of the farmers to set free 138 of their comrades held in the county jail.

A thousand strikers' converged on the town in 50 automobiles and 25 trucks. On the highway east of the city, they met, and routed, a force of deputies, who retreated into the city and collected reinforcements which increased their number to 350. The two armies came to grips, after a running fight through the business district, in the western outskirts of Appleton. The deputies formed military lines and threw their gas bombs The farmers leapt down from the trucks and furiously attacked the thugs who have been terrorizing the milk countles. Their attack was finally defeated, after many of the combatants had been wounded.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 18 .- More and more National Guards are being drafted into the "battle areas" of Wisconsin, where the dairy farmers, undaunted by the campaign of violence unleashed against them, are still dumping the loads of milk which the big dairymen are moving in disobedience to the orders of the farm strikback at the military reign of terror

Adj. General Ralph Immell which is being brought into action against them. has now given instructions that the guardsmen are to don full military guardsmen are to don full military uniform. The regime of martial law bombs apiece to the "civil war" area now so obvious that Immell has thought it necessary to issue a special tatement "emphasizing" that martial law does not exist in Wisconsin.

Terror Running Wild

are now in the field. A battalion of to break up the demonstration. The 400 militiamen has been ordered to workers then marched on the City duty in Outagamie County, where Hall to the office of Mayor Hoan, of Governor Schmedeman's announce- say anything to them. At the meeting Burke at the Bronx Magistrates' announcement of the guilty verdict, imposed on dairying in that county sett, Communist candidate for Gov-Goldberg summed up by stating that will be lifted.

The military terror in Wisconsin is from the police attack vicious than dealt out to Sam Gon- threatened with eviction, and had running wild. Three hundred farmers This clause in the Roosevelt public shak will be handed out Saturday come to the Home Relief Bureau to are under arrest. These prisoners, jainmed in the county highway mawith unlawful assembly.

> cial presecutor to assist the Distric Attorney when the Shawano prisoners are taken into court.

Bayonets Used

Two machine gun squads have been sent into Shawano County, where 225 Milk Control Policy farmers were arrested yesterday. Deputies used bayonet charges to break up groups of pickets at Durham Hill, just west of Milwaukee. Deputies also shot and wounded 18-year-old Russell Heiding. The boy is reported as being Board is to see that the farmers get in a critical condition, after a bullet was removed from his spine

panic measures of terror now being produced." Therefore he urged the used by the authorities will break the farmers to "control their surplus" and morale of the strikers. It is rather not to "vie with one another in pro having the effect of stiffening their ducing greater amounts of milk." Any resistance and increasing the deter- tendency to increase the production mination of the farmers in their of milk during the coming month

conferred last night with United States it was said. attorneys of the eastern and western districts of Wisconsin. With the strike

Thus, in the face of the most crying spreading to interfere with interstate need of the people, and especially of districts of Wisconsin. With the strike milk shipments, the federal courts the undernourished children of New breaking machinery.

(From the Daily Worker's Special Correspondent.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 18 .- Socialist Mayor Hoan has thrown his Milwaukee police vigorously into the struggle against the milk strikers and their supporters, the city workers, prices on retail milk. Complaints Getting on to a hundred strikers against at least 50 New York City have been arrested, including many dealers have already been filed.

at the convention. Further, they automatically decided the number of votes for each of the national or local and state organizations. They finally decided not invite the Unemployed Councils.

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After long and bitter discus- not behind the strike—that the farmers will be less also of adopting the program as proposed by the Unemployed Councils. A paragraph dealing with the united but that the Communist trouble

standing in its place—that is, in the fighting ranks of the farmers and workers. But the bankers and big against sidetracking, as was done by the majority of the Program and dairymen are just whistling to keep Policy Committee on the Workers' their courage up if they deny the Unemployment and Social Insurance reality and mass scale of the strike Instead of the point of the and the determination of the farm-

> Farmers Counter-Attack A major offensive of 10,000 farm ers is being prepared for counter-attack against the guardsmen moved

from the army arsenal at Englewood. Jobless and employed workers of per cent. A mass meeting of workers

Airplanes dispatched by the War

in Milwaukee was successfully held Thirty-four National Guard units and the use of police cars to attemp ernor; but the workers protected him

## guns are mounted over the buildings to repulse any attempts on the part of the farmers to liberate their com-The Governor is appointing a spe- BOARD'S DEMAND

Farmers and Workers Both Suffer from the

ALBANY, New York, May 18.— Kenneth F. Fee, Director of the New York State Milk Control Board today told the farmers: "The task of th more for their milk. It is a difficult task at this season of the year be-It is not to be thought that thes cause of the large amount of milk would defeat the efforts of the Board It is significant that General Immell to obtain higher prices for producers,

While Children Starve vill be brought in as additional strike- York, the Milk Control Board demands the cutting down of production in order to ensure a higher price for milk, and make it even le sible for the workers to buy this necessary of life.

At the same time, the Board is

moving against those dealers who re-fuse to comply with the minimum price orders and who are cutting

The entire milk control scheme will benefit the farmers as little as it does the working class consumer. There will be less milk for the latter to buy, and the rise in price will stop him from buying as much as before, and

## News Flash

... SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Tom Mooney came back tonight to the city he left 16 years ago under sentence of death, framed for the Pre-

the San Quentin Prison speedboat and was taken by automobile to the county jail. He will remain them

Carl Borders, Other S. P. Leaders, Determined to Split Movement; Must Develop United Struggle for Unemployment Insurance By BILL GEBERT.

The Convention of the Federation of the Unemployed Workers' Leagues of America met in Chicago May 13th.

4th and 15th. In calling this Con-

and all those opposed to talled to reign of fascism will be called to of the Unemployed Workers League demonstrate against the arrival of of America met in Chicago May 13th, 14th and 15th. In calling this Con-14th and 15th. In calling this Convention, the Socialist Chairman, Dr. Carl Borders, and Secretary Asher, manipulated in such a manur as to be sure to control it. Therefore, they denied the right of local organizations and branches to be represented the rest of the delegates combined. The convention also seated three fratients and branches to be represented to the computations are computed to seat the committee adopted the National line of the letter of the National Committee of U. C. When the committee came to report to the Communist Party. The city and state authorities are special attack against the Communists, holding them returned delegates are committee.

U. C. Sends Letter

The Cook County Committee of the Unemployed Councils led and its policy of a united front of action, embracing all organizations, was also adopted by a vote furbances out of thin air. Councils. International Relief and 35 organizations have declared tags days and house to house collections today. Saturday and Sunday.

One will not be seated. But despite this dictum, the national committee of employed was of such a character urday and Sunday.

In its calls it asks "all workers and workers' organizations and sympathizers with the victims of German fascism to turn out in large numbers"

dictum, the national committee of Unemployed Councils sent a delegation of 7 (unfortunately William Reynolds of Detroit was unable to come fascism to turn out in large numbers"

dictum, the national committee of Unemployed was of such a character that a large number of delegates begon to follow the line and proposals of the Unemployed Councils.

Program and Policy these three days "to give the many right to be seated. The delegation

manded to be seated, this opened a also other occuments submitted. But hitter struggle, despite the fact that pane of the documents asbally pre-

Is Result of Chicago Convention

Program and Policy

Comrade A. Guss, was elected on gram of struggle.

to the National Committee of the When the delegation came and de- Unemployed Councils. There were

Unemployment Insurance The delegation of the U. C. was

against sidetracking, as was done by Program which speaks only in gen- ers. eral about Unemployment Insurance, the U. C. delegation introduced an amendment from the open letter which reads as follows:

MONTHUM ON BAGE &

For the Workers Unemployment

paredness Day bombing.

# BARRICADES

BY KLAUS NEWERANTZ All Workers are urged to ILLUSTRATED BY WALTER QUIRT

read this book and sereed it among their friends.

Shots cracked behind her! A young

girl in front of her let out a sharp,

thin scream. Someone picked her up,

carried her with limp, hanging legs,

window-pane clattered to, and sud-

the parement when he received a

body. Heavy steps sounded closer-rainting breathless, she ran on stag-

gering, sweening from fear and weak-

SEIZED BY THE POLICE.

She did not even feel the

nes she sank down-into a dim, yawning abyss,-she no longer felt

how the policeman tore her to her feet again and hauled her—her legs

wheeled round sharply and rushed at

full speed down the Mullerstrasse.

As they went down the pitch dark

Weddingstrasse, the policemen bent

almost to the floor of the van. At

the tail, a policeman crouched be-

glossiness of a pair of top-boots, and

between them the butt end of a car-

policeman

leather boots she clutched with both

wall of the house.

she whispered.

The lights receded in a deep

A terrible blow thundered

b'ow frem behind.

Sie ran alone.

"Stand still"

THE STORY THUS FAR: The workers of the proletarian district, Wedding, in Berlin, demonstrate May Day, 1929, despite the ban issued by the Socialist Police Chief, Zoergiebel. The workers' demonstration is attacked by the police.

Defense preparations are made in the workers' quarter.

News came that there had again the crowd. The people ran on, over been bloody collisions in other dis- the body of the fallen policeman lytricts. The number of the dead now ing on the ground. amounted to fifteen. The frequent and contradictory rumors only served ran along the street with the weepto intensify the agitation. The police ing child. reports in the bourgeois papers and the evening edition of the Vorwarts were greeted with derisive laughter and boos. People had seen enough

Gradually, as the night descended, the faces of the people grew less dis-tinct. It was cool. The yellow gas lamps begin to shine.

Shortly after 10 o'clock the stormy meeting in the Pharus Hall ended. An overflow meeting had also to be held outside in the courtyard. Herspoken briefly about the situation in the alley, and had disappeared again.

Along with the rest of the audience. Anna keeping close to Kurt, pushed her way toward the street, in order to get home again as quickly as possible. She herself now saw how silly it had been to bring the

While the crowd pushed itself out, and she was speaking to Kurt of the excited course of the meeting, a wild pushing and shoving suddenly com-menced. Eart tried in vain to pull her aut of the shouting and screamour. They were as if wedged ing in the street in front of the out-

An old worker attainpted to speak

the Superintendent in Charge,
hily the officer's cheltal face was
be call. Rubber truncheen blows A terrible panie arcse!

pachla ran—23 far as it was denly she saw nebody in front of her. bolli sides of the Mullerof by the wildly batoning. The red face of a bawlman a beared right in front als cooled revolver was Firy second, and a shot

did not ponder long. With "d begind him. His left fist led up. Kurt shouted something na and disappeared amongst

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lorry, had witnessed the scene in horror. "No, no, I went get down. You are going to beat us all to death," she shouted. She tried desperately to

him up with them.

hands and fell with a groan down the

"Don't try on any monkey tricks

here," a policeman called and forced

him to his feet. Then they dragged

Anna, who was the last one on the

(Continued Tomorrow)

#### Y.M.C.A. LEADERS HELP TO RAILROAD UNEMPLOYED SEAMEN TO JAIL AND TO DEPORTATION; CONVICT 57 IN N. Y. C.

Had Barricaded Themselves in Jane Street Mission in Fight on Eviction

NEW YORK .- Twenty-seven of the were rearrested by the immigration officials, who had orders for their deportation. The men ordered deported will be defended by the I. L. D. and their organizations should address protests to Secretary Anna pressed the boy closer and Perkins demanding their release.

By JOHN ADAMS.

NEW YORK .- The largest number workers ever arrested for anti-One hundred and three work-

into the lobby of a house.

Anna ran on. Her knees trembled.

She staggered a few times but tore cent of the world's shipping is tied up and thousands of seamen are "on up and thousands of seamen are "on the beach" in this port alone. They the beach" in this port alone. They have been jailed for resisting eviction

from the Jane St. "Y" mission. Being homeless and mostly unmarried, these sailors receive the least consideration from relief agencies. The so-called Emergency Committee Seamen's Welfare agencies is headed by Charles Haight, Rockefel-ler maritime lawyer, who is respon-sible for the favorable laws and court rulings, excusing the Standard Oil Company from responsibility for in-juries, etc., sustained by seamen un-

In the court trial, sixteen men, all charged by the Immigration Bureau of the Department of Labor, as for-eigners to be deported, are put on

Y.M.C.A.-For the Presecution "Captain Edward Page," Y.M.C.A. official is called to the stand.

Judge Goldstein, "liberal" has been busy patching things up between bus-inessmen with petty squabbles all day. He is a great man for calling lawyers aside and fixing things "off the record."

He is uneasy in a labor case. He fears the massing of workers in the courtroom and makes demagogic remarks about "I feel sorry for you as does no one else but under the present rules, I can do no more." The Workers laugh openly. They are not fooled. They see who hands out guilty verdicts.

They are they carried no clubs! They swung axes to break down the barricade elected there. They "subdued" the His courtroom is flooded and men.

outside the police cordon is keeping hundreds from entering. Police line the aisles of the court room it—The "new deal" doesn't stop evictions. down on the back of her head. The line the aisles of the court room it- The "new deal" doesn't stop evic skin drew together as in a sharp self. Yet several hundred determined They are doing it themselves. workers are seated in the room.

rending cramp. Her knees went weak. The straight line of the street the colin. As the policenent like a shaken-out sack of stones—the limited plane with the they must fight!

The three ILD attorneys tie Page 57 seamen were found guilty and sen- up in a maze of his own making. tènce suspended. Charges against 30 He is able to tell what goes on indismissed through failure to side the auditorium when he stands identify them. Sixteen of the men outside. The judge expresses his impatience and the district attorney squirms. They left too much unsaid in their coaching of Page!

"I told the men either to clean up the place or get out," Page states. Then the defense lawyers go after him to bring out the fact that since April 1st he has been attempting to make the men get out, stating the funds were cut off, etc., but the men were persistent in staying.

At this point, the judge shows his knowledge of the case by sustaining objections with machine gun rapidity for the prosecution. He wants to keep out of the evidence that a well-planned eviction drive is on against all

Keeps No Books

Page apparently ran the institution trusting in heavenly powers. He said there was no financial statement on the mission though lack of funds was his excuse in trying to oust the

With his usual "piety" he identifies ten of the 16 men on trial. The court doesn't find it necessary to dismiss the case against the others by any

Page is dismissed. Then Haight is called to the stand. He came into the courtroom through the judge's knows the homage due a Rockefeller

Jaundiced face and puffed checks, the takes the stand. The guardian he takes the stand. of the destitute seamen! He admits he is head of the "emergency com-He is questioned whether or not he gave funds to the Jane St. "Y."

The district attorney interrupted and the judge sustains every objection, saving Haight from having to account to the seamen for the administration of funds collected in their

"No Clubs-Just Axes!"

The trial keeps on. The police officer gives his highly colored account of how they broke into the mission.

weak. The streight line of the street lights heaved swimmingly before her eyes, and seemed to pour over her like a shaken-out sack of stones—the self. "for 25 years." Laughter echoes throughout the courtroom. This pasty like a shaken-out sack of stones—the faced pious hypocrite tries to place others will get freed for a time but But men and women must

## black thadow. With a sinister swift-nes she sank down-into a dim, Rivera's Role Revealed by Speakers at John Reed Club

trailing along, to the police van, and threw her under a seat. The van was Minor, Freeman Among Speakers; Vigorous "Back to the station!" an officer Resolution Adopted at Stormy Meeting shouted. His face was red with excitement. The policemen jumped on the running lorry, closing the shutters behind them. Then the car

NEW YORK.-Hundreds of artists, workers and students jammed the hall of the John Reed Club, 583 Sixth Avenue, to hear representatives of kers' organizations discuss the auestion of the Lenin my Someone shouted from a window as Rockefeller City at an open membership meeting of the Club Wednesday it pessed. A shot cracked against the night

> the position of the Club in the united front against the Rockefeller covering of the mural, lasted until 1 a.m. when a resolution on the matter was unanimously adopted.

hind a machine-gun. For the whole of the journey the leader of the squad The main speakers were Robert took cover behind two of the prisoners who were sitting on the wooden Minor, representing the Communist Party; Henry Shepard, of the Trade bench with hands raised above their Union Unity League; Joseph Free-man, editor of "New Masses"; Hugo heads. The rattling and bumping of he van brought Anna slowly back to Gellert, artist and member of the consciousness. An agonizing pain at the back of her head restored full Club; Sidney Bloomfield, of the Workers School and Edmund Stevens realization of what happened. On a level with her face was the black of the National Students League. Joseph Freeman acted as chairman.

Adopt Resolution

She felt a stiffness in her The resolution adopted by the meeting, declared the John Reed arms. "My God, what can that be?" Club's wholehearted determination to fight for the retaining of the The car dashed so sharply round blurred her understanding. What in art." It called for united action had become of Kurt? And the boy? of all artists, intellectuals and workers for mass struggle. At the same For heaven's sake, where was the kid? "Sergoant, sergeant-! "In her fright he had forgotten her pain and

any bargaining as an aid to the

Rockefellers in covering up their re-"Damn rat!" the policemen shouted actionary policy.

s he jumped in terror. When, in the Only a few Lovestonites and Trotsas he jumped in terrer. When, in the light of a passing gas lamp, he saw kyites who had taken the floor earlier the deathly pale face of the woman under the bench, he kicked her and the evening refrained from voting. Trotskyites on Hand

Freeman announced at the begin-ning of the meeting that all present wore. "Hold your tongue." Her head fell back with a thud. -including the different groups who had earlier in the day participated in the Columbus Circle meeting and the

> Rivera incident, speakers he said, is in its essence the problem

The speakers stressed the necessity

acceptance of an appointment by the fascist government as head of the National Art School at a time when that same government was hounding the Party, suppressing its newspapers shutting down its meeting places and shooting some of its leaders. Rivera. who was a member of the Central Committee, not only accepted a government post but would not raise his voice in protest against the government's atrocities.

Rivera's expulsion from the Party based on his open alliance with the change in his paintings. In the same National Palace where Rivera had previously painted murals remark-able for their technique and profound mural. It was pointed out that the in their revolutionary content, he now one of the national heroes. of all artists, intellectuals and work- fresco served to increase the indignation of revolutionary workers in time, it declared that this struggle Mexico against the leader who had had already been seriously weakened by the compromises of Rivera, and press for the first time began to press for the first time began to declared that it would fight against praise Rivera's work.

Rivera's Work in U. S.

Rivera's first work in the United States-the Calliornia and Detroit murals-were decidedly weak, because the painter did not bring in incily transformed it into a symbol for

When the speeches were over, all ers, one of whom went so far as te attack Ruby Bates, important figure

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Bullets Removed from Defended Croppers



Irving Schwab, ILD lawyer, who pers recently framed up by the Alabama landlords. In an interview with the Daily Worker published on this page, Schwab tells of the effects of the trial on both Negro and white sharecroppers.

#### ILD Backs Tag Days for Nazi Victims

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# Sharecroppers Jailed for Past Five Months

Tallapoosa Trial Is Described by Schwab. I.L.D. Lawyer, Just Back from Alabama

By SENDER GARLIN Bullets were extracted from Ned Cobb and Judson Simpson, Talla-

poosa Negro sharecroppers, only the other day after being embedded in their bodies for nearly five months & -while in prison awaiting trial lords of Tallapoosa county to de-Irving Schwab, International Labor stroy the Sharecroppers Union." Defense attorney told the Daily Sympathy Among Whites

Schwab said that at the opening

confidence and faith in the I.L.D.

Ned Cobb said, 'I still love the move-

ment and even though I am in jail,

Struggle Brings Concessions

"In traveling through the county

learned that conditions are much

etter since the Reeltown battle, and

"The highways around Dadeville

that there had been a let-up on

were blocked all day by armed depu-

ties and thugs, driving the Negroes

back from the highways as they approached the town. Despite this, the

Negro croppers waded across creeks

fixed up rafts in order to cross larg-

er bodies of water. In other cases

they waited until the deputies left

and then marched into Dadeville. During the trial I spoke to the wife

of one of the sharecroppers. She told me the story of her 15-year-old son.

He like the others was stopped out-

22 Negroes Testify

Rivaling the heroism of the Ne-

tematically excluded from jury ser-

the jury and while the jury was out, Schwab told the Daily Worker "sev-

eral white farmers came over and

expressed sympathy for the defend-

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getting in through the swamps.'

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I am still with the fight.'

noved from Simpson's jaw. of the trial "there was evidence of Schwab recently returned from the South where he conducted the deof the sharecroppers who were that the poor white farmers present tions, mass meetings, etc. jailed following an attack upon them in the court room were impressed by and others who were defending the the case of the defendants and by ivestock of Cliff James, one of the the fight being waged in their beeaders of the Shareeroppers' Union, half by the International Labor Derom seizure by deputies. fense.

Arrayed against the I.L.D. lawyer vere five prosecution counsel, headed by the klu kluxer and ex-U. S. Sen-ator, Tom Heflin of Alabama. All but one of the five defendants

Worker. One of the bullets was re-

were given maximum sentences by Judge Bowling, Schwab reported. The purpose of this was to prevent them from getting bond, for under the Alabama law any sentence over hronx the Alabama law any sentence over Cooperative Colony WIR, 2700 Bronx Park ten years bars the defendant from release on bail. Ned Cobb. 46 years Alf White, 31, were given 10-101/2 years, and Sam Moss, 29, was sentenced to 5-6 years in the state

In sentencing the Negro sharecroppers, the judge cynically de-clared, addressing himself to the defendants:

with mercy. I think you men have been misled in connection with this organization. When you go to prison I want you to be good citizens because in prison, as on the outside, you can make a reputa-

There is no question, Schwab says Scottsboro case, 22 Negro witnesses took the stand in the Tallapoosa that these vicious sentences handed down by Judge Bowling, "the Judge trial, the I.L.D. lawyer said. Several Horton of the sharecroppers, is part of these testified on the motion of the defense to dismiss the indictment of the entire program of the landon the ground that Negroes are sys-

#### Spivak, Kunitz and Brodsky to Speak at Defense Meet Sunday

NEW YORK. - John L. Spivak,

ants. Others, more cautious, showed newspaper correspondent and author of "Georgia Nigger" will speak at a their interest by asking whether meeting Sunday evening at Town there was a chance of the jury Hall, 113 West 43rd St., under the 'turning them loose'." WIR Branch Coney Island, 2709 Mermaid auspices of the National Committee for the Defense of Political Prisoners. Ave.

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man.

One feature of the program on which the poet, Countee Cullen, is a speaker, will be the first public showing of a news-reel taken of scenes in and outside the courtroom during the protest, the I.L.D. lawyer concluded. These protests should be sent to Governor B. M. Miller, Montgomery, Ala.

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Party Life

On Fluctuation in Party Membership

The following are, in brief, the major reasons for the high fluctua-tion in Communist Party membership in Section 4, District 8. (Chicago

1. Recruiting not done in an organized manner, and while attemptng to reach the goal of the quota set, we were not sufficiently orientated on the quality of recruiting. Our fractions in mass organiza-tions did not take the task of building the Party seriously, and if there was any recruiting done in the mass organizations, it was done on an individual and not in an organized manner. The actual recruiting took place on street corners, demonstra

2. Inability of the Section Committee to cope with the very difficult matter of developing, quickly enough, functionaries capable of keeping up with the growth of the Party, while "When I spoke to the croppers at the same time being compelled to release more developed comrades from Unit Buros for mass work, weak-ening thereby, the Unit Buros. after the trial, all five expressed

Captain System
3. Introduction of the captain system, with insufficient guidance as to their function, had a derogatory effect and caused the loss of many members. The attendance of unit meetings, which were changed to twice monthly during this experiment was cut into almost half in some of the units, and it took a good many weeks to recover and place the units back on normal function, after we

4. Too numerous collections, tickets, etc., is the reason claimed by many members for their losing interest in the Party and eventually dropping

Not sufficient political life in the units. Many units do not carry on political discussions. Preoccupa tion with technical matters and per sonal bickerings among certain older side of Dadeville, but succeeded in comrades has caused many new and in some instances even older Party members to drop out of the Party. Unit Bures
6. Lack of functioning Unit Bures

made meetings very lengthy and at times very dry, which fact also has had a poor effect, especially on new members, and caused many of them to quit the Party.

To overcome the present high fluctuation, the Section has set itself the task of (1) establishing functioning unit buros in every unit. (2) Improve political life of the units. (3) Keep a stricter check-up on the quality of recruiting with the main orienta-tion towards the shops and mass organizations. (4) More personal contact with the unit organizers and the Unit Buros, etc.

Editorial Note: We agree that if the four tasks

Far from terrorizing the Negro roppers and city workers, the ver- mentioned above be fixilled, the high diet against the Tallapoosa defend- rate of fluctuation will be overcome by Section 4, District 8. However, ants has only made them more determined to fight, Schwab declared. we think it is not enough for a sec-He told of "the new spirit which is tion committee, after analysing a developing, as shown in the May 1 serious situation of high fluctuation just to enumerate a few general tasks of the Party as the remedy. Negro workers fought with police who were trying to arrest Jane The Section Committee must be clear on the concrete steps to be taken to accomplish these tasks. Exactly what is the Section going

to do to overcome the various weaknesses that it found to be the cause for the serious fluctuation? What steps is the Section taking to develop new functionaries? To give better guidance to the captains? To do away with collections, tickets, lengthy meetings, etc.?

These problems will be solved only when the section committee will plan definite steps to be taken and continually check up on the carrying out of these steps.

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MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF the Trotskyites who asked for the WOCOLONA floor obtained it and were given more than the allotted five minutes. audience did not interrupt them-a TONIGHT, AT 8 P. M. courtesy they themselves did not ex-WORKERS CENTER, 50 E. 18th Street tend to the John Reed Club speakers. The effect of letting them speak WORKERS' TENT COLONY freely and fully was that they vealed the utter bankruptcy of their BENSONHURST WORKERS ideas, as did two Lovestonites speak All workers' organi-GORGEOU'S CAFETERIA

With a joit the lorry stopped in front of the police station. Policemen came out of the lighted gateway. which we must fight. picketing of Radio City and the 'Get off quickly!' Rockefeller residence—would be given portunity to participate in the servation of the mural." Joseph Free-sion. This announcement, how-man said, "it is our duty to point The prisoners jumped off the lorry an and were driven like cattle into the dis an opportunity to participate in the "Close the windows!" a ever, did not prevent several Trotskyites present from interrupting the policeman shouted across the street. eing something move behind one of speeches in the most disorderly manthe windows in the scond floor, he fired without further parley into the pointed out, raised two problems. One was the impossibility of a free art under capitalism. This problem, An elderly man stumbled against the pavement when he received a blow

from behind. Someone beat him on the head. Howling with pain he fell against a policemen who gave him a capitalism. The second problem against a policemen who gave him a capitalism. The second problem raised by the incident was the reblew with the butt end of his gun. lation of the revolutionary artist to lation of the revolutionary artist to

of supporting the fight for the preservation of the mural. In discussing the second problem, he described Rivera's services to the revolution both as painter and politician up to 1929. In that year, however, it was pointed out, Rivera went over definitely to the side of American imperialism, represented at that time by Dwight Morrow, and to the fascist defend herself against the policeman who grasped her and pulled her down by the specific issue on Portes Gil. The specific issue on which Rivera was expelled from the

Portes Gil government and Dwight the Morrow, was followed by a profound a corner that her face was thrown against one of the boots. Terrified she pressed backwards. Pain still the bourgeois fiction of "classlessness" Mexico, in which Calles appears a chauvinistic history of the bourgeois fiction of "classlessness" Mexico, in which Calles appears a chauvinistic history of the patients of

dents of the actual class struggle, as he had done in some of his earlier Mexican frescos. The Rocketeller mural was pointless until the painter inserted Lenin's head, which sudden-

"But while we fight for the preout Rivera's shortcomings in art and politics. He is not a fellow-traveller: he is a former member of the Central Committee of the Mexican Communist Party, and of him more is expected. When he travels away from the revolution, he must be sharply criticized for the sake of real revolutionary artists and for the sake of the revolution as a whole.'

in the fight to save the nine Scotts-

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All the proceeds of this concert will go to the campaign against child misery. Tickets can be secured at the Workers International Relief, 870 Broadway, or at the Workers Book Shop, 50 East 13th Street. The concert of Eugene Nigob was

to take place on May 20th, but has been combined with this concert. All tickets which have been issued for the Nigob concert will be accepted at this concert on May 19th.

Pudovkin's "Storm Over Asia" And "Under Roofs of Paris" In Double Bill At Acme

The Acime Theatre will present a double feature program this Friday and Saturdey. The films are two of the finest produced by the Soviet and French studios and include "Storm Over Asia," the thrilling story of the revolt of the East directed by Pudovkin and the Rene Clair masterpiece, "Under the Roofs of Paris" (Sous Les Toits De Paris) romaines of working class life in Paris. In "Storm Over Asia," Pudovkin makes use of an all-native cast. In this film the brilliant Soviet director gives us but an inkling of the slumbering rebellion of the Asiatics sgainst imperialist repression. The picture teems with thrilling situations and holds the addience from beginning to end.

Rene Clair, probably one of the most brilliant directors of the French school, in "Under The Roofs Of Paris," net only makes his story live by giving us a picture of the tenement life in Paris but makes use of his satirieal gifts and takes a sharp dig at present day society and its hypocrisy. Both films have English titles.

'Horizon" Held Over for Second Week at Europa "Horison (The Modern Wandering Jew), latest of the Soviet-Russian talking pictures, will be held over for a second week at the Europa Theatre. Nikokai Batalov, seen here before in "Road to Life" plays the lead. The film has English superimposed

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and Social Insurance Bill, providing insurance for all workers regardless of nationality, color, age or sex, for the full period of unemployment disability, if for no reason of their own, at the rate of \$10 per week, plus \$3 for each dependent. Funds to be raised solely by taxation of incomes of capitalists, cutting down high salaries, and use of all war funds for benefit of the unemployed; and by the government; work-ers to make no contributions. Part workers to receive the difference between their wages and the unemployment insurance benefit. The Unemployment and Social Insurance fund to be administered and controlled by workers' commitmembers of workers' or anizations.'

Against Amendents Against this amendment delegates from the I.W.W., Workers' League, who on other occasions supported the U. C. were united together with the right wing Socialists, Lovestoneists, Trotzkvists and other elements. By a majority they defeated this amend-

ment. This is not a small matter because it is not sufficient to just go on record for Unemployment and Social Insurance. Mr. Green, of the A. F. of L., is also "for" unemploy-ment insurance. But the question as to what kind of unemployment in-surance and at whose expense is not a matter of small importance. It is of very decisive importance. On this point the delegation of the U. C. could not compromise and made its

front policy, Bill Gebert, fraternal delegate of the Communist Party spoke. He very clearly and delegate of the very clearly and del placed the question of the meaning

position clear and fought for it.

Propose Unified Movement

The Constitutional Committee, which was controlled by Socialists and members of the Workers' League, the Workers Unemployment and Sothe Workers' League, came to the Convention with a con-stitution calling for the organization of a new body of the unemployed to be known as the Workers' League of America. Against such a constitution, women workers and impoverished which in addition to this, provided a dictatorial power to the Executive to the point that it has the right to remove state and county tion of the Convention, the incomagainst forming a new organization 98 delegates from 18 states. They of the unemployed. It led a fight for represented 45 organizations, national ganizations, without any exclusion. branches not counting the thousands. This to be a step toward one organ- of U. C. branches in over 500 cities. ization of the unemployed. That this process to be started from below,

leading to a national unification of This policy was supported by a large number of delegates, especially ployed and unemployed. The policy was supported by a large number of delegates, especially ployed and unemployed, are accepting from the lower ranks. The constitu-tional committee report was rejected and a new committee was elected which brought in a draft of a constiwhich brought in a draft of a country which brought in a draft of all organizations of the unemployed. That izations of the unemployed. That er." The idea of unity in action is penetrating the masses and becomes penetrating the masses and becomes carry on its own activities, be part of the federation. In this way unify all organizations of the unemployed on a city, county, state and national

needs of the masses of unemployed.

The Constitution further specified that all the organizations of the unemployed affiliated with the Federation cannot discriminate against any worker for his political belief, creed. unity of the masses of unemployed in race, nationality or citizenship, that is, that every organization must ad-is, that every organization must adis, that every organization must admit every worker, regardless of his political belief or organizational affiliation. This report was adopted by the convention by a large majority.

That is why it will be possible to carry the program of unity.

This once more also proves that workers organized in organizations led by reformist and reactionary elements are ready to sween saide their

Defeat Sectarian Policy

The adoption of policy for a united front of action and for a federation was a decisive defeat both for the sectarian policy of the Workers' ployed Workers' League and a decisive defeat for the right wing, headed by the leading socialists. It was a victory for the policy of the U. C. The defeat of Borders and others was such, that he and others declined to accept any posts toiling masses.

day unanimously re-affirmed their support of the leadership of the Trade

Union Unity League at on enthusiastic meeting when a resolution endorsing the TUUL was unanimously adopted. The strikers expressed their hatred of the A. F. of L. in no uncertain terms whenever mention was used of its tratternix relations.

made of its traitorous role.
While Friedman, the boss is trying

to run the shop with scabs, he has thus far been able to recruit only a few. Rumors are afloat that he intends to import scabs from New York and the strikers are prepared to give them a warm "recention."

Regal Doll Strikers Reaffirm Support

of Trade Union Unity League Leaders

TRENTON, N. J., May 18.—The and sentenced to 30 days in jail for Regal Doll workers, on strike against the crime of refusing to be provoked the attempts of the boss and the A. F. of L. to smash their union, yester-day, unanimously reaffirm, developed to the strike of the control of the cont

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) on the National Committee. Borders gave the tone to this. When he was nominated by a Lovestonite, Walsh, for president of the Federation, he declined. Later, when he was nominated for a member of the Execu-tive Committee, he likewise declined. His statement was that he cannot function on the Executive Committee

where people of opposing points of view are in the majority. The Convention, by a majority vote, elected Dixon, of the Workers League, president of the Federation, A. Guss of the Unemployed Councils, Vice-President; Stanton, Unemployed Union of I. W. W., Treasurer, and Leach, Chicago Workers Committee on Unemployment, Secretary. Later the National Executive Committee elected Sol Larks, expelled, from the Young Peoples Socialist League, as Assistant Secretary.

On the Executive Committee, 11 members in addition to the officers were elected. Among the 11 is the secretary of the Unemployed Councils,

The composition of the N.E.C. is not quite satisfactory, but with two members of the U. C. it will be possible not only, not only fight in the committee, but actually carry the policy adopted by the Convention for the united front actions, for unification of the organizations of the un-

Take Immediate Steps

By the decision of the Convention the Federation is to immediately take steps toward unity with the Convention of Unemployed called by Muste elements in Columbus, Ohio, on July 4th. Steps are to be taken to reach

This policy must be carride out. Against this policy, the right wing action. That any united front otherwise will be a united front against ists, will carry on a fight. The fact the City Administration to force it the working class. On this basis for that they refused to accept positions unity in struggle, the Workers' Unemployment and Social Insurance private statements declared that they Bill and all other demands of the will not affiliate with the federation unemployed in the given localities, are must be borne in mind. Therefore the task of the Unemployed Councils He also dealt with the objective of and for the revolutionary elements setting up one organization of the everywhere, is to carry on a struggle AT CITY COLLEGE unemployed, unifying numerous or- for affiliation of all organizations of ganizations of the unemployed thru- the unemployed in city, county and out the country. His speech was well state. Leading by these methods to-received and was a programatic ward national unification. This ques-speech on the policy of the united tion of unity of organizations has only one meaning and will preserve its forces only if it will be immed-

cial Insurance Bill, for all immediate

Representation elected on a platform calling for im-mediate abolition of the college R. O. As to the scope of the representa-

committees of the organizations, the plete last report of the Credentials U. C. delegation led a fight, also Committee showed that there were . federation of the unemployed or- and local, with a total number of 428

of the Communist Inter-

Spivak's Waterfront

Tomorrow's "Daily"

"He earned a dollar a day for working 24 hours a day, seven days a week and no holidays at all. Out of this he had to feed his family,

These are the conditions under which one of the "barge captains"

of the east side waterfront lives.

John L. Spivak author of "Georgia

Nigger," made a special investiga-

tion into the conditions of these workers. His account of their lives

will be told to Daily Worker re: V-

ers exclusively, in a series of articles to begin in tomorrow's issue.

Photographs taken by Spivak will

Don't fail to get your paper to-

clothe and dress them."

illustrate his stories.

Series to Begin in

PROTEST MURDER Party Line Proven Correct The National Convention of the Federation of Unemployed Workers' OF JAPANESE

ployed and unemployed, are accepting and carry in practice, the Communist latter, 583 Sixth Avenue, this Sunday a power and sweeps aside all those 8:30 p.m., to protest against the who stand in the way of such unity. murder of the outstanding proletarvashi, by the Tokio police. that the National Executive Committee of the Federation of Unemployed

Tortured to death in his prison cell scope. This unification to proceed at once, that is, immediately to be accompanied with development of struggle for immediate demands and companied of the masses of unequality. There will be plenty of sectarianism and opportunism and the U. C. is in writers League and the membership of the masses of unequality. of the Central Committee of the Jap anese Communist Party.

The speakers at the protest meet-Cultural Federation; Edmund Stevens, of the National Student League Wong, of the Chinese Workers J. V. Wong, of the Chinese Workers Club; W. Phelps, of the John Reed

#### 250 Homeless Men Evicted

of police and a wrecking crew to

down by large wrecking trucks of the Sanitation Department. All the small thè homeless men to make their stroke by the government in its mad effort to hide the sores of the capitalist system. Cables were put around shacks and dwellings pulled to

the ground. Plenty of Vacant Buildings These men are without a place to leep. Yet there are over 200,000 vacant apartment and dozens of pub-lic buildings unoccupied. The Un-employed Councils of New York has raised the demand for the opening of all vacant buildings for single unemployed and apartments for families, for the building of additional the place of the slums and tenements. The building to be done by unem-

TO EVICT 500 DISABLED VETS SANDUSKY, Ohio. (By mail).— Five hundred disabled war veterans SANDUSKY, Ohio. (By mail).—
Five hundred disabled war veterans at the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Home face eviction on July 1st. The are victims of toosevelt's "new deal."

Home Relief Bureau for two months and received any relief. Inlem Unemployed Council, moved back
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## VETERANS PUT DEMANDS FOR BONUS PAYMENT TO SENATORS, CONGRESSMEN

Convention Recesses for Day; Uncompleted Registration Shows 2,800 in Camp

Negro Vet Makes Eloquent Plea for United Fight Against Disability Cuts

BULLETIN.

NEW YORK .- A second contingent of veterans consisting of 200 men left here today to join the 2,800 already assembled in Washington. At the west end of the bridge leading over from Jersey City to Newark, a Negro vet, Kavid Koseritta, was arrested by police, who tried to force him to continue toward Washington, when he started to turn back to New York. Koscritta was not headed for Washington, but had joined a large group of workers in a send-off to the vets. A 16-year-old boy, also with the send-off party, was forced by the police to proceed toward the capital, and prevented from returning home.

WASHINGTON, May 18 .- The veterans' convention recessed today to enable delegations from the various states to call upon their U. S. senators and congressmen with the demands of the vets. The convention has moved from the Washington Auditorium to Ft. Hunt where the sessions will be continued.

The vote at yesterday's convention is considered an eloquent demonstration for the three-point program brought forward by the National Liaison Committee that united the ranks of the convention.

Vets Killer at Camp General Glassford, who together with General MacArthur last July was responsible for the removal of the bonus marchers from Washington at the point of a gun, was at the camp last night. It is clear that the government is using him as a means of destroying the unity of the delegates at the convention. But the splendid unity of the convention shows that nothing will be able to break it.

"Who Is Government?" Discussing the three-point program of the Convention, Delegate Cacclos of New York, got a warm response when he said, "Who is the government? Not Roosevelt and the Congress on Capitol Hill. It is our duty to get the support of public opinion and the three-points of the program will enable us to rally the workers and the farmers for support of the program for the vets."

It is significant that the three-point program was accepted, in view of the fact that it has been emphasized in the Convention that the veterans would be able to obtain their demands far better if backed up by the workers and farmers, it was pointed out. Recognizing the necessity of class solidarity, the National Liaison Committee, even before the Convention opened, sent a telegram of solidarity to the Iowa farmers who were then in struggle. It was repeated at the Convention that many farm organizations have endorsed the veterans' demands. Therefore it is clear that the Convention has reached a very high point in unity.

When Mike Thomas attempted to stampede the convention yesterday and lead to an impasse, the disabled veteran from the Alexandria Hospital in Virginia, was raised on the shoulders of the Convention Committee on the platform and with tears streaming down his face he cried, "Shame, shame. How can you think of such a thing as this, that veterans should desert their disabled buddies."

Woods, the disrupter, pretended two days before the convention that he supported the three points of the convention. It was clear that it was merely a maneuver in order to carry out his wrecking work at the convention, but it did not work.

Press' Used Dirty Work

The capitalist papers, New York Times, Washington Post, etc. pretend that there is talk about the use of eggs, clubs, bricks, etc. These provocative reports have only one intention—to cause dissension within the Convention. The Negro question is also being used by the reactionary press in order to stir up discord. The reactionary group which was at the convention, did not allow any of the Negro delegates to speak without interruption. In fact, during the speech of one delegate, there were cries from the bloc of the reactionary group of "Lynch him," "Throw

James W. Ford, vice-presidential candidate of the Communist Party in the recent election, and himself a veteran, was stopped by a detective as he left the auditorium yesterday. The capitalist press, especially the New York Times, speaks of "an angry group" surrounding Ford, and that he was "rescued by the police." This is a lie. Ford was approached by a detective who demanded to see his honorable discharge papers. When Ford showed him the papers, the dick stated that it did not bear the signature. Another detective who knew Ford asked what kind of a discharge it was, and Ford said it was a duplicate and therefore did not have to have a signature. He took it out of the hands of the detective and put it in his pocket. It is clear that this was an attempt to arouse antagonism not only against the Negroes but against Ford specifically. The detectives were not successful. On the contrary, when the Negro veterans learned that he was the well-known Communist, they were eager

The Roosevest administration is using various methods to cause disruption in the ranks of the veterans. Right now they are using the open provocative methods of the Hoover administration. Nevertheless, the vets are on the alert and are warning the Roosevelt government that it will be responsible for any disruptions or provocations.

Parade Postpened The parade of the marchers was postponed. The Thomas group announced they would parade. However, nothing has been reported yet as to their march.

Incomplete registration shows about 2,800 men at the camp, so that the split-off group represents an insignificant number with a one-point program seeking to split the veterans from the rest of the population.

At the Convention yesterday the Continental Congress, through its Washington Committee, asked the convention that it be allowed to participate in the vets' parade. Its Washington representative, claimed that the congress, which had 6,000 delegates endorsed the three-point program. However, this is untrue, as the convention did not consist of more than 2,000 delegates. Moreover, while the convention formally endorsed the bonus, it did not support the three-point program of the vets convention, which demands: (1) payment of the adjusted compensation certificates (bonus); (2) no reduction in disability allowances; (3) adequate relief for the unemployed and the farmers.

That the "support" of the S.P. leaders is a pretense is borne out by their well-known hostility to the bonus payment and their failure to fight Roosevelt's disability cuts.

All veterans organizations should adopt resolutions and send them to the National Rank and File Convention, Fort Hunt, Virginia, calling for unity and a fight for the three-point program already adopted at the

#### 13 BORO PARK UNEMPLOYED FREED IN COURT FILLED TO OVERFLOWING

NEW YORK.-With workers filling the Snyder and Flatbush Avenue court to overflowing, 13 of 14 unemployed on trial for demanding relief were dismissed yesterday. The trial of Anna Hall, the only one not released, was

United Action Forces Landlord to Pay Rent

committee on Unemployment, which is carrying on united action with the Park, steeled in a number of struggles, Committee on Unemployment, which Downtown Unemployed Councils, will make the same demands at the forced the landlord of 44 Rivington Bollas Function of Schementer St. Street to give \$10 for rent in a new apartment of a family which he had families.

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postponed until this Monday.

Over 300 workers were at a mass meeting protesting their arrest the night before the trial.

Three of those on trial were arrested April 28 and the balance May 12 when they came to the Boro Park Home Relief Bureau with demands for rent and food.

Today the unemployed of Park

Relief Bureaus, 69 Schermerhorn St. together with hundreds of other

This family is registered at the Home Relief Bureau for two months

NEW YORK.—Fifteen workers supported by 200 others led by the Harand have not received any relief. In- lem Unemployed Council, moved back

SCOTTSBORO MARCHERS

NEW YORK .- The City March Committee of the Scottsboro Washington March has called a meeting of head captains of every truck and bus that went to Washington. The meeting will be held today, 4 p. m. sharp at 119 West 135th Street at the headquarters of the Scottsboro Unity Action

Plans for a "get-together" of the marchers will be taken up at the

#### 1,500 JOBLESS VOTE STRIKE ON FORCED LABOR

Portland Single Men Forced to Work for Slop and Lodging

the cut and walked out tying up the entire plant. This is the fifth wage PORTLAND, Ore., May 13. (By Mail).—Fifteen hundred single woodyard workers "employed" at the Com-mons woodyard here have voted to go on strike June 4 against the forced labor program of the Community Chest. They must work for slop and filthy lodging. They work 2 hours per day cutting wood which is sold for profit. Besides they are subject to gross abuse and terrorism at the hands of special selected thugs.

wages for work performed at the woodyard, 50 cents per hour, with 12 nours per week minimum.

The right to work on Emergency Relief projects same as married workers. Many minor but neverthe-less important demands have also been drawn up.

To Support Strike Organizations of unemployed, labor unions, fraternal lodges and veterans have expressed their support in single workers struggles for cash re-

WHAT'S ON Friday-

Manhattan

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REGULAR MEMBERSHIP MEETING Tom Mooney Branch and open forum at 818 broadway. S. Stein on the Sam Weinstein Case, 5 p. m.

ROOSEYELT HUNGER PROGRAM—Morris Greenbaum—Chi Grand Club, 380 Grand Street. 8 p. m.

SLIDES LECTURE showing glimpses of life in Soviet Union; Ruskin, Labor Temple, 242 East 14th 8t. 8:30 p. m. Admission 16c. Downtown, Branch F. S. U.

FINAL REHEARSAL OF DAILY WORKER choi'lls for Olympiac at 7:45. Mahhattan Lyceum, 66 East 4th St. SYMPOSIUM—Justice in the U. S. and in Soviet Russla"—American Youth Fedoration, 122 Second Ave. 9 p. m. Adm. free. SOCIAL RELATIONS in THE SOVIET UNION—Liston Oak—3t Harlem Progressive Youth Club, 1538 Madison Ave.

SCOTTSBORO DEFENSE MEETING—Speakers, William L. Patterson, Lester Cartic, Diego Rivers, Prof. Frank Boas, Prof. H. F. Ward. Auspices Columbia Scottsboro Defense Committee, at McMillan Theatre, is Broadway and 116th St. 7:45 p. m.

CONCERT—by Musicians Concert League of the Wir at New School for Social Research, 66 West 12th St. Proceeds—Campaign Against Child Misery.

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aign Against Child Misery. SYMPOSIUM IN GERMAN— "Which tasks do we get as class conscious workers or-canizations? Reps from the Nature Friends,

speak. Question—Discussion—The German Workers Club, 1536 Third Ave. (86th). No

(Bronx) Bronx Hungarian Workers Center, 569 Pros-pect Ave. 8.30 p. m. Admission 18c. FRAGMENTS OF AN EMPIRE—Interna-tional House, Riverside Drive and 134th St. Harry Alan Potamkin will introduce the movie. Admission 25c. Given by Technical

Bureau.

LECTURE—Class War Prisoners—Middle
Bronx Workers Club, 3882 Third Ave. Prominent speakers of L. L. D. 8.30 p. m.

JOSEPH BORGESON of the editorial staff
of the Daily Worker, will speak on "Culture
and the Crisis" at the Bronx Hungarian
Workers Club, 569 Prospect Ave., tonight
at 8.30.

(Brooklyn)

REPORT OF BRITISH SFY TRIAL in Moscow by A. A. Heller, engineer and editor off Soviet Russia Today who was present at the lime. 2917 South Fifth St. Auspices FSU. SCOTTSBORO MASS MEETING Boro Park Labor Lyceum, 42nd St. and 14th Ave. Moore, ILD. Mary Hillyer, Leegue for Industrial Democracy and former organizer ILGWU, Scharzbard, I. L. D. lawyer, Auspices, Ella May Branch, West End Section I. L. D. Admission 15c.

INPLATION—ITS EFFECT ON THE WORKING CLASS—Brownsville Youth Center, 105 Thatford Ave. Auspices C. P. Sect. 8.

SYMPOSIUM—Cuba in Revolt—Ex-mayor of Havana, Eduardo Chibias, Cuban Revolutionary student, William Simons, National Secretary Anti-Imperialist League. American Youth Club, 407 Rockway Ave. Admission 15c.

Saturday

at the shops of Lazerman and Greenberg, 123 West 27th Street. William Indian Cohen, 223 West 27th Street. William Indian Strikes are for the purpose of gaining better conditions for the workers.

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Lewis in humbrous Nêgro sketches; "Jazz"
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Refreshments—Beer hot-cha band. Admission 28c. Auspices Sect. 2 C. P.

(Bronx)

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miss something if you don't come, so step
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CHOW MEIN AND CONCERT at 228 East
174th St. Auspices, Women's Council 24.
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(Brooklun)

HOUSE PARTY FOR PRISONERS RE-LIEF by Harry Simms Branch, I. L. D. at Siegmeister's Studio, 5420 15th Ave. Movies

## Dover Textile Strikers Reject "Compromise"

DOVER, N. H., May 18 .- One thousand cotton textile workers on strike here against the Morgan controlled Pacific mills are solid for their demands of a 25 per cent increase in wages. The compromise offer of Mill Superintendent Newton to settle the strike with a 10 per cent increase was rejected by a substantial majority of the strikers at their meeting on Wednesday.

The strike is led by the doffers, who were the first to come out on strike CLEVELAND AUTO and who have already conducted two successful strikes in the past month against the speed-up system

PLANT ON STRIKE Although there is as yet no strike committee or strike organization, the strikers are bitter over a series of CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 16.

Workers of the metal finishing department of the Hupmobile Motor their former wages, and are determined to win the full increase for their are striking.

had a taste of the much touted Roosevelt "prosperity" when a wage cut was declared here. The workers, indignant at the cut in the face of rise will bring increases. The strikers scoff at the idea that the Roosevelt proclamation for a pay rise will bring increases. They recornize that increases will not be achieved except through the workers' own struggle. Steps are being taken to organize a rank and file strike committee, mass picketing and strike thorough discussion by the workers relief. The National Textile Workers' who recognized that the wage cut in Union appeals to the workers of the this department was a fore-runner of same company, the Pacific Mill in Lawrence to follow the example of the Dover workers and join this

#### One of the central demands is cash 350 UNEMPLOYED JAIL 4 MOTHERS AND 2 CHILDREN MEET IN HARLEM

NEW YORK -Testimonials from the 350 embittered Negro and white workers who jammed the Community Baptist Church in Harlem yesterday, revealed the callous brutality of the Home Relief officials to workers on the verge of eviction.

rising food prices refused to accept

cut the workers have received since

The walk-out occurred after a

wage cuts in every other department

workers was pledged by the Auto

Full support to the Hupmobile

The meeting was held in preparathe struggles of the woodyard work-ters. Small restaurant owners and be held today at the 125th Street hotels are likewise in favor of the and Third Ave. Home Relief Bureau, single workers struggles for cash re-Friday at 11 o'clock. All workers of Harlem and vicinity are to meet at the Unemployed Council headquarfrom there will march to the relief

## AFL FUR MEMBERS VOTE FOR UNITY WITH N. T. W. I. U

NEW YORK .- So great is the hosility of the rank and file of the A. F of L. furriers toward their corrupt boss-controlled leadership and toward their efforts to smash up the Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union that the membership of Local 3 of the International Fur Workers, meeting last night, overwhelmingly voted for a united front with the Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union.

The question was raised by a member of the union and was given full support by the majority of the membership. A committee of six was elected to call on the Industrial Union A committee of six was Reichsbanner, Workmen's Sick and Benefit elected to call on the Industrial Union Society and the German Workers Club will and Work out plans for carrying through united front struggles.

At the same meeting officials of the International demanded that a local union debt of \$600 be paid to the International officials by the members Lucchi, one of the officials, sensing the hostility of the membership to this proposal offered to compromise on 50 per cent of the debt. The membership answered this demand by an emphatic refusal to pour any money into the pockets of these racketeers.

trial Union. The strikes were called days. at the shops of Lazerman and Green-

NEW YORK .- Four mothers, wive of unemployed workers, two children with them and two men were arrested at Williamsburg Home Relief Bureau Wednesday when, led by the Williamsburgh Unemployed Council they came for rent and food checks They will be tried at the Bridge Plaza Court Monday at 9 s. m.

Rose Goldberg, 232 Hopkins Street, who is threatened with six months jail because neighbors led by members of the Williamsburgh Unem-ployed Council, 61 Graham Avenue put back her furniture when she was evicted three weeks ago was again arrested at the Home Relief Bureau when she came to demand rent. Bureau officials have tried to stall

workers with the story that when they are evicted rent will be forthcoming. Altman, an unemployed worker of 221 South 3rd Street, Brooklyn was evicted. He came to the bureau and was refused rent.

This worker and hundreds of others of this section will be in the demonstration today at 69 Schermerhorn St., the borough office of the bureau to demand rent and no cuts in relief.

BAKERS RALLY AT COOPER UNION TONIGHT TO BACK

STRIKE

NEW YORK.—Tonight at 7 p. m.
thousands of bakers from all parts
of Greater New York will rally to
the support of the bakers' strike at
a monster mass meeting at Cooper
Union, 8th Street and Astor Place. The meeting is called by the Bak-ers' joint strike committee repre-centing locals 505, 507 and 509 which are involved in the strike to prevent reduction of the standards of the bakery workers.

#### LA BELLE METAL STRIKE WON

Workers Win All Demands

to the pockets of these racketeers.

NEW YORK.—The strike at the La Belle Silver Co., led by the Metal NEW YORK.—Three new shop Workers' Industrial Union, ended strikes were declared today under the leadership of the Fur Department of the Needle Trades Workers' Indus- was called. The strike lasted three

The demands won were as follows berg, 123 West 27th Street, William recognition of the shop committee, Cohen, 223 West 27th Street, and K and S, 150 West 28th Street. The week, no wage cuts, abolition of piece week, no wage cuts, abolition of piece work, no discrimination, and no firing or hiring without consultation with the shop committee.

This is one of a series of strikes won by the growing Metal Workers' Industrial Union, and proves once more that the workers can win con-

BRODSKY SPEAKS AT CONEY ISLAND TOMOREOW

Carl Brodsky, well-known labo (Manhattan)

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them a warm "reception."

Every attempt is being made to demoralize the ranks of the strikers. The terror has been intensified and police have forbidden picketing although no city ordinance against it xists. Yesterday two workers were picked up and jailed. These provocative acts are aimed especially at the nost militant workers. I. Murphy, member of the Young Communist League and active in the last strike was charged with disorderly conduct

Roosevelt Camps Train for Army Says General

CLEVELAND. — Open acknowledgement that the Civilian Conservation Corps is being used as a military training ground has been made here by Maj. George V. Mosley, commander of the Fifth Corps Area. Speaking before the Reserve Officers Association here the general said:

"At the start we were to train them only for a few weeks to make them self-sustaining. After that they were to go out on their own account. Well, more and more they've (the government) turned the job over to the army, and as I predicted then, they're in our laps now. And we'll do a good job with them. It gives us an opportunity to train fine young men.'

#### STUDENT SUICIDE WHEN UNABLE TO MEET CITY FEES

NEW YORK. — Gertrude Wimmer, 18 years old, a student at Brooklyn College, committed suicide by gas poisoning at her home, 295 Atlantic Avenue, Brooklyn, late yesterday af-

The blame for her death must be placed on the City Administration and Tammany politicians, who have been systematically starving the city school system. Gertrude Wimmer had been brooding over the proposed establishment of fees at Brooklyn College next fall, according to her mother's report, and this was given as the cause of the tragic step, she took rather than face life without an education.

This case will accentuate the struggle the National Student League is carrying on for a free summer session and against fees in the 'free' city colleges. The National Student League calls upon the whole student body

#### RADICAL STUDENTS SWEEP ELECTIONS

NEW YORK.—Radical students at the City College of New York made a clean sweep in the semi-annual Student Council elections by electing Harry Weinstein, Elliot Hechtman and Adam Lapin onto the Council by

Lapin is one of the leaders of the National Student League at City College, and has taken a prominent part in the fight of the students for freedom of press and right of assembly All three successful students were

The anti-war campaign carried on by the students in the university has not been without its effect, and main credit for this must go to the National Student League.

WRITER SUNDAY NEW YORK .- A mass meeting has been arranged by the John Reed Club, the Japanese Workers Cultural Federation, the Chinese Workers Club, and the National Student League, at the headquarters of the

ian writer of Japan, Takiji Koba-

ing will be Joseph Freeman of the New Masses; Sugino, of the Japanese

NEW YORK. - Two hundred and fifty homèless workers were ejected from the only homes they had, at a "Hooverville" at the foot of East 9th Street, Wednesday, by order of the Tammany government, using a squad

carry out the mass eviction. Dozens of make-shift shacks built with great labor by the men from driftwood, tin, linoleum, were torn painstaking improvements made by shacks liveable were destroyed at one

Locals 2 and 3 of the Workers

evicted.

LONDON, May 18 .- Vice-Chancellor

ning Standard" that Germany may soon have a monarchy regime. He

based its action in so doing on "every nation having the right to choose

The British press welcomed Hitler's

tone, but openly stated that Britair distrusts him, insisting on deed

rather than words to prove that Ger-

many will really not re-arm. In this

they adopted the line of the French

BUDAPEST, May 18 .- Uj Nemze-

dek, Hungarian newspaper, yesterday attacked President Roosevelt's mes-

sage violently, calling him a "dilet-

tante and international amateur.

tion in the tone of a well-fed person.

The paper, insisting on Hungary's

recovery of territory lost in the World War, said "his message wants to

juggle into world opinion the idea

that it is a war provocation when a

JAPANESE SEIZE

CHINESE BASE;

Miyun Falls as Chinese

Retreat Southward

SHANGHAI, May 18.-The Japa

nese captured Miyun-hsien, main Chinese base defending the road to

ARMY ROLLS ON

its own governmental system."

suspicion of Hitler's intentions.

### Who Lacks Sincerity, SPARKS Mr. Thomas, or We? ROOSEVELT has just sent one of the most threatening peace messages we have seen in a long time.

WHAT MUST BE THE BASIS FOR UNITED ACTION?

By C. A. HATHAWAY Article II

Socialist Party leaders, and par licularly Norman Thomas, are talking much these days about "sincerity," about the "sincerity of the questions also about "sincerity," and particularly with reference to the sincerity of the sincerity talk of these

Socialist leaders.

Norman Thomas, in his letter to the Socialist Party Executive (published in full in the May "Communist"), says, "Frankly, I am skeptical whether the Communists will under-take united action on honorable terms." Writing in the New Leader of May 13, Thomas again says, "We may get along better simply by uniting on things where we can unite, and it is not yet clear how many they are or in what good faith the problem of unity is approached from the Communist side." These excerpts are typical of the writings and speeches of all Socialist leaders on the ques-tion of the united front. They would make it appear that they universally favor united action, but that realization of united action is made impossible only by doubt as to the sincerity of the Communists.

the moment that they are doubts, be disposed of? Obviously, only by examining the Communist proposals and actions, as well as those of the

The United Front Proposals of C. P. In our letter to the Socialist Party Executive, dated March 29-seven weeks ago—we proposed joint efforts to rally the masses in active class struggle on the following burning is-

now confronting the workers: "1) Against Roosevelt's hunger and war program; against forced labor; against wage cuts; for in-creased wages to meet rising prices; for adequate relief for the unemwithout discrimination against Negro or foreign born; for shorter hours without reduction in pay; and for relief for the small

"2) For federal unemployment insurance; against the proposed unemployment 'reserve' bills.

"3) For the workers' rights, for the release of Tom Mooney, the Scottsboro boys, and all political prisoners; against police terror, against deportations, and against

injunctions in labor disputes. "4) Against fascist terror and anti-Semitism in Germany; the release of Thaelmann and of all imprisoned anti-fascist forces; for material support to the revolutionary movement of Germany.

"5) For the immediate withdrawal of the Japanese forces from China, for the defense of the Chinese people, for the stopping of munition shipments to Japan; against the imperialist-war policy of Wall Street particularly now in the Far East and in Latin America.

'6) For the recognition of the Soviet Union by the United States: against imperialist attacks on the

"The realization of these general demands requires the immediate taking up of a united struggle to restore the wages of the miners. the steel workers, the auto, textile and all other workers. It means to prepare to win back the wage cut put over on the railroad workers. It means support to all workers now carrying on a fight for improved conditions. It necessitates the development of the broadest mass action against the Roosevelt forced labor and economy measures, for federal aid to the upem ployed and for unemployment insurance. This struggle at present means the support and building up of the Mooney Congress to be held in Chicago, the defense of the nine Negro Scottsboro boys, for the release of those now held for deportation and against all deportation

Agreement on Specific Issues Does the Socialist Party agree with these specific issues or does it not? We have never asked them to accept the Communist program; this we know they disagree with, just as we completely disagree with the whole program of the Socialist Pary. Their program is one of collabocation with the capitalists or as Norman Thomas puts it, "a not too wellconcealed collaboration with old line parties and indifference on the part Socialists, in the unions and elsewhere, to the interests of Socialism." Dur program is based on the realzation of Socialism through revointionary class struggle in accordance with the teachings of Karl Marx and Lenin. These fundamental differences create an unbridgeable few days. chasm between the Socialist Party

and the Communist Party. t possible for Socialists and Communists to unite in joint efforts to rally the masses to struggle for their imnediate interests - against Rooserelt's inflation and war program, against fascism and against impeialist war? They claim to be a workers' party. If they are why should

cintly with us: "Join together in common struggle, regardless of other differences, fight for your immediate prepare to resist wage cuts, fight higher wages. Organize in your blocks and neighborhoods, set up committees for common action, de and more relief, stop evictions, demand unemployment insurance Set up joint committees for struggle against fascism and war, etc.,

Why can they not agree to such proposals, assuming, as they claim, that their only concern is for the workers' interests? They can talk "sincerity" until doomsday, but until they answer that question they will never be able to convince the



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stalling. And that is exactly what the Socialist Party is doing.

Capitalism They talk of "Communist sincer-How can such doubts, assuming for for "action by the Labor and Socialist International"; they talk of "ne-gotiations" with a sub-committee of the Communist Party-but all this is so much hot air. In this way they sabotage the efforts of the workers

> ord of the last seven weeks since the proposals for united action were sent to the Socialist Executive Com-

to unite their ranks for common

tional action by the L.S.I., and in- lay the coming together of the workstructing their branches to refuse to ers. We urge the workers to unite at one in joint struggle.

budget, saying: "We must work fast because world shocks may be so great

France's foreign trade droppe

nearly one billion francs during the first four months of 1933, figures

published yesterday revealed. Imports

rose, while exports fell close to a bil-

Total foreign trade for the period fell

below the already extremely low level

Revolt Gains Strength

Against Machado

BULLETIN

the heroically struggling Cuban

masses and in protest against Ma-

chado's terror will be held at 1413

Friday, May 19, at 8 p.m. Among the prominent speakers will be

Joseph Freeman of the "New Masses," Robert W. Dunn, chair-

man of the Anti-Imperialist

League, and Leonardo Sanchez of

HAVANA May 18 - The rebel

Provinces are gaining strength, de-

feating government troops in several

Six Machado soldiers were killed

and many more wounded, including

their commanding officer, in a clash

yesterday in the village of Blanquizal,

Three government soldiers were also killed in Jatibonico, while rebel

arming the soldiers guarding the

A bomb exploded vesterday in the

Major Ortiz, notorious commander

army post at Sancti Spiritus criti-

against the rebels, has been com-

pelled to call for strong reinforce-

ments, which left Havana last night

U. S. Factory Ships

Munitions to Cuba

By a Worker Correspondent NEW YORK CITY.—Remington

Arms shipped cartridges to Ha-

The Morro Castle sailed on Mar.

18 with 200 cases Safety Metallic

Cartridges, amounting to 15,200 lbs. The same boat sailed April 1

to 15,300 lbs. Then again on April

8 with the same amount. On April 15 the "Oriente" sailed for the

same point with an equal ship-ment. All these munitions are for use by Machado against the rebels.

with another 200 cases, amounting

vana, Cuba, recently as follows:

able arms and ammunition.

for the revolt area.

the Julio Mella Club.

A mass meeting in support of

WIN BATTLES

**CUBAN REBELS** 

that tomorrow may be too late."

FRANCE GUARDS GOLD STANDARD,

needed for financing governmental expenditures. Joseph Caillaux, ex-Premier, demanded a balanced exporting countries.

nior even going so far as to join the capitalist chorus in charging that Tom Mooney was expelled from the Socialist Party for "advocating the ise of dynamite.

Third, they sabotaged the mass campaign for the release of the Nine Scottsboro boys and joined in attacking the I.L.D. which has so far kept the boys from the electric chair.

Fourth, they carried through the Continental Congress on the narrowest basis, excluding militant workers organizations, and adopting a program designed to disorganize the vorkers' fighting front, rather than consolidate it

Fifth, they have sabotaged a workers' fighting front on May Day, against fascism, etc., and in the case of May Day, in New York, even enering into a united front with the getting herself appointed to the staff police against the workers. "Sincerity" Chatter

Finally, they have brought up charges censured and even expelled those of their members who have sincerely entered into united front ac-tivities for the freedom of Mooney, Sabotaging United Struggles Against for the Scottsboro boys, for May Day

ity," they say that they must wait as and his fellow-Socialist mislead-for "action by the Labor and Social-ers, talk of "Communist sincerity." We charge that this "sincerity" chatter is only a smoke screen to conceal their sabotage of united struggle by party at which there were 1242 the workers. We charge the Socialist guests!" Party Executive with the criminal responsibility for the disunity of the vorkers at a moment when united action is most necessary to turn back standards of the workers and farmers, and to resist the war preparations now feverishly going forward.

Norman Thomas' talk of "negotia

Madison yesterday when two National Guardsmen went to bed after getting a whiff of the 'K.O.' gas." First, they rejected our March 29 proposals for united action, stating that they must wait for internations," which we will deal with tomorrow, is likewise only a cover behind which they hope to further dehind which they hope to further dening the works. Isn't that just too bad? HERE'S a thrilling success story.

David Selznick, as production head of the R.K.O. pictures, received a salary of \$2,500 a week. Transferring to Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, his Second, they sabotaged the Free reighborhoods for common struggle without waiting for action by these staying away themselves but by try-capitalist agents in the workers' father-in-law, Louis B. Mayer, put

him on a salary of \$4,000 a week. THERE'S plenty of evidence that the United States Government is trying to put a damper on all antifascist demonstrations in the United CUTS WAGES; EXPORTS DROP SHARPLY States. J. S. F. who runs a postoffice substation in his pharmacy was told by the postal authorities that if he closed his store for an hour in protest against anti-semitic atrocities, that his post-office privileges would be taken away by the govern-

He tells the nations of the world that the United States is firmly re-

solved to cut down on its supply of

But the building of battleships and

WORKER asks us if we have no-A ticed that all the rulers to whom

Roosevelt sent his threatening peace message are "Excellencies," "Your

Royal Highness," "His Imperial Ma-

All except one and that was Presi-

**0**NE of our contributors supposes that "the President's son, Elliott,

just had to take the job as manager

of the Gilpin Airplane Co., and his

daughter, Mrs. Curtiss Dall, just had

of 'Liberty,' in order to make up the

loss incurred to the family income

when Mrs. Roosevelt gave up her

teaching job of \$1,500 per year. Really, with the father of the family

getting only a measly \$75,000 a year

plus a fat allowance for the expenses of his household, the children

should be conscientious and do their

the depression is over! There's no unemployment in her family, and

only yesterday she threw a garden

A WISCONSIN paper tells us "that the new supplies of gas furnished

officers for use in the milk strike are

effective. This was demonstrated at

"No wonder Mrs. Roosevelt thinks

to crash the writing profession by

jesty," "Serene Highness," etc., etc.

dent Kalinen of the U.S.S.R.

bombing planes will go on just the

bean-shooters.

#### Belgium to Expand Foreign Trade at Other National Expense PARIS, May 18.—Finance Minister Bonnet told the French Senate yes-terday that France can still stay on CZECH SOCIALIST

**Ecuador Artillery** 

fled positions at Guamote today.

Dictatorial Powers

Voted to Goering by

the Prussian Diet

only be done at the expense of other PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, May 7 (By mail).-The Socialist Party local in Dolni Datyn (Moravian Ostrava district) has disbanded and handed Regiment Revolts its banner over to the Communist Party local in the town.

Most of the members of the Social- many The Sucre artillery regiment at Rio ist local applied for membership in in its fight against the Fascist dic- ganized by the Y.C.L. Bamba revolted and occupied forti- the Communist Party, because of dissatisfaction with the leaders' reform-The government sent Col. Romero ist policy.

gate from the revolutionary union de- tatorship. clared that the basis for the united front must be joint action against all to negotiate with the Young Com-

BERLIN, May 18.-The Prussian

Sowing by Airplane in Soviet Union



ABOVE: Airplane pilots and mana planning the early spring sowing. The crop is better if the seed is planted within a few days after the snow melts, before the ground is hard enough for tractor drawn seeders. Ten thousand acres are being seeded this year

BELOW: Plane seeding the ground with signalman directing its course with flags from the ground.

While agriculture is making this progress in the U.S.S.R., American farmers are being ordered by their government to decrease production, and are being savagely tear-gassed and chased with bayonets when they resist eviction from their farms.

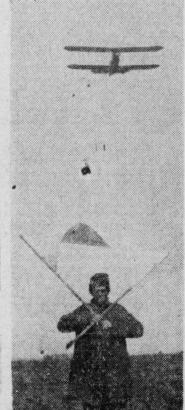
#### Roosevelt Message Not Recognition of Soviet Union

MOSCOW, May 18 .- Soviet government officials did not view President Roosevelt's message to Mikhail Kalinin, President of the Central Executive Committee, as formal recognition of the Soviet Union by the United States.

They held that the Soviet Union did not intend to beg for recognition, that everyone recognized the sun, the moon, and the stars, and the Soviet Union could not be ignored any more than they are. The Soviet Union is now one of the strongest powers in the world and will not seek recognition by

#### 900 Revolutionaries Murdered, 4300 Jailed in French Indo-China

PARIS, May 9 (By Mail).—A wave of inhuman white terror is sweeping over Indo-China, following the revolutionary uprisings two years ago. During the past 16 months more than 900 Communists and national revolutionaries were murdered by police and army forces, while over 4300 have been



## HITLER SPEECH PLEASES WASHINGTON; EUROPEAN POWERS REMAIN HOSTILE

Geneva Votes National Guard Part of U. S. Army; Japanese Rebuff Roosevelt

GENEVA, May 18.-After a stormy debate the effectives commission of the Disarmament Conference today voted to include the National Guard in estimating the strength of the United States Army. Lieut. Col. Strong, American delegate, said that 10,000 guardsmen would be counted in peacetime, while the wartime equivalent would be 30,000 men. The effective strength of the National Guard was \* Roosevelt-Hitler collaboration for

world peace."

WASHINGTON, May 18.—President Roosevelt said that he was "very nuch pleased" after listening to Hit ler's speech over the radio yesterday. His pleasure was shared by administration officials from Secretary Hull

NEW YORK, May 18 .- The whole American capitalist press joined in a chorus of approval of Hitlers Reichstag speech today. The New York Times calls it "a high note in speaking of sacred rights," while the Baltimore Sun said "Hitler appealed to cason rather than to force." The Chicago Doily Nawy" helied Hitleric 'Chicago Daily News" hailed Hitler's peech as "particularly welcome," and says that it "contains much that will

TOKYO, May 18.—Japanese officials indicated yesterday that Japan would refuse to withdraw from China or Manchuria on the basis of Roose-

velt's message.

Ambassador Debuchi was instructed to tell the American State Department that Japan has no territorial nation wishes, even by peaceful means, to ask for what has been the Japanese army rolls on towards Tientsin and Peiping. The Japanese claim that their invasion of Manchuria and now North China is "merely an act of self-defense." PARIS, May 18.—The French Government's attitude towards Hitler's

speech is that "although his words are mild, he has not relinquished any of Germany's demands." It is felt that his speech was made primarily for American consumption, and the French are perturbed at America's evident welcome of Hitler's address

GENEVA, May 18.—The American delegation to the Arms Conference seems to be among those most gratified by the tone of Hitler's address. Other Continental representatives were much more reserved in their acceptance of his speech.

factory cells were formed in Thurin-

Y.C.L. Wins Victories in Forced

Labor Camps

gia during the last six weeks.

again demanding union pay.

Young Communists, the

concentration camp.

The "Internationale" was sung in the Wittenberg forced labor camp

where 100 young workers are sta-

tioned, when the swastika flag was hoisted. Under the leadership of the

workers voted to go on strike until the flag was hauled down. The Nazi

storm troops arrested all 100 young

workers and transported them to a

Twenty - five Taubach - Dietharz

off to forced labor camps. The Young

Communist League prevailed upon all

25 to refuse to go. They marched

to the town council and demanded

lief without doing forced labor, Faced

by the demonstrators, the authori-

In Weida, where 1.000 unemployed were forced to do relief work by the

Labor Exchange, a young Communist spoke to the workers on forced labor, explaining what the Fascist government aims to use this labor for. After his speech, 100 of the un-

employed refused to do the work and

Thirty-five workers were drilled

all 35 wrote in their service record

books: "Down with the Fascist Hit-

21 then refused to continue drilling. Ninety young workers in the Schmalkalden labor camp voted to refuse to work. Sixty of them actu-

In Jena 120 young workers in the

labor camp held a meeting and elect-

ed a fighting committee to press their demands. Their resolute action

von them a raise in wages from 11/2

Have you approached your fel-

low worker in your shop with a

ally left the camp.

to 3 marks per week.

ler - Sauckel government!" Next morning all 35 were summoned to

compulsory labor in Erfurt, but

marched off singing the "Interna

of their unemployment relief.

were forced to continue payment

## Peiping, today after one week's san-gulnary fighting. Lieut. Gen. Nishi's Eighth Division occupied the city aft-er Maj. Gen. Kawahara's Sixteenth BERLIN, May 18.—German official Brigade had seized Nansheng-chuang obinion was gratified by America's obvious welcome to Hitler's speech yesterday. The press speaks of severe fighting by the Fourteenth Brigade under Maj. Gen. Hattori.

An army of 20,000 under Li Li-Chen, Chinese general who has gone over to the Japanese, has been re-cruited around Tangshan and is now

Tokyo reports that prominent Tien-

sort are reported from Berlin, Ham-burg, Wittenberg, Thuringia, and Manchukuo flags in anticipation of

fore the week is over. The Chinese are mounting artillery and digging trenches at Tangku, port of Tientsin as a last resort defense measure. Al available rolling stock is being hastliv sent south of Peiping and Tientain.

A mysterious fire destroyed the force base in Chinchow, Manchurie where most of the planes used in bombing the Chinese troops are lo

Another attempt to assassinate General Hwang Fu, North Chinese leader, was made last night as he left Tientsin for Peiping. Secret negotianese and Japanese leaders in North China for the conclusion of an armistice, which would leave the area below the Great Wall in Japanese hands.

#### Japan Buys Freight Cars Here; Extracts Steel for Munitions

CHICAGO, Ill.—Old freight cars in the United States are being junked to supply Japan with war materials for its war in China and its anti-Soviet maneuvers, it was disclosed

M. S. Kaplan, a scrap steel dealer in Chicago, revealed that 2,000 cars had been bought from southeastern railroads to be shipped as junk steel to Japan. He said that his company had purchased 16,000 worn-out cars since January 1, shipping most of the metal to Japan. Italy, which is also busy on war preparations, was a heavy buyer of scrap steel, Kaplan

#### Planes. Machine Guns. SmokeScreens inSham Battle of 800 at N.Y.U.

NEW YORK, May 18.-Eight hun dred students of the Reserve Off, cers Training Corps participated in a mock war battle while 5,000 spectaiors cheered at the University
Heights campus of New York University
versity yesterday afternoon. The
mockery of all the peace time talk
of President Roosevelt was clearly
revealed here, for the battle was an
exact duplicate of conditions at the
war front. war front.

For three hours airplanes overhead, smoke screens hid the opposing batteries of machine guns, soldiers fell "shot" by make-believe bullets and stretcher-bearers ran to dress their wounds.

None the less, students of N.Y.V. in a recent poll conducted by the N.Y.U. Daily News before it was

#### Diet today voted Capt. Hermann Goering, Premier of Prussia, even lution demanding a united front greater dictatorial powers than those against Fascism and all attacks upon shoulder to shoulder with the young smash the Young Communist League. vested in Chancellor Adolf Hitler. the working class. It also protested The enabling act grants these powers until April, 1937. the working class. It also protested Communists against fascism. In some cities, as in Waltershausen, the members of the Young Socialist tack. but our young comrades have already learned how to counter the Nazi attack. camps, they had to abandon the plan because the young workers demonstrated against compulsory labor,

# What Is Happening in Germany?

(Continued from last issue) By FRITZ HECKERT

forces in Santa Clara and Camaguey near Sancti Spiritus where several battles have occurred during the past against fascism.

The question, therefore, is this, is forces stormed Zazadelmedio, dis- Unions) to reply to the coup d'etat the cause of the working class. of von Papen with a political mass strike. It is well known that the so- arrests dealt the CPG severe blows tegy and our tactic in the present. The town and taking with them all avail-

ceived a refusal

Communist Party.

The Party did not only confine it-self to the organization of the revo-his comrades that he should leave list did not know whether he would tions in the workshop, in all worklutionary united front of struggle from below. The Communist Party of Germany will not forget that there extreme trust of the working mas-extreme importance for the Party. epeatedly proposed to the entire was not one single case of mass re- ses in their Party. working class of Germany, which was sistance to the fascists by the work- Strong in the trust of the masses, striving for the unity of its forces, to ers in which Communists were not the C.P.G. is clearly conscious of the with the social-democratic and unthe Social democratic Party and the reformist trade unions the establishthere was not a single encounter suffering no confusion in its ranks. In this struggle suffering no confusion in its ranks. ment of the united front of struggle with the fascists in the street, in the We Communists in Germany will find workshops, during the defense of in the clear directives of the Comin-After July 20, the Communist Party workers' premises, of the Trade term of Lenin, which make all the publicly proposed to the Social-democratic Party and the A.D.G.B. (Trade did not make inviolable sacrifices in the C.P.S.U. under the most difficult

cial-democratic Party rejected this proposal, while the A.D.G.B. called it a provocation.

But the arrests of thousands of Comextremely involved situation. The not broken and will not be broken by munists cannot kill the Party, to Party will oppose with fullest deterthe terror. We Communists of Germination all the liquidating tendenmany will be mindful of the lessons government troops operating R.G.O. (Revolutionary Trade Union politically-developed and culturally- also "putchism", Berlin, to the Metal Workers' Union lop ever new forces. The Party has dencies. and the A.D.G.B. with the proposal already been able to overcome the that they should combine in a joint severe consequences caused by the fight against the capitalist offensive fascist terror. The C.P.G., which had moment, but remained amongst the who look at our Party with pride, not the ranks of the working class. The

in prison because he remained among were cast for the C.P.G., under the cateurs, to take possession of the facthe workers of Germany in spite of conditions of a frightful terror when tory councils and to fascistize the

conditions common property,

Problem of Leadership. working class. And she proletariat only feel complete solidarity with refascists will endeavour, by driving ere to ultimate victory over fascism of Germany will remember that its bross and to our political line, but are the resolutionary workers in manues and employers.

When the attacks of the fascists acting as replacements for the Comon their road to power increased, the
munists who have been arrested, the
cies which are unavoidable under the
munists who have been arrested, the
conditions of the fascist terror, as
cer the Russian Bolsheviks, who uncer which are unavoidable under the
conditions of the fascist terror, as
cer the despotits of Czarism and its "black-hundred storm troops" Opposition) of Berlin addressed itself progressive workers of Germany are petty-bourgeois adventures, which are not think of yielding and laying their anew to the Trade Union Council of developing and will continue to deve- also forms of these liquidating ten- hands in their laps, but organized the struggle of the proletariat until they were victorious in the October revolution. We shall be mindful of

The question of leadership in all these teachings and be guided and the fascist terror, and again re- accustomed itself in the course of a sections of the Party is at present them. The C.P.G. is the Party of the eived a refusal number of years to working under the central question. Only when our numerically strong and developed Finally the Party repeated its pro- legal and semi-legal conditions, is Party possesses an illegal apparatus proletariat of an advanced capitalist posal for a political mass strike to reorganizing itself in relation to the for the leadership of the Party, will country, a Party that has received the S.P.G. on January 30, again as new conditions of extreme illegality. it ensure a stable leadership of the its baptism of fire in the civil war, a unsuccessfully; the Social-democratic The central organ of the Party, "Die masses. The Party realizes that in Party that has absorbed the lessons leaders rejected the proposal of the Rote Fahne", appears illegally, hun- moments like the present the work- of the three Russian revolutions and Communist Party.

dreds of comrades at the risk of their ing masses look, above all things, for the experiences of the I-sheviks. As In those decisive days, when the lives distribute the Communist paper leadership. The most important task a result of its present trials it will go Communist Party of Germany was and the leaflets of the Party in the of this leadership at this time will forward more steeled, more retreating, and yet fighting, under workers' quarters, and the workers be a most obstinate struggle against mined and more ready for battle. It the conditions of an unheard-of fas-cist terror, the C. C. of the Party did Storm Troops. There is no doubt will be supported by the treachery of class united under its banner, which not desert its post even for a single that the Communists of all countries, social democracy, to penetrate into draws with it the masses of the work-

And here there exists for the Party a broad basis for the united front step by step, the influence of reac-tionary social discoracy and the fescistized trade union by the state. In developing this struggle the prolietariat will develop the forces which the will enable it to pass from defense to

The fighting spirit of the C.P.G. is

## id economy (meaning wage and salary cuts) to balance the budget, so that the Treasury can float the loans pand its foreign trade—which can pand its foreign trade—whi Gains in Fight Against Fascism marching on Tientsin, to take control as a "China Stabilization Army," and set up the North Chinese pupper BERLIN, May 8 (by mail).—The League, the Reichsbanner Youth and | They are maintaining their posi-Young Communist League of Gerthe Socialist sport organization tions, and have gained in members Peiping and raised \$200,000 for the many has scored notable successes have joined the defense corps or in many instances. Increases of this new army. Tientsin business men

The Reichnberg local of the Trans- ings secretly held in young workers' Brunswick, Hannover and the Lower

Y.C.L. Organ Jumps Sales

Representatives of the revolution- cialist League with a view to estab- the district organizations on mimeoregiments and some infantry battalions to Guamote to suppress the re- a joint conference in Asch. A delegrown ten and fifteenfold since Hit-

The League has approached all the "Junge Garde," organ of the district committees of the Young Sodistrict committees of

wage cuts, cuts in unemployment re- munist League, but the rank and file which used to sell only 35 copies of lief, compulsory labor, and against members of the Young Socialist the "Junge Garde" when the Com-Fascism. These demands were ac- League failed to follow their leaders. munist Party was legal, sold 800 cop-

#### The Nazi authorities in the Wittenberg region were compelled to cepted unanimously by the conference. Large numbers of young Socialists ies within two hours last week. Similare taking part in the Y.C.L. meet-lar reports are coming in from disband three forced labor camps because the young workers went on strike against military drill. They also demanded pay at union wage In two other cases where the authorities had intended to open labor