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THE WEATHER-Today, probably showers; light

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### Demand These Funds for Unemployment Insurance

no money, says Roosevelt. The starving must be helped by

But is it true that there is no money for immediate relief and unemployment insurance?

Almost every day the government is granting enormous gifts, subsidies and "loans" to the richest and most powerful sections of the capitalist class, the Wall Street bankers.

Roosevelt's Railroad Bill, for which he has put up so vigorous a fight, cancels the \$300,000,000 debt which the railroads of the U.S. owe to the Government under the provisions of the Transportation Act of 1920. The Government has collected \$10,000,000 of this debt. In the next few days, when Roosevelt signs the Railroad Coordinator Bill, not only will the three hundred million dollar debt be cancelled, but the Government will actually turn back the ten millions which it now has in its treasury

Examination discloses that it is the Morgan railroads who will benefit most by this act of Roosevelt. Three large railroads, the Chesapeake-Ohio and two other railroads controlled by the U. S. Steel Corporation, which in turn is controlled by the Morgans, will benefit by more than \$100,000,000 when Roosevelt signs the Railroad Coordinator Bill in the

The Missouri-Pacific Railroad, which has just gone bankrupt and which is controlled by the Morgans through the Alleghany Corporation, received over \$23,000,000 from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. It was the Morgans who collected most of this money as interest payments and payments on loans. This money was collected from the broad

Congress has just granted the Reconstruction Finance Corporation the authority to "loan" \$50,000,000 more of the people's money to large

Already the Travelers Insurance Company, one of the biggest in the world, and reported to be under the control of J. P. Morgan & Co., is making preparations to get its fingers into this rich pie. The Roosevelt Government has just taken another \$50,000,000 and

turned it over as a "loan" to the bloody counter-revolutionary Nanking Government of China.

The Roosevelt Government has passed appropriations of over \$600,-000,000 for enormous military and naval construction in the coming year.

It would seem then that the Roosevelt government could easily find hundreds of millions of dollars for relief and unemployment insurance if it stopped this steady flow of money from the government into the coffers of the Wall Street magnates.

Before the demands of the starving workers, the Roosevelt government is like flint. To the rich bankers and capitalists Roosevelt pours out millions with boundless generosity.

These enormous government bounties, for which the working masses must pay in intolerable tax burdens, must be immediately stopped.

The ten million dollars which Roosevelt intends to return to the railroads within the next week must be turned over for immediate relief. The \$50,000,000 subsidy to the insurance companies must be revoked

and the money turned over for relief. The \$600,000,000 which the government proposes to spend for cannon, bombing planes, poison gas and battleships must be taken from the government military machine and turned over to feed the starving workers

The Roosevelt government must be forced to divert the colossal sums which it is directing into the already swollen moneybags of Wall Street to an Unemployment Insurance fund, to be administered by the workers

### How They Use the Industrial "Recovery Bill"

Every strike-breaking labor official, every agent of the employers in the ranks of the workers, uses the demagogic arguments brought forth by the leadership of the American Federation of Labor in Roosevelt's "industrial recovery bill". One of the veteran leaders of the Socialist Party, many times a candidate for office and long a part of the right-wing trade union bureaucracy, Joseph D. Cannon, is now trying to paralyze attempts of the Doll and Toy Workers to resist the slave conditions under which they

In a circular letter signed by Cannon, as manager, and Sam Farulla, president of the Doll and Toy Workers' Union No. 18230, workers are urged to have faith in the "national industrial recovery act". The circular says of this strike-breaking and union wrecking act:

"It is devised to put the unemployed back to work, shorten the hours of labor and increase the pay."

Such is the poison propaganda put before the doll and toy workers at time when the new season is approaching for such work. It is designed

No sooner was it learned that public opinion of thousands of work-Erickson was employed as a book-keeper there, than he was ordered to in the past compelled the authorities to throw these workers off their guard so that they will be unprepared and helpless before the cuslaughts of the bosses. This is especially necessary at this time because the employers have not forgotten the strike struggles of last season, notably the strike of the Trenton Doll Workers, led by the T. U. U. L., and fear a revival and extension of the fight against starvation found employment with a workers' wages and long hours throughout the industry.

This sort of treachery must be a warning to the toy and doll workers Buffalo to work for the I.L.D. was to be on their guard and to immediately proceed to set up democratically within his rights, and not in violaelected committees in every shop, uniting organized and unorganized, employed and unemployed, to compel the bosses to pay living wages and to

As opposed to the united front of the employers, the government and the labor fakers (Republican, Democratic and Socialist) against the workers, the manner of the workers (Republican, Democratic and Socialist) against the workers of the labor fakers (Republican, Democratic and Socialist) against the workers are should be set up machinery in every industry that can attain united his new job without further molestation.

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### Wall St. Gets Gov't Subsidies; GUSEV, OLD Senate Kills Levy BOLSHEVIK on Tax-Exempt Gov't Securities LEADER, DIES

Active in Comintern, Provide Millions for Army and Navy in "Public Took Interest in Work Works" Program; \$50,000,000 for Militarizing of American Party Muscle Shoals Dam

Extend \$500,000,000 Hoover Excise Taxes; Cut the Daily Worker.) Veterans' Benefits \$367,000,000, As Military MOSCOW, June 11.-8. Gusev one of the oldest Bolsheviks, is dead

> WASHINGTON, June 11 .- At the height of one of the most drastic and determined "economy" drives in the history of the country, a Conference Committee from the House and the Senate today rejected a proposal to make all income from tax-exempt securities subject to normal income taxes.

#### Back in 1896, Gusev joined the St. Petersburg Union of Struggle for the Liberation of the Working Class. In Liberation of the Working Class. In 1902, he organized the mass strike SENATE ADJOURNS of the workers in Rostov-on-Don AS ROOSEVELT Following the split between the Bolsheviks and the Mensheviks in London in 1903, Gussev became one of the organizers and a member of the Executive of the Bolshevik wing

to Debate Department an increase of one half of one per many years he was a leading member of the Revolutionary Military Re-Organization Plans one per cent tax on the declared

fight against the Soviet Union and drive to cut certain government ex- dividend payments at the source. penditures in order to guarantee Gusev was a thoroughly educated, a ctive revolutionary. "Gussev's and bondholders, Rooseveit sent a death," says "Pravda," "is a great loss to the Communist Party of the government payments to the banks bring in an additional \$92,000,000 a and bondholders, Roosevelt sent a year. It is paid directly or indirectly ductions of \$25,000,000 in government expenses

Roosevelt's orders have met with \$500,000,000 a year were extended for resistance from a minority group in another year to 1935. both Houses. They will be debated International," No. 8, has an article on Monday, the Senate having especially adjourned in order to get time to examine the new proposals.

mands, capable of uniting the col- tions in the expenditures for agrikinds of social insurance at the ex- itation schools, etc.

Cut Educational Bureaus.

If this, the latest of Roosevelt ployees, cuts in various educational and welfare departments, cuts in

ance must be converted into a genuine mass campaign (1931), that the uine mass campaign (1931), that the directly central task of the Party is veterans and Federal employees. "" navy yards, army bases, etc., as "public works"." the mobilization of the masses for All cultural, scientific and welfare struggle for immediate aid for expenditures of the government are the unemployed, the insuring of the being cut to the bone by Roosevelt's unemployed, and social insurance efforts to leave enough government income to meet payments on govern-

See biography of Gusev on Page 4.) ment bonds. Officials Hound Paroled

Ordered Back to N. Y.

for some time had been in New York

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tion of the parole requirements.

ole Board ruled that his going to

### Budgets Are Largest in History It is estimated that there are now outstanding \$32,803,000,000 of tax-exempt securities. A government tax on these

securities would bring in enormous The amendment to make public all

income tax payments was also re-

The Conference Committee accepted the following tax program to

aise \$220,000,000 a year to finance the Revolution, Gussev conducted the political work in the Red Army. For to Debate Department an increase of the proposed sparse of the proposed sparse of the proposed sparse payments on the proposed sparse payments of the pro cent tax on gasoline, one-tenth of value of all corporations, the appli-WASHINGTON, June 11. - In his cation of a five per cent tax on all The gasoline tax is expected to

by small consumers.

The Hoover excise taxes on amusements, radios, electricity, perfumes,

To Avoid Surtaxes.

Throughout the entire discussions on taxes, both Roosevelt and Con-The reductions will come from the gress made it absolutely clear that increase in the surtaxes on large in-

It is for this reason, that the taxes ossal masses of American workers, cultural colleges, vocational educa-were the seven-hour day and all tion, experimental stations, re-habil-at the source, rather than from the income of those who receive the dividends.

In this way, the present tax on 'economies," is carried through, the dividends is, in reality, a kind of total of Roosevelt's cuts in the temporary excise tax, rather than a budget will amount to \$900,000,000. real income tax. The sponsors of The bulk of these reductions will these taxes have admitted that their have come from reductions in gov-ernment salaries of civil service em-dend tax a permanent income tax. A Military Public Works Program.
The public works program, for

on numerous occasions that the veterans' compensation, etc. The ex- which the new financing has been penditures for the Army and Navy passed, contains generous provisions have been increased so that they are for the Army and Navy. Within sixty occupy the central place in the now close to the largest in the his- days after the bill becomes law, \$230,struggle for immediate demands tory of the country, amounting to 000,000 naval construction program (1930), that the struggle for social over \$600,000,000 for the coming will be begun with funds taken from the public works funds. The bill deyear.

The heaviest weight of Roosevelt's the public works funds. The bill defines the building of naval vessels the public works funds. The bill de-

Meanwhile, the House passed in record time the Fourth Deficiency Appropriation Bill which provides for all the expenditures necessary for the various Roosevelt projects for the

It is significant that this appropriation provides \$50,000,000 for the rebuilding and improving of certain parts of the Muscle Shoals dam.

The Muscle Shoals dam, built during the world war for the manufacure of chemicals necessary in the munitions and explosives industries is one of the largest producers of nitrogenous products in the world. This gives it immense war-time signifi-

Cut Veterans \$367,000,000. The Conference Committee of both Houses accepted. Roosevelt's "compromise plan" with regard to the cuts in veterans' compensation. The original Roosevelt proposals provided for a cut of over \$467,000,000 in payments to veterans as compensation

for disabilities. After some opposition in the House and Senate, the committee reduced the Italian Republican Club of the cuts to about \$367,000,000. De- Tuckahoe, several Italian Workers' spite the so-called "opposition" to the veterans cuts in Congress, the bulk Party and other workingclass organiof Roosevelt's "economy program" at enacted into law as soon as the senate accepts the recommendations

Senate accepts the recommendations

500 STRIKE IN the expense of the veterans will be

### Protest Meet Tonight Win Demands After 2

DALLAS, Tex., June 11 .- A spontaneous two-hour strike of 100 Dallas man mill in West Philadelphia are

#### Japanese Ship Sails WithWar Materials From Brooklyn

NEW YORK .- The S. S. Tokoi Maru, Japanese freighter, sailed from Erie Basin Pied 3, Brooklyn, yesterday; loaded with scrap iron and other cargo of undetermined nature for Japan.

From piers 1, 2 and 3 of Erie Basin there are almost weekly sailings of Japanese ships, loaded with scrap iron and other war

The S. S. Kwansai Maru will arrive tomorrow to load a similar

guaranteed the delegation of Wall conference. To raise expectations too Street bankers, who demanded that the city meet its \$236,000,000 debt certain defeat." As far as reduction the city meet its \$236,000,000 dept payments that \$30,000,000 of new taxes would be raised, Mayor O'Brien and the other city officials high in Tammany councils are casting about the city officials high in Tammany councils are casting about the city meet its \$236,000,000 of new to certain deleat." As Iar as reduction of American tariffs is concerned, Moley says, "moderate results must be anticipated." The threat of American imperialism in an aggressive atfor ways to raise the required tack without quarter, making use of

meeting with determined opposition intensifying the shutting off of the from realty and auto groups, who domestic market from foreign trade, fear that it will hurt their business. was again repeated by Mole the city will be forced to raise the taxes in some other way, because the ism rules official circles as to the bankers' extension of the \$236,000,000 possibility of reaping any definite adloans is conditions by the guarantee vantages from the World Conference. of increased city income.

etc., which cost the consumers over

Paid \$14,000,000 to Bankers. The city paid out \$14,000,000 today,

amalgamation of various govern- they wished to avoid, at all costs, any again be faced with another budget ference, coupled with a fear that the

There will be an open hearing on the new auto taxes on Monday.

### N. Y. TOILERS HIT ITALIAN FASCIST TERROR REGIME

NEW YORK .- Demanding the release of Antonio Gramsci, Italian Communist Leader and Pertini, sociers marched, shouting their demands. by the Italian consulate Saturday. The consulate was locked and the

guard outside and fifty police reserves hidden inside the consulate. A delegation of the marchers was denied entrance.

Two fascist in full uniform had been stationed on the steps of the consulate, for several hours before the demonstrators arrived. They fled when the march neared the consul-

The marchers shouted "Down With Hitler and Horthy" in marching through workingclass sections populated by German and Hungarian workers. Workers on the sidewalks slogans of the marchers.

After passing the consulate, the marchers returned to their starting point, ten blocks away June 24 will be observed throughout

the country as National Anti-Fascist day, demonstrations taking place in all important cities, demanding the cessation of fascist terror in Germany, Italy, Poland, etc. The march was led by the Italian

United Front Anti-Fascist Action committee and included the American section of the Italian Socialist Party, the Italian Republican Club of Clubs and workers of the Communist

# PLUSH FACTORY

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., June 11 .-500 workers of the Collins and Aikthe weavers handle four double looms each, at piece rates less than the amount paid when weavers were re-

# WORLD PARLEY, POWERS ARE TAKING WAR MO

London Conference Will Be the Scene of New Clashes Between England and U.S.

15 Per Cent Surtax on U. S. Goods Is Reply Of France to Depreciated Dollar

NEW YORK .- The World Economic Conference assembling at London today will meet in an atmosphere of almost complete pessimism. The prevailing mood at London is described by Harold Scarborough, N. Y. Times correspondent,

as one of "amused scepticism"; American official opinion can be gathered from a statement on the conference by Assistant

Secretary of State Moley, who writes "It would serve no useful purpose June 11.-Having is going to be transfigured by the mount.

The taxes on autos and bridges is every trade weapon in external trade, and combining this with a policy of

Expect Explosion On Debts It is generally expected there that

There is increasing talk of more the Conference will open with a signature. sharp wage-cuts for city school teach- major explosion on the question of ers and other civil service employes. deats, followed by nationalistic repercussions both in Europe and here.

The prevailing note of the entire

conflicts and antagonisms between Winthrop Aldrich, a Rockefeller agent, and Frank Polk, a Morgan and carry to a head, may lead to powers, which the Conference

> Anglo-American Clash Is Basic only thing on which all are The licensing feature of the bill, agreed is that the Conference will be whereby Roosevelt can refuse to lithe scene of large-scale clashes between the great powers. The United States, with its ruthless program for the economic disarmament of its sociation program, which was orig-trade rivals, for forcing its way into excluded or into which it can only year. enter under disadvantageous conditions, will find itself in the sharpest

(CONTINUED ON PAGE 4)

Senate Will Vote on Amendments Monday; Licensing Limited

WASHINGTON, June 11 .- Roosevelt's "Industrial Control" Bill has In Paris, too, the blackest pessim- of Congress, and has been accepted in its modified form by the House. It now remains to be accepted by the Senate before it goes to Roosevelt for

> Several changes were made, while other proposed changes were re-

and will shortly pay out an almost equal amount.

The loans have been extended until Dec. 11. At that time, the city will ments public at his discretion.

The Clark amendment to make tax-exempt bonds subject to income taxes was also rejected.

cense any company not meeting with the markets from which it is now was changed to apply for only one

> The bill will be acted upon by the Senate some time on Monday, when the Senate meets again.

### N. Y. Workers Protesting Fascism



Italian and American workers marching to the demonstration before the Italian Consulate in New York to demand the release of working class prisoners in Italy and denouncing Italian and German fascism

### Kids Drench Cops in Fight to Keep Hydrants Running

NEW YORK .- Attempts of police | ing off the water, they were drenched to turn off fire hydrants opened by and kept away from the fire-plug by workingclass children and youth to the youth until police reinforce bathe in during the hot spell, the arrived. only facilities they have to cool off, met with stiff resistance from the town and other parts of New York youth in all parts of the city Saturhad the same experience. Cops in day and Sunday.

soaked uniforms learned that the Some 400 youngsters besieged the children will not give up the only West 47th Street police station Fri- facility they have for keeping cool day night shouting their protests out on strike against a wage cut. against police interference with their The Young Pioneers, leaders of The company officials demanded that attempts to keep cool and the arrest working-class children, demand:

of four of the youth. The children, in bathing suits, throughout the city; tights, underwear, were splashing in

The Young Pioneers, leaders of the

Youth in Harlem, East Side, Down-

the water when the police ordered

NEW YORK .- If a worker paroled fice," Patterson said in reply to the from prison, even though in every order for Erickson to leave his emway complying with the terms of the ployment and return to New York. parole, takes a job with a workers' organization, he "breaks his parole." hounding of Erickson whose only That appears to be the attitude of crime was that he fought for the inthe California Parole Board which is terest of his fellow workers in Imseeking to stop Oscar Erickson, parperial Valley."

Prisoner Working for ILD

oled from San Quentin Prison where he was imprisoned in the Imperial longer molested, Patterson wrote: Valley case, from working for the In-"The failure of the parole departternational Labor Defense office in ment to comply with this request will compel us to undertake vigorous legal action that will be backed by report back to New York immediately. of California to release their strangle— That the ruling of the California hold upon the Imperial Valley prisparole authorities was based on no oners. other reason than that Erickson, who

### 14 Anti-Fascists On Trial Tuesday, Mass

NEW YORK.-Fourteen workers, on of the parole requirements.

William L. Patterson, national secrow at the 43rd St. and 4th Ave. retary of the International Labor De- Court,

Hour Strike in Texas

ense immediately has written to E. against German Fascism when Weide- relief workers was caused by hot

## NEW YORK--Metropolis of HUNGER

(How has the city government responded to the desperate struggle of New York's 1,250,000 jobless to maintain themselves and their families at a decent minimum of health and security? The answer is provided in the articles of this series, of which the following is the fifth.)

(By a Home Relief Bureau ARTICLE 5.

When the Emergency Home Relief
Bureaus began operations in December, 1931, its Harlem offices were literally snowed under with applications for help.

meager salary as an investigator. through New England, as part of when he appeared at work one day with his hand bandaged, he declared that he had been held up by clared that he held up by clared that he had been held up by clared that he held up by clared that he had been held up by clared that he held up by clared that he had been held up by clared that he had been held up by clared th erally snowed under with applications for help.

two Negroes in a hallway and that they had slashed him with knives when he resisted. Subsequent investigation proved that he had been attacked by members of a jobless family whom he had consistently compelled to pay him \$1 for every food 250,000 Negroes, 100,000 Porto Ricans and a heavy admixture of Italians.

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Nagro workers, ignorant of the delimination. East Boston, demandthe brightest flush of "Coolidge pros-

gathered by the Urban League.

Teday 64 per cent of the working population of Negro Harlem is jobless. Out of 62,500 heads of famter is absolutely worthless. ilies, 40,000 are unemployed. According to a survey made by the Chil-dren's Aid Society last year, 88 per according to the state relief laws, are munist Party leader of Detroit. cent of the married women in Har-lem are reported away from home sibility, is practically unknown in send Antonoff to Bulgaria, although

investigators, landlords and at home in peace. dealers authorized to accept food ticked is decidedly discriminatory. No Bureau In Harlem.

When the bureau offices were consolidated last year and reduced from knot of Tammany delay, red tape and CONFERENCE FOR The only Bureau left in Har-vas located at 235 E. 125th St.,

discrimination.

administrator.

workers

proposed for New York City by the Unemployed Council of Greater

Warn Unemployed

of Tammany Spies

now receiving relief from the Home Relief Bureau are warned against

individuals who are doing spy work

Many workers are being put on re-

lief lists on the condition that they spy on neighbors, try to line them

up for Tammany and report militant

tions your political views, affilia-tions and other personal questions,

determine his or her identity and

their purpose. Turn this information over to your Neighborhood Unem-

ployed Council or the Daily Worker.'

Scottsboro Defense

NEW YORK .- The school chil-

dren and students all over the country have joined in the campaign to

help the Scottsboro defense fund of the International Labor Defense.

A teacher in Southern University, Scottlandville, La., in sending a money-order for twelve dollars, writes, "The students of Southern

University sacrificed their deserts for ten days that they might help in this greats effort. They were glad

Similar reports are coming in

cheol collected ten dollars among

Flag-Burning Students

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., June 11 .-

District Judge Mason found the

both of New York, paid \$50

Students Aid in

"This method must be smashed," said the Unemployed Council yester-day. "If anyone visits you and ques-

be Negro quarter.

Despite the fact that Negro famvital factor in Harlem's relief situain Harlem pay 40 to 50 per cent onth limit on rents set by the Relief Eureaus holds good there.
"Please inform your families that

we do not supplement rents," is the constant ery of the bureau administration. That is to say, if a family pays \$30 a month rent, the Relief cau will not help by paying \$25 and permitting the family to settle the balance as best it can.

Congested Area.
The result of this policy is indicated in a slight measure by the report of Owen H. Lovejoy, secretary of the Children's Aid Society, who declared last year that:

"The Negro population of Harlem is congested to the point of discom-336 per acre of 50 per cent higher than the average number of persons for Tammany Hall. per acre in all New York."

One investigator was recently discharged as a result of vigorous protests made by the families for whom



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APARTMENT ...

### Order Creegan to Give Himself Up

8 Other Militants in New England Held

Greegan, active leader in the Unemhimself on Saturday, June 17, for deportation to Great Britain on the

R—— had made lavish displays of money to friends in the bureau which Department of Labor arrived just as When the Emergency Home Relief
were far out of keeping with his Creegan was about to begin a tour
meager salary as an investigator, through New England, as part of

Negro workers, ignorant of the de-vious ways in which Tammany works ing the revocation of the deportation

perity" the inhabitants of Harlem, particularly the Negroes and Porto Ricans, suffered from the worst housing, feeding, working and general living conditions.

Death Rate High.

In the four years from 1932 to 1927 the death rate in the area between 102nd St. to 181st St. was 42 per cent higher than in any other part of the city, according to figures gathered by the Urban League.

Vious ways in which Tammany works its relief miracles to perform, often go to political clubs in their neighborhood to ask for assistance in filing applications. These are informed that the club can do nothing for anyone but its members and that it costs only \$3 to join. By some superhuman effort, the misled Negro worker finds \$3 and joins. He is thereupon provided with a letter of introduction, which docen't even get him past the cop at the front door.

District Court of the United States Medical Service Lacking.

Individual medical attention which action against Todor Antonoff, Com-

cocking for work during the day. Harlem. Rheumatism, asthma, gaz- the Faccist government there would

who ask for aid. While applications for help made by Negro families are accepted and acted upon, the treatment accorded the Nebro jobless and their families at the hands of relief tered by the reply: "I'd rather die country he choses, with the Government of advice when accorded the Nebro jobless and their families at the hands of relief tered by the reply: "I'd rather die country he choses, with the Government of advice when according to the properties as action in supporting its demand that he be permitted to leave the United States voluntarily for any country he choses, with the Government of advice when a decorded the Nebro jobless and the properties as a doctor's services:

"Why don't you go to Harlem Hospitals action in supporting its demand that he be permitted to leave the United States voluntarily for any country he choses, with the Government of the properties as a doctor of the prope In Harlem, as in other parts of the city, however, the workers are learning to swing the swing t

### The gains made by the Unemployed Councils in its demands for individual families and entire neigh-

Today representatives of the of their earnings for rent, the \$25-a- Council are regularly received and Sing Sing for his strike activities, will considered by Graves Moore, bureau be perfected at a Sam Weinstein De-(Tomorrow's article, the last of 12, at 8 p.m., at the Furniture Work-ers' Industrial Union, 818 Broadway. the foregoing series, will deal with the Workers' Relief Ordinance N.Y. District International Labor Defense, the Furniture Workers' Industrial Union, of which Weinstein is a member, and by ether workers' ormalizations.

"We waited in the room outside that in which the Board was meeting. I sent in my name, and asked that I be called when Mr. Blumbard's case came up for discussion. I The Conference is endorsed by the

Hackmen to Protest 5 Cent Tax at City

St. and Sixth Ave., for the purpose of mobilizing the thousands of drivers for a protest demonstration in spite the newspaper announcements

# Threaten to Fire ANNA HALL ON TRIAL TODAY Support on Way to Capital for Deportation Negro Teacher Who Defended Colleague

BOSTON, Mass., June 11.—Bernard Mrs. Burroughs Began Teaching in 1903; Active in Scottsboro Fight

By EDWIN ROLFE

WHEN Mrs. Williama Burroughs appears before the Law Committee of the S.S. Transylvania. Eight other work-ers, some of them American-born, against her by Dr. George J. Ryan, Tammany-appointed president of the Board, the Committee will find facing them a slight but militant figurea woman who has fought for the rights of her fellow-teachers and workers since her appointment to the public

> She has played an active part among teachers in the struggle to save the nine Scottsboro boys—an activity which has not escaped the spy-infested Board of Education. Since then she has taught for more than 16 years, with gaps in her service-record only during the years when she was bringing up her four children.

school system in 1903, thirty years

Mrs. Burroughs, now under sus pension without pay, together with Isidore Begun, another teacher active in the teachers' struggles, told a representative of the Daily Worker the story of her suspension. It hinges on the recent dismissal of Isidore Blumberg, a teacher whose activities in the salary fight, as chairman of the Teachers' Committee to Protect Salaries, was the excuse used by the Tammany board in an unusualy un-derhanded example of academic

400 Teachers Present.
An open hearing at the Board of Education Building, 500 Park Ave., on May 24, at which the Blumberg lice, who pushed and mauled us. case was to be acted upon, had been

"I was there," Mrs. Burroughs told that Mr. Blumberg's dismissal had the Daily Worker, "as secretary of the Isidore Blumberg Defense Committee. There were between 300 and 400 other teachers present, many of

"My purpose was to ask that Mr. be given another chance, On behelf of Antonoff, the Inter- since the 'unsatisfactory' rating (the the Parent-Teachers'

received. It is customary to do this.

Had High Record.

"Mr. Blumberg had previously served three terms at P. S. 69, Bronx, where he had been praised by Dr. Chatfield, Bronx Superintendent of Schools, for his 'splendid influence in the character-building of children.' Miss Stewart, principal of P. S. 69, had even expressed her admiration for his work.

Mass PROTEST MEETING AGAINST WEIDEMANN for victims arrested in antifaseist demonstration, 4109—13th Ave., she has persistently fought for the direct participation of the teachers in their own struggles, as opposed to the teachers in their own struggles, as opposed to the member of the teachers in their own struggles, as opposed to Monday night lectures on Mark's Monday night lectures on Monday night lectures on Monday night lectures on Mo

derfed, nervous children, whose poverty and home environment had reerty and home environment had re-farded their development. Such a teacher, Mrs. Burroughs insists. "The class is a terrific strain even on a entire question of teachers' rights is psychiatrist. At the end of four involved in this trial, and the action months Mr. Blumberg was given his taken by the Board on Tuesday will

weinstein was convicted on a charge of assault despite conclusive berg's case came up for discussion. I ascertained that it was fifty-first on the coder of business, although an All I.L.D. branches and all workoffice clerk (evidently instructed to do so) denied that there was a pre-arranged order of business.

When No. 51 was called out, Mrs. Burroughs arose and demanded the floor, as secretary of the Blumberg Defense Committee. Dr. Ryan, head of the Board of Education and a big

front of City Hall the next day at this had not been planned as an A committee will be elected at the meeting to present the opposition of the drivers with me, began to speak. Ryan Calls Police.

we had been heard he called the po-

on trial today and Leon Tabeck to-morrow for taking part in relief dem-onstrations at Home Relief Bureaus. Hall, charged with "felonious as-sault" after being beaten by police, will appear at Snyder and Flatbush Avenue Court, Brooklyn. Her case has been postponed a number of times by the district attorney's office to give them more time to dig

Tabeck In Bronx.
Tabeck will be tried in the Bronx , Bergen Building. The New District of the International Labor Defense, defending both cases, points out that the fight for the acquittal of these workers "is essenially a fight for the right of the jobthe bosses as exemplified in the re-fusal of the Home Relief Bureaus to pay rent and the reduction in food

#### Boy, 15, Held Under \$600 Bail, Sold Ice-Cream To Aid Family

NEW YORK.-After being knocked to the ground by a cop, and an emergency squad was called, a 15year-old boy who was selling ice cream at 6th St. in Brighton Beach was arrested and held under \$600 bail, charged with "disorderly conduct." The boy, whose father is unem-ployed, was selling ice cream on the beach to aid the family.

An indignant crowd gathered, demanding that the boy be freed and protesting the cop's brutality. When a move was started to free him, the cop blew his whistle for reinforce-ments. More police came running and soon an emergency squad ar-

The youth was so badly hurt that an ambulance had to be called to treat him before he was taken to

He will be tried tomorrow at the 8th Street Court, near Surf Ave. in Coney Island. Numerous incidents of this kind

occur every day on the beach, the cops hounding and arresting boys and Mrs. Burroughs has been active in unemployed workers selling ice cream so that the big stores can monop-

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Get Permit to Hold Meeting in Sullivan, Wisc., After Explaining the Reasons for March

SULLIVAN, Wis., June 11. - Col- pathetic to the march. route to this town. The officials of Sullivan at first refused to grant a permit for the marchers due to the protest of the American Legion. A committee was sent ahead to make arrangements. The business men in stores at four in the afternoon as 2,000 hunger marchers were arriving have to be done at their own risk. Main Support

the arrangement committee. They explained the reasons of the march to the officials and the American Legion. As a result the use of the nected with the police department, park was granted and a place to cook attempted to arrest the Negro, and food. Instead of speaking in the park a permit was granted and used for a meeting in the town. Donate Food

Townspeople along the route are elping by donating food and money. Columns one and two were given medical treatment in Waukesha and held a mass meeting there before proceeding further. Each division has scouts on bicycles and also a truck to get food and water before the marchers reach the destination. Many Jein

Reports from the other columns state hunger march left Waukesha at 5:30 in the morning yesterday en its, although many have sore feet

#### Jacksonville Negro. Shot by Patrolman in Grave Condition

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.-Earl Dent, belly a fight for the right of the job-ess to resist the hunger program of the bosses as examplified in the re-the bosses as examplified in the re-that keeping the stores open would 25, a Negro and unemployed, committed the high crime of possessing a pair of pliers last week, and as a re-These slanders were dispelled by sult is lying in the hospital in a grave condition

Patrolman Ryan, not officially connected with the police department, claimed that he resisted. He shot him in the leg. The worker ran, and was pursued by the would-be assassin and two white workers who did not understand the nature of the outrage. Dent was finally caught and shot again in the side, although the two white men who helped eateh him have sworn that he offered no resist-ance to the unofficial patrolman.

The bullet fired into his side was discharged at such close range that it emerged from the other side of Each marcher carries a blanket, his body. The patrolman, who proudraincoat and kit. New recruits are ly boasts that he killed a man a year joining along the route and tremendage, is still on duty. The two workers have being a state the leader. ous interest is shown by the people who helped eatch the fleeing man on the countryside.

Committees which stay ahead of the march are filling the letter boxes with leaflets. Farmers are very sym
who helped eater the fleeing man, much to their expressed regret, of fered their testimony to the pelice, but have not been called upon for it.

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### To All Organizations That Took Advance Tickets For the Daily Worker Picnic

The Daily Worker in order to buy the ticket for the trip to the Soviet Union, and to make arrangements for the six weeks in camps and the various other prizes which will be given away at the picnic, asks that all organizations turn in whatever money has been collected so far on the advance sale of the pienic tickets. Those organizations that have run short of tickets should call for some more, and those that have not as yet taken them, please call at the City Office of the Daily Worker, 35 East 12th St.

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### The fond papas of three Amherst College freshmen forked out \$125 in hard eash to heal the wounded dignity of the United States government, whose flag had been "publicly mu-tilated and treated contemptuously" by their fun-loving sons in a bur-lesque "Communist demonstration"

boys guilty of burning the flag after they had retracted previous pleas of not guilty and entered new pleas of nolo contenders. George Gillett, of Kenilworth, Ill., paid a \$25 fine, while Roger Wunderlich and Robert Law-

eyed Council, was today ordered by the federal authorities to surrender

he was responsible. For months Mr. held for deportation.

Uphold Antonoff Order DETROIT, June 11.—The Federal

It is the boast of Harlem relief bureau officials that no discrimination
is exercised against Negro workers
who ask for aid. While applications

This understand, assumed among the working population. Investigators, the worker.

On behelf of Antonoff, the International Labor Defense has called for national Labor Defense has called for

lease of Sam Weinstein, railroaded to se Conference this Monday, June

ers' organizations are asked to elect two delegates to represent them at NEW YORK .- All unemployed the Conference.

> Hall Demonstration real estate owner, kept pounding with his gavel in an effort to stop her. NEW YORK,—Opposing the pro- for a moment and then went on posed 5 cent tax on taxicabs by the city, the Taxi Workers Industrial Union has called an emergency mass meeting to be held this Monday, June 12, 8:30 p.m. at Bryant Hall, 41
>
> St. and Sixth Ave. for the purpose "Other taggings" Mrs. Burroughs

# MRS. BURROUGHS "I had gone out of the room mo

mentarily. When I returned, I found

Mrs. Burroughs characterized the "open meeting" of the Board as a Conducted School Probe

excuse used to oust him from his position) was the first he had ever tions in Harlem Public Schools, find-received. It is customary to do this.

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for his work.

"Then his prominent role in the salary fight caused his transfer to P. S. 23, Bronx, where he was given a class composed of subnormal, unable salary fight caused his transfer to the Linville-Lefkowitz pussyfooting, lobbying methods. Mrs. Burroughs a series of Monday night lectures on Mark' a series of Monday night lectures on Mark' capital" at the Pen & Hammer, 114 W. 21st St., at 7.45 tenight.

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STAGE AND SCREEN Most Stimulating Theatre in "Both Your Houses" Moves Europe, Says Noted Director

On Visit to Moscow of crooked politics and politicians, "Both Your Houses," will be trans-"By far the most stimulating Theatre in Europe," said Guthrie from all over the country. In Gary, Ind., home of the steel barons, one McClintiek, noted American director ferred this evening from the Ethel Barrymore to the Guild Theatre and producer, in a recent interview where the Pulitzer Prize winner will at Moscow, following his three-month continue for three more weeks. The tour of theatres in 14 countries. Mcsame cast continues in the produc-Clintick, staged Sydney Howard's tion. "Alien Coru" at the Belasco Theatre,

at Coolidge's College in which his wife Rather than the leading role.

"I wasn't surprised, of course," he "We've heard a bit about continued, "We've heard a bit about the Soviet Theatre from Elmer Rice, Alexander Woollcott and others, and no one has forgotten the tremendous success of the Moscow Art Theatre in New York in 1922. But actually time in the spring. "Romeo and Ju-liet" and "Alice In Wonderland" are the two plays to be presented on the coming here is an extraordinary experience - something theatre lovers can't afford to miss.' Such utterly different plays as can be seen in Moscow, are a delight to

the discriminating theatregoer, he observed. "Bread" and "The Armored Train" at the Moscow Art Theatre, dealing with a Soviet theme, "The Taming of Mr. Robinson" with a similar background but showing a man from another world in it; and "Adrienne Lecouvreur" written a hundred years before the Revolution and played in a dozen different whom has yet reached his twentieth lands in a dozen different ways, is birthday, presumably have been still new in the way it is presented birthday, presumably have been called up on the mat by their fathers, and told that students of the institution which educated Calvin Coolidge and Dwight W. Morrow ought to know better than to poke their erhold and Moscow Art Theatres, said McClintick, each of there sums program will include said McClintick, each of the sums program will include a travel film to the capital of the Soviet Union. to know better than to poke their erhold and Moscow Art Theatres, fingers into the machinery, even with the idea of making fun of the Comprehence in its own field and stimulating and vital in the extreme.

Tonight to Guild Theatre Maxwell Anderson's satirical play

"Biography," S. N. Behrman's comedy, in which Ina Clair plays the chief role, is now in its final three weeks at the Avon Theatre. Eva Le Galliene and her group plan to spend most of next season in an extended tour of the United States, beginning in Boston in Oc-tober. The Civic Repertory Players will be seen in New York for a short time in the spring.

Opens at Acme Tuesday

Clair's latest production, will open a week's engagement on Tuesday at the

D

Aeme Theatre. The film is based on Eugene Labiche's comedy satire of

'The Horse Ate the Hat" "Un Chapeau De Paille D'Italie"

the same name. Rene Clair is known internationally for his films "Sous Les Toits De Paris" and "Le Million."

-By Burck.

### Many Youth Hurt "A CENTURY OF PROGRESS" at Work in Wisc. Forest Labor Camps

No Medical Facilities for Them; Strike Against Working in Swamp and Win Demand

henorable discharge met several of youths who walked out of Co. 640. They said that out of 212 youths, 150 have run away. From Co. 642, 65 ran away, from Co. 644, 40 ran away.

gash 4 inches long, 1/2 inch deep in his leg while chopping trees. An-

### 10 KILLED IN THE N. J. EXPLOSION; HUNDREDS HURT

Materials Made in Crowded Section, for War Use

NORTH ARLINGTON, N. J., June 11.—The fatal explosion that de-stroyed the Atlantic Pyroxilin Wast ompany at 316 River Road Friday night killing at least ten and injuring more than 182 men, women and children, spreading havoc in a working class section, was caused by the criminal neglect of the state and municipal government in covinance with the owner of the plant, Alex-

In Residential District.

Although the plant was used to sort and store highly inflamable cel-luloid material, Schienzeit was permitted to carry on this work in the center of a thickly settled neighborhood and a stone's throw from a crowded bathing beach. In fact, directly behind this powder barrel was the home of George Dale, who with his wife was burned to death as one of the first victims of the explosion, unable to leave their homes quick enough to escape the flames. Four other homes were destroyed.

Second Plant Destroyed. This is the second plant owned by Schienzeit destroyed by explosion. Three years ago a plant he owned in Secaucus, N. J., had a blast like the present one.

Admission of this criminal dis-regard of worker's lives has been made by Assistant Presecutor Chas. Schmidt of Bergen County, who revealed that "there were flagrantviolations of the law by the owner, who has had no permit since he took over the plant three years ago, despite the fact that there is an ordinance, passed in 1921, requiring one to be issued by the municipal authorities for the storing of explosive materials within the borough limits."

The prosecutor did not explain just how a company storing explosives in a residential section could do this for

Try To Clear Selves

Officials are frantically trying to ing flabby statements that "the eted well over \$4,000,000,000 in diviwrecked plant did not come under dends and bond interest. the operation of factories." These ly had such a permit. Meanwhile the owner of the plant tral showed an increase in operating income of \$1,056,000 for the

is trying to clear himself by using the usual stale story about "labor

were filled with writhing, screaming on operating income half a million men, women and children. Houses showered by the burning celluloid Northwestern, which laid off 260 railbeach were knocked into the water and burned by the flaming material. Death struck three houses immediately. The Dale home, two dead; the May. Appleyard home with four dead; the Hitch home with two dead.

More May Die A number in the hospital are still in danger. The full extent of the injuries is yet to be determined.

Indignation is running so high in the town that officials are making gestures of investigating themselves and Schienzeit is being held under \$10,000 bail for "questioning."

Inrough Treight trains, a saving almost \$900,000 a year (two full crews plus repair men lost jobs). Many local trains were cut out and 41 stations have either been wholly closed

ulose product closely related to the nitro-cellulose which is the basis for dynamite and high explosives used in war. A slight change in the process of manufacturing is all that is needed to turn a chemical factory making commercial pyroxilin into an explosives manufacturing plant.

The biggest manufacturers of pyrexilin in the United States are subsidiaries of DuPont, the giant chemical and munitions trust.

WOMEN FAINTING OF HUNGER
ABUSED BY COP
NEW YORK.—A woman
butside the Home Relief Bureau,
spring and Elizabeth S' fainted

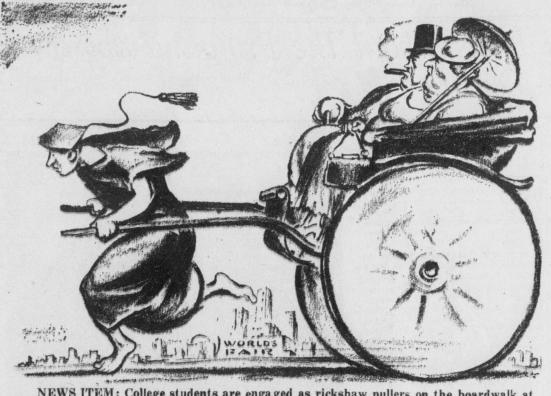
KENOSHA, Wis .-- My brother who is in company 644 and now has an

Even though the youth are inexperienced they are given axes to chop other fellow has a porcupine quill in down trees for telephone posts. No his head. He was walking in the instructions whatsoever are given them. One young fellow made a from a tree and one of the quills from a tree and one of the quill penetrated, ½ inch into his head. The hospital facilities are very poor army doctors scarce, Still they not send this boy to town which is 16 miles away, instead they are waiting for an army doctor. This youth had had this quill in his head for 7 days. Many of them had fever and a few of them have gotten pneumonia from working in the swamps up to their knees planting trees. Finally conditions have gotten so bad that 15 youths went on a strike and re-

> an hour they won their strike. My brother has received an honorable discharge. When one gets a discharge he must turn in all his army equipment and if any part of the equipment is missing then he must pay for it. My brother had to pay \$3 for his O. D. pants which were

fused to work in swamps. In half

Another thing I forgot to tell is this, that if you are not present when the roll call is called or even if you to a dance held in this town. There ducted from your pay and in order recruits, while the officers enjoy all to get a discharge one must have rights in camp and in town. proven that he has a job waiting for him or that his mother is sick or



NEWS ITEM: College students are engaged as rickshaw pullers on the boardwalk at the Chicago's World's Fair. Only those having passed an intelligence test are hired.

#### Call Militia Against Forest Camp Recruits

SACKETS HARBOR, N. Y., June 11.-A disturbance was caused here when 300 men from the Civilian Conservation Corps stationed at Madiis very little cultural activity for the

State troopers were called to patrol the streets together with the depu-

### Roads Ask 20 Per Cent Wage Cut; Income Up in Year

In the face of rising living costs sive presidents, Mr. Joyce? He himread earnings to the bone, railroad executives are determined to push through their plan for further wage-cuts. On top of the 10 per cent al-ready in effect until Nov. 1, the roads will ask for an additional 10 per cent

union wage rates advanced by approximately 150 per cent. while wage "increases"). At the same time, in on the roads than in 1910. And this izations." smaller working force was moving 75 per cent more traffic. "In terms of gross ton miles of freight and passenger car movement," according to a 200-page volume on transportation prepared by the Brookings Institua residential section could do this for tion, "output per man grew by 36 per three years under the nose of officials cent between 1923 and 1929 and continued to increase even during the recent depression years. While railroad men were speeded up to pro-

either state or local laws governing Railroad Income Up-Payrolls Down Of the first 32 roads to report the mines came after the sheriffs statements fiatly come into contra-earnings in April, 1933, nineteen realized that the combined forces of diction with the statement of the showed improved net operating in-sheriffs; local police and a horde of district atterney that a permit is required. However, if a permit had class of decline in income of all 150 to smash the well-organized picketbeen asked for to store the celluloid, it would have been given, anyhow, for the district attorney revealed that as against 67.7 in March and 79.6 per "we never have seen as many guns" to smash the well-organized picketclass 1 roads has evidently been ing of the miners who patrolled an area for a distance of five miles.

One of the deputies declared that "we never have seen as many guns"

month in spite of a decrease of \$4,433,000 in gross revenue. After forcing its non-union workers to donate 6 days' work a month A second after the blast the streets without pay, Illinois Central showed have forced the leaders of the P. M. dollars above April, 1932. Chicago & burst into flames. Bathers on the way carmen during a single week in May, reduced its deficit in April by \$100,000. By such lay-offs and reductions in payroll it will probably wipe out its deficit completely in

Economies instituted by the Lehigh Valley during the past five years would enable this road to pay \$3.50 cashers on its \$50 person of the Progressive Miners Union last intervention threats against the Soviet Union. The struggle of the seasummer. a share on its \$50 par comm Here are some of the "economies" The Lehigh bought 22 new freight FUR STRIKERS engines in 1932 and cut out two Pyroxilin is a very important war or put on part time. Track sections material and is so regarded by the U.

8. War Department. It is a nitro-cellulose product closely related to the nal sections were either combined or

> N. Y. Central Milks Willing Gov't Reporting a gain of \$5,000,000 in tral admits that most of this was from the sale to the government of the property at Lexington Ave. and 45th St. This was the building sold to the government for a post office for \$9,000,000. The building cost the

At the same time the Central report shows \$6,000,000 collected from working at the Geller shop, were se

short time that has cut rail- self draws a salary of \$40,000 a year. Specialized Traffic to Squeeze Train Crews.

It is admitted by financial experts construction Finance Corporation, that from 1915 to 1932, general trade figures on saving wages of train rates for most classes of the railroads mile an hour flyer planned by Union

A. Berle, special adviser to the Recrews. One of the lines can be used for new fast trains, such as the 100

#### CHICAGO, Ill.—Along with 125 ther "slaves" I was employed by the C. D. Wagstaff Co. of Evanston, Ill., planting trees on the World's Fair Grounds in Chicago. I put in five weeks of back-break-

Employes at World's Fair Are

Cheated Out of Half Their Pay

ing labor in the boiling sun. Then we were all laid off and paid only half our wages. My half amounted to \$59. at 30 cents per hour. We were all told to call the following Saturday | than 72 hours after he is laid off. for the rest of our pay.

They told me I'd have to wait three months before they could collect it.

Then I went to the City Labor Commissioner. He told me the same,

and besides it would cost me \$4 before they could handle my case. Then I went back to see the company I worked for, and now they want to cut my wages—after I'm laid

#### Strike Against Ice Company Cut

CLEVELAND.—Rank and file dri-vers of the City Ice & Fuel Co., organized in the A. F. of L. Teamsters Union, have voted to reject a 162-3 rose by only 90 per cent (the cost of living, of course, soared ahead of such per cent wage cut proposed by the have no funds for the men who will not withdrawn. The City Ice & Fuel lose their jobs under such "special- Co. is the largest ice distributor in

"Support Marine

Conference" TUUC

Anti War Rally

calls upon the affiliated organizations

general to support the coming con-vention of the fighting Marine Work-

ers Industrial Union, which will take

place in New York in the month of

The development of a powerful re-

volutionary industrial union of deep

sea and waterfront workers will be

the best concrete assurance of a real

struggle against a new world war and

men and longshoremen to prevent shipments of ammunition to help

kill our fellow workers in other coun-

effective answer to the plans of the

imperialist powers to plunge the world into another bloody slaughter.

The Marine Workers Industrial

Union in order to mobilize forces of

the labor movement and to enlist the

itmost support morally and financi-

ally for the organization of their national convention is holding a giant anti-war rally and festival at Starlight Stadium, East 177th St., beginning I p.m. and ending II p.m.

The T.U.U.C. is calling upon all corrections not only to mobilize the

organizations not only to mobilize the

to elect committees in each union

to popularize this demonstration and

sell the tickets to the workers in the

Let us show the marine workers

smash the imperialist war prepara-

shops and factories.

nembership to come to this affair,

### Sheriff Bars Scabs in Fear of 3,000 Pickets

HARRISBURG, Ill., June 11.-County sheriffs working under the thumb duce more, the Morgans, Vanderbilts, of the coal operators today followed an unusual method of strike-breaking clear themseves of their guilt by issu- Van Sweringens and their like pock- by preventing 200 scabs from approaching a mine here.

Fear to let the seabs "run the gauntlet" of between 2,000 and 3,000 striking coal miners was the reason given by the sheriffs for their action.

July.

The decisjon to bar the scabs from @ realized that the combined forces of

a company owning the plant former- cent for July, 1932. The N. Y. Cen- before. The pickets started out at "we never have seen as many guns 3:30 a. m., dropping off men at sheltered strategic points along the road to the mine." Most of the strikers are members

of the Progressive Miners Union and as well as the labor movement in A, to give at least formal support to previous walk-outs throughout the Illinois coal field. In the present strike which has

been unusually militant, the rank and file have from the beginning pursued aggressive tactics, and have organized mass picketing-in the spirit of the

### FIRM AGAINST A. F. L. BOSSES

NEW YORK .- From the sentiment nal sections were either combined or at a mass meeting of fur strikers lengthened, and not one cent was Saturday, it was evident that the put aside for helping the men laid furriers are determined to strike until off by these "economies." the conspiracies of the bosses and the conspiracies of the bosses and the A. F. of L. to force them to join the A. F. of L. union is smashed. Ben Gold, Louis Hyman and other active leaders of the Needle Trades and other working class organizations Workers Industrial Union addressed the strikers.

A mass demonstration in the fur market was carried out directly after that we are with them in this strug-Central \$1,000,000 in 1910. When the deal went through the Daily Worker estimated a profit of \$5,000,000. Not have been sent in by the A. F. of L. scab agents.

Spring and Elizabeth S' fainted from hunger today (June A policeman, badge No. 1537, bused to pay attention to the wo ans cry, 'Hold me, please." The oliceman lifted her a little, then he got back and let her fall and she banged her and expensive to maintain." according to P. H. Joyce, president of that workers took care of her.

C. A. The shop until a squad of police and the shop until a squad of police and plainclothes men came to escort them. As they left the building the place equipment which is obsoleted and expensive to maintain." according to P. H. Joyce, president of that workers took care of her.

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C. A. The shop until a squad of police and plainclothes men came to escort them. As they left the building the place equipment which is obsoleted the strikers of "scab" could be heard for blocks. Jenny Cohen was arrested.

Sandwiches were distributed to the furtiers and other workers are asked workers took care of her.

C. A. The shop until a squad of police and the

(By a Worker Correspondent.) off-to 15 cents per hour.

When you add up the amount they owe these 125 men, including myself, you can see what a neat little pile the Wagstaff Co. will deposit to their credit, if they succeed in beating us

And yet one of the labor laws in Only when the workers organize

# got there, they told us we'll have to wait till the 15th of July for the other half. Some of the men who worked longer than I have about \$150 wont to the Legal Aid Bureau of the United Charities with offices at 203 North Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill. They told me I'd have to wait three

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 11 .- The men on the Kansas City Southern Railway voted to strike against a wage cut. The strike vote includes the engineers, firemen, yardmen, brakemen and conductors. The company immediately retaliated by advertising in the "Kansas City Star" of June 9 for

The add in the Star is as follows "APPLICATION WANTED! "Railroad Men-Locomotive Engineers, Locomotive Firemen, Conductors, Brakemen and Yardmen. "THE KANSAS CITY SOUTH-

ERN RAILWAY. BY REASON OF A STRIKE VOTE BEING TAKEN BY OUR PRESENT EMPLOYEES, above classes, the undersigned will receive for a limited time only written applications from experienced Engineers and Conductors not over 40 years of age, and Firemen, Brake. men and Yardmen not over 35 years

"All applications must be written and state clearly name, address age, experience, with satisfactory experience; ALSO WHETHER OR NOT APPLICANT IS WILLING TO WORK UNDER STRIKE CON-

DITIONS. Preference will be given to men residing along the Kansas City Southern Railway.

"Address applications to: J. M. Prickett, Superintendent of Personnel, the Kansas City Southern Rai way Co., 11th and Wyandotte Streets, Kansas City, Missouri," In answer to the call for scabs the

nemployed Councils will convene a nited front conference on June 12 in this city. Leaflets were issued to good teeth. Urges Backing for the railroad workers to attend the conference, thereby establish unity between the employed and unemployed, and stop the scabbing which NEW YORK. - The Trade Union the bosses depend on to break the Unity Council of Greater New York

#### Seamen on the Beach Working for a Meal

BALTIMORE, Md .- On the S. S. Waukeagan, 12 men on the beach had come aboard to bum dinners. One of them was a jobless steward. We asked the mate if we could eat We asked the mate if we could eat on this ship, your chances of getting and he told us if we washed the dishes and cleaned the messreom he dishes and cleaned the messroom, he would let us eat as they had no beston, we ran into plenty of fog bill, but still the convention made messman on board and did not in-but we kept going at full speed. Betend to have one while in port. This ing on the look-out and hearing was because he could get the seamen other ships' whistles around us, it on the beach to work for a meal. The one fellow who was supposed

who were going to work their way The day before we were there, wo

TEN WORKAWAYS ON ONE SHIP PHILADELPHIA, Ps. — The John Jay sailed from Philadelphia with ten workaways aboard. The compathe crew and the Marine Workers Industrial Union, smuggled these

fore sailing time. This is one of those ships that make a practice of carrying workaways from coast to coast. Several members of the crew have started a ships' committee and will prepare

workaways aboard a few minutes be-

### DRESS SHOP STRUCK

NEW YORK.—The dress department declared the C. & H. Co. of 127 West 28th Street on strike last week. This shop, involving over 30 workers of 305, 307 and 350 Seventh employees is working for the jobber Avenue meet at 5:30 p.m., at the venus Dress Company. The Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union has 3 shops working for this jobber and the workers of the C. & H. are re-

### METAL FIXERS UNION JOINS THE INDUSTRIAL UNION

NEW YORK. - The Metal Fixers Juion, formerly affiliated with the United Hebrew Trades, decided by unanimous vote to affiliate with th Steel and Metal Workers' Industrial Union at its membership meeting Thursday night at Irving Plaza.

was the result of general dissatisfac tion among the members, with the policies of the right wing leadership which they recognize as treacherous

Lustig, organizer of the Steel and Metal Workers Industrial Union, reported on the activities of the union. its recent strikes and victories for the workers. Powers, Brooklyn organizer, spoke of the coming United Front Conference to formulate plans to defeat the attacks brought on by the National Recovery Bill. The union voted to endorse the confer-

### GEN. ATTERBURY HAILS RAIL CUT

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June '1.— Speaking before the Harvard University Graduate School of Business Administration Friday on the occasion of its 25th anniversary, General W. W. Atterbury, president of the ers and farmers in the struggle for Pennsylvania railroad, urged consoli- relief and insurance. This presented dation of existing railroads into a few systems.

This is in conformity with the Roosevelt rail program of scrapping "non-paying" and competitive roads and giving transport monopoly to the biggest lines.

#### Hits Railroad Workers

Actually being carried through at the state of Illinois is that you have the present time the railroad re-to pay an employee in full not later organization is throwing tens of thousands of railroad workers out of jobs. At completition there will be

Experiences of an

an Ordinary Seaman aboard the, veterans and prepare them ideologi-Commercial Orleanman of the cally and organizationally, and in or-Moore-McCormick S. S. Co., for the der to permit an isolation of and keep the fire extinguishers pol- "lefts"); Communists active in the

that he could eat his supper.



time and see what a job it is.

30 cents an hour, 45 cents after 6 ans, and particularly the Negroes, p.m. They get \$42 a month on this ship and if you can't run winches they wanted and came to get it.

occurred to me that we were taking an awful chance. What the hell do to be a steward was doing messman's work for three meals a day. Also there were two seamen on the ship owners care about the safethere were two seamen on the ship ships collide as long as they can col
It adopted a three-point program etc. ships collide as long as they can col-

the ship owners are out to give us a dirty deal and the only way we refused to clean up. The mate ordered them off the ship.

—J.B.

the ship owners are out to give us a dirty deal and the only way we can stop this crap is by organizing. Join a real fighting union, the Marine Workers Industrial Union. It is the only Union today that is leading the fights of the seamen and longshoremen, as we can see from the actions aboard the Munson line ships. The same can be done aboard all line ships, bar none .- J. E.

> IMPORTANT MEETING OF BOTH STRIKERS AND EMPLOYED WORKERS ON MONDAY.

> On Monday, 2 p.m., a meeting all strikers of 130 and 150 West 30th Street will take place at the head-quarters of the Industrial Union, in Room 26. Strikers of 330 Seventh Avenue will meet at 2 p.m. at the headquarters of the union, sixth

All strikers as well as employed

Veterans Learning Who Their Friends And Enemies Are

Veterans Delegates at Washington Conference Considered Themselves Part of Toiling Masses

By I. AMTER.

The veterans' march and convention in Washington represent an important stage in the development of the struggle of the veterans. This was recognized by the government and all the reactionary organizations. They did everything in their power to prevent the march-through terror, threats, propagands, and open suggestion of force. the veterans' organizations lined up with the National Economy League to cause a division among the vet erans, to fight against immediate payment of the adjusted compensation certificates (bonus), and to allow cuts in the disability allowances. The A.F. of L. leaders and the church

Overcoming Isolation of Vets. The government knew of the three

int program which had been is- lack of local struggles. sued by the National Liaison Committee-for immediate payment of the bonus, against cuts in disability allowances, for support of the workthe government and the capitalists with a new situation.

The veteran delegates did not consider themselves a group separate from the rest of the population — but part of the toiling masses, from whom they came. They intended to link up the struggle for their special grievances with those of the whole working population.

Unite to Defeat Demands.

Recognizing this, the government took steps all over the country to raise the "red scare". This, it hoped would cause a division that would wreck the movement. For this purpose the government used men who had participated in the bonus march of last year, when Hoover drove them out. It put into service Woods, an adventurer: Thomas, an assistant to Waters; Foulkrod, an admitted Vote Strike; Wages Cut Burns' detective agency man. This would have been of no moment, but way, and the groups under reactionary leadership were in Washington, raising the "scare".

> Defeat Thomas' Provocations. Thomas was the most outspoken. Although he had signed a document and again raise the issue of the reds that pledged him to the three point. The veterans were unafraid and those onfine the convention to the bonus. Ordinary Seaman on He refused to go to the camp set aside Hickerson, Pace and others spoke at Moore-McCormick Line or the grounds that it was the government for the march-'tainted" with radicalism." Bscause BAL/TIMORE, Md .- I shipped as of failure to reach the masses of the magnificent sum of \$28 a month. My militant veterans from the body of job consisted of standing lookout the men as took place last year (the from 8 a.m. to 4 a.m. Off watch dur- government was preparing to give ing the day I had to keep the fore- Thomas a different camp and was ascastle clean, keep the two washrooms clean, sweep the alleyways for the "right wing" against the

> ished. I also had to relieve the man National Liaison Committee, Comat the wheel for half an hour so rades Levin and Hickerson, against the protest of the other members of I had to wait until everyone had the committee, temporarily resigned gear for every one to eat at the same treat but the two comrades remained task. Although the districts had to stop the provocative actions of Tho- within two weeks-quite a feat for

> > On the contrary. Exposed Roosevelt Game.

write home about. The meat had a and Porto Rico. They were members others they had to work singlequeer taste and it was so tough that of the American Legion, Workers' handedly, with no assistance or guid-I could not eat it and I have very Ex-Servicemen's League, Veterans of ance from the district. Foreign Wars, Disabled Veterans, B. In port I had to stand nine hours E.F., Khaki Shirts, etc., and unat- building up night watch. After we left Balti-more, we went to Philadelphia. While were Negroes, from all parts of the erans have learned from the Rooseon watch I had to shovel a ton of country, but particularly the south, coal into sacks on the dock. I had These veterans, numbering more than ment that their demands will not be to hold the sack in one hand and 3000, were part of the starved-out granted without a struggle. Both shovel with the other. Try it some workers of the country. There were few drifters-only a cross section of The A.B.s on this ship run the the most destitute workers and farmwinches in port. They don't seem to ers of the United States. They made realize that this is scabbing on the militant speeches-and the most millongshoremen. For running the itant ones met with the most ener-winches they get the huge sum of getic response. The Southern vetergetic response. The Southern veter-The veterans were backward pol-

itically. It was Roosevelt who dealt him an honorary delegate and did not mention his name in criticism! achievements. It was based on an lect insurance and make big profits? giving the veterans a basis for a real

publican administration. Hoover drove the veterans out of Washingtold them blankly that if congress should pass a bonus bill, he would pointed committees to meet a delega

This will help to clear up the fi-lusions that the veterans have about "commander-in-chief".

#### First Voted Against Camps.

The convention overwhelmingly oted down the reforestration camps If many of the veterans nevertheless in Washington signed up for the camps, it is due not only to the starv-ation they have been suffering for (The average age of the two years. men was 40, average period of unemployment 2 years!), but to the

The convention elected a committee which will carry on the work outlined in the program of action. New men have come into the leadership and a broadening of the movement is now possible.

#### Many Serious Weaknesses.

The convention manifested serious weaknesses and shortcomings. Little work had been done in the field for he march and the convention. The eadership on the platform of the convention was inexperienced and manifested such weaknesses that at times it appeared that the convention would end in the disruption the government desired.

Although there was a good number of Negroes at the conventionmilitant Negroes-very few came to the front. There was no open white chauvinism at the camp (except in the Thomas section where the Ne groes were segregated). But there was not an open comradely spirit be tween the whites and Negroes-more Negro veterans one of tolerance. were not induced to speak.

Although working with the Communists in the leadership for six months, the other members of the National Liaison Committee were opposed to the Party coming forward When Daily Workers were distributed at the convention, it was used by some fascist veterans to provoke disorder who received the Daily Worker gladthe convention and were loudly applauded. Ford bringing forward the Party as the only supporter of the

veterans in their struggle. W.E.S.L. Neglected Preparations.

The Workers Ex-Servicemen's League did very little work in prepara-Had the W.E.S.L. been on the job carrying on struggle, reaching the other veterans' organization the whole situation in Washington would have been different. Thomas, Foulkrod and Woods would not have been able to stir up any scare.

Party Slow to Act.

The Party did not look upon the active in the convention. This did not | carry out four other national actions mas, Wood, Foulkrod and their men, any Party-nevertheless it must be stated-as the small group of Communists reported in What was the composition of the most of the districts actually disreconvention? Every state of the coun- garded the veterans' march. In some try was represented, with delegates districts, the ex-soldier comrades had time and the grub was nothing to also from the Philippines, Mexico to fight against section decisions; in

> There is a possibility today of major capitalist parties and also the Socialist Party, are against them. If Congress is now in an upheaval it is out of fear of the people back homewhich shows the mass sentiment that

can be welded into a movement. The building of the W.E.S.L. and of opposition groups in the reaction-ary veterans' organizations; the building of groups in the shops, unions fraternal organizations, in the neigh borhoods, to carry on the struggle, is an immediate task. The veterans have seen that mass pressure can erans supported by the rest of the The convention registered certain workers, to force Roossvelt to eco-

In view of the international situ-We can see by all these things that struggle against the government, ation and the grave danger of war, the ship owners are out to give us which made pledges that it is not the building of the veterans' organi

> See a Corking Good Soviet Film and HELP THE DAILY WORKER and MORNING FREIHEIT. - 10 Percent of the Gross Receipts will be given by the Acme Theatre to the DAILY WORKER and MORNING FREIHEIT

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### PRIETO CAN'T Rueggs on Hunger GET CABINET Strike in a Filthy Nanking Prison Ing-class to Wrest to Wr

Coalition Efforts of Socialist Leaders Fruitless

President Appoints Radical Socialist As Premier

BULLETIN

MADRID, June 11 .- After vainly trying to get a Cabinet together, Inda!ccio Prieto, socialist leader, today informed President Zamora that he declined to try to form a Cabinet. Late tonight President Zamora asked Marcelino Domingo, leader of the petty-bourgeois Radical Socialists and Minister of Industry, Agriculture and Commerce in the late Azana Cabinet, to take the Premiership and form a Cabi-

MADRID, June 11.—The Executive Committee of the Spanish Socialist Party agreed today to allow Indalecio Prieto, Socialist leader and Minister of Public Works in the late Azana Cabinet, to accept appoint-ment as Premier by President Za-

The Socialist leaders played a big Generals Aid in the part in the Azana Cabinet, as in every cabinet since the overthrow of Alfonzo in 1931, in collaboration with the bourgeois Republicans and Left They took part in crushing mass strikes in almost every trade all over Spain. In Bilbao, the mining center, in Seville, in Barcelona, Valencia, Malaga and many

Socialist Leaders and Martial Law. Socialist Cabinet Ministers signed orders for the establishment of marshooting of hundreds of militant workers in clashes with the strikebreaking Civil Guards. They ruthlessly stifled the efforts of the land- armies will be within striking dishungry peasantry to divide the huge tance of Urga, capital of Outer Mon-

Now, when the class conflict be- China proper. hind them, to do in Spain what the king Finance Minister.

# STOCKS FOR WAR to consolidate the rule of the Nanking dynasty.

Zinc, Lead, Copper, Crude Oil Imports Rise Sharply

PARIS. June 11.-French official els' teachings,' etc. import figures for the first four months of this year show that France has been following a policy, since the new year especially, of laying in heavy stocks of raw materials for war purposes, and materials that would be difficult or impossible to

Although industry as a whole has retrogressed in the last year, imports war materials have sharply risen fallen. French capitalism is thus ac tively preparing for war at the expense of cutting down the food supplies available for the workers.

Metals for munitions production showed the steepest increases. ports of lead bars for the first four months of 1933 were 44,388, as compared with 29,300 for the same period Imports of nickel similarly rose to 653 tons, as compared with 357 in the previous year. Imports of raw copper jumped 3,000 tons, and tons, the figures again being for the first four months of 1932 and 1933. respectively. Crude oil imports rose Rand School-"Safeguard of Order" from 136,000 hectolitres to 618,00 hecyear, although French wool exports eral Viewpoint"

fell by 50 per cent. In French business circles it is not denied that these purchases are for war purposes, and a well-informed business source is quoted as saying that "France is not the only nation with a fever for building up stocksother countries are doing it as wellthink we caught the fever from

#### 2 Communists Shot by Bulgarian Fascists

SOFIA, Bulgaria, May 30. - The Communist Poppandoff, Sofia alderman, and the Communist Party functionary Natan were shot dead in a Sofia street by Macedonian fascists yesterday. The Bulgarian governnent is using these fascists against the Communist movement to an increasing extent, resorting to more and more desperate methods against the rising tide of Communism.

If there is a story, editorial or caryou think your fellow-workers be interested in cut it out and

Sentenced to Life Imprisonment; World-Wide Protest to Save Gallant Class-War Fighters

NEW YORK, June 11.-Confined in one of the world's vilest and cruellest prisons, Paul and Gertrude Ruegg are slowly succumbing to the unbearable conditions in Nanking jail where they have served two years of a life sentence for the crime of helping the Chinese workers and peasants organize themselves for struggle against a regime of exploitation, oppression, and poverty.

lease these gallant fighters in the of the Pan-Pacific Trade Union Sec-

The International Labor Defense, which has just received harrowing details of the almost incredible brutalities and the tortures to which Nanking prison inmates are subjected, has called for mobilization of such a mass protest immediately

### JAPANESE PUSH TO KALGAN AND SOVIET BORDER

Renegade Chinese Japanese Drive

SHANGHAI, June 11.-The Japanese are using the armies of the Chinese renegade generals, Tang-Yu-Lin, former Governor of Jehol, and Liu-Kwei-Tang, in their campaign to occupy Kalgan, extending Japan's rule over the Province of Chahar, Inner Mongolia.

Chahar Province borders on Soviet and countenanced the Outer Mongolia, and the new Japanlanded estates of the nobility and golia, besides cutting off all direct communication between Urga and

tween the increasingly revolutionary workers and poor peasants and the rich bourgeoisie and the Church is tion Finance Corporation at Washgrowing more acute day by day, the Spanish capitalist-landowning class the cotton and wheat loan to China calls upon the Socialist leaders, with arranged by T. V. Soong, Chiangthis record of class treachery be-Kai-Shek's brother-in-law and Nan-Ebert-Scheidemann-Noske Socialists charges that the proceeds of the loan did in Germany after the November will be used solely for a new civil war, instead of strengthening Chinese resistance to the Japanese invasion, which they charge Chiang with having sabotaged. Soong, the Council adds, had added over one billion dollars to China's public debt

> A serious typographical error appeared in hte article by Milton Howard, "A Marxian Masterpiece" which protested to Wellington Koo, Chinese One of the sentences read," Lenin

revised and developed Marx and Eng-This, of course, was written and should read "Lenin REVIVED and developed Marx and Engels' teach-

Ruegg was flung into the noisome Only a new wave of mass protest from the workers of the world can force the Chinese government to re-

retariat. So terrible has existence in the jail become for them and others confined there that they have begun a hunger strike. Smuggled information from the prison indicates that despite their and he had to pay \$250 to break own sufferings, they are heartened by the news occasionally reaching them that workers on the outside are fighting for them and are achieving victories in the struggle against oppression and terrorism.

What the Rueggs are enduring is illustrated by an article recently appearing in "Ta Kung Pao", in Tient-

closed behind you," it said, "you have ceased to be a human being. You no longer enjoy any human rights . . . Stubborn prisoners are brought into the prison office, bound innumerable wounds.

Filthy Prison Conditions. many months, so that many prisoners attacks of giddiness in this damp and stinking atmosphere.

nounced, the floor is immediately covered with lime and sprinkled with bad fumes, giving the prison a bad

From this cess-pool of a jail, the Rueggs must be freed by the clamor and protest of the working masses of the world. Such action saved them once from Chiang-Kai-Shek's the capitalist class is in this week's issue of "Liberty." where Green asks the question "Shall We Work For Less?" He answers in the affirmative. From this cess-pool of a jail, the gallows, but an even stronger protest must free them from this living

at its head as Henri Barbusse, Romain Roland, Prof. Albert Einstein, Maxim Gorki and Theodore Dreiser, is still active.

Under the chairmanship of Mme. Sun-Yat-Sen, widow of the founder of the Chinese Republic, a Shanghai Defense Committee was organized In other parts of the world too the demand for their freedom is being rajsed. On behalf of the Defense Committee Dr. Jean Vincent, Geneva protested to Wellington Koo, Chinese government representative at the League of Nations Council against their continued imprisonment and

the treatment accorded the Rueggs. Workers! Protest against the Kuomintang terror against the workers! Demand the unconditional release of

### SPARKS

ONE of the first duties of a good Writer is, at least, to be clear. Especially, if he is writing for a working-class audience, which has no time

Now read this blurb, written to advertise a new Soviet movie in a workers' newspaper:

'What has been assailed as "propa ganda" has been only the statement of a world-view by an entire nation. Now, the cultural thesis has been assimilated until it is the breathing fragment of the individual's life. The world view, made personal, and expressed subjectively, has replaced the objective, cerebrated promulgation."

After such an "arty" blurb, we are ust dying not to see that picture.

Please, comrades, we are not writing Ph. D theses. Don't forget that.

FROM Denver comes the news that a farmer toiled nobly all summer, and got a good crop. Then came the day of settlement-

with debts. That's capitalism. BUT do not toil—and ye shall be rewarded with an income—if you have mortgages and bonds in your

name. That's also capitalism. THE capitalist press is continuing its "As soon as the prison gates have I fake prosperity campaign with un-

The Journal of Commerce prints a headline: "Retail Sales Rise." And the news story reads: "The first twelve chain stores to report for hand and foot, and belabored with May showed a decline of 2.1 per cent bamboo rods until they bleed from in sales as compared with a year

"Underclothing is not changed for THE New Leader, official organ of I the Socialist Party, in its June 3 have skin sores all over their bodies. issue puts Mr. Green of the A. F. of Sanitary buckets are kept in the L. as the knight who is fighting the prisoners' rooms. The prisoners can class collaboration proposals of the hardly breathe and have frequent Roosevelt's "Industrial Control Bill."

nd stinking atmosphere.
"If a prison inspection is anUNFORTUNATELY, for the New
Leader's reputation for honesty, however, Mr. Green has already expressed himself too many times on carbolic acid in order that the in-spector shall not be overcome by the capitalist class.

Green's latest expression of love for

And he states, "Basically there is an identical interest (Green's bold The International Defense Com- face) on the part of investors, manmittee for the release of Paul and agement, and wage-earners in the Gertrude Ruegg, with such members general readjustment which I am convinced we are about to make."

THERE'S a Socialist hero for you.

#### **Unemployed Tobacco** Workers Storm Big Factory in Saloniki

SALONIKI, Greece, June 9 .- Hundreds of unemployed tobacco workers After breaking through the police cor-

#### Turning on the Switch at Dnieprostroy



### S. P. Sports Leaders Sell Out to Hitler

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, May 31.-The Reichenberg "Vorwaerts" prints two documents illustrating the unprecedented betrayal of the socialist leadership of the Workers' Sport Association in Germany. The first alist leadership of the Workers' Sport Association in Germany. The first document is a letter written by the Association's president, C. Gellert, to Dr. Frick, Nazi Minister of the Interior. Gellert points out the Association's continuous battle gainst the and was among the followers of the Central Committee of the V.K.P.B.

ation's continuous battle gainst the . position local sports organizations with 100,000 members were expelled in 1928, and requests that the Year in 1928, and requests that the Nazi measures taken against the Association be revoked. Gellert says in his letter:

"Never Hostile to Government." our conflicts with the Communist-Drills are outdoors.

Bolshevist tendencies . . . The Association and its local organizations boasts there are five million mem-

cept sport sections of the Reichs-

"Sincere Desire for Cooperation." Germany has caused a complete officers have an oval insignia. In the overturn in all fields of public life.

No one can ignore this fact. Our "Khaki Shirts, Awake!" which cer-Association also acknowledges the new state of affairs . . . . . Our attitude to the new State is one of sincere desire for cooperation with bor.

In conclusion, the leaders of the demonstrated in front of the big Symenoglu factory, demanding work. Workers' Sport Association in Ger-many were all leading members of 4. No.

"Training of the young was consciously in support of the State and never hostile to it, which explains our conflicts with the Communist-Shirts of America are trying to build ward."

never combatted the government, neither before the War nor in the diculously claimed seven million. He post-war period. Our energetic attack against Communist tendencies are an American fascist movement

Captain Art Smith, bonus march Young Socialist betrayer, is the commander-in-chief League or other forbidden organiza- and lives here. There are three meettions as members. It also forbids ings weekly in different sections of the wearing of buttons and the car- the city, few of them well attended. rying of flags or pennants during Evidently the boys' hero is Hitler, for their salute is the arm stretched out in perpendicular fashion. Little blue In a circular letter to all district and county sport leaders the Executive says: "The national upsurge in the conference."

A permitting that the conference of the question of the devaluation of the senger boys are worn with "khaki shirts" in yellow. The self-appointed in the Conference. tainly swells of Hitler.

2. Compulsory arbitration (labor

to be denied the right to strike).

### Gusev-the Life History of a Veteran Bolshevik

prominent political figure, Communist, Gusev began his activities in the nist, Gusev began his activities in the social-political movement while still a railway district. In the spring of 1906 he was delegated from the Mospupil in the technicum in Rostov-onthe-Don. In 1896 he entered the Petersburg Technological Institute.

That year also, he entered the Union rested and sent to prison after which of Struggle for the Emancipation of the Working Class, participated in the organization of an illegal printing in Berezov one year, Gusey was ing shop, printed proclamations, distributed illegal literature, etc. On March 4, 1897, Gusev partici-

pated in the demonstration at the

Kazan Cathedral in Petersburg (this Vetrova, in the Peter and Paul for-tress). On March 21, 1897, Gusev against the "recallists" and "liquidawas arrested and at the end of September exiled to Orenburg. At the beginning of 1899 Gusev was transferred to Rostov-on-Don on parole.

From 1900 to 1903 Gusev particitions of the property pated very actively in the Don committee of the Russian Social Democratic Workers' Party, and was with party work whatsoever straight those who fought on the side of the through to 1917. During the Novem-"Iskra." He participated in the ber revolution, Gusev was secretary leadership of the famous 1902 Rastov of the Military-Revolutionary Com-

At the second congress of the Rus- posts Lenin. After that congress he car-ried on a sharp struggle against the and a member of the colligium of mensheviks. At the end of 1904 the Peoples Commissars, Workers and Gusev began to work as secretary of Peasants Inspection of the U.S.S.R., APE FASCISTS

the Petersburg Committee of the R. in 1926 head of the Party History
S. D. W. P. and in the "Majority Division of the Central Committee.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—The Knaki (1905) in the publication of "For-Shirts of America are trying to build ward." In May, 1905, after escaping ward." Committee of the V.K.P.B. At the the R.S.D.L.P. (C)-Bolshevik group. national.

GUSEV, Sergei Ivanovitch (Drab-lin, Jacob Davidovich), born 1874 Committee of the R.S.D.L.P. (b), at cow organization to attend the IV session congress of the R.S.D.L.P. (b) rested and sent to prison, after which he was exiled to the Ferezov Tobolski transferred to Tobolsk, from where he escaped to Moscow in 1909.

On Military Front.

During all of 1909 Gusev travelled demonstration was in protest against throughout all the cities of Russia the suicide of a woman revolutionist, on the instructions of the Central

strike, and in the 1903 March demonstration, after which he was compelled to emigrate to Geneva.

The Minister March and in the Minister of Petrograd. After the Nomittee of Petrograd. After

### ADMIT FUTILITY In another letter the Association's Executive demands of its subordinate organizations that they not ac-

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

conflict with its greatest rival, England, en almost every point on the Conference's agenda. This conflict,

French Aim Last Minute Blows

wards answering measures taken by foreign governments and exceptional and unforeseen circumstances of a nations, is clearly shown by this

Dollar

### RAND SCHOOL ASKS AID AS "THE BEST BULWARK AGAINST REVOLUT

### Times, World-Telegram, New Republic-Conservative Capitalists, Liberals, Socialists and Renegades Alike, Solicit for Foe of Communism

Liberal World-Telegram Also Supports Rand School

But not only the reactionary capi-The feature writer of the World- ter bulwark against revolution than lutionary socialists to call themselves Telegram, Dr. Harry Elmer Barns, the out-and-out capitalist schools. wrote quite a piece the other day in The last have been exposed and. imports of copper alloys rose from behalf of the Rand School. It should anyway, workers seldom manage to 1.743 tons to 5,942 tons. Zinc imports increased from 1,607 to 14,545 bring good results from the sources enter those schools. The Rand School interested in the success of the education and similar Socialist Party educations. tional work of the Rand School, correctly outlined by Dr. Barnes.

Under the appropriate heading tolitres. Imports of raw cotton and "Safeguards of Order," Dr. Barnes wool both nearly doubled in the last writes in his department, "The Lib-"If liberalism fails successfully to meet the crisis, the next line of

defense against extreme radicalism will be the moderate Socialism taught at the Rand School of So-Science. This institution in New York City is the only important unit in American higher education which is designed to instruction in Socialist doctrine."

Having recognized in the Socialism the Rand School "the next line of defense against extreme radicalism" it is but natural that Dr. Barnes should favor the maintenance not one, but a score of Rand Schools." After endorsing the fund appeal of the School "to maintain work unbroken," Dr. Barnes conwith the following terse cludes

"The inculcation of such doc-School will be more effective in teachings of a thousand conventional institutions that fail to come grips with the realities of to-

mes knows whereof

By ALEXANDER TRACHTENBERG purveying liberal opinions to a chain | Communists and belonged to the | the case of Calhoun and several oth- | Marxism-Leninism. Under the | The Workers School Now Center for tional endeavors are attended by

liberal World-Telegram agree upon the reasons of their espousal of the Rand School. The first, because it cialism that is taught there "is the next line of defense againse extreme radicalism." The writers of the Times and the World Telegram like the Sopapers to support both.

When Norman Thomas receives an honorary degree from reactionary Princeton, when his candidacy is boosted by the Liberal World-Telegoist, General Pershing, it is because they like the Socialism of the leader of the Socialist Party and it is be cause they see in him an able misleader of the working class.

Honest workers who go to the Party, upon reading the opinions of the capitalist press quoted above and examining the activities of these organizations in the labor movement.

Communists and their parties Com-

The Rand School During the War

The Rand School, organized some attacked and represented as an en- tee pogroms (May 1, 1919), and secret service agents.

cialism of the Rand School and of ing it now occupies, it raised \$100,the Socialist Party, and use their 000 under the banner of support of itant anti-war position. The writer the Rand School denoted, according of these lines, then a member of the to the N. Y. State Attorney General, teaching and administrative staff of gram or when he is declared to be gram or when he is declared to be Russian Revolution and pledging the Schools' support to the Bolshevik

> During the years 1917-1919 the Nearing was expelled from Pennsylvania University, he was invited to become a member of the staff. When Harry Dana was thrown out of Columbia, he came to teach at the limits, he came to teach at the limits of the school since that period shows world of difference in this attitude. School Meneced." There is a crismast shun such an institution and relieved of wer dest payments to join the educational activities of the concludes by writing staff. When record of an honest workingclass institution, although it was not contained throughout. The activities of the school since that period shows world of difference in this attitude. School Farty — The Workers concludes by writing that "In the event a token payment is rejected militant trade unions and other revolutionary fraternal or cultural Britain in respect of the instalment or consultant in its behalf.

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The Persecution of the School

pionage law for publishing an anti-

education, brought to its doors bands and staff. When a High School teacher was dismissed "for supporting Bol-shevism," his dismissel was approved by the Luck Comment are growing.

School free of any militant elements

Must Expose Rand School sense," and second, because the So- of hooligans, who tried to organize er was dismissed "for supporting Bolby the Lusk Committee which de- and in complete control of the re-When the Rand School conducted clared "that the accusation was ac'a drive in 1977 to purchase the build- curate was shown by his subsequent open connection with the Rand School as a teacher of revolutionary the Russian Revolution and of a mil- Socialist doctrines." Association with to the N. Y. State Attorney General, connection with "a preparatory school center. The masses of workers who now by the same elements and every the Rand School, travelled in behalf for extremely revolutionary organiza-

The Break With the Past

Hillquit's refusal to defend the School workers combine their studies with in court proceedings which it still had revolutionary activity, aiming to The School was tried and con- pending against it. Failure to ap- cquip themselves to be better fightvicted during the war under the es- prove or support the platform and ers and leaders of the working war pamphlet. It published under the qualified one from connection with School also to attract those working-editorship of the writer the first the teaching staff or administration class elements who still may go to workers and "the doctrines that are 27 years ago as a Socialist School, Lenin pamphlet in English issued in of the School, although the School the Rand School in the belief that taught" there "will be more effective needed funds on other occasions. But this country which went through officially reported to the Garland it is conducted in the interest of

actionary elements

A Story Of Betrayal

years, have deserted it. Petty-bour- class interests of the workers. The heads of the Rand School like crats and S. P. functionaries tend to it has become a

program of the Socialist Party dis- es. It is the task of the Workers ly condemned such payments and we

in staving off revolution than the the capitalist press did not come to teachings in thousand of conventionits aid then. On the contrary, it was ed by the notorious Lusk Committee the Rand School has ever been disacter of the Rand School must be The conservative Times and the beral World-Telegram agree upon the reasons of their espousal of the reasons of the reasons of their espousal of the reasons of ciplined or subjected to any pressure made known to these workers and The cleansing begen in 1921 under school year and the educational needs Must Expose Rand School The precent support accorded so lavishly to the Rand School by the

capitalist press must be made known among the workers. Honest The post-war history of the Rand workers will understand that the School is a story of the betrayal of Rand School was hounded before bethe workers who helped to build the cause it was true to the class intermade the School throb with life and assistance is offered to it by them, hum with activity during the war because it is no longer true to the geois elements, trade union burea- stead of a revolutionary beacon light revolution. Instead of being a source payment, this would not to dwell on this period of the School the affairs of the School now. revolution. Instead of being a source when it suits their purposes. But a There was a time when the Rand of enlightenment and for the develop-Rand School became the haven for previous record of service in the cause School was considered a menace by mort of class-consciousness among sition that since it now receives teachers expelled from colleges and of working class emancipation is only the capitalist press. Now the Times workers, it aims to retard their presschoo' for their socialist and antiwar views and activities. When Scott
maintained throughout. The activities "Rand School Menaced." There is a ers must shun such an institution and relieved of war debt payments to

production and commerce, the gov-ernment is authorized . . ." etc. The aggressive nature of the bill and its

U. S. To Maintain Depreciated

LONDON, June 11.—That the fall-Conference's agenda. This conflict, on the question of debts, tariffs, the devaluation of the pound and the dollar, will be the determining factor the United States delegation here vesterday. "Unless the tariff situation is improved (he means the European countries modify their tariffs against the United States) any Their program includes:

1. Minimum of 70c an hour for la
1. Minimum of 70c an hour for lagovernment has ta'in measures to the administration had been depress increase her bargairing strength at ing the dollar. Morrison replied: "I the parley and at the same time de- think that the administration has felt 3. Universal compulsory military liver a smashing attack on her eco- that some move in that direction nomic rivals in general and the United would be beneficial to our internal 4. No one allowed to make over States in particular. The first of situation." In other words, the adthe German Social Democratic party. Their cowardly belly-crawlling ty. Their cowardly belly-crawlling the fascist movement, due to the cabinet for the raising of the cabinet for the cabinet for the raising of the cabi don, they forced their way into the factory and beat up the manager. Strong police reinforcements had to be summoned to clear the factory, German Socialist leaders to carry on but it must be dragged out into the a special surtax of 15 per cent on all trade also reaps an advantage over many workers, men and women, being any fight against the Fascist terror light to show this danger, spreading American imported goods. The text its economic rivals by dollar deprecia--R. C. of the bill reads: "With a view to- tion, and it is this aspect of Roosevelt's inflation policy that England and especially France, objects to. In reply to these people, Morrison says lief" in Washington that the dollar will be allowed to go back to its old

French Default Certain.

PARIS, June 11.-Finance Minister Bonnet, one of the leaders of the French delegation to the Economic Paris Soir, said: "It is no longer possible to maintain massive payments from one nation to another." The reference was to the war debt payments which France owes the United States, and which falls due on the 15th of June. He added, "The Lausanne Conference solemnremain true to its decisions." This is the clearest indication that the French government has yet given that they intend to default on the payment.

English Reported Planning Part

LONDON, June 11.-It is reported that a majority of the cabinet is agreed on a policy of part paymen of the war debt due the United States. The plan is to submit a definite proposal to the White House, and await the American reaction to this partial offer, which the English will probably suggest should

made in silver rather than gold. The Sunday Times, which usually follows rather closely the mind of today, saying that Great Britain has requested the United States to suspend the war debt payments due on June 15 until a final settlement was negotiated. If negotiations would be made more easy by a token out, though England takes the po-- nothing from its debtors or from re-