

SAN FRANCISCO WORKERS IN RALLY DEFY TERROR

Hitler, As President, Launches "Referendum" Terror

UNITED FRONT ANTI-WAR PARADE TOMORROW

Call Issued To Meeting By T.U.U.C.

Browder to Be Among Speakers At Madison Square Park

NEW YORK—The Trade Union Unity Council yesterday issued a call to all unions of New York City to join the united front anti-war parade and demonstration called by the American League Against War and Fascism.

The demonstration will be held tomorrow. Workers will assemble with banners and placards at 1 p.m. at Columbus Circle, 59th Street and Eighth Avenue.

The marchers will move to Madison Square Park where a mass meeting will be held.

Earl Browder, general secretary of the Communist Party, will speak. Other speakers will include Sam Nesson of the Trade Union Unity Council, Rabbi Ben Bokser, Mary Allen of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Irving Leichter of the Young Circle League, and Louis Hyman of the Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union.

Children will mobilize at 36th Street and Eighth Avenue. At least 2,000 Young Pioneers are expected to join the march at that point.

The demonstration tomorrow will be a very colorful one. Nurses, hospital workers, medical students, members of the Civil Conservation Corps, veterans and other groups will march in uniform. Many contingents will have their own bands. Negro and white workers from Harlem will mobilize uptown and march to Columbus Circle in a body.

The American League Against War and Fascism reports that fifty preliminary outdoor rallies in different parts of the city will be held tonight. The league issued a call yesterday for volunteers to come to the office of the City Central Committee, 213 Fourth Ave., at 10 a.m. tomorrow to aid in preparations.

Following are the mobilization points for organizations participating in the anti-war demonstration tomorrow:

- Mobilization on Central Park West from 59th St. North to 86th St.
- 59th-60th St.—1. Workers Ex-Service-men League; 2. C.O.C. Protective League; 3. Nurses; 4. Hospital Workers; 5. Medical Center; 6. Bellevue; 7. Social Workers; 8. Ministers; 9. Professional Alliance A.W.P.; 10. Pharmacists Union.
- 60th-61st St.—11. Marine Workers; 12. Workers International Relief; 13. Association of Professional Employee Employees; 14. Relief Workers; 15. United Action Committee.
- 62nd-63rd St.—16. Unemployment Councils; 17. Women's Councils; 18. Women's International League for Peace and Freedom; 19. Teachers Organization; 20. Unemployed Teachers Association.
- 63rd-64th St.—21. American League Youth Branches; 22. Youth Clubs; 23. Young Circle League; 24. International Workers Order, Youth Branches; 25. Trade Union Youth Groups; 26. Labor Sports Union; 27. Foreign Language Youth Groups; 28. Unaffiliated Youth.
- 64th-65th St.—28. National Student League; 29. Young Communist League; 30. Trade Union Youth Groups; 31. Labor Sports Union; 32. Foreign Language Youth Groups; 33. Unaffiliated Youth.
- 65th-66th St.—31. Branches of the American League Against War and Fascism; 32. Neighborhood Committees American League Against War and Fascism.
- 67th-68th St.—33. Independent Federation of Labor Councils; 33. Independent Unions.
- 68th-69th St.—34. Trade Union Unity League Unions.
- 69th-70th St.—35. Communist Party.
- 70th-71st St.—36. Anti-Fascist Organizations; 37. Anti-Imperialist Organizations.
- 71st-72nd St.—38. Friends of the Soviet Union.
- 72nd-73rd St.—39. United Front Supporters; 40. Film and Photo League; 41. Artist; 42. New Workers Theatre; 43. Workers Laboratory Theatre.
- 73rd-74th St.—44. Artists Union; 45. Dance Groups; 46. Pen and Hammer; 47. Pierre Deguyter Club; 48. Workers Music League; 49. Press.
- 74th-75th St.—50. League of Struggle for Negro Rights.
- 75th-76th St.—51. Harlem Groups.
- 76th-77th St.—52. International Labor Defense; 53. Icor.
- 77th-78th St.—54. International Workers Order.
- Language Groups and Workers Clubs: 78th-79th St.—55. English; 56. Jewish; 57. German; 58. Russian; 59. Ukrainian; 60. Polish.
- 79th-80th St.—61. Lithuanian; 62. Hungarian; 63. Lettish; 64. Estonian; 65. Roumanian; 66. Armenian.
- 80th-81st St.—67. Irish; 68. Italian; 69. French; 70. Spanish; 71. Greek; 72. Latin American.
- 81st-82nd St.—73. Chinese; 74. Japanese; 75. Finnish; 76. Scandinavian; 77. Turkish; 78. Miscellaneous.

I. W. O. Drive to Begin

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 1.—The membership drive of the Ohio district of the International Workers Order will be formally opened here by the second annual district picnic of the organization on Aug. 26 at Stop 25, Kinsman Road. The organization is preparing for an attendance of 5,000. Movies and an extensive sports program is being planned.

4,000 NEGROES DEFEND THEMSELVES AGAINST PHILA. POLICE ATTACK

PHILADELPHIA, August 2.—Culminating a long campaign of terror, wholesale evictions, discrimination in relief, brutal clubbings, Jim Crowism in neighborhood theatres and stores, the police have placed the Negro neighborhood about 22d and Master Sts. under martial law, with streets roped off, and workers ordered to stay indoors.

Last night police roamed the streets, arresting every Negro they could catch, and spreading the vicious rumor that Negroes had broke out in a race riot.

Last night an especially vicious attack on a young Negro woman, added to the long list of provocations and acts of terror, precipitated a mass outpouring of 4,000 workers in protest. Police immediately swooped down on the neighborhood, began driving workers off the street, roped off the neighborhood and arrested seventy-five Negro workers in stores, on the street, as they got off trolley cars on their way home.

Mass Protest Forces LaGuardia to Cancel Union "License" Order

NEW YORK—It took exactly six days of mass pressure and protests from unions and working class organizations to break up Police Commissioner O'Ryan's fascist plan to register, photograph and issue police visas to union leaders.

Mass protest did the trick. Yesterday Mayor LaGuardia was forced to order his sabre-rattling Chief to cancel the registration plan.

Hardly had the order been issued over the Police teletype last Saturday requiring "responsible" unions to submit proper identifications for their legally authorized representatives than a storm of organized protest broke over the heads of the Mayor and General O'Ryan.

American Federation of Labor Unions, the Trade Union Unity Council of Greater New York and all its affiliated unions, the Communist Party, the International Labor Defense, the Civil Liberties Union and scores of workers' organizations, bombarded the City Hall and Police Headquarters with protests demanding that the order be cancelled. The American Newspaper Guild representing 8,000 newspaper men and women issued a vigorous statement through its secretary, Jonathan Eddy, de-

Picket Badly Beaten By Hired Gangster

NEW YORK.—Samuel Brickman, member of Local 338 of the Fruit and Vegetable Clerk's Union, was brutally beaten yesterday on the picket line in front of the Hyman and Novick Store, 261 Schenectady Ave., Brooklyn, by a "Sailor" Hoss, a thug hired by the store owners to break the strike that has been going on at the store for two months.

Strike Threat Brings Reinstatement of Five

NEW YORK.—Five workers who were fired from the A. Rosenberg clothing shop, 16 East 52nd St., were reinstated after the Custom Tailoring Workers Industrial Union has threatened to call a strike in the establishment.

The strike of 125 workers of Schanz, Inc., 745 Fifth Ave., is solid and picketing is being continued. Preparations are being made by the union for a strike in September throughout the custom tailoring industry. Shop chairmen and active union members will meet at the union headquarters, 49 West 46th St., Monday, Aug. 6, to work out plans for the strike.

Will Call for "Ballotting" This Month

Heimwehr Loyalty to Nazi Chief Called Doubtful

BERLIN, August 2.—Moving swiftly to prevent the outbreak of new winter political struggles among Fascist ruling cliques, Adolf Hitler today made himself President of Germany by merging his office of Chancellor with the office made vacant when President Von Hindenburg died this morning.

In an attempt to terrorize the population into a "ratification" of his new political moves, Hitler has called for a "national referendum" which will be used to give some semblance of mass support for the Fascist regime. The referendum will take place some time between August 19 and 26.

"The referendum" will take place under conditions of growing terrorism, the method resembling the wholesale terrorization which marked the last "elections" in the Reich.

The death of Hindenburg has been seized as the occasion for a renewed barrage of Nazi propaganda calling for "national unity," that is to say, for support of the policies of the Fascists.

Disputes Over Army. The significance of Hitler's quick move to forestall any disputes over the new alignment of office on the death of Hindenburg is that with his new office Hitler now takes official command of the armed forces, including the Heimwehr, the highly trained picked troops of Germany.

An oath of loyalty to Hitler was immediately administered to the Heimwehr by General Von Blomberg.

But it is significant of the inner disputes among the fascists that one of the commanders of the Heimwehr, Werner Von Fritsch, has still made no public declaration of support.

An authoritative source in the British Government declared that "there is considerable doubt whether the Reichswehr will be as loyal to Hitler as it was to Hindenburg."

George Lansbury, Parliamentary leader for the Labor Party of England joined in the universal chorus of praise which the bourgeoisie of all countries is heaping upon the Kaiser's leading Junker-Fascist dictator of the German ruling class. "He was a great soldier," Lansbury said, "after the war he appeared to do the best for his country."

Hindenburg was elected President of Germany by the support of the German Socialist Party whose leaders hailed him as the "best bulwark against Hitler." Soon after his election he turned the reins of government over to Hitler.

POLICE ATTACK INJURES EIGHT

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Aug. 2.—Seven workers and a woman were injured here last night when state troopers charged into a group of strikers at the Ames-Baldwin Wyoming Shovel works. The state police used guns, clubs and tear gas. Over 500 are on strike

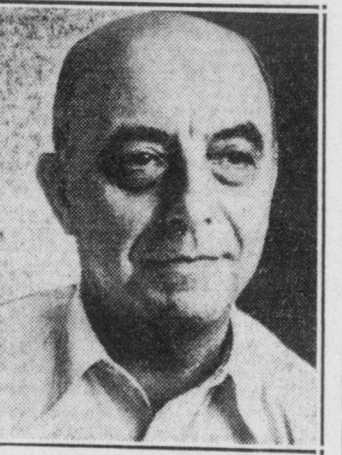
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All Readers Into 'Daily' Drive!

By GEORGE WISHNAK, Mgr., Daily Worker

THE week of August 5-12 has been set aside as "Daily Worker Week," when every Party member and sympathizer must enter the drive to complete the quota of 20,000 new readers and make its success a matter of personal responsibility. We know that the drive can only succeed if every organization and individual performs a share of the necessary work.

Connecticut has gone over the top! Seven Districts have secured from fifty to one hundred and six per cent of their quotas in half the time allotted. Several Districts have turned serious circulation losses into



GEORGE WISHNAK substantial gains in a period of days. New York has trebled its Red

Builder staff without cutting into the sales of those operating before the drive. At the same time, newsstand sales have held up during what is normally an off season. Boston, Chicago, Paterson, Indianapolis and other cities have also jumped in street sales, proving that Red Builder activity is successful elsewhere.

Workers, ready and willing to buy our "Daily," pass street corners by the thousands. They do not read our "Daily" simply because we have not perfected our methods for reaching them.

The same condition exists on the question of subscriptions. Where organizations and individual readers have gone out inten-

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180 Await Decisions Of Courts

Western Worker Out on Streets Again in Special Edition

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Aug. 2.—A mass meeting attended by 700 persons, and addressed by speakers for the Communist Party and the International Labor Defense as well as other prominent individuals, broke through the terror here last night. It was called by the Anti-Fascist League.

The Western Worker, West Coast organ of the Communist Party, whose offices and printing plant were raided and destroyed by vigilantes two weeks ago, was on the streets today in a special edition and is selling rapidly.

Of the hundreds of workers arrested, 120 are being held for trial, and sixty are held pending appeals from convictions. Of these, fifty are held on deportation charges by Frances Perkins' federal agents. Twenty-eight are being held in Sacramento on criminal syndicalism charges.

Last night's meeting was held in the Knights Red Branch Hall despite police intimidation and cancellation of the permit for the meeting in the city-owned Polk Hall. Harry Jackson, Marine Workers Industrial Union organizer, Leo Gallagher, International Labor Defense attorney, Sara Bard Field, and Ernie Scott Wood were among the speakers.

Federal injunctions restraining city and state authorities from making further attacks against the Marine Workers' and other working-class organizations have been taken out. Civil suits for damages and return of property from these centers are pending. The first jury trial, that of Harry Jackson, began today with the selection of a jury.

An urgent appeal for funds to be sent directly to San Francisco was made by Joseph Wilson, district secretary of the International Labor Defense. A minimum of \$2,500 is needed immediately to carry on the defense of those arrested, he announced.

These funds should be sent directly to the International Labor Defense, Post Office Box 1127.

At the same time the I. L. D. urged the intensification of the national campaign of protest against the arrest and deportation proceedings, to be addressed to Governor Frank Merriam, Sacramento, California, and to Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins, Washington, D. C., to support the struggle for the freedom of the West Coast strike prisoners.

Labor Council Condemns Raids (Special to the Daily Worker)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—An indication of the rising popular reaction against fascist excesses by the so-called vigilantes is the action of the Santa Clara Building Trades Central Labor Council Tuesday night in passing a resolution condemning attacks and raids on workers' homes and headquarters of their organizations.

This is especially significant since it was in San Jose, the county seat, that lynch action was endorsed by ex-governor of California Ralph. It was in San Jose where the wave of terror reached its lowest point of sadistic destruction of homes and offices of suspected communists.

Livestock Exchange Tries to Open With Scab Handled Stock

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 2.—The Chicago livestock exchange voted to resume trading today, for the first time since the livestock handlers' strike, now in its ninth day. The commission market will be dealing in scab handled shipments.

Rank and File Painters' Strike Leadership Checks Plans of Bosses, Thugs and Zausner

Jailed for Six Months

VINELAND, N. J., Aug. 2.—William C. O'Donnell was sentenced to six months in jail today on a framed-up charge of assault and battery growing out of his participation in the Seabrook Farms strike. Two hundred strikers and sympathizers were barred from the courtroom.

Armed Forces Arrest Seventy In Minneapolis

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 2.—Picketing continued throughout the city today, the roving truck drivers eluding national guardsmen in many cases to stop trucks. Seventy pickets were arrested today and fifty-three were held by the national guards.

Adjutant General E. Walsh, who was named by Olson as military dictator in the Farmer-Labor governor's proclamation of martial law, issued a new order today which tightened the strikebreaking measures of Olson's troops. He said: "It shall be unlawful to obstruct, molest, delay, hinder, disturb, annoy or interfere in any manner whatsoever with the control, movement or operation of vehicles of any kind or nature or the drivers thereof." This order is aimed to strengthen the regulations against picketing issued by Walsh when he was called in by Olson.

The military returned the strike headquarters to the drivers' Local Union 574 today. The settlement proposed by the employers today included the retention of scabs and stated: "No employer shall be required to return to employment any man now out on strike who is definitely known to have been an active participant in unlawful acts in the

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Committees of Locals Condemn Moves of Zausner

NEW YORK — The classic New Deal method of strike-breaking is being applied vigorously but with little effect to the strike of the 12,000 New York painters.

Although boss painters, gangsters, the N.R.A. and the illegal Zausner leadership of the Painters Brotherhood have formed a broad united front of reaction against the strike, there is another united front—the united front of the rank and file painters—which is growing stronger as the strike continues. It is this united front that is breaking through the barriers of the New Dealers, that is making it uneasy for the Zausner crowd and has thrown the Master Painters Association into a cold sweat.

One can rest assured that in the private chambers of Mr. Phillip Zausner, the gentleman who has taken it upon himself to negotiate settlements over the head of the rank and file, there was considerable wailing and gnashing of teeth when he received the report yesterday that members of the Brotherhood of Painters had united with members of the Alteration Painters Union and were picketing the Sheridan Square Hotel at 72nd St. and Broadway.

Not Good for Bosses

Horror of horrors! This was surely against the official policy of the strike-breaking leadership of District Council 9! Such a united front is not good for the bosses, nor is it good for Mr. Zausner.

Zausner, seeing the rank and file taking control of the situation, is anxiously looking forward to a date he has down at 45 Broadway next Tuesday with the ladies and gentlemen of the N.R.A., where an attempt will be made to end the strike on the basis of the Master Painters' proposal—\$1 an hour and the 8-hour day. This would be a

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Herndon \$15,000 Bail Fund Oversubscribed by \$1,324

Plans Now Under Way For Release

Impetus Gained for the Scottsboro-Herndon Defense Fund

NEW YORK.—Thousands of workers and sympathizers, joining in a huge nation-wide campaign had oversubscribed the \$15,000 Herndon bail fund by \$1,324.45 at noon Thursday, the International Labor Defense announced.

Arrangements are being made at this moment in Atlanta in preparation for the immediate release of Angelo Herndon, heroic young Negro leader, on bail. Certain technicalities raised by the State of Georgia will have to be overcome, following which a delegation arranged by the International Labor Defense, the bail fund trustees, and Joseph Brodsky, chief I. L. D. counsel, will leave for Atlanta to deposit the bail and secure Herndon's release.

The question of the safety of Angelo Herndon from the Southern lynchers, between his release from his Fulton Tower torture cell and his departure from the state becomes now of paramount importance the I. L. D. said.

Lynch Sentiment Cited
Not since the lynching of Leo Frank have the white bosses in Atlanta whipped up such lynch sentiment in regard to a prisoner, according to word received here by the I. L. D.

Thousands of telegrams from every part of the country, from every individual, every organization, friendly to the fight for Angelo Herndon and against lynching, to Governor Eugene Talmadge, Atlanta, Georgia, demanding guarantees of safety for Angelo Herndon on his release, was called for by the I. L. D. These telegrams should be sent immediately, and continue in the greatest flood to foil the lynchers' plans.

With the bail fund for Herndon raised, the continuation of the drive, and turning of the impetus gained through this victorious achievement of the American working-class, to the raising of the \$15,000 Scottsboro-Herndon defense fund becomes an urgent task.

During the 25 days in which the \$15,000 bail fund was raised, only \$1,492.10 was contributed to the defense fund which is urgently needed from day to day to carry through the deense of Angelo Herndon and of Clarence Norris and Heywood Patterson, Scottsboro boys, whose lynch sentence are being appealed to the U. S. Supreme Court.

Great Achievement

"The collection of \$15,000 in loans for the Herndon bail within a space of 25 days, is a tremendous achievement in working-class solidarity," the I. L. D. said. "But in order to safeguard Herndon, to save him and the Scottsboro boys, the campaign must be continued with increased intensity. Herndon has been saved from being immediately sent to torture and death on the chain-gang. A stay of execution has been obtained for the Scottsboro boys."

"Now we face the major task of completing these partial victories, of forcing complete reversal of the lynch sentences, and obtaining the freedom of those victims of lynch justice."

Funds are essential, and must be obtained from day to day in large sums. Rush these funds to the national office of the International Labor Defense, Room 430, 80 East 14th Street."

The I. L. D. also announced that an appeal is being made to convert the \$1,300 oversubscribed for the Herndon bail into defense funds. Honor certificates will be issued for all those organizations and individuals who wish to turn their loans into contributions. These new certificates will be sent out in exchange for all bail-fund certificates turned into the national office of the I. L. D.

The most intensive activity was also called for in obtaining signatures and contributions on the Scottsboro-Herndon collection. Nature lists issued by the I. L. D.

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Bet. Pitkin and Sutter Aves., Brooklyn

Dr. Maximilian Cohen
Dental Surgeon
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INTERNATIONAL RESTAURANT and BAR
322 Lenox Avenue - New York
Bet. 128th and 127th Streets

35,000 ADOPT RINGING UNITY CALL TO SOCIALISTS AT ANTI-WAR MEET

Early Word from Cities Tells of Big, Militant Demonstrations

NEW YORK.—A ringing call to the Socialist Party for a united front of struggle against imperialism and war and fascism was enthusiastically issued in a resolution adopted unanimously by 35,000 workers who massed in the huge August First demonstration Wednesday in Union Square.

With 20,000 persons reported in the Square at press time yesterday, thousands were still marching from various parts of the city to join the demonstration. When the resolution calling for a united front was read the Square was jammed and thousands were standing in the park and nearby streets.

The complete resolution follows: "We, 35,000 New York workers in mass demonstration assembled on this International day of struggle against war and fascism, August First, at Union Square, realizing that:

"1. The danger of another world war is more acutely threatening than ever before. The whole capitalist world is armed to the teeth. The armament race is proceeding with break neck speed, and that

"2. The New Deal is carrying through intense armament and war preparations. Over a billion dollars is appropriated for these purposes in 1935. 'The largest peace time army' in our history has been built. Both the U.S.A. and Japan are racing for building a navy second to none."

Carl Brodsky, Communist Party Working Committee Manager and chairman of Wednesday's demonstration, unanimously adopted were: Resolutions professing the use of police troops and "vigilantes" in terror against workers in West Coast and in Minneapolis. Resolution condemning LaGuardia's fascist order for registering "authorized" union officials and the establishment of a militarized police force to deal especially with strikers.

Resolution demanding the freedom of Ernst Thaelmann, leader of the German workers, and all class prisoners and the cessation of terror against workers and Jews in Germany.

Resolution demanding dismissal of charges against Richard Sullivan, secretary of the United Action Conference on Work Relief and Unemployment Insurance and the enactment of the Workers' Unemployment Insurance Bill.

Copies of the resolutions were wired to the proper individuals.

Thousands Demonstrate in Chicago
CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Cheering masses of workers pledged their support for a determined fight against imperialism held here at the call of the Communist Party August 1.

At Union Park thousands of workers were assembled to hear Bill Gebert, District Organizer of the Communist Party and other leaders of the working class, emphasize the need for determined and united action to smash the war schemes of the bosses.

"The Communist Party sent a delegation to the Socialist Party the other day to urge them to unite with us in a fight against war and fascism. The Socialist leaders said that we did not need a united front in Chicago," Gebert stated, "I ask you workers, do we need such a united front?"

The crowd roared one mighty "Yes." Gebert climaxed his speech with the following statement: "I pledge to the workers here that the Communist Party in Chicago will do everything in its power to turn the coming imperialist war into a civil war for the overthrow of capitalism."

4,000 in Los Angeles Meet
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 2.—Four thousand workers massed here in a militant demonstration yesterday to protest against imperialism and growing fascist terror. Resolutions pledging support to the Communist Party and against attacks on the Party and West Coast workers were passed. An open hearing of the Congressional Committee investigating Communist activities was demanded.

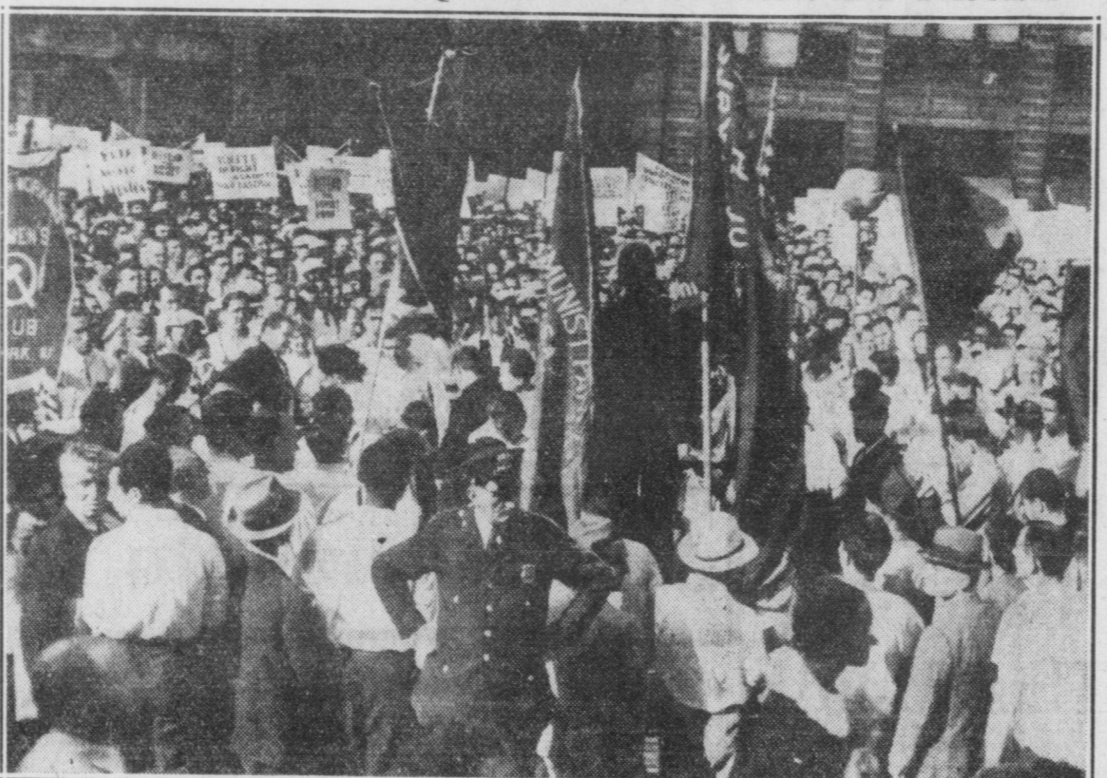
Lawrence Ross, speaker for the Communist Party, was given an enthusiastic ovation after his speech. A workers' committee, sent to the German Consulate to demand the release of Ernst Thaelmann and other anti-fascist prisoners in Germany, was refused admittance.

Arrest Steel Leader in Warren
WARREN, Ohio, Aug. 2.—Police arrested Joe Dallet, rank and file steel leader, when he exposed the present sell-out of the Warren Niles Republic steel workers at yesterday's Aug. 1 demonstration against war and fascism attended by over 3,000 workers.

Dallet was grabbed off the platform and thrown into jail on the orders of the Safety Commissioner. Police then broke up the meeting. Before Dallet was arrested the demonstrators cheered John Steuben, Youngstown section organizer of the Communist Party, who spoke against imperialist war and fascism.

Cops Attack Indianapolis Meet
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 2.—Police viciously attacked the workers demonstrating against imperialist war and fascism yesterday and arrested Sol Larks, speaker for the Communist Party, and Clarence Wilson of the International Labor

PROTEST IN UNION SQUARE AGAINST WAR AND FASCISM



Fully 35,000 workers took part in the demonstration yesterday afternoon in condemnation of war and fascism. Among the speakers were Robert Minor, veteran working class leader; Charles Krumbin, 'organizer of District 2, Communist Party; Roy Hudson, national secretary of the Marine Workers Industrial Union; Rose Wortis, assistant secretary of the T.U.U.C., and Richard B. Moore, national organizer of the I.L.D.

Defense. Larks was badly beaten by the police. The arrests are the tenth in a week's time made by the city regime in its reign of terror against militant workers here.

Chief of Police Morrissey has openly stated he will wreck all Communist meetings. The I. L. D. is defending the workers and is urging that protests be sent to the police chief and the mayor.

Police Attack Lancaster Rally
LANCASTER, Pa., Aug. 2.—An unusually large squad of police, guarding the united front August First mass meeting that was held in center of Lebanon, Pa., at Ninth and Cumberland. More than 1,000 workers gathered for the first time in this Bethlehem Steel-controlled town to demonstrate against the new imperialist war now being prepared by the bosses and bankers.

As Jennie Copper was speaking, police rushed towards the speaker. When it looked like a fight, the committee decided to move the meeting to a private lot. Here again an attempt was made to stop the meeting, but the police failed again.

Police Balked in Flint
FLINT, Mich., Aug. 2.—Breaking through police terror; about three hundred workers held a militant August First demonstration here in Kearsley Park last night. It was the first open air meeting held in this General Motors city for several years that was not smashed by the police. Speakers were I. Greenberg for the Trade Union Unity League, S. Speredon for the American League Against War and Fascism, George Kay for the Young Communist League, and Clarence Killip for the Communist Party.

Nashua Workers Demonstrate
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Police Attack Rally
(Special to the Daily Worker)
TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 2.—The demonstration at Trenton City Hall plaza was broken up by police. Alex White, section organizer of the Communist Party, was arrested. Several hundred workers followed White to the police station and were addressed by Communist Party speakers. White was released immediately under \$100 bail. The trial Thursday morning will be on a disorderly conduct charge.

United Front in Camden
CAMDEN, N. J., Aug. 2.—In a militant united front against imperialism and fascism, 500 Socialist and Communist workers demonstrated at Court House Square on August First, the day of international struggle against war and fascism.

1,000 in Philadelphia
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 2.—One thousand workers massed on Reynolds Plaza here August First and pledged a determined fight against war and fascism in a demonstration called by the Communist Party.

The main speaker was Herbert Benjamin, who called for a united front of all workers and denounced the Socialist Party leadership for turning down united front action in face of the gravest war threat. Other speakers were Lippe, Mills, Powell and Stark.

4,000 at Detroit Rally
DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 2.—Four thousand workers in this war industrial center gathered in Times Square last night and denounced the war preparations of the Roosevelt Government pledging themselves to an unremitting struggle against war and fascism.

The demonstration was the culmination of a three-mile parade through the streets of the city in which about 1,000 persons took part. Gathering at Perrien Park 6 p. m. the workers, led by their organizations, marched to Times Square singing songs and shouting fighting slogans. They carried placards denouncing fascism in

Germany and in the United States, demanding the freeing of Thaelmann, the Scottsboro boys, Angelo Herndon and Tom Mooney, demanding "bread not war" and raising other demands of the Detroit workers.

During the parade the theatre of action of the John Reed Club, traveling by truck, stopped in working class sections and performed a stirring anti-war play, "Troops are marching."

Conference Called In Herndon Defense

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made at the August 8 Emergency Scottsboro-Herndon conference. Thaelmann was foremost among the European workers to fight for the liberation of the Scottsboro Nine. Two years ago, Thaelmann urged upon 150,000 German fellow workers to organize a campaign for the liberation of the Scottsboro boys. In cities all over Germany, demonstrations insisting that the Scottsboro boys shall not die were held in answer to the call of Ernst Thaelmann.

Following the August 8 conference here, similar conferences will be staged all over the country. When this series of mass conferences is over, hundreds of thousands will have been drawn into the campaign for the liberation of the Scottsboro boys and Angelo Herndon, for the enactment and enforcement of the bill of Negro rights, against Jim Crowism, for the fight against "local Scottsboro," and for the fight against lynching.

Petitions for the enactment and enforcement of the Bill for Negro Rights and Suppression of Lynching, and calling for the freedom of Angelo Herndon and the Scottsboro boys, will be distributed through the delegates to attend the New York conference August 8 as well as those who will attend the subsequent conferences all over the country. The goal is to get at least 1,000,000 signatures. Contributions to be made by all the signers of these petitions will go to make up the \$15,000 defense fund needed to carry on the appeals for Angelo Herndon and the Scottsboro boys.

A feature of the mass conferences will be their preparation for tremendous demonstrations all over the country on Aug. 22. That day is the anniversary of the murders of Sacco and Vanzetti. The day has been set aside as National Scottsboro-Herndon day.

Garment Strike Move Is Attacked

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other industries—auto, steel, taxi, etc.—that Regional Labor Boards are organized to break strikes and not to help the workers. "We call on all knitted goods workers to repudiate the maneuvers of Dubinsky to confuse the issues of the strike and throw the whole matter into the lap of the N.R.A. We call on the workers to unite in the fight for wage increases and the 35 hour week."

The Knitted Goods Workers Industrial Union is continuing its efforts to bring about a united strike under one united front elected leadership from all unions.

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Fascist Judge Gives 6 Months To Communist

Heavy Sentence Given for Distributing Free Thaelmann Leaflet

NEW YORK.—A veritable fascist "People's Court" railroad Otto Popovich, organizer of the Jamaica Unemployment Council and Communist Party candidate for assembly in the Fourth District, to six months, ten days in jail and fined \$60 for distributing leaflets calling for the release of Ernst Thaelmann and all anti-Nazi prisoners in Germany. Popovich was tried before Magistrate William Hofmann in Jamaica Magistrate's Court.

Disregarding all evidence of witnesses, Judge William Hofmann, an open Hitler supporter, based his frame-up solely on the fact that Popovich is a Communist. After Popovich had admitted membership in the Communist Party, Hofmann, foaming at the mouth, said:

"That's all I want to know! In view of the fact that you belong to a party that wishes to overthrow this government, I find you guilty. I further recommend that your citizenship be investigated with a view of revoking your naturalization papers and deporting you to the place from which you came from."

Popovich had served three years in the U. S. Navy and has an honorable discharge. He was arrested July 3 while giving out the leaflets at Suptin Boulevard and Jamaica Avenue after being attacked and beaten by a cop.

The Otto Popovich Defense Committee, 104-31 150th Street, Jamaica, is urging all workers to rush funds for his defense. Send protest telegrams Magistrate Hofmann, Magistrate's Court, Parsons Boulevard, Jamaica.

Rank and File Checks Zausner

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\$1 out in the daily wage and an hour increase in the work day over the old agreement, which indeed was never carried out by Zausner. But Zausner is making other moves to break the backbone of the strike. Cap in hand and with bated breath and whispering hubbiness, Zausner is going from boss to boss and is concluding settlements under all sorts of conditions.

This sneaking move was sharply condemned at a meeting of the committees of Locals 848 and 499 yesterday.

Louis Weinstein, speaking for the strike committee of Local 499, said that such settlements were unconstitutional and were nothing more nor less than the acts of a strike-breaker.

"The question of settlement must be placed before the membership for a referendum," Weinstein declared. "In setting with what wages are paid; he is only interested in seeing that members of Local 499 are not employed. Our strike committee has issued a call to all locals urging them to call special meetings where the membership will decide on the individual settlements. In fact, Zausner has no right to make settlements with any employers."

At the meeting of the strike committee held yesterday in the 84th Street Labor Temple a worker made a motion that the committee express appreciation to the Daily Worker for its honest reporting and support of the strike. The motion was adopted and three hundred copies of the Daily Worker were ordered by the strike committee for distribution among the strikers.

Picketing of jobs was intensified yesterday. Today there will be a mass picket demonstration led by Locals 499 and 848 starting at the 84th Street Labor Temple at 11:30 a. m.

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Scottsboro-Herndon Tag Days Are Set For Large Cities

NEW YORK.—Scottsboro-Herndon tag days will be held tomorrow and Sunday, August 4 and 5 in Chicago, Philadelphia, and many other cities by the International Labor Defense.

The I. L. D. is announcing these tag days, has called for the broadest support, both in contributions and in assistance in collecting from all individuals and organizations, who should report for this purpose to their local I. L. D. center.

Entire Towns On Relief Lists In So. Illinois

DEWMAINE, Ill., Aug. 2.—Ninety-five per cent of the 313 families in the exclusively coal mining communities of Dewmaine and Colp, in Williamson County, Illinois, are on relief. Seventy per cent of these families are Negroes. Abandonment of the mines leaves no prospect of future jobs.

Negroes Face Eviction from Company-owned Shacks

Most of the houses in the two towns are owned by the Madison Coal Company. From these shacks at which rain water is the only source of supply, and outhouses are the only toilets, the Negro workers face eviction. No hospital service is available. School service is of a low grade.

In a confidential report submitted to the research section of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, the only relief that is held out to these Negro workers is a program which would include the development of self-sustaining farm projects on the rocky and poor land, development of small local industries, and initiation of work projects for only the immediate needs of the population.

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Arrest 70 Pickets In Drivers' Strike

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present strike." This clause is designed to enable the blacklisting of the most active strikers.

The employers propose that the wages shall remain at fifty cents and forty cents, and that no strike shall be called as long as the Regional Labor Board is in force.

The August First anti-war meeting called by the Communist Party was broken up by the National Guardsmen and Peter Sjobin, Communist candidate for congress in the Third District was arrested. He was released later. The Communist Party has issued a statement urging that a united front conference of all trade unions and workers' organizations be called to support the truck drivers' strike and organize the struggle for the rights of the workers.

Gallagher was released late Tuesday afternoon on bail pending framed-up charges of disorderly conduct and unlawful assembly.

Militants Framed Up

In an effort to discredit Gallagher as a raving trouble maker, Egan tried to convince him with almost every strike in the United States. He attempted to prove that Gallagher had been in the Minneapolis packers strike, the truck drivers strike in the same city, in the Milwaukee strike, and even in San Francisco.

During the course of an hour and a half of intensive questioning about literature found in union headquarters in a raid, and about the leadership of the P.H.W.U., Gallagher was able to learn more from his questioners than they did from him.

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CLEVELAND JOBLESS COUNCILS CALL UNITED FRONT CONFERENCE

All Workers' Groups Bid to Discuss Relief and Social Insurance

Meeting Set for Aug. 19 in Prospect Auditorium—Small Home Owners' Association and M.W.I.U. Have Endorsed Call

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 2.—A call has been issued by the Cleveland Unemployment Councils to all unemployed and relief workers groups, to all trade unions, and to all working class organizations to elect delegates to a United Front Conference on Unemployment Insurance, for adequate cash relief, and for cash rent to the jobless. The conference will be held at the Prospect Auditorium, 2612 Prospect Ave., on Sunday, Aug. 19, at 2 p.m.

The militancy and organization of the unemployed in the face of terror has forced the Cuyahoga County Relief Association to increase food and clothing relief from \$24.50 per family in July to \$27 in August, and to institute cash relief instead of the present grocery orders.

This relief increase shows the correctness of the policy of mass action carried forward by the Unemployment Councils. The united front conference will weld together all possible organizations for a fight for the immediate needs of the unemployed—for the Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill, for a 30-hour week for all relief jobs at trade union wages or equal cash relief, for cash payment of rents, and against discrimination toward Negro and foreign-born workers.

Already the city central committee of the Small Home and Land Owners' Federation and the District Board of the Steel and Metal Workers Industrial Union have endorsed the call and pledged support to the conference.

Urge Protest On Jailing of Cuban Leader Ordoqui Faces Death At Hand of A.B.C. Terrorists

NEW YORK—Following the news that Joaquin Ordoqui, Secretary General of the Confederacion Nacional Obrera de Cuba, is held in jail without bail in Havana, at the mercy of the Menditea government and the A. B. C. terrorists who have sworn to murder him, and who have been looking for him for this purpose for the last month, the International Labor Defense and the Trade Union Unity League issued an urgent call today for protests to Cuban officials demanding his safety and release.

Ordoqui is charged with "having incited the attacks" on the A. B. C. demonstration on June 17, in which a number were killed.

Ordoqui is one of the outstanding leaders of the struggle against American imperialism and its fascist telegrams in Cuba.

Cables, telegrams and protests by every revolutionary organization, to President Menditea, and Colonel Fulgencio Batista, chief of the Cuban terrorist army, at Havana, to Secretary of State Hull at Washington, and these same protest actions with protest delegations in addition, to every Cuban Consulate in America, and to the Cuban Ambassador at Washington, were called for by the I.L.D. and the T.U.U.L.

Intensified response to the appeal of these organizations, published in the Daily Worker of July 12, for funds to assist the defense struggles in Cuba, and for help to the thousands of class war prisoners in Cuba, many of whom were on hunger strikes and are now in urgent need of medical attention, was urged in the appeal.

These funds should be sent to the Daily Worker for transmission to the imprisoned Cuban comrades.

Intensify Drive Week August 5

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sively to get new subscribers and renew old ones, circulation grows. The trouble is that our Party, mass, language and fraternal organizations and the trade unions have so far failed to mobilize the entire membership into the drive.

These three will be added to the state ticket of the Communist Party which already includes the following candidates:

Congressmen at Large, Karl Lockner and LaVerne Pruitt; State Treasurer, Sam Hammersmith; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Romania Ferguson.

Pruitt is a P. M. A. member. Lockner is Secretary of the Cook County Unemployment Councils, and Hammersmith is a member of the I. W. O. and manager of the Workers Book Shop here. Comrade Ferguson is a young Negro instructor at the Workers School.

A Red Builder on every busy street corner in the country means a tremendous step toward the dictatorship of the proletariat.

Bethlehem Steel Co. Announces Lay-offs While Profits Soar

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Aug. 2.—Wholesale layoffs and the introduction of the stagger system is the promise that E. P. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel Company, promises for the steel workers in the latest issue of the Bethlehem Review, news bulletin of the company.

"Operations averaged 51.8 per cent for the first quarter" (April, May, June—Ed.), "current operations are at 26 per cent," Grace states, adding that the stagger system will be introduced.

"The long service men, the most responsible and the most efficient will receive the first consideration when spreading out the work," he says. "The steel industry is near the end of the government financed railroad business, and another month will finish it."

Grace announced net profits of \$8,738,463 for the first quarter of 1934, and \$3,441,642 for the second quarter.

Under the guise of "increases," thousands of workers, both on government relief work and direct relief, were handed a relief slash on Aug. 1, while a small number with large families got slight increases. The new minimum is supposed to be \$6.50 a week, but workers report to the Relief Workers Protective Association that they get as little as \$4.

Workers on the relief projects are called upon to elect delegates and to attend the conference.

Delegation Defying the Police Wins Relief Victory for Unemployed

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 2.—A mass delegation of unemployed workers led by the Third and Fourth Ward Unemployment Councils, demonstrated before the State Relief Administration here Tuesday, and forced E. R. A. secretary Compton to grant their demands for free clothing and adequate housing.

The workers elected a committee of six to represent them. Nick Rand, state chairman of the Relief Workers Organization, was denied admittance, but the firm stand of the workers forced Compton to meet with them. The delegation refused to be provoked by 25 police, armed with riot guns, who were mobilized.

Three Communists Run For Illinois U. Trustees

(Daily Worker Midwest Bureau) CHICAGO, July 31.—Three candidates for trustees of the University of Illinois have been nominated by the District Committee of District 8 of the Communist Party.

These are George Lee, Collinsville, Ill., a member of the Progressive Miners of America, Samuel Lissitz, Chicago student, and Peter Greenblum, also of Chicago, member of the Small Home and Land Owners Federation.

These three will be added to the state ticket of the Communist Party which already includes the following candidates:

Third of New Sub Quota Is Reached; Drive Must Speed

NEARLY 1,300 new subscribers have been secured since the start of the drive, though the net results of subscription activity spell a loss of fourteen readers. This is due to the fact that expirations and cancellations have been greater than the number of new subs received.

For example, Philadelphia secured 27 subscribers during the past week, yet has a net loss of 16 subscribers for the drive period. While this loss is not charged against the sub quota, it is charged against Philadelphia's total quota of 1,000 new readers.

Only four Districts, 1, 2, 4 and 15, have gone over the 50 per cent mark in their sub quota standings. Thirteen Districts have less than 25 per cent of their sub quotas.

While Red Builders, carriers and newstands press forward toward the goal of 20,000 new readers by September 1, the subscription figures prove that members of the Party, mass, language and fraternal organizations, and trade unions, are shirking their responsibilities.

Push the trial sub offer of two months for one dollar. Canvass all friends, relatives and shopmates. Organize Section and Unit Red Sundays and canvass home to home. Get copies of the new booklet, "How to Sell the Daily Worker," and learn how to link up the Daily Worker with election campaigns and other political activity. Give all of your spare time to sub-getting during "Daily Worker Week," August 5 to 12!

Subscriptions July 24-30

District	Increase Since June 19	Quota	New Subs	Percent of Quota
1 Boston	35	250	28	50.0
2 Buffalo	18	275	26	66.5
3 Philadelphia	-16	400	27	30.7
4 Buffalo	27	75	10	85.3
5 Pittsburgh	4	100	5	24.0
6 Cleveland	-30	350	13	23.4
7 Detroit	11	300	11	26.6
8 Chicago	-30	500	28	32.8
9 Minn.	7	200	17	40.0
10 Omaha	-11	70	5	32.8
11 N. Dakota	-12	80	1	21.2
12 St. Louis	10	150	23	50.0
13 Calif.	7	200	8	22.4
14 Newark	-3	200	8	32.0
15 Florida	18	100	11	50.0
16 N. Carolina	10	50	15	50.0
17 Birmingham	3	75	1	6.6
18 Milwaukee	-7	150	8	18.6
19 Denver	-13	75	5	20.6
20 Ft. Worth	7	50	4	36.0
21 St. Louis	-14	50	0	14.0
22 Va.	0	50	0	0.0
23 Kentucky	1	50	0	10.0
24 Louisiana	2	50	0	4.0
25 S. Carolina	3	50	0	6.0
26 S. Dakota	-1	50	0	0.0
C. & D.	1	1	2	2.0
Totals	-14	4,000	226	32.1

Negro Patriotic Group Attacks LSNR Members In Harlem Job Parade

NEW YORK.—Acting under the influence of misleaders, several Negro marchers in the Job Protest Parade in Harlem last Saturday attacked members of the League for Struggle for Negro Rights who marched in the parade with banners calling for a united front struggle against discrimination in jobs and for unemployment relief.

An L. S. N. R. placard was torn from Benita Williams, Harlem secretary of the L. S. N. R., while a white worker, a member of the L. S. N. R. and a veteran fighter for Negro rights, was ousted from the parade by members of the reformist African Patriotic League, who shouted "This is a Negro fight." These people made no objections to the banners of the Democratic and Recovery parties, both parties of the white ruling class lynch.

500 Relief Men Strike On Bear Mountain Jobs

NEW YORK.—Five hundred relief workers on the Bear Mountain relief job struck one hour Monday, in sympathy with striking garage men and foremen, and presented their own demands.

The workers' demands included: a six dollar day, recognition of grievance committees, better training, against the speed-up, and for decent shelter during bad weather.

One of the section foremen took it upon himself to present the demands. Tamson, Bear Mountain Park superintendent, turned down all the demands, saying, "Take it or leave it; there will be no increases and no return of cuts."

To further organizational activities, all members of the Relief Workers League and all sympathetic workers are asked to report immediately to the Relief Workers League headquarters, 29 East 20th Street.

HIT NEGRO DISCRIMINATION

GUTTERS OF NEW YORK

—By Del



Hizzoner the Mayor to the President of the Amaknated Clothing Workers, 'Sidney, it looks like we'll have to use a different technique to put your scheme over.'

300 Detroit Sausage Men Win Strike for Wage Raise

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 2.—The strike of over 300 workers in 12 sausage factories, which started on July 25, ended on July 27 with a big victory for the workers. The men and women in these factories won wage increases of from 10 per cent in the higher paying factories to 30 per cent in the lower paying factories. In each case we won a bigger increase for the women than for the men, because they were getting less to start with.

The other demands won are: Equal pay for equal work; maximum 48-hour week; time and a half for overtime over 48 hours; no split shifts and recognition of the shop committees and the United Sausage Workers' Union. This local is affiliated with the Food Workers' Industrial Union nationally and with the Trade Union Unity Council of Wayne County locally. One factory signed the agreement in order to avoid a strike, making a total of 13 signed up agreements to date.

Well Prepared The strike was well prepared through a united action conference on July 14. The 13 shops that were present set up a conference committee of 30, which was empowered to negotiate with the Michigan Sausage Manufacturers' Association and to set a strike date and issue a strike call if we were turned down.

The solid united front of the workers broke the backbone of the manufacturers' association. After the first rift in their ranks on Thursday there was a stampede to sign the agreement.

The throwing of a picket line around Armour & Co. resulted in a committee of workers going into the office and winning the promise of a raise to equal the raises won in the other sausage factories. A similar promise was won in the Hy-grade Packing Co.

Spreading the Victory Under the slogan: "Sausage Workers Strike is Victorious! All other sausage and meat plant workers can now win improved conditions!" the struggle is being spread to the other plants, particularly the ones controlled by the big packers. The strikes in Chicago and New York are a distinct help to the workers in winning their own battles.

The A. F. of L. is completely isolated in the Detroit sausage field. They have some organization in the slaughter houses and among the butchers. The problem now is to build up an unbreakable united front with these A. F. L. workers.

A. Jacobs is the full time organizer of the United Sausage Workers' Union, with offices at 4210 Woodward Ave., Room 17.

Ohio Workers Laundry Local Ousts Corrupt Union Leader

CLEVELAND, Aug. 8.—Communist Party sections throughout the State of Ohio are mobilizing all their forces in the last week of the drive to collect over 50,000 signatures to put the Party on the ballot, following the State Ratification Convention held last Saturday.

Section 2 of Cleveland has already fulfilled its quota and pledges to obtain an extra thousand signatures. Youngstown reports the best membership attendance in its history. Comrades Walker and Vinit received a Little Lenin Library set for collecting 300 signatures each.

On the Strike Front

53-HOUR WEEK UNDER N.R.A.

OMAHA, Nebr.—Under protection of the emergency clause in the N.R.A. code regulations for working hours in the packing industry, the Armour's packing plant here has begun working its men fifty-three hours a week to dispose of extra cattle brought in under the emergency cattle-slaughtering program of the federal government. The men are paid on the regular rate for the overtime work. The company has already applied for a permit to work the men a half-day on Sundays in the beef and sheep kills.

SOCIAL WORKERS STRIKE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Five clerical workers, employed at the seamen's branch of the Federal Transit Bureau in South Chicago, have walked out, demanding a minimum of \$65 a month, no imposition of work that they were not hired to perform and reinstatement of all workers on the same job. The strikers have organized Local No. 7 of the Chicago Federation of Social Service Employees. Not only members of the Federation, but seamen as well, are aiding the strikers, the former by picketing and the latter by refusing to accept relief from the scabbing clerks.

REFUSE SCAB JOBS

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 2.—Scab herding attempts of the Illinois Free Employment Office at 417 E. 33rd St. yesterday met with complete failure.

More than 250 workers were in the office when the announcement was made that jobs could be had for butchers and other stock yards workers. Knowing that a strike exists in some plants in the yards, and that a general strike is likely, workers unanimously refused to take these jobs.

60 STRIKE FOR WAGE RAISE

NEW YORK.—Sixty workers of the World Buton Works, Inc., 113 Fourth Ave., struck Wednesday after the shop committee presented demands for wage increases for twenty-two workers. The demands of the strikers called not only for increases for the original twenty-two men but also for a ten per cent raise for all workers not previously included in the demands.

Butte, Mont. (PP).—"We'll stick until we win," shouted 3,000 Butte striking miners at a huge meeting held recently when an official asked if a delegation selected to go to Washington should withdraw certain major demands asked by the union.

The most significant vote taken by the miners was that the settlement must be made at Butte, not Washington, and must be made before the miners return to work.

General Strike Meet Set for Today to Aid Hudson Tunnel Strike

NEW YORK.—A meeting of the Joint Labor Committee on Heavy Construction and Railroad Work will take place today to vote on a general strike on all heavy construction projects in progress in the city in support of midtown Hudson tunnel strike.

Unemployed Councils of Richmond Expel Deserter from Ranks

RICHMOND, Va., July 29.—The Richmond Unemployment Council, at its meeting on July 20, expelled Thomas H. Stone as a deserter and traitor to the workers' unemployment movement.

On June 10, Stone sent in his resignation to the Council and on June 14 an article appeared in the Richmond News Leader stating that: "City Red Leader Changes His Views," pointing out that Stone "hoped to be admitted to the bar." The same paper which formerly attacked Stone as a "leader of the unemployed," now praised him, hoping that "he would make a good lawyer."

Militant Ousted from Chicago Federation

(Daily Worker Midwest Bureau) CHICAGO, July 31.—At a meeting packed with gangsters, officials of the Chicago Federation of Labor, headed by Brigoli, railroaded thru the expulsion of Charles Kroll, militant rank-and-file member of the Casket Makers Union.

Kroll had been leading the fight of the workers in the union for rank and file control of meetings against the leaders' policy of bringing down top officials from the A. F. of L.

AWP Leads Anti-Red Drive at Convention Of Jobless Leagues

Unemployment Council Delegates Refused Seats After Muste Caucus Plans Fascist Campaign of Red Baiting at Columbus Parley

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 2.—A red hunting campaign was decided upon Monday night by A. J. Muste at a caucus of the American Workers Party, in order to prevent members of the National Unemployment Council from being seated at the second national convention of the Unemployed Leagues.

U.S. Delegation Goes To Canadian Youth Anti-War Congress

NEW YORK.—A delegation from the Youth Section of the American League Against War and Fascism is en route to Canada to represent young workers and students of the United States at the Canadian Congress Against War and Fascism. The delegation is headed by James Lerner, chairman of the Youth Section, and Frank Myers, American student who studied in England for six years until he was deported last spring following his militant leadership of the British student movement.

They will bring the greetings of American youth to this Congress, pledge their firm support of the Canadian struggle against war and fascism and set forth the objectives of the First U. S. Youth Congress to be held in Chicago on September 28, 29 and 30.

Two Hillsboro Prisoners Are Put in Isolation

(Daily Worker Midwest Bureau) HILLSBORO, Ill., Aug. 12.—Sheriff Saatoff has isolated John Adams and Jan Wittenber, two of the Hillsboro defendants, saying that the neighbors complained there was too much noise at night. This is an attempt to break the morale of the prisoners.

After a week's "investigating," Judge Jett released Frank Prickett. Although a bondsman from another county had placed almost \$50,000 clear property for two men, only Frank Prickett has been released. Judge Jett is still "checking up" on property that was posted three weeks ago.

American Legionnaires and vigilantes in Nokomis, Ill., are attempting to terrorize the town's population. They came to the home of Mrs. Staples, wife of one of the defendants and threatened to take "her for a ride" if there were any more meetings held in her house. They are also trying to intimidate the bondspeople of George Reed and have them withdraw their bond.

The Grand Jury hearing will be held on Wednesday, August 8. Protest wires and letters against this terror should be rushed to Governor Horner, Springfield, Ill., and to Sheriff Saatoff, Hillsboro, Ill.

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Negro and White Solidarity Will Win Next Strike in Mobile

Why No Appointments For Post Office Subs?

Denied Vacation, But Are Told on Other Hand That There Are Not Enough Regular Jobs

By a Post Office Worker Correspondent
BROOKLYN, N. Y. — Stating that it is handicapped by a shortage of men, the Post Office Department has refused to grant leaves of absence (without pay, of course) to all substitutes, and in many cases has recalled those who had previously obtained such leaves. When it is remembered that not so long ago, to be exact March 22, 1934, President Roosevelt publicly declared that the Post Office Department was overmanned by 15,000, an analysis of the present situation seems to be in order.

Dialogue on R. R. Unity Movement

By a Railroad Worker Correspondent

San Francisco, Cal. Time: Say Bill, what do you think of this unity movement for us workers?
Bill: I don't know; what is it all about?
Jack: Well, I don't know too much about it, but I picked up a pamphlet the other day and it said that they were going to organize the rank and file of the unions into unity groups, which will take up the fight for the interests of the membership.

Dockers' Fight Was Split by Jim-Crowism

Longshoremen in Alabama Port Victimized by Company Union, But Prepare New Struggle

By a Marine Worker Correspondent
MOBILE, Ala.—Here is the line-up on the longshoremen's strike situation in Mobile, Ala., to date.
When the strike was called June 18, there were between 15,000 and 20,000 Negro longshoremen who struck solidly for higher wages and better conditions. However, the Mobile Steam Ship Association, notorious for its strike-breaking and scab herding policy, in connection with the S. S. agents and stevedores, got busy immediately gathering scabs from all over Alabama and the Gulf ports, as they had done in two other strikes before this one.

Bares R.R. Pension Trickery

By a R.R. Worker Correspondent

AMARILLO, Texas.—The railroad pension act was put through Congress so suddenly, with the Wall Street changes included, with the help of the Brotherhood chiefs, and it is so cleverly worded in the usual legal style that the great majority of the railroad workers are completely fooled by its phraseology. This has the effect of lulling the employees to inactivity. Every Party member on the railroads should immediately get active in arousing their fellow employees to the dangers in the bill.

PARTY LIFE

Calls for Intense Election Drive for Communist Party

Election Campaign Offers Great Chances for Building Party, Mass Organizations

The splendid struggles carried through by the American workers since the inauguration of the "New Deal" are open manifestations of the continuation of the crisis and growing resistance of the workers to it.

IN THE HOME

By HELEN LUKE

Expense Accounts and Expense Accounts

Greatest show on earth, comrades and fellow-workers, ladies and gentlemen, step right this way and see the great marvelous, magnificent, thrilling and breath-taking capitalist system in its daring display of startling contrasts! See how that intrepid capitalist sheet, the New York American on July 30 performs the audacious feat of swallowing the red-hot double-edged sword of living costs of helms and unemployed, without batting an eye or turning a hair!

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Letter of an IRT Worker To Police Commissioner

By a Subway Worker Correspondent
As a member of the Irish race, as an I. R. T. worker, as a World War veteran, as a union man and as a Communist, I am taking it upon myself, my dear General O'Ryan, to drop you a few lines.

Letters from Our Readers

CAMP CROTON ACTIVELY SUPPORTS LEFT WING MOVEMENT
Croton, N. Y.
In spite of its seclusion, Camp Croton, about four miles from Peekskill, New York, has succeeded in gathering a small group of campers who appreciate the clean strong policies of our Left Movement.

Jobs Classified to Cut Pay in Rail Yards

By a R. R. Worker Correspondent

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y.—I am a brakeman on the Long Island R. R. We have some jobs in Fresh Pond Yard which are classified as road jobs but are only yard switching.

Telegraph Messenger Gets Two Cents Doing \$14 Worth of Work

By a Telegraph Worker Correspondent

NEW YORK.—An example of the double dealing and treachery that the Western Union Telegraph Co. is capable of is the recent swindle of a messenger on a "book" of telegrams.

Dr. LUTTINGER ADVISES

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS
Swelling of Right Ankle
J. S.: If only one ankle swells, it is usually due to trauma (a blow or a sprain). Sometimes it is due to an inside growth on that side.

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Letter from Haywood Patterson, Kilby Prison, June 29, 1934.

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CHANGE THE WORLD!

By SENDER GARLIN

AN EDITORIAL writer in the liberal New Republic cynically observes that workers in the United States will not support their own press. Moreover, that it remains to be seen whether the events on the Pacific Coast have taught the workers anything on this score.

Of course, there is no doubt that the bosses have a pretty complete stranglehold on the minds of millions of American workers as a result of their monopoly over the press, radio and other agencies of capitalist propaganda. Yet, it is clear that the influence of the revolutionary press is growing, even though the pace is not as rapid as it should be considering that the American workingclass has experienced five years of crisis.

One Thing They Can't Buy

THE wealthy publishers can buy printing presses, new-fangled stereotyping and engraving equipment; they can buy editors, writers and artists, but there's one thing they cannot buy and that is the devotion of readers such as the revolutionary press enjoys. Right now, for example, there are at least 220,000 subscribers (many more readers) of Communist newspapers in 22 languages, of which nine are daily papers, including the Daily Worker.

The various financial drives to maintain the "Daily" have time and again shown the devotion of the workers and farmers in various parts of the country to their Daily Worker. The present circulation campaign brings scores of letters every day from workers who are battling against the terror, against company spies, many of them struggling singlehanded in communities where revolutionary activity has not yet made itself felt.

From the little town of Aitkin, Minn., for example, comes a letter enclosing 48 cents for a bundle order of the August 1st Anti-War edition. The same letter says, "Can you tell me where copies of the Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill can be obtained for distribution, and what the cost is?" This shows vividly how the workers look upon the "Daily"; not merely "just another paper," but a real organizer in the Leninist sense of the word.

Up in Canada, in the dominion of the British Empire, the Communist Party operates on a basis of illegality. Yet a worker writes from Toronto asking for a daily bundle order of 30 copies of the Daily Worker. "Dangerous thoughts," it seems to have a way of seeping into places despite all the snarling statutes that terrified capitalist lawmakers write into the law books.

From Waco, Texas, a reader of the "Daily" writes: "My subscription expired July, and I thank you very much for sending it on. I couldn't afford to miss the paper, especially at the present time, when such struggles are fought as on the West Coast, the events in Germany, the Scottsboro boys, Angelo Herndon, etc."

Most stirring of all is a letter from Mrs. Ida Norris, one of the Scottsboro mothers. From Molena, Georgia, she writes: "I am willing to try to do all I can as I am a mother of one of the Scottsboro prisoners. Send me two bundles of the Daily Worker paper. I will try to get up all the subscriptions I can. Of course, my chances for prosperity is indeed poor here in the South, although I am willing to do my best. Comradely, Mrs. Norris."

Every time the bosses in the South arrest a Communist they think they've eliminated the possibility of struggle against exploitation by the workers. "The terror has not yet subsided," a Daily Worker agent writes from Birmingham. "Present conditions are not favorable for house-to-house canvassing, so our alternative is mainly personal contact." Strange tales could be told how the Daily Worker and other revolutionary publications are spread in the Black Belt of the South.

So sharp is the terror in many sections of the South that the most ingenious methods have to be worked out to elude the bosses' police and thugs who are ever on the look-out for those who are fighting for the liberation of the Negro masses. The schemes for underground propaganda are strangely reminiscent of the methods that had to be followed in the darkest days of the czar.

Every Day for Ten Years

FOR more than ten years the Daily Worker has appeared—without missing a single issue. It's easy enough for the capitalist papers to do this, with their pages of advertisements from the big corporations and department stores and their millions available through "friendly" bankers and other connections. But for the Daily Worker to appear every day for more than ten years is nothing short of a miracle. This miracle is explained by the fact that the maintaining and building of the "Daily" is considered the collective responsibility of the militant workers of the entire country.

In nearly 2,000 cities the Daily Worker is sold and read. During the past six weeks of the "Daily's" circulation drive more than 100 cities have been added. New territory has been broken into and a visit to the mailing department of the Daily Worker will reveal such destinations as Algiers, Louisiana; Red Budd, Kentucky; Woods Hole, Mass.; Dollar Bay, Michigan; Swogersville, Pa.; Apelika, Alabama, and other cities.

While there is no doubt that the chief centers for the Daily Worker must be in the vital concentration districts—in centers of basic industry, such as Pittsburgh, Chicago, Cleveland, etc.—the fact that the Daily Worker is reaching out into hundreds of smaller communities throughout the country shows that the Daily Worker is becoming known as a fighter for the interests of the workers and farmers everywhere.

The "Red Builders"

AN INTERESTING recent development are the "Red Builders," groups of workers in hundreds of cities who sell the Daily Worker on the streets. I have been thrilled on a tour of the West to see workers selling the "Daily" on the streets of Spokane, Wash., in company-controlled towns in Montana and in small, isolated farming communities. In New York these "Red Builders" have placed themselves in strategic centers of the town and are acquainting ever wider circles of readers with the "Daily." There was a time when the Daily Worker could be bought in New York only along Fourteenth Street. It took a long time in getting around to the discovery that workers could be found in other sections of the city as well.

I believe it has already been pointed out that the Daily Worker circulation has developed the nasty habit of dropping 4,000 a month during the summer. This year, not only has this drop not occurred, but instead 6,000 new readers have been obtained.

Last week I printed a letter from a comrade who made a number of suggestions for making the Daily Worker more popular and effective. Since that time a large number of letters have arrived from readers who ask for various new features, make criticisms, etc. All the letters, however, make note of the improvement in the Daily Worker during the past year.

Often sound suggestions for improvements are made, but they remain abstract because of the difficulty of putting them into effect with our limited resources. For example, there must have been at least several hundred readers who wrote letters (oftentimes attaching signatures of their friends and shopmates) protesting against the discontinuation of Quirt's cartoon strip, "Jim Martin." The sad editorial response in each case was that our large photo-engraving bill forced the discontinuation of the strip which was obviously very popular with our readers. Incidentally, a number of changes which will fundamentally improve the paper have already been worked out and will be announced shortly.

Naturally, many improvements can be brought about without added expenditure, but this is a subject for discussion some other day.

Anti-War Articles in August 'Communist'

The August issue of "The Communist," organ of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of the U.S.A., has just appeared. It is an anti-war issue and contains the following important articles: "In the Midst of Great Historic Battles," editorial; "The Tasks of Revolutionary Social-Democracy in the European War," by V. I. Lenin; "For a Bolshevik Anti-War Struggle," by Alex Bittelmann; "The

A Mine Boss Shows Us How 'Things Work'

By M. W.

THE genial superintendent of the Oak Hill Mine in Minersville, Pa., known to his friends as "Elmer," is showing us around. "This is the shaft. The empty cars are sent down and come up loaded. One hundred an hour. Yesterday. And if it's less we want to know why."

As the cars clattered up to the surface loaded high with coal I inquire for the method by which it is determined whether the car is fully loaded. "When the leader thinks he's full up we get him to put on a little more."

"How do you manage that?" "We got ways. Kinda kind 'em along—'or something," and he winks impishly.

We inspect the breakers where the coal is sorted and made ready for delivery, and where the workers are constantly surrounded by a heavy cloud of coal dust. Five minutes of it and we come out choking with the effects of it. "Yeah, they get asthma and all that, working in there just like they get it down in the mines."

"Do they get any compensation for it?" "No sire, that ain't due them. No sir."

Next we venture into a horizontal shaft and though the day is unbearably hot inside it is cold and dark. "Rheumatism, plenty. But that's like asthma—'not entitled to any compensation. (The miners in Pennsylvania had supported Pinchot on the theory that he would hold to his pre-election promises: adequate compensation for the miners for asthmatic, rheumatic and other occupational diseases.)"

Then to the "hospital" where a nurse and a doctor attend for a few hours a day. When a miner is hurt a form must be filled out answering such questions as: Does the injured person speak English? Is he foreign born? Is he a citizen? The nurse explains, "You see we must know all this in order to see where the compensation is going, if any."

BY THIS time Elmer and I are fast friends. We sit on the steps and chew the fat a bit. Elmer speaks sotto voce, glancing around constantly. "Our only real trouble is with the shoemakers." The term is strange to me. "Shoemaker is polite for a s— of a b—." You know these here guys that stir up trouble and get the miners thinking they ain't gettin' enough or that their conditions is bad—then there's hell to pay. Strikes and plenty of trouble and the company loses plenty. Sometimes we even get 'em in to them. They're tough as hell. But we trim them when shoemakers when we get a chance."

At this moment the day shift emerges, quite as black as the coal they mine. Elmer cheerily greets each as they pass, the while keeping up a running commentary concerning the history of each man. "That's Joe P., good guy. Gives us lots of stuff on the shoemakers. Goddam them. They're planning trouble right now. Want higher wages. And they're gettin' too much right now. That's the reason miners is always striking. Because they get such big wages."

"That's Nick D., Gotta family of eight kids. He better watch his step. I'm on to him. There's two shoemakers, watch how nice I talk to them. Hi, there boys—how goes it. But they don't know what I'm planning for them. I can kid a lot of the boys, drink with them and all that I make them think I'm their friend. But those shoemakers are tough. You see, they wouldn't even say hello to me." And so on for half an hour.

We rise to leave and I thank Elmer for everything. Elmer says it's O.K. "I like people to understand what really goes on in a mine. So they shouldn't get no wrong impression. Then they can tell their friends the truth, y'know." We shook hands, "I will," I said.

TUNING IN

- 7:00 P. M.—WEAP—Baseball Record
- WOR—Sports Resume—Pood Prik
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- WAB—Theodore Ernwood, Baritone
- 7:15—WEAP—Gene and Glenn—Sketch
- WOR—Front-Page Drama
- WAB—Irene Bordoni, Songs
- 7:30—WEAP—Martha Mears, Contralto
- WOR—The O'Neill—Sketch
- WAB—Grace Hayes, Songs
- WAB—Paul Keast, Baritone
- 7:45—WEAP—Vladimir Brenner and Josef Hovil, Piano
- WOR—Larry Taylor, Baritone
- WJZ—Frank Buck's Adventures
- WAB—Boake Carter, Commentator
- 8:00—WEAP—Bourdon Orchestra; Olga Albani, Soprano; Revelers Quartet
- WAB—Salvin Orchestra; Al and Lee Reiser, Piano
- WJZ—Walter O'Keefe, Comedian; Ethel Shutta, Songs; Dolan Orch.
- WAB—Kate Smith, Songs
- 8:15—WAB—Columbian Orchestra
- 8:30—WOR—Novelty Orchestra; Slim Timblin, Comedian; Cavaliers Quartet
- WJZ—Effect of Taxation on Industry and the Individual—Dr. Virgil Jordan, President National Industrial Conference Board
- 8:45—WJZ—Jack and Loretta Clemens, Songs
- 9:00—WJZ—Leman Orchestra; Frank Munn, Tenor; Vivienne Segal, Songs
- WOR—Isaac—H. S. Lot Jr.
- WJZ—Harris Orch.; Leah Ray, Songs
- WAB—California Melodies
- 8:15—WEAP—Bonnie Orchestra; Pic and Nat, Comedians
- WOR—Brookshire Orchestra
- WJZ—Phil Baker, Comedian
- WAB—Gene Orchestra; Sylvia From, Songs
- 10:00—WEAP—Dead Timber—Sketch
- With June Meredith, Don Ameche and Cliff Souther
- WOR—Eternal Life—Drama
- WJZ—Mario Cozzi, Baritone; Lucille Manners, Soprano; Concert Orch.
- WAB—Young Orchestra; Everett Marshall, Baritone; Frank Cronin, Songs; Skopagle and Bud
- 10:15—WOR—Current Events—H. E. Read
- 10:30—WEAP—Jack Benny, Comedian; Besor Orchestra; Frank Parker, Tenor
- WOR—Robison Orchestra
- WJZ—Chicago Symphony Orchestra
- 10:45—WAB—Carlie and London, Piano Duo; Warwick Sisters
- 11:00—WEAP—George R. Holmes, Chief Washington Bureau I. N. S.
- WOR—Weather, Kahn Orchestra
- WJZ—Davis Orchestra
- WAB—Edith Murray, Songs
- WOR—Clemens Orchestra
- 11:30—WEAP—Martin Orchestra
- WOR—Barrens Orchestra
- WJZ—Madrigal Orchestra
- 11:45—WAB—Barnet Orchestra



This cartoon, reproduced from the arch-reactionary Chicago Tribune, is an example of the nationwide "anti-Red" campaign now being conducted in the newspapers. Communists seek only to "destroy"—this is the keynote of the press campaign. This vicious stuff is being peddled to millions of readers while Roosevelt's A.A.A. (Agricultural Adjustment Administration) continues its policy of destroying the nation's "surplus" food supply. Already more than one-third of the country's wheat, corn, cotton, tobacco and dairy products have been destroyed; more than a million young porkers have been drowned in the Mississippi.

27 P. C. Increase in Production Due to Speed-Up, L. R. A. Finds

A VICIOUS speed-up of workers in U. S. industry is reflected in the rise in productivity of labor, which has increased at least 27% in the last five years, according to the August issue of Economic Notes, organ of the Labor Research Association. The steady advance in "output per man hour" is due to the faster pace at which the workers are being driven, says an article in this issue on "Crisis Increases Speed-Up." A gradual increase in the cost of living is also noted in a discussion of real wages. The L. R. A. has taken the so-called "health and decency budget" prepared in 1919 by the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, and priced it as of June, 1934, for ten cents. It finds that the highest cost of this very minimum family budget is in San Francisco where it would take \$2,101 to reach even this admittedly meager standard. Retail food costs have risen 21% since Roosevelt came into office, the L. R. A. finds, while profits of food and other corporations have advanced sharply. Another article in

Only United Fight Can Win, Palme Dutte Says in New Book on Fascism

"The fight against fascism cannot be conducted on the basis of trusting to bourgeois 'democracy' as the defense against fascism," R. Palme Dutte, editor of the British Labor Monthly, declares in his forthcoming book, "Fascism and Social Revolution," which International Publishers will release in August. Trust in ruling class "democracy" means "to invite and to guarantee the victory of fascism," Dutte shows. "The fight against fascism can only be conducted on the basis of the united class fight of the workers (leading all the exploited strata) against all the attacks of finance-capital, whether these attacks are conducted through nominal 'democratic' forms or through open fascist forms." The great lesson the workers must learn from the fascist record in Europe, Dutte insists, is that bourgeois democracy far from constituting a defense against fascism, "actually breeds fascism. Fascism grows organically out of bourgeois democracy."

Besides a Marxist analysis of the fascist regimes of Europe, Dutte's book warns against fascist tendencies in Western Europe and America. Reviewed by PHILIP STERLING

WHAT'S ON

- Friday**
- JOE GILBERT, organizer, Taxi Drivers Union, lectures on "Recent Strike Struggles in U.S.A." at Coney Island Workers Club, 2874 W. 23rd St., 8:30 p.m.
- CHAMBER MUSIC—dancing to follow—refreshments at the Pierre Deseyer Club, 5 E. 9th St., Aug. 26c.
- MOONLIGHT music, dancing, entertainment, beer at Garden Party at Post 191 W.E.S.L., 69 E. Third St. Caricatures by C. Dinger, John Reed Club artist. Adm. 10c.
- ATTENTION ANTI-NAZIS: Help picket the anti-semitic "Cinebab Inc." at 43 W. 20th St. Join mass picket lines at 9 a.m., 12 noon and 5 p.m. Auspices Film and Photo League, American League Against War and Fascism and Anti-Nazi Federation.
- LECTURE on "The Life of National Minorities in Soviet Russia," at 1401 Jerome Ave., Bronx, cor. 170th St., 8:30 p.m. Speaker, N. Phillips. Very cool quarters. Adm. 10c. Auspices Mt. Eden Br. F.S.U.
- Saturday**
- DANCE — ENTERTAINMENT—Delicious refreshments given by Y.O.L. and Young Pioneers, at 884 Columbus Ave. (103rd and 104th Sts.) Adm. 15c. Send a Young Pioneer to Camp. Good time for all.
- Rockaway**
- OUTDOOR ANTI-WAR Demonstration, 84th St. and the Boulevard. Followed by midnight film showing of "Shipper," and Norman H. Tallentire as speaker, at Boardwalk Theatre, 67th Street & Boardwalk. Doors open 11:30 p.m. Adm. 35c.
- SOVIET FILM NIGHTS at Coney Island Workers Club, 2874 W. 23rd St., Brooklyn, Saturday, August 4; "Diary of a Revolutionary" with sound; "Bloody Memorial Day in Los Angeles," and Chaplin comedy, Sunday, August 5; "Shipper" (in sound), Monday, August 6. Tickets 10c. Two showings each night at 8:30 and 11 p.m. Subscription 20c one night; both nights 30c.
- PHILADELPHIA, Pa.
- ANNUAL PICNIC of the United Workers Organizations of Section No. 3 (West Phila.) Sunday, August 12 at 52nd and Parkside.
- A Red Builder on every busy street corner in the country means a tremendous step toward the dictatorship of the proletariat!

New Pamphlet Relates Dramatic Story of Mine Strike in New Mexico

N.R.A. MARTIAL LAW, 'INSURRECTION.' The Miners Strike in New Mexico. By Pat Toohy. The Workers Library Publishers. 5 cents.

Reviewed by PHILIP STERLING

If you want to combine political study with stirring drama, read Pat Toohy's pamphlet. It is possible that there has been no strike in recent years under such conditions as those in New Mexico described by Toohy.

Martial law, secret printing plants, strike meetings held in the desert, solidarity of National Guard troops with the strikers—these are the dramatic and instructive elements of which the New Mexico strike was composed.

The strike has current historic significance. It was the first important wedge between the N.R.A. and the masses of workers who were on the verge of being misled.

The instructiveness and interest of the pamphlet is enhanced by Toohy's simple, lucid narrative style and his intimate knowledge of the struggle, which only a leader in it could have.

In proportion to its importance, little is known about this strike from which more than 10,000 miners emerged victorious in the face of armed troops, martial law and fascist terror.

Toohy points to the strike as a prime refutation of Norman Thomas' reformist wall that "strikes cannot be won in time of crisis." The strike also offered concrete illustration of the correct role of the Communist Party in such a situation.

"The Communist functionaries," says Toohy, "learned early in this struggle to abolish a disease prevalent in the workers movement, of waiting until after the struggle to build the Communist Party."

Toohy's pamphlet abounds not only in political lessons but in dramatic incident. Not one of the thousands of unemployed miners scabbed.

Colorado farmers, who had sent relief trucks to the strikers, took up their guns and vowed to shoot anyone who attempted to interfere with their passage. In this respect the strike was a fine example of Leninist action.

There was complete unity of the strikers, the unemployed, the poor farmers of New Mexico and neighboring states. Not only that; on one occasion rank and file National Guardsmen refused to fire on a strike demonstration when they were ordered to do so by their officers. Twenty of them subsequently joined the Communist Party and the Young Communist League.

Toohy also describes the resourcefulness and the capacity for self-leadership of the rank and file. When all of the leaders were cast into a military concentration camp to pave the way for an "arbitration" maneuver, the military authorities hoped that the arbitrator would have an easy job because he would have to deal merely with rank and file miners.

The Communist leadership was safely behind the bars. But on arriving in Gallup Moore (the arbitrator) was met by a barrage of leaflets. "Why Does Moore Come to Gallup?" "Why Have Our Leaders Been Arrested?" Who issued such circulars and held ranks firm when leaders were jailed? It was the rank and file miners, following the steady and firm leadership of the Communist Party.

It was at this time, Toohy relates, that a 13-year-old strikers' daughter, imbued with the spirit of her elders, took it on herself to go to the telegraph station and wire New York and Denver: "Send someone at once. Everybody in jail."

The need for fearless and persistent self-criticism oftentimes prevents Communists from devoting as much discussion as they might to their victories. Toohy's pamphlet helps to remedy this condition and to record a glorious if little known chapter in the growing revolutionary will and ability of the American working class.

Soviet Bulletin Describes Life and Activities of Artists in U. S. S. R.

NEW YORK—The national office of the John Reed Club has just received a bulletin dealing with the activities of Soviet artists. The following excerpts describe some of their accomplishments.

The Moscow Regional Union of Soviet Artists (M.R.U.S.A.) was formed as a result of the decision of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union on April 28, 1932, which dissolved the barriers then separating the Soviet artists into various societies and organizations.

Exhibitions organized by the government together with the M.R.U.S.A. include: "Fifteen Years of Painting," "Fifteen Years of Graveure," "Fifteen Years of Journalistic Sketching and Posters," etc. The journal, "Art," is the organ of the M.R.U.S.A. "Creation," an illustrated fortnightly magazine, is also issued by the Union.

The Central Bureau of the M.R.U.S.A. sends travelling exhibitions through the region. A number of artists prepare frescoes for the walls of clubs and factories. The textile artists of the designing bureau of the M.R.U.S.A. have produced a large number of designs for textiles, of which many have been adopted in industry. The artists in the theatre carry on practical work in producing the decorations for plays. They have held a number of discussions on the subject, "The Path of Decorative Art."

Poster artists held a big competition together with the Art Publishing House on the 10th Anniversary of the Death of Lenin.

The Soviet artists are supplied with living quarters, workshops, studios and materials, and are given places in rest homes and sanatoriums. In 1928 two houses were built for artists and they formed the beginning of the "Artists' Colony." In one of these houses there are studios, library, kindergarten, dining room, laundry. The other house is divided into apartments. Both houses accommodate 100 artists. More studios and apartments are being built. In 1932 the construction of a big exhibition hall will be started.

Every year the government and the social organizations issue large sums of money for the purpose of sending artists away to study. Over 150 qualified artists and a considerable part of the youth are thus provided for.

Actress Backs Leo Gallagher For Judgeship

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Aug. 2—Madge Bellamy, star of stage and screen has added her endorsement of Leo Gallagher's candidacy for associate judge of the State Supreme Court to that of Theodore Dreiser and others. Gallagher, running as a non-partisan, has the unqualified endorsement of the Communist Party.

Miss Bellamy, in her statement of support says: "Mr. Gallagher's friends and well-wishers are said to be workers. For it is only workers that he defends in courts all over Southern California. Workers arrested for picketing, for strike activities and other such charges placed against workers who protest against unbearable conditions. But if it is only workers who are for Leo Gallagher, then there are a great many workers in Hollywood."

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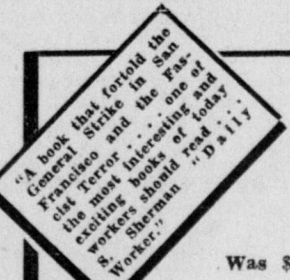
By NEMO VI

SINCE the conclusion of the Locarno Treaty, hardly ten years have passed. The "Spirit of Locarno" has, however, long since evaporated. German fascism is pursuing an intense policy of rearmament in order to replace the French Versailles by a German Versailles. French imperialism, for its part, is firmly resolved to defend its Versailles booty against Germany by all the means of armed force. The cry for military sanctions against Germany is once again resounding in France, the eastern frontier of which has been transformed into an unbroken fortress wall. The Saar territory has become a new Alsace between Germany and France. The completion of Western Locarno by an Eastern Locarno is no longer talked of. Britain, which signed the Locarno Treaty in order to set bounds to Germany's expansion towards the west, is the leading force in preventing any Eastern Locarno. British imperialism has no objection to an alteration of frontiers in the east at the expense of the Soviet Union. The dreams of Pan-Europe and of the United States of Europe have long since come to an end. If in 1914, the Balkans represented a hearth of war, in 1934, the whole of Balkanized Europe represents a hearth of war conflagration.

THE "OUTLAWRY" OF WAR

Let us not forget that the imperialists have even "outlawed" war. No less than 15 powers solemnly signed the Kellogg Pact in 1928 and thereby declared war to be outlawed. The renunciation of war as a means of national policy—that was the official contents of the Kellogg Pact. According to Article 2 of the Pact, the signatories agreed "that the settlement or solution of all disputes or conflicts, from whatever cause, which might arise between them, shall never be solved by other than peaceful means." The powers attached in advance so many reservations to the Kellogg Pact, they reserved so much "freedom of action" for themselves, that the whole worthlessness of the agreement becomes obvious. War is to be outlawed? Yes, but not war against the colonial peoples. War is to be outlawed? All right, but not the war against the proletariat. War is to be outlawed? But, of course, in no case war against Bolshevism Russia! We are ready to outlaw war, but of course, "wars of defense" will be permitted. By 1932 the number of signatories to the Kellogg Pact had risen to 62. It was the same year in which the flames of war broke out in the Far East and in Latin America.

Even today, when the post-war period has long passed into a new pre-war period, the imperialists are concluding "peace pacts." After the Four Power Pact, the fasces of which was obvious after only a year, came the organizational pact of the Little Entente which represented its closer military union. This was followed by the Three-Power Agreement of Mussolini, which resulted in the creation of a war bloc between Italy, Austria and Hungary, and which is directed towards South-East Europe. Finally, Hitler himself concluded a non-aggression pact with



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Defending Civil Rights

SURELY the wrecking raids, the deportation manhunt, and the gang violence which the employers let loose against the Pacific Coast strike makes the question of united front action of the workers immediate and urgent.

Events since then, in Minneapolis, New York, and all over the country, have emphasized the urgency of this need for unity.

Any really effective struggle to maintain the elementary rights of the working class requires joint action of all workers in mass demonstrations in the streets, in joint actions in the shops and unions. The united front is basically directed to getting the workers to join in actions, in struggles against the class enemy. It is mass actions which provide the real test of the united front. Because it is only mass actions that can defeat the forces of reaction.

It is not difficult to see that any refusal to work toward joint struggle against the reactionary tramping upon civil rights inevitably adds this reaction.

THE necessity for emphasizing the mass action character of the united front is made even clearer by the announcement that Norman Thomas will speak on a nation-wide hook-up on "Civil Rights in the Pacific Coast General Strike."

It must be made clear that if such methods of fighting for the civil rights of the workers are not followed up by the organization of MASS ACTIONS, PROTESTS, DEMONSTRATIONS, IN THE STREETS, then they become a hindrance and not an aid to united front struggle for civil rights.

And if it is a deliberate policy to restrict the struggle for civil rights to speeches, then this becomes a method for keeping the masses from taking the only effective means of defending civil rights—mass actions.

THE Communist Party has already proposed in two open letters to the Socialist Party that arrangements be made for joint struggle against fascist reaction and violence.

The Socialist Party National office has ignored both proposals.

Speeches alone cannot and will never protect the civil rights of the workers. Only the organization of mass struggles, meetings, strikes, demonstrations, etc. can do that.

The final test of the sincerity of the Socialist Party defense of civil rights is whether it is ready to answer the letters of the Communist Party and meet with the representatives of the Communist Party for the practical, open, arrangements of joint action to defend the rights of the workers.

To work for the united front actions of the working class in defense of civil rights, against fascism and war—that is the only truly effective way to fight for the interests of the workers.

The Mayor's Gesture

MAYOR LaGuardia has announced the withdrawal of his administration's attempt to foist a fascist-registration scheme on the trade unions, a move which was intended to crush the entire trade union movement in this city.

The mayor's statement is not a voluntary one. He was literally forced to rescind this reactionary order under the terrific protest-pressure by the unions, by the thousands of militant workers in the various unions' ranks.

But this withdrawal is merely a formal verbal gesture. By no means does it signify any "purification" of the notoriously anti-labor Fusion regime. Proof of this exists in the fact that the Mayor has made no move against the newly-formed police rifle regiment, which has as its avowed purpose the training of guns on workers. This regiment of 1,200 rifle-equipped policemen continues to train for whatever bloody deeds the administration calls it to perform.

It should be noted that the mayor did not rescind the union-registration order until mass pressure made him break his silence, his tacit approval of the measure.

The best proof of LaGuardia's real intentions and of the fact that his new statement is nothing but his usual empty demagoguery, is that the terrorism against New York workers and jobless, so characteristic of his brutal regime, continues unabated.

The Revolution Rises in Germany

HINDENBURG is dead. There is little need to waste any time over the nauseating heroics with which the bourgeois press, including the American papers, are surrounding the figure of Hindenburg.

His sole claim to historic notice was an undeviating servility to his ruling class masters. The ruling class of Germany, the industrialists, the junkers, the militarists, dangled this Prussian militarist before the masses as "personifying Germany," as a political figure above the class struggle.

In this deceit, they were aided by the leadership of German Social-Democracy which crowned its loyalty to the German bourgeois state by choosing Hindenburg as their candidate for president in preference to a working class candidate such as Ernst Thaelmann in the elections of 1930.

This Prussian junker-militarist, let it never be forgotten by the working class of the world, was hailed not only by the German Socialist Party, but by Norman Thomas as the bulwark against fascism, as the defender of democracy!

Hindenburg is the symbol which brands forever the policy of Social-Democracy, the policy of the "lesser evil," the policy of paving the way for fascism through accepting the steady advance of fascism in the name of "democracy," the policy of coalition with bourgeois parties on the "peaceful road to Socialism."

Hindenburg's death adds another factor to the growing political crisis in the fascist dictatorship of the German bourgeoisie. The spectre of proletarian revolution drives the fascist cliques to ever more desperate acts. The glorious Bolshevik work of the German Communist Party, the Party of Thaelmann, steadily and surely bears its fruit in the growth of the forces of revolution.

The bourgeois press speaks of Hitler "seizing more power" through taking Hindenburg's office. On the contrary, the taking of Hindenburg's office weakens, not strengthens Hitler's position, since it removes one more possibility for political maneuver and deception of the masses.

Hindenburg's death increases the difficulties in Germany's foreign relations which have been brought to the breaking point by Nazi policies.

The growing political crisis of the German bourgeoisie will drive them to even more murderous savagery against the masses than ever before, but this will even more narrow the base of fascist rule. The fascist ruling class of Germany finds its mass basis contracting under the impact of the deepening crisis and the blows which the tolling masses, led by the Communist Party, are directing against its bloody rule.

NOW more than ever, it is our duty to give our aid and solidarity to the German proletariat in the fight against fascism. The fight to liberate Thaelmann and all anti-fascist prisoners is also the fight to smash fascism, to liberate not only Thaelmann but the entire German toiling population from the yoke of fascism.

Hindenburg's death means new revolutionary storms. The German Bolsheviks, trained by Thaelmann, have never left their posts. Supported by the proletariat of the world, they will wipe fascism off the face of the earth.

A Real Test

THE parade and demonstration against war and fascism to be held tomorrow will be an event of outstanding importance and tremendous scope. Called by the American League Against War and Fascism, this rally has already enlisted the support and the promise of participation of hundreds of varied groups—religious, political, cultural, social, trade union. All are united, however, on one main and indispensable point—their common determination to fight the militarist slaughter which threatens the world today.

This danger looms giantlike as the forces of reaction—of dying capitalism, of fascism—move toward their last, desperate stand, willing to plunge all mankind into barbarism to save themselves and the rotting system they represent from its inevitable defeat.

The huge united front demonstration which will begin at 1 p.m. tomorrow at Columbus Circle and march to Madison Square will be one of all organizations and individuals sincerely and honestly opposed to the war and death-mongers. Those groups which have already decided to join should be represented by their entire memberships. Other organizations which have not yet joined in this mighty movement should do so at once.

With Europe an armed camp ready for war, with the introduction of fascist methods on a wide scale here in America, the historic significance and life-and-death urgency of tomorrow's demonstration cannot be minimized.

Participation in the demonstration will be a real initial test of the sincerity, willingness and determination of many groups to act—as well as speak—against fascism and war.

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Woman Freed From Solitary Confinement

NEW YORK—As the result of the protests of a delegation sent to Mayor LaGuardia by the International Labor Defense, Helen Lynch, organizer of the Bronx Unemployment Councils, who had been held in solitary confinement in the Female House of Detention on Greenwich St. for her refusal to submit to an internal medical examination, was released Tuesday from solitary confinement.

The protest also resulted in an order rescinding such an examination for all female political prisoners, for which the International Labor Defense, the National Committee for Defense of Political Prisoners and the United Action Conference have been waging a continued campaign.

The delegation, headed by Harry Alexander, of the I. L. D. legal staff, and including Rose Horn and two other women who had been subjected to the same mistreatment in this prison, submitted proof of this mistreatment to LaGuardia,

Soviet Road Men Seized By Japanese

(Special to the Daily Worker)
MOSCOW (By Radio) August 2.—The Pogranchynaya station reports that there, as well as in the nearest stations of the Chinese Eastern Railway Japanese gendarmes have without cause recently arrested some Soviet citizens, employees and workmen of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

Over 20 Soviet railroad employees were arrested for unknown reasons. The information on hand is that new mass arrests of Soviet workmen employees are being prepared. It is supposed that these arrests are part of the general plan of disorganization of the Eastern line of the Chinese Eastern Railway, which Japanese and white guard elements have recently been carrying out with particular energy.

AMSTERDAM, Pa., Aug. 2.—Israel Amter, national secretary of the Unemployment Councils, will speak at a mass meeting of unemployed and relief workers in York, Pa., on Friday evening at 8 p.m. The meeting will take place in the headquarters of the Lancaster Unemployment Council, 19 East Newton Avenue.

Amter will speak at Lancaster on Saturday evening on the steps of the Courthouse. His subject at both meetings will be "Social and Unemployment Insurance and How to Get It."

Imperialists Gird for War, Says Pravda

But Proletariat Will Turn Fight Into Civil War

(Special to the Daily Worker)
MOSCOW (By Radio), Aug. 2.—The entire press here is almost fully devoted today to the 20th anniversary of the outbreak of the last imperialist war; to its cause, and to the struggle against the preparations for a fresh imperialist slaughter. Together with numerous articles, the newspapers are publishing authentic documents exposing the real schemes of the inciters of war. The columns of the newspapers are filled with figures, facts and illustrations of the four-year bloody slaughter and the results thereof.

An article in Pravda, entitled "War Against Imperialist War," says: "Twenty years and a whole epoch divides us from the August days of 1914. But never will toiling humanity forget the monstrous slaughter organized by the imperialist cliques—in the name of glory—but in the interests of exchange, of kings, magnates, trust, capital and feudal dynasties.

Imperialist Deceit
All the wounds inflicted by the years of imperialism war have not up until now been healed. And what preposterous hypocritical reasons have not been utilized by the ruling classes for the purpose of driving workers and peasants to the battlefields!

"German imperialism provoked the war under the disguise of the 'high' aim in the struggle against Russian barbarism; the Tsarist regime in the name of the defense of the slaves; French imperialism in the name of the 'great ideas of democracy'; the gun manufacturers of Great Britain in the name of 'progress' and 'justice'."

"The whole of Europe is strewn with the millions of graves of victims of the imperialist policy of the ruling classes. Endless rows of crosses are rising in all parts of the globe—Verdun, Champagne, the Somme, the Marne, Vogues, Gallicia, the plains of Poland, the Augustov forests, the Carpathians, the Trans-Jordan Sands and the African jungles. Ten million men are lying dead. They were killed because German imperialists wished to rob their rivals. They were killed because British imperialists wished to retain their spoils and rob others. They were killed because the interests of a small group of capitalists and landowners of France, Tsarist Russia, Austro-Hungary, Japan and the United States demanded it.

Fear Revolution
"They were killed because the bourgeoisie sought this war for safety from the revolutionary proletariat. They were killed because the object was to drain the blood of the rising working class, maintaining power in a small group of 'civilized' exploiters of hundreds of millions of toilers in the colonies. They were being killed for over four years in the name of a 'last' war. This false capitalist legend was zealously advocated by bourgeois pacifists and social-democratic deceivers."

Continuing, the Pravda states: "Aren't the exploiters of all countries is shaking under the powerful shocks of the class struggle, now dreaming of fresh slaughter?"

U. S. S. R. Peace Policy
"But the great Union of Socialist Soviet Republics is on guard. Bolshevism gave to toiling humanity a powerful weapon against war. The peoples of the U. S. S. R. have created an invincible bulwark for peace. The great importance of the struggle of the U. S. S. R. for peace is recognized now as the most prominent by representatives of the most diverse circles of the capitalist world. This is testified to in statements made by Lloyd George and others, published today in Pravda.

All pay tribute to the invariable peace of the Soviet government, backed by the invincible power to the country of Soviets. If the U. S. S. R. had not existed, the imperialists would already have long ago thrown the entire world into a fresh bloody abyss.

"Scheming a fresh counter-revolutionary war, the capitalist world is preparing itself for catastrophic defeat, because the entire world is rent into two camps. All that is best in humanity is already now gathering in the camp of socialism, for no fascist terror can save the inciters of war from a blow from the rear, from disintegration of their reserves, from their defeat at the front and on their own rear."

IN THE NAME OF PROGRESS!



U.S. Completes 19 Years of Plunder, Rapine, Murder Under Marine Occupation of Haiti

Wall Street's Seizure of Island Climax of Long Scheming

By S. JUSTE ZAMOR

July 26th marked exactly nineteen years since the plunderous invasion of the Negro Republic of Haiti by the armed forces of United States imperialism.

According to the opinion of the Haitian people the assassination of 351 prisoners and the shooting down of hundreds of other civilians on July 26 and 27 was directly encouraged by United States capitalists. Actually the very next day a warship carrying a large number of marines, headed by Admiral Caperton, dropped anchor in the harbor of Port-au-Prince.

Wall Street Maneuvers
For a long time Wall Street had maneuvered in attempts to get a footing in Haiti. In 1847 the U. S. made the first attempt to acquire control of the harbors of Samana Bay, on the eastern coast of Santo Domingo, and of Mole St. Nicholas, on the northwestern coast of Haiti for the purpose of establishing naval bases. In 1891 Admiral Gharardi headed a large fleet at Port-au-Prince, sent by the U. S. to negotiate with the Haitian government for the yielding of Mole St. Nicholas. The Haitian government refused to discuss the matter. We see that the reason given as the excuse for intervention cannot be taken at face value.

Since the landing of the marines on the Island the Haitian masses have witnessed the most barbaric and tyrannical crimes. The marines have attacked women in the streets. If men dared to come to the rescue of these women they were either shot or beaten up. The homes of the people were raided, the people thrown out, while the marines took possession. No house was exempt from these atrocities. Martial law was declared all over the Island. At night, after 10 p. m. no one was allowed to keep a light on in his home.

Charlemagne Perait
In 1919, the day after a quarrel among several civilians and gendarmes over gambling, a man named Gabriel led a group of seven men and opened fire on the headquarters of the gendarmerie at Hinche. Immediately all persons who were in any way connected with politics prior to the intervention were put under arrest. Among these was Charlemagne Perait, an intellectual and revolutionary leader before the American occupation. He was forced to walk bare-foot through the streets, and placed in prison. One morning an American official of high rank came to the prison for inspection. He saw Charlemagne, called him over, and said, "You nigger, go get that shovel and clean the stable." While Charlemagne was cleaning the official kicked him twice. Without a word Charlemagne picked up the shovel and smacked the officer across the face. The official dropped to the ground unconscious.

Charlemagne, who had been granted certain privileges in the prison because of his reputation and popularity on the Island, had also been given the right to go out of the prison at any time without being escorted by gendarmes. He utilized that right at this time. He walked right out in the face of all the guards, who had no idea of what had just happened inside. He went into the country, mobilized all the men he could find, and organized a revolt, which lasted for nine months, until he was betrayed, and shot in the back by a marine who had painted his face black.

Regin of Terror
What horrors the Haitian peasants then went through! Their farms and homes were burned by the marines under the pretext that the marines were chasing out the hiding rebels. Any individual seen walking on the roads was immediately characterized by the marines as a "caco" (rebel) and was either shot down or arrested and beaten to death.

The outstanding leader of these tortures and terrors was an official named Lindet. He later became one of the heads of the cotton plantation at St. Michael de Latalaye. That madman had a police dog which he used in his atrocities.

It is quite consistent for the servants of Wall Street to come out with all sorts of statements in the capitalist press attempting to distract the minds of the people from the real situation by telling the masses how much good the U. S. had done for the colonies and semi-colonies, and at the same time concealing all the facts about the

exploitation of the people matched by brutality of military

tyrannical oppression being used on the masses. The bourgeois newspapers are carrying all sorts of news about Haiti these days, except that concerning the political and economic situation in Haiti.

Now the U. S. is busy creating an intense antagonism between Santo Domingo and Haiti. Santo Domingo, a country which has less than one-third the population of Haiti, has been armed to the teeth and has been provided with many modern bombing planes. In Haiti, the United States has organized a huge army with all modern equipment, but no airplanes. The strategy is to put the two countries on the same fighting and military strength. Santo Domingo has already made an open statement demanding that Haiti return some portion of land which she claims belongs to her. These lands are located in the northern part of Haiti.

Despite the intense unemployment in Haiti, in spite of the inability of the government to provide jobs for the starving population, we get the news that the Senate has voted an increase of ten dollars to every military official on the Island. Understand, ten dollars is the average monthly earning of the white collar workers in Haiti.

It is very simple to see why there is censorship on the revolutionary press, which would dare to come out with these facts.

Ship Owners Plunder Millions As Roosevelt Gives Subsidies

By Labor Research Assn.
Mail subsidies amounting to hundreds of millions of dollars have been handed out by the United States government to shipping companies, many of which are involved in the present strike. In fact no country in the world is as liberal with aid to its merchant marine.

Since the Jones-White law of 1920, the Postmaster General has signed small contracts with at least 45 shipping companies calling for payments of over \$300,000,000 in ten years. A fraction of this huge sum would actually cover the "services" rendered. Thus the companies who received contract payments of nearly \$90,000,000 in the last five fiscal years would have been paid approximately \$13,000,000, or about one-seventh of the actual sum paid them, had their vessels carried mail on a weight basis.

In 1932 such payments to the Lykes line alone exceeded by \$93,000 the book value of its ships!

Although contracts are supposed to be awarded by competitive bidding, practically all the bids approximate the maximum rates per mile permitted under the law. The Lykes Line, for example, received in five years mail subsidies totaling over \$1,500,000, although without these subsidies its net profit for the same period would have amounted to \$325,000.

Another handout to shipping companies comes through government loans for the purpose of vessel construction and improvement. These loans are made at lower than prevailing interest rates. The U. S. Shipping Board has estimated that over \$33,500,000 in interest had thus been saved shipowners.

In defense of these subsidies it is said that they are intended chiefly to continue specified steamship lines rather than to compensate ship owners for carrying mail. "A merchant marine... is a factor of... national importance in war," writes John C. deWilde in

Foreign Policy Reports, March 14, 1934.

But these subsidized companies have paid enormous profits, dividends, salaries and expense accounts with money allegedly for the upbuilding of the merchant marine. H. H. Hebermann, president of the Exports Steamship Co., drew in two successive years well over \$300,000 annually in salaries and expenses. Salaries, dividends and increased stock values totalling nearly three million dollars were received by Harry H. Raymond of the Columbian Steamship Co. between 1920 and 1932.

Net profits of over \$7,000,000 were raked in by the Admiral Oriental Line, owned by the Dollar Steamship Lines interests, from 1922 to 1932. Only \$500 in cash had originally been invested in the Admiral Oriental Line.

R. Stanley Dollar received commissions of nearly \$700,000 for purchasing vessels from the U. S. Shipping Board for companies in which he was an official! And with three other individuals—J. Harold Dollar, H. M. Lorber and Herbert Fleischacker, banker-boss of California politics, and one of the prisoners of Tom Mooney—he profited to the extent of over \$14,500,000 from three government-subsidized lines between 1923 and 1932.

The Oceanic Oriental Navigation Co., of which Roger D. Lapham is president, has four mail contracts calling for \$10,500,000 in ten years.

MEETING IN ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 1.—Unions of the Trade Union Unity League and other working-class organizations will hold a "trade union solidarity" picnic on Sunday at the Forest Park Picnic grounds. Daniel Richards, new secretary of the Trade Union Unity League here, will speak on the present strike wave and the N. R. A.

Workers and Students Picket Empire Hotel; Hit Jim-Crow Policy

NEW YORK—Workers and students began picketing the Empire Hotel, 63 Broadway, yesterday after Juanita Baker, young Negro woman, was refused service in the coffee shop of the establishment. Miss Baker went into the coffee shop of the hotel yesterday to buy lunch, but was told curtly by the manager that "We don't serve Negroes." Students of a C. W. A. school upon learning of the Jim-Crowing of the young woman commenced picketing the place at once. A delegation of the students went to headquarters of the League of Struggle for Negro Rights, 114 W. 135th St., and asked for leadership in their fight to force the hotel management to treat Negroes on an equal basis with white people.

On the World Front

By HARRY GANNES
Naval Arms Race
Preparing "Disarmament" News from New Zealand

SOME TIME in April or June, 1935 (depending on whether Japan or the United States gets its way), a world naval arms conference will be held. In the interim, however, there is no hesitation in speeding naval armaments for the rapidly approaching new imperialist world war.

Hardly a day passes now when the various big naval powers do not maneuver for war alliances, or for advantages in the forthcoming naval conference, the third and probably the final one since the imperialist war.

The central issue in the naval arms race between the United States, Japan and Great Britain is control of the Pacific markets and colonies.

SPECIALLY since Roosevelt came to power there has been a colossal naval arms race, putting all past building programs into the shade.

Here is what the situation is with regard to the United States, Japan and Great Britain. Roosevelt has shown a passionate zeal in building a navy for Wall Street. In 1933 he utilized \$388,000,000 of N. R. A. funds for the navy. The 1934 session of Congress passed the 1934 Naval Bill providing for the construction of 102 war vessels, including a heavy cruiser, five light cruisers, an aircraft carrier, 65 destroyers and 30 submarines. Japanese naval experts declare that the cost of these ships will be from \$590,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000. In 1931 the naval appropriations stood at \$350,000,000; in 1934 and 1935, for the two years, they have jumped to over \$900,000,000. In other words, Roosevelt is getting ready for a naval "disarmament" conference.

JAPANESE imperialism hasn't let its navy slide away grow rusty either. While in 1931-32 the naval appropriations for the fiscal year stood at 220,000,000 yen, in 1934 the figure jumped over 100 per cent to 480,000,000 yen. This provides merely for "replacement" programs. The published budget, also, does not give the actual naval expenditures. Though the Japanese do not have an N. R. A., their war lords know how to conceal war expenditures.

British naval appropriations which stood at over \$250,000,000 in 1931, have jumped to over \$300,000,000 in 1934.

All of this, of course, is within the bounds of the London Naval Treaty, but it also puts an end to the treaty because the Japanese building does not stop there, and with a new conference comes a new race for war supremacy.

IT TAKES a long time for news to be mailed from New Zealand, but we have just received the June 23 issue of the "Workers Weekly," official organ of our brother Party in that country. They report some splendid international solidarity action of the Auckland harbor workers in support of the Frisco marine strike.

When the luxury liner "Monterey" arrived in Auckland from San Francisco she was welcomed by mass picket lines. Seamen, dockers, unemployed workers massed to prevent unloading naval arms building does not stop there, and with a new conference comes a new race for war supremacy.

"A taxi that happened to be cruising about near the wharf gates was halted by a party of well-to-do American sightseers. They were about to enter when a desperate fight broke out between the taxi and the pickets. This gave them a fright, and out they jumped, and the taxi hurried away without the fare."

BESIDES the cooks and stewards on about four other ships on the Frisco run, inspired by the Frisco strike, began to draw up their own demands and were preparing for a strike at the time the "Workers Weekly" went to press.

"The solid front of the Auckland Watersiders and Seamen," comments the "Workers Weekly," is a great expression of international solidarity. The fraternal support of their fellow workers in the U. S. A. will give great moral strength to the Frisco Watersiders who are putting up a desperate struggle against the effects of the N. R. A. of President Roosevelt, which the New Zealand Labor Party have given so much support.

"The Communist Party was the leader in giving the call for international solidarity of action against the Fascist attacks of the 'Blue Vulture' of President Roosevelt."

"The great response with which the call met is a fitting reply to the propaganda of National Self-sufficiency carried on by the Labor Party reformists."