By MARGUERITE YOUNG-

This is the sixth article in the series, "Wall Street's Fascist Conspiracy," revealing how leading figures in American business and political life are backing Fascist and potential Fascist organizations. Previous articles showed how the McCormack-Dickstein Congressional Committee suppressed evidence of Fascist activity, described the role of Gen. Smediey D. Butler, and told how Italian Consuls persecute anti-fascists in the U.S. Yesterday's article showed how the press, radio and movies are being used to advance Fascism in the United States.-Editor's Note.

The self-styled anti-Roosevelt, anti-bankers, anti-proletarian leader of veterans sat in his office at 346 Broadway. about three weeks ago, and predicted "a change by force' under the direction of "hot-heads." He said this would happen unless Congress comes across with a Central Bank and printing-press inflation.

His name, Dr. Edward T. Curran, is almost unknown today outside his organization, the Veterans Voters' League. Would Have Capital But it may yet flash upon the American consciousness. For Curran is, whether deliberately or not, a candidate for a big command in the storm troops of American Fascism.

He told the Daily Worker he is against "bankers," but not "liberal bankers," such as Frank A. Vanderlip, former president of the National City Bank. He said also that he knows Mr. Vanderlip and has been in communication with Warning employers and the govern-

U.S.S.R., Says He Has

Many Backers

By A. B. Magil

(Special to the Daily Worker)

ROYAL OAK, Mich., Jan. 30.-

fornia, and Borah of Idaho.

telephone from Washington.

night lectures.

"Unless Social Justice conquers

nism in this country. We have

Coughlin, who within nine days

the Red rule of Communism.'

Won't Name His Paymaster He is trying to turn the Veterans' Voters' League into a Farmer-Voters' League into a Farmer-Labor-Veterans' political party with a platform excluding every traditional specific demand of organized labor, and including monetary "reform" such as has been publicly, demanded by-Mr.

He evaded the question of who is financing his national organiza-tional expenses. The members pay

He hedged on every issue related to the Fascist offensive of the big bankers. And he declared:

"I hope we can form a third party this Spring. But Congress will decide that. If they fall in with the bankers and don't give us credit porting Father Charles E. Coughand currency, that'll be the end of . We have got to unite with tice, a movement which its founder farmers and laborers, that is, if the and leader is trying to build along country is still in a parliamentary mood. It may be that in the next three to six months, or longer, the futility and delay in forming a third | Coughlin made last night before an party may make it appear too friv- audience that packed the chapel olous, and the people may seek to next to his Shrine of the Little "The people'—led by whom? The built with scab labor. Coughlin communists?"

"Not by Communists!" he ex- thirty-five: claimed. "There are no Communists in this country. The American people are individualistic." Well, whom would they follow in

this 'change by force' you predict?" "Oh-hotheads," he answered im-

A Fascist Reservo

The Fascist threat in Dr. Curran's organization is clear. The siga mass political party. This is precisely the type of mass organizaand developing a military aspect, is gressive Party?" He relied: snapped up by the financiers and industrialists for storm troops. Definite military potentialities exist in Dr. Curran is typical of the discon- the A. F. of L. and Socialist leadtented middle-class "leader" who, ers are flirting, and the Minnesota opposed to working-class leadership, Farmer-Labor chiefs are also backcan be taken over by powerful back- ing the fascist-tinged Coughlin ers. He is a minor Father Charles movement E. Coughlin. He claims to have a following of millions. Established the course of what was the last for veterans' leaders estimate it around 1,000,000. It was just this type of military-popular organization and leader that were tried out for years with an attack on the Soviet Union and then taken over for storm declaring that the status of the troops by Thyssen and Krupp. This Russian workers today was the series has already proved that anti- same and even worse than under union businessmen are seeking to the Czars. Later on he shouted: develop specific Fascist and other veterans' organizations" in the United States.

#### Fascist Constitution

From the point of view of financiers who, according to the official record of the Dickstein-McCormack ing of two questions regarding his Congressional Committee, have been attitude toward the Nazis, indicatlooking toward veterans' organizations especially, in connection with "What do you think of the Gerefforts to form a Fascist army, there man Nazi program?" was one quesis nothing "hotheaded" about the tion. The answer was: "I'd rather Constitution of the Veterans' Voters not discuss it." League. Approved by Dr. Curran just about a year ago, this instru- planks in the Nazi platform do you ment calls upon members to con- think the National Union ought to form to a number of familiar Fas- adopt?" He replied—this man who been in July, 1933." cist regulations. It devotes a whole professes to be in tough with everyarticle to "Uniforms," the wearing thing that is happening in the of which it calls for "on all V. V. L. world - "I don't know the Nazi occasions." It makes the wearing platform." of overseas caps "mandatory." Another article of the constitution had delivered three radio talks over provides for segregation of minority national hookups, opposing Amerracial groups because "the influence ican adherence to the World Court, of consanguinity or other racial claimed credit last night for the . . may not be evaded defeat of this measure in the Se-In other words, Jim- nate. He praised the editorial along Crow. While the objects of the or- the same lines that appeared in yesganization are stated to be "for the terday's Hearst press as "one of the good that we can do; for the needy; most patriotic editorials ever writ- The close link-up between governfor the helpless; for the oppressed," ten" and described its author as a he constitution stipulates that of friend of his. ficers of the organization be "of The radio priest again, as on the report all signs of militantancy on some substance and above want"— previous Tuesday, indicated that he the part of workers in the indus-

(Continued on Page 3)

stitutional lawyer in the United star witnesses, William Hanks, to-BROWDER IN DETROIT States," and a man who "speaks day during the trial in the Superior DETROIT, Jan. 29.—Earl Browder, general secretary of the Communist Party, will speak here Thursday, on "The Communist Party on "The Communist Party of the Commu Party's Answer to Hearst," at a Coughlin dodged a direct answer mass meeting in Finnish Workers and said: "I'm keeping my tongue special prosecutor Neil McAllister famous "kidnaping plot" of which Hall, 5969 14th Avenue near Mc- in my cheek." The following For the second successive time testified that he had been a stool- defendants, claiming the defense evening, Feb. 1, at 8 p. m. in the second successive time testified that he had been a second successive time to the had been mosting of the Communist Party or the company unions, but to ormbership and close sympathizers ganize in "one union for all auto

on "Our Stand on a Labor Party." workers."



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less) .- "No capitalist country can

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levels, and living standards. The

workers' deputies come to this

Congress with victories to re-

port which no other country can

This was the general line of the

report of N. M. Schvernik, Secre-

tary of Trade Unions in the Soviet

Union to the All-Union Congress of

Soviets late this afternoon. Applause

rose from the whole Congress when

he ascribed socialist construction to

the leadership of the Communist

Party and particularly to Joseph

Schvernik pointed out that "al-

though wages were only a partial

measure of the improvement in the

condtions of the Soviet worker, still

wages rose 91 per cent in the last

four years, and this cannot be dis-

regarded, especially as the wage level in the United States last year

was only 73.4 per cent of the 1923

"The country of the Soviets has

no unemployment. The Soviet Union is a land of really free

laber, whose one will and desire

is the construction of Soviet in-

The trade union leader described

dustry," Schvernik said.

Stalin, its General Secretary.

MOSCOW, Jan. 30 (By Wire-

NATIONAL

**EDITION** 

# SOVIET CONGRESS CITES GAINS

# Green Asks for Closer Labor-N.R.A. Bond

Revive Illusions of Workers

By Len de Caux WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30 .ment of the "spirit of revolt" growing in labor ranks, and of the work-N. R. A., President William Green Labor made a bid for closer incorporation of the union officialdom Coughlin, Attacking the N. R. A. labor provisions today. Declaring that the workers ac-

cepted promises about the right to organize with "implicit faith," only to be met with "wholesale discriminations and discharges," Green pointed out that they face this situation "with deep and bitter resentment-a resentment which persists and grows."

lin's National Union for Social Jusself in an intolerable situation," fascist lines as a dike against Cominadequate. The promises of economic and social betterment have This was the statement that proved to be empty. This growing resentment has fostered the spirit of revolt which is gaining

This admission of labor dissatisnamed the following among the faction came at the end of a long speech praising the N. R. A. in Huey Long, of Louisiana, Thomas of Oklahoma, Wheeler of principle though criticizing its "weaknesses." Green's claims of Montana, McCarran of Nevada, N.R.A. achievement made a strange Walsh and Coolidge of Massachucontrast with some of the facts setts, Wagner of New York, and figures he presented, showing Doheny of Ohio, Johnson of Calireal weekly earnings reduced by the New Deal while profits bounded up-

Henrik Shipstead, Farmer-Laborite All the shortcomings of the N of Minnesota, as "a close friend of R. A., he claimed, are due to "one nificance lies not so much in the mine" and declared he had been fundamental fact," that it "has not present organization, but in the called by Shipstead at 1:30 a. m. had the benefit of full participagarbled, psuedo-popular program for talenhone from Weshington making and in code administra-In response to a question "What tion." He therefore put forward the tion which, after gathering strength do you think of LaFollette's Prodemand for union representatives to be allowed to sit in on code authoridominated by the employers. Implies LaFoliette Backing
The implication is that the Laon." Only a few of the codes give this organization, as we shall see. Follette Progressives, with whom even this much recognition to the

> Green's emphasis on closer cooperation of labor leaders with employers and government officials in code making was offered as a Coughlin's statements came in means to revive some of the illusions in the NRA which he himself admitted are blasted among the work-

> The sleek radio priest opened Pointing to the more than 11 million estimated unemployed by the A. F. of L., Green noted the failure of the N. R. A. to cope with mass unemployment and put forward again the demand for a 30the world, you're going to have in fifty or sixty years Commuhour bill in place of which he said the A. F. L. had accepted the N. I. R. A. as "a substitute measure. to win because if we don't, it's Thousands and even hundreds of thousands of workers are now In contrast to this was his dodgworking 44, 48, 50 and even 56 hours per week, he said.

Increases of 6 and 4 per cent in nimum hourly earnings in codified and non-codified industries between June, 1933, and November, 1934, have been more than offset increased living costs, Green The second question: "What said. "So that the weekly income of wage earners at the end of 1934 urday morning, and is calling on was actually smaller than it had all workers and anti-fascist groups been in July, 1933."

By Michael Quinn

(Special to the Daily Worker)

ment secret agents and the spy net-

work maintained by employers to

has close ties with Huey Long, tries was dramatically revealed in he joined the Cannery and Agriculwhom he described as "the best Con- the testimony of the prosecution's tural Workers' Industrial Union,

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Jan. 30 .-

## Workers' Bill Presented WORKERS BILL On Floor of Connecticut HEARINGS SET State Senate and House IN CONGRESS

While Socialists in Oklahoma Enter United Front Plans Made to Bring 62 for Defense of Jobless, Connecticut Socialist Rejects Insurance Fight

While in Oklahoma the Socialist and Communist Parties concluded united front negotiations in defense of eighteen class-war prisoners, Jack Bergen, Socialist representative from Bridgeport, refused to introduce the Workers' Bill into

(Special to the Daily Worker) surance Bill was introduced into has been introduced. both the House of Representatives and the State Senate here today. on Unemployment is preparing a in the government machinery, while Stanley Yesukiewicz, Democrat, and campaign to canvass all representasonville, presented the bill in the House after Representative Jack Bergen, Socialist from Bridgeport, 30 .- A united front of the Socialist had yesterday refused to introduce Party and the Communist Party in troduction of the Workers' Bill day on the trial of the eighteen en introduced.

Both Yesukiewicz and James Dick, riot of May 21, 1934. 'Organized labor now finds it- who is also a Democrat, and vicehe said. "The protection offered by Workers Union in Rockville, have onstration. All face long prison the law has proved to be false and pledged to fight for the Workers' terms on a Federal charge of "in-Bill. James Dick is also that fed-dent of the Connecticut State Federation of Labor.

Senator John Taft, a Bridgeport Bill into the Senate by request. In

BUDAPEST, Jan. 30 (By Wire-

the instinctive and vigorous support

of Hungarian capital, commenting

measily on the brilliant defense of

the great anti-fascist, is calling for

uppression of all news of the trial.

Remarking that "the political di-

vision of the administration has for

a long time noticed the increasing

"Communist actions have now

the Rakosi trial. Yesterday we

witnessed the fifth of the so-called

demonstrations of sympathy for

Rakosi. Leaflets, by which they

hope to create unrest, are drown-

"Naturally the political division

is endeavoring to halt this Com-

munist agitation, but in spite of the strenuous efforts of the police,

the first week of the trial has seen

such a horde of leaflet-distrib-utors that it is impossible to cope

"Free Rakosi" Rally Saturday

The Rakosi Defense Committee is

front of the Hungarian Consulate,

7 Morris Street, at 11 o'clock, Sat-

He testified that he has also been

a stool-pigeon for the county attor-ney of Tulare.

Department of Justice, of which he

Criminal Investigation Department,

the Unemployed Council here and

was an agent

strength of the communist move-

ment," the paper states:

ing the city.

Sacramento Witness Reveals

and which subsequently collapsed, the prosecution had accused the

partment, since Nov. 1, 1933. He was "kidnaping" story was exposed even

the great cotton strike in California. by the prosecution.

hired by Morrill immediately after by the hostile local press, as a stunt

a bill "by request" does not imply nesota, will begin Monday, Feb support of the measure, but sig-HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 30. - A nifies that at the request of groups of the American Federation of State Workers Unemployment In- interested in the measure, the bill nounced yesterday by Congressman

The Hartford Workers Committee Chairman of the Sub-Committee.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. the bill. Bergen said that the in- Oklahoma was concluded here Sun-Socialist social class-war prisoners being tried by legislation which thus far has not the Federal government on Feb. 11 for their part in the so-called food The eighteen workers were seized,

president of the United Textile in some cases, weeks after the demterfering with Federal employes in the performance of their duties. The united front between the Socialist and Communist Parties in

(Continued on Page 2)

## 'Free Rakosi' Edward Denny Actions Grow Is Convicted In Hungary In Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 30.-Edess).-The heightening here of the ward Denny was convicted yesteranti-fascist sentiment against the day of criminal syndicalism. Goemboes dictatorship, and the in- tence is to be imposed on Friday. tense and successful activity of the Protest telegrams and resolutions Hungarian Communist Party in should be rushed to Judge Stapleleading this movement, was blamed ton, Circuit Court, Portland, Ore. in tonight's issue of the "Eight demanding reversal of the verdict O'Clock Evening News" directly on and unconditional release of Denny. aroused in the working class by Matthias Rakosi's trial. This paper

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 30 .-Taking the witness stand in his that the Workers' Unemployment, own defense, Edward Denny turned Old Age and Social Insurance Bill, his testimony into a graphic indictment of capitalism, as he related in simple, ungarnished language the floor of Congress for vote. story of a highly skilled worker squeezed out of industry and struggling against the crushing burden of unemployment, and driven to the miserable existence of the soup-

been given a new impetus through He told how he worked in the East at skilled labor in the Curtiss Airplane works. Led by the glowing, false promises of the "On to Oregon" campaign of the local bosses, he came to Oregon, and found the fulfillment of these promises in the Portland Common's forced labor relief institution

> A month after joining the Comagainst the maritime strike, Denny was arrested

## U. S. Report **Proposes Rise** In Air Force

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 .- A com-State Link With Boss Agents mission appointed by Roosevelt has delivered to the White House a report which embodies proposals for making the United States the leading military power in the world in He came to his stool-pigeon job aviation with emphasis on immehere, he testified, from the U.S. diately building over 4,000 new war planes for the Army and Navy. As a stool-pigeon for the State

recommendations as prepared by a specially appointed commission to photostatic copies of receipts "provinvestigate the whole question of ing" that the Veterans National lief provisions have been removed. A the paper, the International Labor Defense, aviation in this country.

The report as delivered to Roose- by Government employes, in some velt urges that "it shall be the policy Under the questioning of the de- of the United States to maintain "kidnaping plot" engineered by fense, Hanks revised his story of the a position of world leadership in air

come out into the open and make payment of their back wages. tion of aviation in war, the report recommends the speedy fulfillment of the expansion of program of the Committee evaded making a direct ference. By Monday at least 500 are attack on the Trans-Siberian Rail-Army and Navy departments statement, Mr. Gebhardt, Supervisor expected to be on hand.

Workers Delegates to Washington

(Daily Worker Washington Bureau) WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30 .-Hearings on the Workers' Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Bill, H. R. 2827, introduced into Congress by Representative the usual parlance, introduction of Lundeen, Farmer-Laborite of Min-4, at 10 a.m., before the House Labor Sub-Committee, it was an-Matthew A. Dunn of Pennsylvania

William F. Connery, Jr., of Massachusetts, Chairman of the Labor testifying at the public hearings on N. R. A. labor provisions today.

Staticy restrict, Petrolegy of the business agent of Local 2188 of the tives and senators for support of the Workers' Bill.

Committee; Ernest Lundeen and the Workers' Bill. endorsed the Workers' Unemploy ment Insurance Bill, H. R. 2827.

Brown Will Testify

Elmer Brown of Typographical Union No. 6, will be the first to testify. Brown will discuss the National Unemployment Congress, recently held in Washington to press the fight for immediate non-con tributory unemployment and social

Herbert Benjamin, executive secetary of the National Joint Action ommittee for genuine social insurance, will testify before the subcommittee on the administration stand on unemployment insurance and for the Workers' Bill following

Many Groups to Speak During the hearings, which will ast two or three weeks, about sixty workers, representing every section of the working population, will tes-

National Unemployment Councils, scabbing. testify at the hearings on the

During the hearings, all workers and their organizations are urged to double their efforts behind the Workers' Bill. Telegrams, resolutions of endorsement, post cards and letters should flood the House Committee on Labor, demanding H. R. 2827, be reported out of the Committee on Labor and onto the

Benjamin to Appear Today Israel Amter, secretary of the National Unemployment Councils, telegraphed the House Ways and Means Committee yesterday demanding that full time be accorded to all representatives of the employed and unemployed workers, who will appear to speak against the Roosevelt Wagner-Lewis Bill.

Herbert Benjamin, executive secretary of the National Joint Action Committee for Genuine Unemployment Insurance, and Louis Weinstock, secretary of the American Federation of Labor Rank and File unist Party, and throwing himself | Committee for Unemployment Ininto the struggle to halt the efforts surance, are scheduled to apof employers and relief officials to pear before the House Ways and force the jobless single men to scab Means Committee today. Amter

SHIP RADIO MEN STRIKE

By Harold Hickerson

(Special to the Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30 .-

New York, had actually presented

Rank and File three point program

and maintenance.

War Veterans Win Building

Hamilton Fish, Representative from which McIntyre was present.

was being endorsed and supported lished itself in the Central Bureau

veterans in their demand for care February 4. On Thursday and Fri-

In Washington for Parley

#### 1,500 Go On Strike At South Bend Plant; Other Walkouts Loom

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 30 .-Fifteen hundred striking workers at the Oliver Farm Equipment Company here are demanding a 50 per cent increase in wages The strike is led by local 19086 of the A. F. of L.

While this strike is on, 4,200 workers of the Bendix Airplane Works are likewise demanding increased wages. A strike situation is developing in the Bendix plant. Vincent Bendix is a prominent member of the Wall Street Committee of the Nation which backs Father Coughlin.

Strike sentiment is likewise developing among the milk drivers, street car men and truck-

Three thousands workers at the Wilson Garment Co. are also demanding higher wages.

Plans Mapped for Even More Effective Fight If Writ Is Signed

Teamster members of the Communist Party, New York district are asked to see the section organizer at the section headquarters, or at the District Office, Fifth Floor, 50 East Thirteenth Street. as soon as possible after reading this notice.

With New York teamsters set for a strike next week reports indicate that preparations are being made to bring the strike to an even Plans have been made to have higher degree of effectiveness than which the unions were placed in epresentatives from all the unem- ast week if Justice Humphrey makes charge more than a year ago. The Leagues, the Illinois Workers' Alli- good his threat to sign the injunc- insurance budget was higher by two ance, the Wisconsin Workers' Com- tion on Friday which would outlaw mittee on Unemployment and the cooperation between unions against

> ernment officials and higher officials of the union are attempting to divert attention from the strike by urging that court action and legislative means will be adequate to protect the jobs and working conditions of the men.

Teamsters and Longshoremen have received thousands of circulars issued by the American Federation of Labor Trade Union Committee for Unemployment and Social Insurance which calls upon them to continue the fight against the injunction and pledges to mobilize every force within its reach in their support.

The committee, at 30 Irving Place, called upon the workers to take the following steps

Committees against the injunc tion should be formed at every garage, dock and local. American Federation of Labor local ing committee and get in touch rescue but the I.L.D. with the teamsters and longshore-SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Jan. 30. sociation and head of the Central Steamship Company have gone on at 265 West 14th Street, demandstrike, demanding an increase from ing that a conference of every labor the present \$75 a month to \$110, organization in the city should be following failure of negotiations convened within three days for a which extended since September.

of the Transient Relief Bureau of

the District of Columbia, turned

over a building for the use of the

veterans. This occurred after sev-

The building was granted for a

registration committee has estab-

The regular sessions of the rank

#### billion rubles in 1934 than in 1932, he pointed out. Last year 1,160,000 workers went to free rest homes and 590,000 to health resorts, Meanwhile, business interests, gov- Schvernik stated. Every Soviet worker receives two weeks to one month of vacation from work with full pay,

Other leading reports made to-day at the All-Union Soviet Congress will be found on page two.

### **Appeal Made** By Sister of Patterson

Only \$64.95 received Wednesday by the International Labor Defense for Scottsboro-Herndon Defense Fund. \$8,554.31 more is needed imme-

diately for the United States Supreme Court appeals.

By Sebell Patterson Calhoun (Sister of Haywood Patterson) When those kids got framed on in the city should elect a support- rape, well, no one came to our

Days and nights passed over our men's locals. Justice Humphrey of weary heads, no one came to relieve Kings County Supreme Court our pain. One day mother came should be showered with telegrams for me. This lady from the I.L.D. of protest. Wires should be sent was there. She explained just what to Joseph Ryan, President of the I.L.D. do, and so on, and we International Longshoremen's Assay, yes, take the case in hand.

Seciation and head of the Central

Now the I. L. D. is a true friend. Ship radio men of the McCormick Trades and Labor Council, located They were the first to come to our

> The I. L. D., carrying the appeals Norris, and of Angelo Herndon, to the United States Supreme Court, s in urgent need of funds to finance these actions. Rush contributions for the Scottsboro-Herndon Defense Fund directly to the national office of the I. L. D., Room 610, 80 East 11th Street, New York City.

GUILD STRIKE GOES ON NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 30.—The Newark Newspaper Guild, conduct-

of the Newark Ledger informed the Within 24 hours after the red-bait- eral conferences between Mr. Geb- board of trustees now in charge of ing and fascist gentleman, Mr. hardt and officials of the FERA, at the paper that although the proposal to negotiate for a settlement is agreeable, strike activities will not evidence to Congress in the form of period of two weeks under complete be suspended while scabs remain rank and file control. All work re- employed in the editorial rooms of

JAPANESE SEIZE CITY

TOKIO, Jan. 30 .- Japanese and instances by heads of departments, and file conference for action on Manchukuan troops have captured the Government capitulated to the bonus will begin on Monday, the town of Halkha Miao, within the border of the Mongolian People's day, Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, the Vet- Republic, an official dispatch of the Though Marvin McIntyre, Sec- erans will visit representatives and Rengo Agency declares today. This Devoting much space to the ques- retary to the President, would not senators, demanding immediate cash is part of the Japanese drive through Chahar and other parts of this announcement and when called up by a member of the Resident veterans have arrived for the conway at Karymskaya.

# PRAL ORGAN COMMUNIST PARTY U.S.A. (SECTION OF COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL) NEW YORK, THURSDAY, JANUARY 31, 1935

# Every Factory Runs In Soviet Union

## Hero of Paris **Commune Dies** In Red Moscow

Gustav Inard, an Aged CommunardHad Fought on the Barricades

MOSCOW, Jan. 30, (By Wireless) -In the Moscow Kremlin Hospital yesterday there occurred the death of the veteran of the Paris Commune, Gustav Inard, aged 88, who actively participated in the barricade fighting in Paris in 1871.

After the fall of the Commune Inard fled to England, from there he went to America. Meanwhile in Paris he had been condemned to death. In 1884, after a general amnesty had been declared, he returned to France.

Gustav Inard came to the Soviet Union in 1925. Despite his advanced age Inard displayed great activity almost to the last day of his life. He took a vivid interest in the socialist construction of the So-viet Union and frequently spoke at Moscow factories, sending articles and letters to the French papers on the life of the proletariat in the U. S. S. R. Recently, when the Soviet Union mourned the death of Sergei Kirov, Gustav Inard stood in the guard of honor at the coffin of the great revolutionist. The fu-neral of Inard takes place Jan. 31.

## Workers' Bill Is Introduced In Connecticut

(Continued from Page 1)

defense of these workers centers on a five-point agreement: the two parties shall share equally the responsibility of conducting the defense: mass defense; the attorneys given freedom of decision on the case; neither party will attack the other upon the specific case, but this shall not limit comradely criticism on issues outside the defense.

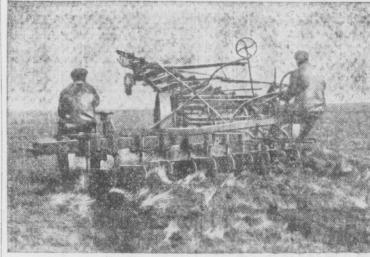
The united front shall terminate upon the decision of the first court. In cases of appeal, a new united front relationship may be set up. The attorneys chosen under the

united front pact will be J. O. Cooke, I. L. D. attorney of Oklahoma City, and attorney Belden of Cushing, Okla.

Every Socialist and Communist worker and their organizations have been urged to wire protests and

Funds for the defense of the pristing North Caucasus, Saratov, States It is necessary now to learn to use oners should be sent to S. Heller- lingrad, the Western Siberian dis- these machines to best advantage, man, 1441 West Main Street, Okla-trict, Moscow, Ivanovsk, Kursk, and the village will be able to de-homa City.

SOVIET-MADE MACHINERY



Tractors and combines designed by the Russian workers and made the Soviet Union by the Russian workers at giant plants link the farm population to the city workers in their united efforts at building

## Socialism Brings More Grain, Cattle, Better Life for the Farmers

Describing the great advances in collective farming in continuation of the first. The funthe Soviet Union, Comrade Molotov, in his report before the damental tasks of both are—the 7th Soviet Congress, declared:

"Ever since 1933 when the process of reorganizing agriculture was completed, we have secured a notable in- of people.

crease in the production of grain nd industrial crops. As a result, Tatsria, Crimea and the Ukraine already in 1933 the gross collection But already they make it possible of grain amounted to 590,000,000 for us to judge the turn in cattle poods more than was obtained from breeding made during 1934. A comthe same territory in 1913, con- parison of parallel figures for Jan. sidered an exceptional harvest year. 1, 1934 and Jan. 1, 1935 shows that during the last year, the number of

"The general harvest of grain in the Soviet Union during 1934 remained on a level with 1933; however, the results of the actual grain collection, reduced by losses during harvesting, turned out to be from the number of calves more than "Horned cattle of the kolkhozes 250,000,000 to 300,000,000 poods more doubled. The sheep and goats on than in 1933. "This year we have before us the and for the kolkhoz peasant sector

task of considerably increasing agricultural production in all branchas a whole increased by 11 per cent. "In regard to grain and induses, by an amount totalling two and a half billion roubles, or an increase fronted with bigger tasks than last Our agriculture is now equipped with machines, tractors, "The most important problem benbines, automobiles, etc., as never fore agriculture at the present time before, and we must achieve a still is to raise the level of cattle breedmore pronounced rise in the tempo

of agricultural production than in of the C. P. S. U., Stalin placed this the period past. task before all kolkhoz villages, "We built our own tractor plants, namely, to secure a turn in the development of cattle breeding during 1934. Now, we can say that last tractors. During the period under year saw the beginning of this turn. report, agriculture has already been send resolutions demanding the I have at my disposal statistical in- supplied with several hundred freedom of the prisoners to Gov-ernor Marland, District Judge Ed-ward J. Vaught at Federal CCircuit Jan. 1, 1935.

I have at my disposal statistical in thousand tractors and other ma-registration of cattle carried out en chines. In 1935 we must supply tractor machine stations alone with Court, and to United States District | "These figures are not yet com- 68,500 tractors, 10,000 automobiles, Attorney W. C. Lewis, all at Okla- plete, as they do not include the 14,600 combines, and many other

## Advances of Industry In Soviets Surpasses All Previous Records

New Industrial Districts and Towns Seem to Spring Up Out of the Ground—Backward Regions Join Ranks of the Advanced

MOSCOW, Jan. 30 (By Wireless).—Six hours of energetic discussion following the first part of V. M. Molotov's report as Chairman of People's Commissars today acted as the enlivening foundation for the second part of his speech, devoted to the triumphs of socialism in the U.S.S.R. and the rgent tasks of the Soviet Govern-

declared, "the economy of the U.S. S.R. has made a big stride forward. income grew from 35 billion ruble In the period under review we suc- to 56 billion rubles last year, that is Year Plan, fulfilling it in four years. the same period the state budget This allowed us immediately to push increased four and a half times forward to the grandiose Second Five-Year Plan for the period 1933-

1937 and put still bigger tasks in the new Plan than in the first. "In actual practice, of course," added Molotov, "there is no special demarcation between the first and the second Five-Year Plan. In reality the second is the organic rise of the national economy of the country and the rise of the material well-being and culture of the masses

#### No Crisis

is that we have no crises as other ward in the development of even countries, that our national economy as a whole, especially our industry, not only did not experience any decline for a single year, but the industrial enterprises, transport on the contrary, grew from year to and agriculture in the Far East. year and moved forward with a But besides, in the last three or four

"We have no plants or factories, blast furnaces or Martin ovens that are not working, or going to wreck and ruin because it is not profitable to work them. We continue to increase the work of our functioning enterprises. But the existing plants and factories are insufficient for us. We are building hundreds and thousands of new enterprises and a year does not pass without starting to build new giants of Soviet industry, giants of electrification, of machine construction, in metallurgy, and chemical plants.

'New industrial districts and towns seem to spring out of the The backward regions and districts are going into the ranks of the advanced.

"National culture on a basis, which is beginning to flourtory generally. [Applause.]

"During the four years since the its general reflection in the big Soviet Congress," Molotov growth of the national income. the four years elapsed the national

#### Rise In Economy

"The general rise in the national conomy may be seen in the basic industrial centers, as in the recently still absolutely backward and remote agricultural regions. The turn has come even in the most remote regions of our Union.

Precisely in the period under reiew the Far Eastern District began to grow at an exceptionally rapid pace. This is very significant for our country, since the Far Eastern District is rich in natural resources and has a great future. The past period has shown that the "The good fortune of our country | Soviet Union can rapidly move forsuch remote and difficult regions from the point of view of trans-

"We have continued to develop years a great deal of new construction has been taking place there. We are successfully laying a second track along the entire railway line of the Far East which stretches ,000 miles and have started buildng a big Baikal-Amur railway line."

#### Growth of Industry

Devoting himself now to the magnificent rise of agriculture, Molotov farms in the villages no longer aid: "Now we can already say that count. collectivization of agriculture in our ountry is completed in the main. Four-fifths of peasant households were in collectives by the beginning of 1935, nine-tenths of the sown area of the U.S.S.R. belonging to the collective and state farms. The idual peasant has

MEETING ON A FARM COLLECTIVE



Marusia Bagrash, an eighteen-year-old girl, who is addressing this meeting of the Soviet collective farm, Red Meadow, is chairman of the collective. Despite her youth, she has led the farm in carrying

## Socialist Foundation Is Firmly Established By the Soviet Toilers

The rapid strides of Socialist upbuilding growing out of with the bourgeois classes, including the Five-Year Plans, and its tremendous industrialization landlords, the large and small urban and collective farm program, was dealt with in detail by Com- bourgeoisle, merchants, and the rade Molotov, reporting to nearly 2,000 Soviet representa- kulaks. In 1913 they represented a tives at the 7th Soviet Congress. The following is the section great force. Their total number

in our economy, we have millions of

individual peasants possessing pri-

vate farms left, and since in some

cases even the kolkhoz workers ap-

pear in the market as private sellers of their produce. The N. E. P. still

lingers in its last stage, continuing

its work under Socialism. Further-more, such tried weapons of our

ments of trade and money taken by us from the arsenal of bourgeois

ociety and adopted to the needs of

Soviet power, will continue to be used for a long time, and will ful-

Lenin Set Task

"At the end of 1922, Lenin set

as the main task of the proleta-

rian revolution the transformation

of 'N. E. P. Russia' into 'Socialist

Russia.' In these words we have

Lenin's chief behest for our Party,

the leadership of all construction.

We can now say: N. E. P. Russia has become Socialist Russia.

plause.] Our country has been

ing with this phase of the situation especially in the villages! now we have not yet completely outlived the N. E. P., since even after liquidating the capitalist elements in the Soviet Union:

teenth Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union, said: "'We have already laid the foundation of a Socialist society in the U. S. S. R., and we now have left as our task only to complete it with the superstructure—which is undoubtedly a less diffi-cult task than laying the founda-

#### Sustained Victory

"No one can refute this assertion. The foundation of a Socialist so- fill a most important service for ciety in the U.S.S.R. has been built, and built firmly. [Applause.] Already nothing is left of capitalist economy in the U.S. S. R. The remnants of small, privately owned

"Socialism has sustained its victory in our country. This victory has been sustained on the basis of the N. E. P., which to opportunists leaning to the side of the bourgeoisie seemed only a policy of retreat, but which became in the hands of the Bolsheviks the

ish, represents an unprecedented sight outside the boundaries of the Soviet Union and world his
which the situation in which the transformed.

"This transformation found its retheir place in the ranks of the flection in the basic changes in the toilers, helping to build the new the soviet Union and world his-

The overwhelming majority of the peasants have already joined kolklozes. Since then, the number of individual peasants was reduced still further and at present they com-prise only about one-fifth of the toiling peasant population.

The Kulak Class

the main, we have fulfilled the great

task set us by Lenin. In Russia, the entire proletarian population, including farm laborers and their families, amounted in 1913 to 28,

300,000 people. In 1928, before the beginning of the first piatiletka, it amounted to 26,300,000 people, and

at the beginning of 1934, it amounted to 47,100,000; that is, in come parison with 1913, the proletarian

"Still more serious changes took

place with regard to the peasantry.

The peasant population (excluding

1913 to 90,700,000 people. In 1928,

the situation had already changed

It had already become impossible to

speak of the peasantry without dividing it into kolkhozniks and in-dividual peasants. Peasant kolk-

nozniks worked together with arti-

sans and handcraftsmen in the co-

operatives, and were not yet great

in number. They comprised 4,400,-000 people, while the individual

peasants totalled 111,100,000 people.

The situation was entirely different at the end of 1934, when the kolk-

hozniks already numbered 77,000,000,

and individual peasants 37,900,000

population has doubled

"Let us now see what happened reached 22,100,000, including 17,100,-000 kulaks. The October Revolution during its first decade swept aside a considerable portion of this social stratum, and many began to penetrate other social groups. Thus, in 1928 only 6,800,000 remained, including 5,600,000 of the kulak class.

"As a result of these regroupings, the relations between the basic social groups of the population in our country have changed in the following way: the proletarian population increased from 16 per cent in 1913 to 28.1 per cent at the beginning of 1934. Among the toiling masses of the peasantry, a new group of peasant collective farm members has been formed, which at the beginning of 1934 already represented 45.9 per cent of the total population of the country, and at present represents over half our population. At the beginning of 1934, the individual peasantry represented only 22.5 per cent, and at present this group has been reduced still further. The bourgeois elements of the county, which in 1913 accounted for fully 15.9 per cent of the people, has since, as is well known, been liquidated. Some of these gentlemen have simply been thrown out, and live abroad. ever, a certain part of the people

# 'To Avert War, Agitate for Peace--This Is Soviet Policy,' Declares Molotov

Cites Gains Made Through Soviet Policy of Peace -Shows How U. S. S. R. Initiated Peace Measures for International Safety

The Daily Worker here publishes a special section of V. M. Molotov's brilliant and comprehensive introductory keynote speech at the All-Union Congress of Soviets in which the Chairman of Peoples Commissars particularly deals with the role of Soviet foreign policy and its influence toward world peace, the problems of the disarmament conference, the work of the Soviet Union in the League Nations, and the difference in the foreign policies of the capital-ist and Soviet worlds.

(Special to the Daily Worker) MOSCOW, Jan. 30 (By Wireless). "Our government has always atgreat importance to the open discussion of the question of disarmament, or at least, of the maximum reduction of armaments. It was for this end that Soviet diplomacy worked at the international disarmament conference. We may say that numerous sessions of the international disarmament conference proved fruitless, but nobody can say that the Soviet Union did not do everything in its power to insist on general, or at least maximum disarmament. It is not our business to defend the Geneva disarmament conference, but we do not doubt that the efforts of Soviet diplomacy at this conference, which became widely known in many countries, will not disappear fruit-

"The logical continuation of this policy is our proposal to convert the disarmament conference, from which some members wish to quickly rid themselves, into a permanent conference for peace, into an organ constantly striving to avert war. This proposal will be discussed again by other countries at the in-ternational conference, and we shall

among the imperialists for this purpost. But this plot failed. ([Ap-

## Question of the League

"Since then much water has flowed under the bridge. Events in recent years have emphasized changes which took place in the situation in the League of Nations. The most militantly aggressive elements have begun to abandon the League. Under present conditions, membership in the League of Nations was a hindrance and an obstacle to their plans. At the present time, however, the majority of the members of the League of Nations, for various reasons, are not interested in the outbreak of a new war. We had to draw our concrete Bolshevik conclusions from this situation. Therefore We adopted a systematic attitude toward the proposal of 30 countries regarding the entrance of the U. S. S. R. Since League nations can now play a certain favorable role in the question of assuring peace, the Soviet Union was bound to recognize the advisability of collaborating with the League, in this mat-ter, although we are not prone to overestimate the role of such organizations. There is no need to mention that the invitation of 30 the League of Nations certainly did not belittle the international authority of the Soviet Union. On the contrary, it shows the reverse. We reckon this fact among our assets. [Applause.]

League of Nations arose in a new connection, we should note our acbut, on the contrary, participated R., countries like France, Germany,

countries to the U.S.S.R. to join

"The Soviet Government not only tries depends not only on us, but showed the initiative, but supported also on the foreign policy of these the measure of other governments countries. You all know how many "During the recent period, the directed toward preserving peace question of our attitude toward the and international safety. In this of bourgeois states. If our foreign policy is clear and stable this can manner. We know that the League of Nations was formed previously tive support of the proposal of frequent changes in government by states which did not then want France on the so-called Eastern take place under various influences. to recognize the existence of the pact for mutual aid. This pact where one bourgeois party replaces new workers' and peasants' state, should include, besides the U.S.S. another at the helm of government. Strenuous efforts were formerly made to convert the League of Nations into a weapon directed against intended to ensure agreement of the Soviet Union. The League was intended to ensure agreement of the Soviet Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

Strenuous efforts were formerly increasing struggle between them connection of capitalist countries, the since and zigzags which took situation of capitalist countries, the increasing struggle between them connection with the duration of place during the period under respect for the Soviet Union recognition of capitalist countries, the increasing struggle between them the factor in on principle. On this general port in the policy of certain countries, the increasing struggle between them the factor in on principle. On this question of Poland and Germany to participate in this matter.

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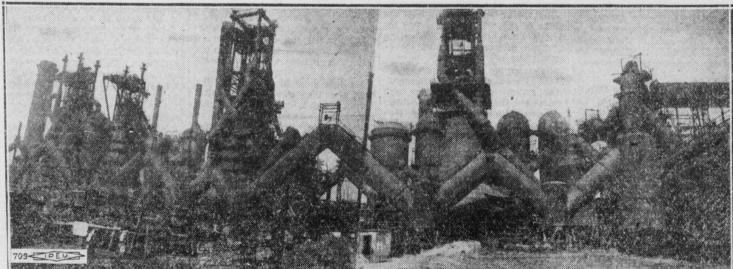
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INDUSTRY ADVANCES IN THE U.S.S.R.



Magnitogorsk Steel Mill, one of the giants of Soviet Industry.

government considers that its attitude toward this matter cannot be changed.

new forms, both in the splict of economic relations and in the matter of preserving peace, is continually developing between them.

### Foreign Policy

"Our relations with other counpolicy is clear and stable, this can

been going on for several months uation, competition and cooperabetween these countries in connection with the conclusion of this pact.
I won't now deal with the excuses which Germany and Poland still give for refusing to sign. The significance of the Eastern pact for nificance of the Eastern pact for all supporters of peace in Europe is plain. Therefore, despite all hindrances, despite the objections of the aforesaid countries, the Soviet government considers that its at-

> "The U.S.S.R. is striving in every possible manner to develop commercial relations with other countries. In the period under report, the chief significance of the collaboration of the U.S.S.R. with other countries is in the preservation of peace. The relations of the Soviet Union with capitalist countries during this period, finally, were determined by two basic factors:

#### Struggle Intensified

search for allies in all parts of the world. Simultaneously, the development of the relations of the U.S.S.R. with capitalist countries disclosed a considerable increase in the role of the U.S.S.R. as an international factor, especially as a factor for peace and safety.

"Passing to the concrete facts of the period under report, we should speak firstly of the restoration of diplomatic relations by the U.S.S.R. with many states. "Here we should mention countries

like the U.S. A., China, Spain, Hungary, Rumania, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria and Albania. Of great significance is the restoration of normal

"In connection with this, it is par- until recently, it was considered that whatever happened to the others, countries, however small their speturned out, otherwise, than the former governments of America against the entrance of the U.S.S.R.

#### Another Victory

"President Roosevelt sent his well-known message on establishing normal relations with the U.S. S. R. Thus America abandoned its position of principles, which we must consider an extremely favorable circumstance, especially from the point of view of the interests of general peace. We had no need to change our position and make any sacrifices whatever when restoring these relations and this must also be recognized as an extremely favorable fact." (Ap-

"Firstly, the sharpening internal the U.S. A. adopted the position of rumors about the sovietization of ent way, which you know.

Strengthening of Diplomatic Relations With Big Capitalist Powers Shows Increased Strength of Power of Workers' Rule

spreading fictions. I consider it nec-essary to stress the real Soviet Afghanistan, and Italy as well, policy regarding China. The Soviet Union considers incompatible with its policy the seizure of the territory of other countries, and without question is a supporter of the indebendence, inviolability, and sovereignty of China in all its regions, including, of course, Sinkiang,

"There is no need to mention," said Moletov further, "that the establishment of normal relations with Rumania, Czechoslovakia and Bulgaria also corresponds com-pletely with our interests for peace, especially in Europe. I can, nevertheless, say that some countries still remain which have not established normal relations with

accurately, in some corners of Eucific gravity in international affairs. Among these countries, Holland, into the League of Nations, pretending that they did this out of a desire to defend the capitalist order in principle against the Soviet dan-

#### Few Bare Spots

rope we can note only a few bare came to power. For ourselves we spots that denote countries not can say that we had not, and do having normal relations with the not have any other desire than to U. S. S. R. Take the map of the world, and then you will see that all in the future. However, serious difcountries having any influence in ficulties have arisen during the international relations, have estab-lished normal relations with the ficulty in developing Soviet-German Soviet Union. Naturally, in this case we need not speak of colonies race theory about the German plause).

and semi-colonies, because they are people being 'master' of the entire not allowed to decide such questions world. Without having a very high normal relations with China, Mo- independently, but their decisions in opinion about these "theories" relations with America. For 15 years lotov, in conclusion, mentioned the these matters are made in a differ- [laughter in the hall] we do not

which is plain proof of the possibility of developing cooperation between countries with absolutely opposite social orders. For example, the best development of

friendly relations is seen in our relations with Turkey. "Recent years not only saw & period of development in Soviet-Turkish economic and cultural connections, but also a clear political demonstration of Soviet-Turkish friendship. (Applause).

#### Relations With France

"In our relations with France, we should note considerable improve-"There are actually such countries ment during the recent period. The even in Europe, or, speaking more entire international situation, and especially changes now taking place rope. It is naturally incorrect to in Europe, have made the problem neglect entirely to mention these of ensuring peace and safety extremely urgent.

"As for Poland, we have shown with sufficient clarity the en-deavor to develop further Soviet-Polish relations. We cannot, however, speak of our satisfaction with the results already obtained in this respect.

"But we can firmly say about our-selves that we intend to continue the line of developing good neighborly Soviet-Polish relations. We cannot close our eyes to the changes which took place in Soviet-German "In general, on the map of Eu- relations when National Socialism

## SOCIALISTS' STAND IN FAVOR OF 2827 HAILED BY AMTER

Unemployment Council Leader Lands Fighting Spirit of 29 Who Signed Resolution in Support of Workers Bill

By I. Amter

There were seventy-three Socialists at the National Congress for Unemployment and Social Insurance, of whom five attended as delegates of the Socialist Party. One of Louisiana, lawyer-cog in the Demothese delegates is a state secretary of the Socialist Party, cratic machine; and several bearing Maine; three are members of state committees of the S. P.,

tions.

to participate in the Congress.

workers and farmers

Nevertheless, there was a goodly

number of Socialists at the Con-

Wage Terror Against Workers

We do not expect the "old guard"

But we ask Mr. Norman Thomas,

who talks about the united front:

which rejects the united front on a

the fighting. Their position is clear.

Fight United Front

The answer to this surrender

organizations — organizations that

port the program of Roosevelt, as

Will the National Congress go in

this direction? Although this does

not concern here, we know that the

struggle for the Workers' Bill, the

struggle against the use of Section

7A, against labor the struggle of the

Waldman has done.

ment in the country?

do, but FIGHT for it.

Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Colo-All of them are prominent especially Norman Thomas, in addiand active in Socialist Party affairs tion to Socialist controlled organiin their states and communities. zations to join in organizing the One of them, Broadus Mitchell, is Congress. All of them refused to a professor at John Hopkins Uni-cooperate. None of the national versity, and was the candidate of the S. P. for governor of Maryland in the last elections.

In his speech at the Congress, Mitchell said:

"While I do what lies in my power to convince those of my party of the necessity of joining hands with every group which espouses these principles and these objects, I shall not cease to speak to the widest audience that will listen to me, asking for a united front."

This statement was greeted by the Congress with warm applause. In view of the rabid position of the 'old guard" Socialists on the united front-no united front with the Communists and militant workers, that has no place in the Socialist but with the bureaucrats of the A. Party. The "old guard's" campaign F. of L.—the position of Mitchell of terror against the rank and file deserves commendation.

All Active in Mass Work But more significant than this nists is becoming history. speech was the declaration of twen-ty-nine Socialist delegates from are active in mass work in their cities. All of them feel the urge who knows that in some parts of the Federal Reserve System, cities. All of them feel the urge of the Socialist Party for the united front with the Communists first of All of them know the need of the united front as expressed by the workers in all struggles. All of them spite the position of the state comknow that the fight for the Workers' Bill is not a fight of ideas alone, we ask Thomas: Why have you not but a life and death problem for the courage to fight for these rank the whole working class. They reflect this struggle and expressed it courage to fight for your openly in the following declaration at the National Congress:

O'Neal, Waldman, Lee, Cahan, do National Congress:

"Resolution passed by the Socialist Pary members, delegates to the National Congress for Unemployment and Social Insurance from Socialist locals, state executive committees, districts, or from unemployed or other organiza-tions, and members of the Socialist Party who are visitors to the

Congress: We, delegates to the National Congress for Unemployment and Social Insurance, representing entire Socialist locals, districts or committees, or unemployed or organizations, or as visitors to the congress, want to go on record as endorsing the program of the con-

"We pledge our support to carry out the principles and actions proposed by the National Congress for Unemployment and Social Insurance, to work in our respective locals and organizations for the adoption of the bill, and for the success of the work started by this congress

Basis for United Front "We believe that this congress contains the basis for a broad united front of all workers and farmers. [Emphasis ours.]

Signed: Broadus Mitchell, Baltimore, Md.; Leslie A. Richards, State Executive Committee, Mass.; F. H. Maxfield, State Secretary, Maine; E. P. Ormsbee, State Committee, R. I.; George Barber, Somer-Committee, R. I.; Committee, R. I.; George Barber, Somerville, Mass.; Milton Pogorelskin, Washington, D. C.; Fred Haug, Irvington, N. J.; Joseph Massida, Lynn, Mass.; F. S. Kidneigh, Denver, Colo.; Howard Carwile, Washington, D. C.; Charles F. Morrissey, Camden, N. J.; Spencer Kimball Binyton, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Sam Spero, Jacksonville, Fla.; William Winters; Wille Sue Glagden, Boston, Mass.; John J. Neads, Pittsburgh, Boston, Mass.; John J. Neads, Pittsburgh, and O'Neals, as well as against all who capitulate to their policies. Boston, Mass.; John J. Neads, Pittsburgh,
Pa.; Waldo McNutt, Secretary National
Youth Congress; Doyle Glosner, New
Castle, Pa.; Albert W. Smoyer; Lawrence
Fritch, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio; John Tocester; J. J. Vanecek, Cleveland, O.; Chas.
M. Sandwick, Bethlehem, Pa.; Chas. P.
Hardy, Camden, N. J.; Conrad V. Rheiner,
member at large, Maine; Mrs. Mary B.
Nelson, Reading, Pa.; Jack Lieg, Faveite
Nelson, Reading, Pa.; Jack Lieg, Faveite Nelson, Reading, Pa.; Jack Ligg, Fayette City, Pa.; Lester Ruffner, Luray, Va.; E. J. Party in this country and the will-Manuel, Rilevsville, Va.

This declaration is most signifi- cooperate in the formation of such cant. The Congress was based upon a party based upon the immediate the idea of the united front of all burning needs of the masses and organizations in the struggle for a having its organizational base in common aim—the enactment of a the trade unions, the unemployed genuine unemployment and social and farm organizations, etc. A currency, and people could start insurance bill. When the National fighting labor party-not the "labor Unemployment Council issued the party" proposed by Waldman and call for the formation of the Na- O'Neal, a party made up of themtional Sponsoring Committee, it in- selves and the reactionary burocrats vited also the Socialist Party, and of the A. F. of L., a party to sup-

#### WHAT'S ON

Philadelphia, Pa.

Answer the victous lies of Hearst and his press. Answer the lies of all enemies of the Soviet Union. Come to the Mass Meeting on Friday, Feb. 8 at 8 p.m. at Broad St. Mansion, S.W. cor. Broad and Girard Aves.

Prominent speakers. Adm. 20c. Auspices, Friends of the Soviet Union.

How then explain that Paul Ras-February 2nd and 3rd, Scotisboro Tag
Days. All organizations are asked to
send volunteers to the I. L. D. Stations in their territory to help raise
funds. Auspices I.L.D., 49 N. 8th
Street, Room 207.

How then explain that Paul Rasmussen, Socialist, member of the
state executive of the Ilinois Workers Alliance, refused to sign the Socialist resolution, because, although
he agreed with it in general, he dis-

he agreed with it in general, he dis-Dance Friday night, February 1, Garrick Hall, 507 S. 8th St., for Workers School. Special Night Club Dance the last sentence is only a generalentertainment, refresh- ization of the call for the Congress.

Superior, Wis.

Chicago, Ill.

Grand Ballroom of the Stead Kindly keep this date open.

(Continued from Page 1)

in other words, not unemployed vet erans, not rank and file leaders. And so the leadership of the V. V "of some substance." met J. Larkin, New York state commander, owns a large upstate mail order house and several stores. The national officers include Louis T. Grant. A gentleman by the name of Louis T. Grant, presumably the same, was appointed director of the Federal Veterans' Bureau in 1925 Others are J. St. Claire Favrot of military titles.

The very physical pattern and program of this organization prepare it for the Fascist mold. doubtedly a great number of the membership, sincerely opposed to the anti-labor program of the bankers, do not realize that its leaderleaders and only few of the state ship, while supposedly opposed to leaders, during the course of the the bankers, in reality is working preparations of the Congress, agreed

Pre-Hitler Program

The very fact that business and gress, some of them officially delinfluential military-minded men are egated by their Socialist organiza- inducing working class veterans to The statement which they organize in such a group, devoted ostensibly to "the oppressed," and issued rings with the conviction that the united front can be formed flinging out phrases about reform and "this Congress contains the basis but not even promising specific an for a broad United Front of all swers to their immediate or ultimate needs, is evidence of the advance of the Fascist offensive. It is typical of the pre-Hitler and pre-Mussolini leaders of the Socialist Party to days. So is the present effort to bring in farmer and worker memconsider this anything but heresy bership—on a program even more typically Fascist Party. The "old guard's" campaign

The platform, reproduced with that is fighting and carrying out this article, calls for the immediate the united front with the Commu-redemption of United States bonds following the issuance of currency notes backed by "scientifically and correctly valued" gold. It calls for eleven states. All of these delegates who knows that in some parts of a Central Bank and the elimination and demand of the rank and file of the Socialist Party for the united this may seem to be contradiction national scale; and who knows that and confusion, it is clear on one the united front is being formed de- point: it would mean inflation and plenty of it. It would amount to printing press inflation. The platform calls for "heavy taxation-for public safety and welfare-on all concentrated wealth to reduce swollen fortunes," something which sounds like "radical" taxation of the rich, but which might be merely a restriction of such taxation to the needs of whatever "public safety Waldman praises Roosevelt's "social and welfare" needs the big bankers security" program, and calls upon who control Congress decide.

Socialists and progressives to sup-While the whole program is full port it. Is this the position of the national leadership of the Socialist of muddled language which might Party? Does it also endorse the Roosevelt "social security" program? If not, then why does it not fight is strikingly clear; it evades unemagainst it? Why does it not crack ployment insurance, the right to down on the "old guard," who rep- strike and every other hard-won resent the most reactionary senti- and oft-defended right of the working class.

But-Who Pays?

Knowing that the Veterans' Votpolicy of Thomas, Hapgood, etc., is ers' League membership is non-dues paying, I asked Dr. Curran who being given by the local and state finances the national organization not only accept the united front, as expenses.

"Each Congressional district at-Thomas and Hapgood pretend to tends to its own wants," he said. The Congress "contains the basis "But you have a national organfor a broad united front of all work- ization. Who pays for sending out ers and farmers." Twenty-nine So- your literature and correspondcialists from eleven states signed the ence?"

"Well," he hedged again, "we de-iberately belittled the national idea At Hosiery Mill resolution — Maryland, New York, New Jersey, Maine, Massachusetts, liberately belittled the national idea Rhode Island, Florida, Colorado, to make our organization local." Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia "Just what do you want to get and the District of Columbia. These through your third party?" I in-

workers not only saw in the Con- quired. gress the basis for a united front of "Currency reform! A Central workers and farmers, but pledged to bank! Eliminate the private banker only fifteen within 150 feet of the not American citizens. "work in our respective locals and out of control of the American peo-

Dr. Curran's emphasis shook his fleshy figure. He is a former presi- Georgia, mill of the company, dent of the King's County Lawyers' support of the Workers Bill. The Association, Brooklyn. He has been honorary member of several District Democratic Clubs, and acted like a Hosiery

Tammany ward heeler. "Why eliminate just the bank-ers?" I asked. "Don't the indus-terday charging that attorneys of -issues that were touched upon by trialists actively hold down the the Richmond Hosiery Company workers' living standards?"

"The banker is the one that's responsible for all the trouble in is a "conspiracy to deprive the compointed out the possibility of a Labor America. He controls credit and ingness of the Communist Party to

won't give us any." "How much new money and with the famous Danbury Hatter's credit do you want?"

savings deposits call for pay damages. \$42,000,000,000," he replied casually We could issue new money on half that amount and have an adequate getting one leg out of the grave.'

Would Cut Wages The issuance of such an amount of paper money would mean rocketing prices, leaving the worker in the hole with a wage which, historically, never keeps up with ascending prices. It would mean much greater misery to the working and salaried people.

"What will your organization do to defend the rights of the people tinuing to mete out sentences to from the immediate threats?" I workers active in the General Strike asked. "What will you do to de- last September, Judge Benjamin fend the right to strike?' "Why," he hedged, "I understod United Textile Workers' organizer

For Relief on February 7

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 30.-A call to a fifteen-hour week, and the dis-It is only an emphatic repetition of was issued here yesterday by the crimination against Negroes and Register now for all classes at Philadelphia Workers School, 908 Chestnut St. Office open from 1 to 8 p.m. Term opens Monday, Feb. 4. It is only an emphatic repetition of the foregoing parts of the resolution. Why did Ramuseen refuse to sign? Why did Ramuseen refuse to sign? Is it because the "old guard" controls workers to rally to a mass demonstrated workers workers workers workers which was a mass demonstrated workers which was a m Attend the Liebknecht-Luxemburg Ilinois-and the young fellows, fol- stration on Feb. 7, in support of came to the City Hall and when

for a principle-a working-class demands of the workers when Mrs. with clubs, tear gas and machine Mabel Koropov, organizer of the guns, to attack. We hail the fighting spirit of the Unemployment Council, presented twenty-nine Socialists. The Commu- figures showing that workers on re- promise to send the demands to Daily Worker Comm. is holding an affair Feb. 3 at Vasa Hall, 11th and John Ave. Good program, refreshments, dancing.

twenty-nine Socialists. The Commufigures showing that workers on renists in the localities where they lief received 30 per cent less than live, must cooperate wholeheartedly those on work relief, which endorsement. He stated that the live, must cooperate wholeheartedly those on work relief, which endorsement. He stated that the with them in mobilizing the rest of amounted to a 10 per cent cut for demands were "reasonable and senthe Socialists, in penetrating the those on relief, and demanded that: sible" and blamed the lack of county ORGANIZATIONS ATTENTION—The Friends of the New Masses is giving a bill for the benefit of the New Masses on Friday, March 1 in the Grand Ballroom of the Steuben Club.

Workers' Bill and for working-class on work relief projects or compensations for the cut. The restoration of the thirty-hour week Workers' Bill and for working-class on work relief projects or compensations for the cut. The restoration of the thirty-hour week Workers' Bill and for working-class on work relief projects or compensations. sation for those who had been cut February, according to Zimmerman.

Memorial and Scottsboro Protest lowing the manner of Thomas, do Meeting, Friday, Feb. 1. 8 p.m. at Liberty Hall, 2109 Columbia Avenue. Clarence Hathaway will be main speaker. A gala program has been arranged. Auspices, Young Communist League. The other states they do defy them because they are fighting for 2 principle—a working-class demands of the demands that a delegation of they called on Relief Administrator 300 forced the City Council to endorse on Jan. 21.

The City Council endorsed the given the police, who were armed demands of the workers when Mrs. With clubs, tear gas and machine

Mr. Zimmerman was forced to

#### SEEKS TO ENSNARE THE VETERANS

COMPLETE PLATFORM

ite Nationalization and Title by Purchase with U.S. Currency of all Monetary Gold in U.S. at \$30.60 an owner seafers acisetifically and correctly value said Gold per onnee—for what it is worth at the present time. reasury thereupon to issue Currency notes in the ratio of \$5, to \$1, is Gold. With said gold ascured Currency purchase ALL Interest-Enzing. Tax Exempt U.S. Bonds. Belance of Currency on hand to be premptly spread the people in the form of public improvements. Soldiers: Bonus, etc., etc. o was and control of Central Bank to execute ALL the Banking functions of the Government. tion of Feds, Theories, Dictatorships: Erain Trusty: Surplus Bureaus: Private Bankers disquised as Federal Re-

The "platform" of the Veterans' Voters' League. Marguerite Young describes the fascist purposes of this outfit in an interview with its "national commander." Edward T. Curran.

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'FRIEND' OF VETS



National Commander of "Veterans' Voters' League."

everybody had the right to striketo walk out if he wants to." "But the right to quit isn't the right to strike. Don't you know boasting that the theoretical 'right' is no ranting

police and troops? of procedure.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Jan. 30.

branch, was granted an injunction

plant. Each picket must show a

special deputies and police have

The American Federation of

strike at the four mills of the com-

terday charging that attorneys of

are attempting to file suit against

the union, charging that its strike

pany of its competitive advantages.

The suit, it is expected, will rank

case, when the union was forced to

1.400 Return in South

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., Jan. 30.

Fourteen hundred textile workers,

who went out on strike when the

Merrimack Mills made a move to

hire non-union workers, returned to

work Monday after a settlement re-

ported as satisfactory to the work-

ers. All return without discrimina-

U.T.W. Organizer Imprisoned

LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. 30.-Con-

sentenced Herman Stein

Atlee

St. Paul Jobless To Rally

been increased.

tional Guard at the Rossville, and costs.

Workers, conducting the

control than I am of millionaire control. Noticing this crude application of

the Roosevelt "middle-of-the-road" demagogy which has covered up ruthless attacks upon labor, I asked Curran what he thought of the Roosevelt administration.

"Against Roosevelt," he said. But not because of the effect of his program upon the working class but because he hasn't provided enough inflation! Curran com-"Roosevelt hasn't played fair. He left the bankers in control of our currency. . . . If he doesn't take them out, he'll wind up the same as Hoover.'

Opposes Insurance "Where do you stand on unemployment insurance?"

"I don't know anything about it. I don't know whether it's ever been -that is, I understand it's a success in Belgium, and, if so, it could be easily copied."

I asked him whether, since he thought there were no Communists in America, he thought there were no Fascists either.

"Oh, there are some frightened financiers—" He caught himself and began to thump the arm of his chair. "But they just think they're Fascists. I don't think they are." Typical Fascist Tool

Here spoke the typical tool of Fascism, the would-be mass leader, boasting influential connections against "bankers' while right at all when strikers are at- promoting a banker-class program, tacked by armed strikebreakers, and denying the need to defend the armed vigilantes working with the rights for which millions of workolice and troops?"

"Oh," he hedged again, eyeing me in the past year! Denying also the suspiciously, "that's just a matter Fascist aspect of the financiers' militant drive toward reaction.

"What will you do to protect the right to really strike?" I repeated. "When I mentioned the specific right to really strike?" I repeated. "Fascist-army plan put up to Gen-"Now, listen!" he exclaimed, "I'm eral Smedley D. Butler, he looked no more in favor of proletarian knowing. Indeed he said he heard

Steffan and Paul Napolitano, are

Howard Stauffer, Jr. of Annville

During lunch-time speak to

your shopmates about organizing for better conditions; pass around your copy of the Daily Worker.

Ask them to buy it regularly.

and costs.

credential from the union, the writ Pa., who participated in the picket-

told Curran that the Wall Street bond salesman, Gerald C. MacGuire Morgan-broker Grayson M. P. Murphy wanted Butler to make a monetary speech for them at an American Legion convention. Still Curran said he saw no Fascist threat. Then I pointed out to him the similarity between his and Mr. Vanderlip's Central Bank proposal, and suggested it seemed queer 'Well," he said, turning around in his swivel chair, "there's two kinds of bankers-and I'm not opposed to the liberal kind, like Mr

later checked this with Genera

Contact With Vanderlip

"Do you know Mr. Vanderlip?"
"I've communicated with him. "About your Farmer-Labor-Vet-

erans party. When did you com-municate with him?" "Oh, a few times." He looked wary. "Don't you know," I finally asked, "that inflation such as you are proposing on behalf of the masses can only hurt these

masses?" He got up, silent.

"Are you not going to answer this?" I persisted. "Listen, if I've got a house, I can't has been obtained as the main sell it for a dime today. I've got to speaker for the giant mass meet-

get something for it!" he exclaimed ing against Nazi-fascism which is with some irritation. "But you must know that the mil- torium here on Feb. 3. Bollens is lions of the working class have no a member of the American League houses. Even those who have jobs Against War and Fascism in De-

your inflation program in opera-He stepped over to his costumer, put on his coat and said, calmly Toledo Union Leader, Robert F. patting his belly, "Well, there's about Hardinge of the Bricklayers' Union a hundred million paupers in this

country today, and there'll be a lot more if they don't give us more the Youth Section, William Cizek money. "The question I asked you is Taylor, Socialist, Francis W. Murwhether you don't know that this inflation program would mean more

mass suffering. "Yes," he said. Then, "No, no, it wouldn't make prices go up a damn

"You Gotta Read Everything" As I walked by his office table, saw a copy of The New Masses. I asked Dr. Curran why he he read it. He replied that he "occasionally gets a good idea from a financial article

"But you certainly don't get any financial ideas that would suggest that the people of this country would be helped by inflation!" He put on his hat and spoke with some finality. "Listen, Lady, in times like these,

you've gotta read everything, and that's what I do. In times like these you've got to keep your eyes open-that's what I do." . . . TOMORROW: In her article to-

morrow Marguerite Young will show the financial background of fascist development in the United

PENNSYLVANIA JOBLESS ACT of Lancaster, to six months in Writ Restrains of Lancaster, to six months in prison and a fine of \$500 and costs. PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 30.-A Stein was one of the fourteen ar-State delegation of one hundred Karl Lockner, Communist candidate Strike Pickets rested during the fight at the Marietta Mills with deputized thugs last workers will go to Harrisburg on Thursday, Feb. 14 to demand that September, when strikers attempted the State legislature endorse the to stop the shipment of scab goods. Workers Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Bill, H. R. The prosecutor, Assistant District Attorney William B. the Federal government for suffi-cient relief pending the enactment Arnold, has made a big point in -The Richmond Hosiery Mill, Daisy court of the fact that two of the of the Workers' Bill. workers who were fined, Killian

HATHAWAY TO SPEAK

PHILADELPHIA Pa Jan 30-Clarence Hathaway, editor of the Daily Worker, will be the main provides. Since removal of the Na- ing at the Stehli Mill, was fined \$10 speaker Friday evening at a joint Liebknecht Memorial Meeting and Scottsboro Rally at Liberty Hall, 2109 Columbia Avenue, here

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## Fascist Groups Seek To Ensnare Veterans, FREE TRIP TO U.S.S.R. 'Daily' Interview With Curran Reveals OFFERED TO WINNER from the General about the thing. OF 'SUB' CONTEST

Worker Who Collects Greatest Number of Daily Worker Subscriptions Will Win Opportunity to Witness Building of New World

The idle rich tour the world to see the ruins of the past, but some fortunate worker, somewhere in the United States, will have an opportunity for a free ocean trip to the Soviet Union to witness at first hand the building of the future.

Anti-Fascist

Mass Meeting

By Kenneth Eggert

(Special to the Daily Worker)

end J. H. Bollens, German Luth-

eran minister from Detroit, Mich.,

to take place at the Civic Audi-

since Hitler took power.

Central Labor Union.

and anti-fascist groups.

the featured speaker.

local Unitarian minister, will be

BANQUET FOR NEWTON

quet Saturday night, Feb. 9, in

honor of Herbert Newton, Chicago

Negro Communist leader and can-

didate for City Clerk in the ap-

son Street. Other speakers include

candidate for City Treasurer.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 30.-Rever-

Set in Toledo

Moscow, capital of the new world still abounds in relics of the oppressive past but the eyes of every visitor are turned first to the uncompleted monuments to the

> Whoever goes to Moscow may see the Tsarist crown jewels, the beil tower of Ivan the Terrible, Uspensky cathedral, the Granovite Palace -all the grim reminders of centu-

> ries of enslavement. But they can also see, and what worker doesn't want to, the Park of Culture and Rest, the Red Square, the Kremlin, the Museum of the Revolution, the workers' clubs, the new modern workers' homes replacing the ancient grim tenements and tumble-down hovels.

The worker who wins this unusual opportunity will be able to stand in the Red Square in Moscow on May Day, 1935, and watch the countless thousands of workers, soldiers and would get less to eat and wear with troit and has travelled in Germany peasants stream past the reviewing

> Other speakers will include Wal-The Daily Worker is offering a Gunthrup, editor of the free trip to the Soviet Union as part of the contest in the present subscription drive. 3, who is a delegate to the Central

> Every worker is eligible. To be a Labor Union, Samuel Schuller of contestant, you need have but a minimum of twenty-five yearly subof the Cloakmakers' Union, John C scriptions or their equivalent in other forms of subscriptions. If you secretary of the Toledo Central Committee of the American League Against War and Fascism, meet this requirement and secure the most subscriptions you will win Tim McCormack of the South Side the trip.

> Workers Club and others. Three of All you have to do is to visit your the speakers are delegates to the friends and shop-mates, canvass your neighborhood and organiza-The meeting of the City Central tions or use any other method you Committee on Sunday brought a wish to seek subscriptions. splendid response, this body deciding to issue 50,000 leaflets through

> The Daily Worker is offering, in fact, ten prizes to those who join trade unions, workers' clubs the competition. Second prize is a month in any workers' camp, or \$50 The Youth Section of the Amerin cash. Third prize is two weeks ican League Against War and Fas-cism will hold a mass meeting in in any workers' camp or \$25 in cash. Seven other prizes are of one the auditorium of the Y. W. C. A. week in any workers' camp, or \$12 on Wednesday evening, Jan. 30, at in cash. which Reverend Walton E. Cole,

Wait no longer! Join the contest now, and win a free trip to tha

U. S. WORKERS BACK BILL CHICAGO, Jan. 30. - Robert WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30.-Minor, member of the Central Com-

mittee of the Communist Party, will F.E.R.A. Lodge 139 of the American be one of the speakers at the ban- Federation of Government Employees, which includes in its membership government employees who work under the members of the proaching elections here. The ban- Roosevelt Committee on Economic quet will be held at 308 West Madi- Security, endorsed the principles of the Workers Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Bill, H.R. for mayor, and Sam Hammersmark, 2827 with only one dissenting vote.

# PRIZES Workers!

An important announcement will be made in the Daily Worker in the next few days. Additional prizes have been added to the Special Daily Worker Subscription Contest. This means that every worker can win a prize. Enter the Contest TODAY!

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Ten prizes will be awarded to the winners of this contest. In addition to the FREE TRIP TO THE SOVIET UNION, which will be awarded to the worker securing the most subscriptions over twenty-five, nine other prizes are being offered.

1st PRIZE—A Free Trip to the Soviet Union 2nd PRIZE-A Month in Any Workers' Camp, or \$50 cash

3rd PRIZE-Two Weeks in Any Workers'

Camp, or \$25 cash 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th PRIZES: One Week in Any Workers'

Camp, or \$12 cash. (In the event of a tie, duplicate prizes will be awarded.)

The contest closes April 5, 1935 (midnight). Write today for full particulars, or visit the Daily Worker office in your District. In addition to the ten prizes, every contestant will receive a handsome Daily Worker Shock Brigader button upon receipt of his or her first subscription.

unity.

principle

By Redfield

UNEMPLOYMENT HAS BROUGHT IN ITS WAKE PER-SONAL PROBLEMS as desperate, perhaps, as the hunger for food. Read this letter. It has in it the passionate bitterness of a girl who sees her problem, and can see no way out. What would you do in her

QUITE RECENTLY I read an editorial in the Daily Mirror, entitled something like "Boys and Girls-Get Married!" When I had finished there was murder in my heart.

. . . . .

"THE PLIGHT of the many boys and girls, who, because of economic conditions cannot get married, is Federal Terror very sad indeed, and it is one of the chief reasons why I have turned Hits Farmers towards Communism. Let me cite

"I WILL BE NINETEEN in two four. We have been close friends for about two years, and would like very much to marry now. Judge for your-

school, and for the past year, I have rested in Minot, North Dakota, and been unemployed. My parents who would be tried in the Federal Court do not wholly understand what I'm there. Others were being sought, up against, think I'm lazy. That is with the result noted above. hard dose to swallow. My boy friend earns \$22 a week.

not agree with them. The prospect the question) on \$22 a week is not the beginning of a new wave of powder and fuse, and do the blastof life for two (children are out of very cheerful, contrary to the way Hollywood pictures it.

ARE YOUNG, strong and willing to does work, very, very hard-and yet it seems that we are doomed. We do not have much privacy. I am of an independent nature, and yet can the support and defense of the and understanding that we must not afford to be. My pride and selfrespect are slowly being killed. Our relationship is becoming strained, because of unsatisfied desires and Mmited amusements. It is madden-

"YES, IT IS INDEED A PITY, for I am not the only one. Many friends I know face the same problem, and I am sure there are millions more. The future is not very bright for any of us. It is most disheartening. Those who are responsible for this have committed one of the most terrible crimes in the world's history! . . .

THERE ARE MILLIONS of such eases. Who, herself, has not seen at least one in her own family, in her own naighborhood, hopeless, waiting, hoping only that time itself will change these conditions, will make for this particular couple a situa-tion that is better than that of the rest of the working class. I will state my opinion later. What do the readers of the column advise this girl

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the loans be "good" and is con-

and labor camps.

side to make room for the owners of England and Scotland hunte

Taylor Grazing Act Aims to Force

By a Farmer Correspondent

capitalism is now preparing to deal

farmer who has, since the large

cattle ranges were broken up, en-

joyed the freedom of the plains, and

ing grass from the land which was

program of the triple A and the

Taylor Grazing Act seeks to estab-

lish large grazing units which will

be owned by the government and

grazed by the stock men, during cer-

tain periods of the year, who are

continguous to the units. The fees,

which would approximate two and a

half cents per head for sheep and

ten or twelve cents for cattle, will

be divided as follows: half to the

counties in lieu of tax money which

might have been collected on the

grazing land and one-fourth to ad-

stock men to discuss the Taylor Act,

delinquent in his real estate and

ninister the Taylor Act and provide

brothers farther east.

enduring hardships and chisel-

blow to the small stock man and

The Ruling Clawss

Strike Fund Needed in Nabisco Strike

By a Worker Correspondent NEW YORK-The N.B.C. strike till now has been successful, but now I think the spirit is weaken-ing because of lack of funds and

The bosses are using an old trick of feigning unconcern, and some of the strikers are beginning to feel that the strike is pretty useless and futile.

I am personally acquainted with a great many strikers here in New York, I know the condion of their families. I am sure if there would be more daily news of the strike in the Daily Worker, if there could somehow be set up a strike fund it would

A STRIKER'S DAUGHTER.

By a Farmer Correspondent BISMARCK, N. D.—At least seven farmers have been arrested, and for not paying his taxes, and is charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in Eastern Montana during the last few days. The capnounced that Thorvold Nielson, "It is two years since I am out of Westby, Mont., farmer, has been ar-

The case is the result of a Sears-Roebuck sale that was carried "MANY PEOPLE SEEM TO vide County, North Dakota, where THINK that such a salary during the mass resistance of the farmers these "times" is not at all bad. I do to a forced sale resulted in the to-

tal sum of \$2.44 for the seller.
This attack against the farmers is attempting to crush the resistance of the farmers to the mass impoverishment evident everywhere. "WE ARE TWO PEOPLE WHO ing this case, the government hopes to be able to break the organized bing, going around in his newlywork and learn. In fact, my friend resistance growing stronger day by day. The United Farmers League is rallying its forces for struggle against this attack, and will rally the other farmers' organizations for starve than scab. That is the spirit

Dairymen's League **Pays Low Prices** 

By a Farmer Correspondent

SULLIVAN COUNTY, Pa.-Most of the farmers and dairymen in Sullivan County do not make enough to keep themselves and their families on a decent standard of living. They were not getting enough for

their milk, cream and butter to pay

for their expenses after milking, icing and delivering milk six to ten miles to the creamery of the Dairymen's League at Wheelensville, Pa This was closed down on October 1 after a meeting held in Shunk, by one of the ex-presidents of League, a real politician. He delivered a speech in which he said nothing that was constructive. The reason for closing the milk depot was that it did not pay, although they refused to take in any more members who were willing to deliver their milk there. The Dairy-

One tenant farmer, who has a wife and four children, was arrested serving his time in the county jail at one dollar a day to pay off his His family joined him in jail as they did not have enough to eat at home. On hired farms, earning about fifteen dollars a \$100 and the tax is \$8. The tenant farmer is taxed more, also the mechanic, depending upon his earn-

men's League pays the lowest prices

Some farmers work at lumbering others at coal mining. The miners get 75 cents a ton (in a new mine moving slag, loading on small cars, and they have to furnish their own

pov-Us-ago and one of the dairymen, an bing, going around in his newlybought car (from his scabby earnings) trying to get scabs.

One worker whom he asked to told him he would rather get the farmers to learn

#### REMNANTS OF SLAVERY



Two Southern sharecroppers at work, picking cotton. These Negroes toil all year around on the land of a big landowner for a share of the crop which the landowner sells. During the course of the year, the landlord advances them food on credit. These credit accounts are kept by the landowner, and cheating sharecroppers is part of the code of honor of southern gentry. Very often the sharecroppers find themselves in debt to the landlord at the end of the year, as is pointed out in the adjoining story.

in the Daily Worker Subscription Contest!

By a Worker Sharecropper Correspondent

CHAMBERS COUNTY, Ala. Listen, Chambers County is a good sides what he paid for the Guano. county for the speculators to live in Part of the time he would not furand bad for the poor laboring people to live. You can get plenty of gathered his crop he sold it and work to do for nothing. The poor told the Negro that he got \$39 and both white and Negro.

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Lorenzo Stokes

New York, N. Y.:

around, and cheat him out of what having an initial amount provided adequate relief, cancellation of debts he makes, and tell him that he has by the government the speaker turn- and production credit can keep eaten it all up, when the landlord ed to a chart of one of the proposed them from being cast into slavery. will not furnish them any thing but grazing areas. "It has cost the govfatback meat and a little bread, and

the most of it is corn bread. A landlord worked a Negro tenant on his farm here for about \$17 benish him anything at all. When he the next morning, told him that he The landlord will take the share- had made a mistake and said, "You

cropper and work him all year owe me twelve dollars." Join These Shock Brigaders

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not answered. population now has no other lead-The credit of the small stock man ership to follow except the leaderpeople in this county sure lives hard, gave him only \$12. He came back as well as many of the large ones ship of the Communist Party. Business College Helps Cut Pay

ernment five million dollars in the turn once again the correctness of

relief and you could buy all this small farmer stands out in bold faced

land for a million." A woman in the type. The economic interests of the

back of the room asked what would soon to be homeless small rancher

become of all the people who had coincide with the Farmers Emer-

been on relief but the question was gency Relief Bill. This section of the

LOS ANGELES.—How the busi- lieve in penalizing a boy or girl for ness colleges help to "raise" the the privilege of working. standard of living of workers in Los Angeles is revealed in a letter recently sent to Los Angeles employ-

The letter says: "Dear Mr. Employer: You need

"You, perhaps, do not feel justiyour present payroll.

solved those problems for you. Employ one—or more—of our part-time student-secretaries, and your office worries are over. "The State Labor Commission has

under eighteen years of age, and forty cents per hour for workers over eighteen years of age. "You can readily see what a help and saving such an arrangement

would be for you. 'As for example "A boy or girl under eighteen, working two hours a day, for five days a week, would cost you only

"You can't beat that, Mr. Employer-and just see what a parttime secretary could do for you in from two to four hours a day: A student-secretary could do your typing . . . fill in or 'personalize' your circular letters . . . take your dictation . . . answer your telerun your errands and attend to your general office

. Mr. MacKay doesn't be-"Don't let your work pile up on you, Mr. Employer. Just begin with a part time worker, and later, when ers by the MacKay Business Col- he graduates, you may be able to

Mr. Employer may be able to offer rested 10 to 15 times for not having the worker permanent employment is right. About the time the part- had a license. In court they wouldn't time worker is ready for permanent even give me a chance to defend fied in adding an extra worker to ceive another letter like the above employment, Mr. Employer will reurging him to hire the new part-"Mackay Business Colleges have time worker, instead—because it will

that, Mr. Employer! MacKay is interested in these part-time job placements of students because MacKay ensures a steady flow of tuition fees from such students. Ergo, MacKay will have the dollar incentive to "plug" for the next batch of students after the present ones are shoved out into the world with an education and not

bosses are joining to smash the the truth. workers. You can beat that, fellow workers. Join together to smash the on the relief and that is damn poor. the office workers industrial union

ters from farmers, agricultural, cannery and lumber workers. We urge farmers and workers in these industries to write us of their conditions and efforts to organize. Please get these letters to us by Monday of each week.

### Land Tax Increases In Mississippi

By a Farmer Correspondent STATE LINE, Miss .- I don't see

how we are going to keep going here if times keep going from bad Every year, my taxes keep going

higher and higher. This last year

1934, taxes are payable Feb. 1, 1935. After that the interest is 1 per cent a month until August. Then the farm is advertised and sold, which will make it cost twice as much to redeem. For 1934 my valuation was raised three-fifths over that of 1933. In 1933 I was forced to let the state get my 69 acres of pasture for non-payment of taxes. A few months later I got a chance to bor row the money to redeem it, which I thought would be enough. So I made an application. It sold for \$25 taxes. The state is holding it ney's fee \$10, notary fee 75 cents, leaving a total of \$104.50. As I was unable to borrow that much at that time, I had to let it rest a while. So the state adds 1 per cent a do raise the money to redeem it. What it will cost today, I do not

to the state to be redeemed by as the Western Labor Union and the stomach and intestines. the original owners at one dollar per acre one-fourth down and onefourth payments each year for three exposed as leeches sucking our blood or gums. Also in view of a poor interest, the clerk's fees, and other gain. expenses, would of course have to be paid in cash. But our worthy governor vetoed the bill, so over one intelligence can be seen in the fact ably due to gaseous distention of half the land of Mississippi now belongs to the state and the taxes on the balance has to be raised Small Cattle Ranchers Off the Land on the balance has to be raised every year to meet the increased state expenses.

I don't know about other states but we sure get some wise guys STROOL, S. D.—The system of ernment credit agencies. As the Re- elected to office in Mississippi.

#### loans come due the customers are told that they can renew from the Direct Relief Cut However, this set-up demands that In Florida

By a Worker Correspondent

abandoned years before, been able to exist as well or better than his area. Also this board interlocks with INGLIS, Fla.—Our President is The submarginal land purchasing take an active part in putting over the Rehabilitation Board which will figuring on putting another load of that our eyes are now open and we take an active part in putting over the Taylor Act. It is plain to see that the small stock man is tied to hoard up, and those that really communism. It is our only hope. The consequently the tain muscles. Consequently the down with an economic lariat rope need must go without even a can And for the first time the hungry worker frequently says. "I get plenty and is at the mercy of the big stock of beef that a hog would grunt at and oppressed are turning toward of exercise at the machine all day. men who have the government now and walk away from. acting as a strong man to clear the Over three months ago,

range. By withholding relief, credit pounds of rice, a can of beef and have tricked and duped and be- frequent stool is seen, remove bulky and feed loans, capitalism will try to a pound of rank butter were handed trayed us these past four starving foods and roughage from the diet. put over the Wallace program of out. The rice was done away with a learning program of elimination of farmers in the stock of the weeks later. Then fifteen pounds they may.

Rest, sleep, worry-free existence helps. This type is rarely seen in country from production and forcing them to the subsistence plots the beef and butter.

Six weeks ago, all of that was cut Capitalist columnists, quick to off direct relief. Only those that jump to the aid of their masters, worked got the staple groceries, such fences and watering places, and one herald the rehabilitation scheme as as they were. They got the pay, also a "good thing" for agriculture and potatoes and the remains of what The small stock man will find suggest the addition of game to the people in other places wouldn't take. that he is not wanted any more on stock units so that the idle rich We have here folks that are unable the range and will be swept to one could come and hunt. Like the lords to work even if they did get a job.

of large herds of cattle and sheep. the game preserves after the peas- a big car. He has to have a secre-In a meeting at Rapid City, S. D., ants had been herded out by the tary to paddle after him to carry where government agents met with King's soldier's so will the American his pad and pencil. He sits around capitalists hunt after the New Deal trying to look wise and make people the question was asked what would has driven out the homesteader and become of the little fellow who was locked him in a subsistence farm. pecome of the little fellow who was locked him in a subsistence farm. pay from the F.E.R.A., loads his This situation calls for a militant sack with things that those who children sit with freezing hands. livestock mortgage payments and program of struggle for the small need it should get. Then he goes off had been for several years depen- stock man. The Farmers Union pro- whistling and still looking for more. of the leaders to the city commisdent on relief. The government man gram with its refinancing scheme Those that get it do not need it, answered that they could sell out and cooperative building plan will and those that need it must go with- And we—well, we're forgotten in our cough blood on such occasions as and if they didn't do that they only help the large rancher to get out,

#### Try to Deprive Vet As the wheels of capitalism slowly Of Newsstand last several years in this area for the Communist program for the

By a Worker Correspondent NEW YORK.—I am a disabled war veteran that got permission and a license from the city to operate a news stand at East 98th Street and Rutland Road in 1932.

This is my only means of making a living, still there are people that are trying to deprive me of this means. The owner of a local candy store, Mrs. Nurom, has offered me \$1,000 for the stand. I turned this lown, as the stand is my only means of making a livelihood.

After that a real reign of terror has been directed against me. I was assaulted once, my stand has been held up. The man that beat me up was the son-in-law of this Mrs. Nurom. After it was proven in Comra court that he committed the assault, he only got six months pro-

However, the police have lined up against me, too. I have been ara license, and yet all that time I myself. All in all I have been fined \$22.

This is the treatment veterans get pull is used to deprive a man of his only means of making a living.

#### Three-Dollar Relief For Entire Family

By a Worker Correspondent MINOT, N. D. - I am enclosing seventy-five cents for my subscription to the Daily Worker, as I The business colleges and the only paper that comes out with

This is all I can spare as I am By organizing, by joining There are seven of us in the family and we get three dollars a week a stool pigeon from their miserable and flour and coal. We have no organization at all here except the A.

every one is penniless.

here out of a population of 15,000 and more are going on relief all the

May Be Forced to Steal Says Share-cropper

By a Worker Correspondent LAFAYETTE, Ala.—Just a few lines to let you know what sort of living we are having here. We are just living. My husband is down biggest part of the time. When he was working, they cut him off for only eight hours week. Now they have cut him clean off the job.

We have a large team of children, and there ain't no cotton

What is we going to do? We do not want to steal if we can get round it. But, dear com-rades, your stomach will make you do things you do not want to do. You will be so hungry, and you be bare footed and

#### 'Communism for \$86.25; clerk's fees \$7.50, attor- Only Ray of Light'

By a Parmer Correspondent

That we suffering poor have some



the only thing that can really save Diet-For the tonic type of confive them-Communism. Let those who stipation, where a hard, thin, small

We cannot be blamed for taking the wrong trail. We did not have the chance to learn of Communism. But now we have, and are doing it. All these years did the W.L.U. and V.I.A. improve our wretched conditions? Not a bit. But every dominal massage will help here also. leader in the gang did try for political control by our votes. What is of the teeth, intestine, hemorrhoids, did at Weatherford, when its advice is necessary, but don't develop the was asked, was to deprive starving laxative habit. families against whom they had a

would walk out later. When asked if the grazing fees would be sufficient to cover the purchase costs of the to cover the purchase costs of the the small ranchers who would reto cover the purchase costs of the the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient the small ranchers who would reto gazing fees would be sufficient to gazing fees would be gazing fees would be starve, watch our families grow thinner each day. The government's butchering program has stripped impossible to state from your ac-

> But there is one streak of light on this horribly dark horizon and that light is Communism. We have that, and we are going to use it. This must be the last winter of terror. Organization into such Communistic units must begin now and flourish widely. Else we will perish under the insane policy of stripping the country of food, and duping our votes away from us. Comrades in western Oklahoma,

#### Brandler's Delicatessen Struck by F. W. I. U.

By a Worker Correspondent NEW YORK.—The Bandler's de-

licatessen and restaurant has been called out on strike by the Food in this city. That's the way political Workers Industrial Union, Local 123. Bandler's is known as the worst

open shop in Jamaica, N. Y. Last week, four dishwashers, one bus boy and one counterman were fired for union activity. Bandler is the worst enemy of labor in the Jamaica restaurant industry. The employes receive less pay than in any organized or unorganized shop in N. Y. Wait resses, for example receive \$2 a week couldn't be without it, as it is the pay. Besides Bandler's forces them to pay from their tips 25c a day for his head-waitress who, incidently happens to be a very close girl friend of his. In short nineteen waitreses are forced by Bandler to maintain

Bandler's is the main force whom the bosses are backing to block They are trying to get some mem- further organization. That is why bers but they have a ahrd time as the strike was called in Bandler's. This is why this strike means so There are about 1,000 on relief much to us in our fight for better conditions. The strikers are receiving support from the A. F. of L. Local 325.

Medical Advisory Board

CONSTIPATION

Comrade D. H. of the Bronz,

"My stomach is periodically upset. The reason for this condition I trace to over-eating. It is a matter of a few months. At first I lost my appetite and was constipated. I took a laxative, but did not regain my appetite. Then I systematically starved myself for a week, walked a lot, but it was of no avail. I began to eat again and gradually my appetite came back to me. But. as I said, periodically my stomach is put out of commission. The trouble is that I can't trace the source. I go our for lunch, am perfectly hungry, eat to satisty, enjoy it, but do not over-eat. A few hours later my mouth feels sour, salty. People advised me to take milk of magnesia, and it helped, but this condition repeats itself frequently.

Our Reply

You must realize that we cannot diagnose your case specifically from CLINTON, Okla.—At last the merely reading your symptoms. A month on the principal (\$25) till I starving workers and farmers of proper diagnosis and consequently western Oklahoma are waking up to proper and specific treatment can how bitterly they have been duped history plus proper laboratory and Our state legislature passed a bill by greedy, power-hungry politicians. physical examination. This is parlast summer to allow all land sold It is the same old story. Such gangs ticularly true when referable to the

Veterans of Industry of America are taste in the mouth is infected teeth Five per cent on deferred and selling it to the capitalists for appetite and vague abdominal discomfort constipation may be the over your upper abdomen is prob the bowel as part of this picture. However, you would do well to consult a competent physician to rule out more serious trouble of the stomach or gall-bladder.

Briefly, in tabulated form, is our treatment for constipation with no apparent cause

Learn the bowel habit: always take the time and effort, even if at first it is in vain, to try and have a daily bowel movement at a certain constant time every day. No one should be too busy to take the time to educate a sluggish bowel into a natural habit

Proper exercise is important even if you work all day. Outdoor sports, our capitalist friends, but common

in workers. For the atonic type where a large, bulky (infrequent stool is present eat plenty of bulky, coarse food and roughage as in cabbage, lettuce, whole wheat, gustled meats etc. Ah Correct any underlying infection

Use mineral oil when a cathartic

CHRONIC BRONCHITIS (Cont'd) Comrade H. G. K., a knitgoods worker of New York, writes: "I have Here in Clinton we elected some been troubled with a cough for sion. They still sit there comfortably. bring out bronchial spit. At times I

Our Reply

In answer to your question, it is our country of meat, has plowed count what the cause of your trouble under our food. Prices at the stores is. You were told you had chronic are impossible to pay. Marland sits bronchitis and you were given cough in the state house, and like Marie medicine. But that will not cure Antoinette, who cold-bloodedly sug- you. The important thing is to find gested cake while the starving out what is the cause of the chronic screamed for bread, worries about a bronchitis. Besides having an X-ray sick dog while thousands of Okla- taken, there are other tests that homa babies wail for milk. This is must be performed in order to find out the cause of the bronchitis and, therefore, to treat you effectively.

The clinic you have attended and your private doctor have not done everything that is necessary. We would advise you to apply to a clinic as, Bellevue Hospital or New York Hospital.

Name to be Announced The name of the new health magazine of the Medical Advisory Board will appear in Saturday's issue of the Daily Worker in this

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The Plot Thickens!

# Change

By MICHAEL GOLD

IF YOU don't like this country, why don't you go back to the one you came from? Sooner or later, every American radical is accosted by these fool questions.

It doesn't matter if you are arguing for unemployment insurance, or honest labor leadership, or abolition of child labor, or any obvious reform. The conservatives and fascists hate any change that threatens capitalist profit, and are sure to say, with the song writer Irving Berlin (born in Russia, by

> "If you don't like your old Uncle Sammy Go back to your home across the sea . . . If you don't like the way we run our country And won't cheer for the red, white and blue Don't be like the cur in the story Don't bite the hand that is feeding you."

It is not only the naive and ignorant who use this stupid cliche as a political argument. College professors and congressmen employ it, and the whole drive for fingerprinting and deportation of the foreignborn is based on this vicious idea. It is one of Dirty Hearst's favorite slogans in his fascist campaign.

All the intellectual rabble of capitalism will tell you, in the Saturday Evening Post and the Chicago Tribune, that everything is swell in America, except for a little group of foreign agitators with whiskers and bombs who stir up trouble. If they could deport the foreigners, wages would automatically go up, there would be no unemployment, strikes would disappear, and every man would be a king.

It is stupid on the face of it. You could deport every foreigner and every Communist, and erect a high electric fence around America to keep out every European or Russian idea. You could seal the American people in an air-tight casket, where nothing foreign could attack them. The Steel Trust would still insist on low wages and high profits, and the steel workers would still mutter their discontent and painfully and secretly organize in trade

You cannot deport the economic laws of capitalism. They must continue grinding out poverty, war, unemployment until the workers finally can stand it no longer and demand the great change.

#### Patriotism and Profits

IF a worker has been born in Europe, does this mean that he is a slave? Must he keep his mouth shut, take gratefully whatever scabby wages the bosses pay him?

America is supposed to be a free country. Almost half of the population here is foreign-born, or the children of foreign-born parents. Yet a minority of greedy capitalists have the audacity to tell us that this great portion of America is not entitled to any voice. It must not take part in politics, or vote or strike to protect its own interests. It must be content to be cannon-fodder and factory-fodder, a

This is the capitalist idea of a free America. We can well answer them, it is not the idea of Thomas Jefferson or Abraham Lincoln, or any of the millions of rank and file patriots who shed their blood

The capitalists have tried to stake out a claim on all the patriotism in America. But let us hurl in their teeth the answer to their lie. They are not patriots, but TRAITORS. They have betrayed, and continue to betray every day of their greedy lives, all that is good and creative in America. They care nothing for the fate of the American people. They would see all of us dead in coal mine explosions if it would pay them profit. They would cheerfully watch millions of children die of hunger if it helped their bank accounts. They plunged us into one world war, and are leading us into another slaughter because it means dividends,

So these are the patriots! These are the people who tell the foreign-born worker he must love America and be satisfied with low wages. What do they know of love, these pigs, these vultures, what do they know of America, outside of their stocks and bonds?

#### First Pav Your Debts!

WHEN a foreign-born worker meets this question, be it from a deluded fellow-worker, or a fascist capitalist, let him draw himself up proudly, and

"Look at my hands. They are hard with the years of work I have done. I have given America the best that is in me. I have given it my life and my faithful work.

"Who can say that I have not given this land of my adoption more than I have received? For every dollar I have been paid, I have given five dollars worth of labor in return. If the accounts were to be reckoned, this country owes me a great debt. I have built its skyscrapers, dug its coal, rolled its steel, and farmed its land. Now I am on the breadline, or damn near it. If you wish to deport me,

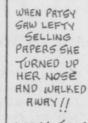
"I helped create all this wealth that your millionaires have monopolized. Now that you have broken me in body and soul, you would like to get rid of me. It is your way of getting rid of your debtors. But I will not allow you to cheat me in this manner. I will fight your deportation laws, I will fight your wealthy fascists, I will speak out, for a am a man, and I am a true American.

"The real patriot is the man who gives something to a country, not the one who exploits it. I am loyal to the patriotism of Jefferson and Lincoln, but I reject and abhor the patriotism of J. Pierpont Morgan and William Randolph Hearst.

"I have a better right to be here than all of you parasites, for I am a worker. I came here because I starved in Europe, and thought I would find bread and freedom here. Now you tell me I have no right to expect bread and freedom in America. But I see millions of native-born Americans who are fighting your tyranny. You treat them as badly as you have treated me-we are no different in your eyes, despite your hypocritical Americanism.

"They recognize me as a fellow-worker and citizen. I shall join with them in the fight for a workers' America, for a land where traitors like you will receive the fate you deserve. You cannot insult me by calling me a foreigner, I despise you too much for that. So long as the American workers have granted me my citizenship, that is enough for me. America is my country, because I have worked here so long. Shoulder to shoulder with the other working class Americans, I will defend my country against you capitalist traitors, for I love my country."

LITTLE LEFTY

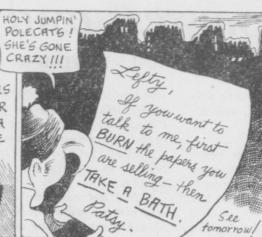


LEFTY TURNS TO HIS PAL TO FURNISH AN ANSWER TO THE MYSTERY.









# THEATRE

Watered-down Dostoievsky

CRIME AND PUNISHMENT, by Poisoned Food Sent Fyodor Dostoievsky, a play in three acts adapted from the dramatization by Victor Trivas and Georg Schdanoff, staged by Victor Wolf-son, featuring Morgan Farlay, at the Biltmore Theatre.

#### Reviewed by ALLEN CHUMLEY

S A detective thriller Dostoievsky's A great novel, Crime and Punishment, is naive today; as a parable sin and retribution it appears maudlin. But as the psychological tragedy of a misguided "idealist," amid 19th century Neitzcheans who divided the world into "ordinary" and "extraordinary" people, and thias Eldersch, ordered us—the who held that these "extraordinary" People's Commissars Committee and people could—and should—fulfill the Soviet employes of the Huntheir destiny through individual garian Soviet Republic, headed by murder if necessary, Crime and Comrade Bela Kun-and also our Punishment still has significance.

the present adapters included all merly the Serbian war prisoners three of these themes instead of building a play on the one theme that mattered. For in the resultant of a seven-day uniter strike was it ment had entertained the idea that what comes out is bare, pointless possible to force this "brave" minis-

The production itself does not buttress this weakness. Here, too, the gigantic and fearful story has Soon been watered down to the consistency of Little Theatre. The settings Irene Scharaff are impressionistic, and as such are tasteful and striking. But it is the taste of the decorator; they render

squalor a bit too aesthetic. Morgan Farlay essays the difficult role of the tormented youth. He is sincere and fervent. But the precious tricks of the Portmanteau Players are still clinging to him and to make matters worse, he over-acts grossly, Compared with his frenzied grimacing, the quiet poise of the wily Inspector (as effectively played by Thomas Cofflin Cooke) becomes almost glaring.

As for the remaining roles they are either cut down to virtual "walk ons' (as in the case of Juliana

and mildly important—task, and for my stomach was not in order. one must admire their courage. It "Why don't you eat?" asked Bela to us. Bela Kun's healthy organ- be rallied to his defense! is to be deplored, however, that they Kun.

#### Soviet Film Workers Greeted by Stalin On 15th Anniversary

"FREETINGS and best wishes to the workers of the Soviet cinema industry on the day of its glorious 15th anniversary.

"The cinema in the hands of the Soviet power represents a great, priceless force.

"Having exceptional opportunities Already before the war he gave close to influence the spirit of the masses, attention to the rising forces of the cinema helps the working class and its Party to educate the toilers "Backward Europe and Progressive in the spirit of Socialism, organiz- Asia." During the War he worked ing the masses for the struggle of out completely the analysis of every Socialism, raising their cultural and aspect of this question and showed political fighting abilities.

"Soviet power expects from you the slogan of "national self-deternew successes, new films glorifying mination." Against those who spoke as did the 'Chapayev' film, the greatness of the historical struggles for "pusch," he wrote: power by the workers and peasants of the Soviet Union, mobilizing for the carrying out of new tasks, and calling to mind the achievements as well as the difficulties of Socialist construction. "The Soviet power expects from

you keen penetration by your mas-

ters into new spheres of the 'most

important' (Lenin) and the most

widely spread of the arts among the -the cinema.' J. STALIN. has just finished work on a project for a statue of Chapayev, to be

Sculptor Manizer of Leningrad erected in Chapayevsk, in honor of the hero of the film now on view at the Cameo, where it is thrilling enthusiastic audiences in its third capacity week.

### New Pamphlets

ABOLITION OF THE BREAD CARD SYSTEM, By V. M. Molotov, 10 cents.

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## WORLD of the How They Tried to Poison Agnes Smedley's Rakosi in Vienna in 1920

## by Fake 'Workers Delegation'

This startling account of an attempt to poison Mathias Rakosi, Bela Kun and other leaders of the Hungarian revolution during 1920, was sent to the Daily Worker by one of the intended victims, now living in Budapest. For obvious reasons his name is not attached to the article.

THE Austrian Social-Democratic Minister for the Interior, Mafamilies, to be imprisoned in the old It is therefore, regrettable that fortress of Karlstein, in which forwere held.

> This fortress was infested with ter to promise, at least, an improvement in the intolerable prison re-

Soon after, some of our relatives were set free. Many of the prison-

over for censorship to police head- derers sent by Horthy.

CHAPTER III.

Teachings of Lenin

VII.

I ENIN first brought out the revolu-

question in the era of imperialism.

struggle in Asia; in 1913 he wrote on

revolutionary significance

To believe that a social revolu-

tion is possible without the re-

volt of the small nationalities and

colonies in Europe, without the

revolutionary outburst of the petty-bourgeoisie with all its prej-

udices, without a movement of the

non-class conscious proletarian

and semi - proletarian masses

against landlord, clerical mon-

archist, national, etc., oppression

-to believe this is tantamount to

denying the social revolution al-

Those who wait for a "pure'

social revolution will never live to

see it. Such a one is merely a

revolutionary in words, without

understanding the reality of rev-

olution. ("The Results of the

Discussion on Self - Determina-

After the victory of the Soviet

Revolution this question took on a

still sharper significance. Lenin

epoch of world revolution move-

ments for national liberation were

a part of the general democratic

movements, now, however. after

the victory of the Soviet Revolu-

tion in Russia and the opening of

the period of world revolution, the

movement for national liberation is part of the world proletarian

T the Second Congress of the

A Communist International in 1920

he brought to the forefront the issue

of the naional and colonial struggle for liberation, and the necessity for

the proletariat in the imperialist

countries to give active support to

it. The theses drafted by him de-

The policy of the Communist

International on national and

colonial questions must be chiefly

to bring about a union of the pro-

letarian and working masses of all

nations and countries for a joint

While formerly prior to the

tion," 1916.)

revolution.

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tionary significance of this



MATHIAS RAKOSI

"Well, then, I'll take another piece of it," asked Rakosi, and cut another slice off for himself.

ers, including Bela Kun, were transferred at Vienna at the beginning AFTER supper, which we had eaten ferred at Vienna at the beginning of 1920. We were then brought to denly noticed how terribly pale Bela the madhouse of Steinhof (a little Kun, Mathias Rakosi and Ernoe town surrounded by a wall), and Por had become-the pupils in their isolated in a strongly barred build- widely staring eyes, were dilated, ing standing in the middle of the and they had become so weak that they could hardly move.

Here, the following incident took place: we were informed by the Criminal Police on guard that a anything had happened to us after "Hungarian Workers Delegation" eating the cake, for the remains had brought us a parcel of food- which were taken out of the cell his feelings were connected with the products. Of course we were not allowed to see this delegation, and poison. The "workers' delegation" revolution. At the hedsign of the cent his feelings were connected with the Party, the Soviet Republic, and the the letter brought by it was handed was obviously a delegation of mur-

biscuits, cakes, cigarettes, etc. The carefully watched the symptoms of And all his later work in the ranks ons' (as in the case of Juliana Taberna playing the mystic prostitute) which is the adapters' fault, or are clearly immature.

Discuits, cakes, cigarettes, etc. The carefully watched the symptoms of the Party, and during his eight had been poisoned with Belladonna and a half years of imprisonment, for our supper. Every one of us ate One cannot deny that the productive a piece of this cake with relish. I, however, took only a small piece, goes mad, and then dies. We were again attempting to do away with the productive and the proved these qualities.

Now the Horthy government is to pose as a modern national government, instead of what they are again attempting to do away with the productive again attempting to do away with a productive again attempting to do away with the productive agai

By R. PALME DUTT

The Daily Worker is printing

serially the extremely valuable

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Dutt, "Life and Teachings of

V. I. Lenin," published by Inter-

anniversary of the death of Lenin

During these ten years the teach-

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the overthrow of capitalism, with-

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This demand is not at all equiv-

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The goal of socialism is not only

the destruction of the division of

humanity into petty states and all

kinds of individual nations, not

merely the coming together of

nations, but also their actual

Just as humanity can only ar-

rive at the destruction of classes

through a transitional period of

the dictatorship of the oppressed

class, so also humanity can only

arrive at the inevitable fusion of

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## Fighter Revealed in Delirium

more signs that the poison was af-

He lay on the ground, muttering unintelligibly, and there were tears n the eyes of every one of us witessing his painful condition. The doctors and the other medical atendants did not know how to help nim, for "Mathi," under the effect of the poison, threw himself like a madman upon everybody who approached him. Finally, six strong nurses succeeded in throwing him onto the bed, and in holding him while his stomach was pumped. was continued until every sign of the poison had disappeared.

THE danger had passed, but he lay on his bed in a state of semiconsciousness. I sat by his bed all night. He was still suffering from the effects of the poison. He lay there muttering continuously. He talked on and on from 11 o'clock in the evening until 5 in the mornng, and then he fell asleep.

The memory of that night at the bedside of the sick Rakosi has spurred me into the writing of these ines. During that night Mathias Rakosi unburdened himself of all his thoughts. Everything, even his very innermost thoughts, were revealed to me. Everything said by him about our life in general and about his private life, our plans and discussions, etc., corresponded ex-

thoughts and hopes belonged to the revolution. All his recollections, all revolution. At the bedside of Mathias Rakosi we were shown the model of a true revolutionary, a Among the food there were fruit, immediately gave us an emetic, and Communist and a trusted friend,

saved by the emetic so quickly given Mathias Rakosi. All forces must ism strongly resisted the poison, but effort must be made to save Mathias 'Because it is poisoned," I an- Mathias Rakosi showed more and Rakosi!

Life and Teachings of Lenin all oppressed nationalities, that is, their freedom of separation. ("The

#### Tactics and Organization of the Revolution

Socialist Revolution and the Right

of Nations to Self-Determination,"

N no sphere of Marxism did Lenin in each of these categories will be make a more distinctive or far- classes in histrionics, costume deings of Lenin have spread to ever reaching contribution than in the signing, voice culture, scenic devery wide field of revolutionary signing, make-up and stage craft as ing the workers and oppressed to strategy, tactics and organization. All these questions could still only receive incomplete treatment in the time of Marx, owing to the still four months semester for any one revolutionary struggle leading to early stage of development of the

working class movement. On the basis of the nineteenth century revolutions and of the first But the fight for the full right stages of development of the workof separation of subject nations is ing class movement to a mass basis. no fight for separation as such, for Marx was able to present in bold fragmentation and petty-bourgeois outline the essentials of revolutionnationalist conceptions of isolation. On the contrary, the right of full ary proletarian strategy and tactics separation is only necessary in order and the writings and correspondence to end all national oppression, and of Marx and Engels in addition thus clear the way to the free union reveal a host of pregnant indications of all peoples. The goal remains on a very great variety of specific world union, the ultimate "fusion of questions. These indications, howworld union, the ultimate "fusion of ever, were in great part neglected ignored or even opposed by their immediate successors, who took parts that suited them and often even suppressed the rest.

Lenin, on the contrary, worked over anew these indications with the closest attention in the light of further experience, and at the same time faced with complete freshness the new problems of the more advanced stage of capitalism and the working-class movement. It was Lenin who first elaborated Marxist strategy and tactics into a fully worked out science.

This practical revolutionary science elaborated by Lenin, in close association with revolutionary theory, covers the whole range from the most elementary questions of agitation and organization to the ultimate questions of the conquest of power and of post-revolutionary construction.

The mastery of dialectical method is here most powerfully exibited, with the greatest elasticity in responding to each concrete situation, while maintaining the revolutionary line and aims unbroken. In consequence just this essence of Lenin's leadership least admits of any formal summarizing, and requires to be studied in the life.

(To be continued)

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## Life Threatened By Kuomintang

by del

GNES SMEDLEY has been warn-Rakosi's Quality as A ed that her life is in danger if she remains in China. She is now in Shanghai. Agnes Smedley has written two books on China—Chinese Destines and China's Red Army Marches. The latter, according to the Vanguard Press, has been pro-



#### AGNES SMEDLEY

hibited entry to China by the Superintendent of Customs at Shanghai In this book Agnes Smedley tells of the struggles and heroism of the Chinese Red Army and the formation of the Chinese Soviet Republic Smedley attributes her present jeopardy to the frank manner in which she has recounted what actually is taking place in China, and says that in a way it is a compliment that the Kuomintang fascists consider her a danger to them.

They are particularly furious," peared abroad, chiefly in America, where the Kuomintang leaders try ernment instead of what they arethe dirty running dogs of the foreign imperialist powers, and the

#### School for Theatre Workers to Open in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Cal.-A laboratory school for the teaching and development of left-wing motifs in the theatre has been formed here, to be known as the Theatre Workers School.

The curriculum will include four general courses: (1) the drama; (2) the dance; (3) Puppets and Marionettes; (4) the cinema. With-

applied in each theatrical medium The schedule of tuition fees calls for a payment of five dollars per course. For any choice of classes taken for one month only the charge will be \$1.50. Also scholarships will be offered to deserving students and in all special cases adjustments of laboratory responsibilities will be made to fit individual and group

## Tuning In

P. M.-WEAF—Kemp Orchestra WOR—Sports Resume—Stan Lomax WJZ—Amos 'n' Andy—Sketch WABC-Myrt and Marge-Sketch WABC—Myrt and Marge—Sketch
7:15-WEAF—Jack Smith, Songs
WOR—Lum and Abner—Sketch
WJZ—Concert Orchestra
WABC—Just Plain Bill—Sketch
7:30-WEAF.—Minstrel Show
WOR—The Street Singer
WABC—Nick Lucas, Songs
7:45-WOR—Comedy; Music
WJZ—Nichols Orchestra; Ruth Etting, Songs

ting, Songs WABC-Boake Carter, Commentator

8:00-WEAF—Vallee's Varieties
WOR—Little Symphony Orchestra;
Philip James, Conductor; Milban
String Trio
WABC—All-Girl Orchestra and
Chorus, Direction Phil Spitainy
8:15-WJZ—Jesters Male Trio
8:30-WOR—Progress of the Republican
Party—Henry P. Fletcher, Chairman, Republican National Committee, at Meeting at Cooper Union
WJZ—Chicago a Cappella Choir
WABC—Johnson Orchestra; Edward
Nell, Baritone; Edwin C. Hill, Narrator, Speaker; Lewis H. Brown,
President, Johns-Manville, Inc.
9:00-WEAF—Captain Henry's Show Boat
WOR—Hillbilly Music

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WJZ—Death Valley Days—Sketch

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WABC—Gray's Orchestra; Annette
Hanshaw, Songs; Walter O'Keefe
9:30-WOR—Little Theatre Tournament
WJZ—Charles Sears, Tenor; Ruth
Lyon, Soprano
WABC—Waring Orchestra
10:00-WEAF—Whiteman's Music Hall;
Helen Jepson, Soprano, and Others
WOR—Channing Choir
WJZ—String Ensemble

WJZ—Strnig Ensemble

10:15-WOR—Current Events—H. E. Read

10:30-WOR—Eddy Brown, Violin

WJZ—Self-Government in Business—
Leverett S. Lyon, Vice President,
Brookings Institution; Professor
Paul T. Homan, Cornell University

WABC—Stevens Orchestra

10:45-WABC—Voice of the Crusaders

11:00-WEAF—Talk—J. B. Kennedy

WOR—News WJZ-Strnig Ensemble

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## Questions

## Answers

This department appears daily on the feature page. All questions should be addressed to "Questions and Answers," c/o Daily Worker, 50 East 13th Street, New York City.

NOTE: It is gratifying to note that more and more readers are making use of this department. We regret that because of limitations of space we cannot answer all questions that are asked by readers. We do our best to answer those questions that have the most general interest for the readers of the Daily Worker. However, all questions are carefully read and considered, and readers can receive personal answers by enclosing a self-addressed and stamped envelope.

#### Fighting for Immediate Needs

Question: Why do Communists fight for better working conditions and other immediate demands? If they allowed things to become worse, then the workers would rise up and destroy the capitalist system .- O. J. S.

Answer: Communists fight for every demand and need of the working class, because as the vanguard of the working class they have no other interests apart from the interests of the workers. In fighting for immediate demands the workers learn the value and need of organization. They become aware of the enemy forces which stand between them and economic security. They prepare themselves for the final task of destroying capitalism and all its institutions of exploitation and oppression

If Communists were merely to tell the toilers to wait for conditions to get worse, they would be betraying the interests of the workers. It is now when the capitalist class is attacking the living standards of the working class that the workers must be rallied to a counter-attack. To do nothing would mean crippling the forces of the workers; it would hand them over helpless to the enemy class. It is important to emphasize that one of the most important lessons that Lenin taught us is that we cannot just wait for conditions to grow from bad to worse, for capitalism to crumble away automatically.

The capitalist class which owns the economic institutions of the country will never give them up, unless the workers take them. To do this successfully and to destroy the power of the capitalist class, the working class must be organized around the struggle for its immediate needs and demands. In these every-day struggles the workers learn the necessity of fighting the power of the capitalist state. They prepare for its eventual revolutionary destruction and the setting up of a workers' statethe dictatorship of the proletariat.

## Prelude

By ALFRED HAYES

Look west. Cities and depots greet the eyes The big Lakes lift a mist of steam. The river Pours past wharf and mill. At night the heron cries. Stemmed one-legged in the swamp, at the water

The cougar snarls at the steam drill in the Sierras, Green fire-eyes among the pines. West, west Abandoning history, asphalt paves the ruts Of covered wagons. Swift tires, stock exchange. Chain store, permit no memories. Harvester and

Are driven in a fallow field by banker's hands. Where you are buried some stone frontiersman

stands Flintlock rain-rusted: and we need rifles now

For stevedore and steel hand both hold the river's More than De Soto's, their bones are buried in its

Sharecropper writes the legends of a newer South Cracker and cavalry captain shall never know. Deckhands who ride the river's spreading tide, Slow freights that roll the hungry pickers in, Lean 'bos who seek the Delta's wharfed and ware-

housed side, These still have their own continent to win. Not to strip the buffalo from the plains And starve a race for fun, they shall wield Those weapons that shall bring this land to yield; Shall open old abandoned mines, old water holes, Reclaim the barren desert; and they shall know This land of theirs again by full freight flowing, By fired engines, by crops, and by the rain and

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# The Soviet Congress and U.S. Congress --- A Contrast In Democracy

90,000,000 WORKERS AND FARMERS VOTED IN FACTORIES AND FIELDS FOR DELEGATES TO SOVIET CONGRESS—ACT IN WORKERS' INTEREST

TWO Congresses are meeting now, one the Seventh All-Union Congress of Soviets in the U.S.S.R., and the other "our" Congress in Washington.

And what a contrast they present!

The Soviet Congress which the capitalist press thinks of which such shudders as that of a "dictatorial minority" is a most magnificent spectacle of democracy, of real democracy, in the sense of the real rule of the

Premier Molotov speaking to the Soviet Congress reports that it represents delegates speaking directly in the name of 90,000,000 voters in the U.S.S.R.?

Ninety million voters, voting directly in the factories, farms, mines, shops, railroads!

Has history ever seen such broad democracy? Compare this with the United States. Here, in the last election only 36,000,000 voted, less than 50 per cent of the adult population eligible to vote. n the Soviet Union, 95 per cent of the population voted, a figure far beyond anything ever seen in a capitalist democracy!

Capitalist apologists tell us that we have democracy because at periodic intervals the workers are permitted

But not only are millions of workers, Negroes, migratory workers, jobless, and homeless workers unable to vote, but how can there be real democracy for the workers when all the means of power, the factories. newspapers, radio, movies, and so forth, are in the hands of a Wall Street minority?

How can workers in the United States have any democracy when their livelihood is at the mercy of the capitalists who control their jobs?

The Soviet Congress is in the hands of workers and farmers. The delegates come directly from the factories and fields. They report directly back to the workers and farmers. They are subject to immediate recall by their fellow workers in the local Soviets.

An American Soviet Congress, elected directly by those who work, and by a working class that had seized the means of production from the Wall Street parasites, would solve all the problems of the crisis.

It would abolish all payments to the Wall Street bankers. It would put an end to the criminal insanity of "overproduction" amid starvation. It would end unemployment by immediately ousting the capitalist owners, and opening every factory in the country to produce for the welfare of the masses.

This would be real democracy, working class demo-

cracy, which Comrade Browder described at the recent Lenin Memorial meeting as "the greatest democracy for the toilers, but a stern dictatorship against the exploiters, the minority."

"Our" Congress acts in the interests of a capitalist minority, and is the legislative mask for the dictatorship of this Wall Street minority.

To get real democracy, the rule of the majority in the interests of the majority, we have to take the revolutionary road the Russian workers and farmers, led by Lenin and the Bolsheviks, took in 1917.

We have to set up a proletarian dictatorship, a Soviet government with an American Soviet Congress, elected from the ranks of the working class and toiling farmers, which has seized the means of production and class power into its own hands!

by Burck

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#### 17,157,000 Unemployed

THE preliminary annual unemployment estimates of the Labor Research Association for November, 1934, which were issued yesterday, show 17,157,000 unemployed in the country, about one-third of the working population.

This figure includes 508,000 relief workers on P.W.A. projects, 1,950,000 relief workers on F.E.R.A. projects, and 392,000 in C.C.C. camps, a total of 2,850,000.

Roosevelt's new "work relief" program at best provides for jobs at slave wages to only about 3,500,000.

Obviously, Roosevelt's program, which includes also the present relief workers, will mean jobs for only a few hundred thousand additional unemployed.

At best, the program will require a year to get under way.

These startling facts again emphasize the urgent need for a broader mass campaign behind the fight for the Workers Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Bill, H. R. 2827.

They likewise emphasize the need for more attention to the organization of the unemployed workers, to the building of the Unemployment Councils, and to the unification of the ranks of employed and unemployed workers in the struggle for relief

#### Teamsters Should Strike

A LARMED at the fine response to the strike called by the teamsters Monday, to prevent the signing of Justice Humphrey's injunction, and in an effort to head off a re-strike next week, the bosses of New York are trying to convince the workers that they should place their confidence on the courts to defeat the injunction.

All efforts of the capitalist press, legislative means, and of the higher officials in the unions are now directed to finding such a loophole for an excuse to prevent a strike. The fundamental line for this has been laid down by Percey C. Magnus, president of the New York Board of Trade, spokesman of big business in New York, to their Mayor LaGuardia in a letter.

"A strike against the decision of the court is revolution," writes Magnus. "Spokesmen of the teamsters' union threaten that if the court of this state rer'orms its duty there will be no appeal to the higher courts, but there will be a use of force against the business interests of New York."

Magnus goes into details to explain the procedure for appealing a court decision by the use of "checks and balances" in the Constitution. He shows clearly that the bosses are especially alarmed that the workers are getting wise to the fraudulent nature of capitalist democracy-are no longer content to let their cases drag in courts for months and years, while their wages are cut, union men fired and company unions are set up.

The fact that the bosses express such alarm over the display of power Monday, undoubtedly serves to convince every worker that a strike is the most effective

weapon for smashing the injunction. Teamsters and longshoremen should utilize every moment to organize their ranks, place leadership in the hands of elected representatives, and strike the minute the open-shopper Humphrey signs the injunction.

#### Woll on the N.R.A.

MATTHEW WOLL, who rails against Communists in "Liberty," in a letter in the Scripps-Howard newspapers, of Jan. 29, declares, "The principle of high wages

underlies the N.R.A. and the entire recovery program."

Woll, claiming to be for "the high wage principle," which he says Hoover also favored, states, "The maintenance or increase of profits now depends either upon a decrease in the cost or an increase in the volume of production, or both." He believes of course, that "maintenance or increase of profits" is necessary to "re-

Thus, at the very moment when the N.R.A. is being reorganized, so as to cut wages and smash the unions, at the moment when Roosevelt's anti-labor drive is in full swing, Woll prates about higher wages as the "underlying principle" of Roosevelt's program.

Woll is throwing dust in the eyes of the workers to make it easier for Roosevelt to carry out the employers' intensified anti-labor attacks.

The New York Telegram, in a long answer to Woll, repeats Roosevelt's program for a lower wage scale, with higher yearly average wages. This means wagecuts, it means working longer hours to get the same pay, it means speed-up.

Only the united front of the entire working class, in mass struggle, can defeat Roosevelt's wage cut drive, which Woll, Green and Co, are helping to ease in by their demagogic praise of the N.R.A.

### New Wage Cut Plans

WAGE-CUTS to lower the whole standard of living of the workers, and increase profits, have now become one of the main aims of the Roosevelt government. The hearings of the National Industrial Recovery Board, which began in Washington yesterday, are aimed at "reorganizing" the N.R.A. so as to cut wages and block labors' demand for the thirty hour week with full pay.

The N.I.R.B. announced that these hearings will be held on the basis of "greater simplicity, flexibility, and uniformity" of hours and wages in the N.R.A. codes. The N.I.R.B. favors maintaining 'geographic and population and other wage differentials" in the codes as "significant realities of the present situation.'

One of the chief demagogic arguments of Roosevelt for putting over wage-cuts is that the wage scale should be low and the yearly average wages maintained. Roosevelt said, "It is not very useful to pay a man ten dollars a day if he is employed only sixty-five days in the year." This argument has been used by the Roosevelt administration and the employers for cutting wages in the building trades, the auto industry, and other industries.

The workers know that this is empty talk, that the wage scale will be lowered, but that yearly average wages will not rise but go down, if Roosevelt's plan goes

Roosevelt is carrying through the antiunion, wage-cutting drive of the employers, in his plan to "reorganize" the N.R.A.

### The Eleventh Time

THE Senate Judiciary Committee of the N. Y. State Senate has refused to report on the child labor amendment.

Thus responsibility for failing to ratify even this feeble step against child exploitation is, for the moment, stopped.

This is the eleventh time!

Republican legislatures, Democratic legislatures: Tweedledee, Tweedledum as far as labor is concerned.

The party of Roosevelt and Lehman is as bad as the party of Hoover and Whitman-for labor.

The lesson for labor is clear: only the independent political action of the working class will aid the working class.

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## Party Life

Growth of Unit

divided. This came about on the basis of the activity of every comrade in the unit. and had a territory stretching from 131st Street to 133rd Street. The membership of this unit was about fifty, mostly Negro work-

Inner Situation of Unit

In so far as the political developdiscussions on the Negro question, union question. These discussions In order that the work of this unit should become effective among borhood, division of the unit was necessary. It became impossible to check-up on and know all of our forces, and set them to work with-out making this division. Therefore, Unit 423 has become Units 423 and

Be Repeated

1. To have an intellectual in unofficial control of the unit. 2. No functioning bureau to

The Agitprop should plan discussions for the unit besides selling literature 4. Communications should be read in the bureau meeting, dis-

cussed in conjunction with the plan of work, and presented to the unit in a digested form instead of reading the whole communication to the unit

lished and the squad leader should be in constant contact with his

send a representative to the Y.C.L unit which is in their territory If there is no Y.C.L. unit, one should be built.

this in order to become effective.

If there are any shops, A. & P. stores, cafeterias, we must strive to organize them

ward to win the hegemony of the masses in our territory which will

ANTI-RED ALLIANCE TOKIO, Jan. 29.— Chiang Kai-Shek, chief native agent of the foreign capitalists in China, is carrying on negotiations with the Japanese government, reports here and in Geneva declare whose mair object is to gain the support of the Japanese militarists against the Ked Army and Chinese Soviets

THE SIGN OF THE SWASTIKA

Criticism of Weaknesses Program of Struggle

Our unit has just been The unit is in Upper Harlem,

Our unit was able to build itself, by working on the block, in houseto-house work. In the summer we had open air meetings three times a week in our territory. Also, we had indoor meetings on Scottsboro. We were able to get the comrades who were active in the Unemployment Councils to recruit members to

ment of the unit is concerned, it is fairly good. We have had political the German situation, and the trade were linked up with the unit's work. the masses of workers in the neigh-

Weaknesses of Old Unit Should Not

While we can speak of successes of our unit, we cannot be satisfied. There are some high-light points and errors which the units should

The squads should be estab-

The old unit neglected the work of the Y.C.L. as well as the problem of youth work as a whole. The two units must develop the work among the youth. They must

7. The old unit did not concentrate on certain houses in their territory. The new units must do

The objective of the two units in their respective territory should be for a rent strike, against firetraps, high rents, for needed alterations. If these two units would develop such struggles, linking them up with Scottsboro, we would be so effective in our territory that not only would we have another division of the units, but the masses would come to us for

8. In so far as the A. F. of L. locals, lodges, mass organizations etc., which are not connected with our Party, are concerned, surely there must be some in this territory which the old unit did not look for. The new units must go into them, if there are any, and build a strong fraction.

Comrades, the division of the old unit shows not only the work that the comrades have done, but also cere, thinking Socialists were imthat the objective conditions are pressed by the logic and dignity of ripening. That is why the Negro Comrade Ford, by his sincere appeal masses are more or less radicalized, for a united front. They could not and that they are becoming revo- have failed to be ashamed of Crosslutionized. If the objective condi- waith's inability to present reasontions are favorable, the two new ably his party's position and his situation. If not, the Negro bour- bankruptcy of his position geois reformists will beat us in winning the hegemony of these masses. Units 423 and 432, let's go for-

give great impetus to the section work in Harlem -Frem the Harlem Organizer.



## Letters From Our Readers

Says De Priest Speech Provoked Hostility

New York, N. Y.

Comrade Editor I wish to take exception to the opinion of Comrade M. W. in the letter criticizing the conduct of our comrades at the debate between Ford, Crosswaith and De Priest, In the first place, the fundamental correctness of the Communist position and record on the Negro Comrade Editor: question was effectively set forth at this meeting by the speech of Comrade Ford with its careful reasoning supported by facts in contrast to the inanities of De Priest the slanders of Crosswaith. That the comrades did not boo De Priest in spite of his ludicrous and obnoxious attempt to present the Republican Party as the friend of proved to Comarde M. W. that it was only the provocation of Crosswaith which brought upon him the demonstration of resentment. I do not believe that our comrades should listen to such vicious attacks against the Scottsboro fight, such slander against the Party and such uncouth attacks on the audience at the meeting without Just last week, for ex-Crosswaith had accused

against those gathering to defend As to the effect on the Socialist members, I am sure that many sin-

Comrade Ford and our Party of not

which can be used by the lynchers

print only those that are of general interest to Daily Worker readers, However, all letters received are carefully read by the editors. Suggestions and possible are used for the improvement of the Daily Worker.

Bar Scab Products of National Biscuit

New York, N. Y. In our neighborhood the grocery stores are still selling the National Biscuit Company products. It seems to me that our block organizations should be doing something to stop this. Some of the stores claim to have old stock, but one store in particular, at 255 First Avenue, seem to have ample supplies and I am told he gets it by mail. One store which advertises in your paper also has National Biscuit Company supplies on the shelves, claiming it is old stock. If we started some action we'd get plenty of response B. T.

New York, N. Y.

Comrade Editor: Here is an example of what students can do to help the Uneeda Biscuit strikers. A few of us saw a package marked "National Biscuit Company" being delivered by mail to the lunchroom in school. We fighting against lynching because immediately went to the proprietor we objected to the Wagner-Costigan of the lunch room in a committee Bill, that double-edged instrument and told her that since the Uneeda Bakers were on strike, she should not buy National Biscuit products. She became quite flustered but she was forced to tell the mailman to return the package. She knew, from previous experience, that she had better not quarrel with us. She knew that she would undoubtedly lose much business if she did.

Students in all high schools and colleges should take similar action agree with the comrade who reto keep Uneeda products off the quested that the front page headunits should take advantage of this resorting to slander to defend the lunch counters and help win the strike. A STUDENT.

Material Requested on Political Prisoners

Newark, N. J.

Comrade Editor: In conjunction with our Paris celebration, March 17 1935 at Sokol Hall, we are going to 6:30 to 8:30 in the evening.

Implements of torture used on sweat boxes, hand-cuffs, etc., will way to the sea along the Pilmico be on display as well as "Voices from river. Prison," letters from political prisoners, such as Mooney, Scottsboro, mara and others.

appeal to any one who by some out Latin America. During the past chance came into possession of such five years of crisis there have been material to communicate with us in similar uprisings in Argentina regard to lending it to us for this Chile, Peru, while in Cuba, as well day. This exhibit, which will expose as in Chile, the fight took on more the brutality visited upon political of a mass character against the prisoners, will be also a means by whole structure of native capitalistwhich we can raise funds for relief landlord and imperialist domination. for political prisoners and their

International Labor Defense 196 Market Street, Newark, N. J.

#### Suggests More Humor For Popular Paper

Comrade Editor:

the discussion centering about pro- out the world for a re-division of ducing a "Daily" which would appeal to the masses. I have several drive for world markets. The two suggestions to make.

More features are needed. Why not have Sender Garlin write a col-World?" Another suggestion is a has been trying to win over the column which satirizes the "ruling class." Get Robert Forsythe to write America on the side of Wall Street.

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## Required Reading for Mr. Hearst

"This country, with its institutions, belongs to the people who inhabit it. Whenever they shall grow weary of the existing government, they can exercise their constitutional right of amending it, or their revolutionary right to dismember or overthrow it."

-ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

## World Front

By HARRY GANNES

Civil War In Uruguay Against a Dictator Struggle for Latin America

CIVIL WAR rages in Uru-U guay, smallest republic of Latin America. An effort is being made to oust President Gabriel Terra, who is trying to install himself as a dictator in the style of Machado. former president of Cuba. Details of the revolt are lacking, as a complete censorship has been clamped down.

But it appears from the reports available coming through Argentina that various bourgeois opposition groups, in view of the growing mass discontent, have made great headway in seizing various cities in the interior. They are now opening up armed attacks in Montevideo, the capital. The government troops are reported as unreliable.

President Terra wro was elected to a four-year term on March 1, 1931, had his rump cabinet modify the constitution so that he could continue in power for another four years, which is supposed to expire in 1938. He was elected for his secand termy by the Constituent Assembly on March 21, 1934, with only four dissenting votes—the votes of

the Communist deputies. URUGUAY is an extremely important country for the prosecution of the imperialist-inspired war between Paraguay and Bolivia over the Gran Chaco oil region. There is not the slightest doubt that both President Terra and his bourgeois opponents who seek to set up another government, basically not different from his, are connected with the forces involved in the Paraguay-

Bolivia war. Most of the British and American arms going to the warring Latin-American countries pass from then to the belligerent countries. There has been an intense battle on between British and American imperialism for control in Uruguay. British capitalism has try, with \$72,730,000 in railroads. Wall Street has sunk \$81,000,000 in the country. The Roosevelt regime

has been striving hard to win this market away from the British. This tussle has been intensified particularly as a result of the Paraguay-Bolivia war, mainly a war of hold a Political Prison Exhibit from the Standard Oil and the British Dutch Shell for the extremely valuable oil regions near Fort Balliprisoners, chains on chain-gangs, van, Bolivia, and for the right-of-

h as Mooney, Scottsboro, Sacco-Vanzetti, McNa- THE civil war in Uruguay is a symptom of the growing instability of native landlord-capitalist rule We want to take this means to and imperialist domination through-The rising strike wave in Brazil, Mexico, Porto Rico and Cuba are indications of the mounting resist-

ance of the toiling masses to the

miserable conditions now being im-

posed on them after nearly six

years of crisis. The economic crash

hit the colonial-agrarian countries much harder and much earlier than These wars, such as in Paraguay-Bolivia, are spearheads of the brew-I have read with lively interest ing greater imperialist war throughthe colonies and a more intensified chief centers of the world today, in this respect, are China and Latin through its "good neighbor" policy

> THE decay of Nazi culture is very I well indicated not only by the precipitious decline in the number sinking circulation, but in the number of books published under the Hitler regime. In 1933, 21,000 books were published or re-issued in Germany as against 28,000 in 1928, before Hitler took over power. The number of translations from for-

dropped from 750 to 285. Even the books issued showed a great increase in military propaganda and in Fascist Party docu-

Another item on Nazi culture: The two largest phonograph record firms in Germany, "Lindstroem" and "Deutsche Gramophon A. G.," reported a drop of 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 marks, respectively, in their business last year.