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LETTER SHOWS COTILLO

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Cotillo's decision greats an injunction and denies

the rights of the unions to a closed shop in rela-

Thinking this would be of interest to you,

Yours very truly,

FRANK H. COOPER,

Lucy is enju

'Judge Cotillo's decision grants an

injunction and denies the rights of

the unions to a closed shop in re-

lation to department stores." admits

Cotillo's secretary, Frank H. Cooper

Further, the letter boasts that

the injunction against picketing by

white collar workers sets a prec-

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supporters

JUDGE COTIL- zation fought for a strong fascist

country.

edent, since, he says, "no deci-

Cotillo is a well know fascist

of Mussolini in the

Before taking office as

and is one of the most ardent

New York Grand Lodge of the

conducted in Minneapolis, but no decision on the

subject, as far as we know, has been made. The

trial in this case was in Bronx County, Judge

Above is a photostatic copy of a letter sent to city editors by State

Supreme Court Justice Salvatore Cotillo's secretary, Frank Cooper,

beasting about Cotille's services to the employers in issuing an anti-

picketing injunction against white collar workers. The letter was sent

Gloating Over His Anti-Picket

yesterday, Supreme Court Justice Cotillo, ardent fascist.

is revealed boasting to employers on Feb. 21 that he would

The letter, signed by Cotille's secretary, and on an official letter mendation from the employers, and

head, shows that Cotillo was con- a boast of faithful service to them

Justice Salvatore Cotillo, to the sion on the subject, as far as we

collar workers the right to strike Sons of Italy, and in that organi-

LO'S DECISION WAS NOT MADE policy and national leadership PUBLIC UNTIL FEB. 25. Cotillo has visited Mussolini in

In a confidential letter, obtained by the Daily Worker

Decision in Freed's Case

four days before the anti-strike injunction was made public.

we are forwarding you a copy.

WORKERS' CANDIDATE IN DETROIT STATES POSITION ON ISSUE

Maurice Sugar Answers Citizens League On Questions Relating to Struggle of Toilers and Oppressed Section of Middle Class

By A. B. Magil

DETROIT, Feb. 28 .- An effort to "put him on the spot,"

paign to prevent his election has been converted into a bold defense of the rights of labor by Maurice Sugar, Labor candidate for Judge of Recorder's Court in the elections to be held

April 1. The attempt to "get" Sugar was made by the Detroit Citizens' League, which describes itself as "a fact-finding agency, organized in 1912, to promote honest, economical and efficient government in the De-troit Metropolitan Area." Among the members of its executive board is Alavan Macauley, Jr., son of the president of the Packard Motor Car Co., who is also head of the Automobile Manufacturers' Association

Catch Questions The Citizens League sent a letter to Sugar. Among the questions the Citizens League asked Sugar were: Do you believe the best means of securing social change, including of legislation, etc., is through the legislative process customary in the American system?' and "In agitating for social and economia betterments, do you believe changes should be secured by ballots or by bullets?"

In his reply, Sugar pointed out that judges are constantly furthering the social and economic views that they believe in and that he, if elected, would do likewise. In interpreting law, he declared, he would like other judges, draw upon his own background and conceptions which in his case happen to be "in no little degree a reflection of the views of the great mass of the people, the workers and the oppressed sections of the middle class."

For a New System

In replying to the question about "ballots or bullets," Sugar stated his unwavering belief in a new social and economic system, one "in which it is impossible to have misery poverty and suffering in the midst of plenty . . . one in which all men and women will have the opportunity of working and will receive the full product of their toil-sufficient to provide not only the bare necessities, but as well the comforts and the cultural benefits of life.

He then went on to expose the fact that it is the capitalists and Berlin their agents who are daily using bullets against workers who dare to fight for the right to live. He referred to the Ford Massacre of March 7, 1932, the West Coast genstrike and the fact that 57 workers were killed in labor struggles last year. "Bullets," he stated, are the means whereby the dominating groups in society suppress and drive the American workers when these workers have reached a in their suffering beyond which they can no longer be forced."

Must Fight for Liberties Sugar showed that government officials are condoning and assisting this violence against the working

class and "are more and more throwing off the cloak of democracy and facilitating the development of scism in this country "Under such circumstances," he

declared, "I can assure you . . . that I will not take the position that the American people should walk out of paper in their hands. They should fight for their liberties, as other Americans have fought be-

fore them. Under the slogan of "All Labor United to Elect a Fighter," the candidacy of Maurice Sugar is being makers" is willing for Hearst, the supported by practically every sec- arch propagandist for war, to protion of the labor movement.

SHREWSBURY, La., Feb. 28 .-

attacks on the organizations of

Negro and white tenant farmers throughout the South will be held

The meeting, called by the In-

ternational Labor Defense, will particularly protest the terror-istic attacks by Arkansas big

andowners and State officials on

the Southern Tenant Farmers

Union, and the imprisonment of

Ward Rodgers, Socialist, and supporters of the union.

It will also deal with the ques-

through the so-called educa-

tional qualification law.

ion of Negro disfranchisement

Shrewsbury, about ten miles

from New Orleans, is in a farm-

ing section where most of the farmers are facing slow starva-

With Hearst

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again on the order of the day in

"Panic in Berlin'

What causes their frenzied anti-

Soviet attacks? The calculations of

the German fascists on a rapid

compact with England proved un-

justified. England is maneuvering

There is talk about a possible jour-

"The German politicians decided

to use 'tried methods' to prop up their business. Anti-Soviet cam-

paigns and provocations against the

U.S.S.R. are primarily calculated to

inflame enti-Soviet feelings in Eng-

countries which are oriented to

land and prop up the morale in

gle of the German fascists assisted

against an Eastern peace pact

against the strengthening of the

The toilers in all countries, and

true friends of peace will estimate

the anti-Soviet slantiers in this way.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.-In re-

sponse to the resolution adopted at

the National Educators' convention

now being held at Atlantic City, for

an investigation of the war propaganda of William Randolph Hearst.

Senator Nye of the Senate Muni-tions Committee said today that

aganda, there is no cause for in-

there is nothing to investigate

Hearst in the United States,

Germany in the present day."

peace of Europe.

This has caused panic in

ney of the British ministers

Moscow.

Why are the fascists raging?

Nazi Papers

at Mt. Salem Baptist Church.

protest meeting against the

Wednesday night, March 6,

ure, the Council of People's Commissars, which adopted the decision, pointed out that about twentyfive million school children were attending schools in the U.S. S. R., I.L.D. Calls Meeting a figure which runs several times In Heart of South beyond the number attending prerevolutionary schools. To Protest Terror

During the last few years alone those covered by the First and Second Five year Plans, the number of schools in the U.S. S. R. inalmost 50,000 from

Soviets Plan

To Construct

Education Center

(Special to the Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, Feb. 28, (By Cable).— The cultural enriching of the peo-ples of the U. S. S. R. was fur-thered today by a new large ap-propriation for the construction of

374 schools accommodating 240,390

children, at an outlay exceeding

In an appraisal of this new meas-

118,000 to 167,000. This increase took place chiely in the villages and the total expenditure in constructing schools amounted to 1,100,000,000 rubles. The Soviet government has especially assigned 45,000,000 rubles as an additional sum for the construction and repairing of

Having attained the greatest success in industry and agriculture during the years of the First and Second Five year Plans, the Soviet government is now directing the accumulation of socialist economy to the needs of its owners, the

DarcyTeaches

doesn't make a particle of differ is perfect or imperfect

Judge Wants to Know

to explain the methods by which the Communists intended to effect the revolutionary overthrow of the government by the workers and their allies, and the setting up of a workers' and farmers' govern ment, but cautioned him to make no mention of the necessary conditions for the social revolution.

the breakdown of capitalism, not a plot of the Communists," he in-

ructed the court.

and violence. Two more small farmers, N. G. Nichols and Chris Doty, both of Abyssinia.

Mountainview, testified on the terroristic activities of armed vigilante bands, organized by the big planters, during the agricultural strikes

Mini and Jack Warnick yesterday signed a bitter condemnation of the treacherous role of the Trotzkvite grouplets in the trial, naming them as enemies equal to the industrialists and agriculturists who engineered the prosecution through Special Prosecutor McAllister.

Government Figures

forced the court to rule that Darcy could testify to anything he had CP Wants One Food Prices said in his speeches at meetings. This enabled Darcy to speak freely, and for an hour and a half he smashingly refuted the lies of the

and against the Mussolini rape of

sciously striking at all department

store employes when he ruled that

the Freeds employes have no right

to picket and no right to fight for

Written by Secretary

city editors of New York newspap-

ers, and boasted about the injunc-

tion prohibiting white collar work-

ers from picketing the Freeds de-

The letter dated Feb. 21, states

that the decision denying white

The letter was written by the

of State Supreme Court

The letter boasts of faithful ser- Rome.

the closed shop.

partment store.

was "filed today."

class solidarity here will be a mighty will be a powerful demonstration for the release of the victims of

"No differences of political opin-

"We find that if everyone ate as do those people whose income is over have to be a lot of re-arrangement. Much land would be put into grass

for dairying, and much shifted from cotton to food products." "People would buy less wheat and more dairy products, vegetables and fruit. The food bill would be far higher and farmers would use far more labor and buy far more indus-

approximately \$12,000,000,000 in 1929 expiration date, next June 16. and reached a low of \$5,000,000,000

and place you designate. We urge you, however, to give prompt consideration to our appeal since sufficient time must be allowed to organize the mightiest May Day in the "prevailing wage" amendment. the history of the country.

"District Organizer."

A Double-Headed Attack on Labor-the Courts, NRA

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7-A has served to spread illusions that the workers were being given the right to organize and bargain collectively, whereas in reality Section 7-A was used to strengthen the company unions. The only place where the workers won demands was when they struck in spite of the decisions of the N.R.A. and of Roosevelt's employer controlled boards (Paterson; San Francisco)

Furthermore, it is not an accident that these two decisions came in the steel and coal industries. In both industries, the most vital to the employers, the workers are preparing for strike. In many places, present agreements run out in the coal fields on April 1, and the workers are preparing struggle to secure better conditions in the new agreements. In the steel industry, the lodges of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers (A. F. of L.) have begun an organizational drive

to build their union in preparation for strike. The workers in the steel and coal industries have been given the National Run Around so long that they have very little illusions left as to what Roosevelt or Section 7-A will do for them. The coal miners won concessions only when they put up a bitter, strike struggle, Under N.R.A., com

unions are spreading in the coal fields. The steel workers, whose strikes were prevented by William Green last year, have gotten speed-up, company unions, discrimination and low wages from N.R.A.-

These Federal court decisions prepare the way for further attacks on the living standards of the steel and coal miners and for defeat of their economic demands. On the one hand, the companies will be backed by the Federal court decisions in their wage cutting, company union drive. On the other. Roosevelt and his boards will continue to stall the workers' demands, will act as strikebreakers as in the past, and will continue to foster the company unions. The Federal court decisions make it easier for Roosevelt to reorganize the N.R.A. into a more open anti-labor instrument.

The only way the steel workers can win their demands is to prepare their strikes regardless of the strikebreaking activities of Roosevelt and his labor boards, regardless of the anti-labor decisions of the Federal courts.

Are Honored

Government Cites Two Groups for Heroism in Special Resolution

MOSCOW, Feb. 28 -- For their daring trip on skiis over 5,085 miles of Siberian steppes, in biting zero weather, which often dropped to 63 degrees Fahrenheit below zero, the Central Executive Committee of the U.S.S.R. has passed a special resolution eiting the heroism of a group Eastern Red Army.

All of the participants in the ski race across a snow-covered territory wider than the United States, were factory workers before entering the Red Army,

They divided into two groups One group covered a course of 5,085 miles from Bochkarevo to Moscow making the trip in 87 traveling days The other group, ski-ing from Nur-chinsk to Moscow, a distance of 4,320 miles in 74 traveling days.

The ski-ers traveled across the Siberian steppes in flerce winds with the thermometer registering 54 degrees Fahrenheit below zero. tween Omsk and Tomsk on one day the temperature was 63 degrees Fahrenheit. On that day they covered 50 miles.

In spite of the tremendous dis-

tance covered, all the men arrived in good health. K. E. Voroshilov, ple's Commissar of Defense, issued an order to grant the ski-ers

FDR Tries New Wage CutTrick

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Harrison (Dem Miss) Roosevelt's notorious horse trader. The Senate adopted a resolution

for the Finance Committee "inves-Confidential Message Reveals Fascist Judge tigation" after Senator Borah de-clared on the floor: "There are 137 N.R.A. Codes which constitute distinctly combina-

tions or conspiracies in restraint of trade . . . combinations to fix monopoly prices" Only \$5,000 was authorized for the

"investigation." Nye and McCarran had previously declared at least outlaw the right of all white collar workers to strike when \$25,000 necessary.

The Finance Committee "investigation on the strike when the st

the time came for him to hand down an official decision on tigation" will be designed to serve the dual purpose of quieting complaints against the existing N.R.A. and laying the groundwork for extending the N.R.A. for two years beyond its expiration date, next June 16. It has been announced previously that the Finance Committee will write the proposed N. R. A. extension.

President William Green of the American Federation of Labor prebe broadcast tonight on behalf of "prevailing wage" amendment He still pointedly declined, however, notice of the Unemployed incil's telegram proposing action labor, both employed and unemployed, for union wages on relief

Nve and Senator King (Dem. Utah) said they still have another fascism and their feeling toward resolution, for investigation of the effect of N. R. A. in lifting anti- trial revealed by living concrete exrust laws, on the Senate calendar. and can use this as a means of persuading the Finance Committee to come through with a real investigation. The inevitability of the thite wash is evident from the fact

year income group in order that the tigation" after Senator Borah declared on the floor

"There are 137 N. R. A. Codes, which consitute distinctly combina-\$5,000, farmers could use all the land," Wallace said. "There would trade . . . combinations to fix motions or conspiracies in restraint of

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How little is really offered to labor under the "prevailing wage" which Roosevelt rejected because he is determined to cut the present low wage structure was indicated on the floor when one of its pro-ponents, Senator Steiwer (Rep., Ore.), pointed out that the "prevailing wage" in Alabama is 10 to 12 cents an hour. It was Steiwer, conservative, who called the "security wage" a "starvation wage." He also suggested that by adopting the conduct of Communists before the "prevailing wage" amendment a bourgeois class court. By this and staggering hours, it would be possible to actually cut the expenditure for work-relief by \$1,000,-

Survey Shows Slavery In New England Hotels tents from his system of defense,

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 28.—Sur fascist lawyer Sack, he showed how veys conducted by the New Hamp-shire Minimum Wage Commission today revealed that women and children were being forced to work gle for his release, and he is still in the state's hotels and restaurants in prison. Also the conduct of Comfor starvation wages, and health-rades Taneff and Popoff was erwrecking hours, in violation of state roncous, and besides they were law and N.R.A. codes.

Soviet Fliers 'BUILD UP THE PARTY, For Ski Trip IS WORD OF KRUMBEIN FROM CELL IN PRISON

Communist Organizer's First Letter from Penitentiary Responds to Many Greetings, Tells of His Faith in Growth of Party

From his cell in the Federal penitentiary at Lewisburg, Pa., comes the first letter. Charles Krumbein, imprisoned District Organizer of the Communist Party, New York District, has been allowed to send out since he was taken there to serve a sentence of one and a half years. Responding to

Day will take place on Sunday

at 1 p.m., at the I.W.O. Hall 2134 West Division Street. The

them to send five delegates each

for May Day, to discuss ways and means of organizing the broadest unk front May Day

Conference tentatively proposed

In addition to this conference, there is a movement in the local

unions of the A. F. of L. for a

special trade union conference

The Communist Party has in

vited the Socialist Party and Young Peoples Socialist League

to participate in the preliminary

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In reality fascism has compro-

mised itself and contributed to-

ward the formation, around the

Leipzig trial, of a united front of

the world proletariat, which in

raised over the heads of the Leip-

the end removed the fascist axe

zig prisoners. The Leipzig trial

gave an impetus to the move-

ment of the international working

class toward unity of struggle

which made it possible for the

cessfully to start applying tactics

Toilers Heard Dimitroff

Not only the toilers of Germany

ut also those of other countries

tribune of the Leipzig trial. Dimi-

troff was surrounded by the gen-

eral sympathy of workers because

he expressed their thoughts about

fascism. His heroic conduct at the

fulfilled it as Lenin and Stalin

taught this party of world Bolshev-

perialist war, experienced the wild

chauvinist baiting after July, 1917,

when it fearlessly led the masses

School of Fearlessness

Stalin taught not only the All-

Union Communist Party but the

entire Communist International not

to fear difficulties but to overcome

them by iron Bolshevist will to

learn that there was no fortress

that Bolsheviks could not take. He

taught that the Bolshevists must be

capable of giving up all their blood,

drop by drop, for the working class,

at the Leipzig trial, he was ready

to give up all his blood for the

working class. Therefore he de-fended not himself but the cause

of the working class, he defended the German Communist Party

against fascist slanders, he fought

not in fear of his own life but

for the Communist International,

Political Offensive

tical offensive against fascism and

turned from accused to accuser. And by this political line which he took

at the trial he gave an example of

conduct he promoted the success of

the struggle of the international-

proletariat for the release of him-

himself first of all, fought for his

own life, eliminated political con-

and gave over his defense to the

Communists should not conduct

themselves in a bourgeois court, he

hampered by not knowing the Ger-

self, Taneff and Popoff.

He at once went over to a poli-

its program and its tactics.

Dimitroff feared no difficulties

towards the October Revolution.

and gallows of Tsarism.

to Dimitroff from the

of the united front.

Communist International suc-

asses from its influence

How To Save

to take place April 7.

for May Day.

organizations, his message reveals his one concern to be the constant Chicago May Day building up of the revolutionary Party of the working class. Unity Parley Set For Next Sunday Krumbrin's letter follows: "Lewisburg, Pa.

(Daily Worker Midwest Bureau) CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 28. — A preliminary conference of the central bodies of workers' or-"Yesterday was a happy day for me for more reasons than one. First, may mail was given to me, 84 teleganizations in Chicago for May grams, 56 letters, 17 post-cards. What a joy to read them, pledges of intensified work, more digging in, call has been issued by the Com-munist Party to all working class organizations, requesting sent by organizations and individuals, also containing regards for me personally and pledging to try and carry on in the untiring and per The purpose of this conference is to formulate final demands sistent way in which they feel I

the greetings of many workers and

Every telegram and letter spoke of digging in and contained such determination, that one KNOWS that a movement of such element is bound to go forward by leaps and bounds. Many pledges to build the Party to such dimensions that I will not recognize it when I step into active participation again as the district organizer. They make me doubt if I will be qualified to head such a mass organization, but I pledge that if they carry out their pledge, I will prepare myself both mentally and physically to under-

take any task. "Many write to me 'to keep up my spirits and courage. Assure all, that with real faith in the working class and our Party, one can never **Thaelmann** lose courage not break down in spirit. This is doubly so with me because of my certainty that those who pledged to dig deeper will much more than make up for my Communism, to isolate the working tempotary absence and the movement's going forward is all that really counts

> "Wires and letters came from District Plenums of Pittsburgh and New Jersey, from comrades in Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, Wash-ington, D. C. and of course, from my beloved New York. Party Section membership meetings, section mittees, units, individuals (both leading, comrades and rank and filers), and what especially pleased me, from the youth, from the N. E. C. down Harlem and the water ront, both of where I spend much time, were well represented,

"Last but not least was my owr District Conference. Many same from Negro comrades, from marine, metal, railroad, traction, needle, food Ohrhach's and others More speed in the heavy industries, that's the crying need today. Steel shows up the possibilities. Fulfill the tasks of the Open Letter, must be our

battle cry. "Many came from trade unions ample to hundreds of thousands of and other mass organizations, the workers and Social-Democrats the T. U. U. C., Needle Trades, Furriers, Food, etc., Women's Councils, difference between the conduct of their own and of Communist leadployed Councils, International Thanks to Dimitroff's bearing at Labor Defense, etc., etc. Space prethat the Finance Committee's procedure will be run by Chairman Pat Harrison (Dem., Miss.), Roosevelt's notorious horse trader.

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The Senate adouted a resolution The Senate adopted a resolution of Communism. Dimitroff at Leip- all for me, asking them to continue for the Finance Committee "investigation of Communism of Communication of Communism of Communication of Communicat zig raised the authority of Commu- writing and let me know what they nism among the masses to an even are doing, no matter how little it

> filled his duty as a Communist but sent to me excepting reading matter, "Reading matter should be centrally handled. Received no books or The party which they forged literature as yet.

> greater height than it had existed may seem to them, enough drops

intil then. Dimitroff not only ful- make an ocean. Nothing can be

went

and which is now directing the great "I am going out of quarentine proletarian state faced the prisons tomorrow. My work will be 'special farm work against the current during the im-

"I" will be in a cell by mayself so to all that I am limited in letters I can send. Thank all the comrades for letters.

"CHAS. KRUMBEIN-2739."

the passive line of legal defense, but not the political line of an offensive against fascism, as did Dimitroff.

Education of Bolshevists This must be noted because through the examples of Communists on trial the cadres of the Communist Party are educated, because in the conditions of growing terror in the capitalist countries the Communist Parties must create a Stalinist generation of unbending Bolshevists.

The ruling classes handicar by all means the creation of such Bolshevist cadres, which are fearful to the bourgeoisie even when they are shackled, when under the guard of bayonets in the docks of the court.

Ten years Matthias Rakosi lahguished in a Hungarian prison but the bourgeoisie has not released Rakosi, aithough he served his term of imprisonment, and when he was tried again, following Dimitroff's example he bravely defended the cause of the working class and the Hungarian proletarian revolution. Precisely because Torgler defended

Having burnt their fingers at the Leipzig trial, the German rascisus have not until now arranged an open trial for Comrade Thaelmann. because they know that a no less shameful failure awaits them than that of Leipzig.

All the more ground has the international working class to strengthen the mas; movement for Thaelmann's release.

The united front of the working class wrenched Dimitroff from the Officials in charge of enforcement man language we'll enough to par- hands of fascism. It can and must of the violated statutes declined to ticipate in the trial. Not having wrench from prison the leader of comment upon the shocking conditions revealed.

The interior is the political importance the German workers, Comrade tions revealed.

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Trial Judge

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mention must be made of the worder capitalism, of the growing army of unemployed, of hunger and mass misery, and of the abolition of unemployment in the Soviet Union Upon defense objection, Judge Lemmon retorted, "Mr. Gallagher, it ence whether the present governwhether any other government would be better or not is of no con-

When Darcy took the witness stand, Judge Lemmon instructed

Thus, the anti-Soviet campaign is directly connected with the strug-Darcy laughingly explained to the learned judge that the revolutionary aims and methods of the Comnunists are rooted in historical developments and are inseparable from them. "The revolutionary up-surge of the masses is a part of

> Finally, Leo Gallagher, Interna-tional Labor Defense attorney advocate, individual acts of terror

He said unless it be shown that Hearst is personally making munitions profit out of his war propvestigation. Thus Nye, who has been fulminating against the "war

led by the defendants. All the defendants but Norman

THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE PARTY Labor issued December unemploy- class solidarity and confidence in reply. ment figures at 11,329,000, a figure victory.
560,000 greater than theirs for a "We are ready to meet a com-560,000 greater than theirs for a

(Continued from Page 1) (Continued from Page 1) farmers might sell their crops. "Our manifestation of working

inspiration to our class brothers fighting with the greatest heroism against the raging fascist beasts in Germany, Austria, Spain, etc. It fascist terror abroad; against lynching and discrimination of the Negro people, and for the release of Tom Mooney and the Scottsboro

ion or affiliation should be allowed to stand in the way of one united May Day of the New York workers Reveal Drop in Jobs for their burning needs and fundamental rights. Our Party comrades WASHINGTON, Feb. 28. — The National Emergency Council, a government board, today placed un-employment in December at 10.-830,000, a figure 200,000 greater than Gemany, Austria and Spain will in their estimates for December a year mighty numbers raise high the flag The American Federation of ef May Day, the flag of working hope for a favorable and prompt

mittee of your Party at any time

and nothing else.

The steel workers and coal miners can amash the company unions and win their demands for higher wages, for recognition, for shorter hours and no speed-up, only by building their unions and by

"Comradely yours,
"I. AMTER,

TRACTION UNION VOTES

FOR STRIKE IN FLINT;

WALKOUT MAY SPREAD

ALL FERA PROJECTS ARE HALTED BY STRIKE OF TOLEDO JOBLESS

Building Trades Council Calls Out Skilled Men to Support Fight

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 28.—With the local press minimizing the strike situation, confusing other workers in the city with regard to the number workers involved, newspapers here are nevertheless compelled to admit that every F. E. R. A. project in the city is at a standstill. Sunday, the Building Trades

Council called out all carpenters, common laborers, electricians, stone cutters, and other affiliated groups which by the end of this week will involve three thousand workers. Picket lines have been established

at the Naval Armory project and the Zoological Park job. The Northwestern Ohio Unemployment Council is preparing to aid the strike by mobilizing all of its forces agains the attempts which will no doubt be to smash the mass picker Key Trades Out

Fred Payne, president of the Central Labor Union and business agent for the Bricklayers Union Number Three, said yesterday:

"All the key trades are off, including terra cotta workers, stone entters, terrasa workers, bricklayers, carpenters, helpers, build-ing laborers, sheet metal workers

The Toledo Conference on Unemployment Insurance convened on Sunday at the Roi Davis auditorium. going on record in support of the thirty-hour week with a minimum rate of sixty cents an hour for unskilled labor and the prevailing union rates for skilled trades, sharply condemning the administration budgetary relief, system as an attack on the wage standards of labor. The conference endorsed the F. E. R. A. strike and pledged its wholehearted

and active support. A strong trade union committee was elected to coordinate the activities of the conference in organizing unemployed workers on relief with the work of the Building Trades Council. Organizations represented were the Federal Flat Glass Workers Union, Citizen League, Bakers' Union, the Industrial Club of the Universal Negro Improvement Association. Unemployment Councils, Switchmen's Union, Workers' Cooperative League, South Side Workers' Club, International Workers' Order. Hungarian Pederation. Painters' Union. Single Men's Protective Association, Polish Workers' Club. Communist Party Ohio Farmers' League, and the Mechanics Educ-tional Society of

Strike Is Crucial Step The workers of Toledo, in developing the first serious offensive agains the miserable conditions imposed upon the unemployed under the Roosevelt administration, have taken a step which may be regarded as crucial, and one the success or failure of which will go far toward determining the policy of the local and state governments on the relief question. The Toledo Section of the Communist Party is mapping lines of action to steer the course of labor toward working class political estimating the mass upheaval against Roosevelt's union-smashing slavery plan, the Party will utilize the struggle as a means to create a strong sentiment for a labor party ticket in the next elections, and

Governor Martin L. Davey of Ohio officially announced the immediate removal of the notorious Lieutepant James S. Thompson, whose record here as relief administrator has been one of arrogant disregard for the unemployed and who through the action of the governor is to b made the scape-goat, in a face-saving maneuver by the administration

will at the same time build the

Bookshop in Spokane Opens New Quarters

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 28. -Porced by the terroristic tactics of the Chamber of Commerce and the American Legion here to move three times in the past six months the Workers Book Shop of Spokane is now located at 154 Brown Street. book shop adjoins a meeting hall that may be rented by working class organizations.

NEWARK, N. J.

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JAMES W. FORD Member of the Central Committee

"THE MASS STRUGGLE AGAINST

THE N.R.A. IN THE SOUTH WORKERS SCHOOL FORUM

968 Chestant Street SUN., MARCH 3, 8 P. M. Shary ription, 38c. Unemployed 10c. Philadelphia Rally To Celebrate Unity

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 28. -Working women from many factories, stores, offices, and housewives from hundreds of working class homes will join here next Friday in the observance of International Women's

Of Working Woman

The occasion will be marked by a mass meeting at the Bos-lover Hall, 701 Pine Street. Au-gusta Reed, of New York, will be the principal speaker at the

Labor Bodies Back Dakota Farm Parley

By Lem Harris SIOUX CITY, S. D., Feb. 28 .- The endorsements for the coming Farmers Emergency Relief Conference to ure providing for the use of the be held March 25 to 27 here, are

coming in great numbers. Leading agriculturists, groups, and labor bodies, and legis-lators have sent in their endorse-

Professor N. E. Hansen, of South Dakota State College, has agreed to make special arrangements to allow him to be present and speak at the feature evening of the conference. He will speak on his observations on farming in Soviet

Alvin A. Handrich, of the Wisconsin State Legislature, writes: "In reply to your letter of the Farmers. Emergency Relief Conference to be held in March, I wish to say that we are heartily in accord with any plan you may sponsor. . . . I say this as secretary of the Holiday Associa-tion and as a member of the State Legislature." Mr. Handrich is also one of the four Governors of the official organ of the National Holi-

From Kansas comes the endorsement of the State Secretary of the Farmer-Labor Party, Fernand De-Cuyper, who writes: " . . . We wish to assure you of our moral support in your fight for a better living for

day Association, the "Farm Holiday

the working peoples of your state. Mrs. O. H. Olson, national chairman of junior work, of the Farmers Union, sends in her endorsement.

Strike Guards All Right If War Office Says So'

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.-In a letter to John J. McSwain, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, Emil Rieve, member of the gressive elements are faced with the national executive committee of the American Federation of Hosiery Workers asked for passage of the Connery resolution, which makes legislatures. available Federal equipment for National Guards on strikebreaking retary of war.

of the Socialist Party did not protest the use of National Guards in Workers School, strikes, but only considered that govout the guards "without justificaident's recovery program."

WESTERN TORNADO TAKES 13 LIVES



This scene of leveled farmhouse and barn near Joplin, Mo., is typical of the havor wrought by the tornado that swept through several states, with a toll of thirteen lives.

Against Unions

Move Would Legalize Use of State Police **Against Strikes**

By DAWN LOVELACE SALEM. Ore., Feb. 28.—Passed in

the House by a 32-28 vote, a meas-Oregon State police in strikes has been sent to the Senate where

chances of its enactment are strong. faced with guiding the growing When the Oregon State police was rank and file movement of the dier. Every comrade who enlists organized in 1930, a storm of protest steel against the creation of a police body similar to strike-breaking State troopers in such states as Pennsylvania forced a provision banning their use in industrial disputes. restriction would be removed under the measure forced through the House by Oregon industrialists workers themselves.

and bankers.

The bill is part of a program of repeal of anti-injunction laws which prohibit injunctions against picketing; provisions for compulsory arbitration and against picketing the first thirty days of a strike This openly fascist legislation, most of it side-tracked for the time being. is closely linked to the nation-wide anti-labor campaign instiated by the United States Chamber of Comme:ce, the leaders of the American Legion and the Elks, and whipped up by pro-fascist Hearst press.

Two measures which would rule the Communist Party off the ballot have been introduced in the Senate by Senator Wallace as Bills 84 and 85, and are similar to the measures introduced by American Legion leaders in the Legislatures of a number of states. These measures moreover, are in line with the profederal legislation which provide anti-sedition and censorship weapons in the drive to smash organized labor.

The working class and all pronecessity of a nation-wide struggle against these measures, both in Congress and in the various state

Magil Lectures in Detroit

DETROIT, Feb. 28.—A series of Rieve who is one of the leaders lectures on fascism and social revo-Avenue, by A. B. Magil. Detroit cor- mand union wages and conditions W. C. A. continuing for 12 weeks.

Oregon House Youngstown Communists Soviets Hail Approves Bill Set 'Daily' Drive Pace Anniversary

500 New Readers By May Day Is Pledge Made At Mid-February Party Conference

If every unfulfilled resolution that has been made to build the Daily Worker were a subscription, by this time we would have a mass circulation.

John Steuben, organizer of the Youngstown Section, is determined that the Youngstown Section will not be responsible for making still another Daily @ Worker decision that is not carried in the shock troop. These com-

rades in each unit form a unit

brigade is named after the briga-

in a brigade, serves until May 1st

The unit bureau has no right to

assign the comrade to other work

that might interfere with this.

without special permission from

The brigade must meet once a

week before the unit meeting and

check up their work. The brigadier

To Visit Old Readers

stores, stands, etc., where the "Daily" might be sold, develop

The

New York.

might be sold, develop

six best comrades in the

Stueben has visited the Soviet

such methods as this that the

Russian workers are fulfilling

Section organizers, what do you think of Comrade Steuben's plan?

Or are you working out something

better? Or are you doing-noth-

ing at all to build the Daily Worker?

Essex Trades Council

Let us hear from you

At the first meeting of each

The Youngstown comrades are workers within the A. A. They are responsible for bringing the masses of unorganized workers into the union. They must prepare for the coming steel battles. And they understand that this can not be done without getting the Daily Worker read by the steel

500 New Readers The section conference on Feb.

legislation which includes measures 17 decided to get 500 new Daily to place control of labor unions Worker readers-preferably subs- attends, plans are laid out for visin the hands of the Governor; the by May 1st. Comrade Steuben iting old Daily Worker readers, visworked out a plan to make this iting new workers, investigating possible. Not a plan for some one else to carry out—but a plan for which the conference, at Steuben's Red Builders. suggestion, made Comrade Steuben responsible The Steuben Daily Worker Shock

Treep is being formed with Comrade Steuben as captain. The Union; he says that it is by just troop is to consist of \$0 comrades each pledged to get 10 new "Daily" readers by May 1st. (Only a few quotas under the Five Year Plan. days after the conference, twenty comrades joined the troop!).

The Shock Troops In each unit in the section, from three to five comrades are to enlist

Philadelphia Jobless

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 28. NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 28. - A station at Amber and Allegheny Auditorium here Belmont and Court peasants.

relief administration.

Of Red Cavalry

By Stalin Decisive in Crushing Foes

By Vern Smith

MOSCOW, Feb. 26 (By Wireless). which was established on Stalin's brigade, headed by a brigadier. The initiative during the uncertain years of the civil war in 1920, and Stalin's strategic plan for crushing the counter-revolution, is being hailed by the entire Soviet press on the occasion of its fifteenth anni-The southern counter-revolution-

ary armies, who had ben armed to the teeth by the Allies, crumbled under the devastating blows inflicted by this first cavalry division. This division was part of the army Brigade, which Comrade Steuben under Stalin's political leadership which routed Denikin's cavalry troops. Afterward, when it was transferred to the dangerous battlefront in Poland, the operations of the cavalry were such that, according to the testimony of Pilsudski himself, they shook the whole Pol-Shock Troops will be elected to go to the May First Demonstration ish state. The historical career of mounted regiments climaxed with the crushing defeat

The first cavalry division is a striking example of the indestructible force of the fighting union of the working class with the revolutionary peasantry. It entered the struggle for Communism as the best example of a military organizational creation of the Bolshevik Party, as a striking model of tactics and strategic art of young workers and peasants in the Red Army. After all, the detachments and squadrons Call Demonstration At Will Attend Conference of the cavalry were composed of children of want who in the old Relief Office Today Against War in Newark world had nothing to lose but their they threw themselves into the fight they knew that their sharp swords sons in 300,000 families onto the Workers from North East Philadel- city-wide anti-war conference called and accurate bullets defended the phia will demonstrate at the relief for Sunday at 3 p. m., at Krueger's deepest interests of the workers and son given was the failure of the

The demonstration, which will be the Advancement of Colored People, cavalry generals of the Workers

spoke on the Workers' Bill at the for the united front movement

The first Red cavalry division,

Streets tomorrow morning at 10 Street, will be attended by dele- alry, without exception, all came veit administration to vote the Fedo'clock in protest against Governor gates from the Essex Trades Coun- from the ranks of the working class eral work relief bill. Earle's sales tax proposals and for cil. the Newark Chapter of Hadas- and peasantry. They faced the lution will be given at the Detroit under the leadership of the Unembed and various other organizations, insured that the Detroit under the leadership of the Unembed and various other organizations, insured army. But neither did the latter's Workers School, 5969 Fourteenth ployment Councils, will further decluding industrial clubs in the Y. ernors are easily pursuaded to call respondent of the Daily Worker and on all work relief jobs; removal of The conference, which is called placed by the October Revolution Unemployment, Old Age and Social contributor to the New Masses and police from the relief stations and by the Newark City Committee of at posts of commanders, speedily Insurance Bill, H. R. 2827, and in-The course will endorsement of the Workers Un- the American League Against War gained their experience under fire, He likewise expressed the idea that strikes are "in behalf of the President's recovery morgan"

The American League Against War gained their experience under life, structed its delegates to bring up and Fascism, will be addressed by developed their talents, green the belief the belief that the bill in the next meeting of the Dr. Harry F. Ward, national chairident's recovery morganization.

against the terror against Socialists and Communists. Workers' Bill Army Branch Initiated Is Endorsed

Birmingham Socialists

EndorseWorkers'Bill;

Back United Front

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 28.

-The Birmingham local of the

Socialist Party, with twelve members present, unanimously

endorsed the Workers Unemploy-

ment, Old Age and Social Insur-

ance Bill. H. R. 2827, at their last regular meeting. A representa-

tive of the Communist Party

By Mine Union cale convention of the Progressive to voting for a working week of wage endorsed the Workers Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Bill, H. R. 2827, and con-

Demand Action

on work relief.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 28.-In an pen letter to all members of the House Legislative Committee of Labor and Industries, which has just concluded hearings on State Workers' Unemployment Insurance Bill, H. 871, the State Unemployment Action Committee, 5 Harrison Street, demands immediate action on the bill.

Ohio Hearings CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 28.-

Copies of the State Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill, H. B. 136, which was introduced into the State Legislature by Representative Boyd, made at the previous meeting held are now available, and may be obare now available, and may be obtained by writing to the House Labor Committee, Columbus, the Cleveland Action Committee for the Workers' Bill announced yesterday Hearings on the State measure

will begin during the latter part of March. All organizations are being asked to elect their representatives to appear at the hearings and to send resolutions demanding enactment of the Workers Bill to Representative William M. Boyd, chair man. Labor Committee, Columbus

Relief Halted

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 28 .-All new emergency work relief projects in California were stopped on Feb. 26 throwing one million permore meagre direct relief. The rea-California Legislature to pass relief The commanders of the Red Cav- bills and the refusal of the Roose

Union Backs H. R. 2827

KENOSHA. Wis., Feb. 28.-The Vincent-McCall Bed Factory Fedpeasants, eral Union endorsed the Workers

Garment and Textile Workers on Strike in Several Cities

FLINT, Mich., Feb. 28. - Street car and bus operators of this General Motors city, have voted to strike at 4 a. m. tomorrow. The men, who are members of District 26, Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes of America (A. P. of L.), are demanding a wage increase from 52 to 65 cents an hour

Pants Maker Walk Out NORWICH, Conn., Feb. 28.-Pants makers in three plants here came out on strike yesterday, on the call Workers of America. The G. and W. Company admits that its 775 work-

Ribbon Workers Strike ALLENTOWN, Pa., Feb. 28.—Fifty ribbon workers of the Allentown Silk Company came out on strike yesterday, when the company refused to meet the demands of the workers. Among the grievances is the company's practice to deduct GILLESPIE, Ill., Feb. 28 .- The from the wages in one week if the worker earns above the minimum

> Garment Strike of 6,000 Firm CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 28.—Reflect-

ers for struggles David Dubinsky, demned the Roosevelt slave wage president of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, declared that the union is determined to organize the 50,000 cotton dress workers in the country, speaking yesterday before a meeting of 14,000 garment workers many of whon were cotton garment strikers. He promised financial and moral aid for the strikers. Three shops settled

Silk Conference Sunday PAWTUCKET, R. I., Feb. 28. -

Another national conference of representatives of locals of the American Federation of Silk Workers will take place here on Sunday, at the headquarters of the United Textile Workers. The conference is in accordance with the decision a general silk strike was made

Company here to reinstate 180 fired workers by a strike threat

iladelphia, Pa.

Come and enjoy with us a concert and banquet with attractive pro-

Miss Sophie Gerov will lecture on Social Life and Education in the Soviet Union. She has recently re-turned from Soviet Russia. There will also be a piano recital of clas-sical composition. turned from Soviet, Russia. Therewill also be a piano recital of classical composition, at Bukier Hall, 2026 N. 32nd St. Friday, March 1, 8 p.m. sharp. Strawberry Mansion Br. F.S.U.

Organizations Do not arrange af-fairs for Saturday, March 30. The District Pioneer Council is holding an "April Pool's Pestival," at Girard Manor Hall, 911 W. Girard Ave., 150 children will participate in See "Del" draw Little Lefty.

Chicago, Ill.

A big Banquet and Dance will be held Saturday, March 2, at Holly-wood Hall, 3417 W. 43d St. The prowood mail, 3417 W. 43d St. The pro-ceeds are for the Communiat Party Election Campaign. Excellent floor show prominent speakers, a Chop Suey dinner, entertainers, etc. All workers of Shicago are invited to attend.

March 2 and 7 pm at 2739 W Division St. Daneing, singing, music, refreshments. Adm. 21c, including taxi, 3, for 3 c. Done miss a swell time. Ausp.: C.P. Sec. 9.

Celebration of the L'Unita Operaia Quotidiana. The Italian Daily paper! Sunday, March 10, 3 p.m. at Turner Hall. Roosevelt and Western Aves. Adm. 35c at door, 25c in adv. Good program arranged. Dancing until late hours to the music of Alabama Orchestra.

chestra. Cop Porum, 508 So. State
St., Sunday, March 3 at 3 p.m. A
Symposium, "What Have Roogevell's
Policies Meant to the Working Class.
The Middle Class. The Capitalist

Cleveland, Ohio

Red Wedding to be held on March 2, at 6615 Wade Park. Dancing from 8 p.m. to we hours of the morning. Door prize radio, plenty of refreatments and the donation is 15c. All welcome.

Newark, N. J.

Soviet Democracy Moves Forward As Capitalist Democracy Decays

man of the League.

talist democracy takes two steps backward. examination of what is occurring in the so-called "democratic" countries of capitalism clearly illustrates this.

The full significance of the constitutional changes in the Soviet Union, the new democratic advances, can best be understood in contrast to what is happening in the leading capitalist "democ-

Ex-President Hoover and the Liberty League, as well as President Roosevelt himself, lose no occasion to hark back to the American constitution. "The constitution is being destroyed," is the general howl. U. S. Supreme Court Justice Van Deventer, in dissenting to the gold clause decision, greeted the majority opinion as virtual destruction of the con-

This battle of legalistic views around the constitution is really the smoke of a more serious conflagration at the very foundations of capitalist democracy. Nor is the crisis of capitalist democracy, of the form of the capitalist state, restricted to the United States. It has reached an aggravated pass in all capitalist countries, in some to the extent of outright Pascism.

Degeneration of Capitalist Bemocracy

American capitalist democracy, which grew out of the revolutionary national independence wars, is degenerating with seven-league boot strides toward Pascism. Dictatorial powers are being concentrated in the hands of the President. The main government bodies which most affect the daily life of the people (N. R. A., A. A. A., C. C. C., and the entire apparatus of the New Deal) are no longer elective or, even in theory, subject to the will of the people. Every new law gives Roosevelt absolute powers of appointment.

Coupled with this goes the attacks on the democratic rights of the masses on a national scale. First, there is the wholesale arrest of strikers, pickets, trade union organizers, militant workers. Capitalism, to preserve its economic power, to try to get out of the crisis by smashing down the living standards of the masses, finds its usual forms of "democracy" an obstacle in its path and wipes

them away ruthlessly. There is the avalanche of injunctions, which in to wipe out the so-called constitutional rights of the workers. On top of all this-in a sense crystalizing the whole movement of capitalist democracy toward the black rocks of Fascism-are the scores of state laws outlawing every independent class political party of the toiling masses opposed to capitalist slavery

Even capitalist democracy in this period of decay of capitalism becomes an unwieldy and dangerous structure to the very system which reuired it in its earliest stages of development. The oncoming death of capitalism first paralyzes its democratic forms.

"Democracy" in Great Britain

In Great Britain, home of the "mother of parliaments," the pride of capitalist democracy, parliament becomes a hindrance to capitalism. Every means is taken to destroy the last vestiges of limited capitalist democracy. The present British National Government, according to the 1911 Act of Parliament, should end its existence with national elections either late in 1935 or early in 1936. But so tremendous have the mass struggles of the workers become against the slashing down of their living standards that the ruling class fears to face a test of its own type of elections. Not because it has any fears of the intentions of the reformist Labor Party leaders who would head a possible Third Labor Government. But because it fears the temper of the masses, whose united front actions are breaking through the new fascist laws passed

James H. Thomas, the "Socialist" Secretary of State for the Dominions (very often used as a sounding board for ideas of the most reactionary sections of the British ruling class which they never would dare utter themselves) dropped the hint just a few days ago that the present parliament would not abdicate "constitutionally." Instead, under wartime measures, he hinted, it would continue in nower another three years, thereby taking a long stride toward Fascism.

Thus in the most "democratic" of capitalist

nations, the democratic forms become an obstacle

as well as a sham. The needs of capitalism in

crisis require that they be rapidly destroyed, and

that new, more open and brutal dictatorial laws be

established on the road to fascism and the era of

by the "democratic" parliament.

a new imperialist slaughter.

toiling masses, has increased not only their power for improvement of living standards but for defense against the whole hostile capitalist world. Under these conditions, the proletarian dictatorship, born in the period of imperialist war, in the revolution which overthrew Czarism, can now advance a step further in the historical march to the higher stages of Socialism and toward Communism. "To us," declared V. M. Molotov, chairman of the Council of Peoples Commissars at the recent Seventh Congress of Soviets, "the Soviet Constitution is not merely a declaration but a most important document of struggle for the further strengthening of socialist property, for the final victory of Socialist society."

Let us examine the step forward in the Soviet Union. All during the past five years, while capi-

talism was plunging deeper into crisis, dragging the

masses to unheard of misery. Socialist construction

in the Soviet Union advanced apace. While in 1925

the Socialist sector of industry was around 48 per

cent of the total, in 1935 it is above 96 per cent.

The last remnants of capitalism are being wiped

out. Agriculture is now collectivized, with the

kulak base for the possible development of capi-

talism utterly destroyed. This economic advance

of Socialism has changed the class relations in the

Soviet Union, has strengthened the rule of the

Ever Greater Democracy And with the economic advances, there go corre-

sponding political advances in greater democracy for the toiling masses of the Soviet Union. The proletarian dictatorship from the very beginning already contains within it the highest type of democracy, proletarian democracy. That is, it guaranees democratic rights for the toilers, while destroying them for the exploiters and the enemies of the toiling masses. Now, with the destruction of the very base of the exploiters in Russia, proletarian democracy reaches to higher levels. Concretely, the first steps taken at the last

Soviet Congress were: 1) Substitution of direct for indirect elections. This means the direct election of all officials by the total body of voters in the Soviet

Union, rather than through the stages of city, district and central Soviets. 2) Substitution of equal elections for unequal elections. This refers chiefly to the pessants. Previously one Soviet delegate was elected for each 25,000 workers, and one for each 125,000 peasants. Now, with the advance of collective farming, with the liquidation of the kulak elements, the collective farmer is advanced to a higher stage of proletarian democracy. 3) A change from open to secret balloting.

With the bulk of the class enemy of socialism destroyed, and with his base wiped out, secret balloting in the Soviet Union becomes a great aid for advancing the cause of socialism. It allows for checking up the weakest links in the administrative apparatus, giving the masses, who have already progressed a long way on the road to socialism, absolute secrecy in their voting rights. It is precisely in each one of these points where

capitalism is moving backward. Not only are direct elections becoming eliminated entirely, but appointive power by the representatives of finance capital are becoming the rule. Unequal elections, and disfranchisement of hundreds of thousands of workers are increasing, as shown in Chicago, in the South and in other sections of the U.S. And lastly, the "secret" ballot is becoming a farce. through the primaries and the laws requiring registration of Party affiliations, through the actual marking of ballots in order to trace the voters. Hitler's "secret" elections are the best illustration of the degeneration of the capitalist "secret" electóral system. Let the capitalists howl about the proletarian

dictatorship, and about "Soviet terror." That they are so extremely sensitive about this matter only emphasizes their own class consciousness and how deeply they feel the mighty proletarian arm of defense and protection of socialism aimed against them. Let only the proletariat in the capitalist countries look about them and see the narrow walls of capitalist "democracy" moving in to crush them beneath its advancing fascist power. Soviet democracy is advancing and will continue

to advance toward the higher stages of socialist development. In the capitalist countries the workers are learning more and more that only by the abolition of the corrupt dictatorial juggernaut of the capitalist state, even where it still labels itself "democratic," can they advance to freedom from misery, hunger, fascism and the constant threat of war.

the Amalgamated Clothing ers walked out solidly.

Miners of America, which has just scale so as to add it on in the next if the workers earn below the scale.

ing the urgent demand of the work-

Strike Threat Works TOLEDO. Ohio. Feb. 28. - Contending that "we have the right to live and not to be fired without due notice." members of the Mechanics have forced the Mather Spring

WHAT'S ON

Orand Concert and Banaar Auspicer: Unemployment Councils of Philadelphia, Friday and Saturday eves. March 1 and 2 at Olympia Arena, Broad and Bambridge Sts. Glamorous entertainment, Puppet Show, Play, Dancing, Music, National Speaker, Sergel Radamsky and Maria Radamsky. Proceeds for publication of newspaper for the unemployed. Adm. 35c for both evenings.

Press Concert and Danie will table place on Saturday, April 6 at 4035 Girard Ave Ausp. Sec 3, W Phila, All working class organizations are asked to keep this date open.

Br. F.S.U.

Huge Mass Meeting Protest against the breaking of trade negotiations with the Soviet Union. Tuesday.

March 12 at 8 pm at the Olympia Arena. Adm. 38c Unemployed 10c.

Speakers, J. B. Matthews. Wm. Jones, Rabbi Brenner, Arthur Fletcher. Auspices: FS.U.

A nite of merriment in honor of Section Organizers, Rubey Cooper, former, and Bill Senne: present. Saturday, March 2, 8 p.m. at the Itahan Workers Club, 720 Kedzie Ave. Entertainment, refreshments, dancing to music by Duke Croswells Orchestra. Adm. 20c.

Pursuit of Happiness Ends, Saturday

Attend dance given by Sect. 9 C.P. Good program. Excellent food. We will sell books at half price as special feature. Also games, get lucky number and win a book, 2739 West Division St., Saturday, March 2 at 8 p. ...

Halt! Newark organizations don't arrange affairs March 17. Paris Commune Day. Estraordinary ex-nists, Gropper, Burck, Del. Marsh, Nigob, noted concert pianist. Admis-

Bu Redfield

SINCE no more New England re-

cipes have come, we'll print very delicious, although lonely FISH CHOWDER.

Ingredients: 1% lb. cod; 3 medium sized potatoes; 4 small onions; small piece of salt pork (5c); one pepper; Pilot crackers; Fish stock.

"DARE and cut potatoes into small day. pieces. Cook with the onions in a small amount of water until almost done. For fish stock, ask the fish market man for the bones and head of a fish that has just been filleted, or some fresh scraps But the former is better. Cover with three cups of water and put to boil for at least one half hour and longer if possible. It should be boiled down to not more than two cups. Scald the piece of cod water for two minutes and the skin and bones will come off easily. Add these to the stock also. Strain the stock. Add potatoes onions, and seasonings, and when it is boiling merrily, add the cod cut up in small pieces. Let simmer for ten minutes. Cut the salt pork into tiny pieces and fry till crisp Add milk to the soup and heat thoroughly. Take from fire and add the salt pork from which you have drawn the fat, as it some-Put s times has a briny flavor. Pilot cracker in each plate before filling with soup. A bit of butter can be added at the very last. This makes five plates of soup. Who knows some French dishes?

PROM a New York mother: "I am interested in the way in which the various readers are responding to the mother who is puzzled with the manner in which a child should be taught class-consciousness. And 'taught' is exactly what I mean. We have a little son, three years and two months old, who has always listened quite attentively to the conversations which go on at Having listened, he would ask what certain terms meant. In as simple a form as possible we would explain to him what these would explain to him what these a bath before turning in, although the prostitute and the bar-keeper. ask what certain terms meant. In words meant. Gradually he applied them in his own speech. These things do not prey upon the child's mind to the extent that he is not alert to other activity. He draws and paints animals, etc. We feel we have not harmed our boy in any way, giving him this informa-On the contrary we are sure that the foundation has been laid for a revolutionary education, for we have instilled in him the militancy which he needs to battle the storm which lies before every worker and his children.

Boss Papers Lie About Strike

By a Worker Correspondent JOPLIN, Mo.-The struggle is on

here. The organization here known as the Central Service Local 17a, A. F. of L., went on strike last week. It was a sight for sore eyes to see the men respond to the call. The rank and file went over the heads of the leaders. The leaders called up the police station and told them that they had not called any

The Joplin Globe and News Herald came out with statements that the men are going back to work week at forty-five cents per hour.

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Address orders to Daily Worker Street, New York City.

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A SEAMAN'S OBITUALY

Seamen's Relief Officials Bear Responsibility for Death of Sailor

Murphy, a seaman 35 years old, died at the Philadelphia General Hospital from pneumonia last Fri-shower. The next day, nothing but

This simple notice in the local papers writes the end of a fellow seaman. It is one of the thousands of obituaries of workers who die unknown and obscure. In back of this notice lies a tragedy, typical of the struggle of the whole Amersoul together.

Michael Murphy left the Gulf and landed in Baltimore about two weeks ago. Beating his way over



the road brought on a heavy cold. was sick when he landed in Baltimore. He registered at the more disgusting when one recalls Seamen's Shelter, washed his the big show the Institute in New clothes, took a shower and went to

Condition Gets Worse

By a Marine Worker Correspondent | had already taken a shower. Re-PHILADELPHIA, Pa. - Michael gardless of everything it was a case of take a shower or get back to the garbage was fed Murphy, although he was a very sick man,

When he complained about the food, he was ordered out of the sick bay and into the dormitory. In bitterness and disgust, Murphy left the project and disregarding his serious condition grabbed a box-car and ican working class to keep body and came to Philadelphia where he had a sister. By the time he got there he was violently sick. He was rushed to the hospital where he died in Holy Hypocrites

> The death of Michael Murphy has its anti-climax, a bitter and ironic anti-climax. A seaman, who was Murphy's buddy and had come up from the Gulf with him, helped all he could in arranging the funeral. He went to the Seamen's Church Institute and asked the Reverend O. M. Tressler if the Institute would buy a wreath. This holy man of the cloth replied that the Institute could not buy one, not even a two-dollar one. He suggested that a dollar one. He suggested that a collection be taken up among the unemployed seamen in the Insti-tute. After a few words in appeal-

The seaman passed the hat but the gang was all broke,

. This selfishness and pinch-penny attitude of the chaplain becomes more disgusting when one recalls York put on for the seamen of the Ward Liner Mohawk.

He became worse and called the rats on the waterfront who wait for relief official for admission to the the seaman to come ashore with the pay-off, this breed of the rea bath before turning in, although his temperature was 103, and he fester smell far worse than weeds.

Yellow Cab Uses **Terror Tactics**

By a Worker Correspondent

CHICAGO, Ill.-A short time ago a Chicago policeman made the reup on the second floor where they curity take drivers and "take the union

We know about this alright. We know how they turn a bunch of sluggers loose upon a driver who think is talking organization. But it was a shock to learn that the police knew about it and never took any measures to stop it. On the other hand the police seem to think it a huge joke.

At their Belmont garage the company is anxious to cut down overhead expenses. To save the company the cost of cleaning the cabs, it is the custom for the drivers to Lundeen Bill, H. R. 2827. pay Negroes in the garage 50 cents and that only 25 per cent of the men were out. That's a lie. Almost 85 per cent are still out for keep the cabs clean ourselves we were are still out for keep the cabs clean ourselves we we are gaining here slowly. never get it clear satisfy the foreman, and so be- munist Party from the mines and workers, to negotiate directly with We should demand no tax! If the come subject to layoff or dismissal, the railroad shops. Now that the drivers in the Bel-

Layoffs Hit R.R. Shops

By a Worker Correspondent

PRINCETON, Ind. - The Sou Shops are reducing their force in mark to a worker that the Yellow all departments, seventeen employes Cab Company sure has good dis- being recently forced out into the cipline. He said they have a place streets without funds, without se-Many employes who formerly

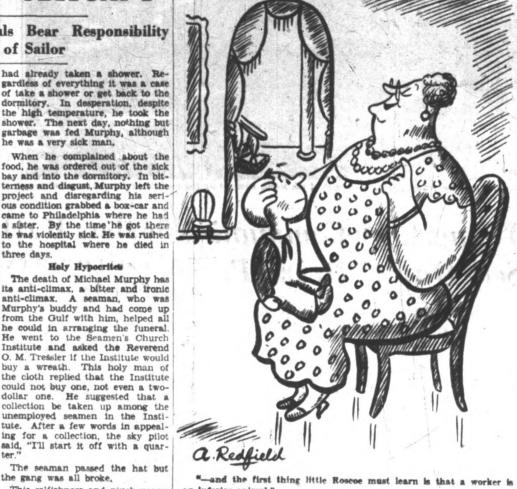
> held jobs in the shop, have been out of work for years, and only a skeleton of the former force remains there at present. Those fortunate enough to hang on are doing three men's work each

> and are very dissatisfied. They are beginning to see through the N. R. A. and are beginning to meet weekly in a Federated Body of Shoperafts.

> The local F. E. R. A. Council also

We are gaining here slowly, recruiting members into the Com+ our interests, backed up by the pletely.

pect them to pay for the new fleet its own bills.



Labor Board Decision

By a Worker Correspondent QUINCY. Mass.-The decision of

he Labor Board, refusing to order Bethlehem Shipyard, shows to what extent we can depend on government agencies to defend our right to organize and bargain collectively. It is obvious that the Board, in

accord with the Fire River officials, delayed the decision many months with the express purpose of discouraging any worker from taking the union. During the ten months of negotiations, the officials carried on a campaign of intimidating the workers into favoring the company union by signing a card. pany union.

The Fire River officials are fully aware that the majority of the workers are in favor of the Industrial Union of Marine and Shipyard Workers of America, and that they are bitterly opposed to the Representative Committee which after it is elected becomes the tool of 'Grouchi" Gould. Through this and impose conditions upon the that the local should set up a comworkers that will guarantee in- mittee to investigate.

creased profits The decision of the Labor Board must be a lesson to be used in future work. Never again must we be deceived with the illusion that the Board will decide in our favor. Only by electing as our local leadership the most responsible, earnest and most militant fighters for

In Food Local

By a Food Worker Correspondent NEW YORK. — We members of Waitresses and Waiters' Local No. the reinstatement of three workers 1. A. F. of L. are faced with the fired for union activities from the menace of a tax.

> Events since the last election point to this as the latest move of the officials of the local. At our meeting on Feb. 14, which as announced was to take up a financial report and a report on the "safe robbery," all that was taken up was the putting of President Max Gostfried on the payroll.

by since the safe was supposed to be robbed, the membership has not as yet received any report on how much was stolen. Neither has there been a committee appointed to investigate this robbery. The whole thing has been shrouded in mystery. No metropol-

itan newspaper has carried the story of the robbery. No report has been made to the police authorities on I as one would like to know what

it will help to wreck it. The mem- catch up with the conditions of the bers working are making so little that they can hardly afford to pay the tax. As far as the 300 unemployed members, it will only serve

the officials in all matters will we be officials can't get by on the present able to protect any worker who may income, let them cut their salaries mont garage are paying for wash- of cabs that are due next month. be intimidated, punished or fired —the members have had theirs cut. ing, for gasoline and for uniforms, A union might "reverse the Eng- for union activity and to build a We should demand the election we wonder if the company will ex- lish" and make the company pay union that will be free from the in-

'Safe Robbery'

Although over a month has gone

scheme he will be able to cut wages really happened there. I think

to drive them out of the union com-

HEALTH IN SOVIET UNION

Factory Medical Bureaus, Clinics, Sanitariums Designed to Protect Health of Workers

such chronic diseases as heart ail-

ments, rheumatism, etc., he may be

A person may sometimes be able

takes a bath, changes clothes, eats

dietetic tables where each is as-

The worker is allowed to return

home when he is cured, or if he

needs more intense cure he is sent

Money No Obstacle

Other measures taken for the pre-

vention of the spread of disease are

general education in hygiene and

the encouragement of sports. Last

cine was taken out of the hands of

serve the population. Formerly only those who could pay the doctor

bills could get medical attention.

The poor, who could not afford to pay, would get no treatment with

disastrous results not only to them-

We workers in the Commissariat

of Communication have in Moscow

besides first aid bureaus in every

including dental care and artificial

teeth, drugs and X-rays free of

for all kinds of mineral baths, elec-

In the Poly-Clinic there is a

steady commission which examines

every worker once a year to deter-

mine his health, and assigns him

from his vacation to a rest home

tric treatments, etc.

There is also a dispensary

private individuals and made

signed according to his needs.

to the big sanitariums.

By a Soviet Telegraph Worker

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R.—One of sent to a sanitarium. the slogans of the U.S.S.R. is. The health of the workers is the to continue his work while taking does all the things it is supposed responsibility of the workers themselves." Being that the Soviet Govtrouble. For this purpose there selves." Being that the Soviet Government is a government of work- are a number of night-sanitariums ers and peasants, it follows from where the worker goes after work, much along this line as we would this that the medical institutions be organized on a national scale, and sleeps there. In these night only for the curing of diseases but for their prevention as well.

The nationalization of medicine was carried through at the same time as the nationalization of in-

The results are that some of the contagious diseases which become a menace to the community have mpletely vanished, such as chol-No case of this dreaded dishas been reported in the Soviet Union since 1927. Other contagious diseases like typhus, small pox and the venereal diseases have greatly decreased.

How has this been accomplished? (1) By improving the conditions of the workers and farmers. (2) Abolition of unemployment and (3) By prophylactic measures.

Care in Factory

selves but to the country as a whole. Each factory has a medical bureau This bureau besides giving aid in an emergency, serves also as a clearing house, When a worker does not feel well he is examined office and factory, a central Poly-Clinic where we and our dependby a physician. If his temperature is 100 he is sent home for a few ants can get medical treatment. days. If he is in need of any treatment he is sent to his district clinic or the clinic of his factory.

If the patient is unable to attend a clinic he may call the doctor The patient cannot return to work without the permission of The worker gets paid during his

Besides the pay, medical attention, whether dispensary, hospital or home is free of charge, inuding medicine.

If a patient needs treatment for the health of the workers,

or a sanitarium. The latter I already described in my second letter. So does the Soviet Union protect

By a Telegraph Worker Corre-spondent

CHICAGO, Ill.-Just a few lines to let you know that your articles regarding radio men in the Soviet Union hit the spot at this time when brass pounders and radio men in the land of Western Union, Postal and R. C. A. are forced to digest the fruits of their talent as a result of the vicious speed-up.

According to your articles, telegraphers in the U.S.S.R. are to be envied for their working conditions, considering the short time in strike. Such procedure can be taken which they were able to obtain them compared to the years of Philadelphia the Penn Mutual Grostruggle in the U. S. A. by various cery Company and the Frankford telegraphers' unions and the only Unity Stores, composing about 2,000 reward to date is company union

membership. mittee to investigate.

Now as to the tax. It seems to me that it won't help to build the union, to resort to a "ten-year plan" to Stopping Strikes

The many cetch up with the conditions of the Stopping Strikes telegraphers in the U.S.S.R.

Every Friday we publish letters tion and communication industries: marine, railroad, telegraph, etc. We urge workers in these industries to write us of their conditions and efforts to organize. Tuesday of each week.

Telegrapher Appreciates Grocery Cooperative Letters on Soviet Union Condemns N. B. C.

CHESTER, Pa.-The Chester Unity Stores, a local grocery cooperative with over 40 members, passed a resolution at their last meeting, condemning the National Biscuit Company for their refusal to negotiate with the strikers and sent a telegram to the Philadelphia offices which read:
"The Chester Unity Stores, in

sympathy with the strikers, will not handle Uneeda Biscuits until the strike is satisfactorily ended."

This action was introduced by one of the members sympathetic to the

By a Worker Correspondent a famous uncle.

"Well," replied the niece, "he isn't home much. He has to go all around

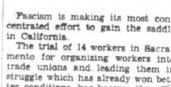
NEW YORK .- I know a worker who works in the same office as a niece of Joseph P. Ryan, President of the International Longshoremen's The other day this worker spoke to Ryan's niece, say- please give me an answer? Is my ing it must be nice to have such

the country stopping strikes."

(From Longshore Unity.)

TROTSKYITES SABOTAGE FIGHT OF I.L.D. FOR C.S. DEFENDANTS

- By ANNA DAMON -



ter conditions, has become the central symbol of this struggle. The attempt to railroad them to 1,512 years in jail and the united struggle to smash this frame-up, has become a testing-ground, not only of the anti-labor criminal syndicalism law under which they were indicted, but of the whole campaign of terror and repression.

In the preparation for this trial. the county and state authorities, the Chamber of Commerce, the Industrial Association, and the War Department, collaborated to introduce stool-pigeons and provocateurs into the workers' movement. One of the main witnesses before the grand ury that indicted the 14 was Robert Hicks, a reserve officer who testified that with the express approval of the War Department, he entered the workers' movement to gather the basis for the evidence which he later, with the assistance of District Attorney Neil McAllister, manufactured.

Heroic Battle

For three months, the criminal syndicalism defendants and the I. L. D. attorneys, led by Leo Galagher, have been heroically fighting in the courtroom for the rights of labor in California and the United States. They have faced every sort of provocation, in the court and outside of it, with a venal press screaming lynch-incitement ing the questions of the district atagainst them in streaming headlines torney and volunteering information

name, address and port the defendants, to help fight rising fascism in America.

Inside and outside the courtroom our comrades and fellow-workers First of all. Mini hired Judge Bu-



ANNA DAMON, acting National Secretary of the International La-

within the courtroom and outside it. For the first time in the history of the major labor and political trials in America, a defendant has turned against his fellows, split the defense and to all intents and purposes has turned state's evidence, by answer-

in a statement to him. and his supporters since the trial

Mini Splits Defense

Fascism is making its most con- It has remained for the renegades one of the most famous injunction All this time, Mini's famous con- has broken off a national tour to The Trotskyites have claimed, in its nature. The trial of 14 workers in Sacramento for organizing workers into ments had been brought.

Next, he brought the so-called

This organization provided him with Albert Goldman, Chicago at- purpose. torney expelled from the I. L. D. the official Trotskyite camp and were contained in the confession. then into the Socialist Party, to The confession gave information conduct his courtroom defense.

fair cannot claim five.)

through these organizations in con-nection with it succeeded in harming the defense movement. Goldman Disruptive

In court, Goldman openly at-tacked the heroic defense put up by have stated that he was "young," the Sacramento 18, they would have freedom of the Sacramento de-In court, Goldman openly at-

mento for organizing workers into trade unions and leading them in struggle which has already workers between the struggle which has already workers into the murder of that of the other 17 defendants, who istence was known. Not a word experienced, or stupid?

They are none of the struggle which has already workers into the other 17 defendants, who istence was known. Not a word experienced, or stupid?

They are none of the struggle which has already workers into the other 17 defendants, who istence was known. Not a word experienced, or stupid? Workers Party (Trotskyite), and so er making such a mistake as to divide the defense politically, all give information to the police, the other defendants either being through inexperience, would repu-members, or accepting the leader-diate such evidence, fight bitterly ship of the Communist Party. This against its introduction into the step was taken after the indict- trial, and line up solidly with the other defendants. The introduction of that confes-

"Non-Partisan Labor Defense" — sion, without objection from Mini created by the Trotskyites with the or Goldman, is one of the most support of other renegades and the shameful blots ever put upon the Socialist Party leaders as a basis for working class movement. By this attack upon the workers' defense confession, Mini stands exposed as movement and the I.L.D.-into his a stool-pigeon and a provocateur, even more useful to the state than the professionals they hired for the

On the stand, he repeated the for disruptive activity two years same garbied, provocative state-ago, who has since moved first into ments in regard to Communism that

in regard to the activities of all the Outside the court, the Non-Parti- defendants and even of other revosan Labor Defense, the state lead- lutionary workers not implicated in ership of the Socialist Party, the the present trial. Where Mini had Workers' Party, and confused lib- no real information, he used his erals formed a bloc to disrupt the imagination and what little he knew united front of defense, demanding of the revolutionary movement to exclusion of trade unions and other give McAllister leads to follow. He mass organizations from the de- stated of one Communist that he fense committee as "paper organ- had been transferred as section orizations." (The Workers Party has ganizer of the Communist Party, to probably a dozen members in California, and the "Non-Partisan" af- lynch incitement against Communists has been conducted, where five This maneuver failed in its basic striking cotton-pickers were shot aim, but the slanders issued by and and killed, where because of the enced, and anything but naive.

ried on under cover. "Trotskyites Apologetic"

fendants who are conducting their was "stupid."

They are none of them any of



LEO GALLAGHER militant attorney, who heads the defense of the fourteen defendants in Sacra-

many years experience in defense made national issues, and the workwork before they were expelled for ing class of the whole country, and their disruption. If they had any all the friends of the workers' strug-Leo Gallagher and those of the de- that he was "inexperienced," that he persuaded "naive" Mini to repudiate fendants. his confession and fight against its Pattern Department, 243 West 17th have fought and are fighting herosich, the most famous dispenser of studies. Fight for the freedom
to stud Is Goldman, young inexperienced, introduction, assisting instead of at- organize into trade unions, to strike

this concretely.

skyites say that "it doesn't do any This may be their principle, but it tional Labor Defense or of any other

If "young, inexperienced and stupid" people are to be permitted the luxury of turning stool-pigeon to save their own pretty skins, and to was present, without other changes be defended and even commended in the breast, they probably would for such treachery, then what be-comes of proletarian integrity, of united opposition to terror and to the struggle in defense of labor's

Answer Betraval

The whole working-class movement must turn in horror at this regardless of general conditions in betrayal. The frontal attack by the clinics, which you are right in debosses and their agents is now supplemented by the flank movement of the renegades from the working you continue to have the lump class movement, on the defense front.

The answer to this betraval must

be a broader, greater, united front in defense of the 14 criminal syndicalism prisoners in Sacramento (two have been released for lack of evidence), in defense of labor's civil rights, for smashing and repeal of these things. They are old, experi- all anti-labor laws, and to prevent the enactment of new repressive legislation. The issues at Sacramento must be

Fight for the right of workers to

MANY questions have come to the column about various patent Workers have written in asking whether this or the other widely to do. Because of the lack of space we have not been able to do as like. However, the publication of our magazine, HEALTH AND sanitariums which are located in the cities there are a number of HYGIENE, will give us the opportunity of exposing many medical frauds. A special department, devoted to the description of various fake medicines, will appear. We feel that this will be of great service to the readers of the magazine. Take advantage of the special addollar a year. Clip the coupon on the bottom of the column today and mail it in. After March 15, the subscription rate will be \$1.50.

Discolored Teeth in Children

H. W., Hayward, California: — The brown discoloration of the tooth is not decay and has probably a grayish-white border. It is a defect in the structure of the ename! called "mottled enamel." The cause is obscure although some investigators believe it may be due to water from an artesian well. But that has not been proven.

No harm will come to the tooth because of this. It is best not to disturb it at present. Be certain that he brushes the tooth particu-larly well. Of course, this applies to all his teeth. When he be older and dislikes the brown spot it might be polished out with dental stones and if the stain is too deep for that, a porcelain filling can

Lump in Breast COMRADE B. M., of New York,

writes:- "About a year ago I discovered that I had a lump in my right breast. I went to a hospital to find out if it was anything seri-ous. They thought that they might be able to get rid of the lump with pills and a special brassiere. the doctor says that it is getting better and I am taking the palls two weeks before each menstrual period. I do not know the content of the pills, but I do know that they are used to work on my ovaries which in turn will work on my breasts.

"The other day I went to see my family doctor because I had a touch of appendicitis. I asked him about my breast. He said that I take life too seriously. I should tear up the brassiere and throw away the pills, In other words, the lump is there, and what of it?

periences with clinics that these clinics do all they can to make money from their patients. chances are that they are doing the right thing to do away with the lump; but the question is, does it matter if the lump is there? Does it pay to spend all that money, on pills and brassierres when the lump

in my breast is not harmful? "I neglected to mention that the lump is stationary. I have occasional pain which I did not feel until I started to take the pills. The lump is not visible. Will you doctor right or wrong?

Our Reply

AS YOU know, a lump in the A breast is always something that must be taken care of. It is not a case of "the lump is there and what of it?" We know that in your case there was no suspicion of the lump being a cancer so we can dismiss that side of it for the moment. Unfortunately that does not take care of breast conditions, since even a harmless lump may, over the course of years or months, change

is that the lump you noted was And if this were the case, what part of a condition, of general becomes of the basic principle breast lumpiness, related to the among revolutionaries to give no in- menstrual cycle and in these, exformation to the police? The Trot- perience has shown, there is no need for cutting into the breast

Support with a brassiere of a special type and ovarian preparais not the principle of the Interna- tions given over months, can cause the whole condition to recede. Furthermore, the presence of a larger lump, such as you noted. makes it necessary to watch this cut out. We can assure you that you were getting proper treatment and what is most important, having the breast watched regularly by competent physicians. The charges in your case were not excessive and. nouncing, in this case no profit was made by the clinic. We advise that watched regularly.

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State

By MICHAEL GOLD

IS CAPITALISM the fault of the Jews?
The question seems preposterous to anyone who has read a single standard book on economics or history. Yet the Nazis have spread this pernicious lie, and have induced millions of simple-minded people who hate capitalism to believe it.

The man from whose letter I quoted yesterday believes it. When in Germany about three years ago, I had several interesting conversations with two Nazis-one, an old bankrupt businessman in Bremen, whom I met in the famous Rathaus winecellar there, another a grim, hungry young intellectual in rags in Berlin. They also believed that capitalism was nothing but an invention of the Jews, and the way to end it was to exterminate

I remember telling these desperate Germans of the lower middle class that there were more than a million Jewish workers in my own city of New York. They were clothing workers, taxicab drivers, metal workers, mechanics, street cleaners, bakers, house painters, carpenters. They worked with their hands and lived on wages. They were organized in great militant unions, and fought in strikes against their Jewish bosses.

Then I spoke of the hundreds of thousands of Jewish textile workers in Poland, and the millions of Jewish peasants and workers in the Soviet Union.

And I asked: is not the Ghetto the most characteristic institution of Jewish life all over the And what is the ghetto? It is the slum home of paupers, of miserable masses of Jews who live at the lowest level of poverty. What have these millions gained by capitalism? Or the pushcart peddlers of the East Side, the beggars of Warsaw, the Jewish girls who are prostitutes in the Argentine, are all these Jews really millionaires in disguise?

Poverty and ghetto slavery are the most typical mark by which you can identify the Jewish race. It has been their portion through history; all their poetry, their songs, their literature is melancholy with the defeatism of hopeless poverty.

Who Are the Financial Lords?

AND look at the millionaires of the world, I said to these naive German Nazis. Take America. Henry Ford, J. P. Morgan, John D. Rockefeller, William R. Hearst, are they Jews? Take Germany. Krupp, Hugo Stinnes, Fritz Thyssen, your financial lords are certainly not Jews.

Japan has no Jews at all. But Japan has one of the most evil and imperialistic capitalist dynasties ruling over it that any nation can show. How do you account for this? Perhaps there are a hundred Jews in Japan. The Japanese Fascists, therefore, have not used the anti-Jewish issue, just as Mussolini hasn't used it, for much the same, There they blame the faults of capitalism on the Communists and say little about the Jews!

An "Honorary Aryan"

THIS anti-semitic red herring with which the capitalists fool the workers has some amusing sides. On the one hand, the Jews are accused of being the ones who have monopolized all the wealth, by fair means and foul. On the other hand, they are accused of being the revolutionists of the world, those who would destroy capitalism.

The truth of the matter, of course, is that the Jews, like every other race and nation, are divided into classes.

The great mass of Jews are workers and paupers, and the small minority are bosses and bankers. These two classes are as bitterly opposed to each other as are German workers and dapitalists, though both are said to be "Arvans"

Anyone living in New York has seen scores of strikes in the needle trades, where Jewish bosses hire Italian, Irish, and Jewish gangsters to maim and kill Jewish workers. You never meet any race loyalty in these strikes. Ask any Jewish garment boss; he certainly hates the Jewish union leader, Ben Gold, and would pay cash to see him dead. Ben Gold is their enemy; Police Commissioner Valentine is their beloved friend.

The class war among the Jewish people shows itself also in this form. The Jewish workers and small businessmen are the ones who chiefly suffer from anti-semitism. But the Jewish bankers make their peace with anti-semitic fascism.

In Germany, the Jewish Baron Schroeder was one of Hitler's chief supporters. At his home was held the famous conference between Von Papen and Hitler, in which arrangements were made for Hitler to be given the power, by the capitalists (including the Jewish Baron)

Max Warburg, a Jewish banker, is now in America as Hitler's financial representative. He is a brother of Paul Warburg, of the firm of Kuhn. Loeb and Company. Money is loyal to money. Money has no race or patriotism. Hitler hates and tortures the poor Jews of Germany, because he needs this as a political issue to fool the workers. But he works hand in hand with the Jewish bankers, and they, traitors to their race, work with him gladly. Baron Schroeder is a great power still in Germany. And Max Warburg for his services, has just had conferred on him the ludicrous, incredible title of "Honorary Aryan,"

The Only Road

THE only solution for the Jewish question, as for every question of race and color, is to establish a socialist world. Nobody in the Soviet Union can any longer make profit out of anti-semitism, and therefore it does not exist. In a Soviet America. where nobody could work Negroes for slave wages, there would be no anti-Negro feelings. Many Jews and Negroes have come to see that Communism is the only solution of the race problem. It is the only road. That is why so many Jews and Negroes are Communists; all oppressed races are now travelling this road.

Trotsky's "History" of Russian Revolution Refu. d

THE OCTOBER REVOLUTION

By Joseph Stalin

Stalin analyzes the main periods in the Belshevik Revolution since 1917 and appraises its international significance. eeches and articles writ-

ten in October and in the course of the polemics with Trotsky refute the his-

torians of anti-Bolshevism. CLOTH

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Reviewed by GRACE HUTCHINS

DELEGATE Fred Kidneigh of Den-Ver. Colorado, member of the Socialist Party of America and of They remember their ruling classes. a building trades local in the American Federation of Labor, was greeted with warm applause at the great National Congress for Unemployment and Social Insurance in Washington, Jan. 6, 1935, when he

"I am glad to say there are a rhythms great number of Socialists who in songs they forge their common chalspite of the threat of expulsion are supporting our common fight. [Ap- of sound against the very walls of 1 come here, unanim elected from my local - and they are union men. . . .

ecutive Board of the Socialist Party. masses of every country. In Prague, I shall fight until we make all Den-Holland, Vienna, Saarbrucken, back up this movement. If they re- the masses flock by the thousands

This was the spirit of those nearly 3,000 delegates who gathered in the big Washington Auditorium the day after the U.S. Congress on Capitol Hill opened for its 74th session. As Representative Ernest Lundeen ex-pressed it, he came "from the little to the big Congress," where the representatives of unions, fraternal organizations, associations of the unemployed and professional groups greeted him because he had introduced the Workers' Bill H. R. 2827 in the U.S. Congress.

And now this spirit of determined enthusiasm has been caught and permanently recorded in the third. issue of the Unemployment Insurance Review, devoted to the Congress proceedings. It is all here in a splendid 48-page magazine—from the text of the bill itself on the inside front cover to the final page. where the congress finance committee makes its detailed report.

A Necessity in the Campaign

For those who were present at sical studies once more. the Congress and also for those who came a student of Arnold Schoenwere not present the Review is a berg, the acknowledged master of necessity in the campaign for the Workers' Bill. Are you trying to der became his favorite pupil. remember exactly what those facts won several state prizes for and figures were that Herbert Benjamin quoted in his opening report? Or the argument for the bill, as set many of the better known German forth by Mary van Kleeck? Are you wishing you had taken better notes when Leo J. Linder argued for the as the most promising of the youngnstitutionality of the bill? Or on Earl Browder's speech on why the bill belongs to the whole working critical approval, he hated the

Their speeches are here given in But not only the main reof leaders and professionals Included in the record are 33 brief statements of rank-and-file work-ers and others from all over the United States-not counting the reports of delegations to government

The Credentials Committee in its report shows that 742 delegates came from the A. F. of L. unions, and that 338 A. F. of L. local unions were represented. Delegates from independent unions numbered 221: from unions affiliated with the Trade Union Unity League, 207 The whole list of organizations officially represented at the Congress takes three and one-half pages of type, each page set in three col-

Other features included in the issue are the Program as adopted by the Congress, the Six-Point Plan which opened on Feb. 21. of Action, the reports of special committees, the speech of T. Arnold Hill on the Negro Masses Demand Genuine Social Insurance, the Resolution adopted by the Socialist Party members and delegates present at the Congress, and the list of members on the new National Action Committee for Genuine Social Insurance, who will help to carry on the campaign.

Copies of the Review may be seured from the local Workers' Bookshop in your city, or from the National Action Committee, Room 438, 799 Broadway, New York City, You can get special bundle order rates for the wider distribution of this issue, which is the best possible summary of arguments for the Workers' Bill, H. R. 2827.

What Every Working Woman Wants

The pamphlet, What Every Working Woman Wants, by Grace Hutchins (Workers Library Publishers, 2c), is not only on the subject of jobless women as suggested in the recent review in the Daily Worker. It is on the lack of any security for working women in the United States and their need of the social insurance to be provided by the Workers' Bill, H. R. 2827. It includes not merely the needs of unemployed women workers. but maternity insurance, sickness insurance, old age pensions, the question of birth control as set forth in a Mother's Bill of Rights. the special needs of Negro women

workers and a section on social

insurance for women in the Sov-

iet Union

HANNS EISLER Fully in Review Revolutionary Composer

By Joe Foster

IN EVERY city of the world, hundreds of thousands of workers pound along the pavements, voicing They remember their tortured and imprisoned comrades, the untold sufferings and brutality that has As they march thousands of voices eagerly catch up in militant determined song their struggles and their fight for liberation. In the pulsating, stirring of these revolutionary their ruling class enemies.

Behind this music stands Hanns Eisler-foremost revolutionary com-"I am a member of the State Ex- poser. He is the beloved of all the er A. F. of L. leaders and Socialists Paris, London and in other cities, fuse, we will show them up." [Ap- to hear him. And no wonder. For his music reflects with complete understanding the reality of their lives, infuses them with courage and provides a stimulus for further struggle.

The author of Comintern, Rot Front, Solidarity and scores of others, was born in Leipzig in 1898. As a musician, he was, in his earlier stages, completely self-taught. When he realized that all music, all culture, could have a future only when identified with working class interests, he decided to take instruction from recognized masters. For in composing for the working class, only the best traditions in art were good enough. On this basis a superior, newer revolutionary technique could be built up.

THE war interrupted his plans. He I was inducted into the Austrian now superb, imbued with meaning, has flung the challenge to all artists. army against his will. But once en- with vitality; it was now perfectly In addressing his contemporaries rolled he did his share in fighting the workers' cause among the soldiers. Then, when he was mustered out, he immediately took up his mumodern form, and in very short or liant compositions and his technical excellence. He appeared at state festivals, and before long he er composers.

him, he ceased this type of writing



integrated with social reality, with throughout Europe he has pointed the struggles in society.

working class songs that are sung which face every composer. Whether at demonstrations, at workers' cele- he be bourgeois or radical, for him Rodchenko and Sterenberg, workers' cultural movements find the balance and as such is the conexpression.

rible, without social content, and then played them at comparatively nition of progress in art. was received only by the social elite. safer moments. This so infuriated

music of his own convictions. If his unceasing battle. Not only has he mass songs from the platform of music was excellent before it was composed music for workers but he Mecca Temple on March 2.

out that all artists are involved. From that period up to the pres- They must realize that the common interested in artistic freedom. He When Hitler came into power. His is not free from the economic crisis. music was destroyed, his records All music is influenced by reality. broken. Under penalty of severe Music springs from the social order imprisonment his music was and the artist is the instrument of banned. Despite the fact that the that expression. A new type of ar-

To Celebrate Moscow Cinema Festival

Festival in Moscow.

world of many countries in Europe, as well as from America, the Near and Far East, arrived in Moscow last week to attend the Moscow

could not attend was one from Harold Lloyd, who writes: "I am very sorry to be unable to come to

RBAZ Calling

By I. EKSTEIN, op on M/S Kim

was built in 1932 in the Severnoi

shipyards in Leningrad. Its size:

121.2 m. long, 16 m. wide, 24.7 ft.

6.410 ton capacity, i. e., the size of

five freight trains of eighty cars

each. The 2,700 hp. diesel, built by the Leningrad factory "Russky

Diesel" gives the ship a speed of 12-13 mph (20 km/hr). The crew

of the m/s numbers 35. The electric

The radio equipment of the

motorship "Kim" consists of three

x-mitters and two receivers. The

long-wave x-mitter operates on

modulated cw. as well as on 'phone

lished with another ship at 700 km.;

also from Gotland to Leningrad,

Odessa to Rostow, etc.

'Phone connections have been estab- receiver is 200-25,000 m.

from Novorossiysk to Poti, from built by the seaman c. Rik and my-

Phone is especially important ing system and tuned by while the motorship is being guided listener.

station consists of two dynamos.

It has four loading spaces of

The best Soviet motorship "Kim"

REPRESENTATIVES of the cinema vantage of this opportunity to ex- cance, and heights reached by So-

Mary Pickford also writes: "It ple requested the Soviet delegation gives me great pleasure to send my best wishes to Soviet Cinematog-International Cinema Festival, raphy on its fifteenth anniversary. Here in America we have learned Among the messages of regret re- much from the Soviet films. I await ceived by the Committee in Charge with great interest the release of the Festival from artists who the latest Soviet pictures which are now on their way to Hollywood."

When the Soviet cinema workers participated for the first time in the Moscow. I would certainly have International Cinema Exhibition in come if my new picture were not being taken in February. I take ad- was given to the strength, signifi-

following ships of its movements.

Due to special equipment, the

change of frequence can take place

instantly; this is very important in

communicating with foreign shore

x-mitters. The S. O. S. x-mitter

has a distance range of 100-150 km.

and operates on a storage battery

of 24 cells of 320 amp.-hrs. feeding

into a motor-generator of 1,000 cy output. The sw. x-mitter is of push-

pull type: it guarantees an uninter-

rupted connection between the di-

rector of the Sovtorgflot (the Soviet

merchant marine) in Leningrad and

the ship while on any cruise around

The sw. x-mitter feeds into the

main T-aerial of 58 m. length and

25 m. height; the wave-length used

is 48 m., the call is RBAZ, and the

For the cultural needs of the mo-

Short Wave Radio News

a showing of nine Soviet picture masterpieces to coincide with the Festival in the Soviet Union.

Eisenstein, Pudovkin, Tarich, Ver- the life of the masses. tov, Ekk. John Wexley, author of the Scottsboro play, "They Shall Not Die," issued the following statement in connection with the cele-"I have seen most of the major

Soviet films produced during the past fifteen years. I have also seen most of the major films produced during this period by Hollywood and other film centers. While the Soviet applied technique and in composition. Much that is best in Hollywood and other films can be traced directly to Soviet influence."

The program for the two-day showing, on March 1 and 2, at the Pifth Avenue Playhouse, 28th and Broadway, is as follows:

Friday, March 1, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., "Potemkin" and "Deserter"; 3 p.m. to 6:3. p.m., "Storm Over on the fold wing marine band wavelengths: 600-660-705-730 and 800 m. time of operation is 10 a.m. till 1-4 Asia," "A Day in Moscow," "Un-lucky Truck"; 6:30 p.m. to 11:30 "End of St. Petersburg" and toship's crew, there is a receiver "Old and New."

self, operating from the ship's lightby ice-breakers through the Baltic
Sea, since it enables to quickly inform the ice-breakers as well as the ability and receiving conditions, "Three Songs About Lenin."

PAINTING, SCULPTURE AND ART IN THE U. S. S. R., Published by the Soviet Union Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries (VOKS), Nos.

Soviet Art Fused

Indissolubly With

by del

9-10, October, 1934, 50 cents.

Reviewed by JACOB KAINEN

THE most cursory glance at this almanac will shatter once and for all the slanderous allegations of 'regimentation" of artists in the Soviet Union, given such wide currency by enemies of the revolution. This comprehensive digest impressively demonstrates the historically unparalleled flourishing of a mass culture as the spiritual byproduct of the participation of the masses in the building of a Socialist society. This is no art by decree! It is art which reflects the million-faceted experience of the artist liberated from the capitalist market and free at last to interpret life and to help recreate it.

The contents include chapters on the historical development of Soviet art from the period of War Communism to the present day, chapters on the young Soviet artists on the art of the national minorities, on sculpture, engraving, posters, caricatures, book designing, on the lives and art of individual painters and sculptors of note, and other phases of Soviet art. The very fact that the arts of book designing poster designing and artistic lacquer work are included, together with painting, sculpture and graphic arts, is significant. The Soviet Union is breaking down the artificial barrier between the "applied arts" and the "fine arts," and is raising both to the dignity of human creative labor as a part of the productive process.

The chapter on the historical development of Soviet pictorial art, written by M. Bush and A. Zamoshkin, describes the "Leftist" artists of the War Communism period as protagonists of the ideo ent he has written most of the struggle introduces considerations Reproductions of the work of such logy of the technical intelligentsia. conspicuous "Leftists" as Tatlin brations, at meetings and wherever the liberty of expression hangs in gether with discussions on their work, the work of the suprematist cern of every genuine artist who is Malevich and other men and manifestations. The various organiza-MATURALLY he was the first to go, has also pointed out that the artist tions formed during the process of development of Soviet art, their esthetic creeds, their struggles and their works are set forth in this The sections on graphic art are

terror against all culture raged vio- tist will be he who not only reflects important. It is in this field that lently throughout Germany, many social conditions but also strives to the Soviet Union has made its music that he wrote. It was ter- workers buried their records, and change them. This is Eisler's defi- most noteworthy contributions. The Soviet poster, developed as a direct How well these sentiments have reflection of Soviet life and needs It was music in a vacuum.

When he had absorbed all that possession of an Eisler record was been appreciated by workers on the days of War Communism, a new the Schoenberg school could give cause for torture and imprisonment, continent. We in America will also poster art was generated by the Against this brutality and barba- realize it when we listen to Hanns artists who produced the now faand immediately began to write the rism. Hanns Eisler has fought an Eisler direct over 1.000 voices in mous Rosta Show-Window posters. the Windows of Satire, as they were called. The excellence of this mass art has continued to the present

A remarkable article by K. Kravchenko, "Life and Work of Soviet Artists." deals with the living consalaries and contractual relations of artists and public. An article on amateur artists shows how worker-artists are developed Many thousands of workers in the press my respect for Soviet Cine-wiet Cinema Art. At this exhibi-matography as a whole."

viet Cinema Art. At this exhibi-tion a group of foreign cinema page. tion a group of foreign cinema peo- groups, studio circles and art clubs. worker-artist is a phenomen in the U.S.S.R. Some to organize an International Cinema of the individual biographies clude artists of the caliber of Devneka, Petrov-Vodkin, V. Lebedev THE Film and Photo League and Kupreanov, Saryan and other rankthe New Masses are sponsoring ing artists.

This almanac is indispensible for those who wish to possess a thorough knowledge of Soviet art. It The program represents the work is indispensible for those who wish of the greatest Soviet directors to see how art is being fused with

Chicago to See Play 'Dimitroff' at New Theatre Night Sunday

CHICAGO. - "Dimitroff." a play about the famous Bulgarian Communist in his fight against Hitler's terror, will be presented for the film still lags behind in terms of first time at a Chicago New Theatechnical perfection, it is fairly untre Night, on Sunday, March 3rd, at debatable that Soviet cinematogra- the Cube Experimental Theatre, 218 phy is immeasurably advanced over South Wabash Avenue. The Workall others in terms of content and theme; in actor's characterizations this important anti-fascist play to and directors' concepts, in newly Chicago. "Newsboy." in honor of the Daily Worker's Drive, will be the second feature of this program, presented by the Theatre Collective. "Scandalizin' Alabama," a dramatization of the International Labor Defense role in the Scottsboro Case will have its first appearance on this evening in a production by the New Theatre Group (formerly the Chicago Blue Blouses), "Election Circus," a rollicking revue featuring the Communist Party election candidates, will be presented by the Chicago Workers Theatre. Nicholas Tsoukalas, promin

dance professional, and teacher at Saturday, March 2, 10 a.m. to 3 the School of Revolutionary Theap.m., "Road to Life," "Morozko" and tre, will appear for the first time newsreel; 3 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., "Ivan on a New Theatre Evening in solo the Terrible" and "Dorvoe"; 6:30 dances. Allen Taub, Chicago repre-p.m. to 11:30 p.m., "Mother" and sentative of the New Masses, will be master of ceremonies.

The Ballot in Soviet Russia

13th Street, New York City.

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

Question: Does not the Soviet Union expose itself to serious counter-revolutionary activity in its recent change from the open to the secret ballot? -H. G., Chicago.

Answer: No! The change is a result of the tremendous heights reached by Soyiet industry and agriculture. It shows that the advance of socialist construction and the growth of the power of Life of Masses the proletarian dictatorship have effectively crushed the opposition to the workers and peasants government by the remnants of the old czarist regime. Thus the extension of the broad democracy of the proletarian dictatorship is a measure of the evergrowing strength of the U. S. S. R.

Under capitalism the "secrecy" of voting is part and parcel of the whole corrupt electoral machinery which is used by the capitalists to perpetuate their oppression and exploitation of the workers. They permit "secret" voting as long as the workers are poisoned by the capitalist press, as long as the only choice before the proletariat is between one capitalist candidate and another. But when the workers begin to express their opposition, then ballotstuffing, intimidation, and the open scaming of ballots, comes to the fore.

In the U. S. S. R., however, the secret vote is a measure of the great breadth and strength of proletarian democracy. It shows that every individual worker and peasant is solidly behind socialist construction, and they know that their system is the only one which works for the welfare and progress of humanity.

Every advance in proletarian democracy is an indication of the ever-greater advances of socialist construction. And in turn every advance in the breadth of proletarian democracy, is further proof of the devotion of the Soviet masses to their government, their industry, their agriculture. The Soviet Union is marching towards a classless society where not a trace of those capitalist sources of oppression and exploitation will remain. On its rapid march towards this goal, every advance in socialist construction is accompanied by an increase in the strength of the Soviet Union, and is also matched by the growing breadth of the only true democracy-proletarian democracy.

Changes in H. R. 2827

Question: In what way does the present Workers' Bill (H.R. 2827) differ from the original draft? -C. A. P., Boston

Answer: The Workers' Bill as introduced in Congress differs on five points from the original draft which was sponsored and endorsed by numerous trade unions, unemployed, professional, fraternal,

and other organizations.

(1) It sets the age of eligibility at eighteen instead of sixteen years; (2) it fails to specify that old-age benefits should start at the age of 55 years; (3) it does not specifically state that there shall be no discrimination because of lack of citizenship; (4) it does not declare that no one shall be disqualified from benefits for present as well as past participation in strikes; (5) it does not provide that all war funds should be set aside for the unem-

Despite these omissions, the Communist Party supports the Workers' Bill in its present form, because it is the one bill which will benefit the unemployed and the rest of the working class. The Party, however, stands for the clauses that have been omitted, and will continue to fight for their inclusion through subsequent amendments.

Prosperity Notes By HARRY KERMIT

NEW YORK.-Capitalist society finds little use for culture in time of depression, so Mario Salvini wrote, "I am destitute and broken in spirit," and leaped to his death from a tenth floor living room window at 201 West Seventy-second Street in the heart of the city's upper-class district.

Salvini, a teacher of vocal music, had gone to visit a former pupil at the West Seventy-second Street address. Too proud to reveal his plight to his pupil, he talked gaily of music and current events and informed her he was doing jury duty. After a while he complained of the heat in the living room and opened a window. Then when his former student stepped out of the room to brew him a cup of tea, he scribbled a note on the back of his business card, turned on the radio and plunged to his death.

The police found the card on top of the piano On it the music instructor had written:

"I cannot live any longer. I am destitute and broken in spirit and cannot follow the trial at which I am serving as juror. God forgive me." SALVINI.

TUNING IN

:00 P. M.-WEAF-Welsh Male Glee Club WOR-Sports Resume Jack

Black Chamber WOR-Lium and Abner WABC-Just Plain Bill WJZ-Plantation Echoes 30-WEAF-Hirsch Orchestra

15-WEAF-Stories of the

WJZ-Red Davis WABC-The O'Neills WOR-Front-Page Drama
WJZ-Dangerous Paradise
WABC-Boake Carter, Co

8:00-WEAF-Bourdon Orches tra; Lucille Manners, So-prano; Male Quariet
WOR—Lone Ranger
WIZ—Dramatic Sketch,
with Iften Rich, Actress
WASC—It's a Woman's
World—Mrs. Franklin D.
Rooseveit

Rooseveit 1:15-WJZ—Armbruster Orch. Mary Courtlandt, Songs Mary Courtlandt, Songs; Male Quartes WABC-Edwin C. Hill, Com-

mentator 8:30-WOR Katiman Orchestra; Lucille Peferson, Songs; Choristers Quartet VJZ-Goodman Orch.: James Meiton, Tener; Bob Hope, Comedian WARC-Court of Human

Relations 2:00-WEAF Lyman Orchestra; Frank Munn, Tenor; Ber nice Claire, Songs

10:00-WEAF—A Bride Goes
Begging
WOR—Kemp Orchestrs
WOR—Kemp Orchestrs
WOR—Gurrent Events—
H. E. Read
10:30-WEAF—Symphony Chestra, Frank Black,
Conductor—Mixed Chorus
WOR—Eddy Brown, Violin
WABO—The O'Flynn—Musical Drama

WOR-Hillbilly Music WJZ-Beatrice Lillie, Come-dienne; Perrin Orchestra Cavaliers Quartet WABC-March of Time-

Drama-9:30-WEAF-Bonime Orches-tra; Pic and Pat, Come

tra; Pic and Pat, Come-diana WOR-Sandra Swenska, Sc-

WOR-Sandra Swenaka, Bo-prano
WJE-Phil Baker, Come-dian, Cabrielle De Lys,
Songa: Belasco Orch.
WABC-Hollywood Hotel
with Dick Powell, Flo-Rits
Orchestra, and others;
Mary Ellis and Tullio Car-minati, Guests
9:45-WOR-Singin' San
10:00-WEAF-A Bride Goes
Begging

WABC-The O'Flynn-Mus-ical Drama
11:00-WEAF-Talk-George
Holmes, Chief Washington
Bureau, IMS
WOR-News
WZZ-Dance Orchestra
WABC-Four Aces Contract
Bridge Instruction
11:05-WABC-Melson Orch.
11:15-WEAF-Ferdinando Orchestra chestra WOR-Moonbeams Trio II 30-WMCA-Dance Mus

(Also WEAP, WJZ, WABO, WEVD)

SUPPRESSES REPORTS OF HIS OWN CORRESPONDENTS - USES FORGERIES, FAKED PHOTOS, LIES AGAINST AMERICAN LABOR AND SOVIET UNION

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST, in his pro-fascist propaganda for war and anti-labor reaction, has been crowing about the "freedom of the press."

In his yellow sheet, the Journal, for example he calls editorially for "Uncensored News-the Public Has a Right to That."

What shameless hypocrisy this is from the mouth of the most notorious newspaper liar, forger, cheat, and double-crosser in the history of American journal-

Hearst's own correspondent in Moscow has branded his propaganda about "starvation" in the Soviet Union as the most flagrant lying

Hearst's Moscow correspondent, Lindsay Parrott,

from whom Hearst is supposed to get the news he gives his readers, refuted in every detail the "starvation" lies which his employer, Hearst, is spreading before the American people.

Conducting a personal tour through the Ukraine, the alleged "starvation region" of the U.S.S.R., Parrott in an interview with the Soviet press, stated:

"Nowhere in any of the towns or villages on the way did I see any signs or traces of famine about which the foreign press likes to speak. I am convined that the peasants in these collective farms (in the Ukraine) have begun to lead a well-to-do life."

Why didn't the lover of "uncensored news," Hearst, print that?

If Hearst is so interested in an "uncensored press." why doesn't he print pictures of the conditions of the Arkansas tenant farmers under the Roosevelt A. A. A., conditions which the Federal A. A. A. investigator, Mrs. Mary Connor Myers, recently described as being "like the refugees in Belgium during the last war!"

Hearst's "freedom of the press" turns out to be the right to FORGE fake pictures about "starvation" in the Soviet Union, and the right to lie about real starvation in this country!

Was it to maintain the "freedom of the press" that Hearst had his secret meetings with Hitler and Hitler's specialists in newspaper forgeries, Goebbels and Rosen-

Hearst's "freedom of the press" is the right of the Wall Street-controlled press to have a free field to hide the truth, to fill the minds of the people with "uncensored" lies in the interests of Wall Street exploiters, bankers and landlords.

The revolutionary press alone dares to give the truth. The revolutionary press alone dares to describe the tremendous Socialist victories of the Soviet Union. and the terrible toll which the American people are paying to the capitalist owners of the country's wealth in hunger, suffering and insecurity.

The rising resistance to Hearst throughout the country demonstrates how rapidly people are recognizing in his propaganda a fascist menace to an un-

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LaGuardia's Threat

CIMULTANEOUSLY with the announce-I ment by the New York City Welfare Department that an all-time record high had been reached in the number of persons on the hunger doles, Mayor LaGuardia threatened future relief cuts.

"We cannot keep up the pace," he said -and his right hand digs into the pockets of the workers and robs them with a sweeping sales tax, while his left hand opens the city treasury for the bankers to loot under the terms of the Bankers' Agreement. "There will be a tapering down" on relief, he added.

But the LaGuardia regime does not limit itself to threats. Sweeping relief slashes and complete denial of relief are the daily lot of thousands. Welfare Commissioner Hodson has repeatedly admitted this. A "new policy" of police terror sweeps the relief stations, jailing, maining and clubbing workers who refuse starva-

LaGuardia's threat, Roosevelt's demand for a slave wage on work relief, the police violence and the denial of the jobless their right to petition their grievances. must be countered and met by increased organization of the jobless and building the Unemployment Councils into mass organizations. This is a primary task of the Communists in their revolutionary duty to the working class, increasing the pressure of jobless and employed, raising the immediate relief demands, and fighting for the enactment of the Workers' Unemployment, Old Age and Social Insurance Bill, H. R. 2827.

Fish and Potatoes

"WHAT shall people eat?" Secretary Wallace was asked yesterday as he announced that the A.A.A. crop-destroying program will shoot food prices up another 11 per cent in the next few months.

"Fish and potatoes," came the easy, cynical reply.

This brutal retort echoes a similar answer to a similar question.

"Let them eat cake, if they have no bread," the French Queen said before the aristocracy was swept aside like a rotten

Wallace's reply brands the Roosevelt government openly for what it is a ruthless capitalist government that rules in the interests of a few, in the interests of the property-owners, the profit-grabbers, the exploiters and big landlords.

"Fish and potatoes"-such is the lean and bitter challenge of the New Deal.

It is time for the American people to think of exercising that right of which Abraham Lincoln spoke, the right of the people "to dismember or overthrow their government" when their welfare demands

This welfare now demands struggle for Soviet power, for workers' rule!

Defending the Unions

IN CLEVELAND, Ohio, the Communist Party has proposed to the Socialist Party and the American Federation of Labor that a conference be held as soon as possible to lay plans for defending the trade unions and the labor movement against the wave of "sedition" laws now

being passed. Cleveland has been particularly aroused over the revelation of a so-called "Secret Seven" Committee of the Chamber of Commerce whose job it is to spread just such reactionary legislation against the labor movement.

"We emphasize," declares the Comorunist Party to the Socialist Party and A. F. of L. in Cleveland, "that the attacks of the Chamber of Commerce are directed against the entire labor movement . . . we are ready and eager to co-operate with everybody, no matter what political opinion they may have, who place one question uppermost-how to strengthen the trade unions and destroy the company unions; how to make the unions powerful fighting organs for improving workers' conditions . . . how

The example of the Communist Party in Cleveland is being followed all over the country. The Communists take their place in the front ranks as the defenders of rights of the A. F. of L. unions and the whole labor movement.

to fight all anti-labor legislation. . ."

Scab Theory; Scab Practice

CRANK VRITARICH, a coal miner, unfortunately started as a pupil of Lovestone. After years of membership on the "Central Committee" of the Lovestoneite organization he has been pulled down to the level of the scab.

Now, when 17,000 miners of the Glen Alden Coal Company are on strike, fighting for the very life of unionism in the Anthracite, Vritarich, a member of the United Mine Workers, employed at the company's Lance colliery, is scabbing.

But he is not an ordinary scab. He cites the Lovestone program to justify this treacherous, shameful act. He says that the Anthracite Miners of Pennsylvania, of which the Glen Alden miners, including those of his mine are members, is a "dual

The reactionary officials of the miners split the workers into two unions, but Vritarich in place of trying, as do the Communists, to bring about unity, deepens the split by trailing behind his scab-herding chiefs in the U. M. W. of A.

A still clearer illustration is obtained from the fact that the Rank and File Committee of the U. M. W. of A. in the Lance and Nottinghom mines have just issued an appeal to the members of their union not to work under police protection, and fight against the scab-herding tactics of their

But Vritarich, Lovestone's "proletarian face," remains scabbing.

Socialism a la Hearst

T IS none other than a Socialist Party representative, Harry G. Bender, who has introduced a "loyalty oath" bill into the Connecticut state legislature!

How this must gladden the heart of a William Randolph Hearst, who is sponsoring these "loyalty" measures against the teachers in every state.

And how it must fill with anger and contempt the heart of every Socialist Party worker who hates and despises the reactionary Hearsts and his kind!

Is it any wonder that they have come to such shameless service to the Hearsts, considering the policies which the 'Old Guard" and Jasper McLevy have been carrying out—the policy of "friendly agreements" with the Republican and Democratic parties in Connecticut, the policy of supporting reactionary labor bureaucrats, the policy of fighting the working class united front with the Communist

Considering that these "loyalty" measures are also preparation for the outlawing of all working class parties, including the Socialist Party, it is time for Socialist workers to draw the lines hard and clear -between these traitors within the ranks of the working class and those who desire to unite and struggle for the interests of

Is it not time to drive these traitors out of the ranks of the working class and forge the united front with the Communist Party, the Party which mercilessly fights against just such treachery, masquerading as "Socialism."

Huev Knuckles Down

THE fire-eating Huey Long, alleged big I threat to the big corporations, has made his peace with the Standard Oil Company.

He has ordered a special session of the Louisiana legislature to pass the rebate oil law which will return to the Standard Oil four out of every five cents which the state collects in taxes on a gallon of oil!

How quickly these loud-mouthed "enemies" of big capital and Wall Street knuckle down as soon as their moneymasters crack the whip!

Party Life

Letter Shows Need For Organization

T RODE to the Tenth District Conference of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers on Sunday with a member who a year ago was a follower of Mike Tighe. Now he is a subscriber to the Daily Worker.

"He took his wife and son along We were discussing the situation in steel, and the recent organization

"At this point his fourteen-yearold son spoke up and said. 'You got something for the men, and someyou have something for us kids. us boys and girls?"

"Later he brought up the question again, and finding that Peter agreed with him. as I did. he pressed it a little harder.

is something I thought of seriously before. think it is something that should be done on a nation-wide scale at once. I have not had a chance to discuss it in the Unit yet. talking to Comrade Patterson, the C. L. organizer, and he agrees

vouth or children's auxiliaries would be a great force in building the N. A. We could reach in that way many workers we couldn't reach in any other way

"Kids newadays in the cities and towns, once they become enthused over an idea, are much more persistent than when I was a kid growing up in a farm on the Eastern Shore. They don't take 'No. shut your mouth,' so meekly. Well, I'll close, hoping to hear from you soon

THE above letter, sent by a steel

counteract influences like these.

Finally, if we do not take the lead in organizing these children's Comrade Editor: groups, some one else will. There have been large religious move-ments of children (Mexico, etc.). I digently recommend that controlled browder's masterly address be-ments of children (Mexico, etc.). The Boy Scouts are in the midst be ahead of the Father Coughlins. Boy Scouts to these groups.

Let us build a children's movement among the children of the workers in the basic industries!

Please send me more information on the Communist Party.

ADDRESS

Working Woman' Sold Out but those paid for in advance would receive preference.

A SECOND STORY JOB

Of Workers' Children

of the Women's Auxiliary

that something should be done. "I think that the organization of

'Sincerely (Name Withheld)

worker to Comrade Browder nows several things. First of all. shows the desire of the children of the Union workers to be organized. It also shows that the militant workers in these unions realize the importance of the organization of the children. In the same letter the writer tells how Hearst gives the newsboys in Baltimore a free movie Students Protest Harvard every month, in return for which He suggests that it is up to us to

The important lesson for us in letter is that the workers are developing initiative in so far as League here at Harvard tried to the realization of the importance of organizing the children is conof organizing the children is concerned. We must realize that this a challenge to us. We should is a challenge to us. We should strike is settled. The first time the have brought this realization to the delegation got the run-around; the brought it to us, we must act upon

Here are children crying to be organized. Here are workers writ- would be helping to break the strike. ing serious letters pointing about the importance of organizing the whatever we children. It is time for us to act. The organization of children's

auxiliaries in the unions must be started at once. These auxiliaries will not only be a tremendous moral then, "I'm a worker myself. force in building the unions. They will be an important step towards building our Y. C. L., and extending its influence in these unions. It means also the broadening out of the working class childrens' movement in American.

Join the Communist Party 35 East 12th Street, New York

NAME

Margaret Cowl, editor of the Working Woman, announced yesterday that the International Woman's Day issue of the magazine, of which 11,000 copies were printed. has been virtually exhausted by advance orders. She said an effort would be made to fill all orders



Letters From Our Readers

NBC Strike-Breaking Cambridge, Mass.

Comrade Editor: Twice in the last three days a delegation of the National Student not to buy any products of the National Biscuit Company until the But if instead they have second time it got an interview

Durant refused to listen to declaration of the delegation that by not supporting the boycott "We have a legitimate right to buy

company is operating legally."
"I don't 'believe in your working class distinctions," he said. And a union man and I've a lot of friends in the union who. I am sure, agree with me. I'm a friend of Joe Ryan of the longshoremen." C. W.

Suggests Browder's Speech In H.R. 2827 Pamphlet New York, N. Y. I urgently recommend that Com-

on the question of the Workers Unof a 10-year plan to recruit one out employment Insurance Bill be imof every four boys in America into mediately published in pamphlet their ranks. In this field, we must form in greatest possible quantities. Copies of same should be mailed We must counteract the possible to all Congressmen and Senstors spreading of the influence of the and given the widest distribution amongst unions, fraternal and all kinds of workers', farmers', professional and small business men's organizations. I am sure that all who have read this speech in the Daily Worker will agree with me that it is the most clear, forceful and convincing statement ever made in the denunciation of the fraudulent Wagner-Lewis Bill and in favor adoption of the only Bill. unemployed workers in America.

interest to Daily Worker readers. How ever, all letters received are carefully read by the editors. Suggestions and criticisms are welcome and whenever possible are used for the improvement of the Daily Worker.

Workers Schools Prepare Revolutionary Leaders Philadelphia, Pa

Comrade Editor

The question is often asked why we should spend money and time to send workers to a workers' school. Slanders Communists The main reason is because the working class will never be successcompany we want, providing that ful in its struggles without leaders equipped with revolutionary knowl-

> present economic situation, such as Father Coughlin, Long, Olson, Thomas, Bill Green and the rest, in order to lead the working class to fascism. This means further poverty and misery of the masses instead of marching forward. We should benefit by the mistakes made in Germany, Austria, and Spain, where the Communist Party did not have the leadership of the mass movement of the work-

Therefore, workers' organizations train them for leadership in day-tostruggles, so that they may successfully lead the workers in the revolutionary and practical knowledge. which enables us to fight fascism and answer the questions of the the Workers' School are equipped in two ways; First, they learn ef- understood that if their pain killer organizations of the working class. not using a very good method of and guide them in the struggle for getting the good will of the millions revolutionary government power; secondly, they learn how to H.R. 2827, that can really give some that is, the poor farmers, intellec- who back the Communist program immediate releif to the millions of tuals and other petty bourgeois ele- because it is the only sensible thing

The use of the correct tactics here

and bloodshed. That is another ers to study in a workers' school. the importance of training leaders while we have the freedom to do so.

rade Lenin said, that without revolutionary theory there can be no revolutionary practice. Committee of Student Body

We must remember what Com-

WORKERS SCHOOL

"Anacin" Radio Program

Comrade Editor The Easy Aces, silly entertainers

of Radio Station WMAO, who are hired by the Anacin Company, mak- Unity that the peasants of Acayuers of a pain killer for headaches, can and Oluta in the state of Vera reformists who take advantage of are now engaged in putting on a program in which they hope to place Communists in a ridiculous position. To do this they vilely use implications which have no base in truth. They put on a play in which one of the actors who is supposed to be a nit-wit hanger on, who sponges on his brother-in-law continuously, be- of being officially broken by the comes a Communist and gets ar- government. The threat of a declarested for making a speech on a ration of 'inexistence' of the strike street corner. This pleases the in accordance with the legal rebrother-in-law very much and he quirements of the Federal Labor munist relative in order to knock zalez, the government labor chief, some sense in his head, the whole Pressed for a declaration of his atthing is to place Commu position where they will be looked organizations

upon as cracked. reads this or who has heard this found itself prevented from acting despicable program should write a favorably toward the strikers beletter to the Anacin Company, Niles cause of Communist agitation, Center; Chicago, Ill., and make it which exists in the oilfields and ficiently to organize revolutionary has any merit whatsoever, they are Dulce strike. All of which indicates getting the good will of the millions of Communists and their sympaplete servility before the of impewin the allies of the working class, thizers among the working class rialist companies."

"With their cries of 'A.

World Front

United Front in Mexico

"Whites" and "Indians"

TODAY we turn the column

over to a correspondent in

Solidarity with Cuba

Mexico City:

Single Front for the Right to Strike' echoing throughout Mexico City's Teatro Hidalgo, several thousand workers responded to the call for a United Front mass meeting in solidarity with the oil workers' strike of Agua Duice on Feb. 23. Although the meeting was called at the initiative of the revolutionary Unitary Confederation of Labor and the Graphic Arts Workers Alliance, it was officially spon-sored by the larger part of Mexico's major trade union organizations. Figuring on the speakers' list, aside from the two aforementioned organizations, were representatives the Mexican Railway Workers Union, of the 'Crom,' of the 'Ca-mara de Trabajo,' the Mexico City Streetcar Workers' Alliance, the Electrical Workers' Union, the National Union of Miners and Metalworkers and the Ursulo Galvan Peasant League.

"A keynote of the meeting was that of solidarity with the revolutionary struggles of the Cuban proletariat. A resolution condemning the terror regime imposed by U. S. imperialism in Cuba and the threat of armed intervention, was proposed by Miguel Velazco, secretary of the Unitary Confederation, and sc-

cepted amidst enthusiastic chearing. "Mention of the Cardenas govern-ment evoked constant cries of 'Down with the government's fascist attempts. Down with the fake Socialists.' The government came in for the strongest and most unanimous attacks for its announced intention of further restricting the right to strike by means of reforms to the Labor Law. As it, is, deep-going re-volt seethes among the rank and file of all of the trade union centers against the limitations on the right to strike placed by the law as it stands and particularly against the the meshes of the arbitration appa-Because of the volume of letters re- as elsewhere saves countless time ratus which it has set up. During the meeting, there arose continuously from among workers of all of the tendencies represented, the slo-We cannot emphasize too strongly gan 'We must answer with STRIKE any attempt to deprive us of the

right to strike the General Confederation of Workers and Peasants, probably the most important of the reformist trade union centers, came in for strong condemnation for his open sabotage of the United Front and for the divisionist move of expelling the Streetcar Workers Alliance of Mexico City from the Confederation because of the militant policies of its

Sustained cheering greeted the announcement made by the representative of the National Commission for Workers' and Peasants Cruz, had demonstrated their will for unity by provisioning the oil-workers on strike in Agua Dulce with large quantities of foodstuffs.

THE Agua Dulce strike, affecting I the huge British-owned Aguila Oil Company, is in serious danger nists in & titude by the representatives of the United Front, Gonzalez strted in an I suggest that every worker who interview that the government which is responsible for the Agua the true nature of Mexico's pseudo-

> ficial organ of the German Nazi party, has published an article which throws light on Germany's plans for Memel and on Polish and German collaboration in this sphere. The Nazi paper says: "A process is beginning in the East which may cause a radical change in the situation of the lands beween the Black Sea and the Bal-Warsaw is at the bottom of this process, since "Poland after her literation from the French hegemony and the influence of Prague, is planning to create a new political center, based on territory centered around the Vistula and intended to dominate the whole of Eastern Europe."

THE "Voelkischer Beobachter." of-

Required Reading for Mr. Hearst

... whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends (life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness), it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it, and to institute a new government, laying its foundation on such principles, and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and happiness . . . It is their duty, to throw off such government, and to provide new guards for their future security." From the Declaration of Independence,