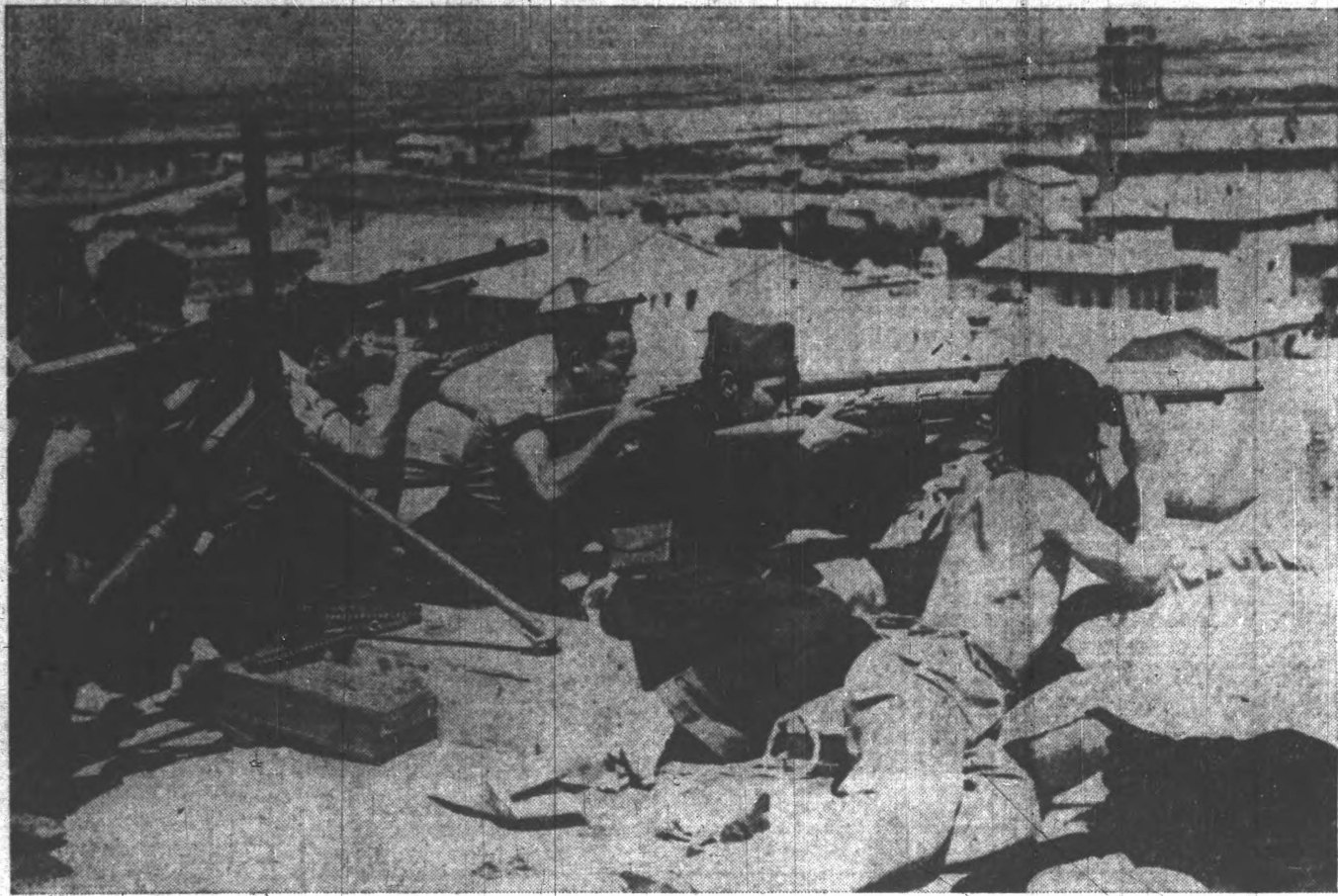


Exclusive Pictures of Spanish Workers' Defense Against Fascists



Workers' militia (left) are shown in action in defense of the Spanish People's Front government. The heroic workers' militia (right) is given a welcome at their arrival home in Bilbao after capturing San Sebastian.

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HITLER DOUBLES ARMY TO WAR ON SOVIET

Spain Executes 4 Fascist Leaders

MADRID, Aug. 25.—Four Fascist leaders including Jose Primo de Rivera, son of Spain's former dictator, were executed today, accused of setting fire to the Madrid model prison.

The Government accused Fascists and not Communists of setting fire to the prison and tried the four leaders by special court martial. Special courts have been set up to deal with hundreds of Fascist prisoners now held in Madrid, who are implicated in plotting the rebellion.

Desperate appeals for aid were broadcast last night from the fascist garrison at Oviedo after government planes dropped fifty-eight bombs on the city. The air attack followed a demand from the commander of the government forces besieging the city to the fascists to surrender.

Miners Blast Fort
Following the bombing raid Asturias miners are blasting the remnants of the fascist fortifications with dynamite and the rebels are trying to break out through the suburb of Trubia, west of the city, declares a report to the Madrid paper Socialista.

Our reports from the best sources, the paper said, "are that the miners will capture Oviedo this week and that the city will be asked to surrender before the final attack."

Government hydroplanes operating in the island of Mallorca from their base at Port Mahon put out of commission two fascist bi-motored planes which were attacking workers' militia columns. A third bi-motored plane was driven off.

Envoys to Protest to Fascists
Government commanders in the field report favorable progress in the Huesca-Zaragoza area and also in Teruel province to the east.

Foreign ambassadors to Spain horrified at atrocities committed by the fascists during the rebellion are planning to make an appeal to the fascist generals in the name of humanity, states a report from Hendaye, Franco-Spanish frontier town, where the ambassadors held a meeting today.

Toledo Alcazar Bombed
Another government air-raid was carried out on Toledo where 1,000 fascists are holding the historic fortress of Alcazar. 1,800 pounds of bombs were dropped on the fortress.

President Manuel Azana visited the Guadarrama front today where an intense artillery bombardment of the fascist positions is going on. Reinforced with Foreign Legionnaires and Moors the fascists are stubbornly holding on to their lines in the mountain sectors, and are believed to be organizing a defensive system of machine gun and sniping nests such as the Legion used during the battle of Teruel.

PEOPLE HAIL SENTENCES OF PLOTTERS

(By Cable to the Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, Aug. 25.—News of the sentence meted out to the Trotskyist Zinovievist murderers and terrorists spread through the whole Soviet Union like wild-fire and was welcomed by the people everywhere by spontaneous mass demonstrations.

As soon as the news came through, workers on night shifts immediately organized meetings. No official speakers were at the meetings but every worker, old and young alike, felt it his duty to respond at once to the court's decision and to welcome it.

People everywhere felt that the sentence reflected the will and the just demand of the whole country.

"We, like the entire 170,000,000 people of the Soviet Union, felt it was the only possible decision," declared workers in the oldest industrial plant in the country, "Krasnoye Sarmovo."

Workers at the Moscow Plant of Measurement Equipments stated: "Steel Wall Around Stalin"

"There is not a single one among us who does not from his heart approve the just and only correct sentence of the Supreme Court. The whole people of the Soviet Union stand like a steel wall around Comrade Stalin, leader of the fatherland and friend of the people."

Workers at the Kaganovich October Plant in Leningrad declared: "Together with millions of toilers we demand that the fascist scum be crushed, that the sentence of the proletarian court be severe and merciless. The Military Collegium of the Supreme Court of the U.S.S.R. fulfilled our will, the will of all the toilers of the Soviet Union."

"Express our proletarian thanks to the People's Commissariat for"

Revolution Daughter Gives \$20 Gold Piece To Fight Fascism

An old lady, a daughter of the American revolution, whose ancestors fought in the Revolutionary and Civil Wars, yesterday sent a twenty dollar gold piece as her contribution to the fight against fascism. Her letter follows in full:

"Years ago the enclosed gold piece (\$20) was given to the writer of this letter. It was to be kept for a rainy day. Many have come, been weathered somehow and gone, and the gold piece is still in my possession. Now, however, an emergency has arisen like the one my forefathers faced, when they left the plow in the fields, kissed their families a permanent farewell, and went to fight the forces of King George (and later the war to free the slaves from feudalism). These forefathers whom we revere were willing to give their ALL for principle. Can we do less?"

"The Spanish people, men and women workers fight on the barricades for you and me. Spain is the first line trench where the force of reaction are in a head-on clash with an aroused people who will die rather than become the slaves of a fascist state. Send this small contribution to them, and may every bullet that can buy find a last resting place in the heart of some vile betrayer of human justice."

STATE A.F.L. FOR ROOSEVELT

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Alfred M. Brandon's forces were in utter rout at the New York State Federation of Labor convention where representatives of eleven hundred thousand organized workers endorsed his rival Franklin Roosevelt for re-election.

There was no dissenting vote. Roosevelt's endorsement was expected, but the complete lack of any opposition was a surprise to some delegates, who had predicted that Bill Hutchins, czar of the International Carpenters Union and head of London's labor committee, would muster some upstate delegates.

Le Man Endorsed
Governor Herbert H. Lehman, who addressed the convention, was likewise endorsed without opposition.

Both candidates were endorsed as individuals, not as Democratic Party leaders. President George Meany of the State Federation of Labor pointed out in a speech that both the Democratic and Republican Parties were responsible for defeat of New York Labor's most important measures, the child labor amendment, and the bill regulating employment agencies.

Man, C.I.O. Members
Bandsmen played as William Green, President of the American

BROWDER TO SPEAK ON LABOR PARTY

The Communist presidential nominee, Earl Browder, who is also general secretary of the Party, returned to New York, yesterday, from a three-weeks transcontinental tour on which he spoke to hundreds of thousands of people over the radio and at election rallies.

He immediately applied himself to the preparations of his address at the spacious Coney Island Velodrome tomorrow evening. The famous leader declared that he would deal at considerable length in his speech with the newly formed American Labor Party and with other fundamental issues in the 1936 election campaign.

"I was gratified to find an unprecedented interest in the West in the political issues of the election campaign and in the Communist Party position in particular," Browder said.

The Velodrome meeting at Coney Island tomorrow night will be Browder's only appearance in New York before the Communist standard bearer speaks in Madison Square Garden on Nov. 2, and a record attendance is expected.

Initiative Need in Drive

What did the unexpected tour of the Sunday Worker circulation route in Western Pennsylvania reveal?

This is not a mere rhetorical question! On page 3 in today's paper we give you the answer!

We are bringing up the subject because the Western Pennsylvania District is the latest to accept its quota in the Sunday Worker circulation drive (1,200 new bundle order readers; 500 new subscriptions) and because the situation disclosed there is of concern to every other district.

Whether you are a Communist Party functionary or only a sympathetic reader of the Sunday Worker, you should learn what happened in the Western Pennsylvania District.

EUROPE IS SHAKEN BY NEW FEAR OF WORLD WAR AS NAZIS DOUBLE FORCES

MOSCOW, Aug. 25.—The Communist Party organ, Pravda, today declared that Germany's extension of military service to two years showed that the Reich was preparing actively for war.

"This new decree of the German government is the key which explains one reason for the anti-Soviet campaign about 'the armaments of the U.S.S.R.' recently conducted in the German press," the newspaper said.

Pravda reflects the opinions of the Central Committee of the Communist Party, most potent organization in Soviet Russia.

Paris Press Interprets Mobilization Anti-Soviet
PARIS, Aug. 25.—"Adolf Hitler will next announce his formal intention of organizing a 'preventive war' against Soviet Russia, according to our information," declared the leading Paris paper, Petit Journal, today in an article pointing to the real aim behind Germany's new war drive.

Premier Leon Blum, Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos, Defense Minister Edouard Daladier and chiefs of the French Army, Navy and Air Force will meet at once to consider Hitler's latest threat to world peace—the doubling of the German Army.

News that 1,500,000 German soldiers are now permanently under arms, dominating every other European military power and surpassing Germany's war-strength of 1914, has shaken the capitals of Europe with new fear of war.

After doubling the Nazi army by a stroke of the pen yesterday, Hitler today announced the summoning of the Reichstag at Nuremberg on September 9, when Nazi plans for intensifying military preparations including the marshalling of the whole German youth from the age of eight years upwards, into military and semi-military units, will be discussed, it was learned here today.

Following the most violent campaign ever launched in the Nazi-controlled German press, which for two weeks prior to the new Military Service decree denounced the Soviet Union as "fostering plans for world war," the doubling of the German army and the summoning of the Reichstag are clearly seen here as planned steps in a drive to launch war against the U.S.S.R.

Official circles in London are guarded in their comments on the new strength of Hitler's army but publication of the new decree in Berlin immediately after last week-end's meeting between Hitler, Air-Marshal Italo Balbo of Italy and Admiral Horthy of Hungary is regarded as clearly showing a new attempt to line up Central European Powers in an anti-Soviet bloc.

Estimates in the French Press figure that the new Hitler decree will give Germany an army twice as large as that of France, with additional Nazi forces amounting to 500,000 men in semi-military reserve formations.

"Hitler is the sole beneficiary of the horrible massacres in Spain," declares the Paris paper Echo de Paris. "Fear which took possession of Europe created a favorable climate for his schemes."

Intense anxiety is felt in Poland, where German-Polish

CATALONIA PARTIES UNITE

(By G. Marion)

(Daily Worker Correspondent in Spain)

BARCELONA, Aug. 25.—Perhaps the most important single event that has occurred in Catalonia since the February elections, is the formation of the Anarchist Committee between the anarchist and socialist workers groups. This committee, whose creation took place yesterday, marks a great achievement in proletarian unity.

Nor is it simply the actual existence of a committee composed of representatives of the Iberian Anarchist Federation, the United Socialist Party of Catalonia (Third International), and the respective trade unions (C. N. T., U. G. T.) that gives the step toward cohesion such historic importance. Such a committee was under discussion for months and its earlier formation, with the restrictions flowing from the "unity" resolution of the recent syndicalist congress, might well have meant nothing.

Today the Anarchist and Socialist are joint governing powers controlling separate armed forces. The mere signing of the pact therefore removes the grave danger of the Anarcho-Syndicalists precipitating a split in the broad Spanish People's Front.

By signing the pact the Anarchists put aside their "all or nothing" past and take a responsible position in the defense of specific advantages of the workers.

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Swing to Steel Union

(Special to the Daily Worker)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 25.—Five employe representatives from the Youngstown and Pittsburgh areas of the Carnegie-Illinois Central Committee walked out of a meeting here today to join a delegation of five from the Calumet Council of Chicago in a fight for genuine union organization.

The workers, comprising the Central Committee of the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation, one of the country's largest producers, saw the walkout, led by John J. Kane, secretary of the Central Committee and representatives of the Duquesne, Pa., plant following refusal of the company-controlled representatives to seat the Chicago delegation and support demands on the company.

Demands proposed—which will be made upon B. F. Fairless and W. R. Burnett, president and vice-pres-

Mass at Browder Rally at Brooklyn Velodrome Tomorrow

Careers of Kamenev, Zinoviev. Spotted with Double Dealings Against Leadership of Soviets

That Gregory Zinoviev and Leo Kamenev should have met death from a firing squad—the highest measure of social defense in the Soviet Union—for plotting the assassination of Stalin and other Soviet leaders, would be surprising if one did not know the spurious character, full of vacillation and double dealing, of their careers. As Lenin has said, the waverings and strike-breaking of Zinoviev and Kamenev are no mere personal accidents. Even before the October Revolution smashed the yoke of capitalism in Russia, Zinoviev and Kamenev had already betrayed the fact that they were not Bolsheviks. During the World War, Kamenev, an editor of the Bolshevik organ, Pravda, opposed Lenin's position on then turning the imperialist war into civil war, and his stand for transformation of the bourgeois-democratic revolution into a proletarian revolution for Soviet power. Again, during the April Conference of the Bolshevik Party in 1917, which outlined the basis for the coming October revolution, Kamenev opposed Lenin's "April Thesis," which were the theoretical basis for the uprising. On both occasions, Kamenev found himself in opposition to the vast majority of the Party.

After a period of activity in the leadership of the Communist International, Zinoviev and Kamenev, when faced in 1924-26 with the difficult problems of the development of the New Economic Policy (NEP) and without the firm hand of Lenin to guide them, Zinoviev and Kamenev returned to Trotsky, Zinoviev and Kamenev showed their consistent lack of faith in the ability of the proletariat in Russia to cement its alliance with the peasantry, to develop socialism. For a time shielding themselves behind an attack on Trotskyism (1923-24), Zinoviev and Kamenev capitulated to Trotsky's anti-party bloc after the Fourth Congress of the Russian Communist Party. Meanwhile they had brought back to the mill the enemies of the Soviets with slanders about "lack of equality" and "the degeneration of the party." The very same lies employed even today by enemies of the united front against fascism to avoid united action!

But would express them only within bounds of the party constitution. This was later admitted by Trotsky himself to be a maneuver. Faced with the fact that the Party had no assurance that Zinoviev, Kamenev and Trotsky would not resort again to factional activities, Trotsky was removed from the Political Bureau of the Party, Kamenev from the position of candidate to the Political Bureau, and Zinoviev was removed from Communist International work. Meanwhile adherents of Trotsky abroad were beginning to carry on definite counter-revolutionary work, and the French Trotskyist, Souvarine (who recently published a slanderous, vicious "biography" of Stalin), was expelled from the Communist International.

Attempted Demonstration
In October, 1927, faced with continued factional anti-party activity on the part of the Trotskyist-Zinoviev bloc, the Communist Party expelled Trotsky and Zinoviev from the Central Committee. A high point of treachery was reached when, on the tenth anniversary of the October revolution, the opposition attempted to make a demonstration in the streets against the Central Committee of the C. P. S. U. and the Soviet Government, an attempt which failed completely. This was the first open step on the path of counter-revolution. The immediate response to this act was the expulsion of Trotsky and Zinoviev from the Party and the expulsion of remaining oppositionists from the Central Committee.

Broke Party Discipline
The Fourteenth Party Congress was important in the development of the anti-party united front of Trotsky and Zinoviev. Zinoviev, in his concluding speech, called openly for a coalition of all opposition groupings against the leadership. The Trotskyists, in their usual manner, defended Zinoviev on the basis of "inner-Party democracy." Freedom, even to destroy the Party!

Expelled in '32
On Dec. 18, 1927, the Fifteenth Party Congress expelled seventy-five leading members of the opposition from the Party. In an attempt to remain within the Party, the Zinoviev group gave out a statement containing their views, without however mentioning that such were their ideas. They regarded also their violation of Party discipline in a mild light. This statement was rejected by the Congress, and re-admission of the oppositionists was made dependent on proof of repudiation of these views in actuality.

Renounce Facitism
When the opposition bloc, led by Zinoviev and Trotsky, saw that it had no support among the membership of the party, several of its leaders (Zinoviev, Kamenev, Trotsky, Pyatakov, Sokolnikov and Yevdokimov) in a declaration to Pravda admitted the incorrectness of their positions, renounced facitism, and pledged to submit to decisions of the leading party organizations. They stated, however, that they continued to hold their old beliefs.

Oppose Organizing Revolution
When, in the closing days of October, 1917, it became clear to the Bolshevik leaders that the moment for proletarian revolution was ripe, Kamenev, and his closest co-worker, Zinoviev, opposed the resolution of the revolution. Outvoted by 10 to 2, they sent an open letter to the Party membership which was published in the non-Party paper, Novaya Zhizn, betraying the secret decision of the Party on the most crucial of questions—insurrection—to the class enemy. Lenin fayed this "unheard-of strikebreaking" in scathing words.

Called for Coalition
Immediately after the victory of the October Revolution, Zinoviev and Kamenev still lacking confidence in the ability of the proletariat to carry out its own revolution in an alliance with the peasantry, called for an immediate coalition government extending from the Right Socialist-Revolutionaries, representing the kulaks, to the proletarian party, the Bolsheviks.

Blanton Criticized For Budget Cuts
WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Representative Thomas L. Blanton, D. Texas, defeated for renomination in a run-off primary, was bitterly criticized by the Washington Post today for red-baiting. The criticism was in the form of an answer to a letter from Blanton to the Post stating that the defeated representative would make his home in Washington and open a law office.


Defense League Plans To Conduct Inquiry Into Peoria Arrests
CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—Ed Parker, organizer for the Illinois Workers Alliance, and four others have been railroaded to a six-month sentence on the Vandalia State Farm. Arrested in a raid upon an Alliance meeting in Peoria on Monday, Aug. 17, the five men were summarily sentenced and removed to the state farm by Tuesday afternoon. Information concerning the trial has been denied local members of the Alliance by the Peoria police.

Legal Aid Mapped For Steel Drive
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 24.—Backing up the steel organizing campaign, the legal department of the Steel Workers Organizing Committee is banding together groups of attorneys throughout the country, it was announced yesterday.

Chicago Workers Defense League Has Been Called Into the Case
and has sent a lawyer to Peoria to investigate the circumstances surrounding the arrests. The Workers Defense League will proceed immediately to work for the release of Parker and his fellow-workers.

Campaign Calendar
Future speaking engagements of Earl Browder and James W. Ford, Communist candidates for president and vice-president respectively, and of Mother Bloor and Robert Minor, follow:
EARL BROWDER:
Aug. 26—Washington, D.C. National Press Club Luncheon, 12:30 p.m.
Aug. 27—Brooklyn, N. Y. Coney Island Velodrome.
Aug. 28—National Broadcast, NBC network, 10:15 p.m. (Eastern Daylight Time).
Aug. 30—Chicago, Riverview Park Auditorium. Broadcast: Station WBBM; 10:30 p.m. 4
JAMES W. FORD:
Aug. 26—Toledo, Ohio—Main Auditorium, Rot Davis Building—12:30 p.m. Broadcast.
Aug. 28—Cleveland, Ohio.
Aug. 29—Buffalo, N.Y.—Eagles Hall.
Aug. 30—Rochester, N.Y.—Convention Hall, 3 p.m.
MOTHER BLOOR:
Aug. 28—Santa Fe, N. M.
Aug. 30—Peenix, Ariz.
ROBERT MINOR:
Aug. 26—St. Paul, Minn.
Aug. 28—Detroit, Mich.
Aug. 29—Flint, Mich.
Aug. 30—Milwaukee, Wis.

'THE MILITIA NEEDS YOU'
Les milicieux necessitent!



Campaign Calendar (continued)
Aug. 28—St. Paul, Minn.
Aug. 29—Flint, Mich.
Aug. 30—Milwaukee, Wis.

Recruiting for the People's Front of Spain in its defense against fascism, the government at Barcelona has displayed these posters, "The Militia Needs You," says the slogan.

CIO Defended By Howard In ITU Report

President of Union Calls Suspension Unreasonable

(By Federated Press)
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 25.—A defense of the policies of the Committee for Industrial Organization and of his connection with it is included in the report of President Charles P. Howard of the International Typographical Union to the 80th Annual Convention of the union, which will be held at Colorado Springs, Colo., Sept. 12-19.

In the report, made public in advance of the meeting, Howard says: "It is difficult for reasonable persons to understand why or how the organization of unorganized workers and their affiliation to the American Federation of Labor would menace the success or welfare of the federation. It is equally difficult to understand how or why a committee that is conducting an educational campaign, but which has not issued a charter or formed an organization affiliated to the American Federation of Labor, could be considered dual in character."

Howard's personal affiliation with the C. I. O., in which he holds the position of secretary, "has not obligated the International Typographical Union in any manner," the report says, contesting the right of the A. F. of L. executive council to expel unions from the federation without the backing of a two-thirds majority of the delegates at its annual convention.

N. Y. Swells Election Fund

Total received yesterday \$622.91
Previously recorded 8,468.21
Total to date 9,091.12
The Communist Party of New York State, District 2, took a big leap forward yesterday with a contribution to the People's Chest fund of \$599.41. That shows that it means business in helping put the People's Chest fund over the top!

500 in Goodyear Cumberland Plant Picket in Strike
CUMBERLAND, Md., Aug. 25.—Union rubber workers went on strike today at the Kelly-Springfield plant of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company here. John W. Geis, spokesman for Local 26 of the United Rubber Workers Union, said that five hundred workers answered the strike call Saturday. Pickets surrounded the plant frustrating attempts to run strike-breakers into the works.

1,300 Rand Strikers Continue Picketing As Negotiation Fails
MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Aug. 25.—(UP)—Picketing continued at the Remington-Rand plant today as a strike of more than 1,300 workers entered its 14th week. Funds were solicited for the strikers in anticipation of prolonged strike in view of the refusal of company officials to negotiate settlement with union leaders and a recent announcement of the State board of mediation and arbitration that it was found "impossible" to arrive at a settlement basis.

PARTED AFTER HEARINGS ON COAST



Brought together for the first time in eighteen years, Tom Mooney and Warren K. Billings again part at the conclusion of the habeas corpus hearings in San Francisco. They had been in the county jail for the past year. Billings (right) has just returned to Folsom Prison.

Kenosha Labor Forces Rehiring Of Unionist

Hosiery Workers Picket Line Is Turned To Victory March

KENOSHA, Wis., Aug. 25.—Fear of a strike supported by the entire Kenosha labor movement forced the Allen-A Hosiery Company to rehire Gilbert McAllister, active unionist, last week.
McAllister, an active member of Branch 6, American Federation of Hosiery Workers, was fired on the pretext that he had violated some factory rule. Carl Linker, organizer of Branch 6, in an appeal to the Kenosha Trades and Labor Council for support pointed out that the real reason was McAllister's union activities.
In response to an appeal in the Kenosha Labor, official Trades and Labor publication, hundreds gathered about the Allen-A plant to picket in protest against the dismissal of McAllister, but his rehiring turned it into a victory parade. For more than an hour jubilant unionists marched around the plant carrying banners announcing the victory and appealing to all Allen-A workers to join the union.
In 1927-28 the Allen-A plant here was the scene of one of the most bitter labor struggles in the country. After a determined, militant fight lasting more than a year the company defeated the union, which at that time only included the skilled workers, in their efforts to prevent the stretch-out. Louis Budenz, labor editor of the Daily Worker Staff, was the strike organizer. He introduced many progressive strike tactics, but the general weakness of the Kenosha labor movement, combined with the failure to include unskilled workers with skilled labor in the union, spelled defeat. Today the power of the Kenosha unions forced the Allen-A Company to back-water and will soon lead to 100 per cent organization of the Allen-A plant.

Bar Association Asked To Probe Mooney Case

BOSTON, Aug. 25 (UP)—The American Bar Association was asked today to investigate circumstances surrounding conviction and imprisonment of Thomas J. Mooney and Warren K. Billings for the San Francisco Preparedness Day Parade bombing.

If alleged abuses concerning their conviction and subsequent appeals are substantiated, the resolution asked that the association "render legal aid and other assistance which, in its discretion, it shall deem necessary."

Cleveland Family Of 10 Is Evicted; Protest Mounts
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 25.—Both workers and furniture bore picketing signs on a sidewalk here today in angry opposition to the fourth eviction inflicted upon a WPA family of ten. Workers Alliance and Small Home and Landowners Federation placards on rain-drenched possessions of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Todorovich quickly aroused neighborhood sympathy to effective action.
Repeatedly refused relief money for rent and unable to pay with the father's irregular \$71.50 per month, the Todorovichs were thrown out three days ago by bailiffs. A delegation of fifty neighbors sought a hearing at the relief station, but a police squad threw them out. This organized resistance, however, has so far prevented imminent eviction of another family in the same house.
Today the sheriff, who is seeking re-election, was reported to have promised the Todorovichs a month's rent out of his own pocket in order to get them off the street. Alliance and Federation members aiding Todorovich are now seeing to it that the offer is carried out, meanwhile continuing to press for adequate supplementary relief.

Unfriendly to Mooney - Judge Gets Better Job

California Big Business Still Horse Trading with Judiciary
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 25 (FP)—Sensational allegations that big business and the California judiciary are still making horse trades over the Mooney case are contained in the Aug. 17 issue of the United Progressive News, weekly Los Angeles liberal newspaper.

In return for signing a reorganization order for the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co. after a hearing of less than twenty minutes, the paper charges, Judge Douglas L. Edmonds, presiding justice of the Los Angeles superior court, will be appointed by Gov. Merriam to "fill an imminent vacancy on the state supreme bench." It is alleged that Edmonds was approved for the appointment by the administration only after his attitude toward Mooney's habeas corpus writ had been found to be unfriendly.

Overflow Meeting In Chicago Hears Steel Organizers
CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 25.—Polish Turner Hall was crowded to its 400 capacity and between two and three hundred more steel workers stood on the street and listened over amplifiers, while SWOC speakers talked to them of the steel union drive from inside the hall, at South Chicago, Sunday evening. The crowd was enthusiastic, and many joined the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers after the meeting was over.
The speakers were Nick Fontecchio, organizer for the Indiana Harbor-Cary district, and Henry Johnson, Negro Steel organizer, Hanson, local organizer in Chicago Heights, was the chairman.
The meeting was used to advertise the great picnic planned by the SWOC for Indiana Harbor on Labor Day. Trucks will be provided to bring workers to the beach from Gary, Harbor, South Chicago and Chicago Heights.

Kenosha Labor Council Protests CIO Suspension
KENOSHA, Wis., Aug. 25.—The Kenosha Trades and Labor Council has joined the growing number of City Central Bodies that have protested the suspension of the C.I.O. unions from the American Federation of Labor. With hardly a dissenting vote the council instructed the secretary to write President William Green informing him of its opposition to the suspension.
The same night the council voted to affiliate with the American League Against War and Fascism, after a talk by F. Wittmer of Local 18455. A donation of \$5 was voted to the Wisconsin Rapids Teachers Local Union No. 421 to be used in fighting three injunctions pending against them.

Alliance Member Is Held in High Bail For Distributing Leaflets
CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 25.—Mary Sales, Illinois Workers Alliance member, 65 years old, was held in \$200 cash or \$1,000 property bond today for distributing I.W.A. leaflets in front of the stockyards last week. The judge raised the bail from \$100, laid at the time of arrest, to \$200. When an International Labor Defense attorney protested this huge bail for a 65-year old unemployed woman, the judge said he had no sympathy for these rats who are undermining our government" and refused to lower the prohibitive bail.
The I.L.D. is appealing the case to Chief Justice Stoneby, demanding a lower bail.

Five Pennies Will Do It
With only five cents, here's how you can make sure that hundreds of thousands of people will listen in on the radio speech of Earl Browder, Communist Presidential candidate, next Friday, Aug. 28, from 10:15 P.M. to 10:30 P.M. (Eastern Daylight Saving Time):
Take a nickel, buy five postal cards and send one to five of your friends telling them the date and time of the Browder broadcast. Ask each of your friends to do the same with five of their friends.
The following stations will carry the Browder address:
WBAF—New York
WVAB—Boston
WVIO—Harford
WVAB—Provid.
WVAC—Worcester
WVAC—Port. Me.
WVAB—Wash.
WVAC—Wash.
WVAC—Buff.
WVAC—Cleveland
WVAB—Dayton, O.
WVAC—Cincinnati
WVAB—Richmond

Nationwide Broadcast

FORTY MILLION Americans have an opportunity to hear the Communist Party's call for unity of action against reaction when Earl Browder speaks over the Red Network of the NBC Friday, August 28th. That is the potential radio audience of this coast-to-coast hookup of 36 powerful stations. Has your contribution made this broadcast possible?

12,000 Painters Ready to Answer Strike Call Tomorrow

Ask \$9 Scale And Ending Of Kickback

Weinstock to Broadcast Strike Call Over WEVD Tonight

Complete tie-up of building construction and alteration work in the greater part of the city of New York loomed today with the announcement that more than 12,000 union painters, decorators and paperhangers will go on strike tomorrow at 8 a. m. in an effort to enforce payment of the union wage scale of \$9 for a seven-hour day and force elimination of the kick-back racket in the industry.

A general strike call to all members of the twelve A. F. of L. painters union locals in Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond was issued last night by District Council No. 9 of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers. The strike will be directed against some 700 painting contractors and employers in the three boroughs, including the 300 employer-members of the Association of Master Painters and Decorators. The strike hinges on the union's demand that its wage and hour scale be recognized and that at least 50 per cent of all employees be hired through the union, Louis Weinstock, secretary-treasurer of District Council No. 9, announced.

Two Million Toll

"The employers have particular objection to the 50 per cent hiring clause because it would deprive them of the means of beating down the union scale and mean the virtual eradication of the kick-back racket in the building industry," Weinstock said. "Union painters and decorators have been cheated of more than \$2,000,000 a year through the employers' vicious kick-back racket. Employer-chiseling has taken a aggregate toll of more than \$10,000,000 a year from all workers in the building trades. The employers are fighting to keep us from smashing the kick-back racket."

The probability that the painters' strike may shut down the entire building industry was seen in an announcement from the painters' union that a cooperative pact between 19 craft unions affiliated with the Building Trades Council of Greater New York prohibits "the continuation of any work under 'non-union conditions.'" These unions are ready to join the fight to smash the kick-back racket in their industry, Weinstock said. With more than 100,000 unionized skilled workers employed in the building trades industry, the painters' strike is expected to develop into one of the major labor battles of greater New York.

Effectiveness of the strike is further seen in that the month of September is the "height of the season" for painting and alteration jobs in the city's apartment houses, in anticipation of the usual moving rush in October, and alterations in the major department stores in pre-Christmas shopping season.

Weinstock to Broadcast Tonight

The strike call and sealed instructions from District Council No. 9 was placed in the mail for all members of the union last night. Further instructions on preparations for the strike will be issued to the membership in a special radio broadcast by Weinstock over Station WEVD at 8:15 o'clock tonight.

At 9 a. m. tomorrow there will be a strike mobilization meeting of painters, decorators and paperhangers at Mecca Temple, 55th Street between 6th and 7th Avenues. Following the meeting picketing of all major real estate offices and banks controlling painting contractual work in the city, will start. Nation-wide support for the New York painters' strike was pledged yesterday in a telegram to District Council No. 9 from L. P. Lindelof, general president of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers of America, sent from Lafayette, Indiana.

Weinstock, who yesterday returned from Syracuse, where he attended the New York State Conference of union painters held prior to the opening of the New York State Federation of Labor Convention, there, said he had been assured of "moral, financial and other possible support" from painters' unions throughout the state.

Bambrick Backs Strike

Further effectiveness of the strike was seen in a letter received by Mr. Weinstock yesterday from James J. Bambrick, president of Local 32B of the Building Service Employees International Union.

"The officers and members of Local 32B of the Building Service Employees International Union are behind every union painter in New York City in their battle to eliminate the nefarious kick-back racket being sponsored by so-called 'representative' business men throughout the city today."

Orders have been issued to every shop steward and member of the Building Service Employees International Union, Local 32B, that under no circumstances are they to handle struck work of any description. "These orders are to be carried out to the very letter, because you are fighting, not for the painters alone, but for every union man in the city."

The strike, Weinstock announced, will be conducted from the headquarters of the District Council at 244 W. 14th Street, with ten branch strike headquarters to be established in various parts of Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond by tomorrow morning.

WHERE DEATH WAS CHEATED



A family of 5 riding over Manhattan Bridge suddenly veered through the upper guard rail and plunged 20 feet to the lower walk. The rail saved them from a 130-foot drop into the East River. Four were seriously injured.

Deportation of Italian Stopped At Sailing Time

Writ Is Served on Captain of Conte di Savoia

A writ of habeas corpus served on the captain of the S.S. "Conte di Savoia" Saturday, fifteen minutes before sailing time, by representatives of the American Committee for Protection of Foreign Born stopped the deportation of Vincent Padula, 32-year-old Italian laborer.

Officials of the committee said yesterday that the Labor Department attempted to deport Padula despite the fact that he is at present suing the State of New York for compensation for an accident suffered while he was working in the New York State prison blacksmith shop, in which he lost an eye.

Deportation Ordered For Pole Who Refused To Fight U.S. in War

LEWISBURG, Pa., Aug. 25 (UP).—Bert Seigel, 37, the Bronx, New York, convicted on charges of obtaining United States citizenship fraudulently, was remanded to Union County jail today, pending deportation to his native Poland.

Man Found Murdered; Motive Is a Mystery

The body of William Rock, 28, with bullet wounds in the head and heart, was found yesterday in his stationery store by a customer. Police were puzzled as to the motive for the murder since Rock had \$28 in his pocket. He lived at 336 West Nineteenth Street.

Bandits Take

WEST NEW YORK, N. J., Aug. 25 (UP).—Two bandits took a \$1,500 payroll today from Sidney Lohel, president of the Dixie Undergarment Company here, as he stepped from his automobile in front of the plant.

Boy's Shot Misses Bird Perched in Tree; 9-Year-Old Girl Dies

FAIRFIELD, Calif., Aug. 25 (UP).—Herbert Thomas, 15, raised his rifle and took careful aim at a bird perched in a tree. He fired. The bird flew away.

Endowed Dog Escapes Death

MARGATE, N. J., Aug. 25 (UP).—Dicky Boy, 12-year-old and partially blind St. Bernard dog, was back with his master today, free from a possible death sentence though court action for his execution was still threatened.

Believes in Romance—in Plays

Dean of Producers, Daniel Frohman, also believes in dolls. Here he is shown with his collector of dolls and paintings in his New York office. He would like to put on another play—if it's romantic enough.

Richter Gets Second Stay Of Deportation

Belgium Refuses Admission of Nazi Refugee

A second stay of deportation has been granted Otto Richter, young German anti-Fascist, by the United States Department of Labor. The stay is until Sept. 1.

Boy, 14, Sentenced To Reform School For Accidental Killing

WELLSBORO, Pa., Aug. 25 (UP).—Judge Thomas A. O'Connell sentenced 14-year-old Lyle West of Andover, N. Y., to an indeterminate sentence in the Glen Mills School for boys today following his conviction on charges of involuntary manslaughter.

First Photographs Of Chinese Red Army Men in 'China Today'

The first photographs of rank and file Chinese Red Army men and of all the liberation forces in China ever to be published in America appear in the September issue of the magazine "China Today," on sale today. The magazine features a double page of such photographs.

Stockholders Gather Billion Dollar Harvest

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25 (UP).—Corporation stockholders already have reaped a billion dollar harvest in dividends paid out by firms affected by the 1936 Corporate Tax Law. Treasury experts estimated today.

Lawyer Group Protests Roper For New Job

Call Him Unfit for Appointment on Maritime Body

The suggestion that Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper be appointed to the U. S. Maritime Commission was vigorously protested yesterday in a telegram sent to President Roosevelt by the International Juridical Association.

In its telegram the association stated that "Secretary Roper has been consistently hostile to the improvement of present intolerable working conditions among seamen; has made no serious effort to investigate substantial charges as to such working conditions, and unjustifiably supports harsh disciplinary measures against seamen seeking themselves to remedy their working conditions."

Prison Guards Kill 1, Injure 15 In Georgia Riot

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Aug. 25. —The prisoner was killed, fifteen others were wounded and a number of convicts were beaten in a riot at the Georgia State prison today.

Nobody Loves a Scab, Macy's Finds Out

Pedestrians in mid-town New York were treated to a novel sensation yesterday when a flood of leaflets came sailing out of Macy's upper windows.

If Struck Projects Close

Any strike by WPA workers will be met by the complete closing down of the project on which the strike is called, Col. Brehon B. Somerville said yesterday when he was told that WPA musicians planned to strike for redress of grievances.

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10 Knit Mills Sign Pacts with Strikers

General Strike of Floor Workers Looms as Union Calls Meeting to Discuss Walkout—Demand Recognition, Increase, 35-Hour Week

Ten new mills have signed union contracts, the Joint Council of the Knitgoods Workers Union yesterday announced. This brings the total number of settlements to 84.

The mills which settled follow: Superior Knitting Works, Vassar Knitting Mills, Atlantic & Pacific Knitting Mills, Bedford Knitting Mills, Edmar Textile Company, Jarbo Knitted Sportswear, Inc., Wm. Levin Knitting Mills, Mendel Knitwear Corp., Paul-Mar Knitwear Mills, Inc., Shidlovs Bros., Inc.

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Women's Clubs Will Picket Italian Consul

Spanish, Mexican Groups to Protest Aid to Fascists in Spain

Charging that Italian fascism is continuing to give aid to the fascist mutineers against the Spanish Republic, several women's organizations and Spanish and Mexican clubs have announced they will picket the Italian Consulate, Fifth Street and Fifth Avenue, at 11 A. M. tomorrow.

24 Unemployed Beaten, Jailed

Twenty-four unemployed Bronx workers were arrested yesterday and two of their number beaten when police broke up a picket line before the Home Relief Bureau, Precincts 41 and 48, located in the Bergen Building, Arthur and Tremont Avenues.

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Cleveland Voters to Greet Ford at Big Rally Friday

Negro People to Honor Candidate

New England Tour to Begin With New Bedford Meeting Sept. 7—Boston, Worcester, Barre and Portland Included in Schedule

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 25.—Efforts to have the city council here extend an official welcome to James W. Ford climaxed preparations for a huge People's-Election Rally in Public Hall ballroom Friday, Aug. 28, at which the Negro Communist vice-presidential nominee will discuss "full rights for the Negro people" and other key campaign issues.

More than 100 prominent figures in local Negro life are expected at an informal reception honoring Ford in Phyllis Wheatley house from 4 to 6 P.M. Friday. Union and other organizational representatives have also been invited, as well as several Negro church congregations and the public. A committee of six well-known Negroes, including editors of the leading Negro newspapers here, is sponsoring the affair.

Earl Browder will be heard by Ford's audience in Public Hall over WTAM from 8:15 to 9:30 P.M. in his first of a nationwide NBC broadcast series.

Arrangements for greeting Ford with workers' delegations when his train arrives in Cleveland will be announced later.



JAMES W. FORD

Begins New England Tour Sept. 7

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 25.—James W. Ford, Communist Vice-Presidential nominee, will speak here Monday, Sept. 7, Labor Day, at 7:30 P.M. at the Labor Temple, 746 Pleasant Street.

From here the Negro Communist leader will go to Worcester, where he will deliver an address on Sept. 9 in Eagle's Hall, which has a seating capacity of 1,000.

Boston Rally Planned For Sept. 8

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 25.—A city-wide election rally will take place here Sept. 8, at which James W. Ford, Negro Communist candidate for Vice-President, will be the principal speaker. The meeting will take place in the famous Ford Hall, 400 North State Street.

John Weber, chairman of the Communist State Election Campaign Committee, will be chairman of the meeting. Mary E. Moore, Negro woman candidate for Secretary of State, and Otis Hood, candidate for Governor of Massachusetts, both running on the Communist ticket, will also address the meeting.

Green Mountain Meeting Set for Sept. 11

BARRE, Vermont, Aug. 25.—This town is being flooded with leaflets announcing the Communist election rally at which James W. Ford, Communist Vice-Presidential nominee, will speak here on Sept. 11.

Unionists Hear Minor in Sioux City

(Special to the Daily Worker) SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Aug. 25.—A large crowd including many unionists listened in the stifling heat to Robert Minor who delivered the principal address at a huge Communist Party election rally here Monday.

Minor Warns People of London Stogie

(Special to the Daily Worker) ONAWA, Iowa, Aug. 25.—The radio broadcast of Robert Minor from Waco, Texas, heard here ten days ago, opened the way for a huge meeting here Saturday afternoon, where about 1,000 people heard the Communist leader warn the people against the fraudulent candidacy of William Lemke, of the Father Coughlin Union Party.

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The audience solemnly pledged that it would preserve unity in the struggle to build the Farmer-Labor Party, and that it would oppose all those forces which had fought the progressive policies of Olson. Minor analyzed the policies of "another Governor, quite different from Olson—Governor Landon who breaks strikes and tells farmers the remedy for droughts and mortgages is self-reliance. The speaker emphasized that a "people's movement can succeed only with rapid unionization of workers of iron mines of the Mesaba Range."

Ask Governor To Save Negro From Gallows

Life Sentence Urged to Prevent Repetition of 'Festival' Hanging

By Edward Leavitt COVINGTON, Ky., Aug. 25.—The fight being waged by Kentucky and Ohio groups to stop a threatened repetition of the public "festival" hanging that took place in Owensboro on Aug. 14 is being waged on two fronts here.

The Montjoy Fair Trial Committee—composed of representatives of civil liberties groups in Cincinnati and Covington has taken steps to obtain executive clemency in an appeal to Governor A. B. Chandler of Kentucky to commute John Montjoy's sentence of death by hanging to life imprisonment. Montjoy was convicted on a charge of rape. The committee previously had fought for a new trial but is negotiating with the Governor as a last resort after the loss of Montjoy's appeal in the United States Supreme Court. A paid advertisement in Covington papers signed by the committee headed by Dr. Ernest L. Taibert of the University of Cincinnati reads in part:

Appeal for Protests "Do you know the facts in the case of John Montjoy, who is sentenced to be hanged in the Covington jail yard? Important evidence was not presented at the trial and did not appear in the record. Because of legal technicalities the higher courts have been unable to consider the merits of the case. Montjoy convicted is not guilty! When court methods fail it is the right and duty of the Governor to correct miscarriage of justice by the exercise of executive clemency. Write or wire Governor A. B. Chandler at Frankfort, Kentucky asking that the sentence of Montjoy be commuted."

In Lexington, Ky., a writ of habeas corpus has been filed in U. S. District court to stop the hanging, by the bringing of evidence. Conrad Magrath, American Civil Liberties Union attorney and William E. Wehrman, Covington lawyer, will press for a new trial in a hearing before Judge Ford tomorrow. Basis for the plea will be medical testimony from a number of prominent Cincinnati physicians that an attack such as described by the woman involved in the case would have been a physical impossibility. Testimony will be offered on the results of an interview between the woman, Mrs. Irene Cummings, and Dr. Elizabeth Seeborg, psychologist.

It is expected to reveal angles in the case not yet disclosed. Affidavits are being prepared for presentation to the Federal court tomorrow alleging that an attack such as described by the woman involved in the case would have been a physical impossibility. Testimony will be offered on the results of an interview between the woman, Mrs. Irene Cummings, and Dr. Elizabeth Seeborg, psychologist.

Governor Chandler, on whom many persons have relied upon to save Montjoy's life, has added an ominous note to the preparations already under way for the hanging in Covington by speeches to the effect that there are "two things he is not in the habit of doing, creating Kentucky Colonels and issuing pardons or commutations." Chandler, a New Deal Democrat, has been campaigning in Kentucky for the re-election of Roosevelt. His speeches are interpreted as capitulation to the lynch hysteria as expressed in the brutal hanging of Rainey Bethea in Owensboro.

Favors State Rail Ownership

(Daily Worker Washington Bureau) WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Representative Fred H. Hildebrandt, Democrat of South Dakota, has declared himself in favor of public ownership of railroads and other public utilities as "the only solution if the public is to be protected from ruthless exploitation."

The South Dakota Congressman's declaration came in his reply to a questionnaire by the American Federation of Investors, Inc., with head offices in Chicago. Hildebrandt asked the federation who are its financiers and if it had any connection with the power trust, the du Pont powder trust and the American Liberty League.

Asked whether he favored "as a public policy government competition with private business and industry," he replied: "Where private industries are gouging people with high prices and wages, the government might better run those industries itself." Hildebrandt is also in favor of a "clarifying amendment to the Constitution to establish that the government has full rights to pass social welfare laws."

IN NEW YORK PEACE MARCH



The Musicians Union, one of the 80 unions in Saturday's peace march under the sponsorship of the American League Against War and Fascism is shown (top). The Communist Party and the Socialist Party participated in the parade. Center photo shows the Socialist Party.

Amter Talks Buffalo Plans On Hook-up On Sept. 7

The state campaign committee for the Communist Party will open a series of six pre-election broadcasts at 11 P. M. on Sept. 7, when Israel Amter Communist candidate for president of New York City's Board of Aldermen, will speak over a five-station National Broadcasting Company network covering New York State.

Amter will speak for fifteen minutes, the time allotted for each broadcast, on the election issues facing the American people in 1936. Broadcasts are Sept. 30; Oct. 5; Oct. 12; Oct. 19; and Oct. 26. All of these will go on the air at the same time—11 P. M.

Five stations to be used are WJAP, New York City; WGY, Schenectady; WJEN, Buffalo; WSYR, Syracuse; and WHAM, Rochester. Among the speakers scheduled are Robert Minor, Communist candidate for governor of the state; Julian Sawyer, Buffalo Negro who has been nominated by the Communist Party for lieutenant-governor; Grace Hutchins, famous economist and writer, who is running for comptroller; and Fred Briehl, Walkill dairy farmer who is the Communist nominee for attorney general. A special broadcast on youth problems will be given by the Young Communist League on Oct. 19, 1936.

Through arrangements now being completed by the state election committee, a far greater than usual audience is expected to hear those broadcasts. Public meetings held by the Communist Party on those dates will utilize loud speakers in conjunction with radio sets to bring the message to those assembled. In addition, "listening parties" are to be held in the homes of all Communists.

C.P. Training School In Van Etten to Hold Exercises on Saturday

VAN ETTEN, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Commencement exercises of the Israel Amter Training School of the Communist Party here will take place Saturday, Aug. 29 at the Finnish Workers Hall. A varied program has been arranged. It will include a play, music and an address by Edward Richards, director. There will be dancing.

Jobless Battle Spread of Tax In New Jersey

Governor Asked to Call Special Session to Consider Relief

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 25.—Governor Harold G. Hoffman was asked today by representatives of fifty New Jersey State League of Municipalities to call a special session of the legislature as soon as "practicable" not only to consider relief, but to take steps toward a "complete revision of the taxing system."

The demand of the league came after labor and unemployment organizations throughout the state and country protested against the drastic slashing of unemployment relief by the Republican controlled legislature. A resolution calling for the special session was adopted by the group at a meeting here last night at which Assemblyman Homer C. Zink of Essex County declared the existence of a "tax crisis."

Zink, a member of the so-called clean government faction which has differed with Hoffman, now agrees with Hoffman that "the tax base should be broadened." It is expected that the Zink faction will attempt to spread taxes among the workers. The Workers Alliance, which represents the unemployed, is demanding that relief shall be supplied by taxing higher incomes, corporate surpluses and inheritances.

Samuel S. Kenworthy, executive secretary of the League, read a report on relief needs for the rest of the year, which pointed out that \$8,485,663 will be needed to care for relief rolls from July 1 until Dec. 31, 1936. Of this the State can supply under existing conditions \$7,500,000, he said.

Armed Scabs Rush Pickets

POTOSI, Mo., Aug. 25.—Five striking lead and zinc miners were injured today at the Superior Mineral Company plant when strike-breakers, armed with clubs and stones, ran through a picket line in heavy trucks. About 300 pickets were around the plant when three trucks loaded with 60 to 75 scabs, pressed down on them. The pickets closed in toward the entrances.

The strikebreakers and armed thugs leaped from the trucks and swung with their clubs and succeeded in getting into the plant. Deputy Sheriff Patrick A. Hanlan fired one shot over the heads of the fighting men. He said he might deputize more men today for use. The clash marked the second fight since the strike was called Sunday.

17 Subscriptions in 17 Calls, 23 More in 26 Other Visits, Secured in West Pennsylvania

HAVE you read the announcement on Page 1? Here is the story of what was discovered in the Western Pennsylvania District by Kenneth Gale, representative of the National Office of the Sunday Worker, sent to survey the area on what it can accomplish in the Sunday Worker drive for 50,000 new readers.

The following portion of his report tells the tale: "At the outset I wish to emphasize that there exists the most excellent possibilities for gaining both a large number of subscriptions and new readers throughout the territory—with one provision; namely, a functioning apparatus: An illustration of what I mean:



THEM THAT KNOWS A SCOOP! First picture of Walt Carmon, former Managing Editor of the old New Masses. Walt, just returned after several years in Moscow, editing the English version of "International Literature," declares "The Sunday Worker is the most popular paper in Moscow."

"In Rural Ridge, Pa., a small mining camp of a couple of hundred people, I interviewed, within an hour and a half, seventeen people, comprising our Sunday Worker readers there, and secured 100 per cent response—17 subscriptions. In New Kensington, a town of 17,000 people, where our route is made up of only forty-two Sunday Workers and a few Daily Workers, the results were twenty-three subscriptions on interviewing twenty-six people."

Here is a lesson indeed! What was done in these towns can be done in hundreds of others throughout the country—in many more in the same district if the initiative will be taken to build an apparatus. Initiative and an apparatus are the prime necessities of the drive. Every area in the country must build a Sunday Worker circulation apparatus!

Murder Behind the Red Cross?

LAST WEEK the March of Time dramatized for its radio audience Pierre Van Paasen's blood-freezing account of what the Spanish Fascists did to eighty young Socialist children captured in a small town. Now the world-famous correspondent writes another eye-witness report of a fascist atrocity—committed under the cover of a Red Cross insignia. A crime that will make your hair stand on end, with its harrowing savagery. For all those who want to know what fascism means!

Soviet Abortion Law? Questions and Answers

FEW LAWS of any country have ever caused such international speculation as the new Soviet maternity statute. With liberal organs of opinion agast and condemnatory, and the capitalist press piling confusion on confusion, thousands of questions have been received by the Sunday Worker. Here is a full page of the typical ones, with authoritative replies. Read and ye shall know!

T. P. Flynn: A Short Story

THE SUNDAY WORKER'S ace story-teller spins another yarn of working-class romance. If you're not a follower of T. P. Flynn, you're missing one of the best things in this sordid capitalist life. Here is the finest one to date.

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