

COLUMN LEFT!

By Harrison George

Hearst Is "Justified" Helping the Du Ponts Japan's Seamen Aid Spain

SAYS President Roosevelt: "... no patriotic, honorable, decent citizen would..."

TO the list of those who are giving Spanish fascists plenty of "alien support" can be added military-fascist Japan...

The International Federation of Trade Unions, with headquarters in Amsterdam, cabled the Seamen's Union of Japan...

So the seamen began sending post-cards with messages of solidarity to Spain's workers...

Hearst has some fine friends. By the way, Hearst's "reply to the president" was carefully dated so as to appear to come from Holland...

It would have been a bit awkward for Hearst to squawk about "alien support" to anyone else...

"THIS is our country; not the country of Congress. The Army and Navy are giving us assistance of inestimable value."

This was written by an executive of the duPont Munitions Trust, who, as a dual personality, also holds a commission as a major of the U. S. Army...

The duPonts got along swell with a Republican president. They ran the government in defiance of the Congress...

You can elect a President and a Congress. But you don't elect the commanders of the Army and Navy...

Who are those Army and Navy commanders who helped duPont? It is time to find out...

FASCIST commander Colonel Rodriguez Barato at Irun, Spain, speaking to Coralie Van Paassen...

"I think we have killed fully a hundred thousand (men, women and children supporting Madrid's government)..."

Would you see your future fate if Hearst and fascism should win in America? Then look and listen to this picture of Irun, Spain.

WEATHER: Fair. Little change in temperature; moderate southwest to west winds.

FORD BLASTS LANDON FOR 'LINCOLN' POSE

Millions Tune In on C.P. Candidate's Radio Broadcast

Millions of radio listeners tuned in last night to hear James Ford, Negro Communist candidate for vice-president...

It was the first time in the history of radio broadcasting that a Negro candidate on a national Party ticket ever spoke over a coast-to-coast hook-up...

An event unparalleled in American history took place when Earl Browder, Communist candidate for president...

Ford, a celebrated leader of his people, addressed his 15-minute talk primarily to the 15,000,000 Negroes in America...

"A LYNCH ROPE" The noted Communist, who was vice-presidential candidate with William Z. Foster...

Although Roosevelt has "made a few concessions to my people," he said, "none of us can forget that his party is based on the South..."

"It is paradoxical, but true, that the worst reactionaries—those who subsidize the Ku Klan 'grass roots' convention..."

He accused the Republican standard-bearer of downing the garb of Abraham Lincoln to ensnare Negro support.

"It is this part of Wall Street which hypocritically uses the name of Lincoln to try and win the colored voters..."

Mexican Yellow Shirts Attacking Peasants (By United Press)

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 21.—Jose Osuna, Yellow Shirts leader of Sinaloa State, and 500 armed followers, have risen up...

Browder Talk at Forum On Air Wednesday A.M.

Earl Browder, Communist Party candidate for President, will address the sixth annual Forum on Current Problems, conducted by the New York Herald Tribune...

Anti-Nazi Sentenced Maurice Moran yesterday was sentenced to fourteen days in the workhouse for his part in the anti-Fascist demonstration aboard the North German Lloyd liner Bremen on Aug. 22...

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Hearst Fake Is Condemned



William Randolph Hearst (center) is shown above with Marion Davies at Davos, Switzerland...

LaFollette, Lewis and Roy Wilkins Label Attempt of Publisher to Confuse 1936 Election Issues

Leaders in several walks of public life joined yesterday in labelling William Randolph Hearst's charges of Communist support for President Roosevelt as an effort to becloud the real issues of the presidential campaign.

In Washington, Senator Robert M. LaFollette said: "This is more of the same type of campaign being conducted by the backers of Governor Landon..."

LEWIS LABELS CONSPIRACY John L. Lewis, head of the Committee for Industrial Organization, told Washington reporters that the articles were "a malignant political conspiracy."

"It is ridiculous to assume that the President or any of his supporters would desire the support of alien or subversive influences in the campaign," he said.

Will You Help Answer Hearst? AN EDITORIAL

WERE you not moved to contempt and anger by Hearst's Sunday fraud against the Communist Party and the People's Front in the United States?

Did you not feel obliged to answer such lying tactics? Did you not feel that the Party should reach the largest number of people with the facts—in a smashing refutation of these Hearst forgeries?

Our entire radio plans are in serious danger. We ask you, frankly: Shall Hearst be permitted to go unchallenged because of our lack of money for this campaign? The verdict lies with you.

6 Labor Spy Firm Officials Indicted

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The District of Columbia Grand Jury today indicted six officials of the Railway Audit & Inspection Company, of Pittsburgh, Pa., on charges of contempt of the Senate Civil Liberties Committee.

Elated over their first victory in a clash with interests whose activities are being scrutinized, committee investigators promptly announced there would be at least two surprises when the inquiry is resumed tomorrow.

Those named by the Grand Jury were: W. W. Groves, president of the company; W. E. Groves, vice-president; J. C. Boyer and J. E. Blair, both of Pittsburgh; L. W. Rice, Philadelphia, and R. S. Judge, New York City.

GARAGE TIEUP 100 PER CENT AS 9,000 QUIT

Nearly 12,000 in Bronx, Manhattan Fight Threat of Cut

The biggest garage strike in history began at 6 o'clock last night when 9,000 service-men walked out of 475 Manhattan garages in a general strike.

With an additional 1,600 workers on strike in 460 Bronx establishments since last Friday night, the tieup in two of the world's largest traffic centers is complete today.

As a result of the threat of the Metropolitan Board of Garage Trade in recent weeks to cut wages and lengthen hours—approximately 1,000 garages employing nearly 12,000 workers are today in the paralytic grip of a general walkout.

ADMIT TIEUP 100% The far-flung strike throughout the two boroughs is being led by Local 272 of the Garage Washers and Polishers Union, affiliated with the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and Chauffeurs.

Employers in the Bronx admitted.

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Madrid Troops Mass To Meet Major Push Of Fascist Offensive

JAPAN FORCE IN HANKOW

Marines Land; People Terrorized by Militarists

TOKYO, Sept. 21.—Japanese marines were ordered to land at Hankow, China, today in a situation so tense that it recalled the critical weeks in 1932 when Japanese ships anchored off Shanghai and threw shells into the Chinese quarter of that city.

The official reason given here for the latest threat against Chinese independence was "the protection of life and property of Japanese nationals."

Franco's Air Fleet of Foreign Bombers Pounds at Government Lines Near Talavera-Madrid Highway

GOVERNMENT ACES BOMBARD OVIEDO

All Workers in Capital Flock to Arms—Huge Forces Speed to Southwest to Stem Advancing Fascists

MADRID, Sept. 21.—Every able-bodied worker was called to arms today as new thousands of People's Front militia poured southwestward to meet advancing fascist columns.

Facing the most crucial battle of the rebellion, the Government is acting with cool precision and the people have responded to the new call to arms with heroic determination.

3 American Aces Offer Services To Spanish People

Three American aviators with flight experience in the World War yesterday offered the Friends of the Spanish Republic their services against the Spanish fascists.

The Spanish consulate also reported that more than 200 volunteers have asked to join the Madrid army in defeating the fascists. These offers were rejected however, since recruiting for the loyalist forces cannot be done in this country.

BLUM READIES SOCIAL LAWS

PARIS, Sept. 21.—A second wave of French social legislation is being prepared by Premier Leon Blum's Popular Front government, pursuing the bloodless transformation policy of France's social and economic structure, it was learned tonight.

Members of the government began writing the bills today, following Blum's speech at Poissy, in which he promised that the unprecedented number of laws passed during the first 15 weeks he was in power would be followed by another group as soon as Parliament meets.

Blum plans to send three important messages to Parliament. The first will deal with reorganization of the tax system, the second with measures to combat unemployment and the third with a national insurance scheme designed to protect farmers against drought, floods, cyclones and other disasters.

The bill involving national insurance to protect farmers against calamities is expected to go a long way toward calming unrest among peasants.

Milk Parley Deadlocked

Farmers and Dealers to Resume Conference Today—Producers Firm for Strike on Thursday

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 21 (UP).—Efforts of New York dairymen to reach a compromise to avert a state-wide milk strike failed tonight. Representatives of producers and distributors adjourned a meeting in a downtown hotel room until tomorrow, with little or no progress made.

The dairymen, prepared to hold their milk from the market beginning Thursday, hoped to achieve their demands through private negotiations with dealers. The demands have been rejected by State Agriculture Commissioner Peter G. Ten Eyck, who is authorized by law to establish minimum prices to the producer and consumer.

REPORTED READY TO COMPROMISE The dairymen were reported ready to compromise on a demand for a \$3 per 100 pound price for all milk, but they are holding firm for scrapping of the classified price system, under which they receive various prices for their milk, depending upon its use.

UNDERGROUND IN GERMANY

This is the first of a series of articles by an American who has just returned from Nazi Germany. A good reporter, he was aroused by the things his trained reportorial eye discerned beneath the surface of the Hitler regime.

- 1. Why Streicher, chief Jew-baiter of Nazi Germany is slated for a cabinet post. 2. How unrest is growing in Germany although it is cruelly stifled by murder and secret imprisonment. 3. How a "kindly" Nazi government actually treats its political prisoners under protective arrest in concentration camps. 4. How the workers in Germany are secretly organizing to resist Hitler and his bloody-minded henchmen. 5. How Hitler, in order to retain his power is preparing for a bigger and bloodier war to maintain his stolen leadership.

By JAMES GORDON I arrived in Strassburg on the Paris-Munch express the day before the French elections.

Colorful posters of the Front Populaire and the Communist Party decorated the station and the walls of the beautiful old city. The town seemed alive with discussion. Crowds had formed around the posters and

Fink Book Law Fight Pressed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21 (UP).—Five representatives of maritime labor unions conferred today with officials in two government departments in an effort to postpone the going into effect of the new "safety-at-sea" act pending an appeal for changes to the next session of Congress.

Led by Harry Bridges, president of the International Longshoremen's Association of San Francisco, the union leaders talked with Assistant Secretary of Labor Edward P. McGrady and Joseph B. Weaver, director of the Commerce Department's Bureau of Marine Inspection.

They said they hoped to see Commerce Secretary Daniel C. Roper but that a definite appointment with him had not been arranged.

They hoped to secure Roper's intercession and postpone effectiveness of the act for 90 days. It is scheduled to go into operation on Christmas Day.

The law provides for certificates of service which will be filed out by all seamen. Bridges assailed this measure. "These are just junk books that allow the blacklisting of any union seaman. They were put through without the support of any bona-fide seaman's union."

Railway Strike Cripples Line

GREENVILLE, Tex., Sept. 21 (UP).—Service on the Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas Railway remained crippled today as 500 members of the "big four" railway brotherhoods and officials of the line showed no disposition to settle differences.

The employees began their strike Saturday. The railway temporarily suspended service to Dallas and McKinney.

Socialists Regain Power in Sweden

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 21.—The Social-Democratic Party was returned to power in the Swedish Riksdag (Parliament) yesterday, increasing its representation from 102 in the old Chamber to 112 in the next. The reactionary Conservative Party suffered a setback with a loss of eight of its fifty-three seats.

It is expected that Per Albin Hansson, leader of the Social Democrats, will regain the Premiership which he lost last June.

Gas Masks for Spain Urged by Committee (By United Press) LONDON, Sept. 21.—The European committee for non-intervention in the Spanish civil war today approved a report of its sub-committee allowing France to ship gas masks to the Spanish Government.

