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COMMUNISTS FIGHT CHILD LABOR

AS WE SEE IT By T. J. O'FLAHERTY.

RITAIN continues to murder the natives of Sudan, because they want the right of self determination. Woodrow Wilson said that was one of the main issues involved in the world war. England declared she was against for the rights of small name of the rights of the tions. But not so that the Irish, Egyptians or Hindoos could see it. The United States government is not showing as much concern over the rape of Egyptian and Sudanese liberties by Britain as it did about the German march thru Belgium in 1914. . . .

HE United States government now acquiesces in the British murder campaign in the Sudan, because her interests and those of Britain do not happen to clash there. But if Britain hopped onto Honduras or Mexico, the eagle would flap his wings. France does not like what England is doing in Egypt and the Sudan, but France is going thru the pockets of the Moroccans and at times thieves must maintain an attitude of involuntary neutrality towards each other. The peoples of the exploited eastern countries are rapidly organizing their forces for the purpose of giving the robber nations the bum's rush. . . .

LOYD GEORGE, the discredited flunkey of British imperialism, writing for the Hearst syndicate. quotes Theodore Roosevelt's brutal advice to the British ruling class, in a speech/delivered in London by that mountebank in 1910. "Teddy" en dorsed Britain's occupation of Egypt on the ground that it was necessary to restore order. For the benefit of those who may still suffer from the delusion that Roosevelt was not one of America's most notorious and nameating hypocrites the following quotation from his speech is given:

MIT was with this primary object of lestabifshing order that you went into Egypt twenty-eight years ago, and chief and ample justification for your presence in Egypt was this absolute necessity of order being established from without, coupled with your ability and willingness to estab-

OW, either you have the right to be in Egypt or you have not;

2. To begin similar agitation organizations of poor farmers
3. The following slogans either it is or it is not your duty to serve as initial slogans in the camestablish and keep order. If you fee that you have not the right to be in and wider political slogans as the Net Big Sum from Four Egypt, if you do not wish to establish and keep order there, why, then, by tensity; (a) Save from degeneration all means get out of Egypt. If as I the youth of the workers and poor hope, you feel that your duty to civ. farmers; (b) Save the physical and flized mankind and your fealty to you! own great traditions alike bid you to ations of the workers and poor farmstay, then make fact and name agree and show that you are ready to mee in every need the responsibility which

HIS was the great "freedom-loving" American talking! And it is no wonder that the champion hypocrite of ganize the young workers and educate England should extol the outstanding American four-flusher. It is worthy of note that Lloyd George is not charged with the responsibility of running the British empire just now. But he jumps into the fray, with voice and the interests of the empire. pen when the interests of the empire are in jeopardy. And old Asquith, the fake liberal, is heavily interested in Sudan cotton and irrigation ventures And the tory government sends troops to protect old Henry's interests just as the labor party government did. In fact Lloyd George is correct in saying that the colonial policy of the liberal, labor and tory governments did not differ.

a "farmer labor party would figth cause after his thirty day probation the battles of the workers." They period has been passed. have never done it in any other country. There is only one party that will (Continued on Page 2.)

DUNNE SPEAKS TONIGHT AT NORTH SIDE ENGLISH BRANCH OPEN MEETING

William F. Dunne, editor of the DAILY WORKER will be the principal speaker at the open meeting of the North Side Branch tonight at 8 p. m. at the Imperial Hall, 2409 N. Halsted street. Comrade Dunne, who was a delegate to the Fifth Congress of the Communist International and to the Third Congress of the Red International will speak on the "Fifth Congress of the Communist International." Meeting starts at 8 p. m.

UNITED FRONT **CALL ISSUED BY WORKERS PARTY**

of Children Starts

The Workers Party has issued a call for a united front of all workers' organizations to combat the exploitation of children.

It is planned to immediately enlist all labor organizations, unions, co-operatives, women's organizations, fraternal organizations, and similar bodies in this campaign.

Double-Edged Drive. The object of this drive is two-fold,

s follows: 1. Compel the state legislatures to immediately ratify the child labor

amendment to the constitution. 2. Compel the state and federal legislatures to pass a law providing for full government maintenance of all school children of workers and poor! farmers, without which, the Workers Party declares, a child labor law is

useless The statement on policy, organizaion and propaganda for this drive, sent out by the central executive comnittee of the Workers Party, to all the party's district organizers, foreign language federation secretaries, the Communist and labor press, is as fol-

Statement of Policy.

1. To immediately begin intensive agitation in all labor organizations, unions, co-operatives, women's organizations, youth organizations, fraternal organizations, cultural organizations, etc., for a united front campaign to fight for the following demands: (a) Compel the state legislatures to immement to the constitution; (b) Compel DALY DEFINER
the state and federal legislatures to pass a law providing for full government maintenance of all school chilhen of workers and poor farmers. The funds for this purpose to come from special taxes on high incomes.

2. To begin similar agitation in all

3. The following slogans should campaign progresses and gains in inmoral well-being of the future generunions, and your standard of living by stopping the exploitation of child labor; (d) Unionize the working class youth. Every labor union, local and lish special youth departments to or Hirsch Boulevard. them in the class struggle; (e) Make the rich pay for the full maintenance (Continued on Page 2.)

By J. CHRISTOPHER.

management of the North Western railway shops are courting trouble with the 3,000 shop employes by a defiant attitude of violating the of the bazaar, last night. The doors THIS is a lesson for those Ameri union agreement which provides that can radicals who still believe that no employe shall be laid off without

> About forty union men are being discharged because they refused to work with a scab named Turner, an old painter foreman who was given a journeyman painter's job about two bazaar showed by their animated years ago, during the shop crafts conversation that they had an enjoystrike, but who has stalled off joining able social time. Those who attended the union all this time under one excuse or another.

Scab's Discharge Enforced. The union men, after having had

their patience exhausted, called in the business agent of the Carmen's Union, who demanded of the manage ment that the scab painter be either (Continued on Page 2.)

THE INTERRUPTED LYNCHING



HUGE SUCCESS

Days of Festivity

The selections rendered by the Freiheit Singing Society ers; (c) Protect your wages, your proved among the most popular features of the DAILY WORK-ER and Labor Defense Council bazaar, which ended last night national, city and state, must establat the Workers' Lyceum, 2733

> Saturday night was the special night for the Jewish, Greek, Armenian, Scandinavian, Bulgarian, Roumanian and Spanish comrades. The Danish Workmen's Orchestra furnished splendid dance music to the large crowd which attended.

> Several thousand dollars was netted the DAILY WORKER and Labor Defense Council on the admission tickets and sales. Articles of real value, supplying every need from a shaving out fit to house furnishings were raffled

> The Young Workers' League orchestra played for the closing night and the bazaar continued thru the evening. The feature of the bazaar last night was a series of prize awards. An auction sale was also hugely enjoyed by the crowd.

> The comrades and sympathizers who attended the sessions of the clustered together in ever changing groups, their faces lit up with enjoyment of the occasion.

79 Foster Votes in Reading, Pa. READING, Pa., Nov. 30.-The vote for Foster in Berks county, Pennsylvania, of which Reading is the county seat, was 79.—Harold R. John.

\$4 FOR 48 HOURS WORK IN GERMANY AND DAWES **WOULD MAKE IT WORSE**

BERLIN .- The pay slip of a metal worker in the factory of Max Levy, German manufacturer of electrical apparatus, for the week reads as

Weekly Wages Marks 20 (\$4.80 Less sick benefits Age and invalid insurance 40 Unemployment benefits 10

17 marks Net wages This particular worker is skilled. is married and has two children. For 48 hours of labor he is given 17 marks, or 8 cents over \$4. This is not exceptional for metal workers in Berlin. On the other side of this pay slip is printed the advertisement of a shoe firm stating that 20 marks per pair is a price which cannot be bettered in any other shoe store and that it makes a specialty of shoes for workers.

CHANG TSO-LIN **VISITS AGENTS** OF BIG POWERS

PEKING, Nov. 30.—Chang Tso-Lir paid formal visits to the foreign lega tions today, spending more time with opened at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon the British and American capitalis representatives than with the others. It is said that the troops of the christian general Feng whose sudder seizure of Peking sent Wu Pei Fu's hopes into thin air, are proving every-

> thing but amenable to the wishes of their christian leader. Chang Tso-Lin tried to remove as much suspicion from the minds of the British and American legations as he could about his future intentions. He stated that he had no ambition to

The capitalist powers are trying functionaries will be held at the same hard to discredit Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the address in the evening. revolutionary leader and unifier of China, but his standing with the masses is so good that all attempts to assassinate him politically are doom- cure details from the district organed to failure.

dominate China.

WORKERS PARTY CAN-DATE 24,044 VOTES By JAMES J. LACEY.

MASSACHUSETTS GIVES

(Special to The Daily Worker) BOSTON, Mass. - Winfield A.

Dwyer of Roxbury, Massachusetts, candidate for state secretary on the the Workers Party ticket in the recent election, received 4,921 votes in the city of Boston alone, and 24,044 votes in the state of Massachusetts as a whole.

Comparing this to the vote of 1,999 and 2,816 for the S. L. P. and the S. P. candidates, respectively, for the same office, it is seen that workers increasingly understand that Communists are taking the leadership in the everyday struggle, and they, the workers, are more and more ready to follow Communist leadership. Comrade Dwyer is now leading the unemployed workers of

VERY SERIOUS

Imperial Mercenaries sequences more serious than he would like to predict. Shell Hospital

(Special to The Daily Worker) the situation in the Sudan was

very serious. Troop movements

bank of the Blue Nile. While the sick and wounded in the hospital raised agonizing screams the shells of the British rained down upon them carrying

CASES MANULE

New Policy Has Widened Its Activities

death and destruction. The capitalist correspondents are ey lied for pay during the world world war.

New York City

in the field insuring the Work-

ers Party's English organ for

Tours are also being arranged

for Walt Carmon, circulation

manager, Alfred Wagenknecht,

campaign director and other

party speakers in the interests

of the "insurance policy" cam-

It is intended to have the party

membership meet their daily thru

hese speakers, learn from them the

needs and possibilities of the DAILY

WORKER, giving the membership to

understand that it is upon their shoul-

ders that the daily rests, that it is by

Comrade Loeb will visit the follow-

ng cities in this first tour. In those

cities where membership meetings

have been arranged, a full attendance

NEW YORK CITY-Nov. 29, 30,

BOSTON-Dec. 2. Meeting with C.

PHILADELPHIA.—Dec. 4. General

. C. delegates and branch secretaries.

membership meeting. All branch sec-

retaries will notify their branch mem-

bers. Secure details from your dis-

PITTSBURGH.—Dec. 6. General

membership meeting. All branch sec-

retaries will secure details from the

CLEVELAND.—Dec. 7. Loeb will

address meeting at 5927 Euclid ave-

nue at 10 a.m. A meeting of all party

DETROIT.—Dec. 8. General mem-

bership meeting at the House of the

Masses. Branch secretaries will se-

Dec. 1. Conferences with party offi-

is requested.

trict organizer.

district organizer.

cials and functionaries.

them that it must be carried forward

the coming year.

Answer With Bullets.

The rebellion in the Sudanese army members prosecuted because of their broke out after their Egyptian officers opinions. were withdrawn and British subalters substituted. The native troops

despite their lack of ammunition and October. Decision is not expected for guns. The British mercenaries were several months yet. According to provided with all modern weapons of statements given out by the prosecuwar. After the open battle was over, tion, an atempt will be made to bring the British began to shell the hospital, William Z. Foster to trial again, in razing it to the ground and murdering the event that conviction of Rutheneverybody inside of it.

Victory For British "Democracy." The savage hirelings of British imperialism, after their shells had made United States supreme court. it safe for them to approach the hospital, captured and shot the wounded Sudanese.

It was another victory for the British Empire.

The latest British atrocity is exsessions of the British Empire.

COMMUNISTS FORM COUNCIL OF UNEMPLOYED

Boston Workers Party Aids Jobless

By JAMES J. LACEY. (Special to The Daily Worker)

BOSTON, Nov. 30. - The brass check press here is filled with accounts of a demonstration staged at the state house and the city hall by over a thousand unemployed workers under the leadership of Winfield A. Dwyer of the Freight Handlers' Union, who was the Workers Party candidate for state

secretary (polling 24,044 votes) in the recent elections.

The army of jobless invaded the city council chamber and from the gallery cheered their spokesman as they challenged every utterance of the councilmen. Declaring that there had een too much passing of the buck, Dwyer said that if needed measures were not passed there would be con-

Forms Unemployment Council.

From the city hall the men marched to the state house where they met LONDON, Nov. 30.—The for- acting Governor Cook (Gov. Cox is in eign office admitted today that Florida), who refered them to General Sweetzer who in turn referred (Continued on Page 2.)

The Gordon highlanders, on their way to India were diverted to Alexandria. The British artillery shelled the Khartum hospital on the bank of the Blue Nile While the CASES HANDLED

Its Activities

In August, 1924, by a decision of the lying as loyally about the British resident executive committee, which atrocities in Egypt and the Sudan as was approved by the national com-Spends Three Days in they ned for pay during the world mittee, the Labor Defense Council adopted a new line of policy, considerism" of British officers. Another ably widening the scope of its activ-Philip Gibbs may tell the truth about ities. From that time forward, the conditions in Egypt today after he Labor Defense Council has ceased to Moritz J. Loeb, business man- draws his last pay check for prosti- be merely an instrument for the deager of the DAILY WORKER, is tuting himself as Gibbs did in the fense of the Communists indicted in Michigan: it now concerns itself with the defense of all Workers Party

Michigan Cases

Developments in the Michigan cases remonstrated with the British, but now wait on the outcome of the Ruthwere answered with a shower of lead. enberg appeal, which was heard by The natives fought very bravely the Michigan supreme court, early in berg is upheld. In any case, an adverse decision to the appeal will make it necessary to take the case to the

Other important cases which the Labor Defense Council is now handing, are the Farrell cases and the Pittsburgh cases. In addition to these, the Labor Defense Council is interested in the defense of cases in pected to fan the flames of anti-Philadelphia and many other places. British hatred in Egypt and the Sudan Especially worthy of emphasis at this and thruout the Mohammedan pos- time, we believe, are the numerous de-

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ANTHRACITE COAL MINERS DEMAND THEIR GRIEVANCES BE ADJUSTED

(Special to The Daily Worker)

SCRANTON, Pa., Nov. 30.-Even the threat of John L. Lewis, head of the United Mine Workers of America, to withdraw the charters of rebellious locals, has failed to impress the grievance committee of the anthracite miners, which has called a strike of 11,000 miners employed by the Pennsylvania Coal company.

The grievance committee has repeatedly tried to make the company abide by the terms of its agreement in the settlement of miners' grievances,

but the company openly flouts the+ complaints and ignores the committho at head of the union, is more contee, feeling sure that Lewis, who,

cerned for the operators than for the miners would prevent serious strikes.

Lewis has wired the locals to call off the strike by Monday or lose their charters. The grievance committee considered this threat but it would not comply until all grievances have

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UNIED FRONT CALL ISSUED BY **WORKERS PARTY**

Big War on Exploitation of Children Starts

(Continued from page 1)

of your school children; (f) Don't rely upon the lobbying of the legislative committees of the Gompers' machine; (g) Don't rely upon the C. P. P. A. and LaFollette; (h) Organize your own strength in a united front of workers and poor farmers and fight for your demands; (i) Join and support the Workers Party; (j) The child labor amendment is meaningless without government maintenance of the school children of workers and poor

Organizing the United Front.

1. Local united front conferences to combat exploitation of child labor. these conferences to consist of organizations of labor and poor farmers. 2. Special effort should be made to

draw into these conferences organizations of working class women, youth organizations, and especially organizations of poor farmers.

3. The call for these conferences should be issued by the local organization of the Workers Party in conjunction with sympathetic labor organiza-

4. The date of issuing call for the conferences will depend upon whether sufficient agitation has been raised in favor of such a campaign. We must guard against premature calling of

5. The central executive committee must be kept informed regularly, by weekly reports, on the development of the campaign in each locality.

Planning the Propaganda. I. The Duty of Press.

Start displaying every news item bearing on child labor.

2. Popularize our demands as outlined in "Policy" and criticize child labor amendment in the light of our

Urge the necessity of united front action by workers and poor farm-

ald C. P. P. A. petty bourgeois poli-

Urge the joining of and support to the Workers Party. Pamphlets to Be Issued.

The following pamphlets should be published:

1. A pamphlet describing the brutal-

2. A pamphlet describing and proving the effect of child labor upon the physical wellbeing of the working class. Preferably written by a doctor.

ity of child labor exploitation.

3. A pamphlet describing the effect of child labor upon wages, hours, unions and general standard of living of the adults.

4. A pamphlet showing the criminal negligence of the Gompers and C. P.

5. A special pamphlet to the poor farmers showing how they must be interested in combatting child labor and in securing government maintenance of their school children.

6. A pamphlet showing how child labor is breaking up the working class family. This especially for working class women to be written preferably by a woman.

7. The Research Department should immediately prepare the necessary material for these pamphlets. The educational committee will assign the writing of these pamphlets. Put Labor on Record.

A resolution should be drafted giving expression to our policy in this campaign and calling upon the work- Bessarabian emigrants and refugees ers and their organizations to go on from Bessarabia have passed resolurecord as favoring a united front cam- tions urging the government of the paign along the lines of policy as U.S.S.R. to protest against prosecuoutlined above. This resolution is to tions of Bessarabians in Rumania and the shops are so rotten and the wage be introduced in all labor and poor demanding to unite Bessarabia with standard gives such poor sustenance farmers' organizations later on when the U.S.S.R. the ground will have been prepared for such action by our agitation.

Greek-Bulgarian Relations Strained. strained today following the assassina | Minneapolis, says the Trades & Labor | "new employes." tion of a number of Greeks at Stanimaka, Bulgaria. The Greek government dispatched a stern note to Bul. York and other towns in stopping the garia and received a promise the assassins would be punished.

New York Workers' School. Register Now-208 E. 12th St.

"SOCIALIST" LA GUARDIA FINALLY DECIDES HE IS JUST PLAIN PROGRESSIVE

(Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- Fiorello LaGuardia, representative from the 20th district of New York, is demanding of the house that he be listed as a progressive, and not as a socialist, altho he was elected to office by running on the socialist

LaGuardia has changed party "affiliations" more than once during the course of the election campaign. In the primaries, he was a candidate on the republican ticket. Defeated there, he had himself certified as a member of the socialist party. The secretary of state of New York did the certifying, and in this way LaGuardia became a member of the socialist party thru endorsement of democratic officials. His expense accounts for the campaign were listed under socialist accounts. At least one expense account had the word "progressive" crossed out and the word "socialist" written in.

CALLES IS NOW OF IMPERIALISM

Gompers Is Present As He Takes Over Power

(Special to The Daily Worker) MEXICO CITY, Nov. 30 .- Today at Mexican republic was turned over to conduct an energetic campaign General Plutarco Elias Calles, by Genagainst the Menshevik ides disclosed eral Obregon, the retiring president. By this ceremony, which took place in great pomp at the national stadium, the nominally independent satrapy of American imperialism which lies south of the Rio Grande, was delivered from one satrap to another.

Gompers Shies at Soviet Diplomat. The occasion was marked by the the American Federation of Labor and Sammy Gompers was quite at home Emphasize futility of relying up- capitalists and only appeared nervous on A. F. of L. legislative committees when it was necessary to pass by the from the capitalist press of the diplomatic body where sat Ambassador Petkowski representing the Soviet republic of workers and peasants of revolutionary Russia.

The Pan-American Federation of Labor will open here on December 5, are awaiting its opening.

A Real Guy to Do This. Obregon, the retiring president, is hailed as having at one and the same ime "secured the triumph of the New Open Shop principles of the revolution" and also as having "created a national sentiment against revolution.'

I. C. C. Quits Rate Hearing. terstate commerce commission today Management Starts Open Shop Drive P. A. crowds to fight child labor ex- discontinued proceedings under which | The management discharged the he Chicago, Burlington and Quincy the St. Louis-Southwestern Railway.

> Entire Finnish Cabinet Resigns. HELSINGFORS, Finland, Nov. 30bills allowing pensions to state officials. The agrarian members of the cabinet resigned in the afternoon, and a few hours later the rest of the cabinet followed suit.

Seek Return of Bessarabia.

MOSCOW, Nov. 30. - Numerous

Labor Condemns Poison Gasoline MINNEAPOLIS.—Tetraethyl gasassembly. The labor body requested the city to follow the example of New sale of the poison gasoline.

> WHEN YOU BUY **GET AN "AD"**

T. U. E. L. GENERAL MEETING; TUES., DEC. 2; NORTH WEST HALL; DUNNE SPEAKS OF EL PASO MEET

The next public meeting of the Chicago section of the Trade Union Educational League will take place on Tuesday evening, Dec. 2, 8 p. m., in North West Hall, corner North and Western avenues. These meetings are one of the activities of the left wing movement in the local trade unions and are held for the purpose of unifying the struggle against the labor fakers.

The forthcoming meeting of the Trade Union Educational League promises to be of unusual interest as it will be addressed by William F. Dunne, editor of the DAILY WORKER, who was expelled from the Portland convention of the A. F. of L. because of his militant stand against the betrayal of the workers by Gompers. He will speak on the result of the A. F of L. convention at El Paso. Workers Party members and left wing trade unionists are urged to attend and bring as many as possible to the meeting lay Night, the Open Forum.

TROTSKY'S NEW **BOOK DECREASES** HIS PRESTIGE

Communist Workers Resent Implied Criticism

(Special to The Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, Nov. 30.-The elimina ion of Leon Trotsky from political ife is predicted here by high officials of the Russian Communist Party uness he abandons his expressed opposition to the policies of the party and his attempt, made in his most recent book, "Lessons of the 1917 revolution," to pose as the sole interreter of Leninism.

It is considered here that Trotsky has again sinned once more against the discipline of the Communist RETURNS SHOW Party, particularly in the preface to his book in which he once more raises questions settled in the course of the party discussion last year, a discussion which ended in his overwhelming defeat.

Is Political Question.

pureau of the Russian Communist Party and as such his book is of maor political significance, a fact which Stalin and Kameneff emphasize in articles by them criticizing Trotsky's tatements. That Trotsky's description of himself as the chief aid of Lenin in 1917 was designed to re-open controversial questions there is little doubt and altho there is no intention on the part of the Russian Communist Party to take any disciplinary measures against his supporters and symaoon the office of president of the pathizers, Stalin urges the party to by Trotsky and prevent these from becoming a theoretical rallying point for the remnants of the bourgeois in Russia.

Trotsky last year, in the discussion that took place, found most of his support in the ranks of the young student elements and military cadets but this time there is but little evidence of support from any quarter resence of many Americans, led by The Russian party is a unit behind the central executive committee and the American chamber of commerce. the factory workers particularly are hostile to Trotsky because of the symn the midst of American bankers and pathy and publicity his statements and criticism of the party receive

One thing is very clear in the pres ent situation. It is that the Communist Party is supreme in Russia and that even men of genius and practical ability like Trotsky, if they oppose and the officials of the A. F. of L. the party, can pass from public life without leaving a ripple to indicate their withdrawal.

Drive Beginning on Rail Shopmen

(Continued from page 1) WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The in discharged or made to join the union Railroad company proposed to in- men who had brot the complaint, and crease rates on grain and related ar-gave about forty of the oldest union them to the state unemployment agticles from Des Moines, Iowa, to men employed at the shops a five day Cairo, Ill., via the East St. Louis and notice of discharge. To cover up this discrimination against the union men the company pretends that it is held a demonstration at the Parkman merely enforcing an agreement of bandstand and from these with added 1921, which provides that all em The entire Finnish cabinet has resign- ployes of 50 years or more who en quarters of the Workers' Party at ed, following the diet's acceptance of tered service since agreement was Broadway and Shawmut avenue where made, may be discharged at the dis- they organized a Boston unemploycretion of the company.

The Company's Thin Excuse.

The company also sets up the excuse that because the union had no "humane feelings" for the scab Turn. here from the state's own figures er, who was an old man, the company meetings and demonstrations of the is justified in firing all old union men, ployment agency" he said, "out of regardless of either their welfare or the union rules.

The particular injustice of their ac tion lies in the fact that conditions ir years, techanically have entered em. answer to this as far as we are conployment since 1921, because ill cerned; that is: Work or Wages! oline, the manufacture of which has health caused by bad shop conditions

Shop Solidarity Must Rule.

As bad as conditions are, the workers know that things will become worse if the management is successful in this discrimination against the union men, which is looked upon as an opening attack on the shop crafts. If this attack is not checked by the vigilance and solidarity of the entire body of workers in the shops, it is made upon the shopmen all over the profit system must go." country and an attempt made to wipe out the unions completely.

ed to confer today with the management and see that the ution rule, reognized by the company under agreehas passed the thirty day probation, be discharged as these forty union men have been, without cause.

ROUMANIAN SECTION IS ORGANIZED FOR INTERNATIONAL AID

The International Workers' Aid announces that a Roumanian section has been organized with Comrade L. Litwin as secretary, with headquarters at 208 E. 12th St., for carrying on propaganda and raising funds in behalf of the workers imprisoned for opposing the Fascist terror in Bykowina, Transylvania and other parts of Roumania. All workers interested in this activity are requested to get in touch with the committee at the above address and help the work along. Information is particularly requested regarding organizations which are interested in promoting this work.

BEAT SOCIALISTS

Trotsky is a member of the political Explains How S. P. Cut Own Throat

By Charles Schwartz.

(Special to The Daily Worker) REVERE, Mass., Nov. 30 .- In this little town of Massachusetts, the state of rock-ribbed conservatism, a most significant indication of what the own legs against the "progressive" sweep, an indication which, in view of the lingering memories of Paul Revere, makes rather amusing the slogan of the socialist party in the elec tion-"Back to 1776!'

In this instance, where apparently at least a part of the Communist votes were counted, is the proof that the socialist party got it in the neck as it richly deserved

Comparative Agitational Strength. It is instructive as well as interest ing to know that in this city the "For wards" of Abe Cahan, has 500 read ers, while the "Freiheit" has only 60 and the DAILY WORKER only 20. In the light of this comparative strength, the following returns of this one town should be reckoned:

For president, Coolidge, 3,882; Davis, 1,874; LaFollette, 1,758; Fos

For governor, Curley, democrat, 4, 326; Fuller, republican, 3,552; John Ballam, Workers Party, 92; Hutchins. For lieutenant-governor, the repub-

lican got 3,563; democrat, 3,326; E. R. Stevens of the Workers Party, 128; the socialist, 90. For secretary of state, republican.

3,760; democrat, 2,367; W. A. Dwyer, of the Workers Party, 320; socialist,

For senator, the democrat, 4.964: the republican, 2,531, while Antoinette F. Konikow of the Workers Party, got

Unemployed Council Formed by Workers Party in the East

(Continued from page 1)

ency. The men then paraded to the common, carrying banners, where they numbers they marched to the head ment council.

Demands Work or Wages.

Comrade Dwyer tonight stated that there were over 80,000 unemployed This is in Boston alone. "At the em-1,380 applicants only 40 received work. The situation is rapidly ap

proaching that of 1921 when over six million were unemployed. The profit system is again breaking down and those who produced the swollen sur that many of these employes who plus are being thrown on the Jahor have worked at the shop for many market to starve. There is only one "Industry must take over the har

ATHENS, Nov. 30 .- Relations be killed five Standard Oil workers in have compelled them to lay off and den of paying unemployment henefits tween Greece and Bulgaria were New Jersey, should not be sold in lose seniority rights, coming back as We'll see that the surplus we created is used to keep us from starvation The bosses say: where there is no profit for them-there is no work for minority on the school board. us. But we demand that the profits we created be used to support us itself, we, the workers, will take over the board, said that he would not 154,246 received last year from the the industries and administer them in make any appointments during his certain that further attacks will be our own interests-ultimately, the term of office. However, with the new

> shops have met and expressed the in- levy special taxes to create an unemtack on the unions, and the chairman administered by the unions, and from McAndrew's policies. of the shop craft federation is expect- it union wages shall be paid to the unemployed. Unemployment councils will be created thruout the country with delegates from trade unions ment that no worker shall, after he from working class political organiza tions and from unemployed groups We in the unions are going to work shoulder to shoulder with our unemployed fellow workers and we'll resist Next Sunday Night and Every Sun- wage cuts and see that the working of schools, in preparing his new establish permanent houses and or day is shortened as well."

Only Under Communism WORKING RULES Will Machinery Become CHANGED OFFSET Servant of All Mankind

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

ODAY, 300 more workers in Chicago go out hunting jobs. Another battalion is added to the growing army of unemployed. The struggle for a place to work becomes more

They come from the "white collar" workers in the city hall. Most of them are women. Many are mothers, heads of fatherless families. The loud boast of the kept press that there are plenty of jobs cutting ice and shoveling snow does not touch these.

The 300 were not fired because there is less work to do. There is more work than ever. But their places have been taken by machines.

Instead of 370 workers, folio writers and comparers, in the county recorder's office, there will now be 70 workers and 10 photographing machines. The 10 machines take the places of the 300 workers. The saving, it is claimed, will turn a department deficit into a surplus.

But there will be hungry on the streets.

When Mussolini took charge in Italy, his Fascisti rule set out to save money in the conduct of its government. The ranks of the government workers were decimated. In the absence of obedient machines, additional labor was piled upon the remaining workers.

Mussolini saved a little money; but he did not take account of the hundreds of thousands thrown out of work. They constitute today one of the great menaces to his bloody dictatorship.

When the League of Nations took over control of Austria, it demanded that the army of government employes be cut down. This was done in the name of "efficiency." It was going to help put the Austrian capitalist government on its feet again to promote the stability of West European

The Austrian puppets of the League of Nations' jackals obediently followed orders. A little was saved, but the cry of the hungry for bread in Austria grew louder and the problems of capitalism are as great as ever.

Under capitalism labor gets little benefit from machine production. Increasing numbers of workers find themselves cast upon the industrial scrap heap while the profits of the owners of industry mount higher and higher. Instead of reducing the number of working hours, with the introduction of machinery, the employing interests fight to maintain the workday as long as possible.

The 300 workers thrown upon the streets in Chicago today have no powerful economic organization to protect them. The unions of office workers in the United States are weak and scattered.

Where these unions have come into existence, and shown any activity, it is because of their Communist membership. But the Gompers' regime in the American Federation of Labor has quickly broken this spirit. It reorganized the New York union of office workers immediately it was shown that the Communists had a dominating influence. In the reorganization the Communists were left on the outside. This condition has been duplicated in other cities.

Faced with the introduction of new machinery, of every conceivable kind, on the one hand, and the rank betrayal of the organized labor officialdom on the other, the white collar office workers, who like to consider themselves a little above the wage worker in overalls, have a difficult time of it.

But the white collar workers will be forced to build their unions, in spite of reaction; militant unions for active struggles. In their battles with their employers they will learn that there is no solution for the unemployment, machine and wage problems under capitalism. They will learn that all the evils that afflict them are inherent in the present social system. All this the machine will help teach them.

Conditions will force the white collar workers into the growing proletarian army, that marches forward to the destruction of capitalism and the seizure of the machine as labor's greatest ally in building the new social order. Only under Communism will the machine become the servant of mankind.

M'ANDREW RULE THREATENEDBY NEWRESIGNATION

William K. Fellows, member of the board of education, whose term expires on April 1, 1925, has asked Mayor Dever not to reappoint him. With the resignation of President Moderwell and the expired terms of Hart Hanson and Julius Smitenka, Fellows' resignation will reduce Superintendent McAndrew's support to a

Mayor Dever, a few months ago, when approached by the members of until the capitalists are able to stabal the Teachers' Federation with the reize their own broken down system quest that he appoint two new mem-Finally, there is the alternative: if bers in place of Hanson and Smitenka the profit system cannot maintain thus giving their side a majority on turn in events which will reduce Mc-United Front with Unions and Parties. Andrew's power in the board, the "Our immediate demands" he mayor has dropped his non-partisan The various union committees in the stated, "are that the government policy and has announced that he is looking about for someone to take dignation of the men at this brutal at- ployment fund. This fund shall be the president's place who will favor

Legislature Robs School Children. The Chicago school board faces another deficit in its treasury. A change in the distribution of the state funds provided by the legislature at its last

revenue by \$245,000.

SOVIET RULE ACTS INSTEAD OF TALKS ON TRADE IN NARCOTICS

(Special to The Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, Nov. 30 .- While the capitalist nations of the world were bickering in Geneva for control of the world's opium trade, Soviet Russia embarked upon a vigorous anti-narcotic campaign to exterminate the use and sale of drugs. In future, sale of cocaine or other drugs will be punished by imprisonment, deportation and confiscation of property.

district allotment. According to the report Chicago under the new provision is allowed 11/2 cents for each child and 70 cents for each teacher The total amount Chicago will receir s this year is \$2,908,883 as against \$3,-\$8,000,000 state fund.

Probe California Cotton Fields. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.-The

California state commission of housing and immigration is investigating the California cotton fields, which are becoming an important feature in the agricultural life of the southern part of the state. The pickers are mostly Mexicans, Negroes, and poor whites from Texas and Oklahoma. Whole families work together, children and all, many of them living in unsanitary shacks and huts. Edward A. Brown session will reduce the Chicago school the commission's sanitary director. has returned from an inspection trip E. J. Tobin, county superintendent and proposes to clean up the camps, budget, has just finished the Chicago ganize school for the children.

WAGE INCREASE

75,000 Engineers and Firemen Affected

Seventy-five thousand engineers, firemen and hostlers employed on 45 western railroads have received wage increases of approximately five per cent, in a decision of the United States railroad labor

The wage increase is somewhat nullified, it is declared, however, because of changes in the working rules in favor of the railroad carriers.

Won't Affect Strike Ballot.

The strike ballot now being taken on the Southern Pacific railroad by the brotherhoods of locomotive engineers and firemen and locomotive firemen and enginemen will not be affected by the labor board's decision. The decision will probably be ignored by the two brotherhoods, as the officials have denied the right of the railcoad labor board to assume jurisdiction of the dispute between the cariers and the brotherhoods.

The brotherhoods refused to accept the authority of the railroad labor board last June, walking out of the conference room, and stating their intention of dealing direct with the individual carriers. Charges were made at that time by the brotherhood officials that the railroad labor board was prejudiced in favor of the railroad owners. The board then ordered ninety officials of the brotherhoods to testify before it, but they refused.

Demand Union Officials Testify. In the test case of D. B. Robertson, president of the firemen, and J. N. McGuire, of the engineers' organization, who refused to obey the board's summons, the federal courts decided that the railroad union officials must testify. The brotherhood officials announced that the case will be taken to the United States supreme court.

It is not known whether the officials of the brotherhoods will accept the decision of the railroad labor board. The Southern Pacific employes lose by the decision, as the former rule of 100 miles to a day's work as the basis of pay has been abolished, thus doing

away with most of the overtime pay. Three rules which are still before the board will be decided by the test case before the supreme court. Meanwhile individual negotiations between the brotherhoods and the carriers are still going on.

Students of Moscow Send Red Message to Chinese Comrades

MOSCOW, Nov. 30.-The students of the Leningrad Labor University have sent a letter to the Chinese students, in which, referring to the present events in China, they remind their Chinese comrades that it is only by following in the path shown by Marx and Lenin that they will free themselves from oppression and en-

slavement by capitalist society. "Long live the fraternal solidarity of the students of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and of China! Long live the world Communist revo-

This letter has been addressed to the Chinese Students' Union at Peking.

Spanish Dictators Nervous. PARIS - Agents of the Spanish secret service today warned military authorities of Spain to be on guard against attempts to introduce radicals in Spanish barracks as soldiers. The plan originated in revolutionary head-

quarters here, they stated. Open Forum, Sunday Night, Lodge Room, Ashland Auditorium.

> AS WE SEE IT By T. J. O'FLAHERTY.

(Continued from page 1) fight the battles of the workers and that is the Communist Party. Zinoviev points out in an article, or speech, published in last Saturday's supplement to the DAILY WORKER, that the British ruling class was able to carry out its policy of robbery in China much better under the MacDonald government than it could under either liberal or tory. The British workers could be more easily induced to protest against the actions of the tories than against those of a government calling itself labor.

WHILE the robber powers carry on their policy of brigandage thruout the world, there is only one country that stands out as a shining light giving inspiration to the oppressed of all lands. That country is Soviet Russia. As Sun Yat Sen declared a few days ago, Russia is the only white nation (red nation would be better) that believes in the right of self determination for the Asiatic and all other subject races.

POLICE LAUNCH MANY RAIDS ON **NEGROES HERE**

Find It Is Profitable Source of Graft

Police officers are conducting wholesale raids without reason on the homes of south side Negroes, victims of police raids charge.

The police on the south side are in league with the numerous bendsmen who infest the police stations and courts, bailing out those arrested and giving commissions to the police, Perry C. Thompson, Negro writer, charges.

Prey On the Negroes

Arrests must be kept up to a certain level in order to make the graft profitable, and as usual, the Negro residents are counted as legitimate

An example of wholesale persecu tion of Negroes by the police is seen in the arrest by Officers McMorrow and McKenna, of the Wabash avenue station, of Irene Mathews, 4925 Calumet avenue, Miss Mathews was approached by a white man who, she charges, made some fresh remarks to her, and when she refused to go with him, called to the two officers who were standing in readiness near by.

The Negroes charge that scores of Negro women are being framed up in similar manner by the police, the white men accosting the women being "stool pigeons" in league with the police.

Complainant Fails to Appear

Miss Mathews was discharged by the judge trying her case after she had given evidence of her good moral character. This is the first time in the many similiar cases in which the complaining witness has failed to appear to make his charges.

It cannot be charged that there is more crime rampant in the blackbelt as the gangs centering around Dean O'Banion, Tommy O'Connor, Big Tim Murphy, Gene Gary, the Torrios, and O'Donnell made their habitats in other sections of the city. Many of the Negroes unjustly arrested are forced to "pay off" the police officers rather than spend the night in jail, it is charged.

Negro Made the Goat

The south side Negroes are now for similiar structures. These homes are broken into without search warsocial ladder, is made the goat.

WORKER CRACKS JOKE WITH ANOTHER: BOTH TAKEN INTO CUSTODY

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL .- "Coolidge ought to be killed," jocularly remarked Mike Naujoks to Arthur Billedo, both cheesemakers in the Armour plant. The two were arrested by U. S. marshals and confronted with charges of having threatened the life of the president in violation of a federal act prohibiting such threats. Their bonds were fixed at \$5,000 which Naujoks

Insure The Waily Worker for 1925 NEWS OF THE NEW CAMPAIGN.

THE big mailing of \$50,000 worth of insurance policies in the campaign to INSURE THE DAILY WORKER FOR 1925 has been completed. Every branch in the party now has in its hands letters, directions, policy books-everything essential to put over the campaign.

Policy books were printed and letters were written in eight different languages. This in itself is a task which our printing plant can be

J. A. Hamilton, organizer of Local Cleveland, writes that it is his personal opinion that the policy is too elaborate and expensive, altho the general idea impresses him as very good. Well, it shows what YOUR printing establishment can do in the line of high-class printing. Then also, we decided that we would put out a piece of campaign printing that would make the membership sit up, look and buy, the minute they saw it. And we guess this we did do.

Mat Jenkins, of Pittsburgh, encourages us greatly. "Altho we just raised \$1,000 for the Freiheit," he writes, "still we are going to raise a big sum for the DAILY WORKER. Send the equipment, special delivery, to put us to work." His branch has elected a special committee to carry on the work.

The house committee in the National Headquarters Building has set the pace. The call to INSURE THE DAILY WORKER FOR 1925 is for the sum of \$50,000. Of this sum more than one-fiftieth has already been raised by this committee. Figure it out for yourself. One-two hundred and fiftieth part of our Workers Party membership has raised onefiftieth of the sum needed. If all members will show an equal interest, we will raise \$250,000 for the DAILY WORKER, instead of only \$50,000. If we do, you'll not hear any complaint from this center of our party

To induce comrades each to buy \$35 worth of policies is just a matter of knowing how. Steve Rubicki of the house campaign committee at National Headquarters knows how. He tells the comrades in groups of the birth, history, present and future need of our daily in such a way that comrades feel compelled to respond liberally to make our paper safe for the year to come.

A speech in similarly positive language was made by Nick Dozenberg to Lettish comrades gathered at the Chicago bazaar.

The Irving Park English branch, Chicago, has pledged every member for a \$5.00 insurance policy. The Chicago German branch followed suit. We add, that not a single member of the party ought to buy less than a

And if they do, then we WILL cover their yellow with a coat of RED.

ON CHARGE

But Not the Kind Cured Meanwhile Oakland Old of war propaganda. by Sun Baths

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Nov. 30. -Charged by T. A. Brown, United States district attorney, with "drunk" enness, confiscation and consumption of intoxicating liquor, imprisonment paying rent which in many cases is of a citizen without cause or justifi-80 per cent higher than whites pay cation, high crimes and misdemeanors and unfitness and incompetency to fill the judicial position," held by rants by officers on the trail of graft him, Federal Judge William E. Baker, for themselves. As usual, the Negro, of the northern district of West Virwho is unorganized, and on the bot- ginia went on trial before a sub-comtom of the wage scale as well as the mittee of the house committee on judiciary here today. The sub-commit-Baker, who was named to his posi- San Francisco. Dairymen within 200 tion by the late President Harding in miles normally send milk to Oakland. 1921, should be presented to the sen- The small independent milk producate for impeachment.

> the charges include L. C. Dyer, Mis- claimed, hired gunmen to prevent souri, chairman; I. M. Foster, Ohio; A. J. Hickey, Indiana; J. B. Kritz, Pennsylvania: F. H. Dominick. South Carolina, and J. W. Wise, Virginia.

Imperialists Get Singed.

suffered heavy damage

FASCISTI MENACE CANNOT STOP COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN ITALY

(Special to The Daily Worker)

MILAN, Italy, Nov. 30.—Today is "all saints day" so the saviors of the Italian bourgeosie, the Fascisti, used the holiday as the occasion for more display of their potential strength. As usual it was a parade—this time of the boys and girls ranging in age between six and twelve. I will let the readers of the DAILY WORKER guess why they are organized and by whom and also what they are taught.

They carried banners denouncing Bolshevism and promising that when they grew up into big black-shirts like their daddies, they would defend with dren are crying for milk.

equal fervor this system of exploitation. They migh have been boy and Milan. They are all young men full girl scouts such as one sees parading of enthusiasm and were at the moon occasion in any town in the United States except that they wore black at the expense of the chief of police shirts. They were of course too of Milan. small to carry pistols and clubs like

Must Prepare to Fight Fascism We have Fascism in the United

L'Unita, the party's official organ in cessfully.

gentle crimes.

ment enjoying a scoop they had made

Communists Have Them Worried.

A letter had been sent from Rome ordering him to renew efforts to States although as compared to Italy stamp out the activities of the party state. Milwaukee is Victor Berger's honor!" it is in its infancy but let us have a amongst the steel workers around model city. Could one wish for a hap. The father is called to the stand. real revolutionary crisis and it will Milano, and to use any methods he pier combination? And yet He explains: grow into a conscious, cold-blooded deemed advisable. The letter went strange things happen in Milwaukee, "I make \$15 a week when work is the party or to the proletariat. The district and should be stopped at all that are run by those who represent cannot eat." comrades must work hard to prepare costs. This letter instead of reaching themselves as the friends of the The case was dismissed. But that themselves for what is surely to the chief of police had somehow been | "common people." come, for we have the most power delivered, by mistaken, of course, to A man, a wife, six children. Two of of the hungry ones nor will it ful bourgeoisie in the world with the L'Unita, where it was photo the children had been committed to straighten out the psychological kinks murder as one of its lesser and more graphed and published the same day county institutions for delinquency, which grow into the minds of children Yesterday I went to call on some the work is going on here as usual placed in an institution for theft.

MILK PROFITEERS STAGE RIOTS IN HIGH PRICE WAR

and Babies Suffer

(Special to the Daily Worker) OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 30 .- As the

practically without milk, 22 persons are under arest, drivers have been held up and shot at, and state troops have been requested.

The trouble arose when the East Bay Milk Producers' Assn., the jobbers between farmers and distributors, refused to supply any more milk ers, continued to serve Alameda Members of the committee sifting county, and the big association, it is their doing so.

There have been several clashes beis to stand in line for hours. Then clergy sympathized, is at an end. only old women and children with tributors' request, as owing to the trouble in southern California, where the farmers in Owens river valley have diverted part of the Los Angeles water supply to provide themselves with water for irrigation, all available

croops may be needed there. The producers' association states that the farmers they get their milk from are desperate, and will not provide any more milk until the price is raised. The independent producers and that it is simply trying to raise prices for its own benefit. Meanwhile disorder continues and Oakland chil-

Next Sunday Night and Every Sunday Night, the Open Forum.

WAR CHIEF ASKS **CONGRESS FOR GREATER ARMY**

Far-reaching Plans for Jingo Propaganda

(Special to the Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.—Secretary of War Weeks pleads for greater war appropriations and for an increase in size of the army in his annual

report made public t/day. Weeks praises the "citizen army" provided in the national defense act.

Prepared for War.

"Our program for national defense conforms to military requirements in view of the state of the world and the traditional traits of our people" says the secretary of war.

"It was made so that should we again be confronted suddenly with an international crisis the nationals of America would defend themselves in an effective organization, the citizens of the nation forming part of a citizen

"The training activities of the army of the United States and its personne! procurement branches are on the in-

While stating that the size of the army is increasing, Weeks admits diers are forced to work are many times very poor.

"The condition under which officers and enlisted men live in temporary camps and cantonments, due to lack of funds for new construction, tends seriously to reduce the efficiency and morale of both officers and men.

Worries About Appearances.

"Lack of funds for the manufacture of clothing for enlisted men and the forced issue of war stocks of these articles has resulted either in very unmilitary appearing commands or has compelled the soldier to expend ? large proportion of his own funds in order to present before the public the military appearance necessary".

Plan War Propaganda The secretary of war shows that

progress is being made toward the perfecting of a system for the spread

"Eventually we shall have representatives of one or another of this national defense system in all communities and their influence will be felt among their neighbors result of a milk war betwen produc until all our people come to appreciaers and jobbers, Alameda county is te the wisdom of supporting a na tional defense plan so essential to security and peace, so beneficial to our youth, and yet so economical to the taxpayer".

The war department again pleads for more money and a larger army declaring, "If satisfactory normal progress is to continue there must be until the price was raised from 17c provision for expansion beyond the to 29c a gallon. Milk retails in Oak narrow bounds imposed by the tem tee is to determine whether Judge land for 8c a pint, as against 13c in porary considerations of the post war

Church Leadeship in Strike Brings Weak Settlement

HULL, Canada, Nov. 30.-The two twen gunmen and strikers, and the months strike of girl match workers, only way to get milk in Oakland today in which some of the Roman Catholic

The church leadership in the strike LONDON, Nov. 30.—Fire in the ex- babies in arms are served. San Fran is undoubtedly responsible for the clusive British Empire club in York cisco producers are sending some sur weak settlement. The E. B. Eddy Co. St., Piccadily, claimed one life today plus milk to the east bay district, but agrees to take back all of the 300 em-Eight members of the club, who were almost none is coming from the back ployes "only as needed" and only 3 trapped in their quarters by the country. It is unlikely that the gov- out of 15 machines are to be operflames, were injured. The building ernor will send trop at the milk dislated at present. The company will not sign an agreement with the union, but the objectionable form of contract, prohibiting union action in working hours, is dropped. The company persist in its refusal to appoint forewomen, but agrees to appoint women inspectors, who will not have the power to hire and fire.

Expect to Save Miners.

SWANSEA, England, Nov. 30 .- Four miners had not been reached by ressay the big association is sabotaging cue parties working today in the Penland Colliery where 18 were caught in the rush of waters into the mine but it was believed that all would be brot out alive.

The rescue workers first feared that nine were imprisoned beyond hope of salvation.

IT HAPPENS IN MILWAUKEE

By IDA DAILES.

testifying in the juvenile court, away their possible crimes.

charges, "The mother won't stay home Wisconsin is LaFollette's model and take care of her children, your

armed force that will show absolutely on to say that they, the Communists Wisconsin. Things that really scarce and \$21 a week when I work no quarter either to the members of were becoming a real menace in this shouldn't happen in a city and a state full time. My wife must work or we

will neither put food into the mouths So in spite of the clubs of the Fascisti Another child, six years old, is to be who are brot up in poverty and misery. And when they grow up, there of the comrades at the office of the and it would seem from the letter suc. An indignant probation officer will be no costly alienists to explain

WEST VA. COAL STRIKERS MEET DEATH IN PRISON PERSECUTIONS

(Special to The Daily Worker)

MOUNDSVILLE, W. Va., Nov. 30.—It took the death of two convicts and the probable fatal injury of another at the state penitentiary coal mine here to fasten the attention of the public on the conditions existing in the state prison.

For months convicts in the state prison have been carrying on an intermittent strike against these condi-

Terrific Driving Goes On.

All prisoners are forced to work in one of the several workshops of the prison. It was while driving a shaft for a coal mine to be operated by convicts that the two prisoners were killed and the other one injured. The state manager of the prison permitted the work on the shaft to be carried on in such manner as to lead to the

In all the work shops a certain amount of work is demanded of each prisoner. If he fails to do it he is punished. Several times recently the ly in desperation the prisoners struck against conditions demanding that the standards be fixed so that the aged and infirm and sick prisoners should not be required to do as much as the young and stronger prisoners.

Prisoners Persecuted.

confinement and the prison authorities refused to give them either food or water till they agreed to work. After three days the strikers were forced to agree to work. Several days later another strike occurred and again the strikers were put in solitary without either food or water.

Many of the prisoners are coal miners who took part in the battle of that conditions under which the sol Cliftonville in 1922. They are all nounced his intention of going to the serving five-year terms. Since they were union men who were all fearless and were not timid in demanding that conditions be improved, they were blamed for the strike by the prison authorities. They are receiving the worse treatment than any of the oth er strikers.

Some "forward looking liberals" hope that the death of the two prisoners killed in the mine blast will serve to arouse the public to demand ing that prison conditions be set right but the workers and the convicts who know something of the political rottenness of this entire state and its government machinery are cynical about the outlook. In the meantime the intermittent strike of the convicts goes on. The cycle runs, work and misery, strike and starve, work and misery, strike and starve.

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CONFERS WITH

Tour United States

(Special to The Daily Worker) TOKYO, Nov. 30.-Japanese politiconfer with Sun Yat Sen, southern Chinese leader, who is enroute to Tien Tsin for reunification conferences with other Chinese leaders. In an interview at Kobe, Sun declared that extra territoriality is the chief cause The strikers were all put in solitary of China's troubles. He declared that he needed Japanese aid to abolish unfair foreign treaties.

Feng to Tour U. S.

PEKING, Nov. 30.-Resigning his army command. Marshal Feng Yu Hsiang, famous chirstian general and one of the most picturesque figures in recent Chinese history today an-United States.

Feng in a telegram to Marshal Wu Pei Fu. who was ousted as military over lord of China by Feng's success ful coup, invited Wu also to go abroad and give the country an opportunity to work out a peaceful reunification without military interference

Americans Perished In Expedition to Wrangel Island

MOSCOW, Nov. 30 .- Fifteen Americans, Britishers and Canadians perished on Wrangle Island, according to an that you can improve your condition interview today with M. Moscow from has just returned to Moscow from the the Soviet Wrangel expedition. The victims of the exposure and

scanty food supply included Barker Brady, King, Dr. Mackey, Murray

BOOKS STOLEN; IN UNION MEET

Bosses' Thugs Stage Raid on Candy Union

(Special to The Daily Worker)

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- That the workers who produce the sweets are having a very bitter time of it was the consensus of "Christian" General to opinion at a mass meeting of candy workers here at Astoria Hall, 62 East 4th Street.

They called this meeting to organize into a union to secure work quotas have been raised. Final- cal leaders went to Kobe today to better working conditions in candy factories.

Over 150 attended. The lights went out suddenly. There was a skirmish. Then five men rushed up to the platform, snatched up the books and file card index containing names of the members of the union and made their getaway.

The officers and members said they could easily explain the hold up. The manufacturers of candy are worried, in fact, they are desperate. They have always been able to exploit the candy workers without any redress. Profits were big-salaries the lowest of any workers in the country and hours the longest. Now the candy workers are organizing. And the holiday season is here. The workers' demands become serious. It is a had time for bosses to have a strike on their hands. But it is a right good time for the workers.

The candy workers have sent out the following appeal to workers in their trade:

"Candy Workers, Attention!

"How long are our conditions going to remain worse than those of other workers? How long will our wages be so low and hours so long? How much longer will our bosses and foremen be able to insult us with absolute impunity? Do you realize that our lives are endangered by the rotten conditions under which we labor? Do you know, candy worker, by coming to this meeting? It is your

miss it. In union there is strength, and We Must Organize!" There will be another meeting of the candy workers very soon at which Buchet, Morris, Brawford, Galla and they will go into the final plans for the organization of their union.

duty to come. You cannot afford to

Brick Makes Difference

This Worker

Leads a helluva life!

For him the world is the blah.

has no interest in Labor. He knows nothing about it.

He has never joined the conscious ranks of his class.

Of course-

You can see he does not read

"The National Labor Daily"

1113 W. Washington Blvd.

This Worker

Gets a "kick" out of living!

For him the world is worthwhile.

has news every day of the work-

He is well informed.

ers' world.

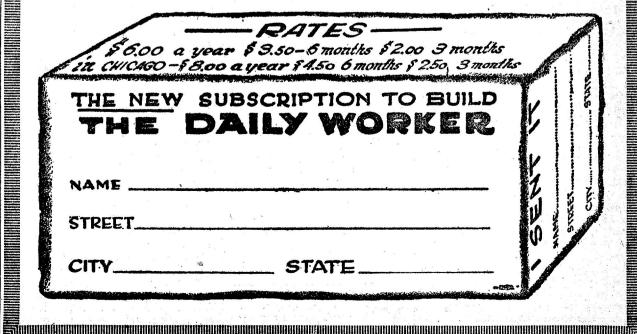
He is in the ranks of the Labor movement.

Of course—

He has heaved this brick back to

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Discussion of Our Party's Immediate Tasks

THE WORKERS PARTY IS THE LEADER OF THE LEFT WING

By EARL R. BROWDER.

In the thesis of the Central Executive Committee, on the tasks of the Workers Party (printed in the DAILY | farmer-labor parties in the industrial WORKER Nov. 26), the majority takes the position that the Workers Party is itself the political leader of the left there. We took most of them in with wing in the American labor move-

The thesis of the minority (printed in the DAILY WORKER Nov. 27), on the contrary, declares that it is only under the banner of a "class farmerlabor party" that we can mobilize "the left-class-party bloc" and thus "again establish contact with the trade unions and with the organization of the poorer farmers.'

Here is a definite issue. Is the left wing of the American proletariat entirely leaderless? Is it impossible for the Workers Party to lead this left wing except by first organizing it into a non-Communist farmer-labor party? The C. E. C. majority says: "No!" The Workers Party has already established itself as the leader of the left The minority says: "Yes!" They think the Workers Party stands alone and naked unless it has the covering of a farmer-labor party, a "leftclass-party bloc" (whatever that is.) with which it will beguile the left wing into following it. Which is cor-

Do We Need a Farmer-Labor Party to Lead the Left Wing?

tical leadership of the Workers Par- industrial demands.

Party as the Workers Party?

Yes, it does. True, this left wing was the backbone of most of our we did not find all these elements us. The left wing of the industrial proletariat went into the farmer-labor parties largely under the leadership of the Workers Party. They will go advise them to do so. But they are not inclined at all to force us to organize a farmer-labor party for them as the price of our leadership. They will follow the Workers Party under its own name just as readily-indeed, many portions of the left wing with even more enthusiasm, as was proved in the New York campaign where thousands of dollars were donated by unions for the W. P. campaign, more than was ever forthcoming for a farmer-labor party. Do We Need a F.-L. P. to Widen the

Left Wing? Must we have a "left-class-bloc' party, a farmer-labor party, a non-Communist party, in order to widen the left wing?

No. says the majority thesis. The

C. E. C. of our party does not believe that such protective coloring, necessarily evasions of primary questions of the class struggle, will widen and strengthen the left wing. Only by the most active organization and lead-The left wing is that section of the ership of the left wing by the Comworking class which understands, de- munists, and the launching of strugfinitely enough to fight for its imme- gles for definite immediate demands diate aims, that it has a bitter and (shop committees, amalgamation of implacable enemy in the capitalist the unions, resistance to wage cuts, class, and that only thru uncomprom- unemployed councils, etc.) can the left ising struggle is it possible to win im- wing extend its influence and, at the provements in the lot of the workers same time and as a consequence, and strengthen the working class for strengthen the influence of the Workfuture struggles. In the trade unions ers Party. Recruits to the left wing it is that section which follows the are not won on the basis of abstract, general line of the R. I. L. U. and the organizational slogans, such as "for a Trade Union Educational League, the labor party"; rather they are won in line of class struggle and against class | the fight for immediate protection and betterment of the workers, in the Does this left wing follow the poli- trade unions and out, for political and

Does it support the Workers | This struggle can only be led by America

the Workers Party. It is impossible for a farmer-labor party, without definite revolutionary principles, to lead left-wing struggle. If it argued that the Workers Party will give it the

Communist backbone-what then is contributes nothing? The masses are not in it, so it cannot contribute mass centers during the past two years. But and volume. About all that a farmerlabor party created by the Workers Party could possibly add to the struggle would be some additional illusions that would have to be destroyed before its members would be really left wingers.

Strengthens Left Wing.

In short, the more we examine the arguments of the minority on this point of left-wing leadership, the more definitely must we conclude that it is not only incorrect—that would be bad enough—but that it betrays a fundamental misconception of the class struggle, of the process of the revolutionization of the masses, and of the the leadership of their struggles on the merits of its superior knowledge and rogram, its more militant fighting rganize the struggle.

The Workers Party has won its place as the party of the class struggle in America. By that fact it has won leadership of the left wing of the American proletariat. It does not need a cloak-of-many-colors, whether it be called "farmer-labor party" or whatnot, to hold and widen this leadership. What it needs is better organization in its own ranks, the transformation on the basis of shop nuclei, the more complete assimilation of the principles of Leninism, and more-ever more-practical activity under its own name and on the basis of the united front in the daily struggles of the working class. The minor ity is wrong. The thesis of the Cen tral Executive Committee is correct It points the road upon which must travel the Communist movement in

THE "LOGIC" OF THE MAJORITY THESIS clares that since nothing else can to stay there for a long, long time to

By C. E. RUTHENBERG.

the use of the farmer-labor party if it of the Central Executive Committee these masses closer to us and in the on the political situation and the process of working and fighting with clusion which is drawn from the facts into our party and thus build the submitted. This conflict between the Workers' Party. Our policy had a analysis of the economic and political two-fold purpose, to further develor developments in the United States and politically those workers and farmthe policy which it is proposed that ers in whose minds the idea of inde our party shall follow is so glaring pendent, political action was growing that it strikes one in the face even and to build our party. into farmer-labor parties again, if we Workers Party Alone Leads and in a most casual reading of the the-

> What are the facts which have guided our party policy during the past two or three years? World War Brot on Crisis.

Our position has been: The world war has resulted in the crisis of capitalism. The economic burdens grow ing out of the war and the destruction of the means of production in Eurorole of the party therein. And not pean countries have decreased the only that—it betrays also a complete productive power of capitalism and lack of confidence in our party, in its brot a sharpening of the class strugability to stand openly before the con- gle. The United States is not imscious workers as well as before the mune from these conditions, as has masses—winning their confidence and been shown by the swiftly recurring period of depression in this country As a consequence we have had a period of intenser class struggle in and as a consequence even more in spirit, its greater practical ability to the United States since the end of tense class struggles than in recent the war. In these struggles the use years. of the state power against the workers and exploited farmers has developed their political consciousness and resulted in the movement for independent p. itical action by these ex

ploited classes. Every attentive student of our pol icy in our party will agree that this was the line of our argument during front Farmer-Labor Party policy. The whole basis of our policy was that the intenser class struggles of the period of the crisis of capitalism would develop the political consciousfarmers and create a movement for independent political action by these classes. We said, this is our best point of contact with these masses By raising the slogan which expresses the need which is dawn-

ing in their political consciousthesis of the majority members dence, establish our leadership, draw

Workers Learn of Our Party.

For us this policy was a success Our party became a political factor in the United States thru its united front Farmer-Labor Party Policy. Our activities in putting into effect this policy brot us before the masses, our party became known to the workers and exploited farmers. We gained prestige and leadership.

What are the facts now?

The thesis of the majority of the C. E. C. agrees with the viewpoint of the minority thesis that the future in the United States-not the distant future, but the immediate futureholds continued and new oppressions of the workers and exploited farmers

agrees that the conditions which cre workers and exploited farmers is dead, temporarily gained over them. Their argument is, all the conditions "logic" of their thesis.

come out of the economic and pol come. litical situation in the United States munist Party of the United States.

they declare, LaFollette has swal the C. E. C. majority dare not say. lowed the whole Farmer-Labor Party movement. No doubt, temporarily, he has swallowed a goodly part of it. than the economic forces which comers to fight their respective class batpolitical action by the workers and throw these groups into struggles

The LaFollette Bugaboo.

Farmer-Labor Party." That is the exploited farmers who are for independent political action have settled build our party. The minority of the C. E. C. de in the LaFollette camp and are going

There is a reason for this which is than sharper struggles between the not stated in the majoritly thesis but THE most striking feature of the ness, we will win their confi workers and exploited farmers and which runs behind the whole arguthe capitalist government, the logical ment of the thesis. This same reason deduction from this is that the move- explains the desire of the majority to ment for independent political action abandon the slogan for "a class Farm tasks of our party is the illogical con- them we will draw the best elements by the workers and exploited farm er-Labor Party" and substitute for it ers thru a Farmer-Labor Party will directly against the LaFollette move be even stronger than in the past and ment the slogan "Join the Workers' that we must maintain our contact Party." It is the majority theory with these masses thru continuing our that the Labor Party in the United campaign under the slogan "for a States must of necessity be a "broad, class Farmer-Labor Party," because all-inclusive Farmer-Labor Party." we can thus best fulfill our task of Any other Farmer-Labor Party, even developing the political consciousness tho it united a half million workers of the workers and exploited farmers, and exploited farmers, was taboo for leading them into political struggles the C. E. C. majority. In the backand thus creating the basis for class ground of the minds of the members action by these two groups against of the C. E. C. majority there is the the capitalist government. The min view that the LaFollette movement is ority of the C. E. C. declares that it—the broad, all-inclusive Farmerit is only thru such participation in Labor Party. That is the basis for the actual, developing political move abandoning the united front Farmerment of the workers and poorer farm, Labor Party policy. That is the basis ers that we can build the Workers' for raising the slogan "Join the Work-Party and make of it the mass Com ers' Party" against the LaFollette movement. It would be a correct policy if in the LaFollette movement we What answer does the C. E. C. ma- had the Farmer-Labor Party of thejority make to this reasoning. Why United States. That this is the case

Against "Folded Hands" Policy.

The minority declares, that it is not creditable for a Communist Party to But is the LaFollette illusion stronger fold its hands and let the workers and exploited farmers, who are resting In other words the majority thesis pel the workers and exploited farm there temporarily, remain in the La-Follette camp. That we must conated the movement for independen tles? The economic forces which tinue to combine the slogan "For a class Farmer-Labor Party" with the exploited farmers will continue, that have been powerful enuf to compel slogan "Join the Workers' Party." hese conditions will even be intensi them to leave the republican and That by raising the issue of a class fied. And what is the logical deduc democratic parties. They will be party of workers and exploited farmtion from this? The deduction of the powerful enuf to break the weaker ers against the LaFollette movement majority thesis is, the movement for hold upon these workers and ex we will be wielding the strongest the two and a half years of our united independent political action by the ploited farmers which LaFollette has weapon against that movement, and for the developing of the political con-The reading of the C. E. C. major sciousness of the workers and poorer which create a movement for inde ity thesis gives one the impression farmers. That in conducting such a pendent political action by the work that the LaFollette illusion has taken campaign "For a Class Farmer-Labor ers and exploited farmers will prevail hold of the minds of the majority Party" we will continue contact with ness of the workers and exploited in an intensified form, but there will There is a fatalistic bowing of the the masses who are moving in that not be any movement for independent knee before LaFolletteism. For the direction and that in participating in political action and therefore we C. E. C. majority it seems a definitely the fight with them we will have the must discard the slogan "for a class established fact that the workers and best opportunity to raise the slogan "Join the Workers' Party" and to

The minority thesis draws the logical conclusion as to policy from its analysis and the facts it submits. The majority jumps to a conclusion in direct conflict with the analysis it

JAPANESE LEADER

Felicitates Soviet Ambassador to China HE entire New York organiza-

By ROSTA

PEKING, Nov. 30.-The following message has been received by the Soviet Ambassador, Mr. L. M. Karakhan, from Mr. Sentaro Honda, the noted Japanese thinker and a leader of public opinion in Japan, replying to a telegram sent by Mr. Karakhan in answer to a mesage first sent by Mr. Sentaro Honda end of Septem-

"I was praying for solution of the Russo-Japanese question at Daisekiji, our head temple at the foot of Mount Puil, when the arrival of Your Excellency's telegram was announced.

"Then I hurried home and read it with joy: I admire your spirit and rejoice that my sincerity is appreciated. I present my humble respects to Your Excellency with cordial wishes for continued health and welfare.

"It was indeed by inspiration that I cabled Your Excellency. I have already made sincere representations to our government. If Your Excellency will solve the long pending Russo-Japanese question, it will be a godsend, it will impart great vitality to both nations, lead to their spiritual

Coal Production Grows.

MOSCOW, Nov. 30.— Russian coal production in the Donetz basin reached 12,000,000 tons in the year cent of last year and 47 per cent of pre-war. This year's program was exseeded by 6 per cent, and the stocks on hand for export are 1,500,000 tons. Export of coal the past year was 157 per cent of the year preceding.

Room, Ashland Auditorium.

GERMAN FASCISTI APE BRITISH TORIES IN FORGING COMMUNIST DOCUMENTS FOR THE ELECTIONS

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—As a climax to the exposure of police graft amount ing to at least \$5,000,000, officials here have been forced to admit that group of police heads have been forging and "planting" a series of Russian locuments, among them a series of forged Zinoviev letters.

The "discovery" of these letters by the police, often by the very men who forged them, created a scandal of some proportion in Germany. One

after another these Russian documents would come to light thru "clever detective work," and have not only helped line the pockets of the police force, but have also given the newspapers an opportunity to condemn Soviet propaganda.

Shown Gigantic Frame-up. With the forging of the last link in

Russia, the whole thing is discovered to be a gigantic frame-up. The officials have attempted to muzzle the press and prevent discus-

sion of the Zinoviev forgeries, by stating that by means of complete silence they hope to obtain a confession. At the same time that the forgeries have been exposed, discoveries were made of a \$10,000,000 slush fund for buying the elections for the monarch-

ist and nationalist parties. Locomotive Boss Takes Lead. Documentary evidence has been published proving that Herr von Borsig, president of the Borsig Locomotive Works, one of Germany's biggest

Cleveland Winds Up Anti-Red Week Drive with Party Dance

paign against anti-red week. The meeting wound up with a social—singing of revolutionary songs, a dance, 5 eats and a good time for all.

discussed the slogans for that week. 2 A mass meeting was held in conjunc Box, 93, Hanover St. Station, Boston, tion with the party. An enthusiastic announce William G. Thompson as decrowd listened to Jim Hamilton, city fense attorney. The committee solicits organizer of the party who spoke on funds from sympathizers to save these "The Fraud of National Education two Italian-American workers from Week." Max Lerner, organizer of the electric chair. 5 District No. 6 of the party spoke on "Proletarian Dictatorship vs. Capitalist Democracy". Herbert Benjamin, of the executive committee of the district, spoke on "Working Class Loyalty vs Capitalist Patriotism", and George Papcun, organizer of local Cleveland Young Workers League spoke on "The Fight of the Young Workers League Against Perversion

52.8 Register Now-208 E. 12th St.

Feb. 1, Sunday afternoon, Lenin Memorial, Madison Square Garden.

Remember These Dates.

tion is expected to co-operate

in the following affairs. All affiliat-

ed and sympathetic organizations

are requested not to arrange con-

Jan. 11. Sunday afternoon and

evening, DAILY WORKER Jubilee,

flicting dates.

New Star Casino.

Feb. 11-14, Defense Bazaar, The Lyceum, 65th street. March 15, Sunday afternoon and

evening, Press Pageant and Paris Commune Celebration, Madison Square Garden.

New Sacco-Vanzetti Appeal Bill Filed in Massachusetts

DEDHAM. Mass., Nov. 30 .- The first of five bills of exceptions in the case of Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti have been filed in Norfolk country superior court. The exceptions were taken to procedure in the revival and stabilize public feeling. recent hearings before Judge Webster Therefore I earnestly entreat Your cessful membership meeting of the Thayer on five motions for a new trial Excellency to make every effort to Young Workers League and the of these men convicted in Thayer's bring this high mission to a success-Workers Party concluded our cam court for murdering a paymaster and ful conclusion. Sentaro Honda, guard at South Braintree in 1921. Tokyo." Thayer brushed aside new evidence of importance and would not heed the discrediting of state witnesses in the new trial hearings so that these two 0.3 of a week of real hard work. The workers who have always maintained league and the party distributed their innocence and that prosecution ending October, 1924. This is 150 per from ten to fifteen thousand leaflets was a frameup must continue their "Forward to the Soviets". Branches fight thru the state supreme court.

Sacco-Vanzetti Defense Committee,

Open Forum, Sunday Night, Lodge

Lenin Meeting in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA Young Workers League, Workers Party Branches and friendly organizations take notice!

The Philadelphia City Central Committee of the Workers Party has arranged to hold the Lenin Memorial Meeting on Saturday, Jan. 24, at 8 p. m., in the Lulu Temple.

Please arrange no meetings or affairs on that date. Philadelphia City Central Committee.

Party Activities Of Local Chicago

Monday, Dec. 1.

Wm. F. Dunne speaking on "Report of the C. I."

19th Ward Italian, 1103 S. Loomis St.

Tuesday, Dec. 2.

Roumanian Branch, 2250 Clybourn Ave.
Czecho-Slovak Town of Lake, Workers' Home, 51st and Whipple St.

T. U. E. L. meeting, Local General Group, Northwest Hall, corner North and Western Aves. Report on El Paso A. F. of L. convention by William F. Dunne.

F. of L. convention by William F. Dunne.

Wednesday, Dec. 3.

Wednesday, Dec. 3. Italian Cicere, Circolo Giovan 14th St. between 51st and 50th Ct. Douglas Park Jewish, 3420 W. Roose

Italian Terra Cotta, 2475 Clybourn Ave. Englewood English, 5414 S. Halsted St. Chicago will take place, as hitherto, party to carry out this resolution into on Wednesday, Dec. 3, 8 p. m., at life; anti-conscription agitation; in Workers' Hall, 722 Blue Island Ave.

trial and other matters will be up for in 1918. The Bolshevik revolution in attention. Every delegate must at 1917; its effect upon the Slavic federtend. Be on time-8 p. m. sharp! Thursday, Dec. 4.

Finnish Branch, 2409 N. Halsted St. Finnish Branch, 2409 N. Halsted St. 11th Ward Italian, 2439 S. Oakley Blvd. 31st Ward Italian, 511 N. Sangamon St. South Side English, 3201 S. Wabash. Russian No. 1, 1902 W. Division St. Scandinavian Karl Mark, 2733 Hirsch livd. Lithuanian No. 41, 4138 Archer Ave. Friday, Dec. 5.

Industrial organizers' meeting, Room 07, 166 W. Washington St., 8 p. m. Polish North Side, 1902 W. Division St Greek Branch, 722 Blue Island Ave. Saturday, Dec. 6.

Metal Trades T. U. E. L. Group, 7:30
p. m., 722 Blue Island Ave.

Hughes Likes This Revolution. WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.— Ambas sador Collier, home on leave from Chile, reports that the militarist revolution and dictatorship in Chile is now in process of revising the constitution to fit the fact of revolution. Recognition by the United States has not been withdrawn, but direct diplomatic dealings are in a state of suspense

awaiting the constitutional changes. READ THE DAILY WORKER.

FIRST MEETING OF THE RED ATHLETIC CLUB TO BE HELD IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 30 .- All New York comrades interested in the workers' sport movement please reserve Saturday afternoon, Dec. 6, for the first meeting of the New York Red Athletic Club which will be held at 208 East 12th street at 1 p. m. This is the first attempt of the party to go into this field of activities. All those interested in sports are urged to attend this meeting and inform their friends.

STILL TIME TO REGISTER FOR CLASS IN HISTORY OF THE

Douglas Park English Branch, 3322
Douglas Blvd. Business meeting.
North Side English, 2409 N. Halsted St.
Wm. F. Dunne speaking on "Report of cago, Tuesday night. Comrade Cannon was sick and therefore could not

activity in workers' political party organizations from the socialist party

Party in September, 1919.

The lecturer made plain and interesting the following occurrences during this period: The April, 1917. national convention of the socialist Cleveland, Ohio; in the language Many important resolutions, indus- federations; in the Y. P. S. L.; Debs ations and upon the English speaking elements in the left wing of the socialist party; referendum of the socialoverwhelmingly carried; left wing international delegates and national executive committee of socialist party elected: referendum declared illegal by reactionary party officialdom; expulsion of 40,000 federation members by the national executive committee of the socialist party, expulsion of the state organizations of Michigan and

Ohio for their left tendencies. National left wing conference in New York, June, 1919; split in the convention to organize a Communist holding that it would be better tactics to attend the socialist party August convention and there propagate for the left wing; the ejection of the left wing from the socialist party August convention by the Chicago police upon call of Germer and other reactionary S. P. officials; the meeting of these left wing delegates in hall below the S. P. convention to organize the Communist Labor Party; the organization of the Communist Party during these same days in a hall on Blue Island avenue, Chicago; the attempt to unite the C. L. P. and C. P. conventions. resulting in failure, the ideological difference between the two parties and memberships, the leaders in the two parties and the leadership of the remnant left of the socialist party.

Students wishing to register can still do so for the next lecture which will be given Tuesday, Dec. 2.

AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY Disfranchisement of the

The lecture by Comrade Wagenknecht covered the period of inter-party

Philadelphia Open Forum is Workers'

ers in the Workers' Party Open Foment of working class interests.

addressed the second meeting of the Carolina, 10.1 in Georgia, 10.8 in Missforum on "The Labor Government of issippi, 12.5 in Louisiana, 7.5 in Flor-England vs. Soviet Government of ida to 37.2 in North Carolina. ist party to join Third International Russia." He made a careful analytion and showed that during all that time not a single bill was introduced klan and anti-klan forces. in parliament that would interfere with the domination of the capitalist class over the working class. No legislation was put into effect that would increase the standard of living of the workers or relieve the unemployed and otherwise be in the interest of the workers. He drew the conclusion that it was nothing other than a conleft wing executive, the Slavic feder- tinuation of the former Baldwin imations demanding the calling of a perialist policy. He further showed how different was the situation in party irrespective of the coming Soviet Russia, how the proletarian August socialist party convention, and dictatorship had successfully served the English branches of the left wing the interests of the working class and today is stronger economically and

politically than it had ever been in the seven years of its existence. During the discussion one of the survivals of the S. L. P., Silver by name, ried to show by quoting Engels' introduction to Marx' "Class Struggles in France 1848-1851" that the workers will get into power by legal means. Weinstone explained that the document quoted from was distorted by Eduard Bernstein who published it originally and furthermore a very important part of the document was omitted which completely refuted the idea of legalistic emancipation. This was made public by the Marx-Engels Institute of Moscow.

On Sunday, Nov. 30, Lovestone, who is well known for his writings on imperialism, will speak on "American Imperialism and the Dawes Plan The forum meets every Sunday eve ning, 8 p. m., at Grand Fraternity Hall, 1628 Arch St. Admission is Wyoming

RULES AMERICA Negroes Clearly Shown

Only 52.8 per cent of the populace eligible to vote went to the polls on November 4 according to a statement issued following a survey made by the national association of manufacturers. This is an increase of but 3.7 per cent over the 1920 figures when 49.1 per cent of the electorate went to the

The minority basis of the parlia-Center of Education ernment is clearly indicated in the figures which accompany the report of PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30. - Con- the survey. The figures of the asso-The next meeting of the City Cen- party; the anti-war resolution; the sidering the great interest that is be- ciation also reveal in a startling form

tral Committee, Workers' Party, Local effort of the leftists in the socialist ing shown by the Philadelphia work-Negros in the southern states. Nineteen of the 48 states cast a rum it promises to become a real smaller vote than in 1920 and the center of education for the advance- "solid south" upheld its reputation as the home of feudal reaction by per-William Weinstone of New York, centages ranging from 8 in South

> In Kansas and Indiana aproximately sis of the nine months of administra- 82 per cent of the total eligible vote was cast due to the fight between the

> > The enfranchisement of women has had little apparent effect on the percentage of voters altho it has increased the number who go to the polls. The tabulation of the percentages for the nation is as follows: Pct. votes Tot. votes Pct. vts. cast '20. cast '24. cast '24. 17.5

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	Alabama	21.2		206,500		17
	Arizona	47.5		60.165		36
	Arkansas	21.8	Sec.	180,000		20
	California	48.9		,271,241		58
	Coforado	56.1		331,615		60
	Connecticut	58.0	PARTY .	403,620		59
	Delaware	75.4		90,809	0.000	69
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	lowa	65.4		951,319		67
	Kansas	57.9		803,849		80
	Kentucky	71.9		796,391		61
	Kentucky Louisiana	14.0		126,000		12
	Maine	47.0	100	198,649		46
	Maryland	52.3		355,705		41
	Massachusetts	54.6		,142,369		58
	Michigan	55.6	1	,200,682		58
	Minnesota	59.4	4.7	952,365	10	73
	Mississippi Missouri	9.4		94,300		10
	Missouri	67.7	1	,373,400		68
	Montana			175,247		53
	Nebraska	55.8		454,264		64
	Nevada	62.7		26,230	20"	60
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	New Mexico	02. 1		102,509	- 13	58
	New York	56.7	3	,243,583		60
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	North Dakota			220,360		72
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	Oklahoma		. K.	512,037		47
	Oregon			275,978		57
	Pennsylvania	42.7	, 2	,481,721		54
	Rhode Island		*	209,492		69
	South Carolina			65,000		61
	South Dakota			215,236	4	23
	Tennessee					29
	Texas			706,000		59
	Utah					51
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industries, was the person chiefly concerned in the raising of the slush fund.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—A suc-This celebration come at the end

of Education".

70,000 61.9 New York Workers' School. World of Labor Industry J. Agriculture

PHILADELPHIA **GIVES CONCERT**

FOR STRIKERS Story of Struggle Is Cheered by Audience

By R. BAKER.

(Special to The Daily Worker) med the Lulu Temple to hear the strikers of Paterson in the splendid concert arranged by the Workmen's Circle branches relief.

The cold rain did not dampen the spirits of these workers who came to demonstrate their class solidarity to the striking silk weavers of Paterson.

Great Cheering for Strikers.

The great hall trembled to the cheering and applause when the Paterson workmen's chorus and the orchestra appeared on the stage to prove their ability to sing and play with the same spirit and vigor with which they carried on their strike for the last 16 weeks.

The strikers' chorus came late, but, the workers knew of their long ninehour ride in the trucks from Paterson thru the cold rain and realized that this was but one of the many hardships and obstacles the strikers had to overcome in their battle to establish decent working conditions and a union in their shops.

Great was the applause that greeted H. M. Wicks, the leader of the strike and well known among the Philadelphia workers, when he appeared on the platform to tell the spirit and the determination of the Paterson strikers to stay out until Wicks. "When the Associated Silk and file. Workers win the strike in Paterson they will come to Pennsylvania to organize the silk workers here."

Altho; the admission was one dollar, a collection of \$140 was taken. In view of the fact that many in the audience are unemployed, this was a good showing.

Eat After 14 Hours.

The concert was a fine demonstra tion of the ability of workers to create, interpret and appreciate first class music and as Wicks pointed out, a great contrast to the mill owners standard of music which consists of

After the concert the strikers were taken to a restaurant and given their first meal during the 14 hours since they left Paterson. Many friends and investigate the deposits of precious sympathizers accompanied the strikers to the restaurant and with songs and cheers helped them enjoy the meal preparatory to their long journey back to the picket lines of Pat-

Belgian "Big Biz" Joins in Demand for Recognition of Russia

MOSCOW, Nov. 30.-"We are convinced that Belgium could conclude numerous deals with Russia and we Higher (Hire) Education in Colleges. should be happy if we could in any mutual relations between the two by the action of Cornell and other unicountries," is the opinion and wish versities in including its study in the on the "tigers" side, have been apexpressed in a letter received by the north western regional chamber of nell class are studying the new Hotel Fatshan the "tigers" are being discommerce, Leningrad, from a number of prominent Belgian business men, headed by the editor of the Lloyd Commercial, the biggest trade and industrial journal, published at Brussels. The authors of the letter state that this journal is launching an energetic propaganda for the re-establishment of the interrupted relations between Belgium and Soviet Russia. In conclusion, they ask for a list of Soviet firms which could carry on trade with Belgium.

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WORKERS ARE GIVEN PAY CUTS EMPLOYES PICKET EMPLOYERS BOAST OF PROSPERITY;

(Special to The Daily Worker)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—American railroads continue their record reaking business, it was indicated today by a statement from the American Railway Association showing that 1,015,704 cars were loaded with revenue freight in the week ended November 15.

It is the tenth week this year in which freight loadings have totalled in Huge Crowds Gather to in excess of a million cars. Only one commodity showed a falling off. This was ore and ore products, and the loss was due to seasonal decline.

Rushes to Montreal

(Special to The Daily Worker)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 30 .- Al

Johnson had hired a taxi for him-

train for Montreal. Canadian customs

officials refused to allow the cab to

Why the Great Rush?

Johnson's mission was not known.

However, in view of the fact that the

congressman is chairman of the immi-

gration committee, that he has gotten

thru congress the bill which keeps all

but the most docile wage slaves from

the country, and that he is nursing

another scheme whereby the "dirty

foreigners" can be finger-printed, meas-

moment's notice-in view of all this.

Who Pays for the Trip?

As for the dough and where it came

well oiled and their own palms well

during the reign of the late Harding.

Disarm Fascisti,

CANTON, Nov. 30 .- The first ses

of the people, convoked by the Sun

taxation, carrying into life local self

Of the forty members of the council

rest, of various associations, universi-

The papers report that Ahoytsen

and Wu Kit-nan, who held high posts

prehended and immediately shot. At

Propaganda Against

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- State Sena

speaking to students of Wadleigh

acturers' associations and chambers

of commerce against the federal child

abor amendment. Antin will intro-

uce the resolution for ratification of

he amendment in the coming session

of the legislature, which is expected

to pass it. Antin pointed out to the

students that the amendment was not

a law and did not deal with education,

but only gave congress the same op-

portunity states have to regulate the

Bookbinders Want 24c An Hour.

LEIPSIG, Germany.-The bookbinders of 50 Leipsic shops, over 3,800 mer

and women, are striking for one mark

The big publishing houses recently

rdered the 9-hour day without over-

ime pay, and without any raise in

The binders are well organ-

(24c) per hour and a 46-hour week

labor of children by statute.

government, and so forth

and the people.

up to the present.

Shoot Two as Lesson

Chinese Union Men

finger-viints in the snow

The Southern Pacific has refused to grant an 8 per cent increase to en-

BOSSES LOCK OUT PAYS \$2,000 FOR PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.— 4000 COAL MINERS ONE HOUR'S RIDE

Nos. 135 and 521 for the strike Act Means the Fiercest Immigration Chairman ed in the Transport. Since the new pirant, A. Mitchell Palmer, in the early Privation This Winter

(Special to The Daily Worker) FERNIE, B. C., Nov. 30.—The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co has issued orders closing down the mines here and locking out the workers. The company's announcement cites failure to retrieve sufficient business to continue operation, but the shutdown is merely a method of lockout handled in the kidglove manner.

The winter will bring destitution to many Fernie miners and their fimilies. Preceding the lockout by the company, the failure of the Home Bank of Canada, which had a branch at Fernie and in which many of the Fernie miners lost their savings, was a severe blow. The closing down means complete ruin to many workers in these parts.

Fernie is the largest camp in District 18, having about 4,000 miners. In the past the Fernie miners have been noted for their militancy and the ready support they have extended to other workers in their struggles.

The lockout shows to what an extent the operators can go now that ured, quizzed, stamped and classified went on strike following the discharge story of the strike and of the fighting the district is led by creatures of John L. Lewis who signed an agree- its noose around the right neck at a against a wage cut of 20 per cent. ment accepting a reduction of \$1.17 they win. Especially did the audi- a day, after a seven month strike, in it is more than possible that John- duction in pay and also for the re-inence appreciate the statement of spite of the opposition of the rank

Soviets' Constant Advance is Shown in Various Fields for of the Washington Post, which

MOSCOW, Nov. 30.—It is reported from Teheran that a new Soviet-Persian company for automobile transport has been founded under the firm of 'Autotran." Passenger and goods traffic is to be carried on by motor cars in northern Persia.

MOSCOW, Nov. 30 .- The Academy of Science, Leningrad, has detailed a learned member of the academy Mongolia, in the district of Urga, to stones which are said to exist there.

VLADIVOSTOK, Nov. 30. - The export of lumber from Vladivostok is steadily on the increase, which is partly due to the exceptional interest for lumber resources in the maritime area displayed by foreign industrialists Most of the wood materials exported from Vladivostok were destined for Japan: in 1922, 12,071,000 cubic feet; in 1923, \$15,300,000 cubic feet, unions, four, of the merchants, and the and in 1924 the export will reach 16,500,000 cubic feet.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- Hotel manway contribute to the restoration of agement is in the professional class curriculum. Students from the Cor-Roosevelt from rugs to employment armed, their arms are confiscated. management at present. "This is the About 4,000 men have been disarmed real higher (or hire) education" says one of the students lounging comfortably in the magnificent room at his Shows Up Capitalist

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Watch Scene

DUBLIN, Nov. 30 .- The division in the Irish Trade Union movement was strikingly emphasized here last night then pickets were posted before the entrances to motion picture theaters by the Workers' Union of Ireland James Larkin's organization, a rival of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union from which Larkin was recently expelled.

A Divided Front. The motion picture operators and ion, while the remainder stayed with bert Johnson, republican, paid \$2,000 the Transport. The present strike Communist or Communist Labor for an hour's ride in a taxi in order finds the theatrical employes in two that he might catch a train for Monopposing camps.

Enormous crowds gathered at the theater entrances. The police tried to self and his daughter to come from stop the pickets, but the latter re Seattle to Vancouver to connect with fused to obey the police order. It was late at night when the police succeeded in clearing the streets of the proceed without a bond. That would huge crowds that gathered to watch have meant several hours' delay. So the excitement. At Sackville and Johnson asked the price of the car, Brunswick streets, the police were un forked over the \$2,000 and went on able to cope with the crowds, and fired their revolvers in the air.

Yellow Cab Trust Faced with Strike At Toledo, Ohio

(Special to The Daily Worker) TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 30 .- The em ployes of the Yellow Cab company in order that the department may get of five employes who were protesting

The men are striking against the reson, with the help of one of the D. statement of the five men who were of J. sleuths, was hot on the trail of fired as "agitators." The Yellow Cab company hauled the scabs in the railway shopmen's strike in Toledo. The striking em

trom. Johnson used to be news edi. ployes are joining the union. has been declared unfair to organmade a name for itself as the absoized labor. John Juinliven of the Cenlutely independent organ of Daughtral Labor Union declares the men in erty, Burns, Jess Smith and Jake Hathis union will also be called out or mon, who kept Washington politics

greased with government gasoline Paterson Strikers Appeal Cases in

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 30 .- Two nembers of Associated Silk Workers' are appealing their case from Recordsion was held on Oct. 22 of the council er Munson Force's sentence of 5 days of forty representatives of all layers in jail for alleged disorderly conduct. Defense counsel argues that since the Yat Sen government to discuss quesmen were arrested in a free speech tions connected with the disarming of demonstration at City Hall during the the Fascist "tigers," ensuring order recent strike the charge against them and peace in the city, lifting heavy should have been unlawful assembly, an indictable offense which would not have brought the union men before the recorder. Judge Joseph Delaney four are representatives of trace in common pleas court reserves decision in the appeal. Ten other union workers arrested at the same time ties, public organizations, etc. The have cases pending the outcome of main object of the council is to prothe appeal. mote union between the government

Legion Boosts Pershing for Office. WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.en. Pershing is boomed by the American Legion element as a candidate o succeed John Weeks as secretary of war in the new cabinet. Pershing has returned from one of his frequent trips to Europe, and has a room set aside for his use in the war department despite the fact that he is on the retired list. He is announced as going to South America as head of a military mission to assist in celebrat-Child Labor Regulation ing a Latin-American revolutionary battle of a century ago. This keeps him in the newspapers, and has a tentor Benjamin Antin, chairman New dency to gloss over his Philippine York state child welfare commission, record and his failure to capture Pancho Villa in Mexico after his much high, denounced propaganda being dramatized crossing of the Rio circulated by representatives of manu-

Pershing in the cabinet would be a Fascist idol second only to Dawes.

FACTORIES OF GREEN BAY, WIS. CAPPER'S BLOC TOIL 12-HOUR DAY IN THE SUGAR

GREEN BAY, Wis., Nov. 30 .- Workers in the Green Bay factory of the Menominee River Sugar Beet Co. have to work in shifts of 12 hours each, with average wages of 35c to 371/2c an hour, or \$4.50 for 12 hours. Many of the workers are Mexicans brought up from the south by jobherders who colect a fee for each Mexican furnished. The plant is non-union.

DEFENSE REPORTS CASES HANDLED

(Continued from Page 1.) rants, and others carrying with them prosecution under the criminal law. Deportation Cases

A considerable number of deportation cases have come up, most of them growing out of the brutal "Red Raids" conducted under the agents of former other theater employes were organiz attorney general and presidential asunion was started a bitter fight has part of 1920. These men are all out been waged between the two unions on bail and anxious to get a disposifor the adherence of those workers. tion of their cases. In practically Some of them joined the Workers' Un. every instance, the sole charge against them was membership in the Party.

From the new deportation cases abor Defense Council is now defending, it appears that the United States government has not given up its practice of forcibly deporting "undersirable aliens" from this country and is. indeed, carrying out its old policy with extreme callousness, not hesitating to seperate husband and wife, and father and children. These cases are the Halonen case, the Vajtauer case, the Kush case and the Schedel case.

two weeks ago. He had been depormade his way back here to try to get a felony for any deportee to return to ion, the Schedel case offers a good Wheeling, West Va., for distributing opportunity for a general anti-deporta- the party program. He was tried other Communists now out on bail. minutes, without even having read the

Farrell Cases.

Late in January, 1924, the police of ters of the South Slavic Branch of the of the supreme court of the state. Workers Party and confiscated all literature found there, which con- Imperialist Snobs sisted of newspapers, books and pamphlets, radical and non-radical. Free Speech Fight A few days later the homes of 13 workers were raided, with search warrants calling for their arrest on a Union, Ivo Rista and Carlo Reverta, monwealth of Pennsylvania. The members of the Peking diplomatic

Tony Kovacovich, Andy Kovacorich, Andy Dugan, John Radias, Tony Marich, John Sarich.

Two of the defendants. Andy and Tony Kovacovich, have been tried ernment of the Soviet Union by trying and found guilty by a jury of Mercer all sorts of means to prevent the County farmers. Attorney I. E. Ferguson, of Chicago, went before Judge McLaughey, of Mercer, Pa., in the early part of September, to argue for a new trial for Tony Kovacovich. All of the other Farrell cases are heing held in abeyance until the decision in this case is made public. The defendants are all steel workers; the only evidence of any importance against them is of a "gang" nature, having all the earmarks of frame-up. The point at issue is whether Tony Kovacovich did or did not make an "illegal speech" calling for the overthrow of the government, etc., in violation of the Pennsylvania se tion law-and also whether that sedition law is constitutional. The six defendants in the Farrell cases are out on bail. Pittsburgh Cases.

On April 27, 1923, a squad of federal

D. of J. agents, state poncemen and county detectives descended upon the posed to bring the weekly wage to headquarters of the Workers Party \$38 by combining a minimum scale in Pittsburgh, ransacking the office, and commission was adopted. confiscating checks and creating general disturbance. As a result of this

raid and another which took place on portation cases, some of them involvithe following night, nine men were ing action on simple deportation war- arrested. They are as follows: Alexander Voytuk, John Kowalski, John Urban, Morris Pasternack, Max Jenkins, Ed. J. Horacek, Fred Merrick, A. Rostrom, national secretary of the American Ido Society, a victim of police ignorance. (The police found Ido literature in Rostrom's residence and thought it something seditious.) George Katsiolis, barber by trade of Greece, was passing through Pittsburgh and was unfortunate to be at the Labor Lyceum while the raid was in progress.

All were indicted on the charge of sedition and are now out on bail There have been repeated delays in the matter of bringing them to trial hat have come up, and which the and it is apparent that there is no real evidence of any kind against them, but that the raids were a part of the usual May Day plot "discoveries" of the police. The Labor Defense Council is anxious to get these cases wiped out so that the indicted men can be definitely freed and the bail money released.

"Red Flag" Case Again

Another "Red Flag" prosecution is coming up, as indicated by the recent Schadel was arrested only about arrests. A worker by the name of Lillin, member of the Workers Party. ted to Germany in 1920 and had just Hungarian branch of Philadelphia, was arrested Nov. 3 in that city in touch with his wife and four small for distributing Workers Party camchildren, all of whom had undergone paign literature. He is held under extreme privation while he was away, a \$1,000 bail in a charge of distributthe wife actually going insane for a ing seditious literature. The hearing while. Schedel's deportation is now is set for next week. Lillin has been demanded. Moreover, he is being living in this country for three years prosecuted under the law making it and has his first citizenship papers.

The Labor Defense Council is also this country, and faces a possible interested in the case of John Buksa, four-year term in prison before re- arrested about a year and a half ago deportation to Germany. In our opin- while riding on a street car through tion campaign which should have as and found guilty under the "Red Flag" its immediate aim the wining out of (criminal syndicalist) law of West the deportation orders against the Va., after the jury had been out five program. The case was appealed to the circuit court but was ruled out of Farrel, Pa. raided the local headquar- order. Appeal has now been asked

in Pretty Pickle Over Soviet Envoy

PEKING, Nov. 30 .- It is well know charge of sedition against the Com- that the unfriendly attitude of the police were unable to locate all of the body towards the Soviet embassy was 13 for whom they had watrants, but made evident in the matter of the the following Slavic workers were ar- transfer of the former Russian legation. Everything was done in that question to put in relief this unfriendliness towards the Soviet government. Now these diplomatists have opened a new page, also hostile to the gov-

Soviet ambassador from entering the diplomatic body. Indeed, altho there are no reasons for this, the Peking diplomats have decided not to have relations with Ambassador Karakhan or at any rate to postpone as far as possible the moment when Kara khan will sit with them as their equal and a member of the diplomatic body. It will be worth seeing how they are going to extricate themselves from the uses, habits and practice which they have themselves estab-

Strike Settled in Three Hours. BOSTON, Nov -Milkwagon drivrs settled their strike for the restoration of the \$38 wage scale within three hours from calling it. Milk companies wanted to install a commission payment scheme. Fred M. Knight of state board of conciliation and arbitration took up the case at once and a compromise settlement which is sup-

lished.

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AGAIN WAGS ITS FINGER AT CAL

Asks Cal for Few Paper Reforms

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- To block or not to block, the action of the socalled farmer bloc in the senate will be one of the problems confronting President Coolidge during the "lame duck" term of congress.

The president is known to have a lecided aversion to blocs of any kind that do not meekly accept what his masters, the big capitalists condescend to hand them. Blocs savor unpleasantly of class grouping and create a bad impresison in a country where the fiction that there are no classes is so sedulously cultivated.

Perhaps a Dirty Farmer. Senator Capper of Kansas, not a dirt" farmer by any means, but a full fledged millionaire, declared that the western senators would combine to support a program of legislation "to place the American farmers on their financial feet."

What they are after is: (1) Government aid for co-operative market ing; (2) easier credits for the live stock industry; (3) lower freight ates on farm products. A resolution declaring agriculture to be a "basic ndustry" will be re-enacted declared Capper, so that agricultural products will be given a lower rate.

Mongolia Stands With Soviet Power Against Intervention

MOSCOW, November 30 .- If the civil war in China be prolonged it is bound to seriously affect the northern provinces and jeopardize trade beween outer Mongolia and China, thus provoking a crisis in the selling market of Mongolian raw materials inasmuch as they are exported to China, is the opinion of Mr. Gursid, Mongolian charge d'affaires at Moscow, expressed in an interview with Soviet journalists.

To the question as to the views held by Mongolian statesmen on the intervention of foreign powers in Chinese affairs and on its possible effects on Mongolian affairs, Mr. Gursid remarked that the foreign powers intervened in China with the sole purpose of consolidating their old bases and positions in China and conquering new ones. Such bases and positions they need not only as such, but also for further invasion of Central Asia-which will be a direct menace to a number of countries and, first of all, to Mongolia.

Consequently, concluded the Mongolian diplomat, a blow dealt by the of the oriental countries—in this case, China-will be, directly or indirectly, a blow at all the oriental countries.

It is reported from Urga that out of the newly elected members of the central committee of the Mongolian people's party, six belong to the left wing, whose sympathies go to the Third (Communist) International and who stand for the closest relations with the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

It is believed in competent quarters at Urga that the composition of the new central committee of the people's party is bound to be reflected on the future activities of the Mongolian government.

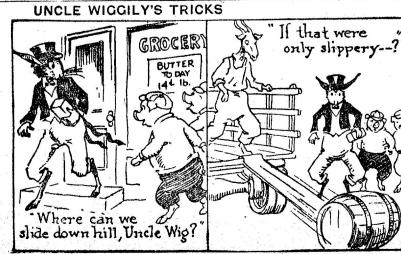
Wage Cut Helps Organization Work, WOONSOCKET, R. I., Nov. 30. -Three new locals of the United Textile Workers' Union are in operation in the Globe, Social and Nourse mills of the Manville-Jenckes cotton company, the \$39,000,000 concern which cut wages 10 per cent before election. The union started the organization drive when the cut was announced and declares the former wages must be restored.

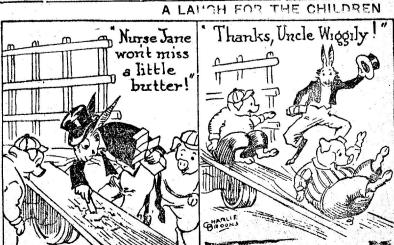
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Fascism's Only Enemy

Nothing shows clearer the breakdown of Italian fascism than the resignation of General Balbo, commander-in-chief of the fascist militia, following the publication of a letter written by him to the head of the fascist organization in Bologna. The letter itself confirms everything its bitterest enemies, the Communists, have said of fascist methods and reveals in an official communication the coldblooded bestiality of the Mussolini regime.

The letter written by the deposed general was inspired by the acquittal by a jury of three Communists charged with killing some fascisti. The acquittal itself is ample evidence of the weakness of fascism's grip on the masses.

The letter says in part:

As for those Communists, you had better explain to them that a change of air would do their health good and that they had better remove themselves to another province. If they insist on remaining, you had better beat them up without exaggeration, but systematically-till they make up their minds. Show this part of my letter to the prefect of Bologna and say to him in my name that I have plenty of evidence to justify my demand not to allow such desperados to reside in my city or province. The police would do well to persecute them by detaining them at headquarters at least once a week, and it would be well if the prefect were to let the king's prosecutor understand that we do not wish any lawsuits as a result of our beatings up (which must be performed in the grand style).

When Gary and Dawes endorse the Mussolini methods we can understand now exactly what they have in mind. Note that it is the Communists who rome in for these pleasant attentions—they and the workers they organize and inspire are the only lorce that fascism fears.

That this communication had the sanction of Mussolini is shown by the sentence with which Blacklisting in Northwestern Shops the murderous Balbo concluded his letter: "If I write you from Rome it is because I know what I am saying."

Let us get this clear: The American fascist Dawes, the fascist American Legion which supported him for vice-president, the Gompers mathine which has a united front with the legion and which is preparing to absorb the Amsterdam International to smooth the road for the Dawes plan in Europe, are all of one piece. They all fight the Communist Party just as do the Italian fascisti.

The only reason that their methods differ in and that they are on the discharge list. degree is because the class struggle in America is not yet as intense as it is in Italy.

The Battleship Blues

In an editorial entitled "The Naive Yellow ist party, boldly accuses Wall Street of betraying and unorganized, without regard to craft distincthe American nation.

The proof it adduces to support its statement is Washington.

The Leader says.

The enemy who sold the nation lives in Wall Street and upholds the banner of 100 per cent Americanism. The interests of the American nation were betrayed for the simple reason that the House of Morgan and its steel trust directors ruled the Washington conference with a single eye to their private profit.

It pays the steel trust and Morgan's finance sharps to have the American taxpayers' money thrown into the sea or into the bottomless European pit. All the wanton waste of ship scrapping, munition wasting, blasting and bombing means more fat contracts for the interlocking looters. That's the simple secret of the Washington conference. There is no need to look for any other.

The Leader is against this kind of inefficient mili- the side of the workers and peasants.

It wants the workers murdered by the imperialtaxpayers' money in the best Hearstian style and This one is still better. A leading article by Wil it feels even an old battleship might be useful.

Leader, or the taxpayers will become so disgusted worker. that they will not fight for the nation any more.

The prospect appalls the Leader. party.

MacDonald in the British foreign office, has used would they be so silent? the labor leader's name frequently in his correspondence with the Soviet envoy Rakovsky over the forged "Zinoviev" note. Chamberlain cannot insurance policy yet? This should be your first find more severe terms to use against the Workers' order of business. And after you do your first Republic than those used by the hypocritical yellow duty do your next by talking somebody else into tocialist MacDonald.

One Traitor to Another

It would be hard to find a more studied example of hypocrisy than the speech of Samuel Gompers on the occasion of the presentation of a watch to his pal in the lucrative profession of betraying the working class-"Brother" Grassman, fraternal delegate from the Dawes plan devotees of the German unions to the American Federation of Labor convention.

Our space is valuable but we willingly spare sufficient to give to our readers the world's finest specimen of congratulation from one traitor to another for betrayal successfully carrired out. Here it is. We have emphasized some of the finer nuances of Gompersian oratory that their exquisite nypocrisy may not escape the reader:

I wish, Brother Grassman, that I could express myself in your language fully and freely the words that well up in my soul to convey to you and thru you to the great rank and file of the toiling masses of the democratically inclined people of Germany

Believe me when I say that I am thoroly convinced that I interpret the sentiments of 100 per cent of the great rank and file of the men and women of the labor movement of America when I say that you are heartily welcome among us. The people of our respective countries were not at war with each other of their own volition. TO US THERE WAS NO OTHER COURSE OPEN THAN THE ONE WE ASSUMED IN THAT TITANIC STRUGGLE. CON-DITIONS IN YOUR COUNTRY WERE CONSIDER-ABLY DIFFERENT FROM THOSE PREVAILING IN OURS. FORCE AND POWER WERE EXER-CISED OVER YOUR PEOPLE. WITH US IT WAS OUR OWN VOLUNTARY ACT. We feel sure now that had the voice of German labor been given the opportunity of being fully heard the war would never have occurred. But be that as it may, with us, I repeat, the war is over and we want the democratic peoples of all the nations of the earth to strive in a common cause of justice, freedom, democracy and

As a token of the affection which the delegates to this convention and those they have the honor to represent feel, we ask that you accept at their hands and my hands this testimonial of our binding affection and fraternity, to wish for you, the German toilers and the German people, and the German republic, your place in the world with every other democratic, peace-loving and liberty-loving people. Accept, sir, not only this splendid watch and chain as that testimonial, but my right hand which goes with it and the hope for your return home in happiness and WITH GREATER JOY AND FUTURE FOR THE GREAT MASS OF THE PEOPLE OF

"The greater joy and future for the great mass f the people of Germany" is to come via the Dawes plan aimed at their enslavement and of which both Gompers and Grassman approve.

At this point we began to vomit violently.

Shopcraft workers in the Northwestern shops in Chicago are feeling the effects of a drive made by the company that is planned to weaken the unions by driving out the most militant workers from

The trouble started with the protest of members f the Painters' Union against the employment of a scab as foreman, and now the company retaliates by serving notice upon the most active workers that their seniority rights are no longer recognized

That this is part of the preparation for a new open shop drive as soon as unemployment becomes more critical, there can be little doubt. The workers in the Northwestern shops must prepare to meet this offensive without delay.

mittee, taking in all workers in the shop, organized chestra Hall last Friday and Saturday. terfly, with Edith Mason, Perini. tion, electing its spokesmen and fighting the railway bosses every day right on the job-where at the movements of "The Divine Poem" with Muzio, Schipa, and Schwarz in interesting for more than one reason. This proof tacks are first felt, and where the daily struggles are "Strife," "Sensuous Pleasures," the leading roles, with Cimini conconsists in the statement that the betrayal was accomplished by the scrapping of the battleship stood by all. It strengthens the unions by enlist hearing the symphony is not in aping the unorganized workers.

If the workers in the Northwestern shops will itself. It is all melodic, and the out. organize their shops on this basis at once they can melody is of vast power and scope. forge a weapon of offense and defense that will make the bosses think twice before they undertake the score are delightful. Scriabin the first time this season with the a wholesale breakdown of wages and working conditions.

Communist workers in the Northwestern shops must take the lead in the organization of shop winged.) committees.

There are rumors of another counter-revolution in Mexico, the all those mentioned as its instigators His color organ has recently been strenuously deny the honor of participating in it. One thing is certain, if it does break out, Gompers will be either in Washington or New York, the The thing that irks the Leader apparently is the American labor fakers will be in their favorite fact that battleships, munitions and the taxpayers' crap and pool parlors, but the Mexican Communmoney are wasted instead of being used in a good ists who helped to defeat the fascisti in the last old-fashioned war like we used to have in 1914-18. counter-revolution, will be active in the next. on

The December issue of the The Workers Month ists with the smallest possible expenditure of the ly is off the press. The November issue was good. liam Z. Foster on the significance of the elections Down with this sinful extravagance, says the should be read carefully by every class conscious

Benito Mussolini admits the failure of the fas-This is the way to socialism—via the socialist cist dictatorship, but the American capitalist press has not given much publicity to the historic speech Had Zinoviev made the confession that the prole-Austin Chamberlain, tory successor to Ramsay tarian distatorship was up against a stone wall,

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TWO THOUSAND **SILK WEAVERS ARE STILL OUT**

Hard-Boiled Employer Surrenders to Union

(By The Federated Press)
PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 30.-More than five thousand broad silk weavers are back in settled shops and enjoying the two-

loom system and increases in wages as the result of the long struggle that began last summer. Two thousand are still on strike, supported in part by their fellow unionists, while their employers are debating whether they shall yield to the union demands. One of the bosses who recently con-

eded the two loom system and a wage increase is Otto A. Haenichen, a hard poiled anti-unionist, who got out an injunction against the Associated Silk Workers and gave the Federated Press an interview praising the child labor system which gives some competitive silk states an advantage over Pater son. Haenichen at that time announce ed himself the spokesman for the mysterious Broadsilk Manufacturers' Association, an under cover employers' organization which concealed the list of its officers and was solely concerned with the war on union labor.

Court cases include those of 107 trike pickets who are appealing fines. lay this is being written a woman picket was roughed up by two silk emoloyers, of the Imperial Silk and S. J. Aaronson companies. When she reused to take an injunction paper they held out to her, the men seized her and tried to force it down her clothng. Court action will be taken against he employers Under Union Conditions.

One hundred and twenty-five shops re now working under full union conlitions, with the two loom system and vage increases ranging from ten to orty percent. Another fifteen shops ere back on an unofficial settlement asis, the bosses conceding certain demands but not officially recognizing

he union. Such employers are warn-

d by the union that when organiza-

ion is completed in those shops they nust sign the regular agreements. Renewal of the fight against twenty ive of the smaller employers who ave quietly reduced piece work rates fter settlement is likely. About 600 orkers are affected. A threat of a lew general strike prevented more cosses from following their lead and he union is serving notice on the recalcitrants that the agreement must paralyzed.

MUSIC

By Alfred V. Frankenstein

played on the seventh program of the used large, mouth-filling French words Civic Opera. Divertissments by Corps such as "mysterieux, romantique, leg. de Ballet. Frank St. Leger conducting endaire," and "doux, limpide," and for the first time this season. again "haletant aile," (breathlessly

A most unusual man, this Alexander Scriabin. Toward the end of his life he conceived of an art combining sound, light and smell in one whole. achieved, but an instrument for pro lecting odors arranged in a scale and played from notation is yet a long

Another Russian work, the piano oncerto of Nicholas Medtner, played here for the first time by its composer, came before the symphony. It s probably the dullest, most stupid, ong-winded piano concerto every played in Orchestra Hall. It is worse than the Dohanyi concert and that is saying the utmost in condemnation. The well known overture to the operetta "The Secret of Suzanne," by Wolf-Ferrari, and the better known E. flat or "Clarinet" symphony of

The Chicago Civic Opera company

Mozart, opened the program.

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"The Divine Poem," the third sym | Corps de Ballet. Conductor Giorgia Monday night brings a second per Their most effective weapon is the shop com- Chicago Symphony orchestra at Or- formance of Puccini's Madame But Tuesday evening, Traviata will be and almost succeeds. The titles of sung for the first time this season Carmen will be sung for the first preciating the philosophy of the time Wednesday evening with Garden music, but in the hearing of the music McCormic, D'Hermanoy, and Swarth-The interpretative directions thruout with Fedor Chaliapin appearing for

On Friday night Faust will be sung

For the Saturday matinee, a repetition of Massenet's Werther will be given with Garden, Freund, Ansseau. Kipnis, Cotreuil, Defrere, Olivero and Conductor Polacco.

For the popular Saturday evening production, Il Trovatore will be given with Muzio, Lenska, Lamont, Form ichi and Cimini conducting.

Bosses Plant Their O'Banions in Porto Rican Polling Places

(By The Federated Press) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.-Wholesale intimidation, driving of voters from the polling places, and even the locking up of working class voters so that they might not exercise their franchise, are reported by Santiago Iglesias, socialist senator and head of the labor movement of Porto Rico, as characterizing the election in the island on Nov. 4.

He presents a long series of telebegan its fifth week of the season grams of protest sent from towns thru-Sunday afternoon, Nov. 30, with the out Porto Rico to Gov. Towner, showhird performance of La Giconda with ing that the unionist-republican alli-Raisa, Perini, Miesle, Cortis, Form- ance rode rough-shod over the socialchi, Kipmis, Oukrainsky, Mlles, Elis- ists, violating most of the election us, Milar, Nemeroff, Shermont and laws and stealing the election by main force. Watchers for the socialists were thrown out of poling places, ballots cast by plantation laborers were opened by the judges in order to idenfamily, preferably on the West Side.

Answer M. S. N. in care of THE election judges when complaints were

From Newark, N. J., to Wood River, Ill.

LASS conscious workers who want to send good cheer to class war prisoners in jail by sending money to pay for subscriptions our publications, are not confined to one particular place. From Newark, N. J., Michael Bakosh, a rebel who does not forget

Dear Editor:

I have seen in the DAILY WORKER that you want to send your publications to our imprisoned comrades. The same evening I went to a Slovak workers' home at 52 West street in Newark. I found a group of young girls and men. I decided to take up a collection, something that I never tried before, but it took only a little courage and time. I found a young man by name of John Burko, who helped me to collect. He took the slip into the hall where they had the meeting and inside of fifteen minutes he returned with \$2.10 he collected. I collected \$1.25. I wish that others would help in the same way. Fraternally,

MICHAEL BAKOSH. P. S.—The following comrades contributed: M. Bakos, 10c; J. Diacik, 10c; J. Kovac, 10c; F. Porkert, 10c; J. Hrusovsky, 10c; J. Benko, 10c; J. Mikulas, 10c; L. Huser, 10c; J. Mravec, 10c: O. Wiha, 10c: A. Pravec, 25c: A. Pivko, 25c: M. Lichardus, 25c; M. Hyben, 25c; S. Whrik, 25c; O. Stavac, 25c; M. Bender, 15c; T. Terliciak, 10c; S. Klimant, 10c; F. Omost, 25c; M. Hubka, 25c. Total, \$3.35.

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THE WORKERS MONTHLY IS OUT

Every page of the December issue of The Workers' Monthly brings some- Labor Movement," article, A. Losovthing of fresh interest, and the whole sky. makes one of the most valuable docu-Leaders: Fraternize at Hull." photoments circulated. Variety, interest, Aggressive picketing is still going depth, are the characteristics of the graph taken at British Trades Conon against the die hard bosses. The articles. Photographs from all over gress. the world, of scenes and prominent

figures in the labor movement, are of the kind that only The Workers' Monthly has given to us. Cartoons scattered thru the magazine give the final touch that makes it seem a complete achievement. Just a glance at the contents of the

December issue will assure the reader that here is wealth for the eye as well as for the mind.

"Germany Under the Dawes' Plan', drawing, Kate Kollwitz.

"Significance of the Elections," ar ticle, Wm. Z. Foster. "Sic Transit Gloria Mundi," cartoon,

Wm. S. Fanning. "Anatole France," photograph, and ote by Victor Serge.

"A Visit With Sun Yat Sen," Alfred Wagenknecht. "Dr. Sun Yat Sen with Filipino

Delegation," photograph. "Latin-America Prepares for Gom ers," article, Bertram D. Wolfe.

"Vargas Rea-Mexican Communist," drawing. "Union of Proletariat and the Op-

pressed Peoples," photograph of Trotbe kept or their shops would be again sky, Lunion (French Negro) and Nguen Ai-Quack (China).

Political Action Dead?" article, C. E. Ruthenberg. "The Big Stick Gets Bigger," aricle, Jay Lovestone. 'White Terror in Europe," article,

"Struggle for Unity in the World

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"Trade Union Students at Moscow

"Progress of the International Unity

"S. Saklatvala, Communist member

"The Labor Party Conference," ar-

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"The Wobblies Meet Again," article,

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Editorials. International notes.

CUTS MILLION OFF FRENCH LOAN **TO HELP MORGAN**

Jusserand and Mellon Thimblerig U.S.

(Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30. The French ambassador, Jules Jusserand, has begun informal and preliminary discussion with Andrew Mellon, secretary of the United States treasury, looking to the funding of the French debt, originally a borrowed sum of \$3,340,606,376, to which unpaid and accumulated interest has added \$750,000,000.

France has long been hedging on paying anything to the United States. while at the same time furnishing Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Roumania, and numerous white guard Russian "governments" with unlimited funds wherewith to war against Soviet Rus-

Attacks Russia-Lets France Go.

The United States government which has raised no end of a hullaballoo because the Soviet government refused to pay the international bankers the loans made by the czar to crush the Russian revolution of 1905. has been as meek and mild as a school girl with her lover, when France, the leading anti-Bolshevik country of Europe, was squandering billions of francs on white guard satraps while telling the United States that it expected too much.

Two years ago, M. Parmentier, an agent of the French treasury, visited America to discuss terms of settlement, but left after hinting that Uncle Sam was "too harsh" when it wanted both the interest and the principal to be "recognized" even if not

Morgan's Terrible Men. Now that J. P. Morgan has made his second loan to France and is possessed of a mortgage on the income of the French government. Coolidge and Mellon are apparently given orders to see that Morgan's private loans are strengthened by weakening the loan

made by the government. This is seen in the defensive camouflage put out by Washington officials who talk very sassy about France being "compelled" to pay every cent. But the fact is that at least the nearly \$1,000,000,000 of interest is already agreed to be cancelled, and the principal of three billion as above noted. is "funded," which means put off indefinitely so far as any payment is concerned.

SUGAR TRUST WANTS TO CLOSE STREETS IN **BLOW AT THE WORKERS**

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Nov. 30-Brooklyn citizens are protesting against the proposed closing of three streets to permit the American Sugar Refining company to build a new factory. Alderman J. W. Sullivan headed a delegation of citizens at the court hearing who declared the bottling up streets would cut off many tenements and shut off air from the East river.

Open Forum, Sunday Night, Lodge Room, Ashland Auditorium.

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