EFIES OF ANBERLA

Tell-Tale Letter Exposes 500 WOMEN TERUEL LOSS British Unions and Party Shippers' Coastwise Link JAM MEETING NOT DECISIVE, Ask Vote on Foreign Policy Of L. A. BOARD LOYALISTS SAY To Compare the Option of The Control of the Option of the Op

Labor Board

By Vern Smith SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23sistant to President Almon Roth of the Waterfront Emyers Association caused powner circles at the National

mor Relations Board hearing con-

brable trouble today. he shipowners are trying desperately not to admit there is any coastwise employer's bargaining agency to deal with maritime labor.

Foisey's letter, written from the employers' association headquarters San Francisco in connection th a local tie-up of work last , car in Newport, near Portland, seemed to indicate there was a central bargaining agency for the

whole coast Attorney Introduces

The letter was introduced into evidence by Attorney Richard Gladstein for the International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, and one passage was read to the hearing. In this sentence Foisey said:

"This particular situation has been handled down here until this time." "Is it your understanding that

this statement by Mr. Foisey is incorrect?" Attorney Gladstein asked Roth, who was on the witness stand undergoing cross examination.

After a considerable verbal pasge at arms between oppos nsel, Roth answered the on with the old stand-by of a witness in distress:

"I don't know." Both before and after this, Roth had outlined the present argument of the Waterfront Employers, which is, that each local union has a contract with employers, probably with the separate employers, and

Just "Consult"

But if the contracts, according with associations, they are with the groups of employers in each port, not coast-

wise contracts. All Reth would admit was that the central office of the coastwise Waterfront Employers Association did "consult and advise" the local associations in each port. In all cases except where confronted with the Foisey letter, he persistently introduced this argument as a sufficient answer to all questions designed to show that coastwise bargaining was engaged

in by the employers. Such evidence is admitted in the hearing on the understanding that if coastwise bargaining agencies exist for the employers, that is one justification for coastwise contracts and for making the whole coast a bargaining unit for the longshoremen. The ILWU asks to be certified

for the whole coast. Before testimony began today the first session of the second week of hearings before Trial Examiner Walter Wilbur, the case was adjourned to Room 403 in the City

Fight On Federation Attorneys for the ILWU again argued at length for introduction 4300 foot level of the famous Arof testimony as to the history, construction and powers of the Maritime Federation of the Pacific Coast. Attorney Gladstein pointed out that this is necessary to explain the powers and construction of the International Longshoremen's Association caucus at the 1937 Feder- did not expect the fire to be out

ation convention. This caucus was until late in March. ne of the bodies that declared for ining the West Coast ILA to the Committee for Industrial Organiza- was closed down for the same pertion, which led to the change of

name from ILA to ILWU. Milton Sapiro, attorney for newly organized groups of longshoremen in various coast cities who now call themselves the ILA, argued against any testimony about the Maritime Federation, and declared:

There is no change of name by the ILA. The evidence shows that the West Coast longshoremen didn't change their name, but formed a new organization-which has none of contracts, privileges, etc. of the Parker, famous wit and poet now old ILA-leaving all these contracts. privileges, etc. with the old ILA." Sapiro had previously argued that it did not matter whether any members remained in the old ILA

Trial examiner Wilbur again post ned his decision, and restated the tude of the NLRB as follows: "The board will ascertain who are the employers, who the employes. what unit of territory is fair basis for bargaining. Then it will ascertain whether the employes in this area have decided on their bargaining agent,

and if they have it will certify

that agent. If they have not the

Board may order an election.

tand Before Hearing Postponed In L. A. Bomb Case

letter from E. P. Foisey, chief | Fitts Springs Surprise Witness to Pin Bombing on Kynette; Woman Swears She Saw Cop at Raymond's Car

> LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—Dist. Atty. Buron Fitts announced today that he has located a woman who can positively identify Police Captain Earle Kynette as the man seen prowling around the garage of vice investigator Harry Raymond shortly before the explosion of two bombs in Raymond's car seriously injuring

Kynette and two subordinates, Lieutenants Roy J. Allen and Fred A. Browne, are charged by Fitts with an attempt to murder Raymond, who was active in uncovering under-world connections of the Los Angeles police department and

graft outrages within the Shaw political machine. The three were scheduled for arraignment today for conspiracy to commit murder, a charge carrying

death penalty. However, the arraignment was postponed until Monday on a plea

'regretable" and declared that a

The Los Angeles case is an out-

growth of a coastwise blockade at-

tempted by the officials of the

Teamsters against all beer produced

by the Brewers Union. Both are

AFL unions. The Brewers claim the

jurisdiction over the driving of

Gold Mine Blaze

JACKSON, Cal., Feb. 23 (TP).

Nearly 300 miners faced several

weeks of unemployment today be-

cause of a fire smouldering in the

The fire began on Feb. 15 and 90

miners were forced to run for their

lives. Firemen were thought to have

put the blaze out but it continued

to smoulder. Finally the company

laid off the 200 miners saying they

Another gold producer, the Kennedy Mine, which employs 79 men,

iod for what officials called pre-

To Broadcast On

Humor and Crisis

(People's World Hollywood Bureau)

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 23.-Dorothy

a screen writer here, will appear

on the regular Thursday night

broadcast of the Hollywood Anti

Nazi League here tomorrow night

in a sketch entitled "Humor in the

In addition, a sketch modeled on

the March of Time on the case of

Pastor Niemoeller, written by John

In subsequent broadcasts on the

series, which will be known as

talent in exile, well known refugee

German artists and writers will ap-

pear on the half hour, according to

Elliott Sullivan, radio manager for

the Anti-Nazi League. The program

is heard at 9 p.m., Thursdays from

Waldron, will be given.

gonaut gold mine.

cautionary reasons.

World Crisis."

beer wagons and trucks.

proper attitude on both sides have

cleared up the whole matter.

contempt

and others.

case of

of the police captain's attorney

for more time. The woman, whose identity is being shielded for fear she will be assassinated, is certain of Kynette's identity, according to Fitts, who

"She was within 15 feet of the garage when she saw a man with a flashlight looking at the locks on the garage doors. Mr. Raymond was not home at the time, and she called police. The man was gone

Beck Cleared | Pastor Sees Decline of Of Contempt By L.A. Court **AFL Power**

Decision Lets Teamsters 500 Ministers Listen to Discussion of Move In on Beer Labor Affairs **Drivers**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.-Five LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.-Federjundred ministers meeting here at Judge William P. James dismissed he 18th interdenominational pascharges against Dave oral conference were told that the Beck, Pacific Coast commander o American Federation of Labor is a nion, as well a harges against Paul Malone, the American labor. Brewers Institute and W. Acker

The speaker, Dr. Henry Kendall Booth, is the pastor of the First The judge gave his ruling in the Congregational Church of Long the Brewery Worker; against Teamsters leaders and em-Beach. He contrasted the "dynamic ployers for violation of an injuncohn L. Lewis and the CIO" with he AFL which "has become so intion restraining Teamsters from in creasingly cautious and conservaerfering with the Brewery wagon ive under Green that the edge of The court termed the dispute the labor front struggle has become

blunted. "The vertical rather than hori contal, industrial rather than craft unionism, is inevitable," Dr. Booth

hat strikes seldom receive notice bation officers, thereby increasing fair to labor because "employers the tax load. control the avenues to the public

8-Hour Day Held Likely es then. 300 Miners Face in Veterans Hospitals **Idle Period After**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22. — The eight-hour day and six-day week can be had for employes in veterns' hospitals, the Farmer Labor Congressman Dewey Johnson of

Minnesota said today. The money, \$5,600,000 of unexpended tunds, is lying idle. Johnson will introduce the necessary
legislation to use some of it to hire
more men, and cut the hours of
the present staffs.

Capitalism on Trial

For Its Life—Wallace pended funds, is lying idle. John-

Senate Passes Relief Measure | Secretary of Agriculture Expresses Distrust of

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (TP) - The Senate Dorothy Parker passed the 250 million dollar relief appropriations bill today by a vote of 67 to 1. The bill now along the lines General Franco fol goes to the White House lowed in waiting on Security Wallace replied: for President Roosevelt's signature.

The President has asked Congress for the special appropriation to carry on relief work until next June 30th. Senator Bailey of North Carolina cast the only vote of our forefathers mean the freeagainst the relief bill. prices and impoverish people?"

Asking Action for Sewing Project

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.-The Board of Supervisors meeting was thrown into turmoil today as 500 women packed the meeting to demand immediate action to save the Sewing Project upon which hinges the em-

ployment of 5000 women. The women levelled an accusing finger at the Supervisors, charging that the board and the State Relief Administration were playing foot ball with their livelihood.

As a result of this pressure, in which the Workers Alliance and the Robert Noble pension group work. ed jointly, the Board, by a vote of 3 to 2, decided to wire Governor Merriam asking him to request the SRA to continue the projects. Leland Ford and Board Chairman Roger Jessup voted nay.

"I object bitterly to having only part of the women rehired," said Supervisor Herbert Legg." All should be rehired. State officials have committed one of the worst acts of official stupidity

Leland Ford walked out of the meeting when John Clifton, county organizer of the Workers Alliance, tried to re-open the question of Soldiers today are far superior passing the buck. Jessup turned all Italian volunteers conscripted colors and sputtered he would agree to rehiring 750 of the 5,000. Leland Ford was bitterly attacked by the spokesmar of the jobless amid great

applause from the gallery.
Clifton asked the Board to assume half cost of the project as the state was willing to stand the other half. In reply, Jessup banged his gavel and shouted that he wanted to make his position and vote

"I will not vote for such proposi

Boos and Hisses and hisses greeted him and his rapping gavel was drowned of by the uproar.

clear to us how I and thousands of other taxpayers are going to vote in the next election," shouted Clifton above the noise. Applause and whistling followed his statement for a full minute.

chamber today until they get re-Leland Ford protested against the continuation of the project under the guise of being opposed to more taxes, but previously he had He pointed out to the assemblage agreed to raising the wages of pro-

Women decided to sit down in the

Rex Thompson, superintendent of Charities, received a wage boost, some of the women pointed out, and L. Ford wasn't afraid of tax-

Hoslery Pay Cut Denied

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 23.-The hosiery arbitration wage rattribunal here has denied the employers' request for a wage cut for

with a People's World reporter here.

dtmocracy in the United States

lowed in warring on Spanish de-

"There are a lot of crazy people

here. You can't tell what they will

The interview followed Secretary

Wallace's first of a series of three

lectures here last night at the First

"Capitalism is on trial for its

life today," declared Wallace last

night. "It has increased produc-

tion but it has not given in-

creased economic security and

ongregational Church.

happiness to the people."

Force Wire to Merriam Upset Franco Strategy and Gave Us Time, Says Barcelona

(By Cable to the People's World) BARCELONA, Feb. 23.—The following statement on the situation at Teruel was sent by cable from the press representative of the ministry at Bar-

"Following heroic resistance lasting over four days, the Republican command last night ordered their forces to evacuate Teruel in order to avoid a pinchers movement with which fascist forces threatened to encircle them. Government forces encircle them. Government forces succeeded in evacuating all men and materials.

"Fascist advance on Teruel was possible only as a result of tremendous reinforcements in planes and artillery which Hitler and Mussolini have supplied Franco in recent weeks. It is essential to point out that at the time when Italy talks of withdrawing volunteers from Spain she is not withdrawing but actually increasing technical aid in the form of heavy

artillery and airplanes.
"Italy's offer to withdraw volunteers should deceive nobody. For Mussolini realizes that Republican Soldiers today are far superior to fight for an alien cause in a foreign country. The only way in which he can avoid defeat in Spain is by remendously increasing the supply of planes and artillery. And the "esult; of this, increase is the re-

capture of Teruel by the fascists. Picked the Moment

"This concentrated attack against Teruel has been purposely delivered at this crucial moment in international politics in order to give Italy a stronger bargaining position with the British government.

"From a strictly military view-

point, the recapture of Teruel is not as spectacular as it may first appear to the casual observer. For this is the fourth large-scale counter offensive that the Rebels have been forced to undertake in order to repair the damage they suffered in morale and prestige when they lost Teruel last December. Putting it more concretely, what the Republicans capture in one week with a loss of only 200 killed, the Rebels have taken two months in recapturing and in doing so they have lost

tens of thousands of men. "Despite this temporary reverse the Republicans have still gained their main objective. They forced the Rebel command to give up the idea of attacking at Guadalajara or on some other front and obliged them to employ all of their first class forces and material merely to recapture what at the best of times was only a small provincial capital of 12,000 and, today, following repeated fascist bombardments is little more than a heap of ruins.

Gained Much "Taking it all in all, the Repub licens have lost little and have 18,000 full fashioned hosicry work. made some important gains. They (Continued on Page 6, Column 2)

Wallace pointed out that capital-

sts are in the same position today

hat was occupied by the feudal

aristocracy of the 16th century in

Europe, and that the latter's fail-

ure to change with the times re-

Citing that Karl Marx wrote that

'since labor under capitalism can't

buy back what it produces, the sit-

uation resolves itself into a revolu-

tion," he said he did not share this

belief but instead believed that

capital and labor can cooperate as

Wallace spoke last night on "Cap-

italism," was to speak tonight on

The three lectures are sponsored

he said they did in Sweden.

cific School of Religion.

sulted in their downfall.

Corporate Wealth's Attitude Toward

Democracy-Lecture Tomorrow

of America, and their attitude toward democracy, in an interview

Asked if he thought the corporate interests would attack

He further stated: "Even the "Democracy," and tomorrow night

poor people ask today, does freedom on "Religion of the Whole Man."

dom of corporate interest to raise by the Earl Foundation of the Pa-

Hands Off, Japan's Fight Just Begun, Says Organ of Warning to Powers

Hitler Speech Finds Echo in Orient as Army Command Tells Foreign Nations It Will Proceed With Subjugation of China

SHANGHAI, Feb. 23 (TP)—Fortified by Adolph Hitler's speech to the Reichstag on Monday, the Japanese High Command has today warned the powers that they must maintain

hands-off policy with regards to the Sino-Japanese war. The warning was issued in a statement declaring that the Japanese are reorganizing their forces in China in preparation

"The Japanese Army earnestly hopes at this time that the various countries of the world will comprehend the army's objectives and have a full understanding of its mission by calmly and impartially watching developments of the situation so that their bonds of friendship with Japan may be further strengthened," Army spokesmen said.

Pension Group Soviet Warns Leader Asks Fascist Foes Police Ouster In Army Fete

Voroshilov Tells

Cheering Throng

MOSCOW, Feb. 23. - Here, as

hroughout the Soviet Union to-

day, the Russian people joyously

gathered to make the 20th birth-

day of their mighty Red Army and

The Soviet press ran a sensational

display of greetings and accounts

of historic military dates ever

clubs, schools and libraries belong-

ing to the fighting corps, special

Voroshilov Lauded

of Defense, centered much of the

how this obscure son of a poverty-

words of Lenin and Stalin con-

pered in the streets of Moscow.

public meeting here.

spoonful of water.

made of them."

Voroshilov, himself, set the ten-

or of the celebration in a striking

speech last night before a gigantic

"The Soviet Union," he declared,

more than any other country,

"It is hated by the imperialis-

tic countries, particularly the

Fascist ones, which are ready to

drown the Soviet Union in a

long enough," the erect com-

mander continued. "We believe

they never will grow long enough

to stretch over the Soviet fron-

If the Fascist or other gods

make their arms or teeth grow,

believe the Red Army and Navy

Answering cries of approval

greeted when Voroshilov said that

the nation expected those respon-

sible "to build for it the best ships

in the world and train for its

A deep silence of condemnation

spread when the army chief told

of those former officers who with

Mighty demonstrations greeted

Voroshilov as he closed by telling

of the numerical and technical

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23 (TP)-

The movie star, Spencer Tracy,

today after an emergency abdom-

was doing very well and that he

inal operation.

was recovering rapidly.

the executed Marshal Mikhail Tuk-

cist bandits, traitors and spies."

sailors those wholly devoted

the cause of Communism."

hachevsky turned out to be

will pull out those arms and pull

out those teeth before use can be

"But their arms are not yet

is exposed to the danger of war.

all gymnasiums,

celebrations were held.

Navy an exciting one.

Noble and Followers Will Pull Their Teeth Jam Hearing Against Kynette Squad

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23 .- "Twenty-five-dollars-every-Monday-morn-ng" Robert Noble and hundreds of his followers jammed the police commission hearing today, demanding the ousting and prosecution o. the Intelligence Unit, the dismissai of Chief Davis, and the "redeeming

of Los Angeles." "If you do not accede we'll be back next week and the week after fiery Noble while followers cheered

whistled, applauded. Noble told the Commission he had appeared three years ago be-fore the commission, had been threatened wit hbombing, that a stink bomb had been thrown in his house by the Kynette squad. The Commission laughed. The Kynette squad was accused

of having placed a bottle of ammonia at a meeting in the Main Street theater. One old man testified today that he had been almost blinded by the ammonia. Intimidation of small radio station owners by the squad to keep No ble off air was revealed. Tom James 'put the heat" on K. M. T. R. and

drove its owner, Dalton, to Europe. Kynette admitted he broke in-Noble's office. 'How can you condone keeping Davis in office when he uses 20 or 30 police radio cars to take people out to the rifle range and

makes speeches against Communists?" asked Noble. He referred to Davis as "a boy cout in uniform with medals. The rub is that Noble wants Ray mond put in Davis's spot.

Police commission claims it has no power to dismiss officers.

Not Pig But Wig Shaved By Barber As Owner Sleeps

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. - Ernst Reichner suffered untold embarrassment when a barber cut his oupee while he was sleeping, so today Reichner has a new toupee (Special to the People's World)

BERKELEY, Feb. 23. Secretary of Agriculture Wallace today had expressed sharp distrust of the corporation interests

and \$100 to mend his pride. Barber Vincenzo Paglialonga was shaving Reichner and when his customer fell asleep in the chair, the barber cut Reichner's wig. The owner of the trimmed toupee said ne had to remain at home most of the time to keep friends from learning that his bushy crop of hair was

"No one knows how I suffered," Reichner said.

Buy Peas for Jobless WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (TP). The Triple-A announces that the

federal surplus commodities corporation has purchased 704,741 cases of canned peas for relief distribution. The peas were purchased from canneries in 11 states and will be distributed through state agencies

Steel Talks Kenewed PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23 (TP) .-

Negotiations were resumed today between the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation and the CIO for the operation. Doctors said he fast today. Steel Workers Organizing Commit-

Liberals LONDON, Feb. 23. - "The

affair is just beginning!" This was the slogan hurtling through this stirred city today as opposition forces refused to give up the battle to oust Chamberlain and his announced foreign policy of collaboration with fascist

nations. The Chamberlain government was challenged to submit this foreign policy to a vote of the English people in a general election This gauntlet was thrown down today by the powerful Trade Union Congress and the British Labor

True depth of the crisis is just now reaching the people, due to the misinformation from the big "No kowtowing to

LONDON, Feb. 23. — The British section of the International Peace Campaign today called upon its 180 allied associations to protest against Chamberlain's negotiations with Mussolini in defiance of the League ban on Italy as an aggressor in Ethiopia.

Mussolini," was a popular cry which sped from mouth to mouth. "In the formal sense the Eden crisis is ended," cried the News Chronicle, Liberal Party organ,

in a strong editorial. But do not make the mistake of imagining that the affair is finished. It is just beginning. The dictators are jubilant, while all friends of democracy are cast

Extreme concern was held here for the future attitude of the Unitsince Feb. 23, 1918 when the Red ed States toward cooperation with Army of 60,000 men was established. Britain

U. S. Policy Mentioned Declared the Daily Herald, Labor Party organ: "Since the United States recognizes the Chamberlain policy for a system of power-poli-Around the figure of Klementi tics, it is angrily and rightly sus-Voroshilov, People's Commissar picious of it. A census by the British Institute

festivity. Accounts were spread of of Public Opinion revealed that the people were three to one in stricken coal miner rose to be the favor of the League of Nations. chief defender of the socialist coun- In his caustic speech of yesterday, Chamberlain caustically brand-Painted on huge banners, the ed the League as impotent. Under this withering fire, the cerning the role of the armed forces | Conservative cabinet failed to

of the Soviet Union as the bul- choose a permanent successor to wark of socialist democracy ap- Foreign Secretary Eden today at its first session since Eden re-Laborite Complains

Laborite opposition leader, Major Clement Attlee, complained loudly about the handicap which the House of Commons worked under with only an under-secretary representing the foreign of-

The acting foreign secretary, Lord Halifax, is a member of the House of Peers, which bars him from appearing in the House of Commons Chamberlain is known to favor the pro-fascist Halifax, friend of Hitler, to assume the post permanently. But the tremendous wave of opposition has stayed his hand. Rumors declare he may put in an Eden supporter, W. S. Morrison, now Secretary for Agriculture. This would be in a frantic effort to avoid the collapse of his

entire cabinet. Vote of Confidence The labor challenge to Champerlain, came after the Prime Minister had received a vote of confidence of 300 to 168 at eleven o'clock last night. It accused Prime Minister Chamberlain of betraying the confidence reposed in government by the voters at the last general election. The government was charged with breaking its campaign pledge to uphold the

League of Nations.

Popular indignation rose higher when the people learned that Lord Perth, British Ambassador, had left Rome as the next step in th Anglo-Italian negotiations. Both the British embassy in

might of the Red Army.
Reiterating that the Soviet for-eign policy is one of peace, he Rome and the foreign office here finished with an abrupt warning ntended for the fascist capitals: have maintained the utmost secre-"The mighty Red Army is always (Continued on Page 6, Column 3) ready to reply to the plows of ar

enemy with a fatal blow." Pershing's Condition Better, Doctors Say Spencer Tracy Better

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 23 (TP)-A nospital bulletin said this afterwas reported resting comfortably noon that General John J. Pershing appeared to be doing well in his fight against high blood pressure Tracy was rushed to a hospital and said he had eaten a good break

> His lungs were pronounced nor mal and his heart "satisfactory,"

Reed Says They're Used

to Foster Belief Bond

Plan Is Sealed

OAKLAND, Feb. 23. - The

formation of two national bank-

ing groups to take over the

move to convey the impression

that the McAuliffe-Purcell agree-

ment for 4.17 per cent interest has

the East Bay Regional Plan Asso-

As a matter of fact, Reed said,

"the agreement has yet to be accepted by the Reconstruction Fi-

nance Corporation and this is only

another effort in the campaign to

Protests Delay

At the same time Reed vigorous-

y condemned the action of the Cal-

fornia Railroad Commission in put-

ting off its hearing on the auto fer-

nite collusion between the Rail-

road Commission appointed by

Governor Merriam and the Toll

Bridge authority appointed by

Governor Merriam in order to

give Southern Pacific a \$3,750,000

"In addition to this favor the

entire bridge financing scheme

costing \$13,000,000 more than the

vocate is definitely in the interests

cent charge on train passengers.

Cites Campaign Funds

during the last election that the

be skinned alive."

One report had it that the two

banking groups formed yesterday in

New York are arranging to take

over the Reconstruction Finance

Corporation bonds and issue new

bonds at a lower rate. If this report

is true it is only another indication

that the financing of the bridge

can be arranged at far below the

Professional

ly to the Merriam campaign. "The people of California must be aroused to the enormity of this

"There were substantial rumors

"It appears that there is defi-

help put over the deal.'

ry rate until March 15.

favor.

ciation, today.

GULF SEAMEN TO STUDY

Resolution Recites Danger of SUP Policy

MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 23.—The Gulf National Maritime Union Agents' conference here is now distributing to all agents on liance of Theaterical and Stage Emthe coast a resolution for disdiscussion in the branches, which expresses "the desire of all sea-men for national unity."

The resolution, drawn up by H. Alexander, Joint Agent at Mobile,

"The practise of confining East Coast men to East Coast ships and West Coast men to West Coast ships will lead to destruc-tion of shipping through the hall, and abolishes the rotary system of hiring and the rights of seamen to ship on any ship."

The resolution blames the West Coast sailors for "pulling East Coast seamen off of West Coast ships" and recites that:

"The NMU, after exhausting all efforts to achieve unity, was forced in order to protect its membership, to adopt a policy of pulling Sailors Union of the Pacific men off East Coast ships."

If the resolution for stopping this practise on both coasts carries on both coasts, it is to become effective next April 15.

IBU Negotiations Break Down SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.-Negotiations of three maritime unions with the Richmond-San Ra-fael Ferry Co. for settlement of the three-week strike of ferryboatmen, have broken down due to the company's attempt to deny ers Guild as an incorporated af- ference collective bargaining rights to some eight or 10 employees, announced C. W. Deal, Inland Boatmen's Union of the Pacific president, here today.
"We agree that the port captain,

superintendent, engineer and restaurant manager should be exempted," said Deal, "but the company is trying to bar the bridge tender, ticket collectors and watch-

No meetings with the company are now scheduled, Deal said.

The three unions involved are the Masters, Mates & Pilots, Marine Engineers and IBU.

Senate Committee Approves Study of umne witnessed its first picket life in the strike of over 400 WPA workers throughout the county, Price Structure here today, following the 100 per-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (TP)-The Senate Commerce Committee approved the Bailey resolution today to establish a subcommittee to investigate the country's price

The proposal now goes to the Senate for further consideration. The Bailey resolution was offered on the theory that a study of prices might lead to an explanation of the

Swedish Ship Collides With Schooner Off Gate

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—The Swedish motorship Balboa was reaged. Meanwhile ferries and other boats in the bay traveled at reduced speed during the thickest fog.

The Philippine Clipper arriving from Honolulu was unable to proceed immediately to its Alameda base because of the bad visibility.

Seeks to Legalize Canada Sweepstakes

treal member of Parliament, Earnizer of the Intl. Woodworkers of est Bertrand, said today that he will introduce an amer.dment to members are assisting on the pickthe criminal codes tomorrow to per- et lines. mit sweepstakes contests in Cana-

Bertrand said his amendment would authorize any province to permit sweepstakes for charitable or educational purposes. Previously the Senate has voted down sweepstakes bills.

Killer Hanged

(TP). — A 26-year-old farmhand, little influence. Clifford Hawkins, who was convicted of killing two brothers near WPA officials in San Francisco Mount Vernon was hanged at the Washington State Prison early to- that WPA regulations were being the jobs formerly held by the strikers or some of them; the inday. Hawkins was convicted of killing Ernest and Floyd Grimm declared the strike issues would be tions with their 13-year-old sister. of the Stockton district.

Film Guilds Form Defense Alliance

Screen Writers and Directors Pledged to Act Jointly in Event Either Group or the Actors Are Attacked by IATSE

(People's World Hollywood Bureau)
HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 23.—A mutual assistance pact of the Screen Writers Guild and Screen Directors Guild today faced any agency which would attack either of the two organizations or the Actors' Guild.

The three organizations comprise the Inter-Talent Council. The solidarity alliance was *

formed to meet the threat of the filiate of the Authors League of gangster-ridden International Al-

Meetings Ratify

ployes to move in on all film

Both the writers and directors the solidarity front at tion. meetings Monday night, committing themselves to defense of the is not committed to return the compliment.

ing on that night stood in strange employed members to be elected at contrast to that of the Directors' a meeting of the unemployed writ-Board and the writers' general ers. A vigorously progressive tone membership.

The actors put off consideration of the I.A.T.S.E. issue, although they have been threatened as openfend the actors against the I.A.T. being required to pay up. Pre-S.E. will have some effect in mov-S.E. will have some effect in movthing soon in its own defense.

The writers meeting unanimously pased a resolution asking the International prolonged unemployment. The acter Talent Council to call a joint tors board also called in question mass meeting of the three guilds to discuss the I.A.T.S.E. threat, and to invite as well the eight other professional guilds who are not members of the council.

Autonomy Clinched Autonomy for the Screen WritAmerica was virtually clinched by Monday night's meeting. The members are voting individually by mail, but unanimous resolutions were passed Monday night approving the incorporated affilia-

Studio shop committees to elected by the members of the actors, although the Actors' Guild writers guild in each company were authorized at the writers' meeting, as well as the formation of a The Actors' Guild board meet- similar committee representing unaccording to reports.

Apart from failing to take action on the I.A.T.S.E. threat, the Screen ly as the other groups. Progres- Actors Guild board meeting made sives in the Actors' Guild hope a much needed decision to permit that the definite undertaking of Junior Guild members behind in the directors and writers to de- dues to work three days before ing the Actors Guild to do some- could not take a job, which worked serious hardship on those actors and extras who have experienced tors board also called in question the work of the Studio Unemployment Conference, to which both it and the Junior Guild sent delegates. It was decided to send additional observers from the Actors Board itself to determine whether the elected delegates should continue to sit with the con-

Picket Lines Judge Refuses Span County in Injunction to WPA Walkout Showcase Firm

Project Workers' **Demands**

(Special to the People's World) TOULUMNE, Calif., Feb. 23,-The unincorporated city of Tuolcent walkout at the local WPA project in solidarity with the other

strikers in the Sonora area. Despite threats of reactionaries, the walkout took place at the Tuolumne High School project. There are now six picket lines in the

With support widening, including | weapon. that of the Sonora Banner and a local newspaper, the Workers Alliance leaders today predicted a uick and favorable their demands

Picket Lines Respected

The strike first in the county since the days of the Western Fedsince the days of the Western Fed-eration of Miners, began Tuesday, February 15 in the snow-bound, the decision reads, February 15, in the snow-bound hills about Twain-Harte, near Sonora, or a \$35,000 WPA project. nora, or a \$35,000 WPA project, as a means of exerting influence and almost immediately local WPA upon their employer or indirectly off the Golden Gate today with an unidentified steam schooner. The Balboa was reported slightly damaged. Meanwhile fermics are started to force WPA workers through the picket line. Only

Workers Alliance Local 198 is

demanding 50 cents per hour, instead of 37 cents now paid; trans-portation paid to the jobs; the right to make up time lost because of inclement weather; right to post bulletins on the job; and recognition of the Workers Alliance, all guaranteed by national WPA regulations but never in operation here. A Workers Alliance strike com-OTTAWA, Feb. 23 (TP).—A Mon-real member of Parliament, Earn-st Bertrand, said today that he

Papers Support Strike

Last Friday, the Sonora Banner appeared with a strike headline, of the strike by those responsible mands. Another Tuolumne local erice of such intention." paper also approved of the WPA strike. Then came the Tuolumne strike. Then came the Tuolumne as the passing of time; the employment of others than the strik-Side Lumber Co., with an attack on the strike as led by "trouble mak-positions, formerly held by them;

because they objected to his rela- in the hands of Administrator Wade

New Anti-Labor Spy Agency Blossoms Out in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—Despite the recently publicized reports of the La Follette committee on labor spies in industry and the provisions of the Wagner Act, the "Service Bureaus" are still pushing the sale of their *-

anti-labor services to Los Angeles being made by one Mr. Florian shown by their prospectus; "A bad DeDonato, Jr., Managing Director spark plug can slow down the efficiency of your motor, and one vice Bureau. This organization has dissatisfied, disloyal employee can for years furnished a legitimate seriously interrupt the most smoothservice to local business concerns, ly running business. Many emwhich has had as its purpose the investigation of numerous "charity" and "Advertising" rackets which abound here, but has recent-spark plugs, and otherwise gatherly gone in heavily for the sale of ing important information from its "Undercover Information." within the organization."

No bones are made about the The latest of these attempts is purpose of such information as

Says Size of Group Is Immaterial

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23 .- Refusing the request of the Weber Showcase and Fixture Co. for an injunction to restrain picketing against Millmen and Cabinet Workers Local No. 884, Judge William J. Palmer rendered a decision that has probably given Judge Emmet Wilson the jitters.

Claiming that only 18 out of 260 employees had walked out and that therefore a bona fide labor dispute did not exist, the company was attempting to break the strike with at virtual compulsory arbitration and backed by Paul St. Sure, emthe usual Los Angeles injunction

that even if it were true that a be held at the next council meetsmall group was on strike, the ing Monday night. strike was still legitimate.

Defines Strike

"A strike is the concerted action of a number of employees in ceas-"without intending to permanently relinquish their status as employes, upon the employ of others, in sympathy for whom they may act, and River collapsed today west of Fulleft the job, when they found out change in terms or conditions of to the end of accomplishing some employment."

A strike is terminated, accord-

fulfilled. 1-"The re-employment of the strikers, or all save one of them." or all save one of them, of employment elsewhere, thus showing final abandonment by them of the em-

"4—Full correction of the condition or of the alleged default against which the strike was a protest, thus destroying the bona fide of the action."

"5-The announced abandonment for its continuance, or such facts as will support a reasonable infer-"6-A combination of facts (such

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. 23 ers," but so far it has had very the return to work of some of the strikers; the finding of other employment by some of the strikers; effectuality of the strike and its concomitants, picketing and boycotting, in exerting any influence upon the employer)-from all of which it may be reasonably and justly concluded not only that what once was a strike has failed of its purpose, but that there is no reasonable basis for faith in a fair probability of success. When such finding properly can be made, there is no longer any live bona fide purpose behind the purported strike, and therefore it may be regarded as only a form and a

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new ambassador to the Court of St. James, Joseph P. Kennedy, declined to answer any questions today as he sailed on the U.S. liner Manhattan for London.

Kernedy was accompanied to the ship by Sen. Guffey of Pennsylvania and President Roosevelt's son, James. The new dimplomat dodged all questions of foreign affairs and his plans for the immediate future. Also aboard the Manhattan was

AutoAssn.,CIO Join to Fight Fingerprinting

Home Owners

OAKLAND, Feb. 23—CIO mem-bers who have had difficulty securing auto licenses because they re fused to submit to fingerprinting by the State Department of Motor concrete action against this prac-tice may be made by giving affi-davits to the local California Automobile Assn. The CIO Alameda Council Indus-

rial Union Council and the associa tion are taking joint action against fingerprinting by motor vehicle of-fices, and the association is secur-Local Papers Support Palmer Defines Strike, ing these affidavits at its offices, 339 Grand Ave., with action to be taken in the near future,
The CIO council is also taking up

the cudgels for the small home owner with a petition to President Roosevelt and the Home Owners Loan Corp. urging another mora torium on the principal of all loans Bob Phillips of East Bay Machin

ists Local 1304, who made the motion at last Monday night's counci meeting, cited the fact that the HOLC is at present making unreasonably rigid rules regarding loans, which blocks assistance to small home owners.

The council condemned the "Oak land Metropolitan Plan," branded

ployers' attorney.

Nominations of candidates for Judge Palmer decided, however, offices for the coming year, will

Levees' Collapse employers for the agreements Spreads Terror In Arkansas Village | in the East will go to the Facility Coast to aid local officials in the

FULTON, Ark., Feb. 23 (TP)— Two main line levees on the Red ton, raising a menace of a serious

Hundreds of volunteers and WPA workers began topping a dike ing to Judge Palmer, when any which has kept back waters at highest executives why he should one of six conditions have been Fulton for 29 years. Fears were be denied a permanent visa, Sup-Fulton for 29 years. Fears were be denied a permanent visa. Supexpressed that the levee will crumble under the weight of the pound-ing waters and flood the southwest "2-Acceptance by the strikers Arkansas vilage. The levee breaks near the town already have flooded ing majority this month in a reflarge stretches of farmland

State Federation Head Refuses to Obey Green

DENVEF, Feb. 23 - With the union men of his state backing him, President Frank Hefferly of the Colorado Federation of Labor defied AFL President William Green's orders that he resign. The only reason for demanding his ouster is that he is also Presi dent of District 15 of the United Mine Workers of America, now ex pelled from the AFL.

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Said Too Much | When Kids Have 2 Strikes on Them 2 BANK FIRMS

It's Easy to Precipitate a Third One IN BRIDGE DEAL McClymonds School Was on the "Wrong Side of the Rail-ACT AS DECOY Enough to Walk Out By Tom Patterson

OAKLAND, Feb. 23.-McClymonds High School, where a student strike has caught the headlines, is situated "across the tracks," figuratively speaking. For years it was located in an old building at 26th and Myrtle Streets, until

hat building was finally con-x-NEW YORK, Feb. 23 (TP).—The ter" sections of Oakland had he mistakenly thought the boy was better quarters. But for populous West Oakland, with its work- had taken a particularly prominent ing people and underprivileged national minorities, the old building was good enough until the law forced a change. Then the students were squeezed into the buildings of Lowell Junior High School, en-

Immediately back of the strike Ambassador Anthony J. Drexel Bid- was the expulsion of two student die, returning to his post in Po- leaders and a refusal of Principal W. A. Hensley to confer with a protesting delegation of students. Back of that was the comparatively minor incident of a lost basket ball game, and an injury to the referee. The students generally believe the officiating was discriminatory. They lite evidence. I will leave that to he sports writers, who incidentally naven't refuted them.

Police Enter

But when the students struck would not scatter and would be gone. On top of that five students

workers were chartered, and are *

ary AFL officials who have fought

the rise of the IWA with "goon

squads" and other repressive mea-

sures, CIO officials in the North-

west are preparing to open nego-

tiations with the Pacific Northwest

It is expected that CIO leaders

Whether it will be John L. Lewis,

John Brophy or Philip Murray

could not be definitely stated at

Pritchett is asking the nation's

porting his application are 75,000

IWA members, who re-elected the

young Canadian by an overwhelm-

Opposing Pritchett's entrance into the U.S. are the lumber barons

this time, stated Pritchett,

and certain AFL officials.

which expire in March.

manent visa.

negotiations.

demned as a menace to life and Tribune they admitted a policemen ately the Tribune and the News health. Other schools in "bet- hit one boy in the mouth because charged him with addressing the bonds of the Bay Bridge is a trying to escape. The mistake was in strike tactics. practiced, of course, on a boy who role and was a Negro in the bar

> Injured students say police fists did it, in all five cases.

Mr. T. E. Hennessey, science teacher and boy's counselor at the school, refuses to call the affair a strike. It was only a lark, according to him. It was a fine day and the sun was shining, that's all. "If you are looking for a deep social significance," he told me, "you're barking up the wrong tree. That is his opinion and the offi-

cial school opinion. Suffer Discrimination

Two alumni of the school, however, told me that discrimination from classes. against the "West Side kids" who Panicky scl Oakland Council Also they received a prompt reply. Postudents are treated as the ugly of the picture the unpainted houses, duckling, just as the whole complice first expelled them from the lice first expelled t They say that in equipment these But all of them alike have left out campus, then arrested all who munity is noted for the shabby dis- ed condition and the social inequalicomfort of its poor homes.

No strike would be complete withsuffered injuries in the police state out the red-baiting and distortion that this has nothing to do with of the Southern Pacific because it tion. Police, according to the Exa- of the newspapers. Certainly not the case. They assume that the

in Northwest; Pritchett Seeks Visa

Extension at Washington

Intl. Woodworkers of America, it was declared here today.

students and "instructing" them

This same theme was repeated with variations by all of the big been signed, sealed and delivered, dailies, though it was denied by declared Fred E. Reed, president of Kauffmann, denied by Mr. Hennessey and admitted by police to be wrong. The Tribune and the Hearst oress, as usual, called the World "Communist daily,"

Frame-up in Offing Finally the police have sought

to stop the strike by levelling their attack on Harvey Simpson, by raising the charge that he is a parolee from the Preston reformatory. They arrested young Simpson and juvenile officers told the World that "he is on his way back" because a girl has been found whom they quote as saying he threatened to "beat her up" if she didn't stay away

Panicky school officials, bristling comprise its student body goes police officers and the major newsdeeper than the discriminatory of papers have combined to confuse ficiating which the students allege. the situation relating to the strike. ty of West Oakland. Like Mr. Hennessey they assume

miner, said only one was injured when he "fell" down the stairs and lost a tooth. He had been walking upstairs until he suddenly began to fall downstairs. According to the People's World, and immediate the case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the People's World, and immediate the Case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the Case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the People's World, and immediate the case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the Case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the People's World, and immediate the case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the Case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the Case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day, the Reds, the People's World, none of whom built the case. They assume that the would keep auto tons at a minimum trouble was a basketball official, a spring day

Woodworkers to Add \$80,000 Damages For Train Wreck during the last election that the Southern Pacific contributed heav-60 New Locals in East

CIO Heads to Open Negotiations With Employers

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Sixty local industrial unions of timber workers, chartered in the East and South by the Com-The claimants alleged that the mittee for Industrial Organization, will soon be added to the The arrangements were made last year when the CIO Woodto support a fill.

to be completed by IWA President Harold Pritchett in Washington, Townsend Friends for damage to equipment, tracks and roadbed. Await FDR Reply

In a final thrust at the reaction- On Pardon Plea was killed in the derailment, asked WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (TP)-

The engineer of the train and seven mail clerks asked damages Members of Congress who have ranging from \$500 to \$1,750 for

EVERETT, Wash., Feb. 23. Claims totalling \$80,000 damages crime and its perpetrators should against Snohomish County were on file today in county court as an aftermath to the landslide which derailed a Great Northern mail train on Dec. 28 near Monroe.

county failed to maintain a concrete and corrugated iron culvert of sufficient size to carry natural stream water, failed to join sections 4.17 per cent deal which Florence and failed to erect a concrete wall M. McAuliffe, and Charles H. Pur-

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today for Washington to begin 30

days in jail for contempt of the

asked the President to exercise executive elemency in behalf of

Townsend. The congressmen said

that they believed the President

had held up his answer because

of doubt concerning his power to

pardon anyone before an attempt

was made to carry out the ser

Townsend meanwhile has an

Dr Townsend was convicted or

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Sacramento Session MEXICO MEET

Roy Pike Booed in Interchange on Tariff With Leader Sees Economic AAA Representative-Curtailment Program **Questioned by Small Producers**

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 23.—Washington's Birthday, appropriately enough, was marked by a near free-for-all between tory Still tense after general secreand poor farmers here.

More than 1000 from all parts of California had gathered in speech of vesterday, 3000 delethe Sacramento Jr. High School auditorium to learn from Sec- gates to the national congress

SECY HENRY WALLACE

whose reactionary policies are win-

ning over more and more of Cali-

fornia's farmers. Articulate, they

To Set National Quotas

crops while admitting there is

hunger in the land were brought

answer. Instead the representa-

tives of Washington stated frank-

ly they did not know the an-

swers, but were doing the best

they knew how under the circum-

One plainly dressed woman cre-

people of the nation ill-fed. If the

people consumed all that they

could consume, there never would

be over-production. I think the

question is not because we have

surpluses that we have low prices

and trouble, but because there

is such a big split between con-

curtailment regardless of acreage

says prorate has done no good for

the little producer. Prorate is not

a choice between good and bad-

it is a choice between two bad

things. In other words, between a

modities on the market, and taking

a smaller loss on a limited market

During his speech in the open-

taining and increasing wage levels

Conference on Boycott

American League for Peace and Democracy today announced a

sisted that janitoring was a pro-

should be known as Custodians.

because of ill health caused, he

said, by his studying too diligently

work. The new job was too heavy

deliberately trying to get rid of

ALAMEDA, Calif., Feb. 23.-The

in the cities.

University Fires Janitor

After Giving Him Degree

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Feb. 23.-Will Cantor, university edu-

cated janitor, is out of a job today. He was forced to quit by

his employers, the officials of the University of Michigan, who

quarters whenever he chose to at his books. When he returned,

News of his extra-curricular for him, Cantor discovered, and talks and unorthodox reading broke would have necessitated his giving

following among students grew to Students, who agree with Cantor proportions annoying to the ad-that the University officials are

into the campus press, and Cantor's up his part-time studies.

erudite basement philosopher in- back on his old job.

point out what he called the ab- another man had his job, and he

ity of being educated for jobs was to be transferred to other

ated a stir by saying:

sumer and producer.'

stances.

y of Agriculture Henry Wal-* how the new farm legislation to curtail production and pay conservation benefits would work. The meeting had been called by the University of California Extension

Following Wallace's personal plea for harmony and cooperation and a warning to beware of special interests who would mislead the farmers, a question-and-answer session was held ir, the afternoon.

Roy Pike, large "corporation

farmer" and prominent member of the Associated Farmers, threw this session into an uproar when, uninvited, he took the platform to denounce the tariff policy of President Roosevelt.

Pike Booed

Boos, cries of "throw him out" greeted the cocky little man who is best known to California progressives and trade unionists as the possessor of one of the largest private arsenals and gas bomb collections in the state. Pike, who aspires to be a leader

of California farmers, had demanded from the floor that the U. S importing agricultural products instead "do something" about tariffs erected by other countries banning export of California dried

He asserted that the United States was importing \$3 worth of agricultural products to every \$1

Called on Facts

George E. Farrell, western division director of the AAA who was answering questions on behalf of Farrell, the new act will set farm the Department of Agriculture, denied Pike's figures were anywhere near the truth, and pointed out that the principal agricultural imports were rubber and coffee, neither of which were grown in America. He further pointed out the well known law of foreign trade that you

can not sell American wheat, cotton, dried fruits, etc., unless foreign products are taken in exje. Those who insist upon total usion of imports, Farrell said are misleaders usually fighting for

their own selfish interests against the interests of the great majority Pike Retreats

Farrell's answer to Pike was good enough for the assembly, but not for Pike, who decided to repeat his remarks from the stage.

en that the choru boos broke out, and Pike and his few rich supporters found themselves in a menacing situation. Pike retreated in the uproar, and the assembly divided into three discussion groups.

Other questions from the floor aimed at clarification of the new agricultural bill. Signed last week by the President it is designed to limit productive forces to the avail domestic market and what ever foreign market can be found. Small farmers have found that the old AAA curtailment program cutting down acreage on a "Prorate" basis favored the large farmers and spelled ruin to many small acrage

"Make a Big Noise" Small farmers raised this point

at the meeting and were told that the new bill has attempted to correct this discrimination as fairly big loss caused by a lot of comas possible. "You must make a big noise," Far-

rell said, "if you feel you dor't and losing a little. Best thing we like the way we meet your prob- know." lems. That is the only way we can That Farrell meant these words of the Associated Farmers, who

particularly for the small farmers are rabidly anti-union and who who have not the funds, influence have on occasion threatened to mop with the press, or organizations to up the unions physically, when he colonels over the grade of Briga-"make a noise" was evident a flatly declared that the prosperity dier-General to the post of Major moment later when a man looking of the farmer depended upon mainmore like an English Lord than a farmer took the floor.

'What's the use of making noise?" he inquired in a cultured voice, "A year ago when I was in Washington I told you gentlemen what to do, and you ignored me.' This man, said to be a spokesman for the Associated Farmers, a group | conference would be held in this

gedly financed by the PG&E city next Monday, February 28, to thern Pacific, and the banks, further the boycott of "Made in was like Pike, typical of the group Japan" goods.

have become increasingly irked by

Cantor's ironic, sub-basement cri-

ticism of capitalism in general and

contemporary higher education in

Possessor of a degree, Cantor

packed students into his cramped

did not exist.

Crisis, Fascist Attack

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 23. tary Vincente Lombardo's fiery of the Confederation of Mexican Workers (C.T.M.) today prepared wage increases from the big mo-

It was thought that the big issue of boosting wages in the oil industry against the opposition of foreign imperialist companies would be temporarily set aside. A Supreme Court decision on the ancient oil case is expected Friday. confidently that the Supreme Court has no other course than to deny any more stalling by the American and British oil companies who have refused to obey federal wage award.

Warns of Coup Tension rose to a high point yesterday when their progressive leader Vincente Lombardo pointed to an approaching economic crisis and the mounting danger of a

"Is the Mexican proletariat ready o take up arms to oppose Fasdemanded Lombardo. 'Yes!" shouted the delegates risng as one man in an ear-splitting

Miners Debate Reaffiliat.on (Special to the People's World)

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 23.-With erhaps the most urgent question pefore them the reaffiliation to were quick to seize opportunities the Confederation of Mexicar the meeting presented to becloud Workers (C.T.M.), the National issues and confuse the poorer farm-Convention of the Miners' and Metal Workers' Union now in session here is expected to last at least a month. According to answers given by

The miners left the big national quotas by voting on a national and labor body more than a year and not regional basis. Poultry produc- a half ago. But now their re-entry tion will not be affected. Payments is expected. This would aid the for curtailment will be shared by miners greatly in their perennial both owner and tenant. No program fight with the mammoth American of curtailment of crops will go into Smelting and Refining Company, effect unless unwieldly surpluses the biggest metal enterprise in Contradictions of the govern-

With present membership at 90,-000, the convention is expected to ment's program of cutting down admit many newly organized groups to boost the strength well over 100,000. out but no attempt was made to

Blast Kills Four In Mexican Gas Tank Explosion

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 23 (TP) Four persons were killed and 15 were injured today when five big gas tanks exploded. Doctors feared nat two or the injured might die The blast occurred in Maguari chic, Chihuahua State. Severa nouses and stores near the gas tarks were burned. The town is In the moment of silence that near one of the world's largest gold followed her remark, she again camps.

raised her voice: "What have you The explosion was attributed to really done to assist the small an electric spark. Telephones and farmer? I know the prorate (crop telegraph lines were put out of much commission. News of the blast was size) has eliminated many small radioed to the outside world by an amateur operator. "This lady," Farrell answered,

FDR Promotes 8 Army Officers

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (TP)-U. S. Army today when he sent Canada's idea of democratic gov ing session, Wallace shocked many to the Senate the promotions of ernment.

> The promotions jumped three colonels over the grade of Briga-Generals and placed the officers in command of important branches of the service. All the promotions must be confirmed by the Senate.

Col. Emory Adams was named to the important post of Adjutant General with the rank of Major General. He will replace Major General Edgar Conley who is re tiring because of age.

Col. John Herr was promoted to Chief of Cavalry with the rank of Major General replacing Major Fraternity). General Leon Kormer. Col. Rober Danford was nominated as Chief of Field Artillery with the rank of Major General, replacing Major General Upton Birnie whose term in the post has expired.

Social Science Group to Hear Judge Lindsey

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23-Judge Ben B. Lindsey, nationally known for his work in humanizing th fession and its skilled practitioners juvenile court, will address the Institute of Social Science on Tues-

The organization meets Tuesday evening at Clifton's Cafeteria, 648 South Broadway. Judge William R. McKay of the Municipal Court will preside at the

Morgan Partner Dies

NEW YORK, Feb. 23 (TP).-The P. Morgan partner, Seymour Organizing a janitor's union, the him, are attempting to get him Parker Gilbert, died unexpectedly increased 70 to 80 per cent in the ate action, since he already was a today at the Doctors' Hospital.

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(Above) The tell-tale marking on the "Bestmaid" to othbrush. Arrows indicate USA, marked in large letters, and Japan, inscribed in tiny ones. (Below) Eugene Linder holds one of the tell-tale tooth-

Fresh Nazi Outbreaks Stir Austrian Unrest

Anti-Hitler Leaders Gather, Million Workers Signatures Pledging Fight Against Control of Berlin-Parliament Session Today

VIENNA, Feb. 23 (TP)-Austria was in a turmoil today turbulent Nazi elements defied the orders of their leader, Interior Minister Seyss-Inquart, against any provocative activity. first went to republican Spain we area at San Francisco helped pro-

Meanwhile the anti-Nazis mobilized their forces. Despite government orders issued by the Nazi Interior Min-

trian independence.

tomorrow

court precedent.

judge ruled.

olving free speech.

of a chain of theatres.

in his speech before parliament

Union Right of

Superior Court Judge Emmet H.

This right has been previously

upheld in various court cases in-

Wilson yesterday decided in favor of the International Alliance of

Court Upholds

Press Denies Strength of Canada Nazis

Berlin Tie-Up Is Shown by Published Letter of Party Head

(Special to the People's World) MONTREAL, Feb. 23. fascist National vaunted Cristian Party of Canada contains no more than 400 actual dues paying members, according to an article in the Montreal Herald circulated here today.

But the journal points out that this is only one of many such anti-democratic groups.

The information, it states, was received from "an unimpeachable source, part of whose duty is to President Roosevelt began a shake- keep a watchful eye on all organi up of the high command of the zations which do not line up with

The Herald also published part of a letter signed by Adrien Arcand, head of the Social Christian to the public the misdeeds of em-Party, which showed a direct tie- ployers is now backed by a further up with the Berlin Nazi propaganda bureau.

city of Montreal are listed. They are, according to the paper, divided The German groups are: Na-

Three main fascist groups in the

Sozial Demokratische Arbeiter Partei Kanada (Nazi party), the Deutsche Bund (German Union) and the Deutsche Arbeiters Gemeinschaft (German Workers

Party and the Canadian Union of The principal French - speaking

English-speaking fascist groups

roup is that headed by Arcand.

The admiral said that in his

opinion, the Navy has received fair

competitive prices on bids for steel

for battleships. He added that the

53 auxiliary vessels.

past two or three years.

3 Billion Needed Senate Body Okehs For Atlantic Fleet, Nominee to Fill Admiral Testifies

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (TP) Rear Admiral Dubose told the WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (TP)-House Naval Committee today that it would cost \$3,200,000,000 to contoday the nomination of Max Truit struct an adequate Atlantic fleet. of St. Louis as a member of the Dubose said that such a fleet vould require 166 combat ships and Joseph Kennedy. The nomination of Truitt now

goes before the Senate for consideration. The appointment of Rear Admiral Emory Land as chairman of the prices for auxiliary machinery have commission does not require Senmember of the commission.

British MP's Impressed by Spain's Army

Can't Be Defeated, Says Laborite Who Went There Skeptical

LONDON, Feb. 23-"When we fundamentally convinced that it *ister against propaganda and demor strations. Nazis in several outlying districts opened campaigns for Seaham who, with five other making this flight. McNutt said CIO to Investigate. members of parliament, has just that he had never met Col. Johnson returned from a tour of republican until he climbed aboard the plane They distributed circulars boasting that the Nazis soon would be in control in Austria.

"A magnificent military machine Anti-Nazi leaders claimed today has been built up, and quite de that they had obtained the signaserves the unbounded confidence tures of a million Austrian workit enjoys from the population. The ers to a manifesto pledging supgreat body of civilians feels certain port to Chancellor Schuschnigg eventual victory.

a struggle to maintain Aus-"Perhaps the most impressive thing we saw was the unity which A score of Nazis who were arrestextends throughout government ed last night for illegal demonstraterritory. We saw men of every tions were at liberty again today. affiliation, from anarchists to re-Nazi party leaders said, however, publicans. They all had only one that the disturbers had been exslogan—'Win the war.' pelled from the Brown Shirts or

The organization, both civil and military, is astonishingly good. early next week. Both sides were waiting impa-Here, we are treating familiar tiently today to learn what stard Chancellor Schuschnigg will take

"We know factories, and the muard. The spirit of the workers, large Foods. numbers of whom are women and girls, is comparable to that of the Plea to Public army-in other words, superb.

They can deal with their probem, rest assured of that, but they LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23. — The want our help—they med it and we right of labor unions to explain are going to see that they get it." want our help-they need it and we

CommunicationsMerger Protested in Petition

Theatrical Stage Employes and Mo-SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23. tion Picture Machine Operators Petitions asking representatives against Gordon & Recotr, owners and senators in Congress to pro test current attempts of Western The employers had asked an in-Union, Postal Telegraph and cable junction against distribution of companies to "consummate an unleaflets by the union, and against sanctioned merger at the expense of the public and the employees paid advertisements by the union. "The right of the union to sell in the industry and in violation of public interest and the intent of its theories by advertising to the the Federal Communications Act listed are: the Canadian National public in a lawful manner is no of 1934," were being circulated less than the right of a merchant widely here today. to advertise his goods for sale," the

A congressional committee to investigate the industry is also pe-

Sponsored Radio Telegraphists Assn., national office, 10 Bridge St., New York City, the petitions being circulated senators. Their circulation was en-Kennedy's Office dorsed by the San Francisco District Council, CIO.

> What's On Rates: 18 words, 50c per insertion, in advance. Deadline,

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Tricky Duplicity Aims to Deceive U. S. Shoppers

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23 (TP)-Proof that the Japanese are squirming under the boycott of Japanese goods by American people, is above pic-The tricky Nipponese are

ing their products marked "Made in USA" in large bold letters. Close examination of the bottom of the pink celluloid tooth brush holder reveals in microscopic letters, the word Japan.

The Japanese have managed this duplicity by naming a small mar. ufacturing town "USA".

The Los Angeles Thursday Evening Discussion Club took cognizance of this trickery when they elected a committee with Eugene Linde: as the chairman, to boycott Japan goods at a recent meeting.

The Peoples World in its editorial columns referred to this toothbrush about two weeks ago. Since that time all local newsnews service have picked up the story and are running pictures of the brush.

Not Candidate For Office...

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (TP).— The U. S. high commissioner to

McNutt held a news conference at his Washington hotel shortly President Roosevelt was expected after arriving in the capital. The former Governor of Indiana said ployment problems immediate he was devoting all his time toward upon his return to Washington if doing a good job in the Philippine Islands. He added that the 1940 campaign was still a long way off McNutt said that General Sim-

mors, commander of the 9th corps were skeptical. We have come back vide the army plane which flew the Philippine Commissioner from cannot be defeated. Its strength is is francisco to Denver. The pilot immense." This is the opinion of the plane, Col. Johnson, was Emanuel Shinwell, Labor member transferred to a lower post after on the morning of the flight

Business Heads Submit Recovery Report to FR

NEW YORK, Feb. 23 (TP)resident Roosevelt's first group of ousiness conferees was reported tolay to have reached an agreement on a recovery report to be submitted to the President. The report was scheduled for presentation to Mr. Roosevelt later in the week or

The conferees considering the re ground and feel well qualified to port are Chairman Alfred P. Sloan of General Motors, E. T. Weir of the National Steel Corporation, nitions and arms plants that we vis- Lewis H. Brown of Johns Manville ited are as good as anything we have in England. Industrial organization is right up to cure our result. Brown of Johns Manville Corporation, M. W. Clement of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and Chairzation is right up to cure our result. zation is right up to our own stand- man Colby Chester of General

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Nipponese Alarmed by Enemy's Show of Aerial Strength

HANKOW, Feb. 24 (TP) -Chinese Army headquarters reported today that at least 40 Japanese airplanes had been destroyed by the Chinese bombing raid on the air base at Taihoku, on the island of Formosa Wednes-

SHANGHAI, Feb. 23 (TP) The Chinese struck their first blow at Japanese territory since the beginning of the war today when a squadron of Chinese planes raided the Japanese island of Formosa.

The raid crused consternation ir. Japanese military circles, where was seen as a demonstration of he increased power of the Chinese

According to Japanese reports hree Chinese bombing planes caried out a raid on the capital of ormosa at Taihoku. The Japanese said the raiding squadron evidently was aiming at the air base at Taihoku. The report said the planes dropped their bombs while flying of a great height out of range of nti-aircraft batteries. The bombs nissed their target, according to the Japane e report and exploded in a residential district, killing several women and children and demolishing several houses. Later a squadron of eight Chil

bombers carried out a raid on the city of Shinchiku, about 37 miles southwest of Taiboku.

Avers McNutt Unemployed Will Be Subject for the Philippines, Paul McNutt, said today that he is not a candidate for Study By F. D. R.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (TP) to tackle the railroad and unem upon his return to Washington the

be perturbed over the tangle of previously indicated a hands-off attitude until after the freight rate case is decided, it was said that the President wants to make all preliminary studies as soon as possible.

AFL Boycott Story

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 23 (TP o San Francisco to investigate the AFL boycott on the CIO-manned

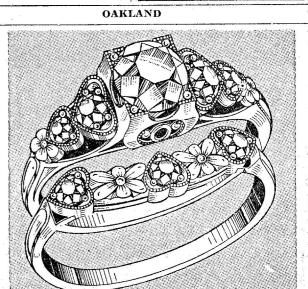
West Oregon Lumber Co. Lumber company officials an-nounced that the plant would have to close down again Friday because of the AFL boycott on its products in California. CIO officials charge that the closing of the plant was a management-AFL officials conspiracv against the CIO.

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They Slammed the Dore In Dave Beck's Face

THE people of the entire Pacific Coast can join with the people of Seattle in rejoicing at the elimination of Mayor John F. Dore in the primary elections. Dore and his associate Dave Beck, Teamsters' Union czar, and their practices of corruption and racketeering were becoming an increasing menace to the entire West'

They have been stopped in their own home town. The answer of the people in Seattle was the answer of the people in the entire West. But, what now?

How much will be gained if Dore is traded in for Arthur B. Langlie, who led the mayoralty race?

Langlie is associated with the "Cincinnatus" group ostensibly formed to promote clean government. But many of its statements show that it also intends to clean out labor unionism of all kinds, that its stand on other public policies is reactionary.

Certainly, the people of Seattle will not gain much by exchanging a mayor who was allied with a reactionary and corrupt "labor" machine, for one who is allied with outspoken openshoppers, comparable to the rulers of Los Angeles. People of that sort howl about "davebeckism" and use these howls, not to fight Dave Beck chiefly, but to fight the CIO whom Beck is fighting!

Thus, while it was correct for the progressives to make their chief cry for the primary elections, "Beat Dore!" now, with Dore out of the way, the fire must be directed at Langlie.

Even more heartening than the defeat of Dore were the results of the councilmanic race. Here of the first four candidates three, Mrs. F. S. Powell, James Sullivan and Michael B. Smith, were definitely progressive. It is also significant to note that Mrs. Powell who has cooperated with Hugh DeLacey in pushing a progressive program in the City Council, ran 7,000 votes ahead of Langlie, 57,154 to 50,389, on the basis of unofficial returns.

From the standpoint of voting strength, the vote of Mrs. Powell is the best gauge for progressive sentiment in Seattle.

That sentiment in Seattle.

That sentiment must be united and crystallized into a clean progressive sweep in the

final elections on March 8.

A good beginning has been made in the primaries.

A Hearst Kiss For Wm. Green

THE past few weeks have seen the Executive Council of the AFL making strenuous moves for unity. But—

The moves have all been in the wrong direc-

At its meeting at Miami, the Council approved the U. S. Chamber of Commerce proposal for storing up bigger profits for the monopolists by the repeal of the undistributed profits and the capital gains taxes.

Then, in order to make sure that this move was fully appreciated by big business, William Green followed it up with a speech at Chicago in which he proposed uniting with capital against "government interference."

The AFL Council members who fight so bitterly against unity in the labor movement, have not had to wait long for an answer to their offer of unity with the big employers.

William Randolph Hearst plants an editorial kiss upon the brow of the Council members. He lovingly calls them "men in overalls" and declares that their action on the profits tax is a "symbol of a great awakening."

We cannot believe that the membership of the AFL takes very kindly to this unity with capital against "government interference"—by the government voted for by millions of union men precisely because it promised to "interfere" with open shop exploitation.

Union members in the AFL want unity, but with their fellow workers in the CIO—against the open shop, not with the open shop against the CIO. And they will, we think, intensify their vigilance against queer maneuvers of the Executive Council that brings sweet words of praise from William Randolph Hearst.

Corporate Unionism, Hallmark of Fascism

"MAKE labor responsible," cry the openshoppers of America, magnifying their demand through the myraid channels of publicity they control throughout the nation. "Make the trade unions incorporate."

In half a dozen states, legislatures have listed on their programs consideration of varying types of incorporation bills.

To whom do the employers want to make labor responsible? The answer is simple: to themselves. They want a glorified company unionism dominating every industry, every shop, every plant in the nation.

Writing in a recent issue of the "United Rubber Worker," J. B. Moss further clarifies the reasons back of the drive to compel incorpora-

tion of labor unions.

"In the first place," wrote Moss, "a corporation is an organization which has obtained permission (in the form of a charter) from the state to carry on certain activities. A cor-

poration cannot exist without the permission of the state. A corporation can only do those things which its charter, granted by the state, allows it to do.

"Thus, if labor unions were required to incorporate, it would mean that every time a pulp of workers wanted to form a union they would have to apply to the state for a charter. They would have to ask permission to organize! If, as would be likely, the state officials were hostile to unions, or to this particular group, they could refuse to issue a charter.

"Then if those workers went ahead and organized their union, it would be illegal because it was not incorporated. Its officers and members might be subject to criminal prosecution for participating in an illegal organization."

You can imagine what state officials, appointed by Gov. Merriam of California or Gov. Martin of Oregon, would do to labor unions! Incorporation would give them power to crush every legitimate labor organization in their respective states

"But that is not all," Moss wrote

"If the anti-labor outfits that want compulsory union incorporation ever got their proposals passed as laws, there would undoubtedly be provisions in those laws which would say what the union corporations could do and what they couldn't do. There would be provisions requiring certain things to be in the corporation's by-laws, requiring them to have a certain setup of organization, and no other.

"The purpose of incorporation of business is to limit liability, not establish it. Incorporation of trade unions seeks to establish liability in such a way as to hold the central organization responsible for irresponsible acts of individuals, such as spies, agents, provocateurs and strike-breakers."

In short, Mussolini has corporate unions, Hitler has corporate unions, and the open-shoppers of this country want exactly the same type of "unions."

Rejoicing When Cairns Leaves

IT IS unusual when a man's home town paper publishes letters congratulating the community on its loss of some public figure. Such unpopularity must be deserved.

In the case of Fred C. Cairns, who left a seven year job with the Healdsburg Chamber of Commerce to take a similar job with the San Rafael Chamber, it seems there is no secret.

Mr. Jerome Koch, writing in the North Bay Labor Journal remarks:

"Under Mr. Cairns' fine leadership Healdsburg has the proud distinction of claiming responsibility for the tarring and feathering episode that put Sonoma County in the national spot-light—very spotty, I should add. His departure from local scenes is as much to be congratulated as his arrival in San Rafael is to be regretted. Our loss is certainly not their gain."

A considerable number of residents of both counties have also written the press scoring the vigilante activities of Cairns, his promotion of the reactionary "Associated Farmers," and his bad effect on the good name of the county which "appears now as the place where liberty is pounded into peoples' heads with pick handles and baseball bats."

Let Marin county people watch out for the good name of their cities, now. Their new acquisition is about as well liked as plague.

Defending Labor's Magna Charta

THE "economic royalists" have launched a campaign on six fronts, via six Congressional bills, on labor's Magna Charta, the Wagner Labor Relations Act. The attempts to cripple the act and the National Labor Relations Board, are not going unchallenged, however; labor and its friends are applying mass pressure to representatives and senators in Congress to defeat all these plans against labor.

For the convenience of your union or other organization, the People's World reprints the following resolution, adopted by District Council No. 2 of the Maritime Federation in San Francisco, as a model for YOUR voice in defense of the Wagner Act:

"RESOLVED: That the San Francisco Bay Area District Council No. 2 of the Maritime Federation of the Pacific Coast urge affiliated unions, and other local and central labor bodies, and union members as individuals to express through resolution, letter and other means:

 That you insist on the National Labor Relations Board having its full appropriation for the coming fiscal year.
 That you are opposed to any meddlesome

and officious investigations into the affairs of the Board, which are being managed in an able manner, and

3. That there must be no changes whatsoever in the present text of the National Labor Relations Act."

Substitute the name of your union in the "Resolved" section today, get your union to adopt it, and notify the California representatives and senators in Congress immediately.

Incited By Martin Then Arrested

THE following is from the columns of The Free Press, of Bend, Ore.

"Some little time ago, if we recall correctly, our sabre-rattling comic artist governor advocated the use of violence (against the CIO).

"Following these cracks some time ago by the general, members of the AFL were arrested charged with arson. One of them, Al Rosser, secretary of the Portland Joint Council of the Teamsters Union is a bitter foe of all things CIO, and a chief lieutenant of Dave

"Taking it all in all, it is really hard to blame some for the deviltry hatched up by underworld thugs and racketeers when our dear general has already made suggestions that were greater in magnitude than others have been convicted for."

Eyes on the World



Toryism Revealed As Fascism

By Harrison George

CHAMBERLAIN must go! We want Eden!"

These words, ringing through the lobbies of the Mother of Parliaments, on Monday, were the voice of the British People.

Between Chamberlain, the coldblooded fascist yet calling himself "Conservative" as he "surrendered Europe to Bandits and International Chaos"—as the San Francisco Chronicle correctly put it, and Eden, the fop and aristocrat who nevertheless dared at the eleventh hour to split with Tory-Fascist policy, the common people of Old England choose Eden. And history will verify these words.

And, mark you well, you "isolationists" who have succumbed to blind fear and fascist propaganda put out as "Americanism"—how you read with still more fear and alarm the story of that split between Eden and Chamberlain there in the far-off House of Commons. If your hitherto abstract fear of war did not then become definite and concrete, then you have missed the giant sign-post to be seen by all but the utterly blind.

That portent is not to be invisible even to the dullest mind. The great headlines of every American newspaper told the story of how much was and is at stake for our America. They gave the lie to "isolation" and revealed, despite all blatherskite argument, how much America's democracy had depended upon democratic forces remaining even weakly dominant in England, as a resistant force against world fascist aggression.

And when that wall crumbled and British Toryism revealed itself as Fascism, all who can read current history with understanding recognized the peril to world peace, the danger to America and American democracy.

What Is War?

Ethiopia, then Spain, then China, then Austria! And now every press commentator knows and says—Czechoslovakia! To bring "freedom"—and concentration camps—to 3,000,000 Germans in Czechoslovakia, presumably "freedom" from the 186,000 Jews, that nation of 15,000,000 people is slated as the next victim of fascist aggression!

"Isolated Rumania," admits William Philip Simms, Scripps-Howard's foreign editor, "will then be only too glad to strike a bargain, after which the lush lands of the Ukraine (Soviet territory) will lie just ahead."

So what does all the gabble

of Prime Minister Chamberlain mean? He says he has "saved peace." Good heavens! If this be peace, what is war? Does a fascist army threaten any democratic nation? All it has to do is surrender—and that, says Chamberlain, and with him a vast section of American Tory

And what did Eden hint at, when he told the House of Commons: "It is not an isolated issue. The last few weeks have been most important for a decision on foreign policy that did not concern Italy at all, but was fundamental." Did this imply Chamberlain's agreement to a secret pact with Hitler against the Soviet Union?

Or did it imply a rejection by the Tory-Fascist Chamberlain of the hesitant yet necessary overtures Washington might have made for joint action of England and America toward war-mad Japan now running amuck?

False Realism

If so, these words of Eden hold a dreadful meaning to America. For no navy can be built by even the most miraculous Americans between now and 1942, that can defend our country from the horrors now suffered by China and Spain against a combination of Japan and England—if the British people permit such a fascist as Chamberlain to continue in power.

Perhaps this appalling perspective may shake the stupidity out of some, who forget that Tory England does not want and never has desired, and

Letters to The Editor

Need for Unity Felt by Oroville Progressives

Editor, People's World:

We have several good people here in Oroville who have progressive views who don't belong to our Commonwealth Federation Club and they don't care about the program of the Commonwealth Federation. But these people in time can be drawn into a united movement. Several of these people talk with he quite often on political matters. There isn't any doubt about the growing of a feeling for unity in many circles of the people here in this section.

You push for a unity movement. I will work as hard as I can to swing our people to this cause in order to defeat the Tory clique. I have full confidence that our section can be won over for much support. I know about the unity program and by a better connection, which will furnish me with more information. I can really do more in our clubs and in other circles. Sincerely yours, II, S., Oroville, California,

even has twice rejected cooperation with the United States on foreign policy.

Again we hear the evil or ignorant comment that Chamberlain is a "realist." What mockery to genuine realism! Correctly, did the British Labor Party spokesman cry out: "Mussolini is a bankrupt, living on loans!" And only last week, the heroic Communist Party of Germany, still working in spite of Hitler's "freedom" within Germany, declared:

"The colossal manufacture of armaments is disorganizing production. Raw materials and foodstuffs are lacking. National wealth is being squandered. Popular discontent is growing. The fascist leaders are sacrificing the interests of the German people. The wish for immediate war is growing because the internal difficulties are increasing."

People's Expectations

And even as Hitler spoke last Sunday, a riot in Japan's parliament occurred, reflecting the insecurity of the war-mad militarists and the wide and growing anti-war feeling of the Japanese people. What sort or "realism" is it, when mighty England, rejecting the possible cooperation with America, France and the powerful Soviet Union, surrenders to such an insolvent band of international gangsters?

This is no "realism." It is fascism!

If this were the last word, if those Americans who have not been bribed, as Hearst has, to sell our country to fascism, could see no other England than that of Chamberlain, then the future would indeed be black for the common people of America.

But even yet, though the sands of time run dangerously low, the voice of America can turn the tide. And what must that voice say?

It must say, plainly even if diplomatically, that America's common people expect the people of England, the sooner the better, to overthrow the rule of Chamberlain and the Tory-Fascist alliance; that the American government, officially and publicly ca'ls for all democratic nations and peoples to carry out with the United States a "quarantine" against aggressors and summons those nations who want peace without fascism to unite for peace.

A rabbit, they say, watches helplessly the snake approaching for the death blow. The American people must demand that President Roosevelt speak loud and clear for concerted action against the criminals of war!

COLUMN LEFT

By Vernon

By Harrison George

Some Brief
Sketches of
Colonial Days



THERE seems to be more than one story of George Washington's time, which has its analogy for us today.

Benedict Arnold was a national hero, recognized by the Continental Congress. His bravery and wounds at Quebec and Saratoga won applause everywhere. But his wife was a Tory in touch with British officers. They played upon his vanity. He felt that he was not being advanced quickly enough. He was "worked on" by the enemy as some Soviet officials were recently, until he was set upon betrayal.

Quite deliberately he asked for, and received, a post of exceptional trust, commanding the fortress at West Point on the Hudson. Then he got British Major Andre to negotiate with him for its betrayal. All night they bargained at a farmhouse, drew up the terms of betrayal in signed agreements. It was only due to the suspicions of a common soldier that Andre w captured and the plot revealed.

And what did Benedict Arnold do after escaping to the

British lines? He, the former hero of the revolution. committed the most savage crimes against it. Commanding its British foes, he burned the town of New London Connecticut and massacred its inhabitants

Then we have those who forever "sit on the fence." The Provincial Assembly of New York, notified that General Wash-

ington was visiting the city as newly appointed Commander-ington was visiting the city as newly appointed Commander-ingthef of the Revolutionary Armies, and receiving word that, on the same day, the British Governor, to whom they had already foresworn allegiance, would land on return from England, on June 25, 1775, took a "neutral" position.

Though the blood of colonials had been shed at Lexington

Though the blood of colonials had been shed at Lexington and Breed's Hill, these "neutral" New Yorkers hedged. They ordered the troops at their command so disposed that they could officially receive whichever arrived first, Washington or Governor Tryon! "And to wait upon both as well as circumstances would allow." Something like the Scripps-Howard papers of today.

Elsewhere, I have told how the workingmen of Maine gained the first naval battle of the Revolution, by capturing bare-handed the King's ship "Margranetto." These Maine sawyers and loggers had a particular grouch against George III. He was restricting production and preventing them from making a living.

George the Third regarded Maine as a rather small place, it seems. He decreed that all pine trees 12 inches or more thick at one foot above the ground, be not cut for lumber, but reserved for "masts for the royal navy." Maine had literally millions of trees. But the King's Supervisor of Mast Trees, with a host of deputies fined loggers one hundred pounds for every store cut for lumber, or punished "with twenty lashes" cuttasuch a tree secretly.

Though the King's navy could use only a few, millions of trees rotted away unused, like factories closed by economic royalists today. "Swamp law" became respectable when loggers cut trees anyhow, and fought battles in the woods against the King's deputies. Revolution was but the natural outcome of this ban of monarchy on their labor and livelihood.

ban of monarchy on their labor and livelihood.

The Tories were the "scabs" of that day. And how they did crawl before the King. Run out of the colonies, in 1789 their agents addressed the King with the following lickspittle words:

"Your Majesty's ever dutiful and loyal subjects, who have heretofore been the suppliants of your Majesty in behalf of their distressed constituents, now humbly beg leave to approach your Throne, to pour forth the artent effusions of their grateful hearts for your most gracious and effectual recommendations of their claims to the just and generous consideration of Parlia-

It appears that Washington's day had not only its Trotskys but also its Peglers.

WORLD FRONT

By Harry Gannes

By William Z. Foster

Guest Columnist for Harry Gannes

NE of the most thrilling moments of my life was a couple of days ago at the opening of the new Supreme Soviet, organized under the provisions of the Stalinist constitution. Comrade Browder and I attended together, in



The proceedings were simple enough and lasted precisely an hour. There was no oratory or extensive speechmaking. Just the election of officials and committees to start the new governmental machinery into motion. And the whole country, in holiday spirit, stood spellbound while the great event was taking place.

Since the opening of the new Soviet Farliament the newspapers have daily published pages about its proceedings. Never were the actions of a government body so thoroughly reported as this.

The thing that struck me most forcibly about the Supreme Soviet was its manifest democracy. Democracy is literally written all over it.

THE democracy of the Supreme Soviet, utterly different and far more advanced than that of any capitalist country, shows itself in many directions. First, there is the democratic composition of the delegates. Of the 1.143 delegates to the two chambers of the Supreme Soviet, 465 are workers, 330 farmers and 325 employes and intellectuals. Of the workers, 353 are employed in Party, Government, economic, military and co-operative work, and the rest come straight from the work benches, and of the 330 farmers, 151 hail directly from the rank and file of the collective and state farms. It is indeed a Soviet of the workers of factory, field and office.

Another striking phase of the Supreme Soviet's democracy is the large representation of women—no less than 187. Compare this delegation with the handfuls of women that are to be found in the various bourgeois parliaments. The heavy representation of the youth is also an outstanding democratic feature. In the two Chambers 284 of the deputies are 30 years or younger and of these 13 are less than 20 years old, one girl, the younges legislator in the world, being only 19 years of age.

Still another phase of the new Soviet democracy is the fact that the delegates are the very cream of the workers, farmers and intellectuals, practically all of them having distinguished themselves by outstanding service to Socialism, and on the democratic principle of reward of service coming to the front. In the Soviet of the Union (one of the two houses) no less than 42% per cent of the deputies bear orders for merit in their special fields of work. Of the Parliament deputies, 870 are Party members and 273 non-Party.

IN some respects, however, the most striking phase of the Soviet democratic Parliament is the very existence of the Soviet of Nationalities, one of the two chambers. Nothing remotely like this is to be found in any other government on earth. Here is a legislative body made up of representatives of all the many nationalities that go to constitute the Soviet people, 54 different national groups being represented.

The Russians, with 146 delegates, comprise a minority of less than one-third. This chamber has equal powers with the other. Imagine a government body in the United States, one of a two-house Congress, in which the overwhelming majority is made up of Negroes and other national minorities and you at least an inkling of this revolutionary feature of Soviet Social.

democracy.

Before the Revolution Russia was what Lenin called a "prison of nations," with scores of national groups suffering under the lash of Russian Czarism. But now all these nations—Russians, Ukrainians, Armenians, Jews, Tadziks, Tators, Usbeks, Kalmachs, etc., etc., all live together in fraternal co-operation. This bringing together of these many nations with friendly solidarity is one of the noblest achievements of the Soviet Government. And the symbol and expression of it is the Soviet of Nationalities.

SEEING RED

With Mike Quin

77HY doesn't somebody open a window?" Judge Bolix complained, "This place smells like a sweatshop." He removed his pince-nez glasses very delicately, massaged the lenses with a handkerchief, then mopped his large, floppy face.

The assembled officials, viewed through a haze of tobacco smoke, looked like sick fish floating in a dirty acquarium.

"There is room for only one ism in Bombalia," shouted Senator Ropeland, "and that is Bombalianism."

Judge Bolix blinked his eyes wearily. "My dear Senator, you have said that forty times. Now get to the point. What evidence have you that this man Harry Pritches should be deported from

"Why! He's an American," exclaimed Ropeland. "He's an agent of the Red, White and Blue network," declared Sec-

retary Snimp. "He's a disseminator of Americanistic and un-Bombalian propa-

ganda," added Congressman Corncake. Judge Bolix raised both hands in supplication. "But gentlemen, we are not at war with America. And what is there about this so-called Americanism that seems to frighten you so?"

FOR ROPELAND stepped dramatically forward and thumped a bundle of newspapers on the Judge's mahogany desk. "Your honor, the record speaks for itself.' "What's this? What's this?" The Judge affixed his glasses on his

"These, your honor," said Ropeland, "are American newspapers. May I call your attention to that headline, 'SEX MANIAC SLAYS SIX'; and this one, 'SHOOTS TWELVE, KILLS SELF'; and this one,

'MAD FIEND STRANGLES CHILD.' "Good heavens!" exclaimed Judge Bolix. "America must be a blis-

tering Hades."
"If I might further enlighten your honor," said Congressman Corncake, "I would like to point out that although America is the wealthiest nation on earth, producing enough food to provide for twice her population, yet no less than 16 millions of her people are unemployed. Conditions of poverty in her cities and rural areas are unequalled anywhere. Throughout her entire history she has stumbled from one horrible depression to another until she now finds herself suffering a new depression before she has even finished with the last."

"Would you like to see a crazy and impractical system like that imposed upon Bombalia?" asked Secretary Snimp.

"IN CASE your honor still has any doubts," said Senator Ropeland, "will you please examine this copy of the Atherton investigation of vice graft in San Francisco? And will you also give attention to these reports on a similar graft expose in Los Angeles."
"My land sakes alive!" exclaimed Judge Bolix; "I never saw so many

shapely legs and scantily dresed women in my life. enator Ropeland peered over the desk. "Oh!" he remarked; "that's

arst Call-Bulletin you are looking at."

his is extraordinary—extraordinary," said the Judge. "Why on earth does this man Pritches want to advocate such insanity?"

"May I have a word, your honor?" It was a voice from the back "Certainly. Certainly. Speak up," said the Judge.

"Your honor, I am Congressman Jones. I represent the opposite small quarters that are designed view in this matter. I want to point out to you that the man, Harry to be staff quarters. The 65 library Pritches, who is being slandered in this hearing, has never advocated either vice or graft, unemployment or depressions. To the contrary his whole-hearted efforts have been directed at combatting these evils which we have here in Bombalia as prevalently as they have them in America. The real reason, and the only reason, why they want to deport this man is because he organized the harbor workers in a union and wen them higher wages and better conditions."

"I object," snapped Ropeland. "I object. Harry Pritches is an Americanistic, un-Bombalian agitator. He is part of the sinister Red, White and Blue conspiracy. He's—"
"Certainly you object," said Jones. "You're on the payroll of the

very employers who have to pay the higher wages that Harry Pritches helped to win for them. You and the rest of these jumping jacks."

"VOUR HONOR," declared Congressman Corncake, "I appeal to your eals of Bombalianism. Bombalia has always been a free country posed to be a rest room and a id where the employer has been free to exploit labor-where factory owners have enjoyed the freedom and liberty to suppress anything that interferes with their profits. Are we going to sacrifice this free-dom for an Americanistic foreigner? When our own workers try to organize unions we arrest them for blocking traffic, or else club them senseless. Why should we let a foreigner do what we will not let our own citizens do?'

"Preserve the freedom of employers to exploit labor and you will encourage industry," shouted Ropeland.

Judge Bolix pawed wearily at his perspiring jowels. "Why doesn't

CHANGE THE WORLD

With Mike Gold

OT a New York paper ever tells the truth about upper-class society. One has to ferret out items in the semi-scandal offices. Delay and complication of columns of Winchell and his tribe to get any sort of clue. I service involving these stray books think the subject is of great social and news importance.

A familar apology for capitalism is that the big money goes to the best people as a reward for their brains, thrift and industry. If this were true, it would be a sort of economic logic, though THE present library building imnot yet social justice. But it isn't true. A few big rewards are paid to real brains, but the great majority of the upper-class has no talent of any sort. Even society columns like the Post's, that Kaiser, head of the library board, out, and rinse it again and again testors go most of the prizes. Very try to flatter and glorify this crowd, can report nothing but the parties they throw and the way they flit from one pleasure spot to another.



Tommy Manville is perhaps a freak; but is any economic system less irrational and freakish that maintains such a crackpot in luxury, while millions issue, Mr. Kaiser told the People's hard and mats the surface. maintains such a crackpot in luxury, while millions of decent family men, men who are skilled workers, World, for the erecting of a new

I have often suspected that Tommy isn't quite as exceptional as they make out. A great amount of degeneration among the rich never is reported in the papers. Tommy seems to like publicity; the others are smarter.

Kenneth Gorham, a St. Louis reader, sends in a clipping from the society page of a local paper. In a piece by Dorothy Coleman, called "In Polite Society," one reads a true story of the debutantes. Dorothy calls it heart-breaking; it shocks her.

"THE season just closed hit a new high in throats slit, toes stepped n, feelings hurt and sensibilities outraged," she begins. "Polite so-—indeed, you don't know the meanness of the selfish, cruel and rude women in this society. You haven't heard the true stories of what

goes on at balls and luncheons, cocktail and country breakfasts, all of which read like fairy tales in the society columns. Listen-" And Dorothy tells all-how the older women snub, insult and intrigue against the new debutantes. It sounds like Franco's "heroes" cutting up their prisoners. Here are a few of Dorothy's complaints:

"Parties and good manners are not to be mentioned in the same breath these days. Not when a young woman can take off her shoes and scamper in stocking feet across tables and still be on the select list. Not when the guest of honor at a cocktail party takes a notion it's a bore to stand on the receiving line and so sprawls on the floor, obliging her callers to stoop to greet her.

"Not when the young men and women alike stamp out their cigarettes on Oriental rugs or toss the stubs into the workings of a grand piano. Not when a veteran debutante-fusser, with too many Martinis under her belt, disports himself in an upstairs bedroom of a party by impaling bowler hats on the sharp posters of a bed."

DOROTHY COLEMAN'S rantings make her sound like a debutante herself, one who doesn't drink but has perhaps read a book. Anyone who has known some of these people, or even their servants, can testify he is telling the truth. But why are the Evening Post, the Worldram, and all these other "liberal" sheets, hiding this truth from us? They are so damned noble about "exposing" workers who happen to be Communists; why not expose the Yahoos of the upper class, or even merely report them as they are, instead of smearing them with

Well, it doesn't matter. The news gets around anyhow. And when the full tale of our time is told, the tramps like Tommy Manville and staged under the direction of Ralph dry. And press the binding with a less until this present day and skillfully handled, perhaps, Barbara Hutton will have a place, too, in history's pages. Like the Rogers, NMU representative on warm iron to make it look like age with our Irish Sweepstakes, in alive with the life of the material queen who made that wisecrack about cake.

STANDING ROOM ONLY! Dracula' Thrills Audience In Hair-Raising Way

Oakland Library Suffers From Overcrowding

By Augusta Roberts

OAKLAND, Feb. 23.-If anyone has a sentimental hankering to investigate the romantic old buildings of the Oakland of an earlier day he should be directed to the main branch of the Oakland Public Library.

Nineteen hundred and two-the date of construction of that public building- is hardly far enough back to be associated with rose-covered haciendas or full-skirted senoritas of the days of the dons. But from 1902 to 1938 is a long time in the development of a city.

What was a large, new and adequate structure 36 years ago is today an example of over-crowdof bad working conditions, and of horrible destruction of valuable public property—thousands of rare book collections-all due to the fact that there just isn't enough room.

Standing Room Only!

WHEN the public library was first erected, it was intended hold some 70,000 volumes. Today the library owns over 126,000. In order to make room for the excess books, stacks and shelves have been put up in every available corner. The space intended for reading tables is now less than 66 per cent of its original size. And this despite the fact that the library, reaching 96,209 card-holders, circulates annually nearly 8 times the number of books that

t did in 1902! Standing room only! Books are piled precariously above the nearly-ceiling-high shelves until they are quite un-reachable. Valuable folios containing a great part of the 170,000 print collection of ...mous paintings are crammed into improvised pigeonholes in a small, dark hallway.

Bookrooms have been made out of the old meeting room of the trustees; books are stacked in the workers and the thirteen WPA assistants in the building are forced to squeeze themselves into impossibly small working-room in order to allow space for cataogues and files.

Six typists are employed in a quarters have been crowded out. flimsily-constructed wooden mezbooks might be crammed in somehow. The staff room which is supplace where the employes can eat their lunches on rainy days, has become a storehouse for magazines and books.

Books Get Poor Housing

first floor of an old apartment pure mild soap, the next requisite building rented for this purpose by is lukewarm (never hot) water, books not available to the public tience to wash them gently and after 5 p. m. when the "annex" is thoroughly. closed, but many of these books have been runied by steam and fire from an explosion of the heating-system in the apartment house. BEFORE you submerge the gar-Five thousand more books are stored in the basement of a library is a natural consequence.

More Money Needed

Poses hardship upon the library squeezing has removed every vesworkers, library-card holders and tige of dirt, lift it out with both upon the books. Librarian John N. hands and press the soapy water told the Oakland city council. His in more lukewarm water until the report was politely filed.

building, four new branches, and to book collections.

Famous Troupe to Dance at Benefit

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—An event of artistic and social impor-tance will be the performance of the nationally known Humphries and Weidman team, famous exponents of the modern dance, at benefit to be staged for the seamer, of the Algic in San Francisco on March 13.

funds for the fight for unconditional pardon for the seamen who fully if you just go about it care-ing either handed out or bought. are now held in jail on a charge of fully. in Montevideo, Uruguay.

roupe performed recently. San Franciscans have a great treat in store for them, for the Humphries and Weidman troupe double over the line in the shade. return was at least one-fourth of the people. If you take up Lundethe original investment in prizes berg's Imperial Hearst, cool and returned to the participants. Later the west coast.



NOT THE MIDNIGHT MISSION but the periodical room of the Oakland City Library. There's a third tess reading space than in 1902, and in order to get out, you ve got to climb on the tables or trample your neighbors.—Britton Beers Photo.

WOMAN'S

By Sue Barry

THERE'S not much fun connected with the weekly tussle with dirty clothes and of several interesting facts. clean, fresh-smelling clothes drying as the P. T. Barnum era, when in the sun (if we're lucky enough he sponsored a song writing conin the sun (if we're lucky enough room no more than twenty by to have the sun shining when wash twenty feet square because their day comes around). But one of the delicate and troublesome more typists work on a problems that the family laundering presents is that of cleansing zanine that was hung over their woolen garments and blankets. old office in order that more Fortunately, there's a way of doing it easily and simply so that little sweaters, knitted suits and blankets emerge from their soap bath as handsome as they were when they were new!

Let's take up the problem of laundering knitted garments first. If there are youngsters in the family, then there is probably a weekly quota of sweaters, leggings stored in the basement and the first is rich thick suds made of the Library. Not only are these and last but not least, the pa-

ment in its soapy bath, measure it, or better still, make a pattern of it of heavy paper or cardboard Then check it over to see that there are no loose buttons or stitches starting to run. Then put it in the thick suds and squeeze it again and again ever so gently. If you are not sure that it is clean, re- The Contestocracy peat the operation in another batch of soap suds. Then, after the last rinse water is perfectly clear. go to an outsider. The only solution to the problem Remember to never rub woolens

ease the article into the pattern the like. you drew, or to the measurements excessive heat, even the direct to enter the game. rays of the sun, are bad.

garment can be laundered success-

THEN there's the question of Showing the social concciousness so often associated with intelligent This requires practically the same and sensitive artists, Charles Weidmethod, excepting that they can Lotteries "Painless Tax" man and Doris Humphries readily be washed in a washing machine assented to contribute their services in the cause of the seamen one. Run the washer only three who were unjustly jailed wher. they were appraised of the facts by Francis J. Goodall, district orbath. It is a good idea to take a that sponsored the lottery, went to take a that sponsored the lottery, went to take a that sponsored the lottery, went to take a that sponsored the lottery. ganizer of the National Maritime small soft brush to the binding if the profits made up of the pennies Union of America, a CIO affiliate it seems dirtier than the rest of put into the gamble by servants, in Madison, Wisconsin where the Humphries and Weidman dance rubbing of the rest of the blanket, This much could be said in favor

rank high in dance performance of it has a deep nap, a brisk the lotteries took on more of a pure rifying material, you can't put it at which they will dance will be bushing will make it look fluffy ambling aspect, with the chances down until you have finished. If the bushing will be bushing will make it is completely of winning a large prize growing you want more of the same, less new.

'You Pay Your Money And Take Your Chance

Tickets to Fortune, Eric Bender, Modern Age Books, N. Y., 35c. cause and effect of lotteries, from the day of simple drawings for cash prizes until our present day's sweepstakes and gala million dollar prize contests.

Taking the present "contestomania," the jingle, rhyme the

tect for Jenny Lind.

at first shunned by big business, but with the post-depression years and shrunken sales, the contest low as one cent. took on an air of respectability. being adopted by advertising agencies and given the benefit of radio,

But even with all this crowd- and other small woolen garments a 50 word paragraph on the merits supression finally took effect.

Court batles were fought, both Dur even with all this crowd-ing it has been necessary ever since to have additional quarters. More than 70,000 books have been stored in the basement and the

> tising, large cash prize contests as the United Supreme Court. have been known to fail miserably. and just ask for an opinion go Harriman to bring back the lotter-over with a bang. This can not be les to the United States. Publicity explained, for some, much depends and pressure was brought to bear, on presentation, originality, etc. received advertising space in our bringing back the lottery. so-called best newspapers.

COMING with contestoman's an easy and harmless way of raising money for public works and known as contestors, or members of other civic needs. the contestocracy. To these conrarely does one of the big prizes ficials coming from it, lotteries do

Can an outsider win? Mr. Ben-Much of the success of your qualify themselves by not reading Brisbane Subject laundering operation depends on the rules, therefore leaving the purchase additions to the basic the drying method employed. After field open for the contestocracy. you have squeezed (never wring The contestocracy have their own woolen garments) out all the water magazines, wherein they discuss the you can, wrap the garment in a multiple entry, merits of leading heavy turkish towel to absorb contestors who in turn give inmore moisture. Remove, and gently terviews on "stick-to-itiveness" and

.The lottery and the advertising you took, and pin it into shape. contest share very little difference. (You'll spoil all your good work One is a game of chance where a if you hang any kind of woolen person buys a ticket to participate garment on the line.) Let dry and the other where the contestant slowly in the shade—any kind of buys the sponsor's product in order

Lotteries date as far back as the That's a simple enough oper-days of Heliogabalus and Augustus ation, isn't it? And it will save a | Caesar. They were first used as lot of cleaner's bills throughout the entertainment at parties and such, The benefit will be held to raise year, for practically any woolen with the tickets entitling the contestant to a prize, these tickets be Lotteries were then used to raise

"mutiny" growing out of a sit-down strike staged on the Algic Take Care With Blankets tions of a town, harbor repair and money for strengthening fortificaas Queen Elizabeth put it in the first English lottery, publique goode

or you'll ruin all your good work. of the first lotteries, the minimum which the odds are very high.

Eric Bender in his "Tickets to Fortune" reviews the history,

word orange and interpret the *cartoon contests, Mr. Bender tells

A by-product of the early lottery was "insurance" of your invest-ment. Tickets of the lottery were a washtub that most of us have to face. Our only reward is the to face. Our only reward is the satisfaction of seeing a line of craze originates from as far back to 48 days. During this time bets would be laid as to on which day their ticket would be drawn. Today this is called the "numbers" or The Great American Cortest was policy game. The policy racket is the most petty method of gambling known, with betting of wagers as

Lottery Comes to U.S. THE lottery after enjoying many

years of existence in England one heroic, one ominous and these occur throughout the music. Mr. as Benjamin Franklin and George Elkus is now the head of the muther opening of the San Carlos Success for Merchandising Washington endorsed lotteries. THE contest gag was phenomeralThese were on the level, but soon ly successful, the sponsor get- the thieves cut themselves in. In Louisiana lotteries flourished ting an immediate buying response from the public. Two million entries poured into a \$30,000 "write fast growing movement for their

But sporsors can never be sure iana lotteries, made it grow into of the outcome of their contest, a powerful means of buying poli-Even with the use of high pres- ticians' favors for his company. He sure radio and newspaper adver- later took the lotteries as far up

Determined efforts have been contests that offer premiums made on the part of Mrs. Oliver but the Postoffice put too much Most of the contests are legiti- heat on some of the minor points mate, though the fraudulent "find of Mrs. Harriman's plan, dooming ten faces" type of contest has for the present any chance of

Arguments have been brought forward by those who would have lotteries back again that they are

But at such a price . . murder, corruption of public ofnot seem to be worth it, says Mr.

Of New Biography

Erisbane, A Candid Biography; Oliver Carlson; Stackpole Sons New York 1937.

THE story of Brisbane is the story of Hearst. And the story of Hearst has been told by Ferdinand Lundberg.

Oliver Carlson presents an-

other aspect of this amazing caeer, in the history of Brisbane-Brisbane the editor, discoverer of the perfect style for casual, thoughtless reading, a kind of hypnotic flicker of half-truths, truisms, curiosities; Brisbane the reformer," using the utopian So cialist ideas of his father, which he scorned, as a bait for the discontented; Brisbane the realtor, in creasing the value of his proper ties by blurbs in his column about California climate, bribed with Florida property to switch his rhapsodies east, selling Hearst himself a slum lot, unseen, on which to build one of his newspaper plants; Brisbane the hypocrite, covering the international-

The most vigorous imaginings of gangster fiction writers are pap alongside the realities of the life of Hearst. Various, hair-raising, incredible are his violations against -take up Carlson's Brisbane.-M.R.

By Lou Seligson

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21.—Eerie lighting effects, screams screeching out with the house in complete darkness, bloodsucking vampires flitting above the heads of the audiences, all the embellishments surrounding a thriller play like "Dracula" as presented by the Federal Theatre at the Mason Opera House,

Noted Composer

By Beverly Doone

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23. Federal Music Project concert and sunrise. In the daytime, he and Thursday night at Scottish Rite his fellow vampires sleep in their Auditorium, is not only the outstanding composer of the Negro the baying of the wolves as soon people, but a particularly strong, as darkness approaches. dynamic figure among contemporary American composers. Among other American numbers on the program to be conducted by Alfred Hertz, Mr. Still will direct the Federal forces in "Kaintuck" and "Lenox Avenue," the latter for chorus, orchestra and piano (with Verna Arvey) and Philip Stearn,

Tickets for these concerts sell for 25 and 45 cents, bringing this music within the reach of hundreds of working people unable to afford other concerts. In the music department of the

public library will be found an exhibit featuring Mr. Still's music.

Prodigy to Plan

Saturday night, the audience will of violin prodigies who played with the symphony seven years ago. Now a lad of 15 he returns maid. after some years of further study. He will play the Tschaikovsky Concert—a shallow piece of music in spite of its popular melodies, but well calculated to show off the lad's abilities.

The symphony of the afternoon is one by Haydn, he who is called "The Father of the Symphony" and who is responsible for casting into the form we now call symphonic, the loose string of dance numbers played as a suite before that time.

Local Composer

LOCAL composer is on the A program, an event in itself. This is Albert Elkus, a native son, whose Impressions from a Greek Tragedy was played by the orchestra in 1920, under Alfred Hertz.
This music depicts the tragedy which is the basic feeling of all Greek drama-the vain struggle of the hero to escape an implacable from Prince Igor, in which the fate. There are two main themes— Municipal chorus will take part. fate. There are two main themessic department of the University Opera season

* left the onlookers gasping for breath. Almost everyone who has seen the movie version knows the story of "Dracula" dramatized by Hamil-Conducts Chorus ton Deane and John Balderston from Bram Stoker's world-famous

novel. Dracula, the king of vampires comes back to life, infecting human victims with his abnormal practice -William Grant Still, who will of sucking blood from the living conduct his own music at the so that he may continue to live

FREDERICK J. PLYMM played Count Dracula with fine tempo, giving a beautiful performance aided by odd-angle lighting. Supporting him, William Rand, as the apparent madman, gave such a realistic and dominating performance, that he almost stole the show. Rand will be remembered as giving a rousing performance in his last role as one of the screwey

writers in "Boy Meets Girl." Millard Vincent, as Dr. Van Hels-ing, the Dutch specialist who solves the mystery of the anemia victims, carried the pace well with a strong, solid portrayal,

The rest of the cast played ex-AT THE S. F. Symphony contremely well. Frances Hall, as Lucy Seward; Douglas Mack, as Butterworth, whose cockney accent was welcome the return of young amusingly done; Arthur Gardner, Grisha Goluboff, one of our crop as Jonathan Harker, the stooge hero; Lyle Clement, as the father,

Crowded with a young and lively audience, which enjoyed the thriller in the same manner that thou-sands come to boo and hiss the villain in the "Drunkard," the Mason rang with feminine shrieks as the fair heroine suffered at the hands of the vampire. Unusual effects, tables, books, lamps, all moving with no one on the stage, added to the effect. Someone planted in the audience rose in her seat at a dramatic moment and shrieked "No, no, for God's sake, don't," as the vampire was about to mar the pretty throat of the frail Lucy. Conveniently enough, a nurse and attendant ran down to assist her up the aisles amid cheers and applause.

of California.

The other two numbers on the program will be Ravel's Alborado and Borodin's Polvetsian dances

11:45—The Bost of the Ween, NBC Red.

12:00—Editor of the Air, KFVD; International Federation of Business and Professional Women, NBC Elue.

AFTERNOON

12:45—Commonwealth Club Luncheon, NBC Blue.

1:30—Hughsreel, NBC Red; Club Matinee. NBC Blue.

1:45—Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe, Columbia

1:45—DF. Anno. Any. Land. bia.
2:00—Martha Meade, NBC Red.
2:30—Harry Kogen's Orchestra, NBC. Red; News Through a Woman's Exes, Columbia.
3:00—A merican School of the Air, Columbia.

3:10—American School of the Air, Columbia. 3:15—Rhythmaires, NBC Red. 3:30—Woman's Magazine of the Air, NBC Red. 3:45—Dinner Concert, NBC Blue. 4:00—American Progressive Talks,

KFVD. 4:45—Bughouse Rhythms, NBC

Red.
5:00—Sophisticated Strings, NBC
Blue: Hammerstein Music Hall,
Columbia.
5:30—Eddie Swartout and His Music NBC Blue.

TUNING

with Mary Hurley

OTHER" Ella Reeve Bloor, foremost American labor champion, member of the Central Committee, Communist Party U.S.A., will be heard in a pre-International Womans Day talk over a nation-wide hookup of the NBC Blue network on Thursday at 11:15 a.m.

The subject of Mother Bloor's talk will be "Security for Women."

Also participating on the same promull be Muriel Draper noted 11:30—NBC String Quartet NBC Blue; Bennie Walker's Kitchen, NBC Red.

11:30—How to Be Charming, NBC gram will be Muriel Draper, noted Red. author who will lead the discussion, 11:45—The Best of the Week, NBC and Betty Gram Swing, active member of the National Woman's Par-

Thursday's Hits

1:00—Club Matinee, NBC Blue.
1:30—Hughreel NBC Red.
2:00—Bennett and Wolverton, piano and guitar duo, NBC Red.
2:15—Benno Rabinoff, violinist, NBC Red. NBC Red.

2:30—Harry Kogen and His Orchestra, NBC Red.

3:00—Rakov's Orchestra, NBC Blue.

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3:30—Woman's Magazine of the Air, NBC Red.

3:45—Dinner Concert, NBC Blue.

4:00—American Progressive Talks, KFVD.

5:00—March of Time, NBC Blue; The Royal Gelatin Program, NBC Red.

Evening

6:00—News KGGC; Good News of 1938, NBC Red.

6:30—Labor on the March, KGGC.

7:00—Kraft Music Hall, NBC Red.

8:13—Elza Schallert Reviews, NBC Blue.

Blue. 9:00—Sports Headliners, KGO. 9:30—Roger Pryor's Orchestra, NBC Blue.
5—The University Explorer,

KGO.

10:00—Richfield Reporter, NBC Red;

Music As You Desire It, KGO. 10:30—Jack Winston's Bal Tabarin Orchestra, NBC Red. 11:00—Eddie Duchin's Orchestra, NBC Red Friday's Best

MORNING
7:45—News Reporter, KPO.
8:00—Morning Merrymakers, Mutual; Farm Reporter, KSFO.
8:15—Madhouse Rhythms, KSFO.
9:00—Mary Margaret McBridge, Columbia 9:15—Your News Parade, Columbia.

9:30—National Farm and Rome Rour, NBC Blue. 0:00—Gold Medal Feature Time, Co-lumbia. 10:30—Information Bureau, Mutual.

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EVENING

6:00—Hollywood Hotel, Columbia;
Swing Spotlight, KLS.
6:30—Scorts, Mutual.
7:00—The Songshop, Columbia; Campana's First Nighter, NBC Red.
7:30—Jimmie Fidler, NBC Red.
7:45—American Civilization and War, Columbia.
8:00—Bobby Grayson's Orchestra.
8:30—Horace Fieldt and His Brigadiers, NBC Blue; A. L. Alexander's True Stories, NBC Red.
9:00—Gilmore Circus, NBC Red.
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9:00—Ran Wilde's Orchestra, NBC Blue.
10:00—Music As You Desire It, KGO;
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Poroof that the Japanese government is completely devoid in yesterday's NEWS has **Frosh**, 35-34

It's not often that LEFTY'S boredom is so profound that he turns to the shipping page, but yesterday being a bit foggy, he opened his afternoon gazette on that section with the hope of getting a whiff of good salty air.

He didn't get much of that, but tucked away a little Nor'-Nor'-East of the Sun, Moon and Tides tables and right to the starboard of the Lodge Notices section, he discovered the following newsy

CHICHIBU MARU RECHRISTENED TITIBU MARU

The Chichibu Maru is no more. She is now the Titibu Maru, according to cable advices received today by K. O. Takahashi, San Francisco manager of the N.Y.K. Line. The change in name of the big trans-Pacific liner was explained to be in line with the Japanese Government program of romanticizing the language under the Nihonseki system.

Heart-rending Romance

NOW LEFTY admits he's a little bit better qualified as an expert at two-handed was the excellent guarding dismarbles and cornhusking con- played by Tony Vukas and Bill tests than he is in the field of "romance," but he finds it difricult to explain how the mere substitution of the two "T's" for two "CH's" can make the boat any more romantic.

cion in LEFTY's usually trustful cerebellum. Is this the "system" which inspired those romantic notes to Secretary Cordell Hull after the Panay bombing? Is this the "system" which

has given Japanese apology notes the market value of a Confederate dollar bill and has given under-secretaries in the forign offices throughout the world the novel idea of papering their rooms with them?

Page Cleopatra!

THERE is no doubt that Hirohito and his generals have T. Vukas, g. been studying up on this "Nihonseki system." And as a result they are now carrying on diplomatic correspondence in as romantic a tone as was exhibited in the love-letters of Woods, f. Hatchet, Peaches Browning.

And reflect a moment on the judicious application of the "Nihonseki system" of substituting "T's" for other letters would have on the current Chinese affair! Chinese dispatches could be "romanticized" to read like this:

CANTON, Feb. 23. - Japanese Tombing plaTes today kiTTed five thousand Tinese ToTem and Tildren in a raiT on the ToTTing class district of CantoT. Five Toreign miTsionaTies were kiT-Ted when the plaTes Tombed a Ted CrosT HosTiTal. Said General Araki: "So ToTTy."

Hearts and Flowers

A ND that's not all—romanticizing the war by changing Feb. 23—Leaving "no men, arms, the one-day-a-week assignment." would help a lot, too. Imagine with the same skill that has bafthe consternation of foreign fled Franco for two months. powers at the following come-

A note of protest arrives at Tokio sent by some foreign power: "We protest strongly the shelling of our consulate at Tsingtao by the Japanese warship, Itsibitsi Wahu." What could be simpler than

the following response: regrettable error on your part stop our cruiser Rose of Old Nippon only boat within five hundred miles of Tsingtza stop how romantic stop Signed Nihonseki."

Yes, the Japanese government has something there. Why, the Nihonseki system may turn out to be the greatest since the Culbertson approachforcing system.

Louis Weighs In

NEW YORK, Feb. 23 (TP)-Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis will carry a 61/2 pound once held the Rebel troops for a weight advantage over Nathan year and a half before the Teruel Mann tonight in their 15 round salient. title bout at Madison Square Garden. Louis weighed in today Spaniards entered the ancient city at two hundred pounds. His they encountered only smoking challenger scaled 1921/2.

Both men were pronounced in excellent condition by doc- standing. tors for the New York State Boxing Commission. Louis is until a thin line of Rebel troops a 5 to 1 favorite.

PATTY LEADS

ORMOND BEACH, Fla., Feb. 23. and set out for Puerto Escandon. (TP)-Patty Berg of Minneapolis shot a 74 today to lead early qualifiers in the women's South Atlantic golf tournament. Dorothy Traung of San Francisco, scored an 80.

of (among other things) a sense of humor, a brief notice BeatSt. Mary's

By Fred Twain

MORAGA, Feb. 23.—A sizzling second-half spurt by the Oakland cagers enabled them to defeat St. Mary's freshman here last night by a score of

In the first half the advantage in eight held by the Collegians was very much in evidence, as several tip-in shots were made after a ast-breaking, short-passing attack. The half ended with St. Mary's

u the long end of a 21-11 score. The second half was a different story, however. The warehouse cagers came out full of fight and got down to business immediately by breaking Al Johnson lose for three quick baskets.

Once they were rolling, the Collegians couldn't stop them, and alhough the Gaels managed to tie the score at 29-all with three minutes to go, another spurt by the Blues" was a little too much for

VUKAS GUARDS WELL

All of the boys turned in a fire game, but particularly outstanding

Harlan Dykes, head man for the St. Mary's varsity, personally directed the Frosh.

The ILWUers held Kaiser, the Gael guard, who rolled up 16 points against them in Kezar pavilion two weeks ago, without a point. but Furthermore, this whole "Nihon- they were less successful with seki system" excites a mild suspi-Woods, the lanky St. Mary's forward who romped away with 16

> The game was only decided in the last 10 seconds of play when Al Johnson looped a 30-foot try through the hoop.

Al Matulich, regular guard, will oe on the bench for some time, Coach Bill Peterson of the ware-

ST. MARY'S FROSH (34) Hatchet, f. Anderson, f.

MORE ON **TERUEL**

have succeeded in gaining two months valuable time which translated into effective strength added to the Spanish People's army may definite hold-out on the list this well be one of the decisive factors year. Ludolph may return to the n the war as a whole."

the name of the battleships and munitions or food within Teruel, regiments every week or so government troops evacuated that

Far from a crushing defeat, the Loyalist command asserted that the move was a logical step in a longtime carefully planned strategy. Ultra-modern arms, freshly supplied by Italy and Germany were the immediate reason for the insurgent entry into Teruel, it was

stated. Strategy Explained The loyalists in completing the evacuation declared that General

Franco's eagerness to wipe out the stigma' of Teruel's loss had completely dislocated his strategy. "Suppose we lose Teruel; what of it?" a high Loyalist of-

ficial told the press recently. 'The city itself was not our objective. Our main reason for attacking and occupying Teruel was to entice the fascists into a counter offensive.

"Franco has fallen for our bait. He now has been set back about five or six months and has lost important effectives in the battle which is now drawing to a close." The Loyalists feel confident of their present positions where they

Capture Ruins

As the foreigners and fascist ruins with hardly a sign of life. Two months of bombardment by German artillery had left little

Government troops held the city succeeded in swinging around be-Then the Loyalists, with perfect discipline, blasted a hole through the opposing lines

Would you like to win a \$5 cash prize? It's not too late-see the went to parliament today, calling ower right hand corner of this page for the answer

against a Los Angeles police officer, heads of a racing stable and members of a gambling syndicate, District Attorney Buron Fitts announced today.

Fitts charged a wholesale attempt by 30 bookmakers to "buy up" the Santa Anita racetrack and to run betting concessions in opposition to the state-controlled pari-mutuel

He charged bribes were offered members of the State Racing Commission and to private police on the track to permit the syndicate to "move in."

Leon M. Raab, horse owner, was charged three weeks ago with offering a \$25,000

Davis, Darwin W. Tate and Earl Gay were linked with the bribery plot when they admitted that they were present at the dinner where the alleged bribe was offered.

Worthington was subsequently forced from his position at Santa Anita by what he termed "unbearable pressure from officers high in the Los Angeles police force."

Worthington likewise charged that Police Lieutenant Kiem, "loaned" to the race-track town of Arcadia by the Los Angeles police department, had set up a "one man government" in the town and frequently acted as judge, jury and jailer in cases brought up

VERSATILE MR. BOTTARI



VIC BOTTARI, who is seen above as he plows through the Alabama line in this year's Rose Bowl game, has a surprising versatility. Right now he is supposed to be playing on an East Bay basketball team—supposed to be, because University of California authorities just refused him permission to play for any other club while he was still in the University.

500,000 was bet in the one day.

catcher Farm's Dauber and the

favored Sun Egret. With only a

few hundred feet to go, Stage-

hand passed the favorites and

Stagehand is owned by Colone

Money bet at Santa Anita on

Washington's Birthday alone would cover the annual relief

costs for 6,579 unemployed Cali-

A little over \$1,500,000 passed

through the wickets in the heaviest day's betting in record.

Prevailing relief standards are

Total relief per year per per-

son comes to the magnificent

The million and a half dollars

bet during the day would have

provided food and clothing for

six and a half thousand unem-

Money bet on one race alone

the Santa Anita Derby, which

takes less than three minutes to

run-would have provided a

year's relief from hunger for

Stagehand, rode the entire circuit

dov. to the stretch giving the colt all

Specify and King's Heir led off

from the paddock, but were soon

passed by Sun Egret, who showed

most of the power in the early

Dauber, coming up in the third, placed second. Sun Egret was

third, and Legal Light, co-entry

with Sun Egret, took fourth place.

return of \$42,250 for his colt's per-

CUBS FOR CATALINA

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. - Manager

Charley Grimm and his Chicago

Cubs left today for Catalina Island,

where they will hold their spring

"We're going to work earlier

than usual," the manager of the

National League baseball club

declared. "I want the pitchers in

shape to give the rest of the

squad some good hitting practice

Grimm announced that the Cubs

Colonel Howard received a net

Maxwell Howard of Dayton,

fornians, the figures reveal.

\$19 per month per person.

figure of \$228.

1,049 unemployed.

RIDE ON OUTSIDE

the rope it wanted.

stages of the race.

training camp.

right away."

ployed.

won going away.

STAGEHAND WINS DERBY Phoney Snow for

housemen, reports. He is suffering from an infected hip and is having from an infected hip and is having Million and a Half Bet in Single Day at Santa Anita Track

SANTA ANITA, Feb. 23.—Stagehand, a last-lap nag trained by famed Jockey Earl Sande, won the \$50,000 Santa Anita Derby which will be held in balmy semihere yesterday. Odds on Stagehand were 7-1.

SPIKE HOLD-**OUT RUMORS** AT OAKLAND 52,000 fans saw the colt come

EMERYVILLE, Feb. 23-Hold-out reports to the contrary, Oakland baseballers Jesse Hill and Wilcy Moore, will probably sign their contracts in the near future.

President Vic De Vincenzi currently shows no concern over the rumors that both players are not going to sign. Our undercover man reports that the Oaks had a tentative agreement with both Hill and Moore more than six

Big Bill Ludolph, "Sunday pit cher" for the Oaks, is the only for the Oaks, is the only year. Ludolph may return to the club on the same basis this year but DeVincenzi has shown consid PUERTO ESCANDON, Spain, erable reluctance to sign him for

LONDON MORE ON

(Continued From Page One) cy concerning the subjects discussed by Lord Perth and Count

Angry Attack The angry words of Arthur paper manufacturer and a long-Greenwood in calling for a vote time backer of Sande

circulated freely in London. "Instead of fortifying the world's spirit," Greenwood declared of Chamberlain, "he has scuttled to the back-doors of the dictators to make a bargain behind the backs of a friendly

of censure last night are today

"The Prime Minister is risking the peace of the world and the honor of this country on a promise made on behalf of a state (Italy) which has openly, flagrantly and deliberately broken past promises in writing almost before the ink was dry.'

PARIS, Feb. 23-The course of France's future foreign policy hung in the air today as political circles here kept a wary eye on the Chamberlain-Eden crisis which ap pears far from being over.

At the same time rightists indicated that rather than risk a general cabinet shake-up, they favored keeping Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos in office. Encouraged by recent statements of Delbos. conservatives reportedly have hopes that he could be pushed along in the tail of Chamberlain's pro-fascist policy. Deputies of the left continued

to make ready for a big government shift which would see possibly Leon Blum as premier. The cabinet approved defense bill expect to play "six or seven" exfor 1,000 new planes and laying hibition games on the island this down two 35,000-ton battleships. spring.

L.A.Ski Jumpers

LÓS ANGELES, Feb. 23-Skiiers will frolic in artificial snow at the Los Angeles Coliseum this Sun-

The California Ski Association is

Snow for the event will be supplied from crushed ice sprayed \$239,746 was bet on this one race from the mouth of a "snow machine." It will cover an artito break all Western turf betting ficial mountain over 60 feet in records. Slightly more than \$1,height, from which the jumpers

According to the Association, the fake snow surpasses the real ma-

Oregon Routs Idaho's Vandals

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 23.—Washington State, the off-again-on-again eam, regained undisputed first place in the northern division Pacific Coast basketball loop as the University of Oregon bowled over Idaho, 68-41, last night.

Idaho's defeat at the hands of Oregon left the two teams tied for second place, a half game behind he leading Cougers.

Cage Scores

Oregon 68, Idaho 41. Denver Safeways 39, Colorado Spring 28. S.M.U. 32, Texas 25.

Baylor 43, Texas Christians 37. Drake 54, Washburn 37. Alabama 37, Mississippi State 35 Tennessee 33, Sewanee 27. C.C.N.Y. 46, Villanova 27. Yale 41, Princeton 34. Harvard 40, Cornell 30.

BIKE RACES IN L. A.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—The 6 day bicylcle races came to Los An-Jockey Jack Westrope, up on geles on March 8. An A.A.U. championship race will on the outside track, steering clear be held at Pan Pacific Auditorium jams and pockets, and came starting on that date, Promoter Willie Spencer declared today. Spencer is a former cycling title

BEARS ATHLETIC SKED THIS WEEK

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.-The University of California athletic schedule for this week:

ule for this week:
Feb. 24—Lee hockey, Montgomery Baseball, San Francisco State, 3:15 Baseball, San Francisco State, 3:15 p.m., Edwards Field. Boxing, Stanford, 8p.m., California Gym.
Feb. 25—Wrestling, San Jose State, San Jose. Basketball U.S.C., Los Angeles. Swimming, Intramural, 3 p.m., California pools.
Feb. 26—Baseball, St. Mary's, 2:30 p.m., Edwards Field. Basketball, U. S.C., Los Angeles. Baseball, Alameda High (frosh), 9:45 a.m., Hilgard Field. Rugby, U.S.C., Los Angeles. Swimming, Athens Club, 2:30 p.m., California rools: Olympic Club res. (frosh), 2:30 p.m., California pools.

SAN FRANCISCO

Bargain Nite Dance Drink and Dance to WES PEOPLES' BAND Sat. Feb. 26, 8 p.m. 779 Vallejo Street Admission 29c Auspices Cleaners and Retail Unit, C. P.

Last Round

"But I'm strictly neutral,"
Henry hastened to add. "With
Jolsen back of me 1 got the best publicity and finally things began to break right. I fight the same way I always have-keep hitting ooked like a sour, slow scrap turnuntil somthing gives-but I got the breaks with Jolson."

ed old hard-bitten roper around Entering the ring a slight fa-vorite, Chuck got in bad with the ans by some plain and fancy holdng. He was content with jabbing wift, stiff lefts into Roper's beezer, of his record of 31 knockouts in his

all was booed with increasing vigor is the fight developed. 300 CROWELL

Return Bout

By Lou Seligson

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.-What

ed into a roaring finish when

Likely

He received a great ovation when ntroduced, but by the seventh cound they were hollering for Ro-per to "knock the big stiff out."

Then came the finish, with Crowell throwing all caution to the winds and smacking away with both hands, pushing the badly tired Roper away as if he were

Roper scored ni five rounds with terrific belts to the midriff, but early in the first round Crowell opened a cut over Roper's left eye, which he continued to pound with mart left jabs.

CROWELL WALTZES

Crowell jabbed and held, jabbed and held, with Roper almost pleading for a free hand. Roper kept most of his blows to Chuck's body. Once in a while Chuck showed sweet right uppercut, but cagey Jack was never caught asleep.

In the fifth round Roper began to cloud Chuck with sharp rights in the breadbasket while they were in the clinches. Crow-ell promptly changed his riding game and came out in the open for the final rounds.

The fans left the area satisfied that a rematch will be slated. It would draw a large house

of it, but Ruggi was a bit too strong and heavy. He got the 8round nod.

Only kayo of the evening went to Eddie Marcus, Golden Glove champ, in his first pro start, as he dropped Willie Fields, Central Avenue flash, in the second round. Marcus looked like a real prospect. He's a hard socker, confident and hard to hit. Both weighed in

Chico Romo, 137, bested Elmer Lewis, 136, in a four-rounder. Francie Rodriguez, 128, slammed Steve Gallagher all over the ring to win an easy decision. Johnny Vardusco, 138, trounced Paul George, 138, in a slow slugging match.

LaRue and Millich Monday in Frisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Bob LaRue will box Newsboy Millich of Sacramento in the 6-round main event on next Monday's National Hall fight card here, Promoter Benny Ford announced today. In the other 6-rounder Jim Ber-

ies, Sacramento, will face Ace of Spades, colored welterweight from Minneapolis. Berries has defeated Harry Cahill and Frankie Marino in previous bouts.

Would you like to win a \$5 cash orize? It's not too late-see the ower right hand corner of this page for the answer.

When you have all 33 answers, clip out and send to:

"LEFTY"-PEOPLE'S WORLD, 583 MARKET STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

And here's the ninth set of ques-tions (the answers will appear somewhere on this page during the next two weeks, either in a news story or stuck away some-

25. Who is the new head football

coach at Princeton?..... 26. Which one of the Di Maggio

27. What professional football player signed a contract with the St. Louis Cardinals baseball

boys plays for the San Francisco

Came Back Jolson My Lucky Star, Yes, and Says Henry

Crowell Edges Out Roper

CHICAGO, Feb. 23—"Al Joison was my lucky star," declared Henry Armstrang was my lucky star," was my lucky star," declared Henry Armstrong, world's feather-weight champion, here today as he entered for the first time the current squabble between Jolson and Manager Eddia Meade.

But Lefty

Chuck Crowell, 215, opened up on Armstrong's manager, Eddie

Meade, is currently engaged in a leveteran Jack Roper, 198, to earn gal squabble with the motion pic-ture star over the right to Henry's draw in the main event scrappo at Olympic Auditorium last night. The last two rounds went to FIGHTS FRIDAY Crowell as he swiped and smack-

Henry takes on a second-rate lightweight, Everett Rightmire, in a 10-round engagement here Friday He is favored to knock out Rightmire on the strength of his record

> ast 32 fights. "I'll be growing out of the lightweight division before long, and maybe it's a good thing," the little Los Angeles Negro observed, "There aren't many feather-weights left for me to beat now. I'm taking on lightweights now, and next summer I want that

title from Lou Ambers." Henry denied, however, that he ad any aspirations in the welterweight division. They'd be too heavy, he admitted.

DIZ SIGNS!

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23. (TP) -The St. Louis Cardinals announced today that Dizzy Dean had signed his 1938

The gabby right handedpitcher came to terms with General Manager Branch Rick- weights about the ring with a ey of the Cardinals at the St. ishing series of short jabs. Louis baseball school in Win-FRED LOAFS terhaven, Fla. Dean signed his 1938 contract with the statement that he was satisfied with easy. Possibly he hoped that older man would wear himself out the figures on it. Neither he in the early cantos and allow him salary the hurler will receive. the bout.

Dean received \$25,500 in Sol Rugerillo, 192, was too much 1937, but his arm went bad in for Domingo Valin, 182, in the semi- mid season and he was able windup. Valin tried to make a fight to win no more than 13 games. As a result, the Cardinals offered him a \$10,000 contract Louis office, unsigned. Dean punish Corbett severely. said that he would not sign for THAT 7TH!

a cent less than \$20,000. It is believed that Dizzy received what he asked for, but only on condition that he score a certain number of victories.

VANCOUVER WINS VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 23— The Vancouver Lions tightened

Coast Ice Hockey League here yesterday by a 7-1 win over Spokane. CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Feb. 23. for a rematch. TP)—North Carolina, Duke and 15,009 fans g

Maryland are expected to wage a dium for the fight, San Francisco's hree-cornered fight for the South- first major, fisticuff engagement ern Conference indoor track cham- in more than a year. They paid a Saturday at Chapel IIII. PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23. (TP)-

ight heavyweight champion John Henry Lewis and Abie Feldman have agreed to a bout March 4th lower right hand corner of this at Pittsburgh.

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nor Rickey would reveal what to step in for the slaughter later in In the fifth round Apostoli guns. The fifth was probably draw, which left the score 4-0 The sixth, seventh and eighth rounds were definitely all Apostoli. The young middleweight who has for 1938 - a contract which KO victories over Fred Steele and promptly went back to the St. Marcel Thil to his credit, began to

By Lefty

the decision in Tuesday's 10-

round waltzing contest against

Young Corbett the Three here

in San Francisco's Seals Sta-

Some say yes and some say nix.

Most veciferous of the yea-say-

White.

dollar bill.

is Apostoli's manager, Larry

"We gave Corbett the fight to

help the old man earn a few dol-

lars," generously remarked Mon-

sicur White, lighting the end of

his Garcia & Vegas with a ten-

to get robbed. A fine how-de in Freddie's home town," Wi

CALM DOWN, LARRY

"We came 3000 miles back home

continued, scowling as darkly as

Black Dick, the scourge of Dead-

But the more cautious rope spar-

ows, who judged the fight on the

pasis of pecformance rather than

by wordage expended after the final bell, conceded that the veteran Fresnan, former world's welter-weight titlist, was entitled to the nod Referee Toby Irwin gave him.

The game 33-year old un-

doubtedly took the worst beat-

ing in the fracas, but his supar-ior boxing ability and the earn-

estness with which he fought

proved to be the winning ticket.

Corbett came out strong in the

first four rounds. He harried the

'uncrowned" titlist of the middle-

Fred seemed to be taking it

Was Fred Apostoli robbed of

In the seventh Corbett was definitely on the wane and looked as if Fred might get a knockout. But then, for some curious reason, he let up. Corbett pulled himself together and was able to come back in the last of the ninth and in the tenth to ring up the points necessary for the decision.

In short, Apostoli didn't acquit imself any too well. He looked their grip on second place in the either a little stale or as if he weren't trying too hard.

After the affair, White declared his fighter would be in the market 15,000 fans gathered in the sta-

pionship. The meet will be held total of around \$24,000 for the privilege of witnessing the bout. Would you like to win a \$5 cash

prize? It's not too late-see the

page for the answer.

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