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STARTING THE NEW YEAR OFF RIGHT



By Bard

STARTING the New Year right. That's what the Kentucky miners are doing. In the picture you see the young Kentucky miners...
You see how the young miner comes through the calendar. He...
There are also "Baby Face" Jones—the judge. Those ministers of the thugs. The representative of the government...
1931 has been a tough year for the coal miners. It...
But what about us? We have had some of the same conditions.

Unemployment, wage cuts, hunger, disease and bosses' terror. Instead of giving us unemployment insurance and relief, the bosses are busy preparing to go on strike. They want us to fight against starvation and company bullets. It's a big fight. They know how to carry it on. We want to do just as the Kentucky miners are doing. We will fight against the bosses. We will fight together with the Kentucky miners.

We must also start the New Year right. We must get busy helping the Kentucky miners. We must collect food, clothes and money for the...
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Organize Kentucky Miners Relief Committee!
Become fighters to help win the Kentucky Miners' Strike!

RECRUIT NEW FIGHTERS INTO LEAGUE

Have we reacted to the increasing...
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STUDY CORNER

Karl Marx, the father of scientific socialism, was the first to show that in capitalist society the worker can never obtain the full value of his labor.
In order to see this, it is necessary to understand that the basis of capitalist society is the production of commodities. A commodity is something that is produced in order to be sold and not necessarily for the use of the one who is producing it.
Now, every commodity is sold by the factory owner at its full value but at a greater price than the cost of all the materials that were used to produce the commodity—except in some special cases. If this were not so over a long period of time, the factory owner would not run his factory.

Twilight of An Inglorious Age

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BOOK REVIEW

"The Road" is an ambitious attempt to depict in novel form the history of the class struggle through the ages. It traces the development of a young American worker through the period of disillusionment with the dreams of riches, democracy, etc., to the moment when he becomes a conscious fighter for the working class first in the ranks of the old Socialist Party, and after the betrayal of the working class by the Socialist Parties of America, and the formation of the Third International, in the ranks of the Communist Party.
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MURDER IN THE BALKANS

Nikola Kofardjief was murdered...
Balkan countries were "Jannos" for their torture and murder of working class leaders.
The Communist Party and Young Communist League in the Balkan countries have carried on a sharp fight against the Fascist governments.
Our Lenin, Leikbachi, Eastern...
The League's work preparations for the hunger march, must be completed, every day of the year, but especially during the winter months...
We must also start the New Year right...

LENIN POINTS THE WAY

V. I. Lenin stands out as the foremost leader of the working class movement. He was born on April 10, 1870, at Simbirsk. His father was a doctor and inspector of a rural school.
The masses got by not stopping the war and giving hand to the peace treaty...
The masses soon became thoroughly disillusioned with the Menshevik government. On November 7, 1917, the proletarian revolution was successful under the leadership of Lenin.
Very soon the young revolutionist became one of the leaders of the movement. In 1901, together with several other leaders, he founded the Iskra, a paper that dealt with the problems of the revolutionary movement and helped to organize the masses.
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3 Games Played For Youth Press

SPARTACUS WIN FEATURES YOUNG WORKER GAMES

Spartacus 1-0 victory over an aggressive Italian eleven featured the soccer carnival at the Sunday For the Youth Press... The second game starting at 1 p.m., witnessed a grueling struggle between the Spartacus and Italian American eleven.

Soviet Youth Get Sports on Field Not in Papers

I worked in the Moscow Park of Culture and Rest this past summer. To this park which features every sort of mental and physical enjoyment from a mild old ferris wheel to a technological museum...

Lookin' 'At 'Em

College sports are no longer laboring under the illusion of amateurism. The lid has been ripped off with a loud bang and all the hot air contained in the pot of college athletics has come out... The progress of their football team made life at school seem very sweet. It appeared to give them added incentive of a questionable nature.

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FIGHT AGAINST CROSS AND GLOWS

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85 CITIES WILL HOLD LENIN, LIEBKNECHT, LUXEMBURG MEETS

IN COMMEMORATION OF THREE GREAT LEADERS OF THE WORLD WORKING CLASS AND PEASANTRY... On January 15, in commemoration of the day when Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg were foully murdered by the yellow socialists and bosses of Germany, there will be many meetings organized by the Young Communist League and in some cities by anti-war groups against the boss class.

Chinese Red Army Advances In New Attack On Counter-Revolutionary Troops

NEW YORK.—With the Japanese firmly entrenched in all of Manchuria and rapidly completing its conversion into a military base against the Soviet Union, new advances are being made south of Chinchow in the direction of the Great Wall... The Chinese workers and peasants have been a distinct force for resistance against the Japanese advance into China.

NEW YORK.—New York City, Buffalo, New Kensington, Newark, Elizabeth, Paterson, Passaic, Perth Amboy, Linden, New Brunswick, Trenton... The meetings will take place in the following cities: Massachusetts—Boston, Worcester, Lawrence, Gardner, Springfield.

Anti-Imperialist Revolt Grows In India, S. America

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CLEVE. QUINTETS PLAY FOR L.S.U., DELEGATES

CLEVELAND.—The Basketball Carnival and Dance held on Saturday, December 19, was attended by a large crowd of young workers coming from Warren, Akron, Fairport and Cleveland. This carnival and dance has become a regular feature of the Penn-Ohio District Convention of the Labor Sports Union.

BOSS Y. M. C. A. SHOWS TRUE COLORS

BUFFALO, N. Y.—The Y.M.C.A. of Buffalo made a definite attack on the Labor Sports Union and all working youth in Buffalo through its president, Mr. Myron Short, ordered the officials of the Metropolitan Branch of the Labor Sports Union to revoke the rental of the Gym building which had already been paid for and rented by the Labor Sports Union.



CHALK UP A VICTORY FOR THE METROPOLITAN WORKERS LEAGUE

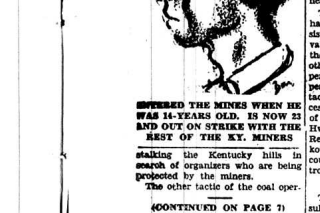
Chalk up a victory for the Metropolitan Workers League. They were finally broken into good print, which is by way of announcing the fact that the Daily Worker has a veritable open dictatorship of the young workers every Monday. Now when our young workers of soccer enthusiasm if you wish, approaches his newstand on the said morning he will not emit a mechanical "N. Y. Times, please," but will say instead, "Daily Worker, please."

Brooks Club To Hear Mac Gordon On Youth and War... The Brooks Club, organized by the Youth Section of the Furriers Workers Industrial Union, is having a lecture at their club on the 9th St., in East Flatbush. The topic to be "The Youth and War" with the speaker Mac Gordon. Mac Gordon was one of the leaders of the fight against military training at City College. The lecture is at 8:00 p.m. Directions: Take IRT New Lots Ave. train to Saratoga Ave. and walk one block.

Table with columns: Team, Goals, Fouls, Pts. Includes Akron Athletics, H. Sheehan, H. Mendel, Miller, Segal, Kagan.

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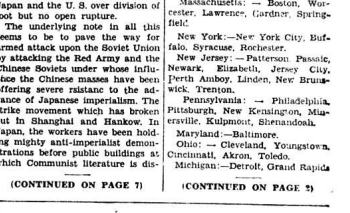
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CALIF. HUNGER MARCH SMASHES THRU TERROR

NEW YORK.—The continuation of the National Hunger March and the general fight for Unemployment Insurance in preparation for National Unemployment Insurance Day on February 4, is proceeding rapidly... Local demonstrations and hunger marches are being prepared and in many places held.



Don't Believe Lies About 'Reds'

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"NEXT WITNESS!"



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under way must be widened a hundred times. Unreached sections of workers must be reached. The latent indignation of the masses must be brought out into the open...

Stop the Fluctuation In the League!---By William Albertson

One of the most important organizational problems facing the League in the New York District is that of fluctuation of membership. Our League has always had a high turnover...

meetings. There they find that the units, instead of taking up and discussing the conduct of the youth in their block or shop concentration...

LESSONS FROM LIFE OF ROSSA LUXEMBURG

EDITOR'S NOTE:--The memory of Rosa Luxemburg will always be dear to the international revolutionary proletariat. Her steady and unflinching fight against the opportunists in the German Social Democracy will forever stand as a brilliant contribution to the struggle against social chauvinism...



It is not enough to say that the worker produces the full value of his wages in only a part of the day's work. The rest of his day's work is devoted to the production of surplus value...

And this is precisely why Lenin did not unreservedly support the so-called Lefts in the German Social Democracy. What were the Left Social Democrats, Rosa Luxemburg, Parvus and the others? Did they really act as much like the Lefts as Lenin, as the Russian Bolshevik? Can one describe them as Bolsheviks? The most elementary acquaintance with the facts of history goes beyond doubt that Lenin and the Russian Bolsheviks in general were the only thoroughgoing, consistent Marxists...

many great merits. Her name has gone down in history as a hero for the emancipation of the working class, as a fighter who, at the hands of the German social democracy, no one will dispute that...

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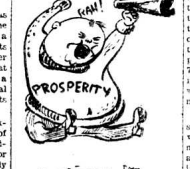
Lenin or Disarmament

"An oppressed class which does not seek to learn how to handle arms, to get hold of arms, deserves to be treated like slaves. We must not forget, if we are not to become hewnecks, peddlers or opportunists, that we live in a society of classes and that there is not and cannot be any compromise except that of class struggle and the overthrow of the power which the dominant classes hold."

Capitalism Has Nothing to Offer to Youth Now or Later

By MAX WEISS The American capitalist class is very fond of repeating the old line concerning the wants of youth, saying that the youth workers in all schools the "opportunity for success" can be obtained by the juvenile police. From his earliest childhood the American young worker has been taught to believe in the doctrine of fame, money, success and glory...

A number of concrete questions regarding the program of the League and organizing concrete strikes, organizing the fight of the unemployed, the unemployed and the unemployed, were thoroughly gone into...



No Pay for 3 Weeks in 124th Artillery in Chicago

But Officers Get Enough to Throw Wild Parties Among Themselves

CHICAGO, Ill.—The conditions in the 124th Artillery of the National Guards are becoming worse every day. We haven't received any money for three days and will not get another pay day coming in February we must organize and fight to get not only our pay, but our just rights and fair treatment.

It is only one dollar per night and out of this we have to pay for extras like laundry, fuel, food and cigarettes. Also we have no officers. We have no officers that are not doing their duty, but the officers that are not doing their duty are not doing their duty and are not doing their duty.

DROP IN PRICE OF FARM PRODUCTS IS BLOW TO FARMERS

COOK, Minn.—The Young Worker of Northern Minnesota state does not get a square deal. The road to ruin is a country wide road but even at that the local men did not get a square deal. The young workers here must organize into organizations that will reach them the working class movement. They must cooperate with us in this locality and all over the world to fight the rotten capitalist system and their rights and living.

The farmers here are still better off because they have a good and a place to stop off the mortgage they drive them off. But this does not mean farmers don't help much because he can't get much for them. The butter that he should be getting is not going down to the cents a pound. The farmers here should join the Young Communist League and fight against these conditions.

The capitalist pauper says: buy a pig and a sheep and return back how in the hell is the poorer farmer to buy anything when he has no money and no credit? He is being treated as if he were a pig and a sheep.

The Young Communist League has organized in the Four B Clubs of these localities and lots of other bunk clubs? No, we should be organized in the Young Communist League and fight against these conditions.

Two Successive Wage Cuts for Chi. Stockyard Workers

CHICAGO, Ill.—The workers in the stockyards are working under the worst conditions in Chicago. The work formerly done by two men and in some cases even more. The best mistake the workers all the time by producing them out to speed up on the job. Of course the workers have to get out of there because for every job ten men or more may be had, so we must stand on our feet and fight.

In the month of September, the men were given 140 cents an hour. In October and in the month of November we were given from 9 to 10 cents an hour. Now the men are given 10 cents an hour. The men are given 10 cents an hour. The men are given 10 cents an hour.

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Soviet Youth Want Correspondence

A group with international connections, belonging to the steam engine construction plant by the name of Comintern, was faced the task of organizing regular correspondence between the workers of our factory and comrades of other countries.

This group turns to the workers of America with the request that they send letters describing their life and struggles of the working class in capitalist countries.

PITT NEWSPAPER REFUSES PRINT TOILER'S LETTER Make Fake Charities Give Workers Relief

Workers Build Shacks Beside River to Live In, Opposite Fertilizer Plants

To the Editor: I am going to write you a few lines and let you know what I think of our wonderful country. I am a young girl 16 years of age and was forced to quit school and work in a factory. So far I have been unsuccessful, although I have been looking for three months. My father and mother have been unemployed since August. I have a brother 14 years of age who has no school yet how long more I cannot say.

People Starve All Plenty. I have been daily reading articles in the Pittsburgh press by Alexander Lane of Pittsburgh. Well, isn't this a glorious picture for America? The richest country in the world is suffering from want.

BRANTWOOD, Wis.—The crisis has struck this part of the country at last. It is beginning to show itself in every corner. Every turn we make we can see that the farmers are hard hit.

In the first place dairy products have gone so low that it is impossible to make a decent living. They are paying as low as 27 cents a pound for butter. This is not a good thing for a living. So how are they going to meet their taxes and mortgages?

There is only one solution and that is to join the United Farmers League and fight against high taxes and foreclosure. The youth must form Youth Committees within the United Farmers League and bring their demands. Fight hand in hand with the adult farmers!

The farmer here has been able to go to the lumber camps and get a fair stake every winter. But now it is impossible to find work. What little work there is they are not getting. The farmers here have been able to go to the lumber camps and get a fair stake every winter.

My, my, my, what a wonderful wonderful country we have! It should be made into a model of workers and farmers. My, my, my, what a wonderful wonderful country we have!

Filthy Conditions in Marconi Plant in Pennsylvania

HEIDELBERG, Pa.—At the Vi-Viana Marconi factory here, there are about 10 working now as compared to 100 when the factory runs full time. Half are girls and half are boys. The age of the girls here are below 14 years of age. The pay is very low some girls getting as low as 10 cents and girls with the average pay running from 10 to 15 cents an hour. The fellows in the factory make between 10 and 20 cents an hour.

The work day here is about 10 or 12 hours. We usually work 12 or 13 hours a day. Nowadays we only work two or three days a week so we can't make any money. We are not allowed to bring our own lunch. We are forced to take our lunch at the factory and have it taken out of our wages. Sometimes we are forced to work on Saturday and if we don't show up we face being fired.

The conditions here are real squalid. In the short cut we have to carry to the showers, there are rats and mice and things like that. Besides that the place is dirty. In the four big Easting Street land red rats can be found on the floor. The toilets are outside and are very dirty.

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★ DRAMA—MOVIES ★

"DELICIOUS" WITH GAYNOR AND FARRELL AT HYPPODROME After two big weeks on Broadway, "Delicious" stars Glynis O'Conor and Charles Farrell's new co-starring vehicle moves into the Hippodrome on Jan. 9. George Goran's witty musical numbers, including the comedy "Brother Iona" supplied the lyrics. Ed Brendel, and Max Frisch, Vienna actress who makes her Broadway debut in this "in are in the cast. The vaudeville features Harry Langton, the comedy duo of "The Music of the Spheres" and "The Music of the Spheres". A musical review of old and new Broadway shows including the Broadway Orchestra; the Ebony Players; How Leonard and Kipper; Charles Hill and Laura Hoffman; Dutton and his Phil and the Kurt Bashir Troop.

"FRANKENSTEIN" IN THIRD WEEK AT CAMEO "Frankenstein" Universals thriller, based on an old legend, is the chief philosophy attraction at the Cameo Theatre now playing in its third week. Boris Karloff plays the part of the man-monster. Colin Clive, "Doctor's End" fame, Miss Charles' star of "Wicked Ways", John Buley, Dwight Fyfe, and Frank Kerr are other featured players. James Whitton directs. "Frankenstein," which was based on Mary Shelley tale of the same name

is the autumn time, this is an awful place to live for there are four fertilizer plants just across the river from them. Those workers that are "fertilized" by these plants from the Welfare Society, only get 25-40 cents worth of groceries a week. You can't get any more from that. Young workers get no help at all. So far the Unemployed Councils have forced the Welfare grafters to give relief to all cases we have brought and the Welfare also have a Youth Committee in the Unemployed Council.

"THE HAUNTED" AT GUILD THEATRE Homecoming. "THE HAUNTED" All 12 plays are presented on same day, commencing at 8:30 sharp. 212 West 13th Street, New York. (Phone) CL. 5-5500.

"Reunion in Vienna"

A Comedy by ROBERT E. SHERRWOOD. MA: TIN BECK. 212 West 13th Street, New York. (Phone) PS. 6-1100.

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White and Negro Miners Unite In Kentucky Strike

CLUB NO. 100. The membership drive, a branch basketball team, and the LSU tournament. The open forum last week on "War and the Youth" was very successful. The Club was unable to appear as a sponsor of illness. Party were viewed. The program was held on Friday, January 10th. Long way toward satisfying those present that it wasn't a party. Another such discussion will be held for the near future. We are glad to see that the Club is finally here it contains—The program was held on Friday, January 10th. We are glad to see that the Club is finally here it contains—

Refused. This makes it necessary to immediately call for relief which has been issued by the Workers' Union of Relief at the R. W. 21st St. New York City. Kentucky strike Relief. Youth Committee should be set up in all cities to collect money, food and clothing for the striking miners.

Robert Sparks, who produced "Frankenstein" opened his new production, "Never No More" a play by James Knox Miller at the Hudson Theatre on Thursday night. The all-Negro cast is headed by Rose McCready, talented artist last seen in "The House of Comedy". "Distant Drum", Dan Tolher's play of pioneer days, will have its premiere showing at the National Theatre on Thursday night. It will be directed by Arthur Hill. Other players are: Arthur Hill, Edward Ellis, Beniah Boud and Heinemann.

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ARMY IN NEW ADVANCE

JAMAICA BRANCH 412 It seems that several members of the YCL are members of this branch. You would expect things to be so because in January, 1952, the contrary is true. The members of the branch are: Max Weiss, Albertine, and the others who have all been in the meetings. It is necessary to do this because the branch has to be organized. The Young Communist League is starting to organize the Pennsylvania mine workers as a bribe, etc. The young miners of Kentucky, however, will not be organized. The Young Communist League is starting to organize the Pennsylvania mine workers as a bribe, etc.

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Further Plans For International Workers Meet

Propose Tom Mooney Street Runs To Popularize Meet And Mooney Release

Date of Runs Not Yet Announced; Will Probably Be Held on Feb. 22

Further plans in its preparatory program for the International Workers' Athletic meet to be held in Chicago in July were disclosed yesterday by the National Provisional Counter-Olympic Committee...

Battle Is On in Cleveland for Free Gymnasiums

CLEVELAND—The young work-sportsmen of Cleveland, who are preparing to participate in the Winter Olympics which will be held in Chicago in July 1932...

Expose "Golden Gloves" in City of Detroit

DETROIT—The Detroit Daily Mirror, one of the capitalist scandal sheets of Detroit, is sponsoring a Golden Gloves Tournament...

3 SOCCER GAMES AS PART OF ANTI-OLYMPIC CAMPAIGN

Three soccer games have been arranged by the Metropolitan Workers' Soccer League in Chicago as a counter-meet to the Los Angeles Olympics...

Bosses Make Professional Boxers of Girls

A committee of young sports-men who have circulated petitions for free gyms are collecting them and will turn them over to the delegation which will be elected at the conference to take these demands to the School Board.

Lookin' 'At 'Em

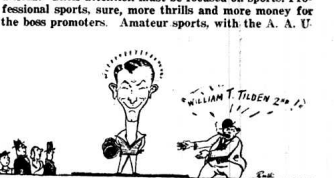
The Tennis Racket Is Here

To discuss tennis at this time of the year requires a good listener and what is more important, a good job. But Jack Curley and the rest of the boss sport promoters think otherwise apparently.

In wrestling—Jim Londos has been defending his championship at the rate of two or three nights a week for the last year.

In boxing—there's a defender every other night. In soccer—the pros adopt a new city too often, which might indicate better business in the new adaptation.

The magnates can't afford such a calamity. The workers mustn't be given time to hesitate or to think of the unemployment crisis or of their rotten living conditions.



So, if Tilden loses he will simply have been "off form" or he had been worrying over the unemployment situation or the war danger; so that a return match will be in order and everybody will be happier and everything forgiven.

Try Legally Lynch 22 Yr. Negro in Oklahoma

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SCOTTSBORO BOYS MUST GO FREE

Scottsboro Boys Write from Kilby Death Cells

From the death cell here in Kilby prison, eight of us Scottsboro boys is writing this to you. We been sentenced to die for something we ain't never done. Us poor boys been sentenced to burn up on the electric chair for the reason that we is workers—and the color of our skin is black.

What we guilty of? Nothing but being out of a job. Nothing but looking for work. Our kinkful was starving for food. We wanted to help them out. So we hopped a freight—just like any one of you workers might a done—to go down to Mobile to hunt work.

Rally Millions to Save Lives of Negro Youth

The lynch mad southern white ruling class is getting ready to carry out its latest execution of the nine Scottsboro boys. The Alabama supreme court will deny this case on Jan. 21. Only the mass action of the Negro and white workers will free these boys from the legal execution to which they are condemned.

Youth Prepare Feb. 4th in Mighty Struggles

NEW YORK—The preparations for February 4, National Day of Struggle for Unemployment Relief, are being everywhere preceded by gigantic struggles.

Immediate Relief for the Ky. Strikers Burning Need

W. I. R. Appeals for Money, Food, Clothes to Spread and Win Strike

NEW YORK—With the turn turned over for the relief of the striking miners, collection boxes should be circulated in all schools, clubs and organizations to which the young workers belong.

Attention New York

NEW YORK—The chairman of the strike committee of the German ship which was struck in Port Newark last week will speak at the Lincoln Hotel War Youth Rally at the New Star Casino at Park Ave. and 57th St.

To Hold Lenin-Liebkecht Mass Meets in 90 Cities

NEW YORK—This issue goes to press too early to give the results of the scores of Lenin-Liebkecht Memorial Anti-War Rallies that are being held every where.

Important Notice

On page four and five there is a very important statement of the National Executive Committee of the Young Communist League. This statement outlines and gives direction on the mass recruiting drive which is now under way.

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BROTHERLY SOUTHERN BROSSES FRAME NEGRO

sentence James Hollins, 22, to Death in Electric Chair Will Die on March 11th Unless Mass Pressure Forces Release

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Once again the bloody hand of white ruling class of the South stretches forth. This is the life of James Hollins, 22 year old Negro worker...

Indict Frisco Mayor for Crimes Against Jobless Youth, Single Men

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—The Youth Committee of the Unemployed Council together with the Free Food Fighters Club in this city have drawn up an indictment against the Frisco Mayor...

"From Poor Boy to President"

A few days ago there was celebrated the 100th Anniversary of the birth of Horatio Alger, Jr. What American young worker does not remember the cheap melodramatic tales written by this author?

Today most of us have tasted enough of life to realize that Alger's tales are pure fairy tales. However, while we can see the fate of the middle stories of Mr. Alger, we are often fooled by the success stories of the politicians and fakery of today...

SUCCESSFUL RED STRIKER DAY FOR BRANTWOOD Y. C. L. Young Worker: The Y.C.L. of Brantwood held what is called a "Red Sunday" on December 30 for the benefit of getting new subs for the Young Workers...

NEW YORK.—The strike preparations of the dressmakers are under full swing. The organizational drive that is being conducted by the United Front Committee is spreading daily to many shops. More than twenty shops with over 600 workers, of whom about 25 per cent are youth, have come down on strike.

WORKERS IN KAY METAL PLANT OUT ON STRIKE NEW YORK.—Twenty workers of the Kay Metal Plant of the Kay Manufacturing Co. of Brooklyn have struck against a 20 per cent wage cut, payment of single rates for overtime work and 20 cents which range from \$17.50 to \$11.25 a week.

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SCHOOLS CLOSE DOWN, TEACHERS NOT PAID, CHILDREN STARVING NEW YORK.—The breakdown of the famous American free education system has come to its focus in the last few days.

WELLSVILLE, N.Y.—In defiance of the police, 500 workers of the mass funeral of O. Edward, a 20 year old young worker, who died of starvation.

Workers with Organized Solidarity of Young Workers Prevents Cermak's Thugs from Making Any Arrests

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Y. C. L. Member Runs for Alderman in Virginia, and Minn. Elections

VIRGINIA, Minn.—One of the four candidates that have filed in the Virginia elections, under the endorsement of the Young Communist Party is a young worker and member of the Young Communist League in Minneapolis.

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MATT OWEN No. 12—MATT TAKES A CHANCE—AND A LEAFLET By QUIET



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Jan. 15 Recruit the Masses of Employed Youth into the League!

The Political Basis for the Recruiting Drive

THE National Committee of the Young Communist League has estimated the League growth as very slow, considering the tremendous possibilities that exist today for the building of the League. It has decided on a broad "double the membership" recruitment drive that will bring in new members from the factories, mines, mills and the unemployed youth. This drive will start on Jan. 15 and on April 22, the tenth anniversary of the Y. C. L.

The drive must flow from and intensify the everyday activity, and the major campaigns in the League, and not be separated from them in the area of recruiting for the League.

Our Aim

Increase the membership to number 7,500 which will be the basis for the increased activity and participation of the League in giving leadership to the rising struggles of the young workers. An immediate task of the League is to surpass the Party in membership. The results of this recruiting drive will help in narrowing the gap in the tempo of work between the Party and League and establish the basis by which the League will be able to catch up with the Party in membership.

- 1. Establish 40 new shop units.
- 2. Twenty League shop papers.
- 3. Youth section in every Party shop paper.

Avoid Past Mistakes in Recruiting

Here are some of the bad experiences in the past recruiting in the League that must be avoided in the present drive.

- 1. The recruitment of new members separated from the major campaigns of the League, without considering the quality of the members brought in the YCL. (Last shock plan.) On the other hand, in some cases too much was expected of a young worker before he was considered good enough material for the League.
- 2. Most of the past recruiting came as a result of the members coming into the League through their own conviction, rather than as a result of our activity. A gross underestimation for the need of recruiting and building our League organizationally.
- 3. Insufficient attention to the new members or young workers wishing to join the League by the older members and the leading comrades.
- 4. Not involving the individual members in a shop unit in the recruiting drive and not involving members in a street unit of building new shop units. (Shown is our present weak shop model, not the small number in existence.)
- 5. Lackness in assigning new members to units, loosens in the organizational apparatus and the handling of new members. Not giving sufficient attention to new units organized and allowing them to die.
- 6. Poor union life within the unit, not providing sufficient interest for the new members to remain and be active in the League.

Main Emphasis in Recruiting Drive

1. SHOP WORK.

- (a) We must direct our recruitment to the mass of the concentration on shops.
- (b) The beginning in establishing of "double-shoot" shop units in the big factories and in big businesses and big cities. It is to be a full-time concern in accordance to the situation and in all areas in the District.
- (c) Establishing YCL shop units in factories where Party work did not approach the help of the Party who said in every shop where there is work exists in establishing a League unit.
- (d) Activating the present shop units in the struggle for immediate partial demands and winning new members from the shop into the YCL nuclei.
- (e) Emphasizing the united front between the

employed and unemployed. Utilizing the unemployed for making contacts and recruiting from the shops of concentration.

- (f) Constant organization for mass action around immediate demands. The possible organization of strikes, no matter how small the factory or enterprise might be.
 - (g) Demonstrations and mass struggles against layoffs in front of the factories and inside.
 - (h) Special affairs, socials, house parties should be organized in homes where contacts can be brought down and spoken to. Sport clubs built up or used as a means of approaching certain young workers in the shops interested in sports and from amongst the unemployed.
 - (i) Shop gate meetings before the factories employing large numbers of youth or small factories employing all young workers.
- 2. STRUGGLE FOR RELIEF AND UNEMPLOYED INSURANCE.**
- (a) To draw into the unemployed councils, many young unemployed. To establish functioning

tional meet will have to be utilized for the recruiting drive in drawing in young worker sportsmen into building the Labor Sports Union and recruiting the most class conscious elements into the YCL.

- (b) The preparations for local meets on a united front basis must be one of the means of reaching many young worker sportsmen to join the League.

5. MOBILIZATION OF YOUTH AGAINST WAR

- (a) Organizing united front actions against war on the broadest basis. Utilizing the united front movement for recruiting the best fighters into the League.
- (b) Reaching the National Guard and other military and semi-military youth groups with agitation and paying special attention to recruiting into the League.

6. WORK IN TRADE UNIONS, MASS YOUTH FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS AND AMONG OPPONENTS.

- (a) From the Unemployed Councils and the TUUL unions where we have young workers, special group meetings should be called where the program of the League is explained and they are asked to join.
- (b) We must assign quotas for the recruiting drive to the fractions in the fraternal and sympathetic organizations. The District should very concretely work this out with the respective comrades in the fractions.

(c) In the course of this mass recruiting campaign, we must not only establish fractions, but penetrate into many of the fraternal youth clubs and get some of the best elements to join the ranks of the Young Communist League.

(d) The functioning of League fractions in developing the youth committees in the Unemployed Councils. The activation and functioning of our YCLers through fractions in developing youth work in the following revolutionary unions, mining, textile, marine, needle, steel, auto.

Y. C. L. Unit and Its Tasks

- (a) A very small proportion of the membership is active at the present time. Steps must be taken to narrow this gap between the large number of inactive members and the active ones through these steps:

- (1) Bringing in political activity into the units, connecting the daily work amongst the young workers with that of the YCL's and Party's political campaign.
- (2) The utmost attention paid to the assignment of the right kind of tasks to each individual member in the unit.
- (3) The establishment of collective methods of work and leadership.
- (4) Drawing in more capable young workers from the shops into all leading parties and committees. Special attention to drawing in young Negroes and civil workers.
- (5) Training the members from shops and those

Recruit Youth Into the League!

April 22

in shop units how to carry on work in the shops. Combining legal and illegal methods of work that will bring results in shop activity, recruitment of new members, etc.

- (6) Bettering of the League organizational apparatus, eliminating big and numerous committees, establishing functioning unit shops in each unit and particularly in the shop unit. Proper attention to the District, sections and units of concentration.
- (7) Utilizing the "Young Worker" for shop concentration and the broad recruitment into the League.
- (8) Special recruiting meetings to be held on a unit neighborhood scale, with a special speaker, a program of interest with features like plays, dialogues, singing, picture slides, dancing, etc. These meetings to be widely advertised and popularized in the neighborhoods.
- (9) To visit and revisit all the dropped out members, many of whom dropped out right after joining, and arranging special meetings. Side by side with this approach, must come the change of the old methods of the past that drove this member away from us.
- (10) On the basis of the recent registration carried on in the units, it is necessary to assign each member in a shop, individual tasks in connection with the recruitment drive.

Material To Be Issued for Mass Agitation

- (1) Speakers outline.
- (2) Posters and drawings dramatizing the recruiting campaign to be drawn and put up in the halls, headquarters, ground shops, etc.
- (3) Chalking slogans on factory walls inside the shops and other places are good effects for the recruiting.
- (4) Utilize League recruiting pamphlet, "Who are the Young Communists?"
- (5) Using the Young Worker, wall papers, and other press. Special articles on shops of concentration. Development of a broad young workers correspondence to the paper.
- (6) A full page every week in the Young Worker, stating the progress of the drive in statistics and news on the drive. Correspondence from young workers, experiences on recruiting, etc. All shop bulletins, youth columns in Party shop papers must call for recruiting into the League.
- (7) To give every possible assistance to the Districts, who in turn must give it to the sections and units in preparing leaflets to the unemployed youth, in the particular shops of concentration, young Negroes, girl workers, National Guards, etc.

Improvement in Organization In Course of Drive In Order to Keep New Members

- (1) In order to do this we must take the necessary steps to improve our League organization and thereby keep the new members recruited. The improvement will only come about with the following political and organizational measures:
- (a) Carry on a systematic campaign in the League to get eligible YCLers to join the trade unions and be active in them amongst the young workers. We must conduct the campaign to consolidate trade union work set

League work. More comrades must be assigned this specific activity in the trade unions and fraternal youth mass organizations (IWO, ILD, LSU, others.) These comrades are to be released from inner League activity. At the same time they must take part in the life of the unit and their activity checked up by it.

- (b) We must seriously undertake a stubborn struggle against deep-rooted white chauvinism in the League and the fraternal youth organizations. We cannot expect to keep young Negroes in the League if we fail to do this. Every League member should be taught and understand the deep and justified suspicion and doubt amongst the Negro masses gained from bitter oppression, Jim-Crowism, lynchings and discrimination suffered at the hands of the white workers.
- (2) Cutting down the number of inner meetings in all Districts and especially large cities and therefore the assignment of more mass activity to every member.
- (a) Cutting the number of functionaries on a unit bureau to be 3 and not more than 5 members.
- (b) The normal size of the unit shall be 20 to 25 at the most, of attending members. Where there are more, then a number living in a certain neighborhood shall be organized into another unit.
- (c) We shall use a section in the N. Y. district of a group of units for experimental purposes in new organizational forms.
- (3) No looseness in handling applications, and the speediest assignment must be made of a member to the unit.
- (4) The unit bureau must be responsible for carefully investigating the work that a new member is best fitted for and on that basis assigning it to him.
- (5) It is very important that at each unit meeting reports are made of the mass activity of the member, discussion of experiences, etc.



written.

- (10) The National Center shall issue a new outline for classes on new members. This must be set up and carried on a unit or section scale for the new recruits. Attendance should be voluntary and the member should be convinced to attend. However, the district is responsible for organizing and conducting these classes.



Accepting New Members

The neglect that a new recruit into the League receives from the older YCLers must be corrected. The member should be made to feel comfortable and accepted into the League.

- (1) The League pledge should be read aloud by the organizer, while the members stand shouting. He then is accepted by a vote of the unit. This ceremony should be carried in accepting recruits at every meeting.
- (2) The new recruit should be given a handbook. (As soon as it is printed.)
- (3) During the Liebkecht, Lenin, Luxemburg meetings of the YCL, a strong appeal must be made for recruits. Recruiting should also take place for the League at the Party Lenin Memorial meetings.

Revolutionary Competition

So far we have failed in getting the League membership to carry on their activity in the spirit of revolutionary competition. It is necessary to develop it in this Drive. While we suggest the Districts who they should compete with, it must not become a mechanical proposition. Therefore, the challenges should be made and accepted between these districts if agreed upon. However, in the districts, it is necessary that the units are convinced of developing this revolutionary competition and everything must be done to encourage it and carry it out. This competition must be lively and up to date, in the press and amongst the members it must not be forgotten.

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Party Mobilization for League Drive

The Party is conducting a recruiting drive from Jan. 15th to March 15th in which time the Party will double their membership. In the plan for every District in the Party, there must be a goal for the recruitment by Party members of young workers into the League.

- (a) Also the results in the unit in connection with the recruiting drive.
- (a) New members must be approached and convinced to join the revolutionary trade union to which they are eligible or those unemployed to activity in the Unemployed Council.
- (a) The first meeting that the member joins by should be under the most active assistance with the other members. There should be no hesitation in assigning a shock task to him right at the beginning.
- (a) Leading comrades must be assigned to lead and guide the work of the new shop units that are set up. Special attention must also be given to the new units that are set up in the course of the drive.
- (a) We must get into parties, the action of sympathetic comrades of the unit organizers on a sectional scale where special attention must be made to utilize the directives of the District, both oral and



Misses crop

Bethlehem Steel Hatches Plan to Lay Off Youth

Promise Thousands of Jobs But Only Take On Former Workers

SPARROWS POINT, Md.—Last week the "company union representatives" were running up to the bosses' office quite often, but finally all the "dirt" came out. They are planning on cutting down on the number of days of work by the young workers, single workers and married workers without families.

COPS LET GANGSTERS GO; ARREST HACKMEN FOR NO REASON

NEW YORK.—We are a group of hackmen, hucking from Prospect and Longwood Aves. and there is a certain officer by the name of John Whitworth who is against those boys every time and looks for a dollar that he can give a summons to. So that seems to be his pleasure. He picked on a poor innocent hackman by the name of Max Windman. Max was arrested for asking him why he is receiving a summons.

He called him vice and vulgar names and he caused such a disturbance that a crowd collected and then put the blame on this poor driver. He charged him with refusing to stop, refusing to show license, refusing to drive to station house, resisting arrest, etc. This officer has it in his back to back on Prospect and Longwood Aves. for no reason at all. He is the one that uses vice and filthy language on these hack drivers.

Follow Hackmen, The ... of ... League, 5 E. 19th St., call upon you to organize against such treatment.

"The struggle against militarism is an extreme form of class struggle against all classes and against the political power of capitalism."
—LIEBKNECHT.

Farmers Scorn Fake; Rally to United Farmers League

Already Have Five Locals In Price County With Large Membership

Brantwood, Wis. The farmers are beginning to understand that the only way to get over in a short time, but it is here to stay. The right wingers and fake farmers are being exposed as they are being scolded and the farmers are rallying to the United Farmers League.

There are five locals now in Price County in Brantwood. There are 86 members in the local, the rest of the locals also have a large membership. This shows that the farmers are beginning to realize their condition and that the only way out is to organize into real unions which struggle as class against class.

One of the most important moments, before the U.F.L. here at present is the tax question. There are only a few farmers able to pay this tax this year so the farmers are all for a tax strike. In Brantwood there have been two tax meetings and both times there has been about 30 farmers present. The Wisconsin Action Committee are also active. A kind meeting was held at Brantwood, Wis., December 22, which discussed the tax question. Many popular farmers were there. They are all for a tax strike.

Most Michigan Lumber Camps Closed Down

Dear Comrades, This is a word to tell you of the conditions of the workers and farmers here.

All the mills and lumber camps have closed down for the winter. These camps the workers have to work very long hours. What do they get for wages? Not enough to pay for the clothes they wear out while working. Some don't get enough to even buy themselves a decent meal.

The majority of the men are married and get a meagre wage of about \$10 or \$12 a month. With this they have to support a family of six or seven.

Their wages are just as bad off as the unorganized workers. They can't get hardly anything for their farm products, but what they do get is taken away from them in the form of taxes.

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McKeesport Tin Plate Co. Buncoes Steel Workers

Tries Head Off Militancy of Adults at Expense of Young Workers

McKeesport, Pa. Dear Editor: Before Christmas the McKeesport Tin Plate Co. was working part time, that is, a week out. The Co. announced that it was to start working in full.

While in the "Dark," by Louis Grosse and Edward Chiodo, is now announced for Tuesday, January 19, at the Ethel Barrymore Theatre. Ernest Truett will play the leading role.

"Papaver" will be presented by Joe Zell on Wednesday, January 20, at the Vanderbilt Theatre. This play is a new version of the German play by H. S. Kraft. The cast is headed by Flavia Aronson, Lillian Talor and David Hughes.

John Golden will present Blyden's show boat troupe in "Ten Nights in a Barroom" on Wednesday night, January 20, at the John Golden Theatre.

The 3,000 employees went to work having no idea where they were going to work steady and be able to pay some of their bills. They were told to go to work in two weeks, and stopped on December 24. Up comes the notice in the mail that the employees are to come back to work on January 1st.

The workers received their Christmas pay, some of it was spent on Christmas presents and the rest was left to pay some bills.

The business men were busy selling articles for presents to the workers. Now Christmas is over, and what is going to happen now? The workers pay no more. Business is slow.

Will Cut Wages. While the steel mills will be working next time the bosses will take advantage of the working class. They will spend the workers to the limit. Every cent will take place. The struggle between the boss and the worker is not over. The working class will be looking for a leadership. The working class leadership is the Communist Party and the Young Communist League.

Hopes of Bankrupt Farmers Blasted As Ford Closes Plant

Experts Advise Destroying Crops to Cure Starvation On Farms

CHASSLET, Mich.—A few years ago Chasslet was a thriving town dependent on the lumber industry. About four years ago the mills closed down and all the surrounding farms were cut down leaving the workers empty handed. Helpless. This just goes to show how the workers are being treated. The young workers are being treated as if they were not even human.

Celebrate Victory of Durable Strike With Dance

The members of the Metal Workers Industrial League and their friends are getting together Saturday evening, January 16, at 8 p.m. at Irving Plaza 12 1/2th St. and Irving St. to celebrate the victory won by the workers at the Durable Tool and Die Works. The dance will be held at the headquarters of the Union.

DRAMA-MOVIES

QUEENIE SMITH IN "A LITTLE HACKTEER AT 44TH STREET" "A Little Hackteer," a new musical comedy, will open on Monday, January 19, at the 44th St. Theatre, presented by the Shuberts, with Queenie Smith as the star. The book is by Henry Clarke. The score is by Gleni Thomlin and Lew Allen and the lyrics by Edward Elmer and Maxwell Brown. Grace Hayes, William Cook, Barbara Newberry and John Garrick play leading roles.

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CLUB NOTES

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BATTLE TO SAVE HOLLIS FROM LEGAL LYNCHING

Omaha Liebkecht Meet Sends Governor Protest

Young Workers In Other Cities Must Flood Governor With Telegrams and Letters

SAPULPA, Okla.—The electric chair awaits 22 year old Jesse Hollis, a Negro worker, in the state of Oklahoma. About three weeks ago Hollis was arrested and charged with having raped a white woman on Christmas Eve. A special night session of court was held without jury of lawyer, the judge signed the death warrant. The trial lasted 30 minutes.

YOUNG WORKER HELD ON C. S. LAW BEATEN BY ILLINOIS COPS

This procedure stinks to the clouds with its falsity. During the last few years the attempt to smash the Negro workers through lynchings and suchynch trials have become more and more frequent, all because the Negroes have begun to organize, to join unions and fight together with the white workers.

Had the bosses of Oklahoma thought that their case against Hollis was safe they would have made a pretense at a trial. But they didn't. It remains for the young workers of the whole country to smash this lynching by law.

Kushinsky, a member of the Young Communist League and is demanding a stay of the execution which is scheduled for March 11 and a new trial. All workers and organizations must follow the example of the young workers at the Liebkecht meeting in Chicago, Nebraska, and flood the governor of Oklahoma, Bill Murray, with protests.

The resolution states: "Governor Wm. Murray: We, the black and white workers of Omaha, Neb. assembled in mass meeting on the anniversary of the death of Comrade Kushinsky and Karl Liebkecht, unanimously approve the frame-up and railroadings of the young Negro boy Jesse Hollis in Sapulpa, Okla. We endorse this as an act of the landowners to lead the workers divided along racial lines, so they can further be oppressed and exploited. We are strongly opposed to this vicious legal lynching.

"We demand his safe release immediately. We demand that the Bonnie Lee Ross case not be duplicated in Oklahoma. We pledge ourselves to organize and rally the workers black and white for the freedom of Jesse Hollis." Demonstrations should be held throughout the country demanding the release of Jesse Hollis, who awaits death in Oklahoma.

Depression Carnival In Los Angeles, Feb. 6

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—The Young Communist League of Los Angeles is having a "Depression Carnival" on Saturday, February 6 at the Cooperative Center, 2706 Brooklyn Avenue. Snappy dancing, tasty food and other amusements are offered. A great program will be offered, with surprises galore. Our slogan is "Fight Against Hard Times by Attending the Depression Carnival."

Lots of fun and pep for 25 cents in advance and 35 cents at the proceeds go to the Y.C.L. of Los Angeles.

Attention All Districts

The National registration must be completed immediately. Every unit must carry it out this very week, if it has not done so yet. It must be carried in the District office immediately. The District must lose no time in tabulating the registration in sending the returns blank to the National Committee.

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METAL STRIKE AT RAILROAD INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE KEY SPREADS TO OUTLINES YOUTH PROGRAM

Sweeping Wage Cuts On Railroads Lay Basis for Strike Movement

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—The strike of the mattress department of the Kay Manufacturing Co. spread last week to other departments. In place of the original 12 girls, now over 60 out, including 24 strikers. All the strikers are young workers. With the spreading of the strike the terror of the police was let loose. Two workers Cane and Wagner were arrested and placed under \$100 bail each. Then the picket lines were attacked several times and one worker, Perran, was severely beaten about the face and head and arrested.

The superintendent of the place has admitted that although he has had many strikes against his starvation wages (now they range from \$8 to \$14 a week) this is the first time he has been forced to close his organization. The strike is being led by the Metal Workers Industrial League.

SUPPRESS STUDENT CLUB AT NEW YORK HIGH SCHOOL

NEW YORK.—Together with the starvation of children attending the public schools goes the increasing use of terror in order to check the rising tide of revolt in the schools. In New York this terror is particularly sharp. The Social Problems Club of Dewitt Clinton High School has been suppressed and its members forced to pledge that they would not conduct any more activity in the schools. The principal of the school, Clark, has set himself up as a miniature dictator and refused to grant the students any freedom whatsoever.

The suppression of the club follows the suppression of four similar clubs in local high schools, the one at Textile-High School being the latest. In opposition to this attempt to crush the struggles of the working class students in the schools, the Intercollegiate High School Association and the National Students League have entered protest. The National Students League has issued a circular to the students of the various high schools and colleges to support the students in their struggle against the attempts of the National Textile Workers Union to suppress these workers and again attack the students by trying to suppress the 10 per cent wage cut which the workers of the Taylor mill have received.

"FULL" EDUCATION--EMPTY STOMACH

FOR a long time the capitalists of this country tried themselves on the wonderful system of free education they "gave" to the children of the working class.

One of the high points of the hypocritical celebrations of the birthdays of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln will be this "pointing with pride" to the immense numbers of children who are sent through the educational factories of America.

The children will be asked to thank for having opportunities for education which Lincoln and Washington did not have. Superintendent of Schools in New York, O'Shea, has already pointed out just what the increase in school attendance really means. He stated that enrollment in New York high schools increased by 24,000 in 1931 over 1930, because of the economic crisis and the tremendous total unemployment. This means that children are going to schools today because they can no longer find jobs to support themselves. Since they do not work because they LIKE to work under conditions of capitalist speed-up, it is clear that they go to school WITHOUT HAVING EVEN THE LITTLE MONEY WHICH THEIR FORMER JOBS USED TO BRING THEM. THEY GO TO SCHOOLS UNDER CONDITIONS OF STARVATION AND MISERY!

THIS is the boast of the American capitalists in the shrewdest mockery of the misery of working class children. The workers class children of America are having their minds pumped full of distorted knowledge and their stomachs drained of life giving food.

In public schools, the sufferings of the students are even worse than in the high schools. In Chicago and Cleveland alone there is a total of 50,000 children who are in immediate need of food and clothing. Daily there are cases of fainting in the schools due to lack of food.

ADDED to these are the "mass production" methods of education. The bankruptcy of large cities such as Chicago and New York has caused the "city fathers" to cut down the size of the teaching staffs and school appropriations. This means the crowding of already sick children into immense classes for making the little education it is possible to give to a starving child absolutely worthless. In Chicago there is even talk of closing schools down altogether and teaching the children over the radio!

NOTICE: Because of lack of space the Young Worker was not able to publish an article on the recent National Convention of the Labor Sports Union held at Cleveland, O. Next week the article of starvation. AND EVEN THIS CARICATURE OF AN EDUCATION IS NOW BEING TAKEN AWAY BY THE BANKRUPTCY OF THE GRAFT RIDDEN CITIES OF CAPITALIST AMERICA!

Red Sunday Nets 100 Years Young Worker Subscriptions

ORGANIZATION OF YOUTH IN ALL STEEL CENTERS MOVING AHEAD

Decide On Youth Conference of Metal Workers for February 28th

NEW YORK.—The steel organization drive now in progress in all the important steel centers in the Ohio States for the purpose of forging a mighty Steel Workers Industrial Union is making rapid headway. The young workers in the steel units are receiving very detailed and serious attention in the whole unit.

The conditions of the young steel workers have been lowered until they are almost at an annual level. In Youngstown proper there are very few young workers employed in the mills. Most of them have been laid off or freed outright to make place for married men on the few jobs that are still open.

The total earnings of more than a half million railroad workers is less than \$1200 a year, with over 200,000 receiving the infinitesimal sum of \$900 a year. This is the average wage of young workers on the railroads.

It was decided at a youth meeting of the Industrial League to call a youth conference of Metal Workers on February 28. The Metal Workers Industrial League will try to take up the young organization of young workers and the

present are young workers. Tobacco is a 14 year old son of a tobacco worker. Vesper Romero was sentenced to one year. Added profit that the boss courts of the tobacco are out to smother the fighting youth is the fact that a whole unit of the Young Communist League is not an accident.

The present concentrated trend of the organization of the tobacco workers here into the Tobacco Workers Industrial Union, which is a section of the Trade Union League. Under the leadership of the union they recently announced a plan—"like which paralyzed the cigar industry so completely that the Department of Labor reports the greatest drop in employment in this industry. This is the cause of the terror.

But the frame-up has roused the workers and the court room is packed every day with workers who sympathize with the prisoners.

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present, although very few from the Sparrows Point steel mill in attendance.

CLIFF, I.D. reports had an attendance of 220. It was a very successful day. The Anti-War Weekly will be held on January 29 at the Manhattan Forum. Admission is only 50 cents.

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SCHOOL CHILDREN WIN DEMAND FOR FREE GYM

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—The struggle for the free use of the school gym in Red Hook has been won. After a donation of over 200 children it was attacked by the police and detectives, and the announcement of a protest meeting the authorities called the leaders of the Young Pioneers and granted the demands. These include the right to use the gym two nights a week without the charge of 25 cents for each child, free use of all athletic equipment and no discrimination against the leaders of the Young Pioneers.

This struggle has shown the children here that the Young Pioneers do something for the children of the workers. And so the troop is being flooded with applications for membership.

The next step will be to organize the fight for free food and clothing for the children of the jobsless.

Send Recruiting Experiences

In every week's issue of the YOUNG WORKER a page will be devoted to the recruiting drive now going on to double the present membership of the Young Communist League.

This drive started on Jan. 15 and will end on April 25, the 10th anniversary of the American Young Communist League. In the course of this drive, the Y.C.L. Districts, sections, units and the individual members will be involved in struggles or in preparation for a fight against amongst the youth in the shops and amongst the unemployed.

These experiences must be popularized amongst the entire membership of the League. Therefore we call on all Y.C.L. members, new members that have just joined, or young workers not in the ranks of the Y.C.L., to send in their articles or information that will be of value. Send all articles and material to the National Organization Department of the Y.C.L. P. O. Box 15, St. D, New York City.

From the above it can be seen that hard work was done in some sections while in others little or no results can be recorded. In those sections where the work was weakest, the comrades must mobilize all possible forces to spread the Young Worker. Where good work was carried on, this must be continued. In many places that were visited the young worker heard of our paper for the first time, we sold him one copy so that he would get acquainted with the Young Worker. These contacts should be followed up—subs can be gotten from these young workers now.

No slacking down in our work for the Young Worker!

No. 13 WHAT WILL MATT DO NOW?



MINNESOTA DISTRICT LEADS ALL OTHERS IN DRIVE TO ROOT YOUNG WORKER AMONG TOILING YOUTH

Young Worker Red Front Army Huris Ban of Hoover Gov. Back With Subs

THE Minnesota District of the Young Communist League sets a mighty example to the rest of the country in building the Young Worker into a mass organ of the exploited youth. It has given its answer to the Hoover government of starvation and its banning of the Young Worker in an unmistakable fashion. It has obtained 206 subscriptions for the Young Worker! One hundred years of subs to the fighting newspaper of the American working class youth—this is the result of the Red Sunday held for the Young Worker in the Minnesota district!

Let the other districts of the Young Communist League look over the record that is printed below and hide their heads in shame at the manner in which they have been swamped by the Minnesota district. And while the Minnesota district has the right to say that it has carried out its duty to the Young Worker, it must not be contented with this. These results must be merely the beginning of further and more intensified work.

Spread the Young Worker Red Army organized in the Minnesota district into a national Young Worker Red Army. Carry on the struggle against the bosses' war preparations in the spirit of our martyred leaders, Karl Liebkecht and Rosa Luxemburg, in the undying fashion of our great leader, Lenin, whose memory is being celebrated all over the country this week!

More Young Worker subs means more fighters for the working youth! Get them!

Table showing Control No. of Subs, No. of Subs Gotten, and No. of Subs Gotten in yrs. for Hancock, Negunette, Range, Twin Cities, Duluth-Superior, Dunbar, and N. York Mills.

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By Q.U.R.T.



DEFLECTIVE ORIGINAL COPY

By Bard

ON TO FEBRUARY 4th!



THE third winter of hunger and misery has brought no change in the attitude of the American Government and ruling class towards the sufferings of the masses. Mr. Hoover, Congress, the State Legislatures, the city administrations, all give one answer to the unemployed millions "No unemployment insurance!" "No-Lo!"

In Chicago, in New York and in many other industrial cities relief stations are even closing due to "financial difficulties." Instead of taxing the billionaires and multi-millionaires of this country, who accumulated their wealth by the exploitation of the masses of workers, the government gives a few scanty crumbs to the needy. This is especially true of the young unemployed who are not considered whatsoever. In most cities young unemployed are chased away from relief stations without even a hearing.

In order to mislead the workers and to direct their struggle into wrong channels, we find the development of a number of so-called "patriotic" fighters for the unemployed. Father Cox in Pittsburgh is one of those who comes out and talks about bettering the conditions of the unemployed. At the same time he preaches servility and loyalty to the government of starvation and to the boss class. He misleads the youth by his talk. His entire purpose is to dampen the real fight for unemployment insurance at full pay.

The same is true of the Mustates in Seattle and the Y.M.C.A. in many cities. They parade as friends of the unemployed youth, only to keep the young workers submissive, to make them believe that "prosperity is around the corner," and keep them from putting up a scrap for unemployment insurance and immediate adequate relief.

The young unemployed must give a real answer to Wall Street, its government, and the various fakery. The history of the working class shows that nothing was ever won without a fight. No preaching, begging or talking, will better our conditions. Only struggle!

February 4 is a day upon which tens of thousands of workers will demonstrate on the streets of hundreds of cities against the starvation program of the Hoover Government. On this day the youth must also give their answer to Mr. Cox and Hoover! They must show the government that no amount of promises and lies can fool them. They must show that the unemployed young workers do not want charity crumbs, but demand unemployment insurance for all workers regardless of age, race or sex.

Prepare now for gigantic working class demonstrations on February 4th!

All out on National Unemployment Insurance Day, February 4th!

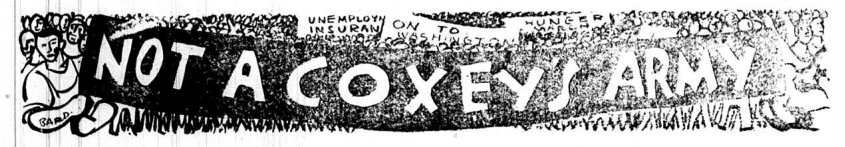
BLOCK WORK AMONG UNEMPLOYED

Men's Christian Association—that was dropped after a comrade from the District explained that the young workers here were of the migratory type and would yield no results to the Young Communist League. The struggle that would arise in such places would be short lived. The Comrades however, are for those who are short lived and also with some at all; and also, who can not carry the burden of our work and theory than those migratory workers who go from one place to another. Second decision made that "Comrades canvase the Thirteen Street Block and find out what the situation is in that block. Where do they go and what do they do. They should bring back results."

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stated. For instance Comrades of the League talked to "Four Streets" etc., to a landlord and got thrown out on their ear. From this time on, we must start from the ground floor, as janitor or the land, and usually lives on the ground floor of big apartment houses. In our conversation, we took care to speak of rent strikes, but admitting with lowering the rent, the inane finding out where the landlord lives. The first lesson to be learned is that the workers are of great importance. Relief in form of food and clothing to the main houses. If they have children in school they should speak to them on hot lunches and milk, five of charge in school. By that time you have won the confidence of the worker. Then you report him with our meeting, its place, its time, etc.

It is very necessary to canvass during the week of the meeting and just before the meeting to bring the workers down. Although we had contact with a large majority of the workers in the Block, we find it necessary to bring down the workers. The Comrades must not get discouraged as the work is



By S. S. SKOLNICK and S. REGENTSMYER

Three weeks after the Daily Worker had begun the preparation for the National Hunger March, and a week after we had been appointed representatives of the International Labor Defense to raise mass protests and provide legal aid in case the workers were attacked, the March was "discovered" by the Federal Security Service. We wonder how it leaked out.

Here, in the time of the discovery, however, hundreds of thousands of workers had already elected delegates to present to Congress their demands for Unemployment Insurance and immediate relief. These delegates came mainly from Unemployed Councils and Trade Unions. (Left and right wing). The march was to proceed in columns over the various sections of the country, which were to converge in Washington, Sunday, Dec. 6 and day before the opening of Congress.

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We had been scheduled to hold demonstrations in several New Jersey cities but we were behind schedule and the rain made it doubly impossible. In passing through Jersey City, however, a demonstration did take place—one which was indicative of the great support we were to receive from the workers all along the march. A handful of people ran in front of the trucks and emptied his entire car of fruit into it. He yelled joyfully. A few other workers could still see him waving his hands.

The trucks we sang songs, speculated about the dangers in store for us, and dozed. Trucks from the various Jersey towns attached themselves to the column.

We drew near Philadelphia about 6 o'clock. According to reports Mayor Mackey had stated that the young workers were not welcome in Philadelphia the city of Uncle Sam's Love, and that it would be directed around the outskirts of the city and not allowed to enter the city at night. All of us were alert now. At the city line a cop was waiting.

THE NAT'L HUNGER MARCH TOLD BY 2 YOUNG WORKERS

Chowser was acquainted with the Hunger March.

Next stop was Wilmington—property of DuPont, munitions manufacturer, and capital of Delaware. Wilmington is a Jim-Crow town. A demonstration had been held there for 25 years. This time we marched through four streets, with milk trucks. Our slogan of "No Unemployment Insurance, Discipline, No War!" and "Fight for Unemployed Insurance" received a cold reception.

There we were issued a card stating that the owner was an official delegate of the National Hunger March and was entitled to a dinner, night's lodging and breakfast. The number of marchers was estimated to be 100. The Salvation Army dining room housed only 20. It was 3 degrees below freezing. Some of us had to wait for hours. When we finally got in we were handed a bowl of cold cream stew.

During the night something had occurred which illustrated the firm solidarity of the marchers. We had been sleeping for about an hour when the lights were suddenly switched on. "All out comrades!" "Get dressed!" "We're getting the hell out of here!" We followed instructions. As we dressed, a comrade reported that a police lieutenant had refused to allow Negro comrades to sleep in a Christian Mission which was to house the surplus.

"I'd never sleep with a damned nigger!" the lieutenant had said. This report roused every marcher. "We'll show the bastard!" "Come on, comrades!" A million hands were raised in a shout. The police lieutenant and several other cops were surrounded.

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wide-eyed approbation from the Negro workers.

The business of DuPont is to make war. We raised the slogan of "All war funds to the unemployed." The entire population of Wilmington was out on the streets. It was an historic event.

We reached Baltimore by night. There was the mass pressure of the Unemployed Council and other workers' organizations had forced the city fathers to provide for us. They handed over \$1500 to the Salvation Army to feed and shelter us.

For two weeks the Salvation Army had been making preparations. We thought it pretty decent of Baltimore. We were very courteously escorted by the police to the Salvation Army headquarters.

Two thin pieces of stale white bread and a cup of milk called coffee. We numbered in our midst some who had eaten some pretty bad food on breadlines, but this didn't even their stomachs. The fat Salvation Army officer in charge couldn't understand why one of our comrades refused to pose for a picture with the officer handing her a bowl of stew. "You're getting the publicity," he said.

That night the authors had to share a spoon of castor oil because there wasn't enough to go around. But the stew was made of sterner stuff. One innocent young comrade asked what had happened to the \$2500. They were reported to the Municipal Police House, they called it the Recreation Park for its slogan.

Washington was next. There was little conversation on the train.



everyone was busy with his own thoughts. We arrived in Washington on schedule and were entertained by other comrades. This was Sunday the 6. We dismounted our trucks at the city line and fell into deep sleep. Also, we were rather quiet. We searched the place where we were to eat and sleep. Here also, we were in charge of by the Salvation Army. This time it was a fraud.

The work of these demagogues, the beans and the bread and the storking the stomach. A few others from the block, Kentucky, accompanied themselves.

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CAPITALISM HAS NOTHING TO OFFER YOUTH NOW OR LATER

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Carnegie Steel Is Slave Mill

YOUNG WORKERS DRIVEN LIKE CATTLE BY BOSSES

Come Home from 8-9 Hour Day Without Spell Completely Exhausted

McKeesport, Pa.—If anyone would look at the young steel workers of the Carnegie Steel Co., one would think that the youth are chased around the mill for 8 hours by the bosses, for this is how tired they look when they come from the mill. The mill is in Clairton, Pa.

The young workers in the Carnegie steel work 9 hours morning and 8 hours working piece-work. The laborer get 30c an hour and piece-workers get a ton. The hardest and toughest work in the mill is piece-work. The workers have to work 8 straight hours with out a spell.

Some days the workers make more than \$100 a day. That does not look like money when pay day comes with 3 or 4 days in a pay. Out of the workers pay, the company takes \$1.00 for Company Insurance every month. When you are laid-off the Insurance is no good.

Many of the young workers come in the mill, both Negro and white. The Company has a method of sending the young workers home and leaving the married men work in their place. The boss says to the youth no orders, no home, and no wife. The youth leave the mill they put the married men on their jobs.

No books or papers are allowed to be read in the mill. Every night the boss look in the workers lockers to see if there are any revolutionary books. One time a worker was fired out of the mill for reading the "Radical."

The workers must build the Metal Workers Industrial League in the mill. The M.W.I.L. must organize every department. The M.W.I.L. face must be brought to every worker in the mill, with leaflets and shop signs. Demands must be worked out for every department, so the union can be built in every department.

To join or for more information, write to Metal Workers Industrial League, room 319, 611 Penna. Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO THE YOUNG WORKER.

Kinloch Miners Make Less Than \$2 for Week's Work

Young Miners Have Snappers Jobs and Most Dangerous Work in Mine

KINLOCH, Pa.—We are doing some good work in the Kinloch mines and are about to establish a mine union there. We have already organized a Kinloch unit of the Young Communist League which is fighting very good at present. The conditions in the Kinloch mines are the most terrible. Workers can't even make \$2 the day. If you want to make more than that you must work about four men to help you. You have to haul up, haul down, haul in, haul out. You do this work for three days a day. At night it is the same and it is even worse because the lights are out so you can't see and you are liable to get an accident every day.

The young of the Kinloch mine make less than \$2 a day and the most dangerous job in the mine. When the job is pulled out the boss says the work is the most dangerous job in the mine. The mine workers will be crushed.

What the men and young workers in this mine should do is organize their own union to fight against the attacks of the mine owners.

3 Die of Starvation in Wringle Flophouse

CHICAGO, Ill.—A worker while attending a religious meeting held at the Wringle flophouse here stood up and said that to his opinion the workers in the flophouse should have more and better food.

That is the last word the worker spoke. He fell over and died of starvation. Two more workers died in the same flophouse that night.

The workers who were in the flophouse at the time stated that the death of all three workers was caused by the jerrie food that was given to them in the name of relief.

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Manager of London Daily Worker Gets 3 Year Jail Sentence

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Frank Priestly, business manager of the Daily Worker, was sentenced to three years' penal servitude today on a charge of incitement to mutiny in connection with the 1933 articles which appeared in the Daily Worker. Priestly declared that the charge was unjust and that he would appeal.

It was 1,000 people registering for jobs on the Pymatuning Dam which is being constructed about 30 miles from here. The local papers had it that the Dam would need about 1,000 men by the tenth of January.

If there were 1,000 in Sharon for the first day, can you imagine how many there were in New Castle and Jamestown, Pa. 700 to 800 men to go to the Dam in search of work.

I got quite a few in one bunch and started to talk about the situation. After a few of the bunch were saying they thought it could not be a branch unless there was a branch here. I did not tell him to go to Youngstown, but better particulars.

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YOUNG CIGAR WORKERS USED TO GET \$25 WEEK

Now Work Twice As Hard With Wages Cut In Half and Stagger Plan On

CAMDEN, N. J.—I am only a cigar maker. I have been one for three years. Three years ago I was making \$25 per week working from 7:15 a. m. until 5:30 p. m. with a half hour for lunch.

They used to give one dollar each week for bonus. They discontinued this because of financial difficulty, they claim. Besides, after a long drug day after they are through working we have to clean greasy dirty machines. The manufacturer receives two dollars per fifty. Then they make you work every piece of tobacco. All you hear is "Wake up on your job. We want an average. Where do you stand, we get the tobacco, stand it."

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Now wages are slashed in half. It is more miserable than ever to work. For they can get plenty for almost nothing at all. Each girl receives nine cents per hundred. The manufacturer receives two dollars per fifty. Then they make you work every piece of tobacco. All you hear is "Wake up on your job. We want an average. Where do you stand, we get the tobacco, stand it."

We have been layed off three-quarters of the time in these last two years. They are tired, for we make a million for our sweat and blood and it is returning to them for nothing. They force their attention upon you. If you let them, they keep you on the job until they are bored off. Or if you work for their interest, save their stock, they'll keep you on also.

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BLOCK WORK AMONG UNEMPLOYED IN N. Y.

(Continued from Page 4)
The young are being struggle, but the old comrades must lead the way. What is our work in the future?

The young workers who participate in block work and in getting out of the factory are getting relief for themselves and their children. The young workers are living with their parents. However, the question of cigarettes and parties, must not be forgotten when you raise your demands. Now when unemployment among the youth is so great and so widespread, those who are working are doing so at meagre wages of \$10 a week. The question of recreation of a place of amusement becomes burning issue.

First, we must get the school for an open hearing and for a strike. There is the constant attack on relief-hot helters, milk, etc. The young workers are on the situation of the comrades. The Y.C.L. and Party in the block work, to bring these members into the Y.C.L. and Party. This must be done by having interest in the "parties" and "social" connections, with the workers of the block committee. We have the most important task that must be done already. We invited the best elements of the block committee to our party Organized where a discussion of the comrades led a discussion.

Travels to Key West for Job; Turned Down

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—I went out looking for work. I went everywhere. I thought I could find a job. I went to Key West, Fla. (One day I went to the employment office. The man asked me how I got there. I told him it was my "South Carolina" card. He said there are no jobs today.)

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★ DRAMA—MOVIES ★

THEATRE GUILD TO PRESENT "MOON IN THE YELLOW RIVER"
The next production of the Theatre Guild this season will be in Irish play, "The Moon in the Yellow River," by Dennis Johnston, Claude Rains, William Harrigan and John Daly Murphy will play leading roles. The play will be directed by Philip Moeller. It deals with post-revolutionary days in Ireland.

A. H. Woods has placed in rehearsal "The Inside Story," a melodrama, by George Bryant and Francis M. Verdi. A. H. Van Duren is directing the production.

"Experience Unnecessary," now at the Longacre, will be moved on Monday night to the larger Shubert Theatre. Walter Woolf and Verne Toddable play the chief roles in this Gladys Unger play from the German.

"East of Broadway," a comedy by T. Reinald Arkell and Charles Wagonier, will open Monday evening, January 23, at the Belmont Theatre.

THE THEATRE GUILD PRESENTS EUGENE O'NEILL'S Trilogy "MOURNING BECOMES ELECTRA"
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On the Recruiting Drive Front

- The bosses discriminate against the young workers in giving charity relief, the Young Communist League fights for immediate adequate relief and for unemployment insurance at full wages. Join the Young Communist League.
- Young workers are first to be fired by the boss; the Young Communist League fights against dismissals and for a six hour day for young workers under 18 with no reduction in pay. Four hour day for young workers from 14 to 16. Join the Young Communist League.
- The bosses' government prepares the youth for imperialist war for the profits of the bosses. The Young Communist League mobilizes the youth against imperialism and for a war against our own enemy, the boss class. Join the Young Communist League.
- The government spends billions of dollars on war preparations; the Young Communist League demands and fights for all war funds to be turned over for the immediate relief of unemployed.
- National oppression, discrimination, segregation, Jim Crowism, lynchings and legal lynchings, is the lot of the Negro masses and particularly the youth who resist against the slave conditions. The Young Communist League fights for the complete political and social liberation of the Negro masses, for the right of self-determination in the Black Belt.
- The Southern ruling class is legally trying to murder nine innocent Negro boys in Scottsboro, Alabama. The Young Communist League fights for their immediate unconditional freedom. Join the Young Communist League.
- The bosses are preparing to attack the Soviet Union, the only workers' and farmers' government. Join the Young Communist League, defend the Soviet Union, the workers' fatherland.
- Young Workers, defeat the bosses' campaign of speed-up, wage cut-lay-offs. Join the Young Communist League. Organize Young Communist League nuclei in the shops, mills and mines.
- Young workers on the fields and farms. Join the united struggle against the Hunger and War preparations of the Wall Street government. Join the Young Communist League.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION DEPARTMENT—Revolutionary Competition.

The Recruiting Drive will be marked with a real spirit of revolutionary competition. Every two weeks the progress of the Drive will be printed in the Young Worker. There will be two battalions, one will be red with an airplane going to the District that first recruits a real good League Unit in a mill village at least. The first one we set was a winner in the Chadwick Mill. Since then we brought a spinner from another mill a drivers' worker and a young printing apprentice. The Unit will concentrate on the Chadwick Mill. In a few weeks we will have one of the best Units in the South there. All the comrades are doing wonders in the village. They are planting a good flag in every mill, store house, etc. as well as in the recruitment of mill workers. A surprise thing is that they are all active. I suppose the young workers of the District Committee and the local Unit are doing it.

Desires are taking steps to enter into competition with other Districts. However Political Work in the local organizing the following clubs are starting: District Committee on Jan. 15, 1932. To be District Committee on the Y. C. L. District No. 3.

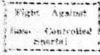
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To achieve our main goals we require a tremendous amount of activity. However, we firmly believe that we can accomplish this task. Our District is a District of mining and metal. Our recruitment Plan centers mainly around carrying through of mining and metal work. District No. 3 is an industry. Therefore, we believe that a challenge to revolutionary competition would be especially correct, if both District No. 3 and District No. 3 engage in it.

We would like to receive from your District a copy of the District 3 Recruitment Plan so that the best basis of our competition can be established in a fair and objective set.

Will Issue Bulletin. We are to issue every three weeks in possible amounts of activity. The District and the individual members on bad and good examples and experiences. Send it to the National Organization Department and we will look at it. Young Worker Must Act as an Organizer. Young Worker Must Act as an Organizer. Young Worker Must Act as an Organizer.



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OPEN LETTER TO WORKER'S GYMNASTIC AND SPORTS ALLIANCE MEMBERS

An Appeal by the Labor Sports Union for a Solid United Front Against the Bosses Olympics

Dear Comrades and Brother Sportsmen: The bosses are now preparing for the greatest event in their sport world—the Olympics. Even as we write they are putting the last minute touches on the Winter Olympics at Lake Placid. Millions are being spent for the games at Los Angeles, while millions of unemployed slaves...

MOONEY RUN THRU N. Y. CITY

NEW YORK.—This village will see a real Tom Mooney street run on February 27, according to the plans laid down by the Provisional New York District Counter-Olympic Committee at their first meeting last Tuesday.

3 Soccer Games Prepare Counter Olympics

NEW YORK.—The first abut in the victory against the bosses Olympic games will be held this Sunday, Jan. 24, at Dyckman's Oval by the Metropolitan Workers' Soccer League. The League, affiliated with the Labor Sports Union, has arranged three games in the Audubon Park grounds on February 22, 23 and 24.

Club Notes

The following branches are active: Branch 409, Chicago; Branch 408, New York; Branch 407, Philadelphia; Branch 406, Los Angeles; Branch 405, Cleveland; Branch 404, Newark; Branch 403, New Orleans; Branch 402, St. Louis; Branch 401, San Francisco.

Who says that the L.S.U. amends anything else from year to year? We repeat—regardless of affiliation, political belief, creed, race or color, we call every worker to unite against the City of New York's \$112,000,000 Olympic extravaganza.

Delegation in the Soviet Union. The membership campaign has been carried down between the following branches. Every branch, however, has a chance to catch up on the day of the defeat.

Lookin' At 'Em

WE continue from last week. You remember, we hope, that we were talking about the policy of the National Provisional Counter Olympic Committee. Unit 2 of the Bronx had popped a couple of questions, you may recollect. One of these was: "Is it the policy of the Counter Olympic Committee to popularize the Red Sports International?"

THE Counter Olympic Committee is, first and foremost, a UNITED FRONT committee. It is composed of workers, farmers and students—and organizations in which there are workers, farmers and students of varying shades of opinion. Some of these (like the L.S.U.) are supporters and members of the Red Sports International; some disagree with the policies of the Red Sports International; some have never even heard of the Red Sports International.

UNDERSTANDING this, therefore, we can easily see what the answer to the question is. The answer is: "No." It is not the task of the Counter Olympic Committee AS SUCH to popularize the Red Sports International. It is the task of the American section of the Red Sports International, the L.S.U., to demonstrate by its correct policies and its unflagging, day-to-day work, that the R.S.I. and its national sections are the only correct policies and tactics for worker sportsmen.

SO me hearties, now is the time for all good men—and women—to buckle down to work and build the united front against the Los Angeles Olympics. And when you come for your organization, remember—DON'T PUT UP BARRIERS BETWEEN THE WORKERS AND YOURSELF.

COME again, Bronx 2. We like your questions. But, now, let's not make any more speeches about the United Front, but go out and make contacts with young workers and students. Let's even make some mistakes. If they're HEALTHY mistakes, errors growing out of real work, they will be corrected rapidly.

The New Y. C. L. Recruiting Pamphlet Is Ready "Who Are the Young Communists?" 24 PAGES This pamphlet deals with the problems facing the working class youth today, and just why they should join the Young Communist League, become members of the Young Communist League as a young organization that really fights for everyday interests of the young workers.

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THIS crisis has hit the British, Japanese, French, Italian (Continued on Page 2)

Attack Chinese Soviets in Preparation War on USSR

United States Wall Street Government Backs Japanese Slaughter of Chinese Workers and Peasants in Shanghai and Interior of Country

NEW YORK.—Over ten thousand Chinese workers and peasants have been slaughtered in the bloody war which the Japanese imperialists are carrying on against the Chinese masses. Warships of all the capitalist countries including the Wall St. government of the United States are stationed along the Yangtze River. The International Settlement controlled by the imperialist powers is used by the Japanese soldiers as a base for operations against the Chinese masses in spite of the fact that Chinese are shot just as they are shot inside of the boundaries of the settlement. This war against the Chinese masses is being carried on with the full consent of France, Great Britain and the United States.

Anti-War United Front to Mobilize Against Boss War

THE Anti-War United Front youth demonstrations. These general demonstrations will take place on Saturday and Sunday, February 12 and 13, at 22 W. and Avenue A in the downtown section, at 15 W. 125th St. in Harlem. The Brooklyn demonstrations will be announced later.

All parades and demonstrations will be fortified and will be the first effective answer of the New York youth to the mass slaughter of the Chinese masses and the drive for imperialism against the Chinese Soviet and the Soviet Union. (Continued on Page 2)

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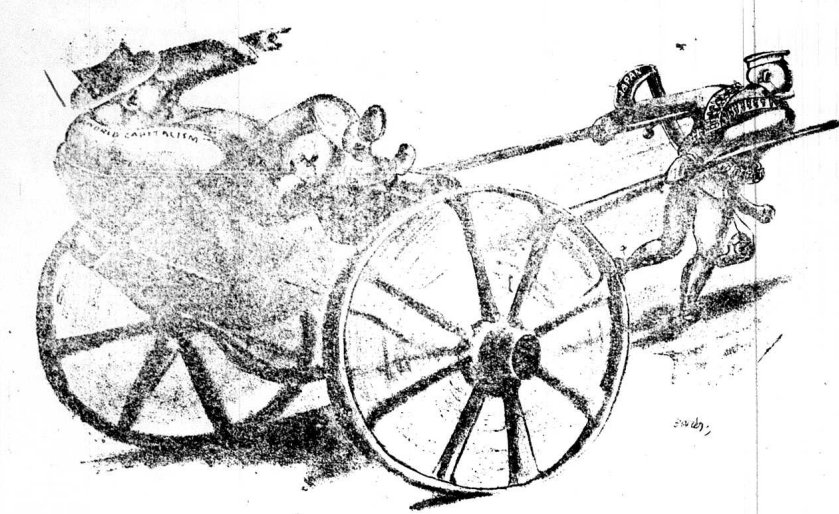
HOLD KY. YOUTH STRIKE SECTION MEETING

PHENIXVILLE, Pa.—On Saturday, January 22, a youth section meeting of the Young Communist League will be held at 1007 Broadway St., Philadelphia, Pa. Attendance is urged. Meeting includes a play and a few adult speakers. Tickets 10c. Free young members by the Virginia Hotel Co. and Communist League. Tickets 10c.

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By Bard

ON TO MOSCOW!



Events are occurring in the Far East... AND DEATH to every young worker in the United States...

The bloody war that is being carried on against the Chinese masses by the imperialist army of Japan HAS THE FULL CONSENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE OTHER CAPITALIST COUNTRIES...

This war upon the Chinese masses is being carried on for a re-division of China among the imperialist countries who are searching desperately for new markets for their crisis-stricken industries...

Over and above all this, we must recognize the fact that war upon the Soviet Union is the driving force behind the events in China today...

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At the same time that there is this common agreement in regard to war upon the Soviet Union, there are differences between the capitalist countries, especially between Japan and the United States... Demand the removal of American gunboats from Chinese waters! Hand off the Chinese Soviets!

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CLASS CORNER... The aim of every true revolutionary working class party is the overthrow of the capitalist system and the establishment of a system in which the working class holds power...

Hail Fight!... Gee, I have sure nice weather. Suddenly when your stomachs empty. Lucky I got a red over my head...

MOVIE REVIEWS... 'The Road to Life' now playing at the Crown Theatre in New York demonstrates very forcefully once more the complete superiority of Soviet film as compared with the trash produced by Hollywood...

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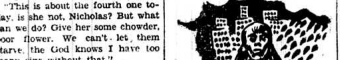
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Carnegie Steel bosses Fool Workers With Fake Notice

MILLS REFUSE HIRE WORKERS WHO CAME WHEN FURNACE STARTED

CLAIRTON, Pa.—While the Carnegie Steel Co. of this town hasn't worked steady for over five years, the bosses are doing everything within their power to make profit from the laboring class.

The reason for the furnace starting is this: the company was melting scrap steel that was produced without big iron.

Blame Workers. The bosses started to rail with the workers about this steel. It was not the fault of the workers, but the greediness of the bosses for not using enough gas.

Young Textile Worker Tells How He Joined the Y.C.L.

Saw League Members in Forefront of the Recent Lawrence Textile Strike

When the last strike started in Lawrence last October there still remained in my mind the treacherous attitude of the bureau of Y.C.L. members in the strike of February.

PACKINGHOUSE YOUTH GET LESS THAN ADULTS

BY PAUL MINE.—The bosses here in the packinghouses of Fourth St. Paid their men to "leave" money. Youth fellows working in industry get less than the adult workers for which the older workers get \$2.00 cents.

Finally we came to the decision that something was wrong. We went to the Y.C.L. to find out. After we explained our lives and work our heads off, the boss gets generous and — says to the fellows: "be satisfied" and if he looks like they will by more workers of you.

Striking Kentucky Miner Joins Y.C.L.

Middleboro, Ky. Dear Comrades: I would like to write you a bit of news. This country down here is Kentucky.

What honor did the crummen get from the boss? The boss came over as if he was racing with someone and raked him with the crummen for cutting the checks.

We are getting the National Miners Union pretty well established here, but I want to do more. So I was handed a little book, "No Jobs Today," by Phil Bard.

The biggest grievance of the workers is about the pay-day. No one knows when they'll get paid. Workers come 30 to 35 minutes every day and sit there in the boss' house.

YOUNG WORKER AND FAMILY FORCED TO LIVE ON \$10 A MONTH

(By a Worker Correspondent) SUPERIOR, Wis.—I am a single young worker of Superior. My mother, who is a widow, is just going in front of the board for the blind pension of \$10 a month.

City Cuts Relief to \$4 Per Week for Family with 4 Kids

Father Threatened That Relief Will Be Taken Away Altogether

PITTSBURGH, Mass.—I am writing this letter to the Young Worker Club, that our young workers know some of the things that the local police and politicians are doing to the working people.

This is only one of many similar cases in the city of Superior. On Friday of the Unemployment Council holds its regular meetings at the Power Hall (Workers' Center).

Join the Youth Section

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Two Wage Cuts in Hubbert Coal & Coke Co. Since Strike

LACK OF TRACKS FORCES MINERS TO DO WORK OF MULES AND HORSES

VERSAILLES, Pa.—While the conditions of the miners are getting worse, the bosses are taking advantage of them by cutting wages.

Here in the Hubbert Coal and Coke Co. of Versailles, Pa., 175 miners are employed. Half of them are young miners.

The boss class has treated the working class so rotten that the workers are wanting a change in the working class case.

CHARLIE CHAN'S CHANCE AT HIPPODROME

The Hippodrome features this week Hell Golden and his Diamond Entertainers, noted for their entertainers, at the head of the eight-seat vaudeville bill.

★ DRAMA—MOVIES ★

"IF BOOTH HAD MISSED" OPENS AT MAXINE ELLIOTT Arthur Goodman's play, "If Booth Had Missed," dealing with the reconstruction period following the Civil War.

"CAIN" NOW SHOWING AT THE ACME THEATRE "If the Acme Theatre—the Art Circus of Union Square—is now showing "Cain," a tense dramatic story of a man who rebels against present-day civilization.

"SCENE FROM 'ROAD TO LIFE'" A. H. Woods has placed in regular feature at the Grand Opera House a play, "Scene From 'Road to Life'." It is a play in three acts.

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CITY-WIDE DANCE Plays 8 till 2 Fall Collectors Early Birds 40c at 10c

Olympic Fight Broadens Out

Hiking Groups Enter into Counter Olympic Campaign

"Die Naturfreunde" Calls for Solid United Front Against Boss Olympics

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—"Die Naturfreunde, Inc.," a national athletic and hiking organization yesterday endorsed the program of the Provisional Counter-Olympic Committee...

SOCCER GAMES FOR DAILY WORKER FUND

NEW YORK.—The Metropolitan Workers Soccer League which is nearing the completion of its schedule has come to the support of the Daily Worker by listing its three scheduled games at Dyckman Oval next Sunday as for the benefit of the Daily Worker...

Other organizations which have already endorsed the Counter-Olympic Committee include the Workers Gymnastic and Sport Union, Finnish Defense, the Workers International Relief, International Labor Defense, the Metropolitan Workers Soccer League and a host of smaller local sports and cultural clubs throughout the city.

BOLD DANCE FOR YOUNG WORKERS IN DETROIT

DETROIT.—A valentine dance is being held for the benefit of the "Young Worker" by the Young Communist League in Detroit...

The Olympic Games Are a War Move of the Bosses

By W. LENN The winter events of this year's Olympics to be held in the United States Feb. 4-14, at Lake Placid, N. Y., are the most blatant and open war move of the capitalist class...

With two million workers are mobilized and sent to the front lines in New York State alone, and twelve million throughout the country and make money. Over half a million dollars to these winter Olympics.

Bank funds have been transferred into a winter paradise for the bosses. The "cream" of capitalist society has flocked here to indulge and make money. Over half a million dollars to these winter Olympics.

MOONEY LETTER TO WINNER OF STREET RUN

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Members of many organizations, including both of the American Federation of Labor and other workers' and youth groups, will participate in the Tom Mooney Street Run, the course of which may be from Rutgers Sq. to Union Sq. to be held on Washington's birthday, February 22, under the direction of the New York District Provisional Counter-Olympic Committee.

Imar Prim, of the Toronto C. G. Branch, in case of the old-timers expected to be among the leaders at the end of the miniature marathon. Prim, former national A.L.U. 5,000- and 3,000-metre champion, together with the rest of the runners, will carry on his back a "Free Tom Mooney" placard.

The committee will try to get an original letter from Tom Mooney which will hinge the championship of the "A" Division in the Metropolitan League.

PHILLY BLUE JAYS WIN 20 OF 25 GAMES

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—The Blue Jays basketball team of Philadelphia have hung up something of a record in their present campaign winning 20 out of 25 games played. The Blue Jays if you will recall romped away with the Labor Sports Union baseball cup in the Junior League of Philly.

Basketball is sort of a side line for the Philly cats as observe the following statistics: They ran off two boxing matches with church boys and with the city's best pugilist activities. They ran off two boxing matches with church boys and with the city's best pugilist activities.

It had not news fit to print then mention to King it up Blue Jays and beat her some more prominent stock reported to the Young Worker.

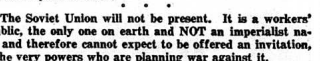
Lookin' At 'Em

While millions of workers are hoping for a good snowfall to provide them a few days' work and a couple of scant meals for their families, the Olympic Committee preparing its winter program at Lake Placid, N. Y. is praying for the weather man to provide sufficient Fahrenheit for the boys to don their skis and skates and start whooping it up for dear ole U. S. A. or Canada or Switzerland, et al.

This Winter Olympics is a costly affair but the U. S., Great Britain, Italy and the rest of the capitalist powers think it more important to spend a million to Lake Placid than to heed the demands of its unemployed workers.

The U. S. playing host to 17 nations entered in the winter games found it necessary to erect a stadium at Lake Placid at a cost of \$220,000 but it refuses to listen to a delegation of hunger marchers representing millions of unemployed demanding winter relief money. The U. S. sees fit to invite Finland to bring a Hockey team here at the expense of U. S. \$1.—but it will not make a single gesture of like "goodwill" and there in the way of offering relief to its 12,000,000 unemployed.

The 17 nations bawled to start the snow rolling at Lake Placid Feb. 4-13 but did a lot of faking during their nine day sojourn in the hope of attracting a lot of attention from the bosses of Wall Street. After all, this is a most appropriate and opportune time for that eye-



Free Tom Mooney placard carried by runners at Lake Placid.

thletic good will to be established between the imperialist powers. Such things as moratoriums and the crisis will perhaps be "forgotten" in the confusion of sports exhibitions.

The Soviet Union will not be present. It is a workers' republic, the only one on earth and NOT an imperialist nation and therefore cannot expect to be offered an invitation, by the very powers who are planning war against it.

On the other hand, Japan which has been slaughtering thousands of Chinese workers and peasants in its drive on Manchuria will be present, a welcome guest. As will fasciat Italy and Poland. We doubt, however, whether the Soviet Union would compete with Monarchists, Fascists and Kingdoms which oppress workers and peasants.

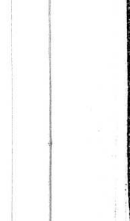
But granting that a few bona fide workers did manage by some scientific formula to attain championship callopy, and place on these teams, the Olympics still is and remains a bosses' athletic carnival. The workers were given no opportunity to compete for this winter event, nor do they stand a chance of competing next summer at Los Angeles.

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JAPANESE, U. S. BOSSES PUSH WAR ON CHINESE

NEW YORK.—The Japanese are preparing for an early drive against the Chinese Red Army and the Chinese Soviet Republic. On Friday, the 15th, the Chinese Admiral Nemura at Shanghai realized the danger would push up the Yangtze River. Chinese troops are being rushed to Shanghai to meet the Japanese, U. S. and British warships and the Japanese posts of the Chinese Red Army on the Yangtze River.

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Simms was shot early Wednesday morning as he walked along a railroad track with Green Lawson, section strike organizer in the Brush Creek Section. Noticing a hand propelled railroad car behind them, they stepped off the tracks to permit its passage.

PINEVILLE, Ky.—The last act of Harry Simms before his bloody murder by the Kentucky coal operators was the convening of a successful Kentucky Youth Strike Conference in Pineville, Tuesday, Feb. 9th.

After the election of a young miner from the Gatlinf section as chairman and the election of a credentials committee, the conference opened with the report of Joe Chandler, National Youth Organizer of the National Miners' Union.

Kinloch mine jobs Meters pay TAKE MONEY OFF FOR STORE WITHOUT REASON

Young Worker and Father Fired When They Protest Thievery of Company

KINLOCH, Pa.—The Kinloch mine is about as bad as the Kentucky mines and maybe worse for all I know.

On pay day I went to the pay office to get my wages. I looked at the statement and saw that \$5 was taken off for store and I only drew \$2 in scrip.

IMPOSSIBLE TO PAY TAXES WITH FARM BANKRUPT

ONTONAGON, Mich.—The conclusion of the farmers in Ontonagon County are getting worse day by day with the price of farm products (notwithstanding) which has dropped down to 25 cents a pound. This is not enough to make a living on, so how are the farmers going to pay for the taxes and mortgages.

With the sheriff sales increasing and with many more foreclosures listed, already.

A few years back the farmers were able to go to the lumber camps to earn a few dollars a day by their hands but now it is different because there are no camps in the county that are doing any logging and with the taxes and mortgages they are paying \$8 for a month's work.

In addition the farmer doesn't have the possibility of getting money and when he needs so the farmers and unemployed workers of this county are demanding free money and when they get it they need that. That is at the expense of the county.

While the farmers are starving from the burden of the crisis the county maintains high salaries of officials and the county is spending a few other extra officials which are not needed at all.

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CANNERS START YOUNG LAWRENCE TEXTILE WORKERS READY TO FIGHT NEW WAGE CUT

TAMPA, Fla.—Work in the Del Monte Canning plant No. 118, 121 was to tell you how they treat us workers here.

They opened this year cutting our wages down to 18 cents and then we just get to work three or four days a week, if not less. If one misses a day or gets three late they lose their place. One gets fired out of one's job.

Now out of what we make, which is so very little that it can be called nothing, we have but just last December and he has to take it off this pay. I then told him he was crazy. He can't take anything off of our wages. He has to take \$0 cents and a button for 20 cents, and an apron for 50 cents, and a spoon for 50 cents.

Less Than \$5 a Week. This is outside of what we spend on the mills so that these workers that are struggling here. Last week my check was \$28.00 and I had to pay for my rent, my food, and my clothes.

The miners of Kinloch are organizing a Young Communist League and they are going to fight against these conditions. They are going to fight against these conditions.

Now this goes to show you that the workers are being treated like slaves. They are being treated like slaves.

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MOVIES IN RUSSIA—WHY "ROAD TO LIFE" WAS A HIT THERE. Movies in Russia are not made for profit. They are made for their educational or historical purposes.

WILLIAM POWELL IN NEW FILM AT HYPHODROME. On the Hypnodrome screen, William Powell in "High Pressure" with Evelyn Brent, George Sidney, Evelyn Knapp, Frank Conroy, and other person.

It is true that the demand is present for films which will have universal appeal. The public in Russia has been interested in the "arty" or "chic" pictures.

LEADER OF THE "WILD CHILDREN". Madras, leader of the "Wild Children" in the Soviet Union, "Road to Life", now in his third year at the Gaiety Theatre.

COMBAT DEBUT IN "THE LAST COMPANY" AT ACME THEATRE. The Acme Theatre, 1416 St. Clair, will present "The Last Company" at 8:15, beginning Wednesday, February 17.

Menhiru Soloist Will Perform. The Philadelphia Orchestra, under the direction of Bruno Walter, will perform the following program at Carnegie Hall on February 19.

The struggle against militarism must not be postponed until the middle of the century. This struggle will be too late. The struggle against war must be carried on now, daily, hourly.

The struggle against militarism is an extreme form of the class struggle. It is a struggle against the political power of capitalism.

THE THEATRE GUILD PRESENTS EUGENE O'NEILL'S Trilogy MOURNING BECOMES ELECTRA

HOME COMING, THE HUNTER, THE MAINTAINED. All 3 plays are presented on the Metropolitan at 8:30 sharp. Metropolitan of New York at 8:30 sharp.

THE THEATRE GUILD PRESENTS "Reunion in Vienna" A Comedy by ROBERT L. SHERRWOOD

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50,944 People Have Seen Soviet Tajik's First Talkie!

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DRAMA OF RUSSIA'S "WILD CHILDREN" (From a play by Madras)

KENTUCKY YOUTH CONFERENCE IN PINEVILLE CLUB NOTES

In the discussion of the report, miner after miner took the floor and spoke of the slave conditions in their mines.

YOUTH PAID LESS THAN ADULTS. In the Cumberland Bend mine, young miners working as "chiftains" get less than the adult miners.

Organization Taken Up. About ten youth committees were organized in the district.

The Jack Daniel's youth branch 466 is the latest addition to the Youth Section. Fifteen members are active in the branch.

It is becoming clear only that in spite of the great efforts that are being made by the various groups, especially the various groups in the United States and Japan, in the district.

The New York City Youth Committee has initiated a Shock Troop, which is developing leadership.

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YOUTH DOWN IN DRESS STRIKE

ANSWER CALL OF UNITED FRONT STRIKE COMMITTEE

Many Join Fighting Needle Trade Workers Industrial Union

NEW YORK.—The general strike in the dress trade in New York called by the United Front Strike Committee is rapidly spreading over the entire dress market. Shops in the Bronx, Harlem and Brooklyn sections are coming down in addition to those in Manhattan. As this issue goes to press more than 200 shops have come down on strike including over 60 shops controlled by right-wing International Union. Thousands of dress workers are out, of whom about 20 per cent are young workers.

Mass picketing is held every day in the needle market with the strike of the strikers at a high pitch. The right wing International Union is preparing to call its out-let strike for Tuesday under the leadership of the strike sentiment of the workers, many of whom have already come out over the hour of the International Union at the call of the United Front Strike Committee and the Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union and the rest of whom are fighting to come out in a real, honest fighting tactic against starvation conditions in the dress trade.

Hundreds of young workers who were forced out of the schools into the slave and sweat shop dress industry have come down solidly on strike. The miserable conditions under which they worked receiving an average wage of from \$10 to \$12 a week for 44-46 hours convinced them that the only way to better their conditions was to strike. Even the experienced cutters and operators received a measly wage of from \$5 to \$4 a day.

Because of this mass United Front Dress Strikers Committee has issued a call for the young workers ready to down tools to fight with the adult workers. The Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union in opposition to the right

Striking Dress Youth Adopt Resolution; Call for Fight

NEW YORK.—The following resolution was adopted at a youth meeting of the striking dress workers in New York held in Manhattan last week: "We, young dressmakers, Negro and white, who answered the call of the United Front Rank and File Strike Committee, resolve that we will carry out the following activities: 1) With us were working in the shops, the conditions were bad. The long hours and the little pay we got were not enough to give us a decent living. We were forced to quit school on account of our father and mother not being able to support us. 2) We found that in the shops we had to work under the same bad conditions as the adult workers, such as long hours and little pay. Most of us, because we were young were doubly exploited, in order to make up a bigger profit for the boss. 3) YOU'RE AND ADULT. We realize that we must organize ourselves with the adults in order that the conditions of all our

WORKERS UNITED FRONT AGAINST BOSSES UNITED FRONT



STRIKING DRESS WORKERS WRITE TO 'YOUNG WORKER'

YOUNG STRIKER LIKES THE NTWU

NEW YORK.—The United Front Committee and the Needle Trades Industrial Union seems to be satisfactory to all our comrades because we now hear the more we learn. We try to make others understand what it is to unite and get together to fight for our rights and to show our bosses that we are not afraid of them and to show them we have no fear for his low wages until he feels like telling us to stop late in the evening. We want more money and less hours of work. We want more respect from our bosses. We don't want the boss to call us all the names he feels like calling us. Comrades, why don't we make the boss understand that unless they settle down with better conditions, the workers will not produce any more goods for us. We belong to the union, if they close it!

A Young Dress Worker. DANCE IN DETROIT. DETROIT, Mich.—The first concert and dance given by the Young Workers Union will be held Saturday, February 20, at 7 p.m., at 570 Grandy corner, 25 cents and children 5 cents at the door.

N. Y. Dress Striker In Interest of All the Nationalities. NEW YORK.—Ditto your ranks and fight your bosses for better conditions and for the bettering of your standard of living. It is in the interests of all young workers Negro and white of all nationalities that we are striking. It is the only way for young workers to win better conditions.

Long live the unity of young and adult. Long live the unity between the Negro and white workers!

Protest Murder of Simms at Coliseum, Wednesday at 7 P. M.

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JAPANESE BOSSES EXTEND BUTCHERY OF CHINA MASSES

KENTUCKY MINERS RESIST MURDEROUS TERROR REIGN

Fight Drive on Young Communist League and Communist Party

Relief Essential for Strikers

PINEVILLE, Ky.—The bloodiest reign of terror ever directed at any section of the working class is now being let loose upon the heroic striking Kentucky miners.

Backing up the rule of gun thugs and gangsters, by whom Harry Simms was murdered two weeks ago, the "best people" of Knoxville, Tennessee, have organized a fascist group called the "Christian Patriotic League" to "resist Communism."

The Knoxville Journal is giving its pages over to the most lying form of scurrilous attacks upon the Communist Party, Young Communist League and the National Miners Union.

The organization is being led by leading capitalists and politicians in the State of Tennessee and Kentucky.

Despite this terror, the young miners of Kentucky are rapidly waking up to the fact that their struggle against the coal bosses is part of the struggle of the entire working class against the capitalist system and that their duty is to

Extend Dress Strike in New York. Workers Fight Right Wing Sell-Out.

NEW YORK.—The strike of the needle trade workers in New York is going along strong with many workers every day coming out under the leadership of the United Front Dress Strikers Committee.

Preparations for the strike are being made in the coal fields of West Virginia. The National Executive Committee of the Young Communist League and the Communist Party are working for the purpose of handling the workers' fight hand and foot to the dress looms.

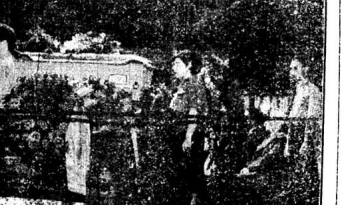
Conflicting stories in the capitalist press paper "The Day" and the "socialist" paper "Forward" give sufficient evidence that the main aim of Scheinman and his different reports as to the settlement and adjustment of the strike are mainly to negotiate with workers and to break their solidarity.

The young workers in particular should be on the lookout for the betrayal of Scheinman and his right wing outfit. They must not

Important Notice!

All young workers employed in war industries on the docks and in other places connected immediately with the Young Worker at 25 East 12th Street, New York City, concerning any real activity or special orders on which they are working.

New York Masses Honor Harry Simms



Harry Simms, slain at the hands of the capitalist and reactionary forces, is honored by the masses of New York City.

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Last Revolutionary Respects Paid to Harry Simms by Thousands

Murder of Harry Simms Accepted As Challenge to Carry on Fight Against Hunger, Terror and Boss War

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ARE SUPPORTED BY WALL STREET IMPERIALISTS

White Guard Troops Aided in Their Provoctions on Soviet Union

Soviet Commissar Sends Warning

1,000 young and old workers demonstrated in Manhattan before the city hall on February 26 against the imperialist robber war on the Chinese. They were led by the Chinese Workers and for the defense of the Soviet Union; and demonstrated the expulsion of the Japanese diplomatic representatives of the United States, together with the withdrawal of U. S. troops and the withdrawal of U. S. troops and the withdrawal of U. S. troops and the withdrawal of U. S. troops.

NEW YORK.—The bloody robber war of Japanese imperialism against the Chinese masses, now being waged with unbridled ferocity on the part of the Chinese workers and peasants, has been forced to intensify.

This iron resistance is to be encouraged by the fact that the Chinese masses have organized almost for every Chinese people and act like

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N. Beach Unemployed Council Member

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IRENE HOLLINS, 22, JOINS YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE

Is Wife of Jess Hollins Framed Negro Sharecropper Supports Struggle of Y. C. L. and Int'l Labor Defense for Husband's Life

OKLAHOMA CITY.—Irene Hollins, 22 year old wife of Jess Hollins, young Negro sharecropper, sentenced to the electric chair on a trumped up charge of rape, signalled her support and participation in the militant struggle being carried on by the Young Communist League and the International Labor (Defense for the safe release of her husband, by joining the Young Communist League in Oklahoma City.

Buffalo Young Workers Parade Against War

BUFFALO, N. Y.—An Anti-War youth parade is planned by the Young Communist League in Buffalo for this afternoon at 4:30 p. m. The parade will take place through the Ellcott district, a proletarian section. The parade will take place through the Ellcott district, a proletarian section.

WALL STREET IMPERIALISTS AND JAPANESE SLAUGHTER OF CHINESE

Japan's Japanese imperialists, and American imperialism, are carrying their reign of butchery and slaughter of thousands of Chinese workers and peasants are being slaughtered and left.

Correction

In the November 22, 1931, issue of the Young Worker, an error was published on item on the arrest of five members of the Independent Workers and Boatmen's Union on charges of a "beach" job, and reference was made that one of these arrested workers, is a stool pigeon.

Cuban Youth Protest Scottsboro Frameup

Jap "Socialists" In Support of Robber War In China

The above is what was left after the members of the Young Communist League of Cuba got through telling the American ambassador in Cuba what they thought of the attempted lynching of the Scottsboro Negroes.

Imperialist Butchery Fails to Cow Youth in Colonies

GUATEMALA.—Even workers in Guatemala, a colony of Yankee imperialism, were executed by the United States. The Consolidated Fruit Company because they were during war materials by the tons.

ANTI-WAR MASS MEET IN AKRON ON MARCH 4TH

AKRON, O.—An Anti-War mass meeting will be held at Zigler Hall, corner Volta and Miami Sts., on Friday, March 4, at 7:30 p. m.

CHL FLOPHOUSE YOUTH SCORE

CHICAGO, Ill. By newly-unemployed workers staying at the flophouse in 1427 South Dearborn Ave. here, through their persistent and energetic demands under the leadership of the Communist League of America, they have gained an important victory.

Chicago Youth Groups Win Victories for Jobless

FORCE FREE MEDICAL AID FROM CITY DOCTOR Dwyer St. Block Committee Youth Group Gets Free Use of Pool, Showers

DETROIT, Mich.—Two important victories were won by the Youth Groups of Hamtramck, Brooding in the struggle to get free medical attention, welfare aid and coal for Nick Wyzanski, a 47-year-old unemployed worker. This was brought about through the leadership of the Youth Group of the Block Committee on Dwyer St. to the city officials.

Minnesota Takes Up the Glove! Watch Out New York and Philly!

The District Bureau of District 9, after discussing the challenge received from the Philadelphia District in connection with the Recruiting Drive, has decided to accept the challenge with the following change:

Recruit Youth Through Struggle

"DOUBLE THE MEMBERSHIP" is the slogan of the Y.C.L. in its Recruiting Drive for the building of a mass league on the basis of concrete work in shops and among the unemployed youth.

Durable Tool, Die Strikers, Out Solid

NEW YORK.—The workers of Durable Tool and Die Co. 75 per cent of whom are young, in the fifth week of their lockout, a lockout, are organized 100 per cent in the Metal Workers Industrial League.

Y. C. L. Recruiting Drive

All other points are accepted as put by District 2. In the spirit of revolutionary competition we answer the challenge of District 3 with a pledge to mobilize our entire membership for the Recruiting Drive, and are confident that we will beat both New York and Philadelphia Districts in revolutionary competition.

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RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO THE YOUNG WORKER

Advertisement for 'You Can't Run On An Empty Stomach' featuring illustrations of a man eating and a woman holding a menu, with various slogans and prices listed.

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ISSUE CALL TO SUPPORT COUNTER OLYMPICS

NATIONAL COUNTER OLYMPIC COMMITTEE ASKS BOYCOTT OF LOS ANGELES MEET

Boss Olympics Held In State Which Keeps Tom Mooney In Jail On Calloous Framup Charge

NEW YORK.—The National Counter Olympic Committee, of which Tom Mooney is honorary chairman has issued a call to all amateur athletic, labor, farmer, student, cultural and social organizations calling for a boycott of the Los Angeles Olympics and for support of the Counter-Olympic Campaign.

The call covering four closely printed pages exposes the so-called "brotherly" Olympic games as a meet of "stars, generally hand picked with unsavory 'amateur' reputations." By no stretch of the imagination can it be considered that the masses of sport loving youth, of those who labor or who pound the streets looking for work, have had a chance to try out for the Olympics.

John Kieran is quoted from the New York "Times" of August 1928 as saying: "With as the Olympics is largely a college matter. The explanation is of course, that our colleges have the athletic facilities and the trained coaches at hand. Students have time to take advantage of the training and develop themselves as track or field men. Working boys frequently have the club but rarely have the facilities."

Olympics a Racket. W. O. Geddes writing in the New York "Herald Tribune" on July 1, 1929, states:

"It is not a pretty picture of young athletes subsisting from the Olympic games, which are undoubtedly as the height of idealism and all that sort of thing. The decks of the ship bringing back the Olympic heroes are piled as a money changing place, where any larcenous tendencies that might be in young athletes are accentuated... they are looking for undercover money, petty larceny as it were. There is no money to speak of in openly professional track and field athletes, but there is in amateur competition."

one promoter who paid a high percentage of his gate receipts to the favorite athlete who will perform under a sanction from the A.A.U. Working Youth Will Not Participate. From the above it is crystal clear that just a few semi-professional "genius-account" amateurs

Chicago, Cleveland, New York to Stage Tom Mooney Runs

Street Races Prepare Huge International Workers Athletic Meet In Chicago

CHICAGO.—Scores of athletes bearing "Free Tom Mooney" placards will be seen running through the streets of Chicago on Sunday, February 27, the date set for the "Free Tom Mooney" street runs in the windy city.

Cleveland will witness the Tom Mooney street runs on a very same day and, as in Chicago, a demonstration will precede the run. Placards, posters and cartoons have been published by the John Reed Club for the occasion, while trucks following the runners along the South Side of Chicago, the route of the race, will carry signs demanding the release of Tom Mooney, the boycotting of the

Lookin' At 'Em

(Looking At 'Em was omitted from the last issue due to lack of space).

All the sport scribes in the country are still pecking away with chided tongues at the frozen dogs over at Lake Placid, the site of the late winter Olympics.

While the ambitious paragraphers are having a good time with some of Webster's choicest in their painful efforts to razz the current games, the "ordinary" sport reviews are riddled with glamorous and detailed happenings at the resort of the tired society elite.

It has long been their practice to mislead the masses of sport readers so why not now, especially when the present international squawking concerning the American method of running faces afford the scribes a broad stage upon which to conduct their little skills.

Razzing has an electric effect. Everybody joins in.



particularly when a columnist has a lot of space to fill feebly or otherwise and the workers have become accustomed to their cheer leader.

So when the foreign contingents at Lake Placid objected to the running of the 10,000 meter skating event which saw four men disqualified for roughing and stalling the racing began, contrary to all that was said, preached and oath taken prior to the start of the games. The result is two fold. The young workers who read their favorite columnist are diverted from their more vital struggle of fighting for unemployment relief, against wage cuts and the impending war danger. The jingoistic and apparently innocent jibes directed at the "17 different languages" by these hacks serve to foment the growing rift between the capitalist powers as well as to divide the masses of workers by their creation of a false national spirit.

A sample of the humor manufactured by boss sport writers is here appended gleaned from Jo Williams' column of Feb. 27. Concerning the winter Olympics he says: "Still these games are better than a war in Manchuria—and practically the next best thing."

We feel no comment is necessary, other than that our young workers need expose no solution to any problem from the boss hirelings. It is their way of keeping the masses of young workers in the dark, away from the true light of workers' sports organizations which organize the workers and set up sport apparatus for the benefit of the workers solely and controlled only by the workers.

Enter the "Free Tom Mooney" Street Runs!

The following self-explanatory letter was received by this column just before we went to press:

Comrade P. H. W.: In your column, which appeared in the Young Worker, issue of February 8, you state in your column:

"The important thing is that the Y.C.C. expects to round up a good baseball team and heily intends to send a large delegation of athletes to the International Workers Athletic Meet at Chicago to compete in the various events. Keep it up, Progressive Youth!"

All challenges and communications should be addressed to: Murray Neider, 228 Brambleton Ave Norfolk, Va.

YCL Training School Organized in Cleve.

CLEVELAND, O. by mail.—A full time two-week training school, the first class of which will be opened on February 27, to continue through March 5, has been organized by the Young Communist League and its preparatory activities. But the National Provisional Counter-Olympic Committee, which is to hold the games, is a united front of all organizations of workers, students and athletes, regardless of nationality, race or political affiliation, which endorse the program (previously published on this page) of the Counter-Olympic Committee.

Comradely, EDWIN ROJFEE, National Provisional Counter-Olympic Committee.

Lookin' At 'Em is glad to print this correction of a very serious error. P. H. W.

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3 YOUTH AMONG 4 MASSACRED BY FORD-MURPHY MURDERERS

Joe York, 19, Detroit Y.C.L. District Organizer and George Bussell, 16, Y.C.L. Member Killed in Slaughter

Blue Coated Assassins Try to Wh'tewash Themselves by Threatening Murder Charges Against Jobless Leaders

DETROIT, Mich., March 7th. — Meeting 5000 Ford hunger marchers led by the Unemployed Council of Detroit with a withering rain of machine gun and revolver bullets, the police of Henry Ford and Mayor Murphy turned the grounds of the Ford River Rouge Plant into a bloody shambles with 4 workers, 3 young, slaughtered, 23 workers seriously wounded and scores more badly injured.

The murdered workers are Joe York, 19, District Organizer of the Young Communist League and member of the National Executive Committee of the Young Communist League; Colman Leny, 23, Ford worker; Joe Debruske, 30, Daily Worker newboy and George Bussell, 16, member of the Young Communist League.

The River Rouge massacre is being followed by a reign of terror as the biggest display of armed force that Detroit has ever seen was thrown around the Ford plant and surrounding territory. The First Battalion, 124th

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Escaped Death in River Rouge Massacre

This worker barely escaped death as a bullet from the Ford-Murphy machine guns pierced his hat in the massacre of the Ford Hunger Marchers Monday.



A Call to Action!

Joe York and Three Other Detroit Youth Were Murdered in the Ford Hunger March! They Asked for Bread and Got Bullets! This Terror is Part of the Bosses' War Preparations!

They Are Trying to Drive You Into Submission Now Because in War They Need Obedient Soldiers to Defend Their Profits!

Now is the Time to Act! Don't Let the Murder of York and Simms Remain Unanswered! — Out on the Streets! Organize and Demonstrate Against Hunger, Terror and Bosses' War!

The boss class did not wait for the blood of Marie Harry Simms to dry on their clammy hands before they moved down Joe York, and

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Joe York, Murdered Youth Leader

Youth Action in Scores of Cities Protest Robber War on China Masses

Philly Cops Try to Smash Demonstration In Front of Japanese Consulate on Chestnut Street

Bulletin.—A mass demonstration called by the Young Communist League and Communist Party of New York to protest the bloody robber war carried on by Japanese imperialism in China will be held Saturday before the Japanese consulate at Whitehall St. and South St.

NEW YORK.—The robber war of Japanese imperialism against the Chinese masses, its increasing attempts under the leadership of the capitalists of the United States and France to convert that war into a war against the Soviet Union, its meeting with the most determined mass protest of the young workers in America.

Following the militant demonstration against imperialism war in the city of Detroit, hundreds of young workers

called to the call of the Communist Party and Young Communist League in Philadelphia and demonstrated last Saturday before the Japanese Consulate at Chestnut St.

Police Attack Meet. The police following the policy of the American government support of Japanese imperialism, attacked the demonstration, clubbed a number of workers and arrested several others. In spite of the police attack, the meeting lasted for over 45 minutes.

More Demonstrations. This demonstration is but one of a series of demonstrations called throughout the country. In Detroit a number of mass meetings protesting the war have been arranged. On Thursday, March 16, a meeting will be held in the Carstens School at 2592 Coplin under the auspices of the Young Communist League. This meeting comes on the heels of two successful meetings held last week at the Davison school and the Hotchkiss school, both called

by the Young Communist League. In the same city, another meeting is scheduled for March 19 at the Brewster Center and on March 26 at Yonkers Hall in Hamtramck. An anti-war conference will be held on April 6 at the Finnish Hall. This is the anniversary of the declaration of war by the United States and will be the answer of the young workers and students in Detroit to the war plans of the American bosses. In New York, an outdoor march

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JOE CHANDLER ARRESTED, YOUTH ORGANIZER IN KY.

Faces 20 Year Criminal Syndicalism Jail Term

House Raided Night Before Scheduled Miners Youth Conference

PINEVILLE, Ky.—The murder of Harry Simms by the Kentucky coal operators' gun thugs is being followed up by a renewed drive of terror against the miners and the organizers of the National Miners' Union.

Sunday, Joe Chandler, National Youth Organizer of the National Miners Union was arrested together with Allen Johnson, correspondent for the Daily Worker, and Jim Roberts, striking miner. The arrests came after the police broke in and raided the home of Roberts at which Chandler and Johnson were staying. They are all charged with criminal syndicalism and face twenty year terms in jail.

The raid before the scheduled sectional youth conference to have been held at Middletown. At this conference various questions concerning the further organization and activation of the young miners in the strike were to have been taken up.

Scheduled to Report
Chandler, representing the National Youth Department of the National Miners Union was to have delivered the main report. As we go to press, no report has been received informing us of the results of the conference.

The increase in force following the shooting of Harry Simms makes more necessary than ever the need for relief to the Kentucky miners. Young workers all over the country are urged to send money to the strike fund which are desperately in need of immediate aid.

Replier Chandler and Simms
The murder of Simms and the arrest of Chandler show that the bosses will realize the important role that the young workers play in the struggle against starvation and hunger. This attack must be answered by a tremendously rapid

Trial of Roy Wright After Decision on Other 8 Boys

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—George Chamblee, attorney for the International Labor Defense in the Scottsboro case, was informed that Roy Wright, the youngest of the nine Negro boys framed on trumped up charges of rape against two white girl babies will be tried as soon as the Alabama Supreme Court renders its verdict on legal technicalities of the other eight boys.

No decision has yet been given by the Supreme Court Justice on the appeal argued by Chamblee, J. Brodsky and Irving Schwab, of the International Labor Defense. Roy Wright was 13 in August 1931 when the "violent" prosec-

April Issue Labor Defender on Youth

The April issue of the Labor Defender will be a Youth issue. It will contain the strongest analysis and struggles of those young workers that have recently been killed in the field of their struggle, those that are still in jail because of their fight against war, hunger, misery and terror. All Y.C.L. units and youth organizations are to get in touch immediately with the local Y. C. L. organizers to arrange the ordering of extra bundles of the Labor Defender for their own use and distribution before all factories, and organizations.

"For money in its own country."—L. B. JOHNSON.

Millions Starve—It Isn't News. One Is Kidnaped—It Is!



USE LINDBERGH BABY KIDNAPING TO DIVERT MASS FROM STRUGGLE

Tremendous Publicity Campaign On Story for Purpose of Screening Mass Misery

NEW YORK.—The kidnaping of the Lindbergh baby was the signal for one of the most tremendous publicity campaigns ever staged by the capitalist press organs of this country.

The hypocrisy of the whole campaign can be seen in the fact that it is the same capitalists who are linked hand and glove with the criminal gangsters of the country who are loudest in their protests against crime. The same capitalists who doom millions of children to child labor, to back breaking toil, to starvation, to a life of misery and suffering are the ones who now appear to be soiling this immense hunt to believe in the interests of the Lindbergh baby.

Decree Masses
It is very clear that the immense publicity given to the case

PROTEST TREATMENT OF CLASS PRISONERS BY CHICAGO JAILERS

CHICAGO.—A mass meeting to protest the treatment of class war prisoners in the city prison and to demand the immediate release of the nine Scottsboro boys has been called for March 15 by the Chicago 14 Youth Branch of the International Labor Defense. The meeting will be held at 4096 W. Roosevelt Rd., at 8 p.m.

The protest is the direct result of the mistreatment of Carl Mosyer, a young worker arrested while demonstrating for relief in front of one of the fake relief agencies established by the bosses at 45th and Prairie Ave.

Mosyer was arrested October 7 and fined \$200 and costs. When he refused to pay his fine, he was sent to the Bridwell work farm. Food, bed, air, and lack of the decencies of life were no match for young Mosyer who became extremely sick. Given after his illness he showed his class spirit by refusing to have his hands painted the walls of the prison Embassy with "Free Scottsboro Boys" signs.

The International Labor Defense has appointed a committee to be held Saturday and placed him in a hospital. Mass meetings are being planned throughout the city to protest against this new frame up.

Brown was given the third degree in jail, starved for nearly two

FIFTY-ONE DELEGATES OUTLINE COMING WORK

Paul Carter Elected Youth Organizer, Edith Briscoe Gives Report

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio (By Mail)—Fifty-one delegates representative of many shops in this district, outlined plans for immediate work at the youth conference of the Metal Workers' Industrial League held here last Sunday. It was the first youth conference of the

The conference was opened in Dennis Shambles, district organizer of the Metal Workers Industrial League. Paul Carter, labor elected youth organizer, was chairman of the conference. Edith Briscoe outlined the tasks confronting young metal workers and their benefits under conditions in the industry.

Her report was taken up and elaborated in detail as delegates called for concrete demands for their own plants. Wages in many of the shops, it was pointed out, have fallen from \$12 to \$20 per week to scarcely more than \$5. In many of the factories all the married workers have been fired and replaced by young workers whose wages are more drastically cut than those of the adult workers. Layoffs, a vicious speed-up, and

continued workers' revolt throughout the industry.

Several young speakers in the name of the Young Communist League, pointed out that the success of the efforts throughout the industry is a part of the preparation for a new international world revolution, and part of a new organization against the Soviet Union.

Resolutions made at the conference were the following: The District Youth Committee, with Paul Carter at the head, for the arrangement of a youth conference in Cleveland calling upon all young workers to join and participate in the struggle of the Metal Workers Industrial League.

The recruiting drive will be fulfilled one hundred per cent only if every unit of the Young Communist League gets into the drive with all its heart and soul. What we want to hear is how many units have issued challenges to other units. Here is one that sounds like it meant business. Are there any more? Let's have 'em!

To the Executive Committee and Membership of the Downtown No. 2 and Downtown No. 3 Units of the Y. C. L.
Dear Comrades:
During the period of the Y. C. L. recruiting drive to end April 22nd the East Side Unit proposes to do the following:

1. To double our membership.
2. Fifty per cent of those recruited to be from our block of concentration due to struggles we will lead for relief on the block.
3. To recruit as many Negro workers into the Y.C.L. as the Downtown No. 2 and Downtown No. 3 units both together.
4. To organize a new unit near our block of concentration to be composed of young workers who live three blocks of the headquarters.
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7. To place the Liberator on one stand.
8. To develop a block bulletin as a supplement to the Young Worker.

YOUNG WORKER FILED BY DETROIT V. C. L. AS CANDIDATE FOR CLERK

DETROIT, Mich.—The Young Communist League has filed the Gene Mack as candidate for clerk in the coming Hamtramck city election.

A call program of demands for membership; young workers has been worked out and it is on this platform of struggle for unemployment insurance and immediate relief that Gene Mack and the Young Communist League come before the workers of Hamtramck for support in the coming election. The demands are:

"We demand immediately for all unemployed young workers: The opening of buildings and empty houses suitable for lodging and feeding quarters for the single unemployed young workers, to be administered by a committee of unemployed workers, under the guidance of the Unemployment Council, with all expenses to be held by the city administration.

"We demand that the unemployed young workers be given to young workers by the Welfare Department (not least pay as much as the unemployed workers) and that we have a minimum of \$20 per week.

Y.C.L. Conference Held in Youngstown, Ohio

Troops of 13th Route Army Battling Japanese Imperialists



Scene of bitter fighting between Chinese and Japanese soldiers. Above photo shows the heroic stand of China's 13th Route Army against the robber Japanese invaders who have been butchering thousands of Chinese workers and peasants in their bloody war on the Chinese masses.

'Y. C. L. Recruiting Drive

Another Challenge from One Unit to Another! More! More!

The recruiting drive will be fulfilled one hundred per cent only if every unit of the Young Communist League gets into the drive with all its heart and soul. What we want to hear is how many units have issued challenges to other units. Here is one that sounds like it meant business. Are there any more? Let's have 'em!

To the Executive Committee and Membership of the Downtown No. 2 and Downtown No. 3 Units of the Y. C. L.
Dear Comrades:
During the period of the Y. C. L. recruiting drive to end April 22nd the East Side Unit proposes to do the following:

1. To double our membership.
2. Fifty per cent of those recruited to be from our block of concentration due to struggles we will lead for relief on the block.
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That a minimum of four clubs take bundles of the Young Worker. In the spirit of revolutionary competition we challenge you to do likewise or better.

Comradely yours,
Executive Committee, East Side Unit, Young Communist League.

There Are Young Marine Workers in Hoboken, Aren't There?

The following challenge sounds all right but why don't the comrades tell us about some of the concrete issues they speak of? We want to know also. How about it Raymont?

"Dear comrade:
The Haystone unit has issued a challenge to the Hoboken unit for the recruiting of new members into the Young Communist League. The terms are as follows:

1. Doubling of membership by April 22.
2. Twenty-five per cent of recruits to

be Negroes.
3. Recruiting of members from shops.
The Haystone Unit has concrete issues to work on to aid the Recruiting Drive.
Comradely,
—M. B.

Seattle Accepts Portland's Challenge

On February 14 the Young Communist League held a conference in Seattle, Wash. It was held in line with the national campaign to build up the Y. C. L. in order to rectify the past mistakes and shortcomings were analyzed, suggestions and plans were made on how to build and make the Young Communist League a mass organization, the vanguard of the toiling youth.

The conference adopted a "Two Month Plan of Action" for a more planned and organized method of recruiting young workers in the League. The plan calls for two hundred new members, six section committees, five shop nuclei and ten Young Flower troops. Portland challenged Seattle first by the end of the plan, Portland will have as many members as Seattle. The district conference also accepted Seattle's challenge.

—S. K.

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Imperialist War Will Not Bring Back Prosperity

THE crisis has continued now for almost two and a half years. Most of the working youth have been completely unemployed during that entire period. Those that worked before the crash in 1929—in spite of the tremendous unemployment that existed even then—have been out of work so long that they have almost forgotten what it means to have a job. They have reached the point where the horrors of starvation and unemployment make them think that anything will be better than to continue as they are—hungering, freezing and dying.

The capitalist class is taking advantage of this condition in order to whip up a war sentiment among the working youth. They are spreading the lie that war means employment, means the end of the crisis, means the return of "prosperity."

This is one of the most dangerous illusions that the working youth have to fight against. WAR WILL UNDER NO CONDITIONS SOLVE THE CRISIS FOR THE WORKING YOUTH. War is only a capitalist way out of the crisis. For the working youth war means still greater horror, misery and starvation.

The Japanese capitalists are now at war against the Chinese masses in preparation for war together with the other capitalist countries against the workers' fatherland, the Soviet Union. Yet starvation is greater in Japan than ever before. There are 2,000,000 unemployed in Japan. In addition wages are being cut every day. The most terrific terror against all working class organizations is in force.

War means the same for the American working youth. It means not only tremendous suffering in the form that we know it now but killing, maiming, mangling, slaughtering of workers for the sake of the profits of the bosses. A glance at the casualty list for the world war will give an indication of what capitalist war means for the working "th."

The total killed in the World War, excluding those who died of wounds, was 8,538,315. This total would show 21,219,452. This does not take into account those who died or were diseased as a result of the pestilence that developed out of the war.

After the war, the soldiers returned to a capitalist world of still greater unemployment and mass misery. Negro soldiers, who fought for "democracy" returned to "democratic" America and were lynched while still wearing their uniforms. Now, fourteen years after the last robber war of the imperialist countries, with famished millions walking the streets jobless, racked with the pangs of hunger, with the spectre of death by starvation stalking the land and condemning countless families to a living death, the bosses are once again raising the bait of "a war to cure the crisis" before the eyes of the working youth.

This is the most gigantic swindle and cold blooded lying propaganda that even the expert capitalist liars are capable of. There is only one country where the workers solved the crisis of capitalism by war and that is in the Soviet Union. THEIR WAR WAS A CIVIL WAR OF THE WORKERS AGAINST THE CAPITALISTS.

The working youth must learn that lesson. Only by a revolutionary struggle against the capitalist system will all crises and capitalist wars be solved. Organize and strike against wage cuts! Demand Unemployment Insurance! Build the revolutionary unions! Join the Young Communist League! Defend the Soviet Union against the attacks of the bosses! Struggle against the whole system of crisis and war—against the capitalist system, the dealer in hunger and misery and death!

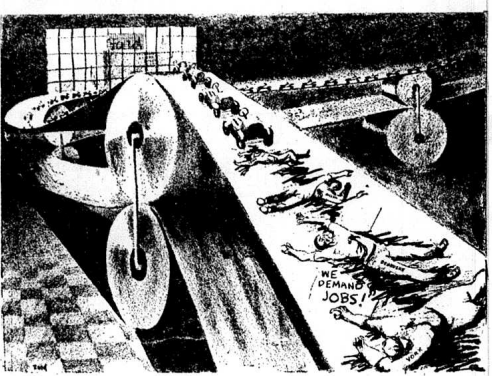
Sport Training Used By Bosses for War

The imperialist war and the war against the Soviet Union, which was of great magnitude and still needs mass forces for further, the real armies are doubled by very large numbers of the so-called organized in various well organized societies of a fascist character. The object of these organizations, of which it is worth recalling the approximate numbers:

- Germany, 600,000.
 - The following are the figures for the Eastern countries, directed by the Soviet Union:
 - Poland, 1,000,000.
 - Romania, 200,000.
 - Yugoslavia, 150,000.
 - Finland, 50,000.
 - Latvia, 20,000.
- See 1,232,000 men and youth, whereas in 1925 there were only 220,000.

—From report of Mar. 22, 1934 at 14th Street Branch of Executive Committee of Communist International.

"BODIES BY FORD"



Youth Work in Steel Mills

In the present campaign to organize the steel workers for immediate struggle against wage cuts and the building of a powerful union in the steel industry, it is necessary to unite all sections of the workers in the mills for united struggle. Drawing young steel workers into the union now becomes an urgent and immediate problem for the entire membership of our union.

In the past there was and still is a definite underestimation of the role of the youth in the struggle against the steel industry, because the youth of the steel industry is an expression of lack of faith in the militancy of the adult workers. As a result this phase of work is often entirely neglected, or left to a few young comrades. It was never a problem of the union as a whole.

Results of Wrong Tactics
This underestimation of the role of the youth in the struggle was clearly seen during the big Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia miners' strike, led by the National Miners' Union. Why did the young miners lead the youth work movement in many sections of the strike? Was it because they are professional strike-breakers because they are inexperienced in struggle? Of course not. It was because we failed to work out special youth demands for

WE WILL NOT FORGET SIMMS!

May First, 1886, saw the Haymarket Massacre of our fellow workers, who at that time were carrying on a militant struggle for the workers' union in New Bedford. The master class murdered five of the best fighters: Parsons, English, Spies, Fischer and Lige. Today May First has become a day when the entire working class of the world gathers its forces and demonstrates against starvation and capitalist rule.

In Spain, Comrade Ferreris, in the 1900's, was butchered by the master class through the Jewish, because of his militant defense of the working class. Today the workers are reviving his death. In Tsarist Russia, hundreds of young workers were sent to Siberia to their death. Today the Soviet working class is enjoying and realizing the fruits of the revolutionary war and wide. Forward to a mass Young Communist League, with the building of the National Miners' Union, with the building of the National Textile Workers Union—the National Textile Workers Union.

By Bard

JOE YORK, 19-year-old Detroit Organizer of the Young Communist League, is dead. He was cold-bloodedly shot by Henry Ford's gunmen, while acting as a leader in the Ford Hunger March Monday. This is the same Henry Ford who has been acclaimed as the "Saviour of the American People" for his "Fordism."

Comrade York was born in a mining town in Ohio, the son of a miner, today a member of the National Miners' Union. He went to work in the mines when he was 15. After the 1928 strike, he left for Detroit, the "city of prosperity," to work in auto shops there, and take responsibility, as the oldest of 5 children, to support the family back home, which was blacklisted and starving.

For two years he worked in the auto plants. In March 1930, after the March 6th demonstration, he joined the Young Communist League. In May of that year, the Y.C.L. decided to break the terror in Hamtramck, a city controlled by the General Motors Corp. A street meeting was held which was brutally smashed by the police. Comrade York was beaten up and jailed for putting up a militant fight to defend the people.

When the Flint strike broke out in Flint, Michigan, though a new member in the Young Communist League, York went to Flint in spite of the terror. The same night that he arrived he was arrested and spent some time in jail. During the next year he was very active in the Y.C.L.

At the Sixth Convention of the Y.C.L. (July, 1931) he was elected to the National Executive Committee of the League. In August, 1931 he was elected as District Organizer of the Detroit League. In this winter's fight for bread in Detroit, York took a leading part. In the unemployed protest demonstration, he was arrested together with other leading comrades of the Y.C.L. in the city.

A young auto worker himself, he took his place in the front ranks of the Ford Auto workers who marched on the plant to demand relief from the millionaire Ford who got rich on the toil of the sweat of 32 year old boys in his Trade School. For this act, York was murdered.

STUDENT CORNER

This week we will deal with the question of HOW to best the classes that were outlined in last week's Student Corner. Every comrade leading a youth meeting must have a clear and definite purpose of the educational work of the Young Communist League for knowing that purpose is easier to see which method is best in achieving the goals of this field of work.

Our study classes are only one phase of the educational work of the League. The principles we apply in this phase are the same as in all the other fields. Comrade Lenin said: "Without revolutionary theory a revolutionary movement is impossible." This is our guiding principle in all our educational work of the League. Theoretical work gives this daily work the struggle against the bosses, its direction.

The purpose of our educational work is to give to every League member an understanding of this life in and out of the work. Our struggle, which is to change the world into a new society. The theory of the working class is Marxism and Leninism, in bringing this theory to the members, we must train them to live in and out of the work. Only if we arm every Y.C.L. with this understanding of the fundamentals of our theory, then we are able to mobilize the WHOLE membership for active work.

We are dealing with a new membership, therefore we cannot be as strict as we were with every member of that there is a living connection between this class and the practical work of the workers far and wide. Forward to a mass Young Communist League, with the building of the National Miners' Union, with the building of the National Textile Workers Union—the National Textile Workers Union.

On to victory, fellow class members, are with you! The manner of struggle Harry once raised over his head must be carried by the practical work of the workers far and wide. Forward to a mass Young Communist League, with the building of the National Miners' Union, with the building of the National Textile Workers Union—the National Textile Workers Union.

HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE

With the establishment of the Communist International, the main fight in the Soviet Party program to enter into international affiliation. A referendum was initiated by the Soviet Party, and the left wing calling for affiliation to the Communist International and for support to the Bolshevik revolution, as well as for the creation of a Communist Party in the United States.

The revolutionary youth, which in many cities had witnessed the destruction of the youth organizations, and the disappearance of a central leadership, put their greatest energy into winning the majority of the Socialist Party members, at that time consisting of large numbers of workers, many of whom had joined the party under the influence of the Communist International, for adherence to the Communist revolution.



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Something Attempted

Ruth descended the stair, her heart so heavy she could hardly bear it. She was sitting hunched over a desk, her head buried in her hands. The light from the window cast a shadow on her face, highlighting the lines of worry and pain. She had been thinking about the man who had left her, about the future, about the uncertainty of life. The door opened and she looked up, her eyes meeting those of a young man who had just entered the room.

By LEONARD SPIER (Continued)
It was about four-thirty, her clocking time for home. She had two more concerns to try, but fortunately they were both in the same vicinity. She had to go to the bank, and continued slipping on the black shabby pavement, made her all the more aware of the fact that she was in a desperate fix, she kept asking herself.

She walked but without a goal. Her feet were heavy, crowded on the pavement. She had been thinking about the man who had left her, about the future, about the uncertainty of life. The door opened and she looked up, her eyes meeting those of a young man who had just entered the room. She had been thinking about the man who had left her, about the future, about the uncertainty of life. The door opened and she looked up, her eyes meeting those of a young man who had just entered the room.

SOVIET YOUTH IN RED ARMY

YOUNG TAMPA

CIGAR WORKER

WORKS, STARVES

Pay Cut from \$22 to \$7 in Three Year

TAMPA, Fla.—A clear marker and for Cacia Bros. cigar factory I go to work every day at 7:30 am and finish at 5:30 pm. My work is hard and I get no pay. I am 25 years old and I don't get any pay. I am 25 years old and I don't get any pay. I am 25 years old and I don't get any pay.

A CALL TO ACTION TO EVERY YOUNG WORKER, FARMER, STUDENT

For every Detroit young worker. This is a call to action to let these bloody deeds remain un-answered by the American working class youth, for when these young leaders and militant workers. This is a call to action to every young worker, farmer and student, organized and unorganized. The Young Communist League calls on you to unite with it in a mass campaign against terror, hunger and bosses' war.

Bring this campaign into your shop, your school, your block, and your class. Call a meeting of your organization or of your friends at once! Decide to hold a parade, a demonstration, a protest meeting against this terror, hunger and war. Hold it this week and every week after. Decide on your line of march (through a working class neighborhood). Make a shop district, especially in Ford's works. Assign speakers. They must be natives. Prepare resolutions and have them passed at the meetings in which the march will end. Send these to William Murphy, Ford, Governor of Kentucky, etc. Hold signs. You don't need articles. Let everybody know through signs you are demonstrating and marching against terror, hunger, and bosses' war.

Organize the young workers in your shop. Let every Ford shop have a shop group of young workers in it. Hold of the Young Communist League Young Communist League Young Communist League. Organize the young workers in your shop. Let every Ford shop have a shop group of young workers in it.

BOLD FIRST TRADE UNION YOUTH WORK CONFERENCE IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK.—The first follow-up of the Trade Union Youth Council on its decision in the recruiting drive was the first youth conference held on Saturday, March 11.

The total attendance was 50 delegates, representing 12 unions and 100 young workers. The conference was held in the headquarters of the Trade Union Youth Council, 125 West 45th Street. The conference was held in the headquarters of the Trade Union Youth Council, 125 West 45th Street.

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Infantry of the Michigan National Guard, troops from Fort Wayne, officers of all State Police posts in southern Michigan have been mobilized and stationed around the Ford factory. In addition all National Guard companies in Detroit have been instructed to hold their posts in readiness for instant mobilization.

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Tells of Right-Wing Dressmaker Union Racket

NEW YORK.—I am a new member of the union. I did not know anything about the union before I joined. I didn't want to hear anything about it because for the past two years I was working for a plant in 38th St. and Ninth Ave.

CHICAGO WHEAT PIT MESSENGERS R U N RAGGED BY BROKERS

Chicago, Ill. Feb. 6, 1939.

This is about the condition of the messengers of the Chicago Board of Trade. This exchange is composed of 12 brokers and capitalists who buy up all the future wheat at a market price and by this method they set the price of wheat, corn, etc. The prices are so low that the farmers cannot raise enough grain to pay rent and taxes.

Recruit Many Young Workers at Meeting

CLEVELAND, Ohio, (by mail)—Many young workers were recruited at a meeting of the Young Communist League held at 38th Street and 14th St. here on Saturday, March 4, at the home of Mrs. J. J. Smith.

Higher Taxes Will Force Parents and Children from Home

IRON RIDGE, Mich.—Winter has just closed its ugly season. It has left two million out of work, hungry, hungry and dying of all kinds of sicknesses caused by lack of food.

These messengers bosses working on the phone and deliver them to a broker in the pit. The messengers must always be on their feet. The average wage is \$10 weekly. These boys are being replaced by older boys of college education, who can handle the job and therefore take all sorts of jobs at these miserable wages.

"The struggle against militarism as an extreme form of the class struggle which will raise demands to better their conditions, and force these bosses to give up some of their profits"

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Donate \$50 to the "Young Worker"

A donation of fifty dollars (\$50.00) to the YOUNG WORKER by the Slovaks Workers Society, Cleveland, Ohio, has been received.

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LOS ANGELES.—A young worker while waiting for a luncheon recently dropped unconscious at the door of the local flop house at Midway Mission.

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DRESS BOSSES INSULT YOUNG WORKERS

NEW YORK.—I was working in a shop for two weeks and worked more than 50 hours, not making more than \$10 a week. One day the boss tried getting angry with the girls by calling them bums and telling them that if they weren't satisfied with the wages given they should get the hell out.

CHARITIES SPLIT FAMILY UP TO AVOID RELIEF

CLEVELAND, O.—I'm wondering if you couldn't help me. I've tried the charities but they have turned me down. The charities are not wanting to help our family, separated all of us. They took my sisters to a home, I put my four youngest children in a home, I put my four youngest children in a home.

Tenth Anniversary Greetings From Readers of Young Worker

NEW YORK, N. Y. Feb. 14, 1939.

Dear Young Worker:

I am writing you to congratulate you on your tenth anniversary. I have been reading you since 1929 and I have learned a great deal from you. I am writing you to congratulate you on your tenth anniversary.

John's Restaurant

200 East 12th St., New York

Phone—Stuy.—(BU 3-1)

COPART PRIZES

125 West 45th Street, New York

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MEXICAN YOUTH CALL FOR JOINT ACTION AGAINST WHITE TERROR

The Young Communist League of Mexico has sent a letter to the Y.C.L. here calling upon it, as an anti-imperialist League, to join the young American workers in their fight against the terror in Mexico.

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THOUSANDS SEE CHI. STREET RUN

TWENTY FIVE ATHLETES IN TOM MOONEY RACE

Workers Line Streets and Cheer As Runners Pass Through South Side

NEW YORK. Twenty-five athletes took part in the "Free Tom Mooney" street run held in Chicago on February 27. Tracing their route along the South Side of the city, the heart of the Negro population, the runners drew forth cheers from the thousands of workers who lined the streets. A demonstration proceeded in a most orderly manner, attended by hundreds of spectators. Together with the street run, a special meeting was held at the Victoria Hotel, presided over by Tom Mooney, who has spent more than 11 years in the State Penitentiary.

Mooney, in his address, stated that he was glad to see the workers of Chicago and the workers of the United States. He said that he was glad to see the workers of the United States and the workers of the United States. He said that he was glad to see the workers of the United States and the workers of the United States.

In Chicago, on February 27, a really exciting race was held. The race was held in the South Side of Chicago. The race was held in the South Side of Chicago. The race was held in the South Side of Chicago.

Run on 1/2 mile. New York will witness the Tom Mooney street run on Wednesday, March 12. Thousands of workers are expected to attend it.

SOCCER LEAGUE "A" GROUP LED BY RED SPARKS A. C.

NEW YORK. The Red Sparks A. C. appear to be the winners of the championship in the "A" division of the Metropolitan Workers Soccer League, according to the standings just compiled.

With but a few games remaining to be played, the standings are as follows: Red Sparks A. C., 10 points; ...

School Negligence Kills 16-Year Boy

NEW YORK. George Washington High School was the scene of a fatal accident on February 14, caused by the negligence of the school authorities and their disregard for the safety of workers' children.

Syracuse L.S.U. Five Beats the Crack Van Etten Basketball Team

SYRACUSE, N. Y. On Saturday, March 5, the Syracuse Labor Sports Union basketball team journeyed to Van Etten and defeated the long-fought Crack Van Etten team, suffering a defeat in the last 17 years out of some eighty games.

N. Y. TOM MOONEY STREET RUN SET FOR MARCH 12

NEW YORK. The "Free Tom Mooney" Street Run which takes place Saturday, March 12, has gained wide support among the workers of New York. The road work and reputation of some of the participants predicts a real snappy race.

The Counter-Olympic Committee, whose honorary national chairman is Tom Mooney, under this committee auspices the meet is being run, calls on the rank and file of the A.A.U. to participate in this run.

The run will take place this Saturday, March 12, at 2 p.m. Start will be from Business St., East 9th St. to Union Square.

NEW "SPORT AND PLAY" OFF PRESS THIS WEEK - MANY NEW FEATURES

It's off the press! The new "Sport and Play" magazine is out. It appears in its new garb after a three months' suspension caused by the slow response of the clubs in the various districts in paying up their old debts.

There are two pages devoted to soccer covered jointly by Ed Flair and Joe Bauer representatives of the Metropolitan Workers Soccer League and Chicago Workers Soccer League.

Lookin' At 'Em

THE A.A.U. decision, barring its members from entering the Tom Mooney street runs, is typical of the anti-working class policies of that organization. The ban is equivalent to an admission that the A.A.U. is not concerned about Tom Mooney's release but would have him rot in jail where the aged labor leader has spent 16 years of his life, the victim of a vicious frame-up by the bosses.

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Though the A.A.U. claims an affiliated membership running into millions a very small percentage of young workers are offered sports facilities. It is only the stars, the "coming" champions, that the A.A.U. is concerned with.

The tons of publicity attending these tournaments serve to inspire the young workers with that feeling known as glory. It is all an ingenious scheme of the bosses to divert the minds of the youth from their ever increasing struggles for existence.

A glance at the records proves the superiority of Soviet sportsmen in practically every track and field event. For example, the Soviet worker covers the 100 meters in 18.3 seconds while the nearest to this is Germany with 18.2 seconds for the same distance.

Soviet Workers Get Athletics There are other interesting items besides the regular page of statistics; namely the District Leader Box and the pictures of sportsmen (Cover your hands now before you get in the cold. Price per copy is only a nickel ap. Address: Alan Lee, Business Manager, Young Worker, 75 East 12th St., New York City.)

FIGHT WAR PROGRAM OF BOSSES

Answer Imperialist Provocations Against the Workers' Fatherland

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IT MUST BE CLEAR to every young worker that the war that is now going on in China is in the first place a robber war against the Chinese masses, against the Chinese Soviets and a direct preparation for armed attack against the Soviet Union.

With every gun fired at the Chinese workers and peasants, with every fresh betrayal of the Chinese masses by the Kuomintang leaders, with every new provocative act against the workers' fatherland, the day of armed attack on the Soviet Union, the land of socialism in construction, the land of peace and freedom from starvation for the working class, grows nearer.

Cermak Bluecoated Gangsters Slug Workers



Scene in the blood-attack carried out by the Chicago police on 5,000 workers who demonstrated in front of the Congress building last Saturday against the robber war of Japanese imperialism on the Chinese people, and for the defense of the Soviet Union. This is the American press' shot of their war with the Japanese invaders.

Murdered by Ford Murphy Gangmen



Pictures of the four workers who fell before the machine gun bullets of Ford-Murphy police lying in state at the Workers Center in Detroit where thousands of workers filed past their coffins. Their murder is being answered. Hundreds of workers are rallying to the banner of struggle against hunger, terror and war. Every young worker must answer this bloody murder by joining the Young Communist League of which 2 of the 4 murdered workers were members.

GEORGE BUSSELL



Last picture of George Russell, 15 year old member of the Young Communist League in Detroit, murdered by the machine gun machine in the pay of the Ford-Murphy crew. Their murder is being answered by the masses of Detroit and the rest of the country in a militant renewal of the struggle against the whole system of hunger, terror and war. At least 500 young workers have joined the Young Communist League in Detroit and 200 have joined the Communist Party for proletarian war.

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Ford Stamps Model 'V8' in the Blood of Murdered Workers

LAST WEEK, Ford announced that he himself had stamped the new "V8." On Monday, March 7th, he provided the ink for his stamp. Ford dipped his stamp in the blood of the young workers who came to demand jobs and bread, and were murdered by Ford's machine guns.

Ford stamped No. 1 on the "V8." The first "V8" left Ford's hands, a typical FORD PRODUCT complete, marked by the blood and the mangled flesh of his workers.

The well-known Ford plant, resting in deaths at the punch presses and other machines no longer served his purpose. The stagger system resulting in death by slow starvation in thousands of Ford families in Detroit, Dearborn was insufficient. His "Trade School," another source of great profit, which is CHILD SLAVERY, these murder boys working at the same jobs as men and receiving half the pay, was too old a wage-cutting method. Ford, ever "up-to-date," now has a new method—COLD-BLOODED MURDER OF WORKERS WHO REFUSE TO BE GOOD FORD SLAVES ANY LONGER.

Every young worker in the United States knows that this is not exactly a "new" method, but has been used for years throughout the world to suppress the militant workers, kill their leaders, in the fight against the boss class. The murder by Ford should make it clear to the American young workers that the only thing the rich boss class will give them now is TERROR and MORE HUNGER.

In less than a month four young workers have been killed in the struggle against hunger. Two of them were leaders of the Young Communist League. These murders are part of the preparedness for the bosses' war. They want to train our generation of working class youth to be submissive slaves and soldiers for the bosses.

The Ford Hunger March is an example of the fighting spirit of the youth today. The murder are an example of the preparedness of the boss class to offer in our fight for the right to exist.

Young Workers! Are we going to bend our heads and accept unemployment and hunger? Are we going to see our generation wiped out by starvation, by boss murder, by boss war?

The Ford murder must teach us one thing: There is only one way out for us American young workers. It is in determined struggle against the rich class through ORGANIZATION.

Join the Young Communist League to replace our fallen comrades! Into the fight against HUNGER, TERROR AND BOSSES' WAR!

Ruthenberg Leader of Fight Against Imperialist War

AS it becomes clearer daily that the peace moves in the East are a thin veil, that a fake, that more and more in spite of, or rather, on the basis of the deepening imperialist antagonisms, the robber war of Japanese imperialism against the Chinese masses is being supported by all the capitalist countries, that they are carrying on a bitter war against the Chinese Soviets, and that a bloc of the imperialist countries for war against the Soviet Union is being rapidly completed, it becomes necessary for the American working class youth to look back into history and see for itself WHO FOUGHT AGAINST THE LAST WORLD WAR.

In paying tribute to Charles E. Ruthenberg on the fifth anniversary of his death we pay tribute to the staunchest American working class leader in the struggle against the last boss war.

In May, 1917, immediately after the United States had entered the war, Ruthenberg said the following in the Cleveland Public Square in a speech for which he was arrested:

"This is not a war for freedom. It is not a war for the liberties of mankind. It is a war to secure the investments and profits of the ruling class of this country. . . . Today, 15 years after this speech, we see the march by Communist workers can see how true this was. The only "freedom" and "liberty" the last World War brought us was the freedom and liberty to starve and liberty to the Fords and Rockefeller to kill off young workers.

Comrade Ruthenberg, the founder of the American Communist Party, which today is the only Party in the country that is carrying forward, together with the Young Communist League, the struggle against the bosses' war of 1932. Our leader died on March 2, 1927. But his ideas, his struggle, his revolutionary spirit is going forward every day.

"Whaddya Mean, You Want Bread?"

By Bard



Youth Work in Steel Mills

By EDITH BRISCOE
In the Pittsburgh Steel Company, Monaca, Pa., in the clippers department (75 per cent youth), the clippers work ten hours a day. The work in that department is very difficult and dangerous. There we demand an eight hour day without any reduction in pay. The willingness of the boss class to offer in our fight for the right to exist.

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How It's Done in Allegheny

This is how we organized two mine units and one steel unit in the Allegheny Valley section in Pittsburgh.

We got in touch with four young fellows in the town of Leechburg. They promised to come along with us and have a meeting the following Sunday.

When we went there we found about 25 young girls and men and a few adults. We had a small meeting with them and the result that a sport club was organized and it placed the following special demands for the young Negro steel workers, who were unemployed:

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ent districts. It was evident from the reports that no youth work was carried on in any of the districts outside of some work done in the Pittsburgh district. As a result, there is no youth work in Pittsburgh, and almost none in the leadership of those districts.

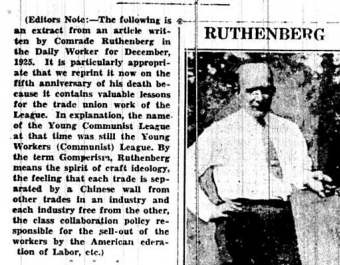
Definite proposals were made at the National Committee meeting in regard to youth work. Meetings are to be held with young steel workers in all centers to work out the special youth demands, and to prepare for the district youth conferences to be held in Pittsburgh, February 21; Chicago and Baltimore, the dates to be set.

District Youth Committees are to be elected at these conferences and to be elected at these conferences and to be elected at these conferences.

In order to carry out all of this work, it is necessary that the union assign special forces for this work. Every district committee of the union must have a district youth committee. One comrade must be put in charge of this work and function as district youth head.

Only on the basis of systematic carrying out of this program in every district will we be able to develop strategies of the young steel workers, both unemployed and employed, and draw hundreds of the young workers into the union, as well as in the leadership of our union.

From Ruthenberg to Working Youth



RUTHENBERG

(Editors Note—The following is an extract from an article written by Comrade Ruthenberg in the Daily Worker for December, 1925. It is particularly appropriate that we reprint this article on the fifth anniversary of his death because it contains valuable lessons for the trade union work of the League. In explanation, the name of the Young Communist League at that time was the Young Workers (Communist) League. By the term Comperter, Ruthenberg means the spirit of craft ideology, the feeling that each trade is separated by a Chinese wall from other trades in an industry and each industry free from the other, the class collaboration policy responsible for the sell-out of the workers by the American education of Labor, etc.)

By CHARLES E. RUTHENBERG
The older generation in the trade union is thoroughly imbued with the spirit of Comperter. On the new generation of workers, which is just learning from bitter experience the character of the existing system of exploitation, rests the hope of creating a working class movement in which Comperter will be succeeded by the spirit of class pride and the conviction that it is the destiny of the workers to create a new social order that it is their task to take control of the productive forces of society and so order and organize them that they will serve the interests of those who produce wealth in place of for the enrichment of a small class of exploiters.

The work of imbuing this spirit in the young workers who will be the militant fighting center of the working class movement tomorrow, is the task of the Young Workers (Communist) League.

In directing the work of the League into these channels in the effort to reach and influence the young workers in industry, teaching them the necessity of their organizing to fight against the capitalist class, that the Young Workers (Communist) League is taking up one of the most important problems of the working class movement. It is through establishing contact with the young workers in industry, teaching them with the spirit of class struggle against the capitalist class, that the Young Workers (Communist) League is taking up one of the most important problems of the working class movement. It is through establishing contact with the young workers in industry, teaching them with the spirit of class struggle against the capitalist class, that the Young Workers (Communist) League is taking up one of the most important problems of the working class movement.

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LET THE COMRADES TO CLOSE THEIR RANKS, TO BUILD THE COMMUNIST PARTY, THE AMERICAN WORKERS UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF OUR PARTY AND THE COMINTERS WILL WIN. LET'S FIGHT ON!

Paris Commune—The First Proletarian Dictatorship

"The memory of the fighters of the Commune is not only honored by the workers of France but by the proletariat of the whole world, for the Commune did not fight for any local or narrow national aim, but for the freedom of all the downtrodden and oppressed."

LENIN, 1911.

On Jan. 8, 1871, Paris surrendered to the Germans who were surrounded by the regular troops of the French army were disarmed and the "Government of National Defense" went to Versailles, leaving the right near Paris. The German army, however, was afraid to enter Paris to disarm the National Guard because of their fear of the Parisian working class.

Meanwhile the conflict between the bourgeois government and the people's committee was growing sharper. The proletariat wanted "Peace and Bread" and the bourgeoisie proved incapable and unwilling to grant these things. On March 18, 1871, the bourgeoisie set up the "Government of National Defense" as the governing body of the Parisian proletariat, the workers and petty bourgeoisie, had learned its lesson in previous revolutions. The bourgeoisie in France in 1848 had taught it to mistrust the proletariat, the workers and petty bourgeoisie, had learned its lesson in previous revolutions. The bourgeoisie in France in 1848 had taught it to mistrust the proletariat, the workers and petty bourgeoisie, had learned its lesson in previous revolutions.

HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE

There was in existence already a score of illegal units of the Young Communist League and many other revolutionary working-class youth. They were scattered and ineffective.

At the convention of the Workers' Party, held Dec. 28-29, 1921, a resolution was passed which provided for the national organization to be formed to amalgamate all existing militant young workers' organizations, to create new ones where possible and to set up an all-Party preparatory committee for the National Convention, which will unite these forces and officially launch the Young Workers' League of America.

The resolution pointed out that the revolutionary youth "were the first to put up an organized resistance to the social-patriots and the betrayers of the working class at the outbreak of the 1914-1918 war." It declared that there were in existence Young Workers' Leagues, especially in Chicago and New York; Marxist clubs and branches of the Independent Young Workers League, especially in Chicago and New York; Marxian clubs and branches of the Independent Young Workers League, especially in Chicago and New York; and other organizations which had declared their allegiance to the Young Communist International.

In Chicago as formed about five branches of the Young Workers League with over 200 members. Though the League had not evolved a program, a great deal of work was carried on along with the help of the national organization. The best elements for the Communist future, and who were especially active in the trade unions, and who were especially active in the trade unions, and who were especially active in the trade unions.

In New York, branches of the Young Workers' League were growing up, and a few units of the Young Communist League were functioning.

A National Organization Committee was formed to prepare the first convention of the Young Workers' League. All members of the National organization, Communist clubs and branches in Chicago and other cities, members of the Communist Party, began to actively the existing revolutionary youth organizations in their branches of state and then, led by the Young Workers League.

At the convention of the Workers' Party of America, which was held in New York, the Young Workers' League was officially established. The Young Workers' League was officially established. The Young Workers' League was officially established.

TUCKER WINS N. Y. STREET RUN

BREAKS TAPE IN 'FREE TOM MOONEY' RACE IN 2 AND A HALF MILES IN 13:05

Backlund, Scandinavian Brotherhood Athlete Comes in Second; Covers Distance in 14:07

NEW YORK. — Running the 2 1/2-mile distance from Rutgers Square in 13:15 minutes, Ben Tucker of the Red Sparks A. C. broke the tape at Union Square to win the Tom Mooney Street Run, held under the auspices of the New York District of the Provisional Counter Olympic Committee Saturday.

Street Run Winners



Left to right, the winners of the New York Tom Mooney Street Run, held in New York last Saturday, are: Tucker, Backlund and Cohen. To the extreme left is part of the tape through which the finish of the run holding the placard that explains itself.

Eastbay Basketeers Build League; Eight Teams Sign

Is First Step in Preparations for International Workers Athletic Meet in Chicago

OAKLAND, Cal. The first step in the campaign for the International Workers Athletic Meet has been taken in the Eastbay with the organization of 8 teams into a Basketball League with the enclosed schedule for the coming fall.

The plans, worked by the international labor defense, were an unannounced Tom Mooney race and silver and bronze medals to the second and third to come 1.

FIVE ATHLETES FROM U. S. S. R. TO BE IN CHI. MEET

NEW YORK.—Five track and field athletes from the Soviet Union at the International Workers Athletic Meet in Chicago next summer according to a letter received today made public by the National Counter-Olympic Committee, 759 Broadway, which is sponsoring the meet. The letter, signed by Orlanow, secretary of the Supreme Council of Physical Culture of the U. S. S. R., organ of the Labor

Lookin' At 'Em

THE "Free Tom Mooney" street runs held in San Francisco, Chicago, Cleveland and New York recently probably did more to popularize the workers sport movement in America than any other medium resorted to by the Counter-Olympic Committee, the Labor Sports Union or any of the other sport organizations participating in the campaign against the bosses' Olympics.

While the results cannot readily be drawn on paper, from a recruiting viewpoint, it is certain that thousands of young workers who hitherto had been totally unfamiliar with the existence of a workers sport movement in their locality were now reached for the first time.

The thousands of workers who flocked to the side lines to follow the course of the runners were not mere spectators witnessing just another batch of runners limbering up their muscles in preparation for a meet. As the runners streaked past something attached to the backs of the athletes transformed an ordinary street run into a significant class issue. The workers saw the words "Free Tom Mooney" scrawled

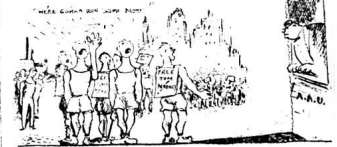


on those placards, a very uncommon sight and one which left more than the physical pleasure generally attending a sport spectacle.

Everyone had heard of Tom Mooney and the vicious frame-up which had kept him in San Quentin prison for over 15 years. Many probably had read about the labor leader and the struggles of the working class to gain his release. Many among the thousands who saw the street runs in the different cities probably were nonplussed at the fact that a number of sports organizations should cast their lot in an issue which was obviously political.

For centuries young workers had been taught to regard sports as something neutral, an activity not to be aligned with issues of a political character. Yet millions of young workers in so-called sport organizations, were sent off to war by the bosses controlling these organizations; slaughtered in wars that weren't as neutral as the phrases indicated by the bosses.

If sports are to be accepted as neutral then why the prohibiting of the Spartakiad, the International Workers Athletic Meet in Berlin, last summer? Why did the police



persistently break up our meetings and demonstrations? Such incidents never have occurred at any of the less manufactured Olympic games.

The Spartakiad was a workers sport meet. One hundred thousand worker athletes were to participate. A tremendous mobilization of workers who were going to participate in a meet which was a knife thrust at the heart of the bosses' sport movement.

If sports must, according to the boss misleaders, be neutral, then what explanation can the Amateur Athletic Union offer for its action forbidding its members from entering the Tom Mooney Street Run in New York, a run held nevertheless?

(To be continued) — P. H. W. —

News Flashes

WAR DEVELOPMENTS.

- 1—British troops have captured 5000 prisoners of war from the Japanese.
2—Soviet planes and bombers have been seen over the Japanese coast.
3—The Japanese have captured 1000 prisoners of war from the British.
4—Campaign of lies on Soviet atrocities revived by false dispatches concerning praying women of workers by Red Army.
5—Japanese troops are fighting within 50 miles from Soviet border.

LYNCH VERDICT UPHOLD

Bulletin—the Supreme Court of Alabama has upheld the lynch verdict of death against seven of the Scottsboro boys. The International Labor Defense is appealing the case to the Supreme Court of the United States.

DETROIT MASSACRE.

DETROIT.—Mass trial of murderers Ford, Murphy and Bennett in Detroit Friday, for slaughter of workers in Ford Hunger March. Intense response to calls for membership in the Communist Party, Young Communist League and the Workers Union. Workers build solidarity with the strikers.

KENTUCKY TERROR

PINEVILLE.—Meeting of Executive Board of National Miners Union Friday, seven days after the Chandler, youth organizer for National Miners Union, transferred from Middleboro to Pineville jail.

STUDENTS DELEGATION TO KENTUCKY

NEW YORK.—Over 100 students of eastern and mid western colleges left New York Wednesday for Kentucky under the auspices of National Student League to tour Kentucky coal fields, investigate labor and relief conditions. Young workers active in long constitutions for movement through the "Young Worker".

MINERS ON MARCH

PENN-OHIO.—Miners of District One out on strike. Pierce terror in mid-Wyoming Valley. Hoarding Valley miners in Ohio meet fierce state terror and National Guards at Valley Mine Workers Union. Miners to betray 7,000 striking miners.

GOVERNORS LIE ABOUT HUNGER

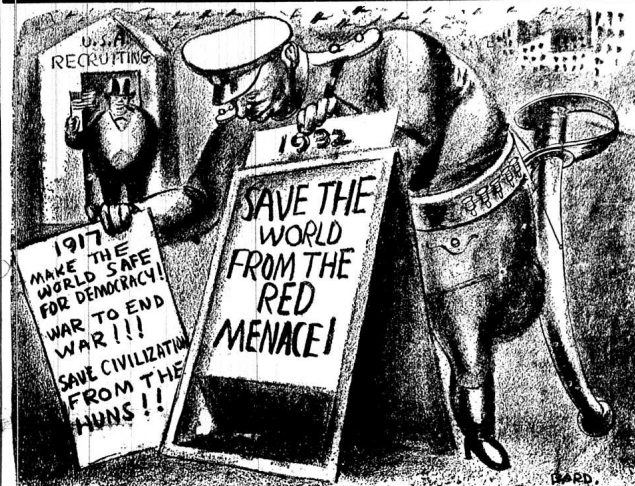
WASHINGTON.—Thirty nine governors brazenly denied there was any starvation in their states in answer to telegram from Senator Bingham. Lies being exposed daily by increasing unemployment, wage cuts and starvation.

CALLS SOVIET CHILD BRILLIANT

NEW YORK.—Daughter of Lord Curzon, an American and British child imbecile compared to Soviet Union, says Soviet youth will carry through the Five Year Plan.

FOR ADDITIONAL NEWS FLASHES SEE PAGE 4

New Signs But the Same Sign Painter



April 6th Then and April 6th Now

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO on April 6th, the American bosses hurled the working, farming and student youth into the bloody shambles of the World War. It entered this war under the fake slogans of "making the world safe for democracy", of "saving civilization from the Huns", of "warring to end all wars."

Today they are preparing to hurl the American youth into another world war. This time the slogans are changed. They speak now of "making the world safe for Bolshevism", of "saving civilization from the Communists", of "preventing Soviet dumping", of "saving religion from the godless Bolsheviks".

No matter what the slogans may be, the war that is going on against the Chinese masses, the Chinese Soviets, and the war that is being prepared ever more rapidly against the Soviet Union, and which has already reached the stage of open provocation, are wars for capitalist profit, wars for the destruction of the only workers' and farmers' government in the world, wars in which the working youth have only this interest—that they must turn them into a civil war against the whole boss' class.

The Soviet youth against whom the bosses will call upon us to fight are not our enemies. They are workers just as we are.

The war provocations against the Soviet Union are going on NOW! The war against the Chinese masses and the Chinese Soviets are going on NOW! The fight of the working, farming and student youth against these actual war preparations and actual wars must also go on now!

We must not wait! Our task consists in mobilizing the masses of youth for the fight against imperialist war now, for defense of the heroic struggle which the Chinese masses are putting up against the Japanese imperialists now, for defense of the Soviet Union against the attacks of the bosses now!

This mobilization must be carried out in every mine, mill, and factory, especially in the war industries, docks, harbors and ships. The masses of the youth must be involved in the broadest possible united front against imperialist war, for defense of the Soviet Union. These masses must voice their protest not only in closed halls, or in resolutions. They must come out into the streets! Carry the fight against boss war into the open! Let the ears of the bosses burst with the roar of the masses of youth!

The week of March 31—April 6 has been declared Anti-War Week and April 6th national Anti-War Day in a special call issued

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Trotsky Rearms the Bosses How A Counter-Revolutionist Works

In recent weeks, Trotsky, who was expelled from the Communist Party of the Soviet Union and from the Soviet Union itself because of his counter-revolutionary policy and activity, has been writing long articles in capitalist magazines and various capitalist papers.

In all of his writings, as in all of his activity, Trotsky shows his real treacherous character. At no precise moment when the imperialist countries are more and more uniting for armed attack on the Soviet Union, when Japan, as spearhead of the imperialist attack on the Soviet Union is committing openly provocative moves near the Siberian border of the Soviet Union when the countries bordering the Soviet Union in Europe are mounting themselves for immediate attack of the workers' fatherland, Trotsky plays the role of handmaidens to world imperialism by dismissing the working class and making them doubt the immediacy of an attack on the Soviet Union.

His vile slanders on the Communist Party of the Soviet Union and upon Comrade Stalin, under whose leadership the workers have been successfully building up Socialism is calculated to split and confuse the working masses. He plays the same role that the bourgeoisie plays. They "do nothing but sympathy and the best of wishes for the Soviet workers." All that they are concerned with is that "the Soviet workers are groaning under the brutal dictatorship of the Communist Party and its leaders."

His hideous lies concerning the impossibility of building Socialism in the Soviet Union are in no other purpose than to dampen the revolutionary spirit of the world working class and make them doubt the value of the heroic sacrifices of the Soviet and international proletarian who laid the foundations for Socialism are being laid in the Soviet Union.

The attack of Trotsky and his lackeys on the firm peace policy of the Soviet Union is also nothing but a continuation of vicious imperialist propaganda to the effect that the sincere peace policy of the Soviet Union is merely a "Red Imperialism" in disguise. The motion "condemning the participation of Litvinov, the Soviet delegate, to the Disarmament Conference," made by the Trotskyites at the New York meeting of the United Front Anti-War Conference is but one example of the sly manner in which these counter-revolutionary agents of world imperialism do their bit for the capitalist class.

The capitalists are good business men. They do not pay Trotsky fancy prices for his articles for nothing. Trotsky gives them full value for their money.

Scottsboro Week

One Year of Struggle for the Scottsboro Boys

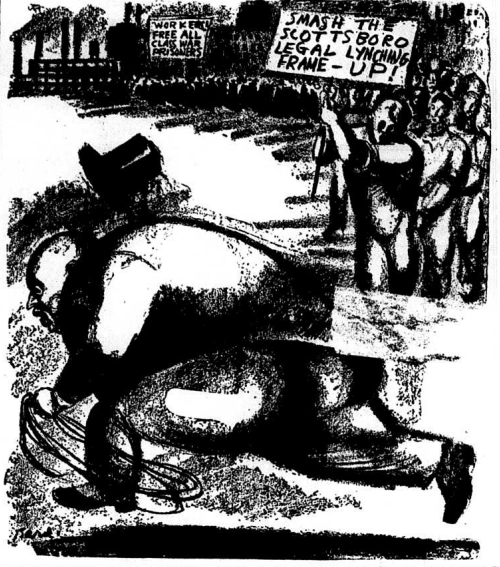
THE Scottsboro Boys, who have been confined in the Kilby death house for a year, are victims of the increasing boss terror that is sweeping the country. This terror especially singles out the Negro workers as its victims. Lynching is growing at a rapid rate. The courts of the bosses are also being used more and more for legal lynchings of Negro workers as in the case of Bonnie Lee Ross, Jess Hollins and many others.

April 6, the date of the entry of American imperialism into the last World War, will be a day of national demonstration of the American workingclass against the present boss war against the Chinese masses and the growing danger of attack upon the Soviet Union. The last war was supposed to be a war for saving the world for democracy. This lie has been exposed to the Negro masses. Immediately after the war Negro soldiers were lynched in uniform. In all the years following the war the Negro masses have faced the most brutal oppression and persecution imaginable. Only a few years ago the Negro workers were enraged by the spectacle of the Negro Gold-Star mothers being Jim Crowed and sent to France branded by this American "democratic" system of discrimination.

April 6 has another historic meaning to the workers of America and of the entire world. This was the date originally set for the murder of the Scottsboro boys in the electric chair last year. The sentence has been stayed by the howl of protest of the workingclass throughout the world.

THEY MUST GO FREE!

By Bard



Y. P. S. L. Sabotages Fight on War Preparations

THE Y. P. S. L. (Young People's Socialist League) in order to organize a real united front against boss war and for the defense of the Soviet Union, the Provisional Anti-War Youth Committee in New York approached the membership of six circles of the Young People's Socialist League, a socialist youth organization, is supposedly against the participation of Litvinov, the Soviet delegate, to the Disarmament Conference. They had decided to sabotage the anti-war youth movement. They had decided to approach the Y.P.S.L. circle, one of the "big shots" they have an executive committee in the circle. The absolute control is vested in representatives from the City Central Committee) pushed through the motion to refer the matter before this Committee. In no single case did he permit the members to discuss adequately the anti-war youth front movement. In some cases they even raised the "red herring."

LEADERSHIP FOOT MEMBERS. Was the matter really referred to the City Central Committee? Did they intend bringing up the matter before this Committee? In both cases, no! The first was only a maneuver to prevent the rank and file from voicing their opinions and participating in the movement. The fact is that the question was never raised, up or held to the rank and file. When the leaders were approached on their reply to the membership, they claimed ignorance of the whole question.

But the Anti-War Youth Conference was discussed by the leadership. Witness the fact that six leaders in different parts of the city maneuvered in the same manner, to refer the question to the central body. They had decided to sabotage the anti-war youth movement. They had decided to approach the Y.P.S.L. circle, one of the "big shots" they have an executive committee in the circle. The absolute control is vested in representatives from the City Central Committee) pushed through the motion to refer the matter before this Committee. In no single case did he permit the members to discuss adequately the anti-war youth front movement. In some cases they even raised the "red herring."

hope for "justice" from the blood-stained hands of the white-race class of Alabama and their Supreme Court. This would be a fatal mistake.

Mass protest must grow. The workers, in solid ranks of Negro and white, must declare a war to the finish to smash the increasing terror against the workingclass and the Negro masses who bear the brunt of the boss-offensive. Under the leadership of the Communist Party and the Young Communist League this fight against lynch law and imperialist exploitation of the Negro masses and for the complete freedom of the Scottsboro boys and Jess Hollins must be greatly strengthened.

Young workers, Negro and white, fight against imperialist oppression in foreign countries and at home! Smash the growing terror of the boss-war makers! Unite against imperialist war!

Free the Scottsboro victims of bosses lynch law! ... Demonstrate April 6! Against the boss war against the Negro and white workers!

SOCIALISM AND BOSS WAR

By V. I. LENIN
(Excerpta from Lenin's pamphlet on "Socialism and War," (1917-18).

The Socialists (This was written before the formation of the 3rd International for Socialism and Communism) always have always condemned war between peoples as barbarous and bestial. As regards economic war, however, differences in principle from that of the bourgeois pacifists and Anarchists. We differ from the first that we understand the inseparable connection between wars on the one hand and class struggles inside of a country on the other, we understand the IMPOSSIBILITY OF ELIMINATING WAR WITHOUT ELIMINATING CLASSES AND EXTERMINATING BOURGEOIS AND PROLETARIAN SOCIETY. WE RECOGNIZE THE NECESSITY OF CIVIL WAR AS A MEANS OF PROGRESSIVE WAR AGAINST THE PROMOTERS OF SLAVE AGAINST THE HOLDERS OF BONDS AGAINST THE LANDOWNERS OF WAGE WORKERS AGAINST THE BOURGEOISIE.

DIFFER FROM PACIFISTS AND ANARCHISTS.

We Marxists differ from both from the pacifists and the Anarchists in that we recognize the necessity of a historical study of such war individually, from the point of view of Marx's dialectical materialism. There have been wars in the history which were against the landowners of WAGE WORKERS AGAINST THE BOURGEOISIE.



The Present War is An Imperialist War. Nearly every one admits the presence of the most barbarous despotism in Europe (that of Turkey and Russia), it is therefore necessary to examine the historic characteristics of the present war taken by itself.

Slaughter in Shanghai

THE following figures computed by the chief of the Chinese department of statistics at Nanking, on the results of the robber war of Japanese imperialism against the Chinese masses should convince all young workers, farmers and working class students of the murderous effects of capitalist war on the working masses. The same capitalists in the United States as well as Japan who are responsible for the bloody carnage of which both a slight intonation is given below: not the ones who are even now proposing to wage war against the workers' fatherland, the Soviet Union under the pretext of being the saviors of "democracy" from the "irrepressible Holodomor." It is against them and not against our fellow workers in the Soviet Union or in the capitalist countries that the working and student youth must carry on a life and death struggle.

- 1.-Families directly affected, 129,000.
- 2.-Individuals directly affected, 814,000 (45% of total Chinese population of Shanghai).
- 3.-Persons killed, 4,900.
- 4.-Known wounded, 8,000.
- 5.-Missing, 23,000.
- 6.-Value of buildings destroyed, 960,000,000 in gold.
- 7.-Value of factories destroyed, \$14,000,000 in gold.
- 8.-Persons thrown out of employment, 250,000.
- 9.-Educational institutions closed, 18 universities and technical colleges.
- 10.-Families indirectly affected, 192 primary schools.
- 11.-Students prevented from continuing studies, 9,000.
- 12.-Teachers thrown out of employment, 4,000.
- 13.-Schools or university buildings wrecked by Japanese bombardment or occupied by Japanese military, 43 colleges and 41 primary schools.
- 14.-Damage to schools, more than \$10,000,000 in gold.
- 15.-Gallon milk workers thrown out of jobs, 90 percent of total.

CANNON



This picture as well as the one on the right hand side of the page were taken in a base hospital during the last world war. They are graphic illustrations of what we mean when we say that the boss war is the working class as cannon fodder in order that they may preserve their profits. Wars such as the last world war were wars in which the working youth got nothing. The Russian working youth also made heavy sacrifices in the Russian Revolution. But they won

For Boss Profit



YOUTH AND BOSS WAR

THE generation of young workers who came before us was almost entirely wiped out in the butchery of 1914-18 that we go down in history as the first world imperialist slaughter. The table listed below gives some slight indication of what capitalist war means in terms of lives and bodies. The generation of working youth that is being groomed now for war against the workers' fatherland, the Soviet Union should study this table very carefully. It represents the price of the Russian Revolution and in the war of defense against the imperialist intervention of 1918-1919. But those losses were losses in defense of the workers' fatherland. Today the Soviet youth are reaping the triumphant results of the sacrifice they made in ever better. Their country that knows neither boss, war, cuts, speed-up, maver, unemployment nor death by starvation. The youth in the capitalist countries are reaping the results of the sacrifices their older brothers and fathers made in happier, misery, terror and french-prostration for a new bloody slaughter against the Soviet Union.

YOUTH AND BOSS WAR

TOTAL WORLD WAR CASUALTIES

Country	Killed or Died	Wounded	MP's and Priests	Total
Allies	5,152,113	12,831,504	4,121,090	22,104,707
Central Powers	3,386,200	8,398,448	3,629,825	15,404,473
Grand Total	8,538,313	21,219,952	7,750,915	47,404,788

AMERICAN ARMY CASUALTIES

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Killed in Action	Died of Wounds in Action	Wounded
37,563	12,942	152,074

Total Deaths from All Causes: 119,556
Note: This does not include more than 3,000 deaths in Navy and Marines.



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N. Y. CONFERENCE FORMS NAT'L COMMITTEE

PLANS DRAWN FOR REAL FIGHT AGAINST BOSSES' OLYMPIC GAMES

Delegates to Conference Represent Total Membership of Over 65,000 Sport and Labor Bodies

Over 30 delegates from workers and sports' organizations representing a combined membership of 65,000 met Saturday at Irving Plaza Hall, 15th St. and Irving Place, at the first conference of the National Counter Olympic Committee, to draw up plans for the successful holding of the International Workers Athletic Meet in Chicago next summer.

Delegates present represented the following organizations: International Workers Order, Labor Sports Union, Workers Gymnastic and Sports Alliance, Finnish Workers Federation, Scandinavian Workers League, League of Struggle for Negro Rights, Friends of Nature, International Labor Defense, United Ukrainian Workers' organizations, Slovak Workers Society, Friends of the Soviet Union, Trade Union Unity League, Workers Cultural Federation, Food Workers Industrial Union and Metal Workers Industrial League.

Gerson Outlines Program.
Sid Gerson, secretary of the Labor Sports Union, acting as chairman, outlined the task and the program of the Counter-Olympic campaign to the delegates, who unanimously voted to adopt a resolution pledging their support of the campaign and a boycott of the Los Angeles Olympics.

The conference also sent telegrams of solidarity to the nine international sports clubs and to Tom Mooney, honorary chairman of the campaign. Speakers one after the other stressed the importance of the competition in its various phases. The struggle against race discrimination in the sports field was stressed by Harold Williams of the League of Struggle for Negro Rights.

MET WORKERS SOCCER LEAGUE STANDING POSTED TO DATE

Evidence of the deep dissatisfaction of the rank and file of Bo sports organizations was presented by speakers who reported that the members of the Hakoah B. C. a Jewish workers sports club has refused to take part in the Jewish Nationalist (Maccabee) Olympics in Palestine, and that the Scandinavian American A. C. affiliated to the A. A. U. was on the point of bankruptcy due to the effects of the crisis on the rank and file of its membership.

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3-Tico	12	8	3
4-Italian Am	14	4	5
5-Veritas	11	4	3
6-Olympic	12	3	7
7-Falcon	13	1	8
8-Neckers	10	2	6
9-Bronx Bakers	6	2	4
10-B' L' DIV.			
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2-Bostonian	12	7	5
3-Spartacus	13	6	6
4-Italian Amer	12	4	3
5-Elitopian	6	4	1
6-Maltese Ran	15	2	13
7-B' L' DIV.			
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2-Red Spark	13	10	3
3-Harlem Prog	12	7	4
4-Armenian	12	7	4
5-Crotona	14	5	5
6-New York	12	4	4
7-Prospect	15	7	5
8-Central	12	5	5
9-East St. Y	14	4	7
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4-B' L' DIV.			
1-Prospect	10	9	2
2-Dauntless	16	8	3
3-Helene Wlan	17	8	3
4-Williamsburg	14	7	4
5-Red Star	14	6	3

UKRAINIANS IN FIGHT ON THE OLYMPICS

NEW YORK.—The United Ukrainian Organizations Inc., whose membership throughout the United States exceeds 5,000 today, officially endorsed the program of the National Counter-Olympic Committee, 150 Broadway, against the Olympic Games in Los Angeles and for the International Workers Athletic Meet to be held in Chicago next summer.

This makes the sixth national organization to go on record as joining the campaign, the others being the Labor Sports Union of America, the Workers Gymnastic and Sports Alliance, the International Workers Order, the Finnish Workers Federation and the Friends of Nature

Soviet Youth Get Free Swimming Pools



These healthy, husky young Soviet workers are a far cry from the picture of the "starved workers" that the capitalist newspapers try to put in the minds of the American youth. They are shown taking it easy in the magnificent new "Dynamo" swimming pool. And they don't have to have demonstrations to get the use of the pool either! You see they once had a revolution!

Lookin' At 'Em

WE'RE in receipt of the following clipping sent in to us by a young worker in San Francisco. It offers further proof of the corruption and obvious grafting that exists in the A. A. U. The item, appeared in the San Francisco News of March 15.

Here's what it says:
"I hate to talk about it. It may sound like an alibi." Thus Clude "Cack" Hubbard yesterday announced the return of himself and his Olympic Club squad from the national A. A. U. basketball wars in Kansas City.

Under pressure, however, Clyde "Cackus" for some of his reticence and spoke right out loud. "The offending at Kansas City was atrocious" quoth "Cack." "It didn't take us long to find that certain teams were supposed to go far and that certain others weren't supposed to get to first base."

"We fooled them to the extent of reaching the quarter finals, but there we bumped up against the Northwest Missouri Teachers.

"We lost 26 to 14 which was not surprising inasmuch as we had been tipped off beforehand that the Teachers, unbent in two years were supposed to get in the finals. They did losing out in the little game to the Wichita Henrys 15-14."

"For thirty minutes we gave the Missouri Teachers more argument than they could handle and were leading 14-12 despite the fact that the only three field goals they made in the first half were the result of fouls so flagrant that 7000 customers united in a chorus of razzberries. It got so bad late in the game that it was evident we had no chance."

According to Hubbard such misdemeanors as shoving, holding and walking were O. K. in Kansas City providing the right team did it. Of course the Olympic Club is not a workers' team as you might surmise and the Mr. Hubbard mentioned is the coach of the team.

But even an official can spill the beans occasionally as the statement of Hubbard prove. It shows clearly how games are "fixed" in advance in A. A. U. tournaments just as they are in professional teams. Workers' basketball teams ob-



MET CAGEMEN TO CONDUCT BIG TOURNEY

NEW YORK.—The Metropolitan Workers Basketball League, boasting more than 25 teams throughout greater New York, has issued a call to all amateur teams, club and managers of teams, to enter a "Knock-Out Tournament" to be conducted in Bronx, Brooklyn and Manhattan gymnasiums on Saturday, April 2.

This will be an elimination tournament of all basketball teams, the winners in the respective brackets to play for the N.Y.C. championship. After the wedding process has been accomplished the regional champs will be shipped to Chicago to play in the International Finals as part of the program of the International Workers Athletic Meet to be held in that city July 29, 31, and August 1.

HUGE YOUTH ANTI-WAR PROTEST

APRIL 6 MEETS ANSWER PROVOCATIONS AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION

NEW YORK.—Hundreds of anti-war, Scottsboro protest meetings were held all over the United States on April 6, 15th anniversary of the entry of American imperialism into the last world war.

These meetings expressed the steady determination of the working masses to stay the hands of the imperialist war mongers who are steadily broadening their campaign of deliberate provocation against the Soviet Union to the point of actual armed attack upon the workers' bastion.

The mighty surge of the youth anti-war protest was seen in the huge anti-war conference held in



Chicago last Saturday. Over two thousand workers, Negro and white massed in conference to lay plans for a determined fight on the war plans of the imperialists against the Soviet Union and the actual bloody war now going on against the Chinese masses.

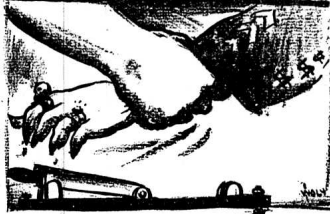
Fully sixty percent of the delegates at this conference were young workers from the shops, mills and stockyards. This intense activity of the exploited youth must be redoubled in speed and strength. The trial of the two provocateurs Stern and Vastley, if their attempt to involve the Soviet Union in war by attempted assassination of the German ambassador. It was clearly established at the trial in which they were sentenced to death that they were the tools of the imperialist countries trying to break down firm peace policy of the Soviet Union by a steady campaign of provocation and incitement.

The sudden reappearance of the "Soviet accident" stories in all capitalist papers is evidence that the bosses are more frantically than

Expose Imperialist War Preparations

Young workers in the war industries, on the docks, harbors, in shipments on railroads and transport are asked to write immediately to the "Young Worker" about any special orders on which they are working.

Young Workers! Expose the preparations for a new imperialist slaughter. Send us all information you can get. Throw a powerful working-class search-light on the war machinations of the bosses!



SISTER OF SCOTTSBORO BOY TO TOUR THE COUNTRY

Lucille Wright Will Speak in Scores of Cities to Rally Youth

NEW YORK.—To further arouse the growing mass protest which has been the answer of the toiling class to the Lynch-law decision of the Alabama Supreme Court, a youth tour of Lucille Wright has been arranged by the International Labor Defense. This will start on May 1st, proceeding to New York City. Lucille Wright is the brave young Negro girl, the sister of Roy and Andy Wright, who till now has militantly aided in the defense of the Scottsboro boys. Although young like her brothers, she is imbued with a militant spirit against the increasing terror against the Negro masses. She will aid in mobilizing the youth against the growing lynch spirit of the bosses which is stretching forth its bloody claws to take the lives of the Scottsboro boys on May 12th.

Tour Whole Country.
This tour of Lucille Wright, which is intended to embrace the entire country, must be a mighty clarion call to all youth, both Negro and white, to spread and intensify their struggle to save the boys from the electric chair of the Southern bosses and land-owners. In a mighty response to this tour all young workers can effectively sever the stirring appeal of the condemned boys which was addressed to all working youth, and which was previously printed in the "Young Worker."

Spread the Young Worker as the only paper that fights against boss' war. Spread the greeting lists that were sent you amongst the young workers in your shop and mass organizations. Every greeting collected from a young worker means another fighter in defense of the Soviet Union. Unite! Send in your order for extra papers now! Build a mass Young Worker!

Also the definite dates of the tour have not been announced as yet it is understood that it will include New England and continue westward. Every young worker must work with utmost energy in co-operating with the International Labor Defense in making the tour a smashing success.

Spread the "Young Worker" To Prepare May First

May Day this year comes at a time when we are on the brink of another world war. The capitalist press of the bosses are daily preparing the minds of the young workers to attack the only country where the workers rule, the Soviet Union. The death verdict for the Scottsboro boys is part of the terror against the Negro and white workers in order to drive them into submission in preparation for war.

The capitalist press is the strongest weapon in the hands of the bosses in their preparations for war. We must have a strong mass Young Worker to combat the vicious lies against the Soviet Union and rally thousands of young workers in its defense. The May First issue of the Young Worker will bring out our solidarity to the young workers in the Soviet Union, will show our determination to carry through the stirring appeal of the condemned boys which was addressed to all working youth, and which was previously printed in the "Young Worker."

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Stay the Hand of the Boss War Makers



★ DRAMA—MOVIES ★

'ROAD TO LIFE' OPENS AT THE ACME THEATRE. 'Road to Life' is an unusually interesting and appealing film, which caused a sensation wherever it was shown...

ZANE GREY IN "SOUTH SEA ADVENTURES." "Zane Grey Himself" in South Sea Adventures, the author's first trip to the South Seas...

'SHANGHAI EXPRESS' AT THE HIPPODROME. Lester Cole, radio tenor, and his Singing Soldiers of Fortune, head this week's vaudeville program at the Hippodrome...

BEGINNING THURSDAY, APRIL 14th. 'Golden Mountains' (Times in English) Dramatic story of the great PETHROV Machine Shops of Old PETHROV—WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY THE WORKERS of the shops.

'CAMERO' at 1 P. M. 25c and 10 P. M. 15c. Broadway, N. Y. City.

THEATRE GUILD PRODUCTIONS. 'Too True to Be Good' A NEW PLAY BY BERNARD SHAW. GUILD THEATRE 323 N. W. of Broadway, New York City.

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'Roon in Vienna' A Comedy by ROBERT L. SHERWOOD. MARTIN BECK 1234, 1236, 1238, and 1240, Broadway, New York City.

'Road to Life' See It Now at the ACME THEATRE 15c A. S. P. E. 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000.

NEGRO CHILDREN IN CHARLOTTE WALK 4 MILES TO SCHOOL

(By a Worker Correspondent) CHARLOTTE, N. C.—I am a young Negro worker in the Textile Ward, Charlotte. The children here have to walk four miles clear across the Second Ward, through muddy, unpaved streets, to school.

We helped the Communist Party try in its fight to prevent education for non-white youth. We are now trying to build the unit to better our conditions, to make our work more effective, to make our members more class conscious, and to make our members politically developed.

Chi. Messenger Boys Compelled to Sell Messages or Pay. CHICAGO, Ill.—"Easter is here and with it a large quota of messages for this district. It is now up to you boys to handle and help put Chicago district on the map. I am counting on you boys to do the best for your district as well as your office."

MASS TRIAL ON WHITE CHAUVINISM. The City Youth Committee of Chicago held a mass trial Branch 421, guilty of white-chauvinism for having arranged a meeting to discuss the situation.

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FOR BOLSHIEVIK RUTHLESSNESS IN FIGHT ON WHITE CHAUVINISM

(Continued from Page 4) drive out of a total of 1,250 young workers... The Negro youth, striving to remain wide mass of the Negro youth into our ranks... The League is now mobilizing the WHITE YOUTH WORKERS PRIMARILY to take the initiative in smashing down all bores erected Jim Crow lines and barriers which stand in the way of solidarity among the workers.

Club Notes. months during which time they must prove by their work and results that they are fighting white chauvinism. CALIFORNIA WINS DELEGATE TO SOVIET UNION. As a result of the membership campaign recently completed by the International Workers Order, in which the Youth Section participated...

DETROIT YOUTH FIGHT FOR HOUSING AND DECENT FOOD. Detroit, and pay the rent, light and gas. We demand either an allowance for the rent, or the equivalent in food food to be cooked by the workers themselves.

DETROIT WELFARE BUCK; JOBLESS YOUTH FORCE ACTION. DETROIT.—The Welfare Agency tried to forestall the fight of the Detroit youth on March 28th by immediate relief by the plan of no subsidies to deal with their special demand. The Welfare Agency also appointed for the unemployed youth delegates to the "Blue Shirt" Ballroom in the downtown Detroit.

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Ben Gray Blindfolded Beaten and Shot at

Take for Ride Into Woods; Guns Poked Into Ribs; Forced to Run for Life. CHICAGO, Ill.—An American Legion gang of thugs in Danville, after severely beating Ben Gray, district organizer for the Young Communist League in Chicago, put a rope around his neck and threatened to lynch him. They finally released him and told him to run for his life while they fired shots at him.

TRIAL OF BROWN OPENS IN LYNCH LAW COURT. PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—In an atmosphere reeking with rage in the trial by which it hopes to send to his death Willie Brown, 16-year-old Negro boy, who was arrested on a charge of murdering a white child, Brown was picked up by Detective Murphy for no other reason than that according to his detective, "he didn't look good."

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Chicago Children Fight for Food



Part of the mass of over 2,000 children and adults, who demonstrated before the offices of the Board of Education on Congress and Boggs Sts., demanding free food for the starving children of the workers, many of whom faint in the schools.

RECRUITING DRIVE MUST BE FROM THE SHOPS

War Material Plants Must Be Reached and Factory Youth Recruited for Fight on Hunger, Terror, War. Analysis of the Results between Pittsburgh and Chicago—in the period from January 15th to March 15th.

PITTSBURGH. Recruited 19 new members. Approximately 90 Unemployed. 19 were young Negroes. 23 were recruited from Metal and Steel. 12 were young miners. 3 from chemical.

CHICAGO. Recruited 194 new members. 108 were unemployed. ONLY 14 were young Negroes. 13 were recruited from Metal and Steel. 1 from the railroads. 1 from Packing.

THIS SHOWS THAT THE RECRUITING DRIVE IN CHICAGO IS NOT ORIENTED IN THE DIRECTION of plugging the struggle and work in the shops as the main task in connection with the recruiting drive. It means that the CHICAGO Y. C. L. is not correctly answering the struggle against war, which is here and many any day involve the working youth in the United States.

DETROIT WELFARE BUCK; JOBLESS YOUTH FORCE ACTION. DETROIT.—The Welfare Agency tried to forestall the fight of the Detroit youth on March 28th by immediate relief by the plan of no subsidies to deal with their special demand. The Welfare Agency also appointed for the unemployed youth delegates to the "Blue Shirt" Ballroom in the downtown Detroit.

Benjamins Rubber Workers Co. Cuts Wages

BOSSSES OF WAR INDUSTRY PLANT DRIVE SOUTH

Is Fourth Cut In Year; More to Come Unless Workers Organize

NEWARK, N. J., for the fourth time since last April the bosses of the Benjamins Rubber Co. have cut the wages of their workers. The company has cut the wages of its workers in the month of March, and it is expected to do so again in the month of April. This is the fourth cut in wages in one year. The workers are being forced to work under a terrible speed-up plan. They are being driven under a terrible speed-up plan. They are being driven under a terrible speed-up plan. They are being driven under a terrible speed-up plan. They are being driven under a terrible speed-up plan.

Negro Youth in Charlotte Work All Day for 75c

Get Groceries in Place of Money

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Negro workers slave in Charlotte for 75 cents a day for the charity for groceries. Now the city has them in a day. These workers have been told that they are no better off than they were before. They are no better off than they were before. They are no better off than they were before.

Kaysers Bosses Slash Wages of Girls More Than Half

Sometimes Forced to Work As Late As Ten Thirty at Night

NEW YORK—I am working in the Kaysers Co. several years, and would like to tell you a few things about conditions here. Several years ago we used to make up to \$5 a week. Now we make only \$3 a week. We have to work as late as 10:30 p. m. and we have to work as early as 6:30 a. m. We have to work as late as 10:30 p. m. and we have to work as early as 6:30 a. m. We have to work as late as 10:30 p. m. and we have to work as early as 6:30 a. m.

REFUSE AID TO NEGRO WORKERS

Tell Them to Find Work or Starve

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—A Negro workers, the condition of the Negro workers is not getting better unless they organize against the capitalist class. Do you not know that we are not enslaved yet? In the first place, we are not even free. In the first place, we are not even free. In the first place, we are not even free.

JIM CROW SCHOOLS IN ALABAMA CLOSED AS COUNTIES GO BROKE

BIRMINGHAM Ala.—The bosses of the U.S.A. have always boasted about the "free education" of this land.

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DETROIT COPS HOOKED UP WITH MURPHY, FORD AGAINST WORKERS

Arrested for 'Young Worker' Sale

DETROIT, Mich.—I've just returned from the juvenile detention where I've been held for my help in the fight for the young worker. I've been held for my help in the fight for the young worker. I've been held for my help in the fight for the young worker.

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KENTUCKY TRU, COLLEGE STRIKE

ONE OF LEADERS WRITES STORY FOR YOUNG WORKER

Role of National Student League in Winning Students for Working Class Struggle Stressed

ROBERT HALL, President of the Columbia University Social Problems Club, has written a story for the Young Worker magazine. He describes the role of the National Student League in winning students for the working class struggle.

NICHOLAS BUTLER

President of the National College Committee, organized by the Student League, 10 students representing about 100 students, journeyed to Bell County, Kentucky, to carry relief to the striking miners of the National Miners Union, and to study the conditions of the miners.

TRY TO FRAME NEGRO BELLHOP

Hotel Bosses Work with Police

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—In Atlanta the white hotel bosses are working with the police to frame a Negro bellhop. They are working with the police to frame a Negro bellhop. They are working with the police to frame a Negro bellhop.

GOV. LAFFOON

The National Students League entered the fight in Columbia when the Special Program Club, one of its affiliates, called a mass meeting on the steps of the library to protest the expulsion of Reed Harris, editor of the Columbia Spectator.

WILL TOUR COUNTRY

Herbert March, district organizer of the Young Communist League in Oklahoma, has shown shaking hands with Irene Hollins, wife of Jess Hollins, before she left her home of the country to join the youth in the fight to save her husband's life from the lynch hands of the bosses.

OKLAHOMA CITY NAACP JOINS IN HOLLINS FIGHT

Won Over to Int'l Labor Defense

OKLAHOMA CITY. A mass protest meeting was held here called by the joint International Labor Defense and Young Communist League. The meeting was held to support the fight for the life of Jess Hollins.

10TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION TO CARRY ON ANTI-WAR FIGHT

Several large cities have already reported on their preparations for April 22, when 10th anniversary affairs will be held throughout the country.

MASS SENDOFF FOR IRENE HOLLINS TOUR

OKLAHOMA CITY—A mass send-off for Irene Hollins, wife of Jess Hollins, was held here on Saturday, March 25, in honor of the Negro Jim Crow section of the Oklahoma City.

MASS PRESSURE GETS RELIEF FOR 'YOUTH AT BRONX' AID BUREAU

NEW YORK, N. Y.—The necessity of using mass pressure to get any relief from the 'Youth at Bronx' Aid Bureau was again illustrated when a young worker was denied help from the bureau. The bureau was denied help from the bureau.

INTERNATIONAL WORKERS BAZAAR

WORKERS' MASS A Bazaar will be held in the city on Saturday, April 15, to raise funds for the Young Communist League.

THE YOUNG WORKER IS THE LEADER'S BEST INSTRUMENT

Although a politician was called to the attention of the Young Communist League by the mass of workers, the mass of workers, to hold a mass Young Communist League.

ARRANGE SCOTTSDORO MOONEY STREET RUNS

Demand Release of Nine Negro Boys from Hands Off Lynch Mad Bosses

NEW YORK.—Rallying to the campaign of the International Labor Defense in its fight against Negro oppression in the United States and for the release of class war prisoners, the National Counter Olympic Committee...

BASEBALL SEASON IS PREPARED BY MID-ATLANTIC L. S. U.

By J. NOVACK PHILADELPHIA The Labor Sports Union of the Mid-Atlantic is actively getting prepared for the coming base ball season. The Labor Sports Union Base Ball League is having its first conference for the formation of the League this season...

34 Track and Field Events at Workers Int'l Meet List 13 Special Events for Women and Junior Worker Athletes

NEW YORK.—Athletes competing in the International Workers Athletic Meet in Chicago next summer will have 34 separate track and field events to enter, according to the National Counter-Olympic Committee, 719 Broadway.

The committee is in charge of all arrangements for the Chicago meet, which will be a counter-meet to the boss Leo Amick's Olympic games. The senior men's events offer the greatest appeal to participants. Twenty-one events are listed, ranging from a 100-meter low hurdles; running high jump; running broad jump; hop, step and jump; pole vault; discus throw; javelin throw; 12-pound shot put; 15-pound hammer throw; 400-meter team relay; modified marathon (approximately 18 miles); and a pentathlon consisting of the 100-meter dash, 200-meter dash, javelin throw, 200-meter dash; discus throw and a 1,500-meter run.

Watch for Expose

The Young Worker will carry a series of articles exposing the "deceit" of the press. The expulsion of Reed Harris from Columbia University came about after professional "manipulation" partly because of his fight against professionalism.

NEW SPORT AND PLAY OFF PRESS; MANY NEW FEATURES

The April number of the NEW SPORT AND PLAY, official organ of the Labor Sports Union of America, devoted mainly to the Counter-Olympic Campaign, appears today in a bigger and better format containing articles on various phases of the Olympic games of interest to all workers sportsmen.

Many Features. Featured articles by St. Geront, Robert Smith and Max Gordon expose the financial racket involved in the recent winter sports Olympic games at Lake Placid. Discrimination against Negroes on the sports field, and the great advances made by the Soviet Union in the field of Physical Culture activities. A short story, "Bulluck O'Haley," by Neil De LaBelle, an expose of the part played by the war department in the professional boxing racket.

Increased Size. The size of the magazine has been increased from two to three columns, providing for more material and illustrations. Subscription rates are fifty cents a year. There are 20 per cent discounts on bundle orders over 25 copies. The magazine may be ordered from the business manager: Alma Lee, 35 E. 12th St., N. Y. C.

Bosses Bar Negro Athletes

By ROBERT SMITH (From April issue of "Sport and Play") Dave Myers, football and track star of New York University, was kept out of the N.Y.U.-Georgia game by an agreement between the officials of the two schools. That Myers was not permitted to play because he is a Negro was afterward admitted by the coaches of the competing teams. N.Y.U. officials tried to cover up this fact with the lame excuse of "illness" which even Myers himself admitted.

SOVIET WOMAN ATHLETE



This healthy girl is a champion all jumper in a Moscow factory winter sport team. Like all girl workers she participates as an equal with men in all sports in the U.S.S.R.

Eliminations Start for International Meet

Negro, Worker, Student Teams Take Part in City-Wide Tournaments

NEW YORK.—Elimination events preparatory to the International Workers Athletic Meet to be held in Chicago on July 29, 30, 31 and August 1, are under way throughout the country.

Reports from Oakland, California, state that a basketball league, in which two Negro teams and a team from the University of California at Berkeley are taking part, has already completed part of its schedule.

Pittsburgh, following its Tom Mooney street run, will be the scene of a district track and field elimination meet and a basketball tournament. Teams from many of the small mining and steel towns in the district are expected to participate in both of these events.

A letter from the Mid-Atlantic District, with headquarters in Philadelphia, states that dates have already been fixed for the district Olympic meets and a district elimination track and field meet.

Cleveland Capone Kenner in Cleveland, according to recent communications, a basketball league in which 25 teams are expected to participate is being organized. In addition to the senior track and field meets a Junior Carnival, for athletes under 16 years of age, will be held.

HARLEM YOUTH RALLIED FOR SCOTTSDORO DEFENSE

Campaign To Be Brought Into Factories and Homes of Unemployed Youth

NEW YORK.—In answer to the harsh decision of the Supreme Court of Alabama that seven of the nine Scottsboro boys shall die on May 13, a shock troop to rally the mass of young Negro workers in Harlem for support of the Scottsboro boys has been formed of 12 Y. C. L. members.

On Sunday, April 24th, a mass youth mobilization will be held at Lafayette Hall, 131st Street and 7th Avenue, at 7 p.m., to begin a real united front movement to induce masses of Negro and white youth for immediate action in the struggle to save the framed-up boys.

At the same time petitions will be circulated demanding the immediate release of the Scottsboro boys. On Saturday, April 23rd, a large number of mass meetings will be held in Harlem, at the Y. C. L. building, 153rd Street and Lenox Avenue.

The preparations for May Day, the mobilization of the youth for struggle against imperialist war, the first steps for the holding of a successful Second National Youth Day—all this requires that the "Young Worker," the only militant organ of the fighting youth, be spread far and wide in the ranks of the working youth.

"The 'Young Worker' is faced with great financial difficulties. In order to appear regularly as a weekly, it needs tremendous material support that will assure and guarantee its weekly appearance. It is needed to reach the young workers in the shop, it must become a powerful instrument in mobilizing the young workers for the May Day and for Second National Youth Day.

Our aim is at least 1000 new subscriptions. Almost 8,000 new recruits have been gotten recently for the Y. C. L. We must teach them to become steady readers and subscribers to their own paper.

It is important that the Y.C.L. membership be well prepared and go into the drive with full force. "The Soviet Union stands for Peace," the great speech made by Comrade Litvinov, representative of the Soviet Union at Geneva, shows the peace policy of the Soviet Union and the war plans of the capitalist nations. One cent pamphlet.

YOUNG WORKER ADMITS THAT TO COMMUNISM HARLEM YOUTH TURN

Offers American Bosses Services to Win Youth for War on U.S.S.R.

NEW YORK.—Trembling with fear that 'Communism will rule in Europe, and, possibly, most of the remainder of the civilized world if the depression continues a great deal longer', Miss Corbett, Miss M. M. M. M., world president of the Young Women's Christian Association arrived in New York last week.

PEACE MASK IS TORN AWAY FROM PACIFISTS

NEW YORK.—The real hypocrisy of the whole disarmament proceeding at Geneva behind whose cloak the bosses are preparing to hurt the working youth along with the rest. On Thursday, April 22nd, at which time the entire downtown and Bronx members of the League will be mobilized.



of the working class into a new imperialist world slaughter was made clear and unmistakable in the speech of Premier Faidou of France at the French imperialist, exploits the whole myth of pacifism and shows that the preparations for broadening the attack upon the Chinese masses into an attack upon the Soviet Union are being made under cover of the various pacifist and disarmament conferences.

A. A. U. Openly Supports Jim Crow; Admits It In Official Letter

Only Counter Olympic Committees and Labor Sports Union Fight Jim Crow, Hold Scottsboro Street Runs

"Negroes are not permitted to compete with white men in the sport of chess." This is not from a Communist leaflet. This is out of the mouth of L. Di Benedetto, secretary-treasurer of the Southern Association of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, so-called "ruling body" of amateur sports in the U.S.A.

Read the "gentleman's" letter. It says almost precisely what the National Counter Olympic Committee and the Labor Sports Union of America stated about the Olympic Games and the Amateur Athletic Union months ago. It proves exactly what the YOUNG WORKER stated editorially a long time. What (Continued on Page 3)

CHICAGO YOUTH PREPARE FOR CLASS STRIKE AGAINST HUNGER MARCH OF THE Y.C.L. Frame of Husband, Jess

WILL DEMONSTRATE WITH ADULTS FOR RELIEF, JOBS

Negro, Mexican Youth, Girls Especially Exposed in Stockyards
CHICAGO, Ill.—The Hunger March to the stockyards on April 19 will be one of the most powerful steps in the fight of the unemployed youth of Chicago against the hunger and terror program of the bosses.

The following demands are being put up by the young workers who together with the adults will participate in the march: Immediate relief for young and old workers, equal wages for equal work for the youth, two five minute rest periods every day for girl and women workers, young boys from 18-21 not to load heavy trucks, dressing and dining rooms to be built at once, reading rooms and games to be made available for all stockyards and 16 to 17-year old children not to work in their place. The conditions of the young Mexican workers are very bad. They were imported under false promises and now, with the tremendous unemployment, the bosses are trying to deport them. Young unemployed Negro, Mexican and white workers! Join the Packing-house Workers Unemployed Club. Bring young stockyard workers to the Packing-house Industrial Workers Union! Support the Stockyard Hunger March on April 19!

MILLER CHOSEN DELEGATE TO SOVIET UNION

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At a time when the imperialists are carrying on openly provocative attacks upon the Soviet Union in preparation for armed war against it, the delegation to the Soviet Union will express the solidarity of the American working class youth with the Soviet workers.
In addition, the I. W. O. has pledged to recruit 1,500 new workers by May 1st, news of which is to be sent to the delegation in Moscow.

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The Y.W.C.A.-A Friend of Whom?

(By a Young Worker Correspondent)
I am a member of the largest branch of the Y.W.C.A. in my town. One day I was asked what I was to live there. I was told that a single room was \$1 a week, not including board. You had to be over 25 years of age and I had to make a check. This is a definite discrimination against young workers. It not only excludes young unemployed workers, but also the relief which should be made available to them.

Preparations for State Hunger March on in Mass.

Mass Meeting To Be Held in Roxbury; Mayor Curley Challenged to Debate Benjamin On Unemployment
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Admit Millions of Children in U. S. Disabled

WASHINGTON.—Almost a week after the wife of the artist, Edward Curran states that a Soviet child was among the healthiest and the most brilliant had seen now, with the tremendous unemployment, the bosses are trying to deport them. Young unemployed Negro, Mexican and white workers! Join the Packing-house Workers Unemployed Club. Bring young stockyard workers to the Packing-house Industrial Workers Union! Support the Stockyard Hunger March on April 19!

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Tells of Background of Misery Among Croppers

Calls for United Negro and White Youth Fight Against Lynch Terror
The following letter was written specially for the "Young Worker" by Irene Hollins, wife of Jess Hollins, young Negro sharecropper sentenced to die on a frame-up lynch charge of rape. Irene is now touring the country, to mobilize the youth in defense of Hollins and for the fight on boss terror against the Negro youth. Together with the Southern Negro, Jess Hollins has become a mighty challenge to the working youth Negro and white. The fight to save them is a fight against the whole reign of lynch terror, instigated by the bosses in an attempt to crush the unified struggle of white and black young workers.

Dear Comrades:
I have been asked to write you telling of the conditions of the Negro sharecroppers and farmers in the South. I am a young Negro, 22 years old, living in the South. I have nothing to depend on, as the Negro farmer does not let the working people have credit until the farmers have their crops platted. They have to put up for what they need for their families.

My husband was arrested the night of the 15th of 1932. We were in bed at the time. The gang told Jess not to be afraid, that they were not going to hurt him. Jess told them that he was afraid of them but he wanted to help them and they were taking him. But they did not tell him.

The next morning a gang and the came to our home to take my husband. I asked them when Jess was going to have a trial and they would not tell me. The gang was taking me to our home but she could not attend the trial of Jess. They told me that I could come to the trial but they were not going to let me go. They were taking me to the trial but they were not going to let me go.

I told that I would. The next week I was taken to the trial. The judge said that I was guilty of rape. The judge said that I was guilty of rape. The judge said that I was guilty of rape. The judge said that I was guilty of rape.

2 Y. C. L. MEMBERS SENTENCED FOR SEDITION
PHILADELPHIA, Pa. — Harry Roth, aged 22, and John Adams, aged 21, were convicted by a jury composed of business men and lawyers in Meigs, Pa., of "seditious" acts for their part in the formation of the Y. C. L. in Philadelphia. Adams was given an indeterminate sentence in the reformatory at Philadelphia, Pa.

ATTENTION! League Members
The N.E.C. of the Young Communist League announces the official opening of a wide discussion of the ranks of the League on the basis of the recent resolution of the Y.C.L. in the American branch.

5000 DETROIT STUDENTS IN DEMONSTRATION
Many of them are hungry and walk miles to school not being able to pay the street car ferry. Many of them had to quit the college altogether on account of the fact that it was impossible for their parents to pay the tuition and other expenses. The cost of tuition and other expenses for the city students is \$100 for the city students.

Fighting Against High Tuition Fees
The National Students League is holding another mass protest meeting for American youth at the large Campus in front of the school. The authorities and the bosses in the city are trying to stop them. They have tried to stop them by sending in their own police and army troops.

CELEBRATE 10th YCL ANNIVERSARY IN CHICAGO ON APRIL 22nd
CHICAGO, Ill.—April 22, marking the Tenth anniversary of the Young Communist League in the United States, will be celebrated by the youth in Chicago with a mass anti-war demonstration in front of the city hall at the Bryn Mawr Temple. The demonstration will be held on April 22nd.

Soviet Young Workers On Their Vacation



This photo was taken in a summer camp to which the Soviet working youth go on their annual fall vacation. Their career holiday spirit is a result of the fact that they know there is no fear of unemployment, hunger and boss terror under the dictatorship of the proletariat in the Soviet Union. In place of paid vacations, young workers in the United States get unemployment, wage cuts and a misery comparable to a living death as the crisis grows worse every month.

THE Y. C. L. RECRUITING DRIVE

The results in the recruiting drive from January 15 to March 31 show 213 new recruits. This total is only 60 per cent of the goal of 350 new recruits that was aimed for in the drive.

Below are listed the totals from each district, and to what degree the districts have carried out their original goals each district set out for. The results indicating the employed membership must be considered as a serious danger in the present recruiting of the Y.C.L. The unemployed bulk recruited plus the students show the basic weakness in the composition recruited for the Y.C.L. during this drive.

The organization of only 17 shop units is a dangerous sign reflecting the lack of shop activity and League organization in the shop and the activity for the youth.

When such basic districts as Chicago and Detroit do not organize a single shop unit in the course of two months, we must sound the alarm and raise it before the entire membership.

In closing the recruiting drive, on the April 22, 10th anniversary of the Y.C.L. in the activity and for the SECOND NATIONAL Youth Day, our emphasis must be on recruiting from the shops and developing our main work around the shops, from which the main mobilization and results should flow.

PITTSBURGH YOUTH "SPEED BANNER" AFTER HAVING "SLOW BANNER"
Pittsburgh Y.C.L. received the "Speed Banner" from Detroit, who could not hold it when Pittsburgh got started. Not only has Pittsburgh speeded up recruiting, but came across with two min. and one shop units in a steel mill. They were after the employed young workers in the shops outside the steel mill.

District	Total	Unemployed	Employed	Shop	P. C. P. C.
Boston	120	9	54	37	24
New York	202	25	139	91	52
Philadelphia	181	44	91	67	35
Buffalo	20	2	16	10	25
Pittsburgh	145	21	53	28	38
Cleveland	184	16	108	45	11
Detroit	133	—	128	4	4
Chicago	278	29	154	55	79
Minneapolis	297	2	103	81	7
Kansas	32	8	17	8	22
Toledo	11	1	5	15	5
Seattle	76	0	57	11	64
California	73	5	41	25	9
Columbus	11	1	16	20	37
Charlotte	61	31	49	9	10
Birmingham	11	0	8	—	—
Denver	119	2	96	17	5
TOTALS	2123	290	1256	462	362

Five per cent of the recruits were recruited as disturbed youth.
Thirteen shop units were organized, distributed amongst the following districts:
Boston—2, New York—2, Pittsburgh—4, Cleveland—1, Minneapolis—1, Kansas—1, Seattle—1.
There still is time to reach the original goal of 3500 for April 22, the bulk of the recruits organized and coming from shops. Let us put the Drive over top through the activity and energy of every Y.C.L. member.

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Ten Years of the Y. C. L.
A Milestone in the Path of Working Class Youth Struggle

THE 10th Anniversary of the Young Communist League is an anniversary of ten years of struggle for the organization of the working youth of America.

It takes place against the background of the worst crisis which capitalism has ever experienced, against a background of roaring guns in battle-torn China, against the masses into open persecution against the Soviet Union, in preparation for a renewed attack upon it, against a background of increasing hunger and terror against the youth.

The ten years through which the Young Communist League has gone are ripe with lessons for the whole revolutionary youth movement. From the sporadic organizational beginnings with a predominant student leaning in the Young Peoples Socialist League, the Young Communist League has advanced to the point where it already has a history of participation in some of the mightiest struggles of the American working class.

The ten years are not ones of achievement alone. The League has made as still making serious mistakes, still has serious shortcomings, still carries upon its back too much of the heritage of the past—sectarianism and isolation from the masses of the youth.

The tasks set by the Young Communist League are set not by its age but by the objective situation in which it finds itself. The fight against hunger and imperialism must be must run like a red thread through all of its work. The key task in the fulfillment of these historic obligations is the unshakeable rooting of the Young Communist League among the masses of the youth in the factories.

The Anniversary spirit of the Young Communist League to itself and to the unshakable working class youth must be a mass League, strident in struggle, firm and uncompromising in intolerance toward all deviations either from the right or "left", from the path of struggle marked out for it by the Communist International, Young Communist International and Communist Party.

In fulfilling the 10th Anniversary of the League, we halt the determination of the League to break its shell of isolation, to penetrate the factories, to step forward as the unmistakable leader of the working youth, to march forward to the building of a mass Young Communist League!

Cox and the Elections
For A Program of Struggle Against A Program of Treachery

The capitalist class uses not only the hangman but the priest as well in its fight against the working-class; not only the weapon of terror but also of deception.

It is now consciously putting forward the soothsayer for American imperialism, the Reverend Father Cox as the misleader of the unemployed millions in the United States. This saintly hypocrite who has a long record of black treachery to the working-class behind him is now announcing himself as candidate for presidency on an "unemployment ticket."

The capitalist press, which refuses to print a single line about the real extent of suffering among the unemployed, has reams of paper to flounce and disfigure the *Evening Columns* have been printed in it the Cox election convention to be held in St. Louis some time in August.

This convention as well as the publicity which the bosses give to Cox is nothing but an attempt to turn the eyes of the masses away from the real fight which the Unemployed Councils, Communist Party and Young Communist League are putting up for full social and unemployment insurance to be paid by the bosses and the government.

The same demagogic stunt was resorted to when Cox led his disgustingly hypocritical "hunger march" to Washington in the effort to offset the historic militant Hunger March led by the Unemployed Councils.

The organization by Cox of the unemployed youth into the Blue Shirts is nothing but an effort to build up organizational forms for a fascist body. The hunger colony conducted by Cox in Pitts-burgh has been exposed as nothing more than another farcical attempt to continue in the Salvation Army. The same traditional policy by means of

10 Years of the Y. C. L.—10 Years of Struggle By BARD



ROOT YCL IN SHOPS

By JACK KLING.
Today, when war is already on in the Far East, the question of imperialist attacks upon the Soviet Union is an immediate danger facing the whole working class. As part of the mass preparations, the attacks against youth are increasing. Wage cuts are again being put over by the U. S. Steel, by the American Woolen Co., etc.
In view of the above, it becomes especially necessary more than ever before, to break the present sectarianism of the League, to get inside the shops, build grievance committees in the shops and shop nuclei. This is the burning question before the whole League.
However, we see that the Boston District, like the other districts, has no orientation toward work inside the shops, in the building of grievance committees, and shop nuclei. The responsibility for the failure to orientate the whole League toward the shops rests on the League leadership nationally and in the District. This is shown in the following:
1. In a number of places, the slogan to the League membership, "Every League member work where you are," was issued without consideration of the fact that the League membership was not inside the shops but consisted mainly of unemployed, students and comrades working in shops and stores. The result was that the League membership did not orientate to work inside the shops.
2. In all the directives of the National office to the Districts, and from the Districts to the Units, we said: "Recruit youth from the shops among the unemployed and from the Youth organizations."
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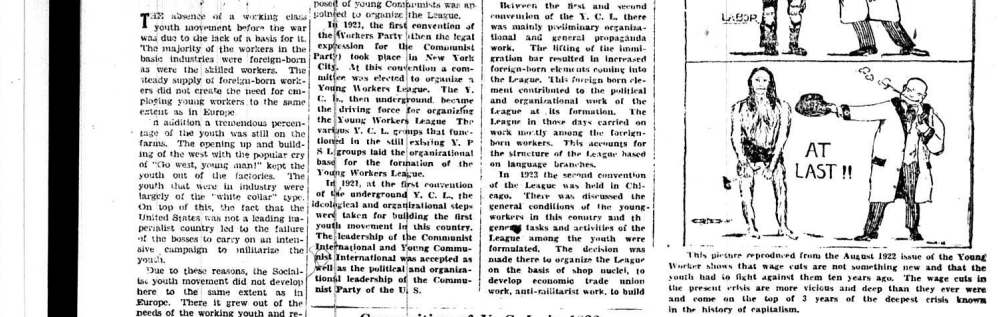


TEN YEARS OF THE LEAGUE

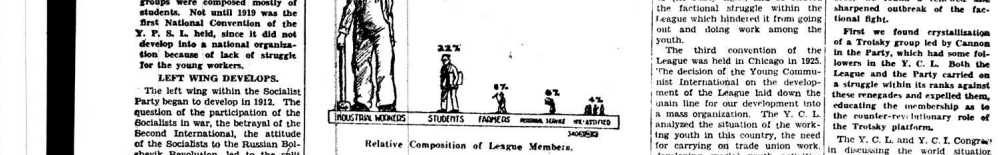
Editor's Note: The following is a brief sketch of the revolutionary history of the Young Communist League. It does not touch on a great many important problems which must be studied in order to properly draw the political lessons from the activity of the Young Communist League. In this connection, the comrades should read the series of articles appearing under the heading "Ten Years of the League" in the next installment of which will appear next week.

Y. C. L. Formed.
The formation of the Young Communist League in November, 1923, and the unification of the Communist Party were led by the formation of the Young Communist League in 1923. At the Daily Convention of the Communist Party held in 1923, it was decided to organize a Y. C. L. as a youth organization of young Communists was announced to organize the League.

PRELIMINARY WORK.
Between the first and second convention of the Y. C. L., there was mainly preliminary organizational and general propaganda work. The holding of the 1923 convention had resulted in increased foreign-born elements coming into the League. This increase was due mostly to the political and organizational work of the League at its formation. The League in those days carried on work mostly among the foreign-born workers in the shops. In 1924, the second convention of the League was held in Chicago. There was discussed the general concerns of the young workers in this country and the general tasks and activities of the League among the young workers. The decision was made there to organize the League as a mass organization, to build up a mass organization of young workers, to develop economic trade union work, anti-militarist work, to build



Composition of Y. C. L. in 1923



The above illustration is reproduced from the October 1923 issue of the Young Worker when it was still appearing in magazine form. In comparative style it gives a good picture of the social composition of the League at that time.

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ACTIVITIES WEAK.
Between the second and third convention, the activities of the League were very weak. During this time the Labor Party question was being discussed in the Party. The League took an active part in the discussion and thus gave itself a clearer idea of how to carry on its work. It was around this question that two organized groups were formed in the party. In the League, each Party group had its followers. Even after the Communist International made its decision on the question, the League took political positions, still it was drawn in only a "tail end" to the Party fight, and so started the factional struggle within the League which has continued ever since and doing work among the youth.

The third convention of the League was held in Chicago in 1925. The decision of the Young Communist International on the development of the League laid down the main line for our development into a mass organization. The Y. C. L. analyzed the situation of the working youth in this country, the need for carrying on trade union work, developing special youth activities to attract American young workers, the need for a mass organization. This decision was very important, for it helped create clarity and develop activity.

This period may be characterized as the beginning of mass activity and a starting of special youth activity. The first youth conferences took place in New York, East Ohio and Philadelphia. The League took active part in the Passaic textile strike, the New York City clothing strike, the Labor Party question, the Lovestones in New York, took the first step for the reorganization of the League, the Lovestones group, formed the Labor Sports Union and established several clubs, etc.

Both groups carried on an unprincipled factional fight which had the League into two and which was the chief cause for the young workers leaving the Party. The Y. C. L. was not their place.

After the fifth Convention of the Party, held in March, 1926, the Communist International discussed the situation in the American Party. It was decided that the Lovestones group, formed the Labor Sports Union and established several clubs, etc.



Part of Quartermen Face Starvation

8 Out of 65 in Negro Regiment are Employed

Get Neither Relief Nor Paychecks from National Guard

NEW YORK.—We are members of the 359th, the only Negro regiment in the State of New York. Most of us are totally unemployed, a few work for the government. (Post office city, etc.), the rest get a few hours work once in a blue moon. In our company we are only 12 men.

UNEMPLOYMENT HITS YOUNG FARMERS; TAX BURDEN GROWS

GEORGE. Wis.—I have never written in the "Young Farmer" before, but I don't believe one has to be a writer in order to tell of conditions here.

The IWW try to tell us that these times have existed and that we are sitting on top of the world and have nothing to kick about, but we farmers know better and can't be fooled.

We know that I had to meet our expenses. These continue high while the price of farm products kept falling lower and lower. An example because they were unable to pay their taxes, many more have this situation to look forward to.

PROTEST AGAINST KY. AND DETROIT MURDERERS KEEP POURING IN

Telegrams have been received from the Youth Section of the Communist Party in Chicago, New York, Chicago, North Dakota, the Young Communist League of Pittsburgh, Ohio, Detroit, Young Communist League in Raymond, Mont., the Young Communist League in New York, the Young Communist League in Washington, D.C., and many others.

Kayser Bosses Try Bluff Young Workers; Cut Pay Must Organize to Prevent Mass Lay-Off and Further Wage Cuts

A Worker Correspondent

I would like to report something that happened just recently just before noon hour Monday, one of our leaders called all the workers in to talk to them. Since it's been so very late, we must have been very busy. We were very busy with a lay-off. But something better happened.

Mr. Kayser spoke very nice words. He told us that unless they could sell the stockings cheap, they would have to lay off. We had to cut our wages in order to be able to produce cheaply and then we must have more work. We were sorry to see, but that he had no other way.

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Half of 258th Field Artillery Men Jobless

Yet Asked to Contribute Relief By Grafting Tammany Charity

NEW YORK.—In the 258th F. A., Battery E, there is posted on the bulletin board, a notice issued by the Emergency Relief Bureau, asking the citizens of the city to help the unemployed by giving, at the old clothes, shoes, etc., which cannot be used so that they can be given to the unemployed. What a joke! They are asking us men from the guard to contribute to help the unemployed through the winter. The way most of us are living, it will soon be necessary to help the men from the guard through the winter.

CATHOLIC HOSPITAL IN DULUTH IS REAL SWEAT SHOP

DULUTH, Minn.—One of the Duluth hospitals, St. Mary's, which is a Catholic institution, is a real sweat shop. All or most of the workers are young girls and a few young men are employed there.

YOUTH YOUTH INTO NAVY

DETROIT.—A young worker, L. J. Smith, and his father, were discriminated against in the Navy. The father was told to join the navy in order to get relief. This is what the bosses are doing to force the youth into the army and into the navy.

Pleasantwood League Training School Concluded

PLEASANTWOOD, Pa.—The first Y.C.L. training school of District No. 11 held at Pleasantwood proved a huge success. Many of the students will be working in the school.

This Rotten System

By Charlotte Johnson

The times down here are very tight. The boss class just won't let us fight.

Pitt. Terminal Pickers and Loaders Do Forced Labor

Those Refusing Are Fired; Ruling Affects Mostly Young Miners

AVELLA, Pa.—At the P. and W. mine No. 9 of the Pittsburgh Terminal Coal Co., the boys on the pickers and loaders are being treated very badly.

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MINES SHUT, TAXES HIGH —FARMERS TO FACE STARVATION

CRYSTAL FALLS, Mich.—Conditions here are going from bad to worse. Another mine is about to close down if they don't receive an advance. But what of it? The wages they get now are scarcely enough for food.

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★DRAMA—MOVIES★

SOVIET TALKIE "GOLDEN MOUNTAINS"

Sergei Yutkevitch's "Golden Mountains," the first Russian directed, "talkie" against the strict stylistic method of film making which marked the Soviet film.

★DRAMA—MOVIES★

Alma, young native of Turkmenistan, who plays the chief role in "The Black Star," new Soviet film now in its first American showing at the Acme Theatre.

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"Bondsman," a drama of Russia in 1818, will have its first showing at the Acme Theatre, 14th St. and Union St., this Saturday.

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COX AND THE ELECTIONS

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which Cox broke the taxi drivers strike in Philadelphia is behind the organization of the Unemployed Party. As against the working-class policy of the privately damaged Cox, the Young Communist League calls upon the working-class youth to support the fighting program of the Communist Party and Young Communist League.

The Communist Party and Young Communist League places these main demands before the starving masses as its program for the coming year:

- 1.—Unemployment and social insurance at the expense of the State and employers.
- 2.—Against Hoover's wage cutting policy.
- 3.—Emergency relief without restrictions by the government and banks, for the poor farmers, the victims of poor harvest, high taxes, and from forced collection of debts.
- 4.—Equal rights for the Negroes and self-determination for the Black Belt.
- 5.—Against capitalist terror; against all forms of suppression of the political rights of workers.
- 6.—Against imperialist war for the defense of the Chinese people and of the Soviet Union.

THREE PAMPHLETS YOUNG WORKERS MUST READ AND POPULARIZE

History of May Day, by A. Trachtenberg, 10 cents.
What is going on now in China, by M. James and H. Boustead, 10 cents.
Free the Imperial Valley Prisoners, by the International Labor Defense, 5 cents.

Do you know that May Day, International day of solidarity of workers, has its historic origin in America? Did you know that "History of May Day" is a pamphlet very much needed now. The prisoners may be paroled some time around May Day. But that only means that new dangers beset them, and some of them face deportation to fascist countries.

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AAU OPENLY SUPPORTS JIM CROW

ADMITS IT IN OFFICIAL LETTER ON QUESTION

Only Counter-Olympic Committee and L.S.U. Fight Jim-Crowism in Sports

more is needed than the above letter to prove the Jim Crow character of the AAU and the Olympic games? Read the letter yourself:

Dear Sir: In reply to your letter of the 8th Negroes are not permitted to compete with white men and women in the South. About Negroes being permitted to compete in the pools for the Olympic games. Yes, I suggest that you write Mr. Daniel J. Ferris (National Secretary-Treasurer of the Amateur Athletic Union - S. G. regarding a more definite reply to this question. Mr. Ferris writes in the Woolworth building, New York.

There is very little competitive swimming for colored people in the South. However, we have a strictly colored playground pool in New Orleans on one of our playgrounds and annually we promote A MEET FOR COLORED SWIMMERS ONLY. The general attitude in the South, AND THIS DOES NOT APPLY ONLY TO THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION, but to all questions where Negroes are AGAINST COMPETITIVE ATHLETICS OF ANY KIND BETWEEN BLACKS AND WHITES.

Yours truly, (Signed) L. DI BENEDETTO, Secretary, AAU supports Scottsboro Lynchers.

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Negro Athletes Should Fight Oppression. There is only one sport movement in the United States in which Negro and white athletes may compete on an equal basis. This is the Labor Sports Union of America.

SCOTTSBORO RUN 1693 Athletes Represented At E. District Convention

NEW YORK. — This Saturday, April 18, at 3 p.m. will see scores of workers athletes from many organizations make their protest against the decision of the Supreme Court of Alabama condemning to death the Scottsboro boys and will be led against the fake investigations of the Tom Mooney case.

This will be a two-mile street run in Harlem following the route of the Scottsboro boys. The route will go to 110th Street, west to Lenox Ave. (south to 110th Street). The wind-up will be at the Scottsboro demonstration called by the United Front Scottsboro Defense Committee.

Scores of entries already in include such prominent workers athletes as: Inner Prim, former "booster" Amateur Athletic Union star and record holder; also Willie Duff, a Negro worker athlete who represented the American worker sports at the Spartakade (International) workers athletic meet in 1930. Ben Tucker, winner of the last Tom Mooney street run, may compete. Many workers clubs as a body will enter the race to show their protest against these attacks against the workers.

Waukegan Counter Olympic Basketball Eliminations

WAUKEGAN. — The Counter Olympic Committee here had a successful Open Sectional Counter Olympic Basketball Tournament at Workers Hall March 29, 30 and April 1, in which 12 teams participated. This was an elimination tournament for the district finals at Chicago, April 14 and 15.

The tournament was won by the St. Anthony Bulldogs, who opposed the Into A. C. team in the final game which ended with the score 27 to 38. Gold basketballs were awarded to winning team. The Bulldogs will go to the District finals in Chicago.

SOVIET CHILDREN AT PLAY

YOUNGSTOWN, O. — The United Front Committee of the Labor Sports Union and the International Labor Defense have arranged a Pro Tom Mooney Street Run to be held in Youngstown on April 22.

WORK IN ROTE IN IRONWOOD. IRONWOOD, Mich. The Ironwood Unit of the Y.C.L. has been very weak but lately it has made some gains forward. Six new members have been recruited lately.

The Soviet Union begins to build up the bodies of its children at an early age. In the capitalist countries the children are forced into the factories. In the land of Socialist Construction there is no child labor. Instead the workers' government maintains each child until it is able to go to

WAR MOVES ON SOVIETS SHARPEN

Reach the Stage of Armed Attack on Soviet Citizens

Red Office Raided White Guards Being Recruited for War on Soviet Union

The war moves of the capitalist countries against the Soviet Union have reached the stage of actual attack against Soviet citizens in Manchuria. The frustrated efforts of the Japanese bosses, supported by America, France, Great Britain and other capitalist countries, provoke the Soviet Union took the form last week of a bloody attack upon the Soviet manager, Kuznetsov, of the Chinese Eastern railroad and the ransacking of his offices.

The actual attack was carried out by White Guards with the full support of the Japanese. The troops of the Japanese puppet state in Manchuria looked on approvingly while 400 White Guards carried through their attack on Kuznetsov. When he escaped in an automobile, the White Guard band raided the Chinese Eastern Railroad offices with the Japanese controlled troops still doing nothing to stop or arrest the white guards.

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TOM MOONEY RUN IN STEEL CITY

YOUNGSTOWN, O. — The United Front Committee of the Labor Sports Union and the International Labor Defense have arranged a Pro Tom Mooney Street Run to be held in Youngstown on April 22.

WORK IN ROTE IN IRONWOOD. IRONWOOD, Mich. The Ironwood Unit of the Y.C.L. has been very weak but lately it has made some gains forward. Six new members have been recruited lately.

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DEMONSTRATE AGAINST BOSS WAR MAY FIRST

Protest the Scottsboro Lynch Verdict and Terror on Youth

Tens of thousands of young workers all over the country are rallying to the call of the various United Front May Day committees in which the Communist Party and Young Communist League play a leading part.



On this day, together with the adult workers, the exploited youth, Negro and white, will thunder forth their protest against the war that is now raging against the Chinese masses, against the war moves on the Soviet Union against the lynch mobs which engulfed in the case of the Scottsboro boys, and against the entire system of starvation and terror which the bosses are subjecting the masses of the workers.

Demagogue in Union Square. Here, it is expected, the Young Communist League will be packed to the overflowing with workers whose mass pressure forced the city police to grant a permit for the demonstration at the last moment.

American Factories Turned Into Munitions Plants

50,000 Tons of Deadly Nitrates Shipped to Japan from U. S. Ports

More and more information is being revealed to the public regarding the colossal exportation by the American bosses to the attacks of the Japanese and white guard troops on the Soviet Union and the Chinese people, and their preparations for taking part in the war themselves.

Over 18 ships loaded with nitrates left the two ports of Norfolk and Newport News, Va., during the months of January and February alone. These nitrates were produced in the large nitrate plant at Hopewell, Va. They are the principal ingredient in explosives and munitions of the most deadly sort.

Recently one of the workers got a pay check of 8 cents. This is how to actual life, the lie about the reform of prosperity with war is being refuted.

When they work. Three weeks ago 250 workers were laid off. The 200 workers in the foundry department work only 3 days a week. In all departments, especially departments 6, 10, 28 and 50, wages are being cut to the bone. Although spending as much as 20 cents a day for carfare, the workers receive from 20 cents to \$2.50 a day.

AAU OPENLY SUPPORTS JIM CROW

ADMITS IT IN OFFICIAL LETTER ON QUESTION

Only Counter-Olympic Committee and L.S.U. Fight Jim-Crowism in Sports

more is needed than the above letter to prove the Jim Crow character of the AAU and the Olympic games? Read the letter yourself:

Dear Sir: In reply to your letter of the 8th Negroes are not permitted to compete with white men and women in the South. About Negroes being permitted to compete in the pools for the Olympic games. Yes, I suggest that you write Mr. Daniel J. Ferris (National Secretary-Treasurer of the Amateur Athletic Union - S. G. regarding a more definite reply to this question. Mr. Ferris writes in the Woolworth building, New York.

There is very little competitive swimming for colored people in the South. However, we have a strictly colored playground pool in New Orleans on one of our playgrounds and annually we promote A MEET FOR COLORED SWIMMERS ONLY. The general attitude in the South, AND THIS DOES NOT APPLY ONLY TO THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION, but to all questions where Negroes are AGAINST COMPETITIVE ATHLETICS OF ANY KIND BETWEEN BLACKS AND WHITES.

Yours truly, (Signed) L. DI BENEDETTO, Secretary, AAU supports Scottsboro Lynchers.

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Negro Athletes Should Fight Oppression. There is only one sport movement in the United States in which Negro and white athletes may compete on an equal basis. This is the Labor Sports Union of America.

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May Day 1932!

A Huge Mass Protest Against Hunger, Terror and Capitalist War

MAY DAY, this year especially, has the deepest meaning for the whole working class youth. Always a tradition of struggle against the hunger, war and terror program of the capitalist class, the events of the last year make these traditions of struggle a living matter. They call for the most serious mobilization of young workers from the shops and factories not only on the basis of tradition alone, but of immediate, actual necessity!

The May Day demonstrations will not be against a war—"the making." They will be against the actual war that is now going on against the whole Chinese people. They will be against the open war moves that have been committed upon the Soviet Union by the Japanese bosses and the White Guard scum of Czarist Russia.

They will be against the open recanting of White Guard officers in countries bordering the Soviet Union on the west—Czecho-Slovakia, Poland, Roumania and Yugo-Slavia. They will be against the feverish turning of American factories into war producing industries both for support of the war now waged by the Japanese capitalists and for the moment of actual participation of the American bosses in the world war against the Soviet Union.

They will, in short, be demonstrations of hatred against the actual war going on now, against the steps for broadening out this war into world attack on the Soviet Union, and for unbreakable defense of solidarity with the workers fatherland, the Soviet Union.

These demonstrations will not be against hunger as a tradition under capitalism. They will be against the starvation of 12,000,000 jobless workers and their children, brothers and sisters. They will be against such actual hunger as is revealed in the Open hearing reported in another column in the YOUNG WORKER. They will be against the horrible pangs of actual starvation such as the governors of 39 states tried to deny but which is everyday being experienced on all sides.

The masses of workers, especially the young workers who are everywhere discriminated against in the matter of relief, be it ever so slight and miserable, will use the tribuna of the streets and public squares on May First to hurl their demand for social and unemployment insurance at full wages into the ranks of the well fed bosses. There is scarcely a country in Europe, no matter how small, that in one form or another does not give the workers social insurance. The workers in America can also compel, through mass pressure, the granting of this demand, vital for the very existence of the workers.

The May Day demonstrations this year will not be merely against the traditional terror of the capitalist class. They will be directed against the actual murderous terror exercised against the whole, working class and especially the working youth. Behind the solid wall of the masses of young workers who will come out into the streets this year stand the shadow of the electric chair that threaten to roast alive in approved legal high style the eight Scottsboro boys.

The power of the masses can and must stay the hand of the capitalist executioners. They must give their answer to the butchers whose hands are stained with the blood of York, Levy, Russell, Simms, and the other victims of capitalist tyranny.

The very size and militancy of these demonstrations will be a strong answer to the attempt of the leaders of the "Socialist" party and Young People's Socialist League, together with the other misleaders of the working class, like the reactionary American Federation of Labor, to rob May First of its fighting character.

While in no way subordinating May First, which is the high point of working class struggle, to National Youth Day, the preparations for May Day must mark the beginning of youth mobilization for the coming National Youth Day demonstration.

This May Day's war every day of the year. The youth charged to the highest possible pitch. Let every young worker come out into the streets this year, determined firm resolve to make their thousands voice heard in the working class, the murderers and oppressors of the oppressed youth.

"We'll Fix You For This!"



ROOT YCL IN THE SHOPS

By JACK KLING.

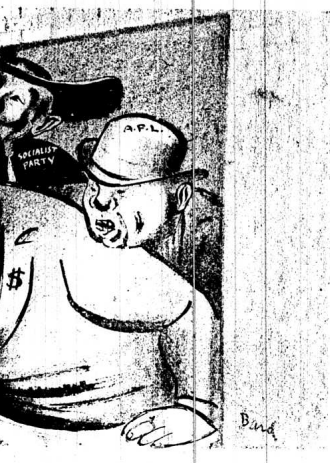
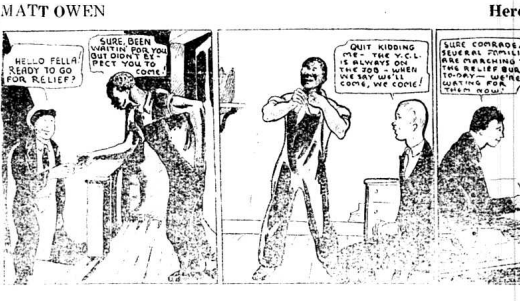
(Concluded)
In a discussion at the League unit, the comrades pointed out that the workers in the factory refuse to support the Hunger March and even many are opposed to it. The reason was given that the workers say, if they support the above demand it would mean that the government should stop building battle ships, it would mean that their factories would close down and they would lose their jobs. They cannot support such a thing.
Our League unit did not know how to answer that. A Party representative was present at the meeting and threw up his hands and said he does not know how to answer this. The District representative of the League could only answer by telling the comrades that they should say that we are opposed to building battle ships and we are in favor of other kind of ships to be built. Such a proposal is also a wrong one.
What were some of the mistakes of the comrades? It shows how our comrades take a general slogan and attempt to apply it everywhere. They don't understand that you have to approach every worker to support the Hunger March from his special conditions. To this factory the above slogan should not have been the main thing. The leader should have begun with the conditions of the workers in the shop, and connect up their conditions with the need of supporting the Hunger March.

Even if the question had been raised, our answer should have been the obvious that the government should build houses for the workers, and give jobs to the workers. They look upon the struggle against war as a political measure and the conditions of the workers in the plant as purely an economic question. They think that both of these struggles are different and separated. This is not true. The comrades fail to connect up the struggle against imperialism with the conditions of the workers in the plant.
In general the experience shows the following:
1. That the Boston District had no line towards the factories; did not understand that shop work was the work of the League and all other activities flow from shop work.
2. In order to successfully organize the young workers inside the shops, it means we have to know what the youth are discussing, what they are thinking about generally, things and about our agitation. In order to find this out we must send our comrades in and around the shops. We must retize our shop nuclei and comrades who work in shops to find out just what the youth are thinking and discussing.
3. When we find out what they are talking about, and if we are to build grievance committees and shop work, we must issue leaflets and agitation to the young workers on the problems that they raise. Because, unless we convince them on the things that they are confused we will not be in a position to win the youth.
4. The struggle against bosses' wars must be connected up with the conditions of the workers inside the shops.
5. All of our activities must be approached from the point of view of mobilizing the workers inside the shops.

The Wrong Way to Recruit

Since the Ford Massacre, the attention of the League members in Detroit has been turned to recruiting. In the past we never stopped to think about recruiting at mass meetings. Now we have corrected this and many new recruits were gotten at mass meetings. However many of our League members still do not know how to approach young workers.
Mechanical Approach.
For example, Unit 7 had a general meeting at the Moore School. When an appeal for members was made, one comrade approached four young workers who were sitting together. They said they wouldn't join and began to make a joke of the whole Hunger March.

A comrade in unit 1 proposed the following way for recruiting.
"First, let me say on the first Monday in September of each year. This 'day' was first adopted on a local scale in 1885 and later broadened out by being realized by the various state governments as an antidote to May Day.
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A. F. of L. Helps Bosses to Hide May 1st from Masses

The attitude of the American Federation of Labor to the traditional day of struggle of the working class, May First, is another good example of the hypocritical Child Health Day misdirecting the working class and therefore, the working youth.
The whole policy of treachery of the American Federation of Labor was expressed in a speech by Samuel Gompers in 1927 in Brooklyn, New York.
"... With fairness on the part of the employer there is no desire to strike on the part of the men... we are opposed to sympathetic and foolish strikes."
This policy of treachery to the working class was carried out by the A. F. of L. in regard to May First. At its 1893 convention, the A. F. of L. leaders decided that a general strike should not be called but that if it was successful the Carpenters' Union should strike on May First, and that if it was successful the other unions should follow. This was purely done to limit the strike movement. The miners' Union, next in strength, was left unfettered so that it could not follow the example of its brother union. The offer, the next year, of the Bakers' Union to take the place of the miners union, was turned down.
"Labor Day"
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looked in the fight to win the workers' way from May Day—and this is of particular importance to the young workers and working class children—is the organization of the hypothetical Child Health Day with the direct co-operation of the government officials.
This child day is a striking hypocrisy proven by the reports of industry given out by the National Child Labor Committee in its annual report several months ago. It is further proven by the absolute lack of the federal and state governments to give unemployment insurance to the parents of the starving children, or to give free food and clothing to the school children except where they were forced to by mass pressure.

The bosses brazenly proclaim "Child Health Day" at the same time that 3 million young workers under 20 slave in the mines and mine wage a million more including 400,000 young Negro workers between the ages of 20-34 have their bodies destroyed yearly in the speed-up state factories, of the bosses.
Expose Scheme.
Even if this were not good enough of the hypocrisy of Child Health Day and if it did not by the state struck. It was really set up to turn the attention of the working class and especially the working class youth away from May Day, then look at the self-condemning statements contained in a report submitted to the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor at its 1928 Convention—
"The Communists will maintain May 1st as Labor Day. Hereafter May 1st will be known as Child Health Day." The President is directed by a resolution passed by Congress to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe May 1st as Child Health Day. The object is to create sentiment for year round protection of the health of children. It is a most worthy purpose. AT THE NAME TIME MAY FIRST NO LONGER WILL BE KNOWN AS EITHER STRIKE DAY OR COMMUNIST LABOR DAY."

This marked the beginning of a wave of reactionary terror against the working class. The Anarchist leaders Parsons, Spies, Fischer and Engel were railroaded to death for being the leaders of the Chicago workers in the Haymarket demonstration.
All the former leading bosses of our City in the Trade Unions—the Labor Fraternal Societies, the Party—all are combined to celebrate May Day together this year.
Madison Square Garden will see assembled the hosts of Labor and Socialist and sympathizers. It will be a tremendous demonstration.
A marvelous program of operatic and symphonic music of real artistic merit is provided to intrigue the notationally ignorant, to limit and encourage our efforts.
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Highlights in History of Workers May First

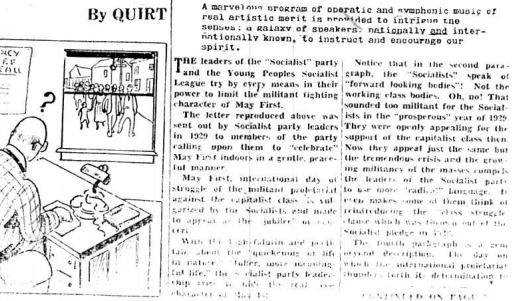
MAY FIRST is the traditional day of demonstration of the working class against the capitalist system. Even a brief review of the highlights of the history of May First will bring clearly to the light of day, the tremendous meaning which May First possesses for the entire working class and the working class youth.
May First was bound up with and grew directly out of the struggle of the American workers for the 8-hour day. This movement was inaugurated by the National Labor Union Called For 1885.
At the 1884 convention of the Federation of Organized Trades and Labor Unions of the United States and Canada, a resolution was passed calling for the establishment of the 8-hour day from May 1st, 1886 onward.
The Federation, that later became the American Federation of Labor, called upon the Knights of Labor at that time a powerful organization to support it in its May First call. The whole agitation was accompanied during that year and the next by a growing strike wave in the entire country. Both organizations increased their membership tremendously as a result of the perspective of a general strike.
When the strike was called, the working class re-commenced with tremendous militancy. Almost half of 1886 were successful either in securing the 8-hour day or in raising down the number of working hours which at that time ran as high as 14 to 16.
The most important movement for the 8-hour day had developed in Chicago. There the Central Labor Union, made up of the left wing labor unions, supported the strike preparations of the 8 Hour Association, a united front organization of all labor organizations.
Haymarket Massacre.
The Chicago demonstration did not end with May First. On May 3rd, a protest demonstration called in Haymarket called to protest a police attack on McCormack Reaper strikers was bloodily attacked by the police. A bomb thrown into the crowd by an agent-provocateur killed and wounded a number of workers and police.
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demands of less militant leadership.
The first of these demands a hour day of the general demand put forward by the proletariat in all countries. The fact that this demand was put forward indicates that the advanced workers had with the realization their solidarity with the international socialist movement. But protests for this had a demand like the demand for more income among the workers demands like better treatment for foremen, or a ten per cent increase in wages. The demand for an eight hour day, however, is the demand of the whole working class, not only of the proletarian employees, but to the representatives of the whole of the representative social and political system, to the owners of all the means of production.
German working class, strike wave, the greater guarantee we shall have that from the world war, which will inevitably take place, we will be able to result in an ultimately victorious capital of the struggle between the proletariat and the bourgeoisie.
Today the various sections of the working class are the united forces of the present day only bearers of the revolutionary traditions of May First. The Socialist parties in the swampy have deserted May First or have attempted to turn it into a sort of picnic or idyllic festival. Their plea or idyllic festival in their hands do everything in their power to rob May Day of its revolutionary character.
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'Socialist' Leaders Vulgarize May 1st

UNIONS - SOCIALIST PARTY - LABOR FRATERNAL SOCIETIES
Joint May Day Conference, 1929
121 UNION SQUARE
NEW YORK CITY

Dear Friend and Comrade:
May Day, the return of Spring, is marked as you know by its traditional Labor Day. With Labor Day as its day of quackening of Life in America, Labor betrays itself to the world by building its organization and dedicating its forces to the preservation of the present social program to make life fuller, more meaningful, more satisfactory.
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"With Kids"

KY. MINING YOUTH WORK FROM A VBREAK TO DARK

Join National Miners Union After Sell-Out
By the A. F. of L.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky.—I suppose you all know lots about the conditions of the coal fields of Kentucky and Tennessee.

Boy, it is tough, but it would be tougher if it hadn't been for the National Miners Union and the way they brought in relief to the striking miners.

STARVATION HITS THE YOUNG WORKERS IN KENOSHA, WISCONSIN

Kenosha Wis.—This is to inform you of the actual strike confronting the young workers of Kenosha and the steps taken by the Young Communist League to organize the unemployed youth together with the employed in the fight against misery, starvation and wage cuts.

Out of the 4000 unemployed in Kenosha about 1200 are young workers. These young workers are being put just a few cents of charity relief and are being rapidly reduced. Young workers are discriminated against at the City of Don relief. Mr. Erling, the manager of the Charities is taking great pains to starve the workers of Kenosha.

The young workers in Kenosha realize that the best way to fight the bosses is to organize the revolutionary unions of the Trade Union Youth League against the fascist system and discrimination against young workers.

The Young Communist League in Kenosha calls the young workers to fight for more and better relief for the youth. Demand cash relief of 7 a week for room board for all young and single unemployed workers!

BOSS TRIES TO SOFT SOAP GIRLS IN DARTMOUTH SHOE COMPANY

(By a Worker Correspondent) Boston, Mass.—I am a young girl worker in the Dartmouth shoe Co. in Boston. Condition in this shop are not very good. We have a foreman who tries to fool us by saying that he is sorry that we have to be a boss and all kinds of things like that. This way he tries to fool us out and see how we act in that shop.

Terrific Speed Up. Everybody works on piece work and the speed up is terrific. Last weeks the boss I mean the big boss himself, came over to talk to one of the girls about something that he didn't even know about. The girl got very angry and asked him "what the hell was he nervous about him saying that die-hard knee kickin' began."

She laughed him as all the girls began to laugh. He had to walk out looking like a monkey.

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Till He Freezes."

Miners' Children



This group is typical of the many children to be found in the mining camps of Kentucky, half starved and almost always sick as a result of the unbearable conditions under which they live.

MORE WAGE CUTS FOLLOW STRIKE IN LAWRENCE

City Threatens to Stop Relief

Here in Lawrence conditions are getting worse and worse every day. Starting the week April 21st, four wage-cuts went into effect; Pilot Radiator 10 percent, Champion International Paper Co. 10 percent, Mill Men 10 percent and the Monocac Spinning Co., which had a 10 per cent cut during the last strike here, got another 15 per cent.

The textile mills here are starving the workers with one or two dollars a week and even telling the workers that they will move out of the city. They are doing all they can to terrorize the workers in order to get them to go to another wage cut in the near future.

The city is threatening to stop the public charity that they give some. The Young Communist League realizes that we have to fight and organize all the young workers. We are going to hold a May Day demonstration here and the Young Communist League is going to take an active part in the demonstration.

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Young Farmer Wins Results In Fight on Discrimination

BELDON, N. D.—The Youth Section of the United Farmers League of Montana County held its first conference recently.

At the conference it was decided to already we have educational and dental care because so many of the young farmers have poor teeth and no money with which to get them fixed. The county has enough money to have veterinary care for the livestock but they do not care for the health of the farmers' children so a leaflet was issued asking "Which—Youth or Health or the Bankers Cow?"

The United Farmers League Youth Section members were assigned work from farm house to farm house. Some of the members have been discriminated against by the Red Cross as a committee of action. Some of the members have gone to the officials and demanded relief. Results were gotten which shows what united action can do.

Young Farmer Peddles Solidarity with N.M.U.

Not More Than One in Hundred Get Conditions Fit for Humans

MIDDLESBORO, Ky.—This is written by my comrades all this week. You hear a little news of Bell County and Harlan County, but you don't hear one half about the rough conditions there is to hear. There are 80 people here that are worse off than the slaves were in slave time, to every one person who receives reasonably good treatment. There have been people who came down here to investigate conditions but the outfit "law enforcers" won't let them investigate.

I am sure here that the students and others will come down here some way if they can get around the road for themselves the conditions of the working class here.

I wish all the world would come and bring their protection with them. Damn those laws. You talk about hell on earth, this is hell. I want to say right here that I don't want to go right here they are called here for the Reds as they are called by the big guys. I am with the National Miners Union and the Young Communist League.

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- Ontonagan, Mich. Odo Einbu Beatrice Nelson
- John Nikkila Vivian Aakola Sylvia Aakola
- E. Korkko Solving Mevander
- John J. Korkko Grace Lind
- John Virola Mrs. E. Korkko
- John Jusala ANGIOLA, MISS. Roy Hill Harjo Harold Laita
- Famie Myss Toivo Hillmeier
- Eino Kumpulainen Helmi Korvola Art Retola
- Arlida Ahu Arnold Salmi
- Eleri Järvi, Mich. Matti Salmi
- SARIN, GREETINGS Arne Hakonen Arne Hakonen
- ARINEN, GREETINGS Mrs. Helen Nurminen
- Girolamo Oja Olga Jusula Arno
- Edla Piipponen Helen Korvola
- Escorpé, Mich. E. Korkko Harjo Harold Laita
- Reynold Sampson Sven Wilstam
- Henry M. Marjamaa Helen M. Mattson Odo Hill Helmi Miettinen
- Raimo Matti Bertha Savolainen
- FRANKLIN, WIS. Mattia Hakkola
- Martta Johnson Esker Laita Helmi Miettinen
- Elva Jalonen Aino Oja
- Ranelah Järvelin Jennie Laita Violet Dahlbecka Berjo Raita
- Sina Pelto Aino Jaa
- Martha Kanga Helen Rytönen William Johnson H. Ojanen

MAKING BETTER SOVIET CITIZENS OF "BAD BOYS"

(Continued) "How do we receive them? First of all they are bathed, fed and clothed and examined by doctors and psychologists. "Then we ask them: 'What do you think you would do to defend your country if you had one?' Most of them would you like to study? From the very first they are under no constraint. That is our first principle. The boys and girls may come and go as they please, outside of school and work hours, and once in contact with the discipline of production, the discipline of collectivity (whether in 'shop or in dormitory) the young individualist—or worse—eccentric is that—soon finds his place and his orientation.

"In six to eight months, they are transformed completely. As any director of a child-rearing colony will tell you, the so-called 'worst boys', often turn out to be our very best workers. Their qualities of energy and leadership give splendid results which they are directed into positive channels. Already we have educational and dental care because so many of the young farmers have poor teeth and no money with which to get them fixed.

"Of course, when spring comes we have to let these boys get used and fewer to tell the truth. And they nearby all come back to us when they return. We do not punish them but give them always a warm welcome. And they take up their work just where they left off. "After two years one may say that these boys and girls are definitely 'better' than the 'others'. Indeed, we lose out. But the first six months are 'always easy'." "Naturally the old 'Bosses' are the most striking cases we had in mind.

HIGHLIGHTS IN THE HISTORY OF MAY FIRST

(Continued from Page 5) revolutionary meaning it has for the militant worker.

In countries where they are in power, they have reached the stage where they not only distort the meaning of May Day but actually murder workers who demonstrate on that day—as witness the slaughter of 23 workers in Berlin, May 1st, 1929, by the "Socialist" police. Rubenbauer Organizes May 1st, 1917

This year the traditions of May Day are again being preserved and glorified by the Communist Party and the Young Communist League. With the war, there was a great deal of threatening and many went into a year of the capitalist countries against the new world. Young Communist League calls upon all workers, farmers and working class people to join with the young workers and demonstrate and war, in defense of the Soviet Union on May 1st against hunger, terror and war.

CLUB NOTES

between white and Negro workers. The Youth Section must in its struggles on the fraternal field unite all workers, Negro and white of all nationalities and races in the struggle for social progress for the immediate needs of the workers.

Sam Miller is off to the Soviet Union. He is to bring greetings to the Soviet workers from the Youth Section of the I. W. O., and will tell them that the Youth Section, which now numbers 1,000 strong stand ready to defend the Soviet Union against the attacks of the imperialist powers.

Who remain here have set out on the task of securing 500 members for Sam to present as a gift to our Youth Section on May 1st.

Out White-Chauvinism. The National Executive Committee together with the National Youth Committee has approved the decisions of the City Youth Committee of Chicago in expelling from the City Youth Section branch No. 421 of Chicago the following members for white-chauvinism:—M. J. Benoit, M. S. Benoit, Mrs. M. S. Benoit, Mrs. M. S. Benoit, Mrs. M. S. Benoit, Mrs. M. S. Benoit, Mrs. M. S. Benoit.

Many officers for continuation of the Youth Section in Chicago are expected. The National Youth Committee has approved the decisions of the former members as it is to be the backbone of the working class Negro and white. They have helped in the lynchings program and are being created further antagonisms.

GREETINGS TO ALL WORKERS Young Communist League, Green, Mich.

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—The Story of "Bloody Monday"

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* DRAMA—MOVIES *

"COSSACKS OF THE DON" OPENS AT ACME THEATRE, THURS, APR. 28

The Acme Theatre, 14th Street and Union Square, has booked the Russian sound film, "Cossacks of the Don" and will show the film for a week starting Thursday April 28. This Soviet film differs from the usual pictures that come from the Soviet Union. Here, instead of the usual love story, we know very little of, and of people that we know about. And along with this there runs a delightful romance that "took all Russia by storm." Cossacks of the Don is from the pen of the Soviet writer, Mikhail Sholokhov. "The Quiet Five Don" and deals with the life of the Cossacks in their mountain homes just before the war.

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Starting Thursday April 28—For One We'll Sacrifice

"COSSACKS OF THE DON"

Produced in the U.S.S.R. Directed by Ole Prokofyevitch. Released by Gale Prokofyevitch. Starred by M. S. Benoit, M. S. Benoit, M. S. Benoit, M. S. Benoit, M. S. Benoit, M. S. Benoit.

"Too True to Be Good"

A New Play by BERNARD SHAW GUILD THEATRE 730 W. 11th St., New York

"Reunion in Vienna"

A Comedy by ROBERT E. SHERWOOD MARTIN BECK 1507 A. St. 11th & 12th Sts., New York

Join the Youth Section

YOUTH SECTION INTERNATIONAL WORKERS ORDER ATHLETICS — DRAMATICS — SOCIAL FEATURES — CULTURAL ACTIVITY — MUTUAL INSURANCE Join One of Our 32 Youth Branches

Name: _____ Age: _____ Address: _____ Occupation: _____ City: _____ State: _____

SCOTTSBORO MOONEY RUNS STAGED IN MANY CITIES

BEN TUCKER LEADS FIELD OF THIRTY-NINE RUNNERS

Negro Athlete Collapses at Finish; Winning Time 13 Min. 26 Seconds

NEW YORK.—Cheered on by hundreds of workers present at a Scottsboro protest parade which wound its way thru the streets of Harlem and ended with a demonstration Fire Team Mooney Run

The run planned under the direction of the Vespa A. C. and sanctioned by the Eastern District Counter-Olympic Committee covered a stretch of approximately two and a half miles. So exciting was the competition that one of the competitors, a Negro athlete, collapsed at the finish while Ben Tucker was forced to exert himself to sprawl across the finish line of the winner. His time was 13 min. 26 seconds. G. Turkia, of the Vespa A. C., was second in 13:28, while Gordon of the Bronx Park Youth Club finished third for an official time 13:29.

A feature of the run was the offering of a club prize to the team which after cup to the club placed the most athletes among the first fifteen. This was won by the K. U. F. A. C. of Scandinavian Brotherhood, Second and third winning club prizes went to the Terkville Workers Club and Vespa A. C.

Individual prizes were a gold medal to the winner and certificate of merit to second and third to finish.

The street run was the second to be held in the Metropolitan area.

SCOTTSBORO MOONEY RUNS STAGED IN MANY CITIES

Pittsburgh Mooney Street Race



Above you see one of the Negro athletes who participated in the Scottsboro-Mooney Street Run held in Pittsburgh last week. Read the accompanying story on this page for a detailed account.

Pitt. Holds Mooney Street Run; Steel Worker Wins Race

Open Air Rally Follows Thrilling Run Through Streets of Smoky Town

PITTSBURGH.—A "FREE TOM MOONEY" Street run took place in Pittsburgh, April 16th, under the auspices of the Pittsburgh District Counter Olympic Committee. Several hundred runners from the South Side gathered at 11th and Sarah Streets to join this athletic demonstration for the freeing of Tom Mooney and the nine Scottsboro boys. From the starting point to the finish runners were lined all along the sidewalk and cheered the runners as they ran.

Three medals ("Free Tom Mooney, engraved on them) were given to the first three winners. The first one in the first was Mike Woy, a young steel worker from Ambridge, Pa. and one was John Duranek, a young steel worker from Ambridge, Pa. and one was John Duranek, a young steel worker from Ambridge, Pa. and one was John Duranek, a young steel worker from Ambridge, Pa.

CALL FOR NAT'L WORKERS SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Sore Olympic Heads For Suppressing Mass Sport

NEW YORK.—Composed of the Metropolitan Workers Soccer League with 46 teams, the Eastern District Soccer League with 22 teams and of a few local clubs of other leagues, has issued a call for all amateur soccer clubs to enter the International Counter-Olympic Open Soccer Championship Tournament which will be conducted through the Olympic Committee.

It calls upon the amateur soccer clubs to protest against the Olympic Committee for excluding soccer, a mass sport played by workers all over the world from the Olympic sport program. The call states that the United States Football Association is interested in professional soccer only and therefore agreed to the elimination of soccer from the Olympic games.

Negro Boxer Jim-Crowded Out of Winning Decision

BOSTON.—Mark Hough, Negro boxer of New York, was openly Jim-Crowded in his fight against Ray McCullen of Detroit in the Junior National A. A. U. championship fight held at the Boston Athletic Club here on April 20 and 21.

The decision against Hough was made even before the fight was over as the slants voted their disapproval. Attorney A. L. Hough, writing in the Boston Herald of April 21, strongly expresses the A. A. U.'s discrimination against Negro athletes. He writes:

"We launch a discussion on Ray McCullen of Detroit in his championship with the Negro class with reverence. We fight to keep back a distribe. McCullen was beaten and battered for three rounds by Mark Hough, New York Negro, and won on the votes of Negro-haters-slaves of Boston and New York. Ray McCullen of Detroit, a Negro, was the champion of the world."

Harvey, a Negro, had earlier won the round class, — the reason being that he was "white" — McCullen.

From the above, it is evident that Hough had to fight for the shadow of a knockout but the A. A. U. became tripe at the last. The slants would outlast his white adversary. The Transcript said: "The slants voted their disapproval."

"If the Amateur Athletic Union cannot see fit to clear its eyes from the slants, then the Amateur Athletic Union ought to go to the slants and give to the Negro class with reverence. We fight to keep back a distribe. McCullen was beaten and battered for three rounds by Mark Hough, New York Negro, and won on the votes of Negro-haters-slaves of Boston and New York. Ray McCullen of Detroit, a Negro, was the champion of the world."

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He'll Be There!

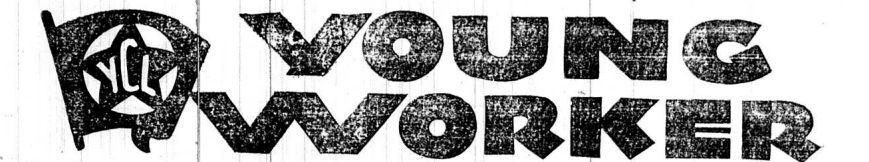


Forward to a united struggle against race discrimination on the sport field, in which the A. A. U. plays a distinctive and leading role. Forward to the Los Angeles Olympics of the A. A. U.

Forward to the International Workers Athletic Meet.

"After ten years of pouring laborers working at the little Negro league, it is gratifying to see our understanding of Negro boxing can not win Negro boxing where they fight. We see them. The fact that

Demonstrate Against Boss War-Nat'l Youth Day!



WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE OF U. S. A.; SECTION OF YOUNG COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL BANNED BY THE U. S. GOVERNMENT FROM SECOND CLASS MAILING PRIVILEGES BECAUSE OF ITS FIGHT FOR THE INTERESTS OF THE TOILING YOUTH.

JAPANESE MOVE TO SEIZE SOVIET R. R.

WAR PLANTS IN U. S. WORK FULL BLAST

American Munitions Used in Slaughter of Chinese Masses Made to War on USSR Youth Demonstrate Defense of Soviet Union May 29-30

All further evidence of the criminal responsibility of the American bosses for the slaughter of the Chinese masses by Japanese imperialism, and their frenzied preparations for war on the Soviet Union revealed in information concerning the manufacture of munitions and war materials in American factories by worker correspondents.

The Winchester Arms Co., which showed a spurt in production of munitions of all types soon after the war started in Manchuria, has been speeding up production lately. Freight cars are leaving the Winchester plant in New Haven, Conn. every day in the week loaded with arms and ammunition.

Workers Speeded Up. At the same time that the Winchester bosses are reaping huge profits, the workers are speeded up and given the most miserable wages. Some districts are paid as low as 20 to 30 cents an hour.

The bullet making departments. (Continued on page 7)

1,625,4 Thousand Men in the Armed Forces of the United States France, Japan, England, Italy

2,373 Millions of Dollars Spent for War

Protest Lynch Verdict May 7th International Scottsboro Day

Millions of Young Workers in All Countries to Come Into Streets Against Death Sentence for 8 Young Negroes Set for June 24th

NEW YORK.—The tremendous protest of the working masses all over the world against the lynch verdict delivered by the capitalist courts on the Scottsboro boys will be registered on May 7th, International Scottsboro Protest Day, with millions of workers in all the chief countries coming out into the streets in mass demonstrations.

Against Lynch Terror. In the United States, the demonstrations will be the answer to the attempt of the bosses to fasten their guilt of terror on the working class by intensifying their campaign of lynch violence against the Negro against the Negro young men in particular.

Young workers all over the country will show by the size of their demonstrations that they intend battling to the last to save the lives of the imprisoned Scottsboro boys in the only way that they can be saved—by mass pressure of the united working class.

To Tour Lucille Wright. In order to mobilize the young workers for this struggle, Lucille Wright, sister of the Wright brothers who, together with the other Scottsboro boys, have been sentenced to die on June 24th, will tour the United States speaking to mass meetings in all the chief cities.

YOUTH ANNOUNCED. The Youth Committee of the Workers' League, fully 50,000 workers (headed by the Workers' League, fully 50,000 workers) participated and demonstrated in the city of Chicago. It was the largest demonstration of its kind ever held in there.

OVER MILLION DEMONSTRATE ON MAY DAY THRUOUT COUNTRY Philadelphia Parade Bloody Attacked By Police; 60 Cops and Ten Workers Sent to Hospital

One of the mightiest turnouts in the history of the American working class took place on May 1, with over one million workers, a large percentage of them youth, in the streets demonstrating against hunger, terror and bosses war.

In New York over 150,000 workers participated despite a dreaching rain. Even the police were forced to comment on the discipline of the million workers, who marched for hours without breaking their ranks even though they were in the line by the driving downpour.

In Detroit, 100,000 workers responded to the call of the United Front May Day-Anti War Committee. Despite the mobilization of the entire Detroit police force, the workers burned Grand Circus Park and after the demonstration marched to the cemetery where the

3 JAPANESE DIVISIONS DISPATCHED

Escorted By Heavy Field Artillery, Bombing Planes In Position to Attack Nat'l Youth Day to Be Day of Struggle Against Boss War

BULLETIN MOSCOW.—Reliable sources in Harbin report that the Japanese are planning raids in the near future on all Soviet institutions in Manchuria while "demons" are already being forced with a view of being "found" during the raids. The purpose of the forced "demon" will be to "incriminate" the Soviet Union in terrorist acts, including the release of the forced "demon" Eastern Railway, and in this way furnish the Japanese with a "justification" for the seizure of the railway and for armed attack on the Soviet Union. These desecrating operations by the Japanese and the "White Guards" are expected to begin this week.

Heavy Japanese Troop movements toward the Siberian border of the Soviet Union on a larger scale than any since the strike of the Tokyo workers in China. Soviet

AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION

30430

Mechanical Units of Horse Power per Army Division

178 Shells per Minute



178 Shells per Minute

MILITANT BOSSES HINT REFUSAL TO PERMIT 2nd NAT'L YOUTH DAY

TERROR FAILS TO STOP MOBILIZATION OF YOUTH

Emphasis Laid On Organization of Young Workers in and Around Factories

With the memory of the powerful first National Youth Day demonstrations against boss war in Duluth last year still fresh in their minds, the bosses of Minnesota are already attempting to prevent the second National Youth Day Demonstration this year.

Safety Commissioner Moore of Duluth informed the May Day committee that they could get a permit for May 1st but not for National Youth Day.

The bosses of Duluth, as everywhere are afraid of National Youth Day as a special day of struggle of the young workers against boss war. Especially now, with the war already started in the Far East and the Chinese people and their let Union, they cannot allow the demonstration and struggle of the youth to jam up their plans.

In spite of this working day are everywhere being rallied for National Youth Day to be held on May 29, and 30th. Particular emphasis is being laid on the organization of the youth right in and around the factories. Clubs and organizations are also being demonstrated all over the United Front Young Worker Youth Day Committees.

Edith Berkman ill—but Still Fighting



This is the young National Textile Workers Union organizer who has been honored by the United States government for a year and a half, twice arrested for leading a strike, recently returned the first time, no bail allowed the second time she was arrested; sick with tuberculosis while held in a Boston jail, held for deportation to fascist Poland; now on a hunger strike in detestation against capitalist terror. The International Labor Defense defends her. SHE FIGHTS FOR US! WE MUST FIGHT FOR HER!

Foster and Ford, Proposed Red Candidate, to Tour

Will Cover East and West If Accepted By Nat'l Nominating Convention

NEW YORK.—The Central Committee of the Communist Party has proposed as candidates for the presidential and vice-presidential in the coming election campaign William Z. Foster and James W. Ford.

If endorsed by the Convention both Foster and Ford will start on a nationwide speaking tour beginning with a monster meeting in Chicago on May 30th. As Foster tours going west first and then returning east, Ford will go in the opposite direction.

The first of Ford's meetings on the west coast will be at Terre Haute, the home town of fighting Gene Debs. From there the tentative arrangements are scheduled to take the first Negro candidate for vice-presidency in many years through Ohio, the upstate cities of New York, New England, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

JAMES W. FORD, Proposed Candidate of the Communist Party for Vice-Presidency

UNEMPLOYED WORKERS SHOW THE WORKING YOUTH HOW TO FIGHT

By LEONARD SPIER.

There was young Mrs. F., 19, no more and in the seventh month of pregnancy. No food, not a cent for rent, filled with nothing but pain and torturous anxiety. This sounds like a Dreiser story, but it's not. Who needs fiction in this third year crisis?

Mrs. F.—dripped to the Bronx Home Relief Bureau. We'll look you up, we'll see you, we'll see you. We'll investigate. Well, we're not! It's sure to show your rent receipts and help you.

And there is Mrs. — in the ninth month of pregnancy. But someone found out. A woman called the Bureau. We'll see you, we'll see you. We'll investigate. We'll see you. We'll see you. We'll see you.

News Flashes

BERLIN—The Social Democratic Party of Germany is continuing its policy of treachery to the working class by supporting the government policy of Hitler in the government policy of Hindenberg and Hitler under the theory that the participation of Hitler in the government will make him more "responsible."

HAVANA—Cuban workers demonstrated last Sunday against Japanese opposition and the war against the Chinese masses in defense of the Soviet Union. The aroused workers smashed the windows of the Japanese legation building.

MADRID—Communist revolts are reported to have taken place around the Spanish war center, Republic, and the naval armaments at Cartagena and Ferrol. Attempts were made to suppress this news.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua.—Three officers of the Communist Party took station in Nicaragua to proclaim the anti-imperialist and anti-capitalist and anti-imperialist workers and peasants were killed in Managua during the Nicaragua struggle which lasted for more than three years.

DNEPRROSTRAV, Soviet Union.—The youth day in marked the role of the youth party in the Soviet Union, as a step toward the building of socialism was made visible and apparent in the world's largest hydro-electric plant—Dneprostroy.

HUNGER DRIVES YOUTH TO STEAL SOME FOOD

By a Worker Correspondent.

MCKEESPORT, Pa.—The condition of the youth in McKeesport and Duquesne are so bad that it drives the young folks to steal food from stores. In the last three months there were more stores robbed than last year 1931.

The Negro youth are most discriminated against. They are not allowed to get in shopping pools. They have to stay some of the restaurants, pool towns and young workers, Negro and white, join the Young Communist League and fight against racial discrimination.

Garvey Leads Fight for Aids in Fight for Aids

LOCAL PRES. SHOWS TREACHEROUS ROLE

Garvey Youth Helps Bosses Fasten Lynch Law On Negro Masses

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—If a Negro worker or farmer doesn't want to give up the fight for equal rights and against the whole system of Jim Crowism and Lynch law and follow Marcus Garvey back to Africa, he need expect no help from the Universal Negro Improvement Association.

In substance this was what Ives, 1930 minute trial in a night court last Tuesday night. The first arrests from Negro and white workers led Governor Murray to grant a stay of execution to June 24th.

Ives, Hollis, Jessa Hollis' 19-year-old wife and member of the Y.C.L. is completing a tour of the west telling the workers of the "truth" in this city. She appeared before an audience of 100 in the hall of the Universal Negro Improvement Association.

FORD MASSACRE YOUTH PAMPHLET

DETROIT, Mich.—The Detroit District of the Young Communist League is printing a special youth pamphlet on the Ford Race Riots.

The pamphlet deals specially with the role of the youth party in the Ford Riots March. Among the most outstanding points of the riot are the role of the party's largest hydro-electric plant—Dneprostroy.

YOUTH TRADE UNION DEPARTMENT MAKES BEE LINE FOR THE SHOPS

No Longer to Scatter Efforts or Use "Mail Order" Method of Organizing Youth

Workers Industrial Union, around one particular shop, the committee is beginning to develop union-organizing and agitator on the basis of the wage-cutting policy of the company. Through concrete work we will be able to carry out the youth of the union, to teach the adults in other shop groups how to do youth work.

Seen from the New Soviet Lark, "Soil Is Thirsty," new playling at the Cameo Theatre.

"Soil Is Thirsty" is a play by Leonid Brezhnev, first playling at the Cameo Theatre. It is a play about the life of a young worker in a factory.

First, in all our work we must concentrate on a certain shop. We should be making the streets of the whole city at once, and on the basis not of "hot air" but of real conditions in the factory.

THE Y.C.L. RECRUITING DRIVE

DETROIT WINS THE SPOILS

The National Executive Committee has decided to give the Detroit District, the Recruiting Drive Spoils trophy.

It is carrying on good work in the winning of young Negroes for the Y. C. L. This does not mean that everything is rosy in Detroit, but there are some of the reasons for giving the banner to the District.

RESULTS OF RECRUITING IN NEW YORK DISTRICT.

New York recruited 429 members during the drive from January 15th to April 22nd. At the beginning of the drive they had 600 members with \$71 average dues payments. THEIR GOAL WAS 1000 dues-paying members by April 22nd. The present dues payment is 700 with an estimated membership of 900. This means that the New York District did not carry on effective recruiting into the Y. C. L. and shored a little above normal recruiting.

The membership was not involved in more intensive activity whereby the drive would have gone far beyond the small goal of the District.

Let's look at these 429 new recruits. Were they based on concentration efforts of the District? Did the New York Y.C.L. reach the most important sections of young workers?

Points In Holding New Members

Interest and will talk them not tell him that the Young Communist League fights against war cut speed up, and all the efficiency staff that the bosses try to put across.

We should tell the worker about the conditions and try to get them to come to a small meeting. If not a meeting then perhaps a party or meeting where a majority of the league will be present and talk to these young workers.

Make Them Feel At Home. New members should be made to feel at home when they come to league meetings. The old comrades should talk to him not only on league matters but even on personal matters, sports, etc. He must not be made to feel that the league is something "high and mighty" that you have to be some sort of a superior being or have a "high education" to belong or take part in a league meeting.

WORK OF THE YOUTH PIONEERS IN DETROIT GAINING HEADWAY

DETROIT, Mich.—Since the first struggles as the crisis deepens. The first demonstration will be a huge strike demonstration in the City Hall just before the time that the Democrats will be made that all citizens of this city should be taken care of this summer.

Murphy Staves Workers. Mayor Murphy's denigrating announced that he would not be entering office there were 40,000 men on the way to the streets. It is highly important that the league have classes (study classes) for new members.

The young work, much of the fluctuation in the League will disappear and we will go a long way toward keeping our membership.

Expose Superstitions. Superintendent of Schools, C. H. Sullivan, was exposed by the Detroit District. He was exposed by the Detroit District. He was exposed by the Detroit District.

Six-Week "Young Worker" Drive Will Start May 15

Plans are now under way to start a drive to improve the Young Worker, and to increase its subscription and circulation. This drive is scheduled to begin on May 15th and will last for 6 weeks in order to accomplish its necessary task.

One of the first steps to be taken by the Young Worker will be to cut off the list of those units and cities that fail to pay for their bundles. Next week the Young Worker will publish the names of those cities that will be cut off if they fail to pay within a week after they get the notice thru the paper. It is high time to demand the utmost responsibility from the League in connection with this drive.

DETROIT CHARITY HEAD TRIES TO SPLIT YOUTH ALONG RACE LINES

By a "Young Worker" Correspondent.

DETROIT, Mich.—The Youth Committee of the Unemployed Councils recently staged a demonstration at the welfare station in relief for the unemployed young and single workers. The head of this committee is Comrade James Smith, a young Negro worker.

As we entered the welfare station the woman in charge told us to wait and she immediately sent in a call for the police. The police, Comrade Smith a "nigger" and told him he ought to be lynched. The supervisor also told two white girls they ought to be lynched for going "nigger". They were then taken to our demands and kicked in out of the welfare station.

Open Counter Olympic Tournaments

CAGEMEN IN SECTIONAL AND DISTRICT MEETS

Cleveland "Yritys" Capture Senior Championship; Take Over E. Tech Pirates
The opening gun of the International Workers Athletic meet was fired with the launching of sectional and district Counter-Olympic Basketball Tournaments.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Warren Yritys, Akron Switters, and various basketball players.

Additional May Day Greetings

Table with 2 columns: Name and Address. Lists various individuals and their locations for May Day greetings.

Loyola Field for Int'l Workers Meet
Loyola Field, the site of the Loyola College of Chicago, has been definitely chosen by the Counter-Olympic Committee.

30 TEAMS LINE UP IN PHILADELPHIA BASEBALL TOURNAY

Philadelphia - When the month of April rolls in, Philly can be depended upon to put in an appearance all night out in baseball regalia.

"Red Sparks" Wins Championship of "AP" Division

Noses Out East Side Workers in Playoff
The championship of the "A" division was captured by the Red Spark A. C. who need not the strong Spartacus A. C.

Runners In N. Y. Scottsboro-Mooney Event

The above young workers took part in the Scottsboro-Tom Mooney Street Races held in New York last week.

L. S. U. Scores Barring of Negroes by Amil A. C.

Refuses Charter to Detroit Club; Backed in Stand by Nat'l Counter-Olympic Comm.
NEW YORK - Because it discriminated against Negro athletes, barring them from membership, the Amil Athletic Club of Detroit cannot be admitted to the National Union of America.

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War Plants Working at Full Speed RUSH JAPAN TROOPS TO SOVIET BORDER

Manuria took place continuously last week. The several troop concentrations indicating the immediate with which the launching of an armed attack upon the Soviet Union may be expected.

FORD MONUMENT FOR 4 MURDERED WORKERS
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SPECIAL BUTTONS FOR SECOND NATIONAL YOUTH DAY ARE OUT

A new button has been issued for the Second National Youth Day that will be held in many centers throughout the country on May 20.

"Who Are the Young Communists?" BLOODY MONDAY MEMORIAL

This pamphlet deals with the problems facing the working class youth today, and just why they should join in the path of struggle.

THE YOUTH IN THE FORD HUNGER MARCH

So answer to the bosses well, We'll build a stronger YCL With heads uncovered pledge we all To lead the fight for which you feel.

Advertisement for "CITIES AND YEARS" production at A.C.M.E. Theatre, featuring a Soviet production about the Russian Revolution.

* DRAMA - MOVIES *

SOVIET FILM MONTH AT THE ACME THEATRE
This is Soviet film month at the Acme Theatre, 14th Street and Union Square. The Acme has booked the entire month of May production which were made and produced in the USSR.

THEATRE GUILD PRODUCTION OF "MOURNING BECOMES ELECTRA"
Eugene O'Neill's tragedy, which opens a limited engagement at the Alvin Theatre beginning Monday.

MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION AND "CITIES AND YEARS" NOW SHOWING AT THE ACME THEATRE
In connection with the showing of the Soviet film, "Cities and Years" scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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ALVIN THEATRE
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Terror in Ford Plant Increases

FORBID WORKERS RIGHT TO TALK TO EACH OTHER

Even Search Lunch Boxes in Effort to Terrorize

(By a "Young Worker" Correspondent)
DETROIT, Mich.—Since the Ford Hunger March the terror against the Ford workers has increased. For a while the workers were searched before entering the factory and even their lunches were searched. Now the workers are not even allowed to talk to each other. One young worker was fired because he dared to speak to another young worker during lunch.

Conditions in the factory are continually becoming worse. For example, in the department where they make connecting rods—2 years ago 350 men made 300 rods in 75 to 80 hours. Today 65 men make 250 rods per hour.

If a worker has a debt his wages are given to his creditors and many times after the creditors are paid there is no money left for the worker to live on. How can Ford workers who have accumulated large debts thru no fault of their own live?

Workers in Ford's Organize into the Auto Workers Union and put an end to these miserable conditions.

Leonard Refrigerator Plant Strike Sold Out By "Stools"

Girls Most Militant Among 400 Workers Out On Strike Against Starvation Wage

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—The miserable conditions in the Leonard refrigerator plant forced 400 starving workers to strike for better conditions on April 12th. Twenty-five percent of these strikers were young workers.

The most militant of the strikers were the girls. They were only getting 12c an hour. Eight hours a day gave them from \$1.12 to \$1.18. The men got only 15c an hour. Two and three days a week at these low wages were proposed to keep them and their families from starving.

Armed Organizers. For the crew of telling the workers to organize into the Trade Unity Union failed and not to go back to work until their demands were met. Comrades Kullip and O'Brien were arrested. The first time the girl strikers tore them from the sheriff, but eight hours later the police arrested them back from the plant. They were charged with disorderly conduct and with using obscene language. The I.L.D. through mass pressure forced the bosses out to dismiss the case. Two other workers were arrested for beating up a third, Walschman.

Police and stool pigeons succeeded in diverting the strike on a militant strike to one that was pro-union. This was done by joining the workers against the Trade Unity Union League with vicious "Red" bores.

Two members of the strike committee met secretly with the bosses and sold the workers out. They told the workers to quit picketing the factory, call off the strike and go back to work. These traitors also arranged with the company lawyers to get \$140,000 from the strikers on the pretence of taking the case to court.

For this work the bosses took back the stool pigeons but also kicked the militant strikers, when the scabs went into work the company

Detroit Auto Worker Gets 45 Cents for Day in Briggs Plant



The check reproduced above is a very good sample of thousands more that are issued every week not only in Briggs but in other autoplants as well. The millionaire auto kings expect the workers to live on such starvation wages. But the workers of Detroit, old and young, have something to say about that. They are organizing into the Auto Workers Union to fight against the miserable conditions existing in the auto factories.

KELSEY HAYES WHEEL COMPANY SPEEDS YOUTH

Run 2 Machines for Less Than 1 Before

(By a "Young Worker" Correspondent)
DETROIT, Mich.—I work at Kelsey Hayes Wheel Corporation. Conditions in the shop are bad and always were. The bosses are not satisfied with seeing the workers

starve slowly. They are also cutting the wages of the men in the plant and are speeding them up. An example of how the bosses speed the workers at Kelsey's can be seen by the following: Before one man would run one machine for nine hours to make \$4.50 to \$5.00 a day. Now the men run two machines for less pay and under a greater speed up.

"Accept Robbery Or Loose Job!" At the factory, the men are given only one part of their pay. When the men went to see about this at the Pay Masters office they were told they could get the part of the pay which they lacked at the expense of losing their job. The workers were angry but because there was no organization nothing was done about this. When machines break the men have to wait until it is repaired. They are not paid for the lost time. All jobs are done by piece work and many workers make only \$1.50 for six to eight hours work.

Stagger Plan. The Kelsey Wheel Co. hires the men at part time. One week there is one man working, the next week there is an entirely different gang working. Some weeks the men only get in one or two days a week. Many times we come to work and are told to come back sometime in the future.

Are we Kelsey workers going to stand for this any longer? Are we going to let them buy us out of our miserable pay? No! We workers must organize into the Auto Workers Union and have our better conditions.

Soviet Factory Schools Train Youth for Responsible Posts

Detroit Trade Schools Used to Squeeze Profits Out of Young Workers and to Cut Wages of Adults

In the capitalist countries there are tens of millions of unemployed workers. The working class youth, whose whole strength is spent in the struggle to keep alive under capitalism, cannot earn even a trifle on their own.

In the Soviet Union we have an entirely different picture. The need for workers, a particular education, workers, inspired the Soviet Union to hasten the preparation of young skilled workers through the organization of two year courses in factory schools.

One In Soviet Union. This type of education exists only in the Soviet Union. These factory students get a general education but at the same time a specialized training in definite branches of industry. For the last few years these young workers have been getting their practical experience directly at the factory.

In 1923 when unemployment still existed in the Soviet Union, it has been completely wiped out now. There were only about fifty thousand

WORKS 4½ HRS. FOR BRIGGS CO. LOSSES MONEY

Forced to Pay for Broken Drill

(By a "Young Worker" Correspondent)
DETROIT, Mich.—About a month ago a young worker at Briggs was working at building caissons. In order to make them he had to buy a drill which cost him 5c. After working on this job for 4½ hours, he made 6c and accidentally broke the drill.

That same day a few hours later he was sent home because there was no more stock. Paying 5c for the drill and making 6c by piece work for 4½ hours and breaking the drill shows that this young worker lost 2c for work that he brought home.

Is it any wonder that the Briggs workers have adopted the slogan that if not this is Briggs? Young workers, under the present conditions we cannot buy the necessities of life. We cannot even eat. We must join the Auto Workers Union and fight for better conditions. Send your application to 2419 Grand River.

saves in the General Motors Bank. The real motive behind the school was to train the boys in the factory that they would be working at. Before we began working we were told that we would go to school half the time and work the other half.

However, after a short while we fellows found out there was not what young workers should have in order to develop their bodies. Many fellows have to stand up all day. We must join the Auto Workers Union and fight for better conditions.

'Y' Features Machine Gun Battle in Basketball Game

Uses Sport to Prepare Young Workers for War on Soviet Union

(By a Worker Correspondent. While in Grand Rapids I came

upon news articles printed in the local paper. This is the excerpt from "TO EXHAUST SHAM BATTLES"

"A machine gun battle as it might take place in any man-made war will be one of the features of the Western Michigan A.A.U. tournament Saturday night, when the Machine Gun Company of each of the 1200 infantry plays the Grand Rapids 'Y' for the championship in the class A representative division.

"Batteries of machine gun will be set up at each end of the gym, between the halves of the game and members of the company will impersonate a brain peeping at each other with blanks. In the meantime an officer will explain to the crowd just what it means and how it is done.

"National Guardsmen are planning on attending the games Saturday night in force to cheer the Machine gunners in their basketball game."

We can actually see how the "Y" and the A.A.U. is cooperating with the army to militarize sport. It is between halves young workers practice shooting at each other (practice)

This is how the Soviet Union prepares its youth for the job of Socialist construction, while in capitalist countries millions of them are jobless and starting schools closing down the avenues of learning a trade class, and the factory schools of Detroit used to cut the wages of the adult workers by getting young workers to take their place at reduced wages.

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WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE OF U.S.A. SECTION OF YOUNG COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL. BANNED BY THE GOVERNMENT FROM SECOND CLASS MAILING PRIVILEGES BECAUSE OF ITS FIGHT FOR THE INTERESTS OF THE TOILING YOUTH.

INTO ACTION NAT'L YOUTH DAY!

Demonstrate May 30!--Fight Boss War! For Defense of the Soviet Union!

THE RED FLAMES of capitalist world war against the Soviet Union are even now licking away with scorching tongue at the starving legions of the toiling and jobless youth of America!

IT IS ECHOED in the ugly fraud perpetrated on the working masses to the effect that war "will bring back prosperity"—a lie, that is broadcast at the very moment that the war lords are completing their plans for compelling the whole working class, at the point of a bayonet, to do forced labor when the war breaks out.

The first stage of this world-wide conflagration, aimed at destroying the Soviet Union for the profits of the bosses, is already on in the Far East!

It is echoed in the nation-wide preparations for making Decoration Day a day for wiping the youth of this country into a frenzy of patriotic hatred for the Soviet Union, the workers' fatherland, the land of successful Socialist construction, the only country where there is no unemployment, starvation and misery, the only land where the workers rule; in hypocritical commemoration of the workers who died in the last war while the living veterans who fought for "democracy" are starving to death.

WORLD WAR IS MATTER OF WEEKS, OF DAYS

Young Workers! Let us no longer be blinded by the "peace" propaganda of the bosses. World war is now a matter of weeks, or days!

IT MAY BREAK OUT TOMORROW!

The guns which are even now rumbling in Manchuria along the Siberian borders of the Soviet Union may at any moment shatter the apparent "peace" under which we are now starving with the frightful clamor of capitalist world war against the Soviet Union!



The roaring of giant guns across the plains of Manchuria is being echoed thunderously in the United States in the hundreds of American factories which are daily turning out death dealing instruments for this war.

FOR A UNITED FRONT AGAINST BOSS WAR! Against the blazing inferno of world capitalist war against the Soviet Union, the young workers, farmers and working class students must set up an iron unbreakable front!

It is echoed in the cold-blooded support given by American bosses to the shipment of Japanese troops, heavy artillery and White Guard Tsarist scum to the very borders of the Soviet Union. It is echoed in the approval which the American bosses give to the most monstrous provocations by means of which the capitalist countries are trying unsuccessfully to break down the firm peace policy of the Soviet Union.

The Second National Youth Day Demonstrations on May Day must be the smashing answer of the working class youth to the criminal war moves of the bosses against the Soviet Union!

Demonstrations on May 30th must be held on May 30th, National Youth Day, against boss war and for defense of the Soviet Union!

PACIFISTS AND "SOCIALISTS"

HELP PREPARE WAR!

It is echoed in the lies of the pacifists and "Socialists" who try to fool workers into believing that by appealing to the "better instincts" of the bosses it will be possible to prevent another inferno of world capitalist war. Remember the treacherous betrayals of the working class by the "Socialists" in the last war!

Stop the shipment of munitions from American ports, munition plants and railroad centers!

Not a cent for imperialist war — All war funds for the unemployed!

Down with Decoration Day—a day of boss mobilization for imperialist war!

FORWARD TO A MIGHTY SECOND NATIONAL YOUTH DAY!

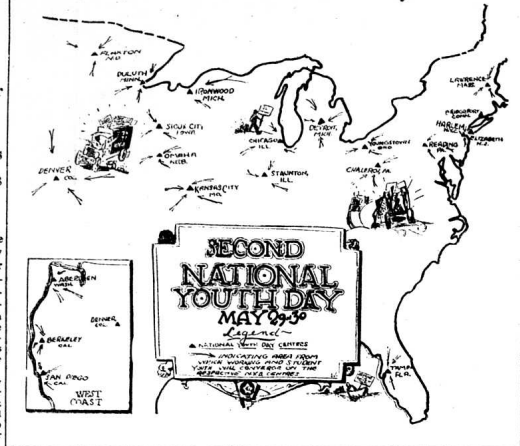
Reports Point to 'Mighty Youth Day' Against Boss

IN DEFENSE OF SOVIET UNION

Will Be Huge Answer to Criminal War Moves of Bosses

Terror Drive Fails Refusals of Permits Does Not Terrorize Young Workers

Map Showing Centers of Demonstrations for National Youth Day



Intensive efforts to make Second National Youth Day a smashing blow at the war moves of the bosses, are being made by the working-class youth all over the country. The National Youth Day on May 29-30, days set aside by the boss class as Memorial (Death) days, are just war and to prepare the youth for future ones is particularly appropriate.

National Youth Day will be a day to expose and fight against the war plans of the capitalist world against the workers' Soviet Union. It will be a day to protest the Secretary's verdict and the continued terror against the young Negro workers.

How complete and nationwide will the protest be judged from the following reports. They are only the first ones.

The program of activities for National Youth Day in New York City will be at Cooper Union, 212 E. 4th St., McCormick Park at 12 noon on Sunday, followed by a banquet at Lincoln Hotel, side of city of the Scottsboro boys, at 6 W. 133rd St. On Monday morning the 11-year-old sister of Boy and Willie Wright, two of the Scottsboro boys, will lead a parade through the working-class sections of Harlem to 116th St. where the demonstration will take place. In the evening there will be a dance at the Westminster Hall in Harlem.

Hold Jim Crow

"Y" Convention

Segregate Dix Negro Women Delegates

Minneapolis, Minn.—The convention of the YWCA held here on May 23 revealed two characteristic features of this best controlled organization.

The policy of Jim Crow harassment and fostered by the leaders of the YWCA was very much in evidence at the convention. In spite of the large number of Negro girls belonging to the Y, there were only six Negro delegates. Even these were segregated at the convention.

In addition, about 50 per cent of the delegates were old women, very elderly the wives of rich bosses. It was clearly a young girl's society, as at the convention the only Negro delegate who was not an old woman was the only one to be elected as a delegate.

LUCILLE WRIGHT, 11, TO TOUR U.S. IN FIGHT FOR SCOTTSBORO BOYS

To Rally Youth for Defense of Jess Hollins and Willie Brown and Other Victims of Lynch Terror

NEW YORK.—Lucille Wright, 11-year-old sister of Boy and Willie Wright, two of the Scottsboro boys, will lead a parade through the working-class sections of Harlem to 116th St. where the demonstration will take place. In the evening there will be a dance at the Westminster Hall in Harlem.

The late of march for the Chicago demonstration on National Youth Day is as follows: The parade will start at 2 p.m. Monday, May 24, at 43rd and Union St. and will proceed to 56th St. and then the line will form a right angle and march north to 43rd St. and then west to 42nd St. and then south on 42nd St. to 51st and Pacific St. Speakers will be addressed by William Z. Foster and other nationally known speakers.

Aberdeen, Washington is preparing to receive at least 200 young workers from Washington and Oregon. There will be an indoor meeting with all sports and other events. This city was the scene of the lumber industry here and because of the strike here in the past.

PREDICT WAR ON U.S.S.R. IN 8 WEEKS

Facilitate Assassins Speed War Drive Against Soviets

Ship More Troops Japanese Bosses Buy Arms All Over the World

WAR ON THE SOVIET UNION IN LESS THAN 8 WEEKS!

This is the gist of a story carried in two New York City newspapers on May 17. It is as graphic an exposure of the fact that the stage has been set for an immediate attack on the Soviet Union and that this knowledge is spread wide among the ruling classes of the world as it has ever appeared. This story was carried in the "Brooklyn Daily Eagle" and in other papers in United States dispatches.

The assassination of the Japanese premier took place in a dining room of army officers is clearly a move to speed the criminal war steps of the United States against the Soviet Union. Disarmed with the knowledge that the fascist band killed the premier and thus enabled the open fascists to be in a position to more openly and rapidly attack the policy of immediate war upon the Soviet Union.

The breathless speed with which this war move is going ahead are seen in the news of purchases all over the world by the Japanese bosses of war equipment for use in the attack on the Soviet Union.

A famous Birmingham arms factory writes to the Japanese government ordering it to speed manufacturing rifles to Japanese order. The order on which they are working is for a total of between 300,000 to 500,000 army rifles. A large munitions factory in Glasgow, making torpedoes, is also working on orders for 100,000 torpedoes for the Japanese navy.

At the same time the heavy shipments of Japanese troops outside the boundaries of the Japanese Empire to the borders of the Soviet Union. Large numbers of Japanese troops have been sent to the Far East, to the Japanese island of Manchuria from which point they are being rushed to Siam and other countries in the Pacific. The Japanese are also being rushed to Siam and other countries in the Pacific. The Japanese are also being rushed to Siam and other countries in the Pacific.

STARVATION HEARING SHOWS CHILD HUNGER

Same Conditions Exist All Over United States Among Workers' Children

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Last month, a children's Open Hearing on hunger was held at the Ryaford-Jackson Hall.

The hearing was opened by Cora-relief Maggie Jones, leader of the Unemployed Council. She said that 12 children testified, 2 poor and 10 young workers. The answers of the children and the young workers expose the starvation conditions prevailing. The demonstrations on National Youth Day this year will be a smashing blow at the whole system of hunger as brought out in the hearing part of which is reported in the "Young Worker."

The statement of the young worker was as follows: Question: What is your name? Answer: Glad Robinson. Question: How old are you? Answer: 18 years old. Question: Are any of your sisters doing this year? Answer: Yes, my smallest sister is sick. Yesterday the doctor and nurse brought her home from school. I know that the only reason that the girl sick was not having enough to eat and my father tells her this is the only way to get along.

Question: Do you always have enough to eat? Answer: No. Question: Do you get any relief from the Associated Charities? Answer: No. Question: Do you get any relief from the Associated Charities? Answer: No. Question: How many times did you eat today? Answer: Twice. Question: What did you have to eat? Answer: Corn bread and milk. Question: Would you like to have a new dress? Answer: Yes, the last time I got one was a year and a half ago. Question: Do your parents get any

13,000 OFFICERS MOBILIZED BY NAT'L GUARD--FULL WAR STRENGTH

FURTHER information sent in by a "Young Worker" correspondent on the criminal preparations of the American bosses for war against the Soviet Union reveals the feverish speed with which the young workers of this country are being prepared to take part in the next world slaughter for the sake of the profits of the bosses.

This information is contained in a special letter dated Jan. 27, 1932, sent out by the Militia Bureau to all Commanding Generals of National Guard Corps Areas and was printed in the "Pennsylvania Gunsmith" in a special issue of the Pennsylvania National Guard, in the May issue.

It openly states that the bosses are rushing ahead full speed with the mobilization of from 12,000 to 13,000 National Guard officers, to bring the armed forces of the American capitalists up to full war time strength.

Together with everything else which is taking place and which will create in all men under cover of a number of "accidents," as the war against the Chinese people.

The young workers of this country are faced with the most burning task of fighting against this war with all their power. The National Youth Day demonstration on May 30th this year against boss war and for the defense of the Soviet Union must be the mighty answer to the ruling classes and bosses slaving youth to the criminal capitalist war machine.

The letters exposing these plans read, in part, as follows: "AND 12,000 NATIONAL GUARD OFFICERS WILL BE CREATED BY THE EXPANSION OF THE NATIONAL GUARD TO ITS WAR STRENGTH UNDER THE WAR DEPARTMENT GENERAL MOBILIZATION PLAN. All plans for the procurement and promotion of officer personnel in the event of a general mobilization have reserved these vacancies to National Guard organizations in accordance with the broad principle enunciated in Section 76 of the National Defense Act. It is desired that the chief of the Militia Bureau inform the National Guard authorities in this regard AND TO THE END THAT PROMPTLY AND WITH SEPARATE UNITS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD MAY BE PREPARED TO FILL ALL VACANCIES IN THE NATIONAL GUARD SHOULD A MAJOR EMERGENCY ARISE."

CHILDREN IN U.S.S.R. HAPPIEST IN WORLD

Receive Good Food, Live in Most Modern Homes; Never Know Hunger or Want

By an English Visitor to the Soviet Union

The daily four hours studies for children over 7 years commences at 8:30 a.m. Four groups were studying arithmetic, and from three through 10 years (7 to 8 years) were learning algebra. The next group had a school music system, the next group had a school of physical education. The children have fifteen minutes sport, indoors or out, according to season. The directorship of Ukrainian Physical Culture specialist. By eight o'clock appetites are healthy and breakfast is ready, consisting of home made bread and butter, and non-milk-cakes, or maple porridge (kasha) and honey, with either milk, tea or coffee.

1. Stop the Robber War on the Chinese People! Defend the Chinese Soviets! 2. Against Imperialist War! Defend the Soviet Union! 3. Not One Cent for Militarism—All Funds for the Relief of the Unemployed! 4. Unemployment and Social Insurance at the Expense of the State and Employers! 5. Against all Discrimination against the Youth in Giving out Unemployed Relief! Against all Forms of Forced Labor of the Jobless! 6. Smash the Growing Wave of Lynching and Terror against the Oppressed Negro Masses! 7. For Freedom for the Scottsboro Boys, Jess Hollins and Willie Brown! 8. Equal Rights for the Negroes and Self-Determination for the Black Belt! 9. Old Enough to Work—Old Enough to Vote. The Right of All Young People 16 and over to Vote! 10. Vote Communists! 11. Six-hour Day for all Young Workers under 18 with Full Pay. Four-hour Day for all Young Workers under 16 with Full Pay! 12. Complete Abolition of Child Labor (under 16) and Maintenance for All Those Now Employed under that Age! 13. Against all vagrancy and Hitch-Hike Laws! 14. Free Recreational Facilities for all Young Workers! 15. Against the Bosses, Opposed by an International Workers' Sports Meet! 16. Emergency Relief without Restrictions for the Government and Banks for the Poor Farmers; Exemption of Poor Cultivators from Taxes and from Forced Collection of Debts! 17. Done with Decoration Day—Day of Boss Mobilization for Imperialist War! 18. Forward to Second National Youth Day! 19. Against the Bosses, Terror and Political Reaction! 20. Against the Hoover Wage-Cutting Policy!

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YOUTH SESSION AT NOMINATING CONVENTION

CHICAGO, Ill.—The National Nominating Convention of the Communist Party is held at Chicago on May 28 and 29. There will be only one adult but also youth delegates. Plans have been completed to have a youth session of the convention. For this purpose, the youth delegates and other youth delegates organized a youth session. The youth delegates will be elected to the youth session.

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National Youth Day Against Boss War

THE illusion that the reduction in army officer personnel made by the House of Representatives last week was a step on the part of American bosses toward "disarmament" instead of being clearly an efficiency measure toward eliminating the "dead weight" of old officers who would take no part in the next war, was effectively dispelled by the same House of Representatives a few days later.

This body of Wall Street politicians voted to eliminate the proposed budget "economies" which in any way touched appropriations for the militarization of the youth in preparation for war on the Soviet Union.

The proposed cut of \$5,794,166 in such appropriations was overwhelmingly voted down. Continuation of 14-day training pay for the organized reserves was continued as were 48 Reserve Officers Training Corps appropriations.

The Citizens Military Training Camps were carried over for 1932 as well as the federal subsidies for military training in the colleges and high schools.

At the same time that almost six million dollars were thus voted for the militarization of the youth, not a single cent is voted for relief of the starving young workers.

The refusal to economize on these military expenditures, despite the bankruptcy of the American treasury, is a mark of the determination with which the bosses are preparing their attack on the Soviet Union.

These two bills, passed in almost as many days, is a complete answer to the shouts of the pacifists that "the American bosses can be 'convinced not to make war,' or that they are really disarming."

The Second National Youth Day demonstrations on May 29 and 30 must be the answer of the young workers, farmers and working class students to these all the moves of the bosses.

Down with Decoration Day—day of boss mobilization for war on the Soviet Union!

Forward to Second National Youth Day—day of struggle of the working class youth against capitalist war!

The Boy Scout Leaders Scout for Workers

THE recent donation of \$250,000 to the Boy Scouts by Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff, serves to bring out very emphatically who it is that supports the organization—and, of course, whom the organization in turn supports—also the determined effort which the bosses are making at the cost of hundreds of thousands of dollars to win the working class youth away from the working class.

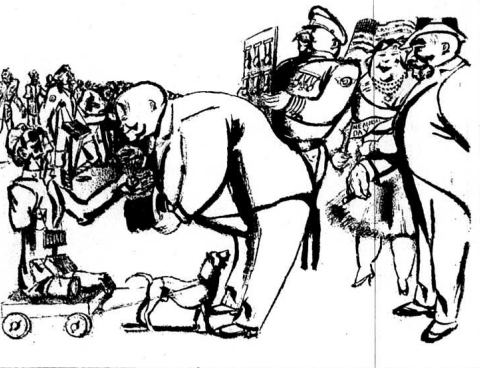
The latter fact was more emphatically brought out at the close of the 22nd Annual Convention of the Boy Scouts held last Monday in the swanky Hotel Waldorf-Astoria.

At this conference the details of a "ten-year program" for the recruitment of a total of 1,500,000 members was outlined. The object set forth was to enroll one boy in every four over 12 years of age in the Boy Scouts.

The object behind all this is clear. The bosses see the leftward swing of the youth and are frantically attempting to stem it by such militarist organizations as the Boy Scouts. Especially in view of the immensity of the danger of the world war against the Soviet Union is the task of fighting the influence of the Boy Scouts more urgent than ever.

Of particular importance is the fact that the Boy Scouts are bending every energy to win the Negro youth away from the influence of the Communist Party and Young Communist League.

"Take This, My Dear Hero!" By Bard



WORK IN THE ARMED FORCES!

that there is very little left, if anything at all. In the 1924 Infantry and the 238th P. A. the men do not get paid during the most of their enlistment period, due to the amount of deductions. Most of the money is granted. In the last few years we have seen them in constant use in strike struggles, as the Italian, against the farmers of Iowa, and recently against the Ohio miners. Their second purpose is to be used with the regular forces in the first line of "defense" in war time.

There is a definite trend for further preparations of the guard regiments for use against the workingmen. In New York, the 71st Infantry has been receiving riot tactic drill for some time. It has recently been started in the 105th Infantry also.

On February 4th the New Jersey National Guard was ordered to stand by for use against the demonstration. Although they were not actually used, the possibility of their being used still holds true. We find that the discipline in the guard is making it a more efficient machine. This tendency has been concretely expressed in the 28th P. A. where 23 men were fired or imprisoned last year for failure to attend drill. Court-martial proceedings are also on the increase in the 106th Infantry.

GOOD COMPOSITION The composition of the Guard is a good one for us. Most of them are young workers, many enlisted before the legal age of 18. workers among their members of the 16th P. A. The average regiment has about 40 per cent unemployed youth. In the 10th Infantry (Negro), the percentage is about 70 per cent. The sentiment for leaving the men is constantly increasing. The conditions among the men give us a good approach. The private receives a pay check of \$12 a month, from this is deducted 4 cents for food without providing their food, association dues, etc., so

By Bard



WORK IN THE ARMED FORCES!

Our biggest weakness was our work in the important war industries. These mills on which we were supposedly concentrating were cutting wages, firing youth, spreading up the machines. Yet our League membership and leadership did practically nothing to reach the youth workers except thru an occasional leaflet and "Young Worker" sales. Our problem, then, was to reach these young workers.

Recruit Into Y.C.L. The Y. U. U. L. and Unemployment Councils can reach and organize the Guardsmen through actual struggle for better conditions. We did not approach them as "union organizers" or "organizers for the Young Communist League" but just as a worker like themselves who was interested in the conditions in the shop. They were willing to speak about the conditions and to not forcing our own opinions on them, we were able to see what the main demand in their particular regiment was. They would take 4-8 hours at a stretch, without a moment for rest.

Several Guardsmen in New York City have participated in strikes under the Y. U. U. L. and for the first time came in actual contact with our movement. We have by this manner even reached non-Communist and commissioned officers of the guard. By actually getting down and doing intensive anti-militarist work, we will be laying a good basis for the common struggle of the workers and the servicemen against the deteriorating conditions and the danger of a new boss war against the Soviet Union. In fact, rather than do just in fancy.

Do you want to know what is behind all the war maneuvers in China; how Japan is attacking China; and also the Soviet Union? Read "War in China," ten cents.

Attention YCLers! Next week the "Young Worker" will carry a complete analysis of the results of the entire Young Communist League membership drive. This article by Joe Roberts is of the utmost importance in estimating the work of the League during the Recruiting Drive and should be watched for by every League member.

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"All of this demands first of all the reconstruction of the activity of the leadership and the organizational work of the Executive Committee..."



Young Miners Feel Lash of Hunger

DAD MINER 35 YRS, KIDS STARVING

With Mines Shutting Down, Mills Pay Just Enough for Fare

By a "Young Worker" MIDDLESBORO, Ky. — I hardly know what to write; times are so bad in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Pappy has been a miner for thirty-five years and the last work he did was when he worked fifteen days and made \$1.66. He could not get an order for worth \$1 groceries and maybe he would get 50 cents change with the full order.

The factories are working four days a week and this didn't hardly pay their care-fare. I can't get a job at all. I have walked off a pair of slippers of my feet trying to get on. If they think you belong to the "Commies" they won't let you in the factories.

I was so sorry to hear about the deaths of our comrades who have been murdered by the gun thugs. Poor mother's hearts are made to bleed over the loss of their children. I think we are living in the dirty country. There are some of the dirtiest people in this place who could ever be born in the whole world anywhere.

I am sure praying for times to get better. People have all been praying for a change and thank God they have got one. Changed from 30 days pay to all work.

With you all good luck. EDITORIAL NOTE—Prayer won't do away with starvation. The only thing that can force the bosses to pay a living wage and to better our conditions is solid working-class organization and struggle.

MT. IRON MINES OPEN NEW MONTH WITH NO P.C. CUT

By a Young Worker Correspondent MT. IRON, MISS.—The conditions of the Workers in Mt. Iron are getting worse every day. They get a week's work and then, a week's pay and a week—

Especially are the young workers who are being treated like dogs. They get only a few days a month while they go for months at a time without getting work.

On May second the mines here opened with a ten per cent wage cut. Also the conditions are getting worse every day. They get a week's work and then, a week's pay and a week—

THROW A POWERFUL SEARCHLIGHT ON THE CRIMINAL EXPLOITERS!



Story of One Day in Young Miners' Life Graphic Picture of Misery

Starvation Wages for Slaving in Mines Full of Foul Air, Coal Dust and Danger of Death from Slate or Cave-In

By a "Young Worker Correspondent" NEW KENSINGTON, Pa.—Here in the Kinlock mine, the mine is rotten but the conditions are worse. I'm going to tell you a little story about the Kinlock Mine.

I got up at 4:30 a.m. and started walking to work. First, I look into my bucket and see what I have to eat; some bread, about five cents worth of "Jumbo" (bologna) and I have got one. Changed from 30 days pay to all work.

A MINING VILLAGE IN U. S. S. R.

Where Young Miners Work Only Four Hours Daily, Live In Airtight and Clean Apartment Houses

We visited the Chukotka mines in the Far North, and after being treated with courtesy, we were equipped with white suits, rubber boots, and thick mittens, caps and hampers, and lowered down the mine by a steel cable. After that, the mine was revealed by the electric light. We were taken to the main shaft and then to the underground apartment houses.

COAL MINES DENY YOUTH AN WORK

Red Cross Also Cuts Single Workers from Jobs and Relief

By a "Young Worker" Correspondent MIDDLESBORO, Ky. —

A line to let you know the conditions in Bell and Harlan counties. They are sure in bad shape and I wish I could do more about it.

It has been nearly a year since I have seen my wife and child. I have been black-balled and can't get work anywhere. I even tried to get work from the Red Cross where they work the poor people ten hours for one dollar.

Young Miners Cut Off All the coal mines have cut off the young men that are not married. The young men can't find work anywhere and just walk up and down the road with a hungry look on their face.

Comrades, this is the first letter I have written to the "Young Worker" and I am sure you will help me and girls read it, so that they may know the conditions in our mines.

Across the mountains at Pointe, Ky. Mr. R. J. Lambert, the vice-president, told the miners if they would take another reduction in pay the company would give 5 years steady work.

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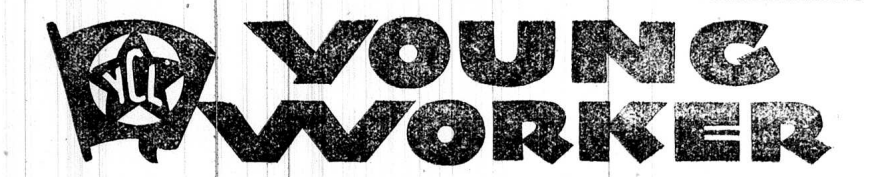
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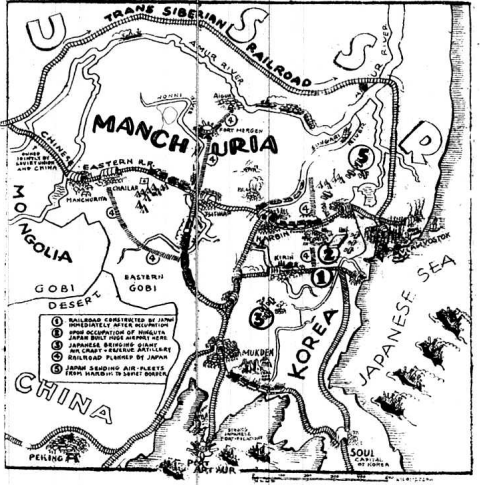
Youth Delegates Off to Nominating Convention



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JAPANESE ARMIES READY TO ATTACK U.S.S.R.

Where the Japanese Bosses Are Ready to Launch Their Attack on the Soviet Union



Prepare Onslaught On Pacific Port

BULLETIN The Young Communist League of New York City calls upon the young workers of New York City to demonstrate against the imperialist war moves on the Soviet Union on Saturday, June 4, at 12 p.m. at Whitehall and South Ferry streets.

Immediate attack on the Soviet Union through the Soviet port of Vladivostok looms as a daily possibility with the Japanese armies speedily approaching the Soviet border. This attack will be the signal for plunging the entire world into the bloody shambles of an imperialist war against the workers' fatherland in Manchuria.

Special Session for Youth at Nominating Convention in Chi.

CHICAGO, Ill.—William Z. Foster, national secretary of the Trade Union Unity League, and Joseph P. Kamp, candidate for president on the Communist Party ticket, will address the special Youth Session of the National Nominating Convention, to be held in Chicago, May 28 and 29.

This session, for which young worker delegates have been and are being elected all over the country, will take up the special problems which confront the young workers in the coming election in addition to being a part of the regular convention.

Three Sessions The first session of the convention will be held in Peoples Auditorium, 2437 W. Chicago Ave. at 10 p.m. on Monday, May 23. The second session will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 24, and the third session will be held at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 25.

YOUNG TOILERS RALLY TO NAT'L YOUTH DAY

With continuous undiminished parade and refusal and threats against boss war on the Soviet Union against the planned lynching of National Youth Day continue to send reports which conclusively prove that Second National Youth Day is a tremendous success.

Berkley, Cal.—Terrie organization, from the East Bay section, in addition to many young workers from Northern California, are going to take part in the parade and mass demonstration. Although refused a parade permit by Chief Brown, plans were made to go to the city center and make another demonstration.

Duluth, Minn.—Despite the refusal of Commissioner Moore to grant a permit, and the refusal of "Carl St-Louis" Governor Olson to defray the cost of the parade, the National Guard are being called out to maintain order. The parade will be held on Saturday, May 28, at 10 a.m.

Lucille Wright Starts Nat'l Tour in Fight for Nine Scottsboro Boys

NEW YORK—Little Lucille Wright, 16-year-old sister of boy had Andy Wright, two of the eight Scottsboro boys sentenced to die June 30 on a framed charge of rape, stopped in an attempt to raise money for their defense of the nine Scottsboro boys. She is a little slip of a girl, 16 years old, but very emphatic in her determination to slay the boys' defense.

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For Right of Youth to Vote

Old Enough to Work—Old Enough to Vote!

It is significant that one of the largest sections of the working class—the working class youth is disenfranchised. No young worker below the age of 21 is able to vote.

This fact has been with us for so long that many young workers have come to accept it as a matter of course. The arbitrary refusal to allow young workers under 21 to vote is usually justified in the public schools by the lame excuse that the young worker does not reach his "majority" until he becomes 21 years old.

The actual meaning of this disenfranchisement, however, lies deeper than any such misleading and meaningless reason. As a matter of fact the capitalist class is very much concerned with seeing to it that the working class youth is not permitted to vote because it realizes very well that the working youth represent a valuable and militant section of the entire working class. It is not merely one more instance of the manner in which the capitalist class discriminates against the youth. In this case the discrimination has an even more important political reason than those behind the customary acts of discrimination.

This must not be interpreted as implying that the inability to vote is in any way a bar to the participation in the political struggles of the working class. Nor does it suggest that the working class youth cannot carry on a revolutionary struggle against capitalist exploitation except through the ballot.

The only conclusion that the working class youth must draw from this fact is that they are disenfranchised because the ruling class has carried on no effective struggles against this rank form of political discrimination, a discrimination which is in reality a blow at the entire working class.

The mass pressure of the youth, organized firmly under the leadership of the Communist Party and Young Communist League can and must force the capitalist class to grant the right of vote to all young workers over 18.

The central demand in the youth program of the Y.C.L. which is to be ratified at the youth session of the Nominating Convention now being held in Chicago, will be the demand for the right to vote for all young workers over 18—old enough to work, old enough to vote!

Every young worker must rally behind this central demand, in addition to the other demands which will be printed in the "Young Worker" in the next issue and vote for the candidates who in daily practice have shown themselves to be fighters for the working class—the candidates on the Communist Party ticket!

YPSL Aids the War Makers

Leadership Prevents Rank and File from Struggling Against War

Once again the Young Peoples Socialist League proves its loyalty to the capitalist class as the best ally of the bosses in the ranks of the working class youth.

The reactionary leadership of that organization both in Chicago and Philadelphia has issued categorical instructions to the rank and file membership not to enter into a united front with the National Youth Day Committees. The members of that organization, especially in the Jean Jaures branch of the youth section of the Workmen's Circle, a "socialist" controlled organization, showed by listening to the candidates from the National Youth Day committee and voting by almost a majority to participate in the N.Y.D. demonstrations that they were willing to carry on a revolutionary struggle against imperialism war.

The leadership, however, came very effectively to the aid of American imperialism by suppressing the attempt of the sincere young workers and students in the YPSL, and demonstrated how calculatedly the organization has in the absence of the "left wing" of the organizers an oppressive, war under cover of "left" phrases about fighting imperialism, in actual deeds sabotage and attempt to prevent such a struggle.

Troops That Pass in the Night—To Moscow

By Bard



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HOW THE STEEL BOSSES SUPPORT THE DRIVE OF FATHER COX FOR THE YOUTH

By TONY MINERICH
Even the casual glance at the Pittsburgh newspapers is enough to show how the bosses, their government and Father Cox are planning to put three more wage-cuts, hunger and prepare the workers—ESPECIALLY YOUTH—for the coming war. This is especially important to the bosses, because of the importance of the steel mines and steel mills in the war, and the fact that both the miners and the steel workers, have years of militant traditions in the workers' struggle. This, therefore, places before the workers the question of carrying on the hardest struggle against these bosses and their agents and of winning the young workers for the struggles of the working class.

The Pittsburgh papers carry stories of the "Blue Shirts of Father Cox." According to them, he already has 75,000 members enrolled in his organization. Also that they have already placed an order for 1,000,000 blue shirts uniforms. The members are organized into groups of 50. Each group has two lieutenants and one captain. The officers are from the bosses or businessmen.

For instance, the Sun-Telegram of May 15th carries a picture of Austin Stanley, an attorney who is the executive chairman of the Blue Shirts Army, placing a uniform on the shoulders of the "soldier." In all probability the "soldier" does not as yet know that he is a soldier against the working class.

This "Blue Shirt" army is a nation's aid against the working class, especially the Communist. It is seen by the experiences of one of the organizers of the Young Communist League, who went to visit a convention. It so happened that the brother

of the young worker—who is a Blue Shirt—just came home. At once he started to ask: "We will show these damn Communists—they are against our good government." Maybe, Father Cox, had told him how the police and thugs met his marchers with open arms when they went to Washington, D. C. shortly after the same "good" government had just organized the greatest military display force against the National Hunger Marchers.

The same Sun-Telegram carries a notice for a special drive for subscriptions. It offers a special list to quote the paper, "Upon condition that Father James H. Cox is given the usual commutation." This shows that this paper that was so vicious against the striking miners, is now out to help Father Cox.

It is interesting to note also, that the same issue of the paper carries the following story:
"Ask for work at cut wages" the story then goes on: "Petitions were being circulated today among the employees of the Standard Sanitary Company plant in Woods Run, asking officials to reopen the plant and declaring that the employees would voluntarily take a reduction of 10 per cent."

But not a word about the struggle now taking place in the Pittsburgh district against wage-cuts. The papers display quite prominently the fact that some stool pigeon is asking "his" company to "please give some workers a reduction." Of course, no one expects more from this paper, we only want to show the character of this paper.

Other sections of the paper carry stories by Floyd Gibbons, calling upon the people to ask the government to build a stronger naval base in the Hawaiian Islands in preparation for the coming war. This is coincident in all of this. The bosses are very busy in preparing for this war.



RECRUIT! BUT, WHERE AND HOW?

Let us analyze the results of the Y.C.L. Recruiting Drive in the light of the YCL resolution.
The total of 3,010 new recruits is 81 per cent of the goal (3,700) set in the beginning of the drive. This is not a substantial increase for the League in this period, especially if we examine the composition of the recruits and WHERE they were recruited. Three hundred and forty-one, or 11 per cent, were Negroes. This alone must bring to the League very sharply how far removed we are from the struggles and demands of the doubly oppressed Negro youth.

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Our Shops Units.
Before the drive we had six fact-finding shop units with 32 members, one of which has died out in New York. Twelve more new shop units were organized and the Detroit Ford unit was revived. This gives us a total of 17 shop units with 101 members (2 per cent of estimated membership). Most of the new shop units were organized in small shops, with the exception of Cleveland—only one unit in a mill of 1,000 workers. New York, the NEW YORK and metal shop each employing 3,000 workers. Pittsburgh organized two mine units and one steel unit with six members.

We can't speak of a decisive struggle and mobilization of the youth against imperialism war with such poor connections inside the shops. In the course of the drive we failed to turn the attention of the membership to conscious activity in and around the factories. Our work was along the line of least resistance, recruiting where the least effort was required for results. Not a single shop unit was organized in the Chicago District. Detroit got its Ford unit going only after the Ford massacre. New York talked shop plenty, but failed to concentrate the efforts of the largest membership in the country for basic results.

Shop work has been accepted formally as a task of the League. Shop units are formed in a very mechanical manner. There is no persistent and conscious daily attention given to them. The details in activity and membership of shop units once organized is good evidence of this (Sparrows Point, Ford's New York).

VERY FEW FROM LARGE SHOPS
The League's isolation from the shops, characterized by the YCL

resolution as "the low forward organization in the factories" is shown in the number of recruits from large shops; most coming from shops up to 100 workers. Only 200 recruits with 47 were from plants of over 10,000. Estimated Membership 3,910. The reported average membership is 5,084; 3,263 or 64 per cent are dues payers, although the average dues payers in April were 2,026. We cannot base ourselves on the old system of two kinds of membership, dues paying and estimated. Of the 3,010 new recruits, about 1,000 became dues paying so far, indicating a 60 per cent to 65 per cent turnover. This immediate fluctuation will determine to what extent we are able to apply in practice the YCL resolution, by holding present and winning back the large number of recruits that have been lost to the League.

Examining Some Districts.
Chicago set itself 350 new recruits for the drive. They employed minimum goal was, 20 from packing, 20 from metal and 10 from mining; 25 per cent; about 90 of recruits were to be Negroes. They got 70 metal, 10 steel and two from packing.

In Detroit the YCL estimated beginnings made in developing struggle and winning Negroes into the Y.C.L. During the drive these beginnings were certainly neglected with Chicago making a miserable showing of only 10 Negroes out of 320 recruits, much less than some smaller districts. It is against such meager results that the YCL resolution, which we must not regard as a war, and which we must stand against.

The Cleveland steel was 500 dues paying members, 133 of which were to be Negroes. New York five new shop units. They got one steel unit, reached a steel mill of 150 and got only 21 Negroes. The disproportion between the plans and final results flows from the formulation of plans on top and their formal introduction to the membership.

This holds true for the National plan in a much sharper way. In this we organized the membership from the top, considered shop concentration as one of the orders of the day in New York. The YCL has not sufficiently exposed and fought against this. Thus the YCL characterizes the struggle against war in New York as one of the best. Many comrades have been largely responsible for the past unprincipled attack on united front and not from below.

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length with some of the other districts. This should come from the comrades in the district. An analysis of the Pittsburgh district from of tremendous value for the discussion on the resolution.

We have not yet seriously taken up the struggle to win the young workers away from the opportunist and from the fascist and social fascist leadership. In Chicago and other places, definite fascist clubs and groups are being organized to combat the spread of communism among the youth.

The YCL leadership developed amongst the youth is best expressed in the fascist mobilization in Chicago and in the leadership of the Y.C.L. through some of its unions (U.M. W.A.) and Made led unions in

the, etc. are developing forms of activity for the young workers. It is interesting to note that the leadership of the Young Peoples Socialist League supports the resolution of the "militants" — the so-called left group within the Y.C.L. and in Chicago and in Cleveland. This is the case in other places, like the C. P. reports that the Y.P.S.L. units are adopting an "open" method, and are energetically going about to "take the workers" in new

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MISTAKES OF NEW YORK DISTRICT IN STRUGGLE AGAINST BOSS WAR

By WILLIAM ALBERTSON
The central task of our Young Communist League is the struggle against the imperialist war which has already started and for the defense of the Chinese masses and the Soviet Union. This task is categorically laid down for us both by the resolution of the Central Committee plenum of the Party and that of the Y.C.L. If we are to carry on this struggle correctly and mobilize masses of youth behind us, our past mistakes must be brought sharply to the fore and thoroughly analyzed.

The Y.C.L. has failed to understand the significance of the war in the Far East as the beginning of the imperialist war and the direct preparation for intervention against the U.S.S.R. On the contrary the League and the "Young Worker" have made serious errors in creating a united front above and in the struggle against war (New York), and the Y.C.L. has not sufficiently exposed and fought against this. Thus the YCL characterizes the struggle against war in New York as one of the best. Many comrades have been largely responsible for the past unprincipled attack on united front and not from below.

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was not an oversight, but a policy. Our leading comrades believed that the youth would be able to rally the masses behind this slogan. However, they were pacifist and because they did not understand the role of the Proletarian Dictatorship in relation to imperialism, so as not to drive away certain elements from the conference.

(Continued Next Week.)

N.E.C. Buro Resolution on Removals of Gerson, Austin

The NEC Buro in line with the YCL resolution which states that all elements, "who drag the League backward, who don't understand the line of the Y.C.L. who obscure the sharpness of the questions raised... should be removed from the leadership," decides to remove Comrade Gerson and Austin from the leadership of the League.

Both of these comrades have shown a complete failure to understand the nature of the struggle. Many comrades have been largely responsible for the past unprincipled attack on united front and not from below.

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in many of the basic districts. This is a part of the general bureaucratic methods practiced in the leadership of the Y.C.L. Comrade Gerson in the LSU has not shown his ability to carry out the line of the NEC and Y.C.L. The work of Comrade Austin has been marred by phrase-mongering (much talk about the struggle against war, about arriving toward the shops, many motions on the students' strike—but no concrete steps to carry this through).

In removing these two comrades, the NEC does not in any way imply that they are solely responsible for the above mistakes. The NEC does not hold responsible especially the NEC Buro is responsible for these. Even those comrades who were not directly involved in some of these mistakes, did not fight them sharply and thus contributed to the mistakes made towards them. This only helped to further cultivate these tendencies.

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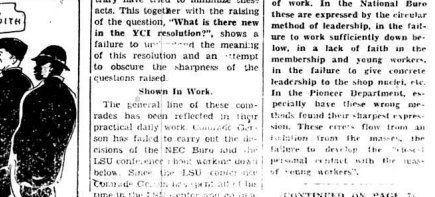
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THE VOICE OF THE LAW



By Quirt



Wisconsin Star Exposes racket

ALMOST HUNDRED IN SCOTTSBORO STREET RUNS

Run With "Free Tom Mooney-Scottsboro Boys" Placards

PATERSON, N. J.—Nine worker-athletes, racing over a six-mile course between Passaic and Paterson on April 22, bearing signs on their backs of "Free Tom Mooney and the Scottsboro Boys," were arrested on all sides by the dozens of workers who witnessed the run, held under the auspices of the Passaic Ramlers A. C. and the Paterson Red Front A. C. In the evening a dance was held at the homes of prizes were awarded to the first three men to finish. They were: Alfred DeCarlo of the Passaic, 44:06 Y.C.L. 42 minutes, 32 seconds; (2) Steve DeCarlo of the Red Front A. C., 44 minutes, 30 seconds; (3) Joe Walkowitz, Red Front A. C., 44 minutes, 24 seconds.

GARDNER, Minn.—Sixty-one worker athletes participated in the May Day meet held here despite a heavy rain, competing in track and country events. Slogans included Tom Mooney and Scottsboro protests and the endorsement of the demands of the State Hunger March. In the three-mile run for seniors, Union Sander of the Norwester Yritys, finished first in 16:12 minutes, followed by Kalle Hytti, unattached, 16:12 and Ray Delaney of Yritys, 16:22.

Francis Macdonald, of the Worcester Sisu Club finished first in the one-mile run, in 6:54 minutes. Second was John Sirkis, of the Gardner A.A.C. in 6:54 and third place was won by Uro Wiek of the Norwester Yritys, whose time was 6:58.

Scottsboro Run in New York Saturday

A Scottsboro-Tom Mooney Street Run will be held this Saturday, May 28, by the Red Spark Club from River Square through the Lower East Side. The run, which has been mentioned by the Eastern District Counter-Olympic Committee, will begin at 3 p. m. sharp. Prizes will be awarded to the first three to finish.

All young workers who want to participate, should be in the Red Spark Club rooms at 2 p. m.

FORMER COLLEGE ATHLETE SHOWS GRAFT IN "AMATEUR ATHLETICS"

By JACK SCOTT Formerly of the University of Wisconsin wrestling team, and runner-up in the 123-lb division in "Big Ten" Conferences Championships (With permission of "The New Sport and Play").

In the University of Wisconsin among its promising athletes in almost any sport can make arrangements whereby he can work at some snip job such as cleaning mats, taking care of lights, taking care of the swimming pool, etc., for 50 cents an hour with a minimum amount of \$20-\$25 a month, keeping his own time. With such arrangements, I worked faithfully for two months until I realized that other fellows who worked under the same system were very loose about keeping their time. More than once I noticed that at the end of the month some were paid about four times as much as I was, even though they did no more work than I.

We were paid by the State of Wisconsin regularly and monthly. I also noticed that many of these fellows didn't do their work consistently at all, and no objections were raised. Even when the coaches themselves saw this they kept quiet about it. The main reason for this was necessary to keep these athletes in the University of Wisconsin. If they were not satisfied with the amount of money they received they would go to another college. This was true also in regard to their treatment by the college. In some cases athletes, who did not receive as much as they thought they should, went to other colleges, found more satisfactory arrangements, and transferred in an arbitrary way, not satisfactory, he would get a note from the coach and would pass up many times.

Huge Grafting. One time while I worked in this manner I saw the very best of the money disappear, and receipts were always produced for these sums. I noticed that the very best of the shoes, etc., were taken and disposed of as a necessary means of maintaining the high athletic standing of the University.

Free "Commissions." Another method of subsidizing the athletes was to let out concessions to sell peanuts, etc., at football games and other athletic events. I also noticed that in many instances I told them that I would have to leave school on account of lack of funds. A peanut concession paid between \$10 to a game, besides the additional amounts gotten by graft, not turning in true receipts, etc.

Compliments are treated like prizes, are treated to such things as hair-cut, movies, etc., when on trips. In many cases things like new pairs of shoes, etc., are also gotten from the coach. It was always impressed upon the athlete that he was receiving all these gifts because he was an athlete and was valuable to the school.

A FEW EXAMPLES. ARTHUR THOMPSON, a hockey player, formerly worked in a steel mill. Then he came to college. At the time I knew him at the college, he was receiving \$25 a month for work done in and around the gym, in the hockey rink, etc. About the influence of the coach, he got a room in exchange for sweeping the halls of the house which took about 15 minutes of the day, if it was done at all. He received, as did every other athlete, athletic equipment—shirts, shoes, etc., from the athletic department, which was gotten at a wink from the coach. His attitude was "Why work in a steel mill?"

DICK HAWORTH was from Oregon. In Oregon he had played professional basketball. When he came to Wisconsin, despite the fact that it was known by everybody that he was a professional basketball player, he was placed on National Youth Day.

New York has just completed its city-wide dramatic contest. Seven plays were given in one night at the concert, Branch 403 of Midtown Village won first prize with Sam Pomeroy's play "The Spark." Other plays were "God Is No Jew" by Branch 401, which took second prize, "Marching Guns" by 404 third and also "Charity," "Link and Snuggly" by 402.

A thrilling scene from Eisenstein's film epic of the Revolution.

Jesuit School Attacks Worker Athletic Meet

Breaks Contract for Counter Olympic Use of Loyola Stadium

CHICAGO, Ill.—Loyola University, a Jesuit school for so-called higher learning, supporter and contractor to the Olympic games, has recalled the contract previously made with the National Counter-Olympic Committee for the use of its stadium for the International Workers Athletic Meet, to be held in Chicago on July 29, 30, 31, and August 1.

Local members of the Counter-Olympic group characterize the action as a move to support Samuel Insull and the Chicago beef trust, big contributors to the university, to impede the work of the thousands of worker-sportemen enrolled under the banner of the committee.

In conversing with Al Harris, national organizing secretary, and the National Counter-Olympic Committee, Loyola officials expressed their opposition to the use of the stadium for the Amateur Athletic Union, sponsor of the Olympics, who "are interested in getting the same deal that the Counter-Olympic Committee has contracted for, brought us a leader with whose contents we take issue."

McCabe, athletic director and representative for Loyola, when confronted with facts regarding Negro discrimination, admitted this and said it was a situation that could not be changed. He pointed to preparations and the Olympics serving as a means in that direction, he stated that it was being done only by the militant forces who are also interested in Olympics.

When confronted with the facts regarding the Olympics ignoring of the Soviet Union, he tacitly ignored the question with the statement that all this is too interesting. He took issue particularly with the general attitude of the leaflet, which stated that the school cannot connect within our grounds. When he first started the conversation, McCabe disclaimed any official connection, but towards the end of the talk he stated that he was charged with the mission to see to it that the class prejudice was removed from your program.

N.E. C. BURO STATEMENT ON THE REMOVAL OF GERSON, AUSTIN

It is necessary to carry on a most stubborn fight against all deviations in the leadership. It is necessary to remove those elements who cannot correct their mistakes. For this reason it is necessary to remove Comrades Gerson and Austin because of their mistakes. For this reason it is necessary to remove Comrades Gerson and Austin because of their mistakes. For this reason it is necessary to remove Comrades Gerson and Austin because of their mistakes.

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"YOUNG WORKER" DRIVE ON JUNE 1st!

EVERY READER MUST BECOME ACTIVE IN CAMPAIGN TO BUILD THEIR MASS ORGAN

Last week we printed a call for the "Young Worker" drive. New subscription blanks and collection lists have been already printed, to get the drive into full swing.

Every reader must seriously consider the actual danger of the "Young Worker" not appearing at this time, and get his job. There is no reason why the paper cannot be saved and built in the course of the next six weeks. What is needed now is thorough conviction of the importance and necessity for papers of the working class youth.

Every reader should become a part of campaign to build the paper. This can be done first, by popular expression of the readers in the columns of the paper. This means articles, CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE SHOP'S criticisms, his weak points and concrete suggestions for the improvement of the paper.

Suggestions have come in, about organizing readers' conferences or groups. These are to be formed on the basis of interested readers, who discuss the paper, FROM THE SHOP'S criticisms, his weak points and concrete suggestions for the improvement of the paper.

The "Young Worker" Drive will take place in the heat of the election struggle. It is through the Young Worker that we can reach the largest mass of youth, explain to them to organize against imperialism and for the defense of the Soviet Union, stated a resolution adopted by a national Young Worker conference of 30 delegates from 20 town working class organizations. This was one of several resolutions called throughout the country in preparation for a mammoth parade and demonstration on National Youth Day on June 1st.

YOUNG WORKERS RALLY TO NATL YOUTH DAY

Embarrass, Minn.—A demand that the Duluth authorities reverse their decision against the N.Y.D. parade, and a pledge to rally hundreds of young workers, farmers and students for the parade was sent in the form of a resolution of the city council of Duluth from this town by the N.Y.D. committee.

Reading, Pa.—After appeals to the rank and file from the N.Y.D. committee and participation in the demonstration against both war and turned down by the city committee of the Young People's Socialist League, the members of the Y.P.S.L. resigned and many members of the rank and file expressed disgust with the general inactivity of the league.

DRAMA—MOVIES

and Ken Macomber, Rose Henderson and Billy Miller are the leading players.

"High-Lo, Everybody," a story by Herbert Poole and John Macdonald, is produced by Videslav, lay at the Edison Theatre. Joseph Handley, Charles Howard, Frank Hubbard and Nanna Brown are the cast.

"Counselor-at-Law," The Emmy Lane comedy at the Plymouth Theatre closes its 25th performance on Wednesday night. Paul Mann leaves the cast on May 29 to start his film contract. Otto Kruger, who has been playing the leading role in the Chicago company will take up the same role here.

EISENSTEIN'S FILM "10 DAYS THAT SHOOK THE WORLD" CONTINUES

"REUNION IN VIENNA" NOW AT THE GUILD THEATRE

The Theatre Guild production of "Reunion in Vienna," Robert E. Sherwood's satire on old Vienna, which has been playing at the Marlborough Theatre for a past season, was transferred to the Guild Theatre on Monday. Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne play the chief roles.

New plays of the week include four in number and are as follows: "On the Water," a comedy by Robert Ayres, which opened at the 48th St. Theatre with Jeanette Fox-Lee, Ruth Falkow, Harry Short and George Seitz.

"A Thousand Summers," which serves to bring back Jean Cocteau, has been absent for some time, but is now playing at the 48th St. Theatre with Jeanette Fox-Lee, Ruth Falkow, Harry Short and George Seitz.

"Golden Mountains," a picture now playing at the 48th St. Theatre, is a picture now playing at the 48th St. Theatre.

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Briggs Youth Starve On, Off Job

JOBLESS BRIGGS YOUTH REFUSED WELFARE AID

Can: Even Get a \$5 Kroger Grocery Book Although They Slaved to Make Immense Profits Piled Up by Briggs

(By a "Young Worker" Correspondent)
DETROIT, Mich.—Every Briggs worker pays \$2.45 per month for so-called insurance. In Briggs, Highland Park, a worker was laid off for five or six months. He was behind on his insurance. When he went back to work the company took \$13 out of his first pay, which was \$30. This is the case of every Briggs worker. Why should we stand for such robbery?

At Briggs Highland Park they have what we call a stagger plan. In Department 292, we have three workers for each job so in order to keep them off the welfare they have each worker work one or two days a week on starvation wages. They say when you are working you don't need welfare. But how can they have each worker work one or two days a week on starvation wages. They say when you are working you don't need welfare. But how can they have each worker work one or two days a week on starvation wages. They say when you are working you don't need welfare. But how can they have each worker work one or two days a week on starvation wages.

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Hicks Coal Miners Ready To Join Fighting N. M. U. "Socialist" Boss in Macker Mine Abuses and Drives Young Miners

NEW KENSINGTON, Pa.—The miners of the Hicks Coal Company are very determined to build the National Miners' Union. Several mass meetings were held where hundreds of workers participated.

The miners of the Hicks Coal Company, controlling about nine mines, one thousand men, are building the National Miners' Union. Already many have joined including one solid mine. The "Socialist" boss in Macker Mine abuses and drives young miners out of the mine.

Conditions in the mines are getting worse every day. The miners work two and three days a week making only \$1.50 a day. The young miners are treated like slaves. They are kept up to work in the mines. It is a hole no too high you get out of a day for a fine. If you don't work you meet the associate.

The boss in the Macker Mine, a "Socialist", an old timer calls the young miners "stupid" and "ignorant". He says, "You god-damn bunch of bloody fools etc." The young miners are very intelligent and they are building the union to put an end to such treatment.

Dock Workers

"INSURANCE" RACKET IS USED TO ROB WORKERS

Briggs Highland Park Plant Staggers Workers in Order to Avoid Putting Them on the Welfare List

(By a "Young Worker" Correspondent)
DETROIT, Mich.—When we were working for Briggs, they made millions out of us through speed-up, zipping us out of our pay and taking hundreds of dollars out of the workers in the "Insurance Racket," which never insured any one.

Now we can't even get a \$5 Kroger grocery book (which Briggs gets for a few cents from Kroger) and then they have to pay it back if we start working. In the meantime Briggs makes profits all around on us unemployed, and those working 45 cents every two weeks out of workers pay for welfare and then on the books.

How can a large family live on 45 cents of groceries a week? If you're on "Briggs Welfare" you can't get city welfare. And now Murphy is putting those on city welfare down, to bread and flour diet or 10 cents per cent out of the soup line.

While the Mr. Briggs family—Mr. Briggs' children have their own money, families of unemployed Briggs workers face starvation and eviction.

Young Briggs Workers. Last winter Briggs and Briggs manufacturers had a conference with Mr. Murphy. They decided that only men who had been in welfare before could get jobs. It there were any to be gotten. This cuts the young and single men out.

YOUNG WORKERS IN MCKERSPORT BEGIN ACTING

Form Grievance Com. of 8 to Place Demands to Boss

(By a "Young Worker" Correspondent)
MCKERSPORT, Pa.—The young workers of McKeesport are determined against in the mills. The young non-skilled workers get out day in two weeks and some lose their job for a month. The young workers can't stand this any longer. Last week they formed a grievance committee of eight fellows who went to all the other workers and asked them what they thought of sending a committee to the big boss.

When all the workers told them that they were with them, they went to the boss and demanded more work. But the boss told them that he gets orders from the general superintendent and can't do anything about it.

The young workers of certain department are not going to stop. They are going to get the general superintendent with other demands to get more work.

Butte Copper Mines Almost Completely Shut; 2 Operate

Miners Consumption From Deadly Copper Fumes in Badly Ventilated Mines

(By a "Young Worker" Correspondent)
BUTTE, Mont.—Butte is called the "largest copper mining camp in the world." Butte is famous because it lies on the "rich hill" on copper. Undoubtedly it is the richest known hill on earth, but on this very hill the workers and their families are slowly starving. The actual wages of these miners is not 15c the benefit of the workers who lose their health sweating in the hills below digging it.

The benefits are for the copper magnates, tyrants and oppressors of the working class in Montana. There are thousands of workers unemployed here. Many mines have shut down in the last three years; three mines have closed out the miners recently and now only two are operating. The few miners that are on the job work two out of four weeks. Conditions are most deplorable and the speed-up system is very efficient. Underground fires have killed many miners.

The unemployed workers and their families receive very little of the poorest grade groceries from the Community Chest. The workers are forced to work in even these properties. The Butte Mutual Labor Bureau (card office) which is a network of the copper company's property and gunmen is working hand in hand with the local chapter in discriminating against class conscious workers and non-citizens. The Community Chest refuses to take any of the workers to the Salvation Army, where they are forced to work long hours and leaving their old buildings for a plate of beans and a bowl of "Sally Soup."

The local press which is controlled by the copper company is daily peddling lies about the Soviet Union. These prostitute sheets are trying to make the workers believe that we will open up the mines in Butte. We are exposing these lies of the bosses, and explain the true nature of work are either miserably hot and wet or full of dust.

The company makes us suffer to eliminate the deadly copper dust and foul air from these places. Cases of miners consumption are frequent and miners suffering from it are exceptionally lucky if they are not killed in the State Hospital, at Galen, which is controlled by the copper company. Due to the accident in the mines.

MINERS CHILDREN

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YOUTH HOLD ELECTION CONFERENCE

Ratify 6 Demands of Communist Party in Coming Elections

Five Youth Demands Vote for Youth 18 and Over Taken As Main Youth Issue



James W. Ford
Chicago, Ill.—An enthusiastic special youth conference was held in Chicago during the National nominating convention of the Communist Party May 29. The conference was composed of youth delegates from all over the country and was called to discuss specific youth problems on the election campaign and methods to mobilize the youth behind the Communist election program.

Gil Green reported for the National Executive Committee of the Young Communist League in his report Green dealt with the starry-eyed conditions of the young workers. He exposed the Republican and Democratic parties as direct instruments of the bourgeoisie. He called on the workers and the "Socialist" Party and Young People Socialist League as the agents of the bosses in the ranks of the working class. His report pointed out how eight million youth will participate in the presidential election for the first time in their lives. The major task of the Young Communist League is to see that this campaign will be to win these elections through struggle for the Communist youth program. This can be done only through struggle for the demands of these youth.

It is this respect Green proposed certain special organizational forms for the youth such as "First Youth Clubs" to be built in large plants.

The greatest emphasis was placed on the penetration of the factories by the League in order to transform it in the shortest possible time into a mass League with its roots in the factories. It was emphasized that while certain numerical gains had been made in membership, the growth was of an indirect character and not based on the youth in the most decisive sections of industry.

The weakness of the League in winning the Negro youth were ruthlessly exposed with sharp criticism of the failure to carry out the struggle for the daily needs of the Negro young workers together with the burning out of both open and concealed white chauvinism in the ranks of the League.

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SCOTTSBORO BOYS' SISTER TOURS U. S.

What Are You Doing About This?



William Z. Foster
Communist Candidate for the presidency of the United States on a program of struggle against hunger, boss war and terror.

The youth tour of Lucille Wright is meeting with enthusiastic response on the part of young and adult workers everywhere. The 11-year-old sister of Roy and Andy Wright, two of the Scottsboro boys, is now in the Middle West speaking to overflow audiences on the fight to save the Scottsboro boys from the hands of the legal lynches.

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Cloak War Moves on USSR in Silence As Troops Close in

In keeping with its double faced policy of moving for war on the Soviet Union behind a cloud of pacifist phrases, the American bosses are keeping a deathly silence about the movement of Japanese troops now within striking distance of the Soviet border. Not a single capitalist newspaper reports the fact that the four strong Japanese armies, one of which was said a few weeks ago to be thirty miles away from the Soviet border on the Sungari River, are actually closing in on the Far Eastern outposts of the USSR. This army carries with it a powerful naval armada, troops, heavy artillery and bombing planes. The second, third and fourth Japanese armies are also advancing on the Soviet border along the Chinese Eastern Railway, the Hulan-Hallu Railway and along the territory on the Soviet border enclosed by the Korean and Manchurian frontiers. This complete silence on the part of the capitalist newspapers which only a few weeks ago were filled with stories about the possibilities must alarm every young worker in the world. The Japanese bosses are carrying through their understanding with American capitalism.

A few weeks ago when the Japanese moves were endangering the possession of Wall St. in Shanghai, a huge propaganda was set up in the American newspapers aimed at arousing "popular opinion" against Japan in order to divert Japan away from American controlled territory in China.

Now that the American bosses have accomplished this aim and succeeded in turning the Japanese armies toward the Soviet Union in readiness to attack it, the Wall St. controlled newspapers are keeping their silence. Their plan is to pull the masses into the false hope that the danger of world war is over.

Under cover of this silence they are swiftly moving for more armed attack on the workers' fatherland, hoping to take advantage of the lack of awareness of the masses of young and adult workers to divert them into the war without resistance.

The plan of the bosses must be defeated by the most militant, decisive action of the young workers together with the adults. There is not a moment to lose. The young workers must take the necessary measures to see that the tremendous shipment of munitions which are being loaded on American ports, are shipped to the workers.

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YCL PLENUM IS HELD IN DETROIT

DETROIT, Mich.—Placing as the basic task of the Young Communist League in order to transform it in the shortest possible time into a mass League with its roots in the factories. It was emphasized that while certain numerical gains had been made in membership, the growth was of an indirect character and not based on the youth in the most decisive sections of industry.

The weakness of the League in winning the Negro youth were ruthlessly exposed with sharp criticism of the failure to carry out the struggle for the daily needs of the Negro young workers together with the burning out of both open and concealed white chauvinism in the ranks of the League.

The present report decided that around the struggle for the Scottsboro boys and an intensified struggle for Negro rights the League should put before it the perspective of recruiting 200 young Negroes within the next three months.

A demonstration of the turn of the League to serious work in this direction, eight Negro comrades were added to the National Executive Committee making a total of seven. The committee of the additional replacements on the N. E. C. were equally an recognition of the seriousness of the drive into the factories.

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Main Demands of Young Communist League in the Election Campaign

- 1. Unemployment and social insurance at the expense of the state and employers.
 - 2. Against Hoover's wage-cutting policy.
 - 3. Emergency relief for the poor farmers without restrictions by the government and banks; exemption of poor farmers from taxes, and from forced collection of rents and debts.
 - 4. For the Negroes and self-determination for the Black Belt.
 - 5. Against capitalist terror; against all forms of oppression of the political rights of the workers.
 - 6. Against imperialist war; for the defense of the Chinese people and the Soviet Union.
- The Young Communist League fights for the above main demands of the Communist Party and for the following specified youth demands. These are supplementary to the above:
- 1. For the right of all over 18 years of age to vote, including soldiers and sailors.
 - 2. No discrimination against young workers, Negro or white, in unemployment relief.
 - 3. Abolition of child labor under 14, governmental support for all children now working and for all children of unemployed workers.
 - 4. Equal pay for equal work for all young and adult workers.
 - 5. Against all forms of bosses' militarism.

Weekly Organ of Nat'l Exec. Comm. of Young Communist League

Subscription rates: \$1.50 a year; 75c for six months; 50c for three months.

The Plenum Points the Way

The Enlarged Meeting of the National Executive Committee of the Young Communist League held a week ago in Detroit, laid down a clear political line for the development of a mass revolutionary youth movement.

On the contrary, the young workers are participating more and more in the daily struggle. In the present strifes in the coal regions of East Ohio and Pennsylvania, the youth are more than active.

The task of the League now is to begin to penetrate the basic factories, to carry on a sharp fight against all the enemies of the working youth, to develop a real mass struggle against the war in the Far East and for the defense of the Soviet Union.

The next few months will be months of a further development of war, of a deepening of the economic crisis and the misery of the youth.

Graduating Into Hunger

This is the time of year when tens of thousands of students are graduated from the various colleges and professional schools. In years past, it was the tradition for the most monumental display of hypocrisy.

The keynote of many graduating speeches today is the one delivered by Thomas S. Baker, president of Carnegie Technical Institute. He said:

"The most perplexing, the most humiliating, and alarming subject the world has to consider is unemployment. The sum total of work to be performed will never be as great as before 1929. No more railroads are needed. There are too many mines, too many farms are being tilted, the cities are overcrowded."

The students realize this also. What they do not realize is that it is not because there are too many railroads, too many mines, too many farms that they together with the rest of the working youth are condemned to a future of hunger and starvation. It is because the capitalist system exists which is incapable of using the railroads, mines and farms that this future stares them in the face.

The connection of this condition with the rapid expansion of the present war against the things and the people of war world imperialism was dead clear in the speech of General Harbord to the graduating officers at West Point.



22,000 Children in City Feel Hunger Pangs

The Districts Must Guide and Lead Units

The following is my contribution to the discussion which you announced in the letter of the YCL to our League.

In the 'Young Worker' of May 9, the National Committee severely criticized the N. Y. District because of its failure in the membership drive.

This results in a lack of guidance in the work of the units. This lack of guidance results in the majority of units continuing their existence as groups of members all too often of one nationality, sectarian in spirit and retaining, consciously or unconsciously, any effort to branch out into working class sections with which we have previously had no contact.

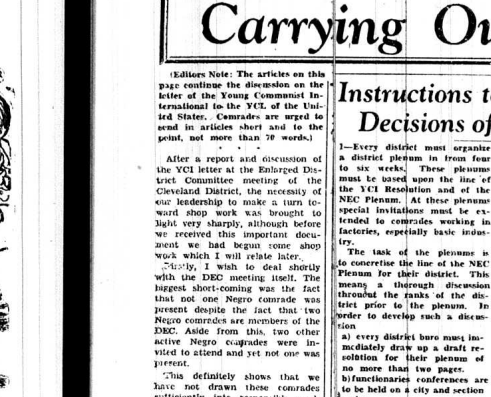
For about six weeks, I have been a member of the Crown Heights YCL unit in the Brownsville section of Brooklyn. In these six weeks, I have not seen any evidence to indicate that anything is being done in the district.

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Improving Quality of Our Propaganda

Our leaflets are one of the most important means to bring the program of the Young Communist League to the working youth.

Because they are so important, it is for the district to take remedial steps to improve the quality of our propaganda.

The responsible committee, district, sectional, or national, who continue their activity as inactive as they have in the past be weeded out.

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Carrying Out the Y. C. L. Letter

By COLEMAN TAYLOR

Instructions to Districts on Bringing Decisions of NEC Plenum to Membership

1—Every district must organize a district plenum in from four to six weeks. These plenums must be done in the following way:

2—The discussion of the NEC Plenum for their district. This means a thorough discussion throughout the ranks of the district prior to the plenum.

3—In the development of the plenum, there must be a reconstruction of the leadership of a district, section and unit scale. This is to be done in the following way:

4—The district plenum must draw in a number of young workers into the district leadership.

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MISSTAKES OF NEW YORK YOUTH LEAGUE FIGHT AGAINST WAR

By BILL ALBERTSON

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This means that we don't know what is going on in the minds of young workers; that we don't understand to what an extent this demagoguery has taken hold of the working class.

One of the reasons for our weakness in organizing the young workers is our failure to raise concrete demands for them. This is reflected in our leaflets in Minnesota where a young boy was badly beaten for picking up a leaflet along the railroad tracks. In the leaflet gotten out for the protest meeting a few days later we raised but not one concrete demand.

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Stagg Field for Counter Olympics

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LOOK AHEAD TO RECORD TURNOUT

Attempt of Insull Controlled University Fails Stop Meet

CHICAGO, Ill.—Stagg Field, the large University of Chicago Stadium, will be used for the International Workers Athletic Meet, July 29 to August 31, according to a proposal which has been ratified by a referendum vote of the National Council members throughout the country.

The convention will officially open the 1933 World Spartakiade camp.

The National Executive Board has proposed that the widest possible discussion on the L.S.U. and its shortcoming be held during the next two months. Criticism, suggestions, proposals for the conventions are especially desired. Particularly are letters wanted from members of A.A.U. organizations, factory sports clubs, Y.M.C.A., factory sports clubs and others.

My dear Mr. Harris:—In reply to your letter of May 23, I may state that you may have the use of Stagg Field for holding your Olympic meet for July 29, 30, 31, without charge, with the understanding that the property and equipment will be protected and any damage done to it paid for. It is further understood that bottle goods shall not be sold on the grounds and as far as possible be kept from being brought into the field. You may have the use of the rooms under the grandstand and the shower baths. Our field force will get the track and ground in proper shape. It will be understood that you will pay for the cost of the labor and the preparations.

Former plans for the holding of the meet, which is organized by the National Counter-Olympic Committee, a united front group representing workers' sport organizations were temporarily interrupted by the withdrawal of Loyola Field by the Loyola University board. Insull-controlled college, after a deposit had been placed and a contract drawn up.

A.A.U. Behind Loyola

During the interview between McCabe, representing the board, and Al Harris, representing the Counter-Olympic Committee, it was brought out that the action was instigated by the Amateur Athletic Union. The A.A.U. which recently ordered its athletes in New York not to participate in Tom Moore's street runs under penalty of expulsion is, controlled by the bosses and is waging a fight against the International Workers' Athletic Meet.

"Stagg Field is one of the largest in the United States, seating approximately 60,000. It has a quarter mile track, a large well laid out stadium and other advantages. It is located at 34th St. and Harper Ave. and is part of the University of Chicago campus.

masses of young workers. He said that the campaign must be organized as to develop a broad agitation and propaganda and to organize struggle around the immediate demands of the youth. By doing this he said, we will be able to make a success of the election in the fall and lead the League at the same time.

A discussion followed in which the youth workers participated. Over the top, on a call to join the League was made to all young workers. He was not a member. A group responded immediately amid cheers. The group that joined urged a joint resolution which they read at the full meeting of the convention calling on the youth workers to support the Communist Party.

During the discussion following the report, William Z. Foster announced the conference and the youth delegates. Foster spoke on the sharp position of capitalism toward the youth workers.

Women suffer more from war and war preparations than the men. Read about it in "Women and War" by Grace Hutchins, five cents.

Do you want to know what is behind all this war mania—in China—how Japan is attacking China, and also the "Whit" Road "War in China." Ten cents.

U.S.C. WEIGHT MAJ SPLL THE BEANS

Over the Top He Goes!



Tells of Getting \$75 for Pittsburgh Game New Years

The Olympic Committee, which is so anxious to promote "antiesocialism" and brotherly love on the sport field, is threatened with an honest to goodness strike for better living or, we might say, better training conditions.

The strike call comes from the University of Southern California athletic factory. The situation according an article which appeared in the Los Angeles "Illustrated Daily News" of June 1, is as follows: "The completion of the school year takes place one month before the U. C. 4-A track meet at Berkeley, July 1 and 2. This means that the athletes will be required to remain here in training for that length of time."

Now athletes like to eat in between training and "the opinion that they will be provided with an meal a day and may work at Harvard Field for the other two, is not agreeable to the U.S.C. athletes which includes among the strike leaders, Bob Hall, co-captain of the team and star weight man. Mr. Hall pulled the beans about expense accounts and here's something the Carnegie Foundation can file away among its now famous reports on college athletics. He says:

"When we played football on New Year's day against Pittsburgh the school gave us \$75 for the time we were off during the holidays. We got the Tulane game we received \$51 a week so that we could live. Consequently we are going to insist that something be done about the situation."

The following statement of the U.S.C. athlete is extremely important in that it supports the contention of the Counter-Olympic League, accepts the challenge of the Ashby, Mass., unit to raise 10 subscriptions and \$5 before the Ashby unit does.

"The Olympic Committee has promised to show us \$4 each day should we figure for the team. Therefore we require it be no more than fair for the university to give us enough money for us to live until the I.C.A. meet. If they refuse we will not participate and we will compete as best we can. We will have to quit training to work for food and board until the Olympic tryouts."

It is significant that the highly touted Olympic games have again been revealed in their true light as a meet in which only the best known athletes may participate and whom the Olympic Committee is ready to reimburse with "expenses" for their services.

On the basis of this Plan, which we believe very possible of fulfilling 100 per cent, we challenge the Mead Range Section to likewise draw up a plan in accordance with their possibilities and to carry it out before we can Come on, Young Section! Let's go! Units of the Duluth Section! RED FRONT!

DULUTH SECTION BUREAU

Unit quotas: Duluth, 5; Superior, 5; Waino, 3; Orono, 1; Brewster, 5; Kettle River, 1; Cromwell, 2; Polaris, 2; Aitkin, 1; Crosby, 3; Finland, 2; Misc., 3.

The New Ipswich, N. H., unit, a newly-organized unit of the Young Communist League, accepts the challenge of the Ashby, Mass., unit to raise 10 subscriptions and \$5 before the Ashby unit does.

BLACKLIST GROWS

The units that appeared on the BLACKLIST in the May 23rd issue of the YOUNG WORKER will not receive our paper this week, with the exception of the Los Angeles and New York Mills units, who have responded and write in that they are taking

DULUTH CHALLENGES RANGE ON Y. W. Sets Quota of 40 New Subs and Full Debt Payment by End of the Drive

We are printing this week the Plan of Action and the Challenge the Duluth Section of District 9 issued the YOUNG WORKER Drive. Those units that have not yet held discussions on the YOUNG WORKER and drawn up their plans should immediately do so, as it is two weeks already since the Drive started. The main points of the plan follows:

- 1. All units of the Section now owing bills to the Young Worker must have these paid in full by the end of the Drive.
- 2. The Section to have a quota of 40 new subs for the Drive.
- 3. Every unit to start getting a weekly bundle order of the Young Worker by the end of the Drive.
- 4. All units are to arrange separate Red Nights for pepping up the Drive.
- 5. Systematic steady correspondence to be developed from each locality to the Young Worker.
- 6. Revolutionary competition to be organized between individuals, squads, and units.

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* DRAMA-MOVIES *

"Reunion in Vienna" in Final Week of Duluth Theatre.

Robert E. Sherwood's satire, "Reunion in Vienna," in which Lynn Fontanne and her play the principal roles, will close its long run on July 2 at the Guild Theatre. The "Yellow Tickets" being shown have been running since Nov. 16. Following a vacation Miss Fontanne will resume her tour in a road tour beginning at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, on Sep. 19.

"The Graduate," Frank Capra's comedy, was revived Thursday evening at Waldorf Theatre, by the E. W. Taylor Holmes, J. C. Nugent, Maide Kesale, Gerald Kent and Melhman are in the cast.

The "Trio-Lost Theatre on Broadway" is featuring this week the following short subjects: "Hockey," a Sports Illustrated film, "In The Bag," "Taxi Tangle," a Paramount comedy, "Meditry In Abyssinia," and "Sea Legs," a Vitaphone picture. The chief item of interest at the New Reel Theatre next door is the jobs of veterans of the Bonus Army on their way to Washington.

Joseph Schildkraut, John Clevé, Regener, Yvonne, and Eva Lee Gallienne will again be seen in "Lullum" at the Civic Theatre Theatre in October. The re-union of these two artists will first appear in the Mohlar play at the Garrick Theatre in 1921, will mark the opening of the season of the Civic Theatre, Schildkraut, who will join the players this season, will also be seen in many plays and in the revival of the old productions of the Fourteenth St. playhouse.

"Diary of a Revolutionist" At The Cameo Theatre. The new Amkin talkie with English subtitles, "Diary of a Revolutionist," continues the Campaign for a second week. The film directed by J. J. Urino and his pictures are a highly dramatic story of the fight of the Young Worker and the Communist Party against the remnants of the old system of trade and the canals. In his second part the film shows how the workers' struggle against sabotage are spread throughout the country. The scenario combines these two periods into a highly dramatic story and demonstrates how the industrial leaders of the revolution have been the giant

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May Day Celebration and The Yellow Ticket At The Cameo Theatre.

Beginning today the Cameo Theatre (44th Street and Union Square) will present the Soviet film "The Yellow Ticket," produced by F. O'Zep, noted Russian director. Anna Stenn, who has done excellent work in many Soviet films, plays the leading role. Miss Stenn is now in Hollywood to appear in American films. The story of a beautiful young peasant girl who because of ignorance of the brother owners, condemned by the possession of a yellow pass, their official emblem, demands of the chief subject.

The management also announces the following activities: 15th May Day celebration in Moscow, the Chinese Revolution, Soviet Chinese troops in Action and Uncovered secrets of the Mead Range. The latter pictures have never been shown elsewhere.

Special Prices at Stadium Concerts This Season. The management of the Stadium Concerts, which starts its season at the Stadium of the City College, will announce special prices for lovers new reduced rates in the purchase of field tickets in the Stadium. A book of 28 tickets of the 50-cent tickets is now selling for 18 cents. Tickets are obtained rather through the office of the Stadium, which will present an anti-sabotage feature, two ballet programs at the Stadium this season, on August 9 and 10th.

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SPECIAL YOUTH ELECTION HELD AT CHI. NOMINATING CONVENTION

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of young workers particularly in the factories. The report brought out how we can involve the youth who are not old enough to vote into active struggle to demand their rights. The slogan of "Old enough to fight, old enough to vote" was raised and accepted as the main slogan. Green also proposed nine resolutions for the youth to be added to the main six demands of the Communist Party later on condensed to five.

During the discussion following the report, William Z. Foster announced the conference and the youth delegates. Foster spoke on the sharp position of capitalism toward the youth workers.

A GRIPPING SCENE FROM NEW SOVIET TALKIE



Women suffer more from war and war preparations than the men. Read about it in "Women and War" by Grace Hutchins, five cents.

Do you want to know what is behind all this war mania—in China—how Japan is attacking China, and also the "Whit" Road "War in China." Ten cents.

LAVISH CARE ON CHILDREN IN THE SOVIET UNION

The refusal of the permit as part of the boss' war preparations and the lack of the defense of the Soviet Union. As soon as the workers enthusiastically took up this slogan the police chief attacking men and women with their night sticks. At the indoor movie held later drawings were shown from Tom Meany.

READING. By seven hundred young workers in the streets of Duluth, Minn., this week, 2500 young workers joined the Communist League following the demonstration.

SALISBURY, Md.—Several hundred workers gathered here for a National Youth Day parade and march which had to be called off because of the practical existence of martial law. The night before National Youth Day the American Legion of Duluth deplored everybody who would carry a gun. Machine guns were mounted on the buildings as well as 60 round and 40 shot troops besides many special deputies.

DULUTH, Minn.—Despite threats of the American Legion and other fascist organizations, the second National Youth Day parade and demonstration here was a huge suc-

cess with well over three thousand participating. Young workers came from various towns and cities within a wide radius. No report was given of the number of young workers recruited into the League.

THEATRE GUILD PRESENTS "Reunion in Vienna"

A Comedy by ROBERT E. SHERWOOD. Guild Theatre, 23rd Street, N.Y.C. 1937. 1937. 1937. 1937.

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YOUNG NEGRO WORKERS SENTENCED TO BE IN CHAIR ON FAKE RAPE CASE

White Girl and Cop on Frame-Up

Fails to Identify Young Negro 1st Time in Jail

CHATTANOOGA, June 28.—Two young Negro workers, Oscar Bivens and Andrew Wilson, both aged 24, have been sentenced to the electric chair on a local cop, Roy Clinton, claim on the usual "rape" frame-up. Bivens has been out to "ret" Bivens because Bivens deflected the attempt of Clinton to lead him to the chair pangs on a minor charge. A few weeks ago, Bivens and a group of young Negro boys and girls were sitting on the front porch of a friend's home at 10 o'clock on a Saturday night when Clinton, the cop, picked them up, rode them around until after 1 o'clock in the morning and then brought them to jail on a charge of "late hours".

Philly Story.
Last March, May Brown and Mildred Prince, both white, claimed they were going home at 3 o'clock on a Sunday morning. They said they were coming from the home of a friend, where they had gone to attend a party which didn't take place on account of sickness in the house. Yet they maintain they did not see anyone that night when Clinton, the cop, picked them up, rode them around until after 1 o'clock in the morning and then brought them to jail on a charge of "late hours".

Cop Fixes Story.
Roy Clinton, the cop, who fixed the frame-up, got the assistance of Bivens who had been in jail at the time was going with another white man, the testimony against him. This girl was jealous of Bivens and in a fight with his new sweetheart had threatened to "spit" both of them. She testified to his general bad character and had he had been "her" while they were sweethearts.

When the case first came up in Bivens court, May Brown, the girl who claims to have been "raped," testified that it was so dark at the time of the attack that she couldn't identify anybody. When she was taken to jail for the first time, she was taken to identify somebody. Three promoters who testified at the trial, heard the cop, Roy Clinton, say he had fixed the frame-up and the man and also gave her the means of identifying Andrew Wilson. She then went back to the court and identified both young Negro workers.

Judge Will Grant Appeal.
It is to be hoped that the frame-up and injured evidence that three young Negro workers were sentenced to the electric chair will be nullified by the judge's decision that the white jury, so clear was the frame-up that the judge was forced to let the white man go free if he case comes up before him on appeal for a new trial, he will grant it.

TORMY YOUTH DEMONSTRATIONS IN FRANCE

FRANCE.—The 7th Congress of the YCL in France is taking place in Montigny en Gohelle, a town in the coal mining area of northern France. At the opening of the congress a demonstration of 500 young workers took place. A similar demonstration is to have taken place in Le Mans, but was prohibited by the mayor, a member of the Socialist Party, who called in the Gendarmes. He was refusing to take place between the coal and the young workers, who defended themselves against police attack.

"Your energy is in your own country." —LENNIN

Some More Lessons from Last War for Young Workers Who Don't Remember

AMERICAN WORKINGMEN'S WAR, DECLARES PROF. J. R. COMMONS

Since Why Workers Support the War and Prof. J. R. Commons will Give Out of it With Unemployed Education They and What to Support for the War as Employee War

WAR A GREAT BLESSING, SAYS PASTOR FROM PULPIT

World Was "Landing Its Seed," Thinks Dr. Eaton, As He Preaches to the People in a Sermon at the American Baptist Church

118 DIE, 230 Hurt IN LONG RANGE SNELLING OF PARIS

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Parade for Free Food

Over 1000 March in East Side Section With Parents

NEW YORK.—More than one thousand children and their mothers marched on the hot dry East Side street, June 28, in a demonstration for relief for the thousands of starving children of New York.

Several hundred members of the Young Pioneers of America were in the parade which was organized by the United Front Children's Committee. A large number of the parade were Negro children as well as Boy Scouts.

The parade commenced at 11 in the morning at Rutgers St. on the lower East Side winding up at Tompkins St. where the leaders of the children in impassioned speeches put forward their demands for relief.

Steele of the United Front Children's Committee and Rose Nelson of the United Council of Working Class Women described the suffering among the children of the million jobs in the city and demands.

Parade July 12. Another parade expected to be even larger than the one held on July 12. The march will be held at City Hall and a religious in the afternoon. The parade will present the demands of the children to the Board of Estimate. The demands include the closing of schools in the public schools during the entire summer, special playgrounds, free clothing and dental care.

Free Food Fight Grows in Detroit

Children to March, Demonstrate July 11

DETROIT, Mich.—On July 11, a demonstration will be held here to demand immediate relief for the thousands of starving children during the summer.

According to Mayor Murphy, 100,000 children are at only one meal a day during the past winter. The parade will give out 100,000 little milk and crackers and even this came out of the teachers' salaries.

During the summer months Murphy and his assistants intend to give out 12,000 tickets on three cent meal a day for five days during the week. In the poorest sections and especially in the Negro neighborhoods there will be no schools open to feed the starving children. The parents are being encouraged to more schools for summer relief. The parade will gather at the Lincoln School, Brady and Beaubien Sts., on Monday, July 11, at 10 a.m. From there it will proceed to Grand Circus Park and then to the city hall where it will be sent to see the mayor.

The demonstration is being organized by the Young Pioneers and the Unemployed Council.

ARMED YOUTH RAID JAPANESE CLUB
BERLIN, Germany.—Five armed youths entered the Japanese club in the Motz Strasse. They fired a number of shots to intimidate and white to help Japs. The fight proceeded to smash everything they could lay hands on. The Negro and white youths proceeded to smash everything they could lay hands on. The Negro and white youths proceeded to smash everything they could lay hands on.

National News Flashes

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—A meeting at which Ralph Garrett, young Negro worker was speaking, was broken up by the police here. Later they trailed him to a worker's home, where he was arrested and taken to jail. At police headquarters he was threatened, beaten up again and then let loose.

LESLI NATIONAL BOARD MEMBER DIES
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WHITE CHAUVINIST IS EXPELLED FROM LEAGUE BY DETROIT YCL UNIT

DETROIT, Mich.—Jack Traub, former member of the B.A. Unit of the Young Communist League here was expelled from the YCL with unanimous support of the membership at the section meeting.

Traub was a member of a committee of three, with two girls, whose task it was to draw young white workers into the YCL. He began spreading rumors that girls who tried to recruit young Negro workers were looked upon as prostitutes. He spread particularly deplorable rumors about the unit organizer, a white girl, associating with young Negro workers, even going to the extent of saying that the unit organizer should go to a unit where there were Negroes so that this one "should remain respectable."

Such lies, slanders and vile insinuations expense the fact that Traub is a member of the system of race hatred which the bosses try to pour into the minds of the young workers. The Young Communist League of Detroit, in expelling him, calls on all young workers, Negro and white to help Japs. The fight proceeded to smash everything they could lay hands on. The Negro and white youths proceeded to smash everything they could lay hands on.

Progressive Revolution was an American revolution, was a British revolution, was a capitalist class against the British ruling class and the government.

From a Homeless Waif to Order of Socialists!

ARE SUCH THINGS POSSIBLE IN ANY OTHER COUNTRY BUT THE U. S. S. R.?

Eugene Derkoff lost his father during the world war. His parents were killed at the front and his mother died. He became a waif—a child of the streets—lived as the other waifs of the Russian cities lived at this time.

For four long years little Eugene lived in this manner. Begging, stealing, sleeping in cellars and doorways.

But Eugene had friends unknown to him. The Soviet power was consolidated, the civil war was over, and the Soviet government began construction. In 1922 the turning point came in Eugene's life. He was picked up from the streets by the Children's Commission.

Eugene was sent by the Children's Commission as a member of a Red Army division. These were the happiest days of his life. With the Red Army he went through five and a half years schooling. He was now no longer a waif but a useful Soviet citizen, and he wanted to enter industry.

In 1929 he came to the Stalin Adso plant as a semi-skilled worker and today after three years work he has advanced to the position of inspector. Studying regularly in the evening course of the Factory Technical School, in two years Eugene will graduate as an engineer.

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Eugene the worker is buying sets of Lenin's, Stalin's and Gorky's books, studies literature on animal breeding and technical, besides being a subscriber to Pravda, a magazine devoted to the laborer's interests. He reads the anti-religious magazine, and others.

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A RED NAVY MAN

On the bridge of the Soviet ship "Sever" in the port of Odessa on the Black Sea. The seaman in the Red Navy are upholding the heroic traditions of their comrades of the battleship "Potemkin" who first raised the red flag to the foremast of their ship in 1905.

The young workers in America must not allow these criminal war plans to be put into effect. They must see themselves like a living wall in defense of the Soviet Union. It is time now for the most determined mass action. Every day munitions and war materials are being shipped from American ports to the European front.

Young workers—Defend the land of the workers! Refuse to release the armed police first, killing a young Communist named Saturday Aris and wounding a number of others.

CHILDREN'S CAMP SENDS GREETINGS
BERLAND, Mich.—The 41 children and four instructors at the Red Children's Camp near Berland sent a letter to the Young Communist League in Washington, D. C.

FRATERNIZATION CALL ISSUED ARMED FORCES IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

WASHINGTON.—While the capitalists are handing out millions to themselves in various forms—Dances of the Young Communist League, the National Children's Camp—because they refuse to give the workers one red cent.

The veterans who are in Washington demanding their bonus are right. They are not asking for the value of being a hero under capitalism. The Marines and soldiers in the front lines are fighting with equal speed to put down the bosses except them to do the dirty work of the bourgeoisie. In readiness to shoot down the bonus marchers as soon as the bosses' tank proper.

"The Young Communist League issued a leaflet to these screwballs calling upon them to stick with the workers and demand 'bonus' for 1917 but who are called the 'bums' of today.

International News Flashes

FIGHT OUTLAWING OF YCL
FRANCE.—Illegal posters have appeared on the walls and boards in this city protesting the dissolution of the Young Communist League. A protest meeting of the young workers took place last week in Paris. In the name of the Communist fraction in the Czechoslovakian Senate, Deputy Renard declared that the government could not achieve its aim. The police are looking for the secretary of the Young Communist League, Synek, and other leading officials.

FRENCH Y. C. L. MAKES PROGRESS

FRANCE.—In a discussion in the Central Committee of the French Communist Party before the 7th Congress of the YCL, it was pointed out that in the face of the danger of immediate attack on the Soviet Union the French League has tremendous tasks to perform. It was pointed out that the membership of the League has increased from 3,200 to 6,000 and the main obstacle to making progress in the French League is the sectarianism of many of its sections.

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