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### Recognition.

The N.U.R.A.H.S. we are glad to see, have been recognised by the Minister of Railways and Harbours, thus reversing the policy of Messrs. Burton and Jagger and incidentally giving the General Manager a hint that the autocratic methods! hitherto so popular will have to be modified.

Mr. Moore, the general secretary, is to be congratulated on the tenacity with which he has stuck to his post under the most discouraging circumstances, and we hope and believe that in the near future he will again be at the head of a live and powerful railwaymen's organisation.

### Peaceful Persuasion.

At the 108th Annual meeting of the Peace Society, the Rev. John A. Hutton said: "If the standing army of every nation were formed exclusively of men of 40 years of age and over, there would never be any more war." Probably not if it were further stipulated that Cabinet Ministers should go over the top first. If they were not shot from in front, they certainly would be from behind.

### The Ward System.

Mr. Geo. Hay, M.L.A. attributes the low civic morality of Johannesburg to the at Aldershot. "Bishop Taylor-Smith, Ward system of election of Councillors.

contention. but in a city which has only Between the Bishop consecrating the inone ideal, that of "making" money, no signia of murder and the boys who had system of election will produce public murdered the Almighty, one would supmen with a higher code than the average pose, will have difficulty in proportionelector.

### No Prophet Without à Profit.

For "working the oracle" with an effigy of Christ which would weep when required and instituting "faith-healing" for money, a priest under Bolshevik rule got three years' solitary confinement. He might also have been sentenced for infringing the well-known Church patent for making tears flow, eyes open and Daily Mail" on the 21st instant that in blood liquefy, etc. We wonder if Hickson's "faith" in his own healing is suffi- instant you stated that: ciently robust to tempt him to try a tour in Russia, and whether he would reap more kicks than halfpence?

### Rand Daily Mail Placard.

Wednesday, 16th July, 1924.

# GIVEA WHITE MAN

ON SAME DATE EDITOR "SUNDAY TIMES" EMPLOYS GANG OF NATIVE CONVICTS GARDENERS.

### The Bishop's Consecration.

On the same day that the papers published photographs of the two young degenerates who had murdered for a thrill, they also published a photograph of the presentation of New Colours by the King Chaplain-General to the Forces, consecrat-There is probably something in the ling the Colours before the presentation." ing punishment.

### Judas and Smuts.

The following letter has been addressed to Mr. Thomas by the Strike Dependents Relief Committee:--

J H Thomas, Esq., M.P., Colonial Secretary, L'owning Street, London,

Sir,--It was reported in the "Rand a speech at the Corona Club on the 19th

"There is no man in the British Empire more entitled to gratitude and appreciation than General Smuts."

I am therefore instructed by my Committee to forward to you a copy of their enclosed report on the strike of 1922, and to express a hope that you will be good enough to read it before you pay any further tributes to the gentleman in question.

The Committee fully appreciates that up to the present only the Mine Magnate side of the case has been presented to the public, and also that the Labour Party in Great Britain is at present engaged in the peaceful penetration of the constitutionally timid middle-class; but, if the British Labour Party should hereafter publicly approve of the methods of government which have become habitual in the Transvaal since General Smuts came into office 17 years ago, they will in the opinion of my Committee be assuming a very grave responsibility.

### Why Magnates Shiver.

Not from the cold, but because in Leningrad the President and two Directors of a trust company were convicted of loxing half a million gold roubles by "improper transactions" and sentenced to death! Nine others were sent to gaol. If such venial offences as mere "improper transactions' with trust punished with death, what will be the fate of promoters of diamond mines floated on a wash of spiintered glass bottles, and of gold mines in which the only gold ever found was taken out of the pockets of the shareholders?

WHY NOT GIVE YOUR PRINTING ORDERS TO THE I.S.L. PRESS?

# Hertzog Backs Hofmeyr.

## Approves of South-West Administration.

BONDELZWARTS STARVING.

General Hertzog is Minister of Native "Poor we always were, the mission of South-West Africa, that the policy

and is of course intended to have the effect of strengthening Mr. Hofmeyr's hands.

What is the policy which was inaugurated by the Administrator, endorsed by General Smuts and now to be maintained by Hertzog and the Wationalist-Lakour | port of the people, now live? As it is, Government?

- A policy of taking away the livelihood of the natives by means of a cumningly arranged tax and of forcing them to work as labourers on the farms of the white grass. conquervis.

When the Bondelzwarts resisted they were hunted down by white troops and bombed from the air, men and women and children being massacred without discrimination, their cattle driven away, and their hunting dogs destroyed

Even the capitalist Press severely com-Hofmeyr's methods.

The latest news from South-West Africa indicates that the people are suffering the gravest distress and that they are living only on gum picked from the trees.

The Right Rev. Monsignor Eder, of Ukamas, has made an appeal for help on behalf of the natives, whose way of living and poverty are, he remarks, so little! known to the outside world.

the people, living for days and weeks on gum only, which they get off the trees, dren trust to us for food and clothing, may be converted into docile wage slaves and we know not whence to get it, I made for the landowners and exploiters generup my mind to write this entreaty.

Affairs as well as Prime Minister, and he and the Hottentots. For that reason we has assured Mr. Hofmeyr, Administrator are fit for one another, but in the last years the poverty in the south of the hitherto pursued in the South-West Pro- Prefecture has much increased. First the tectorate WILL BE MAINTAINED. | unhappy rebellion of 1922, by which a Mr. Hofmeyr is just now trying to great part of the Bondels lost nearly their justify his conduct in South-West Africa | whole livestock; since 1923 a drought, before the Mandates Commission of the which could not be worse, prevailed in the League of Nations at Geneva, and the country, and to complete the disaster announcement of General Hertzog will swarms of locusts came and devoured the little grass and the leaves of the bushes. For miles one does not see a single blade of grass nor a green bush, but only the bare sand and stones.

> "On What shall the goats, the sole supthe poor people have to endure the loss of one goat after another. Our people have no escape; they cannot move on, as some farmers, to other places where there is Having no money, who would distress they come to us and ask for help: 'Father must help me; we die of hunger; our goats are all gone.' I cannot; I have nothing mysolf.

> "Helpous and help us very soon," whom are famine stricken.

These deplorable conditions are the Odger of the Shoemakers. direct result of the policy hitherto pur- This group of Trade Union officials, of this policy, and if not whether Messrs. | century. Creswell and Boydell will use the influ-He says:—"When I see the misery of ence which they entered the Cabinet to secure, for the purpose of reversing the policy which is based on brutal repression ally?

## SHOOTING AT DAWN.

BRITISH MILITARY BARBARITY.

Here is an account of the execution of a | Of course they knew poor Private W. | soldier at the Asylum Armentieres given was to be shot that morning, and the by the sergeant in charge of the firing idea went straight to them-I was warnparty, published by Mr. Ernest Thurtle, | ing the execution party for Private W. M.P.:-

Sergeant in charge of the Regimental years as clean, decent, self-respecting Court. I had 32 prisoners, mostly 28-day soldiers, whose only offence was an occamen. Amongst these men were all those who formed the firing party for Lance-Corporal X. At 8 p.m. I received an envelope marked: Open this when you are alone.' The instructions contained in this were: You must warn a party of 12] men from the prisoners you have (those the dreaded firing party, they called me who shot Lance-Corporal X must not be all the names they could lay their tongues included). At 4 p.m. next morning I to. I remained with the guard for three entered the prisoners' room with an days, and I leave you to guess what I had oescort. I gave strict orders that no man to put up with. I am poor, with eight must move until his name was called out, children. I would not go through three and he must then get up and go outside. more such nights for £1,000.

"On or about 16 February, 1915, I was shall never forget. Men I had known for me all they had if I would not take them | movement in the political world." for the job, and, finally, when twelve of Such was the man reared and fashioned them found themselves outside selected for in other times than ours, but whose work

## Robert Applegarth.

THE PASSING OF A PIONEER.

The death is announced of Robert Applegarth, at the age of 91.

To students of the Labour movement in Britain this name is associated with the infancy of Trade Unionism, and it is difficult to realise that the pioneer who has just laid down his work was a leading figure in working-class activity in the days of Karl Marx and was in 1870 the chairman of the General Council of the first "International Association of Working Men."

The son of a quartermaster British Navy, he was born at Hull on January 23rd, 1833. A carpenter and joiner by trade, he was one of the founders of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, bringing the Sheffield Branch of the Carpenters' Union over in a body to the new Society in 1861, of which body he was elected general secretary in 1862, retaining the office till

He had experiences in Europe and permit them to settle anywhere? In their | America as political candidate for Parliament and School Board member of Royal Commission on Contagious Diseases, war correspondent in France in 1871, and later as a manufacturer.

His claim to be remembered by the concludes the appeal of the Monsignor, Labour movement rests, however, on the who asks earnestly for gifts on behalf of fact that he was a member of the famous mented on the monstrous barbarity of a hundred and more starving children, as "junta" which included Allen and Newwell as the adults of his mission, all of ton, of the Engineers, Guile of the Ironfounders, Coulson of the Bricklayers, and

> sued in the South-West Protectorate leaders who really DID lead, was a which General Hertzog has decided to powerful factor in building up the great maintain. We are entitled to ask whether | unions which have had such an important the Prime Minister's Labour Party col- | influence on the Labour movement in leagues in the Cabinet are also in favour | Britain during the latter half of the last

Sidney and Beatrice Webb, in their book, "History of Trade Unionism," say of him:—"Astute and lawyer-like in temperament, he instinctively made use of and how the starving and freezing chil- of a harmless people in order that they those arguments which were best fitted to overcome the projudices and disarm the criticisms of middle-class opponents. Nor did he limit himself to justifying the ways of Trade Unionists to the world at large. He made persistent attempts to enlarge the mental horizon of the rank and file of his own movement, opening out to those whose vision had hitherto been limited to the strike and the taproom whole vistas of social and political problems in which they as working men were primarily concerned. Hence we find him, during his career as general secretary, a leading member of the famous "It was then I witnessed a scene I International' and an energetic promoter of the Labour Representation League, the National Educational League, and various philanthropic and political associations. . Open-minded, sional 'drunk,' ecreamed out, begged not alert and conciliatory, he formed an ideal to be made into murderers. They offered representative of the English Labour

> helped to lay the foundation on which the modern Labour and Eccialist movement has been and is still being built.

> The little achieved is soon forgotten y him who looks before him and sees how much still remains to be done.—Goethe.

From "Information and Review."

At the Thirteenth Congress of the Bussian Communist Party it was reported | are glad to notice, feeling strong enough | year's gathering at the graves of the July that 200,000 workers had joined the Party during the year.

During the Congress the Society Friends of the Air Fleet presented Government with the first Lenin Squadron of nineteen aeroplanes.

The Society is entirely unofficial, has The question of mine retrenchment was over a million members, and collected also discussed at the meeting of the during 1923 four million gold roubles by Executive, and it was decided to watch voluntary donations.

Soviet Russia was signed on May 31st this year, and simultaneously China announced her de jure recognition of the U.S.S.R. Thus in spite of the intrigues of France and Japan, the two greatest republics on earth have arrived at a friendly understanding. This fact has been conveniently ignored by the local capitalist Press.

On the other hand the greatest prominonce was given by the capitalist Prese to the story that Trotsky had called for the annexation of the Straits and had threatened to attack Roumania for that purpose. This is an absolute falsehood, started by Roumanians in Berne, who alleged that they had been informed from Warsaw. Reliable authorities indeed.

The large-scale industry which was the slowest to recover from the effects of war, civil war and blockade, showed a marked advance in 1923 over previous years, the figure being 21.5 per cent. over the output of 1922. Agriculture in all its branches in on the up grade. Output of cotton 43,000 tons; area under flax, 1,382,000 acres. Cattle and horses increasing 25 and 15.7 per cent. respectively. Coal oil, chemicals, pig-iron, wool, all show substantial increases.

## Miners' Song.

We come from the gloom of the mine, Claiming our share of the sun; . Claiming our share of the sweets of the

Our share of its riches, its comfort and mirth;

We come in the shackles of pain, And steep is the way we must go.

But raily! my comrades, our cause will not fail.

For Right is our watchword, and Right will provail.

We come with the banner of Truth, Freedom and Justice our end;

Tho traitors desert us and cowards despise, The' masters deter us, in strength we

Will rise-And forward, like men, we will strive,

For the sake of the ages to be; So rally! my comrades, our cause will! not fail.

For Right is our watchword, and Right! will prevail.

Joe Corrie, in "The Miner."

WAD AND PASS ALONG TO YOUR,

## News from Soviet Russia. S.A. Mine Workers' Union.

DISCUSSES MINE RETRENCHMENT

The S.A. Mine Workers' Union is, we to organise a back to the union campaign. A strenuous effort will be made to induce all eligible men to join up during age of such outrages is past. "Hertzog, the next six weeks, and those who hang back will after the end of August have to pay the penalty.

very closely the alleged tendency to still further reduce the number of white em-The agreement between China and ployees on the mines, which it is asserted very generally has become evident since the General Elections.

## THANKS.

The response to our appeal for New Subscribers to

## "The International" is most encouraging.

Since we started our campaign the prospect of DOUBLING OUR SUBSCRIBERS' LIST within the year becomes distinctly probable.

If each reader will get ONE NEW SUBSCRIBER this can be more than accomplished

The larger the circulation the less will the financial difficulties worry us, and the better we can make the paper.

WHAT IS REQUIRED IS A PROLONGED EFFORT.

## Keep it up, Comrades!

If Communism is to come it must be through the efforts of Communists, therefore

## PUSH 66 The International"

## Profits of Tea Companies.

No, dear reader, we are not dealing ! with the tea merchant, the little corner grocer or the tea shop. These figures represent only the exploitation of the big tea companies. All the other profits are added before you drink your cup of tea at home or in the cafe.

	1922.	1923.
	Per	Per
	cent.	cent.
Alkance Teas of Ceylon	25	40
Ederapolia Tea Co	171	30
Nedesm Tea Co	221	35
Halern Tea Co	25	40
Spring Valley, Ceylon	35	50
Thirty to fifty pounds	a year	out of
every hundred originally	invested	FOR
BOING NOTHING.		

Who are the thieves and loafers?

## The "New Age."

SCANDAL OF THE RAND CI.UR.

One reason for the smallness of this victims is probably the widespread feeling that with the change of Government tho my general, will see that such things never occur again," said an Afrikander spectator at the cemetery.

But clearly common nationality has never prevented the shooting down of workers by their fellow countrymen. After all, Smuts' party contained many Dutchmen. Just as on that 5th July, 1913, homeborn Englishmen were shot down by Imperial troope, so Burghers came armed to subdue the Afrikanders of Benoni in 1922. The greatest butchers of the German masses since the War have been Germans—and Social Democrats af that. The arch murderer of the Italian masses is that "typical" Italian, Mussolini. The massacre of the Paris Communards was perpetrated not by the victorious Germans but by the French Government itself.

Nor need Labour expect much change. Ramsay MacDonald's troops are bombing men, women and children from the air in Mesopotamia, and his Government excuses it by saying that 'notice was given in nearly every case!" When Smuts gave notice in March, 1922, that he was going to bomb, was that any excuse? Next time working-class "riots" occur and the Minister of Labour fails to secure a satisfactory settlement, what is to prevent him from suddenly, Gilbertianlike, turning Minister of Defence and blowing the rioters to bits, as a capitalist paper recently suggested? The greatest slaughter of workers in history, the 1914-8 war, is still applauded by this selfsame Minister and all of his kidney, and will be repeated some day if they have their way.

It is a truism both that Nationalist novements are repeatedly nobbled by Imperialists and that Yellow Labour is the last instrument of Capitalism to get its foul work done In short, the White Terror is a part of modern capitalism, and will be carried out by any of ite Governments Imperialist, Nationalist or Labour alike.

Beware! The Rand Club, the centre of South African capitalism and the cause and scene of the 1913 massacre, still claims among its members, we believe, this workers' chosen Minister of Labour and Defence.

## War Memorials.

Pretoria is to have a war memorial in front of Union Buildings; Johannesburg is also to be similarly decorated; Capetown will unveil its contribution on the 27th.

The towns and dorps not similarly blest will have to hurry up or they will be overtaken by a crop of monuments for the next war to end war.

For those in search of a design we might commend a design submitted for the Leeds University.

It is a bas-relief representing with a whip driving before him frockcoated figures, one of whom carries a pawnbroker's emblem.

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## Stand by Your Guns!

SMUTS' ADVICE TO S.A.P.

In the course of his peech to his Standerton constituents, who have had Smuts foisted on them without their consent, owing to the action—or inaction—of the Pact leaders, the General drew a lurid picture of the "spectre of disorder which was certain to raise its head as it had so often done in the past," and advised "the officers and men of the Defence Rifle Associations... to stand by their guns."

There was more of the same kind of alarmist stuff, which if it means anything at all means that what Smuts has lost at the ballot box he hopes to recover by his favourite method—force of arms. It is not necessary to contemplate Smuts leading an armed rising against l the Government. He is much too astute and cunning to try any such adventure, but the whole tone of the latter part of his speech and the actual words used by him clearly indicate a frame of mind and a political cutlook which make Smuts in opposition as great a danger to the peace of this country as he was when a leading member of the Government.

It is not difficult to conceive of a situation arising or being brought about which would place Smuts in his favourite position as the ruthless suppressor of disorder and enable him once more to strut l about the stage as the saviour of society.

There can be no possible doubt that the railway strike of 1914 was deliberately provoked by the then Minister of Railways, Burton, at the instigation of Smuts, in order that he might by an everwhelming military display crush it and recover the prestige he lost in 1913, when he was taken by surprise by the Rand workers. The fact that Poutsma, the general secretary of the Railwaymen's Union-a vain and ambitious man-forced on strike in spite of warnings from more expericuced and tested Labour leaders at been for several years the general Africa into purely racial channels. ganda among the country burghers, can l intentions of Smuts.

Again, in 1922, all impartial observers can flag flying in South Africa. are convinced that Smuts deliberately dramatic style.

no longer at the head of the Government, The mine worker who votes Nationalist Marx.

but a moment's thought will show that with the co-operation of the Chamber of Mines a similar situation March, 1922, can very easily be repeated. Advantage can be taken of some general cause of discontent, and several could be suggested, e.g., a further reduction of the number of skilled workers on the mines, the unemployed agitation, or perhaps a general strike of mine and other natives.

The cry would then be skilfully raised that the safety of life and property demanded the use of military force. If not complied with, agents provocateurs could be placed in the ranks of the demonstrators to urge and perhaps commit acts of violence and to start shooting, as was undoubtedly the case when the collision between natives and whites occurred in 1922.

could stampede Creswell or whoever was Minister of Defence, and Smuts would emerge on the stage once more and offer his services to the Government. Minister of Defence would not dare refuse, and after the affair had come to an end in the usual way. Smuts would once would be turned to good political account | face of the embryo man," etc. and possibly the Government defeated.

ence to their duty," was the advice given mous. Bearing in mind the only possible use that the citizen Defence Force I is likely to be put to in the near future, | nostrils slit and ears notched. i.e., to crush the workers in an industrial dispute, the words bear a more sinister Chamber of Mines will stick at nothing to regain the control of the political machine we have had ample proof in the past history of the Rand. If they fail to bend the present Government to their will as quickly and cheaply as they desire, then it is one of the very grave possibilities of the present situation that another bloodbath of the workers—black or white, or both—will be the means by which the power.

Hence the advice to his followers to "Stand by your guns!"

## Hereeniging.

General Smuts made his strongest point at Standerton on Tuesday when he accused the Nationalist Party of an attempt the time, is significant in view of the fact to convert the present coalition Governported with eight others, is now and has throw back the political cleavage of South

great. If the Nationalist Party has one leave no one in doubt as to the sinister | binding sentiment it is that all its members desire to see once more the Republi-

has no economic interest in common with the Nationalist parson.

The one bond that unites them is hatred of the British Empire and all its works. This sentiment has built up the Nationalist Party and, agreements between Hertzog and Creswell and the existence of the Pact notwithstanding, this is the driving force behind the Nationalists to-day.

What success will attend the quite frank attempts to make themselves independent of the Creswellites remains to be seen. but there can be no shadow of a doubt that if any considerable number of S.A.P. Dutchmen join up with the Nationalists the position of Boydell and Creswell in the Pact Cabinet will become exceedingly precanous.

## At this stage the united capitalist Press Teaching the Young Idea.

ANTI-BOLSHEVIK LIES.

The Johannesburg "Star" published a review of "The Boy Scouts Own Book" the other evening, and of course took occasion to eulogise that white guard more be the central figure, which fact | movement, referring to the "keen, clear

Immediately underneath a par under "Whether Colonel Creswell or Colonel the caption UNDER BOLSHEVIST Mentz called them up made no differ- REGIME caught the eye of the youthful reader, as of course it was intended to. to the S.A.P. members of the Defence It gave a lurid account of the treatment rifle associations, which appears on the of prisoners in Siberia, how they were surface quite disinterested and magnani- branded by the administration with circles and triangles burnt with hot irons on the breast and shoulders; others had their

Every Russian citizen, ran the story, meeting men with such marks HAD the interpretation. That Smuts and the right to kill them. for convicts with such marks WERE regarded by the tribunals as perpetual prisoners and as outside the law.

The fact that the past tense was used in the last paragraph appeared curious if the statement referred to the present Soviet regime, and then the reader's eye lit on the name of the book and author. "Man and Mystery in Asia," by Ferdinand Ossendowski (Edward Arnold), and it bereal rulers of South Africa and their came clear that IT WAS A RECORD OF creature Smuts will once more climb to THE TREATMENT OF PRISONERS UNDER THE CZAR'S REGIME, and the headline had been introduced to make it appear to be a record of Bolshevik barbarity.

## Oh! These Heathens.

If, dreamed Aristotle, every tool, when summoned, or even of its own accord, could do the work that befits it. . If the weavers' shuttles were to weave of that this very man, although he was de | ment into a purely Dutch one, and to | themselves, then there would be no need either of apprentices for the master workers and of slaves for the lords. And organiser secretary of the Party of Smuts. | The evidence on which he based his Antipares hailed the inventor of the There may be nothing more than a co- contention is undoubtedly very strong, water wheel as the giver of freedom to incidence in this. but the complete mili- and the temptation to a Party such as the | female slaves and the bringer back of the tary preparation which was made prior to | Nationalists to remove any hindrance to | golden age. Oh. those heathens! They the strike, including the careful propa- | the carrying out of its one plank is very | understood nothing of political economy and Christianity! They did not, for example, comprehend that machinery is the surest means of lengthening the working day. They perhaps excused the slavery of On other questions the Party has wide- one on the ground that it was a means to allowed the situation on the Rand "to ly divergent interests. | the full development of another. But to develop," to use his own words, in order | The land-owning farmer and the by- | preach slavery of the masses in order that that once more he might drown the woner have more points of difference a few crude and half-educated parvenus movement in blood and crush the resist- than of agreement. What has the poor | might become "eminent spinners," "exance of the workers in the most approved white of the town in common with the tensive sausage makers," and "influential" well-fed and sharp lawyer, doctor, or shoe-black dealers," to do this, they lack-The objection may be raised that he is other professional man. | ed the bump of Christianity.—Karl

# Unemployment and the Press.

## "Sunday Times" Editor Hires Black Convicts.

Press, and particularly that section of it unemployed problem to the presence of which is issued from the offices of the black workers in our midst. "Rand Daily Mail," has awakened to the fact that there is a huge army of unemployed workers in South Africa. It is rather strange that this was only discovered AFTER the defeat of the Smuts Government, but anyway the awakening l of the "Mail" and "Sunday Times" in particular, although somewhat tardy, will ! be welcomed by the thousands of men who are vainly looking for the means of earning a living.

We will not entertain the suspicion for a moment that the agitation is designed rather to embarass the new Government than to help the workless.

At the same time an incident was brought to our notice this week which sheds a rather lurid light on the degree of sincerity that there is behind the editorial sob-stuff of the "Daily Mail" and "Sunday Times" with which we have been regaled lately.

### CONVICTS BLACK GARDENERS.

It was reported to us last Tuesday that Mr. Langley Levy was having his garden in Lake View dug and laid out by native convicts, and our representative went out to see for himself.

Sure enough, a dozen or môre convicts were busy under the direction of an armed white warder putting Mr. grounds in order.

On enquiring why the editor of a paper which demands the discharge of native workers and their replacement by whites enters heartily into any attempt to mitilies with a Labour Government whose does not carry out the policy he advocates, the usual answer was given, that white men were too expensive.

Three white men attended at the office of Mr. Levy and offered to do the work at determination not to be ignored but to de- To turn now to the case of the Barwell a very small wage, but there was NOTH-ING DOING.

"Sunday Times" editor had a contract shall earmark a sufficient amount to keep ported child-slaves. According to the with the Government and he could not get | the unemployed workers in at least the ["Daily Mail" Adelaide correspondent, out of it. Whether that is the case or i same comfort when out of work as they the charges have in this case been made, not, we wish to draw attention to the were accustomed to whilst working. not by a county court judge, but by a anomaly of a man hiring CONVICTS- | WORK OR FULL MAINTENANCE IS | local Anglican clergyman. Mr. Cavalier, not free native labourers—to do his work THE SLOGAN. Nothing less will says the correspondent, "quotes instances, whilst at the same time he is calling upon | satisfy the unemployed. the employers of labour generally to make room for whites and to sack natives.

During the past week or so the Rand and dishonest in so far as it attributes the

countries where there are no blacks.

But there are at least a million and half unemployed in Britain and several millions in Germany, and the phenomenon is common to all capitalist countries.

Our editors and politicians will have to look deeper than they have hitherto done to find the cause, and, having discovered the cause to discover the solution.

We could help them, but of course they do not want to face the truth, still less to publish it.

Their business is to keep the unemployed quiet by relief works at starvation wages; doles if they must; and if all these fail them, to abuse the unfortunate workers as unemployable and the dupes and tools of agitators.

The Communist Party stands on the solid ground of economic fact and declares that there is no solution of the problem of unemployment under the capitalist system.

The system of production inevitably produces an army of unemployed side by impose a short sentence; but they have side with an army of overworked and pleaded 'guilty' and I cannot avoid senunderpaid workers.

Its abolition is the only remedy and WHERE THE GUILT LIES. Levy's the inauguration of a system of production for use and not for the profit of the

> gate the sufferings of the unfortunate members regard transportation as a remsurplus workers, and places its whole edy for unemployments, whilst fearing to machinery at their disposal. remove its cause.

It urges them to organise and show a not only protect the property and profits Premier of South Australia, 'a much-The plea was put forward that the of the capitalist and master class, but belauded Empire-builder by way of trans-

Workers, employed as well as unemployed; organise as one body and force the The whole agitation is of course hollow | Government to, accede to your demands.

a charge of sending a wagon and other make good: myself. But my duty to my Mr. Cavalier instances "One boy, after property of the Defence Force, of which neighbour is much more nearly expressed milking twenty cows morning and evenhe is an officer, to the farm of Colonel by saying that I have to make him happy ing for a month, and also doing heavy Mentz, whilst the latter gentleman was | ..-if I may.-Robert Louis, Stevenson. Minister of Defence.

The details of the trial will be interesting, and we hope that the real culprit Without free speech no search for the blood ran. The boy nearly lost his will not escape.

Without free speech no search for the blood ran. The boy nearly lost his truth is possible; without free speech no search for the blood ran. The boy nearly lost his will not escape.

### Russia.

down the cost of manufactured articles to laugh. the great mass of peasants.

Defence Force Revelations. There is an idea abroad among moral people that they have to make their C. N. de Villiers is being examined on neighbours good. One person I have to

no discovery of truth is useful; without to explain the deaths and suicides amongsti free speech progress is checked, and the these boys." The lash as the instrument nations no longer march forward to- for the enforcement of slavery has fallen The productivity of labour has increased | ward the nobler life which the future | into disuetude as regards adults. But from 548 pre war rouble per worker per holds for man. Better a thousandfold for boys transported into slavery to the annum to 1,292 roubles. This with abuse of free speech than denial of free other side of the world it is still regarded economy in fuel and use of materials has speech. The abuse dies in a day, but as efficacious. Miss Margaret Bondfield reduced the costs of production of ma- | the denial slays the life of the people and | might mention this in her next address to chinery by 25 per cent., thus bringing entombs the hope of the race.—Brad- boys on the eve of transportation.—"The

## Slaves for the Colonies.

BRITISH BOYS BEATEN AND STARVED.

STRAIGHT TALK BY CANADIAN JUDGE.

A Canadian Judge writes as follows:--"I am leaving the writing of this letter If this were the reason then there to go to the court-room to sentence two should be no unemployed problem in lads—one from Halifax, England, and the other from Glasgow, Scotland—for theft. They were enticed out here by the shipping agents of the Canadian Railway Companies. They paid about a hundred dollars to these, shipping agents, who get their rake-off, and the rest goes into the coffers of the railway companies. These poor dupes who are being enticed out to Canada on false and misleading promises are victims of railway corporation cupidity.

### HARVESTERS AS STRIKE-BREAKERS.

"These lads were eking out a precarious living in the bush of Ontario and the farms of the prairies, until they had to take refuge with the scores of others in the emigration sheds at Winnipeg. Then they were shipped out to take the place of strikers in the timber areas of East Kootenay; they were told by the emigration authorities (so they have stated to me) that there was no strike. Reduced to starvation conditions, these lads lifted a rifle from a shed to sell to get food. They must go to prison for this crime. I will tencing them."

But the guilt does not at bottom lie with the transportation companies, but with those who permit Britain to be the At the same time the Communist Party | recruiting ground for slaves. The shame

### THE BARWELL BOYS.

mand of the capitalist State that it shall settlement, so named after the late and suggests that some people are inclined to treat the boys as outcasts, waifs and strays, whereas the majority are welleducated." Naturally Australians so regard the children that Britain consigus to an unknown fate. That she should first of all provide them with education would seem incomprehensible.

### MILE AND BLOOD.

farm work, told the farmer that he was so tired that he could not keep going. The man promptly lashed the boy until Commonweal."

# The Return to Moscow.

### Funeral of D. Ivon Jones.

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS SENDS DELEGATES FROM ALL COUNTRIES.

Comrade Bob Stewart has been good inscribed: "To the memory of a great lished. enough to send to the Central Executive | South African fighter." At the gravethe particulars of the disposal of the re-liside short tributes to the memory of our mains of our late comrade D. Ivon Jones, comrade were delivered by French, Gerwhich will set at rest any doubt which man, Russian, British and American remay have been aroused by certain in presentatives, ncliuding Tom Mann, Bill sinuations in a Natal capitalist paper, and Haywood, and myself. As the coffin was will assure South African comrades that lowered with the red banner of the fitting honour was done by the Inter Comintern drooping over it, we sung a national to one of its most staunch and farewell in the strains of the Russian able sons.

Comrade Stewart's letter, dated Moscow, June 20th, is as follows:-

the midst of Congress and it is in conse-rites concluded. "The International" was fully and quietly, so that I must ask you South African comrades, whose loss we and the South African comrades to ex- shared, but we could not assuage the cuse any shortcoming. I telegraphed to you the sad intimation of the death of our of our comrade and their close friend comrade D. Ivon Jones. He died in the Sanatorium at Yalta, where you last saw him. He had a stiff struggle, but despite growing weakness was able to write almost to the last. His body was brought to Moscow on Saturday, 14th June, and was met by delegations from all sections of the Comintern who were in Moscow at that date. The British delegation deputed Comrades B. Joy (London), E. Douglas (Dundee), J. Wilson (South Wales), and J. Fisher (London). The coffin was conveyed to the Comintern Club, where it lay until four o'clock a guard of four changed every ten minutes stood by the body until it was removed for interment. A considerable contingent, comprising delegates from all sections of Comintern, from factories, Soviet departments, from the Youth International, and from the Red Army, accompanied the remains of Comrade Jones to their final resting place in Novo Devitchy Cemetery. The British delegation carried a memorial wreath,

Revolutionary funeral hymn, with which we are now so painfully familiar, its haunting melody and challenging note reminding us that though our soldiers "Dear Comrade Andrews,-We are in fall the battle still proceeds. As the last quence very difficult to get time to write taken up, and our thoughts were of our pain that they must feel at the departure and capable co-worker. Comrade Jones has done much to familiarise the Englishspeaking Communists and revolutionary workers with the conditions of Russia and the extent and nature of the difficulties and successes of the leading section of the Comintern-the Russian Communist Party. Even so he never forgot South Africa and the problems that you confront. His keen interest in the original owners of the soil of South Africa (the native population) never flagged, and the work that he began in connection with the emancipation of the native population of South Africa will, I am sure, be pursued energetically by the South African Communist Party. Will you please accept the assurance of the deepest sympathy of all of us here in the loss which you have sustained together with us in the death of a brilliant student and teacher of Leninism. "With Communist greetings,

"ROBERT STEWART, E.C.C.I."

## Personal Horror.

A CONTRAST.

wiring his sympathy with Zaghlul Pasha and his personal horror at the attempt on his life.

When the Smuts Government slaughtered the workers on the Rand in 1922, MacDonald and the Labour Party generally washed their hands of the whole business on the ground that South Africa was a self-governing Colony, and sneeringly remarked that the workers put Smuts in power.

But of course Zaghlul is one of the ruling class, an upholder of capitalism, and a persecutor of the Egyptian workers. sacred to the renegade! Socialist.

tional British Labour.

## A Fine Sight.

The Bishop of Johannesburg, in an address to the Rotary Club last Tuesday, Premier MacDonald lost no time in gave a graphic description of the hattle of Jutland, which he witnessed from the deck of a cruiser.

> He describes as "one of sights he ever saw" the engagement of one of the "Queen Elizabeth" class of battleship with the Germans.

> As a follower of the meek and lowly Jesus, one would have thought that the good Bishop would have described the wholesale slaughter of his fellow quite differently.

> But then of course Bishops, like many is buttered.

tion.—Tom Paine.

## Our Printing Press.

Five years ago the International Socialist League was entrusted with the task, among others, of building up a workers' printing press. Comrades and friends generously responded to the appeal for funds, and the I.S.L. Press was estab-

At that period printing machinery was at war prices and even then almost unobtainable. Notwithstanding the difficulties, the press has proved a valuable aid to the propaganda work of the advanced Labour movement and has fully justified the hopes of even the most optimistic.

It is to-day doing more work than at any time since its establishment.

This, however, brings the management up against two problems, and it is to the solution of these problems that we invite the sympathetic attention of comrades and friends of the movement.

The machinery—originally second-hand -although still serviceable, shows signs of wear and tear, and further is not large enough to enable certain work to be undertaken.

In short the time has arrived when our plant is badly in need of improvement and extension.

The most pressing need is the installation of a new linotype machine.

This with other necessary additions involves two things. Removal to larger and more conveniently situated premises, and the raising of about £1,000.

The management therefore ask our readers and supporters to rally to its assistance, and it feels confident that if each one does what is possible we may soon be in possession of a suitably housed plant which will be able to undertake any job that comes along.

It must be understood that the printing plant—although certain arrangements have been made in respect to its runningbelongs absolutely to the Party, and that there is not, and never has been, any interest paid for loans or overdrafts.

It is the desire of the management to continue this policy.

It is now YOUR opportunity, fellowworkers and comrades.

Many isolated comrades often regret that they cannot take an active part in the work of the Party.

You CAN take an active part in the PUSH for better premises and equipment.

Now, Comrades, ALL TOGETHER, send in your cheques and P.O. made out to I.S.L. Press, and as soon as you have shown that you mean business we will do our part.

The I.S.L. Management Committee.

W. H. ANDREWS, Secy.

## Mayoral Wisdom.

"In America, working men owned their own motor cars; here, where there was AN INEXHAUSTIBLE SUPPLY OF others, know on which side their bread CHEAP BLACK LABOUR, skilled and able white men kegged every day at the Municipal Offices for some work to do."

So spake the Mayor of Johannesburg All power exercised over a nation must (Mr. M. J. Harris) at the Convention of The Rand victims were only workers, have some beginning. It must either be the Associated Chambers of Commerce. and, worse still, strikers, and therefore delegated or assumed. There are no Mr. Harris seems to forget that an indeserved and got no sympathy from the other sources. All delegated power is exhaustible supply of cheap black labour representative of orthodox and constitu-| trust, and all assumed power is usurpa-| is one of the reasons why so many white mon are unemployed in South Africa.

# Lenin's First Newspaper.

(By D. IVON JONES.)

This article from the "Communist Review,"—as Comrade Jones explains in a letter of May 16th to a friend in Moscow—was written towards the end of 1923, before Lenin's death and before the present universal demand arose for Lenimian literature. It, and the one previously published by us, was "written to inspire a step forward in the study of Leninism, especially for a study of the beginnings of the (Russian) party." In a previous issue of "The International" some of the matter has been published, but we think the complete article will be welcomed by at least a section of our readers.

Spark') formed the starting point for the aged to continue his literary work, his revolutionary intelligentsia were prone to formation of an organised party of the controversy with the legal "narodniki," say: "The proletariat is necessary for the proletariat in Russia, when the words besides writing on the urgent tasks of the revolution." Plekhanov corrected them "Menshevik" and "Bolshevik" had not Social-Democrats in Russia in the light from his Geneva study: "No, on the yet been coined. In order to under of the experience gained in the first at contrary, the revolution is necessary for stand the character and purpose of the tempts in Petrograd. journal, it is necessary to go back a few years.

When Lenin appeared in Petrograd in 1894, and began to form Social-Democratic groups of workers and intellectuals, the Social-Democratic idea, which was then synonymous with revolutionary Democrats were as yet inexperienced in Marxism, had already been disseminated in Russia for about ten years, but only organisations set up by the Congress were among isolated individuals here and there. A number of Russian Marxists, Nothing remained but the Manifesto of prominent among whom were Plekhanov and Alexrod, had formed the "group for | no organised Party. It remained an the emancipation of Labour," in Switzer- | idea a trend. There was no co-ordinaland. They worked, as it were, in the | tion among the groups. Each was a law | absence of a workers' movement, when it to itself and each had a different interwas still a question of theory, as far as pretation of the Social-Democratic pro-Russia was concerned. They perforce gramme, tactics and methods of struggle. confined themselves to the literary task This was the period of the groups or of popularising the Marxian principles circles. among the Russian revolutionaries, who were in a state of disillusionment and disappointment at the failure of the "Narodvoltzi" (Populiet) creed, which based its hopes upon the peasant.

Lenin started the period of action in Russian Social-Democracy. But, as we saw in our previous article, he also most effectively of all incarnated Marxism in the flesh of actual Russian economic conditions. This he did in his controversy with the "narodniki." He left a monument to this controversy in his masterly work, "The Development of Capitalism in Russia."

theory served to give replies to the problyears. lems arising out of the struggle. He This trend was known as "economism." formed groups of workers to organise The "economists" declared the economic the "Iskra" organisation for the disagitation in the various workshops of struggle to be paramount. "Politics fol-semination of the paper. The paper be-Petrograd. The agitation among the low economics," they said. "Leave! workers took the form of issuing leaflets politics to the liberal bourgeoisie; and after group adhered, to form the basis for all this talk about the overthrow of an All-Russian Party of the proletariat. flagellating the abuses and oppressions, Czarism is not the concern of the workers. the petty fines, etc., to which the work- Talk to the workers about matters that ers were subjected. But Lenin's group not only advanced particular economic ideology, too much theory, etc., etc." miets" within the movement. For, was demands, but also the struggle for the How familiar all this is to any Party it not formed to wage uncompromising overthrow of Czarism, thus placing the worker no matter in what part of the war on Economism, which exalted the imworkers in the forefront of the struggle world he may be! Lenin sensed a great maturity of the movement into a confor political freedom. And the workers danger in this trend. With the air of sidered policy? In its first announcereadily responded. A wave of strikes being ultra-working class, the economists ment, the paper declared: "Before we dated from this time. The workers fin- reduced working class politics into a tool unite, and in order that we unite, it is ally demonstrated their capacity for poli- of the bourgeoisie. For many at that necessary first of all resolutely and defintical struggle, which was of vast import- time wanted the revolution who were not itely to divide." Here, however, there ance in winning over the revolutionary of the working class movement, but saw intelligentsia to Marxism.

carried on under the severest conspirative geoisic desired revolution of a sort. The conditions. The growing working class petty bourgeoisie desired revolution. revolt roused the forces of the Czarist Whose revolution it was going to be, Social-Democratic method and those who police to action, and, at the end of 1895, whether the proletariat should be a tool belonged to it, and label those who depractically the whole of Lenin's group, in the service of the bourgeoisie, or the "Group for the emancipation of the whether it should retain the lead in the working class," was arrested, including revolution, depended on the correct pro-Lenin himself. In 1897, Lenin was ex- letarian tactics and the correct methods

While Lenin was in exile, Social-! Democratic groups were being formed in all the large cities of Russia, and an attempt was made to hold the first congress at Minsk, in 1898. But, as Lenin afterwards showed the young Social conspirative organisation, and the central broken up by the police as soon as formed. within the Social-Democratic movement. the Congress. So that there was still

Lenin returned from exile in 1900. In the five years since his arrest, the elemental uprising of the workers had taken a mass character. This disquieted Lenin, even while it filled him with confidence in the working class, as all elemental uprisings without conscious direction disquieted him. He saw the mass movement going ahead of the conscious Social-Democratic movement, and he sounded the alarm. He saw much that was contrary to Marxism in the tactics and teachings of the young groups. A certain | tact with the Plekhanov group, enlisting vulgarisation of Marxism, a kind of "I.W. W. 'ism," had taken hold among But Lenin not only wrote. With him | the revolutionary, youth during these five |

in the working class a force to be ex-Needless to say, the agitation had to be ploited politically. The liberal bour-

Lenin's newspaper, "Iskra" ("The iled to Siberia. There, however, he man- of organisation in these critical days. The the proletariat." Such were the "economists," consciously or unconsciously reducing the role of the proletariat to an appendage of the liberal bourgeoisie.

Denin now saw himself obliged to carry forward the theoretical struggle from the domain of programme (controversy with the narodniki) to the domain of tactics and methods of organisation, namely, the fight with the "economists" On his return from exile Lenin, and a few others who held similar views, met at Pskov to consider the needs of the movement. It was decided to start an all-Russian Social-Democratic newspaper. There had been several previous attempts made to start a paper. Some had had a short-lived existence before being discovered and suppressed; others, like the "Rabochi Dyelo" ("Workers' Cause"), the first paper printed by Lenin's group in 1895, had been seized by the police before leaving the press. The only hope of success was to establish what Lenin called a base of operations beyond the reach of the Czarist police, that is, abroad, and there to establish a newspaper which would be an ideological guide for the movement, gathering the various groups together round the true Marxist tactics and methods of organisation. For this purpose, Lenin was selected to go abroad and establish contheir aid in the work.

In this task Lenin had brilliant success. He established the now famous newspaper, "Iskra" ("The Spark"), and came not only a theoretical guide, but an

But, needless to say, "Iskra" met with promise palpable results. Too much considerable opposition from the "cconowas no question of splitting any organisation, for a centrally organised party didnot yet exist. It was "Iskra's" task to form it. But, first of all it was necessary to delimit fix boundaries, define the parted from it; separating the tares from the wheat. And the tares at this time were the "economists."

(To be continued.).

## Employment and the Youth of S. Africa.

THE POLICY OF CAPITALISTIC SOUTH AFRICA.

The following has been published and Why do they employ the young native, circulated by the Young Communist the young coloured person, and occasion-League (Capetown Branch). 145, Long ally the young European! Do they em-Street, Capetown:--

ton Smyth, the Secretary for Mines and Industries, made the following important statement:--

> . "We have 32,000 children leaving school every year. Since this time into the world of whom we suddenly realise we can only give employment to one-half. We look around in bedozen years ago.".

with our boys?" Unemployment is rife order of society. amongst the youths, and this remark can It devolves upon us, the Young Com- 8.30 p.m. be evidenced by the following table of munist League of South Africa, to raise juveniles registered for employment:--

Capetown. Jo'hurg. Durban Month. 1922.

I U M M ,			
January	236	106	151
July	340	.122	234
1923.			·
January	376	647	254
July	512	767	292
1924.			
January	719	727	.314
February	721	1,007	400
March	668	1,159	415

under a system of society where the rich SCHOOL! are getting richer and the poor poorer. DEMAND WORK OR FULL The capitalist newspapers and apologists NATIONAL MAINTENANCE FOR tell you this is due to the fact that we ALL YOUNG UNEMPLOYED! must have more industries. This is not DEMAND MINIMUM WAGE CORthe cause for unemployment in South RESPONDING TO THE MAXIMUM Africa. The basic principle of Capitalist | COST OF LIVING! Civilisation is profit. They will achieve DEMAND THAT THEY WHO PROthis object by means of cheap labour. DUCE THE WORLD'S WEALTH And this is the case in this country. | SHALL RULE THE WORLD!

ploy him because he is good-looking? No!

They employ the young native or the University, Capetown, Mr. H. Warring- coloured person because they can give joint celebration of the Party's Ninth him a cheap wage, and get plenty of profits out of him. So long as this system of society lasts, the capitalist will, pursue this policy.

That We make this announcement. under such an economic system, whose last year 16,000 boys have come out tyranny and whose injustice we all experience, your future is dark, your outlook is black:

Who is to blame? It was not so a serving your master, is all one-sided. The vited. Bring your children. instruction imparted to you just only fits Since this statement was issued a you to what the capitalist requires of you.

> this cry of the young unemployed in the street, of the young wage slave in the factory, of the young underfed student in our local school, to the world. This League is the only fighting organisation in South Africa, which battles for you, the young workers in the factories or in the shops, the scholars in our schools and colleges.

> Let us unite, and make these demands our hattle cry:-

DEMAND A MAINTENANCE AL-This state of affairs can only happen LOWANCE FOR ALL CHILDREN IN

## The Real Stuff.

WELLS ON EDUCATIONAL BLINKERS.

H. G. Wells, writing on education in the United States, says that there has been a little tiff between the undergraduates and the authorities of Harvard. The brighter of the Harvard undergraduates, represented in the governing board of the Harvard Union by Mr. Corliss Lamont, want to hear about radicalism and communism at first hand from people like Mr. Debs; and Mr. W. Z. ing these youthful aspirations. They want the young men who will presently

Business has control of education.

genuine inquirer.

## Our Christian Civilisation.

THE DEATH CHAIR.

"As soon as the cap is put on the forehead I try to watch the breath," said | the doctor, "and give the signal for the executioner to depress the lever, so that the lungs will be as empty as possible. I generally get it right. If I do, death is instantaneous. The man, through the electric current, dies with the stoppage of breath, strangulation practically. From a minute to a minute and a half and all is over. I don't think the man feels any pain from the moment the lever is pulled; Foster and the authorities are suppress- | the nerve shock is too tremendous ". The doctor then led the way into the next room, which looked like an operating sway. American affairs to be fed their | chamber, because there was a high long | knowledge of radical and revolutionary | table in the centre. "Here we put the ideas by orthodox and respectable per- | body," he said, "it is carried in at once; sons who have predigested it for them | the temperature of the body is 130 deand removed all disturbing elements. The | grees; I have tested it by putting a knife. young men want the real stuff and to | and then a thermometer into the stomach, deal with it themselves. I confess my- | the blood is all boiling. The brain heat | self heart and soul for these young men." | must be higher still-Oh, yes, I have had | There is no chance of the young men | several in a day." "Five, doctor," the referred to getting their way while Big keeper added. "Seven was our biggest | Printed by the I.S.L. Press, 54. Fox St., day," returned the doctor casually.-But there are plenty of books for the ["Contemporary Portraits," by Frank | Harris.

## COMMUNIST PARTY NOTES.

IMPORTANT.

A combined meeting of the C.P. Johannesburg Entertainment Committee, the Johannesburg Y.J.L., and all others willing to assist, will be held at No. 4 Trades Hall, on Mondav next, July 21st, at 8 p.m., to make arrangements for the International Anniversary at the Selborne Hall on Wednesday, September 10th next.

The Johannesburg Y.C.L. are holding The education you received in your an cuting at Germisten Lake on Sunday, wilderment and say: What is wrong? schools is all tinged with the ethics of the 20th inst. All are cordially in-

A lecture entitled "Young Communist" prominent headline in our local news- It is again the cry of profits. Still, you | Educational Work" will be delivered by paper of to-day is this: "What to do subject yourself to the mercies of this Miss C. Grootewal at No. 4, Trades Hall, on Sunday, the 20th inst., at

### Death.

We have just been informed of the death of Comrade Herbert Johnson, which took place on his farm at Zeerust, and desire to express our sympathy with his widow and two sons.

Comrade Johnson will be remembered by the older members as an old worker in the movement in the Germiston dis-

### Strike Prisoners' Release Committee.

At the last meeting of this Committee, the financial statement of the welcome social given to the nine released strike prisoners in the Johannesburg Town Hall on May 19 was presented by the hon. treasurer. This showed the following income:--Tickets sold by members of the Committee, etc., £189 178. 6d.; Tickets sold at door, £00 8s.; takings in gents' cloak room, £10 8s.; takings in ladies' cloak room, £9; sale of minerals, £4 4s.; sale of flags, £11; proceeds of draw, £6 10s.; donation, £1 1s.—Total income, £322 8s. 6d.

The expenditure was as follows:— Hire of Town Hall, £23; grant to Mesdames Hull and Lewis. £9; hire of motor car, postages and sundry expenses, £8 9s. Ed.; the balance of £281 19s. being equal'y distributed between the nine released prisoners, Garnsworthy, Shaw, Erasmus, Viljoen, Van der Merwe, Saunders, Lategan, Brussow and Potgieter.

The statement giving the above figures was checked by two examiners, C. F. Glass and H. Sewitz, appointed by the Committee, who have certified it correct.

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