

Croppers In Ala. Organize For Struggle

Here in Alberta, Alabama, which is known as part of the Black Belt, where Negroes are a majority, the big white landowners are forcing the Negro share croppers and tenant farmers to sell their cattle and horses and go to work for \$8 a month.

One landlord here has about eight Negro families which he calls "niggers." They are ruled just as if they were under chattel slavery.

But despite these conditions, the Negroes are willing to fight under the leadership of the United Farmers League in order to get some decent food to eat and clothes for their naked children.

On the 28th of February there was a meeting of farmers here where preparations were made to hold a still larger meeting on March 10.

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