

# Herndon Verdict Is Part Of Boss Hunger Drive

## YOUNG WORKERS RALLY TO SMASH CHAIN GANG DEATH SENTENCE!

ATLANTA, Ga. — Torture and death on the Georgia chain-gang was the verdict of the Atlanta boss-court in the trial of Angelo Herndon, 19 year old Negro young Communist organizer last week.

Herndon was charged with "inciting to insurrection" for his militant work of organizing southern Negro and white workers for a struggle against starvation and lynch terror.

Angelo Herndon was first arrested following a raid upon his home during which copies of the YOUNG WORKER, Daily Worker, and other workingclass papers and magazines were found in his possession.

Herndon was tried under an old Georgia law dating back to slave times and was sentenced to 18 to 20 years on the barbarous chain gang. THIS SENTENCE MEANS DEATH!

Herndon was defended by two Negro lawyers of Atlanta engaged by the International Labor Defense. The ILD is taking steps

to appeal the case to a higher court.

Young Workers, Negro and white! Unite in the struggle against the Lynch Terror of the



*Angelo Herndon*

Southern Ruling Class! Unite in the Struggle to Smash the Whole Boss Chain Gang System! Save the life of Angelo Herndon!

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