

AS WE SEE IT

MUSOLINI must be slipping... the footless liberal party sums up... the blackshirt chief's nasal... the most distressing feature of the situation...

MEN LOSE TO OPEN SHOP IN CLEVELAND

Fakers Stopped Men Striking Too Often

(Special to The Daily Worker.) CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 10.—Street car conductors and motormen voted against a strike here Saturday. The company had declared an open shop and refused to compromise...

MORGAN'S SECOND A. E. F. IN EUROPE

Advertisement for 'DAWES CANCER CURE' featuring an illustration of a man and various text boxes: 'CORN CURE', 'MORGAN'S LIVER PILLS', 'DAWES EXTRACT', 'OBESITY', 'DR. ISENBARTS UNIVERSAL RENEDY', 'TRY PECKSNIFFS PANNEEA', 'LYON BUNIKHANS PILLS', 'PROMOTES NEW GROWTH', 'SOUTH'S E-FIN AND IRRITATION', 'CREATES A HOPE FOR THOUSANDS OF TESTIMONIALS', 'SOCIALISTS'.

DAWES PLAN FALLING DOWN, SAYS U. S. REPARATION AGENT; FRANCE AND ENGLAND DISCOUNT PAYMENT

(Special to The Daily Worker) LONDON, May 10.—That the Dawes plan is a failure is grudgingly admitted by capitalist spokesmen following the report of Seymour Parker Gilbert...

BUILDING TRADE STRIKERS FIGHT 'LANDIS AWARD'

Efforts of the non-union McLellan construction company to end the strike of the building trades workers on the new twenty million dollar market project being built for the Central Cold Storage company at 11th St. and Racine Ave., failed...

WHILE this talk of a declining dictatorship is being told in a corner of the capitalist press, a communist journalist and stool pigeon by the name of Paul Scott Morrow is spreading a series of fairy tales on Soviet Russia, from Paris. But what ever else Morrow says, he does not predict the speedy collapse of the Soviet power by the Communist leadership of that country...

THE ALL-Russia Soviet Congress opened and Leon Trotsky is back in Moscow. The congresses contrast the Soviet government. Russia's economic condition is particularly on the order of the world in the hands of professional burglars who cannot keep their hands off their neighbor's pocket. Two dispatches appear in the same column of a Chicago capitalist paper which are a story. One relates the other announcements that the British government is prepared to make war on Bolshevik propaganda within the empire...

COMINTERN'S STATEMENT ON BULGAR BLAST Communists Opposed to Individual Terror (Special to The Daily Worker) MOSCOW, April 23.—(By Mail)—The executive of the Comintern has published the following statement: "Forgery and lies are becoming more and more the tool of the enemies of the Comintern. Month for month, and more recently even week for week, ever more clumsy forgeries of alleged letters, instructions, despatches and other documents"...

ANTI-WHITE TERROR MEETING TO BE HELD IN CHICAGO SUNDAY An anti-white terror demonstration will be held on Sunday, May 10, at 2:30 p. m., at the Hod Carriers Hall, 814 W. Harrison street. It is arranged under the auspices of the Workers Party, Local Chicago with the main support coming from the Balkan federation branch of the Workers Party.

BULGARIANS IN U. S. DENOUNCE ZANKOV TERROR Tulsa Residents Brand Fascists As Murderers (Special to The Daily Worker) TULSA, Oklahoma, May 10.—Bulgarians living in this city have added their protest to the widespread denunciation by Bulgarian-Americans of the regime of white terror instituted by Premier Zankov against the Communists and other workers.

INHERENT CONTRADICTIONS The only other alternative seen by Mr. Gilbert is the export of German made goods being developed. However, if Germany's exports are developed it will be only at the expense of cutting down the export trade, and even infringing on the domestic trade of the allied nations.

THESE last British aristocrat to get funny with the Soviet government, in heavy respects, are the same old good marble. His name was Curzon. He threatened to make war on Russia, unless the Communists stopped spreading Bolshevik propaganda in India. British rule in India is the best propaganda for revolution. The Hindus will never be satisfied until the British are driven out of this country. Curzon did not make war on Russia. His successors may, but at their peril. The forces will have to reckon with the Russian working class.

RAILWAY CLERK'S FIND FITZGERALD CROOKED IN 'LABOR' BANK BUSINESS KANSAS CITY, May 10.—Charges of misconduct against E. H. Fitzgerald, president of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers and Expressmen, were sustained here Friday by the brotherhood's annual convention. The charges grew out of an attempt of President Fitzgerald to organize an investment company in connection with the brotherhood bank in Cincinnati.

GREEN HECKLED AT CONVENTION OF R. R. CLERKS (Special to The Daily Worker) KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 10.—When William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, spoke before the convention of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees' Union at their convention here in the armory, 329 Main St., his remarks were challenged by a rank and file delegate from the floor of the convention.

Wheat Crop Below Normal, Farmers Too Poor to Buy Seed (Special to The Daily Worker) WASHINGTON, May 10.—America's winter wheat crop will be approximately 115,000,000 bushels, the crop, the department of agriculture estimated today.

FRANCE plays Shrewd Trick. In France, also, yesterday's announcement of Joseph Caillaux, after a ministerial conference presided over by President Doumergue, was a surprise. The Caillaux would not be counted in the budget as available assets, and that France would be compelled to raise the budget only by increased appropriations for the government on the farmers and upon consumable commodities. This will at once increase the already high cost of living.

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN walked into the White House a few days ago and advised the president that the economy program was making a big hit with the "country." The political marathon runner got a free lunch in return for the "country" diagnosis. "Bill" is reported to be worth now \$2,000,000, made on Florida real estate. Like that other hypocrite, Arthur Brisbane, Bryan spends most of his waking moments singing the beauties of the Florida climate. The business elements like the president's economy program all.

On the occasion of the explosion that has taken place in the cathedral of Sofia, this fascist government has published some hastily manufactured "documents," which are supposed to furnish proof of the Comintern's implication in this terrorist act. It is superfluous to point out that in view of the fact that the Comintern is opposed in principle to individual terror, neither the Comintern nor any of its sections have had, or could have had anything whatever to do with the Sofia explosion.

Opposition to Fitzgerald. The convention has developed into a struggle of the opposition, headed by George S. Levi, secretary treasurer of the organization, and the followers of E. H. Fitzgerald, present president, who has come to the end of his second three-year term and is seeking re-election.

SHARPLY decreased acreage was primarily responsible, reflecting the adverse conditions that prevailed among wheat farmers at planting time, because of the low price which was being paid by seed.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The interstate commerce commission placed a tentative valuation of \$123,687,175 on the property owned by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and a valuation of \$129,257,789 on the property used but not owned by the road. The valuation was as of June 30, 1916.

CROUCH AND TRUMBULL DISCLOSE LIES OF KEPT PRESS ABOUT TRIAL—78 LIES IN "STENOGRAPHIC RECORD"

(Special to The Daily Worker) SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, HONOLULU, Hawaii, May 10.—The Associated Press is America's greatest misfeinor. In an A. P. "news" item published in the New York Times with the date line of Honolulu, April 4, 1925, is a collection of false statements. In part it reads: "Private Paul Crouch, 21st Infantry, has been sentenced to 40 years' imprisonment and dishonorable discharge from the army, and two other soldiers, Walter Trumbull and Walter Arden, were sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment and dishonorable discharge from the army, and two other soldiers, Walter Trumbull and Walter Arden, were sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment and dishonorable discharge from the army, and two other soldiers, Walter Trumbull and Walter Arden, were sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment and dishonorable discharge from the army..."

Court Grants an Injunction Against Indiana Mine Union

(Special to The Daily Worker.) INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 10.—Judge Robert C. Haight in federal court here overruled a petition of the defendants to dismiss the charges contained in an injunction action brought by W. H. Howe of Chicago, against officials of the United Mine Workers and others, seeking to restrain them from interfering with the operation of coal mines in Knox county on a co-operative basis.

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INDIANAPOLIS POLICE FORGE IN LEAGUE WITH BOOTLEGGERS, CHARGE INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 10.—A wholesale vendue out of members of the Indianapolis police force for their alleged failure to enforce the prohibition laws was promised today by William H. Remy, prosecutor.

SO THIS IS WHY JUDGE GARY TELLS US THERE IS NO SLUMP?

(Special to The Daily Worker) NEW YORK, May 10.—United States Steel Corporation declined 416,996 tons in the month ended April 30, according to the monthly report of the corporation issued today.

Three Workers to One Job in Hungary

VIENNA, May 10.—Current employment records of Hungary show that there are 322 applicants for every hundred jobs. This is under the fascist Horthy dictatorship.

CONSPIRACY TO CUT THE WAGE AS DISCLOSED

Capitalists in Plot to Break Union

By LELAND OLDS. (Federation Press Industrial Editor) Coal operators believe the final stage in the 2-year conspiracy to starve union miners into submission about reached.

This shows the operators actually encouraging stagnation in the market. They are tightening the screws in the conspiracy which was first exposed by The Federated Press June 12, 1932.

A similar resolution was passed by the National Assn. of Manufacturers June 7, 1932, after an address by ex-Gov. Connell of West Virginia. These resolutions meant a boycott of union-made goods.

Occasional success of the conspiracy have come to light since. Operators who signed the Jacksonville pact, Black Diamond has admitted, expected to force a suspension at union mines.

The railroads with the connivance of the interstate-commerce commission filed a bill in Congress in 1932 which would have raised rates on coal and other commodities.

OSWEGO, N. Y. - I. C. men in New York Central railroad shops are returning to work May 1 after six months' idleness.

ELECTRIC TRUST MONOPOLIZED THE RADIO BY SPYING ON SMALL FIRMS AND BUYING UP ALL RAW MATERIAL

NEW YORK, May 10.—Industrial spies operate not only against labor unions, but against one company in the interest of another, the injunction suit of the De Forest Radio Co. against the Radio Corporation of America and its parent General Electric clearly shows.

The De Forest concern, one of the few "independent" radio firms, is fighting the Radio Corporation which is the radio trust branch of the already existing trust in which General Electric, Westinghouse Electric, American Telegraph and Telephone Co. and Western Electric, related thru interlocking directorates, participate.

Monopolized Material. The injunction proceedings in New Jersey chancery court charge Radio Corporation of America and General Electric with buying up the Electron Relay company of Toledo, Ohio, which manufactured filament wire essential to radio manufacturing.

The purchase of the filament wire concern cut off De Forest from its necessary supply of raw materials. The suit is backed by affidavits from a former employe of General Electric who had previously and is now again working for De Forest.

Charles P. Bowly relates in detail how he discovered the secret of the Radio Corporation at 25 Beaver St., New York, where special investigators for the corporation reported the results of their espionage upon De Forest processes of manufacturing vacuum tubes.

Other affidavits show how Radio Corporation investigators worked as stenographers in De Forest offices, busy during the charges of Samuel Untermyer, attorney, who worked with the Lockheed investigating committee which showed up General Electric's Young's company as the domination of J. P. Morgan & Co. (Directors of the banking house and electric manufacturing company to General Electric).

Young is indignant that Untermyer suggests that the U. S. department of justice was influenced not to prosecute General Electric for a monopoly on electric light bulbs.

"Yellow Peril" a Fake, Report Shows

WASHINGTON, May 10.—During the past 16 years the net increase of foreign-born Japanese in the continental United States has averaged 855 a year, according to a statement by the committee on American-Japanese relations. The census of 1930 showed a total of 111,610 Japanese, both native and foreign-born, in California and the rest of the United States.

Japanese own 74,769 acres of land in California, out of a total of 11,389,984 acres of cultivated lands. The statement sets forth that Japan permits all foreigners to take perpetual leases of land, and that by a law which becomes effective on Dec. 1, 1935, Japan surrenders all claim to the allegiance of Japanese who have become citizens abroad.

Cut Political Prisoners' Mail. SAN QUENTIN, Cal., May 10.—Under the new prison regime at San Quentin, California, political prisoners convicted under the California criminal syndicalism law is further restricted by cutting off most of the letters coming from their defense organizations.

The California branch of the General Defense Committee, box 574, San Francisco, California, has written to the San Quentin warden so that this and other rights may be restored.

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COMMERCE BOARD USED BY ROADS TO LOWER WAGES

Government Forces Down Workers Standard

By LELAND OLDS. (Federation Press Staff Correspondent) The faculty of workers trusting in a government statistician of the interstate-commerce commission.

These show that in January the railroads paid 200,000 unskilled maintenance workers at the rate of \$2.75 for an eight-hour day, representing a cut of about a quarter in the wage rate established by the U. S. rail labor board in 1920.

With 350 working days in a year these men make a total of \$780. The board is plainly authorizing the railroads to pay the lowest market rate for labor.

Wages of 10 occupations selected from the clerical, station and maintenance statistics of the interstate-commerce board's 1930 decision ranging from 39.2 per cent. Here are the figures:

Table with 2 columns: Occupation and Rate. Includes Jan. Jan. Per. Clerks, Baggage handlers, Callers, loaders, Freight handlers, Section foremen, Section & track labor, Crossing flagmen.

Such a policy shows that it cannot be justified by any statistics compiled to determine wages which are just and reasonable. Cost of living data also shows that just a seven per cent cut in the well organized branches can hardly save the board in also authorizing a 39 per cent cut in unorganized labor.

The period of surplus common labor following the war gave employers an opportunity to reduce workers in this respect to just a seven per cent cut. Lack of organizations outside the railroad industry precluded seriously reducing the rates of the labor market.

Executive Council of A. F. of L. Meets with Anti-Communism Aides

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Sessions of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor began today in a conference with anti-Communist members present. James Dunca, secretary, Granit Cutlers, first vice-president, the only contemporary of Gompers still in control, resigned from that office immediately upon a failure to elect him as the successor of the late president, in December. His resignation was accepted upon his resignation meeting in February at the Miami Hotel in New York City.

William English Walling, former anti-Communist leader, Mr. Gompers, and Peter Brady, New York anti-socialist leader, were in attendance on the opening day, with Flynn of Boston, a special correspondent of the News Writers of that city.

Cal Favorable to Rail Merger. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—The combining of the Erie, Pere Marquette and New York Equiv. lines and Chesapeake and Ohio railroads into the railroad trust by O. P. and M. J. Van Swearingen, was approved by Richard F. Gray, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, who testified before the interstate-commerce commission.

In view of Coolidge's recent declaration that he would allow the trusts to do as they please without governmental interference, the rail merger is expected to be approved.

Must Pay to Work. NEW YORK.—Cattle boats used to pay men to go over the Atlantic tending the animals, but now an enterprising labor agent is recruiting British laborers, Hollanders and Swedes a ride back to their native lands as cattle valets for \$20, a Scotch workman for \$15, and a Dutchman for \$10. New York address in answer to an ad relates.

Help Actors' Equity Move. NEW YORK.—To help pay Actors' Equity moving bill Vivian and Rosetta Duncan gave a special matinee performance of their show, 'Topsy and Eva' at New York City Equiv. is now at 45 W. 47th street, New York City, in its own home.

Dispute Over Polish Corridor. BERLIN.—Germany takes diplomatic steps to obtain joint control of transit and rail lines thru the Polish corridor.

Commons Rejects Labor Amendment. LONDON.—The house of commons rejected a labor amendment to cancel duties on automobiles and motorcycles which would become effective July 1.

POLISH FASCISTS TORTURE REDS IN "HOLY CROSS" PRISON WHERE ONLY HOPE FOR RELEASE IS GRAVE

WARSAW, May 10.—(I. R. A.)—The prison of the "Holy Cross" built in the name of the prison situated 15 versta from the town of Kelsy. This is a high mountain, surrounded by huge walls and often veiled by mist, this old prison is called with justification a "grave for the living."

to be sent "under the Holy Cross" means slow but certain death. The conditions are so unbearable that even the Polish government was compelled to decide that "everyone who is sent there must be first subjected to a medical examination, because a Communist laborer here hardly longer than two months."

Reds Tortured. This prison is destined for long term prisoners. Its purpose is to make human beings into cripples in a safe and gradual manner. Sixty per cent of all prisoners are suffering from consumption. How the prisoners are "nursed" here can be seen from the fact that the prisoners of "Joz 30 hopelessly ill prisoners only two jars of milk are provided in 24 hours. Food is given in such quantities which are just sufficient to die gradually. If these conditions are not changed, I will ask for my dismissal."

Reds Tortured. The death rate in prison is formidable. In 1925, 1916 over 500 prisoners have died. In 1923 alone 130 prisoners died. But nevertheless the number of prisoners does not decrease. The cells of the dead prisoners are immediately filled with new revolutionaries. The prison administration gives no advantages to the political and trade unionists, but worse than the common criminals. They are often put into the punishment cells and exposed to hunger and thirst. The cells of the dead do terribly hard labor and are tortured in all possible ways.

Not Permitted to Wash. The walls of the prison are wet, in the cells there is nothing except the mattresses covered with vermin. The cells are not heated. The prisoners receive no soap. Water is given only once a day. The bodies of the dead underwear falls in pieces on the bodies of the prisoners. Continuously hungry, in cold and wet cells, dirt and stinking air, in the prison there is nothing but the sufferings of the prisoners. The undergarments in pieces on the bodies of the prisoners.

Foreign Delegates of Women's Council Congratulate Negroes. By LAURENCE TODD. (Federation Press Staff Correspondent) The fact that the Negroes of the best New York singers and this musically gifted people publicly walked out of the great auditorium in the national capital, just as they were about to furnish the material for a program of "American music" for a concert given by the International Council of Women? They struck because of their bigotry, but the Negroes had purchased tickets to the concert given in honor of the foreign visitors had been segregated on one side of the hall.

Miss Halls G. Brown, of Wilberforce university, Xenia, O., who had been preparing for the negro strikers part in the program for more than a year, in the midst of Comrade Miller's explanation of the situation in Washington, inquired the walkout as a protest against the discrimination of her race before the whole world. She had had a written guaranty from Mrs. Philip North Moore, president of the American branch of the Council, that no segregation or discrimination would be permitted. Mrs. Moore failed to make good her pledge.

Miss Brown took the platform and stated the facts of her race against their sympathy, some of them hissing the management and others going to congratulate the negro mistletoes on their courage. Hampton Institute choir was one of the units in the chorus which refused to accept humiliation. Chief Justice Taft, chairman of the trustees of Hampton Institute, who had been in the vice but refused to give any, saying that he knew nothing of the circumstances. Negro delegates in the Council kept their seats among the white delegates.

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NEW YORK, May 10.—Organized labor can take some credit to itself for the ending of the menace of tetraethyl lead gasoline which the Ethyl Gasoline Co. is withdrawing from the market pending the outcome of the U. S. surgeon general's conference on May 20 in Washington.

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The 5th Congress of the Communist International

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OFFICIALS OF A. F. OF L. SNU NEGRO WORKER

Request for Commis Merely Acknowledged

(Special to The Daily Worker) NEW YORK, May 10.—"Merely formal acknowledgement from American Federation of Labor" is reported by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People its proposal that the A. F. of L. railway brotherhoods, the N. A. F. and any other bodies agreed form an international labor mission.

The 15th annual report of the mission repeats the text of the mission to the A. F. of L. from the 1934 convention of the national association. The growing ability leading to crisis between workers of the black and white in America is outlined.

Ask Admittance to Unions. "Intelligent Negroes know full that a blow at organized labor at all labor; that black labor who are being by the blood and white labor leaders in the past who I fought oppression and monopoly organization," the communication to the A. F. of L. relation. It says Negroes are coming into skilled, semi-skilled jobs mostly as "an because the policy of many unions to admit Negro workers which has a creation of black workers' unions to get into them when they felt it strength outside.

Fight Race Discrimination. "The N. A. A. C. P. reports that the Negroes legal aid writing during 1934 by the application of tests; 'First, does the case say discrimination and unjustness based on race or color? Second, will it (of the N. A. A. C. P.) into the law to establish a precedent will favorably affect the rights of Negro people as a whole?' A run of important decisions is given, statements of residential segregation fights in Washington, D. C., and cities are given.

The progress of the Dyer Antilynching bill in congress and account the 16 lynchings of 1934 are lack and the story of the anti-lynching campaign in England during 1934, the American Bar Assn. is retold. Considerable interest is reported in Britain as a result of publicity given the association's which met on London streets.

For the Sake of Humanity. GENEVA, Switzerland, May 10. The American representative to report of arms conference, Thorburn of Ohio, proposed "for sake of humanity," to limit the production of poisonous war gases. He did not object to the use of gas by hostile instruments of death by ghastly armies.

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Cal's Boomlet Dies in Massachusetts

BOSTON.—A drop of about one-half per cent in employment in Massachusetts factories from February to March shows that Coolidge's little boomlet is collapsing in his home state. The state department of labor shows employment more than seven per cent below the 1922 average and three and one-half per cent below March, 1924. Average weekly wages recently were \$24.17. Eight establishments report wage cuts. The best 200 shoe industry is particularly hard hit. 29 per cent fewer workers than in 1922. This marks a reduction of over 15 per cent from 1924. 1924 shoe industries show a heavy drop in production. Men's clothing 29 per cent, women's clothing seven and one-half per cent, electrical manufacture eight per cent, foundries and machine shops nearly 35 per cent. The report shows that 28.6 per cent of 25 factories covered were employed in factories operated on part time. Six of the 29 industries a majority of the employes were on part time.

SICK AND DEATH BENEFIT SOCIETIES

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DEPORTATION OF VAIJANER HELD UP FOR REVIEW

Law Puts the Burden of Proof on the Defense

The Labor Defense Council, national headquarters in Chicago, is just in receipt of certain legal documents pertaining to the deportation of Emanuel Vajnaner, editor of the Obrero, a Czech Communist newspaper, which reveals the manner in which the Immigration act of May, 1934 works.

Vajnaner was arrested for a deportation hearing in Chicago on April 4, 1934. As a result of "anonymous complaints" from a so-called "union man," to the effect that editor Vajnaner was "inciting the people against the government and convincing them that their only hope was in the Communist Party of America."

On August 1934, he was ordered deported, and in February, 1935, sent to Ellis Island. The case was appealed and in April, 1935, the writ was granted by Judge Connelley, who remanded Vajnaner for deportation. However, deportation has been held up for review by the U. S. supreme court.

The hearing of the case before the district court of New York, Vajnaner availed himself of the constitutional provision that allows a defendant not to answer the questions which the government asks him. Vajnaner's hearing began before May, 1934, when the act was passed.

The prosecution, United States attorney for the commissioner of immigration, introduces section 23 of the above act, which says in part: "In any deportation proceeding against any alien the burden of proof shall be upon such alien to show that he entered the United States lawfully."

The prosecution completely fell down in proving its case against Vajnaner. The judge, Judge Connelley, at the same time he was forced to take cognizance of section 23 of the immigration act. Judge Hand said, "The burden of proof is on the government."

In other words, section 23 is designed to give the prosecution in deportation cases full leverage and while it does not prohibit to the defendant the right to answer incriminating questions, it nevertheless makes it dangerous for the defendant to avail himself of it at the same time takes upon himself the complete burden of proof.

The Labor Defense Council is continuing the fight against Vajnaner's deportation. The case, which is the usual deportation frame-up of the courts and the department of labor, will be carried to the Illinois courts wishing to contribute to the legal fund for the carrying on of this and many other cases. Donations to the Labor Defense Council, 19 South Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill.

YOUNG WORKERS LEAGUE ACTIVELY WORKING LOCAL CHICAGO

Monday, May 11. City Executive Committee meeting, 19 S. Lincoln street, 4 p. m. sharp.

Working Area Branch No. 3, 3201 S. Wabash avenue. "When the Next War Comes."

Wednesday, May 12. City Central Committee meeting, 5 p. m., 2613 Hirsch Blvd. All delegates must be present.

Thursday, May 14. Activity meeting of Working Area Branch No. 4, at 3115 W. Roosevelt Road.

Activity meeting of Working Area Branch No. 2, at 1910 W. Roosevelt Road.

Friday, May 15. Activity meeting of Working Area Branch No. 1, Room 505, 166 W. Washington St.

Activity meeting of Working Area Branch No. 6, 2613 Hirsch Blvd.

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RED INTERNATIONAL OF LABOR UNIONS HAILS ANGLORUSSIAN UNITY—SWEDISH KEYMEN APPROVE

(Special to The Daily Worker) MOSCOW, May 10.—After hearing the report of Comrade Melnikoffsky, secretary of the Red International of Labor Unions, the executive bureau of the Red International of Labor Unions adopted the following resolution: "The executive bureau expresses its deepest satisfaction with the results of the London Trade Union Conference. The rapprochement between the British and Russian trade unions constitutes an important step forward on the road to international trade union unity, and shows concretely that unity is not a phantom."

"The executive bureau of the R. I. U. U. considers the rapprochement between the British and Soviet trade unions, very important, and it calls upon the revolutionary trade unions of all countries to support unreservedly and with the greatest energy the joint advisory committee formed by these trade unions in all its efforts to bring the workers of different tendencies together, in all its efforts to bring the workers of different nationalities together, to restore the unity of the national and international trade union movement, by creating single trade union organizations in each country, and a single militant international comprising the trade unions of all tendencies and in all parts of the world."

Swedish Union For Unity. The Swedish trade union delegation, which has made an exhaustive study of the conditions of their Russian brothers in Leningrad and Moscow, has left for Stockholm. Before their departure, a farewell reception took place in which participated the central committee of the Russian Union of Postmen and Telegraph Workers, the representatives of the Russian shop councils, and the Swedish delegation.

Mattell, member of the Swedish delegation, declared that after taking into cognizance the positive as well as negative aspects of life in the Soviet Union, the Swedish delegation has decided to continue its work in the field of economic reconstruction which was very considerable, and that the Swedish trade union organization were returning to Sweden as friends of the Russian revolutionary proletariat.

The Swedish delegation presented the Russian fraternal committee with a memorandum, which, among other things expresses the hope of the Swedish delegation for the consolidation of the Russian and Swedish revolution, and the closest cooperation between the workers of the Soviet Union and the workers of all countries, thus enabling the international proletariat to fight successfully against world capitalism. The joint resolution which was adopted unanimously, declared:

The Russian and Swedish Unions of Postal, Telegraph and Telephone Workers greet and results of the London trade union conference, and consider them the most important step in the international trade union unity task until now. It is necessary to unite the postal and telegraph workers into a single international. The efforts of the Russian union to be admitted into the international should be supported."

Bulgarian Party Branch Organized in Milwaukee, Wis.

(Special to The Daily Worker) MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 10.—A Bulgarian branch of the Workers Party has been organized in Milwaukee, Wis. This branch is made up of good virile elements with a thorough knowledge of Marxism and Leninism. The members of the Bulgarian Party in Milwaukee are working to raise the Bulgarian white terror in Bulgaria and is a worthy answer to the international imperialism.

Most of the members of the branch have been formerly connected with the socialist labor party and have been fully disillusioned with the opportunistic policy of that sectarian group. The Bulgarian federation represents the backbone of the socialist labor party and as these elements are bearing a great historical lesson from the Bulgarian revolution, they are leaving the organization and join a real effective revolutionary organization following the same principles and tactics as the Communist Party of Bulgaria.

The failure of the socialist labor party to establish relations with the masses in the international movement, the failure of S. L. P. to recognize the need of proletarian dictatorship as has been clearly demonstrated in the case of the Bulgarian revolution, are the chief reasons why these members are leaving the socialist labor party. It is expected that the branch will have a strong support of all Bulgarian workers.

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LABOR DEFENSE BRANCHES ASK FUND CAMPAIGN

All Branches Asked to Co-operate

The national office of the Labor Defense Council has just received a letter from the Denver Labor Defense Branch secretary with the information that it represents the proceeds of two affairs; one, the defense meeting of April 25, 1935, and the other the celebration of the seventh birthday of Iago Skjagstad.

Honor Veterans. All members of the party in Denver had been invited to the birthday celebration of this comrade who is one of the oldest in the Workers Party of America. A collection appeal at the birthday celebration resulted in \$25.

The New York Labor Defense Council branch sold about \$180 worth of Labor Defense buttons. They have been systematically fighting with these buttons in all their efforts.

Fight the Deportation Menace. The Labor Defense Council calls upon all other branches of the defense and all sympathetic organizations to run affairs for the benefit of the defense, and to buy and sell the buttons. The Defense Council is now engaged in a wide campaign against the deportation menace, for which ample funds are needed. The list has been sent to them to be the voice of Lenin!

Remember the date, Sunday, May 24, at 1902 W. Division St.

Comintern's Statement on Bulgar Blast

(Continued from page 1.) The American, French, Italian and German press is shouting about the "bulgar explosion" and the "comintern's statement on Bulgaria." The bourgeois hirelings know well that the Comintern has nowhere and never propagated individual terror. The newspapers which the Soviet has been shouting about with the explosion in Sofia as any other government.

They know that individual terror is the favorite weapon of the fascist policy of the Trankoff regime, which is based on the bayonet. In Bulgaria it is impossible to rule against the workers and peasants. Bulgaria is impossible to rule with hangmen; it is impossible to rule by means of a bloody armed struggle against the people.

Comrade Alexander Chirvanov, national organizer of the Russian Section, W. P., who is touring the United States, will bring the records to the Comintern. He is now in the United States, and he is being prepared. Tell your friends about it, and then listen to the voice of Lenin!

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How We Live and Work

Editor's Note—This paper is printed for the workers, poor farmers and those who work and sweat under the present system of society. It is a paper for the workers and the people. It is a paper for the workers and the people. It is a paper for the workers and the people.

From a Rank-and-File. DURING the slow season in the mill, I was laid off, I went to somewhere to meet my new friends and to get some new subscribers for our DAILY WORKER. So I took a position for five days in a hauling and fishing club for millionaires. I had to wait on table for those vampires who live on the sweat of the workers.

First of all, I want to picture to you the life of the employees under the system of the capitalist bloodsuckers. The headwaiter has been in this country for five years and in this place for four years, employed as a waiter, and he has a pocketbook of the capitalist class. There are girls waiting on from 35 to 40 people, one 17 and another 18 years of age. The other girls are usually less than 25 to 35 lbs. of food in and out at one time. There are also six officials and two bosses in the side hall who had been served at the same time, and every other day one of the girls had to take charge of them. At breakfast, the waitress usually has five or six more orders; she has to take a big lump of ice from the box and crack it, and also to clean up the table after the girls.

I spoke to the headwaiter about the condition of the employees' work and food. I wanted to convince her that the present system is not under their present system, but she answered: "Nobody has to stay who does not want to, as we can always get help that will be satisfied."

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NEGRO WORKERS READY TO JOIN LABOR'S FRONT

Vancouver Negro Workers Unite with Unions

(Special to The Daily Worker.) VANCOUVER, B. C., May 18.—To the encouragement of the bosses, black have grown with the abundance cheap immigrant labor, a delegate of Vancouver Negro workers are to join their white comrades to make labor's front solid.

NEW YORK LEGISLATURE DEFEATS BILL TO PROTECT WORKERS' HEALTH

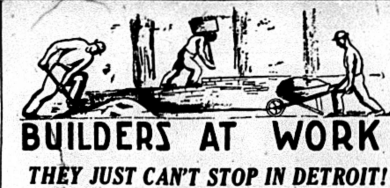
NEW YORK, May 18.—The Miller-Trusman silica amendment to the workmen's compensation law, drawn up by the employers, and passed by both houses of the legislature against the protest of labor and scientific experts, has been killed by the governor's veto. The employers' bill would have placed the power within the hands of an employer to discharge any worker suffering from silicosis in any degree, and denying him compensation.

4. Compensation for skin irritations caused by work materials. 5. Poisoning by naphtha, benzene and gasoline, affecting painters, rubber workers, dry cleaners, dyers and furriers, tar and asphalt workers employed by refiners in cleaning out vats and tank cars.

SEAMEN CHEATED BY GOVERNMENT SHIPPING LINE

Canadian Boats Beat Men Out of Wages

By SYDNEY WARREN VANCOUVER, B. C., May 18.—The Canadian government has spent more than a million and a half dollars annually due to the fact that the government built fleet to make the year a "good thing" for Canadian shipbuilding profiteers. Now the officials of the government steamship line are trying to cut down this deficit by reducing the wages of seamen.



BUILDERS AT WORK

THEY JUST CAN'T STOP IN DETROIT!

Communism meets the workers in Detroit on the streets, in the shop, the union hall and at his home. And here are the reasons the Detroit local just insists on growing: They have ordered on at least five different occasions during the last six months, special editions from five to twenty thousand; last week they sold and distributed twenty thousand copies of the May first issue at shops and factories; thousands of copies have been distributed door-to-door during the week of May 4 to 10.

BIRTH CONTROL UNDER FIRE AT WOMEN'S COUNCIL

Soviet Russia Is Still the Bogey Man

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Discussion on birth control and divorce took up most of today's session of the convalescent women's council of the Women. Both were hysterically denounced as the greatest menaces facing the world. The solution offered by these backward moving forces, women of the bourgeoisie was stilling the minds of children with more religious propaganda.

Lumber Conditions Worse

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 18.—Conditions in the lumber industry of British Columbia have become worse since 1911 in fifth and exploitation. At Horns Lake, Vancouver Island, where tents serve as bunkhouses, water runs down the sides of the bottom of the beds. It was unnecessary to get out of bed to perform the morning ablutions; all one had to do was to stick face and arms over the edge of the bed, and wash in the lake water on the floor.

PICNIC MAY 30 TO DRAW CROWD OF MILITANTS

T. U. E. L. Group Gets Altenheim Grove The first workers picnic of the year, given by the Trade Union Educational League of Chicago, will be held on May 30, Decoration Day, in Altenheim Grove, to be reached by direct route on the Forest Park elevated line, and by transfer from the West Madison surface cars.

Bulgarians in U. S. Denounce Zankov Terror

(Continued from page 1) tone Genov, Peter Koleff, S. D. Perer, Demo Stofonoff and Allan Stefano, declared that the American workers should make a protest against the use of machine guns against their former countrymen. Shoot Down Workers. "Conditions are bad," said John Kris, another Bulgarian who has made his home in Tulsa, who receives many letters from his relatives. "Letters I have received show the terrible conditions which prevail under the Zankov terror. Bulgarian fund-raisers how workers are placed in box cars and then shot down with machine guns. It is terrible to think that the world will stand by and permit the things that are done to helpless Bulgarians."

North African Wheat Acreage Above 1924

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—A preliminary estimate of the Algerian wheat acreage received by the United States department of agriculture from the international institute of agriculture at Rome, together with estimates of French Morocco and Tunis, brings the total of the three North African countries reported to be 570,000 acres against 632,000 acres for the same countries last year, an increase of 650,000 acres.

Jobless on Rhine Now Totals 110,000 Mostly Metal Workers

BERLIN, Germany, May 18.—At the end of last month there were 110,000 unemployed workers in the Rhineland who were entitled to the heagly unemployment doles. One-fifth of this number belonged to the iron and metal trades, which normally employ about 30 per cent of the total labor in the Rhineland province.

Amalgamated Food Workers Organize Shops in New York

NEW YORK, May 8.—According to the statement of the New York commissioner of markets, there are in Greater New York 15,000 restaurants and other public eating places, 6,000 bakeries, 7,000 fruit and vegetable stores, 12,000 retail butchers, 19,000 grocery stores and 4,500 delicatessen stores. Many thousands of unorganized food workers are toiling and starving under miserable conditions and starvation wages in these stores, shops and restaurants. They should all be organized; they must be organized if better conditions are to prevail for these workers.

Bread Trust Has Grip on Production, Wheat Price Low, Bread Up

MONTREAL, (FP)—The American bread trust, which has an authorized capitalization of \$600,000,000, has secured control of leading bakeries in Montreal and other Canadian cities. For all Canada the average wholesale price of breadstuffs in February was 104 per cent more than the average for 1913. Bread, tobacco and beverages are the only articles in the country suffering from hysteria and the price of wheat has advanced 100 per cent or more above 1913 prices. For the whole group, comprising 95 commodities, the average increase over 1913 prices is 65 per cent.

JOHN REED JUNIOR GROUP PLANS BIG NIGHT ON MAY 23

Tell it to the kids! No, it ain't about a circus, but the surprise affair that is being arranged by the John Reed Junior Group. They promise an interesting evening on Saturday, May 23, at the Workers' Home, 1902 W. Division St. They won't tell what they are going to pull off, but they assure that it will be a real surprise, dance, and a good time in general. So don't forget, tell it to the kids!

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APRactical Dress OR MORNING DRESS SCHOOL DRESS. 510B. 511S. The pattern is cut in 7 Sizes: 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches; bust measure. A 25 inch size requires 3 1/2 yards of 36 inch material, 3 1/2 yards of contrasting material if made as illustrated. It is fitted by shoulder and underarm seams.

Unemployment in France Mounts As Workers Flock In

PARIS, France, May 18.—France reports a slight increase in unemployment based on figures compiled up to April 1, with public labor agencies finding it impossible to find jobs for the workers. Ten thousand workers are pouring into the country from Italy, Spain and Portugal every month.

Britons May 'Never Be Slaves' But They Make Negroes Slaves

SYDNEY (Australia).—On many sheep and cattle ranches in Western Australia, the ranch owners get a big profit from the work done by Australian Negroes and do not pay them any wages. The ranch owners claim they work the natives solely to prevent them from becoming indolent.

Wage Contracts Expire

Wage movements are occupying many Chicago unions as contracts expire or near the expiration day. The street carmen's union has a \$200,000 award ends June 1 and is demanding a restoration of the 1922, wage peak of 80c an hour. In the building and the union tile and marble setters want \$12.24 an hour in place of the current \$130. Stoneworkers have a bid in for \$10.74 an hour or 50c raise. They also propose \$11.0, a 10c raise. Iron workers ratified the \$12.75 figure agreed on by the iron league.

Textile Mills Close

FALL RIVER, Mass., May 18.—In spite of textile mill owners' assertions that the wage cuts might enable them to give textile mill employees more work, the Fall River mills are cutting production still further, also they are operating at 60 per cent to 70 per cent.

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Disappointing the Prophets

It was not at all nice of Trotsky to return to Moscow after a sojourn at a health resort and don the harness of service to the Soviet government at the moment when his free lance "defenders" in all other countries were using up large quantities of glycerine to bring forth stage tears over the fall of another victim of the Bolshevik machine.

The enemies of Soviet Russia have always hoped for a split in the Russian Communist Party. Every difference of opinion on questions of policy is seized upon and magnified into the proportions of a serious rupture. During the discussion in the party in 1923, the lying capitalist press had "Zinoviev" and "Trotsky" armies fighting each other.

But the Russian workers and peasants also realize that it is the Communist Party that led them successfully through the revolution; that it has guided the feet of the young republic through the trials and dangers of civil war and is now laying the basis for a Communist society that will mean the end of all exploitation and inequality.

They know that this party is what stands between them and the howling voracity of capitalism who show their teeth at the very frontiers. They know that if the Communist Party was broken and its leaders overthrown, the czarist forces would be back again supported by the bayonets of the capitalist class of the world.

The prophets of Soviet collapse have drawn on the waters of their optimism until the well has almost run dry. Even Paul Scott Mower, who has scoured the sewers of Paris and Berlin for his scores of articles exposing "Communism," has admitted that there is no hope for the fall of the Soviet power. This is the way he walks. Since he has no immediate danger of factionalism within the Communist brotherhood or possibility of an anti-Communist uprising; since finally the economic situation, the bad, has improved somewhat and can continue as at present for a long time to come, it would seem that the hold of the arch-conspirators upon the people and territory of Soviet Russia is as complete and unchallenged as even they could desire."

Paul Scott Mower does not think very highly of the leaders of Soviet Russia, but he admits they are there to stay. He built on too strong a base to be shaken by the power of capitalism. All you enemies of the workers' republic who have tears to shed prepare to shed them now!

Capitalist Hypocrisy

Calvin Coolidge, chairman of the executive committee of the capitalist class, which rules this country, is delivering the goods. Tho his name will never be inscribed on the honor roll of those who have contributed something to the progress of the human race, he deserves well of his masters and no doubt will be handsomely rewarded by them.

At the very moment when the steel bulldozers of Wall Street were growling at Japan from their kennels in the Hawaiian Islands, Coolidge delivered a speech in Washington.

It was the duty of the United States, he declared, not only to look after American well being, but also to contribute to the organization of all nations toward universal peace. "The same humanity that has been able to erect the rule of law and liberty in the scale of great nations, will at last find institutions by which to place international relations in the same sure foundations," declared the president.

This is hypocrisy of the first water. Talking of peace, while the greatest armada that the United States ever gathered together was rehearsing for a war with Japan, over the mastery of the Pacific and the other spoils of the Orient! This peace talk is only camouflage to fool the masses into the belief that our rulers are peacefully inclined, so that when the clash comes, the responsibility for the carnage can be laid on the shoulders of the Japanese, and the workers can be more easily mobilized to save the world from Japanese militarism as they were in the fast war to free mankind from the German peril. How German militarism was "killed" can be gathered from the election of

the militarist Hindenburg to the presidency of the "royal" German republic. Our rulers don't want to kill militarism. They merely want to get rid of a commercial rival.

The American fleet was not playing around Hawaii in order to erect the "rule of law and liberty." Privates Crouch and Trumbull could testify to that. They were openly and ostentatiously preparing for the coming war with Japan. And the 140,000 troops proposed to strengthen the defenses of the Hawaiian Islands are but consecutive to a feeling of confidence in the intentions of the United States, "to contribute to the organization of all nations toward universal peace."

The Constitution Among Friends

Laws are made to be obeyed by some and enforced by others. The constitution of the United States is honored by the ruling class when it suits their purpose. Any part of it that interferes with their suppression of the working class is treated with contempt. During the war it was treated with hostility and anyone insisting on his constitutional rights to express his opinions found himself enjoying the hospitality of a government prison. The situation is now different only in degree.

The police have no legal right to prevent speakers from addressing meetings on the streets of this city, where meetings do not interfere with traffic. But they do. The members of the Workers (Communist) Party have been hounded into patrol wagons and held under an old ordinance which was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court several years ago, for speaking on street corners. But that does not bother the police. They keep on making arrests, and putting the speakers to the trouble of securing bail and spending valuable time in the courts.

The police take action on the request of the business elements, who do not like to have their property business tricks exposed to the workers. But the efforts to suppress the truth will prove as ineffectual as the attempt of the Czarist Cante to keep out the incoming tide with a broom. The Workers (Communist) Party will fight for the right to use the streets of Chicago in order to bring the message of emancipation to the working class. The capitalists will undoubtedly continue to violate that part of the constitution which guarantees the right of free speech and free assembly. They will do this with the aid of their police. But this is an excellent way to teach the workers something that they need to know very badly. It is that this government is only a fake democracy. That it is the government of, by and for the capitalists, and the workers have no rights except those in the exercise of which the workers do not menace the power of the employers.

Only when the workers have their own government and when they own this country and all its wealth, will they be able to enjoy the right of free speech, or any other right.

"Equality" in India

It must be admitted that England has ruled India quite successfully—for the English exploiters. Ever since the first band of business burglars got their pedal extremities on the soil of India, the British government has carried on a policy which divided the Hindus, into two factions, the ruling class who sold out to the money molochs of London and the masses who were betrayed by the native rulers in return for a guarantee of security in the possession of their wealth.

Britain has been very careful not to offend the religious sensibilities or disturb the superstitions of the Hindus. The imperialist man went after the substance and winked at the shadow. The conqueror could speak any language they saw fit, worship any god they choose or follow any ancient custom so long as the British capitalists could make profit out of the exploitation of the natural wealth of India and out of the cheap labor of the Hindu workers. When in Rome, Britain does as Rome does, provided Rome lets Britain get away with the silver.

But the British ruling class draws the line where the line should be drawn in the interests of its power and prestige. The natives must be shown that the white man is a superior person to the brown man, that the white soldier is above the brown soldier and that the brown soldier who is used as a tool to keep his people in slavery, is somewhat higher in the social scale than the brown native, the fellow Briton wants to keep at the bottom.

The relative value in the imperial eye of a British soldier, a Hindu soldier and a Hindu native can be seen from the fact that whereas only 13 British "Tommys" can be legally seated in a railway coach, 20 Hindu soldiers can be packed into a similar carriage and when used to transport troops, the railroad company is permitted to run 43 native soldiers in the same train. Thus one British soldier is worth more than three Hindu civilians. But the Hindus are learning that British superiority is largely a matter of money and knowledge how to use them. They are rapidly acquiring the knowledge and with knowledge will come guns. Before long the British soldier in India will not enjoy special favors.

A sixty year-old resident of Topeka, Kansas, shot and killed his 45-year-old wife and then turned the gun on himself. The double tragedy has excited considerable speculation. Local authorities are at a loss to ascribe a motive. But the last sentence in the news dispatch may supply the missing link. It reads: "Only \$3.00 was found in their effects." Perhaps that is sufficient.

Every day get a "sub" for the DAILY WORKER and a member for the Workers Party.

Fight Reaction at Capmakers' Convention

By JOSEPH MANLEY. BY sitting in the sessions of the capmakers' convention one can readily see the steady and rapid progress being made by the left wing in the trade union movement. Fifty-eight delegates are present at the convention from the principal cities and cap and millinery centers of the country. A number of these delegates from some of the principal cities are the left wing block in the convention. This left wing block is responsible for the proposals for the strengthening of the organization in its struggles with the employers. The reactionary delegates are present in the majority of the delegates in the convention, but the left wing block is on its toes fighting intelligently and persistently for the strengthening of the organization to the welfare of the organization against the machine control of President Zaritsky, who presides at the convention.

In watching the sessions of this convention, one can easily see, dramatically enacted, the whole struggle in the capmakers' union. The left wing block stands for class collaboration, and the left wing, which fights for class struggle. At one of these sessions, the financially well established vote of the right wing, Abe Caban, editor of the Forward, addressed the convention. His speech was carefully chosen to give evidence of a direct attack upon the left wing. It was a popular appeal to middle-class thinking for all its well chosen phrases. He said: "I was waffled into the labor movement through dreams, rather than reality."

However, the left wing is backed by reality be amount to nothing. Your union must provide for materialistic wages, hours and working conditions. It is the left wing, which is religious or idealistic. Caban cited the conquest by the materialistic emphasis in the trade union movement of Great Britain, the recent triumph for socialism and the trade union movement, the eight million, who voted for a republican administration.

"All this," he said, "was accomplished through them becoming practical." In closing he made a veiled allusion to the left wing. "In this country, in the various cities we have on the one hand, Tammany Hall politicians, and on the other hand, those who are dreamers. A combination of practical and idealistic things is necessary, so that you can come to the synagoge on Sunday—the social synagoge."

A sharp struggle between the right and left wing is developing and will occur over questions such as endorsement of the invective DAILY WORKER and the Freiheit. But, the big struggle of the convention will be on the subject of a budget providing for the activities of the union during the coming two years. The first item, namely, the endorsement of the DAILY WORKER has already been decided. There was a time when the right and left wing, in the midst of which Zaritsky lost complete control of himself and almost lost control of the convention.

The educational committee reported to one of the sessions of the convention, three members in favor of endorsement of the DAILY WORKER and three opposed. The Zaritsky majority on finding itself confronted with the deadlocked committee added another delegate, one of its own faction, to this committee. Later the committee reported back, this time in favor of the DAILY WORKER. On the report of this committee, a sharp clash occurred between the right and left wing. Delegate Surin of Los Angeles, argued in favor of the endorsement

Will Appeal Arrest of Science Teacher to Highest Court

(Special to The Daily Worker) NEW YORK, May 10.—The first test case under the new Tennessee law prohibiting the teaching of evolution in public schools and colleges is in the courts of Dayton, Tenn., the American Civil Liberties Union, which offered to handle any such case, announced. J. C. Scopes is charged with teaching evolution in his biology class at Rhea Central High School, Dayton, and is appearing before justice of the peace today. The superintendent of schools and chairman of Dayton board of education are co-operating with the high school in not allowing the teachers and men of the town, the Civil Liberties Union says, are ready to go on bond for Scopes. The Tennessee anti-evolution law is the only statute of its kind passed, also in Florida and North Carolina regulations of the state board of education have the same effect.

The case, if lost, will be appealed to the highest court on the basis that it violates the 14th amendment by depriving a teacher of his livelihood without the process of law.

Romantic Sky Pilot Weds Actress. SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 10.—Ramon Weaver, big-time Broadway actor, actress, and Mrs. Ernest John Bowden, a clergyman of Atlanta, Ga., following a romance that started in the Liberal church in Atlanta, have obtained a marriage license at the city clerk's office here.

of the DAILY WORKER. He made a splendid argument in favor of unity in the trade union movement, and pointed out that the DAILY WORKER more than any other English daily in the country advocated trade union unity. In an attempt to answer the argument made by Surin, General Secretary Zuckerman took the floor. His entire speech was an attack upon, and complete misrepresentation of, the left wing of the capmakers' Union. He made a personal attack upon Delegate Sazar of New York, one of the leading left wingers in the convention. The tone of his remarks were of such a petty and scurrilous character that he was interrupted several times by delegates raising point of order, especially when he attempted to say that the left wingers at a meeting in New York tried to bring the whole underworld to the meeting. After several points of order, Zuckerman was forced to confine himself to the question at issue, namely, endorsement of the DAILY WORKER. His indictment of the DAILY WORKER consisted of citing the issue of April 30, in which he said the DAILY WORKER had reiterated its charge that Zuckerman was a crook. He said, "I wish Sazar and Shafren did not want to rise in tribute to Gompers." Then he launched into a long tirade against Gompers, claiming that Gompers on pain of death went to Mexico, so as to see the operation of a real labor government in the meeting. After several points of order, Zuckerman closed his speech of misrepresentation and personal attacks upon the "character of some left wing delegates, Zaritsky was on the floor pounding with his gavel to quiet the uproar which greeted the closing of Zuckerman's speech. Several left wing delegates to close the discussion. The impartial and democratic Zaritsky acted just like Major Jerry or any other hard-balled labor scab in ramming through the motion to shut off discussion. He was forced, however, to recognize for a moment or two, the stormy petrel of the convention, Delegate Sazar, who asked for the privilege of the floor to answer the misrepresentation and attacks upon his character made by Secretary Zuckerman. Almost in a twinkling Zaritsky again recognized a right wing motion to deny the privilege and faster than it

OHIO MAKES STEEL.—By Max Salzman

OHIO is a state of many industries. It is one of the really important industrial centers in the United States. Only three other states excel Ohio in its production of coal. Entering into the darkness of Ohio's mines, the workers young and old alike, dig deeply thru the veins of coal in order to get this necessary product for industry. The miners have a 100 per cent organization here. They have won this thru many years of struggle, thru long strikes during which they passed thru a most intense suffering.

Today these miners face severe unemployment. More than half the mines are shut down. Those that work run one or two days per week. The outlook of Ohio's coal miners who risk their lives every day they enter the mines is as dark as the coal it self. Along the northern part of Ohio on the shore of Lake Erie we find the tremendous iron ore docks, when the massive boats of the United States Steel corporation dump the iron ore which they bring from the iron mining towns of northern Michigan and Minnesota. There was a time when the bulk of workers on these boats were older workers, but now the great majority of men employed on the boats are young workers, most of whom are still in their teens.

Working on the boats as coal passers, as deck hands, doing the most menial work under the brutal direc-

tion of the captains of these boats these young workers fresh from their schools toll thru day and night in order that iron might be brought from the head of the Great Lakes and coal returned there.

With coal in the southern part of the state and iron ore dumped on its northern shore, it is only natural that Ohio should be a large steel center. The steel mills, the blast furnaces, the iron and steel centers, Youngstown, Cleveland, Martins Ferry, Yorkville, and numerous others produce the backbone of capitalist society. Under the aegis of the steel industry, the steel towns steel police act as the police of the towns. Union men are saboteurs. A strange contrast. Bomb making iron ore is brought to steel docks by union railroad men. There it is taken on scab run ships, dumped into union run cars into scab steel mills, where with the aid of union mine coal it is turned into steel.

The outlook might appear bleak for the steel workers and the coal miners in Ohio, who form the most important part of Ohio's industries. It takes black coal with red flames to turn iron ore into steel. We can be certain that the blackness of the outlook for these workers combined with the redness of Communist ideas will steel these workers for the struggle for their emancipation.



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