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STRIKE PARLEY OPENS IN NEW YORK

POLISH POLICE TRY TO DESTROY LABOR UNIONS

Use Fiendish Tortures on Militants

(Special to The Daily Worker)
WARSAW, Dec. 28.—The most fiendish tortures that a degenerate mind can concoct are being used against those workers and peasants who dare to organize for the betterment of their conditions in "Christian" Poland.
Social-Democrats betray workers. Time and again workers' trade unions have been raided and are being persecuted and the only unions that are allowed to exist without any interference are those that are controlled by and for the clergy. The government which is at present running the country is composed of clerics, nationalists and social-democrats. The workers have protested numerous times to the social-democrats, who try to pose as working class fighters, and each time the workers have been betrayed and those that protested have been jailed or done away with.

Torture Victims.
Police raiding squads that are sent to bring in active workers never return to the police station empty-handed. If they do not find the worker they seek, they arrest his wife, his daughter or his son. These victims are then put thru the most terrible tortures in order to force "confessions," which can be used against workers in the district.
The following documents which were signed by young workers who were arrested and tortured for their activities in the trade unions in the Bielostock area narrate the torture methods devised and used in "Christian" Poland:
Document No. 8.—R. Melamed, 15 years old, salesgirl, living at No. 5, Szkarahany street:
"I was arrested on Aug. 28, and examined the next day from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., during which my arms were placed in a vise. I was beaten with a board across the shoulders. I was then ordered to take off my boots. I was handcuffed below the knees, an iron bar was slipped between my knees and elbows, and then turned over, head downwards. Then, water was forced into my nose, and at the same time my bare feet were beaten with an iron bar. This continued for one hour, when I lost consciousness. When I came to, I was being beaten with a wooden board. Ever since then my hearing has been affected. In confirmation of the truth of all these statements, witness my signature.
(Signed) "R. Melamed."

Document No. 9.—R. Kantchug, 16 years of age, weaver, residing at No. 7 Benkina street:
"I was arrested on August 28, and was only brought up for examination after being held in a cell two days. The examination lasted three hours. During the whole time, I was beaten across the back with an iron chain and was whipped with iron whips across the bare arms. My arms were for a long time placed in an iron vise. In confirmation of the truth of all these statements, witness my signature.
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PACKING-HOUSE WORKER! HAVE YOU ANSWERED THE QUESTIONS OF THE DAILY WORKER AS YET?

PACKING house worker, have you answered that list of questions that appeared in a previous issue of THE DAILY WORKER on the conditions of the packing plant you work in? Have you mailed it in as yet? THE DAILY WORKER wants you to answer every question that you possibly can and to write in a story of the conditions that you must work under to be used in the special packing-house drive that starts Monday, January 4.
Are your wages enough to live on? Can you make both ends meet? What are your living conditions? Not only does THE DAILY WORKER want letters from the packing house workers themselves, but also letters from the wives of the packing house workers. Let THEM tell THEIR story.
The DAILY WORKER fights for the workers at all times. It is their mouthpiece. You can and should help it. Send in a story; and then arrange for a bundle to be distributed at your factory. In this way you will aid greatly in bringing about a better understanding among those whom you work with and make it easier to win your demands for shorter hours, better pay and better living conditions. Get on the job!

SEE THE OLD YEAR OUT, AND THE NEW YEAR IN; AT THE T. U. E. L. BALL

The greatest affair that has taken place in Chicago during the old year—1925—and that will start the new year, 1926—is being arranged by the Chicago group of the Trade Union Educational League.
Every militant trade unionist is expected to attend the fourth annual Trade Union Educational League ball that starts on Thursday, Dec. 31, at 8 o'clock in the evening and continues thru till 2 o'clock in morning New Year's day.
An interesting program has been arranged. The committee has arranged to furnish all kinds of refreshments and an excellent time is promised to all those who attend.

FARMER-LABOR DRIVE GROWS IN NORTHWEST

Rank and File Shown Need of Class Party

(Special to The Daily Worker)
BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 28.—The Nonpartisan League faction in North Dakota, headed by William Lemke, R. H. Walker and Ralph Ingerson, which took a forward step at the Bismarck conference on December 18 in throwing their forces into fight for a farmer-labor party in the state, will do all in their power to convince the rank and file of the leaguers that the launching of such a party is to the best interests of the farmers.
The farmer-labor party issue has now been raised on a state-wide scale and this in itself is of great importance. The league state convention meets sometime in February and the question of organizing the farmer-labor party is likely to be one of the big questions that will come up for consideration. League precinct meetings will be held on January 7 and county conventions which select delegates for the state convention are scheduled for the 27 of January.
May Jump on Bandwagon.
Governor Sorlie and his office-holding crowd do not seem to be much interested in the farmer-labor party and if the attitude of this faction does not change within the next two months it is probable that it will fight against the farmer-labor forces in the state convention of the league. U. S. Senator Lynn J. Frazier is now opposed to the farmer-labor party but there is a possibility that he may line up on the side of Lemke if he can be convinced that the formation of this party is the "wise" thing to do at this time.
R. W. Frazier, member of the Nonpartisan League state committee, who has issued the call for the holding of the league conventions, is also openly opposed to the farmer-labor party, but he, like Senator Frazier, may get behind the new party if he can be convinced that it is "right" to do so at this time.
The fight for the farmer-labor party must be taken to the rank and file of the farmers and workers of North Dakota.

ANGLO-TURK CRISIS OVER MOSUL FIELD

Kemal Tries to Stall Off Opposition

(Special to The Daily Worker)
LONDON, Dec. 28.—A crisis is near in the Anglo-Turk dispute over the stealing by a league of nations award of Mosul from Turkey to give it to a British mandate, Iraq. The crisis arises from the fact that if the government of Kemal does not fight for Mosul, the nationalist opposition to his government may cause an overthrow of his cabinet and may even result in civil war.
This opposition may force Kemal to defy the league of nations and seize Mosul by force and try to hold it against all comers. England may prevent this if it unbends from its arrogance and gives Turkey a compromise which takes the basis away from the opposition within Turkey to accepting the steal of Mosul.
Kemal Wants Time.
Presumably the Kemal government is angling for time in an effort to get concessions from Great Britain and stall off conflict with its enemies at home. This is seen by the statement of Aghaaglou Ahmed, a deputy from Kars, excusing delay in Turkish action by saying that Turkey depends on the British labor party to force a retreat, or even a new election, upon the Baldwin government. He said:
"After the house of commons vote, when the left members walked out, we believe a majority of English people will disapprove the action of the Baldwin cabinet. In no case will we take threats or promises from a handful of imperialists. When the time comes we will give our decision, and then will not wait before putting it into action."
This section of the Turkish rulers, expect, or say they expect, a general election in England with a liberal or labor victory.
Part of Big Problem.
However, the situation in Turkey cannot be separated from the question of the whole East. A correspondent well known for his keen analysis of political events, cables from Syria that the key spirit of the whole East, to get rid of domination and rule by the West, "grips the heart of the whole East." He adds:
"The Orient will not much longer—no longer than force expressed in superior technical military machines compels—tolerate the super rule of Europe. That is the spirit stirring the people from Morocco to China, but especially so in North Africa, Egypt and the Near East."
Not Religious Question.
"The East is getting together. Slowly but steadily and surely, with ever-increasing momentum, the barriers of divergence, racially, tribally and religiously, are fast falling. The movement is not religious fundamentally. It is not the Mohammedan world against the christian western world. It is racial and geographically nationalist. Religion plays a small part and among the most ignorant. And because the religious factor plays so small a role, the movement includes the Copts of Egypt and the christians and Druses of Syria."
The factors mentioned by the above writer, in spite of all particular Turkish situations, may yet influence the decision of peace or war with Great Britain on the side of war.

WALL STREET BANKERS GIVE EAST SIDE TOTS CHEAP CANDY PRESENTS

(Special to The Daily Worker)
NEW YORK—(FP)—Dec. 28.—Wall Street's bankers, brokers, and professional men are taking their annual glance into their "backyard" with their donations for the tenement children of the district below Fulton street, New York. This lower end of Manhattan island which skirts the nation's financial rulers' stone temples is known as "the backyard of Wall Street." The men who make their millions out of the overwork of the fathers and mothers and sometimes children themselves in this "backyard" and other sections glance into the backyard at Christmas with their little gifts thru the Bowling Green Neighborhood Assn. About 2,000 children are given cheap candy and presents.

JOSE RANGEL PAROLED FOR TWENTY DAYS

Famed Fighter Broken Physically by Prison

(Special to The Daily Worker)
FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 12.—(By Mail).—Jose M. Rangel, the famous old fighter for liberation of the Mexican workers from tyrannous rule, known the world around as the outstanding example of United States persecution of Mexican liberationists, was paroled for twenty days by order of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson and, broken by years of penal servitude, saw for the first time in twelve long years the son and daughter he had left outside the hell of Huntsville prison when he entered it a sturdy and vigorous man.
Visits Children.
The old soldier, veteran of many battles on Mexican soil, beloved by the Mexican workers, took into his arms with mingled emotions the daughter he last knew as a child of nine years, now Mrs. Beatrice De La Rosa, mother of two children, and his son, Arthur. He was accompanied from the prison to Fort Worth by his unmarried daughter, Consuela, who, with his son Albert—a soldier in the U. S. army at Fort Sam Houston—alone had seen him since his imprisonment.
"I did not want to come like this, my children," he said. "Your father wanted you to see him a free man. That is why I did not want you to see me at Huntsville. But things in life don't come like we want them to. Ah, if I could only spend my few remaining years with you who are still to me my 'minos,' my little ones."
"Their mother died when they were quite young," he told to interviewers, pointing to the portrait of a beautiful woman of Spanish features. Then he looked at his two grandchildren, Gloria and Leona De La Rosa, aged four and three. "This younger one," he said in Spanish, "looks like her grandmother."
Calls on Attorney.
The aged old fighter for the exploited and oppressed of his people said he would visit his attorney in Dallas and later go to Waco, Texas, where all his children were born. He thinks he still has friends there.
"He is not as I pictured him, so old and so broken," said his daughter, Beatrice. "From my childhood memory I saw him coming home fine and straight and soldierly, as he was the last time I saw him. I am almost sorry to have seen him, if I must now give him up forever."
The old fighter is serving a 99-year sentence for the alleged slaying of a deputy sheriff during an unsuccessful expedition against the government of Mexico.

STANDARD OIL HAS BIG GRIP ON MOSUL OIL

Chester Concession in Turkey May Cause War

(Special to The Daily Worker)
NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—(FP)—Britain's winning of Mosul as part of Iraq by the league of nations award is "null and void" if the league ruled without knowing that American interests were involved, the Ottoman-American Development Co., holding the Chester concession in Asia Minor, protests. This concession includes Mosul. It was obtained by Rear Admiral C. M. Chester of the U. S. navy in 1919 and trebled as to control area in 1923.
It gives American interests the right to build railways connecting ports and main lines and allows exploitation of mineral rights 20 kilometers on each side of railways built. The oil in the region is valued at \$10,000,000,000 and rich deposits of gold, silver, platinum, cobalt, antimony, salt, coal, copper are available.
Standard Oil and Sinclair Oil companies have been forcing the Turkish Petroleum company since the war to admit the American oil men to a share of that corporation's spoils. The allotment of rights was to be: Anglo-Persian Co., 25 per cent; Royal Dutch Shell companies, 25 per cent; French companies, 25 per cent and Standard Oil and Sinclair, 25 per cent.
So Americans have a leg in each camp but the American share in the Chester is the greater, running to 70 per cent it is said. Charles M. Hughes, as secretary of state, in 1923, denied that the U. S. government had backed Chester, altho reports contemporary with Chester's grant tell a different story.

ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY TRAIN SMASHES PASSENGER MOTOR BUS

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., Dec. 28.—The impact of an Ontario & Western R. R. train flung a 25-passenger motor bus 25 feet into the Cuddebackville station, eight miles from here, demolishing the station and the bus. The driver and one lone passenger in the bus escaped with minor injuries.

QUARRY CONSOLIDATION FINANCED BY WRIGLEY

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Dec. 28.—Reports were current here of a \$50,000,000 stone consolidation that will place under one ownership approximately 75 per cent of the quarries in the Bloomington-Bedford district in Monroe and Lawrence counties.
The reports linked the names of prominent Chicago capitalists with the merger, including William Wrigley, millionaire gum manufacturer and baseball magnate.

INGLIS BOASTS OF HIS EXPECTED VICTORY IN THE ANTHRACITE FIELD

Negotiations Begin at Union League Club

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 28.—"I have nothing to say relative to the meeting of the operators' and miners' representatives in New York Tuesday afternoon in an effort to end the hard coal strike," declared W. Inglis, spokesman for the operators yesterday.
When asked if it was true that the operators have told the miners they could go back to work at once at the old wages pending further negotiations, he said:
"I have said that all along."
Foreign Office Not Notified.
PARIS, Dec. 27.—The foreign office has not received confirmation of reports that high commissioner De Jouveval has signed an armistice with the Druses.

JAPANESE ARMY INVADDED CHINA TO AID CHANG

Feng at Tientsin in Between Foes

PEKING, China, Dec. 28.—An entirely new alignment of military forces results from the unexpected defeat amounting to a complete rout, of Kuo Sung-lin, leader of the mutiny against Chang Tso-lin. Ugly rumors are in the air, verified in some degree by the continual receipt from the most varied sources that Japan has invaded Manchuria with the full approval of the other imperialist powers, and that it was Japanese troops that turned the victory of Kuo into a defeat and gave Chang Tso-lin his barbarous vengeance of parading Kuo's head and that of his wife thru the streets of Mukden.
With very good reason the imperialists in China and the whole capitalist press of the world is covering up the story of Japanese invasion. The masses of China are deeply excited and only await final proof to turn a boycott and strike movement against Japan which will not only ruin Japanese trade but may result in violent clashes with imperialist troops of occupation.
Japan Never Sleeps.
Even under the treaty of Portsmouth and the agreement on the Chinese Eastern railway, Japan is entitled to hold 30,000 troops in Manchuria, and Japan is far too cunning not to take advantage of the full allowance in a time when Japanese interests in Manchuria, which is practically dominated by Japanese capital.
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BELGIAN WOMEN DEMAND REPEAL OF THE INFERIORITY SECTIONS FROM LAW CODE

BRUSSELS, Dec. 28.—Belgian women have started a movement for the abolition of certain sections of the Belgian code of laws, which express the inferiority of women.

NORTHWESTERN ROAD FAILS TO EXPLAIN CROSSING ACCIDENT

WISNER, Neb., Dec. 28.—Not satisfactory explanation was advanced for the grade crossing accident near Butterfield crossing in which Mr. and Mrs. Fred von Zeggern, and their three children, Gustave, 17, Louise, 18, and Anna, 20, were instantly killed when their automobile was struck by a Northwestern passenger train.

LEWIS POSITION IN MEETING IS DEEP MYSTERY

Negotiations Begin at Union League Club

(Special to The Daily Worker)
NEW YORK CITY, Dec. 28.—The conference between the anthracite coal operators and the United Mine Workers will open at the symbol of reactionary wealth, the Union League Club, here Tuesday.
The operators, who now feel they have the upper hand will demand that mining be resumed at once at the wages paid on August 31, 1925, when the strike began; that if no agreement is reached the whole situation shall be submitted to arbitration or that arbitration shall decide particular points which may be left unsettled by an agreement for resumption of mining, and that the contract finally signed shall be for five years.
Lewis in Position of Retreat.
What the Lewis administration of the union will ask is still unknown. Lewis' retreat from the tri-district demands to the Pinchot plan, and then his further retreat from the Pinchot plan to agreement to discuss any plan of settlement, all do not increase his morale as he goes to the door of the Union League Club, to talk settlement.

EDITOR OF WALL ST. JOURNAL APPOINTED ON U. S. COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—(FP)—Reappointment to the interstate commerce commission of Thos. L. Woodlock, former editor of the Wall Street Journal, is promised by the White House. Woodlock was nominated last winter but was not confirmed, owing to protests from the south and west. Coolidge then gave him a recess appointment. His name will again be submitted to the senate for confirmation. At the same time the White House announces its willingness to support a bill creating an additional place on the commission, which would be filled by a southern democrat.
Woodlock is a specialist on high valuation for railroad properties for rate making purposes.

HINDENBURG WANTS A SOCIAL-DEMOCRAT TO REPRESENT GERMANY

BERLIN, Dec. 28.—President von Hindenburg and his cabinet spent the Christmas holiday working, drawing up the application for Germany's entrance to the league of nations.
According to the rules of the league, applications must be made before it six weeks before a meeting, so Germany has to rush its application in to get before the March session.
But the interesting item is, that in considering who shall be Germany's representative on the council of the league of nations, General Hindenburg himself favors appointing a socialist, preferably Ulrich Rauscher, now German minister to Poland. One view is that Hindenburg hopes to entice the social-democrats into joining a coalition cabinet. Another is that Hindenburg remembers how well the social-democrats stood up for the "fatherland" during the war, and thinks that a socialist would be more vigilant of the interests of German capitalism than anyone else.

OFFICIAL NEWS OF THE RUSS COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS COMING SOON

Every worker who has read the misleading reports in the capitalist press of the Russian Communist Party congress in Moscow will be able soon to read the official reports of the congress which will appear within a few days in THE DAILY WORKER.

MINE BLAST IN MEXICO KILLS SCORES

Calls Attention to Miserable Wages

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 28.—Hundreds of wives and children of miners buried in a gas explosion of the Palan mine in the state of Coahuila surround the shaft from which 52 dead and many injured have already been taken. The authorities are unable to drive the crowds away from the pit mouth where all the machinery is buried under piles of wreckage.

The miserable wages paid the miners under the so-called "labor" government of Calles, now stands out as a feature of the disaster. Scores of families are destitute and have to depend on the charity of others or the unlikely aid of the government for avoiding starvation. The governor of the state says that a national relief contribution will be needed to take care of the survivors and the bereaved to prevent suffering and death.

The mine, which is owned by the national railways and thus is legally responsible for the damages, may be—if the government, which claims its own labor laws, be compelled to pay great damages to relatives of the dead.

Van Sweringens Ask for Merger Permission

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The Van Sweringens brothers, of Cleveland, formally asked the interstate commerce commission to permit them to unify the New York, Chicago & St. Louis, Chesapeake & Ohio, Hocking Valley, Erie and Pere Marquette railroads by leave and stock ownership.

FOURTEEN WORKERS DIE OF EXPOSURE DURING CHICAGO'S ZERO WEATHER

Fourteen deaths were recorded in Chicago's first zero weather of the winter, and two deaths were reported in Detroit.

Hundreds of fires, caused mainly by overheating, kept the fire departments in many cities working feverishly. Chicago's loss so far from blazes is estimated at \$1,000,000, while big fires have been reported from Terre Haute, Ind.; Williston, S. D.; Butte, Mont., and other points.

With the mercury at 20 above and four inches of snow, San Antonio experienced the coldest temperatures since 1918.

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Why Does Nicaraguan Vice-President Have to Talk to Kellogg?

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28. —(FP)— Because he is not ready to stand up against a wall in Nicaragua to be shot for "disloyalty" to the military boss, Chamorro, who recently overthrew the legally elected government, Vice-President Sacasa of that unfortunate republic is in Washington, refusing to obey a summons from Chamorro that he return immediately.

Secretary of State Kellogg has agreed to talk with Sacasa, but he announces beforehand that he has no reason for thinking that the Chamorro rule of Nicaragua has technically stayed within the constitution of Nicaragua, by simply forcing the president, Salorzano, to dismiss all the men who were beaten in the election.

REPORT TURKEY WILL NOT MAKE WAR FOR MOSUL

Indian Moslems Will Support Turkey

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Reports from Turkey say that the Turkish cabinet and general staff have decided against declaring war upon Britain to retain the Mosul oil region taken from Turkey by the league of nations and given to Iraq, the puppet kingdom of Great Britain.

The British cabinet is disturbed over the decision at Cawnpore, India, of the annual caliphate conference to give Indian Moslem support to the Turks if they were driven to war with England as the result of the league of nations' award on the Mosul dispute, as the award was in conflict with the Lausanne treaty. Indians are asked not to aid the British with men or money if war comes.

It is reported, too, with what basis is unknown, that Tewfik Bey, the Turkish foreign minister, has tried to get from Jugo-Slavia, an agreement for support, but failed in the attempt.

Church Official and Real Estate Firm Head Arrested for Forgery

ELGIN, Ill., Dec. 28.—Losses that may reach \$1,000,000 have been found in a preliminary check-up of books belonging to the Charles Rittberger Co., real estate banking firm, it became known here with the appointment of C. F. O'Hara, bank president, as receiver. The losses, which represent the savings of five hundred Kane county and Elgin families, may affect investors in North and South Dakota, where thousands of dollars have been tied up in farm mortgages, Elgin bankers said.

Walter C. Rittberger, church official, president of the company, was jailed following the preliminary check-up on charges of forgery. Notes totaling \$3,000 were found signed by a garage man, who is said to have sold them. Denial of such a sale resulted in Rittberger's arrest. He is held in default of \$10,000 bonds pending a grand jury investigation.

Small Fry Gamblers to Lose \$3,000,000

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—The 3,500 creditors of the defunct C. P. Dow and Co. brokers, face a loss of nearly \$3,000,000, according to a financial statement of the concern filed at the federal building by Charles P. Dow and Guy B. Howe, partners in the firm. Liabilities were listed as \$3,855,000 and assets \$1,100,000 secured creditors, to be paid in full, will receive \$400,000 leaving \$700,000 for the unsecured creditors.

Fire Threatens the Heart of Dublin

DUBLIN, Dec. 28. — The heart of Dublin was threatened with destruction by fire when confagration broke out simultaneously in the building of a film distributing corporation and in a large hotel. Fifty thousand dollars worth of films were destroyed.

Frank Munsey's Estate Valued at \$40,000,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The estate of the late Frank A. Munsey was \$40,000,000 dollars, according to an estimate made by an intimate friend of Mr. Munsey.

Bull Fights in Florida

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 28.—Bull fights will soon be all the rage in this state. On January 1, the first regular bull fight "a la American" will be staged at a specially constructed arena at Ybor City, Spanish district of Tampa, and regularly thereafter. This was the announcement of promoters backing the new sport here today.

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These statements, witness my signature.

(Signed) "R. Kantchug."

DOCUMENT No. 10.—E. Balya, (female)—17 years old, umbrella maker, residing at No. 6, Penkina St.

"I was arrested on Aug. 28, and was examined from 1 to 4 p. m., on the next day. During the examination, my arms were placed in an iron vise. My hands were then bound beneath my knees, and an iron bar placed between them and my elbows. In this condition I was turned upside down, my bare toes being beaten with iron bars, and water at the same time being poured into my nose. On my attempting to shout, I was gagged with my own stockings. This continued for half an hour, after which I fainted away. I was brot too by my being beaten about the head with a wooden bar. In confirmation of the truth of these statements, witness my signature.

(Signed) "E. Balya."

DOCUMENT No. 11.—I, the under signed M. Edelstein, 16 years of age, a salesgirl, residing at No. 28 Zamenhoff St., do make the following declaration:

"I was arrested on August 28, 1925, and was brought up for examination the same day. The inquiry lasted from midnight till 5 a. m., during this time my hands were handcuffed between my knees. I was then turned upside down and my bare toes were beaten with iron bars and knotted whips. My arms were placed in an iron vise for a considerable period of time.

(Signed) "M. Edelstein."

Use Revolver Butt.

DOCUMENT No. 12.—Sh. Sandler, 16 years of age, shop assistant, residing at No. 34 Mazonatsky street.

"I was arrested on August 28 and was brought up for inquiry, which lasted five hours on August 30. During the examination I was repeatedly and continually kicked and smacked in the face. I was then pulled by my hair, at the same time being dragged down by my ears. After a time, I was forced into a bath, my hands being tied below the knees, and then they commenced to beat my bare soles with an iron bar. Water was several times forced into my nose, and this process continued until I lost consciousness. After coming to, water was once more poured into my nose and they commenced to hit me on the back with a wooden board. I was gagged with my stockings, and at the end of the inquiry I was repeatedly hit about the head with the butt of a revolver. In confirmation of the truth of the above statements, witness my signature.

(Signed) "Sh. Sandler."

DOCUMENT 13.—Z. Kamenovitch, 18 years old, tailor, residing at No. 3 Grodenskaya street.

"I was arrested August 27 and examined between the hours of 1 to 3 p. m., on August 28. During the inquiry, my fingers were placed in finger and thumb screws, and I received blows on the back of my head. Apart from this I was beaten with an iron bar. In confirmation of the truth of the above statements, witness my signature.

(Signed) "Z. Kamenovitch."

3 Workers Injured in Ship Explosion

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—Three workers were injured when an acetylene gas torch aboard the battleship Florida exploded with a roar that rocked the Charleston Navy Yard. Debris fell on the other workers in the yards.

Jacob Olsen, a rigger, Roy Eaton, a ship fitter and Everett Manty, a driller were the workers injured. The fire which caused the explosion started in the woodwork used in reconditioning the Florida.

Boston on Poison Liquor Sprees.

BOSTON, Dec. 28. — Christmas drinking of poison liquor put 37 persons in Boston hospitals. Boston police arrested 323 persons for drunkenness inside of twenty-four hours.

MORE OPPOSITION IN CONGRESS TO ITALY'S DEBT THAN TO COURT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—Representative Madden, chairman of the committee on appropriations, after visiting Coolidge, says that he thot that \$75,000 would cover the expense of the delegation on the agenda of the "disarmament" conference to be held at Geneva, and that congress would pass the appropriation.

The big fight looming up in congress is the Italian debt settlement of \$2,000,000,000 for a mere fraction of its total. In fact the Italian debt settlement unloads the major part of it onto American taxpayers and this is stirring up the horns of the petty bourgeoisie.

Senator Hiram Johnson of California announces that he will oppose it and demand information as to how it happened. Far greater opposition is coming on that question than upon the supposedly larger matter of joining the league of nations' world court.

Interstate Commerce Commission Packed by Cal for Wall Street

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—President Coolidge has scored another victory in his game of stacking the most powerful agencies of the federal government with friends of big business. Commissioner McChord of the interstate commerce commission has suddenly resigned, and in his place the White House has named an Underwood henchman from Alabama, named Taylor.

Underwood, thru family and other ties, is closely in touch with the Republic steel and coal interests in Birmingham, and his type of demarcation when placed on the rate-making tribunal of the government can be counted upon to advance the profits of non-union coal in the southern fields by juggling of railroad rates.

JAPANESE ARMY INVADDED CHINA TO AID CHANG

Feng at Tientsin in Between Foes

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ital, is endangered. Nor has Japan ever shown the slightest hesitancy in violating any and all agreements or treaties to secure a military advantage, thought of course she has no monopoly in this.

The fact that Japan also had some negotiations with the foe of Chang Tso-lin, Kuo Sung-lin, does not prove that Japan was not sending heavy reinforcements to Chang and having them used as Chinese soldiers fighting in uniforms of Chang's troops, but much more effectively because Japanese troops are far better disciplined and equipped. Japan, like all imperialists, never puts all eggs in one basket if she can avoid it. She entered into negotiations with Kuo enough to be with him if he won but to be not obligated or involved if he lost.

Feng Yu-hsiang, whose troops of the nationalist people's army have taken Tientsin, now faces a dangerous situation, which can only be postponed in consequence until all forces now exhausted by struggle and the bitter weather, have recuperated. Observers say this will be for several months, but sudden movements may also play a decisive part against an unwary enemy.

Feng faces the new danger of Chang Tso-lin's come back, the Shang province which is hostile to the south, and the crafty Wu Peifu in the southwest who has been consolidating his forces.

But the whole of China today is reeling at Japan for its supposed aid to Chang Tso-lin, China's outstanding traitor to his own race.

Publicity Agent of Morones, the Mexican Gompers, Wins a Hit

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 28. — Another suspected canard to make the "Gompers of Mexico"—Luis N. Morones, now labor minister in the cabinet of Calles, a martyr of the "extremists," is seen in the scare heads in the Mexican papers telling of a mysterious "plot" to assassinate Morones. As usual, the "Russian Reds" are "believed to be behind it."

Argentine Exports Hides to Soviets

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 28. — The steamer Asparia, Stavrouli left Buenos Aires for Odessa with a cargo of hides valued at 800,000 pesos.

Butler Takes Back Old Job.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28. — Brig. Gen. Smedley Butler, deposed director of public safety of Philadelphia, withdrew his resignation from the marine corps.

The withdrawal immediately was accepted by Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, commandant of the marines, with whom Butler had a long conference. Butler will go to California to head the marine corps post at San Diego.

1,000,000 Fire Damage.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 28.—Conservative estimates placed the damage from a fire which swept the business district at South Boston, Va., at \$1,000,000.

Try to Resurrect the Memory of Wilson on Birthday Anniversary

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

TODAY, American worshippers of the league of nations join in celebration of the birthday of the late Woodrow Wilson. The occasion is seized upon as an opportunity to spread more propaganda for the entry of the United States into the league. The New York Times labels 1925 "A Wilson Year," and tries to divide the world "as between Lenin and Wilson." The Times declares:

"Basic to the Wilson idea was an ultimate faith in the social order which had been so sorely tried by the war."

This means that Wilson believed no social order could be imagined superior to the capitalist social order that spawned the world war; an idea, of course, that comes in direct conflict with the teachings of Marx and Lenin, who point out that capitalism within itself carries the seeds of its own destruction; that it must make way for the higher social order—Communism.

Wilson carried out his "faith" in capitalism, that was to "make the world safe for democracy," by jailing anyone in the United States opposing the war and suppressing newspapers and all other literature telling the truth about the war. He carried his 14 points to Paris and helped frame the Versailles peace and launch capitalism's black international, the league of nations. Wilson's friends now claim that the council of the league, the international court of justice, the Locarno agreement, and the agent general of the Dawes plan all "operate, in essence, along Wilson lines."

All this to the glory of the House of Morgan; entrenching the power of American finance capital, at home and abroad.

Wilson feared the teachings of Lenin. His attorney general, J. Mitchell Palmer, launched the raids against the Communists in January, 1920. During the Wilson regime the United States made open war on Soviet Russia, in spite of the fact that no war was actually declared. American gold was hurried to the aid of every capitalist state in western Europe, crumbling under the assaults of revolutionary labor. Wilson's Herbert Hoover, getting his inspiration from Wall Street as well as Washington, launched his successful attack against the Hungarian Soviet Republic.

But the power of the Union of Soviet Republics has held against Wilson's capitalist world, and within the capitalist nations of Western Europe, that Wilson's Wall Street government temporarily saved from triumphant revolution, there have sprung up powerful Communist parties directing the continuance of the struggle.

The world war and all the events during the seven years since have proved correct the teachings of Marx and Lenin. Wilson's league of war is inciting a new conflict between Turkey and England; it has solidified oppressed peoples across the world's two greatest continents, from Morocco, in North Africa, to China in the Far East, against European imperialism. Germany agonizes under the Dawes plan, which the best authorities claim impossible of fulfillment, while the Oeuvre, of Paris, publishes an article on Wilson's birthday showing Wall Street with its whiphand over capitalist Europe, while "Forty-five per cent of the world's gold sleeps in New York cellars."

"If there is peace in Western Europe there is no hope for the Communist ideal in Western Europe," says the New York Times.

But almost every day the same New York Times reports vital clashes of conflicting capitalist interests in this small patch of the world's land surface. And even the Times cannot blind itself to developments in the rest of the world. European capitalism, confronted on the one hand by the Soviet Union, and on the other by aroused colonial and subject peoples, while facing discontent at home, is a doomed European capitalism. It will be buried with the memory of Woodrow Wilson. Lenin's teachings live and grow in power to inspire greater efforts for the victory of the new social order.

HAS THREE MONTHS TO LIVE; FAILS TO BEG DINNER; GOES TO JAIL

Promised only three months to live and rebuked by housewives in his back-door conquests for a Christmas dinner, Frank Huntzinger, of Vandalia, Ill., sought refuge in a police station, beaten and disheartened. Huntzinger has tuberculosis and is penniless, and physicians declare his case hopeless and his life limited to a dozen weeks.

U. S. World's Greatest Empire, Says Mexican

(Special to The Daily Worker)
NEW YORK, Dec. 28. —(FP)—The United States is the greatest of the five empires now dominating the earth; Senor Jose Miguel Bejano, commissioner of agriculture and colonization for Mexico, told the pan-American commercial congress. Bejano said the Monroe Doctrine "morally excluded the United States from the old world" while insisting that European nations keep off American continents and islands. With the United States entering world markets, extending its spheres of influence beyond the western world, the Monroe Doctrine is likely to be invoked against the United States, Bejano sees. The Mexican's frankness on U. S. imperialism did not sound well in the ears of the commercial delegates.


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LONDON TRADES BODY CONDEMNS COMMUNIST CASE

Calls for National Protest Conference

(Special to The Daily Worker)
LONDON, Dec. 28.—The executive committee of the London trades council, representing 120,000 workers, at its meeting passed the following resolution condemning the recent jailing of twelve Communists under the mutiny act of 1797 and calling upon the labor party and the general trades union council to call a meeting of all workers' organizations to protest against this government act and demand the repeal of the anti-working class legislation:

Protest Jailing of Active Workers.

"This meeting of the executive committee of the London trades council representing 120,000 organized workers affiliated to this organization, most vehemently protest against the recent exhibition of capitalist class justice by the wanton imprisonment of twelve members of the Communist Party who are active fighters in the working class movement.

"We formally declare that it is our opinion that a grave injustice has been inflicted upon these men, and we urge that the national labor party, the parliamentary labor party and the general council of the trades union congress immediately convene an all-international representative conference of all bonafide workers' organizations, for the purpose of resisting in the most strenuous manner the actions and threats of this most reactionary Tory government.

"This national conference should be considered of the utmost urgency and all affiliated organizations of the London trades council are urged to use their endeavors to secure the conference being held, and thus create the necessary machinery for securing the release of these comrades and the immediate repeal of such anti-working class legislation as the mutiny act of 1797, under which those workers have been imprisoned."

Order Is Restored in Tientsin by Feng

TSIENTSIN, Dec. 28.—Despite the aid given Gen. Li Ching-Ling, lackey of the Manchurian war-lord Chang Tso-lin by the Japanese and British officers and troops, the forces of Feng Yu-Hsiang, the leader of the nationalist, have taken the city and order has been restored.

The forces of Gen. Li on retreating from the Chinese quarter pillaged, robbed and terrorized the natives and then tried to hide themselves in the international section.

Feng has appointed Gen. Sun Yueh civil governor of Chihli in place of the Manchurian war-lord's lackey.

Rail communication between Peking and Tientsin have been restored as one of the first acts of Feng's army was to restore the lines of communication.

Canton Protests Allied Aid.

Canton, Dec. 28.—The diplomatic committee at Canton has sent a resolution of protest to all the powers that signed the protocol of 1901, with the exception of Russia, protesting against the invasion of Manchuria by Japan and exposing the use of Japanese troops to aid Chang Tso-lin to defeat General Kuo and also against the aid that British and Japanese officers and soldiers gave the troops of General Li in constructing trenches and military outposts to resist the attack of Feng's forces altho enjoying extraterritorial rights.

Chicagoan Asks That New Postoffice Be Built in Union Park

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—Despite the recommendations of Mayor Dever's special postoffice committee urging location of the proposed new Chicago postoffice on the two block site between the Chicago and Northwestern railroad terminal and the new Union station, Representative Stanley Kunz introduced a bill in congress authorizing a \$12,000,000 structure and declared he would press for selection of a site near Union park, on the west side.

RESIGN! RESIGN! CRIES WELCOME PREMIER SVEHLA

Parliament Jeers New Czech Cabinet

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Dec. 28.—When Premier Svehla attempted to read the program of the new government before the Czechoslovakian parliament, he was met with the shouts of "Resign! Resign!" from all corners of the hall. The Communist delegation demanded the release of their imprisoned Comrade Tausik. The Communist fraction rose en masse, when the Premier refused to answer their demands and began to sing revolutionary songs.

The Hungarian nationals and the Slovak opposition also joined in the demonstration against the premier and the new government, demanding that the practice of firing German civil servants be discontinued and the Slovaks insisted on the autonomy for Slovakia.

The members of Premier Svehla's cabinet were pelted with bundles of papers and cries of "Resign! Resign!" drowned the opening address of the premier.

Expedition Leader Makes Away with African Treasures

PARIS, Dec. 28.—An editorial article which appeared in Le Matin, asks "What has become of the 48 cases of rare and precious treasures which Count Byron De Prokor claims that he found near Hoggar and which he promised to the minister of beaux arts?"

"Count Prokor's statue of the Libyan Venus," the paper continued, "has turned out to be worthless, and the amulet treasures which he also promised, have never arrived."

Count Prokor was head of a Franco-American expedition which made excavations in Africa as part of a quest for the "cradle of civilization." He returned to America the other day with a large store of antiquities.

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Workers (Communist) Party

PARTY REORGANIZATION IS NOW UNDER WAY IN DISTRICT FOUR

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 28.—In accordance with instructions sent to all city central committees and branches, reorganization of the party units in District Four will take place under the direction of the district organizer who will visit every city in the district in the course of a tour which begins Jan. 5. Note carefully the date of the meeting in your city and attend this meeting if you intend to remain in the party. The co-operation of every member and especially of the leading committees in each city is necessary in order that reorganization be effected in the course of this tour.

The reorganization meetings will be held as follows:

- Buffalo—Section One, Tuesday, Dec. 29, at 8 p. m., at party headquarters, 213 Williams St.; Section Two, Wednesday, Dec. 30, 8 p. m., at Finnish Hall, 159 Grider Ave.
- Rochester—Thursday, Dec. 30, at 8 p. m.
- Albany—Tuesday, Jan. 5, 8 p. m.
- Troy—Wednesday, Jan. 6, 8 p. m.
- Schenectady—Thursday, Jan. 7, at 8 p. m.
- Utica—Friday, Jan. 8, 8 p. m.
- Syracuse—Saturday, Jan. 9, 2 p. m.
- Ithaca—Sunday, Jan. 10, at 10 a. m.
- Binghamton—Sunday, Jan. 10, 7:30 p. m.
- Jamestown—Monday, Jan. 11, 8 p. m.
- Erie, Pa.—Tuesday, Jan. 12, 8 p. m.
- Niagara Falls, N. Y.—Thursday, Jan. 14.
- Rochester—Final reorganization meeting Sunday, Jan. 17, at 2 p. m.

PROGRAM OUTLINED FOR CORRESPONDENTS' CLASS ON WEDNESDAY

The Chicago class in Workers' Correspondence meets on Wednesday night this week due to New Year's eve falling on Thursday, our regular class night. Students will bring their outlines for Anniversary edition article to be discussed in class. In addition there is to be a discussion on: Difficulties and problems encountered in writing; how to begin writing an article; how to collect information and facts and the reading and criticizing of manuscripts. There will also be a report on the "Living Newspaper." Students are urged to make a special effort to attend this class. It meets as usual in the editorial room of The DAILY WORKER, 1113 Washington Blvd., at 8 p. m.

Proletarian Theater Will Give "Money"

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The workers' of New York will be greatly interested in the first performance of the Proletarian Theater which will take place in Tammany Hall, 14th St. and 3rd Ave., Friday evening, Jan. 8, under the direction of the Workers' Dramatic League.

"Money," a startling play written by Mike Gold, will be presented by the league, and promises a sensation in the drab life of the city. Cut out all other dates for this brilliant event. This is a play that will get under the skin of the capitalists and will especially tickle the workers.

Get your tickets early, for the fire marsh will be on hand to keep the crowd out after the capacity of the hall has been reached. You can get tickets at Workers' Office, 108 East 14th St., or from Freiheit, or Novy Mir, or Jimmie Higgins Book Store, 127 University Pl.

This first play by the Workers' Dramatic League will mark an epoch in the American theater. It promises to be of utmost interest as a signal for great productions to be given in the future. Help build the Proletarian Theater.

Milwaukee Arranges for Lenin Memorial

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 28.—The Lenin memorial meeting arranged under the joint auspices of the Young Workers (Communist) League and the Workers (Communist) Party will be held in the Freie Gemeinde Hall, corner of Eighth and Walnut streets, Sunday evening, Jan. 24, at 7:30 o'clock with Earl Browder and Max Shachtman of Chicago and Sylvia Selendich as speakers. Besides the speakers there will be singing by the Jewish Freiheit, Russian-Ukrainian and German societies.

DENTAL WORKERS TOIL LONG AND GET SMALL PAY

Workers Need Union in Worst Way

By JACK RUSSELL.
(Worker Correspondent)

A young man starting in as an apprentice in mechanical dentistry must bear a heavy burden of which long hours, abuse from the boss and low wages are but a part. In order to become a good mechanic he must slave at low pay for five or six years. When he has reached the stage where he is a fair mechanic, the boss gives him a little more consideration, but he is still treated as a slave and suffers abuse from the boss. This is what a large number of men must put up with every day in the large cities of this country.

Overtime Without Pay.

Professional mechanics and those in the amateur field are compelled to work overtime without receiving any overtime pay. There are a few places where the workers in this field do get overtime—because they are militant and force the boss to recognize that he must pay for their services—but those places are few and far between.

The mechanical dentists are put to work at such hours that there is no time for social recreation and pleasures in common with other workers. The mechanical dentistry workers start at different hours from the workers in the same establishment.

Bosses Organized

Most of the mechanical dentistry laboratories belong to the Dental Laboratory Manufacturers' Association and if one of the companies belonging to this association discharges one of its workers, that worker is blacklisted. If he wants to get a job in an office, regardless of how large or how small it may be, he is refused work until the association decides to allow him to be put on. If he applies for work under an assumed name, he is told to wait a week or two and all his references are checked up and attempts are made to have him fully identified.

If a worker is offered a higher wage in another laboratory and he leaves the employ of one boss to enter the employ of the other boss, if the boss that he works for and the boss he is going to work for are in the association, he finds himself walking the streets minus his master and on the blacklist of the association. Then the worker is offered an opportunity by his former employer to go back to work at a cut in pay. If he refuses, that ends his role as a worker in the mechanical dental laboratories. Oftentimes a worker is framed up in this manner in order that his wage may be cut.

"Correct" With Blows.

Many workers are abused by the bosses. In the Central Dental Laboratory, the bosses "correct" workers with a blow on the face or any other part of the body. Many times workers are beaten and then discharged. After a week or so, the boss rehires him at sometimes the same pay but mostly at a much lower pay.

Mechanical dentistry workers! Organize and force the bosses to pay higher wages, to give us shorter hours and to stop treating us as tho they owned us body and soul!

In Minneapolis, workers are compelled to work from 11 to 14 hours per day on both day and night shifts for a small hourly wage. The firm in Minneapolis is owned by the Central Dental Laboratories of Chicago.

Workers, Unionize!

Workers, you are the producers of big profits for your bosses. Your health is always in danger. Your eyes are under a constant strain. The conditions you are working under are not conducive to good health—they are a drain on your physical strength. You cannot accomplish anything without organization. Workers, write from all parts of the country. Forget your fear of the bosses. Send in shop stories and your position in full. Write in your grievances today to Jack Russell of the Dental Mechanic, 19 S. Lincoln St., Chicago.

Court Grants Four Railroads a 20 Pct. Suburban Fare Raise

The Illinois commerce commission and various state officials were enjoined from enforcing an award of a 15% increase in suburban fare rates on four railroads seeking 20% increases, by a temporary injunction granted by the United States district court of appeals.

The four railroads—the Illinois Central; the Chicago & Western Indiana; the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, and the Chicago & Eastern Illinois—have announced a 20% increase in suburban fares effective Jan. 1.

Chicago Theater-Goers Shell Out \$15,000,000 During the Past Year

More than \$15,000,000 was spent by Chicago theater goers during the last year, it was announced here. Of this amount, \$9,800,000 was paid for seats at "legitimate" shows, while vaudeville and movie houses took in the remainder.

WITH THE YOUNG WORKERS

CONDUCTED BY THE YOUNG WORKERS LEAGUE

The Youth and the Foreign-Born Workers

By STEVE ZINICH, Editor Radnik.

THE main task of the Young Workers (Communist) League is the enrolling of the working youth in the class struggle of this country. The best offense and defense of the particular interests of the entire working class and the young workers in particular are to combine these struggles for the immediate demands on the one hand and our final aim, the abolition of capitalism, the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat and the ushering in of the Communist society, on the other hand.



An important task for our Communist youth is the conducting of our agitation and propaganda, coupled with the organization of actions right in the field of production, in the factories, mines, on the land, etc. Large masses of the youth are forced to enter the industries at an early age and form the most exploited, the most disfranchised section of the working class.

In close connection with this problem we have another one. Over 60 per cent of the entire working class in America are so-called foreign-born workers. Historically all workers in America are more or less foreign-born, because all of them have come from Europe and other lands. The real Americans left the picture of American life as a large compact group a long time ago. They are the American Indians, most of whom were crushed by the brutality of the slave owners and the rising bourgeoisie. They would not submit to becoming the slaves of the white invaders and so were slaughtered by the hundreds of thousands.

Divisions in the social structure of this country cannot be realistically determined by setting up the epithet: foreign-born vs. natives. The basic division in this social structure is the working class on the one hand and the exploiting capitalist class on the other. Between these two classes a deep rooted struggle is going on (strikes, lockouts, political actions, etc.). This is called the class struggle.

An effective weapon of the capitalist class in this struggle is its strongly built educational machine. This machine extends its tentacles thru the schools, churches, sporting clubs, and all kinds of capitalist institutions. The educational campaign is often labeled: Americanization of the foreign-born. There are many instances in the class struggle where the young foreign-born worker is lined up against his own father and class brother, because his father is a militant class fighter and his own child was educated against him with a capitalist outlook.

Our duties in this situation are very clear. We must approach these young workers, foreign-born, native-born and children of foreign-born workers and educate them, organize them to the banner of the Young Workers (Communist) League and the Young Pioneers.

Every member of the Workers (Communist) Party of America is obliged to do all he can to help organize the young workers and the working class children. Every worker, instead of sending his children to church, to the church Sunday school, etc., should instead send them to the units of the Young Communists. In this respect not only have the foreign language fractions of the party a great task, but the foreign-born comrades in the nuclei and other units of the party must take the initiative in having comrades elected whose duty it will be to organize Young Communist units parallel with the party units where none exist.

We must take the initiative in putting to the fore the slogan: For every party shop nucleus a nucleus of the league. For every league nucleus, a unit of the Young Pioneers.

The place of the youth of the foreign-born workers is not in the fascist and semi-fascist organizations, but their place is in the ranks of the Communist youth and children.

Foreign-born workers, do your class duty!

Campaign for Working Youth Conference in East Ohio Started

The last issue of the YOUNG WORKER contained the call of the working youth conference which is scheduled for the last week in February for

Bellaire, Ohio. Besides that there was printed the list of proposed demands which vitally reflect the lives of the young workers of this section.

George Papcun, the secretary of the conference arrangements committee will tour the section and lay the basis for the pit and shop meetings which will elect the delegates to the conference. The dates for Papcun's tour are as follows:

Schedule of Tour of George Papcun.

Bellaire, Jan. 3, at 3 p. m.	Yorkville, Jan. 9, at 7 p. m.
Neffs, Jan. 4, at 7 p. m.	Glen Run, Jan. 11, at 7 p. m.
Fairpoint, Jan. 5, at 7 p. m.	Dillonvale, Jan. 12, at 7 p. m.
Powhattan Pt., Jan. 7, at 7 p. m.	Bradley, Jan. 13, at 7 p. m.
Glencoe, Jan. 8, at 7 p. m.	Martins Ferry, Jan. 14, at 7 p. m.

Young Workers of Other Lands

WHAT WE SAW IN THE UKRAINE.

(Letter of Comrade Sponheimer, Member of the German Young Workers' Delegation to the U. S. S. R.)

ON our arrival in Kharkov we called at the C. C. of the R. L. Y. C. L. of the Ukraine where we received information about the work of the Y. C. L.

In the Ukraine there are 4,500,000 young workers, 270,000 of whom are organized in the Y. C. L. Fifty per cent of the Y. C. Leaguers are young peasants. Our investigations showed us that the young workers take a great interest in the political life of the country.

In the Ukraine the wages of young workers are lower than in Moscow. But this is balanced by the fact that prices of all necessities of life are considerably lower.

The next day we paid a visit to the first state textile factory. The red director and some of the workers who spoke German fluently gave us full information about the position of production. We could see that in some branches of production the productivity of labor already considerably exceeded pre-war level.

Young workers under 16 earn 19 roubles (33 shillings) per month, whilst with us in Germany apprentices do not get more than 4 marks a

Karl Sponheimer.

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DANCING AFTER PROGRAM.

College President Lifts Ban on Paper

NEW YORK (FP)—Dec. 28.—New York's City College student paper, The Campus, may discuss what it will, President Sydney Mezes announces, subject only to a long-standing regulation that the editor "maintain a suitable standard of intelligence, propriety and courtesy." The university head stopped the paper's attacks on compulsory military training when the editor, Felix Cohen, conducted a poll which showed the majority of students against the compulsory military training. Cohen was subsequently temporarily suspended but is now back. Parents supported the student vote against the military but the faculty and trustees vetoed the request that the compulsion be removed from the course. Cohen says the controversy over military training is not closed, despite the president's statement that it should be regarded as ended.

WICKS TOURS EAST; SPEAKS ON LOGARNO PACT AND RUSSIA

H. M. Wicks, editorial writer of The DAILY WORKER, who is now touring the east will speak in the following cities on the Logarno "peace" pact and its relation to Soviet Russia. These dates are in addition to those already announced.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Saturday night, Jan. 2, 8 o'clock at the Labor Lyceum, 35 Miller St., 2nd floor.
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sunday afternoon, Jan. 3, at 2 o'clock at Insurance Center Bldg., 1763 E. 11th St.

