

THOUSANDS WILL PARADE WITH RED CANDIDATES HERE

Foster, Gitlow Will Be Met at the Grand Central Station 3 Bands Will March Madison Square Garden Rally Sunday

To the tune of three crashing brass bands several thousand New York workers will march down Fifth Ave. from the Grand Central Station following the demonstration of greetings which will be accorded to William Z. Foster and Benjamin Gitlow at the station on Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

The tumultuous mass welcome and the Red parade will be the tribute to the Communist standard-bearers preparatory to their appearance at Madison Square Garden the following day, Sunday, where they will wind up their national election campaign.

Following the 11th anniversary of the Russian Revolution, under the auspices of a parade permit, under pressure of the growing strength of the Workers Party in New York, Communist headquarters at 26 Union Square was a scene of intense activity.

Complete Sellout of Rank and File

The "socialist" trade union bureaucracy in the New York union continues to fall into line in support of the Tammany Hall candidates in the coming elections.

The letter, which was signed by Orlofsky, was sent by him to the chairman of the Citizens' Committee for Roosevelt and Lehman, Tammany state candidates.

The grand jury "investigation" was drawn out over a month and a half and was filled with postponements in order to allow the right wing reactionaries sufficient time to gather "evidence."

INGOES FETE ZEP STOWAWAY

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Nov. 1.—You have been walking the streets months looking for a job, you have been washing shoes leather and riving for nothing.

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Ku Klux Klan Yelps for Blood of Jailed Worker



The Ku Klux Klan has started a terror campaign in Neptune, N. J., demanding the life of Joseph Farrugio, 54-year-old Italian worker, who shot Harold Johnson, rich young high school student who seduced Farrugio's 16-year-old daughter, Marianne. Farrugio is now in jail awaiting trial, while his family of 11 has been left in a starving condition. Photo on the left shows Johnson's funeral, at which the Klan staged demonstrations and threatened workers. On the right is Marianne Farrugio.

KLAN DEMANDS LIFE OF JAILED ITALIAN WORKER

FREEHOLD, N. J., Nov. 1.—With the Ku Klux Klan yelping madly for blood and threatening all foreign-born workers, the Monmouth County Grand Jury today began its investigation into the case of Joseph Farrugio, 54-year-old Italian worker of Neptune, N. J. Farrugio is being held for shooting Harold Johnson, wealthy young member of one of Asbury Park's "first families," who seduced Farrugio's 16-year-old daughter, Marianne.

Acting under pressure from the "socialist" Jewish Daily Forward and the officials of the reactionary United Hebrew Trades, Tammany Hall's grand jury Wednesday returned an indictment against William Shifrin, left wing worker, on a charge of first degree manslaughter. The indictment carries with it the possibility of a life term.

At the time of his arrest even the Tammany police admitted that Shifrin had struck out in self-defense. On the first day of the trial, after hearing practically all the evidence, Magistrate Dodge declared that Shifrin had struck in self-defense and that he would probably be compelled to dismiss the case.

Several hundred Klansmen marched in the funeral procession yesterday and threatened a group of Italian workers with violence if they dared to approach. "We're the Klan, you know," boasted one of their leaders. So determined was the Klan to make a display of its power that the marching Klansmen even threatened reporters and photographers of the capitalist press.

With Mrs. Farrugio in the hospital, Marianne has become the virtual head of the family. The ten children are reported to be in a starving state in a miserable hovel on First St., the most poverty-stricken section of the town.

Workers Party Statement

The District Executive Committee of the Workers (Communist) Party last night issued the following statement on the indictment of Shifrin:

"The action taken by the grand jury indicting William Shifrin on the charge of manslaughter is a challenge to all class-conscious workers of this city.

"This grand jury, back of whom stands the entire capitalist system, capitalist courts and capitalist politicians, as well as the 'socialist' gangster officials, has brought in an indictment despite the fact that there is no evidence to support it. Shifrin was defending his life against the murderous assault of gangsters led by the 'socialist' officialdom of the United Hebrew Trades.

BIG SILK STRIKE MEETING TODAY

Pickets Massed Around Large Plant

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 1.—Spirited discussions are now going on among the striking silk workers and the other union members about the general membership meeting which will be held tomorrow evening.

Although reluctant in finally agreeing to call this meeting, the pressure from the membership, greater numbers of whom are quickly being disillusioned about the "conservative" way of carrying on the strike, forced them to concede to the demand for the meeting.

Left Wing Influence Grows

But the left wing in the organization, whose influence is growing with tremendous rapidity as the "settlements" being made by the officials turn out to be fake settlements, fear that the conservative leaders will combine with the reactionary elements in the union to use the meeting as a means of ousting the left wingers who are functioning in the strike machinery.

Sentiment among the majority of the strikers shows that they intend to carry on a stiff fight to prevent the expulsion of left wingers or their removal from leading positions in the strike committee.

Right Wing in New Frame-Up

Three Grocery Clerks on Heavy Bail

Fulfilling the highest aims of its strikebreaking mission, the right wing officialdom of the United Hebrew Trades yesterday set in motion the forces of a new frame-up—this time against three members of the Retail Grocery, Fruit and Dairy Clerks' Union, who and "socialists" are accusing in a stabbing affair.

Free Atheist When Unknown Pays Fine

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 1.—Charles Smith, the atheist who was jailed for 27 days on a sentence for distributing literature "calculated to incite to riot," and who was on a hunger strike 15 days ago in protest, was released today after some unknown person paid \$11.40, a remainder of a \$26.40 fine he was serving out in jail at the rate of \$1 a day rather than pay the fine.

REWARD OF ELECTION

LONDON, Nov. 1 (U.P.)—In an editorial today the Evening Standard mentioned Hugh Gibson, American minister to Geneva, as a likely successor to Alanbon B. Houghton as American ambassador to London.

11th Anniversary Shows Growth of Soviet Power

(Wireless to the Daily Worker) MOSCOW, Nov. 1.—A leading article in the "Pravda" today states that the eleventh anniversary of the October Revolution is being celebrated amid important achievements for Soviet economy and reconstruction.

Among the great industrial undertakings finished, says "Pravda," are the naphtha pipe-line in the Grozny oil fields, the copper works in Caucasia, the electrical works and textile mills of Moscow and many others that can be cited.

The situation on this eleventh anniversary of the Soviet power, "Pravda" states, "shows the revolutionary importance of the proletarian dictatorship as the foundation of socialism."

SHOW ISSUES IN ELECTION DRIVE

Anti-Imperialist Group in Statement

Struggle against imperialism war, a demand for the withdrawal of American marines from Latin America and the Far East and for complete independence of all colonies and protectorates of the United States, are included in a program in the imperialist issues in the election campaign, issued last night by the United States Section of the All-American Anti-Imperialist League, through Paul Crouch, acting secretary. The statement of the program follows:

"The United States today stands out as the most aggressive of the imperialist countries. During the elections campaign in this country the United States has used armed force to control the elections of Nicaragua, has barred those opposed to American imperialism from participation, has taken part with other imperialist nations, aided by the treachery of Chiang Kai-Shek, in the effort to crush the Chinese Revolution. The Philippines, Porto Rico and Hawaii are today under the iron rule of American imperialism. Haiti has been made a vassal country of Wall Street. American capital helped to create and support such dictatorships as those of Gomez in Venezuela, Ibanez in Chile and Leguia in Peru.

New World War Looms

"The conflicts between the major imperialist nations are leading to a new world war. The danger of war between the United States and Great Britain is especially acute. The danger of an imperialist war against the Soviet Union is continually increasing.

Program

"The United States Section of the All-American Anti-Imperialist League presents the following program:

Workers, do your bit to bring this campaign to a successful conclusion. Contribute to the \$10,000 fund as your blow at the capitalist terror, which has tried to cripple the Communist election campaign. You have only five more days before election day—send in your contribution at once, and the campaign will go over the top.

REAL DANGER OF WORLD WAR, SAYS FOSTER AT ERIE

Britain and America Struggle to Rule Entire World

Conflicts End in War

Covering Connecticut; Weisbord at Trenton

ERIE, Pa., Nov. 1.—William Z. Foster, candidate for president on the Workers (Communist) Party ticket, in speaking here on the issues of the elections, pointed out the danger of war and the contradictions of American capitalism leading to a worsening of conditions of American workers. He said, in part:

"The export of capital since the war by American capitalists has been characterized by, first, the crushing of revolutionary proletarian and colonial uprisings, as in Europe immediately after the war, and secondly, stabilization of European capitalism, and, thirdly, in the present period, strengthening of the competitors of American capitalism. Such is the contradiction of capitalism. This great export of capital thus develops conflicts among the rival imperialist powers.

"The export of capital to industrially backward countries places American imperialists in a position to dominate their industries so that goods can be manufactured there at lower costs than in the United States. This enables them to reduce wages in the United States or to reduce the number employed. Thus only the aristocracy of labor benefits by the prosperity of the imperialists. They are bribed by a few crumbs from the super-profits and their leaders in the American Federation of Labor are corrupted.

"In the expansion of American imperialism, it is 'penetrating' not only Latin-American countries where it has a Monroe Doctrine, but to Asia and other countries where it will come into inevitable military conflict with Great Britain."

Hartford and New Haven

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 1.—William Z. Foster, Communist candidate for president, will address hundreds of workers here Friday evening at the Unity Hall, 64 Pratt St., at 8 p. m.

Following this meeting he will go to New Haven, where on Saturday evening at 8 p. m. he will address New Haven workers at the Music Hall, 117 Court St.

In Newark Sunday

NEWARK, Nov. 1.—The workers of Newark will wind up the Communist election campaign with a mass rally, combined with a celebration of the eleventh anniversary of the Russian Revolution. It will take place on Sunday, Nov. 4, at 2 p. m. at the Ukrainian Labor Hall, 37 Beacon St. The speakers will be William Z. Foster, Communist presidential candidate; Scott Neuringer, candidate for governor of New Jersey on the Communist ticket, and Albert Weisbord, candidate for the U. S. senate from New Jersey.

Weisbord at Trenton

TRENTON, Nov. 1.—Albert Weisbord, Communist candidate for the senate from New Jersey and secretary of the Left Wing National Textile Workers Union, and Scott Neuringer, New Jersey Communist candidate for governor, will speak at an election campaign rally at Trenton on Sunday, Nov. 4. The meeting will be held at 8 p. m. at Arcade Hall, 15 E. State St.

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FOSTER URGES A STRONG FINISH TO ELECTION

Calls Upon Workers to Put Over \$10,000 Campaign Fund in Last Five Days

By WILLIAM Z. FOSTER

Workers (Communist) Party Candidate For President

With the greatest Communist election campaign the Party has so far conducted, entering upon its last few days, members of the Workers Party and workers sympathizing with it must gird their loins for a final spurt. The workers I have spoken to thruout the country have listened eagerly to the message of class struggle our Party has brought to them. Our meetings have in the main been splendidly attended, and our election campaign literature has reached larger numbers of workers who never before came in contact with Communist propaganda.

PARTY DEFIED TERROR

We have defied the systematic terror directed against us. Despite arrests of our speakers and campaign workers, the closing of meetings halls to us, the denial of the radio, press and other means of publicity at the disposal of the party of small business men, the respectable socialist party, and of the two parties of big business, we have gone ahead with our campaign.

BEN GITLOW HITS "GANG"

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 1.—"Smith's liberalism is a myth," declared Benjamin Gitlow Tuesday evening at a meeting of the Workers (Communist) Party here. The Communist candidate for vice-president, after denouncing Hoover as a "reactionary tool of Wall Street," argued that Smith is not any more progressive than the republican candidate.

"Smith is the leader of the new Tammany, which always has been and still is a corrupt and reactionary machine. Smith is tied up with some of the most powerful corporations in the U. S. His record shows that he stands for more power to the financial interests through stronger, more centralized and autocratic government, further removed from the masses, and more efficient in every assistance to the big corporations in exploiting labor. His water power program is not socialism at all; it is a plan for fake government ownership whereby the state spends the money for development and private interests reap the guaranteed profits. If he really stood for the interests of the people as a whole do you think that Owen D. Young would support him?"

"Smith stands for lower taxation for big business for the vicious system of compulsory arbitration which would be a weapon of employers against workers for certain minor concessions to the labor bureaucracy and skilled aristocracy of labor; for the iron heel against the masses of workers led by the Workers (Communist) Party."

Gitlow will speak at the Belmont Hall in Worcester, Mass., on Friday evening, and will continue to Providence, R. I., where he will address the workers of that city at the A. C. A. Hall on Saturday.

Place College Boys Under Apron Again

LEWISBURG, Pa., Nov. 1 (U.P.)—Male students of Bucknell College will be forced to forego the pleasure of sitting with girls at the remaining home games, it was announced today.

The drastic edict was handed down by the student council.

It was said the rule would make for better spirit at games and promote better cheering.

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"ARISE, YE PRISONERS OF STARVATION!"

By Jacob Burek



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Thousands Will Meet Red Candidates

Continued from Page One of the city for the platform of the class struggle and bring our Party to the attention of the workers of the city, said William W. Weinstein, district organizer for New York.

Poyntz Flays Three Capitalist Parties in Barnard Symposium

Declaring that there are over eight million working women in the United States today who are exploited worse than men Juliet Stuart Poyntz, Communist candidate for attorney-general of New York, in a debate with Jessie Wallace Hughan of the socialist party, appealed to the students of Barnard College to support the Workers (Communist) Party at a mass meeting in Barnard Hall yesterday afternoon.

RIGHT WING IN NEW FRAME-UP

Three Grocery Clerks on Heavy Bail

Continued from Page One fact is that two hundred members, who attended the union meeting at 220 E. 14th St., are witness that the three were active in conducting the meeting from about 7:30 to the time the attack was made.

First Session in Trade Union Course at the Workers School Today

The whole question of building new unions, the role of the trade unions in this period of the war danger, the whole question of work within the reactionary trade unions, are but some of the questions that will be analyzed and discussed in detail in the important course to be given in "Theory and Practice of Trade Union Work" by John Ballam on Thursdays, from 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. This course, which will also take up such questions as the role of the trade unions in class struggle, Communist work in trade unions, history of the American trade union movement, the major problems facing the trade union movement today will have its first session today.

PLAN THREE RED NIGHTS THROUGHOUT CITY TOMORROW

Communist Campaign Workers Will Rally to

Three huge red nights have been arranged by the Workers (Communist) Party for tomorrow evening, to be held in the downtown east side section of Manhattan, in Harlem and in the Lower Bronx. A list of the meeting places and the workers who will address them follows:

Harlem Red Night

Harlem—All speakers report at 7:30 p. m. to 143 E. 109th St. Speakers will be: Lovestone, Minor, Poyntz, Huiswood, Moore, Ballam, Ed. Welsh, A. Markoff, Blake, Stachel, Coddin, Moreau, N. Napoli, Williams, Alexander, Grace Lamb, H. Zam, Nat Kaplan, Gil Green, P. Shapiro, Ed. Wright, S. LeRoy, I. Zimmerman, Frank Bliman, Cooper, Wisniewsky, E. Shafran, Zeybon, Lerner, Wise, G. Lloyd, Fishman, Rees, Nessim, A. Lyons, D. Lyons, Harfeld, V. Smith, Kagan, Pinchetsky.

Lower Bronx Red Night

Lower Bronx—All speakers report to 718 W. 138th St. at 7:30 p. m. The following is a list of the speakers: Baum, Padig, Buckenberger, Frankfeld, Primoff, G. Spino, Pasternak, Joe Cohen, J. Cohen, Peor, Bydarian, Lawrence Ross, Lillianstein, A. Stein, E. Epstein, Vook, Gerson, Crouch, Powers, Suskin, Severino.

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THE CAPITALIST PRESS REPORTS LABOR MEET

TAMMANY JURY INDICTS SHIFRIN

Charge Framed Worker With Manslaughter

Continued from Page One case of Sacco and Vanzetti—and freedom for the executioners, freedom for the thugs and gangsters. "All workers must make a test case of the Shifrin case. If Shifrin is railroaded to life imprisonment, no militant worker will be safe from the murderous assaults of the henchmen of the bosses and the labor bureaucrats.

Spread Message

"Do not be intimidated by your enemies. Spread the message in this election campaign that the workers can expect only frame-ups, can expect only greater oppression and more ruthless exploitation from the parties of big and small business, from the Smiths, Hoovers and Thomases.

IN SEVEN LEAGUE BOOTS - 25,000 Comrades

According to the New York Sun, the whole thing began mysteriously with the hurling of a chair which was caused either by the mention of Benjamin Gitlow's name or the entrance of several detectives: "In any case, somebody hurled a chair, vigorously and with accurate aim from somewhere near the back of the house. . . . Instantly, almost the air was filled with other chairs. . . . while erstwhile friends turned violently against each other."

UNIT 4-F, SECTION 6, MEET

Unit 4-F, Section 6, of the Workers (Communist) Party will meet at 6:30 p. m. today at 80 Manhattan Ave. Important business matters will be taken up.

Harlem Red Rally to Boost the Candidacy of Edward Welsh Tonight

A. C. W. OFFICIALS HOT FOR AL SMITH

Complete Sellout of Rank and File

Continued from Page One are "doing their bit" toward electing Al and his labor oppressing Tammany henchmen. The reactionary Orlofsky, a supporter of the Hillman class-collaboration administration of the Amalgamated, and the right hand man of A. Beckerman, who is a power in the camp of the "socialists," was also one of the first of the Hillman officials to begin the campaign of expulsion of militants from the Amalgamated and its subsidiary locals, Benjamin Gitlow, the Workers (Communist) Party candidate for vice-president in the elections was expelled by the reactionary gang in control of this local and which is being led by the "labor leader" Orlofsky.

Poll Guard Volunteers

A special meeting of all members and sympathizers with the class struggle program of the Workers (Communist) Party who volunteer to act as watchers at the polls on election day will be held at the Workers Center, 26-27 Union Sq., on Monday night, Nov. 5, at 7 o'clock.

Tasks of All Party Members for Nov. 4

Here are the tasks of every Party member in District 2 to make Red Week the real test in the history of New York. We must distribute in every shop and home, where workers are to be found, a leaflet advertising the Madison Square Garden Meeting, Sunday, Nov. 4. The splendid red poster by Fred Ellis, advertising the meeting, must be placed in every window, meeting hall, in every large industrial building. Every working class organization, union or fraternal should call upon its members to attend as a body. Throughout the week, every Party member is to carry on personal agitation in his shop about the meeting. Every Party member should bring not less than ten workers from his shop. All Party members are instructed to attend the Party membership meeting promptly after work, at Manhattan Lyceum, 66 East 4th St., on Friday, Nov. 2, 6:30 p. m., to receive important last minute instructions in connection with Election Day and the closing days of the Election Campaign. Every unit is to elect a committee of 10 to be part of a committee of 1,000 to have charge of the floor at the Madison Square Garden and to report on Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. in the Garden.

WHAT TO DO DURING LAST 4 DAYS OF THE CAMPAIGN. Immediate tasks for all Party members! 1. Cut out the contribution blank printed in the Daily Worker today. 2. Send immediately your contribution, of not less than one dollar, to the COMMUNIST ELECTION DRIVE ANTI-TERROR EMERGENCY FUND. 3. Send the money without any delay DIRECT to the National Election Campaign Committee, 43 East 125th St., New York City. 4. It is the duty of every Party unit to take up a collection for the Emergency Fund at once and to send the money DIRECT to the National Election Campaign Committee. 5. Every unit must assign comrades to take up collections in the trade unions, fraternal organizations and factories. 6. It is the duty of every Party member to collect as much money as possible in the shops, trade unions and fraternal organizations. 7. The Red Election Sundays and the house-to-house canvassing should be utilized to establish the Communist Election Drive Anti-Terror Emergency Fund. NATIONAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, Workers (Communist) Party, 43 E. 125th St., New York, N. Y.

5 Years of the Daily Worker will be celebrated in Manhattan Opera House on Saturday, January 5th KEEP THIS DAY OPEN!

are marching . . . are marching On to the Garden THIS SUNDAY, NOV. 4 DOORS OPEN AT 1 P. M. FOR THE Giant Pageant of the Class Struggle at the 11th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution!! POLYPHONIC BRASS BAND IN THE CONCERT OF THE AGE FREIHEIT SINGING SOCIETY MASS PROLETARIAN CHORUS Mass Welcome to the Red Candidates WILLIAM Z. FOSTER BEN GITLOW at Madison Square Garden, Sunday, November Tickets on sale at Workers (Communist) Party, 26-27 Union Square; Arena \$1.00, Balcony, 50 Cents.

300,000 Locked-Out German Iron and Steel Workers Prepare for Wage Raise Fight

SOCIALIST GOVT MAY AID BOSSES IN BIG STRUGGLE

Large Textile Lockout Also Looms

ESSEN, Germany, Nov. 1.—Iron and steel workers throughout the Rhineland and Westphalia, estimated to number 300,000, were locked out today by the industrialists in an attempt to induce the government to force the workers to resume on the present wage scale. During the last few months negotiations had been going on between the industrialists, the labor officials and the government, but no negotiations were brought to deadlock by the refusal of the players to accept the government plan.

Workers Demand Increase.
The workers, who had been receiving 78 pfennigs an hour, demanded 90 and the minister of labor compromised at 85 pfennigs. Labor officials accepted this decision, in face of the protest of the rank and file of the unions, who felt that their demands must be met if they were to get a living wage. The industrialists, however, even refused to accept the increase recommended by the government, and asked a lockout for today, thus trying to force the government to issue its decision. A prolonged lockout would seriously affect the whole country. It is believed that the social-democratic government will intervene in the lockout of the industrialists, saving budget at the expense of the workers. Should such a course of action be adopted, a prolonged strike would be inevitable, since the workers are fighting themselves for action and not that they will not continue to present wage scale. The Dawes plan has been such a weight upon the workers that a strike for wages may also result in the lockout of 300,000 workers on Nov. 20, at which the mill owners declare, they cancel all wage contracts, in attempt to force the workers to meet at the present wage scale.

BAN WATCHDOG 'ELECTS' SELF

Chado Insures Sugar Protectorate

HAVANA, Cuba, Nov. 1.—One of the most farcical "elections" ever took place here today when José Machado was "elected" to himself as president of Cuba. Machado assured the continuation of a dictatorship for another 6 years by the simple expedient of ruling other candidates off the ballot by calling upon the people to elect Machado very wisely now to his farm on the outskirts of the city and protect him with a squad of the guard. He returned to the presidential palace after the elections are over, recalled that the Cuban government took its lessons in the procedure from the United States. The day many telegrams received from various communist organizations and boards of directors pledging support to the "election" ("the only candidate") was the only candidate, a man who by his own admission, has de-themselves to be in complete and highly satisfied with the "election."

Official Prudery Bars Motion Picture

NEW YORK, Nov. 1. (U.P.)—"Daughters," a motion picture banned from Lynn screens by Mayor Ralph S. Bauer, though he had not seen the picture, said he had received reports of letters protesting the showing of the film. Bauer, he believed, was unfit to own in this city.

CHILDREN FIGHT VODKA

Thousands Demonstrate in Soviet Union

(From the Daily Worker) GDA, U.S.S.R., Nov. 1.—The children of the Communist Party of the Soviet Government in a wide campaign against alcohol have taken it upon them to urge workers to wage "vodka" wars. In the last few days several thousand children of Volodga, bearing with slogans against "vodka" to the local railway station demanded that their fathers stop drinking, in the efficiency, rationalization construction of the Communist Party. The results were immediate. The same day, although it was Friday, there was not a single case of drunkenness reported. About 200 of the workers enrolled in the special section, engaged in waging the battle against alcohol.

Mexican Clerical Faces Jury



Jose Toral, the assassin of president-elect Obregon, who was investigated by clerical reaction, is indicated by the arrow. He is shown above in a preliminary hearing before the Mexican supreme court. Today he and Mother Superior are being tried in the court-house at San Angel, the birthplace of Obregon.

IMPERIALIST ISSUES IN ELECTION DRIVE

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gram on the imperialist issue and the danger of war facing the country today:
"1. We stand against imperialist oppression of all colonial peoples, by the United States and against all intervention, military or otherwise, by the United States and other imperialist nations.
"2. We demand the complete and unconditional independence of the Philippines, Hawaii, Porto Rico, the return of the Panama Zone and the abolition of all special privileges in Cuba, Haiti, China and the Dominican Republic. We support the movement for complete national independence in all the colonies and protectorates of the United States.
"3. The land taken from the people of Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines by American capitalism should be returned to cultivation of the land. All concessions should be cancelled.
"4. All armed forces and agents of Wall Street, in the guise of 'technical advisers,' should be withdrawn immediately from such countries as Nicaragua, Haiti and China. There should be no American supervisions of elections in Nicaragua, or elsewhere.
"5. We urge the masses of the United States to support the masses of Latin America (including the forces of General Saldino in Nicaragua) who struggle against local dictatorships acting under the thumb of Wall Street.
"6. The masses of America should fight against intervention in Latin America and the Far East. They should force the withdrawal of all United States troops and warships from foreign territory. We fight all attempts to attack the Soviet Union and to crush the Chinese Revolution. We demand the repudiation of the Monroe Doctrine, an instrument of American imperialism. We support the workers and peasants of Latin America against imperialism. We oppose the Pan-American Union and all 'Pan-American' schemes of Wall Street and Washington. We fight against race discrimination or discrimination against foreign-born workers in the United States. We call on the masses to fight military training and such organizations as the Citizens Military Training Camps, as a part of the preparations for an imperialist war. We support the American labor movement in its struggle against imperialism.
"7. The United States Section of the All-American Anti-Imperialist League declares its solidarity with the oppressed colonialists who fight against the domination of Wall Street. We call upon the people of this country to fight against American imperialism and to give aid to all colonial and weaker countries who struggle against imperialist rule."

MILL WORKERS TO FACE TRIAL

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a million unorganized workers in the United States, and in a textile district where there had been no strike for better conditions since 1912. In spite of this, 28,000 workers went on strike, and during its course succeeded in organizing a militant union, the New Bedford Textile Workers' Union, which affiliated to the recently formed National Textile Workers' Union. With the exception of about 50, all those who face trial are active members of the New Bedford and Fall River Textile Workers' Union.
The workers were subjected not only to wholesale arrest, but to police brutality, attempts to break up mass picket lines and beating up of workers. The National Guard was drafted into service and its bayonets were bared against the striking pickets. One of the worst phases of court persecution, carried out in cooperation with the mill owners, was the ruling of a judge that those strikers re-arrested must forfeit a \$1,000 bond which each was forced to put up in addition to bail.
The district court, in doling out these sentences to the textile workers has shown its readiness to obey the will of the mill owners. Once again, as in the Sacco-Vanzetti case, Massachusetts is to become a battleground where the workers must fight against the combined forces of the employers and the courts. The I. L. D. appeals to all workers to rally to aid the defense of the New Bedford and Fall River textile workers.
But the time is very short. The cases are expected to be called immediately. Do not allow the textile mill owners to carry out their plan of terrorization. Fight against this fresh attack on the workers of Massachusetts. Funds must be sent immediately to the National Office of the I. L. D., 80 E. 11th St., Room 402, New York City, to meet the heavy expenses of the trials.
Send individual contributions immediately and raise funds at all I. L. D. meetings for the New Bedford strikers. Money is needed now if these 62 workers are to be kept out of the Massachusetts prisons. Do not allow the mill owners to send strikers to jail for a total of 112 years. Your support is urgently necessary if this conspiracy to jail strikers is to be smashed, and if the thousands of New England textile workers who are fighting for better conditions are to be insured against further attacks of the employers. Send money today.

Ousted Election Board in Cleveland Frauds

CLEVELAND, Ohio, (By Mail).—With the November election in the offing, the Cuyahoga County board of elections was fired by Secretary of State Brown for nonfeasance in office. The sacred guardians of the ballot were shown to have "overlooked" 2300 errors in the republican, and 500 errors in the democratic vote in the Ohio primary August 14.
A. J. Hirstius, political lieutenant of Maurice Maschke, republican boss, and clerk of the board, dominated its actions with utter disregard of legal requirements, it was asserted.
Since under the state law the secretary of state must appoint as successors to the ousted officials men recommended by the bosses of the two major parties a square deal for the voter is highly improbable.

TREMOR IN COLOMBIA

BOGOTA, Colombia, Nov. 1. (U.P.)—An earthquake was felt in Bucaramanga, Tunja, and other provincial cities, dispatches said today. In Tunja the walls of the cathedral were cracked and many buildings damaged. One building collapsed. No damage occurred in Bogota.

NEW MAIL SERVICE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1. (U.P.)—Airmail service from Chicago to Evansville, Ind., will be established November 19, setting postmaster general Glover, announced today.

Imperialists Fight for Oil in Latin America

By OUTPOST

IN the left hand top corner of South America, facing on to the Caribbean Sea, quite close to Panama and the canal, are the two states of Colombia and Venezuela. Very little about them gets into the news columns of the newspapers. You will scarcely ever hear them mentioned in political talk. I would lay a heavy bet that quite a number of senators couldn't spot either of them on the map if first shot.

But if you get hold of the oil papers, or if you look at the city pages of the ordinary papers, or if you get where the talk of oil and oil shares, you will hear both of them talked of quite a lot.
A Rich Land.
For both of them are rich in oil or in lands which are believed to be oil-bearing. Venezuela in particular. Her oil lands are estimated at 27,000 square miles. Her output is going up by leaps and bounds. Ten years ago it was only a few hundred thousand barrels a year. Five years ago it was four million. Now it is over fifty million. Venezuela will soon rank third after the U. S. A. and the U. S. S. R. among the oil-producing countries of the world.
Colombia, as an oil-producer, lags far behind Venezuela, with an output of only some 15,000,000 barrels. But that 15,000,000 barrels compares with 5,000,000 only a couple of years ago; with 500,000 a couple of years before. Development in Colombia is going forward with a rush, since "Standard"—which acquired big concessions there a dozen years ago—began seriously to exploit them.

First Class Fight

WHERE there is oil there is trouble. And since both in Venezuela and in Colombia the big English companies and the big American companies are rivals, there are all the elements of a first class fight, involving not only the companies but the governments.
So far it has all been very quiet and discreet and diplomatic. Every now and then a growl makes itself heard. The Americans will complain openly of British intrigues. Or an English oil magnate will indignantly declare that the Americans are "taking up an attitude based on the principles of the Monroe doctrine—namely 'America or the Americans, and the whole world for them.'"
But these outbursts of indiscreet ill-temper are rare. For the most part the war goes on unseen by the general public. Quiet men with big check books, who are on the closest terms with their countries' diplomatic representatives, visit Bogota and Caracas and talk persuasively to men in high positions. Local politicians show sudden and enthusiastic interest. Strings are pulled and counter-pulled. Pressure encounters pressure. Check book meets check book. Concessions are granted and cancelled—or curious obstacles prevent their working.
A "Revolutionary."
Take, for example, the great Barco concession in Colombia. Barco was a concession who put down "revolution" twenty years ago. He got a million odd acres of jungle as reward for services rendered. Said jungle proved to be oil land. Barco sold out to a syndicate in which Shell was heavily interested. But the Colombian courts soon decided that the syndicate's title was invalid. The Venezuelan government (the concession is on the frontier) refused to allow a pipe-line through its territory.
The concession was pretty well valueless. Then Harry Doherty, who was also interested, arranged for the sale of the majority holding in the syndicate to the Gulf interests. "Gulf," let me explain, is another name for the oil-interests of the Mellon family. Mr. Mellon, you will remember, is secretary of the United States Treasury.
The Mellons got control; and within a few months the magic happened. The Venezuelan government was delighted to allow a pipe-line to be made. The Colombian government gave assurances that at the first opportunity the supreme court would reverse its decision.
Then the British got busy and the Colombia government repealed the Barco concession. But Mellon's Kellogg intervened and we are waiting.

South American Magic

That is how magic works in South America. But it works both ways. And that is where the prospect of trouble lies. American diplomacy and British diplomacy are waging a quiet war in that unnoticed but fabulously wealthy corner of the world.
And at any moment the war may become anything but quiet. Already there are signs that the American oil lords may seek to enlist "public opinion" on their side.
The cry may go up that the British are trying to get not only an economic but a political grip on Colombia and Venezuela. The Monroe doctrine may be noisily invoked. There may be clamor that "the security of the canal is threatened."
There are, in short, many possibilities of big trouble down there.
And next year the term of office of Juan Vicente Gomez, president and dictator of Venezuela, expires.

British Will Renew Struggle With U. S.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Forced by the growing monopoly of American interests of the rubber supply of the world to release rubber from Ceylon and India, the British government repealed the Stevenson rubber restriction plan today.
Attempting to raise the price of rubber thru the principal sources which it had under control and thus force the American manufacturers to accept the price level, the Stevenson plan restricted planting and limited exports to keep the price up. The plan was effective all through the British empire.
Rubber War Coming.
The British capitalists, however, were outwitted by the American manufacturers and the result was the virtual control of the market by American interests. The Dutch growers increased their output for the American market and the American interests turned to reclaiming old rubber. The death blow was dealt when Harvey Firestone began his work on the vast Liberian concession and Ford started the rubber growing project in Brazil, and Thomas Edison helped his friend with some new inventions.
The result was a dangerous threat to Britain's position on the world market and the act was repealed. According to well informed opinion a vigorous rubber war is now likely to follow, with Britain attempting to regain its lost position.

NEW FLIGHT TO ROME

ROOSEVELT FIELD, L. I., Nov. 1. (U.P.)—The airplane Columbia probably will start on a flight to Rome tomorrow, Pierre Bonelli, navigator for the projected tour, said today.

IMPERIALIST RUBBER WAR IN FULL SWING

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Soviet Scientists Find New Seed Preservative

STAVROPOL ON THE CAUCASUS, Nov. 1.—After four years of incessant experimental work the local agronomist, Morozov, has invented a new method of preserving seeds through reaction of the sulphate of copper without water, together with copper carbonic acid and Paris green.
It is proved that having been reacted with this method the seeds retain their sprouting capacity and do not require any measures to be taken in order to preserve them from new decay. They are capable of yielding a crop ten per cent higher than before the reaction.

ARREST DISTRICT ATTORNEY

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 1. (U.P.)—Asa Keyes, district attorney of Los Angeles County, surrendered at the sheriff's office today on a warrant for his arrest on grand jury charges of "wilful and corrupt misconduct in office."

LATVIA TERROR TRIAL

Jail Communists; Process of 19 Soon

(By Red Aid Press Service) BERLIN, (By Mail).—According to the reports of the Riga press, the Lettish political police have arrested an "Emissary of Moscow." The man had a pass under the name of Straupman. In connection with this arrest a number of searches have taken place in Riga.
Process Against Socialists.
The process against the leaders of the Independent Socialist Party and of the left wing trade unions on account of revolutionary press activity, has commenced in Riga.
Hard Labor and Execution.
It is reported from Riga that the supreme court martial has ratified the sentences of death passed upon the four accused in the great espionage process a few weeks ago. The president of Latvia has relieved three of the accused, the fourth man will be executed.
Trial of 19 Communists.
A trial is about to take place of 19 Communists, working men and women, who are accused of having formed a Jewish Communist organization in Riga. The only proof in the hands of the authorities is that during a search of a house alleged to be the "headquarters" of the organization, a large Soviet star, books by Marx and Lenin and a number of clippings from Communist newspapers were found.
The following are amongst the accused: Friedland, Terfina, Bishovskaya, Evelson, Kostinok, Katschanov, Yankovski, Manusharov, Yakovlev, Subov, Samolov and others. The examination is at an end and the process is expected to begin in the next few days.

4,885,276 in New York State Can Vote Nov. 6

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 1. (U.P.)—There are 4,885,276 registered persons in New York state qualified to go to the polls next Tuesday, according to official figures made public by Secretary of State Robert Moses.
This figure establishes a high record and represents an increase of 97,772 voters over the number who registered in the last presidential election.
IMPERIALIST MOVE.
CAPE TOWN, South Africa, Nov. 1. (U.P.)—The government indicated today that the British proposal to link the dominions by wireless telephone was being considered sympathetically. It was said, however, that the suggestion that service might be opened within a year was regarded as over-optimistic.
We demand the immediate recognition of Soviet Union by the United States government!

Prepare for War With Huge Plane Company

CHICAGO, Nov. 1. (U.P.)—Organization of the Universal Aviation Corporation for passenger, mail and freight service was announced here today.
The announcement said the Universal Corporation has acquired control of Fokker Corporation of America, which will supply planes for the new system.
FRENCH WAR STEPS.
PARIS, Nov. 1. (U.P.)—Lieuts. Boulmaire and Marie, flying from France to Madagascar through Equatorial Africa, landed late yesterday at Bengali. News of their progress is coming in slowly from the isolated regions they are traversing.

AUSTRALIA DOCK WORKERS BATTLE UNION BREAKERS

Enraged at Sellout of Officials

MELBOURNE, Australia, Nov. 1.—Union dock workers, enraged at the treachery of the union officials in completely selling out the recent strike, and now doubly enraged because those who had scabbed on them during the strike are being retained by the companies in place of union labor, completely routed a group of scabs here today.
As a result of the conflict seven of the scabs were thrown into a pit at the railroad station, while one of them was hurled into the sea. Fights occurred all along the docks during the day and police were called in large numbers by the ship companies to protect the scabs.
So complete was the sell-out of the union officials that the employers are now taking the opportunity to break the union, with the cooperation of the government.

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Inhuman Beatings, Order of the Day in New York State Prisons, Correspondent Says

BLIND AND GAS PRISONER WITH AMMONIA GUN

Crooks With Influence Have It Easy

(By a Worker Correspondent)

I was very glad to see your recent editorial comment on prison riots which occurred during the last few months. The Daily and the Workers Party have paid too little attention to prison problems and to a Communist I would like to see the Workers Party defending the victims of a most brutal system regardless of whether they act blindly or organizationally. It is not enough to state that workers who violate the capitalist laws and fall into the hands of the guardians of private property are victims of a vicious system. You must show how and why.

Brutal N. Y. System.

I also want to take exception to the impression that the New York prison system is less brutal than elsewhere. No doubt there are excesses of cruelty in other parts of the United States, but the New York system is brutal enough, even the respected Mr. Laves. I was not long in Sing Sing, but while I was there a little storm occurred. It was on the morning when Ruth Snyder was brought to the prison. In the excitement they forgot to cook the beans for dinner, or perhaps they thought that the satisfaction of having airplanes circling about the place and photographers hovering around would do for a meal. Anyway, they served the beans half raw, and nothing else besides. Well, there was a clang of metal and crockery in the mess-hall, and a 9-0-0-0 loud enough to be heard outside the heavy walls.

In the afternoon the largest prison shop, the knit shop, the shoe shop, and some others struck. Why, bless you, your Warden Laves did what the brutes in Maryland that you mention in your editorial are doing. All the prisoners were promptly locked up in individual cells and the leaders were taken one by one to the office and intimidated and cajoled all day long. Well, the difficulties were somewhat settled, but Warden Laves made up for the fact that he has no dungeons in Sing Sing (even the ordinary cells are dungeons) by leading a goodly number of the disturbers away to other prisons where they will receive their punishment.

And why is Sing Sing a little better ruled than other places? Not because Warden Laves is there, but because it is near New York and the inmates there belong to the aristocracy of the underworld, those who have connections with politicians and big lawyers, those who have money and pay their way for everything they get, also for the privilege of staying in Sing Sing. I know that the prisoners are sifted and only those who have some connection remain there. I have seen prisoners who were on the list to be sent away having the principal lawyer's name and little sum to be taken off the list, and this in spite of the fact that inmates are not allowed to have any cash. Ask the Defense Committee of the Furriers and they will tell you whether the principal lawyer takes money. There are only very few there who are mere commoners. I myself was there a few months to be operated, because in the other prison where I was there were no accommodations for such cases.

I can tell you some brutal incidents in other prisons in New York State, similar to the ones mentioned in your recent editorial. I remember a fellow, Joe Bourret, in Auburn, who refused to go to the dark dungeon, who was blinded and gassed with an ammonia shotgun and then dragged by his feet down a flight of stairs and through a long hall to the dark cells, his head beating against the stairs as it fell each time the jailers descended a step. That he lived after the treatment was a miracle and not the fault of the jailers.

In Great Meadow Prison, Comstock, N. Y., they handle inmates in a different way. The inmate is usually taken to a cell and beaten by a gang of jail keepers. The leader of the gang usually is an officer by the name of Muldoon, an ex-prize fighter. The inmate's punishment is being taken to the warden and given an extra sentence of anything from ten days to six months, and sometimes the inmate is locked up in addition in a dark cell. The dark cell punishment is worth a little attention. In Comstock they have no special cells for punishment, the building was put up in this century and they did not make any provision for dark cells, so the authorities divided off one end of a gallery with boards and wire screens and made a number of cells dark. The cells have no beds or bedding. The ventilator at the top of each cell is covered. The water faucet and toilet are stopped up. The inmate is given three times a day a small slice of white bread and a cup of water, that is if the office in charge is not too busy or does not forget.

But the most terrible of all prisons is the one at Clinton, N. Y. There they send those who will not be ruled by any of their means. There they have all the refinements of the other prisons and in addition the lappers are tough and beatings and

"Health Day"—School Children Go Thru Annual Farce 'Examination'



In the schools of New York City, the health of the thousands of school children are endangered by the cramped, inadequate and unsanitary schools provided for them by the Tammany graft administration. A sham "Health Day" is staged once a year, when the children's health is "examined."

12-16 HOUR DAY; \$8 MONTH IN CHINA

The Chinese worker lives and labors under inhumanly hard conditions. The European or American worker could hardly imagine that such conditions actually exist. The Chinese worker, as a rule, works from 12 to 16 hours a day and sometimes more. In Shanghai, for instance, in the silk industry in the summer time, when the new cocoons are ready for reeling off silk, the hours reach up to 20, while in the silk industry, mostly women and children are working. In the mining industry, there exists a double shift of 12 hours each. Often it may happen that the miner works within the bowels of the earth all the 24 hours and sometimes he remains there 48 hours and more at a stretch. Only in a few enterprises a break of half an hour for meals is allowed, and in many enterprises even that break does not exist, so that the worker is obliged to eat while the machine is running at full speed not having a second's rest from work.

Sleep On Ground.
Such a long working day in addition to being semi-starved exhausts the man to such an extent that often he is unable to go home, if he has one, and falls asleep somewhere on the pavement near the factory. A large number of workers are obliged to sleep in the street, in the dust, under the open sky. Not only because of exhaustion are they unable to go home, but they are unable to walk four or five miles to the workers' barracks but often the reason is also that they have no money to pay for shelter because, as we shall see below, their wages do not enable them to obtain cover even in a dirty, stinking and overcrowded den which would nevertheless still be a shelter. Many, and especially workers with families, who attempt to improve these horrible conditions, are building for themselves on the outskirts of the cities some bamboo huts and they sleep there on the ground, but still they are under cover, until the police set fire to the whole streets of such bamboo huts for "sanitary" reasons.

The women who are working in the factories, whose percentage in Chinese industry is very high, have no place to leave their tiny tots and therefore take them along to the factory and hang them in cradles over the machines and leave them there until late at night until they finish work. Dust, dirt, noise of the machines, blows, hunger—are the conditions in which the workers' children are growing up. The capitalists in China are very widely resorting to child-labor. Thus, for instance, in Shanghai children under the age of 12 in Chinese enterprises make up 18 percent of all the workers, in the British enterprises 17 percent, and in the Italian and French enterprises 46 percent of all the workers. In China, the capitalists find it easy and simple to resort to extreme exploitation of the workers.

Starvation Wage.
The wages of the Chinese workers are extremely low and do not cover the physically necessary minimum of life. It is estimated that if in a family of 4 (man, wife and 2 children) there are working man and wife, which happens very seldom, then they earn on the average only from \$17 to \$18 a month (11 and 7). In order to subsist at least in a semi-starved condition, such a family has to purchase 30 kilograms of rice, which cost

physical punishment are on the order of the day. Perhaps it would also be of interest to mention the company union system they have in some of the prisons, in Sing Sing and in Auburn. By means of the so-called Welfare League the warden makes one part of the inmates act as guardians and terrorists against the rest. I have witnessed many cases in Auburn, where it is a daily affair, of prisoners being beaten up and bleeding by the hands of the Welfare League officers. Not only do not the officials interfere and punish the strong arm squad, but those who are beaten are taken before the warden and either punished or called down, just as in the courts of New York where right wingers always go free and left wingers are insulted by the judges. I remember a fellow Pat Conroy who was leading an opposition ticket for the League who was terribly beaten and cut up in the office of the Welfare League with officials of the prison all around and not interfering. Members of the opposition who dare criticize are framed up and punished, while the gang who does the dirty work for the warden get patronage, good jobs for themselves and their friends and other favors.

—AN EX-PRISONER—S. B.

63, TOO OLD TO SLAVE IN YALE

Aged Worker Laid Off "For Own Good"

(By a Worker Correspondent)

The enclosed letter was to a working woman, working in the Yale University dining room, where she worked for the last ten years, and now she is notified "that it is for her own good that she should not come to work this season," and that "she will appreciate very much" this notice.

She has been working like a regular horse, doing the heaviest work in the dining room of this factory for the production of goose-steppers, and now she is too old to work as hard as she used to. She "would be very glad to hear" that she is placed in the scrap pile of the capitalist system.

"Yale University, New Haven, Conn., The Dining Hall, "Office of the Director," Sept. 24, 1928.

"Mrs. Ellen Blew, 131 Frank St., New Haven, Conn. My dear Mrs. Blew:

"I am very sorry indeed to write you that I do not feel that it is wise or best for you to return to the dining hall this year. "Your work has been more than satisfactory and we greatly appreciate the contribution you have made, but owing to your general health we don't feel that we can permit you to assume so heavy a responsibility. It is not possible for us to lighten the work and we feel that it would be a great injustice to the other workers for us to do so.

"I am sure that you will be able to secure work in a private family that will not be so hard, and will pay equally as well as the position here. "I deeply regret that it is not possible for us to have you with us, but I am certain that you will appreciate that it is for your own good that I am suggesting the change.

"Very truly yours, CORY C. GOLBURN."

(Note:—The woman to whom the above letter was sent is 63 years old.) MITCHELL.

Two Workers Dead in Dam Cave-in in California

(By a Worker Correspondent)

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Nov. 1.—Two workers are known to be dead and several others may be buried in a cave-in of earth that occurred during construction of the Dalton Dam in Big Dalton Canyon, near San Dimas, Calif., it was reported to the sheriff's office here. Sheriff's sub-station No. 8, at San Dimas, said it would take several hours to determine whether any other workmen were buried in the slide. L. P. R.

Dance of Knitgoods Workers on Nov. 28

The annual ball of the knitgoods workers will be held this year on Thanksgiving Eve., Nov. 28, in Webster Hall, 119 E. 11th St.

The newly-organized Knitgoods Welfare and Culture Club has arranged this affair for the purpose of bringing into closer contact and relations the progressive elements in the trade. All workers have been invited to attend.

'LABOR' LAWS IN CALIFORNIA ARE MEANINGLESS

Hurt in Flood Camp, No Aid for Worker

(By a Worker Correspondent)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., (By Mail).—Met an old friend of mine today. Said he had been working in a flood control camp lately, about 10 miles from San Gabriel, Calif. Told about his back being injured while working in a wet hole, 40 feet deep.

His sickness was a bad case of lumbago, he said, and the cause of it was forced over-work and the dampness of the ground, etc. The dampness of the ground, etc. The industrial accident commission refused to grant compensation, he declared, in spite of favorable reports from company doctors. His injuries may be permanent, the worker feared. He was around today trying to find something "easy" to do. But that is next to impossible at all times in Los Angeles.

At least one man was killed and a number of workers were injured during his stay in the flood control camp, my friend said. But the local press, advocating peculiar "industrial freedom," have had nothing to say about it.

The so-called labor laws, signed by Hiram Johnson as governor of California, are as toothless as those who made them are labor-baiting Hooverites, as a rule. —L. P. RINDAL.

British-Soviet Break Costly to Britishers

LONDON, (By Mail).—The British Commercial Councillor in Berlin, in his report for the year ending June, 1928, and published by the Department for Overseas Trade, after citing the new contracts for goods made by the Soviet Union in Germany during the year, adds:

"Of the business relations between the two countries, it may be said that the Russians have always met their obligations punctually. Russian imports from Germany rose from 12,400,000 pounds sterling in 1926-27 to 20,900,000 in 1927-28. In the same period Russian imports from Great Britain fell off from 8,700,000 pounds sterling to 3,600,000.

Soviet imports from America and France increased considerably, and the London Herald points out that the Baldwin government's action in breaking off relations with the Soviet Union has cost England a huge trade loss. Before the break trade with Russia was growing, but since then it has lost \$25,000,000 in one year.

Jewelry Workers Will Hold Dance Saturday

The Jewelry Workers Welfare Club will hold its first concert and ball this Saturday evening at the New Webster Manor, 125 E. 11th St. A feature of the evening will be the recitals of Gregory Matusewicz, Russian concertina virtuoso, and Harry Fratin, violinist.

HANGAR FOR DIRIGIBLES. FRANKFURT, Germany, Nov. 1 (U.P.).—The municipality has started a popular subscription fund to build a revolving hangar for dirigibles here.

Earthquake in USSR Changes River Course

GROZNY, U. S. S. R., Nov. 1.—A few days ago there was an earthquake in the village Chechno-Shatoj, Grozny region.

At first there was heard a subterranean rumbling which gradually became louder and then came the first shock. Next morning deep snow covered the ground. It was found that the landslide on the Chikkin Rock had fallen on the road which then became impassable. The Chenga-Argun River has changed its course from the left shore to the right shore and the water is rushing through the new channel.

COMMUNISTS WIN 2,000 MORE VOTES BUT LOSE SEAT IN SWITZERLAND

BASLE, Switzerland, Nov. 1.—The results of the Swiss elections so far show that the Communist Party has polled 15,000 votes, a gain of 2,000 since the last election, but involving the loss of one seat in parliament.



In "Gods of the Lightning," the tense drama based on the Sacco-Vanzetti case now at the Little Theatre.

The social-democrats gained 15,000 more votes than last election, but gain only one seat more. The Catholic Party made the greatest successes, gaining four more seats. The conservatives and democrats both lost votes.

Roach Straton Opens 'For Men Only' Show

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 1 (U.P.).—Speaking to an audience of men only, Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church of New York City, challenged Governor Ritchie of Maryland to debate on the moral integrity of Governor Alfred E. Smith, democratic presidential candidate.

Straton had announced that his expose of crime conditions in New York would be such that only men should hear his talk last night. A crowd of 5,000 men attended.

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GAS KILLS THREE

Three persons were found suffocated today in their apartment in Brooklyn. Four gas jets were open when police forced their way into the apartment.

"Ten Days That Shook the World" at Carnegie Playhouse

ONE of the most dynamic and dramatic films ever made will have its American premiere upon the occasion of the opening of The Little Carnegie Playhouse, 146 W. 57th St., tonight. It is the epic picture, "Ten Days That Shook the World," the second production of S. M. Eisenstein, the director of "Potemkin."

Based upon the late John Reed's moving book of the same title, the picture treats of the ten epochal days which preceded the overthrow of the Kerensky government. In directing this film, Eisenstein has done superb work. Chiefly his intuitive understanding of his people and their monumental problems has given him his primary equipment in the sheer conception of the picture. Added to this, his mass uncanon symbolism achieve the startling reality of an actual news reel of the revolution. Among European critics "Ten Days That Shook the World" has created a sensation and both in cinema technique, photography and profound mob psychology they have placed it above "Potemkin."

A second feature on the program will be the revival of "Queen Elizabeth," with Sarah Bernhardt and Lou Tellegen in the leading roles.

ZOLA'S 'SHADOWS OF FEAR' COMING TO CAMEO

The Film Arts Guild will present, commencing this Saturday, at the Cameo Theatre, the American premiere of "Shadows of Fear," a First National production, directed by Jacques Feyder and based on Emile Zola's famous novel, "Therese Raquin."

Jacques Feyder, who is remembered for his "Crainquebille" with Maurice de Feraudy and "Carmen" with Raquel Meller, has reached new heights here with his direction, lighting and atmospheric background, and has assembled an international cast headed by Gina Manes and Wolfgang Zilzer, who play the husband and wife in this film. On the same program will be a comedy, "Jewish Prudence," in which Max Davidson is one of the players.

YOUNG WORKERS IN OHIO RALLY

WHEELING, W. Va., (By Mail).—In the most vicious open shop company-controlled town in the Ohio Valley, scene of brazen attacks upon all labor organizations and brutal suppression of campaign meetings of the Workers (Communist) Party of the Young Workers League branch of Eastern Ohio held a joint open election campaign rally in Marlboro, Ohio. The meeting was held opposite the Hungarian Hall, scene of a brutal attack upon a meeting of a few weeks ago when five men were wounded from the use of tear gas bombs and arrest several speakers.

Open Shop Police Are Defied

Despite the cold weather a large crowd turned out for the meeting. The police were present at the opening and as the crowd increased a call was sent to the headquarters, resulting in the appearance of a patrol wagon and additional forces. Regardless of these methods of the police to intimidate the workers an enthusiastic meeting was held and much literature was sold.

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Following the presentation "Shadows of Fear," the Film Arts Guild will present for the first time in America "Mata Hari," a German production, in which Max Davidson is one of the players.

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WORKERS PARTY IN MANY OPEN AIR MEETS FOR WEEK

Intensive Efforts to Wind Up Campaign

The following open-air meetings will be held this week in the election drive of the Workers (Communist) Party:

Today. Nabisco. (Noon.) Weinstein, Y. W. L. speaker.

Yaret and Graham, Brooklyn. Bimba, Primoff, Midola, Weich, A. Abramovich.

50th St. and 5th Ave. I. Zimmerman, G. Spino, Chalupski. Market Place (Newark). Padgug, N. Spizer, Frieman, L. Blumenthal, Singer (Elizabeth), B. Lifshitz, Pearlman.

Bliss Factory, 53rd St. and 2nd Ave., Brooklyn. McDonald, Chalupski.

Water Front, foot of W. 14th St. (Noon.) Sherman, Gussakof.

SATURDAY. 1st Ave. and 79th St. Gil Green, Luptis, S. Garlin, W. Chambers.

1st Ave. and 114th St. Sol Amerbach, Napoli, Magliacano.

W. N. Y. (14th St. and Bergenline Ave.). Spizer.

Elizabeth, N. J., Markoff. Perth Amboy, N. J. (305 Elm St.) Loyd, Padgug.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Bert Miller. Paterson, N. J. (3 Governor St.) Ballam, Martin.

Yonkers, N. Y. Baum, Nat Kaplan.

112nd St. and 5th Ave. Huiswood, Edw. Welsh, Jack Stachel.

STEEL STRIKE IN GERMANY LOOMS

BERLIN, Oct. 31 (UP).—The Rhinish and Westphalian metal-urgic industry looked assumed the dimensions of a wide conflict tonight after the owners announced a shutdown upon failure of the government's eleventh hour arbitration proposal.

The lockout, if extended to all branches of the industry would affect 250,000 iron workers. The struggle threatens a serious check to the entire German economic system, unless a swift settlement is achieved, observers said.

The employers had been preparing for a lockout recently and had reduced production of iron and steel. The trade union leaders announced that their organization was prepared for a struggle of several weeks at least.

With Repeats Promise 'Aid Unemployed by Collecting Data'

Choosing as his text the declaration of Lincoln that "you can't fool the people all of the time," Al Smith, political hypocrite par excellence, yesterday raked heavy Herby over the election coals for saying that the democrats would reverse things with the tariff and a false issue, Smith declared, making at Newark where Hoover fired the first gun in his eastern campaign with a talk on "labor," he laid down for an hour and a half a barrage of political bunkum as has not soothed the ears of liberals and pseudo-socialists in 15 months.

Smith's best shots were on the fact of unemployment "relief," favor the adoption of a government program to prevent the suffering and enormous losses of unemployment. This might mean something.

Smith left no doubt in the mind of his masters higher up: "Department of Labor should be charged with the duty of collecting data."

Smith is the same "New" Smith who when his plan "New York" was last winter stalled off unemployment relief. His other points promises were of a similar order.

BIG STEEL PROFITS

HEELING, W. Va., Nov. 1.—Net earnings of \$1,408,669.79 for the third quarter, ending Sept. were reported today by directors of the Wheeling Steel Corporation at their quarterly meeting. The sum on that date was given as \$1,112.51.

WORKERS CALENDAR

The Workers (Communist) Party of District 4 has arranged the following election campaign tours for L. Amier, Sadie Van Veen and Paterson:

L. Amier. Cincinnati, Oct. 25 to Nov. 4. Sadie Van Veen. Mining Section, Oct. 22 to Nov. 4.

NOVEMBER 4TH MEETINGS

Cleveland: Youngstown, Paterson, Akron, Ford, Canton, Foley, Cincinnati, Amherst, Liverpool, Coburn, Toledo, Hacker.

Cincinnati Open-Air Meets

The following open-air meetings will be held in Cincinnati under the auspices of the Workers (Communist) Party: Monday, 1th and Mound Sts.; Tuesday, Hopkins and Freeman Aves.; Wednesday, Longworth and Plum Sts.; Friday, St. Peter and Eastern Aves.; Saturday, Court and Vine Sts.

Pennsylvania State Labor Party

All workers labor and workers fraternal organizations in Pennsylvania are invited to participate in the formation of a Labor Party in their locality or to assist in the formation of the Labor Party in their locality.

Chicago Pioneers

The Pioneer concert and entertainment will take place on Saturday, November 2, 1929, at the Russian Co-operative Hall, 1623 Division St., Auspices, John Reed Pioneer Group. Admission, Adults 25c, Children 10c.

Election Ballots in Pittsburgh

Many Open Air Election meetings will be held in Pittsburgh by the Workers (Communist) Party. The office of the Labor Party, The Labor Party of Pennsylvania has full state and county tickets in the schedule follows: Every Monday, corner Homewood and Bennett St. E. End. Every Wednesday, corner Butler & 43rd St.

Springfield Open-Air Meets

Open air meetings are held in Springfield at the Post Office Square every Saturday night at 8 p. m. All members and sympathizers are urged to attend and take part in these meetings.

Pittsburgh District Meets

Numerous Workers (Communist) Party Open Air and indoor meetings are scheduled to be held in various parts of Western Pennsylvania during the election period. The full schedule follows:

Bridgeport Dance

A masquerade ball will be held on November 2, at the Fairfield Workers Home, 355 Kings Highway, under the auspices of the Bridgeport unit of the Young Workers Communist League.

Phila. Spaghetti Patriots!

You are all invited to attend the Red Dance and Spaghetti Party arranged by Unit 1-A, Section Committee, which will take place at the Progressive Labor Institute, 1208 Tasker St. on November 8 (Sunday), to begin at 8 p. m. to last all night.

Cleveland Dance

The West Side Branch of the Young Workers League announces its first dance of the season, to be held on Thanksgiving Eve, November 28, at 8 p. m., at California Hall, 100 Lorain Ave. at 8:00 p. m. First class music, several interesting features, including novelty folk dances in costume, exhibition dances, refreshments. Souvenirs will be given to the dancers. Admission tickets 50c in advance, 75c at the door.

YWL Dance in Pittsburgh

The Young Workers (Communist) League of Pittsburgh will hold its first winter dance at the International Lyceum, 305 James Street, Northside, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Saturday, November 16, 1929, beginning from 8 p. m. to midnight. Good orchestra and fine time assured. Admission 50c.

League Affair in Plainfield, N. J.

The Young Workers (Communist) League of Plainfield, N. J., will hold a concert and entertainment on Sunday, Nov. 11. Many features.

Connecticut Meetings

Wednesday, Oct. 31—New Haven Labor Lyceum, 28 Howe St., at 8 p. m.

CLOTHING LOCAL ENDORSES RED CANDIDATES

Brands "Socialists" as Capitalist Party

(Special to the Daily Worker) PITTSBURGH, Nov. 1.—At a membership meeting held last night of Local No. 86, A. C. W. of A., the entire membership, with the exception of one, voted to endorse William Z. Foster and Benjamin Gitlow, presidential and vice-presidential candidates of the Workers (Communist) Party. After the resolution was read by the secretary a discussion followed in the course of which the essential features of the Communist platform were brought out. It was also brought out by the members of this local that, at present, there is no real difference between the socialist party and the other capitalist parties. The local also voted to support the local candidates of the Labor Party, with the exception of the candidates for U. S. Senate. For Senator, the local endorsed the Workers (Communist) Party candidate, Wm. J. White.

Luzerne, Pa., Dance

An entertainment and dance will be held by the Luzerne, Pa., units of the Workers (Communist) Party, Saturday evening, November 2, at the Italian Hall, 209 Oliver St. A good program given by the Dramatic Club and the Pioneers, good eats in a South Slavic and dancing in variety. Admission 50 cents for men and 25 cents for women.

Ashabula L. D. Benefit

November 3rd the Ashabula council of the L. D. will sponsor an entertainment and dance for the benefit of the textile strikers, which will be held at the Macabee Hall, Bridge St., at 8 p. m. Comrade Karhu from Warren will deliver an address in Finnish and a local comrade will speak in English.

Flint Anniversary Meet.

The Workers (Communist) Party of Flint will hold the celebration of the 11th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution on November 7, 8 p. m. at 225 Tilden Street. Prominent speakers.

Bridgeport Ball

The Young Workers League of Bridgeport, Conn., will give a Costume and Masquerade Ball Saturday, November 2, at 8 p. m. at the Workers Hall, 236 Kings Highway. Admission 35c.

Anthracite Election Ballies

Nov. 2, Friday. Nanticoke Christian Hall, Pine St. Hanover Township. Speaker: Herbert Benjamin. Kulpport, Lincoln Hall. Speaker: Emil Gardos.

Cleveland Revolution Anniversary

On Sunday afternoon, Nov. 4, the Communist and the friends of Soviet Russia will celebrate the 11th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution at the Public Auditorium (Lake-side and E. 6th St.).

Warren, Ohio

The Young Workers (Communist) League of Warren announces a social dance on November 2, 8 p. m., at the Hippodrome Hall. Every body is invited.

Chicago Anniversary Meet.

The celebration of the 11th anniversary of the Russian Revolution, organized by the Young Workers (Communist) Party of the Workers, will take place Wednesday, November 7, at 8 p. m., at Schoenhofen Hall, Milwaukee and Ashland. Russian, Ukrainian, English and Polish speakers. Musical program. Admission 25c; at the door 35c.

Phila. Workers Forum

At the opening of the Philadelphia Workers School and Forum Friday, November 16, 8 p. m., at the Labor Institute, 810 Locust St., Scott Nearby will be the principal speaker. Admission 25c. Tickets are procurable at 1214 Spring Garden Street. Musical program.

Chicago Workers School

The opening of the Chicago Workers School has been postponed until Wednesday, November 7, due to election day on November 6. The Tuesday classes will convene the following week; all other classes will start as scheduled.

Braddock, Pa.

An election mass meeting and 11th Anniversary Celebration of the Soviet Union will be held at the Braddock Workers School, 1214 Spring Garden Street, Braddock, Pa., on Friday, November 16, 8 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA, PA. SCOTT NEARING

will speak in Philadelphia at the opening of the WORKERS SCHOOL AND FORUM on FRIDAY, November 16, 8 p. m., at Labor Institute on WAR DANGER and ATTACK on SOVIET UNION. 810 LOCUST STREET. Proceeds go to the Daily Worker. Admission 25c.

DETROIT, MICH. FOR THE DEFENSE AND RECOGNITION OF SOVIET RUSSIA. WORKERS! FIGHT AGAINST IMPERIALIST WAR!

Vote Communist DEMONSTRATION

for the 11th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution Sunday, Nov. 4, at 2 p. m. DANCELAND AUDITORIUM WOODWARD (near Forest) MAX BEDACHT (Member of the Central Executive Committee, Workers (Communist) Party)

PROGRAM:

- 1. Pioneer Orchestra. 4. Speakers: PHIL BART, 2. Ukrainian Chorus, Young Workers (Communist) League. 3. South Slave Chorus. 5. Speaker: Young Pioneers

Auspices: Workers (Communist) Party and Young Workers (Communist) League. ADMISSION 25c.

"Educators" Honor British Imperialist



For the great intellectual abilities displayed in his services to British imperialism in Palestine, Field Marshall Allenby, now visiting this country, has been given the degree of doctor of laws by New York University, a so-called institution of the higher learning. Photo shows the murderer of thousands of natives being received by American soldiers on his arrival at the university.

\$26 Collected for the 'Daily' Aboard Vessel

On May 17 a group from the Technical Aid of Soviet Russia collected \$26 for the Daily Worker while on board the steamer Paris. This was turned over to Selowitz to be given to the Daily Worker.

This sum has now been sent in to the Daily Worker office by Selowitz, who recently returned from abroad. The delay was caused by his protracted stay in the Soviet Union.

Discover 50 Sticks of 'Wood' to Be Dynamite

CHICAGO, Oct. 31 (UP).—Mrs. Eliza Owen collected kindling to start a fire for breakfast this morning and congratulated herself when she found a number of smooth, round sticks.

She called in the neighbors to inspect her find. One of them identified the "kindling" as dynamite—fifty sticks.

The Workers (Communist) Party favors the repeal of the Volstead act and the eighteenth amendment and at the same time energetic propaganda against alcoholism as one of the most malignant social diseases under capitalism.

Chicago Red Balloon Dance

All young and adult workers are urged to attend the Red Balloon Dance of the Young Workers (Communist) League, which will take place at the South Western Temple, Albany Ave. and Roosevelt Rd., on November 17. It will start sometime in the evening and end sometime in the morning. Support the Young Workers (Communist) League by attending our dance!

Chicago Pioneer Leaders Confer

On November 11, at 2021 W. Division St., there will take place a conference of the Pioneer Leaders of District No. 5, for the purpose of discussing the problems confronting the Pioneer organization in this district. There will be representatives from the steel and coal workers' work organizations, school work, etc., will be discussed. All interested are urged to attend.

Bishop Brown in Chicago

What will probably be the final indoor election campaign mass meeting in Chicago will take place at 10 p. m. at Mirror Hall, Western and Division Streets. Bishop William Montgomery Brown, famous "Heretic" preacher, will be the main speaker. In addition to Bishop Brown, local candidates will address the meeting. Admission will be 25 cents.

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TERROR AGAINST COMMUNISTS IN ITALY GROWING

New Victims for the Tribunal

BERLIN. (By Mail).—The Italian social-democrat G. E. Modigliani was forced to admit in the official organ of the Second International "International Information": "Terracini is dying in San Stefano in Toscana of blood poisoning. The prison doctor has declared that he is not in a position to treat such an illness. But the authorities make no attempt to send Terracini somewhere where he can be properly treated. Maffi is still in the prison hospital in Milan where it is said he has been subjected to a severe operation. Some time ago he complained about severe pains in the head which in his opinion (Maffi himself is a prominent doctor) came from the blows which he received in the parliament after his last speech.

During the course of the last few days 60 Communists were arrested in the neighborhood of Rome. The police report that they have discovered a secret printing plant with 10,000 Communist leaflets. Fourteen of the arrested are to be handed over to the Special Tribunal, the rest will be deported to the islands.

More Victims for the Special Tribunal

The republicans, democrats and socialists are on the side of the houses.

Eight Countries in Int'l Wine Trust

Ivy Lee, publicity director of the Standard Oil Company and other corporations, issued yesterday the text of a treaty signed by eight European countries to carry on jointly a campaign, presumably throughout the world, to promote the sale of wine.

Lee said the treaty had been registered with the League of Nations Aug. 29, but never published, although it went into force Oct. 29, 1927.

More schools in working class neighborhoods. The abolition of religions, Jingoist and anti-union propaganda in the schools.

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of the Ku Klux Klan and American Legion

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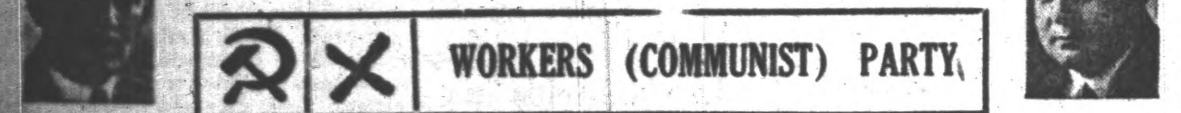
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The Socialist Party's "Comrade"—Al Smith

Of course there is nothing more "socialistic" about the multi-millionaires' presidential candidate on the democratic ticket than there is about the multi-millionaires' candidate on the republican ticket. Nor is there anything remotely resembling socialism in Al Smith, Raskob's friend, any more than there is of tropical temperature in the region of the North Pole.

Yet it is an open secret that the socialist party is worried sick about the inroads being made by the Tammany orators among the New York followers of the socialist party since Hoover made his little joke about Al Smith as a "state socialist." The smaller fry among the Tammany orators on the East Side of New York have given their orders to use "socialistic" terms in describing Smith's alleged "progressiveness." It is an actual fact that in the New York working class districts in which the socialist party has hitherto received its biggest vote, speakers for the big capitalist democratic party are addressing their audiences in some cases as "comrades."

Each of the capitalist political parties are pretending to be gravely concerned about the farm problem. Smith, the democratic candidate, made a gesture of approval of the "general principles" of the McNary-Haugen bill, but balked at committing himself on the equalization fee which is supposed to guarantee the farmer a sufficient return to cover the cost of production of his marketable products.

year will understand that the socialist party is a wing of a general "party of capitalism." Many more thousands are learning that the Workers (Communist) Party is the working class party—the only working class party.

Of course Tammany orators are not calling Al Smith a "Communist." He is the Reverend Thomas' "comrade"—not the workers' comrade.

Hoover's Insult to Farmers
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Both Hoover and Smith are serving their masters, the exploiters and oppressors of the workers and farmers, by endeavoring to enlist the farm vote in support of the policies of Wall Street. It is against precisely such an alliance that intelligent farmers who are aware of their interests must fight.

"UGH, NIGGER PARTY!"



By Fred Ellis

Beast of Prey Crouching for a New Spring

By JOHN PEPPER

THE beast of prey is crouching for a new spring. United States imperialism is making thoroughgoing preparations to accomplish the permanent occupation of Nicaragua.

November 4 is election day in Nicaragua. The "lucky" Nicaraguans are enjoying a most brutal, bloody and barbarous military invasion by United States marines. Under the pretext of supervising the elections and preventing "election frauds" on November 4 in Nicaragua, the United States government, which at the same time is manufacturing wholesale election frauds for November 6 in the United States, is holding the Nicaraguan people under the rule of its military forces. United States imperialism, under the pretext of establishing "free" institutions of "democracy," is establishing a naked, shameless dictatorship of marines not less infamous than the reign of Cossackdom in Tsarist Russia.

An "American" Election
General McCoy is the head of the present military occupation of Nicaragua by the United States. He reports proudly that the entire country has been districted and American officers have been detailed as supervisors at the polls. There will be "not an election booth without its American." The reporter of the New York Times stated:

"Not one who watched General McCoy and his subordinates in the trying days last summer has any doubt that the election will be as fair as it is humanly possible to make it."

The notorious Stimson agreement negotiated in May, 1927, declared brazenly that "the next Nicaraguan national election would be free and fair under the supervision of the United States." The facts have shown since then how "free and fair" military rule of United States imperialism has extinguished the last vestiges of independence and national self-determination of the Nicaraguan people.

After fifty-one years I see many difficulties, but I see, also, many influences at work in our direction. It is good to have lived to see this, and especially to have been permitted a small share in bringing it about.

An "American" Election Is Held in Nicaragua; "Democracy" at All Costs

Let us examine the facts. How does United States imperialism accomplish the feat of fitting a round peg into a square hole—the carrying out of "free and fair" elections under the military supervision of a foreign imperialism?

gospel of American democracy in foreign countries, these generals and officers and marines, have to overcome in convincing the hard-headed Latin Americans to accept the blessings of popular rule. Mr. Denny complains in the following way:

"But even then the opponents of supervision were not done. There existed one joker in the supervision measure. The American officials saw this weak spot from the first, but knew no way to remove it. That was the provision that if no candidate received a majority of all the votes cast the president would be elected by congress. Since congress would be strongly conservative, and would act impartially only by a miracle, such an eventually would have defeated our whole program of supervision."

WHEN I WAS TWENTY-ONE

By TOM MANN.
Fifty-one years ago this month, when I was twenty-one, I came to London for the first time. There was a strike on...

tractors brought in blacklegs from the Continent. The fight, which was for reduction of hours and increase in wages, lasted eight months. The men were beaten. There was also a series of bitter fights in the cotton trade, and there was a good deal of savagery on both sides.

was set in motion by Toribio Tizerino... a supporter of Sandino.
But genuine "democracy" triumphed over all these sinister intrigues. The United States general began a counter-offensive against the vile offensive of all these political parties, and carried the day. Mr. Harold Norman Denny, as was correspondent of this magnificent battle to establish democracy, shows us how General McCoy crushed the enemy's columns one after the other.

Both candidates of United States imperialism for the Nicaragua presidency have already made a pronouncement demanding "the continuation of American military control in Nicaragua." Moncada, the "liberal" candidate, addressed a letter to Bernard, the conservative candidate, suggesting that American military supervision should be maintained not only on November 4-5 in the coming 1932 election, a Mr. Bernard, the wealthy sugar manufacturer, replied that "I welcome with enthusiasm your laudable bid to maintain at other constitution times free suffrage under the friendly mediation of the government of the United States."

The working class of the United States must take note of these developments in Nicaragua, the beast of prey of United States imperialism is crouching for a spring, for the permanent military occupation of Nicaragua. The November 4 Nicaraguan election under the military dictatorship of United States imperialism, now announced for the November 4-5 election in the United States, is a working class of America must have a clear, unambiguous answer to brazen attempt to establish a military dictatorship in Nicaragua.