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### THREE THOUSAND MINERS STRIKE IN ANTHRACITE

Walk Out When Boss Attacks Worker

(Special to The DAILY WORKER) NANTICOKE, Pa., July 13.—Three thousand miners and mine workers of collieries 5 and 7 of the Suquehanna Coal Company went on strike when section foreman of the colliery, Robert Davis, beat up the motorman, John Beyer. The miners demand that section foreman Davis be discharged and pushed in accordance with the mine rules. Beyer was beaten up by the foreman when he "disobeyed" some rulings of the boss.

### GREAT THROG AT CONCERT TONIGHT

25,000 are Expected to Hear Theremin

(Special to The DAILY WORKER) WILKES-BARRE, Pa., July 13.—Over 1,500 mine workers, members of the local union No. 1432, working in Maxwell colliery No. 20 of Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal Co. went out on strike today against the coal company who by speeding up has in the past several weeks fired 30 men from the job without making any provisions for them.

### TAXI INSPECTORS IN NEW RACKET

Drivers Complain of Lost Cards

Charges that hack inspectors, acting under orders from the Hack License Bureau, were stealing criminal identification cards from taxi-cab drivers were inside of restaurants, attending to other business, have been made during the past two weeks by taxi drivers and officials of taxi associations.

### DEMAND STRIKE IN FALL RIVER

(Special to The DAILY WORKER) FALL RIVER, Mass., July 13.—Over three thousand Fall River textile workers responded to a mass meeting called by the Textile Mills Committee, and showed the greatest enthusiasm when the speakers threw out the slogan "Prepare for a Strike."

### WORKERS PARTY SPEEDS DRIVE

Reports reaching the national campaign headquarters of the Workers (Communist) Party from all sections of the country indicate that interest in the Communist campaign is daily becoming more widespread.

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### Youth League Has Military Training Now

A new course in the curriculum of the summer training schools for young workers this year is military training. While the capitalist military organizations are preparing for imperialist wars, and to use the military forces against the workers, the students in the training schools are obtaining military knowledge to use for their own class interests.

The Young Workers (Communist) League is opposed to capitalist militarism and will continue to fight the C. M. T. C. and other institutions of this type, but we realize that pacifism is an equally effective instrument of imperialism. The military courses for young workers demonstrates our stand for military knowledge—when it will be used for the interest of the working class.

### FREED WORKERS WELCOMED AT DEMONSTRATION

Hundreds Gather at Union Square

A demonstration in which hundreds of workers braved the rain late yesterday afternoon was held at Union Square to welcome the four workers released from the Tombs and the Workhouse, where they had served a sentence of five days for participation in an anti-imperial demonstration in front of the office of J. P. Morgan on July 3.

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### Behind Throne



Big Business will direct the campaign of Al Smith directly without recourse to a middleman. So Al has "selected" John J. Raskob, shown above, who is chairman of the finance committee of the viciously open-shop Morgan-controlled General Motors Corp., as chairman of the democratic national committee. Raskob is worth more than \$100,000,000.

### HOLD MEETINGS TO FREE PORTER

Youth Takes Up Fight For Young Rebel

The voice of the working class is beginning to be heard in answer to the challenge of Porter's imprisonment for his revolutionary labor activities while technically subject to military law.

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### Picketing in the Waiters' Strike



Gertrude Walsh is a member of the Waiters' and Waitresses' Union which has declared a strike against the Truefood restaurants in New York. She is militantly engaged in the strike for better working conditions.

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### REPORT 5 OTHERS FOUND IN THE FAR ARCTIC WASTES

Icebreaker Searching for Amundson Now

By EUGENE LYONS. MOSCOW, July 13 (UP).—A tale of triumph of a sturdy Soviet ice ship and hardy Soviet seamen, scientists and navigators over the ruthless, elemental forces of the Arctic was told in messages from the Steamship Krassin which reported today the rescue of all known living survivors of the trans-polar dirigible Italia.

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# Workers and Peasants of Mexico Elected 4 Communists to the Chamber of Deputies

## HEADS OF R. R. UNION PEASANT LEAGUE CHOSEN

Glavan and Laborde are Members of C.E.C.

(Special to The DAILY WORKER) MEXICO CITY, July 13.—The incomplete election returns indicate that four Communist deputies have been elected in Mexico. Among these are Ursulo Galván, leader of the National Peasants League, and Hernán Laborde, leader in the Railwaymen's Union. Both are members of the Central Executive Committee of the Mexican Communist Party.

The elections now taking place in Mexico, with Obregon slated as the successor of Calles and his victory assured, have thus far resulted in the election of four Communist deputies to the legislature. The National Peasants League, which has a strong Communist faction, and the Railwaymen's Union, in many of whose leaders are Communists, are two of the central points of the revolutionary peasants and workers. The success thus far in the elections for the Communists has surprised the reactionary leaders of the CROM, the Mexican Federation of Labor, who have attempted by all means to suppress the voice of the rank and file of Mexican labor.

## Navy Officers Fear The Daily Worker

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The Young Workers (Communist) League has sent official protests to the postal authorities and to the naval authorities demanding that the interference with mail sent to sailors be discontinued at once. Recently, many papers to sailor subscribers were returned by the naval officers.

AUSTRALIAN GOVT. DEFICIT. SYDNEY, Australia, July 13.—(UP)—A budget deficit of \$13,210,000 for the financial year was announced by the Government today. A surplus of \$240,000 had been expected.

## More Troops for Wall Street's Latin American Colonies

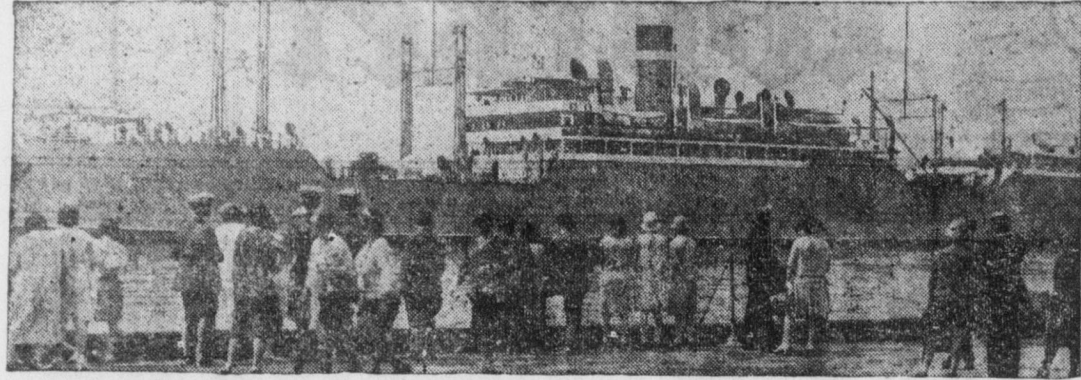


Photo shows the government transport St. Michel leaving New York with a detachment of troops for Porto Rico, official property of American imperialism, and Panama, "unofficial" property of American imperialism. They are going there to preserve "order" and protect "American interests."

## 2 MORE RESCUED BY SOVIET SHIP

## Soviet Flyer Crashes After Finding Men

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of ice. It was swirling in the churning sea around it. Bit by bit it was breaking up. The errant winds had been driving it to and fro. Volunteers from the Krassin leaped overboard onto the ice that jammed against the ship. Planks were handed out to them, and one by one the planks were pushed ahead in a path over and between the floes the 600 feet to the party. In her reports, the Krassin said that Malgrem was dead, and indicated that his body was taken aboard.

But latest reports from the Krassin indicate that the body of the explorer is not aboard and that it has not been found.

MOSCOW, July 13.—(UP)—The Russian ice-breaker Malgin, one of the Soviet boats sent into the Arctic area for Italia relief work, today was ordered to make another attempt to locate the Roald Amundsen Party and then return to Archangel.

The Soviet Committee ordered this last search for Amundsen—who with five aides has been missing since June 15—in the belief the party still might be alive some place in the treacherous, ice bound territory from which seven members of the Italia crew have been brought out alive.

## Ford Stole His Invention, Says Worker in Suit

DETROIT, Mich., July 13.—Henry Ford was sued today for approximately \$2,000,000 by one of his former workers, who claimed the automobile manufacturer failed to pay him for certain inventions used on Ford cars and tractors. Antonio Felix Jajalish, the plaintiff, charges that Ford promised to compensate him for improvement made on the fans, used in the Ford car and tractor, and oil pipe, coil box and fuel tank for the tractor. Pajalich is a native of Istria, in the ancient republic of Venice. He came to America in 1906 and was employed in the Ford factory for six years, much of the time, he said, being in the Ford laboratories at Dearborn.

## Foreign Capitalists On Visit to Mussolini

TURIN, Italy, July 13.—One hundred and twenty Italian business men, residing in France, arrived today and were welcomed by the Prefect. They will tour the country under the special supervision of the fascists and will have an interview with Mussolini.

The visit is looked upon as an attempt to save Italy from economic collapse, which has been especially marked during the last year, when banks failed for billions of lire. With the aid of foreign capitalists Mussolini will attempt to attain stabilization, it is thought.

## 37 MILL STRIKE PICKETS JAILED

## Workers Sentenced to Six Months Each

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Lines of pickets marching to a central point at the south end of the city and moving in increased numbers from 4 o'clock in the morning were enthusiastically cheered by the workers waiting for the whistle at the Fiske, Goodyear and Firestone Tire Fabric Mills. Committees of workers from these mills had asked the Textile Mills Committee to form them into an organization. This is being done, the union stated.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 13.—Over twenty-five English and French workers, members of the Textile Council of the United Textile Workers Union, came to the headquarters of the Textile Workers Union of the Textile Mills Committee yesterday and requested that a joint meeting of the membership of both organizations be called by the T. M. C. The voluntary delegation declared that the A. F. T. O. members were overwhelmingly dissatisfied with their officials.

This request was complied with and a meeting will be held for A. F. T. O. members at the Potomska St. Hall, Saturday at 10 a. m. Albert Weisbord leader of the National Textile Committee will be one of the speakers.

## ORGANIZATIONAL NEED FOR TROY WORKERS URGENT

## Worker Says Factory Council Needed

(By a Worker Correspondent) TROY, N. Y., July 13.—The 940 Cluett Peabody collar workers employed at the Jay St. factory here have won their strike. They have prevented the introduction of a new system of wage-paying which would have meant a reduction of 35 to 50 per cent in the workers' weekly wage.

The strike started spontaneously on Monday morning after the cut had been announced for only one department, the buttonholers. At once every worker in the plant, the majority of them girls, 900 in all, refused to work. All stood solidly behind those who had been affected by the wage slash. No one walked out. Even without leadership, they understood what had to be done. They stayed on the job, came to the factory for three days, but did no work.

Workers Gave Support. You have won your fight, Jay Street workers! The Workers Party hails your victory as one more proof of the growing fighting spirit of American workers, and young workers.

But, what are you going to do now? Do you think for one minute that Cluett, Peabody and Co. have given up the idea of cutting wages? Not a bit. They are waiting for an opportunity to break your ranks, buy off or fire your leaders and then will come the same cut in different language.

Form Factory Council. Jay Street workers, you must have a permanent factory workers council. You have the basis for it in the committee just elected to deal with the bosses in this strike. Make that committee a permanent committee.

Form a Jay Street Factory Workers Council. Prepare to defend yourselves against further attacks on your already too low wages, and perhaps to win back the losses of former cuts.

And read the DAILY WORKER. Daily Worker representatives were with you in Troy during the strike. We were ready to help you win

## How Workers Will Be Murdered in Next War



Photo shows soldiers of the 71st Regiment, which is camping at Camp Smith, Peekskill, N. Y., giving a graphic illustration of the workings of the Kellogg "peace" plan.

## POLICE BAN ON TEXTILE STRIKE TAG DAY SCORED

## Passaic Relief Body to Defy Order

The action of the Chief of Police of Passaic in withdrawing his previously granted permit for a tag-day for the New Bedford textile strikers relief, was condemned in a statement issued recently by the Textile Strikers Relief Conference of Passaic. It was also learned that the higher officials of the United Textile Workers Union had been very active in getting the police head to rescind the permit. The statement, which is signed by Stephen Milus, Jr., the conference secretary, says in part:

"We are determined to carry on our activity and raise funds in Passaic and vicinity for the New Bedford strikers, despite all attempts to stop us.

"Twenty-eight thousand textile workers have been on strike for 13 weeks—the mill bosses have tried to open the mills Monday morning, July 9, the militia was called out to intimidate the strikers, and the strikers of New Bedford answered the bosses by mass picket lines around 56 mills on strike. The New Bedford Textile Workers Union represents the main body of strikers, the unskilled men and women. In order to win the strike they must be fed. Since when have the Passaic authorities supported strikes? Why are they so anxious now to support Fuller?"

"Neither the city authorities nor Fuller can deny us our right to help our fellow-workers in New Bedford. We intend to carry out our purpose for which the new Bedford Strikers Relief Conference of Passaic was organized—to raise money for New Bedford, and do everything possible to support them so that they can win their strike."

must be paid for on delivery.

"The National Election Campaign Committee appeals to all Communists to help build the \$100,000 Communist Campaign Fund. Address all communications to Alexander Trachtenberg, Treasurer, National Election Campaign Committee, 43 East 125th Street, New York, N. Y.

## GERMAN POLICE SHOOT STRIKERS

## Attempt to Break up Textile Walkout

BERLIN, July 13.—The newspaper Allgemeine Zeitung reported from Cattowitz today that 14 workers and two policemen had been wounded in a clash that resulted when police attempted to break up a textile workers demonstration.

your strike had the bosses not given in at once. Wherever workers are fighting for better wages or to prevent any cut in their wages or conditions—the DAILY WORKER is on the job to help them. The DAILY WORKER is the weapon which fights in every struggle of the workers.

## ELECTION DRIVE IS INTENSIFIED

## Campaign to Win Over Auto Workers

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Appeal to Workers. "A special appeal now in preparation will shortly be sent out to 100,000 militant workers and farmers throughout the country. Almost a half million separate pieces of printed material have already been ordered for this job alone. Together with the enormous cost of mailing, this item alone will mount into thousands of dollars, most of which

# Most Amazing Invention of the Twentieth Century!

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## Produces Music from the Air



## ROXY BALLET

Russian and Oriental Dances

## Symphony Orchestra

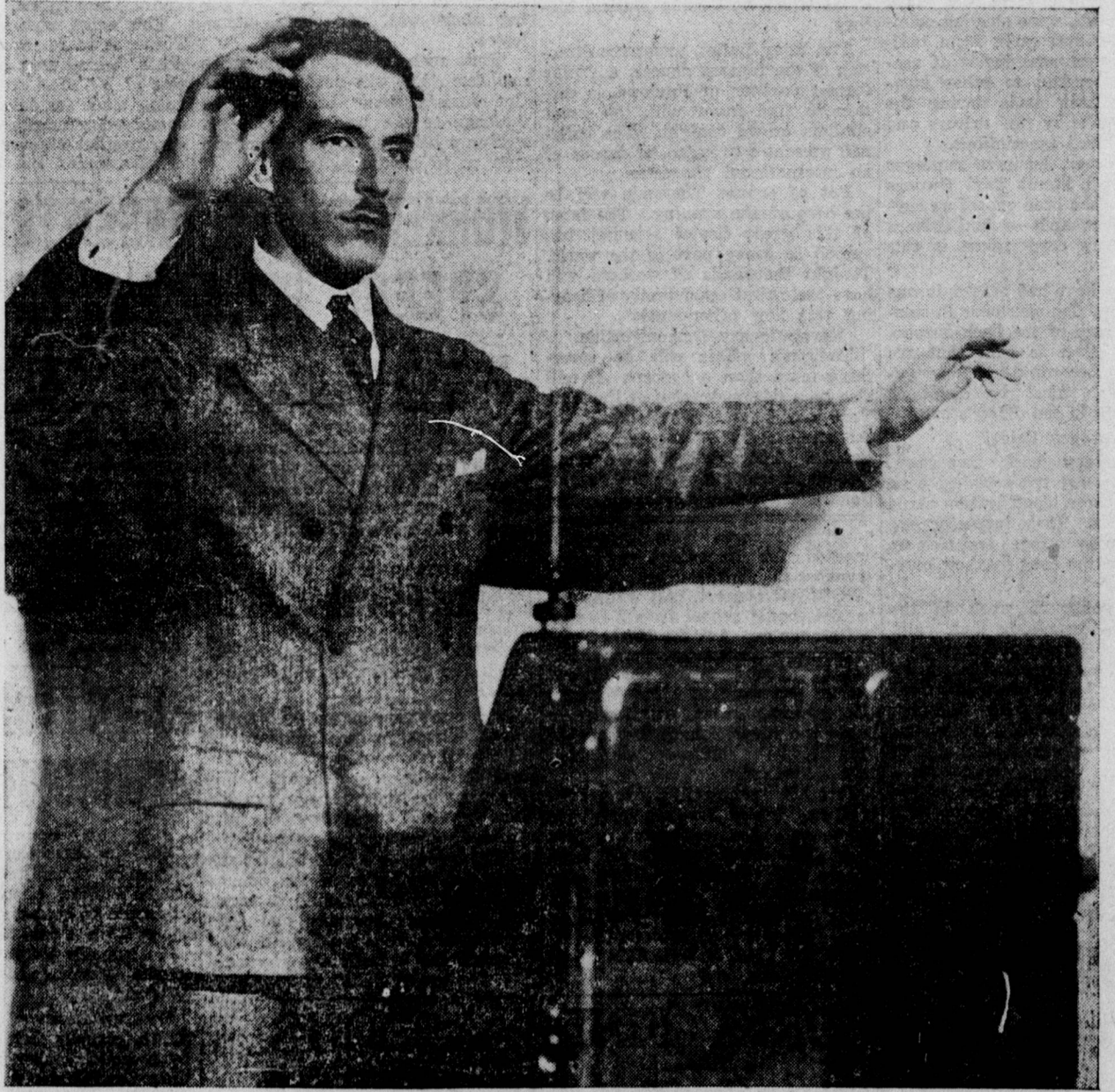
ARNOLD VOLPE

Conductor

# TONIGHT

TICKETS FOR SALE ALL DAY AT THE STADIUM

Admission: 75c; \$1.00; \$1.25 and \$1.50



# CONEY ISLAND STADIUM

Surf Avenue and West Sixth Street



# Handouts

Chiang Kai-shek has just completed weeping at the tomb of Sun Yat Sen. If Sun Yat Sen were alive he would weep over the way Chiang has betrayed the cause of the Chinese masses.

Yu Waven Shotts, the baby who gained the attention of the world by talking when she was a few weeks old, already shows some signs of comprehending materialism. The first words she uttered were "Eat! Eat! Eat!"

## Political Tactician



"Musical Charlie" Arnett of Wichita Falls, Tex., plays the concertina to drum up enthusiasm and win votes for Al Smith. Those who have heard Charlie play have been kind enough to maintain he is in the pay of Herbert Hoover. Al doesn't need a concertina. His instrument is Tammany which plays a melody sweet to the ears of corrupt politicians all over the U. S.

Louis Rothbard, a lawyer, pleaded ignorance of the law when charged with ambulance chasing. He wouldn't be the first lawyer who knew nothing of the law. This recalls the character in Jack London's story who was a lawyer called "Necessity," because Necessity knows no law.

Emerald, the class conscious ant, says: "Politicians' relatives on New York payrolls constitute the real army of the unemployed."

## Here's a Kick.

"Ma, who is it?" "A daughter of the rich." "What's she working at?" "Taking the itch out of a new bathing suit." "Is that all the rich do?" "Mercy not! They're very busy spending the time and money they steal from workers." "What has she got her shoes on for?" "She's going for a walk. Only fish swim nowadays."



## Gems of Learning

F. Trubee Davison, Assistant Secretary of War, in charge of Aviation says: "...our new attack planes... have demonstrated their high efficiency and our new type of bombing plane... is rapidly replacing the types now in use. The bomber planes to be put in service this year will be even superior to those that were obtained in 1927-28." Isn't that strange. And Secretary Kellogg hasn't said a word about war.

Brig. General John Henry Russell of the Marine Corps, American High Commissioner to Haiti who has just arrived in New York says: "You can go anywhere in Haiti alone and be safe. That is more than you can say for some countries." A jailor can stroll through Sing Sing without much danger.

Eleanor Boardman, wife of King "Igor" movie director, made a two-months' tour of Europe to track down a new name for her daughter. The name was changed from Joyce to Antonia. When it comes time to teach the young girl to drive an automobile Eleanor will probably take her to a public library.

Frank J. Hogan, lawyer for Col. Stewart, oil man who defied the senate and was recently acquitted: Justice has been done... It is time he Walshes, Nyes and Norris should learn that prosecutions of his kind cannot prevail.... It is time.

Col. C. D. Ham, ex-Nicaraguan collector general of customs: "The airlines should not be withdrawn from the elections. It makes no difference which side wins." Ham is hard boiled egg. He knows the airlines will stay until U. S. banks can get everything they can lay hands on.

# MOTHER OF TOM MOONEY GIVEN HUGE OVATION

## Hold Picnics, Meetings for Frame-Up Victims

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. (By Mail). — Mrs. Mooney, mother of Tom Mooney, noted class war prisoner, now in San Quentin, was given a great ovation when introduced by Comrade J. E. Snyder at the annual Bay District I. L. D. picnic, held in East Lake Park on July 4.

The picnic, a joint affair of the I. L. D. locals of San Francisco, Oakland, Berkeley and Richmond was turned into an impressive demonstration in the campaign to "Free Mooney and Billings." This opened the Pacific Coast campaign under the direction of Edgar Owens, organizer of the I. L. D., who was principal speaker of the day.

Mrs. Mooney was visibly impressed with the great ovation of the assembled workers. She expressed her pleasure in this demonstration of labor solidarity and her confidence that such support thru the renewed campaign of the I. L. D. was sure to secure the release of her son Tom Mooney and his Comrade Warren K. Billings.

The social feature of the outing was the singing of the Russian-Ukrainian chorus of San Francisco which was cheered into repeated encore.

## CAB INSPECTORS LIFT TAXI CARDS

### Tammany Officials in New Graft Racket

(Continued from Page One) card. The chances are ten to one, drivers report, that the mailman has not delivered the mail with his card and he is then told to come back the next day.

Hundreds of drivers complain that hack inspectors have held up their cards two and three days before mailing them downtown. One driver, who had left his cab in front of an office building on Park Row, had his card picked up. He had merely gone into the building to wash his hands. When he came out he noticed that his card was missing.

A private chauffeur told him that a hack inspector had "lifted" the card. The taxi driver went to the Oak St. police station, where he was told by the captain in charge to go to the hack license bureau. It took this driver three days to get his credentials back. This case is typical.

Hack inspectors who take cards in this way are guilty of larceny and are liable to civil or criminal prosecution. Many taxi drivers, it is said, have paid graft to inspectors for the return of their cards.

Another driver stated that his card had been taken from his cab while he was inside a coffee pot on Seventh Ave., Harlem, and declared that it was "just another scheme to mulct graft from us drivers. If a meter seal should break on my clock, and they break quite often, it costs me just one 'buck.' But to get my card back is more expensive. If I only had a 'pound' (\$5) I could get my card back from that louse (pointing to an inspector walking in the next block) in thirty minutes. It's just a case of graft, graft, graft."

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# Workers Party Activities

Section 7. Section 7 will hold a Red Sunday for the election signatures drive. Every member of the section is requested to call at section campaign headquarters, 1373 43rd St., Boro Park, Sunday 10 o'clock.

Section 4 Agitprop. Section 4 Agitprop Directors and Literature Agents will hold a meeting on Monday, 8 p. m. at 143 E. 103rd St. Agitprop directors and literature agents must come to this meeting.

Brownsville Y. W. L. An open air meeting at Williams and Sutter Ave. will be held Monday at 8:30 p. m. by the Brownsville Young Workers League. Speakers: Frum, Clark, Gudisman, Lipshitz and Polchack.

Tuesday Night. An open air meeting will be held Tuesday at Fulton and Rochester Ave., at 7 o'clock. Speakers: Kaso, Nielman and Williams.

Friday Night. An open air meeting at Hopkinson and 71st Ave. will be held Friday at 7 o'clock. Speakers: Spector, Stone, Wilson, Platirac and Bortz.

Section 3E. Unit 3E 1F will meet Tuesday, July 17th at 6:15 p. m. at 191 W. 27th St.

Section 3E 2F. Unit 3E 2F will meet on Wednesday July 18th at 6:15 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St.

Section 7. Section 7 will hold a membership meeting Wednesday, July 18th, at 8 p. m. at 74 1/2 10th St., Brooklyn.

Section 3C. Units of Section 3C will meet Monday at 8:30 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. All units must elect campaign directors for the election drive. Directors must give report to the executive.

Section 1. A meeting of all unit Women's Work Organizers of Section 1 will be held Tuesday, July 17th, 7:30 p. m., at 60 St. Marks Place.

All Section Campaign managers must hand in reports on signatures and get material needed at the district office on Thursdays of every week.

Section 2 and 3. All comrades in Section 2 and 3 are asked to report at section headquarters, 101 West 27th Street, promptly at 12 o'clock today without fail, by order of the District Office. Attendance will be checked.

Section 2 and 3. There will be a general membership meeting of sections 2 and 3 on Monday, July 16, 8:30 p. m., at 101 W. 27th Street. All members must attend since very important matters will be taken up.

Labor and Fraternal. Besenrabian I. L. D. A membership meeting of the Besenrabian I. L. D. branch will be held on Monday, July 9th, 8 p. m. at 60 St. Marks Place.

Workingclass Women. Council 1 will have a lecture on Tuesday evening, July 17th, 8:30 p. m. at 143 E. 103rd St. The subject to be discussed will be the election campaign. Dr. Hater will lecture.

Council 2 will hear a lecture on Wednesday evening, July 18th, 8:30 p. m. at 1400 Boston Road, Bronx. The subject to be discussed will be the election campaign. Lecturer will be announced.

The District Women's Committee will meet on Wednesday evening, July 18th, 7:30 p. m. at the Workers Center, 28 Union Square.

The Executive Committee of the Working Women's Federation will meet on Thursday evening, July 19th, 7:30 p. m. sharp, at the Labor Temple, 14th St. and Second Ave. in Room 32.

Workers Culture. The Workers Culture Club of Bath Beach will have an Outing Sunday, July 22nd, 9 a. m. at 1949 Benson Ave.

Spanish Workers Dance. This evening at 8:00 p. m. there will be a dance and entertainment, in behalf of the Centro Obrero (Spanish Workers Center), at the

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# SHIRT WORKERS FIGHT WAGE CUT IN PERTH AMBOY

## Young Pioneers Give Picket Aid

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., July 13. —The second day of the strike of young shirt workers here finds the ranks holding fast and firm. A large and strong line of strikers picketed the Jaco Co. today. No one has returned to work and all were present at the strike meeting held this afternoon. The Young Workers (Communist) League is actively participating in the struggle of the young strikers.

The publicity committee, elected yesterday, was refused any space in the local newspapers for news of the strike. The one woman, 74 years of age, who remained in the shop, joined the strike, it was learned late last night.

A leaflet was distributed today to all shirt workers in Perth Amboy urging them to join the Jaco Co. strikers in their fight against the wage-cut and against the speed-up. It calls upon all workers to organize into a union, demands the abolition of the wage-cut, a minimum of \$20 a week in place of the \$3, \$5 and \$9 average the bosses intend to pay, an 8-hour day, no piece work, jobs back to those fired when the cut came and recognition of the union so that the workers will be protected against further cuts.

The Young Workers (Communist) League donated \$10 of its own meager funds to aid the young shirt workers in carrying on their strike to victory. The Young Pioneers, the children's section of the Young Workers (Communist) League, has decided that it will aid the strikers in their picket work.

After the meeting was opened by J. Cohen, chairman, Louis Hyman, leader of the National Organization Committee, gave a brief survey of the present status of the cloakmakers in the struggle with the bosses and Sigman.

He ridiculed the new blare of trumpets with which the right wing was heralding a second fake organization drive.

A report by the committee secretary on the work of the Organization Committee of 500, which was organized since the original shop delegates' conference, was then delivered.

Plan for Future Work. The meeting then adopted a plan for future work, the six major points of which are:

1.—Shop chairmen must join the work undertaken by bringing in complaints to the Joint Board and by reporting information about the open shops in the trade.

2.—An intensive campaign is to be launched to bring workers into the organization with the payment of a fee of \$3.30.

3.—The organization campaign shall begin with a mass meeting in the Bronx Stadium, which has a seating capacity of between 15,000 and 18,000.

THE ROMANIAN WORKERS' EDUCATIONAL CLUB will hold a GRAND PICNIC SUNDAY, JULY 15th from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m., at WITZEL'S HOTEL AND RESTAURANT GARDEN Second Avenue and 10th Street at COLLEGE POINT, L. I.

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# GIVE OUT "DAILY" YOUTH CONDEMN AT BELLAS PLANT PLOTKIN ARREST

WINGDALE, N. Y., July 13.—The court sentence against Rose Plotkin, member of the Young Pioneers of America, children's section of the Young Workers' (Communist) League, was protested today by the children of the Workers' International Relief Camp, here.

Rose Plotkin was arrested in connection with the July 3 demonstration on Wall Street against the imperialist aggression in Iraq. The court ordered her return to Indiana, where her live.

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# MINERS' RELIEF SOLIDARITY FAIR ON AUGUST

## Record Attendance Expected

The National Miners' Relief Defense Week, set for the week of July 22nd, will be utilized by York workers and sympathizers the striking miners to mobilize the huge Miners' Solidarity Fair to be held on August 5th at P. Bay Park.

The fair, conducted by the National Miners' Relief Committee, 799 Broadway, will have an elaborate program of entertainments, athletic events, as well as a bazaar.

This is the first outdoor affair of the Miners' Relief Committee, New York City, and a record attendance is expected. Tickets are now on sale at the office of the Committee, Room 21 Broadway. Organizations purchasing blocks of tickets of one hundred will be given a special reduction of \$20 per hundred, it is announced.

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### Signs of Coming Storm

The crash of the stock market for a record drop since the declaration of the World War in 1914 following upon an almost equal drop a month ago undoubtedly points to certain significant forces at work both in the financial and industrial structure of American capitalism. These are not yet basic, but they cut both deep and wide.

Primarily the present developments are connected with gold movements and with credit operations. But these in turn are directly related if not entirely determined by the increasing surplus of goods which the American market is unable to absorb and the continued disparity between agricultural and industrial wages.

Under the theory that "easy money," that is easy credit, would by facilitating borrowing for commercial purposes, increase business and maintain "prosperity," the Federal Reserve System has since the war adhered to a policy of a low rediscount rate. Whether or not the ruling finance capitalists who operate through the Federal Reserve Bank and through it control practically the world economic structure, really believed that they could by this means solve the fundamental contradiction of capitalism, the inability of the masses under a money economy to buy back the product which they create, is not important. The program of encouraging business by tremendous credit extensions, installment buying, low discount rates, nevertheless, met with the inevitable wall of the surplus value which the working masses do not, of course, receive and which the capitalists cannot consume.

Rising unemployment, an increasing disparity between agricultural and industrial prices, forced a change in policy about the middle of last year. A qualified restriction of credit effected by an increase in the rediscount rate was adopted. At the same time the Federal Reserve Bank dumped hundreds of millions of government securities on the market with the object of absorbing free funds in use for either speculation or excessive business operations. The heavy export of gold used to stabilize European currencies, particularly that of France, has acted similarly to restrict the basis of credit operations in this country.

None of these have succeeded to solve the intractable contradictions of capitalist economy. The stock market not now as indicative of basic conditions as in the past, nevertheless, in its record crash reflects the play of fundamental forces. Referring to the sudden spurt in oil money which rose to 10 per cent on the stock market on Monday July 2, Emerson Hirt Axé, writing in the "Annalist" of July 14 declared:

"Under normal conditions money does not go to 10 per cent even temporarily. It is high time that the public realized that we are faced today with a credit situation nearly as dangerous as that of 1906 or 1920."

Finance capital in the United States still believes there is a way out of the growing disparity between agricultural and industrial prices; depression in wages of labor. American policy in recent weeks has been devised specifically to increase the value of gold with the ultimate aim of depressing the wage scale and thus restoring parity between the farmer and the wage slave.

It is an elementary proposition in Marxian economics that this device will only add to the existing contradictions by creating larger surpluses which the "market" cannot consume. American capitalism is not yet facing a major crisis but it will have its hands full with the growing youngster.

### Those Bolsheviks —

Seven men, given up as lost in the ice-deserts of the north, have been rescued by the Soviet ice-breaker, Krassin. After weeks of heart-breaking effort, of petty rivalry among various "humanitarian" capitalist countries, it remained for an aviator of the Soviet Union, Chukhnovsky, and a Soviet ship to effect the rescue of the fascist Noble party.

The policy and tactics of the Soviet Union through this rescue work have been in striking contrast to the behavior of the capitalist nations. The expedition of Gen. Umberto Nobile into the north was hardly actuated by scientific motives. It was primarily an inflated publicity stunt for the greater glory of Italian fascism and Gen. Nobile himself. Yet when it became definitely known that the Noble party had met with disaster and was in danger, the Soviet Union immediately offered the resources at its command in the rescue work. The original aims of the expedition had failed miserably. Only the practical task of saving 16 human beings now remained.

What co-operation did it receive from the rescue parties of other countries? None at all. The Soviet government proposed that a central commission be formed to direct the rescue work in an organized fashion. The fascist Italian government and the governments of the countries that had sent out rescue parties refused. It would have been too great a concession for the capitalist nations for them to accept the plan of their hated enemy, the first workers' and peasants' republic.

And when Lieut. Lundborg, the Swedish aviator, finally succeeded in locating one group of the lost expedition, whom did he rescue? The fascist Gen. Nobile, leaving the others to shift for themselves.

Now even the capitalist press is forced to praise the Soviet ice-breaker Krassin and the heroic aviator, Chukhnovsky, who has himself been temporarily stranded with his companions. It is a bitter pill for the capitalist countries to swallow. The Krassin is proceeding with the rescue work. Seven men have been saved and another party is reported to have been sighted.

Meanwhile the toll of this grandiose fascist expedition thus far is two known dead, with 15 others, including the Amundsen rescue party, still lost—perhaps forever.

### Marine Life in Nicaragua

Capitalism has little gratitude for those who do its dirty work. Soldiers may be "heroes" when there is a shortage of cannon fodder, but after the bosses' profits are safe the brave are but rubbish cast aside.

The life of servicemen in Nicaragua, revealed by a letter from a marine, published a few days ago in THE DAILY WORKER, illustrates the gratitude of Wall Street to those who defend its investments.

Visions are presented to the young workers of the delights to be enjoyed in Nicaragua. When on arrival he finds himself actually a prisoner with no prospect of release, the glitter of abstract soldiering turns into the dross of reality, when the recruit finds himself forced to carry ninety-four pounds of equipment thirty miles daily thru mud knee deep, to replace oxen in pulling supply wagons the enchantment borne of distance and the lying tongue of a recruiting officer soon fades.

These marines learn to know the facts of their actual conditions, but few realize that when they are fighting against the freedom of Nicaragua they are continuing their own enslavement.

The two marines who deserted the imperialist forces of intervention to join the army of Sandino pointed out the only road to their freedom and followed the true interests of the servicemen who have been sent to Nicaragua by Wall Street.

## TORTURE USED IN INDIAN PRISONS

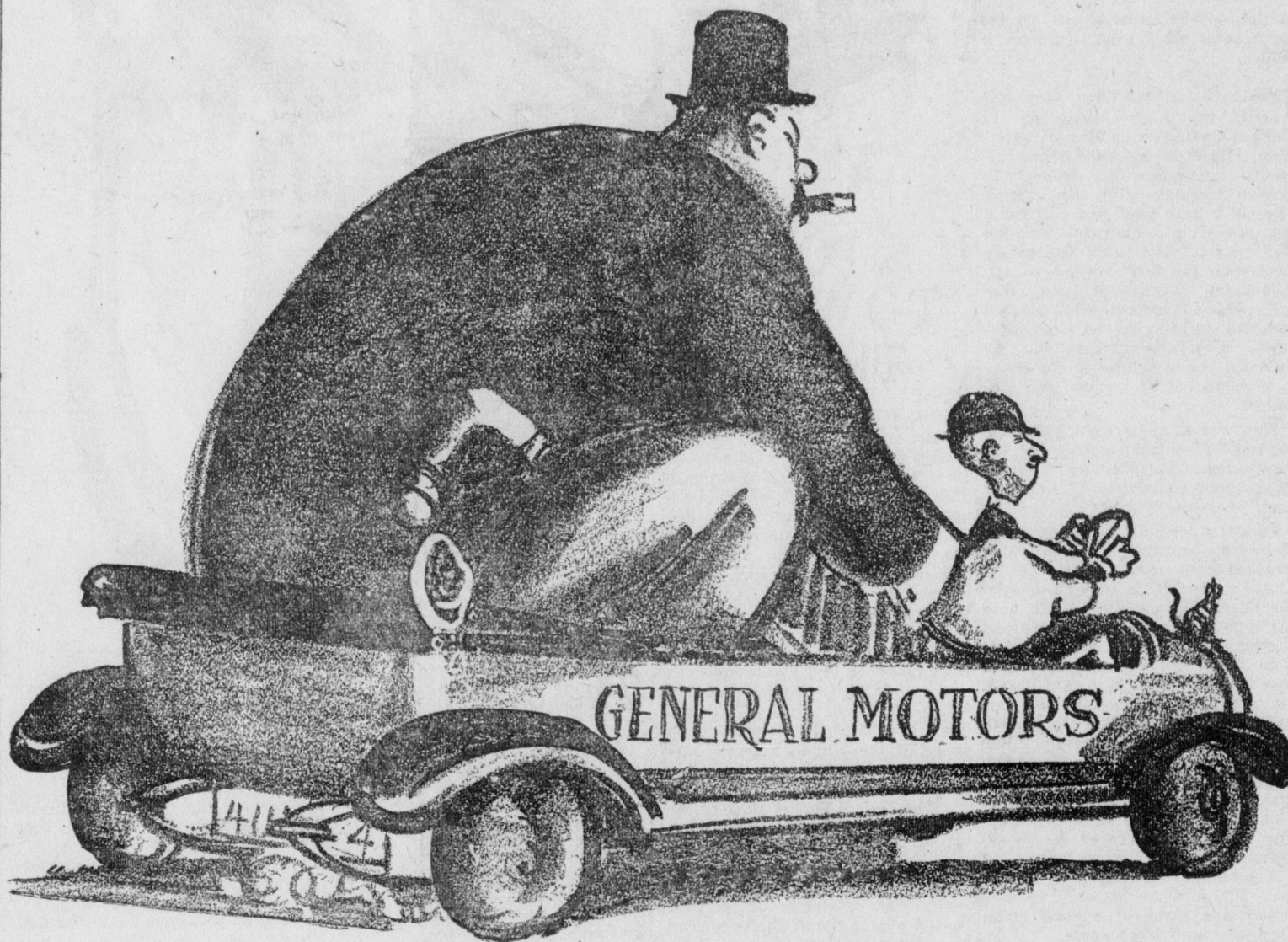
LONDON, July 12.—Writing in the Communist newspaper, Work-Life, George Allison, who recently was released from prison in India, tells of prison conditions there. Allison, an English miner, went to India to help trade union organization. To prevent his activities the Indian workers, Allison was imprisoned 18 months on a technical charge of violating passport regulations. He served his sentence in Yeravda prison, near Poona. Breakfast of "Kunji."

prisoners are much better than those of the natives, they were subjected to extremely harsh treatment and brutal tortures.

They rose at 6 every morning were given thirty minutes' drill and then breakfast of "Kunji." During the rest of the day, until 4 o'clock, they worked in their cells. The work, for the most part, consisted of grinding meal between two small millstones, making envelopes and making quinine tablets. At night, during most of the period Allison was confined, there were no lights in the cells.

Use Salted Rod. For the slightest excuse, the prisoners were punished by flogging, being forced to wear clothing next to the skin made of coarse sacking, and to work with iron bars fastened to the legs from ankles to the waist. On some occasions, as many as 30 prisoners were flogged in one day. The victims were tied to a triangular wooden frame, their arms stretched upwards, and flogged with a salted rod. Among the "crimes" for which such punishments are given is that of having a pencil.

### MORGAN, BACK-SEAT DRIVER



By Fred Ellis

## Told You So

The Workers (Communist) Party will regard the Communist vote cast in the next elections as a barometer of the revolutionary temperature of the masses, but campaigning for votes for the sake of votes is not on its agenda. A glance at THE DAILY WORKER or any other Communist organ proves this. The Party concerns itself with the miners' strike, with the fight to release class war prisoners, with the organization of the unorganized, and with the many other burning issues that face the American workers today.

The Communist Party participates in the elections in order to mobilize the masses for struggle, to expose capitalist democracy, and to teach them that only thru a revolutionary struggle can capitalism be abolished. Nevertheless, when it nominates its candidates for the various legislative bodies, it intends to strive to the utmost to have them elected, in order that these legislative bodies may be used as a forum from which to advocate the overthrow of the capitalist system.

The socialist "New Leader" boasts that Herr Hermann Mueller, the German socialist leader, has succeeded in organizing a cabinet, tho this cabinet includes only four socialists out of a total of eleven. What a victory! Is it not surprising that the old monarchist work-shopper, Von Hindenburg, should approve this selection?

The British labor party, headed by the socialist MacDonald, has issued its platform, which declares its approval of American imperialism by endorsing the fake Kellogg peace treaty. It should not be forgotten that it was during the premiership of MacDonald that the Dawes Plan was fastened on Germany with the valuable assistance of MacDonald. International socialism is all things to all imperialisms.

Every dollar contributed to the Communist Election Campaign Fund will help to bring the workers a step nearer to a Workers' and Farmers' Government, which means the rule of the workers and farmers with the capitalists having the choice of going to work or quietly starving. There can be no solution of the class struggle short of this. Leaders may sell out to the enemy, but the great mass of the workers and farmers cannot be bribed by the capitalist class. There are too many of them.

In this campaign the Workers (Communist) Party will mobilize the workers in the industries and the exploited farmers in agriculture for a fight against the capitalist system. The \$100,000 Communist Party Election Campaign Fund will be used for this purpose. The treasure chests of the other parties will be used to put officials in office who will serve the master class and who will profit by the system they live on and defend. The raising of this Communist campaign fund is a first charge on the duty of the Party membership.

Andrew Mellon, secretary of the treasury, is able to show a treasury surplus of \$398,000,000. This is offered as evidence by the supporters of the republican administration that prosperity is still with us. Unfortunately for this contention however approximately 4,000,000 unemployed and the low wages received by those employed does not bear out the boasts of the G. O. P. boosters.

Tom O'Flaherty

this government. The knowledge which the workers are obtaining about the functioning of the capitalist state during strikes is of far greater value than that gained through academic education.

Become Disillusioned Here the workers, directly through the harsh, tyrannical measures of the police, are slowly becoming disillusioned about the impartiality of our governmental apparatus. It is thus shown to the workers that against the efforts of the working class to improve its standard of living, to demand a little more of the values which we, the workers, have produced, the capitalists are fighting with all the weapons in their possession, press, court, church, etc.

Our Own Candidates She told us, too, that she was instructed to ask the Workers Party to put up Albert Weisbord, national secretary of the Textile Mills Committees, in opposition to Butler, who is chief adviser to Coolidge and himself a manufacturer. We are sure that the workers of New Bedford will not only register their vote for labor candidates, but the most class-conscious of them will follow in the steps of the 500 fighting miners who recently joined the Workers Party and together with the thousands of militant men and women fight the battles of the working class, to its victory.

## Racketeers of Justice

### Lawmakers as Lawbreakers and Why They Are Out of Jail

(EDITORIAL NOTE: The following letter written to THE DAILY WORKER by Charles Bright, an engineer and former builder, who has fought crooked judges, officials and politicians and "money power" their master, big business and other servants of big business for many years, is timely in connection with the arrests of our comrades for their participation in the July 4 demonstration in Wall Street.)

Editor, DAILY WORKER: Sir:

From the daily press and THE DAILY WORKER I gather that Robert Minor, editor of THE DAILY WORKER and Workers (Communist) Party candidate for the United States senate, was assaulted by the police and dragged by the heels from an automobile when making an address near the corner of Broad and Wall Sts., New York City, against the imperialist acts of our president in waging an illegal and unauthorized war carried on at the behest of interested American capitalists, schemers, and their political tools against that part of the patriotic people of a weak and almost defenseless nation, Nicaragua, who object to and resist such invasions of their sovereignty—people who refuse to acknowledge the authority of Diaz, a former clerk of these foreign capitalists, to act as president of Nicaragua.

Acts of Terrorism. This man Diaz, they declare, has been unconstitutionally seated there by the money and armed forces of foreigners, and is now sustained in power by the military forces of the United States and principally by their acts of terrorism in dropping bombs from their places of vantage and safety in the American military planes above, upon the homes of these patriots and their non-combatant women and children, and upon their heads in the brush where they rush for shelter and safety should they unfortunately make any movement that would indicate the presence of an animal or human being to the American military aviators above.

Improper Influences. Of late I have found that I was interfered with and molested and even arrested but the charges not accepted at the precinct station, not only because of the above mentioned

improper influences, but because I was interfering unwittingly with certain "Racketeers of Justice," or what might be described in short as the "graft" of certain magistrates, police court clerks, prosecuting attorneys and officials and a few police officers and the politicians of district leaders, or their captains, lieutenants and aides, and other accomplices involved.

In the Bronx I have just completed gathering the necessary legal evidence against a magistrate, a prosecuting attorney, a clerk of the court, a police sergeant, detectives and others who utilize the West Farms Police Court as a base from which they work this racket.

"Absent" Officials. I am forced to go slow because the district attorney of the Bronx is absent on vacation, likewise his assistant Mr. Ryan. Then the Commissioner of Police Warren is hard to see on such matters. The acting mayor objects to go into such matters while the mayor is absent before August. So we are now preparing to lay it before Governor Smith who has the power of removing the district attorney for negligently failing to act after being advised of these violations of the criminal law and who likewise can act should Mayor Walker fail to compel the police commissioner to do his duty.

Since I have unwittingly interfered with and spoiled the graft of these Racketeers of Justice, I am suffering a new form of molestation as a result of a conspiracy in violation of Section 19 of the U. S. Criminal Code to feloniously prevent me, among other things, from exercising my legal rights under the first and fourteenth amendments of the constitution to circulate and obtain signatures to a petition to congress of the Equality League, Inc. for investigation and impeachment of certain federal judges.

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## The Textile Strikers and the Election

By OLGA GOLD

The process of "rationalizing" the textile industry has affected it to a greater extent than most other industries. Not only has the installation of new machinery left thousands of experienced workers jobless, but the shifting of textile mills' cotton to the southern states, silk to the coal regions, have contributed greatly to this process.

The capitalists have discovered that the south is an extremely good place for the slave driving textile industry. In the first place, it is close to the raw material; in the second place, there is, as yet, no sign of organization among the workers. In the south, where all the evils of chattel slavery exist in practice, the workers are consequently more submissive.

Must Sign Contract In many instances a worker cannot obtain employment in the south unless he signs a contract that his whole family will work for the same slave driver. The following table, from the "Monthly Labor Review," shows average wages and hours of labor in cotton goods manufacturing for 1927; since then several wage cuts have been forced upon the

### New Bedford Mill Workers Rally Behind the Workers (Communist) Party

workers: State Hours Wages Georgia ..... 57 \$11.39 Alabama ..... 54.8 10.51 Maine ..... 53.9 16.67 Massachusetts ..... 48.5 18.78 North Carolina ..... 55.8 13.63 South Carolina ..... 55.1 13.42 Virginia ..... 55.2 10.33

The mills in the coal regions are of no less value to the bosses. There, too, they can get cheap coal, cheap rent and cheaper labor. Workers are paid as low as 15 to 20 cents an hour. They are on a different economic plane from the workers in the textile centers, because there men and women find their only means of earning a living, whereas in the mining region, except for a few mechanics, the workers are all women and children, who use their work as a side job to help out the meager earnings received by the miners. The bosses here, therefore, pay a much lower wage than even the very low average paid in the tex-

tile centers. The general outcome of this situation for the workers is the unprecedented growth of unemployment, wage cuts, etc. Official government statistics show that in March 1928, only 38 per cent of cotton workers were working full time. While in April, 1928, cotton goods workers only 32 per cent, silk goods workers 48 per cent, woolen and worsted workers 28 per cent worked full time.

Some Factors

Some of the important factors of the present cotton workers' strike in New Bedford are as follows: First, it indicates the awakening of the most exploited section of the American working class; that the sufferings of these workers have reached such a degree that they can no longer endure it. They are beginning to awaken to the need of calling strikes, protesting and demanding their rights. They are determined to build a new union to include not only a few loxifexers and a few other skilled workers, but to embrace the entire mass of textile workers. Another important factor of utmost significance is that the strike is taking place during an election year at the time when the capitalist class is most energetically and effectively carrying on a campaign to poison the minds of the workers with various injurious illusions about its government. These workers are learning daily on the picket lines and at mass meetings about the nature and structure of