

British Authorities Jail Forty-Six Indian Workers in Wave of Terrorism

EIGHTH SESSION OF COMMUNIST CONGRESS OPENS

Varga States Changes Working Class

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., July 27.—Addressing the eighth session of the World Congress of the Communist International, Samuelson, of Sweden, declared that capitalist rationalization and stabilization had progressed far in Sweden and that the workers were answering with wage struggles. Many wage struggles had already been successfully carried out by the Communist Party.

French Ask Change
Thores, of France, then stated that the French delegation considers a tactical change necessary. In order to win the workers a correct attitude towards the social democracy must be adopted at the same time that the united front tactic is maintained from below. The French delegation further demands a special struggle against the right.

Syphios, of Greece, declared that the delegation was in general in agreement with Bukharin and suggested the formation of a Balkan commission.

Varga States Differences.

Varga then declared that technical progress was causing changes in the working class. There are four main factors, he declared. First, unemployment is no longer temporary but permanent. Second, the industrial workers are spread over the whole country in consequence of electrification, which permits industrial districts to spring up far away from sources of raw material. Third, the disappearance of the difference between the skilled and the unskilled workers. Fourth, the formation of a new section of privileged workers on the basis of rationalization instead of the old aristocracy of labor based on skill.

Lacorda, of Brazil, next declared that American imperialism is abandoning peaceful penetration in favor of military penetration. The Pan-American Federation of Labor is the tool of American imperialism, he declared.

S. A. Parties Stronger

Carillo, of Mexico, stated that the Latin American Communist parties are growing. They have developed in the last few years from propaganda groups to fighting parties. Salas, of Uruguay, declared that the bourgeois democratic anti-imperialist revolutions are coming in South America and the Communist Parties must prepare to lead these further. The Latin American Trade Union Congress takes place at Montevideo next year in order to form an all-South American Trade Union Federation. The Communist International must support this.

LEADERS ATTACK FRACTIONALISM

Urge Its Liquidation in Workers Party

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against labor bureaucracy and when connected with the formation of factory committees and the organization of the unorganized workers. He said that Cannon's statement that nothing had been done to carry out the decisions of the Red International of Trade Unions was untrue. He concluded by saying that the Comintern must assist to unite the whole party against those who continue fractionalism.

During the tenth session of the Congress, Wicks, of the United States, said it was ridiculous to accuse the majority of supporting American imperialism because it believed in conformity with Bukharin that American imperialism is still on the upward grade. He declared that the Communist International must liquidate the characterless fractionalism of the minority whose members disagree among themselves on many questions and only unite in opposition to the majority.

Latest Capitalist "Good Will" Flight to Mexico



Another "good will" flight backed openly this time by Gail B. Munsill, millionaire sportsman, is preparing to start for Mexico to place a wreath on the tomb of Captain Emilio Carranza. Captain Carranza was killed in a flight of a similar nature to the United States. The flight also has the blessing of a large capitalist newspaper interest.

SACCO MEMORIAL IN MANY NATIONS

Meetings to Be Held Thruout Country

Sacco-Vanzetti Memorial meetings, under the auspices of the various sections of International Red Aid, will be held throughout the world during the week of August 19 to 26, it was announced yesterday. The National Office of International Labor Defense, 80 E. 11th St., New York, N. Y., is in receipt of many communications and cables from the Red Aid (Rote Hilfe), of Germany, the Canadian Labor Defense League, the International Class War Prisoners Aid of England, the Red Aid (Mopry) of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics and many other sections, outlining plans for the commemoration of the memories of Sacco and Vanzetti, Labor's Martyrs. International Labor Defense is organizing the meetings in the United States.

Fight for Mooney.

The Sacco-Vanzetti Memorials to be held on an international scale are being linked with the frame-up against Tom Mooney and Warren Billings, the two American Class War Prisoners about to begin their thirteenth year in prisons at San Quentin and Folsom, Calif. "The case of Sacco and Vanzetti," pointed out Martin Abern, Assistant National Secretary of International Labor Defense, "cannot be treated in an isolated manner, but it is necessary to combine it with the special occurrences of terror and class justice in each country and to demonstrate that the Sacco and Vanzetti case is only a link in the chain of class 'justice' and International White Terror. Mooney and Billings were framed-up and imprisoned by the powers of the Open Shoppers in California and the consent of American Imperialism. Labor throughout the world sees this and therefore the Sacco-Vanzetti Memorial meetings will be utilized to demonstrate for and demand the freedom for Mooney and Billings."

Meetings in Canada.

The Canadian Labor Defense League, writes Florence Custance, Canadian Secretary, to the I.L.D., is organizing Sacco-Vanzetti meetings and is conducting a campaign for the Centralia prisoners and Mooney and Billings.

Protest Fuller Visit.

"When Governor Fuller of Massachusetts," writes H. B. Lovell, Secretary of the International Class War Prisoners Aid of England, "visited Braintree (Essex, England) recently, the Braintree Local Trades Council in conjunction with the I.C.W.P.A. organized a protest demonstration on June 30, at which several hundred people in such a small area attended and 100 Sacco-Vanzetti pamphlets were sold. An extremely good impression was created and we have decided to organize further protest demonstrations which will take place during the August Sacco-Vanzetti Commemoration Week throughout England, at which will be demanded the immediate release of our comrades Mooney and Billings and other American political prisoners."

The National office of International Labor Defense announces

BETHLEN PLAYS SAFE

Would Have Others Fight Bolshevism

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, July 26.—The Hungarian premier, Bethlen, on the question of international action against the Communists, declares:

"A union of all European powers against the Communist danger, which is being called for by many Hungarian politicians, must meet great handicaps. First, such a coalition would meet with many technical difficulties that would arise out of certain rivalries and, further, political handicaps would prevent such work in many states.

Intense Heat Kills 3 In Pacific Northwest

PORTLAND, Ore., July 27 (UP).—The Pacific Northwest today entered its sixth day of excessive heat confronted by a serious forest fire and with a death toll of at least three persons.

Dalles, Oregon, in the mid-Columbia region of Oregon and Washington, sweltered yesterday under a new record temperature of 115 degrees. Pendleton and Arlington, Ore., experienced 114 weather, while at Lewiston, Idaho, it was 113.

High marks in Washington included maximums of 111.7 at Walla Walla, 109 at Pasco, 107.5 at Yakima and 104.3 at Spokane.

PERU CABINET CHANGE

LIMA, Peru, July 27.—Slight changes in the cabinet occurred today when Foreign Minister Rada y Gamio resigned. It was reformed with Gamio at its head, and few changes in personnel.

That meetings for the Sacco-Vanzetti memorials are being arranged in cities throughout the United States. Among the meetings already scheduled are: New York Union Square; Chicago, Temple Hall; Detroit, Philadelphia, Boston, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Cleveland, Public Square; Martins Ferry, Ohio; Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Superior, Seattle, Portland, Denver, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, cities throughout the mining regions in the bituminous and anthracite regions, Tacoma, Bethel, Akron, Canton, Gary, South Bend, Zeigler, Newark, Paterson, Passaic, Buffalo, Rochester, Wilmington, Washington, St. Louis, Flint, Grand Rapids, New Haven, Stamford, San Jose, Spokane, Astoria, Oakland and many others. A complete list of meetings, giving time and place, will be announced soon by I.L.D.

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MOVE TO SMASH RAILWAY STRIKE SEEN IN ARREST

Scabs Caused Accident Is Belief

BOMBAY, July 27.—Forty-six Indian workers have been arrested by the British authorities in connection with the train wreck at Horwah, Bengal, recently, according to a report from Madras. Using the wreck as pretext with which to smash the strike of railway operatives, the British government has begun an extended campaign of terror against all Indian labor, in the opinion of the leaders of the present walk-out. It is believed that the workers will be charged with tampering with the rails.

The leaders of the striking railway men lay blame for the accident on the incompetence of strikebreakers with which the owners were attempting to keep the trains running. Eighteen persons were killed in the wreck.

Failure of the authorities to end or curb the walk-out of the railway workers is alarming the British who are making provisions to force the men back to their jobs. Sympathy of the other sections of the Indian working class has been received by the railway strikers from Bombay and other centers and this feeling of solidarity is playing an important part in keeping up the spirit of the men. No probability of an early settlement is seen by the leaders of the strike.

"Objective" Sages Still Hate German Scientists

BERLIN, July 27.—German scientists in an explanation of their absence from the Geographical Congress opened at Cambridge, England, yesterday, state that it is due to the fact that the congress is dominated by a strong harem of German aroused by the late war.

The congress is entirely in the hands of Conseil de Recherches and Union Geographique, both societies being antagonistic to the Germans. They cite as a proof of this statement the Congress at Cairo in 1924 to which they were at first invited, but the invitation was later withdrawn on the demand of the two French societies.

The German scientists refuse to attend any geographical congress dominated by these two war-hating organizations and demand that the congress be reorganized before they will participate.

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Scene in Front of Workers Center, N. Y. City.



The sidewalks in front of the Workers Center facing Union Square, New York City, are always crowded with workers discussing problems. The "Red Square" as it is now frequently called has become the heart of mass gatherings in the city.

TIE UP HAMBURG FISHING FLEET

Expect Strike Spread When Boats Return

HAMBURG, Germany, July 27.—Tie up of the north German fisheries industry with consequent heavy losses to the owners is forecast here as a result of the strike of fishermen now paralyzing Altoona and Hamburg.

The strike is chiefly confined to the herring fishing fleet whose seamen have refused to accept the special promises with which the owners have attempted to quash the tie-up. The herring fishing season is approaching and there is every prospect that the men will win their demands.

Imperialist Flunkey to Aid Hoover Racket

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, July 27 (UP).—Governor Horace M. Towner will sail for the United States in September to ask Hubert Work if he is to be used in the Hoover campaign in Iowa.

Dictatorship Makes Plea for Elections

QUITO, Ecuador, July 27.—Following announcement by the president of the re-establishment of a constitutional, parliamentary regime in Ecuador, which for two years was under a "liberal" (anti-clerical) semi-military dictatorship, elections were called for deputies to the constitutional assembly to be opened in Quito on September 10.

Six Injured in Blast and Fire on Vessel

MALTA, July 27 (UP).—Two officers of the Scottish steamship Aracan and four longshoremen were injured today when an explosion and fire occurred here in a cargo of Polish coal the vessel was taking from Dantzig to Venice.



THE MINERS NEED YOUR HELP

The miners have been on strike for 16 months. They have been fighting the bosses and reactionary leaders for a right to live.

They have been thrown out of their homes by the coal companies who own them. The miners' wives and children go without food. They are forced to live and to fight under almost unbelievable conditions. They have been arrested on the picket lines and thrown into jail—men, women and children.

THIS WEEK

Is National Miners' Relief and Defense Week. The International Labor Defense and the National Miners' Relief have joined together to help the miners, their wives and their children. You can do this much to help:

- 1 Take contribution lists to collect funds in the shop, the union and in your fraternal organization. Talk to your friends and your neighbors.
- 2 On Saturday and Sunday, July 28 and 29, through August 1st, help in the house-to-house collection that will be held in every city in the country. Get in touch with your I. L. D. or N. M. R. secretary.
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Negro Caught Twice in White Frame-Up Net

By WILLIAM PICKENS

NOBODY who knows the south is surprised to hear that the governor of South Carolina is endeavoring to revoke the pardon of Ben Bess and so "save the face" of that state.

"Looks Bad."

But immediately the south was aroused, South Carolina in particular. It would never do to let the world know that a white woman who had sent a Negro to jail on a charge of rape later confessed that she had simply been that Negro's

And so the state "detectives" got busy. They no doubt threatened to put this weak woman into the penitentiary. Finally she "confessed" again; that she only meant to "forgive" Ben Bess for what he had "done" to her, not to say he was not guilty.

Pardon Revoked.

Who in thunder ever heard of any person looking up a judge and witness, and making a voluntary affidavit to "forgive" somebody for something?

This poor woman—we pity her more than we pity Bess. Perhaps the governor and the civilization of South Carolina ought to be pitted even more.

So, the governor decides to revoke a pardon—on an unheard of procedure. This awful case was so much commented on by the whole world that South Carolina's face must be saved, even if this poor weak woman's soul must be damned by another lie.

No Surprise.

Well, we are not a bit surprised. Rather have we been looking for this. We wonder how the truth ever slipped by them in the first place. We'll bet those state "detectives" never got wind of the fact that the woman was about to confess, or she'd never have got the chance.

A few years ago in Arkansas a Negro was about to be hung for "raping" a white woman. But a few days before the execution the woman (who was superior in conscience to men) repented and went to the governor and told him that the whole charge of "rape" grew out of the fact that some white men ran across her and this colored man in the act of kissing each other, and that she had acquiesced in the charge of rape to save her own reputation—and that she and the man had been living together for 15 years and would have been married if they had lived in a civilized state.

Righteousness.

The governor tried his best to bully her out of this confession, but the woman had been wise in that case; she had gone and confessed to other prominent white and colored people first and took a delegation along when she went to confess before the governor—otherwise she might have been simply confined as an insane person—until after the execution was over. Even then the friends of civilization had to resort to a habeas corpus in a federal court to save this innocent man's life.



'Lilly Patch' is Disease Hole Where Miners Live

BROWNSVILLE, Pa., July 27.—The Lilly "patch" adjoining the Hillman Coal Company mine is perched on stilts, high above the creek. Now that the heavy rains are deluging the valley, the water rises and floods the shacks.

The Lilly mine was completely closed down when the strike began six months ago. The operators have not even attempted to open the mine with scab labor, so there are no picket lines there.

In the center of the "patch," Jack Srader, a leading rank and file striker, lives with his family. The house is bare—even the little clothing they possess lies on newspapers, on the floor.

When Jack Srader first brought his family to West Brownsville a few months before the strike began, he bought a house-full of furniture on the installment plan from the Zimmerman Furniture Company.

News Room

Newspaper men writing lurid tales of how John Jones killed his wife with a rolling pin. (Sweet revenge, reversal, reversion.)

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CROSS AND BATTLE-AXE

BERLIN, (By Mail).—In Opplen that Christ is their leader, that the Steel Helmets must wear the cross.

Workers School Opens Courses in Capital

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The Workers' School in this city has opened two new classes. Elementary Marxian Economics is taught every Saturday at 8 o'clock at 117 13th St.

Murdered by Fascists



Gastone Sozzi, Italian Communist leader, who was murdered last spring in prison, under the orders of the Mussolini regime.

'Czar Ivan' Back at Cameo-- 'Potemkin' on Same Program

THE Film Arts Guild announces a return engagement at the Cameo Theatre of "Czar Ivan the Terrible," the famous Soviet production starting today.



Judith Anderson who plays the leading role in "Strange Interlude," Eugene O'Neill's tense drama at the John Gold Theatre.

ACTORS IN WAR ON JOB SHARKS

Actors Equity Union's next campaign for protection of theatre workers will be the outlawing of unscrupulous employment agencies preying on actors.

Lionel Barrymore will have a featured role in Lon Chaney's new "erring" vehicle, "West of Zanzibar."

HUGE EARNINGS FOR STEEL TRUST

Bethlehem Steel Corporation in the second quarter of this year earned \$1.50 a share on common stock, compared with 94 cents a share in the preceding quarter.

FOUR WORKERS INJURED MALTA, July 27 (UP).—An English second officer, a Scottish cadet and four shore workers were injured yesterday by an explosion aboard the Scottish steamer Arcean, enroute from Venice to Danzig with a cargo of Polish coal.

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