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DEATH FACES FIGHTER OF CUBA TERROR

I.L.D. Calls for Drive to Save Life of Armando Grau

OTHERS WERE MURDERED
Harlem Demonstration On Saturday

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—A new campaign of murder and bloody terror against the workers of Cuba has been launched by the reactionary Machado government, tool of Yankee imperialism, with a toll of two dead and an unknown number of wounded and imprisoned in one day, according to word received today by the International Labor Defense here.

Armando Avehoff Grau, a working class leader of Cuba, was arrested on the eve of August First and has since been kept incommunicado. Rumors run that his life is in danger and he will "disappear" (the way butcher Machado has done with scores of revolutionary leaders in the past). Against this new attempt of Machado, the workers of the United States must protect and demand the immediate freedom of Grau, holding Machado and the Hoover hunger government responsible for the safety of this leader.

The radiogram sent by the I. L. D. to President Machado, is as follows: "International Labor Defense condemns most emphatically recent raid on home of Armando Avehoff Grau in Havana. Recent finding, mutilated bodies of workers bring forth world wide demand you produce Grau. We hold you responsible for life of Grau. Demand lawyer right to see him."

CARL HACKER, National Secretary. Resolutions and telegrams of protest should be sent to President Machado, Havana, Cuba, and to the Cuban Embassy in Washington. Wherever possible demonstrations should be held before the Cuban consular offices in the various cities. The Latin American Trade Union Confederation has called especially on all trade unions to send protests.

The murders followed the breaking up of an anti-war meeting of the workers in the central part of Havana; with a fusillade from ambushed gunmen. So many were wounded and arrested that it was impossible to immediately estimate their numbers. Among the wounded were some of the most active workers in the revolutionary organizations in Havana District.

At dawn next day, the 26, the body of a youth, Rafael Rodriguez Pool, was found horribly mutilated in the suburb of Marianao, near the fashionable Country Club. He was one of those present at the demonstration the previous day, and had "mysteriously disappeared" at the height of the shooting.

A few hours later, in the same part of the city, the corpse of a worker, apparently a foreigner, was found. It is quite certain that this is the body of a Jewish worker who was shot the day before.

The fate of eight sailors who were accused of preparing a mutiny on board a warship is still unknown.

The International Labor Defense, together with other workers' organizations has called a demonstration for 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, at 116th St. and Lenox Avenue to protest the terror against workers in Cuba.

German War Minister Admires Adolf Hitler

BERLIN, Aug. 4.—Admiration for Hitler was expressed by the Junker General Von Schleicher, War Minister and the real power behind Von Papen, according to the newspaper Zwölf Uhr Abendblatt which quoted him as saying that the fascist leader is "fired with faith."

After contrasting Hitler with former Chancellor Bruening whom he described as an "ascetic," von Schleicher declared that Hitler's movement must be made use of. Rumors that trial ballots are being launched to bring a Schleicher-Hitler rule of the Reich, continued to circulate.

Interviewed by 'Daily'



Harry Pollitt, British Communist leader, who was recently interviewed by the correspondent of the Daily Worker (U.S.A.). The article appears on Page 4 of today's issue.

CLOTHING BOSSES ON COMMITTEE IN HILLMAN STRIKE

Stoppage Not Against Bosses, Union Head Declares

NEW YORK.—One of the most brazen labor swindlers in recent years in the New York clothing industry was the stoppage called yesterday by Sidney Hillman, head of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America.

The whole vile nature of the Hillman "strike" was laid bare yesterday in a statement made by Chas. D. Jaffe, president of the New York Manufacturers Exchange, with whom Hillman is working hand in hand to put over new wage-cuts in the industry.

Revealing the fact that the stoppage is not directed against the manufacturers but against the workers, Jaffe said: "The proposed stoppage of the Amalgamated is not directed against the organized market in this city, as the agreement existing between the New York Clothing Manufacturers Exchange and the union is in full force and will not be violated by the stoppage in so far as the membership of the exchange is concerned."

Further elaborating on the sell-out plan, Mr. Hillman blurted out the following in an interview with the press: "This stoppage is not a 'freeze out' movement, but is aimed at stabilizing conditions for everybody."

The word "everybody" in this case means everybody who owns a clothing shop. Following the recent sell-out in the cloak industry in which the workers were forced into a new wage-cut, Hillquit, socialist leader and co-worker of Hillman, likewise announced the settlement as a victory for "everybody."

Bosses on Committee Following a meeting held Wednesday by the Greater New York Clothing Contractors Association, the aim of which was to bring the stoppage to a success, Rudolph Greif, general manager of the association, was chosen to act on the settlement committee along with Peter Monat of the union.

Indeed, the settlement headquarters has been set up far from the native habitat of the workingclass. The headquarters where the settlements will be negotiated is located right in the offices of the New York Clothing Contractors Association.

Put Over 10 Per Cent Cut It was made clear by Hillman at the Joint Board meeting which he called on July 23 that he was not interested in striking for better conditions in the shops. At this meeting Hillman gave the manufacturers free hand in making settlements on

Home Lndry Strikers In Bronx In Militant Picket Demonstration

NEW YORK.—Surging past the police, strikers of the Bronx Home Laundry, 1010 East 173rd St., joined by workers in the neighborhood staged a militant demonstration in front of the plant against an injunction pending in court.

The strike is now in its fourth week. The bosses have used the tactic of reducing prices in order to overcome the drop in their business due to the strike. This failed and the workers are determined to defeat all other strikebreaking attempts. The Laundry Workers Industrial Union asks all workers who can assist the strikers in picketing to report at 1130 Southern Boulevard.

PUSH WAR ON JAPANESE IN MANCHURIA

Peasant Partisan Troops In Big Gains

PRESS ATTACK ON CITIES
Tokyo Prepares Seize North China

Confident that they will meet no real resistance from the Nanking government, the Japanese held up temporarily by the huge upsurge of the national revolutionary war in Manchuria, are again pushing their invasion of Jehol Province as part of the drive for the seizure of all North China. The Japanese attack on North China is aimed to coincide with the joint armed intervention of the British and American imperialists with their Nanking tools against the emancipated workers and peasants in the Chinese Soviet Districts.

Drive Gets Setback The attack on the Chinese Soviet Republic suffered a severe setback two days ago, with the defeat by the Chinese Red Army of two Nanking divisions. The rank and file of these divisions, number about 40,000 men, later shot their Nanking officers and joined the Red Army.

The Japanese yesterday demanded the retirement from the Peiping.

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BETTY GOW LEAVES U. S. A. NEW YORK.—Betty Gow, nursemaid of the kidnapped Lindbergh baby, sailed secretly on the Mauretania about the time Mrs. Morrow, grandmother of the kidnapped child, returned from abroad.

Betty Gow was subjected to several "third-degrees" in connection with the kidnapping. Her parents live in England.

War Funds for the Jobless—through mass circulation of the Daily Worker.

Tampa Class War Prisoners Call Upon Workers to Support \$40,000 'Daily' Drive

The "Daily" has received the following letter from the strikers imprisoned on framed-up charges in the recent tobacco workers' strike and now serving long terms in the hell-holes of the Tampa jails.

"To the readers of the Daily Worker, Dear Comrades:—

We have read in the "Daily" that it is in danger of suspension unless the working-class contributes \$40,000 in the next month to prevent this from happening.

Comrades, you cannot let the "Daily" suspend. How could the workers know of our struggles in Tampa, of workers' struggles in other parts of the country, if the "Daily" didn't appear. Here in jail we are suffering very much. One of our comrades is going crazy from suffering. Some of the comrades are in solitary confinement and cannot even see their families on visiting days. They are in a nine by six cell—the cell of the dead. You must know how the Tampa workers are defying the brutal terror, how they are being constantly tortured and beaten, how they are being deported to fascist countries, how they are sent to jail without charges and without a trial.

The workingclass can never know of our struggles unless you save the "Daily." We know that the "Daily" is the only paper that is not afraid to tell the truth, it is the only paper that defends us, it is the only paper that fights the bosses and fights war, the only paper that helps us fight for bread. The "Daily" is our defender. We call upon you to strike all your power to save it. It is our duty."

Comradely, Signed, THE TAMPA CLASS WAR PRISONERS

I contribute \$..... to the \$40,000 Save the "Daily" Drive.

Name ..... Street ..... City .....

Table with columns for Name, Address, and Contribution amount. Includes names like M. Rosen, Theo. C. Glocker, etc.

Bringing the Red Front Policy to N. Y. Workers



Two members of the Red Front Band, which participates in militant workers' demonstrations in New York, with the immediate demands of the Communist Election platform conspicuously posted on their motorcycle.

THREAT MARTIAL LAW IN GERMANY

Cabinet Meeting to Declare Emergency

BERLIN, Aug. 4.—An emergency meeting of the German Cabinet was called for today to establish martial law without transferring however, all authority to the army. The authorities would continue to be exerted through the police.

Although it is stated that the suppression of the Communist Party is not contemplated at present, it is obvious that the martial law will not be used to curb the terroristic campaign of the National Socialist Party (fascists).

Chancellor Von Papen and Baron Von Schleicher, Minister of Defense in the Junker Cabinet, will not present at this meeting. THREE NICARAGUANS SLAIN MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Aug. 4.—Three Nicaraguan peasants were slain by National Guardsmen led by a United States marine near Silencio last Monday.

RESISTING VETS DRIVEN FROM JOHNSTOWN CAMP BY ARMED STATE POLICE

5,000 Had Refused to Move Following Distribution of Call By Workers Ex-Servicemen's League

Troopers Herd Veterans Into Locked Trains; Convention Soon to Plan Vet-Jobless March to Washington In December

What Next in the Bonus Fight

The fight for the veterans' bonus will go on and must go on side by side with the struggle of the workers for unemployment insurance, against imperialist war and for the defense of the Soviet Union.

The Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, the only veterans organization carrying on a fight for the bonus, now calls on the vets to close their ranks and develop a real revolutionary struggle for their back wages.

A huge mass protest movement against the brutal treatment given the vets by the government must be developed throughout the country. Veterans in each locality are urged to organize posts of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League.

In all cities and towns joint committees of the W.E.S.L. and Unemployed Councils and other workers' organizations must immediately be set up to greet the returning veterans. Mass meetings of workers and veterans must be held in all cities where delegates will be elected to the National Convention of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League to be held in Cleveland, October 15-16. This convention will lay the base for a mass vet-jobless march to Congress in December.

Meanwhile the demand for a special session of Congress to pass the bonus bill and unemployment insurance must be raised by workers and vets throughout the country.

RUEGG'S TRIAL IS SET FOR AUG. 10

Defendants Resume Hunger Strike

(Cable By Imprecors.) SHANGHAI, Aug. 4.—Resumption of the Ruegg trial, fixed for August 4, has been postponed for "unknown reasons" to August 10 by the Nanking judicial authorities. The removal of the two defendants from the hospital to the military prison has also been delayed to August 9.

The defendants two days ago resumed their hunger-strike against the mock trial and removal from the hospital where they are still in a critical condition as a result of their first hunger strike and the barbarous tortures inflicted upon them during their 13 months in prison awaiting trial.

The Chinese defense lawyer, Tschén, yesterday for the third time demanded transference of the trial to the civil court at Shanghai. He declared that the Nanking Government opposes such transference because it knows it is "impossible to support its accusation against the defendants in its present form, on the basis of material alleged to have been "found."

The Nanking Government is proposing a new clause to its criminal code forbidding the filing of "repeated appeals," although hitherto there has existed an unlimited right to appeal. The Ruegg defense is challenging this clause, declaring that it cannot be used against the defendants, against whom it is intended, insofar as it was introduced after their arrest and prosecution.

LEVIN WILL SPEAK TONIGHT ON VETS

W.E.S.L. Leader Will Tell of Struggle

NEW YORK.—Emanuel Levin, leader of the Workers' Ex-Servicemen's League, who has just been released from jail following his arrest for activity on behalf of the veterans' fight for the bonus, will speak tonight at the Co-operative Auditorium, 2700 Bronx Park E., tonight at 8 p. m.

The meeting, arranged by the Workers' Ex-Servicemen's League, is the first of a number to be held in the city at which Levin will report on the struggle of the veterans and the next steps in the fight. A concert and entertainment will follow Levin's talk.

The Philippine National Confederation of Peasants is however, fighting back blows of the government. In spite of the terror, its membership is rapidly increasing.

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 4.—

The fourth victim of Hoover's murderous attack on the bonus army died last night in the Marine Hospital here. The victim was William Gunn, war veteran and steel worker from Youngstown, Ohio. Gunn died as the result of the gas attack launched against the bonus army by the Wall St. government last week. The other three victims of the attack were William Hushka and Eric Carlson, veterans, and Gertrude Mann, a two-year-old child of a veteran.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Aug. 4.—State troopers wearing trench helmets and armed with rifles and tear gas bombs surrounded the bonus army in their camp here today and were forcibly evicting the war veterans and their families.

The bonus marchers were forced to march single file, between two lines of troopers to trains where they were locked in and later whisked out of the state under heavy guard. The trains were supplied by the Bethlehem Steel Co., following a conference between the steel barons, Mayor McCloskey and lieutenants of W. W. Waters.

The eviction of the starving army, however, did not work so smoothly as the steel bosses and the Waters gang thought it would. Over 5,000 veterans, stirred into action by the leaflets distributed by the Workers Ex-servicemen's League, milled about the camp and refused for hours to go to the trains.

The outer order, which calls for the evacuation of all the bonus

FORD SPEAKS IN HARLEM TONIGHT

To Talk on Vets and Election Campaign

NEW YORK.—James W. Ford, Negro veteran and Communist candidate for vice president, will speak tonight at 8 p. m. in Finnish Workers Hall, 15 West 126th Street.

The meeting is being arranged jointly by the Harlem Post of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, the Negro Workers' Club, the Finnish Workers' Club, and the Harlem Unemployed Council.

Ford, a member of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, was arrested with forty-one other veterans and thrown out of the District of Columbia by Washington police supported by Hoover's cavalry. He will speak on the subject of the bonus march and the united front of the Democratic, Republican and Socialist parties against the veterans and the bonus marchers.

"The special discrimination against the Negro vets" he said yesterday, "was symbolized by the fact that the first veteran arrested was a Negro. The Southern white and Negro bonus marchers' camp was the first point of attack by the police in the eviction from Washington.

Ford will also be the chief speaker at the "Freiheit" picnic Saturday, Aug. 6, in Ulmer Park.

JAIL 6 AT BRONX JIM CROW PROTEST

Fight Discrimination at Swimming Pool

NEW YORK.—Six workers were arrested by police who arrived in a riot wagon at the demonstration of 300 Negro and white parents and children who protested yesterday against jim-crowism at the Bronxdale Swimming Pool. A gun was pulled by one of the cops making the arrest.

Those arrested included Ethel Silver, Ray Bennett, Bern Fink, Lena Kammen and Eda Bennett. Brought to court, Ray Bennett and Ethel Silver were released, and the other freed without bail pending a hearing on Monday.

Waters Goes Shopping While Veterans Starve

(By a Worker Correspondent) WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.—W. W. Waters, the Brown Shirt man, went sporty this afternoon. He stepped jauntily into one of Washington's larger department stores and blew himself to about \$25 worth of fancy haberdashery. Among the things he bought were some silk hose selling at \$1 per pair, and several ties, one of which cost \$1.50 and another \$2.50.

Another lovely thing happening in the nation's capital was the saving of Hoover's gift goldfish by installation of air cooling. The fish are a gift from the Japanese government. The heat made the fish feel faint, and White House engineering had to be called into play. A hose connection was made from a refrigerator to the fish's tank, and the nation was saved.

KILL 3 IN ARK. JAIL BREAK

Two More Wounded Trying to Escape

TUCKER PRISON FARM, Ark., Aug. 4.—Four prisoners were killed and three wounded today when they attempted to escape from the prison camp here.

Guards surrounded the seven convicts who escaped from the prison camp and cold-bloodedly killed three of them and wounded two others. A prisoner serving as guard was killed in the fight. The battle took place in a wood twenty-five miles from the prison.

The prisoners seized all the guns and ammunition they could carry, destroyed all the other guns and escaped on horses.

Early reports did not give the names of the prisoners who were killed. R. G. Jones was one of the prisoners wounded.

Whalen, Ex-Cop Chief Sings Praise of His Pal, Matthew Woll

This country should make double haste to do something before conditions become too acute, Matthew Woll, far-famed labor misleader warned his boss friends during the course of an address at the Wanamaker auditorium yesterday.

Mr. Woll came to sing praises to the capitalist system on the same platform with H. Bayard Swope, head of the labor-robbing General Electric Co., and George B. Cortelyou, president of the National Electric Light Association, and of several gas and electric companies. Grover Whalen, former head of the New York cops, referred to Mr. Woll as the "thinking labor leader"



### HUNDREDS SEIZED ON AUGUST 1ST IN JAPANESE CITIES

#### Illegal Meets Held In Shanghai, All Over Europe

(By Inprecor Cable)  
TOKIO, Aug. 4.—Prohibited demonstrations took place here and in Yokohama where fierce collisions occurred with hundreds arrested.  
SHANGHAI.—Prohibited anti-war demonstrations were held in Shanghai outside the International Settlement. Numerous leaflets were distributed and many were arrested.  
MADRID, Aug. 4.—The anti-war day demonstration on August 1 in Madrid under the leadership of the Communist Party was a big success although both the socialists and anarchists refused to participate. In Barcelona 150 workers were arrested.  
PARIS, Aug. 4.—Fine demonstrations were held in France on Aug. 1. Five thousand workers were out in Marseilles where police attacked making 150 arrests. Four thousand demonstrated in St. Etienne.  
WARSAW, Aug. 4.—Despite mass preventative arrests numerous demonstrations were held in Poland where the police vigorously attacked the workers. In Warsaw, there were 120 arrests in Vilna, Lodz, Dombrova and Cracow. The demonstrators attacked three offices of reactionary newspapers. In Warsaw a Polish officer shot two workers, one fatally. The press congratulated the officer for "defending the honor of the uniform."

### NEW YORK ELECTION MEETINGS

**TODAY**  
Court and Green, 5th St., South Brooklyn—speakers, Nathan K. and Z. Gorenkoff, 20th Ave. and 52th St., South Brooklyn—speakers, Max Kane and H. Lieberman, 52nd St. and East 10th St., East 10th St., South Brooklyn—speakers, Esther Carroll, 18th St. and 4th St., East 10th St., South Brooklyn—speakers, Nat. Haines, 20th Ave. and 52th St., South Brooklyn—speakers, Levinson.  
14th St. and Seventh Ave., Harlem—speakers, Frederick Welch, candidate from 22-4 Assembly District.  
Crescent St. and Queens Plaza South, Long Island City, speakers, Israel Amter, candidate for Governor of New York State, George E. Peters, candidate for Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals, and William L. Ward, candidate from the First Assembly District, Long Island City.

**SATURDAY**  
14th Ave. and 39th St., South Brooklyn—speakers, Anna Teffer, 14th Ave. and 39th St., South Brooklyn—speakers, R. Stallman.

### What's On—

**FRIDAY**  
The Workers Zukunft Club will have an open air meeting at 4th St. and Second Ave., at 8:30 p.m. Speaker: Baum.  
The Brownsville Branch, I.L.D., will have an open air meeting at Hopkinson and Piquet Aves., Brooklyn, at 8 p.m. Speaker: Moran.  
Imperial Valley Branch, I.L.D., will have an open air meeting at 169th St. and Grant Ave., Bronx, at 8 p.m. Speaker: Riger.  
Comrade W. W. Weinstein, editor of the Daily Worker, will speak on the election campaign at the Tremont Workers Club, 2075 Tremont Ave., Bronx, at 8 p.m.  
The Euro Party Branch, F.S.U., will have a membership meeting at 1543 39th St. (basement), at 8 p.m.  
Frank Herzog, American engineer, decorated with the Order of Lenin, just returning from the Soviet Union, and Professor H. W. L. Dana, will speak at Webster Hall, 119 E. 11th St., at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the F.S.U.  
The Harlem Progressive Youth Club will have a membership meeting at 1538 Madison Ave., at 8:30 p.m.  
Open air anti-war meetings under the auspices of the Friends of the Soviet Union will be held as follows:  
McNulty Park, 264th and Perry Ave. Speaker: Leroy.  
West Bronx, 167th St. and Gerard. Speaker: Marshall.  
Prospect Park, Franklin Ave. and East 10th St. Speaker: Lorenz.  
Karl Marx Branch, 158th St. and Broadway. Speaker: Cooper.  
Downtown Branch, 216 E. 14th St. Speaker: L. Oak.  
A member of the National Students League will speak at the Bronx Progressive Youth Club, 593 Oak Terrace, Apt. 42, at 8:30 p.m.  
A regular meeting of the John Reed Club will be held at its headquarters, 63 W. 15th St., at 8:30 p.m.  
The Concourse Workers Club will have their regular open air meeting at 107th St. and Walton Ave., Bronx, at 8 p.m.  
Comrade S. Mirable, just returned from the Soviet Union, will speak at the Bronx Workers Club, 1610 Boston Rd., at 8 p.m.  
All members of the I.L.D. who are going to the Freiheit picnic on Saturday are requested to report to the district I.L.D. office, 799 Broadway, Room 410, and ask for Comrade Goldman.  
A question box will be held at the Bath Beach Workers Club, 2775 Bath Beach Ave., at 8:30 p.m. Everybody is welcome.  
New Jersey District No. 1 of the Communist Party, has organized a week-end camp in Chatham Colony, Chatham, N. J., for August 6 and 7. For information inquire at 7 Charlton St., Newark, N. J.  
Emmanuel Levin will speak on the Bonus Marchers at 2709 Mermaid Ave., Bronx, under the auspices of the Workers Ex-servicemen's League, 8 p.m.  
The Italian Section, F.S.U., will have an open air anti-war meeting at 11th St. and Avenue A. Speakers: Wilson and an Italian speaker.  
The Irish Workers Club will meet at 350 E. 51st St., at 8 p.m.

**SATURDAY**  
M. Emery, Branch, I.L.D., will meet at 14th St. and 4th St., Brooklyn, at 8 p.m. Speaker: Baum.  
The Brighton Beach Y.C.L. will have a concert at 2159 Coney Island Ave., Brooklyn, at 8 p.m. Admission is 25 cents.  
Comrade Amter and others will speak at Whitehall and South Sts., at 7 p.m. for the Waterfront Section of the Communist Party.

### What the N.Y. Painters Are Striking for

The New York District Council No. 9 of the Brotherhood of Painters called a general strike on July 13. Instructions were sent to every member to report on the 14th for registration in the assigned hall.  
In April when the master builders announced the wage cut from \$13.20 to \$10 a day, the painters took a referendum vote against the two scales of wages. The referendum rejected the proposals of the bosses and went on record for a strike. The locals were instructed to elect one member of each local on the strike committee. Meanwhile negotiations were going on between the Building Trades Council and the master builders, the result of which was that the Building Trades accepted a wage cut from \$13.20 to \$11.20. The master painters refused the \$11.20 and held to their original offer of \$8 on old work and \$10 on new work. Since the membership on a previous occasion thru a referendum rejected the proposals of the bosses, the District Council could not do anything else but call a strike.

When the District Council called the strike, the Shapiro gang had the following in their minds:  
1. The treasury is empty, the Council has over \$16,000 deficit, no income and the "boys" want money.  
2. The recently organized Alteration Painters Union under the leadership of the T.U.U.L. is growing, winning prestige before the organized and unorganized painters and is becoming a real menace to the fathers of the brotherhood, whose aim is to destroy it.  
3. They want to establish an alteration department taking in hundreds of new members at \$2 a piece and receiving a scale on alteration work of \$7 or \$8 a day.  
These are the main reasons for the strike.

To be sure that the control of the strike committee shall be in the hands of the machine instead of, as according to the decision of the referendum, each local shall elect one member to the strike committee from the council and elected himself as the chairman of the strike committee. Knowing that this is contrary to the will of the membership, they, therefore, decided that the appointment of the Council is optional and if the local wants to change the appointed strike committee man they have the right to do so. Locals 905 and 499 immediately changed the appointed strike committee man. The strike committee man of 499, who is well known revolutionary worker, was not seated in the strike committee until after the local made a decision whereby the local demanded that the duly elected strike committee man be seated since no other one would be elected.

#### Hand Picked Machine

The composition of the strike committee is such that whatever motion or suggestions are made in the interest of the rank and file, the hand-picked machine men with the exception of 3 or 4 vote as the machine wants them. Some are of such character that the membership would not trust them wit a nickel.  
The first decision of the strike committee was that for \$5 anybody could get a working permit if he has a job for himself; secondly, the books were opened and the initiation fee was lowered from \$150 to \$10; thirdly, a tentative agreement was prepared for the employers. Any employer who signs this agreement, which means nothing, can go to work and take as many men as he pleases. This agreement states that the employer will employ union men and will pay \$11.20 a day, but that is all. Not a word about conditions, nothing to enforce the wages.

#### A Racket For Shapiro

A result of these decisions was the following: in one week more than 1,000 painters paid \$5 a piece and got permits to work and more than 200 employers signed up with the organization. The Council had to get money by hook or crook. So the strike became a permit agency for \$5. Employers are signed up who never paid more than \$5 to \$6 a day. But

### POLICE ATTACK WERMAN SHOE PICKET LINE

#### Jailing of 4 Fails to Halt Strike; Call for More Picketing

BROOKLYN.—In an attempt to break up the militant strike at the Werman Shoe Co., police yesterday attacked a mass picket demonstration at the corner of Hendrix and Dumont Aves. and arrested four picketers. All arrested were women, three of them strikers and one the wife of a striker.  
Over a hundred workers mobilized on the picket line at 7 in the morning. By 9 o'clock over 800 workers were in front of the Werman shop. The squad of police who arrived early in the morning began to attack the pickets.  
The workers defended themselves well against the armed slugs. One worker shouted, "We voted for you, now you club us for the bosses."

Two of the workers jumped up on chairs and called on the mass of workers gathered in front of the shop to support the strike. Thereupon the cops arrested four of the women pickets.  
The strike committee declared today that the picketing of the shop will be continued. Workers are urged to support the strike by coming out and helping the strikers on the picket line.

### Five Star Strong

The Five Star strike at Long Island City is continuing strong. Two workers who were tricked into scabbing on the strikers came out and joined the strike yesterday morning.  
The workers at the Riverside Slipper shop in the Bronx who have been striking three weeks continued their strike strong yesterday. The Fringely Slipper shop strike is in good shape with the strikers holding out solid for their demands.  
Geller Strike Ended  
The Andrew Geller shoe strike ended yesterday the Federation of Shoe Workers having completed their dirty job of interfering with the strike activities to the extent of demoralizing the majority of the strikers.  
The strikers, however, through their experience have learned that the real role of the fascist Federation was the smash their struggle and to saddle new wage-cuts on the workers in the shoe industry.  
The Shoe and Leather Workers Industrial Union, in a statement today urged the workers to build strong rank and file committees in the shop as a basis for their struggle for union conditions in the shoe trade.

### Fur Strikers Expose Int'l Leader's Role

Visited by a committee of rabbit fur strikers, the membership of local 3 International Fur Workers Union, condemned the activities of their strike-breaking leadership and pledged support of the militant picketers. The committee exposed Moe Harris, organizer of the local, as working with Mr. Petrov in strike-breaking in the Queens Fur Co.  
as long as the man who goes back to work pays the \$5, they are satisfied. The Shapiro gang looks upon the strike as a good source of income. The little crooks who helped to steal the votes from Boardman and who helped Shapiro in the job are waiting for their Judas reward. A great deal of money is spent in the strike, but the secretary does not have to give an account where the money goes, not even to the strike committee. Hundreds and hundreds of dollars go to the "friends" for services and special services and in this way the strike becomes a racket—a racket for the District Council politicians, a racket for the local politicians.  
Editorial Note—The Daily Worker will publish in tomorrow's issue the position of the left wing group in the strike.

### Organizations Move to Aid Red Tag Days In City Aug. 13 and 14

NEW YORK.—The urgent necessity for support of the Election Campaign and tag days August 13 and 14 in New York City was stressed in a statement issued yesterday by the New York State United Front Election Committee.  
"While the masses starve and are denied relief, while the Hoover government doles out millions to the banks, railroads and gigantic corporations which oppress the workers of the United States, the capitalist parties are having no difficulty in collecting funds for their election campaigns.  
"The Communist Party is the only party which fights the capitalist government, which demands immediate relief for the starving unemployed and employed and social insurance for the workers at the expense of the bosses and their government.  
"It depends solely on the workers for support. It seeks a campaign fund of \$100,000 to help elect the workers' candidates in support of the workers' demands.  
"August 13 and 14 has been set aside as tag days for the New York districts to help raise this fund.  
"The New York State United Front Election Campaign Committee calls on all workers, sympathizers and mass organizations to turn out in support of the Election Fund Tag Days, Saturday and Sunday, August 13 and 14."

### Mayor Can't Evade Facts Which Prove He Took Graft

NEW YORK.—Mayor Walker's flimsy reply to graft charges provided Samuel Seabury with another opportunity to help the Tea Pot Dome scandal Republican Party. Out of the squabble between these two capitalist politicians emerges a still clearer picture of a grafter mayor who got a cool \$26,000 from Sisto for taxicab control legislation, much more money for the Equitable Coach from Paul Block because "his son liked the mayor" and a lot of other graft. Seabury yesterday pointed out in effect that to all of this the mayor's reply was, "Believe it or not, it ain't so."

### CITY ELECTION NOTES

**TODAY**  
James W. Ford, candidate for vice-president on the Communist ticket, will speak on "The Negro Workers and the Election Campaign" tonight at 8 p.m. at the Finnish Workers Club, 15 W. 123rd St.  
The meeting is being arranged jointly by the Negro Workers Club, Harlem Post of the Workers Ex-servicemen's League and Harlem Unemployed Council.  
Entertainment and dancing will follow the speech by Ford.  
William W. Weinstein, editor of the Daily Worker and Communist candidate for U. S. Senate from New York State, will speak at the ratification meeting of the Tremont Workers Club, 2075 Clinton Ave., Bronx, tonight at 8 p.m.  
Israel Amter, Communist candidate for Governor of New York, will address a mass meeting of workers in Queensboro Plaza this afternoon at 5.

### SUNDAY

Carl Hecker, acting national secretary of the International Labor Defense and Communist candidate from the 16th Congressional District, Upper Manhattan, N.Y. will be the main speaker at a picnic of the Yugo-Slav Club in Shaffer's Park, North Bergen, N. J., Sunday, August 7.  
William Patterson, director of the I.L.D. Negro Department will speak on "The Negro Question and the Election Campaign," at 1109 45th St., Brooklyn, this Sunday morning at 1 o'clock.  
All organizations are urged in a notice sent out by the New York State United Front Election Campaign Committee, today, not to arrange any meetings or collection of funds which will conflict with the Election Campaign tag days for New York City, set for August 13 and 14.

### CLOTHING BOSSES ON COMMITTEE IN HILLMAN STRIKE

#### Stoppage Not Against Bosses' Union Head Declares

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any bests they saw fit, which meant in reality settlements on a wage-out basis. Hillman declared at this meeting without batting an eye that "a strike at the present time would be a calamity." He said that the Amalgamated was in too bad a financial condition to conduct a strike.  
At this time Hillman made an agreement on a 10 per cent wage cut basis. He later denied that the wage-out was 10 per cent and tried to point out that the settlement was merely a readjustment. He admitted, however, that he agreed to a wage-out, but lied that the cut amounted to 7 per cent.  
The whole stoppage is a scheme to hitact dues and assessments from the workers and the new way for new wage-cuts. A decision has already been handed down by Hillman that each worker upon returning to work will have to kick in to the union \$2 each week. The cutters will be forced to pay the union 10 per cent of their wages.  
The Rank and File Committee of the Amalgamated in a statement issued today urged the workers in the shops to unite and give a real battle to the bosses and the union officials to stop wage-cuts and enforce union conditions in the shops. All unemployed tailors are urged to force the Hillman machine place them on jobs on at vacant machines and to stop overtime and Sunday work.

### STAGE-SCREEN

#### "SEEDS OF FREEDOM" AT ACME THEATRE SATURDAY

Starting Saturday the Acme Theatre will present "Seeds of Freedom," a powerful Soviet drama. The picture is based on actual events and presents the life and ideals of the workers in the USSR. The principal role is played by L. M. Lemidoff, noted stage and screen star of Soviet Russia. The same program includes the anti-war demonstration in Union Square, Red Flashlights, showing close-up scenes of noted Communist leaders and bonus army scenes in Washington. This program will continue on Sunday and Monday inclusive.  
"AMERICAN MADNESS" OPENS AT MAYFAIR THEATRE  
"American Madness" a picture of present-day life with Walter Huston and Pat O'Brien have its Broadway premiere at the Mayfair today. This is a new Columbia picture. Robert Riskin wrote the story and Frank Capra directed the production.  
"Bring 'Em Back Alive" will remain for an eighth week on Broadway at the Cameo Theatre. The Soviet film, "House of Death," originally scheduled for this week, will have its American premiere at the Cameo starting Friday, Aug. 12.  
Constance Bennett will be seen at the Jefferson and rankin Theatres Saturday to Tuesday in "What Price Hollywood" her newest starring vehicle. Other players are Lowell Sherman and Gregory Ratoff, and Neil Hamilton. "Radio Patrol" will be the feature picture at the Franklin and Jefferson Wednesday to Friday. Robert Armstrong, Lila Lee, June Clyde, Russell Hopton and Andy Devine are the principal players.

### Call Engineers to Herzog Send-off at Webster Hall Tonight

NEW YORK.—The Technical Aid group of the Friends of the Soviet Union, which is building up a large group of engineers to give voluntary technical aid to the Soviet Union, are calling upon all engineers and others to join in the send-off meeting which is being given to Frank Herzog, American engineer, who was decorated as a Shock Brigadier for important work in the Soviet Union.  
Herzog is speaking for the last time in U. S. tonight at Webster Hall, 421 E. 11th St., at 8 p.m.  
Prof. H. W. L. Dana, who is leaving the U. S. as national representative of the F.S.U. at the World Congress Against War, will also speak.

### Prof. Dana to Be Guest of Honor of F. S. U.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Aug. 3.—H. W. L. Dana, noted authority on the drama who accompanied Bernard Shaw on his trip to the Soviet Union, will be the guest of honor of the Friends of the Soviet Union on the moonlight boat excursion on the Hudson on August 13, the F.S.U. announced today.  
Theodore Dreiser, Michael Gold, John Dos Passos and other noted writers have been invited to attend. The program will include Margaret Larkin, who will sing cowboy songs, Taylor Gordon, who will sing Negro songs; Hyman Dinkowitz, violinist; Bosha Scherer, in Russian songs, and musicians from the Musicians Club.  
The proceeds of the boatripe will go to the N. Y. District of the F.S.U. and for the magazine "Soviet Russia Today."

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### 'SUNSHINE' MILK DRIVERS STRIKE

#### Sheffield Men Sent to Seab Aid Strike

NEW YORK.—Twenty five milk drivers, their helpers and inside workers in the employ of the Sunshine Farms Co. at 466 11th Ave., walked out on strike Wednesday night, under the leadership of the Milk Drivers Section of the Food Workers Industrial Union, and completely tied up the plant. Picketing immediately established, went on day and night. The boss, Abler, is receiving support of the Sheffield Farms Co. who are sending workers to take the places of the men out on strike. These men, however, when they saw the picket line, refused to scab.  
Milk drivers, members of Local 594 of the Milk Drivers Union affiliated to the A. F. of L. are also giving their fullest support to the strikers against the orders of their officials.

### Worker Beaten at Meet in Hospital

NEW YORK.—The worker beaten up by hoodlums who attacked general meeting held Monday night at 7th St. and Avenue B, is still in the Bellevue Hospital, according to the Downtown Unemployed Council.  
That the attack on the meeting was planned is indicated by the fact that the hoodlums had hidden themselves in a nearby fruit store.  
7,000 paid-in-advance bundle orders by November 1.

### Perth Amboy Will Hear Mother Mooney, R. B. Moore Tonight

PERTH AMBOY, Aug. 4.—Workers of this town are eagerly awaiting "Mother" Mooney and Richard B. Moore, who speak here tonight in Columbia Hall, 385 State St.  
Both have just come East following a nationwide tour on behalf of Tom Mooney and the Scottsboro boys under the auspices of the International Labor Defense.  
Other meetings at which "Mother" Mooney and Moore will speak are as follows:  
Aug. 6, Yonkers, 27 Hudson St.; Aug. 7, Camp Wocolona, Monroe, N. Y.; Aug. 9, Ossining, 20 Brookville Ave.; Aug. 10, Monticello, Amusement Park; Aug. 11, Newark, Kreagers Auditorium; Aug. 13, 14, Camp Nitgedaiget, Beacon, N. Y.; Aug. 16, Woodside, L. I., at Labor Temple, 4132 58th St.

### Gold Speaks Sunday at Farewell for H. Sazer

NEW YORK.—Ben Gold, leader of the fur workers, will speak at a farewell banquet in honor of Henry Sazer to be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Coney Island Workers' Center, 2709 Mermaid Ave., Coney Island.  
Sazer, long active among the needle workers, has been elected by the General Executive Board of the Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union as a representative to the International Action Committee, and leaves soon for the Soviet Union.  
A member of the Artel will present dramatic features, it is announced.

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1. Brownsville Workers' Club, 1440 East New York, Aug. 5th—Banquet
2. August 14th—Jamaica Section 9 of the Communist Party and Women's Council Picnic.
3. August 21st—Daily Worker District 2. Picnic and Mass Features by Workers' Laboratory Theatre—Proletkühne, Labor Sports Union, Ex-Servicemen's League, Marine Workers Industrial Union, etc.
4. Coney Island Workers' Club. Concert at 2709 Mermaid Ave.
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# Workers of Soviet Karelia Send Message to Mooney

## American-Finns Who Escaped Fascist Terror After Deportation Write Letter

### Tell Militant Leader in San Quentin Jail of Growin' Struggle for Freedom

In the city of Petrozavodsk, capital of the Karelian Autonomous Socialist Soviet Republic, are several thousand American-Finns, driven out of the United States by the deportation authorities for militant labor activity. They succeeded in reaching this city in the Soviet Union when deported ostensibly to white-Finland, a fascist country. There they live and work, helping to build socialism on one-sixth of the earth's surface. They have organized into a unit of MOPR (International Red Aid), to help the defense of workers in capitalist countries persecuted by the fascist governments.

This Finnish-American unit of the MOPR has sent to Tom Mooney, in San Quentin, California, a letter which Mooney makes public today through the International Labor Defense, and the Tom Mooney Mourners' Defense Committee. In this letter they extend comradely greetings to Mooney and all other class war prisoners, and they describe the conditions under which they live in the U.S.S.R., to cheer him in the struggle.

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# ILD CONVENTION ON OCTOBER 8, 9

## Organizations Urged to Elect Delegates

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—A call to all organizations interested in the struggle against persecution, deportations, lynching, and terror, to elect delegates for the fifth national convention in the International Labor Defense, to be held in Cleveland Oct. 8 and 9, was issued from the national office of that organization today.

The call stresses the growing need for a more powerful, more all-inclusive defense organization for the workers and the multiplication of the roll of political prisoners in the present crisis of unemployment and starvation.

The arrest of workers by the hundreds goes on each week in the U. S. Each week brings its toll of new political prisoners. Each week sees more hundreds of workers deported by the strike breaking, labor-spying department of labor. And each week brings with it heavier obligations to the International Labor Defense in its defense of political prisoners and for the relief of those prisoners and their dependents.

**WAGE CUT FOR 9,000.**  
ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 4.—Nine thousand workers in the glass blowing industry had their wage cut 13 per cent here yesterday after a conference between the officials of the Glass Bottle Blowers' Association and the officers of the National Glass Manufacturers Assn.

# When James W. Ford Plays, There Is No Jim-Crowing of Negroes



James W. Ford, Communist candidate for vice-president, was captain and played third base on the championship team of the Chicago Post Office League in 1927. He was at that time a leading member of the Postal Workers' Union, No. 1, and its delegate to the Chicago Federation of Labor, where he always fought Jim-crowism and discrimination. The Chicago post-master, Arthur Leader, a "lily-white" office holder, insisting upon Jim-crow teams in the League. Ford fought against it, organizing a strike which lasted one week. The Negro and white players who struck together were victorious, and there was no Jim-Crow Postoffice team that year in Chicago. Two months later, Ford, because of his agitation against discrimination and the speed-up system, was fired from his job by the postmaster. Ford (above) is the first man on the left of the center row, with the mascot at his side.

# N. D. CONVENTION FRAMES DEMANDS

## Picks State Tickets for Campaign

MINOT, N. D., Aug. 4.—That lands obtained by the Bank of North Dakota through foreclosures be returned to the farmers was one of the demands adopted at the North Dakota nominating convention which adopted a state platform and selected candidates to run in the coming elections.

Other demands include a \$5,000,000 fund for immediate relief for the starving farmers and industrial workers of the state; that the state mill and elevator at Grand Forks be required to sell flour at a price in keeping with the present low price of wheat in the state. "The repeal of the varnace law was at the same time demanded."

Attended by delegates from all sections of North Dakota, the convention which was nominated by great enthusiasm, picked the following slate in the coming elections:

U. S. Senator, Frank Wity; for Congress, Ella Reeve Blor and P. J. Barrett; for governor, Andrew Olmhoft; for lieutenant-governor, B. J. Helland; for attorney-general, K. P. Loesch; for secretary of state, Roy W. Dalziel.

## Adopt Youth Demands.

The convention at the same time adopted a series of youth demands, including the right of young workers of 18 to vote; no discrimination against young, unmarried workers in getting relief; no discrimination against Negroes; equal pay for equal work for all young workers.

The formation of "first-time voters' clubs" throughout the state was decided by the convention, this work being put in charge of Fred Dalziel, of Glenburn, son of the Communist candidate for secretary of state.

At the conclusion of the convention, resolutions were adopted denouncing the attack on the vets and for the release of Mooney, Billings and all class war prisoners. A special resolution was passed urging support for the Daily Worker and the Producers' News official organ of the Communist Party.

## Grows Despite Terror.

The Police Department of South Bend recently conducted a systematic reign of terror against the Daily Worker. Bundles of the "Daily" were confiscated. "Despite this, the 'Daily' is growing in influence in South Bend," says Comrade Lewis.

In Gary, Hammond and Indianapolis increasing numbers of workers are also eager for the "Daily," according to Lewis.

A committee is at work in Indianapolis in the Daily Worker mass circulation campaign. The first day's work resulted in three yearly subscriptions, one half-yearly sub and one monthly sub.

# FLASH REPORT ON AUGUST 1

## Three New Hampshire Meets.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 4.—New Hampshire workers and farmers held three successful anti-war demonstrations on August 4 in Concord 500, most of them fire workers from the Sullivan Company, manufacturers of mining equipment, turned out. In Nashua, another 600 demonstrated.

## Score Hoover Murder.

CHESTER, Pa., Aug. 4.—The brutal murder of war veterans by the Hoover Government was denounced in an anti-war meeting of 350 workers here on August 1. The meeting demanded the payment of the Bonus and immediate relief for the unemployed.

## 600 in Omaha.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 4.—Six hundred workers took part in the August 1st anti-war demonstration, in one of the best open air meetings the Communist Party has held in Omaha. They unanimously adopted resolutions expressing their support for the Chinese People and the Soviet Union, their opposition to war and condemnation of the murder of the war veterans in Washington on Bloody Thursday.

## Marshall at Anti-War Meet.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Aug. 4.—John Marshall, Communist candidate for Governor of Ohio, was the main speaker at an anti-war demonstration of 300 workers here on Aug. 1.

## 300 in Niles Anti-War Meet.

NILES, O., Aug. 4.—Three hundred workers took part in the anti-war demonstration in this city, voting for the defense of the Chinese People and the Soviet Union and for cash payment of the Bonus and immediate unemployment relief.

## A. F. L. MEMBERS ATTEND MEET

WARREN, O., Aug. 4.—Three hundred and fifty workers demonstrated at Central Park against imperialism, war and the murder of war veterans and their babies by the Wall Street Government on Bloody Thursday. Scores of members of the A. F. of L. steel union were present, as well as many veterans.

## STEEL WORKERS HIT WAR PLOTS

CAMPBELL, Ohio, Aug. 4.—Five hundred steel workers demonstrated against war on August 1st in this city which is controlled by the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co. Johnson, secretary of the Steel Workers Industrial Union, was the main speaker. Candidates of the Communist Party on the County ticket spoke.

## USE STEAM SHOVEL TO TRY TO BREAK MEET

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Aug. 4.—Two thousand steel workers demonstrated here on August 1st.

An attempt by the city administration to disrupt the demonstration by sending a steam shovel crew to tear up the sidewalks at the site of the meeting was defeated, when the crew joined in the demonstration.

## ANTI-WAR PARADE IN WATERLOO, IOWA.

WATERLOO, Ia., Aug. 4.—Eighty workers led by the Unemployed Council of this town marched in an anti-war parade here on August 1. The Unemployed Council has 335 members, with headquarters at 333 Cottage St. Edward N. Krueger is organizer.

## IN SOUTH TOO

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Aug. 4.—Five hundred workers, the large majority of them Negroes, responded to the call of the Communist Party for the August First anti-war demonstration here.

## Cheer Foster-Ford in Michigan Anti-War Meets

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Two of the biggest demonstrations ever held in Muskegon took place on Aug. 1st under the leadership of the Com-

# COMPLETE PARTY TRAINING SCHOOL

## Forty-One Students Took Course

NEW YORK.—The Central Training School of the Communist Party of the U. S. A. has completed a successful six week training course. Forty-one comrades from various parts of the country received an intensive training in the theory of Marxism-Leninism, the problems of the trade union movement, Organization Principles, Negro Problems, Work among the Unemployed, etc.

The completion of the course was celebrated by a banquet arranged by Section 15 of the Communist Party District 2.

Here Comrade Browder in a very effective speech pointed out the importance of the training schools especially in the present period when "we are rapidly approaching decisive mass struggles." He stressed the importance of carrying on the training of our members in the districts.

Comrade Markoff stressed the importance of the further development of the students, the necessity of reading the Party literature and also the necessity of strengthening the agit prop work in the district. Of the three students who spoke at the banquet, one was from California, and one from Montana, and one from Pittsburgh. Comrade Campbell, a Negro in an eloquent speech stated that while he was in the Party for a number of years, he was unable to carry an effective work due to the lack of political understanding. He stated that the school in the short term of six weeks gave him confidence in coping with the problems.

A very important feature of the Central Training School was the high percentage of Negro students; of the forty-one students 12 were Negro comrades. This is a considerable improvement over the previous schools. There were 11 members of the Y. C. L. and 7 women. Thirty-five of the students were native, 6 naturalized citizens. The following industries were represented: mining, marine, metal, railroad, automobile, building, textile, needle, food, printing, electrical, farming and others.

## HUDSON FALLS STRIKERS OUT SOLID

HUDSON FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 4.—The strike of the workers at the Fenimore Paper Mill here remains solid despite the attempted use of strikebreakers by the company. Picket lines are maintained every day.

Answering the attacks by the imperialists and their lackeys, such as Frederick Adler, Secretary of the Socialist International, against the World Congress Against War, hundreds of labor and socialist organizations in Europe have elected delegates to the Congress which will convene in Europe on August 27. This information was released yesterday by the American Committee of the Congress on the basis of a cable from the European offices of the International committee of which Roman Rolland is chairman. The message stated that especially in Germany have labor and socialist organizations disregarded the disunited attack by the Second International on the world fight against war.

A statement received from the English Committee for the World Congress announced that organizations which have already elected delegates include the A. E. U. Metal workers, International War Resisters, the Labeley Tinsplate Workers, the London Teachers Association. In addition, Glasgow workers elected 4 delegates, Manchester workers 4, Maesteg workers 1.

Delegates from New York will be elected at a conference Monday, August 8 at 8 p. m., at the Labor Temple, 14th St. and 2nd Ave.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 4.—Over 450 workers at a mass anti-war meeting here Aug. 1 condemned the shooting and murder of ex-servicemen by the Hoover government for demanding their back wages.

# MEMORIAL FOR MURDERED VETS IN CHL. COLISEUM

## Meeting Saturday to Follow Mass Parade

CHICAGO, Ill., August 4.—Over 125 workers' organizations will participate in the mass memorial for Wm. Hushka, and Eric Carlson, murdered war veteran to be held in the Coliseum, 15th and Wabash, Saturday at 8 p.m.

The meeting will follow a march of workers and vets which will begin at 14th and Loomis at 6 p.m. under the auspices of the Workers' Ex-Servicemen's League. The war veterans have been urged to come wearing their uniforms.

A number of posts of the American Legion will participate in the memorial against the ruling of the officials. Rank and file members of the legion will address the meeting along with leaders of the Workers' Ex-Servicemen's League.

At a mass conference called last night by the WESL to prepare for the conference 300 delegates pledged the support of 125 organizations. Over 160,000 leaflets are being distributed throughout the city calling on the workers to come to the memorial to protest against the bloody murder of the two vets by Hoover's police.

# 3,000 IN NEWARK ANTI-WAR MEET

## Hit Murder of Vets, Forced Labor

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 4.—Over 3,000 workers wildly cheered the speakers at the anti-war demonstration at the Military Park on August 1.

William Patterson, Negro national leader of the International Labor Defense and Rebecca Grecht, district organizer of the Communist Party were the principal speakers, with Charles Mitchell, Communist candidate for U. S. Congress acting as the chairman. They forcefully exposed the attempts of the State of New Jersey to institute forced labor and to deport Negro workers to the South and the murderous attacks by the government on the Bonus Marchers, resulting in the death of several of the veterans.

Over 2,000 copies of the Daily Worker and 600 penny pamphlets were sold or distributed.

HEIDELBERG, Pa., Aug. 4.—Two hundred workers took part in the anti-war demonstration here on Aug. First.

## Over 6,000 in Jersey Meets.

The following anti-war meets took place in New Jersey on August First:

Newark, over 3,000 workers, the biggest in several years; Elizabeth, 500; Trenton, 500; Passaic, 600; Paterson, 500; Perth Amboy, 450; Hillside, 400; Hoboken, 300; Linden, 300; and New Brunswick, 200 workers, which includes marches in several of the cities.

All of the meetings were sharply militant. Over 60,000 Anti-War leaflets were distributed; 7,000 copies of the Daily Worker and nearly 1,000 penny pamphlets were sold or distributed throughout the state on August First.

# Big Response for Anti-War Congress

## Workers Answer At- tack By Bosses, Socialists

Answering the attacks by the imperialists and their lackeys, such as Frederick Adler, Secretary of the Socialist International, against the World Congress Against War, hundreds of labor and socialist organizations in Europe have elected delegates to the Congress which will convene in Europe on August 27. This information was released yesterday by the American Committee of the Congress on the basis of a cable from the European offices of the International committee of which Roman Rolland is chairman. The message stated that especially in Germany have labor and socialist organizations disregarded the disunited attack by the Second International on the world fight against war.

# International Notes

## Threat Against Red Czech Unions PRAGUE.—The government, having disbanded the Red Trade Union Central, is now attacking the individual trade union organizations.

In one day the government disbanded the Red Building Workers Union, the Agricultural Workers Union and the Tailors' Union. The official reason advanced by the government is that "since the Red Trade Union Central has been dissolved, all affiliated organizations must automatically be disbanded."

## British Worker Sportsmen Leave Leningrad

MOSCOW.—The British worker sportsmen who toured the Soviet Union are about to return to England.

They took part in the great sport gala at Minsk (White Russia) where they received an especially cordial reception in view of the fact that White Russia has the patronage of the Communist Party of England.

The sportsmen visited a number of cities of the Soviet Union.

## 500 French Workers to Anti-War Congress

PARIS.—Five hundred fifty delegates to the International Congress against War have been elected by workers in the war material and chemical factories and by workers employed in the railways and shipping companies of France.

The Workers' and Peasants' Conference recently held in Paris elected an especially large number of delegates from the war material and metal companies.

The Autonomous Federation of French Civil Servants, counting 45,000 members, wrote to the anti-war congress committee requesting it to obtain leave of absence for the civil servants delegates to the congress.

## Imperialist Terror in Bombay

STAMBOUL, India.—The conflicts which are being constantly brought about by British imperialists in India give the British officials a pretext for a daily increasing terror.

Since the 14th of May, 216 Indians were shot and 2677 wounded by British policemen shooting as soon as the slightest incident gives them a pretext.

## German Socialist Workers Join C.P.

BERLIN.—Ever increasing numbers of workers leave the German Social-Democratic Party to join the Communist Party.

Fourteen workers recently appeared at Communist meeting in Altona and declared their intention to join the Communist Party as a protest against the attitude of the social-democratic police chief, Egerstadt, and against the slanderous agitation of the social-democratic newspapers.

# PUSH WAR ON JAPAN IN CHINA

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Tientsin area, North China, of the Nanking commander, Marshal Chang Hush-liang. Chang, who has at his disposal over 130,000 troops is doing nothing to oppose the Japanese advance in Jehol Province. The Japanese, however, are afraid that Chang's troops may get beyond control and join the national revolutionary war against the imperialists and their Kuomintang lackeys. Japan has already issued emergency instructions to Japanese residents in Peiping, Tientsin and other North China cities to gather at the Japanese consulates at a pre-arranged signal.

Seizure of North China by the Japanese would lay the basis for fresh blood-baths against the revolutionary workers in the cities, to disrupt their growing active support of the Chinese Soviet Republic, through strike actions, and other anti-Nanking, anti-imperialist struggles. It would also extend the Japanese military base for the invasion of Soviet Mongolia to the north and of the Soviet Union.

## Peasant Rebels Win Victories

The "Red Spears," "Big Swords" and other peasant partisan troops yesterday continued their smashing attacks against the Japanese invaders in a tremendous upsurge of the national revolutionary war in Manchuria. Having wrested huge territories from the Japanese and driven the Japanese forces into the ditches, the peasant insurgents are now attacking the cities, including Harbin, Mukden and other military centers of the Japanese military administration in Manchuria.

Japanese destroyers and bombing planes joined in the fighting yesterday at Yinkow, but even the combined army, navy and air attack was unable to dislodge the heroic partisan troops.

## RADIO WORKERS CUT.

(By a Worker Correspondent)  
CINCINNATI.—The workers of the Crosley Radio Co., Cincinnati, had their wages cut 15 per cent and in the refrigerator department all the workers have been laid off. A leaflet was issued by the Trade Union Unity League to organize a rank and file grievance committee to fight against these conditions.

## VOTE COMMUNIST FOR:

5. Against capitalist terror; against all forms of suppression of the political rights of workers.

# RESISTING VETS ARE DRIVEN FROM JOHNSTOWN CAMP

## 5,000 Had Balked Af- ter W.E.S.L. Call

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marchers by tomorrow afternoon, is plainly designed to clear the town of bonus army members before the local American Legion holds its annual parade here late tomorrow. It was announced in the local press that Friday will be Legion Day in Johnstown.

## Call to Close Ranks.

The leaflets distributed throughout the camp by the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League were received with approval by the masses of vets. In all sections of the camp veterans gathered in little groups and discussed the contents of the leaflet, which urged the vets not to allow their ranks to be broken.

"Refuse to be herded around like cattle; do not allow the fight for the bonus be broken up," said the call of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League. "Sit tight. Organize the forces of the rank and file on the basis of rank and file committees."

## Prepare for Convention.

A call was issued to all veterans to prepare for the National Convention of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League to be held in Cleveland Oct. 15-16. All groups were urged to elect delegates to the convention which will take up plans for a march of the unemployed workers and veterans to Washington at the opening of Congress to demand unemployment insurance at the expense of the government and the employers and the bonus. All groups of vets who have left for their homes were urged to organize posts of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League in their respective towns and rally the workers and veterans to demand a special session of Congress to pass the bonus bill.

## Waters' Men Desert.

All the erstwhile so-called commanders of the bonus army have now practically deserted in face of the ouster order. Waters refused to appear in the camp yesterday and remained in Washington. He is the only member of the bonus army allowed by the police and Hoover officials to stay in the city.

## McCloskey Boosed.

When McCloskey spoke to the marchers yesterday in Ideal Park he was boosed down when he said that Waters had ordered the vets to go home.

"Most of us have no home," said one of the vets.

A rank and file following McCloskey on the platform shouted to the marchers, "Do we want to go home!"

## Food Cut Off.

The food for the vets has been practically cut off. It is clearly the policy of McCloskey and the steel barons whom he represents to starve the vets and then drive them out with state troops if they refused to go.

## Women Knocked Down.

The camp is swarming with state troopers and Department of Justice men. One woman, the wife of a vet, with a child of three was knocked down by a trooper this morning. When the veterans protested he said, "That's for the rest of you."

The Johnstown workers, most of them steel and mine workers, are very bitter against the police and city government for the vicious treatment the vets have received in their city. Thousands of angered workers gathered near the camp today and cheered the vets.

Ellison, a Waters' man who deserted the camp yesterday, started today with a caravan of 14 automobiles for the west coast with a group of carefully picked men to be used as a nucleus for the Waters' fascist "Khaki Shirt" organization.

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## Smash the Cuban Terror

THE murderous Machado Government is now outdoing itself, in its brutal attacks on the masses of Cuba. The Daily Worker has called attention from time to time to examples of terror and brutality against the workers' and peasants' organizations. These examples have been mounting, as the Machado Government became more tied up with American Imperialism's war campaign in the Far East. In an effort to stop the preparations for the August First Anti-War Demonstration, the police shot up a demonstration held on Monday, July 25, with over 200 workers present. As the workers gathered, the police opened fire. Many workers were arrested and many wounded (how many we do not know). But we do know that one of those who participated, Rafael Rodriguez Pool, was found in the outskirts of Havana, dying, with five bullet wounds on his face and body. Another worker, a foreigner, was also found dead near the same place the same day.

The ferocity of the police was aimed to stop the anti-war campaign of the Cuban workers and peasants, to stop their heroic struggle against American Imperialism, which controls the Machado Government.

In the last two weeks, four dead bodies were found floating in the sea. This recalls the finding of the bodies of two revolutionary workers, Claudio Bronzon and Noske Yalob, in the bellies of sharks, a few years ago, after they had mysteriously disappeared from jail. Four peasants were found hung from trees in the province of Santa Clara. The killing by terrorists of the hated Calvo, the chief of the Cuban secret police, has resulted in the present exceptional wave of persecution and murder.

On July 26, the police invaded the home of a revolutionary worker, Armando Averhoff Grau, and have held him incommunicado since. In accordance with Machado's usual practices, it is quite possible that Grau has been murdered and his body is now floating in Havana Harbor. This we do not know. We must demand to know where he is. We must demand that his lawyer be permitted to visit him. We should do everything possible to save the lives of Grau and the other hundreds of political prisoners now on the Isle of Pines or in the other hideous prisons.

Every organization that is opposed to American Imperialism should raise its voice to save the lives of Grau and the other political prisoners. The police of Havana have openly boasted that they would do away with Grau. We must act immediately. Send a resolution of protest to President Machado, Havana, Cuba; and to Secretary of State Stimson, Washington, D. C. Raise this issue at your meetings. Arrange open air meetings. Wherever possible, arrange demonstrations in front of Cuban Consulates.

By defending the active working class fighters, we are helping the struggles of the Cuban masses for improvement of their conditions and against imperialist war. We are aiding the fight against our own masters. It is our duty to the colonial masses, groaning under the iron heel of Yankee Imperialism. Let us fulfill our duty!

## Manufactured Optimism

A WAVE of fraudulent optimism is being issued to lull the workers into believing, on the eve of the presidential election, that a turn toward economic "recovery" is in the making.

A slightly increased activity in the stock market is thus celebrated as opening the "upward march." Knowing how little attention is paid to his forecasts, Hoover does not dare say that "prosperity" will return "in sixty days." But Republican officials close to the "great engineer" are already busy tabulating the stock market's activity to build on it a Spanish castle which might be offered to the workers before the presidential election.

That this is not a Communist "whispering campaign" but the truth, is admitted even by some financial observers. The Annalist states quite frankly: "Many Wall Street observers believe that a vigorous attempt will be made to advance the security market and to bring about some... recovery 'before the election.'"

The Annalist writes for the bankers and not for the workers. It does not deny therefore that: "An advance of this character would, of course, contain a large manipulative element and, regardless of the outcome of the election, would probably be followed by a severe relapse beginning in November or December."

This financial journal of course presents the relapse of economic activity as problematical, but there is no doubt that the Spanish Castle being built on the advance of a pegged stock market will soon be shattered under the crushing blows of the continuously deepening economic crisis.

A fact that not even the capitalist economists can deny is that the economic situation "does not justify the suddenly increased activity of the stock and bond market." All the economic facts "mirror a rather gloomy situation," states a bankers' journal.

"Ford automobile production, as the Iron Age reports the situation, is expected to be much lower next month, and the prospects for much enlarged production in the Autumn and early winter are at present not good," writes the Annalist.

The index of electric production is not any better. For the country as a whole, production of electricity during the week ended on July 23 was 13.1 per cent less than in the corresponding week of last year.

Building activity, as reported by the F. V. Dodge Corporation, is lower than it was in the first six months of the year. Estimated transportation activity for the next three months is declining. But what is far more important, the estimated transportation of "capital goods," raw materials and other goods needed for industrial production, declines even more rapidly than the transportation of manufactured goods and agricultural products.

The Annalist itself finds therefore no other reason for the advance of the stock market, than the "realization that previous forecasts implied a sharper deepening of the crisis." It is really difficult to see that any real change has taken place during the past four weeks in the general situation outside of the market itself," concludes the Annalist.

And what change occurred in the stock market to justify its recently increased activity? A manipulative element was introduced in the market which, on the other side, was seized upon by speculators whose activity is thus responsible for a large part of the advance.

The workers must not let themselves be fooled by the artificial optimism being spread regarding the economic situation. The crisis continues to grow deeper and deeper. And the capitalists who received billions from the Government of President Hoover, who refuses the payment of the bonus to the veterans and gives them and the workers fighting for relief bullets instead of bread, know this very well.

They intensify their offensive against the standard of living of the workers. They demand more wage reductions on the top of those already enforced upon the workers with the aid of Hoover and William Green. They prepare for imperialist war against China and the Soviet Union. War against the American workers—this is the capitalist way out of the crisis.

The workers must intensify their struggle against any reduction of wages. They must demand unemployment insurance at the expense of the government. The struggle against imperialist war and for the defense of China and the Soviet Union must draw ever larger numbers of toilers.

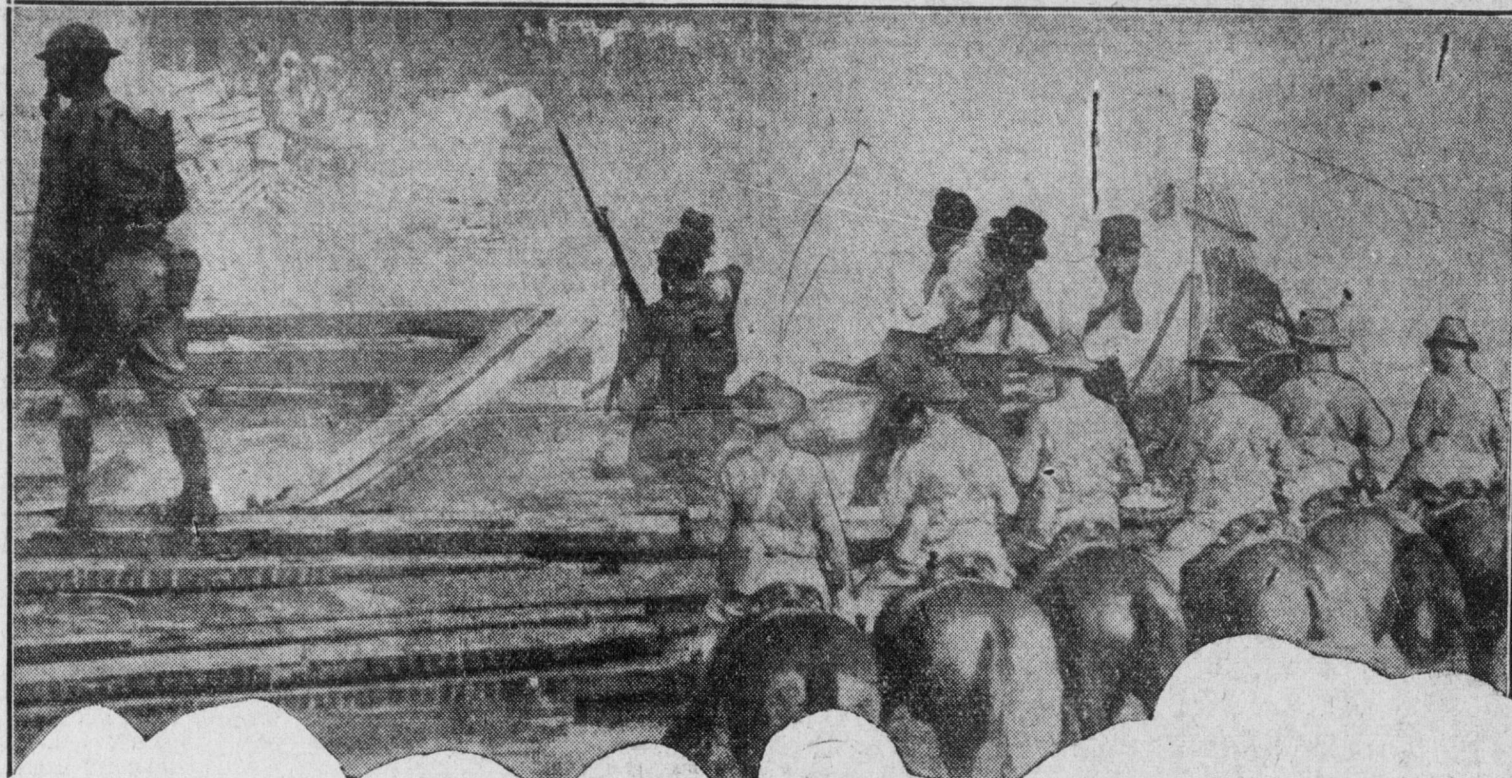
The answer of the workers to the capitalist bluff about the "economic recovery" must be the rallying of hundreds of thousands around the Communist Party and its standard-bearers.

## A Scottsboro Boy Writes to the I.L.D.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—From the death house in Kilby Prison, Alabama, Ozie Powell, one of the seven Negro boys framed on a charge of rape in the now world famous Scottsboro case, has written to J. Louis Engdahl for the I. L. D. now touring Europe with Mrs. Ada Wright mother of two of the other six boys, to rouse international protest in regard to the case.

"Mr. J. Louis Engdahl: Mr. Engdahl. It gives me such great consolation to sit in this lonesome cell and express my appreciation to all the comrades of Germany, for the good work they are doing for us poor innocent ones, and to say it makes me feel polly to know that it is being more peoples interested in the case than ever. And I also hope to see the day come when I can be free and enjoy life as I should, and have the opportunity to meet all the comrades and shake hands with them all, and thank them all for what they have did for me. Yours very truly, Ozie Powell."

## "God Sent You to Johnstown and I'm Going to Send You Home!"



## On the British Cousins of the Muste Misleaders of Labor

By L. MARTIN

(Special Correspondent of the Daily Worker)

LONDON, July 22.—The maneuvers of the American Mustettes' big brother, the Independent Labor Party, were exposed by Harry Pollitt, British Communist leader, in a special interview with the correspondent of the American Daily Worker. At the same time Comrade Pollitt gave a rapid outline of other recent British developments, which suggest many comparisons with American conditions. He sent a message of international solidarity to the American workers, referring particularly to the interest taken here in the Scottsboro case.

Pollitt, who is a member of the secretariat of the Communist Party of Great Britain, is a bolshemaker by trade. Active in the labor movement since the age of 16, he has a rich background of working class experience altho still in his early forties. He has been prominent as a militant trade unionist for many years and was active in the British Socialist Party until the Communist Party was formed. Physically vigorous, mentally alert and a most forceful speaker, Pollitt typifies the leadership which the Communist movement in many countries is developing from the ranks of the working class.

Workers Get Wise To Labor Party "There is a widespread disillusionment among the workers today with the Labor Party," Pollitt said, "due to their experience with two Labor governments and the general strike. The last Labor government directly started the present offensive against the workers' conditions. It was responsible for the passage of the Anomalies Act, under which large numbers of unemployed workers were cut off from the unemployment insurance benefit lists. It accepted the principle of testing the workers' income before paying benefits and appointed the commission that recommended the infamous Means Test. The last Labor government also appointed the Economy Commission that recommended cutting

### An Interview With Harry Pollitt, Leader of the British Communist Party

#### In Message to U. S. Workers, Pollitt Hails the Scottsboro Fight, Urges Anti-War Drive

unemployment benefits by 10 per cent and cutting the wages of civil servants, teachers, police and soldiers and sailors.

"The Labor Party is now 'His Majesty's Loyal Opposition.' Its constitution has been tightened year after year, since 1922, until it is now a political organization which allows no criticism of the line of the party." (In earlier days the Labor Party was a comparatively loose federation of trade unions, cooperatives and workers' political parties and was often held up as a model of the next step necessary in the United States.)

Asked whether the smashing defeat of the Labor Party in the last elections had led to a swing to the left to regain the favor of the disillusioned workers, Pollitt replied that on the contrary, the Labor Party leaders had shown in recent developments a definite turn still further to the right. The leaders of the Trades Union Congress, on the other hand, he said, were using more demagogic "leftist" phrases than before. They claimed credit for forcing out the Labor government before it could expose itself too openly by its offensive against the workers.

Communist Strength Grows The widespread disillusionment with the Labor Party has resulted in a considerable increase in strength and prestige for the Communist Party, the only organization which clearly predicted the traitorous role of the Labor Party. But Comrade Pollitt is by no means satisfied with the progress made. Some 3,000 new members were taken into the Communist Party following the fall of the Labor government, and the membership is now roughly given at 9,000. Circulation of the British Daily Worker was doubled, but the full gains have not been retained. It now

circulates from 16,000 to 20,000 copies daily (as compared with 10,000 before) and reaches a circulation of from 33,000 to 40,000 for its Saturday editions. Unemployed demonstrations, organized by the National Unemployed Workers' Movement, have also increased in numbers and militancy of late.

"But unfortunately we have not yet reached the wide masses of disillusioned workers," said Comrade Pollitt. "Most of them are still uncertain where to turn. Their disillusionment with the Labor Party finds expression in the thought, 'Whom then can we trust?'"

"Our chief means of reaching them is thru the united front tactic based on concrete situations and related to the general slogans of our movement."

Referring to the way British trade union leaders come to American Federation of Labor conventions and make speeches which sound frightfully "radical" to the American bureaucrats, your correspondent asked Comrade Pollitt whether there is really so much difference between American and British trade union leaders. "Many of our trade union leaders specialize in left phrases and are experienced demagogues," he said, "but in actual practice they carry thru the policy of wage cuts, just as do the leaders of the A. F. of L."

Muste-I. L. P. Play Same Role Asked whether he saw a parallel between the American Mustettes and the British I.L.P., Pollitt said that "objectively they play the same role." But he emphasized the much bigger role played by the I.L.P., its long traditions and its position of leadership in international "centrism."

Recalling how A. J. Muste and followers in the American Confer-

ence for Progressive Labor Action admire the I.L.P. and the striking similarity of the recent tactics of the two groups, both seeking to divert the workers from the Communist movement, this writer questioned Pollitt in some detail as to the I.L.P. and its present maneuvers in regard to disaffiliation from the Labor Party.

The membership of the I.L.P. is probably about 15,000, according to Pollitt. While its leadership is petty bourgeois, it also has a considerable working class following. Its activities, however, are chiefly on the parliamentary field and it has no great influence in the trade unions, he pointed out. Recently the Communist Party has made some inroads into the ranks of the I.L.P., and many of the latter's members have joined the C. P.

"By disaffiliating from the Labor Party, as they expect to do at the Bradford conference," Pollitt said, "the Maxton group in control of the I.L.P. seeks a means of coming forward with the pretense that it is an independent political group fighting for revolutionary socialism."

The move is designed to prevent the leftward-moving workers from joining the Communist Party. It is in line with the tactics pursued in 1921 in the formation of the two-and-a-half International to check the increasing influence of the Third International. Pollitt predicted that just as the 2 1/2 International led its followers back into the fold of the Second International, so the I.L.P. will eventually lead those workers who it has kept from Communism by its deceitful maneuvers back into the Labor Party at the first suitable opportunity.

For United Front Action Comrade Pollitt pointed out that the British Communists are not interested in any false and unprincipled unity with the leaders of the I.L.P., such as the latter are seeking in connection with their present maneuvers. Nor will they make any unprincipled organizational blocs. "But we are interested," he said, "in building up united front

## The Red Singer Sewing Machine Plant

With this issue we begin a series of articles on the Red Singer Sewing Plant located at Podolsk—Red Podolsk. This series has been written by our Moscow correspondent with a view of giving an intimate, personal account of the advance of the Soviet proletariat, the life in the factory, home life and to answer many questions of Soviet life, which the American worker wants to know. Readers are urged to address questions arising out of these series to the Daily Worker. We will forward them to worker correspondents at Red Podolsk to answer.

Spread this series among your shop mates and thus build up a stronger defense for the U.S.S.R.

By MYRA PAGE

Our Correspondent in the Soviet Union.

ABOUT an hour and a half's journey from Moscow, in a small city by the name of Podolsk, there is a factory which makes sewing machines. Before the 1917 revolution this plant was owned and operated by the American capitalist, Singer. Today it is owned, like all Soviet workshops, by the working class and run by those who man its machines.

What have been the results of this change? Has production increased or fallen off? Is the product of an inferior or better grade? Can the workers produce their own directors and engineering force? In other words, has the working class proven itself capable of management? Then, what of living and working conditions? Are the workers better off and happier than in the old days? than those employed by Singer in the United States? What chance do your youth get for education and training? What are their interests and ambitions? What future is before them?

How do teachers, doctors and white collar workers live?

And what about community and family life, and the news position of women? How do people spend their free time? What activities does the local Soviet government carry on, who runs it, and how do the people look upon it?

What role does the Communist Party play?

In general, how does Red Podolsk compare with the and differ from any town in the United States?

Soviet Life—Day by Day

It was these questions, as well as many others put by American workers about the Soviet Union, that took me to Podolsk. For several weeks I have been living in this young socialist city, sharing daily experiences in the factory, union, Party, club and homes; making friends, and exchanging ideas on subjects ranging anywhere from the technique of ski-ing to lowering of production costs and increasing labor's skill and output, new standards of conduct.

What innumerable questions they ask about America! They are as eager to learn more about life in the States as you on the other side of the water are to find out about things here.

So come with me to Podolsk! You'll be taken in by Jack, Olga, Andree and young Paul, as one of them, go with them to their work and meetings, drink many a glass of tea around the friendly samovar, and altogether get acquainted at first, hand, with your factory and home-town in the Soviet Union. And what we find in Podolsk is typical of what's going on throughout this vast land.

### First Impressions

Across miles of snow-clad fields, past tiny stations with their clustering villages and peasants, bulky in their sheep-skin coats, and before the morning paper is entirely read, we're at our stop.

We mount to cross the bridge that runs above the tracks, and so get our first view of the town. In the distance, beyond the stretch of white house-tops which glisten in the sun, we can see powerful brick structures whose smoke-stacks are puffing vigorous, dark clouds into the pale yellow sky. On the far left is our sewing machine factory, while some distance beyond it the new workers' town is springing up. Swinging around, we identify the cement, metal and car-repairing shops, and the new bread factory of this industrial center which has grown in the last eight years from a town of twenty-four to sixty thousand population and expects to add another twenty thousand during 1932. Rather different, the sights of these humming factories, from the slack-time, still factory whistles, that darken the lices of millions today in the United States.

We pass a large club, topped by the radio which has begun broadcasting a talk on hygiene. Its white walls carry red banners: "All out to the factory elections!" "Check up on Union work and shop committees."

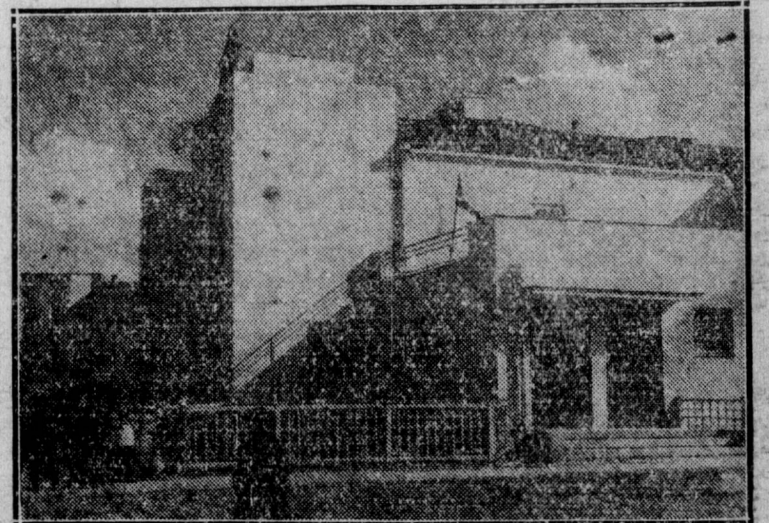
Another three blocks and we come on the factory. Its massive buildings stretch three blocks long and again as deep. Before the gates there are no lines waiting to get work. Going to the entrance, we apply for admission.

Now we're inside, we'll head straight for the foundries where the old cronies, Fedor Trefanov and Andree Boudnikov have been working for over two decades. They will show us the new and old plants, and tell us their stories and what it was like, when Singer's man, Dixon, ran the works.

(The second number in this series on "Red Podolsk" will appear tomorrow.)



A Worker in the Red Singer Sewing Machine Plant



New Workers Club in Red Podolsk

powers. Most striking in this connection is the intensification of the antagonism between British and American imperialism, reflected in the recent political events, such as the Hoover note to the Geneva conference, and its challenge to the line of British imperialism, and in the bloc created at the Lausanne conference by MacDonald as a challenge to American imperialism.

"The British and American workers must work in the closest bounds of international class solidarity against the governments of their own countries. And we British workers will never be drawn into any actions that are aimed against the American working class."

"The recent visit of Comrade Mrs. Wright, mother of two of the Scottsboro boys, has aroused a deep interest throughout the working class movement and has done much to bind the British and American workers closer together.

"Long live the unity of the American and British workers!" action of all the workers for the purpose of fighting against the capitalist offensive. And we are making the most sincere efforts to get the rank and file of the I.L.P. to fight side by side with us in the common struggle on concrete issues."

The campaign in Britain for the Scottsboro Negro boys who face a legal lynching in Alabama, Pollitt described as "one of the biggest campaigns we have ever had." He called the mass meetings held here for the Scottsboro boys "an absolute revelation," saying that such huge meetings on an issue arising in another country were never before known in Great Britain.

Message to U. S. Workers Comrade Pollitt closed the interview with the following message to American workers:

"The world economic crisis is witnessing the most rapid preparations for new imperialist wars on the part of all the capitalist