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LEHMAN ADMITS NOTHING DONE FOR DEPOSITORS

HOOVER EN-ROUTE

BEBRITS SAILS TO SOVIET UNION

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2. Against Hoover's wage-cutting policy.
3. Emergency relief for the poor farmers without restrictions of the government and banks...

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Treason charges are to be placed against those arrested, according to reports in the capitalist press.

Delegates of other city workers are meeting to consider solidarity with the street railway strikers.

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BULLETIN

NEW YORK.—The results of the election taking place in Germany on Sunday, at which large Communist gains are expected, will be announced at the Garden Rally Sunday night.

NEW YORK.—Sunday night the workers of New York will celebrate by thousands the Fifteenth Anniversary of the Bolshevik Revolution. Thousands of workers will gather in Madison Square Garden, Eighth Ave. and 50th St., at 7 p. m., in support of the workers' fatherland, where there are no wage-cuts or unemployment, and to hear the leaders of the Communist Party on the present election campaign of the party, against wage cuts and for unemployment insurance and relief.

THE SOVIET UNION BUILDS NEW LIFE

Record Big Gains on 15th Anniversary

By N. Buchwald (European Correspondent of Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., Nov. 4. (By Cable).—The Soviet press, filled with material portraying the new type of men and women produced by fifteen years of the Revolution, sights this as one of the greatest achievements of the Soviet Union.

The young generation brought up in the spirit of workers rule and under the guidance of the Leninist Communist Party now constitutes forty percent of the entire population.

Industrial Giants Confirm Gains Above gains, strikingly confirmed by figures of the Moscow District where illiteracy has been eliminated to the extent of 99 and one-half per cent of the population are seconded by the achievement of industry.

Unity with Soviet Workers The mass pageant which the Workers League Theatre will present at the rally in Madison Square Garden on Sunday, depicting the achievements of the workers in the Soviet Union, will be a powerful expression of the unity of the American revolutionary workers with their comrades in the Soviet Union.

Doors Open at 6 P. M. With indications that overflow meetings will be necessary on the outside, all workers are urged to be in the Garden before 7 p. m. on Sunday, in order to be assured of seats inside.

Nov. 7th Edition Out at 9:30 p. m. Sunday The special Nov. 7th edition of the Daily Worker commemorating the 15th anniversary of the Russian Revolution will be off the press Sunday, Nov. 6th, at 9:30 p. m.

All other comrades who have been assigned by their units to act as ushers and to help at the meeting are to report not later than 4 p. m. Tickets for reserved seats will be

# International Workers Order Red Night Tonight; 13 Meets

## Communist Candidates and Speakers Busy in Numerous Mass Meetings Today and Tomorrow

**SATURDAY**  
Workers' Zukunat Club Ball on Saturday, Nov. 5, at Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E. Fourth St., at 8 p. m. Admission, 25 cents.

**Thirteen preliminary meetings** will precede a Red Night Central Rally which the International Workers Order will hold Saturday, 8 p. m. in Rutgers Square, with Ben Gold as a main speaker.

**West Side Ballers**  
Election rallies on the West side Saturday evening will be held at 41st St. and 5th Ave., 4th St. and 5th Ave., 3rd St. and 5th Ave. and at 62nd St. and Amsterdam, with speakers including Harry Weisberg, candidate in the 5th Assembly District, David E. Stevens, at 420 E. 130th St., candidate in the 3rd Assembly District.

**Vote For Foster Club**  
The Communist Election Program will be explained by Marlin, who will speak at an election dance given by the Fifth Avenue Vote For Foster Club Saturday evening at 38 W. 28th St.

**Amter in Harlem**  
Israel Amter, candidate for Governor, will be the main speaker at a Saturday evening Central Mass Meeting at 138th St. and Lenox Ave. This rally will be preceded by a torchlight parade which will start at 138th St. and Lenox Ave. at 8:30 p. m. Preliminary meetings at 138th St. and 5th Ave., at 135th and 7th Ave., at 140th St. and 7th Ave., and 142nd St. and Lenox Ave. will be addressed by Elmer Henderson, candidate in the 21st Congressional District, A. Williams and Legree.

**Hathaway in the Bronx**  
Clarence Hathaway, candidate in the 3rd Congressional District, will speak Saturday evening at 161st St. and Prospect Ave.

**Parade in Red Hood**  
A torch parade will be held through Red Hook Saturday evening, starting at 31 Atlantic Ave. L. De Santos, candidate in the 4th Congressional District, and M. Pichney will address the Red Hood Ballers.

**Women's Rally in Brooklyn**  
Rose Morris, candidate for Comptroller, will address a Women's Rally Saturday evening at Bristol and Pitkin Ave.

**Shepard in Rockaway**  
Henry Shepard, candidate for Lieutenant Governor of New York and Irving Pichney, candidate in the 23rd Assembly District, will address a Saturday evening rally at Rockaway and Dumont.

**2 Torch Parades in Section 15**  
George E. Powers, candidate for Chief Justice of the New York Court, and M. Hayes Olin, candidate in the 24th Congressional District will speak at Tremont and Prospect. Torch parade will start at Tremont and Washington Ave. at 7:30 p. m. tonight.

**Carl Brodsky, candidate in the 23rd Congressional District, James Steele, candidate in the 4th Assembly District, and Olin, will address a torch rally at Tremont Parkway and Washington Ave. this evening, with a torchlight parade starting at 7:30 p. m., from McKinley Square.**

# ISSUE CITY-WIDE CALL FOR "DAILY" 700 Groups Invited to Meet on Nov. 13

**NEW YORK**—With two preliminary conferences already held, preparations are moving swiftly forward toward the City Daily Worker Conference to be held at Stuyvesant Conference, 142 Second Ave., on Sunday, Nov. 13, at 10 a. m.

Calls for delegates to this conference which will take up plans for improving the city edition of the Daily Worker as well as spreading its circulation and influence, have already been sent to over 700 different organizations. These include branches of the International Workers Order, the International Labor Defense, language organizations and workers' clubs, United Councils of Working Women, the Trade Union Unity League, the Young Communist League, Unemployed Councils, the Workers School and various cultural groups.

At the two preliminary meetings, held during October, members of the Trade Union Unity Council and active members of the Unemployed Councils were present. The latter meeting attracted 215 unemployed workers.

The conference on Nov. 13 will hear W. W. Weinstein, editor of the Daily Worker, who will be the main speaker. A discussion will take place on new methods to be applied in building the Daily based on the report by Comrade Weinstein.

All organizations and clubs which have not yet selected delegates to this conference are urged to do so immediately. Communications should be sent to N. Feld, New York Provisional Daily Worker Committee, 35 E. 12th Street.

# Four Bakers' Union Locals Now Holding Primary Elections

Four locals of the Bakery and Confectionery Workers International Union of America, locals 79, 505, 507 and 509, are holding primary elections in their respective unions.

In local 505, the largest local, an Election Objection Committee was elected last Friday, through methods of intimidation on the part of the officials. This Election Objection Committee, consisting of those people responsible for the present situation in the local, made a decision, in spite of the protest of the membership, not to allow any one who is in bad standing in the local for more than five months to vote or to run for office.

The Rank and File Committee of five, of local 505, which was elected several months ago to conduct the campaign for the 8-hour day in the local, calls upon the membership to vote for the rank and file candidates proposed, and not to allow the same clique to go back into office once more.

# Jail 12 in Newark for Holding Election Rally

**NEWARK, N. J.**—Twelve workers were fined \$20 or 40 days in jail yesterday by Judge Albano for participating in a Communist election rally at Charlton St. and Waverly Ave. on August 25.

Ruth Miller was given an additional 30 days, and Seth Johnson was given an additional three days for contempt of court, because the judge said he "didn't like the way they looked at him."

Appeals have been filed for all 12. Solomon Golat, of the International Labor Defense, ably defended the workers.

The judge, at the beginning of the trial, declared he was going to find the workers guilty because they are "organized distributors of already disturbed workers." By this he meant that he would find them guilty for fighting the oppression of the Negro workers in the 4th precinct, the heart of the Newark Red section, where 90 per cent of the workers are unemployed and threatened with deportation from Newark.

Charges against five young workers for distributing leaflets were dismissed.

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**BERKMAN BAILED, PARTIAL VICTORY**

Union Leader Urges Continued Struggle

RUTHLAND, Mass., Nov. 4.—Edith Berkman, textile organizer, awaiting deportation to fascist Poland, under Doak's order, has just been released under \$1,000 bond. She has issued the following statement from the private Carrol Sanitarium here where she is at present.

"I want all the workers and sympathizers to know that my release is only a partial victory. My release, after all preparations had been made for my deportation to Poland, where I would be thrown into a dungeon to die, was brought about only through the organized protest of the International Labor Defense and sympathetic organizations.

"I am sick as a result of all this persecution brought against me because I organized 23,000 workers against wage cuts and speed-ups. I will be deported as soon as I may recover, although I am in this country legally. The workers should not be satisfied with this partial victory and continue the protest movement for no deportation of foreign-born. Release of all class war prisoners!"

—EDITH BERKMAN.

**What's On—**

**SATURDAY**

**City Calendar**  
John Reed Club Housewarming Party, at 3:30 p. m. New headquarters, 450 Sixth Avenue, Chalk Talk—John Reed Club artists—Dance group. Music and dancing. Adm. 25 cents.

**Lower Bronx U. C. Social** at 525 E. 133th St. Adm. 5 cents.

**Yokville Young Communists League Party** at Hungaria Workers Home, 322 E. 41st St. at 8:30 p. m. Benefit "Young Worker."

**Open Forum Harlem Workers Center**, 650 Lenox Ave. Sunday—called off.

**All veterans in Harlem** call today at 127 West 125th St.

**Bronxville Workers Club Concert** and Banquet at 1440 East New York Avenue, Bronxville, at 8 p. m. All invited.

**Porto Rican Anti-Imperialist Festival** and Dance, 8 p. m. at 31 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn.

**House Party Tom Mooney I.L.D. Br. 255 W. 110th St.** Apt. 11, at 8 p. m.

**Steve Karovick, I.L.D. Concert & Dance** at 3rd St. at 8 p. m. Adm. 15c.

**Red Spark A.C. Dance** at 333 Sheffield Ave. Near Sutter Ave., Brooklyn. Dancing until morning. Adm. 25c.

**United Front Elec. Camp. Comm. Concert & Dance**, 2273 Bath Ave., Brooklyn. Adm. 35c.

**Fred Biedenapp** will speak at 1813 Pittkin Ave., Brooklyn, at 8:30 p. m. on 15th Anniversary of Russian Revolution.

**W.L.R. Bimms Branch Concert & Dance** at 2700 Bronx Park East. No Adm.

**Prospect Workers Center Third Annual Ball** at Hunts Point Palace, 8 p. m. All Bronx workers invited. Corner 163rd and Southern Blvd.

**American Youth Federation concert** and dance 8:30 p. m.—133 West 14th St. Adm. 25 cents.

**Proletarian lecture**—"Revolutionary vs. Reformist Parliamentarism" by Y. Jerome, writer-critic, at 8:30 p. m.

**Scottsboro Br. I.L.D. protest meeting** at 8 p. m. at 261 Schenectady Ave., Brooklyn.

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International Notes

By PETER HENRY.

SOCIALISTS, FASCISTS UNITE TO BREAK BERLIN TRANSIT STRIKE

As in every single case since the war, the trade union officials and the leaders of the German Socialist Party have moved heaven and earth to prevent the Berlin subway street car and bus employees from striking, and when 80 per cent of them voted to strike and did go out—under Red Trade Union Opposition leadership—the Socialists and Nazi leaders formed a united front to force the workers back.



VON PAPAN

On Sunday, the new Reichstag will be elected in Germany. Already we hear a reduction in the bonus claims of victory made by the Nazis. They claim only 40 per cent of the total vote. The Nazis' consistent sabotage of the strikes against Von Papan's wage cuts has revealed their protestations of undying opposition to Von Papan and Hindenburg to be nothing but an empty sham.

THE REICHTAG GREETINGS

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Growing Misery in Mine Towns Told By Letters

Jobless Miners, Near Taylor, Pa., Pick Dump Coal to Avoid Freezing This Winter

“We Must Expose Hypocrisy of Capitalist Politicians”

TAYLOR, Pa.—The winter demand for coal has resulted in a slight opening of the mines, but very few of them. These few are not paying the miners their union scale. The bosses have sliced the wages so that a miner is lucky to make \$18 a week, when he works that long.

OHIO MINER TELLS OF U.M. SELL-OUT

GOVERNOR'S PLAN PUT THEM AT BOSSES' MERCY

BELOMONT, O.—Since the U.M.W.A. sold the strike of the miners of Eastern Ohio and the Hocking Valley, after seven to nine months of starvation and fighting a losing battle, the miners have had a hell of a time.

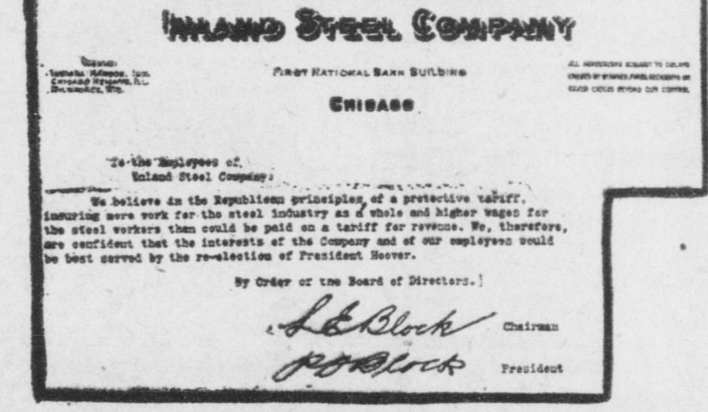
One of the points is that all further wage cuts should be taken to him for consideration thirty days before it comes into effect. The miners have a right of representation.

The men who are working now are getting their coal weighed by the company bosses, and are getting two tons for loading a four-ton car. There are men being picked out of the mine and fired for loading dirty coal. They have no chance of seeing the dirt they are supposed to have loaded according to law.

Legion Allies With Boss, U.M.W. Leaders Against Vet Miner

DUMORE, Pa.—The Pittston Coal Co. clerks at No. 1 colliery, No. 5 shaft, at Dumore, sign the employee's name on a slip to withhold a dollar per month from wages as U.M.W. union dues. A company union, in other words.

Steel Boss Orders Men to Vote for Hoover



This letter from Inland Steel Co. to its wage cut workers, constantly fearing loss of jobs, is a threat. It is a threat already backed up by firing of a worker at the Indiana Harbor plant on charges that he tore down a picture of Hoover.

Steel Workers Score Boss Orders to Vote Republican

Forced to Wear Hoover Buttons to Keep Jobs, Promise Each Other to Vote Red

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 4.—Very well satisfied with the starvation tactics of the Hoover government the steel bosses are trying hard to intimidate the workers into voting for him again, reports from a number of steel mills show.

Like Henry Ford the steel bosses are making speeches telling the workers that the re-election of Hoover is of urgent necessity. But they also go further.

THREATEN NEGRO RED CANDIDATE

Youngstown Workers Pledge Defense

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 4.—Abe Lewis, Communist candidate for sheriff of Youngstown County received by mail today a threat signed by the Ku Klux Klan, ordering him to leave the city within 24 hours.

Comrade Lewis has been active in the election struggle and has carried on an effective exposure of the Negro reformists who are fanatically working to trap the Negro workers into the political camps of the imperialist oppressors.

The Illinois Steel in South Chicago and Gary (employing 2,500 and 4,000 respectively the same things are being done.

FARM STRIKERS! VOTE COMMUNIST!

(Statement of Wm. Schneiderman, Communist Candidate for Governor of Minnesota)

The farm strike movement, which displayed such splendid militancy during the past two months, has been knifed in the back by the leaders of the Farmers' Holiday Association.

Chats with Our Worcorrs

While gathering material for "Chats," I got a hold of the New York Times Magazine, Section of May 15, 1932. In that issue, there is an article entitled, "Miners, and yet Mountaineers at Heart," by Malcolm Ross.

He tells there how pressed the miners are by want in the course of the strike. He writes like this: "It was their religion which broke the rising power of the Communist Union, the National Mine Workers, in the eastern Kentucky coal fields."

“There they were astounded to hear that religion was held to be a religion administered by capitalists to the working classes that they could not cling to their faith and remain good Communists. Some of the miners returned outraged and spread the news that their leaders were atheists. Disillusionment ate at the core of the National Mine Workers strength. The strike was broken without bloodshed. Lean miners looked itelly through solemn eyes and say: "I couldn't deny my God." Religion in this case was on the side of the strike-breakers.

Nothing about troops, about sheriffs, about bloody company thugs, about the betrayal of the United Mine misleaders. Everything was peaceful without bloodshed. It also shows how the bosses are trying to break our strikes against wage cuts and speed-up by creating struggle between workers on religion.

You miners, who went through all the terror, when you read this in the Daily Worker, show it to your fellow-miners, talk to them how the capitalist press lies about you. If possible work out a leaflet based on this. Build up the National Miners Union, in spite of the lies, in spite of terror.

out, threatening to summon their reliable allies, the cops. Incidentally these preservers of law and order accomplish much of their illicit guzzling in this infamous joint.

The mine bosses, the cops, faker-union-leaders, stoolpigeons, et al, band together to form a conspiracy to flimflam, bulldoze, and ultimately attack the ex-servicemen and workers in general.

How long must we workers conduct ourselves like a school of lifeless, spineless jellyfish, to be helplessly swayed and swept by the current that carries us to certain destruction and elimination? To avoid this, we must, at once and without fail, attach ourselves to our proper branch of the T.U.U.L., that revolutionary organization that is poison to the master-class but paradise to the worker.

PREPARING NATIONAL HUNGER MARCH

MILWAUKEE CITY MARCH, NOV. 15

Conference Prepares National March

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 4.—Veterans' organizations, unemployed and employed workers' organizations including locals of the A.F.L. and of the Trade Union Unity League unions, are called by the unemployed council to a United Front Conference on unemployment, Nov. 11, at 10 A. M., in Bues Hall, 914 North Plankinton, Milwaukee.

Besides preparing for the National Hunger March organization here, the conference will make last minute arrangements for the Milwaukee county hunger march of Nov. 15.

- The demands of the unemployed in Milwaukee are: 1) Cash relief of \$12 a week, \$2 additional for each dependent, to all unemployed workers. 2) No forced labor, and no deductions for relief. Workers employed on county or city jobs to receive not less than \$20 a week cash wages.

in spite of the heavy rain over 200 workers answered the call of the committee representing the Unemployed Councils and the Unemployed Citizens League on Monday night. The Socialist Party had attempted to disrupt the united front but the rank and file ignored them.

STRUGGLE AGAINST PROVOCATION

Workers' Enemies Exposed

(The Detroit District Committee of the Communist Party exposed recently three spies and disrupters, who have been active in the Workers' Ex-Servicemen's League, and who were found to have associated with the self-admitted police spy Mrs. Cooper. In publishing this exposure in the "Daily Worker" of October 22, only two names, Mitchell MacKrap and Tom Jones, were covered, but the notice about Cecil Ellis was omitted.—Ed.)

SOVIET UNION BUILDS NEW LIFE

Record Big Gains on 15th Anniversary

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

named "Pravda," has gone to Moscow for the 15th anniversary celebration. The Leninград plant "Electric" has fulfilled its October quota by 111 per cent and has completed construction of a pipe calibrating machine of which there are only seven in the entire world.

In the Unemployed Council he alway accepted responsible work, which he deliberately neglected.

Exposed as an unreliable and suspicious element by his close association with MacKrap, Jones and Mrs. Cooper.

Tag Day for Logan Circle in Capitol

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 4.—A city wide Tag Day will be held on Sunday, November 6, beginning 10 a. m. in behalf of the three young Negro lads framed on a charge of murder in Logan Circle.

Former Farmer-Labor Leader Appeals for Communist Vote

PALISADE, Minn.—Carl E. Taylor, 67-year old veteran in the class struggle in Minnesota and Farmer-Labor candidate for governor in the 1930 primary elections, has issued an open letter appealing to the workers and farmers of Minnesota to vote for the Communist state and national ticket on November 8th. Comrade Taylor, when he was in the Farmer-Labor Party several years ago, carried on a struggle against the betrayals of its social-fascist leaders and joined the Communist Party some time ago.

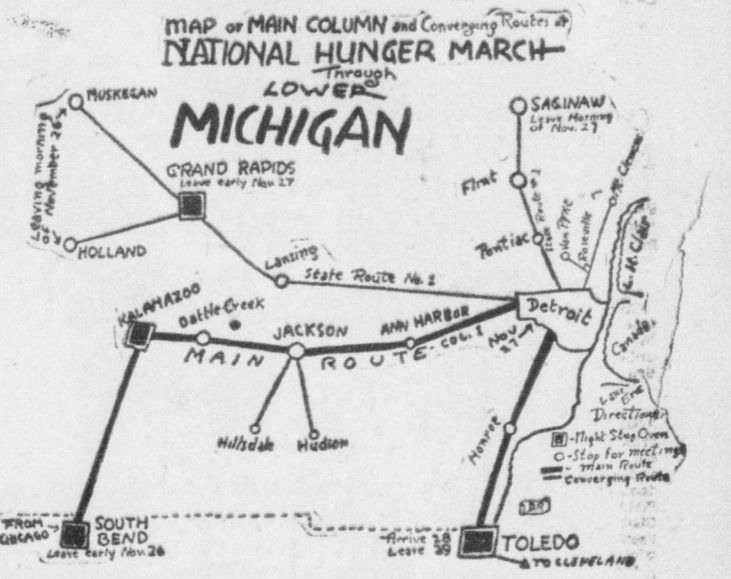
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MAP of MAIN COLUMN and Connecting Routes of NATIONAL HUNGER MARCH



LINCOLN PARK MARCH LED BY COMMUNIST, STOPS RELIEF CUTS

John Pace, Chairman of Rank and File Vets National Committee, Spokesman for Jobless City Council of Auto Baron's Town Forced to Promise Free Coal to Unemployed Families

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 4.—A united front demonstration to the city Hall of Lincoln Park which was led by John T. Pace, Communist candidate for congress in the 16th District forced the Council to withdraw the cut in relief and to give coal to every family that needs it immediately.

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HUNGER MARCH BUTTONS

Hunger March buttons are ready. They are sold for \$7.50 per thousand. All orders must be C. O. D. Wire orders immediately to W. I. R. 146-5th Ave., N. Y. C.

Material for National Hunger March Preparations Is Ready

NEW YORK.—Material to aid organize the National Hunger March is now available, it was announced yesterday by the Workers' International Relief Joint Committee for Support of the National Hunger March.

Attractive Hunger March buttons, to be sold at all affairs to help popularize the historic march, may now be obtained at the rate of \$7.50 per thousand.

A new pamphlet written expressly for the National Hunger March, 1932, "Why We March on Washington," will sell at one cent, each and

Warn All Voters Against Rumors In the Elections

NEW YORK, N. Y.—C. A. Hathaway, chairman National Communist Campaign Committee, issued a warning today to all friends and voters of the Communist ticket to beware of "last minute" rumors spread by working class enemies against the Communist Party and its candidates, William Z. Foster and James W. Ford.

Miners Send Anniversary Gift

Leading mines of the Donbas region have sent a 65 car trainload of coal as a gift to the anniversary celebration.

Rapid Growth of Trade Unions

The membership of the trade unions has increased by over 8,000,000 since the beginning of the Five Year Plan. The present membership is nearly 18,000,000. In 1917 the trade union membership was only 1,500,000.

VOTE COMMUNIST

Against Imperialist War; for the defense of the Chinese people and of the Soviet Union.

The International Workers Order Sends Revolutionary Greetings TO THE WORKERS OF THE SOVIET UNION ON THE FIFTEENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

The Twenty-one Thousand Members of the I. W. O. hail the completion of the Five-Year Plan in four as a tremendous step forward in the building of Socialism.

In the Soviet Union workers are protected by a complete system of SOCIAL INSURANCE—protection against sickness and death, medical care and old age pensions. In the United States workers are denied these benefits and must protect themselves against sickness and death through mutual aid organizations.

THE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS ORDER is such a workers mutual-aid organization. Protect your self and your family against sickness and death at the lowest rates. JOIN THE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS ORDER. THE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS ORDER is also in the forefront of the struggle for Unemployment and Social Insurance at the expense of the state and the employers. GREET THE SOVIET WORKERS BY JOINING THE I. W. O. HELP BUILD THE ONLY WORKING CLASS FRATERNAL ORDER — THE I. W. O.

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## An Epic of Socialist Construction

**D**NIESTROSTROI is a name which all the world knows. Scores of correspondents, bourgeois as well as proletarian, have described the wonders of this great enterprise, and recorded the gigantic dimensions of the plan which is to make this the most powerful hydroelectric station in the world. Some bourgeois correspondents tried, when the greater part of the enterprise still existed only in the form of plans, to prove by argument that it could not be realized. But bourgeois arguments cannot stand against Bolshevik deeds. After three years of ceaseless effort, Dnieprostroi is a living reality. The turbines sing like huge humming-tops and the cables which mount up the river banks on their high pylons, from the great transforming station to the factories, are alive. Let any bourgeois critic now try to demonstrate that these cables are not alive. He will get a nasty shock.

Well, if Dnieprostroi, of which all the world already knows, is a reality, what more remains to be said about it? Much. What I should like to say would fill a book. It is not so much of dams and turbines, cables and pylons that I wish to write, as of the meaning of Dnieprostroi as a piece of socialist building.

**ITS PURPOSE**  
What is the purpose of this mighty source of power? Concretely, it is to provide energy for a complex of industrial works unequalled in the world. An aluminum-producing works, a high-grade steel plant, a ferro-alloy plant producing the compounds for high-grade steels, a coke and chemical plant, a work for highly refractory furnace bricks—these are among the new creations which will be the immediate consumers of the Dnieper's power.

**COME** back and see what we have done in Russia in ten years' time," said Lenin.  
"That was in 1920, and he was talking to Mr. H. G. Wells. That famous Utopian had been discussing with Lenin the first plan for the electrification of Russia. And in his book, 'Russia in the Shadows,' he summarizes the interview as follows:  
"Lenin, who, like a good orthodox Marxist, denounces 'Utopianism' as a mere pipe dream, at least to an Utopian, the Utopia of the electricians. He is throwing all his weight into a scheme for the development of great power stations in Russia to serve whole provinces with light, with transport and industrial power. Two expert municipal districts, he said, had already been electrified."

"Can one imagine a more courageous project in a vast flat land of forests and illiterate peasants, with no water power, with no technical skill available, and with trade and industry at the gates?"  
"While I talked to him he almost persuaded me to share his vision... But these are only sketches and beginnings," the doubting Utopian objected.

"Come back and see what we have done in Russia in ten years' time," Lenin answered.  
"Poor Mr. Wells! If he could stand on the banks of the Dnieper now, and see the mighty river harnessed to the production of electric energy equal to more than eight hundred thousand horsepower—he, who is so ignorant that he thinks that this 'vast flat of forests' contains no water-power!"  
The history of the building of Dnieprostroi is one long story of fight with difficulties and doubters. And the answer to all doubts is that the dam was completed and the first power generated on May 1, 1932. The original plan provided that, on December 1, 1932, two turbines were to be set in motion. Thus, the shock-brigades of socialism beat their own time-table by six months.

Was it because they found their task easier than had been at first supposed? It certainly was not. On the contrary, many unforeseen difficulties and problems arose in the course of constructing the dam. Many a time the American engineers, the world's most experienced constructors of such works, employed as consultants, were baffled by these problems. And who solved them? We talk to the men who did the work, the engineers, the men of pick and shovel, sledge hammer and pneumatic drill. You will find their words more useful and more bracing than the meditations of Mr. Wells, the crystal-gazer.

### 600 of 5,000 Alaskan Gold Miners Have Jobs, Work Dangerous

**J**UNEAU, Alaska.—I would like to write you the story of the Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Co., which has been exploiting six or seven hundred workers in this city in the last twenty years. This mine is one of the richest in the United States at the present time, and one of the most dangerous places to work. Many of the miners lost their lives in this mine by accidents.  
It is operated on the caving system, which means that the ore is blasted by the millions of tons. This ore runs down along a great many shafts down to the main shaft, over 900 feet deep. A man can't see from the powder smoke, has to work by guess. If a man misses his step while he is working, good-bye forever. Sometimes nobody can see what has happened.  
All this is against the law, but the company doesn't care, and nobody bothers them, no matter how many hundred workers lose their lives. The workers are not organized.  
Now, the unemployment situation. The population of Juneau is around 6,000, but only 6 or 7 hundred work steadily in this mine.  
Longview.

## Lenin on Eve of October

**(EDITOR'S NOTE—**The following letter was addressed by Lenin to the Central Committee of the Bolshevik Party on November 6, 1917. During this period Lenin was forced to live in hiding and kept in constant communication with the Bolshevik leadership by messages and through emissaries. On this day he sent this letter—the last one prior to the seizure of power—in which he instructed that "under no circumstances is power to be left in the hands of Kerensky and Co. until the 7th." He did not wait for an answer, but, dominating the proceedings, he proceeded to the Smolny Institute, the headquarters of the Bolshevik Party, and there assumed direct command of the forces of the Proletarian Revolution.)

### LETTER TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Comrades:  
I am writing these lines on the evening of the 6th. The situation is extremely critical. It is as clear as can be that delaying the uprising now really means death.  
With all my power I wish to persuade the comrades that now every thing hangs on a hair, that on the order of the day are questions that are not solved by conferences, by congresses (even by Congresses of Soviets), but only by the people, by the masses, by the struggle of armed masses.  
The bourgeois onslaught of the Kornilovists, the removal of Kerzhensky show that we must not wait. We must act at any price, this evening, tonight, at the first place, the army and the peasants) against the Kornilovist government which has driven out Verkhovskiy and has hatched a second Kornilov plot.  
Who should seize power?  
At present this is not important. Let the Military Revolutionary Committee seize it, or "some other institution" which declares that it will relinquish the power only to the real representatives of the interests of the people, the interests of the Army (immediate offer of peace), the interests of the peasants (take the land immediately, abolish private property), the interests of the hum-

It is necessary that all the bourgeois, all regiments, all forces should be mobilized and should immediately send delegations to the Military Revolutionary Committee, to the Central Committee of the Bolsheviks, insistent demanding that under no circumstances is power to be left in the hands of Kerensky and Co. until the 7th, by no means—but that the matter must absolutely be decided this evening or tonight.  
History will not forgive delay by revolutionists who could be victorious today (and will surely be victorious tomorrow), while they risk losing all at a time, until the fixing of a sluce took only eight hours.

**S**O KOZUB carried out his task for socialist construction. A few months ago, he joined the Communist Party, declaring that he recognized the leadership of the Party in the carrying out of the mighty work which has inspired his life with enthusiasm. Of such stuff are the shock-brigades of socialism made; this is what socialist construction makes out of "illiterate peasants... with no technical skill" of whom Mr. H. G. Wells speaks in disdain.

When spring, 1932, came, the dam was so far completed that the flood waters of the Dniepr found themselves unable to make their usual wild dash through the rapids at Kitchkas, the site of Dnieprostroi. Water and ice-floes were piled up behind the great wall of concrete, until the level of the river above the dam had risen scores of feet. The landscape above, the dam was changed. A great lake appeared where formerly there had been a valley in the steppe. When the ice broke, some young engineers set off in a motor launch to explore the lake which they had created. They came to a far-away village. "What have you done?" the old peasants asked. "When the ice broke, the Dniepr used to roar. Now he only whispers."  
But, down at the dam, the Dniepr was far from whispering. The great river was making one final effort to break down the barrier which checked its ancient rush to the sea, and harnessed its forces in the service of socialist construction. The dam held the innumerable tons of ice and water, but, at one end, where the power-station stands, the fight with the flood was going through its last stages. The great tubes under the turbine house had been completed to take the flow of water which was to drive the generators. The giant rotors had been installed, and above them, two generators were already complete and connected up for their preliminary tests.

### Letters from Our Readers

#### Communist Party Has NOT Endorsed Judge Panken in Election

Editor, Daily Worker,  
Dear Comrade:  
Listening to the Socialist Party radio station WEVD on October 29, I heard part of an election speech by Judge Jacob Panken, who is running for Chief Justice of the County of Appeals. In his talk he stated that he was offered the endorsement of the Communist Party, but that he refuses to part with his principles as a Socialist Party member. It is undeniable how the Republican Party could offer to endorse such a man. Of course I cannot believe his statement as to the Communists, but I think it would be advisable for you to make an explanation in the Daily Worker as to the facts in this case in order to prevent any worker being deceived by his statement over the radio.  
Comradely yours,  
M. K.

#### EDITOR'S NOTE

The Communist Party has not endorsed in any form Jacob Panken, any other Socialist candidate. It is emphatically opposed to Panken and to the entire Socialist ticket and Socialist Party. The statement of Panken could only be a piece of trickery comparable to the Parliamentary tricks of Republicans and Democrats, in whose foolishness the white workers are called on to vote. This showed clearly to the front in the fight for Negro rights. The struggle for

## "SCRAM! I'M VOTING FOR FOSTER AND FORD!" —By Burck



## The Fight for Right of Free Speech in Birmingham, Ala.

### A Discussion of Past Experience and Future Tasks; "For a Big Vote for Foster-Ford on Nov. 8"

**BY NAT ROSS.**  
IN THE South, the impoverished both white and Negro (and especially the latter) are denied the most elementary democratic rights. It is therefore necessary in order to build a really powerful mass movement against the ruling class to make a sharp fight for the A. B. C. rights of the Southern toilers.  
**SOME MISTAKE IDEAS**  
In this brief article I want to deal with one small part of this question, namely, the recent fight for free speech (and assembly) in Birmingham. First, we must mention a few wrong ideas held by some comrades which had to be overcome before and during this struggle if we were to have any success.  
1.—Some comrades said we could not come out in the open because the ruling class was too strong and united, with the Democratic Party in full control. They said we were too weak and the workers would be afraid to make the fight. Quick developments soon proved that this was wrong. At the same time it should be mentioned right here that of the dozen arrests in Birmingham in August and September every one, including new workers, including some who were badly beaten, came out with a more determined spirit than ever.  
2.—Other comrades said that the Party will be illegal before the Revolution anyway so we might as well get used to underground work and stay where we are now.  
3.—There was also the remark that the fight for democratic rights is a liberal fight and not a revolutionary one.  
4.—And finally we had some 'bold' comrades who wanted to break out in the open on all fronts in Birmingham "at once." These are the same comrades who don't ask for permits when it is necessary, who want downtown demonstrations when there is no organizational base in the neighborhoods or shops. These same comrades are the ones who think conspirative work is "sawdust" and do not see that conspirative work, small committee meetings, tight organizational forms, secret inner meetings etc., are necessary precisely to develop the mass fight for legality.

The moving of the Southern District of the International Labor Defense from Chattanooga to downtown office in Birmingham and the calling of the All-Southern Conference for Civil and Political Rights on October 2, at the big Colored Masonic Temple, was the first shot in the fight, and was to be followed on October 9, with the Communist election rally with Foster speaking at the popular Lyric Theatre. The All-Southern Conference was called to plan action in the fight for free speech, against the barbarous Southern prison methods, for Scottsboro freedom and for Negro rights, for the right to vote without payment of poll tax.

**THE BOSSES PREPARE A TERROR DRIVE**  
The Birmingham ruling class led by the Tennessee Coal and Iron company (United States Steel) became enraged. The demands of the conference found a warm reaction in the bitter hearts of the oppressed Southern people. The I. L. D. was calling on the white workers to come to the front in the fight for Negro rights. The struggle for

carry out the jim-crow terror policy of the ruling class, while the Communist Party is the only Party which was fighting for free speech and was carrying on in practice the Fourth plank of its national election demands. Most important, however, the Conference and meeting were not smashed and the murder plans of the police and K. K. K. came to naught because of the tremendous mass response of the Birmingham workers at both the meeting and the Conference.

**MISTAKES IN THE WORK**  
In all of this activity a number of serious mistakes were made. First and foremost, inadequate building of the Party during this activities and in particular failure to make contact with the workers at the Conference and meeting (partly due to police conditions). Secondly, we did not place sufficient emphasis on winning the white workers for this struggle. We didn't clearly see that at the most resting officers had received threats on their lives (presumably from the "Reds"). This, of course, was laying the basis and preparing the "public mind" for police violence against the Foster meeting and the I. L. D. conference.

**FOLLOWING THIS THE KU KLUX KLAN**  
Klan was dragged out of the grave and brought to life in a car parade thru Birmingham, distributing handbills declaring that the Conference and the Foster meeting would not be tolerated. Further the K. K. K. even sent a wire to Comrade Foster warning him to stay out of Birmingham on October 3. Chief of Detectives Cole tried to force the closing of the Masonic Temple with the threat that the meeting, if held, would be smashed even if "the police had to shoot to kill." Another broadcast was hurled at the Communist Party by the so-called Inter-Racial Commission in Alabama.

**RALLY BEHIND FIGHTING SLOGANS**  
On October 2, despite the presence of 150 police and dicks with machine guns, etc., 300 Negro and 50 white workers got thru the corridor of police and attended the historic conference. At the same time from 500 to 1,000 workers were prevented and intimidated from entering the hall. Again on October 9, 1,000 Negroes and 250 white workers attended the Communist rally. Here, too, the presence of about 50 police in front of the theatre intimidated a good number of workers. The meeting was so enthusiastic that despite the fact that Comrade Hattaway (substituted for Foster) was held up by the New Orleans police the night before, the police and the K. K. K. didn't dare to attack the meeting. These "heroes" sneakingly threw out some stink bombs to disrupt the meeting.

**MASS ACTION ANSWERS POLICE THREATS**  
Why is it that both the I.L.D. Conference and the Communist Rally were not smashed? First, immediately after the raid on the I.L.D. office and the arrest of the comrades, a mass protest campaign was started, approximately 75 resolutions were sent from clubs, churches, unemployed and other organizations from Birmingham and from Southern farming communities. Here it should be noted that the Socialist Party showed its true colors when its candidate for Congress said that while he "believed in free speech" he wouldn't protest against the police threats on the Conference. This showed clearly that the S. P. in its own way is helping the Democrats to

## NEGRO SLAVERY TODAY

John L. Spivak's Stirring Novel "GEORGIA NIGGER"

**NOTE—**"Georgia Nigger" is a smashing exposure of the hideous persecution and national oppression of the Negro masses. The Daily Worker is enthusiastically opposed to the white ruling class term, "nigger," and to the oppression and contemptuous treatment of Negroes which it symbolizes. The author shares this view, but in order to paint a true picture of these horrible conditions, he considered it necessary to use this term as otherwise he would have put into the mouth of the boss lyncher terms of respect for Negroes which they do not use.—Editor.

**INSTALLMENT 5.**  
THE STORY SO FAR: David Jackson, a young Negro boy who has just finished a sentence on the chain gang, returns home. His father, Dee Jackson, is a poor share-cropper on the plantation of the rich white planter, Shay Pearson. Supposedly free, Dee and his family are little more than slaves—Shay Pearson's "niggers." Once Dee had made an effort to work his way to freedom with the aid of a mule and plough bought with his meager savings. But rain destroyed the crop and the mule sickened and died. Sympathetic neighbors gather at the Jackson cabin, including the Negro preacher, Isaac Burr. Dee prays and asks god to bring the mule back to life so as to save him from going to work for Pearson. Now read on!

"DEE'S a lot o' cullud folks wuk-kin' fo' Mist' Pearson," the preacher said loudly. "De Lawd knows his business an' if he wants you tuh be a croppah den he's got his own good reasons fo' hit. You kin bet on dat."  
Dee took the lamp in a trembling hand and with old Isaac went to the mound back of the barn, hopeful that on this night of all nights, the miracle would happen: in a blinding flame of fire and a deafening clap of thunder the earth would be rent asunder and the mule would struggle to his feet ready for supper.

But there was no flame of fire nor clap of thunder. Only the lantern light and their shadows on the motionless mound, and a wind whistling.  
Dee's head bowed.  
"I reck'n dat settles hit, lawd," he said dejectedly.

**COLLATERAL**  
On the second day of the new year Dee got off a neighbor's cart in Live Oak and went hesitantly to the Southern Cotton Bank, the red brick, one-story building across the square from the county court house and jail, and asked for Mr. Albert, Graham, the president.  
"Coming to deposit your savings, Dee?" the official greeted him jocularly.  
"No, suh," he said nervously. "I done come tuh see you 'bout a l'il business matter."  
"Sure. Always glad to talk business with you, Dee. Come right in and set yourself down."  
"I'd lak tuh len' 'bout two hundred dollars, Mist' Graham," the old man stammered.

"That could be arranged," but have you any collateral?"  
Dee looked puzzled.  
"Something that will make sure the bank is repaid," Graham explained.  
"Sho I'll pay hit back."  
"I must have something as valuable to return," the banker said.  
"Land—or a house—"  
"But I ain' got no lan'," Dee said helplessly, spreading his hands in a gesture of emptiness.  
"You see, Dee," Graham pointed out sagaciously, "we all know you and we know that if you have the money you will repay a loan. But now, suppose your crop is bad for a season or two—why, you'll hardly be able to pay the interest let alone the principal. Don't you see? And the bank must protect its depositors."

**THE LAST HOPE**  
The Jacksons had been Ramsey "niggers" before the Civil War, and Dee, depressed by the inevitability of a cropper's contract, turned to Bayard Washington Ramsey as the last hope. The aristocratic white was known for his kindness, especially to descendants of his father's slaves. He lived a mile south of Live Oak in the mansion his father built before the lanky northern lawyer ruined the family's hundred and sixty thousand dollar investment in Negroes, and too proud to enrich himself by Cracker tricks in dealing with blacks, had never increased the two hundred acre plantation left when the war ended and all creditors were paid.

**THE COOK GREETED DEE** shrilly at the kitchen door of the Ramsey home.  
"I hit an' ol' Dee hissef! What you doin' heah?"  
"I come tuh see Mist' Ramsey," he said with a worried air.  
"Whut fo'?"  
"I got tuh see 'im."  
"Well, you jes' set right down heah an' I'll go tell 'im."  
When she returned she said, "Mist' Ramsey'll see you on de front porch. You go round dey."

The tall, white-haired planter looked at him questioning.  
"You're a long way from home, Dee," he smiled. "What is it?"  
"Mist' Ramsey, suh," the old man began, twisting his hat nervously. "You 'bout de only white man hereabouts we kin come to wen we is in trouble."

**A PLEA FOR AID**  
RAMSEY looked gravely at him. "An' I got mo'n a wagon load o' trouble now."  
"Yes, Dee."  
"Mist' Ramsey, suh—" The nervous twisting of his hat became more pronounced. "My mule done laid down an' died, suh."  
The white man nodded sympathetically.  
"I bin a hard wukkin' nigger all my bo'n days," Dee continued. "An' I'm willin' tuh wuk de res' o' my days some mo' but I ain' got nothin' tuh wuk wid. No mule. No food. I ain' got nothin'."  
"WELL WORK FOR YOU!"  
Ramsey pursed his lips and stared at his fields naked in the winter's day.

**RED SONG BOOK**, prepared in collaboration with the Workers Music League. Workers Library Publishers. 15 cents.  
Reviewed by EDWIN ROLFE

**THIS** collection of revolutionary songs—26 of them, all set to music—marks a definite accomplishment in a much-neglected field of workers' cultural activity. Since the days of Joe Hill (during the time of the militant I. W. W.), who wrote his words to fit the music of current popular tunes, no effort has been spent in the writing and composition of new workers' songs; and very little effort has been made, despite casual attempts now and then, to collect scattered pieces.

"Red Song Book" therefore, comes none too soon, in an attractive format made to fit the pocket of the worker both in price and in size. Its very publication marks progress. More important, however, is the progress indicated in the type of songs included. Instead of the old hobo, lumper-proletarian songs which made up the bulk of the I. W. W. collection, the "Red Song Book" reveals a greater class-consciousness in its choice of material, a clarity which has been fostered by the historical developments in the United States during the past fifteen years.

There are, of course, the songs which are sung throughout the world, songs which are an intimate part of the Revolutionary Movement, the Internationale, "The Barricades," "Red Cavalry," "Red Army March," "Solidarity," and many others comprise this section of the book. And in addition to these, we have for the first time two songs composed by Americans: "Red Brigades" by Jacob Schaefer, and "Steady Guard," by Lahn Adohnyan. The inclusion of "Comintern" by the foremost proletarian composer in the world, Hans Eisler of Germany, testifies to the broad scope covered by this collection.

Finally, but most significant of all, we must stress the inclusion of songs written by workers and workers' groups in the midst of specific struggles. John Reed, long ago, in his book "Insurgent Mexico," described the manner in which the peasants composed their songs, improvising the words and music during their few and far-between periods of rest. These songs usually found their way into illustrated, printed sheet (similar to our leaflets) and were distributed by the thousands. Finally they became woven into the revolutionary tradition of the country, and exist today as part of the history of the peasants' struggle for land during that phase of Mexico's revolutionary development.

In "Red Song Book" there are such pieces as "Mint's Flax," "Miners Song," the "Soup Song," written by unemployed workers in Detroit in the heat of their struggles against evictions and starvation. There are "Poor Miners Farewell," by Aunt Mollie Jackson, and the "I. L. D. Song," by Ella May Wiggins, and several others that originated in the midst of strikes, unemployed struggles, demonstrations, etc. These are our songs in the fullest sense. Written not from above, for workers, but coming from the ranks of the workers themselves during their own battles, they too will become as they grow more popular, pages of American class-struggle history.