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# "SHOOT TO KILL," ORDER TO TROOPS IN DOCK STRIKE Storm Troopers Moving To Revolt Against Fascism Hitler Is Held **Responsible For** Thaelmann's Life

Economic Dictator Is Inquiry Commission To **Picked To Slash** Workers' Pay

Send Protest Cable to Hitler

NEW YORK-The American In-

quiry Commission is collecting all the signatures of its members to

send a personal cable to Adolf Hit-

ler in Germany holding Hitler per-

sonally responsible for the life and

safety of Ernst Thaelmann, leader

of the German Communist Party,

view of the present wave of execu-

**OVER 500 KILLED** PICKETS ARRESTED Revulsion at Hitler Miners in Philadelphia **Deeds Is Growing** Visit Nazi Consul

NEW YORK.—As we go to press thousands of workers are streaming into Madison Square Garden to hear prominent Com-munist Party leaders speak on the German situation. The complete speeches of Earl Browder, general secretary of the

Communist Party, and of Clarence Hathaway, editor of the Daily Worker, are published in today's paper.

tions such messages are vitally nec-essary to warn Hitler to keep his BERLIN, July 6 .- Growing bloody axe away from the heroic rebellion among rank and file proletarian leader.

of the storm troopers was re- 2 More Arrested ported today when the duped In Philadelphia former followers of Hitler PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 6 .- A

is passed by word of mouth among test. the ranks, resentment flames up Consulate.

It is now officially admitted among the fascist officials that the economic and financial situation in

Germany is catastrophic. In a des-perate effort to meet it, the fascist Police arrested two workers picketing the German Consulate with leaders have appointed the repreplacards demanding the release of sentative of the leading bankers, Ernst Thaelmann late yesterday coal, iron and munition kings, Kurt and are holding them on charges Schmitt, as dictator of trade and of inciting to rist breach of the



The "Servants of the people" serves the people again-with bul lets and tear gas. Scene shows San Frisco longshoremen getting served double portions of bullets and vomit gas from the police.

Farm Strikers Beat Back Bullet, Tear Gas Attack it was announced yesterday. The Commission declared that in view of the present wave of execu-

'Frisco Pickets Guard

Spot Where Comrades

Were Killed by Cops

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6 .-

On the sidewalk at the corner of Mission and Stuart Streets

where the two strike pickets

were killed by police gunfire yesterday a twelve foot square has been chalked off and pickets

ask passersby not to walk

In the center of the square are marked the words:

In Jail Through

duced to \$110,000,

Still Out of Reach

HILLSBORO, Ill., July 6.

put up by International Labor De-

The lawyers showed the vicious-

**Exorbitant Bail** 

"Police murders here."

through it.

Seize Henderson, Dahl In Reign of Terror

**Against Strikers** 

BRIDGETON, N. J., July 6 .- The Wedding districts of Berlin along with Communists. As the news, which has not has not has the along with Communists. As the news, which has not been officially published, that the great mass of Storm Troops are to be disbanded is passed by word of mouth among the agricultural workers' strike They picketed the German here at the Seabrook Farms.

The Strike Committee and the Pickets were arrested by police to-Agricultural Workers' Union is-sued a special call today for telegrams of protest to be sent to Justice O. Leslie Downs, Cumber-land County Jail, Bridgeton, New PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 6.-Jersey, demanding the release of Donald Henderson and Vivian

Hillsboro 11 Held Dahl, jailed organizers. and his hi industrial activities, handing over to him the most drastic powers to slash wages, lower living standards, The arrests followed the setting the farms. The workers defended assault on the strikers picketing of \$300 bail for two more pickets themselves after he had shot one To enforce these powers, Kurt the first time workers have been was taken to the hospital. Few arrested earlier in the day. This is of the pickets in the leg. Saunders Bail of \$160,000 Rethe judge has always discharged them. The International Labor De-fense is raising monou function for the scabs got through. The union orga The union organizer, Anthony Berra, escaped Saunders by leapfense is raising money for the bail. ing from a second story window The Cutters' Local of the Amaland taking to the woods. All highways are guarded by Judge Jett yesterday refused to admit the eleven leaders of Montdeputies and troopers searching for organizers and "outside agitators."

**Answer Terror With General** Strike, Marine Workers Urge; **Call Demonstration In New York** 

To the Defense of the Pacific

**Coast Strikers!** 

AN EDITORIAL

ders and brutality in the Pacific Coast marine strike.

The power of labor must answer these murderous as-

On the Pacific Coast, in San Francisco and all other

SHIP IN MONDAY NOW there is only one way to answer the government mur-Demonstrate at Pier 61 Monday Noon

Call All Workers To

Halt Unloading of

Scab Cargo in N.Y.

NEW YORK .- The Marine saults with the mighty weapon of GENERAL STRIKE! Workers Industrial Union iscities, every worker in every industry, must discuss with his fellow sued a call yesterday to all

workers the immediate preparations for GENERAL STRIKE. workers in New York to come out in mass demonstration on

working conditions and union recog-

"The Governor of California has called out the National Guard. They

with machine guns, poison gas and

bayonets ready to murder more

"The marine workers of the port

of New York have been called upon by the Marine Workers Industrial

Union to support the West Coast

men by striking all ships and docks

-by taking general strike action.

"All workers are called upon to

patrolling the waterfront

nition.

are now

strikers.

Virginia, one of the few ships to On one side are the strikers fighting for bread, for decent condiget away from the West Coast docks tions. On the other side are the employers backed by the armed forces during the course of the great mari- of the government. time strike, will dock.

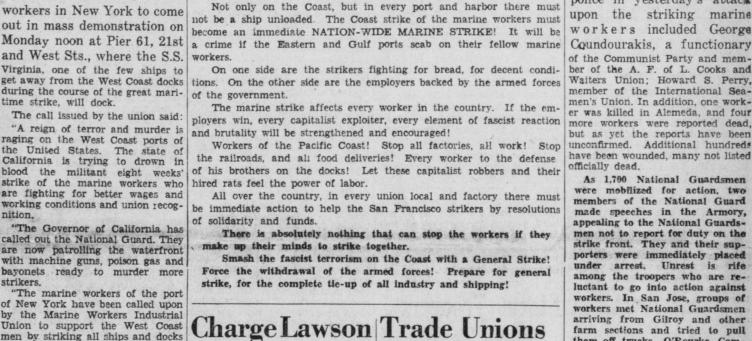
The marine strike affects every worker in the country. If the em-The call issued by the union said: ployers win, every capitalist exploiter, every element of fascist reaction "A reign of terror and murder is and brutality will be strengthened and encouraged!

raging on the West Coast ports of the United States. The state of Workers of the Pacific Coast! Stop all factories, all work! Stop the railroads, and all food deliveries! Every worker to the defense California is trying to drown in of his brothers on the docks! Let these capitalist robbers and their blood the militant eight weeks' strike of the marine workers who hired rats feel the power of labor.

are fighting for better wages and All over the country, in every union local and factory there mus be immediate action to help the San Francisco strikers by resolutions solidarity and funds. of

There is absolutely nothing that can stop the workers if they make up their minds to strike together.

Force the withdrawal of the armed forces! Prepare for general strike, for the complete tie-up of all industry and shipping!



2 Murdered, 4 More **Reported Dead in Police Attack** 

STRIKE CONTINUES

**Troops** Arrested for Supporting Strike

(Special to the Daily Worker) SAN FRANCISCO. - Two of the workers killed by the

police in yesterday's attack upon the striking marine workers included George of the Communist Party and member of the A. F. of L. Cooks and Waiters Union; Howard S. Perry, member of the International Seamen's Union. In addition, one worker was killed in Alemeda, and four more workers were reported dead. but as yet the reports have been unconfirmed. Additional hundreds have been wounded, many not listed

As 1,700 National Guardsmen were mobilized for action, two members of the National Guard made speeches in the Armory, appealing to the National Guardsmen not to report for duty on the strike front. They and their sup-porters were immediately placed arrest. Unrest is rife among the troopers who are re-luctant to go into action against workers. In San Jose, groups of workers met National Guardsmen arriving from Gilroy and other farm sections and tried to pull them off trucks. O'Rourke, Communist candidate for supervisor of San Jose, and others were

and to increase the profits of the

finance capitalists. Schmitt is given authorization to arrest, terrorize and even to order the death of those who resist.

He has blanket authority "to promulgate orders for the advancement of trade and industry, as well gamated Clothing Workers have as for the protection of industry adopted resolutions demanding the against harm."

This is the program desired by the finance capitalists and rich landowners, and was the main reason for the bloody attack on those who still retained the illusions Negro Church Gives

\$10 To Aid Herndon, sudden seizure of Henderson who is now held in jail with bail set at \$3,500 on charge of "conspiracy to" In spite of an able legal battle (Continued on Page 2) **Call Troops Against 9 Scottsboro Boys** Dutch Unemployed Funds Needed at Once To Save Herndon 2 Killed at Amsterdam from Chain Gang as Police Attack

AMSTERDAM, Holland, July 6.-Police, who have been ordered to are doing for the cause of human is to assist him to break the strike. show no quarter to workers here, justice, you'll find a check for the who for two days have barricaded small sum of ten dollars (\$10.00)." themselves in protest against relief The above is from a letter recuts, sent out a call for troops. Two ceived yesterday by the Interna workers have already been killed and scores wounded in the fighting, when the workers resisted the po-of the Second Baptist Church. Coatesville, Pa. The letter is signed

The workers began their demon- by S. Quash, pastor; and E. R. Robstration when two days ago they inson, church clerk, and contains an protested against the municipality additional \$1.32 for copies of a cutting down the dole and threat- Scotsboro pamphlet.

ening hunger for thousands of job- The I. L. D. must raise \$15,000 less and their families. The police immediately in cash and Liberty viciously attacked the unemployed, Bonds, which will be returned, to and in their resistance the workers provide bail for heroic Angelo Hernthrew up barricades in the Hordaan don, who is seriously sick in Fulton workers' section. They continued their fight throughout the night and this bail is provided within the next

next day. Barricades torn down by the po-lice during the night were set up gain the next morning. Latest reports are that the fight-is pending. again the next morning.

ing is extremely intense. Most of At least another \$15,000 must be raised immediately in the fight to been broken by rifle fire. Lights in the section were cut off last night whom already are slated for execuand a bridge burned. tion on August 31 under the recent

Police guards were posted at the gas works and other public utilities Court upholding the Decatur lynch to prevent a strike of the workers verdicts against Haywood Patterson sympathy with the unemployed. and Clarence Norris.

Troops and military police joined Rush funds immediately to the the municipal police in battling un-employed today as the third day of determined efforts of the Amster-dam workers to restore unemployment relief cuts got under way. One policeman and one worker are

dead in the fighting so far. to issue orders for severe repression The Communist Party addressed to be exercised against the Coma telegram to the authorities stating munists

that the sole cause of the disorders In t Jordan district pavements ically disappeared having was the city's reductions in unem- had ", and called for withbarricades and ammuni d: a 'al of that measure. n mill'ant workers Wedtion The answer of the authorities was nesday night, last night, and today.

(Continued on Page 8) Following a campaign of vicious gomery County Jail to reasonable

"red-baiting" in the local press, Seabrook, the wealthy owner of the farms, organized a reign of terror which began two days ago with the the ball, but left it at the exorbi-sudden seizure of Henderson who is tant figure of \$110,000 in property

Warrants have been issued for all fense Attorneys Roth and Baker. the strike leaders of the Agricul-tural Workers' Union (TUUL), and beyond five thousand cash or ten a hunt is now in progress for Elinor Henderson, one of the strike leaders, who is scheduled to appear

(Continued on Page 5) over this information.

With Libel In Hit Terror on show their solidarity with the heroic men from the ships and docks of the Pacific Coast.

"Protest against the bloody murder program of the shipowners and the government!

"This can be done on Monday. "The S.S. Virginia, one of the few ships to get away from the West Coast piers, is docking at Pier 61, Monday, July 9. The ship is loaded with scab cargo, stained with the blood of strikers

"All workers are called to demonstrate on Monday noon at Pier 61, 21st and West Sts., when the bond. In the face of tremendous ship docks. "All out for action Monday noon. Stop the unloading of the

scab cargo! "For a general strike in the marine industry!" about eight weeks.

on Line in Cincinnati

SCRANTON, Pa., -July 6 .- State fight against Jim Crow oppression of the Negro people.

for a hearing today on "riot" charges. The ILD attorney, Isser-man of Newark, is defending them. By JOHN HOWARD LAWSON BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 5 .-By re-arresting me, Birmingham police seem to come out definitely for police censorship of the press Despite his efforts, however, many as a direct tool of the reactionary last year by the Maloney-Cappelini forces of the county by passing gang in the Anthracite miners'

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"Unions and Fraternal Organizations – Support 'Daily' Circulation Drive!" **By EARL BROWDER** 

General Secretary, Communist Party, U. S. A.

COMRADES: In a large measure, the mobilization of American workers for revolutionary struggle can only go forward in proportion to the spread of the Daily Worker. Our "Daily" is the Communist Party's face in the United States. It must reach the mass of workers while the crisis is in its present stage. To delay this process, is to leave these workers in ignorance as to the objectives of our Party. On every hand, the capitalist forces are sharpen-

ing their attack on the living standards of the American working class. In meeting this attack, the Communist Party must be able to speak daily to these workers in the language of the majority. As the Central Organ of the Communist Party, U. S. A., our Daily Worker is the Party's official voice-the educational and rallying influence that clarifies and emphasizes the importance of our struggles.

We are engaged in an intensive campaign to add 20,000 new readers for the Daily Worker in two months. This number can and must be secured as the first step in doubling the circulation of the Daily Worker by January 1, 1935.

To accomplish this immediate gain, however, the Party's entire apparatus must be organized. There is not a minute to lose. Party districts, sections, units and fractions are at work. The fraternal and language organizations must be drawn into this campaign.

Each organization, union and club should appoint a Daily Worker Campaign Committee and elect a Daily Worker agent or representative. Quotas should be set for organizations as a whole and then broken down to embrace each branch. These branches, in turn, should appoint a Daily Worker Campaign Committee and representative.

The fraternal organizations' campaign for new Daily Worker readers should concentrate on shop sales, sales at all meetings, etc., as well as include street sales, house to house canvassing and carrier routes.

The union press must perform its share of the work by giving publicity to this campaign and issuing appeals to its readers and supporting organizations.

American trade union workers! May we expect your revolutionary cooperation? Will the Daily Worker be spread among the mass of workers in the fraternal organizations as well as among the youth. Forward to Soviet America!

jailed for participation Machine guns are now on the Alabama Court West Coast Machine guns are now on the roofs of the buildings facing the docks. Until 5 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, only four trucks were able, under police guard, to leave the docks to deliver to warehouses To Back Striking three blocks away. No deliveries were made to the rest of the city. Twenty locals of the A. F. of L.

NEW YORK .-- All unions of the Howard Lawson was charged with Trade Union Unity Council-Marine, cil voted a general strike on the conlibel today on the basis of an arti-cle he wrote in the "Daily Worker" on May 18 describing the trial of Metal, Food, Furniture, Needle, dition that agreement is made by on May 18 describing the trial of Birmingham strike leaders, by protest to the Governor of Califor-in a demonstration against the labor Judge Abernathy, when he was nia against the attempt of the ship-

owners, the Roosevelt Board and further action. The men forced He was released under a \$300 the state officials of California to through a special meeting for Sunbond. He will come up for trial in break the maritime strike by the day at which a general strike vote use of police gun-fire and troops. will be taken. The arrest of Lawson, a nation-The Taxi Drivers Union, Shoe

Large delegations of workers will attend the meeting of the Central and Leather Workers Union, Inter-Labor Council tonight to demand an national Labor Defense and numerous other unions and labor organizations sent similar protests.

A letter was received from the crew of the S. S. President Adams pledging support of the courageous strikers on the west coast.

Furniture Workers Hold Meet To protest against the use of troops and police against the west coast maritime strikers and to demand that terror cease against strikers in the state of New Jersey, The Furniture Workers Industrial Union, International Labor Defense and Civil Liberties Union

has called a joint meeting at Irving Plaza, Wednesday, July 11.

on the waterfront.

immediate general strike. In an attempt to offset the savage police terror against which the entire working class here is being aroused, stories are circulated that a floral shop owned by Mayor Rossi was wrecked by strikers. It is also for the same purpose said that strikes were responsible for the ex-

in the San Francisco bay area have

already voted for a general strike.

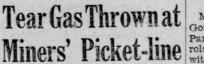
The Oakland Building Trades Coun-

faker Casey who tried to prevent

plosion in the DuBoce Municipal Railway Tunnel. Anti-Communist agitation is being intensified with the press, the mayor, the governor, and Ryan making speeches against the Communist Party. A group of militant longshoremen today asked that this message be conveyed to the Atlantie

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Philadelphia Workers Protest PHILADE[PHIA, July 6.—A mass meeting protesting police brutality General Strike in against striking seamen and longshoremen on the West Coast, has M'pl's Demanded been called jointly by the Marine Workers Industrial Union, and the Communist Party for Tuesday, 8. **Olson Tries To Prevent** a. m., at Christian and Swanson Sts., Fight for Recognition



attacked a picket line of over 1,000 strikers and sympathizers at the recognition of the truck drivers and Stearns and Foster Textile Mills at affiliated trades. Olson called out Lockland today. shouted slogans and hurled bricks in defense, breaking every window is strong because the employers re-in the plant.

ers." and that "the windows were be given. The workers demand i broken by a bunch who have Com- general strike to enforce recogni munistic leanings."

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 6 .-Gov. Floyd B. Olson, Farmer Labor Party governor, again played the role of strikebreaker today, meeting with federal government mediators and A. F. of L. leaders in an effort CINCINNATI, O., July 6.—Police ttacked a picket line of over 1,000 to prevent the general strike de-manded by the workers to enforce The strikers the national guard in the last strike The demand for a general strike

Leonard Greene, a vice-president workers connected with transporof the AFofL and a representativ.' portation of goods' by trucks and of the United Textile Workers' have dealt only with the truck Union is already attempting to split drivers. The employers declare that the ranks of the strikers and to under the settlement of the recent weaken the picket lines with the truck drivers strike with the N. R statement that "not one in twent"- A Regional Labor Board, recogni five of them (the pickets) are strik- tion of these allied crafts will no



EARL BROWDER General Secretary, Comr Party, U. S. A.

ally prominent author, is aimed at 1,000 Textile Strikers driving the Daily Worker from the South where it has played a prom-inent part in the strikes and the

that all but two of the prisoners broke up a picket line of 200 at an

himself arrested in court.

Based on Article in Workers in East Mass 'Daily Worker' on **Mine Strike** Longshoremen NEW YORK, July 6. - John

#### DAILY WORKER, NEW YORK, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1934

# **Downtown Councils Call Jobless to Pack Union Sq. Tonite at 8**

ly Meetings at South Side of Union Sq.

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NEW YORK. - The Downtown loyment Councils today pealed to all workers to pack the south side of Union Square tonight at 8 p. m. to prevent a repetition of the two savage police attacks upon the regular Saturday meetings of the past three weeks.

On Saturday, June 16, and again Union. on June 30, cops with drawn guns broke up regular meetings of the Unemployment Councils. In each case, when confronted with a large mobilization of workers on the Monday after, the police did not dare attack.

organizations, are holding nightly meetings on the Square.

Paul Block, organizer of the Relief Workers League, and Frieda Jackson, organizer of the Upper Harlem Unemployment Counci were slugged and jailed when cops attacked last Saturday. Already the frame-up machine is in motion to railroad these workers to long terms in prison. Police thugs have produced lenghths of rubber hose from their own armories and are charging that Block and Jackson carried these as weapons.

Protest telegrams demanding that Mayor LaGuardia order his bluecoated thugs to keep their bloody hands off the employed and unemployed workers have not brought replies. Only a huge mobilization of to fight until their original deworkers on Union Square tonight mands are granted. . will force the police to stop their brutal assaults on the unemployed assembled at Union Square. Mass at Union Square tonight at 8 p.m. Assemble nightly at the South Side of Union Square at the regular meetings of the Downtown Unemployment Councils.

#### **Bronx** Jobless Force **Concessions** from Home Relief Bureau

NEW YORK. - Fifty workers, under the leadership of the Bronx County Unemployment Council. smashed the ruling of the Home Relief Bureau at 151st St. and River Ave. limiting delegations to three workers, and the ruling that all workers' committees must pre-every opportunity to remind the sent credentials of their organiza-A committee of five, elected tions. by the workers, presented demands for relief to single workers, clothing to all unempoyed, and an end discrimination against Negro of town job contractors. and foreign-born workers. One worker, who was seized by

the police was released through the mass pressure of the assembled

**ILD** Nat'nal Committee Meets Today, Tomorrow

Councils Holding Night- Bologna Makers Strike In Sixth Week; Pledge To Fight to Victory

> NEW YORK .- Oer 500 bologna makers who have been striking for over six weeks continued their strike yesterday and announced that they will strike "till hell freezes over" until their demands are won. The strikers are members of Locals 422, 211 and 174 of the Amalgamated Bologna Makers

Shops are striking in Newark, Brooklyn and Manhattan. The strikers are demanding increased wages and recognition of the

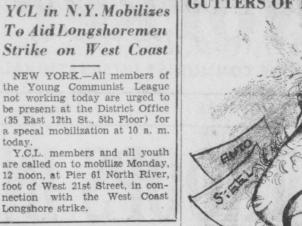
In answer to the bloody police at-tacks, the Unemployment Councils together with other working class Offer of Bosses To Settle the Strike

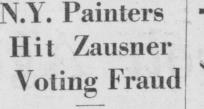
Call on W'kers' Groups for Aid as Strike

**Enters 6th Week** turers' proffered increase of 20 cents a dozen, striking hatters of Local 8, United Hatters of North America, turned today to the

for support in their determination Today the strikers entered on their sixth week of struggle without financial or other relief and

individuals speed whatever monies they can to United Hatters Local 8, 611 Broadway, immediately. At the meeting called to consider the bosses' offer, officials of the union, although fearing to supevery opportunity to remind the workers that "the employers are hard pressed for money and that insistence on the original demands would force New York manufacturers to send their orders to out





Local Unions Demand **New Elections** 

NEW YORK, July 6 .- Four local nions, 261, 906, 1011 and 442, of the Brotherhood of Painters were preparing to take action at their meetngs tonight against the election frauds by which the corrupt Zausner machine managed to keep itself n power last week against the slate led by Louis Weinstock, militant rank and file candidate. All will

Be Held

oday.

demand new elections. At a meeting on Thursday night called by the rank and file action committee of Local 261, attended by

NEW YORK, July 6 .- Rejecting 300 members, resolutions were almost unanimously the manufac- adopted condemning the President Peter Barron and Secretary Max Gaft for their fraudulent election practises. A number of forged bal- the way of the sympathy strikes on tack against striking maritime lots used by Zausner henchmen in the Atlantic Coast, the rank and working class of New York City rank and file leaders. The resolu- San Francisco workers-kick Ryan tion adopted on Thursday night was out and call the strikes." to be presented last night to the of-

ficial meeting of the local. With the District Council offices at 246 W. 14th St., guarded by 10 aware that only hunger can break strong-arm men on the inside, the been set up. The reign of teraware that only hunger can break strong-arm men on the instit, the spirit, they called on their Board of Trustees proceeded, on class brothers to lend a hand. A Thursday night, to consolidate its waterfront. Thursday night appendix of the orlabor organizations held on ganization. Inspecting the creden-July 5 is working with the union's tials of 10 newly elected delegates, relief committee in raising funds. the trustees refused to seat five

The conference calls on all without offering any reason. The working class organizations and five who were refused seats despite their election by large majorities were Harry Rothstein, Local 490; H. Serre, Local 848; Charles Lubkert, Local 499; Sam Rosenthal, Local 1011, and J. Laslow, Local 439. The membership of all these locals

threaten to recall all of their seated general strike Sunday. delegates in protest.

NEW YORK - Irving Redler, Brotherhood of Painters has been 121 from which he was expelled last day. year by the maneuvers of the cor-

(Classified)

Storm Troopers since redoubled his fight for rank and file control and for support of

Move To Revolt the Worke ance Bill. DAILY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS (Continued from Page 1)

er. Ask for Benice.

**GUTTERS OF NEW YORK** BILL SREEN



by del



"The hands of the leaders of the New Deal are remarkably expressive."-N. Y. World-Telegram. (To Be Continued)

### 'Shoot to Kill" Order in Dock Strike

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SAN FRANCISCO, July 6. -Troops have arrived at the

Col. Mittelstaedt, in command of the troops, threatened soldiers with a general court-martial if they failed to shoot to kill. But the workers of San Francisc have intimated that they are not going to take it lying down. The strike still continues. All signs point to the general strike. The teamsters union is to vote on

Strike sentiment mounts among municipal employees.

Workers on the private street railmilitant rank and file leader in the ways are considering a walkout in Queens District Council of the support of the maritime workers. Brotherhood of Painters has been In all unions the question of the elected president of Local Union general strike is the order of the Meanwhile the Roosevelt Board is

rupt local leadership. Redler, rein-stated by rank and file pressure, has bitrate. Strikers Refuse to Arbitrate The strikers, who refused to arbi-

> refused to arbitrate under the guns the movement. of the National Guard.

> > marine workers.

up on the floor.

brought up."

the action

waterfront.

tional Guard troops moved into the coast workers: "If Ryan stands in the wake of the bloody police at-

workers in which three were killed injured and wounded. The troops are under the command of Major General David P.

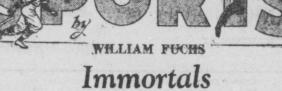
Barrow, University of California professor, recently in Germany at Hitler's expense, who is now an The order for the movement of

and those around the bay. "We have 4,000 additional men to back us up if necessary, and that is not enough we will call the national army, the navy and marine corps," snapped Colonel R. E. Mittelstaedt, commander of the 250th Coast Artillery.

To answer the bloody terror labor unions were discussing the question of calling a general strike in the entire Frisco Bay area.

"We are not going to retreat com the waterfront," Ralph Mallen of the International Longshoremen's Association publicity committee declared. "We are go ing ahead and expect to obtain plenty of help from all other unions toward a general strike." Plan General Strike

It is very likely that a general strike will be declared over the head of the Central Labor Council the Workers Unemployment Insur- trate before the troops were called, which is doing its utmost to halt



N IMMORTAL of the ring fought last night. He fought A in Long Branch, N. J., and the immortality was gone from him. He was once immortal enough to get almost \$50,000 for one bout in the Polo Grounds, but yesterday he fought for hardly more than a hundred and fifty. What

are the uses of immortality if around the first corner. It will one is considered a has-been? probably be the same Mr. Choco-You could hardly find any late's case. Only little more than notice yesterday of Mr. Kid a year ago Mr. Benny Leonard tried to regain his mantle but only his Chocolate's bout with Johnny ghost walked and they quickly sent Edickson. There were other im- it back where it came from. This is perhaps good, after all. A mortals now occupying the sports pages. Immortals are born there man becomes immortal only when every day and every day immortals the customers swear by his immor die there. It is an immortal game. tality with their color; and it would be awful if the newspapers had to

R. KID CHOCOLATE's plight, of have for an immortal one who course, is a very sad one. People | couldn't draw the coin. What kind become professional prizefighters to of a live, pulsating immortal would make a fortune and when they can- he be if nobody paid to gape at not make a fortune anymore they him? But this has never happened. Behave to go to work - particularly when, like Mr. Chocolate, they have cause the newspapers can make any spent what fortune they did make mortal immortal, and they always

in being knock-around immortals. But it is so much easier than going safe side to work if one tries to become a comeback immortal. Mr. Chocolate would again like to be an immortal

in good standing. His plight is the plight of many immortals who have fallen to low estate. How the immortals of yes-

terday have become mortal and now suffer from bellyache and have to ride in subways! Who remember immortals? What has happened to Gertrude Ederle, who was once immortal enough to get a job on the Loew's circuit? What has happened

to Red Grange, the immortal extraordinary of football? How many of who follow the immortals those know that Paul Berlenbach is now a bouncer in a Yorkville saloon? Who knows where Joe Walcott is, now that he has been fired by Madison Sq. Garden from the job he had of cleaning the ring in that investment of Six Hundred Millionaires?

T is a sad fact that immortals never regain their immortaldom. They start out on the path again and perhaps go a little way but the devil is alway waiting for them

> BASEBALL STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Through Thursday's Games AMERICAN LEAGUE

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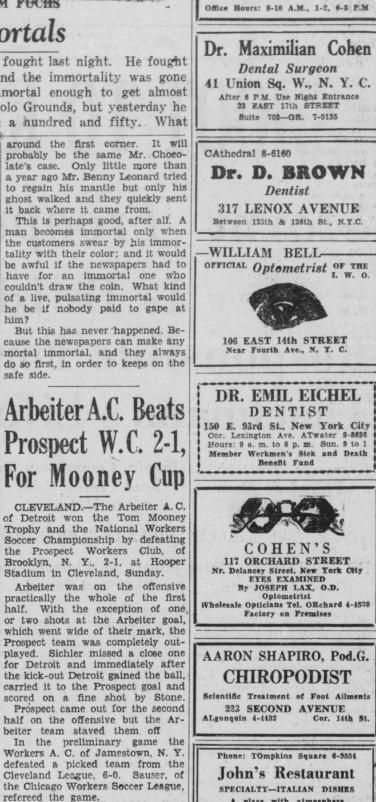
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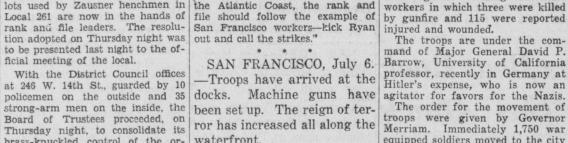
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The meeting will discuss the national problem facing the I.L.D. in the present wave of terror against the struggles of workers all over the country, and especially the development of the campaign for the freedom of Anthe Scottsboro Herndon, boys, and Ernst Thaelmann.

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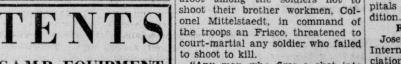
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CAMP EQUIPMENT "Any man who fires a shot into the air will be court-martialed." the bloodthirsty Colonel told the troops. 'Shoot to kill."

Strike Brews in South HOUSTON, Tex., July 6.-Houston, ARMY and NAVY STORE shoremen discussed the question of striking in sympathy with the west the shipowners, backed by police

coast men. . . .

under the guns the movement. All day yesterday police attacked strikers unmercifully with gunfire alt the general ime again John LLA, headquarters. It was here attack took place in front of the ime again John LLA, headquarters. It was here attack took place in front of the ime again John LLA, headquarters. It was here attack took place in front of the ime again John LLA, headquarters. It was here attack took place in front of the the strikers was an again John LLA, headquarters. It was here attack took place in front of the attack took place in front of the the strikers was an again John LLA, headquarters. It was here berefit at the strikers was and the strikers and berefit and be are all and be Volunteers wanted for an hour Labor Council were doing everything and gas bombs. The most savage or two this morning in circulation in their power to halt the general strike. Time and time again John I.L.A. headquarters. It was here O'Connell, secretary of the Council that the two men were killed and has stated his opposition to any most of the strikers were wounded

strike movement in support of the Gutters Flowed with Blood Gutters in front of the hall There will be a meeting of the flowed with blood as police fired

\$3.50 a week. L. Thomas, 217 W. 68th St. Apt. 32. Every day from 8 to 2. the general strike will be brought gas. Bullets struck buildings and walls and ripped through street-O'Connell intimated that he will cars. Strikers defended themselves

attempt to sidetrack the movement. heroically against the withering "The air is full of general strike talk." O'Connell admitted, "and streets. the matter undoubtedly will be

Police took up positions behind telephone poles and fired into the He then revealed how the Counhuge throng until their guns were empty. They reloaded and fired cil would try to halt the general

again and again. Men fell like ten "Any action, however, will be for pins. the individual unions to take," he One cop stood at the intersec-

as if he were shooting clay It is clear that the Labor Coun-ROOM TO LET, all improvements. 237 E. cil fakers will not support the gen-13th St. Apt. 5B. cil fakers will not support the gen-eral strike movement. But the in-and then proceeded to empty his eral strike movement. But the in-

Those killed by the police fire were Howard Sperry, 49, a strik-

**Hospitals** Filled

ing longshoreman; George Militia patrolled all sections of Counequrakis, member of the In-ternational Labor Defense and Clayton Minor, 27, a striker from Machine guns were placed on top

Alameda RUSSIAN LESSONS, individual, groups, of pier 38. Another gun was placed Strikers and non-strikers alike fell in front of the Matson Navigation victims of the police guns and the Company. Fifteen soldiers guarded gas. Mrs. Josephine Fuetes was shot every pier. in the head when a bullet from a

Three machine guns bristled policeman's gun crashed through a from the second floor of the State VANTED truck for Camp Wo-Chi-Ca. Call Terminal Building commanding a large area of the water front street-car window. The police attack spread along large area of the water front. the entire waterfront. Ferry boat Another was set up at King Street passengers were gassed as they

Machine Guns Set Up

and the Embarcadero. came from the Ferry Building at Major General David P. Barrows. the foot of Market Street commander of the bloodthirsty expedition, set himself up in Oakland

Emergency hospitals all night across the bay from the Frisco crowded with victims of the terror Mothers and wives of the wounded Sensing there is a movement stood before the doors of the hosafoot among the soldiers not to shoot their brother workmen, Col- pitals awaiting word of their con-Ryan Stands with Bosses

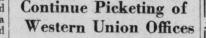
Joseph P. Ryan, president of the International Longshoremen's Association, sided with the government shipowners and army officers in a verbal attack against the militant strike committee and the Commu-

nists. Attempting to point out that the men are not striking for wage increases, but merely for a different Galveston and other gulf ports system of hiring, Ryan blamed the faced another dock strike as long- rank and file strike leaders for a failure to settle the strike and not

> and the National Guard, who are really the ones standing in the way

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6 .- Na- of settlement.

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NEW YORK .- Determined that the Western Union Telegraph fire with cobblestones torn from the Company shall not smash their organization, members of the Tele-graph Messengers Union are continuing their picket line at 1440 Broadway and the office at 37th St. and Eight Ave.

The messengers demand a minimum wage of \$15 for a 40 hour week, recognition of the union, and tion of two streets, firing his shot- the reinstatement of all messengun into the ranks of the strikers gers fired for organizational activities.

All workers organizations are urged to assist the picketing, held daily between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. as sufficient forces will enable the picket lines to be spread city-wide

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(Special to the Daily Worker)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 6 .-

Two thousand five hundred ore miners of the Tennessee Coal and

have gone back to work with a sell-

The strong strike, on since May 4,

forced some concessions in the way of wage increases of from three to

Demands Bargained Away

ing the whole ore field; (4) equal

These demands were bargained

Many T. C. I. miners, as well as

are demanding one collective agree-

Mass Lavoffs in T. C. I.

Blast Furnaces, and the Ensby Open

which are extracted by the corpo-

Amalganiated Association of Iron.

while they were unemployed."

one worker put it, "they give us

pity slips,' but I'd rather get the

Welfare grocery relief. At least they

sucks it back when you go back

and intellectuals have arrived in the

The

Birmingham and Atlanta.

The Enby Rail Mill, the Ensby

These plants

rights for Negroes.

The basic demands of the miners

officials.

#### Phila. Painters Six Negro Churches Ore Strikers The Fighting Facing Jail, Mother Bloor Celebrates Militant Negro Worker Mark I.L.D. Birthday In Philadelphia Dies Lose Demands Rank and File In South Carolina City Vet 72nd Birthday in Front Battle Line PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 6. Anderson Wiggins, founder of the Informer In Settlement NEW YORK .- What the unified **Gains in Vote** By H. E. BRIGGS struggle of Negro and white work-Cliff Fames Branch of the Internae:s for the freedom of Angelo Hern- TO THE RANK AND FILE OF 45 Years in Front Ranks Arrested, Jailed Counttional Labor defense, died here THE AMERICAN LEGION Tuesday as a result of slow starvadon and the Scottsboro boys means **AFL Leaders Bargained Cigar Strikers Answer** less Times: One of COMRADES: Your civilian brothof Historic Class tion. to the oppressed south is driven Com: de Wiggins had been an active fighter in the ranks of the ers on the West Coast are, at home in intensely human terms this time, fighting for their work-"Red Scare" Disrup-Struggles C. P. Founders by reports from Columbia, S. C., ing class rights. You are being ap-**Probe Terror** tion of AFL Head working class for five years. He was By MILTON HOWARD of the founders of the American one of the first Negroes to join the that six Negro churches of that peaked to by misleaders in indus-Communist Party, a founder of city held celebrations of the ninth try and your own organization to unemployment council. By SYD BENSON PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 6 .-

Despite every effort on the part of the reactionary A. F. of L. officials, headed by the Lovestonite Krame:, The six churches having a total secretary of Local 306 of the Painters Brotherhood, the opposition succeeded in electing three of its candidates to the executive committee and a delegate each to the District Council and the United Hebrew Trades. Lovestonite officials to concede a vote and another election for president, after the fakers had done celebration which was conducted everything possible to rob the opposition candidate of the election.

#### **Royalist Cigar Strikers** In Mass Picketing

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 6 .-Raising shouts of "Communists," Lew Hines, A. F. of L. organizer, tried to disrupt the strike at the Royalist Cigar Co. here. The strike is led by the Tobacco Workers Industrial Union, a T. U. U. L. affiwith the assertion that the company would never deal with a Communsit union. The strike committee the closed shop principle of operpromptly exposed Hines and de- ation.' clared that it was ready to negotiate with the company at any time. formerly employed in the cigar had the Bonus in your pocket, class of Oregon. It is such Mass picketing is continuing at the shops of York County. This numplant with strike sentiment spread- ber was cut by 5,000 by the deing to other factories throughout pression, with complete lockout now the city. \* \* \*

#### 5,000 Cigar Workers Locked Out in York, Pa.

(By a Worker Correspondent) YORK, Pa., July 6 .- Over 5,000 to see the plants close down be- were Legion men. The same sitworkers have been thrown out of cause of the hardships imposed uation faces your comrades on the workers have been thrown out of work here in the cigar factories by an agreement of the York County Cigar Manufacturers' Association to The cigar workers are organized whether or not to operate accord-ing to the cigar manufacturers are organized in the custry, No. 242, in York county. Union leaders, denied a code. Another 8,000 workers are conference with the York County also faced with a lockout as the Cigar Manufacturers' Association it-

The manufacturers are waging a and the bosses, to discuss a pro-bitter fight against the closed shop, posed schedule of prices.

### WHAT'S ON

#### Saturday

Manhattan ENTERTAINMENT and Concert, benefit for N. Y. Comm. to Aid Victims of Ger-man Fascism. Anti-Nazi Federation, 168 W. 23rd St., 8:30 p. m. Refreshments, Man Faccism. Anti-Nail Federation, 168 W. 23rd St., 8:30 p. m. Refreshments, good program. N. Tallentire, speaker. Subscription at door 35 cents. OPEN AIR MOVIES (Russian) and Dance at/Potamkin Children's Center, 311 E. 12th St. 8 p. m. Auspices: Unit 7 Section 1. Indoors if it rains. MOVIES (Potamkin) and Dance at Irish MOVIES (Potamkin) and Dance at Irish Workers Club, 107 W. 100th St., 8:30 p. m. Auspices: Lean Mellows Br. Irish Workers

HOUSE PARTY given by Y. C. L. Unit Section 1, 223 Second Ave. Apt. 6K. 30 p. m. Refreshments-entertainment.

#### Bronx

The six churches, having a total membership of more than 700 persons, are the Emmanuel A.M.E.; Chapel A.M.E.; Stoney Chapel A. M.E.; Second A.M.E.; the Jehovah like scabs and strikebreakers to and the United Hebrew The workers forced the Baptist. The local unit of the Community First State and Strikebreakers to the State and State Communist Party and the local I. L. D. branch helped arrange the solely by local speakers.

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A total of 18,000 workers were

Association meets to decide its self, are now demanding a meeting of representatives of the union

critical statement of the "York used by the local business men as Dispatch' that "the majority are scabs and special policemen. In of the opinion that they would like this case, many of the strikers Office, sends condolences.

Mother Bloor is 72 today. And characteristically enough, she celebrates her terest to go against those in our birthday (if she gives it a own class. Since we are workers who, too, may be unemployed thought at all) in the midst of from day to day and would not battle.

"Mother," as she is known ter conditions, it is time that we to thousands upon thousands of act for ourselves. Legion com- workers and farmers throughout the land, is now in Nebraska facmanders and big business men

half century of incessant activity, ing a jail sentence of six months to look into the face of Mother for aiding the strike of the chicken Bloor is to see the radiance of an pickers in Loup City. They talk of the "ancient heroes unquenchable vitality which is the of ancient battles." But the world symbol of the vitality of the unquenchable vitality which is the symbol of whom she is flesh and has never seen the steadfastness

and heroism which is born in the blood. Stalin has spoken of Bolsheviks world fight for the liberation of society from the chains of capital- as "made of special mold . . . sons of the working class, sons of pov-

The world has never seen such erty and struggle, sons of incredi Legion commanders would unflinching, unfaltering devotion as ble deprivation and heroic effort." marks the heroes of the proletariat. Mother Bloor is like that. Mother Bloor is a Bolshevik. There is not a corner of this vast Amerliate. Hines tried to gather a group stating, according to the "York Bonus, repeal of the Economy Act is no higher honor in the world. ica that she does not know, where of strikers about his sell-out schemes Dispatch," that "they will close and Unemployment Insurance they It is the title of a tested fighter she has not lived and fought.

The degenerate writers of the bourgeoisie like to depict revolu-And yet today, after nearly a tionaries as twisted, thwarted. peculiar people with some fixed not be in this condition if you life-long fighter for the working maniacal ideas.

But "Mother" is as wholesome. your compensation restored and mothers who set examples for as earthy-rich, as vital as the intheir sons and daughters who will exhaustable life of the masses Your comrades in Minneapolis long be remembered when the from whom she draws her threatening all others. Wages are now as low as \$5 a week. The made a proud record for them-inal day comes as pioneers in the children, of whom six are alive. manufacturers, despite the hypo- selves when they refused to be struggle for a New Order. The She is intensely proud of them, for Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, they too are part of the revolution. But, really, she has thousands of children, for to her the young fighters of the proletariat all over through its staff in the National

Important Open-Air Meeting

it makes you feel when you hear

Born on Staten Island in 1862, she was 17 when she took her place Legionnaires and all ex-service- field will be made. Comrade Levin, in the fight for liberation. Since men to ally themselves with the National Chairman, will speak on then she has been in the front fellow next door in one rank and the latest activities of the W. E. ranks of the working class. She file movement for better condi- S. L., the I.A.C. Seventh Inter- was a member of the Socialist the teeth of the capitalist finance and the Fisher Body. We have daily er', who will be thrown out on the tions not only in veteran affairs, national Congress. Comrades Labor Party in the days when sharks. She is out on bail, pend- sales there, writes Comrade Martin, miserable "pity slips" of the T. C. I., Daniel De Leon was leading it. She but in the interest of the working Hickerson and Wholley will report knew De Leon well. When the split came and the on the rank and file activities in

Washington. Comrade Gorren of Socialist Party was formed, she became a leading member of the This will be the first of a series Servicemen's League. Salem is do- velopments will be taken up on champion of the working class."

that Bolshevik Party which has the historic task of storming the out-post of world imperialism, Wall She is a member of the Street. Party's Central Committee, the

> tles of the class struggle, in the Anaconda Copper strike where about 5 children were burned to death.

the old days, Mother Bloor was the only woman member of the United Mine Workers of America, elected as an honoary member by the miners who honored and adored Recently in Ambridge, Pa., her.

she broke through the ring of terror and spoke to the miners while thugs pressed their revolvers into fortunes, the most murderous names, of the Republic Steel Corp. and the her back.

In the greatest battles of the negie and Frick, Morgan the Mali- Steel Co., and the Woodward Iron working class she has fought gnant, Gary the hypocrite-the valiantly, in Herrin, Illinois, in blood of strikers on their hands! Gastonia, in the Sacco-Vanzetti The New Deal arbitration board is case, in Scottsboro. On the night moving swiftly on the strikes in the those still out, are very much disof the Sacco-Vanzetti case, she steel industry, ever to break them, satisfied over the agreemnt, and the was jailed in Boston for raising to drown the protests of workers Party is issuing a statement for the her voice in prophecy of the in- with pious phrasings. It is the mil- miners to reject the agreement and evitable retribution by the revolutionary masses. fondly think of as they plan the basis for the basic demands.

the terrorism of the ruling class was raging in unrestrained mob a lesson from this present situation miners to consider going on strike violence. Mother Bloor spoke in the steel industry and has ap- until this agreement has been openly in many cities against the plied it to the drive for 20,000 new reached. imperialist war, braving arrest and Daily Worker readers in the next

. TODAY Mother Bloor moves

through the farm country, five plants-The Corrigan McKinley be shut down July 16 for a period rousing the impoverished farmers ing the appeal of a six months' Her blue eyes, warm, filled with

humor, are still bright. She is as daily routes and about 25 Saturday grocery relief of the local Welfare restless, as energetic as ever. routes but these must be increased. Board Socialist Party, where she met Debs who was to become a close friend. One of her sons tells of have Beigeric as ever. Fouries but these must be increased. This mass layoff comes at the blows upon the only thing she hates, the hideousness and misery have Beigeric as ever. Fouries but these must be increased. This mass layoff comes at the same time as a campaign conducted by the corporation against the how Debs used to visit the house- of life under the yoke of capital- pathizers and all those who want to Communist Party, against the

There is one birthday present she would like "her boys" to give her above all things. She would We ought to grant her that.

more of time. It testifies to the

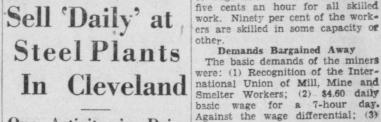
in the south.

such as has never before been seen rade Martin.

He joined the Communist Party in 1931. His last wish was a red funeral with a hammer and sickle to drape his coffin. The Communist Party of Phila-Iron Co. and R. R. Corp. (T. C. I.)

committee that steers the Ameri-delphia will carry out the wish tocan working class toward the gether with the Unemployment out agreemnt made by the union Council and the I. L. D.

She has been arrested innum-erable times and has seen the in-Enconstant sources and an and an and an and an and an and sides of countless jails. She took part in some of the greatest bat-



One Activity in Drive for one collective agreemnt cover-

Is Information Leaflets

away by Lipscomb and company, leaving the main grievances unset-**O**<sup>N</sup> steel have been reared some of the greatest and most wanton The strikers of the Raimund mine The strikers of the Raimund mine in American history-Andrew Car- ore miners of the Sloss-Sheffield

Co, have not as yet agreed to the settlement lions in steel that our best profiteers push forward on a rank and file

During the World War, when next imperialist war. The Cleveland District has drawn ment, and are calling on the T. C. I.

> two months. Sold Before 5 Plants In Cleveland it now stands before Hearth Furnaces of the T. C. I. will

Steel, the Midland Steel, American of several months. to the defense of their homes from Steel and Wire and the Davy Steel, employ some 2,300 workers at presthe District Daily Worker agent. Cleveland is one of the strategic ration when the workers are repoints in the drive. It now has six employed, or else thrown on the

make expenses to join the ranks.

Steel and Tin Workers and for the company union. The T. C. I. has issued petitions to the workers, asking them to endorse the corporation "which had taken care of them give it to you, while the company in the plant." The delegation of liberal writers South and plans are set for them to investigate the terror, especially

Lemonade free. 1401 Jerome Ave., Bronx, cor. 170th St., 5:30 p. m. Admission 15c. Auspices: Mt. Eden Br. F. S. U. COME Swimming with Vegetarian Work-ers Club at Brighton Beach and 5th St. 11 a. m. Good program and discussion. Refreshments. Look for our sign. GALA SUMMER Frolic, Dance and En-tertainment. Red Mock Marriage, Jazz Band. New Culture Club, 2345 Coney Island Ave. between Avenues T and U and raise it aloft. She became one ing of the honor.

seizure of power.

MOTHER BLOOR

To the miners she is a symbol. They have known and loved her for more than a quarter of a century. She has lived in the mining towns, organized strikes, fought for them in countless battles. In

There

country are to her "my boys. That is how she always talks of them. And it is impossible to describe how warm around the heart

brutality.

sentence for "rioting."

T WAS inevitable when the war like to be the first to open the I revealed the rottenness of the first Congress of American Soviets. Socialist Party that Mother Bloor We ought to grant her that. should seize the banner of Lenin Certainly no one is more deserv-

hold often, and of the picture upon which Debs inscribed: "To a true There is one

Alabama Sharecroppers Fight Onslaughts of NRA

SALEM, Ore .- A letter recently the Tom Mooney Branch of the received from S. B. Dodge, Post I.L.D., will speak on the role of No. 73, W.E.S.L., shows that it is the Supporters of the W.E.S.L. gionnaires and have them join a of open-air meetings under the militant rank and file organiza- auspices of the National Office to tion such as the Workers Ex- be held twice a month. New de-

Murphy, secretary of the Share-

croppers Union in the Balck Belt.

The first installment, which ap-

peared yesterday, described the deliberate attack on the Negro

sharecroppers by the Roosevelt-A.A.A.-plow-under program.

T the very outset the plow-under

series of minor struggles among the sharecroppers, guided by the mili-

against the landlords and against

may have a lot in common. How-

ever, they have nothing in com-

mon with the rank and fine. The

West Coast dock strike is one of

the most heroic battles for the

preservation of those things which

every worker holds dear-the right

to strike, organize and a decent

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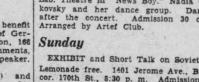
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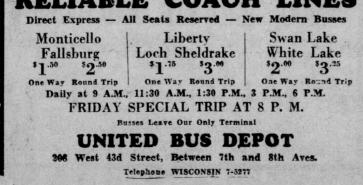
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## class as a whole. Center, off Brighton Station. Workers Lab. Theatre in "News Boy." Nadia Chil-kovsky and her dance group. Dancing after the concert. Admission 30 cents. Militant rank and file organiza-



Band. New Culture Club, 2345 Coney Island Ave. between Avenues T and U.

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Klux terror. In many cases the sharecroppers refused to sign the joint checks sent to the landlord hu the course to lice bedies. In the surplus crop, at a pre-committees send resolutions, pro-tests, etc., to local and national reto the landlord by the government lief bodies. unless they were guaranteed their complete share. They had learned "are being organized over wider through bitter experience not to and wider areas all over the Black take the landlord's word, and so Belt." they demanded their share in cash, immediately, before they consented to sign the check. **Boycott Plantations** The poor farmers and day labor-ers used another means of protest the right of sharecroppers to reagainst the whole N.R.A. govern- main on the land without being a parcel of land to work on, he gets ber of occasions voiced the sentiment-landlord line-up against them forced to work it out for the bosses a steer instead of a mule to work mets of the Negro croppers for betwhich were outstandingly vicious points out that insofar as he may work. The reason for this is obvi- rights. His murder followed a reign in their treatment of tenants and remain on the land, rent free, the ous. A landlord must spend \$10 a of terror released against the Negro share-croppers. The boycott of one sharecropper will have free access month to maintain a mule, whereas croppers by the K. K. k. landlords plantation in Chambers County in to wood, fuel, pasturage and gar- only \$1.30 a month is needed to and the high sheriff, under the di-1933 resulted in the arrest of 11 den in exchange for his labor. maintain a steer, which is a hun- rection of local federal agents, in share-croppers. The same struggle continues at however, which states that these back-breaking, to work with, the present time in Lee County. The conditions against which the struggle is being waged here are or menace to the becomes a nuisance or menace to the producer" (lende the bagging and ties. Now hid in bushes all night awaiting the such that evicted croppers are of- or menace to the producer" (land- they are forced to pay \$5.25 per fered 30 to 50 cents a day, working lord). landlords, who fire regular day lalandlords, who here regulat duy in borers in order to recruit almost coolie-labor from among the ranks of the evicted croppers. Right now there is a boycott against one plan-tation in this counly, which began when a big landlord fired his day laborers in order to get croppers at Direct Attack on Union. a starvation wage. He succeeded in getting only two men-both young sons of share-croppers. But a memphy, ber of the union went to see and ed the struggles of the shore-cropon the field, and quit their jobs. larly on the Negro tenants. "We expect big struggles next "The whole Roosevelt New Deal winter on all these issues," Murphy has now come to a showdown. The "Especially as these smaller farming masses can see very said. struggles gain momentum. There now that it is a New Deal for the will be," he repeated, "big struggles bankers and landlords; that it has against the landlords and the gov- not brought prosperity to the farernment. Struggles for Relief

mers, but worse conditions, worse than they have ever seen or lived In relief work Murphy also de- through before. They find that scribed the rising militancy of the they are not able to work except croppers. He described how "one under miserable conditions, almost cropper went to ask for relief and under primitive methods. The en-support of the International Labor which loop as pushed around by the local tire New Deal, as it affects the tn-Defense, the Sharecroppers Union approach.

uthorities. The relief heads began ant farmers and ing part of an interview with Al to try to evade responsibility for the south, is an attempt to further lease of the 11 workers jailed in the issuing relief. He continued to de- enslave the farming masses, partic- Chambers County plantation boymand it, but was again refused. ularly the Negroes. How the AAA Works Out.

Finally he told the woman in the relief office that if he received "In big counties where the Ne- were released. The eleventh had nothing he would follow her home groes constitute the overwhelming died in jail, as a result of prison and park on her front porch until majority of the population, the conditions, rotten food, etc. It is most persistent efforts are made to that the officials were taking the establish the 'subsistence' farm pro-

foodstuffs and other materials gram. This is supposed to give the A program began to develop a meant for relief of the hungry and cvicted tenants land on which to vigor and strength of our campaign "Besides the public square, where on display in the Public Lijobless home for themselves. After this, the office was forced to give tenants are supposed to be given this, the office was forced to give tenants are supposed to be given this, the office was forced to give tenants are supposed to be given there is a growing sympathy on the supposed to be given there is a growing sympathy on the supposed to be given there is a growing sympathy on the supposed to be given there is a growing sympathy on the supposed to be given there is a growing sympathy on the supposed to be given there is a growing sympathy on the supposed to be given there is a growing sympathy on the supposed to be given the supposed tant Sharecroppers Union. There him relief to get rid of him and his live stock, some food and some were protests of all kinds, both persistent demands." Relief struggles are carried on by cropper's family is forced to sign a

the N.R.A. government. These were committees-groups of widows and contract for whatever the landlord largely carried through on indivi- women with children. Sometimes demands or wants, and for the dual and family scales. Larger, mass family committees-whole families amount of wages that the landlord actions would have spelled disaster and the loosing of landlord-Ku-10 or 12—go to relief offices to de-

> "Such actions," Murphy declared, per begins working on the landland, or how much of it, he is to his release without charges.

> > well

work on. As a result the cropper must raise an enormous crop, sell Fighting Evictions.

city workers." year in Chambers County, accord-

Steers Instead of Mules.

union, a man who had on a num-When the tenant farmer is given boycotting certain plantations will be stressed. The AAA contract with in plowing and other farm ter working conditions and equal There is a phrase in this contract, drea times more difficult, more the attempt to round up a white or-

Now hid in bushes all night awaiting the chance to kill him. But a bale, plus bagging and ties-which farmer, sympathetic to the Negro This shows clearly, Murphy em- generally adds up to \$6 per bale. croppers, informed the union, and

government-gives the landlords a 6,000 Now in Sharecroppers Union the white organizer was wanted the approximately 2,500 to 3,000 were white organizer and for working "Recosevelt and the National Re-covery Administration," said Mur-April, 1934. Since then there has the Sharecroppers Union, immedi-"knew very well that there been a continuous increase of meni- ately protested these actions, send-

was a Sharecroppers' Union in the bers, particularly under the repeated ing a resolution to the sheriff in speak to these young men. After a South. To them, as to the south- attacks of the New Deal and the which they challenged his and the short talk during which he explain-ern landlords, every member of the A.A.A. The sharecroppers are rally-landlords' right to flagrantly violate union is a 'nuisance' or a 'menace.' ing under the leadership of the the privacy of their homes, to searc' pers to them, he persuaded them to Therefore this direct attack on the union to prepare for coming con- them without warrant." leave their mules and plows right Sharecroppers' Union and particu- flicts. And the fact that the union In these, as well as in a hundred is preparing for these struggles has other small ways, many of them not escaped the notice either of the unnoticed in the daily grind of strengthening the position of the landlords or the government. How have these many struggles sharecroppers in the South, the affected the white workers of the union is surely, inexorably growing. South? This is a question which Al Murphy, its dountless leader. Comrade Murphy convered in will be back in the Black Belt next speaking of the labor defense activ- week, again occupied night and day

with the struggles which have reities of the union. Winning over While Tollers sulted in the union's present mem-

"Recently," he said, "with the bership of 6,000, and in the struggles support of the International Labor which loom as autumn and winter

A D cott last December. A complete vic tory was won, and ten of the 11

all arranged!"

delegation, mobilized by the National Committee for Defense of Political Prisoners, is headed by the well-known playwright, John Howard Lawson. Lawson, who was arrested in

Birmingham last May while reporting the trial of arrested Commu "Just when we had the sell-out nist leaders, commented on the fact that his arrest was within 100 yards

of where a half dozen of his books

He announced the delegation part of white farmers to the union, ing 4 new corners," continues Com- would investigate charges made by the I.L.D. that workers were ar-

"There are now 18 stands in the rested, homes raided, offices broken "The white farmers are beginning city where the Daily Worker can be up, meetings smashed by the police to see that the Sharecroppers Union bought. "When a unit gets some with the help of the local fascist is fighting for their interests, and new stands, they issue a Daily groups, both in Birmingham and not, as the landlords have told them, Worker leaflet with sample copies of Atlanta.

against them. In Talapoosa County the Daily, in the neighborhood, so In addition they visited Angeld recently, when a white worker was that the workers in the neighbor- Herndon and requested lower bail arrested on a concocted charge of hood will know that their grocer or They will visit the Scottsboro boys arson, the Sharecroppers Union started a campaign for his defense "The name of all stands in the in solitary confinement, and why yes, even before he knows what which was powerful enough to force city are then put on one leaflet, and young Roy Wright was removed to distributed with sample copies of the Kilby Prison, where the condemned Bosses Fear Sympathy of Whites Daily Worker at key shops. This boys are, instead of remaining with "The fear of the landlords at this will enable those workers who hesi- those yet untried.

which is also mounting, will take the same forms that they took last it at the prevailing high prices to fested in a recent killing of a white the prevailing of a white the prevailing of a white the prevailing high prices to the union was mani-The last two items ought to be on Thursday and Friday nights re-

farmer in Talapoosa Couty. This spectively. farmer was a sympathizer of the considered in every district.



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DAILY WORKER, NEW YORK, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1934

#### Wages Lagged AFL Leaders What Are the Tasks of the Rank and File Auto Workers After First Convention of the A. F. L. Auto Local Unions? Far Behind the Steel Profits In Appeal for Co. Union

MUST UNIFY THEIR RANKS AGAINST CLASS COLLABORATION POLICY AND FIGHT FOR THE BUILDING OF ONE INDUSTRIAL UNION

Robinson, Head of **Ternstedt** Local

By a Worker Correspondent The president of the A. F. of L. local in the Ternstedt plant of the General Motors Co., Robinson, came to a meeting and asked all workers to follow his example and join the Robinson was company union. hand picked as president of the local by the A. F. of L. organizers. Members of the local were militant in their answer to this company agent. They condemned the company union, which the company officials reorganized and tried to make appear as though it was a real organization, instead of just a body which votes once a year by ballot. The new face of the comballot. pany union called the Ternstedt ganized their ranks chiefly in the Employes' Association, also runs dances etc

Workers Indignant at

Robinson explained he wanted to resign as president because the growth of company unions which company union stands for the same thing as the A. F. of L. He said company officials had spoken to him of this and he found no reason to remain in the A. F He said he always got a fair deal from the company. That he had no kick coming and that the company representative always did things for the workers.

The workers were indignant. When one worker said "Robinson, you are a company union man," all the other workers shouted approval It was decided that Robinson should not come to any more union meet-The workers then demanded that every official of the local get up and tell where he stood on the

Mr. Taylor, of Indiana, was the force their wages up, as in the Hud-F. of L. big shot present at the meeting. Up till this meeting he wage-cuts. when he saw the militancy of the

On the question of the conference called by the A. F. of L. of that the conference would give an are responsible for the maintenthe federal unions in the auto in- answer to these questions. But they ance of the present miserable dustry, Taylor explained it by say- left bitterly disappointed. ing the local unions were going to be given a chance to say what they

One of the members proposed that the local endorses the Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill Taylor did not dare oppose it. When workers show militancy at the meeting, they sure can get action.

# **Farmers Halt** Minn. Eviction

By WILLIAM W. WEINSTONE THE first national conference of the United Automobile Workers Union—that is the federal locals of the American Federation of Labor has come and gone. This conference was called upon practically one week's notice. The call for the conference was in the hands of the officialdom of the locals one month before the conference but was pur posely withheld for three weeks in many of the locals in order to prevent the rank and file from rallying their forces for the conference. The main problems of the automobile workers remained unsolved by the

nferer Company Union Growth. The automobile workers that or-American Federation of Labor in the past years were confronted at the time of the conference with the

were being organized simultaneously with the workers trade unions, but since the Washington ageement in March of this year have been steadily pushing forward; discrim ination against union men which was to have been done away with by the establishment of the Automobil Labor Board has continued unabated and as admitted by the officials has run into thousands. On top of this, unemployment is now

sweeping the industry. Practically 15,000 have been laid off in the Hudson plants in Detroit; thirty to

son plant, they are now suffering with The hellish speed-up was always talking about cooperat-ing with the company. He talked against strikes and dished out a lot the other week for the explosion in of hooey about the N.R.A. But Fords resulting in the death of six men and maiming of many others, workers at this meeting he changed which causes daily tragedies rehis tune. He made a speech with mains unchecked and is even in-radical sounding words, saying he tensified. In consequence of the was in Toledo and there workers policy of the A. F. of L. officials and the propaganda of the company, He had to do this to save his face the unions of the A. F. of L. have but the workers are getting on to declined in membership with the resulting loss of confidence in the

The rank and file hoped union. Settling (!) It.

The struggle against speed-up, job insecurity, discrimination, low Collins calling the Automobile investigation.



THE POWER OF UNITY Detroit auto workers on a mass picket line in front of the Briggs auto plant during the strike last

spring. Unity is the need of the hour for the auto men. They should fight for one united industrial union.

forty thousand have been shut out mulgate an order, the chiefs sanc-, the desire of the rank and file, through a direct split. in Fords; and lay-offs are on the tion the granting of power to the for the immediate formation of The rank and file expressed their order of the day in all of the Automobile Labor Board to fasten a united international union and desire for a national union in two plants. Low wages continue. Where workers have been able through strike action or threat of strike to with the new anti-strike laws tion is not so much in what it says but leaving it to the executive rumored around the conference passed by Congress which Green but what it omits. It is an atpraised highly before the confer- tempt to swing the workers out of steps for its formation and anence, going to the extent of reading the A. F. L. in the direction of other set of resolutions supported it word for word, giving the im- company unions. Greer and Byrd by the militant rank and file delepression that now the problems of are doing directly the bidding of gates of White Motor Car Company the auto workers would be solved. These fascist laws which will be backed up by the full police power of the government, received the stamp of approval of the A. F. of L. backed the difference of the stamp of the solved the solved the stamp of the solved the stamp of the solved the s chiefs. Thus the answer to the facilitating the growth of the com- ment of one industrial union conbasic questions was the strengthen- pany unions by their whole policy, trolled by the rank and file and ing of the N.R.A. machinery, the while Greer and Byrd are making embracing all unions in the induspolicy of class cooperation which a move to hasten this process try. Green and Co'lins energeti-

Tom Green Proposal

The question of the next organizawages and unemployment was dis- tional step to which the ran and posed of by a resolution introduced file looked as a way out of this situ-Labor Board to investigate these ation was not handled any better. questions, repeating the resolution which they had taken in Washing-ton which had taken in Washington which had likewise called for establishing a national council

completely dominated by Collins as On the question of company the direct representative of Green. union, the conference adopted the The powers given to the council are Collins resolution appealing to the only those of "advising and assist-President "through executive order ing the national representative of

Minn. Eviction Y.C.L. Organizer Leads Defense of Farm FARIBAULT, Minn.—One thou-Stop depending for news and ining pleasant, reserved smiles right dividual members of the rank and prices were increased from 50c to The occasion for their display of formation on the capitalist press good manners was the visit of Mr. and left. file put up splendid fights against \$1 per ton' but through the device that favors the bosses and is against good manners was the visit of Mr. Robert Cooke, New Jersey Regional Labor Board representative who was called on to be present when mem-called on to be present when mem-also had an agreement with the charging for quantity purthe workers. Read the Daily Worker, chased and size extras the prices America's only working class newsaccordi FARIBAULT, Minn .- One thoucalled on to be present when mempaper. sand farmers and workers succeeded turers "who were part of this workers wanted a national organi-Federal Trade Commission figbers of the Furniture Workers In- Miller Company has called a strike her local had passed but was rapped dustrial Union came to reclaim on the plant under the pressure of down by the chair on the grounds in halting the foreclosure of the agreement (Washington) with us zation which would be capable of ures, 470 per cent, 395 per cent, their jobs at the Miller plant in ac- the membership and at its meeting that "we want no Communist bills and 424 per cent over pre-code that have complied with neither the using the full united strength of Barta brothers' farm for the second time in two weeks when they spirit nor the intent of the agree- the auto workers against the em-**Detroit Sausage Men** here." Mortimore of White Motor prices.' cordance with a decision handed last night measures were considered lead the struggle, supported by Kushley, delegates from Flint and massed in face of 75 armed deputies ment by reason of a persistent and ployers. They are dissatisfied with These are facts that cannot be down last week by the National for the formation of a united front Win Re-instatement disputed. They are officially stated determined effort to develop com- the federal locals which keeps one and after a short, pitched battle, strike committee with the Furniture Labor Board. for one industrial pany unions through deception, local separate from the other and other places, and part of the N.R.A. record. They drove the deputies away. Led by Morrie Greenberg, organof Fired Union Men Workers Industrial Union. Circumstances favored the cops in coercion and misrepresentation." which still maintains the craft union. The militant rank and file should be used to show fellowizer of the Y.C.L. in southern Min- In this resolution, the officialdom divisions in many shops; for extheir superhuman effort to behave workers the possibility of getting delegates brought home to the (Special to the Daily Worker) DETROIT, Mich., July 6.--A NEW YORK .- A mass meeting to workers that only an organized nesota, the farmers defied the rub- acknowledges that the Washington ample, in Cleveland, the workers like human beings because the strikbetter conditions now, and counber hoses, billies and guns of the agreement which according to are split in as many as six unions ers decided not to enter the plant protest Mayor Hague's terror rank and file in the A. F. L. can tering the lynching propaganda of stoppage of work by the employes when they were informed by Mr. against striking furniture workers change the situation. But the milideputies. Greenberg jumped on a Green, Collins and Company grant- within one shop. companies against workers the box during the struggle and spoke to the crowd. Attempts to arrest turned out to be the opposite. But turned out to be the opposite. But turned out to be the opposite. But turned out to be the opposite. A F of the Eastern Market Sausage Hooks that Sam Miller, the em- and for support of the struggle for tant rank and file delegates must about to strike. to the crowd. Attempts to arrest him by the sheriff failed as the crowd massed to his defense and drove the deputies away. Co., last week succeeded in reinployer had sent to Washington to the right to picket will be held on realize that their fight for one instating two workers who were appeal the Labor Board ruling. Not Wednesday, July 11 at 8 p. m. at dustrial union would have had To Hire that the men have any faith in Irving Plaza Hall, Irving Place and greater success had they combined fired. Those fired were the vice president and delegate to the the Board, but they feel they have 15th St., New York. it with the struggle against the AIRY, LARGE Upon his arrival after the fight- the company unions not upon the Hudson local and backed by Byrd whole Washington agreement. They Trade Union Unity League of the so strong a case that the Labor ing, Bosch, state organizer and vice- agreement itself but upon chiseling of the Automobile Labor Board, The meeting is called under the auspices of the National Furniture lenging the strike breaking policies allowed the opportunity of chal-Board will be compelled to reaffirm United Sausage Workers Union **MEETING ROOMS** president of the Farmers Holiday on the part of the employers. Yet sponsored a resolution likewise es-Nat Conley and Otto Mannsfield the original decision in their favor. Association, told the workers that the Washington agreement never the Sheriff had promised to release excluded the company unions, on Workers Industrial Union, the In-Meanwhile they intend to continue and the arbitration system to go were the committee spokesmen and HALL ternational Labor Defense, the their campaign of mass presure to unchallenged, thinking that they the Sheriff had promised to release the two workers arrested if the crowd would disperse. Greenberg urged the workers and excluded the company theory of council, but giving it power to ap-point one of its members to con-duct an office under the direction of the council and empowering it who went to the company office American Civil Liberties Union and make sure that the board doesn't the National Committee for the De- the organizational proposals. But to demand re-instatement of the Suitable for Meetings, Lectures and Dances in the two workers fired for union acfense of Political Prisoners. The thereby they lost the chance of farmers not to fall for this pro- self was responsible for the growth to develop "the procedure and Mr. Hooks, scion of an East speakers will be Joe Kiss, Max Pertivity. Czechoslovak Orange family made a suave master low, Corliss Lamont, Mrs. Justine gates into full fighting shape and At the union's picnic Sunday posal but to stay until the arrested posal but to stay until the arrested of company unions, but there is workers were released. Twenty minutes later the sheriff was forced to release the two arrested to release the two arrest five hundred worksrs were pres-Workers House, Inc. ent. An action conference of all sausage workers will take place 347 E. 72nd St. New York the Automobile Labor Board to pro- earliest feasible time.' Greer sensed to the grim front of the factory Pizer, chairman. on Saturday, July 14 at 2 p. m. in Swiss Hall, 4656 Canton Ave. Telephone: RHinelander 5097 rank and file delegates also allowed Negro Reformism in the Camp of the Imperialist Enemy AMUSEMENTS

NRA Man Lends Society Air To Scene of Jersey Terror

JERSEY CITY, N. J., July 6. - | building Mr. Hooks, attired in white Boss Frank Hague's cops were on linen and a gentle smile informed their best behavior in front of the them of the bosses pending appeal. Miller Parlor Frame Company to- The men said they would wait until day. Observing their polite, cir-cumspect conduct you'd never think headquarters in New York. Mr. that they were notorious for their Hooks said that would be all right brutal treatment of strikers. You'd with him and with the police capnever think that they have arrested tain in charge of the squad guard-15 strikers in the last month merely ing the building. Then he turned tion on the main questions before to converse with reporters, flash- the conference. for picketing.

cally opposed the establishment of | their ranks to be confused by peran international union. Green mitting Greer and Byrd to man-speaking repeatedly, stated that euver about and even to allow the now was not the time because the latter to enter their ranks where he workers were not intelligent enough posed as a progressive favoring an to govern their own organization. industrial union but only opposing Collins acting as chairman barred the word "Fight" against employthe resolution introduced by the ers. militant rank and file for one union

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carry through mass actions for a

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on the technical grounds that it was not introduced before the opening of the conference and permitting no vote upon any but the Collins resolution. By means of par-

iamentary trickery, he compelled ranks against the whole policy of the delegates to vote for concurrence or non-concurrence in the the arbitration system and the Collins resolution. The tunning and for the adoption of a titler to program of struggle for the im-for non-concurrence, thereby caus-for non-concurrence, thereby caus-mediate needs, against the com-mediate needs, against the right to concurrence. By this no yes strike. and yes no procedure, confusion 2. To push forward the movement was deliberately created. But neverfor one industrial union, controlled theless about 40 per cent of the by the rank and file, aiming to get delegates registered their opposition to the Collins resolution.

#### Fakers Had Advantage.

Fakers Had Advantage. the conference by Collins for a The National Council which was vote by the locals. Undoubtedly et up on the basis of the resolu- the rank and file is in favor of one tion, consisting of 11 members was industrial organization embracing formed not by a direct vote from all unions and controlled by the the floor, but by a vote of delegates rank and file in which the burocrats had all the advantages for they knew one an-other and had their candidates all planned, while the rank and file had no chance to get through their ton delegates by this system of voting With the exception of one or two, the Board consists of officials that are henchmen of the Green and Collins machine. The Greer unions machine was given no representa-

tion on the council and did not participate in the voting. It was rumored around the conference this policy. ning to split away from the A.F.L. It is necessary that all auto workers be warned against this machine which will attempt to capitalize on the discontent and disappointment of the rank and file to corral the workers in the company unions. Greer was one of the three men that saw the President in Washington during the March hearings and called upon him to issue an emancipation proclamation, which brought forth the Washington Setunions for a common movement tlement which he characterized as which can influence the rank and "new course in social engineerfile of the A. F. L. in the direction ing." It was an emancipation procof one united movement. The Auto lamation for the company unions. As President of the local, he de-Workers Union can best serve the cause of unification by more mililayed negotiations for a 20 per cent tantly, systematically taking up the wage increase put by the local until fight against the company unions 34 of the workers were out of the shop; and in place of getting an tions in the factories aiming to tions in the factories, aiming to

increase in wages, they have now secured a wage-cut. Workers Handicapped.

and Collins can claim only a formal The rank and file delegates at victory in the resolution which they the conference were handicapped by the fact that they had no prepassed. But there is no doubt that the sentiment of disgust with the vious contact with each other and railroading procedure, parliamencome together without an opportary trickery is so great after the tunity of organizing their ranks conference that the victory will and a chance to clarify their posiprove to be only a pyrrhic victory. Nevertheless in

Secret Memorandum Shows How Steel **Barons Gyp Men** 

#### By ROBERT DUNN

We were recently permitted to look over a more or less confiden-tial memorandum prepared by one of the leading statisticians of the N.R.A. It deals with the steel code and its effects on workers and the

steel companies. The tasks that flow from the con-It states at the outset that "Last ference for the rank and file conyear all major industries were in deep depression. At the present 1. The need for uniting their time a large number are making profits. (All emphasis ours, unless otherwise noted-L.R.A.). surrender to the employers, against This is particularly true of the iron and steel industry." The memo then and for the adoption of a clear cut gives the figures of the profits of steel companies during the first guarter of this year. These figures need not be repeated here as we have included them in previou numbers of Steel & Metal Notes. previous

Wages Lagged Far Behind The memo admits frankly that 'Earnings of iron and steel workers a resolution which was barred from have failed to keep pace with profits of the steel companies." This fact should be pounded home right now when the companies are contending that they are unable to meet the modest demands of the steel workers.

3. It must carry on a systematic Regarding wages, the document campaign for removing and isolatadmits that "The experience under ing the officialdom of the local N.R.A. shows that equal hourly unions responsible for the Washingrates have not meant equal weekly earnings." In other words, if your agreement; opposing not only hourly rates went up, that did not the Green and Collins machine, but also the Greer and Byrd group, automatically increase your weekly warning against the sinister moves income, for you may have had less of the latter in favor of company work or have been put on part time. The memo recognizes this tendency when it says: "Average earn-4. The rank and file must unite ings per week, according to our their forces nationally in support of calculations, as compared with the total man hours worked, show that The Auto Workers Union, which the earnings (of workers) since is not affiliated to the A. F. L., ad- June, 1933, have declined more in dressed a letter to the delegates of comparison with the number the conference calling for one inman-hours worked; this fact would dustrial union and showing that indicate that average earnings have the blame for the weakening of the declined in relation to the relative union organization falls upon the increase in total man-hours shoulders of Green and Collins. The worked." Which simply means that Auto Workers Union represents a while the Steel Institute boasts of militant section of the industry and the great increase in the man hours can assist the movement for one worked, the average weekly earnings industrial union by attempting to of workers have, thanks to the unite with the other independent N. R. A. stagger system, lagged far

#### Prices Went Way Up

Here is a still more important excerpt from this report. Steel workers, pressing for better pay and conditions should use it in confronting the bosses: "It is always argued by the members of the industry (the companies) that they cannot bear increased costs of wage increases and that they cannot pass them on to their consumers in these depressed times in the form of increased prices. But the records show that they passed the costs on before they had to bear them. As soon as the code was signed, prices went up. Not only does the industry crease its price so that 'on the effectiv date of the code pig iron

N.A.A.C.P. POLICIES INEVITABLY LEAD TO BETRAYAL OF NEGRO MASSES; CRAWFORD CASE A CLASSIC EXAMPLE

#### -y CYRIL BRIGGS

THE defeat in the Alabama primaries of Judge James E. Horton, "liberal" lynch jurist, is seized upon by the Pittsburgh Courier, unofficial organ of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (N. A. A. unprincipled attack on the Com- since resistance on the part of the munists.

The Communists are held responsible for Horton's defeat and for the triumph

of Bibb Graves, notorious Ku Klux Klan candidate for governor of Alabama. The N. A. A. C. - Roosevelt mouthpiece declares, with shameless par-roting of the arguments of the Alabama lynch ers against "out

side interference" Cyril Briggs with their perse-

threatening letters, telegrams and denunciations poured upon Ala-

bama by zealous Communists the world over, has not been to make white Alabama ashamed and more disposed to mete out even-handed justice, but rather to increase bigotry, chauvinism and race prejudice. Outside interference always does that, from the family to the State, unless it is skillfully executed, and Communists are notoriously bungling and inept." This is a re-statement of the C. P.) as the occasion for another familiar reformist philosophy that

> resistance, but slavish acceptance of oppressors, persecution and terror. Reformist Philosophy Leads to Betrayal

struggles have their own dialetics. The growth of the revolutionary resistance of the toiling masses causes the ruling classes to intensify their terror, but at the same time it is the power which alone

defeats, forces the ruling classes to withdraw their bloody attacks. This is shown, for example, in the fact that the Alabama rulers have been forced three times to postpone the strous frame-up and lynch death ferson County Jail, Birmingham, Courier finds it necessary to "for-

oppressed invites new reprisals from the oppressors there should be no Dut the class and national

the floor at the recent convention sharp battle.

dates set for the mass murder of the verdicts. Scottsboro boys. Certainly not be-

"The net result of the flocd of the roar of indignant cultaboration with the oppressors indignant cultaboration cultaboration with the oppressors indignant cultaboration cu protests by millions of white and and betrayal of the struggles of the cording to statements by the boys have prevented the mass murder of Negro workers against the mon- oppressed. This is exemplified in themselves.

Mother Ada Wright, mother of

one of the Scottsboro 9, who got

of the N. A. A. C. P. only after a

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the persistent attempts of the N. A.I Scottsboro Mother A. C. P. leadership to disrupt the mass fight for the freedom of the Scottsboro boys. It is emphasized in the shameless betrayal by that

leadership of George Crawford, William Peterson and other framedup Negro workers. With the net results of the "skillful" back-door diplomacy and dickering with the lynch courts by the reformist leadership, we will deal later on in these articles, in connection with the Crawford betrayal-a classic example of the aptitude of the "nonbungling" reformist leaders for cooperation with the lynchers.

Lynchers Learning to Appreciate N. A. A. C. P.

the organization. opposed, they are now welcomed by the ruling class. The jailers of the lynchers and their courts. Scottsboro boys are today the most

Ala., several of the boys have been get" that these same courts had tortured and held in solitary in a condemned eight of the boys to be

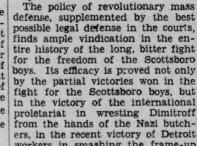
Significantly, too, under discus-sion of the "Changing Front," the 25th Annual Conference of the N. A. A. C. P., held last week in Oklahoma City, Okla., adopted a proposal for closer co-operation with the "liberal" section of the Southern white ruling class. It at the same time rejected the appeal of the Scottsboro Mother, Ada Wright, for a united front with the International Labor Defense and the revolutionary white and Negro workers in the fight for the Scottsbore boys. The Courier's latest distribe

against the Communists is symptomatic of the new attempt to disrupt the mass fight for the freedom of That the Southern ruling class the Scottsboro boys. It is moreover lynchers are increasingly coming to a re-statement of the resistance of nderstand and appreciate the role Negro reformist leaders to militant of the N. A. A. C. P. leadership is shown in their changing attitude capitalist justice. On both these Where counts, the reformist leaders are formerly its activities were fiercely shown in a united front with the

ardent exponents of N. A. A. C. P. "defense" for these boys. In Jef-

the boys during the past three years. ford Case in Virginia.

It sneeringly refers to the indignan world-wide protests of millions of white and Negro workers as "international ballyhoo." But Messrs misleaders, it was precisely this so-called "international ballyhoo" that smashed through the criminal conspiracy of silence in the capital-ist press, that three times wrested the boys from the death chair, that forced the Courier itself to revise its first version of the case in which together with the white capitalist press, it described the boys as 'rapists.'



workers in smashing the frame-up against James Victory, in forcing prisonment, in forcing an Atlanta

gelo Herndon. . .

court to grant bail for heroic An-(Tomorrow's article will deal with the fruits of the N. A. A. C. P. "de-fense" policy in the George Craw-



On the Altar of Morgan's Millions



Fascist Split Proves Communist Analysis; "Rise of the Forces of the Proletarian Revolution Is Proceeding with Seven-League Boots"

NEW YORK .- Before thousands of workers gathered in Madison Square Garden in this city, Earl Browder, General Secretary of the Communist Party of the United States, explained the Communist position on the recent events in Germany. the Krupps and Thyssens which

"It is not true to say that

capitalism has managed to stabil-

ize its position with the aid of

fascism as many Social-Democrats

and if only the Communists are

able to approach these workers

properly it will be much less diffi-

cult than formerly to win them over to the side of revolution.

Even fascist demagogy can now

have a twofold effect. It can, in

spite of the fascists, help us to

free the masses of the toilers from

the illusions of parliamentary

democracy and peaceul evolution;

and the other bait that fascists use in place of these illusions

interest) can be exposed by show-

ing what the ruling fascists do for

the benefit of the class interests

of the bourgeoisic and the land-

lords. When the big bourgeoisie

tries to convert the peasantry and

the urban petty-bourgeoisie into

a reliable prop for themselves, they

accelerate the process of differen-

tiation among these intermediary

classes, even where the bulk of

the masses of these exploited

classes at first swing over to the

side of fascism. The ruin of these classes by fascist rule quickly

creates the soil for winning them

over to the side of the revolution-

ary proletariat."

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Analyzing the social forces ruled it from behind the scenes. operating in Germany he said, This consistent Communist understanding and policy was expressed "The forces of the proletarian revolution are advancing with seven- last December at the 13th Plenum preparations for the threatening league boots."

the report of the Executive Com-The full text of his speech folmittee, in the following words: lows:

Friends and Comrades:

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The Daily stories of murder that have poured out of Germany for 15 months, have, in the past week, been varied from the usual in the type of victims. The leaders of the own Shirts, the Hitlers, Goerings, Goebbels, Roehms, Heines, Hellforfs, etc., in true gangster style, have begun to murder one another. Here at least we need waste no sympathy on the victims, who were mong the most bestial, most listic, most perverted of their Nazi Party, whose leaders are the em-' podiment of bestiality, sadism and perversion

Last week's gang war within Hiter's top ranks, has, however, a very pecial interest for all anti-fascists. This event, predetermined by the whole corrupt system of German Fascism and its history, marks a lefinite stage in the maturing of he pre-conditions for the prole-tarian revolution in Germany. It narks the ripening of that catasrophe which the German Com-nunist Party and the Communist International warned the German masses could be the only fruit of Hitlerism in power.

#### False Pledges to Masses.

Hitler rode to power on the basis of the wildest promises to the de-tlessed petty-bourgeoisie, white colimpoverished peasintry and the strata of young unemployed workers who never had training of work in factories, hat he would relieve their misery. The bloody smashing of the Storm froops is the open and final rejection of their claims for the honoring of those promissory notes. It wrong to say simply "Hitler did not keep his promises." He kept those he made to Krupp and Thyssen; he defaulted on those he made publicly to the masses.

Hitler promised to restore Gernan economy and to regain for Germany her old international position of "equality" among the im-perialist powers. But 15 months of Nazi rule had plunged the econmy into new depths, shattered the surrency system, destroyed foreign trade, and isolated Germany internationally as she had never before peen isolated, while hastening all Europe to the brink of war.

rising mass movement against Hitlerism on the part of the forward with its revolutionary work. Everythelming majority of the It quickly adapted itself to illegal

riveted and welded into destroyers, cruisers, submarines and aircraft carriers. Airplanes soar into the clouds carrying tons of bombs. New poison gases crowd the shelves of imperialism. New guns stand ready to spatter death among work-

ers and farmers at record speeds. Fleet reviews and war "games" rehearse the approaching conflict for profit-the profit of the Morgans. Bakers, Teagles, Astors, Rockefellers, Guggenheims, Baruchs, Du-Ponts, Harrimans, Schwabs, Taylors and Mellons

armaments pile rises As the higher and higher and billions of dollars flow through the pipes of the Roosevelt New Deal into war of the Communist International, in imperialist struggle for new markets and for the redivision of old ones. the breast-beating "patriotic" oratory, over the radio, in the press and on the public platform, becomes more fervid for war and more franic against the mounting anti-war

familiar

assert. This is what the world entiment of the masses bourgeoisie WANTS TO DO; this Machine guns and tanks, bombis the aim of its policy of fascizaing planes and warships are manution; but the results are altogether factured for avowedly imperialist different. We say revolutionary purposes and as a supposed war is simultaneously preventive. Norman H. Davis, inhindered and accelerated by the sider with General Pershing on fascist fury of the bourgeoisie. J. P. Morgan & Company's favored-This dual character of the obcustomer lists and Hoover-Roosejective consequences of the policy velt "disarmament" spokesman at of fascism must be understood, advances the Geneva, otherwise it will not be possible United States proposal for the see the perspective clearly. . . abolition of certain "aggressive" weapons, possessed by its imperial-"Amidst the conditions of totteristic rivals, as "a method of dising capitalism, even the fascist armament" which "constitutes a terror of the bourgeoisie cannot realistic aid to peace." On the very for long restrain the masses of same day, Secretary of War Dern, the workers from decisive action. Utah banker, urges the Military Af-The terror arouses anger, even fairs Committee of the House of the majority of those workers who up till now have followed the Social-Democrats,

Representatives to recommend passage of the Thompson Bill to increase the enlisted and officer peronnel of the Army at an additional annual cost of \$35,000,000. Thus Roosevelt's War Secretary explains the imperialist war meaning of the Roosevelt "disarmament" expert's concern for "the general beace and progress of the world." President Roosevelt himself shows how thin is the pacifist cloak under which he launches gigantic war preparation measures. What's all this war talk about anyway, he says, direct and indirect war preparabefore signing the billion dollar

naval construction Vinson Bill. Why, this bill doesn't appropriate one penny; it simply authorizes me to go ahead and build up to London Naval Treaty strength. Then, three weeks later, he gives the word to go full speed ahead with the first destroyer-submarine building under the Vinson Bill-the \$40,000,000 cost of which is to come out of "Public And, concluding his Get-Works." tysburg Memorial Day speech, on the eve of reviewing the greatest 'peacetime" armada in the history of the country, he gives "renewed assurance that the passions of war are mouldering in the tombs of Time and the purposes of peace are flowing in the hearts of a

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With this clear-cut revolutionary united people." New worker and farmer cannon fodder is wanted. Workers beware perspective, and with the greatest determination and heroism, the

Communist Party of Germany went and prepare-AGAINST war. The alimentary canal of the Blue workers who have always opposed conditions of work. Illegal groups the workers' heretofore mined is a sixteen inch gun. The sixteen and even within the Franklin their promised rewards. A section of fascist organizations themselves, time Assistant Secretary of the Navy man.

Communists mean when we say that the workers were used as cannon fodder in the last wa rto protect the loans of Morgan and Company to the Allies. This photo was taken in a base hospital.

Another such war is in preparation. Only the united power of the workers can prevent it and overthrow the capitalist system which breeds such wars

appropriations for military pur-velt's plan to construct a navy poses conclusively demonstrate the "second to none" and for dotting war character of the Roosevelt Ad- the clouds with thousands of Army ministration-the instrument which and Navy long distance planes capat the same time reduced the able of flying to and returning from standard of living of the majority the Far East. of the workers and erected a huge

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government strike-breaking appar-\$316,228,991 War Department Ap-Without even touching upon the propriation for the fiscal year Rocsevelt, up to May 7, 1934, al-lotted \$747,950,775, or more than 22 Navy's \$284,658,799 (more millions,

per cent, of the \$3,300,000,000 called deficiencies, will be added at Emergency Public Works fund for the end of the year), the War and Navy Departments have already tions, exclusive of the \$248,366,906 been given \$1,333,670,718.

Compare this with the \$114,000,000 appropriated in 1916 (typical prewar year) for the purely military which goes to seacoast defense for activities of the War Department channelling and dredging and sur- and the \$37,000,000 appropriated for its rivers and harbors use. marine operations in addition to pare Roosevelt's \$561,757,723 ("Pubserving to supply military engineers lic Works" plus the regular appropriations) with the \$152,000,000 ap-

propriated in 1916 for the Navy Department.

War Department from the sale of old clothing, which is to be used for new clothing and equipment, and we

372,670,718 as a mere introduction This 22 per cent plus is also to the war building now being blueseparate from the \$585,719,943 ap- printed. Such as the acknowledged propriated by Congress, before the war bill (S. 3182), favorably recreation of the P. W. A., for the ported to the Senate by the Commilitary activities of the Army and mittee on Mines and Mining, which Navy for the current fiscal year would set aside a fund of \$200,000,

ending July 1, 1934. Nor does this 000 "To provide for the purchase of

instance) or to segregate the actual war millions which went into such enterprises as the C. W. A.-P. W. A. War Department construc tion of Fort Lewis, near Tacoma, Washington. This Fort, which has little if any strategic value, is obviously being prepared for a con-

centration camp. Following is the way just a few floors of the Blue Eagle slaughter house (including funds for hospitals and cemeteries) is subdivided:

DIRECT WAR PREPARATIONS (as of May 7, 1931) A-War Department from P. Air Corps (airplanes) \$7,50 Second Defenses 7700 Seacoast Defenses Insular Affairs National Guard Ordnance (ammunition Signal Corps 176,170 Quartermaster Corps: Housing 60,152,765 and Technical Construction Motorization National Cemeteries Funds from C. W. A. (part of P. W. A. fund) Total B-Navy Department 7,500,000 Aeronautics Engineering 712,500 330,225 Ordnance Secretary's Office (machine 2,850,000 tools) Supplies and Accounts Yards and Docks: Physical Improvements (Including Construction at Shore Sta-tions and Storm Damage Naval Hospital, Philedelphai Navy (statutory) — for con-struction of 32 warships Ordered by President Boase. 205,662

ordered, by President Roose 238,000,000

Total \$277,098, C—National Committee for Aeronautics \$247, TOTAL DIRECT WAR PREPARATIONS \$397,556, INDIRECT WAR PREPARATIONS

Emergency Conservation Corps Purchase of land Current Expenses Panama Canal Coast Guard

Total \$330,394,18 DIRECT WAR PREPARATIONS FROM OTHER SOURCES Amount already appropriated by Congress for military uses cf Army and Navy \$385,719,940 Irmy receipts from sale of old clothing to be used for purchase of new clothing and for transport 39,000,000

Total SUMMARY: War Preparations: W. A.

Other Sources Indirect War Preparations Grand Total

Charge Lawson With Libel in Ala. (Continued from Page 1)

and arrest of reporters whenever stories sent to newspapers favor the working class or disagree with the politics of the police depart-

ment Add the \$39,000,000 received by the This time the charge against me is "printing and circulating sedi-tious literature." Detective Mozer obtain the staggering total of \$1,printed and circulated in another a revolutionary Party.

city but he disregarded this fact, saying that copies of it reached be answered, therefore, that it will be just that time necessary for the Birmingham.

the stories printed were lies.

(Continued from Page 1)

of the farm workers' strike.

cessful strike.

paper

to lead the struggle.

for which they pay high

hour scale for the workers.

"How Long Can Hitler Hold Out and Who Will Succeed Him?"

Page Five

"Purging" Will Not Strengthen Hitler, Nor Will His Regime Collapse Automatically; It Will Be Overthrown By the Workers and Their Allies Led By the Communist Party

NEW YORK .-- Pointing out that the recent butcheries from P.W.A. of Adolph Hitler could not be compared to the Matteoti mur-\*7.500,000 7.000,000 der in Italy of 1924, C. A. Hathaway, editor of the Daily Worker, central organ of the Communist Party, declared 6,000,000 that only the Communist

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Only the victory of the proletarian

ranks, a rising revolutionary move

ment, and sharpening international

antagonisms, is moving not towards

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home and imperialist adventures

abroad. Only the victory of the Ger-

man workers can destroy the Mad

Dog of Europe and save the world

from the catastrophe of a new war

peace in the capitalist governments,

pressing great apprehension at the

admit, that the only possible suc

shevism. These "lovers of peace"

fear and abhor the victory of the

working class more than they do

the unbridled slaughter of fascism

Hitlerism in the United States

Many professed supporters of

the world towards

conciliation, as the

an invincible proletarian

Party of Germany would solve ment. It will restore Germany to the problems of the masses of 592,161 that nation.

25,000,000 "Who is after Hitler?" he asked. establish a firm alliance with the \$120,209,720 "To the Communist Party belongs victorious working class of the Sothe honor," he answered. The full text of his speech fol- the foundation of a socialist eco-

Comrades and Friends: Last Saturday's bloody deeds in power.

Germany made clear to the whole world the impending downfall of revolution in Germany can save, Hitler and his murder gangs. This not only the German masses from is no longer questioned. Today on catastrophe, but also Europe and all lips are only the questions. "How the whole world from a disastrous long can Hitler hold out?" and war. Hitler, faced with deepening "Who comes after Hitler?" économic crisis, a split in his own

To the question, "How long?" \$277,098,924 there are two typically wrong answers. First, is the argument that \$247,944 just as Italian fascism had its crises \$397,556,568 and cleansings, its Matteoti case, etc., out of which Mussolini emerged from P.W.A. stronger than ever, so Hitler will come through and maintain him-\$23,325,000 301,037,315 self for a long time even against universal condemnation. This argu-25,031,872 ment has the fatal defect that it forgets that Mussolini arose at a time when world capitalism was re-

gaining strength after the post-war cricis, that Mussolini maintained \$385,719,943 himself by enormous loans from knowing full well that Hitler is America, that Italian fascism arose in a time of ebb of the world rev- nevertheless are one and all ex-39,000,000 olutionary movement. Hitler has none of these advantages. He must threatened downfall of Hitler. That \$624,719,943 overcome the world crisis, or fail. is because they know, and publicly

He must ask for vast loans at a mo-\$397,556,588 ment when he must repudiate the cessor to the fascist regime is Bol-624,719,943 350,394,187 old loans, and when the world credit system is paralyzed. He must defeat \$1,372,670,718 not only the rising German proletariat, but also the revolutionary movement rising throughout the world. He has no way out but suppression and hunger for all who laor and war. To accomplish these tasks, Hitler would fail even though

today is also forced to admit the steadily help develop more and bankruptcy of his system and plunge the Italian masses into hunger and war. No Automatic Collapse

question, "How long?" is that which | ing themselves in the United States. now predicts the immediate and Just as Hitler resurrected medieval automatic collapse of the Hitler re- anti-semitism, so the American gime. Shirts are now assassinating one Ku Klux Klan terrorism of lynchof the "red squad" in making the arrest based it on my story wired by me to the Daily Worker appear-ing in issue of May 17. I pointed out to Mozer that this article was of a really revolutionary class led by

Just as the Social - Democrat The question, "How long?" must Grzesinski, preparing the way for Hitler, clubbed and shot the work-The irony of this arrest lies in German working class and its allied ers of Berlin, so also the "liberal the fact that it followed a cordial anti-fascist forces, with the help of progressive" LaGuardia, advance noncommittal conversation with the world proletariat, to swing its agent of the American Hitler, is Commissioner Downs who, while forces into action, and, through a daily assaulting the workers of New

It is these same people, who express horror and disgust at the atrocities of German fascism, who more the same fascist tendencies in the United States. All the features of pre-Hitler Germany which marked the preparations for open The second wrong answer to the fascist dictatorship, are now show-The leaders of the Brown bourgeoisie is using the traditional masses.

# he were ten of the Mussolinis who



unspeakable Roehm, conspired to turning out millions of leaflets, make use of this mass movement to newspapers, and pamphlets, which raise themselves to the position of has never ceased to work. ruling clique. Under the slogan use against Hitler the same tricks whereby Hitler came to power. But forgot that the real ruling elique was Krupp, Thyssen Schacht, for whom Hitler is only the paid The real rulers of the Nazis, German finance capital, gave Hitler his orders last Friday clean up these conspirators for fear that the break that they would crate in Nazi ranks would provide the opening for the revolutionary upsurge of the deeply disillusioned and revolting German masses.

Crack in Brown "Unity."

But the bloody "cleansing" ordered by Krupp, Thyssen & Company, German counterpart of our steel, oil, auto and shipping magnates, in order to ward off one dan- ary masses of the world, the heroic has created new and greater dangers; at one blow it has split Reichstag Fire Trial hurled defiance open the boasted Nazi unity. It in the face of the Nazi butchers. shattered the mass base under ripped open their corruption for the the Nazi regime, exposed the whole whole world to see, and showed rotten heart of Hitlerism. The dan- boldly to the German workers the ger of the Brown Shirt masses who only road to the destruction of took sericusly Hitler's promises, is Hitlerism and to working class suppressed at the price of creating favorable conditions for the revolutionary masses to prepare de-cisive blows against it. Events of the last week-end proved the correctness of the Communists who pointed out the impossibility of unity in one Party of bourgeoisie, petty-bourgeoisie and workers. They revealed already great breaks in the crumbling base of Hitler's rule, and forecast its early doom.

When Hitler took power, the bourgeoisie of all countries hailed his many and the world-wide mass supadvent as opening a new era for German capitalism. The Socialist Parties of the Second International joined this chorus, together with their contemptible adjuncts - ine Trotskvites and Lovestonites - by proclaiming a "prolonged era of fascist reaction," and the "irreparfascist reaction," and the "hrepat-able defeat of the proletarian revo-heaval in the Nazi top ranks took place just three days before the inpaving the way to power for Hitler, and after being repulsed by Hitler in their abject pleas for a corner under his dictatorship, within Germany, where Hitler could reach them, licked his bloody hands, while outside of Germany they barked heroically from a safe distance. **Communists Lead Fight Against** 

Hitler

But the Communist Party, which fought Hitler uncompromisingly from the beginning, continued this fight without faltering. Its fundabetween Hitler's national-socialist a few weeks ago. demagogy and the class policy of admission, and in the face of in-

Total allotments, under the guise The correct approach and fearless second revolution," they tried to work of the Communist Party re- of "Public" and "Civil" works, for sulted in deep penetration into the direct and indirect war preparations and the total authorizations and ranks of the Social-Democratic workers, who had been deserted by

their bankrupt and cowardly leadtensified terror, the decisive majorers. Tens of thousands of Social-Democratic actives, joined the Com- ity rejected the fascists' lists. It was this workers' movement munist cells or allied themselves

with them in carrying on revolutionary anti-fascist work. Reichstag Fire Trial-A Nazi Defeat

The only decisive victories won by the workers against fascism were those won under the leadership of

the German Communist Party. Outstanding among these was the decisive defeat of Hitler in the Leipzig Court. Backed by the revolution-Communist defendants in the Thyssen and the landlords.

power. These men-Popoff, Taneff, Torgler, and the giant of them all, Dimitroff, showed to the world the steel-like qualities of revolutionary fighters who stand firmly on the program of the Communist Intermany had not been defeated, that it would not be defeated. It was a the revolutionary work within Gerport behind the German proletariat. The gigantic victory of snatching Dimitroff and his comrades out of the hands of the Nazi murderers, was the first delivered under the

Leninist leadership of the Communist International. It was no accident that the upfamous "Peoples Court" of Hitler was scheduled to open with the legal farce of the lynching of Ernst Thaelmann, leader of the German working class-at a moment when again the world proletariat was gathering its forces in a mighty second blow in support of the antifascist struggle of the German workers in the struggle for the re-

lease of Ernst Thaelmann. Thaelmann Trial Stirs Masses Within Germany itself the ap-

proaching trial of Thaelmann, tomental analysis was different, its gether with the deepening misery action was different. The Com- and catastrophic condition of the munists, using the fundamental masses, was creating a tremendous teachings of Marx, Lenin and Stalin revolutionary stirring among the as their guide, never failed to see masses. The depth of this can be the real class forces at work in Ger- appreciated by the outcome of the many. They knew the difference recent factory council elections only Thore, by Nazi

"kept us out of war" to "make the world safe for democracy") and Big

given to the War Department en-

gineers for rivers and harbors and

flood control, a substantial part of

veys of the ocean floor for sub-

is also exclusive of the \$50,000,000

allotted to the Tennessee Valley

Administration, the greatest part of

which is involved in the construc-

tion of the world's largest integ-

rated electrical power production system, obviously a huge power re-

serve for war plant operations.

with continual war training.

which stimulated and gave the given Roosevelt to build an en- Navy personnel.

dle-class elements, expressed in the churches, among the peasantry, and Brown Shirts-the fighting forces whereby Hitler achieved power -under the slogan of "the second revolution," which for them meant relief from the class policies carried out by Hitler on behalf of Krupp,

**Revolutionary** Forces Grow

It was in the midst, and as a result of this situation that the events of the past week took place. In this light it is clear, not only that the original Communist analysis of German fascism was correct. but also that the breakup of the fascist regime and the rise of the forces of proletarian revolution is proceeding with seven-league boots. The persistent heroic work of the Communist Party in the factories, national. This trial signified to the in the fascist trade unions, among world that Communism in Ger- the Storm Troopers, among all the strata of the exploited population against the Hitler dictatorship, powerful factor in stimulating all against the demagogy, against the detestable anti-semitism which is the German counterpart of stink of the slave-market that is constantly stirred up in this country for whose profits the United States against the Negroes by the white entered the last war, For the ruling class-these things were and are tremendously important factors swelling of his profits and those in the beginning of rebellion by the of his fellow-workers another war masses deceived by Hitler: is being prepared.

We Communists, who never in the darkest days lost our heads, who at all times foresaw and foretold its inevitable and early breakup can now confidently assert that our German Communist Party, with the help of the world proletariat, will more than ever give leadership and organization to the rising revolutionary upsurge, will meet and overcome the tremendous difficulties that still lie in the way, will finally cut through the jungle of fascism. Just as the Communist Party of Soviet Union, under the leadership of Stalin is victorionley building a new world of Socialism. overcoming all obstacles, so the Communist Party of Germany under the leadership of Thaelmann, for whose freedom we are fighting, will smash the old world which in Germany shows its final and most detestable form, and establish a free Soviet Germany.

heavy and twelve light destroyers, in constructing military and naval Hitlers' lieutenants, typified by the An illegal press was established, Navy under Woodrow Wilson (who and six submarines authorized by equipment and . . ." Or, among unspeakable Roehm, conspired to turning out millions of leaflets, "kept us out of war" to "make the the Roosevelt-backed Vinson Bill, a the hundreds of war preparations difference of the stabilished, "kept us out of war" to "make the the Roosevelt-backed Vinson Bill, a the hundreds of war preparations difference of the hundreds of the hundre Or. among measure which gives the President bills brought before the House Miliblank authority to build, above and tary Affairs Committee by its Chairbeyond the program already under man and member of the War Poliway, an armada of about 102 war- cies Commission, John J. McSwain ships and 1,184 war planes. This of South Carolina, the proposal for Vinson Bill program, incidentally, the establishment of a separate airalso authorizes in general terms the plane flotilla of 2,000 war planes

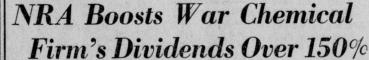
eplacement of all over-age (20) the addition of 400 officers and 6,200 years old or over) warships under men at a cost of about \$80,000,000. the terms of the naval treaties. Or, among many other war plans, This means that authority has been the enlargement of the Army and

foundation to the broad movement tirely new fleet of 15 battleships at These figures are necessarily con of resistance to fascism among mid- a minimum cost of \$45,000,000 each, servative because it is impossible to since all the U.S. battleships are estimate how many millions (uneither over-age or nearly so. The itemized) under C. W. A. (its funds even among the lower ranks of the \$40,000,000 war slice brings the came from P. W. A.) control went 'Public Works' warship total to 52 to the reconstruction of Army forts custody. -an eloquent forerunner of Roose- (those around Niagara Falls, for

A War Monger and His Agent

J. P. Morga, billionaire banker,

Dern, head of the Washington war



#### By A. B. MAGIL

DETROIT .- Profits of the Dow Chemical Co., Midland, Mich., one of the largest manufacturers of war gases and materials for war gases in the country, were \$5.29 per share during the past year, according to an announcement of the company. This compares with \$2 per share for the previous year.

These are the largest reacetime earnings in the history of the company, the announcement states. Evidently, the Blue Eagle has laid many golden eggs in the Dow nest as a result of intensified war preparations.

The announcement of the huge profits of Dow Chemical comes shortly after the death of two workers in the Dow plant, killed by mysterious war chemicals. Low wages, speed-up and failure to provide proper safeguards for the workers are other ways that the company jacks up profits.

refusing to give definite assurances series of struggles, finally win on civil liberty, stated that he knew through. of no cases of interference with

"Who comes after Hitler?" Who the rights of citizens in Birmingwill lead the German workers and ham, and that he believed in freetoiling masses to victory? dom of the press unless, of course, Will it be one of a combination

of bourgeois parties, the churches, Downs denied any personal etc.? knowledge of homes of white and

Negro workers being invaded and ers had forfeited the confidence of vania cossacks shot down the Amsearched without warrant, althe masses, even of their closest though we showed him a list of adherents, already before the rise 14 cases with names and addresses. of Hitler. Each and all of them at nesota militia broke the Minneapolis As we were leaving Downs' of- one time or another had actively truck drivers strike, Milwaukee pofice a few thugs standing in the collaborated with Hitler. Their fate lice beat up and jailed the striking corridor whispered, "We'll get the is indissolubly bound up with that street-car workers, New Jersey license number of their car and of the Nazis; they make no serious run them out of town." Following pretense of independent life. Will it be the Social-Democratic

these threats Mozer took me in Party, the party of Wels, Severing, The delegation unanimously Leipart, Noske, Stampfer? But these states, "Lawson's arrest raises people publicly delivered themselves to Hitler when on May 17, 1933, in clear the issue of press censorship in a form practically unheard of the Reichstag, they voted confidence in a free country, The charge in- in the government of Hitler, and volves solely Lawson's professional many of them are at this moment activity as a newspaper man, and on Hitler's pension-roll. Even "our

clear violation of the rights own" Norman Thomas is forced to of the press. If the police can wash his hands of this discredited misuse their authority in this way carrion Will it be the new "left" Social-Democrats with their Trotskyist and Brandlerist allies? These "heroes," whether in the refuges **Bullets**, Tear Gas, of Prague and Paris, or in Germany of the "New Beginning" group of "Miles," are all marked In N.J. Farm Strike by a common feature, namely, their energetic refusal to take

part in any active fight against the Nazi regime. They accuse the Communists of "committing suiof the small local farmers have cide" and even of "provocation," because of their unremitting struggle; they are "preserving themselves" for that fine day when Hitler will fall automatically, and, "in a moment of chaos," the masses will "call them to leadership." No, not with such instruments is history made.

There remains the Communist Party. To this Party belongs the uniting the farmers for the support honor, at the head of the German toiling masses, of being the only More than 400 workers are inpossible broom to sweep clean Ger-

volved in the strike which has for many from the Nazi filth and pesits main demand the maintenance tilence. of the 30 cents an hour rate agreed The German working class, with the Communist Party at its head, having crushed the Hitler regime to by Seabrook in a contract signed with the union in April after a sucand its reactionary allies, having Many Negro workers are on the established the Soviet power, the picket lines and take a prominent dictatorship of the proletariat, will part in the Strike Committee of 15 proceed to solve the problems of the which was elected by the workers German masses. It will end the whole system of capitalist exploita-The workers live in miserable shacks on the landlord's ground tion, which has paralyzed German

econom rents. It will take over the banks, the Child labor was rife, the children factories, the mines, the railroads, getting 5 cents an hour. Seabrook Just as in Germany, Hitler can be wants to restore the old 17 cents an destroyed only by the victorious working class under the leadership of the German Communist Party, so

Stop depending for news and in the United States we can de information on the capitalist press that favors the bosses and and put them all to work to satisfy the needs of the masses. It will against the workers. Subscribe end the barbarism of book-burning to the Daily Worker, America's and the destruction of culture, and only working-class daily newsopen up a new era of enlighten-

York. Just as Bruening, Schleicher, Von Papen, crushed the strikes of the Ruhr miners, and the Berlin metal and transport workers, preparing the rise of Hitler to power. so in California the state troops are firing upon striking marine workers. killing 3 and wounding over a hun-But these parties and their lead- dred yesterday alone. Pennsylbridge steel workers, Ohio troops fired on the Toledo strikers, Mintroops and police are smashing the agricultural and furniture workers strikes and cancelling all civil rights. Alabama armed forces are shooting down Negro and white miners, all under the banner of Roosevelt and

the New Deal. Do you realize, comrades, that in the last few months in the United States over 30 workers have been killed in cold blood on the picket lines, and several hundred have been seriously wounded? Did the regime of Bruening and Severing in Germany do any better than this in paving the way for fascism?

Have Hitler and his murder-gang anything worse on their record than the weekly lynchings of Negroes in the United States, or the decisions for the legal murder of the Scottsboro boys and Angelo Herndon?

On the Road to Fascism

Clearly, American finance capital s rushing forward on the road to fascism.

We must learn all the lessons of the tragic experience of the German masses. We must rouse and organize the broadest support in America to the German anti-fascist struggle. We must make of this solidarity movement. at the same time, a struggle against rising fascism in this country, and defeat it before it ever comes to power. feat rising fascism only under the

leadership of the Communist Party of the U.S.

All of you, workers, professionals, intellectuals-white and Negro, join the fight to free Ernst Thaelmann, the fight against fascism, in Germany and the United States, to defeat the forces that are threatening the destruction of the human race.

Join the only organization that is really fighting effectively every day and that can finally defeat this bestial, bloody reaction of fascism. Join the Communist Party of the United States, section of the world Party of liberation, the Communist International.

Workers Welcome **Famous Restaurant** 

"Rendezvous of Borough Park" 4818-13th AVE. Brookly, N.Y.



machine being geared for a new war.

pledged their support of the strike. These local farmers are robbed and gypped by Seabrock who increased his large holdings at the expense of the smaller farmers. At present he is buying up delinquent tax claims in order to be able to seize more small, ruined farms, The United Farmers' League, with Dief Dahl, organizer, is active in

### against reporters no newspaper man is safe."

Secretary of War George H.

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# Village Board Orders Negroes Deported

**Jim**-Crow in Va. Mines ras. etc

Here in the anthracite region the unemployed are not treated \$4.60. Prices on the cost of living with gas, they are politely inwent up from 70 to 100 per cent. vited to sit down in the chair In the mines men load four to six cars a day. Under the rethen an electric current is turned on. When the unemployed receives the shock and starting new places, they began prings into the air frightened. then all the staff of the relief all the working places, with about bureau begin to laugh merrily. The unemployed worker, comloaders' wages were cut hilf, and sometimes more. Then they cut ing to himself, walks out huproduction down to three days a miliated.

House rent, \$8; doctor, \$1.70; lights, 1.60; coal, \$2.85; mine lamps, \$1.12; Roda church, 25c.; U. M. W A. dues, \$1, burial fund, 25c.

a Worker Correspondent

RODA, Va .- On April 1 wages

vere raised from \$4.20 per day to

employment program, instead

hiring coal loaders to double up

half enough company men. The

With all these, one can imagine what is left for food and clothing. hotel, he met the Negroes and told This has always been counted a them to come on, and they were slave-driving section, and they told to get out again. But Com-have always practiced the worst rade Masters told them, no. They form of speed-up, and the contract told him they would call the po with the U. M. W. A. hasn't helped lice. He told them to call the it in the least.

ginning to try to find a way out. they were forced to seat them. When this field was being organized the company fired several men for their union activity, and some never had any action taken on their cases. Dale Stableton, who was appointed provisional president of this district, would always say his hands were tied, when the local officials would try to get a hearing for them. So now the rank and file have combined 12

locals and are demanding the re-So, comrades of the rank and moval of Stableton, and through file, let's organize against these threats of strike have forced the appointed opportunist officials and board to meet to consider five be ready to expose the lies of our cases. Of the five, two are Negroes. enemies, and build a union for the When they met in a hotel in workers and of the workers.



#### **Brooklyn Delegation Selected to Present Demand** For Hearing to Board of Aldermen

The demonstration at Hopkinson | have the right to eat. and Pitkin Aves., Brooklyn, last Yes, dear Ruthie and Natie, the Monday evening, to protest against Soviet Union is growing and buildthe high cost of living, was well ing a better world to live in for attended and very effective. Quite all those who work. While in the a large crowd of workers, hearing capitalist countries there is more increase of 5c and 3c an hour for about the demonstration, had as- and more misery, more and more muckers and skilled labor, and 30c sembled to wait for the meeting. The number of demonstrators Union there is more building and

grew close to 500. Placards were striving toward a better future. plentiful, several speakers were met with the greatest enthusiasm, a our boy was born here where he collection was made, and a number will grow from an Octobrist-to of women gave their names to join Pioneer-to Comsomol-to a fighter the Women's Councils.

A delegation was elected (there were plenty of volunteers) to present demands to the Board of Aldermen for a hearing on the high prices of food, especially milk.

The Bronx meeting did not come out so well. Attendance was small. which is unusual for the Bronx

Locals Fight Electric Shock Is Answer to Starving Worker Asking Relief By a Worker Correspondent SHENANDOAH, Pa. — It in well known that everywhere the memployed who are demanding work are receiving clubs, tean

Appalachia the hotel man told the Negroes they would have to get out. When the chairman of the mine committee started to the

t in the least. The rank and file miner is be-he told them they had cases there,

The company police are going

and builder of Communism.

From Jean and Al W.

Yourself?

Leningrad, U.S.S.R.

through the camps telling the There was but very little investiga-Negroes they are not going to be tion made at the time by the same allowed representation on the committees, but the whites and Negroes are both wise to their trick. We Fagan, but there was a U.M.W.A. have one Negro on our mine committee and one vice-president, Fagan had given him money the which proves the police to be day before (but, it seems, not liars.

America-Fagan, President of Disrict 5, hooks up with the crooked Pittsburgh Police Department, ap-

Hired To 'Improve'

ointed to the "Police Research Commission, to investigate possible corruption and inefficiency in the police bureau." What was he appointed for?

Lest we forget, some time ago the same Fagan took a revolver from a miner and killed him with it. police of Pittsburgh, except to shout that it was a Red who tried to kill

card found on the dead man and ditions of employed and unemployed enough, for we still think he had in this mining camp have recently some coming, and came after it the gone from bad to worse.

day he was killed.) The same Fagan helped put over the infamous agreement taking away all the rights to strike, the and in Cairnbrook, Lohal Hanna The investigator was removed. We only way the miners could fight.

In return for the check-off the operators were given the right to check-off the rest of the miners' pay (sec. 43 and sec. 46). Fagan approved the wholesale firing of the miners at the Knot Hole Mine last pay day. month under this last section. I happened to work at the same

mine Fagan worked in, and his record was always one of retreat and arbitration

#### **Sloss Ore Miners** Demand Wage Raise

at first take up the cases. (By a Mine Worker Correspondent) BESSEMER, Ala .- The T. C. I. contract was read in the Sloss-Sheffield union (International Union the council and fight for relief for of Mill Mine and Smelter Workers). every family. The investigator then I. miners accepted an The T. C. changed her tone, and says now, 'What can I do for you, Mr.?" unemployment, in the Soviet an hour for common labor.

Why should T. C. I. pay more for the same work than Sloss? Ask others by the end of that week. That is why I am happy that any Slcss laborer what class of work he does and what he gets paid and many who are doing chilt work at Sloss are making less than 30c an Where does the difference hour come from?

-A Sloss Ore Miner. NOTE:

We publish letters from coal and Can You Make 'Em ore miners, and from oil field workers every Saturday. We urge workers in these fields to write us of their conditions of work and Pattern 1799 is available in sizes

cents a copy.

### Bosses Act Against Growing Unity in Struggle for Slave 10 to 14 Fagan, UMW Head.

By a Worker Correspondent GLEN CAREON, Ill .-- I am en-**Pittsburgh Police** reads

By a Mine Worker Correspondent PITTSBURGH, Pa.—This is the "I have been informed by the rowning insult to the members of Board on account of complaints the United Mine Workers of coming into them, to notify you that all Negroes must transact their business and leave the city limits at once, as the people of Glen have never associated with the color race before.

"(Signed) Otto Raffaele, Clerk." This notice comes as a result of the growing unity of the Madison

By a Worker Correspondent

CENTRAL CITY, Pa .- The con-

The mines in Central City are

County Negro and white workers, by the bosses. in their struggle for relief and better conditions, under the leadership of the Unemployed Councils. Negro this vicious discrimination.

**Miners In Central** 

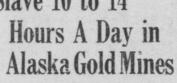
**City Win Relief** 

workers on several occasions came to the entertainment given by the sing here a copy of the letter Council of Glen Carbon, also Negro which was sent to Brother Joe Cun- minstrels and players, who were ningham and to August Doeller. It greeted by workers of the village But this evidently is too much for the political machine of Madison

County, because they have recently found out that the C. P. is placing its own candidates in the coming election.

It is also significant, that most of the Village Board of Glen are for-eign born, Bohemian and German out. elements, small business men, who know that the attack upon the Ne-

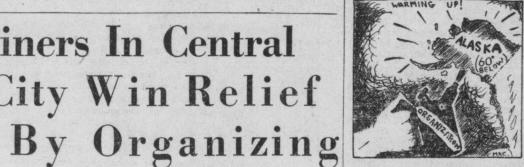
It is proposed that protests be sent to the Village Board against



(By a Worker Correspondent) and thousands of U.S. dollars are spent here yearly on the Alaska ailroad, and on the highways and

trails, building roads to the mines, to help the mine owner get his gold And when the president jumps the gold to \$35 per ounce. how the boss rejoices. Then the president asks (not demands) in a grees is no less the attack upon gentlemanly way that the boss cut the foreign born workers, carried on the hours so that more men can work and raise the pay.

"I have doubled your profits, commodities are going up, boost



e wages to meet them." Did they

vestigator, the police, and the do it? Somerset director, and the miners, The big company, the F. E. said. men and their wives. We brought "Fine, we will give the slaves back up case after case for relief, and that 10 per cent. cut we took from at the next meeting. exposed the investigator, and forced them last year, but the hours, well, we could give them more, but not them to take care of every case.

Over 40 cases were put on relief less. working one and two days a week, during these four or five weeks. men, and the large majority work motion for the passage of the Bill. mine No. 6 is working on the same held a special meeting and invited 10-12, and some 14 hours a day. schedule, with no payment for all workers to come and we exschedule, with no payment for all workers to come and we ex-slack or other dead work. Miners plained the struggles for relief ward worker on the subject of who are working find themselves carried on by our council, and the working 12 hours and he answered: starving on the job, as most are need of unity to fight against "Why not, I would just as leave work 12 hours as have to waste so getting snags, or 12 or 13 cents on hunger. Also we read the workers the Unemployment Insurance Bill, much time sitting around in a

Many of the miners applied for H. R. 7598 and explained the need relief, but the relief investigator, for all workers to support it. The dirty stinking bunkhouse. do I care for the other fellow or Clara M. Russel, told them, nothing president of the Central City local his family?

reeze on the trail-that calls men

to the hills to hunt, and live on bacon and beans, wild meat and abbits, just to stake a claim, that the big boss will give you maybe 5 per cent. of its value for, or cheat you out of it all. That is prosperity in Alaska, those are the conditions for the worker by the day. Now, as the gold barons seem to be the the District had thrown out the

RANDSBURG, Col.-As I am out ers to organize. The golden opporforced her to put the first 11 cases in a mining camp looking to see if tunity of the age has been at hand ner Bill. we have on relief immediately, I can make beans, here are the con- to demand 8 hours and a \$6 per Under some getting relief the next day, and ditions. The leaders have to give day per minimum; with the long- militant members made the mo- members had stayed through to

there's by the end of that week. Since that time we haven't had to furnish all of his tools, powder, come to Alaska to bring men. much trouble putting families on relief, as we send the committees sell to the company for \$2 per unit to the county emergency relief less than the company gets. This as soon as your number is known to the county emergency relief less than the company gets. This camps, looking for agreeded, and board in Somerset, and we forced is tungsten, and you have to have is tungsten, and you have to have as soon as your number is known to the unorganized, to the unemployed in terms of the present day you are laid off. Two weeks ago the investigator then wait three months for your tried the same trick. "Nothing doing money.

tried the same trick, "Nothing doing money.

We sent the committee back, and she didn't want to recog- and others are somewhat better off back, and she high t want to recog-nize them, and when the committees demanded relief she left everything on her desk and phoned for the police to come. The committees terved there

How One AFL Local Voted to **Back Workers Jobless Bill** 

Correct Method of Bringing Forward Bill Results in Isolation of AFL Burocrais

At a recent meeting of our A. F. | was surprising to see the member FAIRBANKS, Alaska.-Thousands of L. local, the bill for Unemploy- who had never had a word to say ment and Social Insurance H. R. about anything get up and defend 7598 was passed with only one vote the Bill. Even the old members of the local who had always followed registered against it.

the

The local in question has a the "machine" got up and had membership of about 500 of whom something to say for the Bill. Im-300 are new members recruited in mediately the officials brought up the organization drive since the be- the Red Scare, charging that the ginning of the N. R. A. At first Bill was a Communist Bill and that members thought the N.R.A. the Local would have nothing to and President Rooseveit would do with it.

bring them better conditions. But Fighting the "Red Scare" This meant that one of the milias time went on and members were laid off right and left with tant members had to get up and local officials taking no action, fight the question of the "Red there was a growing feeling of un- Scare." He explained that the Bill rest and discontent. All this time was not a Communist Bill but a two militant members had been Workers Bill, that if the Commucriticising the N.R.A. and the vacil- nists were for it that showed they lation of the A. F. of L. officials understood the needs of the workand had made the membership ers, that the Communists were the conscious that the officials weren't most militant fighters and pointed out some of the strikes in which working for their interests.

When one of the militant mem- Communists were in the forefront. bers brought up the question of He ended up by saying that the Workers Unemployment and time was past when workers could Social Insurance Bill by making a be scared with the "Red Scare," mction that the local go on record that they are learning who are for its adoption, there was a their friends and who their enelengthy discussion, but the leaders mirs. This talk was greeted with of the local succeeded in having it great applause. The question on the motion was

a vote in the usual manner by

referred to the Executive Board to to be considered and reported on called for. Instead of calling for

aye and nay, the chairman called The Fight for the Bill At the next meeting the minutes for a standing vote thinking he of the previous meeting were read would intimidate the members but The F.E. works from 600 to 800 and no mention was made of the every one of them, with the exception of a few of the officials, One of the militant members got got on their feet and voted for it.

up and asked that the minutes be Even one of the officials who had corrected and demanded to know spoken against the bill voted for what the Executive Board had de- it. cided. The answer was that the And this was not all. After the Executive Board had mislaid the Bill was voted on and passed, a Bill and only found it the day of motion was made by one of the What the meeting so that they would brothers that the Local go on rechave to take it up at the next ord demanding that an official of Gold-that yellow, metal that meeting. The question was raised the District attend the next meetmen go crazy over, starve, and to bring it up for discussion im- ing to take up the grievances of mediately but it was referred to the Local such as the question of

"new business." fellows who had been thrown out Then the District minutes were of the shops for organizing and read and it was found that the nothing had been done about it, District had thrown out the Bill etc. and instead had passed the Wag-This motion was the natural re-

sult of the rising feeling of the local announced that as long as members against the N.R.A. and the A. F. of L. officials which had By a Mine Worker Correspondent do this part of Alaska, it is up to the class conscious work-ner Bill there was nothing the of the Bill. Local could do but pass the Wag-It was 11:30 p.m. when the meet-

ing broke up but the discussion Under "new business" one of the was so interesting that all of the the end, not leaving early as they on the Bill. He then took the floor usually did. And the members were But no organization exists, and and explained the Bill-what it still discussing things when they left the hall,

This shows that when the Workers Unemployment and Social Inspeed-up, lay-offs, increased use of surance Bill is put forward properly, it can be passed. When propsome are getting \$1.50 per day, nd others are somewhat better off and 60 below temperature. It has to their wives and childran, their lishment of unity between the more



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The hour-11 a.m.-probably ac- 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46. Size counted for this. Housewives are 36 takes 41/4 yards 36 inch fabric. tied up with housework in the Illustrated step-by-step sewing inmorning. \* \* \*

We have a letter from a housewife in Rochester, N. Y., announcing a newly formed Council of 12 members and asking for directives for discussion and activity. We'll print and answer this next week.

#### STORK OVER LENINGRAD

Comrade Edith R. of Woodridge, N. Y., has sent us a copy of a letter she received from her sister in Leningrad, U.S.S.R. It follows: Dear Papa, Mama, Ruthie, and Natie

A little boy was on May 13 born to us. We expected him on May 1-but he was not yet ready-and refused to come.

Both of us are feeling fine. We are enjoying our vacation in the hospital where before the revolution only the wives of the Czar and their relations were allowed to give birth. It is a beautiful building. The furnishings all have the crown and stamp of the Czars. Even the dishes were made of such good stuff that they last to this day. There are white cream pitchers, pure white, transparently thin, stamped with the eagle and crown of the Czars-from which, we plain ordinary working women, today



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By PAUL LUTTINGER, M.D. HOW TO GET RID OF PARASITES | liar smell, due to a stink gland

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Worker — subs getters — carriers on their routes—pictures that will drama-tize the drive for 20,000 new readers in two months. Also—reports on how to best sell the "Dally" on the street, house to house, before factories and at meetings. What slogans and argu-ments are most convincing to new readers? Send us your ideas on what will make this drive a success! Daily Worker, Circulation Dept., 50 E. 13th St., New York.

exhorbitant prices. One of these genilemen (for they consider work bencath them) parasites is the bedoug and his lady, Mr. and Mrs. Cimex Lectularipus, who came over to this country, according to the best authorities, in the Spanish galleons and with the best families in the Mayflower. The bedbug had also a number of less aristocratic names, such as, well louse and others. The bedbug has a pecu-

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#### ADVERTISEMENT Communist Banquet at Nitgedaiget

Worker

To wind up the Communist Party month at Camp Nitgedaiget. Beacon, New York, during which period all profits went toward the fighting fund of this only Party of the working class, a gala banquet has been arranged for this Sunday evening, July 8th.

Delegates to the National Conference of Jewish Organizations (fractions) will be the guests of honor. Leading district and national speakers will participate, with Max Steinberg, district organization secretary officiating.

As this goes to press, the social staff of Camp Nitgedaiget is still guarding the details of the program. Inside information that has leaked out indicates that it will be a very amusing and interesting program. All campars, of course, are invited.

The first International Program of the season is planned for tonight. Sches of six nations will be sung and Free Ernst Thaelmann will be produced by the Theatre Brigade here for the first time. A mass chorus will be included in the cast. (Adv.)



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IN OUR CURRENT discussions about the possibilities of I learning from the schools of the elegant, royalist, Catholic T. S. Eliot, we seem completely to have forgotten = much bigger poet, much nearer to us, from whom we an learn things of profound import. I mean America's greatest proletarian poet, Walt Whitman. Very well: Whitman was not a "Marxist"; but he loved and understood the American working class; he was flesh of its flesh and bone of its bone; he sang and celebrated it; his whole vision-so rich, so vast, so all-embracing, was the vision of the American worker filled with democratic dreams.

Those dreams were betrayed by the bourgeoisie. How can you have democracy when the few exploit the many? Those dreams will be fulfilled by the classless Communist society. But it was because Whitman saw those dreams expanding down the vistas of the future that he is our contemporary.

May 31st-about five weeks ago-marked the 115th anniversary of Whitman's birth. Our literary press ignored it. Perhaps that is natural; we are too busy with the present to bother about the past. Yet we devote time to Eliot and Pound, who belong much more to the past than Whitman. Because it is the voice of bourgeois reaction today, the Eliot school goes back to the classicism of the 17th century, to the Restoration period, when the feudal counter-revolution overthrew the Puritans and reorganized the monarchy. Whitman essentially stems from the utopian visions of the 18th Century.' So does Marxism. The ideologues of the French Revolution, with their insistence on the material basis of the world and on universal freedom, are our philosophic precursors; Whitman, the poet of those utopian visions, is our poetic precursor. Whitman himself knew he belonged to the future; advanced Europeans knew it; Soviet writers know it; it is time we knew it, too.

#### Part of the American Mass

WHITMAN WAS ERRAND BOY, printer, carpenter, school-teacher, editor, vagabond, always part of the American mass, always its poet. That is why from the beginning he repudiated the aristocratic notion of art, the hokum about the dignity of letters and the precise rules of style; the fear of "vulgarity"; the pretence that certain words, ideas and themes are not suitable for poetry. Above all he repudiated the aristocratic prejudice that the life of the masses is no fit theme for poetry. He loudly announced himself the bard of America, the bard of democracy; and by democracy he meant both the dignity of the individual and the dignity of the mass. He celebrated "one's self . . . a simple separate person," yet uttered "the word Democratic, the word En Masse."

And because his whole being moved with the democratic instinct, he set himself some rules for the writing of poetry which our young revolutionary poets might well consider: "Avoid all poetical similes; be faithful to the perfect likelihoods of nature-healthy exact, simple, disdaining ornaments . . . Be full of strong sensual germs." And consider this especially: "Poet! beware lest your poems are made in the spirit that comes from the study of pictures of things-and not from the spirit that comes from the contact with things themselves."

Whitman sang out of the spirit that comes from the contact with things themselves. That is why America, especially the America of factory, mine, and farm, lives in his poems. "See!" he cries, "steamers steaming through my poems! See in my poems immigrants continually coming and landing; see, in arriere, the wigwam, the trail, the hunter's hut, the flat-boat, the maizeleaf, the claim, the rude fence, and the backwoods village; see on the one side the Western Sea, and on the other the Eastern Sea.

"See pastures and forests in my poems; see animals, wild and tame; see, beyond the Kansas, countless herds of buffalos, feeding on short curly grass; see in my poems cities, solid, vast, inland, with paved streets, with iron and stone edifices, ceaseless vehicles and commerce . . . See the electric telegraph stretching across the continent . . . See the strong and quick locomotive as it departs, panting, blowing the steam-whistle. See the ploughmen ploughing farms-see miners digging mines-see the numberless factories. Hear the loud echoes of my songs there!"

To save space, we have set this poem in running prose-form; yet it loses none of its poetic qualities. The poetry comes not from rical tricks but from vision and feeling It springs, Whitman told us, from an idea of democracy "carried far beyond politics into the region of taste, the standards of manners and beauty, and even into philosophy and theology." The Americans he loved, he tells us in one poem, are the men who live among cattle, or taste of the ocean or woods; the builders and steerers of ships, and the wielders of axes and mauls, and the drivers of horses. "Workmen and workwomen!" another poem says. "I will be ever with you, and you shall be ever with me!" .....

# **Inside Story of Corruption of Nazi Regime Shows How German Socialist Leaders Aided Advent of Fascism**

#### By HARRY GANNES

WHILE Hitler with rifle fire and rivers of blood seeks to wipe out some of his most faithful followers, we are able to open the secret records of his rise to power. The corruption and the filth of the fascist regime in Germany is so limmense that not even

fire and murder can wipe out half of it. Just before the present

crisis of the Nazi regime, an important book was published entitled, "The Berlin Harry Gannes Diaries," by General X, ed-

ited by Dr. Helmut Klotz (William Morrow & Company, \$2.75). The anonymous general has been identified. The New York Times proves quite conclusively he is General Hans von Seeckt, one of the organizers of the Reichswehr, the German Army, which plays such an important part in present day events in Germany.

Very close to the inner ruling circles, apprised of every move of Hitler's rise to power, on the most intimate terms with the leading figures of the Nazi regime, many of whom have now been shot and cremated by Hitler, his book is of the utmost importance not only in understanding what is happening now in Germany, but in appreciating the whole course of Hitler's rise to power, especially the aid rendered to fascism by the Social Democratic leaders.

The conflict within the German bourgeoisie is so bitter that they have no hesitation in killing one another. No wonder, in this situation, that we got the whole filthy story of their intrigues, of their rotten corruption, of the inside life and crimes of members of a decrepit ruling class stopping at no criminal deed to preserve its system.

#### **Despises** Social-Democratic Leaders

CENERAL VON SEECKT is no friend of the Communist Party of Germany, though he has unbounded praise for it, and evinces the bitterest contempt for the Social Democratic leaders who licked his boots, and the dirtier boots of every other representative of German capitalism. Von Seeckt is now military adviser to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, training Kuomintang crack armies for war to the death against the Red Army of China. Whatever his motives, the General has published his personal diary, fully documented, presenting the record of the secret intrigues and political corruption of the whole German ruling class in its drastic efforts to save itself in the face of the onrushing proletarian revolution.

Every worker, who can get ahold of it, should read this book. We recommend it especially to Socialist workers. Let them read for their own edification how the ruling class consciously utilized the willingly offered collaboration of the Severings, Brauns, Leiparts, Wels to bring fascism into power.

As far as possible here, we shall endeavor to utilize the most salient facts of this book to describe Hitler's rise to power and the forces behind him.

The book is a day-to-day record of one who was closely connected with all the leading militarists, bankers, landlords, and Social Democratic leaders, from May 30, 1932 to January 30, 1933; that is the period from Bruening, von Papen, Schleicher to Hitler.

German Militarist Traces the Daily Course of Hitler's Bloody Rise to Power In "The Berlin Diaries"

VON SEECKT, like the present General von Blomberg of the Reichswhre, was quite willing to use the Nazis against Bolshevism, but they did not want them to infiltrate the Reichswehr, the last bulwark of German capitalism. "I have little inclination," he writes, "to throw the army open to

Roehm." General von Blumberg must have echoed this not so long ago. Recognizing the role of von Papen in opening the way for Hitler, the Communist Party proposed a united front with the Social Democratic trade unions. Faithful to their class collaboration polices with von Papen, the Socialist leaders refused. The General has a word or two to say about it:

a gang of dope-taking homosexuals like Captain

"The Social Democratic Trades Union League have declined the Communists' offer to form a united front. Good. When anyone wants to commit suicide, he shrouldn't be hindered. The Social-Democratic press is jubilant, naturally, over this heroic decision. Long live the Party!'

"But the Red trade unions themselves! Splendid fellows and a splendid idea."

Again, as a militarist and strategist, who for his own reason has no love for the Fascists, declares:

tution must be preserved, even for the Nazis!

"The attitude of the official representatives of the Social Democrats is classic, as ever: The Communists defied the authority of the State!' And who told these clever poltroons that it was only Communists? I hope with all my heart that Social Democratic workmen had a hand in scattering that brown-shirted mob. Who gave Herr Wels the right to defame his own people so persistently?"

On July 20, 1932, the Communist Party calls for a general strike against von Papen, as the forerunner of fascism, as the precursor of Hitler.

How do the Social Democratic leaders answer this appeal? They declare that the general strike has been provoked by Hitler!

#### Sham Battle Is Staged

NEW election has been called. The Nazis and A von Papen stage a sham battle.

"The Nazis are urging a furious battle against Papen. If their people only knew that the whole thing is only a lying maneuver to cast dust in their eyes and that Papen is in reality only an agent of. Hitler they would sing a different tune, I fancy, from their everlasting, ludicrous 'Heil'."

Hitler in shooting Roehm on June 30, pro-

Berlin Before Hitler and Nazis Came to Power



A Communist Party demonstration in Berlin during the period described in "The Berlin Diaries." The signs held by the Communist work-

"The Communist counter-movement against the Papen policy is splendid. If only the Social-Democrate who are terrified to death of a united Red front in case it should prejudice their party, wouldn't keep on putting obstacles in the way! Much might be affected, but for that. But as things are!"

ers read: "Join the Party of Lenin," and "Defend the Socialist Construction of the Soviet Union."

claimed to the world that Roehm was a disgusting pervert. In fact, he said, he found him in bed with male companion in the most disgusting posture

"What forms the main support of the Reich President (von Hindenburg, the same "lesser evil" crook of Neudeck that the Socialist leaders helped put into power) is obvious. His main support is the armed forces of the Republic subordinate to him: the Reichswehr. This force sprang into being in the struggle for the bourgeois state of society against the proletariat striving towards socialism. In every critical moment of Germany's post-war history the Reichswehr has uttered its decisive word in the language of the machine gun. General Schleicher has stated that the government must be borne by a broad current of the people. But to what broad current does he refer? His relations towards the Nazis are not known. But already the Papen-Schleicher government is not suspended in the air. It is backed up by a fairly strong social factor, though this has not its base in the masses. The press of the opponents of the Schleicher-Papen government has designated it as a "government of the Gentlemen's Club ("Herrenklub").

The "Herrenklub" today, the club of the Thyssens, Krupps, and other financiers of Germany, is the real cabinet, the real ruling house of Germany, the source from which emanate the orders for the execution of the played-out Nazi leaders, and the slicing away of the mass base of the deluded pettybourgeoisie.

WE return to the Diaries. The great Hitler is hys-terical because the Herrenklub group, fearing his rabble, are pondering whether to utilize him or General Schleicher. Hitler has one of his frequents hysterical collapses. We can be sure in the present events he is a perfect wreck, and not the hero the American correspondents make him out to be. "Hit. ler's nerves have 'completely broken down,' writes General von Seeckt (as if Hitler's 'nerves' had ever been in proper order!). He has been packed away to a sanatorium in Thuringia." These madmen need frequent medical attention.

On August 30, 1932, the Reichstag opens, and Clara Zetkin, because she is the oldest member, has the privilege of making the opening speech.

"The speech of Clara Zetkin, the day's President by virtue of seniority, made a great impression," records the author of the Diaries

#### War Plans of German Capitalism

THE bourgeoisie have reached an impasse. The Reichstag is called and then dissolved, and then called again. New elections are set for November 6th. The general meanwhile discusses the war plans of German capitalism. He tells of the horrendous gas and bacterial warfare plans. We quote a sample

"Highly interesting are the experiments that are being carried on with animals and plants. At any rate, it has been demonstrated that the stuff works even when diluted to the last degree; in other words, with a trifling amount one could gas any large city, and destroy life; that is the main point. Ten of our ordinary passenger aeroplanes could in normal circumstances carry the necessary dose for a million and a half human beings.'

On September 19, 1932, after the Communists had forced the dissolution of the Reichstag, the Party issued a manifesto to the German workers, which completely barred the drive towards fascism and the role of the Social-Democratic Party. Addressing the workers in the Social-Democratic Party, the Manifesto said:

"Class comrades in the Social-Democratic Party! Whilst the will to resist and to fight against the capitalist offensive is growing among the masses, the social-democratic trade union leaders talk about 'Socialism' and do everything to prevent the common fight of the workers. The voluntarily surrender trade union wage rates and social legislation. With their demand for 'distribution of work,' for shorter hours without wage compensation, they gave the Papen government the cue for reducing wages and violating collective agreements.

#### Foresaw a New Culture

OUT OF THIS "restless, resistless race," Whitman foresaw a new culture, "recruiting myriads of men, able, natural, perceptive, tolerant, devout, real men;" and women working and partaking in real life with calm and dignity, comparing with superior carpenters and farmers, "and even boatmen and drivers" without losing the warm charms of womanhood; for "it is as great to be a woman as to be a man.'

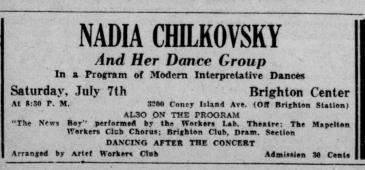
And he saw other visions: "Years of the modern! Years of the unperformed! Your horizon rises-I see it parting away for more august dramas: I see not America only-I see not only Liberty's nation, but other nations preparing; I see tremendous entrances and exits-I see new combinations-I see the solidarity of races . . . I see men marching and counter-marching by swift millions; I see the frontiers and boundaries of the old aristocracies broken: I see the landmarks of European kings removed; I see this day the People beginning their landmarks (all others give way). Never were such sharp questions asked as this day; never was average man, his soul, more energetic, more like a god; lo! how he urges and urges, leaving the masses no rest."

These lines say what Karl Liebknecht said: "The future belongs to the People!" They say what Eugene Debs said: "The day of the People has come!" Whitman's sweeping revolutionary poem expresses the democratic ideal when capitalism was young and progressive and raised false hopes. Today capitalism is dying; it has dropped the mask of democracy; its politicians maintain or prepare fascist dictatorships; its literary critics ignore Walt Whitman; to celebrate him who celebrated democracy would be too ironical-or too dangerous.

#### "Warlike Flag of the Great Idea"

BUT THE REVOLUTIONARY PROLETARIAT, which is fighting for a classless Communist society, is heir to the best culture of the past. It is heir to Walt Whitman, who sang of the American toilers. He stands first among our revolutionary poets, for he was not afraid of "propaganda" in his "art." Think of all the hypocritical twaddle that revolutionary poetry is the product of Moscow gold-and ponder these lines: "For the great Idea! that, O my brethren-that is the mission of Poets. Songs of stern defiance, ever ready, songs of the rapid arming, and the march, the flag of peace quick-folded, and instead, the flag we know, warlike flag of the great Idea!"

These lines say what the proletarian writers say: "Art is a weapon!" And when our poets fight in the spirit of Whitman for the great Idea which inspires them-the idea of Communism-let them see the collision of social classes throughout America, throughout every land in the world, not out of the narrow windows of the tight little poets, but directly, in contact with things themselves. And let them speak, like Whitman in broad elastic cadences woven out of the thoughts and feelings of the American masses and their words, so that the simplest worker may stop and listen, understand and act.



#### Nazis Groomed for Power

WITH the exit of the Bruening government on May 30, 1932, and the entrance of the now much-headlined Franz von Papen to the chancellorship, the Nazis were being groomed for power. The author of the Berlin Diaries accurately tells the role of the Social Democratic in this process.

"But the Social Democrats were scared to death of that; so as to 'guard against' something worse, they were tolerant, sickeningly tolerant, and slowly but surely dissipated what remained of their authority, until their 'policy' (of the 'lesser evil'-H. G.) actually made the advent of Hitler inevitable. They quite openly admit this wretched strategy today and don't even seem to feel anything approaching shame."

Von Papen counted on the Social Democratic leaders to hold the workers in check. He knew that every new decree for lowering wages would be accepted by the Social Democratic leaders to "keep back fascism." "He (von Papen)," writes the author, "no longer counts the free Social Democratic unions as a power factor; he believes that these died long ago of softening of the bones, only they haven't realized it yet."

#### Sought Alliance Against U.S.S.R.

**UON PAPEN** while in power made his program very clear. He sought a Franco-German-Polish alliance against the Soviet Union. The International Press Correspondence of June 9, 1932, quoted from one of his speeches at the "Deutscher Herrenklub." the aristocratic hostelry and intrigue center of the German bourgeoisie, so often mentioned in the Diaries.

"This alliance," said von Papen, "described as an 'accord a trois,' (a triple agreement) shall serve the purpose of an economic alliance against the Russian Five-Year Plan. Within this 'accord a trois' the French will also be in favor of Germany being allowed to arm . . . The 'accord a trois' must have regard to the fight against Bolshevism."

But to save von Papen, the "lesser evil." the Socialist leaders supported his regime. General von Seeckt who was afraid of the Red Army, afraid the German bourgeois would lose all in this mad gamble, raged against the Social Democrats.

"These idiots of November, 1918!" he cries. "Why didn't they hang the whole crew of these people? They had the power, but they hadn't the pluck. Afraid of their own revolution. A crime of ommission by the Socialists which should be punished by the death penalty."

At the time von Papen made his speech against the Soviet Union at the Herrenklub there was present applauding him none other than Herr Goering, Herr Roehm, Dr. Goebbels, and Count Helldorff. Of this crew, Roehm, and Helldorff are now ashes ignominiously scattered somewhere in the fields of Munich and Litchterfelde "Goering, Goebbels and Roehm greeted von Papen's idea with enthusiasm," says the general.

Then he tells about Hitler. "In the evening I met Hitler (at the house of a Bank and Stock Exchange king, of Jewish extraction too!)" The German Jewish bankers helped finance Hitler to power. "Hitler's volubility is surpassed only by his poverty of thought."

#### Praises the Red Army

As member of the chief of staff of the Reichswehr, the general gets secret reports of the state of the Red Army in the Soviet Union. He comments as follows:

"An interesting report from our military expert in Moscow. The condition of the Russian army must be excellent! (That's why von Papen who had the support of the Social-Democrats and the Nazis didn't start his pet war against the U. S. S. R.-H. G.) Splendid human material, clever, and (what with us is, unfortunately, still a sore point) incorruptible officers, clear-cut organization, and above all, an almost incredible technical perfection."

He has many more complimentary things to say about the political intelligence of the Red Army, but we can't stop to quote them all.

Incessantly, the Communist Party of Germany, under the leadership of Ernst Thaelmann, was calling for united front actions, for general strikes against von Papen, to smash the intrigues to put Fascism into power. Again and again the Socialist leaders, to preserve capitalism, to preserve the empty shell of the Wemar constitution, already bedunged by the German bourgeoisie, refused. The general, who from his class view point, sees why the Socialist leaders fought with might and main against the united front, declares:

"They must not deceive themselves; there was no doubt whatever that such a general strike would fuse the Social-Democrats and Communists together for good or evil, but with that fusion the fratridicidal struggle between the workers, which had served the Right Wing's interests so well. would be abolished, and that was something to be avoided at all costs."

We are sure at this point the Trotzkyites will call this book a Stalinist plot. That the General is at the present leading 1,000,000 Kuomintang soldiers against what the Trotzkyites call a nonexistant Soviet district, is of no moment to them. Such accurate confirmation of the conscious betrayal of the German working class by the Social-Democrats recorded by a member of the ruling class which they were trying to save, in the eyes of the Trotzkyites and Socialist leaders, couldn't be anything short of a Stalinist forgery.

#### Hits S. D. Police Chief

DECENTLY the Nazis butchered a number of Com-K munists because of the Altona events of July 12, 1932. At that time, the Nazis in order to provoke the workers, marched through the workingclass district of Altona, with the protection of the Socialist police chief Grzesinsky. (Grzesinski now, alas, has joined von Seeckt in service to the Chinese butcher, Chiang Kai Shek.) Von Seeckt, in his Diary, is merciless with his comrades in misfortune.

"The attitude of the chief of police, a Social Democrat, is incomprehensible, even criminal; he expressly authorized the Brown Shirts to march through the streets where only workmen live. And he did this although he was urgently warned from every side, even by the Reichswehr in Altona. Of course, he knew better: when has one of these petty despots ever not known better. The consti-

The readers of the capitalist press are supposed to take this as a sudden discovery, as a complete shock and surprise to the ingenuous Hitler. So impoverished are the Nazis to explain their bloody deeds against their own followers, that they are forced to dish up the most disgusting stories that have been public property for those who wished to see for years. The author of the Diaries tells us:

"A political journalist had published his (Roehm's) pederastic correspondence (Roehm is a hundred per cent homosexual of the most disgusting type) months before (this is way back in July 26 1932-H. G.), and driven by necessity, the 'Chief-of-Staff, had thereupon responded by laying a charge against him asserting that the letters were forgeries. . . The letters are genuine and Herr Roehm, Hitler's right hand man and better half, is one of the most notorious pederasts walking about on this earth.

"And what was the creature I had to receive today! Schleicher (who was assasinated along with his wife on June 30, 1934-H. G.) advised me to leal with him sitting and not to leave my chair even for a second. 'Then nothing can happen to you. But be on your guard. Herr Rothm is supposed to be very ardent'!"

Roehm's only answer to the charges was that as long as he served the German bourgeoisie his private life didn't matter, and besides Herr Goering had been shut up in a shouse as a raving, dope fiend maniac the state of t

WHILE all this filth and conspiracy goes on, the Communist Party relentlessly carries on the antifascist struggle, just as ardently as the Socialists, cooperating with the scurviest agents of the German bourgeoisie, stab the workers on the back. "The Communists are very active," writes the General. The 'antifascist campaign' is flourishing, grows and gains ground and has even infected the Reichswehr."

Among the bourgeoisie the intrigues go on. Safeguarded by the Socialist leaders, they have tremendous scope for their maneuvers. The elections take place, and both the Communists and Nazis gain, bringing the issue to the sharpest cleavage.

Von Seeckt from his class viewpoint estimates the results of the elections:

"But in effect the Communists are the real victors; they have won three-quarters of a million new voters and muster new 90 seats (in the Reichstag). Some food for thought there.

"For behind each of these 90 men stand not merely 60,000 sheep-like voters, as in the other parties, but active fighters, who are resolute and prepared for battle."

#### Von Schleicher and Von Papen

THE July 31, 1932 Reichstag elections brought a stalemate for the bourgeoisie. Neither Hitler, nor the other capitalist parties won a victory, though Hitler had increased his votes. It was at this point that the ill-fated von Schleicher began to maneuver with von Papen, hesitating between the Nazis and a military fascist dictatorship supported by the Reichswehr. We turn from the general's diaries, to an analysis of this situation by Karl Radek, which throws great light on the present situation in Germany:

On August 25, 1932, Comrade Radek wrote:

#### Social Democracy Capitulates

"WITH Bruening they introduced the policy of emergency decrees; they themselves dictated wage cuts, reduction of benefits and taxes for the masses. Behind the mask of 'Fight against fascism,' they elected their Hindenburg into the saddle.

"On July 20, they miserably capitulated and denounced as provocateurs those workers and trade union members who advocated the general strike. They thus encouraged Papen to put through his emergency decrees. Just as on June 20th they sought to console the workers with the Reichstag elections. and the state constitutional court so now, by means, of big talk about a referendum, they wish to hold back the workers from the strike struggle against wage cuts.

"Today the workers are to accept wage cuts in the deceitful hope of a referendum next year. In the interest of their Hindenburg policy the social. democratic and free trade union leaders forbid the social-democratic workers and lower organizations to fight together with the Communists. The socialdemocracy supports the Papen dictatorship!"

How accurately this is confirmed by events, and by the admission of this general of the Reichswehr in his intimate diaries.

#### **Reichstag Dissolved Again**

THE lines were now being rapidly drawn for the assumption of power by Hitler. The Reichstag was dissolved again because the bourgeoisie, on the basis of the usual parliamentary bickerings, could no longer reach an agreement. The dictatorship of capital must now drop its flimsy mask.

The author here advances one of his pet theories as the motivating factor for the final switch of von Hindenburg to outright fascism and Hitler. Von Hindenburg and von Blomberg had been bribed with huge estates in East Prussia. They had filched millions from the East Prussian Relief Fund, a huge government pork barrel the socialist leaders had enabled the junkers to provide for themselves out of the state treasury. To hide the brewing scandal, von Hindenburg, according to the author General von Seeckt, dismissed the 57-day old Schleicher cabinet, and brought Hitler into the Chancellorship, There then followed the Reichstag incendiary of the Nazis, and the bloody road to power.

For some time, von Hindenburg had been delaying turning the reigns over to Hitler. Von Seeckt writes on December 3, 1932:

"Herr Hitler's modesty is touching! Today Hindenburg has received a long letter from him (in his 'public meeting' style: half-impudent and half-devout), explaining that 'in the future also' he would 'always' be ready to take over supreme power in the Reich. But any cabinet save his own he would. refuse to acknowledge and would oppose with all the means at his disposal.

"'Supreme power' is good. Herr Thaelmann, too, would no doubt be ready to take it over. And I am even convinced that he would know better what to do with it than Herr Hitler of all people, this ratcatcher from Braunau (Austria, Hitler's birth place).

\* \* \* MEANWHILE, the Nazi cohorts were plotting against one another, scheming and intriguing

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### Norman Thomas Surrenders

AT THE Detroit convention of the So-A cialist Party, Norman Thomas appeared as a bold, fearless "left-winger." If and when capitalism collapsed, said Thomas, the Socialists would not hesitate to seize political power whether or not they were a majority. His language was so "radical," so "revolutionary" that "Socialists" like Louis Waldman were said to have suspected Mr. Thomas of turning Communist.

The Communist Party, of course, never had such illusions. We stated at the outset that Mr. Thomas was talking radical only with the aim of holding back the workers who were really moving to the left, who were really moving toward Communism.

To keep them out of the Communist Party, Norman Thomas hoped to convince the workers that if and when capitalism "collapsed" the Socialist Party, and none other, would lead the workers to the goal, to the seizure of political power.

That capitalism would never merely "collapse" was of no consequence to Mr. Thomas. That capitalism, left alone to work out its own problems without interference from the workers, could get out of edj difficulties-no matter how severe-was conviently ignored.

Mr. Thomas's aims were best served by brushing aside all the facts of history, by creating illusions about the possible automatic collapse of capitalism only to prevent the workers, through militant class struggle policies, from furthering that collapse. At the same time he seemed to meet the growing appreciation of the workers that only with power in their own hands could they solve the burning problems of security for themselves and their families. Clearly his talk of an "if" and "when" collapse was designed both to hamper the workers in their struggles for wages, hours, working conditions etc., and for the overthrow of capitalism.

FROM day to day, the huge wind-bag of "radi-cal" phrases set up by Thomas at Detroit collapses more and more.

And in deeds, he has already shown beyond the shadow of a doubt that he is working in the fullest harmony with the Socialist Party "Old Guard," a group so outspokenly reactionary that a writer in the New York Evening Post writes sarcastically that it would be difficult for them to join the Democratic Party since they would be rejected as being too conservative.

Thomas has not only backed down from his blustering statements of the Convention. He has

But in the face of what he has already said and done since Detroit, it will not be easy for him to conceal the emptiness of his "revolutionary" verbiage and the conscious hypocrisy of his recent "radical" maneuvers at Detroit.

In an amazingly short time, Norman Thomas and the whole "left wing" of Detroit have collapsed and surrendered to the obviously reactionary "Old Guard" machine, with whom they never really had any serious differences anyhow.

The leadership of the revolution, of the struggle for Socialism, does not and never will lie within the Socialist Party or any of its "left wing" groups. The path of Lenin, of Bolshevism-this is the only road to the overthrow of capitalism.

and only the Communist Party.

This road is shown by the Communist Paarty-

### The Inquiry Commission and Thaelmann

THREE days ago the American Inquiry Commission, composed of eight noted American jurists, issued a statement calling for the release of Ernst Thaelmann, leader of the German Communist Party.

After condemning Hitler's "People's Courts" as an instrument of "legalized murder," the statement read:

"Only the freeing of Ernst Thaelmann and the others similarly held on such vague grounds can possibly satisfy the demands for justice in accordance with established practices in the civilized world."

Are the men who made up that Commission Communists?

#### No, far from it.

They were mostly liberals, with one or two conservatives. Some of them are noted for their anti-Communist speeches and writings.

There's Clarence Darrow, chairman of the Commission, recently resigned from the N. R. A. board.

There's Arthur Garfield Hays, members of the Civil Liberties Union, who recently defended Nazis in court.

There's Dudley Field Malone, who has defended the Nazis' right to "free speech," and who is no friend of Communists. George Z. Medalie, Senator Costigan and Roger Baldwin were also on the Commission.

These men called for Thaelmann's freedom because Thaelmann is the symbol of anti-fascist struggle in Germany today.

That the condemnation of the Nazis' so-called "People's" Courts was coupled, in the Commission's statement, with the demand for Thaelmann's liberation, is indicative of the growing mass demand for the freedom of Thaelmann, who symbolizes to the world, as head of the Communist Party of Germany, the leader in the struggle for the liberation of the German people from fascism.

The decision of the Commission comes at the very moment when the personnel of the Hitler regime has been revealed in all its depravity and bestiality. It comes at the moment when the acts of Hitler, long directed at workers, Communists, liberals and Jews, are now visited against the foremost Nazi statesmen, thereby blasting any pretension to the existence of any kind of rule in Germany except the rule of hooliganism and perver-

The increased world-wide revulsion against the Nazis on the part of workers and the petty-bour-

#### DAILY WORKER, NEW YORK, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1934

Hour of Cuba **Hunger Strike** 

Many Near Death; Plan **Strikes to Force Their Freedom** 

HAVANA, July 6-Ninety-five political prisoners, including Communists and Autenticos (rank and file of the Grau-Guiteras group) have reached the 225th hour of their hunger strike for freedom today. Many are in a dying condition The Wall Street-supported Mendieta government refuses outside doctors entrance to treat the hunger strikers.

A general political strike is on in the Manzanillo region demand-ing freedom for all prisoners, and the right of organization, of assemblage, dismissal of the military supervisor and guarantees for the life of Ordoqui, secretary of the Cuban National Confederation of Labor.

Demonstrations were held in all parts of Havana. Students of all higher schools are out on a 48hour strike. There will probably be a strike of Havana workers tomorrow. While Grau followers and the ABC Radicale are active in a united front, the Grau San Martin leadership is sabotaging all action for the prisoners.

### Nazis Exile Worker **ToFinnish Fascists**

Faces Long Jail Term; **Only Protests Can** Save Him

NEW YORK-A Finnish comrade, Niilo Wirtanen, has been arrested in Germany. Wirtanen took an active part in the Finnish civil war. After the Finnish revolution was suppressed in blood with the ex-tensive assistance of German and Swedish White troops, he fled, together with many others, to the Soviet Union, where he has since resided, as he could not return to Finland on account of his revolutionary activities.

Some time ago, Wirtanen was traveling via Germany and on that account stopped in Berlin for a few days. There he was arrested by the police as a "suspicious" foreigner for using a false passport and for alleged carrying on political activity. After an "investigation" which lasted for months, during which Wirtanen was subjected to all the horrors of the fascist prison hell, he was convicted for the "crime" of having used a false passport.

revolutionary struggle in Finland and in the socialist construction of the Soviet Union, he is menaced by

be rescued from the claws of Ger-

man and Finnish fascism!

Hold 12 Outdoor

Meets in Brooklyn



Canadian Gov't Now Admits Many Conferences Attempt to Murder Tim Buck To Pick Delegates

Thaelmann, the Scottsboro boys For Anti-War Meet (Special to the Daily Worker) and the five working-class leaders

that eleven shots had been fired into the cell of Tim Buck, secretary of the ilegal Communist Party of Canada, and one of the Kingston Seven, sentenced to long

the authorities with attempting to

Five thousand workers turned out

still held in Kingston penitentiary Hitler Responsible For Thaelmann,

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Women's World Meet

Against War Put Over to Aug. 4

NEW YORK .- The International Women's Congress Against War and Fascism which meets in Paris has been postponed from July 28, 29 and 30, 1934, to the three days befreedom of Thaelmann and all other ginning August 4. This will give

anti-fascist fighters now in Hitler all sections involved in the cam- made, say to a group of well-fed dungeons, and have sent copies to paign for sending delegates to this Arno Mowitz, local consul, and Hans Luther, Nazi ambassador in Washhistoric congress an additional week to muster their forces and in-

'The Furriers' local sent a delega- tensify their preparations. Dates for the regional conference

On the World Front

**Rising Struggles** When Is It Sedition? Bulgaria-Japan and Dope

DECENT weeks have shown It an increased radicalization, a heightened militancy of the workers in many countries of the world. At the same time, the infuriated ruling class is beginning to exhibit its bloody fangs. In Chile, a general strike has been declared in support of a peasants' revolt. Gold and coal miners are already lining up with the peasants against the government troops.

A whole series of bitter strikes are on in Cuba, with a general political strike in Manzanillo demanding the release of 95 political prisoners who have passed their 225th hour on a hunger strike. Strikes are expected today in Havana.

IN HOLLAND, the unemployed militantly demonstrated at Amsterdam against the cut in their relief; and they were met in the style of Mayor LaGuardia and Governor Merriam of California. The police fired at the hungry workers, killing one and wounding dozens.

Brazilian dockers and seamen struck two days ago and tied up the British - owned Companhia Navacageo Lloyd Brazilier, and the Brazilian government-owned line. The battle lines are being drawn tighter everywhere.

\* HAVING defeated the strike of 80,000 cotton mill workers in Bombay, British imperialism sought its revenge against the strike leaders. Comrade Ranadive, secretary of the heroic Kirni Kashgar (Red Flag) Union was arrested on the charge of a seditious speech delivered at Chowpaty, and sentenced to two years imprisonment. It is a fifty-fifty chance, under the deadly conditions of an Indian prison, whether he ever will come out alive, if he is forced to serve his

What was his crime? The repre-sentative of British "justice" in India, in rendering his judgment on our comrade declared: "In the beginning the accused had said that by holding this meeting the hungry workers, the starving workers, were declaring war against unemployment, against capitalism and against imperialism.'

"Since," said the judge, the speech was addressed to "a hungry and ignorant crowd of unemployed workers" in the time of agitation and unrest, it was sedition.

If the same speech had been Ramsay MacDonalds, Purcells and Hendersons, it would, of course, not be sedition.

THE Bulgarian fascist government makes a good deal of money A mighty protest movement must be developed against this incredible vice, two of the Kingston Seven, aggression of the German automatic leave, following a protesting Thaelmann's treatment changed The Pittsburgh Women's Com-mittee Against War and Fascism requirements of the powerful drug, has already elected one delegate, heroin. There are ten huge heroin Mrs. Belle Jackson, Negro miner's factories in Sofia, and leading govwife, president of a UMWA Ladies' ernment officials own them. Russell Pacha, Egyptian delegate to the League of Nations Opium Advisory Committee, declared that M. Karagyzoff, former chief of police of Sofia (torturer of Communists) operates one of the largest factories; and M. Parlapanoff, head chemist of the institute of Public

TORONTO, Canada, July 6-The Canadian government now admits

ada and the United States.

terms in Kingston Penitentiary for their working-class activities. The Canadian Labor Defense

Now, after Wirtanen had served murder Tim Buck. A. E. Smith, his sentence in Germany, he is to secretary of the League, was arbe handed over directly to the Fin- rested, charged with libeling the nish fascist authorities. As he is authorities for telling of the shoothated by the Finnish bourgeoisie on ings, but was acquitted as a result account of his participation in the of mass protests throughout Can-

The Canadian Labor Defense League several months ago charged U. S. Inquiry Says

a long prison sentence of at least at Union Station, this city, to wel-10 years in Finland. at Union Station, this city, to wel-come Sam Carr and Matthew Pop-and when Mowitz would not see

ington

not only explained carefully to the capitalist press that they need have no fears that he has become a fighter for the overthrow of capitalism, or that he will fight American imperialism in the next war. In deeds, Norman Thomas has already ac-

cepted the official stamp of approval of those very "opponents" whom he claimed to be fighting, the Waldmans, the O'Neals, etc. Thomas accepted the Senatorial nomination from the New York State Convention, a convention that rejected his Declaration of Principles. At this Convention, Thomas praised as a candidate for Governor Charles Solomon, a leading opponent of the Declaration of Principles.

THOMAS and his colleagues of the "left wing" will no doubt find new ways in the near future of attempting to make the rank and file believe that he has real differences with the outspokenly reformist leadership of the "Old Guard."

#### geoisie is translated simultaneously into a growing sympathy for the fighters against fascism, for the underground German Communist Party, led by Ernst Thaelmann, which alone leads the German workers in the struggle against Hitler's bloody rule.

The Commission's declaration is an acknowledgment of the fact of which the American masses, together with the masses everywhere, are becoming more and more convinced.

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#### aggression of the German author- flood of resolutions and protest ities, against the threatened sur- telegrams to the government de-

render of Wirtanen to Finland. Niilo manding the release of the Seven. Student Plenum Plans Wirtanen must not be handed over The police attacked the demonto the Finnish fascist police! The stration, beating many workers International Red Aid calls upon with whips and clubs and arrested

all its Sections, all organizations of five. the toilers, to take a stand against In spite of the attack, the workthis shameless action. Through a mighty protest movement, demon- ers, carrying red flags, marched to strations, meetings, through letters Queens Park where Carr spoke. of protest, etc., Niilo Wirtanen must Popovich was unable to attend because of serious illness as a result of torture in jail.

In his address to the workers, Commuist, continuing his defiance and Fascism. BROOKLYN, N. Y.-Twelve "Free of the government which has made Thaelmann" outdoor meetings were held in the Crown Heights section, membership in the Communist

Party a criminal offense to be punthe heart of the Negro district, dur-

at the hand of Nazi torturers.

### Campaign for Thaelmann

NEW YORK—Directives for ac-tion to help free Ernst Thaelmann, Mrs. Jackson was elected at the German proletarian leader, was ofregional conference which met on

fered to the Third National Plenum June 24. Among the delegates at of the National Student League this conference were workers from yesterday by Frank Myers, U. S. one of the largest tin factories in student deported from England be-cause of revolutionary activity miners wives from surrounding among the students and a member mining towns, YWCA representa-

of the secretariat of the Interna- tives, liberals, pacifists, writers, etc. Health, owned another. tional Student Committee affiliated The conference to elect the dele-Carr openly declared himself a to the World Congress Against War gates from New York and Chicago takes most of it, but it is not all Myers urged a nation-wide cam-The Chicago confenrence will be

paign on the campuses of this coun-try to free Thaelmann. held in Hull House and the New the Korean, Formosan, and Man-York conference at Irving Plaza. churian masses: No Japanese agent try to free Thaelmann.

ing the past week. Much literature on Thaelmann was sold, and money for protest resolutions was collected. ished by long prison terms. He to intensify the fight to free Ernst appealed to the Canadian workers to intensify the fight to free Ernst at the plenum. intensive preparations are going on to make these conferences as large and representative as possible. intensive preparations on the Japanese militarists are carry-ing on their intrigues.

urday.

Where does the drug go? Japan will be held on Saturday, July 7. used in Japan. Japanese imperialist culture-dispensers force it on Concrete plans for widening the both at 2:30 P. M. In both cities goes into Mongolia, Chahar, Sining on their intrigues, without his All organizations interested in supplies of heroin. The tribal leadsending delegates to the New York ers, the princes and feudal lords City conference can do so by ob- are doped, and dream of war very taining credential calls from Rina much as the Japanese want them

Evans, 213 4th Ave., N. Y. C., or directly at the conference on Sat-

THE Japanese imperialists ceaselessly plot for war against the

Soviet Union, and while they transform Manchukuo into an armed camp, they have a few more cards up their kimona sleeves. Recently "liberation" congress was held in Kobe, under Japanese patronage. Turko-Tartar-Mohammedans from

Forces would be fueled in future by and religious activities" of all Tarexile throughout the East.

FRENCH PUBLIC WORKS, WAR plotting to seize this territory, already having appointed a "Moslem

King," Mr. Khalid Sheldrake, English pickle manufacturer, the Japanese have their pet emporer for

All of the provinces near the seeking to gain allies among the

One of the most dangerous features of this business is that the Japanese have called another for war against the U.S.S.F

# The Inside Story of Corruption of Nazi Regime Shows How The German Social: Taders Aided Advent of Fascism

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with all sections of the bourgeoisie, with or against Hitler. An example: "Strassor spoke of Hitler as if he were a half-sick, half-mad operatic soprano; of Goering and Goebbels he talked in quite a different tone. But the brotherly love of the Brown Shirts is a peculiar affair."

Strasser is finally dismissed, though he comes back into the fold when Hitler comes to power, only to find his head at his ankles. "Hitler has appointed as his successor Robert Ley (now head of the Labor Front), a great boozer before the Lord. Besides, he is in the particular confidence of the chemical manufacturers in the Rhineland. And stinks with the money of his employers."

The Nazis were not in the least particular what section of the bourgeoisie financed them, though they got the greatest sums from the Thyssens and Krupps, and never hesitated to accept hundreds of thousands of marks from the Jewish bankers.

"It was at the house of a Jewish Bank and Stock Exchange king (of all things), that of Baron Schroeder in Cologne, that the feast of reconciliation between Hitler and Papen took place. The lives of 'great spirits,' it seems, leave room for some queer aberrations.'

At this dinner, Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, chairman of the board of directors of the Krupp munitions works, and of the Federation of German Industries, calls up to find out how the conciliation. is going.

#### Supported by Soviet Enemies

THE general reveals, also, how the Nazis received international financial support from the most corrupt monopolist and the most vicious enemies of the Soviet Union in Great Britain and Sweden. Schleicher got mad about it and wanted to arrest Hitler. "Hitler must be arrested," records General

von Seeckt, "his party dissolved and outlawed, the whole scandal of the Nazi's revenues brought to light, their connections with the armament industry abroad, with Deterdings, with Ivar Kreuger made public."

Which explains a lot about what is happening today. It explains the support of British imperialism to the Nazi's armament program; the connection of Vickers and Krupp; the supplying by the British Vickers concern of bombing planes to the Nazis, and it explains the purpose. Deterding, the most vicious single enemy of the Soviet Union in the world, who has been financing every counter-revolutionary force, has been feeding the Nazis with funds solely to speed the war against the Soviet Union. Should the Stavisky scandals in France ever reach the full light of day, they would undoubtedly show Hitler received funds from this putrid source just as he did from crook Kreuger.

The British financial support, which is only barely exposed in this book, also partly explains why the British bankers got special consideration on the moratorium.

#### Author Speaks As Militarist

"THE Berlin Dairies," is filled with details of the day to day horse-trading, corruption, intrigues of the German bourgeoisie, trying first one means, then another, leading to the fascist dictatorship, against the proletarian revolution.

The author does not attempt to give an analysis. or a rounded-out picture. He speaks only as a militarist in the service of German capitalism. agreeing with that small section of the ruling class which did not want the Nazis to come to power, feeling that they narrowed the avenues of maneuvering and brought the doom of German capitalism too dangerously near.

We could foresee, from his class position, that

Fascism in Germany meant catastrophe, and the catastrophe meant the end of German capitalism.

His daily record of the servile support of the German Social Democratic leaders, fully exposed by the Communist Party of Germany at each stage of the betrayals of the Socialist bootlickers, is here confirmed from intimate connection with these scoundrels. So despicable were these betrayers of the workers in the eyes of their own masters, that they looked upon them as the most pliable lackeys. to be used without question, and to be thrown into the garbage can when their services were no longer required.

It's not a pretty story that is told, no more than are the present events that are unfolding for the whole world to see. Rotten, decaying capitalism congenitally degenerate to its marrow, can find no other means of preserving its bankrupt system than through the agency of the most depraved, perverse, gangsters and cutthroats, the most degraded human beings who slaughter their best friends and servitors.

For all this, the workers of Germany can thank the Socialist Party leaders, who even when Hitler was already in power, before the Reichstag fire remained true to their class collaboration policy to the last, refusing to join the united front call for a general strike which could have swept this scum from the face of the earth.

#### The C. I. On German Social Democracy

IN the light of present facts, how true and foresighted is the resolution of the Communist International on the rise of Fascism to power and its perspectives. We quote two sections from this resolution, passed April 1, 1933, more than a year ago

"German social democracy, which had the sup-

port of the majority of the proletariat in the November revolution of 1918, split the working class, and instead of carrying the revolution forward to the dictatorship of the proletariat and socialism, which was the duty of a proletarian party, it, in alliance with the bourgeoisie and the generals of the Kaiser, suppressed the uprising of the revolutionary masses and laid the basis for a profound split of the working class of Germany. Under the flag of collaboration with the bourgeoisie and the tactic of the 'lesser evil,' in alliance with the bourgeoisie and with the approval of the Second (Socialist) International, it continued the policy of severe repression of the revolutionary movement and the line of splitting the working class right up to the most recent date. It disbanded the Red Front Fighters' League, suppressed revoltionary workers' organizations, prohibited and fired into workers' demonstrations, broke economic and political strikes against the capitalist offensive and fascism, and supported the counter-revolutionary bourgeoisie . . .

"Every day will show with greater clearness that Hitler is leading Germany to catastrophe.

"The present period of calm after the victory of fascism is temporary. The revolutionary upsurge in Germany will inevitably grow in spite of fascist terror. The resistance of the masses to fascism is bound to increase. The establishment of an open fascist dictatorship, by destroying all democratic illusions among the masses and liberating them from the influence of social-democracy, accelerates the rate of Germany's development towards proletarian revolution."

Should the General ever continue his diaries, he will be able to record, first, that the Red Army of China defeated his crack troops: and second, that the proletarian revolution in Germany shall have achieved the final victory.

FOREIGN BRIEFS

#### BRITISE PLAN SUPPLIES OF OIL FOR WAR

of recent government measures en- Soviet Union, as well as deposed couraging private development of feudal princes from Soviet Turkehuge plants for the production of stan were present. gasoline by hydrogenation of coal With Japanese funds and arms, was revealed today with the an- a central organization is to be set nouncement that t he Royal Air up to "direct all political, cultural,

plished fact, British imperialism having greedily seized scientific possibilities wherever they might contribute to military advancement.

MEASURE

PARIS, July 6: The Chamber of Deputies today passed the so-called Public Works bill which was then accepted unanimously by the Sinkiang, Mr. Abdul-Rashid-Hasret Senate.

The bill under the guise of a huge public works outlay to create em-ployment, military roads, fortifica-Soviet Turkestan, along the Mantions electrification of railroads and churian border, is honeycombed other preparations are openly planned.

from the social insurance fund. \* \*

BUDAPEST, July 6. - Former Public Welfare Secrtary Emerich Turko-Tartar Congress for Autumn Drehr was today sentenced to five in Tokio, which shows how rapidly years imprisonment for embezzling they are preparing all their forces Public Welfare funds

LONDON, July 6 .- The meaning the Chinese border states near the

artificial gasoline drawn from coal. tars, Turks, Bashkirs, Uzbecks, Kir-Large scale production of gaso-line by this method is an eccom-exile throughout the East The main point of attack is the

Chinese province of Sinkiang, which is inhabited mainly by Mohammedans, and borders the Soviet Union. While the British, too, are

Ibrahim with Japanese spies, provocateurs

Moreover, the 2,700,000,000 francs ambitious princes who prefer to be thus expended will not be raised by Pu Yi's (puppet emperors) under taxation but will be withdrawn Japanese hegemony.