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SCOTTSBORD CONFERENCE CALLED Thaelmann Defense Plans Mapped

QUICK MASS Labor Spy System Flourishes **ACTIONS ARE** Under Roosevelt's New Deal, CALLED FOR 'Daily' Investigation Reveals

New York, N. T., under the Act of March 8, 1879

Conviction Would Doom Thousands of Others, Says Committee

LISTS DIRECTIVES

Immediate Steps Urged As Secret 'Trial' May Have Begun

Declaring that the fate of Ernst Thaelmann, leader of the German workers, now facing trial in fascist Germany, is the concern of "every individual and organization opposed to the Hitler regime, its atrocities and persecutions," a call of the National Committee to Aid the Victims of German fascism points out specific means of widening the fight for Thaelmann's liberation.

The fact must be broadly popularized, the letter declares, that Ernst Thaelmann is convicted, then there will immediately follow the trials of other outstanding individuals now in Hitler's concentra tion camps who are not of Thaelmann's political convictions. We can expect that following the trial of Thaeimann before the 'People's network leading pacifists. tradeunionists. intellectuals. Socialists, Jews and Christians will meet the which, instead of working directly same fate.

Because of the urgency of the sit- Manufacturers' Associations and a uation (Thaelmann's trial behind often owned outright by them. closed dcors, if not taking place at this moment, will occur any day), that the Pinkerton, Burns and and Hitlerism as well as all city much higher level the movement to in various labor organizations and "We have very little time in Today these agencies

Strikers Blacklisted **On Basis of Reports** Of Undercover Men

In the recent heroic strike struggles of the workers, thousands upon thousands were blacklisted after the strikes were over. A large precentage of this blacklisting was a result of the undercover work of spy agencies oper-ating on a large scale all over the country, in almost every important industry.

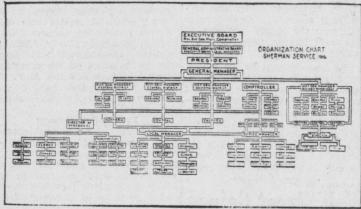
In the course of a series of articles, of which this is the first, the Daily Worker will present documentary evidence to prove this beyond vestige of a doubt, and outline ways and means of how to combat these rats, how to expose them, how to make their subversive work ineffective.

By Edward Newhouse

Article I

The N. R. A. has forbidden the setting of spies by one company on another, but it has repeatedly refused to include labor spying among its list of "unfair practices." Given this free hand, manipulators of the have assumed siniste power. Increasingly, espionage control is concentrating into agencies

with individual concerns, deal with Manufacturers' Associations and are A previous canvas has shown all organizations opposing fascism Thiel agencies alone listed 135,000 where the Pecs miners lay in blackmen on their combined rolls, main- ness, starvation and torture, the committees of the National Com-mittee to Aid the Victims of Hitler 10,000 local branches, with 75 per the Austrian Government, grudg-Fascism are requested to raise to a cent of their operatives under cover ingly yielded to the pressure of the save Thaelmann's life. The letter an annual income of \$55,000,000. toiling masses, granting the selfhave en-



"Stir up as much feeling as you possibly can between the Serbians and the Italians," wrote the Sherman industrial spy outfit to one of its operatives during a strike. "Call up every question you can in reference to racial hatred between these two nationalities." Here is the chart the Sherman company draws of its organization whose threads converge at 22 East 40th Street, New York



PARIS. Oct. 16 .- Feverish activi-PECS, Hungary, Oct. 16.-After 110 hours in the deep mine galleries ties of the French and British forgn offices prove that the danger of war over the assassination of the tyrant King Alexander of Jugoslavia is greater now. after his burial, than at any time since he was shot down in Marseilles last entombed miners wage



or Defense and the League of people and white ference, Sunday, Oct. 21. The connent persons. Negro and white, will place in St. Luke's Hall, 127 West 130th St. in Harlem and will

Other actions in the fight for the lives and freedom of the boy iemonstration in Harlem this afernoon, with starting points at 27 The two parades will converge at 110th St., where the

governor of New York, and James ers in the fight for the Scottsbor

groups must be undertaken today. We request you to carry out the pose will allow. following activities:

"1. Renew and increase the committees to visit the German consulates.

in your city

3. Flood the 'People's Court,' Broadway hotels, most of which Berlin, Germany, with resolutions demanding the freedom of Ernst Thaelmann.

"4. Request that groups, organizations and hundreds of individter, return receipt demanded, to bus, Ohio. Ernst Thaelmann, 'People's Court,' Berlin, Germany, assuring Thaelmann of their support in the demand for his liberation.

"5. Renew picketing at the German consulates.

million signatures to free Ernst town can peep into his files and Thaelmann. tell you exactly when and under Thaelmann

onstrations before the German con-sulate in your city. Such mass dem-denied by Judge Delaney of the next few days.

"8. Induce all sympathetic organizations and groups to name a Lib- the name of W. A. Schraisen, P. O. eration Committee of Three, this Box 793, Philadelphia, its Vicewith your center to help in the attended to the hiring of operatives above tasks.

"9. Hold special meetings of attorneys so that they may launch an effective protest. Call special meetings of other professionals. Secure protests from outstanding people in the public life of your city.

"These are the tasks which will mobilize masses of sympathizers and which will effectively notify the Hitler regime that Thaelmann has the support of hundreds of thousands of friends in all parts of the United States. Get into action immediately

Demonstration in Chicago Loop

(Daily Worker Midwest Bureau) CHICAGO. Oct. 15.-State Street and Madison Avenue, the heart of scene of a militant noon-day demonstration today demanding the freedom of Ernst Thaelmann.

than 300 workers who Brown of the Communist Party condemn Brown-Shirt terror

Pickets Released After Arrest. (Special to the Daily Worker) PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 15.

Eight workers who were arrested - inst the "trial" of Ernst Thael-

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which to act, and immediate mo-bilization of all committees and methods and legalized them as far as effective execution of their pur-

before 98 per cent of the workers cratic leaders to win the miners to

the taxi drivers who spread word within the hour around the lower house scores of strike-breakers. At the height of the textile strike

Bergoff was receiving spy reports from the Ainsley Hotel in Atlanta, uals at once write a registered let- the Deshler-Wallick Hotel, Colum- and they remained in the pits for

Strike-breakers for Textile

The same day, according to Paterson's Chief of Police John listen and most of them were un-Murphy, Newark's Tim Manning able to speak. shipped 500 men to textile areas. "6. Broaden the campaign for a Lawyer Cole of Chief Murphy's "7. Assist in initiating mass dem- what circumstances a certain

onstration should occur within the Common Pleas Court. And while provided no damage was done to the the Railway Audit and Inspection mines. Co. received its pay reports under

2. No cancellations of vacations because of the strike. 3. A government commission committee to be in daily contact President Harry Preston personally see that justice is done them. The workers agreed to await fur-

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To Approve Attacks

on the Masses

By MILTON HOWARD

A Roosevelt's Democratic spokes-

S the elections approach, and

and unemployment relief. The Jugoslavian fascist govern-Thus, despite the efforts of the ment is threatening to send an ul-

fascist Gomboes government forcibly timatum to Hungary, demanding Garrulous old Peter Bergoff's to remove the men from the pits satisfaction for having conspired boast that he knows about strikes and the attempts of Social-Demowith the assassins for the death of King Alexander. The Hungarian nvolved, and that within 48 hours the surface by promises of future government has been moving closer "2. Renew and increase the tele-phoning of the consulates by hun-phoning of the consulates by hunhe can get 10,000 strike-breakers arbitration, they emerged this afterto Hitler fascism, and it is now established that the assassins had connections with the Nazi support-

This last resort means of fighters in Hungary, hoping to precipiing for a living wage has taken a tate war in order to advance the tragic toll in madness and exhauscause of German fascism for the tion. Carried from the mine-shafts seizure of new territory.

many were unconscious and near The French foreign office met todeath; others were so ill that it day with representatives of Czecho the Dempsey Hotel in Macon, and was impossible to bring them aloft slovakia to decide what action to take to strengthen the French alemergency treatment. Although liance with the Little Entente, Ruwives and children joyously exmania, Jugoslavia and Czechoslo plained the demands they had won.

vakia. the miners were too exhausted to President Albert Lebrun France, Eduard Benes, Foreign Minister of Czechoslovakia, and

In addition to the weekly increase Nicholas Titulescu, Rumanian Forof \$1.50 there was granted a coleign Minister, are expected to leave lective relief payment of about \$17.for Belgrade, Jugoslavia, to decide 217 now and a similar one at Christon future war alliances and on the mas. Further: question of immediate diplomatic 1. No prosecution for sabotage, action towards Hungary on the

question of responsibility for the death of King Alexander.

The British envoys at Rome and Belgrade also took a hand in the rising storm, which may break out into war at any moment. It was announced in London that the

British Foreign Office "counseled moderation.'

envisioned by Socialists, Commu- that the workers still hold many nists and others. cities.

but

the

"It is our opinion also that should Leaflets are being dropped from rganized labor initiate such a policy army planes, calling on the workers as you recommend, it would find to stop their struggles and to submit itself limited to a very small memto the government. In Gijon, 12 bership, entirely inadequate to cope workers were condemned to death International Longshoremen's Assofor their part in the armed upris-

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Capitalism as compared with the

The government also reported 25,000 Silk Dyers Near that when the workers were driven out of Oviedo, in Asturias, they had Strike as Conference taken 16,000,000 pesetas from the Oviedo branch of the Bank of Spain **On New Contract Fails** about \$2,000,000). But the govern-

ment dispatch does not point out PATERSON. N. J., Oct. 16 .- A that this money was taken to conconference between leaders of the tinue the armed struggles and to

United Textile Workers' Dye Union help in the revolutionary struggles here and employers failed to reach against the fascist regime. an agreement on a new contract, bringing nearer a strike of 25.000

Anti-Fascist Fighters silk dyers. The present con'ract expires on Oct. 24. Will Face Boston Court The workers demand a thirty-

hour week, six-hour day; a mini-mum wage of \$1 an hour, and the BOSTON, Oct. 16 .- Hearing on closed shop. The employers de- the appeal against the vicious sen-

mand the continuation of the pres- tences imposed on nine young work-ent contract. / ers and students for participation One thousand silk workers, also in the anti-Nazi demonstration last in the U. T. W., are already strik- June against Hitler's propaganda

ing against wage cuts and discrim- agent, "Putzy" Hanfstaengl, is set ina ion growing out of the general for Oc. 19 in the Cambridge Sutextile strike betrayal by the Gorperior Court, Criminal Sessions, man-Keller leadership of the U.T.W. East Cambridge, near Lechmere. Rank and file workers are urging

simultaneous strike of the silk Only the Communist Election by organizing ship committees on Platform Proposes Real Unemployworkers and dyers when the dye contract expires. ment Insurance.

roposed cooperative commonwealth sum has been alloted is proof aim of Victor Olander and Silas Liberator and Communist Axtell to hamstring the I.S.U. members with a no-strike agreement.

fact that this large of their interests and that it is the

wood, Communist candidate in the 19th Assembly District, and Na-Meanwhile, paralleling the treachtional Secretary of the League of rous acts of the I.S.U. officials Struggle for Negro Rights. Joseph P. Ryan, President of the

Plot To Be Exposed

date for Assemblyman in the 21st

Assembly District, and Harry Hay-

candi-

ciation, conferring with the ship-Sunday's conference will set the wners, stated that an arbitration pace for others throughout the award would be perfectly agreeable United States.

Business Manager of the

with him. He said that the refusal The sensational story of the of the I. L. A. leaders to call : trickery and underhanded methods employed by Samuel S. Leibowitz, trike when the agreement expired on Oct. 1 showed "good judgment. former Scottsboro attorney, but now a traitor to the Scottsboro boys, to The Rank and File Committee of knife the defense in the back. he International Longshoremen's be told in detail by Ben J. Davis, Association, in a leaflet issued yes-Jr., editor of the Negro Liberator. terday, assailed Ryan's statement The slimy methods employed by that he would abide with the deci-Leibowitz took a new form this sion of the West Coast Longshoreweek, when his agents in Harlem nen's Arbitration Board. The comtried to throw difficulties in the mittee pointed out that although way of the conference by instructthe decision of the board granted ing hall owners not to rent halls significant concessions, which were to the authorized Scottsboro deforced by the militant strike of the fense. The Harlem Young Wom-

maritime workers on the Pacific en's Christian Association refused Coast, a strike that Ryan fought a hall for the conference on the hard against, the central demand ground that "there is another group for union-controlled hiring halls in this Scottsboro case." The Harwas not granted.

The statement of the Marine Workers Industrial Union on the

situation on the ships and docks, Scottsboro Defense follows: Forward with the fight! Prepar

Conference Called to strike all Atlantic and Gulf ships In Detroit Friday

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DETROIT, Oct. 16.-An Emer-ency Scottsboro Defense Conference will be held here next Friday evening at 8 o'clock at 5310 Russell S reet. The call for the confer-ence, issued jointly by the Interna-S reet. ional Labor Defense and the League of Struggle for Negro Rights, points out that Dec. 7 has

Heywood Patterion and Claratica Norris, two of the defendan's, and

stresses the need of intensifying the

fight for their safety and freedom.

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Only Communist Party been set for the legal murder of Candidates Expose **Growing Reaction**

italism can ever be smashed in any other way than by revolutionary struggle, but because Communists in Congress and in the municipal halls would carry the fight for the needs of the masses right into the ranks of the enemy. Communist are needed in the capitalist government bodies to challenge the whole Roosevelt 'New Deal' Wall Street program, to demand that the interests of the working class be made paramount over the intcrests of the handful of bankers and parasites in whose interests Roosevelt executes his whole pro-

Roosevelt's "New Deal" is their munists in the legislative halls of

gram.

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Wall Street trusts, but the Wall to a life of misery and insecurity. spokesmen do not state their pur- parts at the N.R.A. machinery The fight of the Communist pose in this blunt way. Richberg which stand in the way of the em-Street trusts which are tightening Party in the elections is part of its ployers running the N.R.A. through their grip on the Rooscveit governthe balance" in industry, and for their own direct agents. ment, making it a more and more And the policy announced by open tool of their wage-smashing interests. N.R.A. Capitalist Program This is the meaning of the latest

'Revised New Deal' Gives Wall Street Direct Control of NRA

levelopment in the N.R.A. as outthe past few days, as they opened the election drive. The class objectives of the Reconvelt 'New Deal' every day loom more harshly as the canitalist class objective of a handful of multi-millionaire parasites who control the country's economic life. In the elections for Congress, as he working class and the employers, there is the clash of opposing class interests, the interests of the millions of workers and small farmers, against the interests of a

the capitalists. 'It needs Commuplunders and degrades the masses nists in Congress, not that cap-

Seven Are Convicted For Participation in Jobless Demonstration Seven workers, arrested at the

tives brutally attacked a demonstration of the unemployed, were convicted on charges of "unlawful assembly" at Special Sessions Court vesterday. They will be sentenced on Oct. 30. Three others, arrested at the same time, were found not

The seven convicted workers are: Carl Alexander, Michael Poliski, Lynch, Charles Williams, and Har-

old Keithline.

guilty.

May 26 demonstration at 50 Lafayette Street, where police and detec-

way to solve the problems of the Sam Miller, David Jenkins, Jerry

"New Deal" by returning a Demoare taking place in the revision of latest steps toward "restoring balwho are supposed to approve a con- conceal new moves toward strength-

what the new course of the "re-

tinuation of this N.R.A.-New Deal ening the grip of Wall Street mospokesman, has already made clear ernment power.

were originally set up to "control" R. A. codes and boards, present non-monopoly production, small business conditions make it neces-

flocked to the meeting, which lasted the N.R.A. which can only mean ance" and "free competition" are program

vised" N.R.A. will be. It will be

nopoly, not only on the economic Donald Richberg, chief N.R.A. life of the country, but on the gov-Direct Control Whereas the big monopolies re here today for picketing the Ger- toward giving the biggest Wall quired in the beginning that the Vice-Consulate in protest Street monopolies more direct con- N. R. A. codes "police industry"

trol of the N.R.A. agencies which through an elaborate set-up of N.

"a policy neither the extreme right nor the extreme left." Roosevelt yesterday morning, per-The Republican critic of the mitting the "self-policing of indus-Roosevelt government, Mark Sullitry," to use the term employed by chicago's teeming Loop, was the men call upon the workers and im- van, defines this policy as "facing the Roosevelt spokesmen thempoverished farmers to approve the left, but moving right." selves, gives the Wall Street em-

Roosevelt Wants Voters business. Naturally, Roosevelt's sary that Roosevelt simplify certain ment. which is "controlling" the

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spoke the other day of "restoring

Rocsevelt, of course, has never ployers just this new direct control cratic Congress, new developments done anything else. But these over the Government apparatus which they need in their new plans for driving the wages and living only a short time, heard Dave greater misery for these millions nothing but the phraseology which standards of the American working class down still further.

The penetrating words spoken by Stalin the other day to the American working class are being confirmed with extraordinary speed.

"It is not the State which is getting control over the economy On the contrary, it is the capitalist economy which is getting control of the State." It is not the Roosevelt govern

Wall Street ruling class which

fight against the whole rotten wage slavery which the Roosevelt 'New Deal' not only perpetuates, but makes more brutal, more ruthless. every day so that the monopolies can crawl out of the crisis on the

ined by Richberg and Roosevelt in backs of the workers. Roosevelt's latest moves in the N.R.A. are the signal for new wage-cuts, new inflationary raising of prices so that Roosevelt's masters, the Wall Street billion-dollar corporations, can protect their profits and their dividends, Roosevelt's election campaigning is only typical of his whole technique-"facing left

n the every day struggle between but moving right," talking about a "middle road," but preparing for new wage-cuts and terrorism against the workers to protect Wall Street. The working class needs Com-

Auto Labor Board Leader Sponsors Company Union

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BYRD ANNOUNCES N.R.A. PLAN TO OUST **MILITANT WORKERS**

Claims He Has 228 'Key Men' in Detroit Auto Call Conference Company Unions; Promises 'Piecard' Jobs As Travelling Inspectors

By N. Ganley

DETROIT, Oct. 16 .- The MESA Voice in its October lem Young Men's Christian Assoissue No. 5, confirms what the Daily Worker has been stat- cietion also refused their hall on ing all thetime: that Richard L. Byrd, member of the National Automobile Labor Board, is using his position to weed the Rev. King-both of them memout militant unionists and build up company unions in the bers of the Leibowitz group - and automobile industry

by

The Voice, issued by the Mechan-ics Educational Society, says: "Byrd has been making deals with workers who come to him to plead victimization. These men are all members of already existing unions Byrd thereupon offers to reinstate the man if he will promise to return to the shop as an organized for the Greer union (Associated Automobile Workers, which is a split of the A. F. of L.)

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"As a reward, he tells them, he and Dr. Wolman have concocted a scheme of 'expanding the activities of the Board' by sending travelling inspectors from plant to plant. The men who organize for the Greer union, he promises, will be given preferences for these 'piecard' jobs as travelling inspectors Another of Byrd's carefullythought out plans is one telling men who want jobs that they should enter company unions.

"This tactic, he explains, is really boring from within and, he claims, he has more than 228 keymen in Detroit auto company unions. Byrd is co-operating with the bosses by weeding out militant trade unionists and men liable to prove troublesome to more profits for the employers. Any man reinstated through the good offices of Byrd is checked against a so-called 'Communist list,' made up of acout tive unionists and Communists in Detroit

Smith Would Continue Board This evidence of the M.E.S.A. Voice also confirms the statements labor fakers, because they knew this of the militant rank and file of the would have compelled recognition of A. F. of L. unions that Greer's our elected representatives and union (the Associated Automobile Workers of America, which is a recent split-off of the A. F. of L.) is in reality an organization to fasten

the company unions upon the automobile workers But what is the solution proposed

by the M.E.S.A. Voice and Mathew Smith? Mathew Smith is quoted as saying: "Organized labor must /immediately begin a drive to rid the labor board of Byrd and his ilk. Little can be expected from labor boards in any event, but at least if labor is represented by a fighting, militant worker, who will stand up and make a determined stand against the rotten decisions, labor will gain, if only from the expose of the board itself. . . Byrd must The M.E.S.A. will make a forgo! mal request to the president asking

In this way Mathew Smith covers

'they wouldn't like it." League likewise refused to let the conference meet in its quarters. Many Leaders Supporting Con-Leaders' Confab Backing the Emergency Confernce are a large number of prom-

every ship!

dustrial Union.

Join the Marine Workers In-

MARINE WORKERS INDUSTRIAL UNION,

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rence

inent white and Negro leaders

William N. Jones, two years ago chairman of the Ford-Foster elec-

American, will arrive from Phila-

delphia to take part in the confer-

Prison, Atlanta, Ga., is taking an

NATIONAL COMMITTEE

(Continued from Page 1) every ship; by building up a united tion committee and a member o

front controlled by the rank and the staff of the Baltimore Afrofile; and by driving the strikebreaking labor fakers out of the ranks! It is in this spirit that we seamen ence. Angelo Herndon, recently revoted to call off the general strike leased on bail from Fulton Tower call issued October 8. Our strike, effective on 28 ships,

active part in the preparation of was the largest strike on the East the conference. Coast since 1923. It drove fear into Among the many others backing the hearts of the shipowners and

the conference are Joseph Brodsky labor fakers. on the legal staff of the Scotts-Thousands of seamen endorsed boro defense from the first day that the call for a united strike issued the I. L. D. entered the case; Euthe Marine Workers Industrial gene Gordon, well-known writer; A. Gilbert, attorney; Dr. Verner Du United Front strike com-Union. Bois; Elizabeth Scott, Dr. mittees were set up in all ports, which included representatives of the dinand Forbes, Alexander M. Barunorganized, the American Radio row, District Grand Master of the United Order of Odd Fellows; Dr. Telegraphists Association and the Marine Workers Industrial Union. H. Washington, Herman Osborne Unorganized seamen, as well as Dr. James J. Jones, Winifred Chanpell of the Methodist Church Fedmembers of the I.S.U. and M.W. eration for Social Service; Kyle U. piled off ships during the strike. Licensed officers were drawn Creighton, Editorial Board of Colliers Magazine; Hilda McKinney, into the strike movement and the Theodore Smith, John Newton radio men were ready to act. Twen-Griggs, attorney; Dr. ty-eight ships in five ports came Donolson, Turner W. Parker, Dr. on strike-the largest strike on Ferdinand Reed, Theodore Smith, the East Coast since 1923. The Aaron Douglas, well-known artist; strike, and the threat of it spread-Dr. Reuben S. Young, Horace ing to other ships, drove fear into Gregory, writer: Oakley Johnson the hearts of the shipowners and and Joseph Kovin, editors of the

Robert Armstrong,

granting of our demands.

Time Ripe for Action

The crews were ready and the Donowa; James W. Ford, Commuime was ripe for action. We were nist leader; Theodore Smith, Ben weak organizationally, but it is Gold, well-known leader of mainly the strikebreaking officials needle trades workers; Steve Kingof the I.S.U. who prevented the ston, Communist leader; Henry Filcrews from taking action. Every more Cabot, Roy Hudson, leader of seamen must remember the deeds the marine workers; T. Holmes, of these officials. They refused to leader in the needle trades; Peter of misery they have endured these me into a united front even when Uffrie, leader of the tobacco workthousands of seamen demanded it. ers; Harry Haywood, General Sec-By cancelling their strike call, the retary of the League of Struggle I.S.U. leaders tried to divide the for Negro Rights; Ben J. Davis, edi-I.S.U. membership from those sea- tor of the Negro Liberator; Anna men who were rallying behind the Damon, acting National Secretary United Front Strike Committees. of the I. L. D.; William Fitzgerald, Their call for a "truce" did not for the Harlem I. L. D.; Bonita stop the seamen from taking ac- Williams, of the Greater New York When the strike started, the Council of the L. S. N. R.; Samuel I.S.U. officials were allowed to go Patterson, Lester Granger, Business every ship entering port, Manager of "Opportunity" aboard Where ship's crews League and Daniel struck it was the scabby I.S.U. offithe New Jersey Y. M. C. A. cials who provided the shipowners with strikebreakers. These I.S.U. officials faithfully put into effect the strikebreaking plans that were Dorothy engineered by Mr. Garrison of the N.R.A. By these methods and through these gentlemen the shipowners succeeded in confusing and demoralizing crews entering port, the 7th District, Brooklyn. thereby preventing the strike from spreading. The strike was checked and weakened. But we are more determined than ever that our demands for higher wages and better conditions be met. Mr. Axtel, Olan der and the other I.S.U. officials who helped break the strike, will not fight for our demands in the present secret negotiations. Already they have been negotiating for several weeks with no results or re-

and where they told the seamen "there head of the New Jersey Urban last meeting. J. Weems, of Rabbi Benjamin Goldstein; John Times Book Review department McKenna, and Henry Hart of the Editorial Board of Scribner's: Clarence Hathaway, editor of the Daily Worker, Communist candidate for Congress in **Election of Communists** Hunger Program

scab-herding I.S.U. officials! Organize ship committees on **Central Committee** Addresses Request Prepare for an Atlantic conference in the next few months **To Party Members** decide upon further action.

To New Party Members:

The Central Committee is eager to learn the reactions of the workers newly recruited into the Party. Will you write to us, telling why you joined the Party, you were recruited, and your impressions of the Party since you have been a member?

On Scottsboro To the Comrades in the Units:

The Central Committee has addressed a personal letter to you. It is interested to know what you are doing in response to this letter. Will you write to us about it? What are your own expethe ground that among their diriences in trying to carry out rectors are the Rev. Bolden, and this letter? Was it discussed in your unit? What plans have been made to put it into effect? The Urban What experiences can your unit relate in the recruiting drive? The Central Committee wishes to hear from you. Your expe-riences and impressions will benefit the entire Party.

Butte Mine Local Defies Green Edict

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with the problems confronting it. To us it seems absurd to carry on campaign of organization and hen attempt to eliminate from our fer slow starvation above-ground. ranks those whom observation reveal went into the shafts intending to

militant members. We remember former 'Red Hunts' which resulted isastrously to the American Labor Movement, causing it to sink into tape, since some of the demands condition of pitiful impotency. We feel that, according to your tandards, most of our most active members would come under the We cannot lassification 'red'. therefore, accede to your request and embark on another 'Red Hunt'. "The immediate problem conronting labor is the shortening of

the work day sufficiently to place every unemployed worker back on Theodore the job and to increase wages to the point where every worker shall be assured of at least what you call an American standard of living. We do not propose, therefore, to cause dissension in our ranks by singling out any particular group, be it lily Monthly Review; Jack Stachel, Actwhite, the most delicate pink or ing Secretary of the Trade Union the deepest crimson, and discrim-Unity League; Milton Herndon, inating against such group so long brother of Angelo Herndon; Dr. as it works with us toward the at-Dr. Arnold tainment of the aforementioned ob-We may add, in conclusion iects. that unless the American Federathe ion of Labor, of which you are the Official Head, formulates an immediate program designed to relieve the workers of the intolerable load many years, another helmsman may soon be at the wheel.

> "Prophetically, "Butte Miners' Union No. 1. "I. U. of M. M. & S. W.

EVERETT, Wash., Oct. 16 .- The ter from William Green proposing the expulsion of Communists and militants from the trade unions

last meeting of the Interna-

NEW YORK.-After a thorough Exposed by 'Daily'

discussion at its membership meet-(Continued from Page 1) ing at Irving Plaza on Oct. 8, the Cleaners, Dyers and Pressers Union

of New York, Local 18232, decided in the Trust Company of Georgia Building at Atlanta. Peter Van Horn, chairman of the to reject the letter of President Green, ordering the expulsion of N. R. A. Silk Code Authority, Communists out of all A. F. of L willing to refer qualified individuals to addresses of people who can spill The delegate to the A. F. unions. of L. convention at San Francisco dope on local Communist activity in silk. George Sloan's publicity man, was notified accordingly, and a letter to the Executive Council of the Bill Lawson, has astoundingly ac-A. F. of L. gave reason for the accurate information on the tion, and insisted that; every memonnel of flying squadrons in Trion ber has a right to join any political and Honea Path party desired.

Espionage Files

During the discussion, workers At that, textile espionage lacks showed a contrast in the militant the finesse of the network which leadership given by Communists in honeycombs steel. In Rooms 1009 the marine and textile strikes, to and 1010 of the Carnegie Building the strikebreaking actions of the A. at Pittsburgh, Mr. Charles W. Tuttle F. of L. officials. keeps some 70 steel cabinets and 20 double card files and one of the

best current libraries of labor and **Pecs Miners Win** radical publications in the country **Demands** in Strike (Continued from Page 1)

ther negotiations on their demand for five days' work instead of the present two. Although the press has not writ-

ten of it before, the Pecs miners have gone on strike dozens of times previously, and as each time the fascist authorities intervened to guarantee the profits of the mineowners, the miners, rather than sufthese "industrial service bureaus," "human engineering services," "inas among our most progressive and stay there forever, unless they sedustrial conciliators" and "human elations counsellors," who keep cured their demands The demands won by the miners

men in the shop, on the company baseball team, inside the A. F. of are wrapped in a great deal of red L. bureaucracy and behind the ounters of restaurants where are yet "to be worked out" by govworkers eat. ernment commissions. Meanwhile

Provocation Experts other local mine owners in Pecs No "industrial adjustment operation" is beyond or below the scope of these outfits. Harry Orchard. formerly of Thiel and Pinkerton, is

still serving a life sentence in an Idaho penitentiary for the assassi-nation by bomb of Governor Steuenberg, but when his superior, Allan Pinkerton, died recently he left In New N.R.A. Steps a fortune running into seven fig-ures. In Joliet, Ill., a Burns man was caught throwing a bomb at a non-union garage to discredit striking members of the machinists' union, but that did not affect entries in the agency's books such as payment of \$29,817.11, conthe

tributed by the Manufacturers' As-sociation of Erie, Pa., for the breaking of a sngle strike. Approaching a prospective client

the J. H. Turner Service writes: "Dear Sir: In view of the epidemic of agitation that has recently broken out among the working classes of Greater Boston and Massachusetts in general and the plans now of organizers to more completely line up the workers so that radical action may be brought about. We believe the time is opportune to direct your attention to our service and to the work which we have

number of leading manufacturers was laughed off the floor of the Carry the revolutionary struggles ing the years of our existence no Everett Central Labor Council at its led by the Communist Party into regular client of the company has the legislative halls of the capital- been troubled with strikes. . . . We

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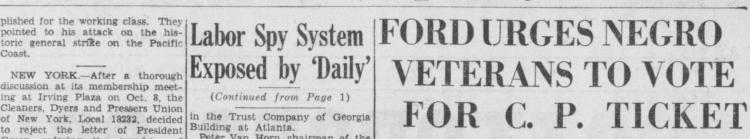
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Communist Candidate for Congress in Harlem Tells How Negro Soldiers Were Treated in U. S. Army During World War

By James W. Ford

Candidate for Congress in the 21st District, Harlem "Life and death issues face the Negro people at everturn today." The hateful question of jim-crowism pops up in the life of every man, woman and child of the Negro race. The jim-crow policies of the ruling class prevail everywhere. I want to touch briefly on how Negro soldiers were

follows

Les Bains.

captain say:

inferior-" etc

heard.

It was during maneuvers. We were stationed at one of the few

places in France where, in 1918, the

fourth year of the great war which

was to make the world "safe for

democracy," it was still possible to

find a few trees and other under-

brush suitable for military maneu-

vers. We belonged to the 325th Field Signal Battalion, an all Negro

outfit, commanded by white offi-

cers, and we were stationed at Aix

known to the men as "Georgia Bill,"

was crouching under a tree at his

radio instrument, preparing for an imaginary attack. Nearby stood the

captain of our outfit, lily-white,

who was discussing the maneuvers

with a visiting French officer.

Snatches of the conversation came

to the ears of "Georgia Bill" whose

presence was forgotten by the cap-

tain, and presently he heard the

"You know, these 'niggers' just

can't do this work properly. They

just simply haven't got the brains:

they are stupid. Only white men

are fitted for such work as radio

telegraphy. It is a well known fact

and my observations bear it out

that the Negro race is decidedly

"Georgia Bill," burning with an-

ger, his race consciousness to the

holding to his radio instrument.

But, when maneuvers were over, he

"Georgia Bill" was asked if with

the support of the men he would

The men discussed it with

William Johnson, a Negro soldier

treated in the U.S. Army during the world war that was fought to "end discrimination." I was a sol-Here the initiated find records of ganization chart of Sherman Corall union organizers in steel, work-ers active in the unions, Communist duced, appears harmless enough dier in the 325th Field Signal Batduced, appears harmless enough talion in France. It was a jim-Party members residing in steel until one learns the meaning of crow outfit. The jim-crow policies towns, group photographs of Steel divisions like "Charts, Reports and and Metal Workers Industrial Requisitions," or "Constructive of the Democratic and Republican Union conventions, numbered pic- Propaganda." This self-styled "Propoliticians were carried out throughout the army, just as they are to-day against the Negro people. This duction Service Bureau" uses variof these are in possession of the ous names in the hiring of its cp Daily Worker and will be printed eratives. In past years it has been in the course of this series. tied up with the Chase National question confronts every Negro voter in this election campaign. I will relate a true story. It is as

with the unlimited resources of York, the Continental and Commercial National Bank of Chicago The Girard National Bank of Phil adelphia, the Mellon National Bank who form the skeleton of the great of Pittsburgh, the People's State American espionage system. It is Bank of Detroit, the Union Trust Co. and Guardian Savings & Trus of Cleveland, the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, the National Shawmut Bank and First National Bank of Boston and the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Toronto

The Sherman Agency

When John F. Sherman died last March he was director and vicepresident of the Ritz-Carlton Hotel of Boston, and director of the the Securities Corp., Bankers' Bankers' Bond and Mortgage Co. the Industrial Rayon Corp., and the McLellan Stores. Respectable enough, but in the instructions to a Sherman operative hired by his Chicago office appears this infor-mation: "There is enough ammunition in the plant of the Illinois Steel Co. at South Chicago to shoot

down every striker like a dog. I was done twenty years ago and i will be done this time. The minute any of them starts toward the gate they will be shot like dogs.' One of the articles in this series

will be devoted to the methods and accomplishments of Sherman Corporation, Engineers, who pay an annual income tax of \$258,000. fore, just crouched in the bushes, Another will offer photostats of instructions to spies by Corporations Auxiliary, which has been in busi- told some of the other men in the ness for 38 years and has never outfit of the conversation he overbeing matured for further influx had less than 1,000 undercover men on its payroll. Still another will great indignation and decided upon trace the bloody trail of the ob- a plan. They would get the capscure but vast empire of New tain into the barracks and charge York's so - called Lepke - Garrah him with this insult and slander.

gang. **Revealing Correspondence** Pressing its investigation, the

charge the captain. We decided to have the captain face the men and Daily Worker has come into posthe accusation. session of a unique and revealing

Accordingly, one of the men correspondence-the signed reports asked the sergeant to tell the capof two gumshoe men on Unem- tain that the men would like to ployment Council activity in New him in the speak to



have locked out 3,500 more miners, and miners and their families are furious and unwilling to go through the routine misery of former years.

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crisis, a way that makes life horrible for millions so that capitalist parasites can continue to plunder. In the Congressional elections. every Democratic candidate bids for support on the basis of the "successes" of the "New Deal." And every Wall Street Republican agent seeks to win the support of the masses by fraudulent "criticism" of the Roosevelt policies, a criticism which disagrees with Roosevelt only on how the working class shall be ex-

ploited, but which accepts completely the capitalist class basis of Roosevelt's whole program. In fighting the Roosevelt "New Deal" it is every Democratic, Republican candidate who must be fought.

Raise the fight for higher wages, been doing for years for a large for unemployment insurance, for the right to organize and picket! throughout the country. . . . Dur-

tures, of picket lines. Photostats Even Mr. Tuttle's organization, Bank and Fidelity Trust Co. of New U. S. Steel behind it, must rely on reports by private detective agencies. It is private operatives

up the real nature of these Automo-Labor Boards and of the N.R.A. Boards, of which he was a member until recently. To expect of Roosevelt that he will remove Byrd and put on a militant worker is only to deceive the auto workers. N.R.A. The Automobile Labor Board was set up by President Roosevelt with the aim of preventing strikes and fostering company unionism:

Smith advocates, not the removal of the entire board, not a struggle against the strike-breaking agencies, but an improvement by the introduction of a militant worker into the board. Are Wolman and Kelly any better than Byrd? Can we expect of the capitalist class that control these agencies, that they will turn the boards into organs fighting for the interests of the workers? This is the impression that Smith leaves by his position.

Whole Board Must Go

Mathew Smith has repeatedly stated in the defense of these boards that they at least act in some cases against discrimination. But the manner in which they act is revealed by the M.E.S.A. Voice itself; i.e., these members of the ing.

board use their position to reinstate men only in order to foster company unionism and to weed out militants Byrd must go.. That is correct.

But not only Byrd-the whole Automobile Labor Board must go and the workers must count only upon their organized fighting strength to. achieve anything in the fight against union discrimination and the improvement of their working conditions. This must be the position of militant trade unionism. And this very position Mathew Smith opposes in the M.E.S.A.; carrying on an expulsion policy against miliforward. tants, who have repeatedly exposed the sham of the Automobile Labor Board, pointed out the role which Byrd and similar agents were playing, and who have been attemptint to turn the M.E.S.A. into a fighting organization directed against the employers and their strikebreaking every ship for a general strike! and union-discriminating agencies. By organizing ship committees; by

Vote Communist Against Wage Cuts.

Fight Government Strikebreaking trial Union, we will be able to dewith Communist Votes.

Vote Communist to Protect Your Living Standards.

Vote Communist for a Soviet

ports to the seamen. On the Pacific Coast their negotiations have dragged out for several months.

we can expect nothing but betrayal the hands of these fakers. at Militant Action Will Win

Organized militant action alone

much demagogy. win our demands and also will force the shipowners to recognize From May of this year, there has representatives of our own choos-If the present negotiations and business which has reduced the tions whose profits for the first six bring forward any concessions, it will only be as a result of our the lowest point since April, 1933. strike. A larger, more effective strike, will win ALL the demands. In the past five months the index of the Federal Reserve Board Seamen! We are in a position to dropped from 78.3 to 61.9, a decline prepare for such action. Our strike,

that more than wiped out the brief built up real, unity among thourise of last winter. The economic sands of seamen. Organization is data that is now available indicates stronger as a result of the strike. that the present low trend of busi-We also know that only defeat awaits us at the hands of the I.S.U. fakers and victory through united action and rank and file control. Because of these things we are much better prepared to march show the same stagnant tendencies.

The building industry continues to operate at a level that is only about Seamen! We have put up a milper cent of normal, despite itant fight! Let every man put Rocsevelt's efforts to ballyhoo houshis shoulder to the wheel and keep the fight going. Let us use our The volume of residential ing. housing, for example, which is the present strength, and the "truce" which we ourselves declared, to most important factor in the buildlaunch a drive that will prepare ing industry dropped to a new low for the crisis during the first eight months of the year.

the rank and file of the I.S.U. tak-Steel Deliveries Drop

ing steps to remove their strike-breaking officials; by building a Another indication of the continued stagnation of business is the owerful Marine Workers Indus- great decrease in the steel deliveries of the U.S. Steel Corporation.

These dropped from 2,373,409 tons feat any sell-out agreement negotiated by the I.S.U. and resume the in the second quarter to 1,118,267 tons in the third quarter of the year, fight for the demands presented a decrease of 53.8 per cent. The

to the shipowners. Long live the unity of the members of all unions!

Down with the strikebreaking, 316 units in September.

masses, and for an end to the whole tional Longshoremen's Association ocal here voted to place the letter Chamberlain of the New York on file. The maker of the motion and starvation. In the Congresstated, "the longshoremen know what kind of a faker Green is and we will keep this communication as profits against working class staran example of Green's misleader- vation.

hip In the discussion workers wanted Fight Government Strikebreaking ices rendered.

ers. We are not systematizers, but Wall Street system of wage-slavery harmonizers. . . . sional elections, as in all struggles, it is class agains class, capitalist profits against working class star-the employees of United Electric

to know what Green has accom- with Communist Votes.

Worker will show this harmonizing in action by printing reproductions Light & Power Co., as well as a copy of the agency's bill for serv-

The confidentially circulated or-

Roosevelt Election Promises Prove False

ness and production the big trusts through the sixth winter of the Will Be Blow to N.R.A. are enjoying their greatest profits crisis, and this winter will be the since 1931.

The wage-cutting policy of the N. R. A., the high prices brought on As the election campaign unfolds.

by Roosevelt's policy of inflation. t becomes obvious that the promand the growth of super-monopoly ises of the Roosevelt administration fostered by the New Deal, have all to solve the crisis, to give jobs and contributed to the swollen profits restore prosperity are merely so of the capitalists.

Profits Soar Upward

The Federal Reserve Board of been a steady decline in production New York reports that 407 corpora- ing the crisis, are told to starve. index of industrial production to months of 1932 were \$19,000,000, had motions of drawing up a social welprofits of \$75,000,000 during the first fare program. half of 1933, and profits of \$385,-000,000 in the first six months of 1934.

This tremendous increase was ity is the statement by Edward J. made at the expense of the workers. Witte, technical director of the A. codes. The cost of living went that the employers would not be ness will continue. The index of the up 13.3 per cent since the inception compelled to foot the bill for the Journal of Commerce, last week, de- of the New Deal, according to re- costs of unemployment insurance. clined sharply from 65.4 to 63.5. actionary sources. The actual Instead the burden is to be borne amounts of food and clothing that by the employed workers, and the The indices of heavy industry the workers could buy decreased as unemployed will be kept on the these necessities sky-rocketed some same kind of inadequate relief that 30 per cent. Thus the actual vol- they receive today. ume of goods sold this year is less If the unemployed are to go than last year, due to the fall in through this winter without the

the real wages of the workers. This growth of the acuteness of have to fight for more relief to the crists has brought increased un- meet the rising cost of living, and employment. Even the Business they will have to fight for the Bulletin of the Cleveland Trust Workers' Unemployment and Social Company admits an increase of Insurance Bill. Now one of the about 800,000 in the number of the

The actual figures must be much the legislative assemblies of the larger. On Oct. 15, in its monthly capitalists. business letter, the A. F. of L. reported that "we can hope for no gress, a true representative of the important gains in employment be- working class would effectively exfore next spring."

Despite these low levels of busi- faced with the job of trying to live Heavy Profit Gains Are Made at the Expense worst of them all. of Working Men Administration Proposes Nothing

> For this calamity the adminishelp in raising every class issue right in the teeth of the bankers tration proposes nothing. In fact, on Monday, Donald R. Richberg, and industrialists. Roosevelt's new whip-cracker, told

Should Elect Communists big business that relief this Winter

would be less than last year. In To assure themselves a voice in the legislative citadels of capitalother words, the unemployed who are worse off than at any time durism, the workers should vote and elect Communist candidates to while Roosevelt goes through the municipal, state and federal offices. The workers know that wherever there has been a Communist elected to office he has been in the But the only thing definite that forefront of every struggle of the has come out of the administraworkers, both employed and unemtion's ballyhoo on economic secur-

ployed. In view of the growing acuteness Their wages were cut by the N. R. Committee on Economic Security, of the crisis the unemployed workers, especially, must support the Communist candidates who are the only ones pledged to fight for the adoption of real unemployment insurance at the expense of the capialists and the federal government It is fitting that one of the leaders of the unemployed, one of the men

who as a result of his experiences in the daily struggles of the unemployed helped formulate the Workmost intense suffering, they will ers' Bill, I. Amter, should be the Communist candidate for Governor of New York.

It signifies that only the Communist Party is ready to solve the most important weapons in this problems that confront the unem-Amter as Governor would immediately swing into action to

In a municipal board or in Con- crisis.

All over the country there are other tried leaders of the unempose the efforts of the capitalists ployed running for various offices.

The ground is being prepared for to deny the workers relief and un-telling the workers the same old employment insurance. He would capitalists in the interests of the a decrease of 53,8 per cent. The telling the workers the same oid output of automobiles decreased bromide—that business will improve from 166,321 units in August to 113,-- in the spring, and then they will 316 units in September. September. But the workers are its demands, and would be of great voir interests! Vote Communist! The interests of the steamship agency which he interests of the steamship agency which he interests of the conducts was brought to a stand- ances, and for unconditional equal-still by the barrage of protests de- its demands, and would be of great voir interests! Vote Communist!

York. These are men attached to racks after supper. This the serthe Central Office of the Home geant did.

Relief Bureau. They work hand Now, strictly speaking, the capin glove with Commisisoner of Im- tain did not have to come. He is migration Corsi. Joseph A. Brady, not supposed to answer to the men head of the detachment, keeps a for any charge and surely not of file of Communists that rivals the such a nature and in such a manrolls of the Party. The reports of ner. That is, according to military his men form a chapter in munic- discipline and organization. It was ipal espionage which surpasses the very unusual for a request of this record of Kenosha, Wisconsin, and kind to be made, especially during if you look up that town's cashed a period of war. It was a courtchecks, you will find No. 7327 made | martial procedure, of the men out to the Pinkerton Detective against a superior officer. The captain did not know what we wanted:

The clutching roots of the fedhe probably thought we wanted to eral spy system also spread in this make some petty request which he undergrowth of the industrial would be able to grant and thereby Headed by General A. increase his popularity among the swamp, Mitchel Palmer's former assistant, men. So he came into the barracks J. Edgar Hoover, and operating and said "What can I do for you, with the aid of the Departments men?" of Labor; Interior, Agriculture, the Military Intelligence of the War

class life and activity, which re-

sponds to each imperceptible stir-

show the greedy, itching palm for

Tomorrow we will describe the spy system which contributed to

the sell-out of the textile strike,

the activity of "Red Demon" Bergoff and the "Railway Audit

and Inspection Bureau." We will

present a list of hundreds of cor-

porations whom these agencies

have served, so that workers may

know where to place part of the

blame for the betrayal of their

Quick Thaelmann

Actions Are Urged

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mann by the infamous "Peoples"

Court" were released without bail

later as a result of vigorous mass

The Daily Worker intends

One of the privates, according to previous arrangements, spoke up and Department, the Naval Intelligence told the captain that the men had Division and the personal atten- heard that he had made certain tion of Roosevelt's secretary, Col. statements, which were then it-Louis McHenry Howe, they have a peated to him. grip on every phase of working

The captain grew pale and denied the charges vehemently. At the sight of the captain's fear, and angered by the denial, "Georgia to blast that grip wide open and Bill" was infused with spirit.

"Captain," he said, as he rose dramatically and walked toward the center of the still room, "Captain, you did say those things and you know you did, because I heard you say them.

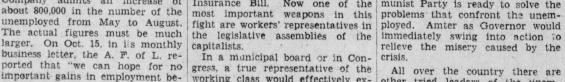
When the captain saw the soldier, whom he realized had been stationed near him when he made the statement, he looked like a whipped pup. Turning on his heels, he silently stole from the room.

This action was so unusual and was discussed so much that instead of the battalion headquarters taking action against the men, the captain was removed and transferred and the matter hushed up.

And, you can imagine, we began to think about our results in the 325th, in France, in 1918 during the great war that was to end, among other things, "all discrimination." For most of us, it was the first indication that Negroes, even in the army, by organized action, could defend themselves against white ruling class attacks and insults.

So in this election campaign, This morning a delegation of Negro ex-servicemen must workers began arriving regularly against these same jim-crow polievery half hour at the office of John cies and the bourgeois parties which Loibl, Vice-Consul. Phone calls are responsible for them; fight for began to pour in and business of the payment of the bonus and the steamship agency which he restoration of the disability allow-

The Communist Party Election Platform Defends the Right To Organize, Strike, Picket



Hard Coal Miners Urge Strike as Maloney Acts for Sellout

MISLEADER MOVES TO DELIVER UNION TO GOV. PINCHOT

Rank and File Opposition Proposes United Front of Members of Anthracite Union and U.M.W.A. to Prepare Strike for Demands

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Oct. 16.-At the special convention of the United Anthracite Miners Union of Pennsylvania (independent), taking place in Wilkes-Barre, District President Thomas Maloney, proposed a "peace plan" between the Anthracite Union and the United Mine Workers of America

(A. F. of L.). The plan calls fo the resignation of officers of both unions and that provisional executive committees be appointed. The provisional executive would then appoint two members from their respective unions who with a fifth 'neutral" person are to tabulate elections to decide which set of officers the miners want to elect. Maloney's plan aims to divert the members of the Anthracite Union demands.

Many miners resent this proposal. pointing out that it will mean again When Maloney sell-out. asked who will appoint the fifth person, he stated the fifth person should be none other than Governor Pinchot. At the mention of Pinchot, boos spread throughout the hall. Maloney then requested that there be no demonstration in the hall.

Delegates speaking on the question, asked Maloney whether it is not a fact that Pinchot sent state troopers to smash the last strike. therefore how can we expect Pinchot to act favorable to the miners Father Curran proposed that Roosevelt appoint a fifth person. Another proposal was Father Coughlin Malonev is now maneu vering and trying to make the fifth person the issue at the convention. He evades the motion to reject the "peace" plan as a whole. Many delegates are in open disagreement and are fighting Maloney on the

Strong Opposition

For the first time since the new union was organized, a strong op position can be seen against the Maloney policy. A delegate from Pittston stated: "Men, I am sick of all this peace talk. All you hear is peace, peace, peace. This damn peace doesn't give me and my wife and children anything to eat."

Another delegate from Auchincloss made a motion that the peace proposal be tabled and the fiveproposed by the program. Nanticoke Policy Committee be discussed first. This program includes preparation of strike for the deman's of the miners. The conven' on was less attended than prenot filled

delegates who know Dougher, now young children on the family relief

Tailors Strike **For Demands** In Detroit from preparing a strike for their Journeymen's Local

Fighting for New 6-Month Pact

(Special to the Daily Worker) DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 16 .- The workers of Hughes and Hatcher and the Finsterwald Clothing Co. manufacturers of men's clothing, s'ruck here under the leadership of the Journeymen Tailors' Union 229 (A. F. of L.)

They are demanding the signing of a six-month agreement calling for seventy cents an hour for bushelmen, seventy five cents for ailors, pressers and fitters, a fortyhour week, time and a half for overtime, and equal pay for equal work for women.

Last Spring the workers struck for a union agreement, but Frank X. Martel, President of the Detroit Federation of Labor, put over settlement together with the Regional Labor Board that gave the workers no signed agreement, but resulted in discrimination against militant workers and in all kinds

500 Jobless Workers **Demonstrate** at Relief **Offices in New Castle**

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Oct. 16 .- Five undred men, women and children. led by the Women's Auxiliary of the relief workers union here, demonstrated before the local relief offices yesterday demanding sufficient relief to all unemployed

After a short meeting before the relief headquarters, two committees, one representing the men and conventions. The gallery, one the women, met with the relief usually is packed with visi-director and presented demands one the women, met with the relief

After he spoke, Mike Demchak o the American Workers Party moved that these demonstrations should not receive the support of the con gress but should be postponed Nov. 24. The delegates voted to demonstrate on both dates. Resolutions adopted at the congress demanded the endorsement of the Workers' Unemployment In-surance Bill of all candidates for of chiseling by the employers. office in the coming elections. The Workers' Bill, which was initiated by the Communist Party, is in-orporated in the Communist elec-tion platform.

Jobless Demonstrate At Youngstown Relief

enuine unemployment

Office; Get Hearing

insurance.

(Special to the Daily Worker) YOUNGSTOWN. O., Oct. 16 .-More than 300 workers stormed the Youngstown relief office when County Relief Director Noble refused to meet an elected commitnot filled. ugher, leader of the Rank lief, free medical and dental aid, ported to the demonstration of 400 Cappeliri and Maloney from the electricity and water, issuance of grounds, pointing out that only vey of State, collective and com-new union, appealed to the con- orders for winter clothing as need- mass pressure would bring relief, munal farms in the Soviet Union. vention for reinstatement. Many ed, allowances to be made for the response was unanimous for a

ganized

man Street.

Fascists Is the Major

Issue in Campaign

By ELLA REEVE BLOOR

OHN J. SCHEFCIK, Communist

the workers and poor farmers in

that region is the fight against rap-

insurance of the unemployed and

material aid for the impoverished

farmers, our fight for the right to

strike and organize and against the

fascist bands that have been at-

tacking workers and farmers in the

In this drought-stricken country

fascism flourishes, with the most

bestial intimidation and attacks by

armed gangs, peace officers, courts

and Grand Island) formed a united

worked at miserably low wages and

Loup City area, has become a cen-

tral issue," declared Schefcik.

"During the campaign

idly developing fascism.

candidate for Governor of the

United Front Congress Constitutional Committee Is Instructed to Draw **Initiates** Drive in Up New Constitution Embodying Rank Shamokin, Pa. and File Industrial Unionism

PushCampaign Aluminum Workers Battle

For Workers' For Industrial Unionism

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 16 .- Sixty NEW KENSINGTON, Pa., Oct. 16. | stitution committee were likewise elegates from fourteen organiza--Rank and file members of the Aluminum Workers' Union local tive council. These will be elected County Congress for Social Security here are moving into action to prehere last week to map out a camvent the American Federation of saign of support for the Workers' Labor Executive Council from har- ened resignation failed to material-Unemployment Insurance Bill and nessing their union to reformism to prepare for the state-wide ununder "industrial unionism" of the ward leaders of the rank and file ployed demonstrations on Oct.

Insurance Bill

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conference

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laries.

type of the United Mine Workers, with a set of top officials ap-Delegates at the conference reppointed by William Green. At Frisented the Communist Party, the day's meeting of the local union Inemployment Councils, Garibaldi the rank and file forced through a Society, United Mine Workers of move calling for the election of a International constitution and by-laws committee. Workers Order, American Workers Party, This constitution committee was Workers Protective League duly nominated, will be elected at Mount Carmel and Women's Auxilnext Friday's meeting of the local, and will report back in two weeks The congress unanimously en

from that date with a constitution dorsed the Workers' Unemployment which, according to the wording of the motion which created it. "will Insurance Bill and a Northumber embody the principles of industrial these leaders with talk of bringing and County Committee for the Workers' Unemployment Insurance mionism under rank and file con-Bill was elected from the floor to trol.

Vote Forced By Members.

involve workers' organizations in the fight for its enactment and to Immediately after the motion popularize the bill among unions was introduced by a rank and file leader Dave Williams, A. F. of L. and groups not represented at the organizer, tried to hold up the ac-All organizations present at the ongress endorsed the State Conion by declaring that the union already has a constitution and that such a move is contrary to A. F. of ress for Social Security to be held L. rules. But a vote was forced through by the rank and filers in in Harrisburg on Oct. 27 and 28. John Kuchinski, County Orwhich the motion was carried alanizer of the Unemployment Counnost unanimously.

cils and Communist candidate for Almost every nominee is a rank and filer, the few reactionaries Legislature, outlined the tate-wide campaign and demonwhich were named by friends of the tration to be held on Oct. 19 and officialdom refusing to serve on the) in the fight for increased relief. committee. inter clothing, fuel, rent and Action for the election of a new

with a John L. Lewis-industrial union by Green and company, hence executive council was also forced through at the last meeting, and their eagerness to write a constitu-many of the rank and file leaders tion of their own before the A. F who comprise the slate for the con- of L. dictates one

Sullivan Urges Grounps to Intensify Their Preparations

Asks Action on

Asking for intensification of the named as candidates for the execuntire campaign leading up to the tate-wide hunger march to conerge on Albany on Oct. 31 to preent demands for a special session of the State Legislature for enact ize, but the latter's attitude to-

ment of winter relief and the Work-Unemployment Insurance Bill. Richard Sullivan, secretary of the New York City Unemploymen Councils, yesterday appealed to al speaking from the floor, having

vorking-class organizations to carry forward preparations for the march. Sullivan's statement follows: "The Wall Street banker. Herbert

ehman, governor of New York, has Williams has revived a former flatly refused to call a special sesthreat to have the workers arrested sion of the State Legislature or take who rented the post office box any other action to provide winter which the "Committee for Rank relief. and File Control" uses, and is

"'I am sure that the unemploy nent insurance question will come before the regular session next year,' he declared when representa-

lives of the United Action Conference met with him Saturday. At the last special session, when repesentatives of workers' groups presented relief demands and called or the enactment of the Worker Bill he answered, 'You will get neither this bill nor any other at this session.' In the same manner as Roosevelt, he now puts off action to some future date.

"These promises will not feed ungry children; they will not clothe the unemployed this winter, nor heat the cold flats in Harlem. The brazen answer of the governor is

The aluminum workers are fully alive to the danger of being saddled proof that he will not act without pressure of the masses. "He told a delegation in July, 1933. that 'Your program will be

considered only if there is sufficient ublic interest indicated.' "That public interest has been il-

ustrated by the endorsement of the Workers' Unemployment Insurance Bill by hundreds of working-class organizations throughout the state. This interest must be turned into active struggle. New Orleans Strike

"The executive mansion in Alany must be deluged with postcards setting forth the demands of the unemployed. Every organiza-tion, the workers and farmers, pro-

fessionals, students and youth must be rallied in support of the hunger march to Albany. All workers' should immediately elect roups

delegates from among their membership for participation in the CARLTON, Minn. Two hundred farmers, under the leadership of the march. and get behind the campaign to raise money food, blankets and other necessities for the march United Farmers' League, marched "In every town and city where on the county relief offices here the governor speaks in his election campaign, delegations should visit and presented their demands for him demanding a special session of the State Legislature for enactcattle feed and endorsement of the

ment of the jobless workers' dethem collectively in the future mands, and for feeding and housing the delegates while on the march and in Albany

"Every assemblyman's home should be picketed until he calls worker. Raymond, Riley and Tobin,

Federal Officials Grant Huge Subsidies to Textile Bosses-No Relief for Thousands of **Underpaid Textile Workers**

MILL OWNERS

LOANS MILLIONS

NEW YORK (L.R.A.)-Three mills in Chatanooga, Tenn., district have received a total of \$344,700 in Reconstruction Finance Corporation loans. They are: W. B. Davis & Son, Inc., Graysville Hosiery Mills, and Aycock Hosiery Mills. The loans were obtained through Textile Mortgage

Corp., and will be used "to pay their bank loans in closed banks and a M.E.S.A. Local sufficient additional sum to assure their carrying on an enlarged program," according to the Daily News Record of Aug. 21. Botany Mills of New Jersey has **Urges Unity in** eceived a loan of \$1,000,000 from **Auto Industry** he government, and U.S. Finishing Company a like amount

Labor Board

Jobless Leader U.S. GOVERNMENT

TO

The Booth Manufacturing Company of New Bedford has been Demands Removal of granted a capital loan of \$300,000 y the R. F. C., it was reported on Oct. 8. The Taber Mill of New Bed-Byrd from Auto ford had previously received a sim-ilar loan.

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DETROIT. Oct. 16 .- A motion Survey in Steel City urging the Mechanics Educational Society of America, independent Shows Workers' Homes union of tool and diemakers, Are Unfit as Dwellings ssue a call to all unions in the automobile industry for united ac-

tion was passed at a meeting of PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 16.-A Local 9 of the M.E.S.A. Sunday survey of housing conditions in the The motion asked for united accity's First, Second and Sixth on around the following points: Wards just released by the Univer--The removal of Richard L. Byre sity of Pittsburgh Bureau of Busi-"labor" representative on the ness Research draws a factual in-tomobile Labor Board; 2-Abo- dictment of the degradation of the as Automobile Labor Board; dictment of the degradation of the lition of the Labor Board and the working class by the steel-dom-Auto Code; 3—The drawing up of a Workers' Code in place of the inated ruling class here.

The survey comments: These present manufacturers' code. three wards present one of the The passing of this motion marks gloomiest housing pictures in the not only a step forward toward city of Pit'sburgh.' One of these unity, but is a setback to the Matis the "downtown" ward, the other thew Smith clique in control of the two are known as the "Strip" dis-M.E.S.A., who have steadfastly optrict

posed united action in defense of Three-fourths of the houses in the interests of all automobile

Wins Reinstatement

the Second and Sixth Wards have no hot water, and over that percentage of the dwellings in the Second have no bathtubs or showers. Of a total of 5,957 occupied dwellngs, 767 are pronounced "unfit for habitation," and 1,518 need struc-

Of Fired Relief Men tural repairs. In the First Ward, 90.4 per cent

of the houses have no central heat-NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 16. Relief workers employed at the City ing system; in the Second Ward 96 per cent have none; and in the Park project here struck last week, Sixth, 94.1 per cent following the firing of forty-five

In the Second Ward, 126 occupied workers, elected a committee under the leadership of the Unemploylwellings have no plumbing of any ment Council, and forced the re-

More than 43 per cent of all the lief office to reinstate the disiwellings surveyed were built over charged workers. The men set up fifty years ago. Over 88 per cent permanent organization on reof the houses are occupied by tenturning to work, despite the anants. nouncement by the relief office here that it would refuse to meet with

STRIKERS WIN CASH PAY

The workers have protested SEQUIM, Wash., Oct. 16 .- Strikagainst the terrorist tactics and ng because they were to be forced discrimination practiced by the to take their pay in canned goods, supervisor, foreman and an office a hundred Sequim cannery workers won the promise of cash for all upon the governor to convene a and demanded their removal. Rub- back pay and went back to work to

Julius Walsted to Make Two Hundred Destitute **Farmers** Present **Relief Demands**

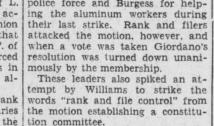
The newly-elected delegate has munications setting forth the de-

U. S. Farmers|Farm March Elect Delegate In Minnesota For Soviet Trip Wins Relief

Survey of Collective Farms in U.S.S.R.

Julius Walstad has been elected as the delegate to represent Ameri-

can dirt farmers on the friends of the Soviet Union delegation, which held the court house for four hours, will reach Moscow in time for the Nov. 7 celebration. Walstad, en- sufficient relief, medical aid, free dorsed by the Farmers National Committee for Action and the United Farmers League, as well as Opposition, expelled by cash payment of rent, gas, coal, on the Wick and Rayen School farmers, will make a thorough sur-and despite their avowal that they



in the Department of Justice on an investigation of their leaflet. "Red" Giordano, one of the Williams' machine, tried to pass a motion thanking the New Kensington police force and Burgess for help-

In New Kensington Local Hunger March

at the next meeting

bershir

movement has noticeably altered

and now he rarely attempts to rap

them out of order when they are

learned that they have the full

support of almost the entire union

Revive Arrest Threat

vainly attempting to disconcert

agree with Dougher that what he budgets, and jobs at union wages said in the past about Cappelini and conditions for all unemployed plain clothes men and Republic and Maloney is proved correct. A workers now on relief. number of rank and file delegates are determined to fight to a finish. Others are walking out of the convention, disgusted, saying the same old sell-out policy of arbitration is being handed to us again.

Maloney on Gorman Payroll

Maloney was recently exposed as having been on the payroll of the arbitration board of the government, for the last few months at fifty dollars a week. This board. headed by Gorman, has ruled against all the miners' demands for Gorman recently ruled months that the mine owners would deal only with the United Mine Workers of America.

The Cappellini-Maloney leadership of the independent union are cooperating with the employers and their government board in order to try to destroy the United Anthracite Union and prevent the coming strike.

Cappellini, new in jail on an arson charge, recently issued a letter from prison proposing to liquidate the Anthracite Union, of which he is State president. Maloney and Cappellini called the convention now going on here in order to put over this treacherous program. They are doing everything possible to keep the miners from engaging in a struggle for their demands, a struggle demanded by the rank and file of both unions

The Rank and File Opposition of both unions have called for the setting up of united front mine committees, elected by the members of both unions in each mine, in order to carry forward the fight for the miners' demands. The Rank and File Opposition opposes the turning of the whole Anthracite Union over to the corrupt Boylan machine of the United Mine Workers.

Terror Drive Launched trade, and are asking the following: **On New Orleans Jobless**

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 16 .-Emergency Relief Administration officials here have started a drive against the leaders of the unem-

Ida Bates, leader of an Unemployment Council local which has won relief for two hundred families, has been beaten and jailed in an attempt to smash the Council local. She will be tried today at the First Recorders Court, Tulane-

Relief Director Ormond was the crowd. forced to promise that all the demands would be presented to the

State Relief Commission and will officials to recognize over seventyreport at the next open meeting of the relief workers union

Pay Cuts Continued for every case was acted upon. **Detroit County Workers**

DETROIT. Mich., Oct. 16 .- Two days after it had voted to increase the salary of the county prosecutor and his chief assistant by nearly Committee of the Wayne County

Board of Supervisors decided to postpone indefinitely the withdrawal of two 10 per cent wage cuts handed out to county employes in 1932.

The salary of county prosecutor was increased from \$9,600 to \$11,-500 a year, with a proportionate increase for his chief assistant, upon the request of Gomer Krise. Republican candidate for prosecutor, who evidently expects to get elected.

At the same time that top officials are having their pay boosted, relief budgets for thousands of unemployed families are being cut 5 per cent, while new applicants are State of Nebraska, announced that finding it increasingly difficult to one of the major struggles facing

get on the welfare roll.

New Orleans Furniture Workers Vote to Strike while we are fighting for relief and

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 16 .-At a meeting of Local 12 of the National Furniture Workers' Indusrial Union a strike vote was taken, the workers voted almost 100 per cent to go out on strike, for bet er

conditions in the retail furniture closed shop, (2) 36-hour week,
 for time and a half for overime, wi h double time for Sundays

etc., on the workers and farmers and holidays, (4) skilled men, 75 Beasting that they will have all cents per hour; unskilled, 50 cents, aimed to break up ther organiza-the "reds" in jail within two years. Conditions in the shops here have tion and stifle their struggles for Conditions in the shops here have tion and stifle their struggles for not been anything like they should relief. be, not only have they been work-The Farmers Holiday Associa-tion, the Unemployed Councils of ing overtime but they have no; been paid in proportion to the work three towns (Arcadia, Loup City

performed. Fight Against Bonuses for Rich of the women workers in the big Landlords and Starvation for Poor creamery at Loup City, where they Farmers by Voting Communist.

under the most terrible unsanitary Workers Who Vote Communist conditions and speed-up.

to back up the committee been active in the struggle for bet- mands had previously been mailed despite mass mobilization of police, ter farm conditions in South Da- to them, the farmers, individually kota, his home state, and was re-cently arrested with 16 other farm-Tanttila, demanded full payment of police, who attempted to in imidate

ers for stopping an eviction of a all relief in cash, increased relief Shouting militant slogans of ac debt-ridden tenant-farmer. tion the workers compelled relief

delegates, will speak at a mass giving of relief, free feed for cattle five cases written on Unemployed Council complaint blanks. The unhattan Lyceum, 66 E. 4th St., on employed remained at the relief station for over an hour to see that

This was the most militant dem-Soviet Union while in the U.S.S.R. onstration seen in years in Youngsare urged to come to the send-off. town. A public hearing is being orwhere such questions will be colby the Unemployment Councils to uncover the conspiracy lected and given to the delegation.

mands were granted.

scious on the ground.

thugs rushed upon us

armed fascists.

again. I escaped injury only by

Fascists Attend Trial

Negro organizer, his wife and my-

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ger"

of silence in the capitalist press and and 29. Fight Against Bonuses for Rich the state of the relief situation on 20 per cent, the Ways and Means Monday, Oct. 22, at 118 East Board- Landlords and Starvation for Poor

Farmers by Voting Communist. Fascism!

Nebraska C. P. Candidate Assails Fascist Terror

pecial session of the legislature "Hundreds of marchers from hroughout the state, arriving in Albany on Oct. 31, will force the governor to change his mind.

to single unemployed and noor Newark Union Leaders Walstad, as well as the other farmers, no discrimination in the

> demonstration Thaelmann" which representatives from several resent the farmers of Carlton County local labor organizations will speak at the State Relief Conference to will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow be held in St. Paul on Oct. 23 night in Military Park. · Broad

> > has been called by the Newark branch of the American League Against War and Fascism

ber boots for workers employed on finish the stock on hand the lagoon, and raincoats and shelters are demanded during rainy A Communist Vote Is a Vote

Against War!

Detroit Jobless Plan WHAT'S ON **Fight on Relief Cuts**

Grand Rapids, Mich.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 16 .- Sixty HARVEST Festival, Bazaar and Daffee, Wednesday, Oct. 17th at L.S.D. Hail, 1057 Hamilton Ave. NW. Herman Curtis and his Colored Band, Admission 10 cents. delegates of various organizations at a relief conference in North Detroit Saturday, held in Polish Chamber of Labor Hall, mapped Philadelphia, Pa. out a program of struggle for in-

Philadelphia, Pa. THE Philadelphia Workers Bookshop. 44 N. 8th St., 2nd floor, announces the open-ing of a circulating library. Membership S1.50, Rental on books 2c a day. REGISTER early. Limited classes. Work-ers School, 908 Chestnut St., 5th floor. School opens Oct. 29th. THE 17th Anniversary of the Soviet Union will be celebrated, in conjunction with a mass Election Rally, on Nov. 2 at Bioadway Arena, Broad and Christian Sts. All working class organizations keep creased relief and against the new per cent cuts in the family bud get that the welfare authorities are trying to put through. The conference decided to at-

tempt to secure relief for eleven needy families in that section, and to organize a demonstration to demand a 20 per cent increase in the family budget, winter coal, increased medical and dental aid and other demands.

his date open Bridgeport, Conn: REPORT of delegates to Second U. S. Congress Against War and Fascism will be given at a Mass Meeting at Amer-ican-Russian Sokol Hall, 500 Hallett St., Thursday, Oct. 18, 8 p.m.

Detroit, Mich.

-Philadelphia, Pa.-

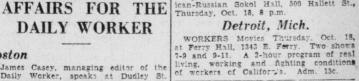
First Time in Philadelphia PRIZE WINNING PLAY

"NEWSBOY"

"STRIKE SECRET"

RED DANCERS

All working class organizations keep



weather.

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cal defense attorney, and their thorough exposure of the perjury the drought, cannot raise the necand contradictory statements of essary funds. Neither can the ungetting behind a great tree as the the state witnesses the jury reemployed workers. We must, thereturned a verdict of guilty. Throughore, appeal to the workers still in out the appeal of the defense atthe factories, to all friends and sympathizers of the struggles of The story of the jailing of the torney and my own address of 10 minutes to the jury, the jurors had the farmers and unemployed work-sat there stolidly, determined to do ers to help us raise the necessary self during those terrible hot days last summer has been told. The the will of the bosses. The verdict funds and to mobilize protests front to support the strike struggles first trial where we were convicted of guilty, returned in the face of against the fascist terror in Neand sentenced was attended by 100 the clear proof of perjured test - braska.

mony, surprised both the judge and Five times high-powered rifles the prosecuting attorney. The for-We need \$500 and need it quickly Contributions should be sent to the were used to bombard the home of Floyd Booth, the young Negro un-however, and beamed approval at ternational Labor Defense, 80 East Should Join the Communist Party. We held a joint meeting with employed organizer, tearing holes the jury, and sentenced us to \$100 lith St., New York City.

DANCE Blvd. Halloween Party and Masquerade Dance, Sat., Oct. 27th at North Side Workers Hall, 543 Wisconsin Street. (1990 North cn Larrabee Street) Auspices: Unit 419 C. P. Saturday, October 20th -8:15 P. M.-Kensington Labor Lyceum Bunco Party and Dance given by Unit 404 at Viking Temple, Sheffield Ave. and School St., Thursday, Oct. 18, at 7:30 p.m. Good music. 2014-26 N. 2nd St. Adm. in advance, 35c: at door, 40c. Nature Friends Branch, Philadelphia PHILADELPHIA, Pa. DAILY WORKER CONCER

> FRIDAY, October 19th, 8 P. M. Broadway Arena, Broad and Christian Sts. M. J. OLGIN Editor, Morning Freiheit, Speaker

"DEL," CARTOONIST DAILY WORKER, IN CHALK TALK; EMILE BABAD, FROM "ARTEF"; GAERIEL BRAVERMAN, VIOLIN SOLOS; BERNICE CORNELIUS, ACCOMPANIST.

Farmers, Vote Communist for Debt Cancellation, and for the Farmers' Emergency Relief Bill.



demands. As a result of the united Upon our return to the Court

Says Fight Against the these girls one day last June. The in the sides of his little home, dam- Mother Bloor Tells

Street. here. The demonstration Vote Red Against the Menace of

Will Speak at the Jersey Thaelmann Rally Today having the delegation obtain an- denied relief and allowances were swers to questions regarding the increased in several cases presented. NEWARK. N. J., Oc⁺. 16.-A "free A committee was elected to rep-

send-off to take place at the Man- and hot lunches for school children. Immediate relief was granted to Friday evening. All interested in farmers who had previously been

Farmers' Emergency Relief Bill.

Despite the refusal of the relief

officials to listen to the demand,

had not received copies of the de-

mands in advance although com-

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Aspinook Textile Workers Defeat Wage Cut Attempt

Keller's Treachery Lewiston Has Little Money for Teachers, **Cannot Stop Fight** But Pays Guardsmen By a Worker Correspondent LEWISTON, Me.-Some of the members of the school board claim it is impossible to finance **Of Paterson Workers** the night school this winter. They claim some of the teachers

Looking for Leadership from Rank and File in Struggle Against Wage Cuts

By a Worker Correspondent | what he is. They know him as a PATERSON, N. J .- The silk strikebreaker, and as a misleader workers are disgusted with the of the working class, a betrayer at A. F. L. leadership. They are looking for leadership from their rank and file committees. They all know that they were betrayed and sent back to work without winning any of their demands, and that some of the bosses tried to give them a wage cut. Some of these workers are still out on strike for this reason. They are putting up a fight to stop this wage cut, and to hold the little bit they had before ing and preparing the workers to fight against the betrayal and sellthe strike

The silk workers know Keller for cut by Gorman and Co.

Suffering from Effect With Paying Girls \$2 **OfGorman-GreenSellout**

By a Worker Correspondent

NEW BEDFORD, Mass.-The Gorman and Green. The work is World Clothing Exchange, one boss bad, not much work to be had. The hired something like 25 girls for the boss claims it will pick up in two opening. After putting in 14 hours or three weeks. After all our fight of work the first day and 10 hours it looks to us as if it will never get the next day, we were offered \$2 Lots of misery and we can't pay argument with the manager and our rent. It certainly looks as if the big boss we persuaded them to this winter will be worse than ever. give us \$3 per day.

Workers in New Bedford Boss Tries to Get Away For 24 Hours of Work

mills. Keller tried to demoralize

the workers so the bosses would

win the strike, instead of organiz-

By a Worker Correspondent

NEW YORK .- Recently at the workers here are still dizzy from opening of a new addition to the any better with that bum gang. for the two days. After a heated

\$400 Received from N.Y. Central Committee of IWO

CONTRIBUTION of \$400 from the City Central Committee of the I. W. O. makes up almost half of New York's total. The sections in this district are also heavy contributors, Section 14 sending in almost a hundred dellars

New York must continue sending in amounts close to a thousand tion and leadership. The day is not dollars every day, if the 8-page paper is to be published after Election far distant when Maine will also be Day. All workers' organizations must try every means to fill their quotas organized. immediately. Readers should contribute and make collections today.

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re overpaid.

This we know is not true be-cause the city hired five regi-ments of the National Guard as strikebreakers during the great

textile strike. Some of the workers were forced to leave their jobs in the shops and go guard the mills for \$1 a day. There are a lot of a time when they needed real workers very much dissatisfied with belonging to the National fighting leadership to lead them to victory, to win their strike and their demands. But he had the Guard. A lot of them had famstrike headquarters locked the day ilies to support while they were out. They realize that the bosses the strike was sold out, and he were only using them to fight sent the workers back to work fellow workers who tried to get without winning one of their dea decent living wage. mands, to face a wage-cut in some

Shoe Union In Portland

Expanding

Industrial Form of **Organization Wins**

Support By a Worker Correspondent PORTLAND, Me.—The influence f the great national textile strike eft its roots right here, too. The Two big mass meetings took place, and a considerable number of new members joined the or-

ganization. The shoe workers here feel the need of a militant union to lead their battle against the N. R. A.

wage-cuts, which leaves their pay per cent less than last year while profits increased. They want to avoid the fate of the local textile workers who were caught in a critical moment without organiza-We are falling in line. rank and file members from taking action At our last meeting we took up

the question of the form of or-ganization to follow, industrial or write leaflets with crayon, we nat-The militants pointed out urally were not able to publicize the advantages of the industrial this meeting very much. However, form to the workers, as it was prac- about 100 Negro and white seamen ticed in New York, and led to getand longshoremen showed up. We

ting higher wages, as against the old A. F. of L. form of dividing workers up into crafts. The craft it. We finally had our meeting in system, they showed, leads to buthe T.L.A. hall reaucracy, and a bigger official Since the sentiment for strike was

the workers' ranks, whereas the inlongshoremen, they eagerly accept- that the police broke up the meetdustrial form, when controlled by ed our proposal for immediate ac- ing.

Pickets Hold Solid 30 Delegates Sent **To Anti-War Congress From Boston District** In Connecticut Plant **Against Injunction** district there were about 30 dele-Against War and Fascism in

Strike

By a Worker Correspondent

JEWETT CITY, Conn.-Attempts

of the bosses to force a 15 to 20 per

cent cut down the throats of the

workers at the Aspinook plant here

met with strong opposition. The militant leaders of the workers

called a strike, which held 100 per cent solid, and defeated the wage

The bosses used every means to

crush the strike. Failing to get the

sanction of the local government to call in the militia for "protection,"

Wild Willie Broadfoot and Silly

Phil Johnson, in charge of the plant, pulled their "ace in the

hcle," and secured a Superior Court

injunction against the workers, for-

Police and Injunction Strikers Win Removal Fail to Break of General Mill

By a Worker Correspondent NEW HAVEN, Conn .- The employees of the Aspinook Plant at Jewett City, Conn., struck before the general textile strike, and stayed out after the sell-out, and defeated a 10 per cent wage cut. They obtained the removal of the hated general manager, Bill Broadfoot. During the strike, H. W. Jamieson, a straw boss in the dyeing department, proved by his actions his solidarity with the striking workers. Consequently, when he died this week, 150 workers went 50 miles by automobile to Providence to attend his funeral. This shows what happens when a

Manager

bidding picketing, "intimidation," etc. This little plan acted as a go in because they wanted to, but because the company had, through years of autocratic policies, so

foreman sticks with his own class,

instead of licking the boots of the

went back to work following the themselves, and were herded into company's repeated pleas did not scabbing.

In Mobile Block Strike The bosses raise so much hell that the girls are afraid to ask for a

By a Worker Correspondent tion, but this action was kept back MOBILE, Ala .- There was a mass by their local leader. After two eeting of seamen and longshore- delegates from the M.W.I.U. spoke men called at the foot of Govern- on the spread of the strike and week the owners are forced to make ment Street and the river front, strike action, there was such ap-Wednesday, Oct. 10. This meeting plause that the president, Thomas, was called to take strike action said that he would fine one or two The I.S.U. leaders did everything longshoremen if they didn't "hush' in their power to keep the indignant their mouths. He said he would not fine them this time, but they must keep their mouths closed all Due to the fact that we had to during the meeting.

While the rank and file were definitely for strike action, their president, Thomas, kept telling them to have patience and wait for orders from Ryan.

There was strike sentiment also among the shipyard workers. At make the minimum wage. This, of it. We finally had our meeting in the mass meeting several boilermakers came directly from work to the meeting and were very much at less cost to the company. At the machine, and also the splitting of so widespread, especially among the disappointed when they were told be weeded out by having some fake

| know and remember from their bit

Perkins of the shoe strike of August

1933, which resulted in a wage cut

semi-skilled, and unskilled shoe

At present the Stitchers Local of

famous

"investigations."

insurance.

"settlement" by Frances

the workers to produce more shoes be weeded out by having some fake doctor declare that these workers

By a Needle Worker Corre-

spondent

Chicago. A few of these dele-

gates paid their own expenses,

others were sent by various or-

A delegate was to have gone

from the Scandinavian Workers'

Club, but, after the money had

been appropriated for his ex-

penses, a delegate from the

strike came to make an appeal

for funds to support the textile workers' strike and the money

that was to have been used for

the delegate was given instead

Shoe Shop

Pays Even

Below NRA

Discharges Attempted

Through Physical

Examinations

By a Worker Correspondent LOWELL, Mass.—In the stitching

oom of the Laganas Shoe Co.

there is a foreman who is playing

his part in the slave-driving N.R.A.

There are many girls in this room

who cannot earn their minimum

no matter how hard they work.

time card. Of course this is just

what the bosses want. However,

the more advanced workers refuse

to let these slave drivers get away

with this and at the end of the

up the difference in pay to meet the minimum. Nevertheless, the

majority of the workers are not re-

ceiving their pay allowed by the

N.R.A., as low as that is. Com-

plaints given to the union officials

Yesterday the boss came out with

a new trick. He told those who

couldn't make their minimum wages

that they would be examined by

would be laid off until they re-

covered sufficiently to be able to

course, is an attempt to speed up

a doctor and if found "sick" they

produce no results whatever.

for the strikers.

ganizations and local unions.

BOSTON, Mass.-From this

sent to the Congress

WORKERS' HEALTH

Conducted by the Daily Worker Medical Advisory Board

How to Write for Advice 3. Any past diseases or opera-Comrade H. M. writes in as fol-"Please advise what causes on the complaint OWS:

gas in the stomach and what 4. As accurate a description of the remedy to employ? Thanking you complaint as possible. For instance if it is a pain, whether it is sharp in advance." or dull, brief or continuous, where

Dear Comrade: It is impossible for it is felt and whether it shoots to us to answer your question without any other part of the body; when more information. Gas in the in relation to time of day any bodily functions it is felt; how stomach may be caused by a great variety of things, ranging all the frequent are attacks.

5. Any other symptoms related to way from tumors or ulcers of the the chief complaint. Any general tomach or intestines, intestinal symptoms, such as, loss of weight bacteria of various kinds, constipation, wrong eating habits, to the and strength, or any disturbance of bodily functions connected with nervous habit of swallowing air. Quite naturally, the treatment for the complaint. In this connection negative information is frequently these conditions is equally varied. important; for instance, in a po-We should like to know your age, sition relating to the digestive syssex and general health (including significant loss of weight and tem, as in the example above, it is important to know that other distrength if any). In particular, we should know whether you eat at gestive complaints, such as pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea or conregular hours a fairly balanced diet, stipation, are absent, if such is the taking sufficient time to chew well fact.

and to be in a fairly calm frame In conclusion, we wish to emphaof mind just before, during and after eating. Are your bowels regusize that we don't want our readers to feel that they must invariably ar? Any diarrhea or constipation? write us a lengthy life history be Does the gas tend to come up or go down? Is it associated with fore we can help them. But if they realize that giving sound ad-vice by mail is frequently very difamps or any other sort of pain? Is there nausea or vomiting? Does ficult, we are sure they will try it occur usually at a fairly definite to give us as accurate a description time after meals? of their complaint as possible, and If you will write us again, giving in addition any further information

us more information, we shall be which might help us out. glad to try to answer your question. At the same time, we feel certain

visit to a good doctor, and perhaps

even special tests, are necessary Secondly, we receive a great many

letters similar to yours, which we

information on one or several im-

portant points.

cannot answer for lack of specific

Workers' complaints are so varied

that we do not feel much would

be gained by submitting a rigid outline to be followed. Specific

details of great importance in one

case would be totally irrevelant in

the next. But the following points

may have a distinct bearing in the

Contributions received to the you will not be offended if we use redit of the Medical Advisory your letter to point out to our readers some of the difficulties con-Board in its Socialist competition with Del, Mike Gold, Harry Gannes, fronting us in conducting a health Jacob Burck, David Ramsey and column. In the first place, there are, of course, many medical problems drive for \$60,000. Quota-\$1,500. that even with full information we Coll. by Board\$ 8.00 cannot help to solve; a personal

Previously received 136.15

NOTE:

We publish every Wednesday letters from textile, needle, shoe and leather workers. We urge workers in these industries to write us of their conditions and their struggles to organize. Please get these letters to us by Monday of each week.

Every day of the Roosevelt New Deal shows the growing need of the Daily Worker. But the Daily Worker needs \$60,000 to be able

individual case. 1. Age, sex and general physica to deal more fully with the strug-gles of the working class. Support ouild and condition of health. 2. History of any illness to which the Daily Worker! Send your conthe family has particularly been subject.



the rank and file workers them-the rank and file workers them-selves, means a policy of militant struggle for improved conditions. They pointed to the Lynn situation, where the Eagle reamers went out alone, without the support of any-to a reguments were well re-The arguments were well re-

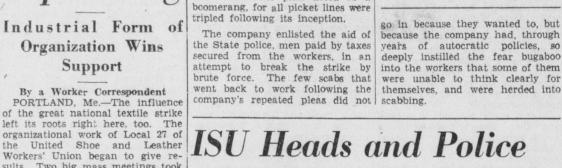
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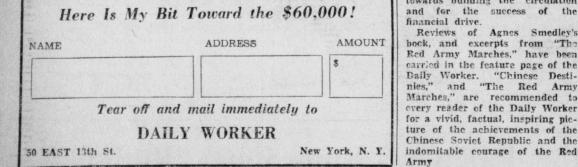
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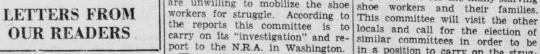


The arguments were well re-eived by the workers. Our discredited renegade, Mr. Why some out with a demagogic Topper GeneralStrike and its great values of the old standby, the apple, with it, we print a couple of contributions for the use of those who haven't is aves. Bixby, came out with a demagogic 50 speech, claiming to be in agreement with industrial unions in general By a Worker Correspondent ²⁵ but asserting that the form we have

BOSTON, Mass .- A concerted ef- ter experiences of the past, with the 1.00 in Boston and Haverhill are indus-1.00 trial, not craft unions. But he did fort is being made by the shoe not convince us, but rather only manufacturers of Boston to enforce exposed himself as being always a 15 per cent wage cut, with the against new and progressive unions aim of smashing the United Shoe in the workers' movement.

and Leather Workers Union. One It should be mentioned that our of the schemes used by them is to

local decided, and had asked the starve the shoe workers. There are 1.00 General Board not to pay him any at present about 4,000 unemployed of the workers' money, but it seems shoe workers in Boston alone. In that Mr. Israel Zimmerman, who New England generally there are was appointed editor of our nanow between 60 and 80 per cent of tional paper, the United Shoe and the shoe workers unemployed. An-Leather Worker, by the Resident other scheme the manufacturers are Executive Board, and who has never using is to call a meeting of their been elected to any office by the shop crews and threaten to move rank and file workers themselves, out unless a wage-cut is accepted by the workers. In several shops the struggle for immediate unemployis Bixby's patron, and sees to it that he gets \$10 every week to carry out his dirty job. When we asked bosses are feverishly working to- ment relief, and for unemployment the national office who sent him An N.R.A. "investigation" comhere, they claimed that nobody did. mittee from Washington is at pres- Boston is the first one to call a They don't even know that he gets paid. In this way the workers' ent in New England to investigate meeting of its unemployed members, money is wasted. But he will be the shoe situation. Many of the to organize to secure immediate un union officials feel relieved with the employment relief. A committee will forced to go soon. He is already presence of this "investigation" be elected to secure relief from the too much discredited around here. committee, because they themselves city and state for the many starving



FOR NEWS OF THE CHINESE SOVIETS New York City. The "Daily" gets better and bet-

ter. The editorials on the textile strike were swell. I will enclose a check for five dollars. I wish it were fifty thou-

sand. Would it be possible to give u news more regularly of the Chinese Soviets? They deserve world-wide mass support, and very slowly are people learning to think about them. I was shocked a few days ago to learn that Agnes Smedley' magnificent "Chinese Destinies" had

sold only 500 copies. Truly we up to be ashamed of that. * * * H. R. F. NOTE: More news about the Chinese Soviets means more space in the Daily Worker. We must work towards accomplishing this,

towards building the circulation and for the success of the Reviews of Agnes Smedley's bock, and excerpts from "The Red Army Marches," have been carried in the feature page of the Daily Worker. "Chinese Desti-nies," and "The Red Army

Then began an endless pilgrimage from farm to farm, collecting quarters, halves and dollars at every Marches," are recommended to arm. There was a lengthy conferevery reader of the Daily Worker ence on how much they could give. for a vivid, factual, inspiring picand who else in the neighborhood ture of the achievements of the Chinese Soviet Republic and the would give.

the two comrades and the two strik- 'Circulation.

Share-the-Work Plan in from Chicago: State Arbitration Board, and the Lane Cotton Mill Is Not licious, nourishing pudding? A loaf Enough to Live on that there can be no hope in such

By a Worker Correspondent NEW ORLEANS. La.-At the medium-sized apples cut in small

The demand that an Emergency Lane cotton mill here the condi- pieces, a beaten egg, and a little Convention be called is being made tions continue to grow worse and canned milk thinned with water. If by many workers not only in Boston, but in many shoe centers of worse for the workers. The few you haven't the egg, use more milk. the "United." such as Haverhill that are at work have 30 hours Mix well and turn into a greased Lynn, etc. The purpose of this conwould be all right if they were vention will be: to prepare for a making enough to live on. general strike, to establish a uniform minimum wage for the skilled,

The code wage is in effect in minutes. Serve hot or cold, either most cases, but it is not enough for the proper maintenance of one can't imagine how good it is until person, while there are many who you try it. are trying to support a family on

wages of 30 cents an hour. In many cases, at the same time, the price of food has gone up as much as proof, uncooked frosting for cake 35 per cent.

Many workers are on a system of share-the-work. I work one day, and some one else will work the next day are unwilling to mobilize the shoe shoe workers and their families.

Many of the children of the mill right for spreading; be careful not hands have not sufficient clothes to thin it too much. No flavoring (or the proper clothing) to attend is necessary. The frosting is smooth and shiny and does not dry out at school, and only a very few have the edges, nor crack. the proper food for their growing

port to the N.R.A. in Washington. in a position to carry on the strug-The rank and file shoe workers gle for relief much more effectively. bodies There are numbers of people here who yet believe in the schemes advanced by Huey Long-his Share the Wealth Society. There are thousands that do not yet know that every time the large corpora-To Support Textile Strike tions are taxed, they in turn tax the people. The workers are always the ones who pay.

Conditions Are Worst They bought the cow; a laundry InShop of 'Friendly'Boss By a Shoe Worker Correspondent BOSTON, Mass. — Mr. Barney

days. The strikers, some 700 of was made and everyone was wel food. The neighboring farmers gave urday, Mrs. Hokkanen, a wellplenty of vegetables, but there was known Communist, was hailed by no meat. So two members of the everyone as "Hello, sweetheart!" Strike Relief Committee were ap- Thus the red scare was overcome proached by Mr. and Mrs. Hok-in a little New England town where during the strike everyone had been kanen, Communists and Finnish warned of the Communist menace shop are of the worst kind. farmers, and they set out to find a The strikers were more impressed cow and the funds to buy her with. by Communist actions than by the

from the work of the Communists throughout the general strike, that performed. Second, about another on other side. the Reds are the best and most militant fighters for the interests of all workers.

had the gas shut off yet; this one

ory Board, in the Daily Worker drive for \$60,000. Quota-\$500. "May I offer a recipe for a de-Total to date\$5.40 of raisin-bran bread, stale (the one I used was a week old!), soaked Can You Make 'Em for half-an-hour and then squeezed out and flaked. Add three or four

14, 16, 18, 20, 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40.

Size 16 takes 4 yards 39 inch fabric. per week for the most part, which baking dish. Sprinkle with brown Illustrated step-by-step sewing insugar and chopped nut meats. structions included. Bake in a moderate oven about 45 'as is' or with corn syrup. You

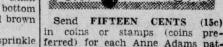
"Another variant of bread-andapple pudding is to add one or two sliced bananas. Also: a simple, foolcan be made by adding two teaspoons of hot water to a cup of confectioners' sugar (sifted). Mix well, then add more hot water, drop by drop, until consistency is

"'In the Home' is a fine and indispensable department in the Daily Worker and I think that it should be allotted at least a quarter page once a week. If other comrades write in on this. I'm sure it will be done.-Comradely, Audrey Linn.' Comrade Natalie G. asks, "Did you ever try this kind of apple souffle? It's swell. Bake five or six green apples, put them through a strainer or potato ricer, mix into the pulp a cup or more of sugar. and the stiffly beaten whites of three or four eggs. Bake in hot oven for about fifteen minutes. Serve plain, or with cream if pos-

Feldman, the owner of the Banner Shoe Co. of Boston, poses to his method of making a delicious appleworkers as a radical and a friend pancake (of eggs, milk, flour, and of the workers. The truth of the a pinch baking-powder and salt); matter is that he repeatedly atyou make a rather thin pancake tempted through many schemes to batter, with as much egg in it as organize a company union in his the budget will stand; stir into it shop and that conditions in his a large apple, peeled, cored, cut in The small slices and sauted in a little workers are exploited to the limit. oil until lightly browned. Add also I want to report on two cases of about one rounded tablespoon recent happening in this shop. First sugar, more or less to taste. Pour about one girl that he fired be- enough of this batter into small cause she dared to demand to be greased skillet just to cover bottom paid for several hours of work she of pan, brown, turn over, and brown

case where a girl was fired because she went to the ladies' room in another department. Place on plate and sprinkle ferred) for each Anne Adams pat-lightly with sugar. Continue until batter is used. As there is a good both. Write name, address and case where a girl was fired because

A few weeks ago, 15 per cent of deal of frying connected with this styl number. BE SURE TO STATE A few weeks ago, is per cent of deal of frying connected with this styl humber. BE SORE TO STATE the workers' wages was taken out of their envelopes, and only after threats of the union to call a strike, the two comrades and the two strik- Circulation. A few weeks ago, is per cent of their envelopes, and only after threats of the union to call a strike, was this returned. A few weeks ago, is per cent of their envelopes, the apples so used would strike the workers' wages was taken out of their envelopes, and only after threats of the union to call a strike, was this returned. A few weeks ago, is per cent of their envelopes, the apples so used would strike the workers' wages was taken out of their envelopes, and only after threats of the union to call a strike, was this returned. Street, New York City.



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'Red' Farmer Obtains Food

By a Worker Correspondent | ers had collected \$32.25 from poor NEW HAVEN, Conn.-In Plain- farmers in a small neighborhood. field, Conn., after the general tex- man, once a butcher, volunteered tile strike was called off, the Law- his services, butchered her, cleaned ton Mill did not reopen for a few her, cut her up. A tremendous stew

fed. them, were desperately hard up for

They persuaded a farmer to sell a wordy alarms of the capitalist press. fine cow for \$28.





THERE are few people in America today who deny that the country is in a crisis, or that the middle class has been shaken to its depths by the "mysterious" breakdown of capitalism.

Anyone with ordinary political eyesight can see it plain. All the Rooseveltian maneuvers, often convulsive and irrational, like the writhing of a fatally wounded animal, are part of the evidence.

Yes, it is surely plain enough to everyone but H. L. Mencken. That smug old Philistine remains the chief Babbitt of our time. If any youngster who has grown to maturity in the years since the crisis began wishes to know how the comfortable middle-class felt before the Great Collapse of 1929. I would recommend that he buy a copy f the Saturday Review of Literature, for October 6.

He will find there an essay by H. L. Mencken, in which this old seum piece of Babbittry repeats his stale monologue. This time the rumor of a proletarian literature that has reached the ears ne aged reactionary. He denies that the thing exists, or can ever ne into being. The arguments he employs to prove his case are o pathetically shallow, that I am sure the youngsters will be amazed.

Was this the literary critic who dominated the American intelectual world for a decade? Yes, children, it was; because he was beaking for the most shallow, self-satisfied, illiterate and vulgar class Philistines history has yet known. Never had there been a rulog class with so much material power in its hands, and with so little culture. Today, it is shattered; the best members of it are awakening to Communism; others are in complete despair, and live on public relief; others dream of an American Hitler.

Few have been spared the bitter lesson of catastrophe. They are definitely changed, all but their slightly ludicrous Fuehrer. A thousand miles in the rear of his army, he gives the old commands. And nobody listens, except to jeer.

nsolent Ignorance

MR. MENCKEN still preserves, like a withered courtesan, traces of his former gaudy style. It amuses no longer, since insolent ignorance is often forgiven to a young and beautiful girl, whereas in a painted old fiapper it becomes somewhat obscene.

With all the ignorant valor of a haughty debutante Mr. Mencken sets out to prove the following points:

1. There is no proletarian literature in America, despite the "loud cutcries for it. There has been a large effusion of emetic short stories about life on the one-crop farms and in the steel mills."

2. Proletarian writing is dull, and will always be dull and uneadable. "If you doubt it, go to the nearest bookshop specializing 1 sexology and revolution, and take a look at the current radical eriodicals.'

3. There were a few lively revolutionary authors in the days of the old Masses, "but all these bright lads have been purged from the movement on orders from the Moscow Habbukuks, and their successors show none of their engaging liveliness. The New Masses, indeed, is one of the dullest sheets ever heard of, even in radical circles.'

4. These younger writers are such nonentities that even Moscow, which bosses them around, has little use for them. "Indeed, they seem to be debarred even today from the cataracts of champagne and the caviar as big as golf balls of the Soviet Embassy. They may be entertained there, but if so it must be in the garage."

5. They are failures, these proletarian writers. Most of them tried to write for the Cosmopolitan magazine and make money, but failed. The poets could not write sonnets, and so turned to revolutionary free verse. The chief poem of this "Volga school" is the composition of "an elderly and immensely respectable gentleman who is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Letters and a Litt. D. of a Baptist university.'

6. Its literary critics, "so-called," are even more plainly inferior. Most of them are young men with disinclination for a steady job. But they failed to impress the world of money-literature. A choice was open; either to become hack journalists, "with maybe an occasional check from a pulp magazine," or to turn "Mormon or cannibal," (meaning Communist)

7. Since Communism is the latest fashionable fad among the youth, ust as once Imagism was the magic word, then the New Humanism, then Anglo-Catholicism and religion, then Technocracy, and finally Sexology; these young failures are adopting Communism. It is a convenient fad with which to cover one's nakedness. 8. But it won't last. "Probably not more than a few years. Long ago I drew up and printed a chart of American quackeries, including the literary." None of them lasted for more than a few years.

Bestial Torture of Ernst Thaelmann And Other Workers Told in Sworn Statements by Former Nazi Victims

DALLA WORKER, NEW LUKA, WEDNEODAL, UCLUDER 11, 1304

Was Repeatedly Beaten During 11/2 Years

Imprisonment **TRNST THAELMANN** during his present imprisonment was beat-

en repeatedly with leather whips and steel rods. Workers who have been in the Nazi concentration camps, relating the horrors they saw and experienced, tell first-hand stories of how the heroic leader of the Commun-ist Party of Germany has been repeatedly and often beaten during his imprisonmen

"In June, 1933, two prisoners, after they had first been fearfully tortured, were brought to a barn in which there was already another prisoner. In the evening this barn was burned to the ground. The camp prisoners constituting the fire brigade were not allowed to open the barn. The charred remains of three corpses were rescued from the debris. Among them was that of a Jewish artisan from Nuremberg by the name of Schloss."

THIS is one of the sworn state-I ments made by victims of the Nazi terror and collected in a pamphlet-"Letters from Concentration Camps," a book shortly to be published. The statement in this case is

that of a peasant, B. H., who was arrested and taken to the Dachau Camp.

Among other things things he declares:

"On August 1 seven Storm Troopers were brought to camp who were accused of being sympathetic to the Communists. They were given the same 'treatment' as the Communist functionaries that are brought to camp.

"The Storm Troopers, Amuschel and Handschuk, were beaten on the soles of their feet, then Soviet emblems were branded on their flesh with burning cigars and cigarettes, and their sex organs were burned away.

"When the Brown fiends had had enough of the pains of the tortured victims, they applied water hose to their rectums in order that the strong stream should tear their insides completely.

"Amuschel could no longer walk, he had to crawl on hands and feet to camp, which was soon to be his camp of death. Amuschel died on August 2 and Handschuk on August Oct. 'Labor Unity' Is Vital 3 as a result of the frightful tortures they had been put through.

THE twenty-six-year-old Ruth M. relates:

"On April 13, 1933, I was arrested at my house by 20 Storm Troopers and two policemen and brought

to police headquarters. On April 28 I was taken from there to the dungeon on General Pape Street. There I was locked up in a cellar and severely maltreated."

She was then kept in a cell with six other women. We had only two blankets with

which to cover ourselves. We were punched every day and beaten with cial organ of the Trade Union attitude, approach and activity leather whips. In order that we Unity League.

NEW DEAL One of the first acts of the Refuses Journalists Roosevelt administration was the reduction of all government ex-Offer of Favored Treatment

gusting torture they had to bear was the camphor injections the bestialized wretches made in their urinary canals." . .

T MAY be thought that such things were exceptional and unauthorized. But B. L., a Berlin locksmith, says:

"There was a definite impression that specially selected sadistic inhuman creatures were in charge of the Hedemann Hell. Several names of these Brown torturers whom I have not forgotten shall be known to the world. They are Storm Troopers Ehlers, Merk, Bergmann, Pohlens and Kain. "Troop Leader of the Berlin

Storm Troop section, Ernst, knew and knows of these tortures, for he very often came at night for inspection and saw our faces covered with wounds and dripping with blood. He saw that the walls of the rooms were covered with blood.

"He also knew the punishment system. This included the 'counted off' blows, 25 to 50, upon the cov-ered or bare body. There were the running up and down' blows from head to soles of the feet. There was the 'rubbing down' with (1) bare and (2) fist with brass nuckles.

"There was the 'Gleichschaltung unification), which meant that the prisoners had to whip each other During the 'rubbing down' we had to sing military marching songs at the top of our lungs. If we no onger could sing, loudspeakers were nstalled in order to drown the cries of the tortured."

animaginable horrors, but there more than horror in the courage which they reveal. In spite of all ortures it is but rarely that prisoners can be forced to give infornation.

ecord of Ernst Thaelmann, who has been imprisoned for a year and a half, and repeatedly beaten with

strapped to a trestle and fearfully The finger-nails were torn out from was held for ten months in Storm beaten with oxhide whips and rub- the unfortunate victims with pin-Troop dungeons and in the Sonnenber truncheons. I fell unconscious, cers. But the worst and most dis-

man Communist Party, Comrade Ernst Thaelmann, who was also being held in custody at the central **Issue for Union Workers** olice station, had been visited by oreign correspondents. The gentle nen of the press wanted to photograph our leader.

> 'If you do want to take photos, you might photograph those victims of fascism who lie lacerated and mutilated in the other cells. Go there and do your photo-

"When these gentlemen declared their willingness to help provide him with better food, he refused their offer with the remark that he would accept no treatment which should feel the strokes all the more, water was poured over us and our clothes were fully drenched. From beginning to end this issue is filled with articles and informa-tion vital to every worker and trade

and SHOP By David Ramsey in so-called loans, and is spending

other billions for the construction of the largest and most deadly war machine in the world. . .

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THIS was to be expected from a I social system that kills workers in order to save a few pennies. It is not interested in the great problems that confront science, and which can only be solved by largescale research involving the cooperative efforts of thousands of cientists and the expenditures of many hundreds of millions of dollars. For the sake of its profits and war aims, it is systematically

deal was not admitted by the apologists for capitalism. They ignored such facts as unemployment among technical and scientific workers; they passed over the deliberate contraction of research. some other individual in the government. They should remember Instead there was a great deal of that it is impossible to really plan talk that the new deal would bring research under capitalism. The on a great golden age of science various groups of capitalists could and that the scientists would lead never agree on what projects should the American people out of the crisis to the promised land of be tackled first. In addition they would sabotage the work from the start since they would be anxious After twenty months of the new to keep the monopoly rights on deal the scientific representatives their secret patents and inventions. The fundamental prerequisite to of the administration have at last admitted that the scientist has the planning of scientific research been completely ignored by Rooseis a society which puts the convelt. Unemployment among techsideration of humanity above the interests of parasitic coupon clipnicians is larger than ever. In New York City, for example, 98 per cent pers. It is only a workers and of architects are unemployed. The farmers' government which can inchemist who is lucky enough to troduce social and economic planland a job works for a bootlegger

ning, and also plan the organizaor for a pirate gold and silver contion of scientific work. The example cern engaged in smuggling precious of the Soviet Union proves this metals into the country. At one conclusively. There science is aplarge engineering school the gradplied in every field to build socialuates of the last four classes nave ism, and in turn the building of been unable to get a single ensocialism is the material basis for the planned reconstruction of cience itself. THE situation has become so

It is ironical that the capitalists who sabotage the advance of science raise the bogey that socialism means the death of scientific thought. They claim that in the Soviet Union the theoretical scientist is discouraged.

But the facts show that it is under capitalism that theoretical research is discouraged unless it has the promise of bringing in quick profits. The Nazis as always are the frankest about this matter. They say bluntly that they are not interested in theory, that they want no relativity Jew like Einstein. Their science students must specialize in all branches that have a direct bearing on war. All other fields are non-Aryan, that is, they cannot be used to kill people.

IN the Soviet Union, on the other hand, there is intensive work in The workers realize that all fields. of science means eventually to destroy the basis for further stientific progress. Consequently there is no field of science which does not receive large sums of money tific problems. Over a period of six and in which remarkable headway

The scientists and technicians of America must demand that they be remembers that the German dye given jobs on scientific projects trust spent almost as much money that will benefit the workers, farin developing synthetic indigo for mers and the poor middle class commercial purposes. And by comgroups of the country. But in their fight for jobs and economic security parison with the \$250,000,000 that

THESE accounts are full of almost

The same witness tells how: "In September, 1933, five workers from Berlin-Reinickendorf were brought by the field police to police leather whips and steel rods. different room, where I was headquarters on Alexanderplatz.

burg Camp, writes:

graphing.'

The article on "The Growth of Company Unions-and Our Tasks" by Bill Gebert raises some fundamental questions regarding our within these company unions in

. . "When I came to about 40 Storm Troopers were standing about me. They were drunk for the most part. Each of them took some water in their mouth and then spat in my face, at the same time yowling and

There is, among other things, a

A harness maker, Kantov, who

"Once I was informed by the at-endant that the leader of the Ger-

LABOR UNITY, official organ of sues in the strike is extremely im-"But he refused and remarked: The problem of company unions which becomes greater every day, thus far has received little attention in our trade union press.

reactionary scientists who are directly connected with the administration cooked up a very pretenious plan to put scientific research on its feet again. An examination

gineering position.

plenty.

of this plan which is called the Recovery Program of Science Progress reveals that it is nothing but futile gesture, designed mainly to carry on the illusion that the new deal has something to offer to the technician and scientist. The plan was sponsored by the National Research Council and various technical societies. It was drawn up by Dr. Karl T. Compton

I desperate that certain of the

of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Alfred D. Flinn, the director of the Engineering Foundation The underlying concept of the plan was taken from the planned irection of scientific research in the Soviet Union, with the funda-mental difference, that it is un-related. To stifle certain phases realizable in a capitalist economy. It was the purpose of the Recovery

Program of Science Progress to put unemployed scientists to work solving important technical and scienyears the modest sum of \$16,000,000 is not being made. was to be spent. The term "mod- The scientists ar est" is not inaccurate when one

penditures for scientific research. Hundreds of trained technicians and research scientists were dismissed, important scientific work was ended or drastically curtailed, and the whole pace of scientific

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SCIENCE AND THE

activity showed a marked slackening. The only fields of scientific endeavor that were unaffected by this sabotaging of reasearch were those that were intimately connect ed with the administration's prep arations for war and conquest. The retrogression of government cientific activity under the new

tifling all creative efforts that cannot be turned into dividends or instruments of death and destruction Some technicians and scientists may tend to blame this action of the administration on Roosevelt or

9. And the revolutionary literati who have rich fathers will return to safety, but the others will vanish from the scene. They are cowards. "Their job is not to fight, but to think. They do it badly, but still they prefer it to carnage."

A "Passing Fad"

AND there is your essay on proletarian literature by a leading bour-A geois critic of American letters.

Not one proletarian book or theory has been discussed. The man simply does not read. His mind is a hash of newspaper headlines. and little else. It is the mind of an inferior reporter on a tabloid newspaper, sensational, flashy and abysmally ignorant of all the profound life-and-death issues.

To answer such an essay in detail is a waste of time. I have outlined it here to furnish my readers with a spectacle.

This little pot-bellied Philistine with his little bank-account, and his little private conviction that nothing can ever happen to him, thinks the social revolution is a passing fad. It will blow over in a few years, as will its literature. There was never a World War, a Russian and Chinese Revolution, or a world crisis of capitalism. All this : the invention of a few dull writers who have failed to have their bieces accepted by the Cosmopolitan magazine. Why do they try to care him with these "emetic" fables?

Back of it all, of course, is fear. A few years ago Mr. Mencken began to accumulate property, it is reported. All his thinking is now saturated with the complexes of a property-owner. It is significant that he never attacks the Fascists with this same scorn. There. evidently, he finds nothing to fear.

Contributions received to the credit of Mike Gold in his socialist competition with Jacob Burck, David Ramsey, Harry Gannes, Helen Luke, Del and the Medical Advisory Board, in the Daily Worker drive for \$60.000. Quota-\$500

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"But the most terrible thing was that we were compelled to witness and struggles in the basic indus-

the scene of several women being strapped to a wooden horse (hobbyhorse) and right before our very eyes raped by Storm Troopers."

> P., a clerk, ,who for six weeks each of these industries. was dragged about through various Storm Troop dungeons in

Trade Union Articles

In New Issue of C. I.

NEW YORK .- The October 5th issue of "The Communist Inter-national" (No. 19) contains two more articles on the strike struggles

and trade union work in the United States. There is also in this issue an article on the British Trade Union Congress, one on the Soviet textile industry, and two book reviews

The full contents of No. 19 are: The Struggle Against Company Unions-by B. Sherman. The British Trade Union Congress

by L. M.

L. Madvar.

Weymouth-by A. Lozovsky. The Background of the General Strike in the Textile Industryby Sam Brown.

workers and the role and activity Organized Struggle Against Spies and Agents-Provocateurs (From of the left wing forces in the strike as well as the section dealing with Experiences of Illegal Party Work in Germany)-by Albert Muller. the lessons of the strike and the tasks facing the textile workers A Book on Soviet China-Reviewed now, makes this one article a docu-"Vom Kaiserhof Zum Reichskanment of outstanding political im-

zel!" By Goebbels-Reviewed by portance.

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union functionary. The movements the Chicago comrades in this work. With the increasing importance of tries are thoroughly covered. Arwork within these unions as a ticles on textile, marine, steel, coal, major task facing us, the article food and needle trades give a repof Gebert is indispensable for an resentative picture of the events. understanding of some elementary the developments and the lessons in and political tasks facing us.

ERNST THAELMANN

laughing with joy.'

Berlin, relates his experiences as |

"After my arrest I was brought

to the Viehhof Storm Troop bar-

racks. I was beaten at my ex-

amination. I was then taken to

the cellar. There I had to stand in

a hole filled with water. Later my

hair was cut off, that is, it was

"During all this I was constantly

the Trade Union Unity League, portant.

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Reviewed by

No worker, and especially no trade

can afford to miss reading the Oc-

tober issue of "Labor Unity." offi-

LEO THOMPSON

union officer or active worker,

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follows

The article "For Unification of The feature article, by Jack the Trade Union Movement" like-Stachel, Acting Secretary of the wise is a document of profound T. U. U. L., on "The Great Textile political importance and establishes Strike and Its Betrayal" examines the attitude of the T.U.U.L. on the in detail the rise of the strike basis for unification of the trade movement in the textile industry union movement. The tasks and and its culmination into the great the perspective before the Amernational strike. The factors makican labor and trade union moveing for the strike, the issues and ment are raised very sharply in grievances, the role of the rank and this article. file, the sabotage and opposition of

the trade union bureaucracy, are TWO articles discuss the antiworking-class activity of the Stachel analyzes the role of the Communist renegades and "left" Government, the N.R.A., of Gorreformist misleaders, in the story of man, MacMahon and Green & "The Knitgoods Workers Strike" by Company and explains how it was Ben Gold, and "Muste Misleaders possible for these forces to knife a in Southern Illinois" by Ralph strike the size and importance of Shaw.

which the country has never seen With the danger of war and fasbefore. At the same time the role of the Lovestonite renegades (Kelcism creeping ever closer the contribution, "Fascism and the Trade ler, etc.) and the Socialist Party Unions" and "War Threatens the The character of the "settle-Youth" are timely and valuable. ment" and its meaning for the Andrew Overgaard writes of the lecisions and work of the Second National Convention of the Steel and Metal Workers Industrial Union, and Nat Ganley describes the victories forced by the Detroit food workers.

> steel, coal, marine and textile industries should order special ered in a factual way useful to

WITH hundreds of seamen on bundles of this issue for widespread strike in North Atlantic ports, distribution, as well as in Preparations Committee, the article Room 326, 80 East 11th Street, directly from Labor Research Assn., of George Allen detailing the is- New York.

Even in chains Thaelmann re mains the leader of the German workers. The fight for his release s a fight to help all the sorely tried thousands of Nazi victims. It is a fight to rescue the German masses through the destruction of fascism!

Imperialist War Plans Featured in 'Economic Notes,' L.R.A. Bulletin

NEW YORK .- Three topics conerned with imperialist war feature the current issue of Labor Research Association's monthly Economic Notes, just released. These are articles dealing with the expansion of chemical plants, chemical company profits in the last war, and a summary of the munitions industry hearing in Washington.

L. R. A. also, in this number of Economic Notes, summarizes its original compilation of "New Deal expenditures, showing the exact amounts of money thus far proured out by the Roosevelt government for the "relief" of bankers, indusrialists and rich farmers as compared with the meagre "dole" given the unemployed.

Present economic trends-produc ion, consumption, prices, employ ment, wages-profits of leading companies and the background of banana workers' strike agains the United Fruit Co. in Costa Rica Workers' organizations in the are other high spots of the bulletin Twelve subjects in all are cov speakers, organizers and other active workers. Obtain copies of Ecothe needle trades. It is well worth the nomic Notes at 5 cents a copy from price of five cents. Order from your local Workers' Book Shop or 8 E. 11th St., N. Y. C.

the Soviet Union spent last year they should remember that the true for research purposes, the sum deliberation of science from the fetsired by Compton and his associters of capitalism awaits the proates was certainly not staggering. letarian revolution. In joining the Nevertheless, even this modest working class in this struggle to proposal was turned down by the overthrow capitalism, they are also taking the only course that will ensure intellectual freedom for administration on the grounds that it had no authority to spend money on research. This is the same adthemselves and establish the founninistration that gave the big dation for boundless progress in bankers and industrialists billions science

Lab and Shop was slow to enter into socialist competition with the other features of the paper in the Daily Worker drive for \$60,000, because the column appears only twice a week. But the editor assures the column that it is regarded as one of the regular features, and with this encouragement Lab and Shop rushes into the fray with an appeal to its readers to raise \$250 in the name of socialist science.

Thus while the column appears but twice a week, Lab and Shop starts out to raise half of the quotas set by such big shots as "Red-Eye Mike" Gold, the hard-bitten veteran of the cultural front. If we pull together, comrades, we can raise our quota before the other features attain their goals, despite our late start. Let's go, comrades and fellow-scientific workers!

TUNING IN

8:15-WABC-Edwin C. Hill, Commentator 1:00-WEAF-Danny Malone, Tenor WOR-Sports Resume-Ford Frick 8:30-WEAF-Wayne King Orchestra WJZ-Amos 'n' Andy-Sketch WABC-Myrt and Marge-Sketch WABC-Myrt and Marge-Sacuth 7:15-WEAF-Gene and Glenn-Sketch WOR-O'Brien and King, Songs WJZ--Plantation Echoes; Mildred Balley, Songs: Robinson Orches WABC-Just Plain Bill-Sketch WOR-The O'Neills-Sketch WJZ-Red Davis-Sketch WAZC-Paul Keast Bartiane WABC-Paul Keast, Baritone 1:45-WEAF-Frank Buck's Adventures WOR-Studio Music WOR-Studio Music WJZ-Dangerous Paradise-Sketch WABC-Boake Carter, Commentator 00-WEAF-The Patsy-Play, With Mary Pickfort, Actress WOR-Lone Ranger-Sketch

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THE HANDS OF THE JURY

See tomorrow for the verdict,

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Communists and Scottsboro

UEYWOOD PATTERSON and Clarence **n** Norris, two of the Scottsboro boys, from the death house at Kilby Prison, Montgomery, Alabama, have issued sworn statements that they want the International Labor Defense and its lawyers exclusively to handle their defense. They decisively repudiate the shyster tactics of those who would wrest the legal side of their defense from the hands of the working class. The statements of Patterson and Norris, condemned to death by the Alabama Jim-Crow courts of the capitalist class, make it more difficult for Samuel Leibowitz, and the Negro preacher misleaders, to disrupt the Scottsboro Boys legal defense

The Daily Worker and the Communist Party were the first to call the attention of the masses to this now famous case. The Communist Party saw at once that the nine Scottsboro boys were the innocent victims of a frame-up by the Southern lynch courts which are controlled by the employing class and its lynch gangs. The Communist Party since that time and to the present moment, has exerted every effort to rally millions of toilers to the defense of these young Negro boys. The mass campaign, launched by the Communist Party and carried on by the International Labor Defense, has stayed the hands of the lynch courts for three and a half long years, while every agency of the Southern bourbons has cried out that the Scottsboro boys must burn.

For three and one half years, the mass power of the working class of the whole world has kept these innecent Negro boys alive. At every step in the case the Negro reformist misleaders, the Uncle Toms, who fawn for crumbs from the bosses' table. unsuccessfully have tried to weaken and split the mass defense which has so far saved the Scottsboro boys from death. These Negro misleaders, Judases to their race, have tried to soft-peddle the mass defense and render the Scottsboro boys defenseless before the "mercy" of the lynch courts. They have attacked the Communist Party's leadership in the case, and tried to behead the defense through their "red scare."

TODAY, in the midst of its election campaign, the the Communist Party emphasizes more strongly than ever the need for rallying millions throughout the world to SAVE THE SCOTTSBORO BOYS.

* *

The Scottsboro case is a symbol of the oppression by the employing class of the whole Negro people. The capitalist class rules and exploits the workers, and maintains its state by splitting and dividing the workers; the capitalist government marks the Negroes for the most brutal, ruthless suppresison, discrimination and exploitation.

The fight for freedom for the Scottsboro boys is the fight for the freedom of the whole Negro race from oppression by the capitalist class and its government. The fight for the Scottsboro boys is a fight against the whole lynch terror against Negro toilers, the fight against Jim-Crow and discrimination, the fight for equal rights for Negroes. The Communist Party in the present election campaign, as one of the seven major demands of its program, demands freedom for the Scottsboro boys; calls for a fight "AGAINST JIM-CROWISM AND LYNCHING; FOR EQUAL RIGHTS FOR THE NEGROES AND SELF-DETERMINATION FOR THE BLACK BELT; FOR THE NEGRO BILL OF RIGHTS. The Communist Party's congressional election program is the program for the complete overthrow of the entire rotten capitalist state and system; for the setting up by the workers and farmers of their own government

administration, of which he is a part, is actually assisting only the biggest and wealthiest industrialists and landowners.

In addition, Wallace's talk of ending the limiting of production fits in quite nicely with the plans of the big Wall Street monopolies, who are at the present moment finding it necessary to remove some of the earlier N.R.A. production restrictions in their fight against the small, non-monopoly producers.

Wallace offers the small, impoverished farmers nothing at all. He bluntly declares that the criminal A.A.A. crop-reducing program will continue destroying crops so that the big landlords and grain producers can reap huge profits at the expense of the small producer, who is being crushed to the wall, and the city workers, who must give new plunder to the Wall Street monopolies, which market the country's food.

. .

T IS only in the program of the Communist Party for the relief of the impoverished farmers that the millions of mortgage-ridden, drought-stricken small and middle farmers can find any relief from the burdens that oppress them. The Communist Party in this election fight, as in all its agrarian struggles, organizes for the ending of the hated A.A.A. program, for the cancellation of all mortgage debts which chain the small farmers, for adequate government relief.

This demand is expressed in the farm plank of the Communist Party Congressional Platform:

"For the repeal of the A.A.A.; for emergency relief to the impoverished and drought-stricken farmers without restriction by the government and the banks; exemption of impoverished farmers from taxation; cancellation of debts of poor farmers; for the Farmers' Emergency Relief Bill."

Wallace's farm program is part and parcel of the whole Rcosevelt "New Deal," with its infamous destruction of food amid the hunger of the masses, in order that a handful of wealthy landowners and monopoly middlemen can gather a harvest of increased profit. .

WHATEVER differences Wallace has with some of the practices of the N.R.A. are only differences reflecting the antagonism between the big landowners and the Wall Street monopolies over the price of manufactured goods, the landowners being eager for lower prices of the things they have to

In the coming elections every Roosevelt agent, every capitalist candidate must be confronted with the aroused anger of the small farmer and city workers, who face pauperism as a result of the Wallace-Roosevelt N.R.A.-A.A.A. program.

Place Communists in the legislative halls to extend the fight against the rich landowners and the Wall Street monopolies, against the mortgage sharks, and for an adequate relief program! Vote Communist against the Wallace crop-destroying program!

The Dawson Case

THE La Guardia administration is pre-I paring to slash the meagre relief handed out to the jobless of New York.

This is the meaning of the recent attacks upon the employees within the Home Relief Bureau, the most glaring example of which is the discharge of Miss Sidonia Dawson about ten days ago.

The facts are simple. Miss Sidonia Dawson, a supervisory aide at Precinct 18 of the Home Relief Bureau, expressed her objection to a brutal police attack upon a delegation of unemployed. The Grievance Committee, of which Miss Dawson is chairman, the next day expressed their solidarity with the unemployed by issuing a leaflet condemning the police attack and demanding the removal of the supervisor if she were found responsible for the calling of the police.

Miss Dawson was fired as a result of her protests. This discharge took place, it must be noted, at the hands of the "liberal" LaGuardia-Hodson-Corsi administration. The same administration fired Miss Dawson for objecting to brutality against the jobless, said last January, through the mouth of Welfare Commissioner Hodson, that relief workers should "listen to the story of his [the jobless person's-Ed.] problems with patience and kindly understanding." The discharge of Miss Dawson is more than the dismissal of a courageous employee. It is an attack upon the unemployed. It, in particular, shows the deadly fear of the "liberal" administration that the relief employees will revolt against their continuous policy of police brutality against the jobless. It is, furthermore, an attack upon the organization of the Home Relief Bureau employees. With a cowed and intimidated group of Home Relief Bureau Employees, the Administration will feel that any hindrance it may have within its own Bureaus to its policy of battering down the standards of the unemployed is destroyed. It will feel that much freer to conduct an unrestrained policy of terror against the relief clients. This is the basic idea behind the discharge of Miss Sidonia Dawson.

THE ASSASSIN'S KNIFE DRAWS NEARER!



systematic effort to carry on the campaign, they were met with a more than ready response on the part of the workers whom we had

Does the American Workers Party Know With 'What' It Is Uniting?

By ALEX BITTELMAN

eral, is beginning to gain real mass support in the Italian Mayfield and pointed out in these columns, is the Trotzkyist "Fourth Interna-tional" (a bridge to the Second In-tional" (a bridge to the Second Inlutionary position to the Soviet demoralized counter - revolutionary Union, two things to which the sect that A. J. Muste wants to unite membership of the A. W. P. is opposed and which even Muste cannot swallow in the raw as it is served by Cannon-Shachtman and Co. leaders of the two groups to find a Party and Y. C. L. "formula" which would have the membership of the two groups the outstanding fact that Muste is violating the will of the member-ship of the A. W. P. to remain back to the Second Internationalto the Socialist Party-by way of

"organic unity" with Muste. A Few Questions to the A. W. P. Do you know, comrades of the A.

neuvering for joining

International.

By ALEX BITTELMAN A. J. Muste is leading the Amer-ican Workers Party into "organic unity" with the Trotzkyists. The stumbling block, as was already trap with no way out. This is what confronted with accomplished facts Trotzkyism has accomplished for and ready-made turns, it will not be educated into political adulthood.'

Spector forgets to add that "eduin counter-revolution. But we are "organically," not plainly, the Amernow interested in Cannon-demoican Workers Party. What do the cracy. As is known, the Trotzkyists healthy, working class elements of (Cannon-Schachtman & Co.) have the A. W. P. say to this? And, especially "distinguished" them-The Communist selves by their collaboration with Party, section of the Communist the reactionary bureaucracy of the was not "good A. F. of L. in Minneapolis, with the enough" for Muste even to make a farmer-labor politicians and Govunited front with on specific issues. He broke the understanding for ernor Olsen, in leading the workers united action against unemployto defeat. It is also known that the Trotzkyists in Minneapolis ment, on the trade union field and have gotten for the in the League Against War and workers the Fascism. But with the decaying same sort of "victory" as Gorman did for the textile workers. The counter-revolutionary Trotzkyist truth of this is beginning to penesect, Muste seeks "organic unity," nothing less. How shall this be trate also into the demoralized qualified? Muste argues against ranks of the Trotzkyists. joining the Socialist Party and the Spector reflects this uneasiness about Minneapolis in his letter to see, is rejecting "equally" both the Swabeck. Respectfully and polite-

> "May I take this opportunity of pointing out that though I have the proud honor (ironical, is it?-A. B.) to be a member of the N.C., I am completely at a lessly." loss to give an intelligent account of the role, the measures, the No member of the British Trade Union Council can be called a Sc strategy, and the political balance of our leading representaviet agent. These gentlemen are primarily labor ligutenants of Brittives in the Minneapolis strike?" Spector, a "proud" member of the ish imperialism and only with the greatest reluctance talk of the Trotzkyist National Committee, youth of the proletarian dictatordoes not criticize. No, he humbly ship looking to the "future confibegs for information and enlightendently, firmly, fearlessly." ment. But he injects a bit of irony into the situation when he says: EVERY worker in the U.S. must "The Minneapolis strike may L ask himself what is the future have been, as you claim, 'magnififor him under capitalism? We are cently conducted'; I am open to conviction but cannot accept on simple, animal faith. I propose at present faced with elections throughout the country, with the that something be done to give capitalists striving to win a vote of confidence in their hunger sysan adequate report on this struggle before it passes into the limbo of forgotten things and turns into The capitalist world is on the a legend."

World Front

by Burck

By HARRY GANNES Hungary, the U.S.S.R. and Elections in the U.S. **Recent Reports**

THE self-entombment of the

1,200 miners in Hungary was a terrible and dramatic symbol of the position of the workers under capitalism in the present crisis.

Starvation is the lot of the proletariat in capitalist lands, and where fascism rules their situation is desperate beyond all doubt.

Continued existence of capitalism neans endangering the lives of millions of toilers through starvation, through suicides, through fascist terror, and through war.

We know that the American capitalist press, in harmony with Hit ler, have striven hard to make the workers believe that the conc tions of the toilers in the Sou Union are bad. This was a sort defense to the undeniable miserab. conditions of the workers in all capitalist lands.

* MAROLD DENNY, a New York I Times correspondent, has just made a trip to Soviet regions which were badly affected by the drought. They are comparable to those states in the U.S. where the cattle and the farmers this summer were gaunt and hungry. We remember photographs and movies of these drought areas in the United States. Farmers with their cheeks sunken, cattle with every rib showing. Starvation threatening hundreds of thousands; the future black and miserable.

Now let us see what this capitalist correspondent has to report about the drought areas n the Soviet Union

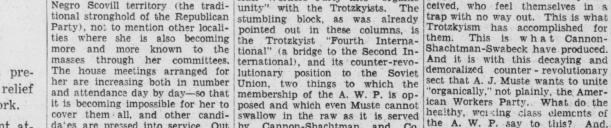
"On this journey," he writes, the correspondent deliberately "the sought the sections where the worst conditions had been reported in the outside world . . . What did he find?

"Nowhere was famine found. Nowhere even fear of it. "There is food, including bread,

in the local open markets. The peasants were smiling, too, and generous with their foodstuffs."

cation" in Trotzkyism is education IN TODAY'S Daily Worker we also publish a radiogram from Moscow reporting the visit of two members of the General Council of British trade unions, Hicks and MacLeen. We quote here only a few lines from Hicks' statement:

> "I made a long trip through the Soviet Union but didn't see anywhere the things which part of the foreign press talks of. I didn't see either poverty or famine, or even signs of these. On the contrary, in the course of visits to Soviet towns and industrial enterprises, collective farms and government institutions, I noticed all administrative bodies and chiefs strive to place the interests of the workers and their families first. Everywhere I saw happy, laughing faces in the streets, theatres, stadiums, where thousands of young people engage in all kinds of sport. The Soviet youth looks to their fu-ture confidently, firmly, fear-



Recruiting, Finances

taken the campaign seriously, gave

leadership to it, organized a com-

mittee around themselves of non-

Party workers and began working systematically are definitely forging

Comrade Yetta Land, for instance,

candidate for State Attorney Gen-

to the head of the ticket.

Those of our candidates who have

dates are pressed into service. Out of these house meetings in one week Hence, the painful efforts of the please, think of it: she recruited 15 workers to the

the Small Home and Landowners, the outstanding fact that Muste is candidate for County Prosecutor, is also reaching out to an ever larger circle of workers. His committees loyal to the Soviet Union and that set up in different neighborhoods Cannon-Shachtman are moving are growing phenomenally. Members of six of his committees in different localities now total over 145.

To illustrate the work of his com-W. P., with what you are uniting? joining the Socialist Fairly and the W. P., with what you are uniting? Second International. Muste, you mittees, one of them arranged a street meeting in a neighborhood not previously invaded by us. Leafmerge with a counter-revolutionary sect that is decaying and disinlets were distributed, not by sticking them under the door or throwsect that is decaying and disin-tegrating? Do you know that the leaders of this decaying sect (Can-non-Shachtman-Swabeck) view the merger with the A. W. P. as a tran-cition to the A. W. P. as a tran-decay of the sector of the sector of the sector of the sector of the merger with the A. W. P. as a tran-cition to the Socialist ing them on the porch, but by giving them into the hands of the workers. From three streets 200 people came to the s reet meeting. Although Davis' committees were sition to the Socialist Party, as a Although Davis' committees were organized mostly in the past two into the fold of the Socialist Party? How shall this be qualified? weeks, they collected and turned in The leaders of the American Trotover \$140, with the majority of collection lists still out. And here of the French Trotzkyists, who have we can state definitely that the gone back to the Socialist Party. raising of finances for the election Only Cannon wants to take the A. campaign-just as for all other W. P. along with him. He is an Party campaigns-is always an in- ambitious fellow, you know. dication of the political activity There is no doubt that A. J. developed. Muste has certain inklings about Through these and other house Cannon's plans but does not speak mee'ings we are constantly secur- of them, although he argues mildly ing new shop contacts and drawing against joining the Socialist Party. in new elements. A worker of the The thing, however, must be McKinney - Corrigan concentration brought out into the open. It is a steel factory happened to drop in by fact that Cannon peddles around chance to one of these meetings the idea of the "reform of the Secand asked for a collection list to ond International" by way of precircularize in his shop. To use an- paring the ground for bringing the other illustration, five Negro Trotzky group and the A. W. P. into preachers in our different commit- the Socialist Party. The Trotzkyist tees have put their pulpits at the rank and file is terrified at the idea disposal of our candidates and are while some of the other leaders of even arranging house meetings for the Trotzky group pretend not to understand it them. In contrast to the above the Through the good services of a Party as a whole is still content Tiotzkyist, evidently disgusted and demoralized by these maneuvers of with the most formal approach to the election campaign. Can non-Shachtman-Swabeck, we House meetings, street meetings came into possession of a number and even mass meetings are held of letters which throw a glaring and by the candidates and their com- lurid light upon the decay and mittees without the units and sec- break-up of the Trotzky group. tions participating in them. In These letters should serve as an consequence thereof nei her Party eye-opener to the membership of recruiting nor the sale of the Daily the two groups but especially to Worker are pushed sufficientlythe members of the American neither are the excellent shop con-Workers Party. tacts utilized. Since a candidate Writing to Martin Abern, on can only spend ten or fifteen min-28, Maurice Specior says: utes at the most at one house "Cannon's reported remark on meeting, and since most of the the 'reform of the Second Interworkers on the committee are nonnational' seems wholly unintelli-Party, in the absence of Party gible." members there is nobody to engage Why it is so "unintelligible"? On the workers in conversation, do the he contrary, it is perfecty clear that Cannon is pulling his followers (and the A. W. P.) into the Socialrecruiting and see that the Daily Worker is sold at the meeting. ist Party. The members of the New Votes and Results York Trotzky group seem to have gotten the idea of Cannon straight. The recruiting and the sale of the Daily Worker is still our weak-This is seen from another 1est point, owing to the neglect of (signed "Rae" and addressed to "Al," presumably Glotzer), dated the Sections and Units. A sharp turn must be made immediately in October 9, which says: this respect. We must emphasize "The whole N. Y. C. voted against oposal for entry into Y. P. S. L.

ically mobilized to bring forward the election campaign in every activity-unless the tempo of our activities is increased to a pitch that not only matches but surpasses those of the capitalist parties in the Burch coming weeks—we are going to let this favorable period slip by with-out utilizing it fully.

The Communist Party knows that, as the congressional election platform states, when the workers have set up their own government, that this revolutionary government "WOULD PROCEED AT ONCE TO THE COMPLETE LIBERATION OF THE NEGRO PEOPLE FROM ALL OPPRESSION. SECURE THE RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINA-TION OF THE BLACK BELT, AND WOULD SECURE UNCONDITIONAL ECONOMIC POLIT-ICAL AND SOCIAL EQUALITY.

In the Soviet Union as soon as the workers had carried through their revolution, their own workers' government ended all discrimination against any race.

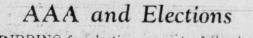
The same revolutionary path will liberate the Negro people in the United States.

As an important part of its election campaign the Communist Party calls upon all workers and farmers to FIGHT FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE SCOTTSBORO BOYS. FIGHT JIM-CROWISM. FIGHT LYNCHING, BOTH LEGAL AND IL-LEGAL. FIGHT FOR EQUAL RIGHTS FOR NEGROES AND FOR SELF-DETERMINATION FOR THE BLACK BELT.

A vote for the Communist Party is a demand for the release of the Scottsboro boys, a vote for freedom and equal rights for the Negroes.

VOTE COMMUNIST.

JOIN THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND STRENGTHEN THE FIGHT FOR NEGRO RIGHTS. BUILD THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN ORDER TO STRENGTHEN THE FIGHT FOR -REEDOM FOR THE SCOTTSBORO BOYS.



DIDDING for election support of the impoverished farmers in the coming elections, Roosevelt's Secretary of Agriculture, Wallace, yesterday "criticized" the practice of limiting industrial production and price-fixing as hurting the farmer.

By this "criticism" Wallace wishes to appear before the millions of poverty-stricken farmers as their spokesman and defender.

But what Wallace is doing is a typical Rooseveltian trick. He is bidding for the election support of the impoverished farmers, while the

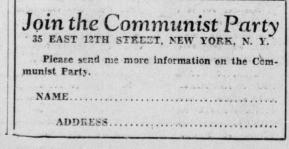
The fight for the reinstatement of this relief worker is a fight, fundamentally, against the attack upon the jobless, and deserves the support of all organizations of the unemployed, all labor and white collar organizations.

Vote Communist to **Fight Hunger**

THE services of the Roosevelt administra-

I tion to the capitalist class is clearly shown in the announcement by Jesse Jones, chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, that the so-called loans of the R.F.C. to the big banks and corporations will be extended by the government for as much as five years from Jan. 31, 1935. Thus the six billions that the R. F. C. has given to big business will probably never be repaid.

This liberality to the capitalists is in vivid contrast to the brutal treatment meted out to the unemployed, to the slashing of wages, to the foreclosure of small homes and farms. To vote for Roosevelt means to approve the continuance of a policy that favors only the capitalists. To vote Communist means to strike a blow at the hunger policies of the new deal. It means to advance the fight of the masses for their own needs, for their own class interests.



that the units and sections must take leadership of all election activity in their territory and see to it that Party members are assigned to every committee and fractions are built in them.

But that does not stop Cannon and The criterion of the election Swabeck from maneuvering their campaign activity will be found not membership into the Socialist Parcnly in how many votes we shall if need be, by way of the A. W. have received, but particularly in how far we shall have succeeded in carrying out our control tasks.

The election campaign is not a substitute for the other mass ac-tivities of the Party. Nevertheless it is the task of every Communist to bring forward the poli ical platform of the Party in the course of all that we are other activites. It is only in this way that the election campaign can become the central unifying campaign of the next three weeks

Party and the Second International.

You [the members of the A.W.P. have heard a good deal of slander about the "non-democratic" regime in the Communist Party and in the Comintern. You have heard this slander from the Trotzkyists; from Lovestone, the expert in Tammany methods; and also from the leaders of the A. W. P., especially from the renegades in your midst (Salutzky Lore, etc.). Muste, too, repeats this slander. Now, see what Maurice Spector writes about the "democratic" regime in the Trotzky group. He writes

"The Resident Comm., as it is, is already guilty of enough usur-pation by virtue of the frequent failure (frequent? total) to hold a plenum or conference at important turning points."

And when Spector dares to raise the question, he is threatened by Cannon with dire consequences. Of these threats, Spector writes:

"Cannon threats don't worry me at all. He would seem to display a singular lack of discretion if he started one of his famous offensives. He'll end by getting a political trouncing he will not soon forget."

sample of Trotzkyist "inner-party democracy?" Cannon and Swabeck decide to move into the Socialist Party is not allowed to participate garian miners under capitalism. Party (by way of Muste) without asking even their own Executive Committee. Poor Spector is again can find out the truth first-hand forward immediate demands for forced to complain but without results. He writes: nist Party.

"Mac and I are a unit in objecting to the indecent haste with which Schachtman and Cannon are seeking to bury the League. The membership is being treated like a pack of children."

League . . . Membership treated like cherish such prospects. a pack of children . . . This is The big question for the A.W.P. the Communist Party, towards Tretzkyist democracy in their own members to decide is: do they want which all its struggles lead, is the organization. And these are the to become a tool for a counter- only means which can prevent "fighters" for "democratizing" the Soviet Union by way of overthrow-ing the dictatorship of the prole-tariat. And these were the fighters and when the rank and file heard for "democratizing" the Commu- cialist Party? This is the meaning starvation, against fascism, for th of that proposal, they were hornist Party. Now, if the "organic" of the "organic unity" with the building of a party which will mai unity is achieved, they will simi- Trotzkyists. At the same time, the impossible any such crimes as t They naturally would be horrified. Workers Party. There are really tion: Is it not a fact that the pro-no grounds to believe that Cannon- posal for "organic unity" with the Schachtman-Swabeck will behave decaying Trotzkyist sect followed of the fact that they are being against capitalism or with the deused for dishonest and unprincipled caying Trotzkyists into the Second maneuvers to steer the A.W.P. into International for a struggle against practically sewed up the Second International and the the revolutionary movement and Socialist Party by means of Can- the Socialist Fatherland. This is non-democracy. the question that now confronts Maurice Spector, who drank this the A.W.P. and every one of its

upon their organization as if it were "democracy" to the full, has some- members.

brink of war. Every day reveals new dangers, new crimes of the ex-Spector does not want much: just explain to him what it was all ploiters. New Sarajevos explode on the world rapidly. Over 1,200 felabout; just save his dignity so he does not have to accept the dictum low workers in Hungary inflict the of Cannon-Swabeck on "animal most horrible tortures on themfaith." This-from a member of selves rather than continue to live he Trotzkyist National Committee. The democratic centralism of the the U. S. over 16,000,000 unem the Trotzkyist National Committee. Communist Party is not good ployed, with starvation as the on enough for A. J. Muste; it is too certainty in the future. The Ne "dictatorial." Picking up the coun- Deal has brought greater hung will not soon forget." ter - revolutionary inventions of to the toilers and farmers. The How do you like this, as a Cannon & Co., Muste tells the conditions of the Southern textile membership of the A.W.P. that the workers under the N.R.A. are very membership of the Communist little better than those of the Hun-

> in the discussion of party policies. The Communist Party in its elec-This is not true and every worker tion program in this country puts by coming closer to the Commu- struggle to fight against the work-But what does Muste ers being forced into the position think of the Trotzkyist inner of their Hungarian brothers; but it "democracy?" Is that the sort of also points cut that these condi-

party democracy Muste seeks to in- tions can be ended only by the stall in the A.W.P. through the methods of the workers in the So-"organic unity" with Cannon - vice Un on. Capitalism must be Schachtman-Swabeck? The mem- ended ence and for all. Soviet "organic unity" Indecent haste . . . Bury the bership of the A.W.P. will hardly power, the establishment of work-

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Contributions received to th P. Speaking of the state of mind of the membership, the "younger generation" and the "older one," the the abient of Comparison to become the object of Cannon's inner-party squarely: With the Communist Helen Luke, Jacob Burck and Davi "democracy." They must be aware Party for united front struggle Ramsey, in the Daily Worker driv for \$60,000. Quota-\$500.

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same correspondent (Rae) says: "They are low in spirits, feel themselves leaderless, and attend to League functions as if they were factory routine jobs. . . . Now

in the A. W. P., what is there to Leaderless, low in spirits, looking