

MACDONALD GOVERNMENT QUILTS

AS WE SEE IT

By T. J. O'FLAHERTY.

THE "great American king" is wearing the crown today. It rests lightly on him for he is full of dope and does not feel the pricking of the thorns. But tomorrow and for more tomorrows he will drop his crown in the rubbish heap, and scratch his head, wondering how he gets this way every once in a while when the capitalists get him excited over an election campaign. He does not have much time to think as a rule. When he is unemployed he is in mental anguish over the fear that he may not get another job and when he does get a job, he is kept so busy that his brain takes a vacation.

COOLIDGE maintained his silence like a little hero. He said nothing but big business talked out loud. It is becoming clearer and clearer every day that what big business wants in the White House is not brains, but a quiet little servant who will be president as little as possible. Wall Street is true with fellows who even have a fondness for Shakespeare.

PRESIDENTS with a taste for literature are liable to wander off the reservation once in a while, so Wall Street was not going to let a jewel like Coolidge slip out of its grasp. Coolidge may set a new fashion for presidents. If he finds any place in history, it will be as the man who initiated the silence strike. Or he may be known in history as the "First Dumb-Walter of Wall Street." Let's wait and see what the electoral college will show. Anyhow, if we believed that the workers could only emancipate themselves by the ballot only we would hunt up a bootlegger, and drown our sorrow.

PRESIDENT CALLES of Mexico does not know when he is well off. He was fairly secure in life and limb while the civil war raged in Mexico. He was not so badly off in Europe even, yet he comes to Washington and mixes in with such people as Calvin Coolidge, Secretary of State Hughes and other members of the government. After this business of getting "shot" by the movies was over, the confiding Mexican threw his arms around the shoulders of Secretary Morrison of the A. F. of L. and jabbed William H. Johnston, of the Machinists' Union playfully in the stomach. We owe our information to the Washington correspondent of the Federated Press. He did not say whether Calles still has his watch or not.

THE National Security League has sent out literature for use on little children. This is a greater atrocity than even what the child labor amendment is seeking to remedy. But the stuff is funny. It says that speech is free in America provided you don't say so and so. This sounds as funny

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Election Reports Tomorrow!

THIS issue of the DAILY WORKER went to press too early to include the returns from Tuesday's elections. Tomorrow's editions will contain the full reports of the election with our comment and analysis of the results.

Help The Daily Worker and Labor Defense

THE Workers Party, Local Chicago, is to run a big bazaar and entertainment, Nov. 26-30, at Folke's Hut, 2733 Hirsch Blvd. Branches, comrades and all sympathetic units are called upon to work hard to get donations of all sorts sell tickets, etc. Only three weeks

remain before the bazaar begins. Preparations are well along for the greatest display of goods, and best entertainment ever put on. The bazaar is for the benefit of the DAILY WORKER and Labor Defense.

Those in charge say that with the willing co-operation of party units

If All Else Fails Religion Is Still There to Do the Job

(Special to The Daily Worker)
MANILA, Nov. 4.—Religion may soon come to the aid of General Wood and his military staff in dealing with the uprisings of workers in the Philippine Islands. By a vote of 31 to 26 the house of representatives has forced thru a bill permitting the teaching of religion in the public schools. The bill will now go to the senate.

The strong opposition vote on this measure is an indication that the members of the house, most of whom are in favor of Philippine independence from the United States, appreciate the use to which the teaching will be put. The Philippine schools are under the direct control of a secretary of education, appointed by the President of the United States. The rule of the American government over the school is iron.

A large number of the inhabitants, especially in Manila, have come under the thumb of the Catholic church.

CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION TO FIGHT EDUCATION WEEK

Protest Meeting, Friday, Nov. 7

(Special to The Daily Worker.)
NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 4.—John J. Tigert, commissioner of education and member of the army educational corps, is turning the schools over to the American Legion. That is the explanation for the vicious anti-radical propaganda that is thrust upon our schools in the shape of "Educational Week" given by Roger N. Baldwin, director of the Civil Liberties Union.

Denounced by Y. W. C. A.

Baldwin says he received a letter from the general secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, Mabel Cratty, stating that that organization has declined to participate in the Educational Week movement. Miss Cratty wrote him the decision was made "because of certain elements in the announced program inconsistent with the position of the organization's national board in regard to world peace and international co-operation."

Schools Robot Factories.

Baldwin explains that "certain elements" are the topics for speakers in the program which aims to instill in the children a hatred and distrust of anything radical and blind unquestioning adherence to things as they find them. In other words to train them to become perfect robots.

The American Civil Liberties will hold a mass meeting on Friday evening, Nov. 7, (we compliment them on choice of day) at the Community church to protest against "American Legion interference with education."

Investigating Themselves.

ROME Nov. 4.—Fascist leaders are investigating the murder of a workman who was stabbed to death after a gang of young black shirted men picked a quarrel with him during the Fascist celebration.

Brazilian Navy in Revolt.

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 4.—Reports reaching here from Brazil today asserted that revolutionary trouble had broken out in the Brazilian navy. The battleship Sao Paulo was said to have rebelled and with another ship from Rio Janeiro harbor, left for an unknown destination.

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GOMPERS BUSY IN SUBMARINE WAR IN FOES

Fights for Dictatorship in the A. F. of L.

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.
(Special to the Daily Worker)

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 4.—Additional indications pile up showing that the Gompers' officialdom in the American Federation of Labor is working energetically to subordinate LaFollette's so-called third party movement.

Sam Gompers, himself, in Washington, issued a half-hearted statement on the eve of the election, claiming to the Wisconsin senator as the only available straw in this year's political whirlpool.

But Gompers' Crowd Switches.

But Gompers' loyal lieutenant in New York, James E. Holland, president of the New York Federation of Labor, came out boldly in upholding the Gompers' elements in the New York Central Trades and Labor Council, the Printing Trades Council, the Building Trades Council, and the Hudson County Labor Council, over in New Jersey, in switching from LaFollette to the candidacy of Morgan's pet lawyer, John Wallstreet Davis, on the democratic ticket.

Evidently the movement in New York state, from LaFollette to Davis, has been carried on underground for some time, since President Holland had lined up "representative labor officials" in Buffalo, Albany, Rochester and Utica.

Gompers Destroyer From Within.

In fact the whole affair smells strongly of Gompers' customary tactics of entering, controlling and then destroying movements that he could not crush openly.

We can go back as far as the Montreal convention of the American Federation of Labor, when the railroad elements put thru their Plumb Plan endorsement over the head of President Gompers. But Gompers did not allow the defeats that he suffered at the Montreal A. F. of L. convention to disturb his power in the least. Instead, by careful maneuvering, he gradually sunk the Plumb Plan into oblivion, until it is now ancient history.

But then came the organization of the conference for progressive political action, supported by this same block of railroad union officials, and challenged Gompers' political policy of "reward your friends and punish your enemies."

When Gompers saw he could not destroy the conference for progressive political action, when he beheld it gaining strength, Gompers changed his tactics of fighting it from within, and began to bore from without.

At the Washington gathering of the LaFollette elements, in November, 1922, immediately after the congressional elections, I talked to Gompers, after he had made a speech at that meeting, and asked him if he were

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MEXICAN STRIKERS PROTEST THE MURDER OF COMRADES BY TROOPS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 4.—Over 800 workers of Tampico are protesting the death of three of their comrades and the wounding of 11 by federal troops sent to protect the properties of the Mexican Gulf Oil company, against whose injustice the workers are out on strike.

Once more the government is forced to protect foreign capital against its own workers. The strikers of the Mexican Gulf Co. are asking for the recognition of their union and the 8-hour day instead of 12 to 14 hours. A group of 30 went to the refinery to prevent the work of strikebreakers and thugs, they were unarmed, they were fired upon by federal troops.

That the workers' requests are not unreasonable is proved by the fact that the majority of oil companies in Tampico have long granted what are now asking.

INFLUENCE OF U. S. AND BRITISH IS HARD HIT IN CHINA

TIENTSIN, China, Nov. 4.—With the defeated Wu Pei Fu reported in flight to an unknown destination on one of his transports, while troops of the de facto government set up by the "Christian General" Fen Yu-shiang and Chang Tso-lin are driving Wu's troops into the country and disarming them everywhere, the political influence of Japanese imperialism is immensely enhanced.

In a like measure is the influence of America and Britain crippled. Their imperialistic interests are bound to suffer and much, even war, depends upon what compromise can be reached between them and the victorious Japanese.

American Interests Worried.

The watchdog of the Yankees, Brigadier General Wm. D. Connor, commanding American forces in Tientsin, says that the present government "let" was "for the benefit of the government" and that Tuan Chih-jui, head of the Anfu party connected thru Chang with Japan, and Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the nationalist-socialist at the head of the Canton government in South China, have been invited to Peking to take part in the reorganization of the central government.

Battleships Guard Standard Oil.

The American gunboat Ashville is "maintaining order" at Tientsin, while the destroyers Steward and Pillsbury ("Eventually, why not now!") are protecting Standard Oil company property at Hsinho, where the defeated troops of Wu Pei Fu are trying to escape by boarding seagoing ships.

Jap Business Interests Rule.

The fact that Japan by its clever military moves has control of the Chinese nation and has shut out British-American imperialism behind the bayonets of Chang and Feng, is causing much concern as to what Japan will do with its power.

Altho Tuan and Chang as well as Sun Yat Sen have all previously proclaimed the need for a strongly centralized government which would unite all China, the material interests of Japan dictate a policy of keeping China divided enough to make extreme foreign exploitation possible without exciting general resistance by national liberation forces. Especially is such resistance expected from Sun Yat Sen's party.

This uneasiness over the forces behind Sun, among which are the Communist Party of China leading the nationalist workers' and peasant Kuomintang party, is strengthened by the recent telegram sent by Sun Yat Sen to the president of the fifth assembly of the League of Nations, sitting Geneva.

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M'DONALD LAYS HIS MANDATE AT KING'S TOES

Baldwin Expected to Form Government

(Special to the Daily Worker)

LONDON, Nov. 4.—England's first labor-socialist government passed out of existence this evening.

Premier MacDonald went to Buckingham palace and tendered the resignations of himself and his colleagues to King George and they were immediately accepted.

It is confidently expected that King George will summon Stanley Baldwin, the Tory leader, within 48 hours and charge him with the task of forming a new government. It will be Tory in complexion, not coalition.

There has been gossip that Viscountess Astor or the Duchess of Athol might be invited to accept a government post, but this is believed generally to be improbable.

The cabinet commission, including Premier Ramsay MacDonald, which has been investigating the authenticity of the so-called Zinoviev letter, has examined a number of witnesses without obtaining evidence of much value.

The Latest Count.

The latest count shows the conservatives have 410 seats, the labor party 52, and the liberals 40. But there is no such disparity between the total vote cast for each party. This shows the conservatives with 8,000,000, labor 5,500,000 and liberals 3,000,000.

J. H. Thomas is expected to resume his position as head of the National Union of Railwaymen and some of the other labor leaders who occupied posts in the MacDonald cabinet will be asked to join the new government.

The representation in parliament gives the conservatives one seat for every 20,000 votes, while the labor party has only one for every 36,000. Had the proportional representation system been in operation, the labor party would squeeze up close to the Tories.

Churchill on Warpath.

Winston Churchill is already on the warpath for the building of the Singapore base. It is reported he may be taken into the Baldwin cabinet, perhaps as home secretary. If rumors are well founded the labor movement may expect increased activity on the part of Scotland Yard and the fascists. The MacDonald cabinet decided not to publish the result of the investigation of the so-called Zinoviev letter.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Stanley Baldwin was summoned to the palace at 6:30, when King George offered him the premiership. The MacDonald government which Baldwin replaces has been in office since January 22.

600 Accidents in One Month.

FRANKFORT, Germany, Nov. 4.—In August there were 600 accidents in the hard coal mines in the Rhine-Westphalian district, or 20 accidents daily. These were largely due to the speedup system. The great masses of unemployed miners in this section form a reserve army with which the mine owners constantly threaten the workers who are still employed. The oppressed and enslaved miners submit to job conditions which result in the loss of hundreds of lives and in thousands of injuries.

More Weavers Strike.

WESTERLY, R. I., Nov. 4.—Seventy-five weavers, winders and twistars at the New England Silk Co. plant are on strike against a wage reduction.

Seventh Anniversary Soviet Republic

SPEAKERS:
William Z. Foster
Jay Lovestone
Oliver Carlson
Martin Abern

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BOWERMAN IS CHARGED WITH AIDING POLICE

Delegates to I. W. W. Discuss Centralization

By KARL REEVE.
William Hanley, in telling of the arrest of Arthur Linn, of the agricultural workers, charged to the convention that Fred Bowerman aided the police in court to convict Linn of robbery. Linn has been confined in jail up until yesterday. Linn charges that he saw Bowerman a few feet away from him when he was arrested.

Grad, of industrial union No. 120, told the convention that he has again tried to get some money out of the Rowan faction for convention expenses and was turned down cold by his own faction.

Linn was arrested, according to Hanley, on October 13, the very day the conventions of the I. W. W. were called by both factions. "Legal moves to have Linn released have been checked by some forces in opposition to his release," said Hanley.

Executive Session.
The hall was cleared just before Hanley appeared before the convention, while the delegates discussed some matter in secret. It was thought to have pertained to Linn's imprisonment.

The question of decentralization was again discussed pro and con by the convention when discussing the reducing of the per capita tax from 15 to 7 1/2 cents. Swanson, who favors abolishing officials broached the theory that the fewer the officials the less the fights there would be among officials, and that officials therefore should be eliminated. Welinder again came out for decentralization and favored cutting support of general headquarters in half. Welinder said that five out of seven of the general headquarters staff should be dismissed, and that two were enough to take care of all general administration work.

In Propaganda Stage.
Charles Gray declared this "is just an anarcho-syndicalist scheme of decentralization." He said that when breaking ground in new fields the general headquarters must have money to advance for speakers, organizers and literature. "Only four out of twenty-nine industrial unions in the organization are self-supporting," said Gray. "Twenty-five are in the propaganda stage which means the I. W. W. is in the propaganda stage and must be financed by the general organization."

Cole, another I. U. 110 delegate, declared that the move to decrease the per capita tax is "the move of a disgruntled few who themselves have no executive ability, but are crying about pie cards." He said that begging for funds outside the organization put the I. W. W. in a bad light with the unorganized workers.

Oates took the side of the decentralizers.

ROWAN-BOWERMAN-GRADY INJUNCTION CREW OPENLY ISSUES ITS CALL IN AN ATTEMPT TO SPLIT THE I. W. W.

Because it will live as an historical document recording the treachery and perfidy of its signers, a document which places them in the class of reptiles in human form who seek to disrupt the organization for which better men have died, for which hundreds of workers are now rotting in prison, and upon which thousands of workers look as their only protection from the greed and vengeance of capitalism, the DAILY WORKER prints the following manifesto, in which the whole Rowan-Bowerman-Grady injunction crew throws away all pretense and openly calls for a split in the I. W. W. which will mean its certain destruction.

There is more we could say about it, but we call attention to every paragraph in the "Plan of Action" as being carefully and deliberately designed to wreck the I. W. W. and we add that this is the work of stool pigeons. It is proof enough that they attack "politicians." The recent months have shown to members of the I. W. W.—and the DAILY WORKER has heard from many of them, that those who fight the Communists instead of the capitalists and who cry "down with politicians" make themselves suspected agents of the employers. The document is as follows:

"Emergency Program.
"Submitted to the membership by the General Executive Board of the I. W. W.—Chicago, Ill., Oct. 27, 1924.

"The work of organization on the job has been obstructed, and the industrial unions have sustained much damage from the present situation at headquarters. Great hopes were entertained by the membership that a general convention would straighten out the matter. These hopes have turned to disappointment. The present so-called general convention at Emmet Memorial Hall, Chicago, which convened Oct. 13, has shown beyond all question that it is completely under control of the political element, whose program is the capture or liquidation of the I. W. W. It has made no effort to discover and remove the causes of the present trouble. All its actions are calculated to strengthen and perpetuate domination by the politicians.

"This so-called convention has only served to further complicate the situation and confuse the minds of the members. Intelligent action by the members on the job alone can save the organization. The I. W. W. must be taken into the hands of its members so it can function in industry as an association of genuine industrial unions and be immune from capture or destruction by political fakers or agents of the employing class.

"The principal cause of the present trouble is centralization of power at headquarters. This makes it possible for a few officials in control of the general office to cause disunion in the general membership. If the members are to derive any further benefit from the I. W. W. they must take control of the organization and abolish dictatorship. In this way alone can the I. W. W. be placed on a solid foundation. To this end the General Executive Board submits the following:

"Plan of Action.
"The four industrial unions, Lumber Workers, No. 120; General Construction Workers, No. 310; Metal Workers No. 440; and Railroad Workers, No. 520, and any other industrial unions or branches, which are opposed to the rule of dictators and political machines, and concur with this plan of action, shall stand solidly together and continue to carry on the work of

PICKED "JURY" PROBES STREET CAR DISASTER

State's Attorney Holds Brahe Incommunicado

While Coroner Oscar Wolff was trying to make John Brahe, the crippled towerman employed at the crossing of North avenue and the Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, where ten were killed last Sunday morning, the goat for responsibility rightfully belonging to the railroad company, Brahe himself is being held incommunicado by State's Attorney Crowe.

DAILY WORKER Reporter Barred.
This was learned when a reporter from the DAILY WORKER tried to get an interview with Towerman Brahe, upon whom the railroad and street car corporations and the coroner are trying to lay all the blame.

First the police department told the reporter that Brahe was "at the inquest." When the coroner's office was reached the reporter was told that Brahe was being held by county authorities. Finally, when Crowe's office was met with gruff refusal and the statement that "nobody can see Brahe."

Wolff's "High Class Jury."
At the inquest, Coroner Wolff had managed to put over his handpicked "jury" of capitalist politicians and big property owners to "investigate" the disaster. He wanted a "high class jury," he said. He got one. On the jury are County Clerk Switzer, Chief Justice Harry Olson, former Governor Edward F. Dugane, Henry Barrett Chamberlain, superintendent of the Chicago Crime Commission, John Terborgh, vice-president of the Foreman National Bank and Robert Eitel, proprietor of the Randolph Hotel.

Bottle Smeller For Moral's Sake.
This jury is of a complexion openly interested in the attempt, practically announced before the inquest started, by Wolff to absolve the Milwaukee railroad from blame by laying it all upon the crippled towerman.

Chamberlain is chosen because he is guaranteed to follow the smell of moonshine to the exclusion of all other scents, although the evidence shows that Brahe was not drunk, but had only followed the old custom, which is made a crime, of those who are too poor to deal with banks, of cashing his pay check by buying a drink at some saloon several hours before.

"Fair and Impartial" Jury.
Terborgh of the Foreman National Bank is financially interested in clearing both the Milwaukee railroad and the street car company, as this bank is connected by bond holdings and interlocking directors to these transportation corporations. Eitel's hotel business is also dependent upon the good graces of railroad companies. The three capitalist politicians are, as usual, expected to protect property interests without further orders.

However, the workers in the North avenue district are putting some pressure behind their alderman to find out why their lives are played with by law-breaking corporations which go unrestrained by authority, while all the whitewashers are busy smelling bottles.

Alderman Arthur Albert, who has brot out the fact that the Milwaukee railroad had ignored the law ordering it to elevate its tracks, has revealed a new angle of the affair.

The Election is Over But Communists Renew War Against Capitalism

By J. LOUIS ENGDALH.

TODAY, the election is over. The workers and farmers have cast their ballots for four years more of capitalist misrule. They have expressed themselves in favor of the continuance of Morgan's social system. The Wall Street dictatorship, thru its "democracy" has won the public consent to four years of its tyrannical sway.

"Hang the guilty!" yells Coroner Wolff, in Chicago, as the ten dead in another grade crossing catastrophe are being buried, while a score still lie in agony in hospitals scattered over Chicago.

It was a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul freight train that struck a street car in a grade crossing death trap. The guilty ones are the railroad profiteers. They refuse to spend the money to abolish the death traps. The disaster took place in the Goose Island district, in one of the sections of greatest misery in Chicago. All the victims were of the working class. So what does it matter? Capitalism doesn't care for the lives of the workers; especially when the workers consent to keep capitalism in power.

This Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, that brought death to many working class homes in Chicago, some years ago saw the lives of more than half a thousand coal miners snuffed out in the Cherry Mine disaster, at Cherry, Ill. The railroad refused to provide the proper safety appliances in its coal mines, just as it refuses to protect or abolish its grade crossings. So the Cherry coal mine became a tomb; even as the railroad's grade crossing in Chicago was strewn with the dead and dying. But at the ending of the next quarter the dividends will be as fat as ever.

A circular of the New York Central Railroad offers as an excuse for high rates that there are 4,000 grade crossings in New York State. It would cost \$100,000 to obliterate each one of these. That would be a total of \$400,000,000. But the rates continue as high as ever; the grade crossings are not wiped out; and the toll of new victims mounts from day to day. That is capitalism. Those who supported Coolidge, Davis and LaFollette, voted to keep this murderous system going.

In New York City, in the depths of the East Side, Sam Roth, his wife and three children die in another tenement house fire.

They lived "second floor rear" in one of the many Goerck Street firetraps. Dense smoke arising as the hungry flames swept everywhere choked this little family of the working class into unconsciousness before the agony of death by fire reached them. Mrs. Roth was later found with her three-months-old baby clutched to her breast.

The landlord will collect his insurance. The firetrap will be repaired to receive new tenants. Neighbors and friends will bury the dead. And the profiteering in rents off the firetraps on the East Side, in New York City, as everywhere else over the nation, will go on the same as ever.

That is capitalism. The majority of voting citizens declared, on Tuesday, for its continuance. They said, "Let it go on!"

GOMPERS BUSY IN SUBMARINE WAR ON FOES

Fights for Dictatorship in the A. F. of L.

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going to the meeting of the conference for progressive political action, scheduled to assemble the next month in Cleveland. Gompers only shrugged his shoulders, sniffed the air, and grunted; all of which was intended to convey the idea that the Cleveland meeting didn't matter.

Gompers Controls in New York.
But the Cleveland meeting of the C. P. P. A., in December, 1922, took a stand against the "labor party," it refused admittance to the Communist delegates, and the next summer at the Albany meeting of the New York conference for progressive political action we find Gompers' Tammany Hall politicians in the New York labor movement absolutely in control.

During the past year the C. P. P. A. has been drifting more and more towards the Gompers' position. It was Gompers who pulled Fitzpatrick and Nockels out of the July 4, 1923, farmer-labor convention, in Chicago. It was Gompers who inspired LaFollette's attack on the June 17 national farmer-labor conference, in St. Paul, this year.

Gompers has been in league with the worst elements fighting the Communists. It was Detective Burns who said that altho he did not sleep in the same bed with Gompers, nevertheless they were in agreement on many things.

Gompers used the conference for progressive political action and the LaFollette movement to destroy independent political action for the workers and farmers under the standards of the farmer-labor movement.

Regains Dictatorship.
Now he is using his machine, like the Tammany Hall crowd in New York, to destroy the conference for progressive political action, so that he will again become the dictator of the political policies of labor's officialdom.

Two of the original slogans of the C. P. P. A., "the labor party," and "recognition of Soviet Russia," have been completely dropped. While recognition of Soviet Russia was the big issue in the British political struggle, LaFollette has been absolutely silent on this question while Hughes, Dawes and other republican campaigners have carried on a systematic attack against Soviet Russia. Gompers is at one with Secretary of State Hughes on the question of warring against the Workers' Republic and he has pulled the LaFollette campaign along with him on his side in this fight.

Watch El Paso Convention.
The situation will clarify itself considerably with the meeting of the American Federation of Labor in a few days at El Paso, Texas. There the Gompers' officialdom will have to declare itself on the promises of the LaFollette campaign that it is "going to organize the third party."

It can pretty safely be predicted at this time that Gompers' position will not only be against the "third party" idea, but that moves will be made for the liquidation of the conference for progressive political action.

IF THIS HAD ONLY HAPPENED IN RUSSIA IT WOULD BE "SOME NEWS"

When the telegraph editor of the DAILY WORKER arrived at his desk Tuesday morning at 9 a. m., the polls had already been open in the city of Chicago for three hours.

The news ticker had already typed off the following casualties of the "orderly processes of democracy" within this center of bourgeois "peace and order":

Shot—Condition Serious.
Antone Rudzinski was shot by six men speeding by in an automobile as he turned to leave a polling place. His condition is serious.

Seven gunmen were arrested in the early hours of the polling, three were travelling in an automobile and the others were loitering about polling places.

Several Kidnapped.
Shortly after 8 o'clock, police reported that several election workers had been kidnapped from the vicinity of a polling place on the north side.

The detective bureau is holding emergency squads in readiness to rush to scenes of disorder. Patrol wagons and ambulances are provided for to take care of the dead, the wounded and the arrested.

State Militia Called Out.
While it was yet too early to get the casualty list from the country at large, wires from Albuquerque, New Mexico, promised to give returns even before the polls opened. On reports that United States Marshal Romero was swearing in many deputies to preserve order on election day, Governor Hinkle has ordered two companies of militia to guard Las Vegas.

Teamsters' Union Official Killed.
Shortly before noon John Mackey, an official of the Teamsters' Union, was killed and Claude Maddox wounded by men firing from a speeding automobile on Chicago's south side. Morris Spagit, a democrat of the thir-

COAL BARONS PILE UP PROFITS WHILE DIGGERS GO HUNGRY

(Special to the Daily Worker)
BOSTON.—Profits of 340 per cent in the past 3 months and 1428 per cent in the first 9 months of the year show the extent to which the common stockholders of Island Creek Coal Co. have exploited low paid miners during the year to date. In spite of the depression this company made a new high record for output during the 3 months ended Sept. 30, producing 1,424,409 tons at a profit of 33c a ton after all deductions for taxes, depreciation and depletion.

teenth ward, was stabbed after arguing with a republican, while Dan Conarsy, another democrat, was kidnapped by five men in an automobile.

Two Democrats Less.
From Lexington, Tennessee, dispatches later reported that two election judges were killed by a republican farmer in a shooting at the polls.

Singing Society Rehearsals.
The Freiheit Singing Society rehearsals take place every Thursday night at 8 p. m., at 3837 W. Roosevelt Road.

The Freiheit Mandolin Orchestra rehearsals are held every Friday night at 8 p. m., at 3837 W. Roosevelt Road.

CORRECTION.

In the issue of the DAILY WORKER for November 3, on page 2, column 4, under the heading—"Labor Fakers in Crazy Quit."—the following sentence appeared:

"The Chicago Federation of Labor has endorsed Igoe for state's attorney, altho the Klan which is co-operating with the Federation in backing LaFollette and the Coolidge candidate, Small, has come out for the re-election of State's Attorney Crowe, a Catholic."

This is an error resulting from a linotype operator skipping a line on the copy which, when added, would cause it to read correctly as follows:

"The Chicago Federation of Labor has endorsed the Wage Earners' League slate which is boosting Igoe for state's attorney, altho the Klan, which is co-operating with the Federation in backing LaFollette and the Coolidge candidate, Small, has come out for the re-election of State's Attorney Crowe, a Catholic."

Concert and Dance Saturday.
Grand concert and ball, 7th anniversary of the Russian Revolution celebration, will be held under the auspices of the Russian Branches of the Young Workers League and the Workers Party on Saturday evening, Nov. 8, at 7:30 p. m., at the Workers Lyceum, 2733 Hirsch Bl.

Making Pearls.
GENEVA, Nov. 4.—The Swiss chemist, Professors Duarin and Almarine, are experimenting in making carbon pearls by distilling coal to obtain jewels of the same density and color as the genuine.

Philadelphia All Set For Anniversary Celebration Nov. 7

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 3.—Philadelphia Workers Party and the Young Workers League have arranged for a huge demonstration to celebrate the 7th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution on Friday evening Nov. 7, at the Labor Lyceum, 6th and Brown streets.

C. E. Ruthenberg, the executive secretary of the Workers Party will be the principal speaker. This will be Ruthenberg's first public meeting in Philadelphia this year.

A revolutionary musical program will lend color and distinction to this celebration. The International Concert Orchestra, conducted by Comrade John Lyman, and well known and appreciated by the Philadelphia comrades, is working overtime, preparing an excellent program.

The celebration of the Russian revolution is the biggest event of the year among the Communists and our sympathizers in this city, but this year's program and arrangements will surpass any demonstration ever held here.

The entire Workers Party and Y. W. L. membership is hard on the job working for the success of this meeting. All the friends, supporters and sympathizers of Soviet Russia will be at the celebration Friday evening, November 7.

Grade Crossing Takes 11 Lives.
NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 4.—With a total of 11 dead and four more critically injured as a result of the crossing accident at North Hampton late yesterday when a large auto bus was demolished by a Chesapeake and Ohio passenger train, county officials today are endeavoring to learn the facts to present to a coroner's jury Wednesday evening.

Earthquake in Western Canada.
VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 4.—An earthquake shook Victoria early today and awakened people in all parts of the city. The tremor was of short duration and did no damage, it was reported.

SOME QUESTIONS FOR CLASS IN ELEMENTARY MARXIAN ECONOMICS

Class in Elementary Marxian Economics, Wednesday evening, 8 p. m., at 2613 Hirsch Boulevard. Questions for class of November 5:

1. Explain the difference between labor time as a measure of value, on the one hand, and the value of labor power, on the other hand.
2. If the purchasing power of the working class were generally increased what kind of commodities would find an increased market?
3. Would a general increase of wages for the working class cause an increase in prices of the necessities of life?
4. Why will an increase in prices of commodities, consequent upon a general increase in wages, be only temporary?
5. In what way will increasing demand for necessities of life cause a change in the distribution of capital among the various industries?
6. What is the most beneficial to the workers, a rise in wages or a decrease in working hours?
7. Do shorter hours tend to increase or to decrease wages?
8. What would be the effect upon wages of a general increase of the working hours from 9 to 12 per day?
9. What is the difference between "labor" and "labor power"?
10. Is the value of a commodity determined by the value of the labor power used in its production, or by the duration of the labor time socially necessary for its production? Explain.

Cannonsburg to Celebrate Nov. 9.
CANNANBURG, Pa., Nov. 4.—The Cannonsburg C. C. C. has set aside Nov. 9 for the big celebration of the 7th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution to be held in the Labor Temple at the corner of Jefferson and Pike Sts., and every branch in and around Cannonsburg must make it their duty to see that every member is at this celebration. Bring your friends.

Russian Revolution Began End of Capitalism

Seventh Victorious Year! Mass Meetings

Boston, Mass.
Nov. 9th, 3 p. m.
Scenic Auditorium
Berkeley & Tremont Sts.
Speakers: John J. Ballam, Robert Zelms in Russian. Joint Chorus, Local Boston.

Providence, R. I.
Nov. 9th, 7 p. m.
A. C. A. Hall
1753 Westminster St.
Speakers: John J. Ballam, J. P. Reid, E. W. Theinert, and speakers in Italian, Russian, Swedish, German, Jewish, Dancing, Singing.

Worcester, Mass.
Nov. 7th, 7:30 p. m.
Crystal Theater
Trumble St.
Speaker: James P. Reid.

Norwood, Mass.
Nov. 9th, 7 p. m.
Finnish Hall
37 Chapel St.
Speaker: Antoinette F. Konikow

Peabody, Mass.
Nov. 16th, 3 p. m.
Speaker: Harry Canter.

Maynard, Mass.
Nov. 9th, 7 p. m.
Waltham Street Hall
Speaker: Harry Canter.

Gardner, Mass.
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Casino Hall
65 Main St.

New York City
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Central Opera House
67th St. & 3rd Ave.
Speakers: Ben Gitlow, Juliet Stuart Poyntz, M. J. Olgin, Jack Stachel, K. Radzi. Chairman, Chas. Krumbein.

Brooklyn, N. Y.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Amalgamated Temple
Arion Place
Speakers: Lutwig Lore, Wm. Weinstone, E. Elston, S. Epstein, L. Pruseika. Chairman, S. Nesin.

Paterson, N. J.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Halvetia Hall
56 Van Honten St.
Speaker: Rebecca Grecht.

Elizabeth, N. J.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Litvius Hall
69 So. Park St.
Speaker: George Siskind; Russian and Lithuanian speakers.

Passaic, N. J.
Nov. 8th, 8 p. m.
Schweighart's Hall
82 President St.
Speaker: H. M. Winitzky.

Baltimore, Md.
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Finnish Hall
701 So. 16th St.
Speaker: C. E. Ruthenberg.

Hudson County, N. J.
Nov. 9th, 8 p. m.
Workmen's Circle Hall
17th & Tyler Place, West New York, N. J.
Speakers: Ludwig Lore, G. Di Leo in Italian and German speaker.

Newark, N. J.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
704 So. 14th St.
Speakers: Alexander Trachtenberg, Ben Lifshitz in Jewish, German speaker. Chairman, R. Volgraf.

Buffalo, N. Y.
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
376 William St.
Speaker: Wm. F. Dunne.

Rochester, N. Y.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
580 St. Paul St.
Speaker: T. R. Sullivan. Arbeiter Sangerbund, Lithuanian and Ukrainian Choruses.

Niagara Falls, N. Y.
Nov. 9th, 3 p. m.
Hippodrome Hall
Pine & 19th Sts.
Speaker: F. P. Brill.

Erie, Pa.
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Russian Hall
256 East 3rd St.
Speaker: Rudolph Katz.

Utica, N. Y.
Nov. 8th, 8 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
131 Washington St.
Speaker: T. R. Sullivan.

Syracuse, N. Y.
Nov. 15th, 8 p. m.
Educational Center Hall
Jackson & Orange Sts.
Speaker: T. R. Sullivan.

Jamestown, N. Y.
Nov. 16th
Speaker: T. R. Sullivan.

Bridgeport, Conn.
Nov. 9th, 8 p. m.
Carpenter Hall
170 Elm St.
Speaker: Jack Stachel; M. Epstein in Jewish.

Cleveland, Ohio
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Moose Hall
1000 Walnut Ave.
Speakers: Wm. F. Dunne, Rebecca Sachorow.

Scranton, Pa.
Nov. 8th, 7:30 p. m.
Hall in Providence
120 W. Market St.
Speaker: Thomas Myerscough.

Nanticoke, Pa.
Nov. 9th, 8 p. m.
Falcon Hall
Speaker: Thomas Myerscough.

Duluth, Minn.
November 9th
Workers Hall
19 Ave. West and 1st St.

That's Why We Celebrate

Imperialism made a bitter attempt to win Russia back. Full well it knew that the Russian Revolution began the birth of a new order that sounded the death knell to the old.

American soldiers in Siberia. American munitions to the Whites in Europe. Kolchak, Yudenich, Denikin, traitors, all financed at the request of the world's financiers.

The blockade. The cordon sanitaire. Then Wrangel. This prostitute of French capitalism, with funds unlimited, made his last stand and lost. Upon the stocks of the guns, captured by the Bolsheviks were found the words, "New Russia."

The imperialists wanted a "New Russia," not a Soviet Russia. They still want it today!

We wanted a SOVIET RUSSIA. And for SEVEN YEARS we got what we wanted. We shall continue to get it! And that is why we celebrate!

Today we have a NEW WEAPON in the battle to continue SOVIET RUSSIA victorious. Today the DAILY WORKER has taken its place beside the militant proletariat of the world, upholding the triumph in the East, striving for victory in the West. And we also celebrate on this account.

LONG LIVE THE WORKERS AND PEASANTS OF SOVIET RUSSIA! LONG LIVE THE DAILY WORKER! FORWARD WITH IT TO A WORKERS' AND FARMERS' GOVERNMENT!

Look to the right. Look to the left. Look below. Find your city. That's YOUR meeting. ATTEND! CELEBRATE!

YOU'RE IN IT
WITH US
HELPING—
or you're
NOT IN IT
at all!

Springfield, Mass.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Victory Hall
841 North St.
Speaker: Ida Rothstein.

Philadelphia, Pa.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
6th & Brown Sts.
Speakers: C. E. Ruthenberg, Y. W. L. and language speakers. Musical program.

Bethlehem, Pa.
Nov. 9th, 3 p. m.
1163 Mechanic St.
Speakers: A. Jakira and Hungarian, Slovak, Ukrainian speakers. German Workers' Singing Society.

Chester, Pa.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Library Hall
9th & Edgemont.
Speakers: Harry Winitzky and Ukrainian and Italian.

Easton, Pa.
Nov. 9th, 8 p. m.
Lithuanian Hall
North 7th St.
Speakers: A. Jakira and Hungarian and Lithuanian speakers.

Wilkes Barre, Pa.
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Party Headquarters
718 No. Washington St.
Speaker: Thomas Myerscough.

Salt Lake City, Utah
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Speakers: M. P. Bales and F. E. Shippee.

Christopher, Ill.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
French Club Hall
Speaker: Wm. F. Kruse.

Wilmington, Del.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Sons of Labor Hall
906 Union St.
Speakers: Com. Barnardini. Playlet: "Scene in Bolshevik Labor Bureau."

Youngstown, Ohio
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Athletic Hall
338 1/2 W. Federal St.

Dowell, Ill.
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Rex Theater
Speaker: Wm. F. Kruse.

Pittsburgh, Pa.
Nov. 9th, 3 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
35 Miller St.
Speakers: Izabelle Knight and in Ukrainian and Russian languages.

Stamford, Conn.
Nov. 6th, 8 p. m.
Maennerchor Hall
487 Main St.
Speaker: Rebecca Grecht.

West Concord, N. H.
Nov. 8th, 8 p. m.
Speaker: John Ballam.

New Haven, Conn.
Nov. 8th, 8 p. m.
Speaker: C. E. Ruthenberg.

Akron, Ohio
Nov. 9th, 7:30 p. m.
Zigler Hall
Miami & Voris St.
Speaker: John Brahtin.

Bellaire, Ohio
Nov. 7th, 7 p. m.
Bohemian Hall
42nd & Harrison Sts.
Speaking, Entertainment and Dancing.

Trenton, N. J.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Padderatz Hall
Whitaker and Beatty
Speaker: Jos. Brahdy. Concert.

Los Angeles, Calif.
Nov. 4th, 8 p. m.
Symphony Hall
232 South Hill St.
Speaker: Robert Minor and Ella Reeve Bloor.

Grand Rapids, Mich.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Sons & Daughters Aid Society Hall
1057 Hamilton Ave. N. W.
Speaker: Alfred Goetz.

Shenandoah, Pa.
Nov. 11th, 2 p. m.
Eagle Hall
Main and Loid Sts.
Speaker: Thomas Myerscough.

Seventh Victorious Year! Mass Meetings

Hancock, Mich.
Nov. 9th
Finnish Hall
Finnish speakers.

Pelkie, Mich.
Nov. 9th
Finnish Hall
Finnish speakers.

Chicago, Ill.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Ashland Auditorium
Ashland Blvd. & Van Buren St.
Speakers: Wm. Z. Foster, Jay Lovestone, Martin Abern, Oliver Carlson.

Milwaukee, Wis.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Bohemian Hall
648 12th St.
Speakers: J. Louis Engdahl, Max Bedacht in German, Max Shachtman for the Y. W. L.

St. Louis, Mo.
Nov. 9th, 3 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
1243 N. Garrison Ave.
Speakers in English, Jewish, Lithuanian, German.

Racine, Wis.
Nov. 8th, 7:30 p. m.
Slovak Sokol Hall
1625 Racine St.
Speaker: Manuel Gomez. Violinist: Max Plovnick; Kenosha Y. W. L. Orchestra; Milwaukee Russian Singing Society; Dancing.

South Bend, Ind.
Nov. 8th, 8 p. m.
Workers' Home
1216 W. Colfax Ave.
Speaker: Arne Swabeck.

Gary, Ind.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Turner Hall
14th & Washington Sts.
Speaker: Earl Browder.

Kenosha, Wis.
Nov. 5th, 8 p. m.
German-American Hall
665 Grand Ave.
Speaker: Manuel Gomez.

Washington, D. C.
Nov. 9th, 8 p. m.
Playhouse
1814 N. St., NW
Musical Program.
Speaker: C. E. Ruthenberg.

Hartford, Conn.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Labor Educat'l Alliance
287 Windsor Ave.
Speaker: Sadle Amter.

Zeigler, Ill.
Nov. 9th, 2 p. m.
Liberty Hall
Speaker: Wm. F. Kruse.

Waukegan, Ill.
Nov. 9th
Finnish Workers' Hall
Finnish Speakers.

Bloomville, Wis.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Town School
Speaker: Nich. Dozenberg.

Minneapolis, Minn.
Nov. 2nd.
Speaker: Wm. F. Dunne.

St. Paul, Minn.
Nov. 9th

Chisholm, Minn.
Nov. 9th
Karlo Hall
Finnish Speakers.

Superior, Wis.
Nov. 9th
Finnish Hall
Finnish Speakers.

Omaha, Neb.
Nov. 9th, 8 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
22nd & Clark Sts.
Speakers, Music, Entertainment

Kansas City, Mo.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Bookbinders' Hall
225 W. 12th St.
Speaker: J. E. Snyder.

Denver, Col.
Nov. 9th, 8 p. m.
Labor Lyceum
West Colfax and Julian
Speaker: J. E. Snyder.

San Francisco, Calif.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
California Hall
Polk & Turk Sts.
International Chorus, Dancing.
Speakers: Ella Reeve Bloor and J. H. Dolsen.

Detroit, Mich.
Nov. 8th, 8 p. m.
House of the Masses
2646 St. Aubin Ave.
Speaker: Wm. F. Dunne.

Seattle, Wash.
Nov. 7th, 8 p. m.
Painters' Hall
Union Record Bldg.
Speaker: N. H. Tallentire.

Tacoma, Wash.
Nov. 8th, 8 p. m.
Eagles' Hall
Speaker: N. H. Tallentire.

As'oria, Ore.
Nov. 10th, 8 p. m.
Speaker: N. H. Tallentire.

Portland, Ore.
Nov. 9th.
Workers Party Hall
227 Yamhill St.
Speakers: N. H. Tallentire, Stanley Clark.

Binghamton, N. Y.
Nov. 9th, 7:30 p. m.
Lithuanian Hall
271 Clinton St.
Speaker: Sadie Amter.

Mines Dynamited.
ATHENS, O., Nov. 4.—Mines numbers 24 and 68, owned by the Middle States Coal company and operated by a group of union miners on a co-operative basis, were dynamited today at Redtown.
Number 68 will soon again be in operation, but the tipples of Number 24 were burned with a heavy loss.
Officers are conducting an investigation as there is reported to have been considerable controversy over the operation of the mines.

Two Banks Robbed.
FENTON, Ia., Nov. 4.—Both the Farmers' Savings Bank and the Fenton State Bank were robbed here early today by a gang of bandits who entered the town in two cars, cut all wires, dynamited the vaults of the two banks and escaped with \$7,000.

ANOTHER HOME IS BROKEN UNDER CAPITALISM BUT LA FOLLETTE, DAVIS, COOLIDGE LIKE IT JUST THE SAME

(By The Federated Press)
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—For eight weeks May Thompson and her four little children slept in subway stations and in a little strip of woodland at Speedway and West 178th street, New York, because they had no other home since the father of the family, an advertising solicitor, had deserted them. The children were found by a station agent in the subway sleeping on pieces of newspaper in the women's room. The mother dozed nearby. She had tied the door shut with a string and screened the ventilator with paper. Anthony is 9; Harry, 8; Daniel, 6; and Samuel, 2. Mrs. Thompson had fed them what scraps of food she found or could buy and cooked in the woods when the weather permitted. She would not be separated from the baby when an effort was made to take the children to the Children's Society. She went with him to Bellevue hospital where she lapsed into incoherence from exhaustion and undernourishment.

CALIFORNIA COMRADE HEAVES FEW WELCOME BRICKS BACK AT US

From a comrade way off at Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, comes this letter:
"Dear Comrades: Enclosed please find a couple of bricks for the DAILY WORKER, and also a check for \$10, payment for the Workers' Monthly, for five years to begin with the first issue, Nov. 1. I am now a subscriber to the Liberator, the Labor Herald and the Soviet Russia Pictorial. When they stop publishing, just call it even and do not extend my time on the new Workers' Monthly for these.
"You will hear from me often."
"Robert G. Leidig."

AS WE SEE IT

By T. J. O'FLAHERTY.

(Continued from Page 1.)
as Woodrow Wilson's famous interpretation of the selective service act. It was not conscription because the canon fodder was shipped to France according to law. "It is not conscription of the unwilling," declared the notorious mountebank.
EVIDENTLY LaFollette considers his capitalistic reputation worth money. The American Defense Society, undoubtedly at the instigation of the republican party, published an advertisement purporting to show that the Communists were behind the LaFollette election campaign. They are, with a sledgehammer. The following gentlemen consider their dignity and their earning power impaired by the "red" advertisement and are suing the culprits for libel damages to the tune of \$25,000 each. Arthur Garfield Hayes, J. A. H. Hopkins, George Soule, McAllister Coleman, and Eva A. Frank. Outside of the Frank person, the others are fairly well known and it is positively outrageous to label them reds. But the name of William Gibbs McAdoo has not figured very much in the news recently, certainly not as supporter of John W. Davis. The DAILY WORKER hinted that the illness which was given as McAdoo's excuse for not appearing on the platform for Morgan's attorney, was of the diplomatic kind. As a matter of fact, while the readers of the capitalist press were preparing to send Wilson's Crown Prince, a bunch of lilies he was gadding around Washington giving one whoop for Davis and two for LaFollette. His only vocal contribution to the Davis candidacy was one speech from the rear of a parlor car in some way-station in Texas. Reads like Hiram Johnson making a speech for Coolidge on Fly-mouth Rock.

CAMPAIGN FUNDS INVESTIGATION BRINGS NOTHING

Memories of Politicians Get Sudden Lapse

By JAY LOVESTONE.

The Borah investigation of the campaign funds fizzled out more rapidly than many had expected. The employing class politicians simply will not take a chance on saying anything about their activities. This is particularly true because the hearings are being held in the midst of the campaign when all are anxious to poll the heaviest vote and are on guard to prevent any loss thru loose talk.

Senator Borah told the DAILY WORKER that he knew before the investigation was begun that very little headway would be made during the campaign. Today the republicans, democrats, and self-styled progressives have succeeded in hiding the extent and character of their contributions. Besides, the committee has not made any serious effort to press for results.

Hearing Adjourned in Chicago.

The hearings at Chicago were adjourned. William Morgan Butler appeared before the committee and told the senators that his national headquarters have so far received about three and a half million dollars for the election of Coolidge. Sufficient evidence has already been submitted to indicate that the republicans have resorted to wholesale buying of newspapers and to a lavish expenditure of funds secured from the biggest business interests. The republican party has been more definitely tied up with the house of Morgan than in any of the previous campaigns.

It has also been shown that the LaFollette campaign costs will run into at least a million dollars, if the various auxiliary units are taken into account. A considerable portion of the LaFollette money has come from such notorious open shoppers like W. T. Rawleigh of Illinois, who has given \$38,000 so far.

Facts Carefully Concealed.

The great precaution taken by the various witnesses to hide the facts of their campaign was shown most plainly at the hearings held in Chicago. When Samuel Untermyer showed Mr. Butler some wires and asked him to identify the same and their contents, the republican national chairman calmly declared he knew nothing about them. Not a single member of the committee would dare attempt to have Mr. Butler's memory refreshed. The republican attorney, Weymouth Kirkland, who is also lawyer for the Chicago Tribune, saw to it that nothing damaging enter the record.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Butler admitted that the bulk of the republican contributions came from New York, Pennsylvania, and Illinois. At the Washington sessions Mr. Grundy was forced to tell the committee that in Pennsylvania alone the republicans collected more than \$800,000. Under cross examination by Mr. Untermyer in Chicago, Mr. McCutcheon displayed a remarkably weak memory, when he was questioned about the breakfast that had been arranged at the White House for many prominent actors. George Barr Baker, republican publicity director, was likewise deserted by his memory when he was quizzed about many of the full page ads appearing in some of the leading dailies thruout the country in behalf of Coolidge and Dawes.

The Chicago hearings have been officially closed. The Washington hearings will wind up officially as soon as Borah reaches the capital. The committee at the capital succeeded in making very little headway in getting information from Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor as to the support rendered by this body to the Wisconsin senator.

NEW YORK AND NEW JERSEY CAMPAIGN FUND KEEPS ON GOING UP; NOW \$13,284.97

(Special to The Daily Worker)
NEW YORK, (By Mail.)—The income for the New York and New Jersey campaign fund up to and including Friday, Oct. 31, brings a total of \$13,284.27. At the rate money is coming in and the energy the comrades are putting into this work the fund promises to hit the \$15,000 mark before the week is up. The donations follow:

Cz. Sl. Bakers 22	25.00
Cz. Sl. Bakers, C. F. U.	10.00
W. F. Bakers 20	9.00
A. C. W. A. Local 54-7 shops	28.55
Lith. Wom. Pr. A4 No. 2280	6.00
W. S. & D. B. 250 No. 72233	4.00
W. S. & D. B. 99, No. 920	14.25
Lith. Wom. Pr. A. 45	3.00
Mung W. S. & D. B. No. 886	5.00
Flore Mug Kor. No. 811	5.00
W. C. 630, No. 6239	3.25
W. C. 225	2.00
W. Bennett, No. 914	2.00
W. S. & D. B. 220, No. 896 & 22925	10.50
W. S. & D. B. No. 246	1.00
W. S. & D. B. No. 245, No. 22987	1.00
Ger. Org. thru Zander	150.00
W. C. 240, No. 6680	8.00
L. Lore A. K. S. 224, No. 22924	12.50
Hamberly W. C. 269, No. 2232	8.50
W. S. & D. B. No. 950	4.10
W. S. & D. B. No. 917	10.45
W. S. & D. B. No. 25	10.00
W. S. & D. B. No. 27	10.00
Tag Day	
Section 1	\$639.53
Section 2	644.98
Section 3	478.45
Section 4	43.41
Section 5	104.37
Section 6	58.86
Total	1903.26

Jules Bennet—List lost	7.50
S. Roson, No. 21776	3.10
S. Aracri, No. 21824	7.25
F. Marz, No. 20113	3.00
German W. S., No. 20772	11.45
K. Urbeckas, No. 47	10.00
W. C. 200, No. 12165	14.00
C. Bunde, No. 12165	14.00
John Sherlock	1.00
M. Melkoff, No. 21712	15.00
W. C. 200, No. 20862	32.00
W. C. 200, No. 20862	1.25
O. Heimbucher, No. 20765	9.05
F. Schraak, No. 20769	5.45
A. Shames, No. 21734	5.00
A. Krauss, No. 21735	7.00
S. Malyszka, No. 20672	18.75
C. Willing, No. 83	1.50
Ogroski, No. 20874	1.00
Sympathizer	1.00
C. R. Kayes	10.00
J. Bennett, Bal. Sub. List	3.00
J. Ujovik, No. 803	6.00
J. Speck, No. 954	7.00
J. Soronco, No. 21902	11.75
S. Cyster, No. 21901	11.75
P. Hoffman, No. 21214	2.25
Italian W. S. 20930-31	4.00
U. D., No. 21035	7.50
S. H.	25.90
J. Goutman, No. 20177	10.00
Otto Zander, No. 20829	20.25
W. W. 20047-42-26-52-29	17.87
W. Lhiza, No. 21056	10.00
S. Miller, No. 2112	3.50
Berman, No. 21729	8.50
H. F. Mins 22237 & 20521	61.00
Pr. Balazo, No. 894	6.00
J. Beckel, No. 22856	6.00
Henry Bossau, No. 80	7.50
Abe Oken, No. 21680	2.00
David Spata, No. 246	5.00
N. Levine	1.00
S. Pogdashoff	13.00
Hung. Y. W. L. 42, No. 21787-89-91	9.50
Robinsch, No. 20922-48-49-50	1.50
N. Rose, No. 21118	4.15
J. Jaeger, No. 21716	2.80
Eng. Coney Isl., No. 20538	4.00
Dr. Galdston	5.00
M. Millard, No. 7918	10.00
L. Gartner, No. 21778	1.20
H. Jernschinsky, No. 21688	5.00
L. Schonwitt	1.00
Engl. Bronx, No. 21228	4.00
Hung. Astoria, No. 20960	22.25
Jew Elizabeth	11.00
German	10.00
Jew Bath Beach	6.00
Engl. Bronx 4	22.50
Engl. Bronx 1	7.50
Engl. Yorkville	5.50
Ukr. Jersey City	9.25
Engl. Bronx, No. 3	8.00
Hung. Yorkville	15.75
Hung. Yorkville	12.00
Lith. Great Neck	3.19
Ger. Ridgewood	7.00
Ger. No. Hudson	10.00
Ger. Nightworkers	14.00
Jew Bronx 1	44.00
Engl. St. Brooklyn	15.00
Polish, D. T.	8.00
Ukr. D. T.	16.75
Jew Williamsburg	1.00
Russ D. T. Brooklyn	2.50
Lettsch, Br.	56.25
Scand. Brooklyn	6.75
Engl. W. S.	5.00
Lith. Cliffside	20.00
Jew Boro. Pk.	5.00
Lith. Elizabeth	2.00

Special Campaign List	
Contributions \$1.50c	
Eng. Coney Isl.	4.00
Pinn Jamaica	28.00
F. W. L. No. 5	1.75
Engl. Bronx, No. 2	1.00
Ital. Astoria	4.00
Pinn Inrod	7.50
Ukr. D. T.	5.00
Brownsville Section	1.00
Scandin. Brooklyn	7.50
Russ D. T. Brooklyn	5.00
Eng. No. Hudson	10.00
Jewish D. T. 3	6.00
Scandin Harlem	4.50
Total	85.25

Street Collections:	
Section 1	\$1.88
Section 3	11.70
Cloak. Camp Comm.	7.10
Cap & Milly Camp Comm	6.30
Buttons	102.30
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FOSTER SPEAKS AT BIG MEETING IN PITTSBURGH

LaFollette Kerensky of America

Editor's Note.—The following are the last Foster campaign meeting reports. They have arrived by mail and give added testimony to the enthusiasm with which the Communist candidate for president was greeted everywhere.

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PITTSBURGH, Pa. (By Mail.)—The mass meeting of the Workers Party in Carnegie Music Hall marked the climax of our campaign here. More than 1,000 workers paid the admission fee of 25c to hear the Communist standard bearer. In every way it was by far the most successful meeting ever held here by the Workers Party.

Comrade Foster's caustic criticism of the three capitalist parties was repeatedly applauded by the audience. The two old parties were characterized as the twin representatives of Wall street and the LaFollette movement was shown to be dominated by middle class elements. Foster analyzed the role played by the Kerensky and Scheidemanns in Europe and showed that the LaFollette movement was destined to play a somewhat similar role in this country—as the last bulwark of capitalism.

Gompersism Opium for Workers.

Foster pointed out that the workers of America lacked the militant organization that could fight effectively the forces of capitalism and he laid the responsibility for this on Gompersism. In this connection, Foster said: "One of the worst mistakes, I might say crimes, of the unions dominated by Gompersism is the exclusion of Negro workers from their ranks. No matter what their race or color may be the interests of the workers are the same and they must fight shoulder to shoulder for their emancipation from the bondage of capitalism." To show how well the capitalists understood what the solidarity between the white and the colored workers would mean to them, Foster related the following incident. During the steel strike he once spoke at a Negro church which had been subsidized to the extent of \$1,500 per year by the U. S. Steel corporation. Immediately after this the subsidy was cut off.

Capitalism Leads to War.

Foster ridiculed LaFollette's plan to stop war thru referendum. He showed that capitalism inevitably leads to war and that war can be stopped only thru the abolition of capitalism. He concluded his speech with an analysis of the capitalist system and the capitalist dictatorship stating that capitalism can only be abolished thru a proletarian revolution and the establishment of a Soviet government. The collection for the campaign fund brought in \$374.32, literature and DAILY WORKER sales amounted to \$69.25, campaign buttons were sold for over \$20,000 and over 30 subscriptions were taken for the DAILY WORKER.

Hartford Shows Enthusiasm.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 25. (By Mail.)—Five hundred workers came to hear William Z. Foster, Workers Party candidate for president, at Unity Hall, a remarkable turnout. And every one of them paid 25 cents admission. Consider also, that on the same night, in another hall, democratic spellbinders were holding forth—Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state under Wordy Wilson and the state candidates, sold business men and bankers. And still five hundred paid to hear Foster—a good omen for the election.

The meeting opened with the German Singing Society after the "International," and another revolutionary song. District Organizer William Simons, after urging support for the Communist state ticket in Connecticut, introduced Foster as the leader of the steel strike of 1919.

Gets Remarkable Ovation.

The ovation Foster received reduces to the scrap heap any insurance the capitalists may take out against the revolution. Notwithstanding Hartford's countless insurance companies, their precautions will avail them naught, for Hartford has a strong nucleus of Communists, that banded together with the Communist forces thruout the country, will usher in the Communist society.

Foster Convincing.

You can't get away from it. Foster has a way all his own. Not rampant, raging, fire-eating oratory, but a live, here let me tell you, kind of talk, personal, enticing, that draws you nearer to his subject. For two hours, the workers listened attentively, while he condemned the capitalist parties, including the new rainbow, the LaFollette movement, which not as yet needed by big capital, would sooner or later be their last resort against an outraged, revolutionary, working class. But fundamentally, the speech was not one of criticism, but constructive, laying the foundation for Communism. Not mere theory, but experience in the rough, the steel strike of 1919. He drew on world history to prove that the capitalist era was doomed to destruction, and that the Communist era would come, because the capitalists would drive the workers toward it.

SOVIET RUSSIA FILMS MAKING CROWDED HOUSES

Will Be Shown in Twin Cities Nov. 7

Film "Holds Over." When a film is so successful that the theatre manager extends its run and cancels another picture to do it, the film is said to be "held over," and fulfills the producer's highest ambitions. The Russian feature, The Beauty and the Bolshevik, won that distinction in New York when its original run of three days was extended to eleven at the Lenox Theatre.

Now, in Philadelphia, where on Oct. 28, the picture played to 6,000 people, three more days' run has been arranged. These shows will be under the joint auspices of The Freiheit, and the Workers Party.

Michigan to Run Russian Films.

In Detroit, Mich., arrangements are being made for two to three days runs at at least three neighborhood theatres, and a professional distributor plans to take over both The Beauty and the Bolshevik, and Polikushka for the whole state of Michigan.

Thus far eight cities have definitely booked The Beauty and the Bolshevik, four Russia and Germany, three The Fifth Year, two Polikushka, and one Lenin Memorial.

Those who want to get in on this motion picture actively should lose no time applying for information and dates. Write to International Workers' Aid, 16 S. Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill. St. Paul Liberals Run Polikushka.

The St. Paul, Minn., local organization of the National Committee for Better Films will run a special invitation showing of Polikushka, the Moscow Art Theatre film distributed by the International Workers' Aid. The show will be held on Nov. 7, and information can be secured from Mr. Caryl Spiller, St. Paul Institute, Auditorium building. Polikushka has been chosen as the first venture of an extensive nation-wide campaign to acquaint the public with the splendid film—wealth kept from them by the capitalist film producers and distributors.

Engdahl Closes the Campaign with Meet at Cleveland, Ohio

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 4.—J. Louis Engdahl, editor of the DAILY WORKER, completed a series of enthusiastic Communist campaign meetings, speaking here at Bricklayers' Hall last night.

This is the city that saw the gathering of the national republican convention, the conference for progressive political action and the socialist party; gatherings that placed Coolidge and LaFollette in the presidential race.

Only Working Class Fight by W. P.

Engdahl explained the anti-Communist front, extending from the strikebreaker in the White House to the Wisconsin senator, showing that the only working class fight in the nation today was being waged under the leadership of the Workers Party. Altho the Cleveland Communists, with those of the rest of the state, were unable to get the Foster-Giltow ticket on Tuesday's ballot, nevertheless they had candidates for congress in the field, including C. E. Ruthenberg, executive secretary of the Workers Party, and expect to make a good showing.

New Styles Hit Workers.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 4.—Formal consolidation of the Waist and Dress Makers' Union and the Cloak and Skirt Makers' Union is expected in November. The International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, with which these locals are affiliated, is promoting the amalgamation and declares that a strong organization campaign will follow the union. New styles of women's clothes have hit the waist makers especially. One-piece garments are in vogue now.

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SOVIET HAMMER STUNS TAMMANY ELECTION BOSS, BUT HE RECOVERED

NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 4.—John Voorhis, president of the board of elections, tried unsuccessfully to keep the name of Benjamin Gitlow off the ballot in New York state this year, he has admitted. Voorhis, who barred Gitlow from running for mayor of New York City in 1920 and for congress in 1921, declared he would have barred the Communist candidate for vice-president if it had been in his power.

Voorhis objected to the sickle and hammer emblem on the Workers Party ballot, but could not dig up a capitalistic law which made the Soviet emblem objectionable.

FOSTER FLAYS LEWIS AS TOOL OF CAL COOLIDGE

Miners of Dillonvale Greet Strike Leader

By MAX LERNER.

(Special to The Daily Worker)
DILLONVILLE, Nov. 4.—Miners came from a radius of many miles to listen to the message of Communism delivered by our candidate for president, William Z. Foster. Many of the miners, living in and around the Wheeling-Bellaire mining and steel section, recalled the days when Foster had been in that field during the heat of the steel strike, when Foster's life was often in danger.

The meeting and the spirit of those present was a tribute to the growth of our movement among the miners as well as to their intelligence, fighting spirit and courage. The comrades of Dillonvale and the surrounding territory are to be congratulated for their efforts.

Joe Kobylak, veteran fighter among the miners of the valley, introduced Foster as the one who was leading the third cycle of American history after Washington and Lincoln, the cycle of the American workers' revolution. Foster analyzed the meaning of capitalism in detail, exposed the records of the candidates of the old parties and pointed out at length the true nature as well as the grave danger of the LaFollette movement.

G. O. Party Strategist.

In dealing with the renegades and betrayers of the working class, Foster cited the example of John L. Lewis, international president of the Miners' Union. This man is supporting Coolidge. He is on his board of strategy. He, the president of a union for which the miners have made innumerable sacrifices against all the vilest efforts of the supporters of Coolidge and the many Coolidges to destroy, he is the most voluntarily bedmate of a strikebreaker. There was but one conclusion to draw from this, Foster pointed out, that John L. Lewis, being the political bedfellow of strikebreaker Coolidge, must also be the bedfellow of the coal operators, the capitalists, the Coolidges, in the industrial field, in the Miners' Union, where he can only be acting as the agent of capitalism to destroy the vigor and health, the very character and meaning of the organization.

An appeal was made to join and strengthen the Workers Party and the Young Workers League by Max Lerner, district organizer, and the method of voting for the Communist candidates in Ohio was explained in detail. The meeting ended very enthusiastically after Comrade Foster had briefly gone into the necessity of continuing the fight for Sacco and Vanzetti in reply to a question.

WORKERS PARTY ACTIVITIES, LOCAL CHICAGO.

Thursday, Nov. 6.
South Side No. 1, 1806 S. Racine St. Finnish Branch, Imperial Hall, 2409 N. Halsted St.
11th Ward Italian, 2439 S. Oakley Blvd.
21st Ward Italian, 511 N. Sangamon street.
South Side English, 3201 So. Wabash avenue.
Russian Branch, 1907 W. Division St.
Scandinavian Karl Marx, 2733 Hirsch Blvd.

Friday, Nov. 7.
November 7th celebration of the Russian Revolution. All meetings called off.

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USE FAKE ISSUES TO DIVIDE THE INDIAN PEOPLES

Division is Fostered by British Agents

By CHAMAN LALL.
(Federated Press Staff Correspondent)
SIMLA, India.—Division is growing among the peoples of India, just when the alien rule of the British begins to show signs of weakness and inadequacy. It can easily be conjectured that the bitterness dividing the people is not of spontaneous origin but sedulously fostered by the British Indian government and its agents.

Outbreaks between Hindus and Mohammedans with loss of life are becoming the order of the day. In the latest disturbance at Shahjahanpur three lives were lost in rioting over the silly issue of trees near a temple. The branches of a tree overhung an arva near the temple and the Hindu objected. Previously there had been uproar because the Mohammedans objected to music near their mosques.

Students of despotic government, with an understanding of the economic and political interpretations of exploitation, readily recognize that these trick issues are nursed to mislead the wretched inhabitants of India and distract their attention from the desperate struggle for emancipation. The average per capita income of Indians is stated in the national assembly to be not more than 25 shillings (1 shilling, 23c) a year. India is becoming increasingly impoverished under British rule.

Labor legislation in the national legislative assembly meeting at Simla has come to an end with adjournment until January in Delhi. Besides the successful challenges to the British autocracy on salary grabs and other measures, the assembly, which is composed largely of elected members, passed some progressive bills. The penalty on workers for breach of contract with employers, a form of industrial slavery, is being removed. Maternity benefits were proposed as well as weekly payment of wages and greater freedom of assemblage. Taxation will be investigated by a commission selected by the assembly instead of appointed by the British. Not all of these measures will become law because the upper house mostly appointive, has a voice and the government has final decision besides.

French Rivers Rise.
PARIS, Nov. 4.—Heavy rains thruout France sent the Meuse and Marne rivers to flood stages and covered thousands of acres of farm lands. The Seine has risen a meter in Paris in the last 48 hours.

NEW YORK TIMES WORRIES LEST LABOR LEARNS OF HUGE PROFITS

(Special to The Daily Worker)
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—"A business acquaintance was just in to see me. 'I'm in a fine stew,' he said. I asked why, and this is the story he told. 'Well, all last year my business was only fair and I told the boys working for me to be reasonable; not to ask for too many raises all in a bunch. I told them I'd have to close down the works if they bothered me too much, for the margin of profit was small. Well, I got thru the year with a quarter million profit—and was lucky. In other enterprises I made four times that amount, and naturally put the whole thing into my income tax returns. The figure was published yesterday morning on the first page of the Times.

"Now my men aren't going to stop and figure that part of my income came from other enterprises. They're going to say, 'Well, here we are, sweating in this boiler factory while our boss is living off the gravy.' I'm going to have a fine time explaining. What's more, I'll probably have a strike or two on my hands."

All this was said by the president of one of Wall Street's biggest banks, as quoted by the New York Times. The big financier was quoting a business acquaintance who had been put "into a fine stew" by the publication of the income tax figures. "An inextinguishable invasion of personal rights," says the banker to the Times.

Open Forum, Sunday Night, Lodge Room, Ashland Auditorium.

Jailed for Selling "Service Record," a Legion Weekly Rival

By E. J. IRVINE.
(Special to The Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—"Service Record," organ of ex-service men and a rival of the "American Legion Weekly," has been discriminated against at the behest of Legion officials, and agents who sold "Service Record" have been threatened and arrested by legionnaires.

G. D. Whiteman, 1124 Park Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa., wrote from the Allegheny county jail this month, saying he had been jailed for selling "Service Record."

William B. Michael, 3419 Lucas Ave., St. Louis, Mo., declares he was threatened with arrest for selling the same journal.

G. L. Williams of Spokane, Wash., an ex-captain, wrote on Oct. 23, that he was in jail for peddling "Service Record" on the streets.

Mick Hogan, Sycamore, Ill., stated that the city clerk there refused him a permit thru influence of legion men.

Two agents of "Service Record," Brower and Knight, are in Portland, Ore., jail for vending the magazine.

Radicals Nabbed in Spain.
BARCELONE, Nov. 4.—Seventeen radicals were arrested in a police raid on a syndicalist meeting here today.

MINERS' UNION OFFICIALS DEFEND PITTSBURGH SPIES

Finks On the Run in Gary Stronghold

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 4.—Organized labor in Pittsburgh after 22 years is beginning to move forward, but it took a Beattie case to show the delegates where the reactionary officialdom was receiving its orders and whose interests they were looking out for. At the first meeting in October, the trial board brought in a verdict of guilty as charged against Beattie, but recommended no penalty. Later moving to accept his resignation, a move to save him as a delegate. After a heated discussion this motion was voted down and Beattie was expelled as officer and delegate of the body notifying his international, local and the A. F. of L. Robinson, executive board member of District 5, United Mine Workers, was the lone delegate that attempted to openly defend Beattie, asking the delegates if they were going to convict a man on the information of a state constabularyman. He was plainly told that no one outside of the labor movement testified, and if Freeman was responsible for the lead on the stool pigeon and spy they were thankful for it. Beattie was likened to a leper who should be ostracized by all working men and women.

Defenders of Spies.

All those who defended Beattie will have to answer for the reason of their actions in time to come. The first was Arthur Ireland, a member of the machinists and former officer, now running the Free Press, a supposed labor sheet, was called upon to explain an editorial several weeks ago, what he meant by "character assassinations." Also in the meantime, another spy turned up in the steel company town of McKeesport. He also was secretary of the central body and an officer in the Street Carman's Union.

The last meeting of the Pittsburgh C. L. U. saw the election of a progressive for Beattie's former office of secretary, P. J. McGrath of the Street Car Men's organization, won by a 3 to 1 vote against Nelson of the same organization. Old progressives said that it took 22 years to accomplish this.

Fakers in a Pickle.

Dave Williams, vice-president of the machinists' organization and member of the Pennsylvania labor board, who is responsible for the evidence on these stool pigeons and spies, spoke on continuing to rid the labor movement of this form of reptile, and the introduction of a bill in the state legislature compelling the detective agencies to file the name of every employe with the copy of their application with the state secretary. This and the election of McGrath got under the skins of the fakers. This time it was Mickey Egan, another official of the miners who started an abusive attack on Williams and Duffy, an A. F. of L. organizer, for interfering with the affairs of local organizations. In his attack he threatened to beat Williams up. Williams said that there are more spies in Pittsburgh. If the trade unionists do not get frightened by the threats they will be able to rid themselves of this element.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—William Burns, held in jail for nearly a year awaiting trial for criminal syndicalism, is now in solitary and has been refused visitors and other privileges. Burns was arrested by federal officers in Yosemite Park, where he was trying to organize the employes, and will be tried in a federal court for violation of a state law.

BANKER SINGS WAY TO HEAVEN WHILE EMPLOYEES LIVE IN HELL

When James B. Forgan, Chicago millionaire banker, was singing a last holy hymn, a few days ago, in preparation for his own death, and when capitalist newspaper men were busy gathering in a list of his business achievements so that they might be ready with a fitting post-mortem should Forgan die in time for the next edition, hundreds of barge-workers and their families in the employ of the New York Central railroad, of which Forgan was a director, were toiling most of the twenty-four hours of the day and "living" for the rest of the time in two dark cabins below deck.

From a woman in one of these cabins—the wife of one of the barge captains working for the New York Central—there comes to the DAILY WORKER a vivid description of conditions among the employes of one of the wealthiest and most extensive railroad systems in the world—a system owned and operated by Wm. K. Vanderbilt, by F. W. Vanderbilt, by Harold S. Vanderbilt—and by the hymn-chanting James B. Forgan.

"If you want a job with the railroad," writes this woman, "you are compelled to live on the barges with your family, and you must always be on the job when needed. The living quarters consist of two small cabins, in which there is room for a table and a couple of chairs. Some of the cabins are below deck, and are so terribly damp that everything smells musty.

"I lived in one of these dark dungeons for ten months and my health was so bad that tuberculosis was not far off. I can name a boat on which a family of eight lived until one child was drowned and the father died of consumption.

Work and no rest. "Often they work the boats at night, and that means no sleep, for the men run about on the ships, shouting and cursing."

For three days after the death of Forgan, Chicago, bank buildings were draped in black.

Report by Council For Protection of Foreign Workers

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 4.—The Council for the Protection of Foreign Born Workers at its final meeting issued the following statement:

"The books of the council were audited by the undersigned committee and were found to be correct in every detail. The total receipts were \$271.37 and the expenditures \$271.15, balance on hand, 22 cents.

"The council during the period of its activity held a large number of well attended meetings, visited many organizations and distributed thousands of pieces of literature. The council thanks all labor and fraternal organizations who have contributed towards financing the important work in its charge.

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"Wouldn't Tell a Lie to Save His Life"

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NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 4.—"The Communists don't believe in honesty and truth. They say honesty and truth are bourgeois virtues. The socialists believe in these virtues. Why, I wouldn't tell a lie even to help the socialist party or to save my life." So a socialist Demosthenes delivered himself before a Brooklyn audience the other night when a Communist campaign speaker stopped in front of a socialist street corner meeting.

Comrade Amter Gets Busy.
A Cannon meeting was being held in a hall a few blocks away. The comrade who stood listening to this socialist moron, Comrade Sadie Amter, ran to the hall as fast as she could and with the help of a few other comrades they started a Communist meeting on the opposite corner.

Comrade Amter spoke for an hour explaining how the governments are making use of the yellow socialists all over the world in their efforts to stem the rising tide of Communism. By that time the meeting in the hall was over and Comrade Cannon took the stand amid cheering and applause as the speaker introduced him as the Communist candidate for governor of New York.

No Class Collaboration.

"There is just one thing," said Comrade Cannon, "that I would like this great gathering to take away with it and that is this: That it is a mistake to think that the working class can collaborate with any other class in the great struggle for power. The working class if it expects to gain must remain true to its class. It cannot be saved by any bourgeois LaFollette. It is because we understand this that we are Communists. This was once the position of the socialist party when it was a real socialist party. Today it is a liberal, petty bourgeois party and stands for the small bankers, the middle class business men and lawyers and not for the workers."

It was a great demonstration—the crowd which reached way over to the other side of the street remaining to the very end.

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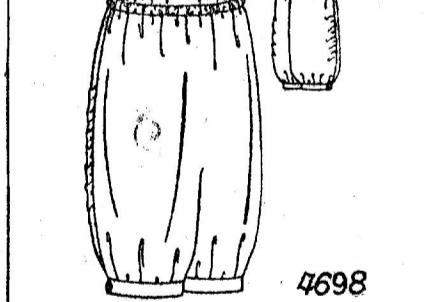
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"Non-Partisan" Politics in the Labor Press

The degeneracy of any organization is shown in its press. It is a known fact that when a labor organization adopts a militant attitude toward capitalist control of society, such militancy is clearly discernible in its press.

The papers which reflect the ideology of the American labor movement have excelled themselves during the campaign just ended. And in the tone of their political propaganda may be seen how utterly degenerate is the ideology of the organized labor movement as a whole.

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In some obscure rag with a sounding name like The Labor News, the reactionary republican party had published the "labor record" of Coolidge. A California "labor paper," which shall remain nameless, picks it up and runs it. It is then reprinted as the certificate of the toilers to their "friend" in the White House.

This also contains the bland expression of "labor" that—"As to the Boston police strike, it is the opinion of the great many representatives of labor that such a strike was unwisely called."

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The World in Bondage

The flotation of the first Dawes loan in the United States brings to the foreground with extraordinary clarity the extent to which American imperialism has succeeded in establishing its financial hegemony over international capitalism.

This year establishes a new peak in the foreign loans subscribed in the United States. Practically every banking house in the country has negotiations for loans or has already handled loans for foreign governments or corporations.

In the first ten months of this year, the combined total foreign issues reached a sum close to nine hundred million dollars. The vast proportion of this huge sum was consumed in financing foreign governments, in maintaining the capitalist organs of oppression abroad.

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In medieval times kings customarily kept a kind of human being, often artificially disfigured into grotesque form, in attendance at their thrones, dressed like a clown and privileged to crack jokes at the monarch without making acquaintance with the headsman.

A few weeks back the plute press was full of stories and photos of a visit made to the White House by a group of famous actors and comedians, led by Al Jolson, John Drew and Charlotte Greenwood.

It is our sad duty to disclose that the Borah committee investigating campaign expenses was told that the whole affair was staged for election purposes by Rhinelander Waldo of New York with G. O. P. money.

The theatrical profession has need to make itself heard in protest at this disgraceful prostitution of professional prominence. But Communists are not surprised. In 1847 Marx and Engels wrote:—"The bourgeoisie has stripped of its halo every occupation hitherto honored and looked up to with reverent awe."

But in the case of the visit to Coolidge, it did more. These actors were earning their living professionally as wage laborers more or less honestly. They volunteered, for an extra stipend, to prostitute what they call their art to capitalist politics.

Several people were killed here at a railroad crossing owing to the criminal cupidity of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad and the Chicago surface lines.

Should present indications hold good, there should be some excitement at the El Paso convention of the American Federation of Labor. It is not likely that Gompers will have the "red" bogeyman to work up hysteria, so the crooks will most likely fight among themselves.

Now that a Christian general has charge of Peking, the American missionary business should take a decided boost as far as collections are concerned. Whatever donations Rockefeller made to advertise Jesus in China has not been wasted.

The British labor ministry might not have needed to resign yesterday if it had rallied the workers against the capitalists instead of raiding the radicals with capitalist police.

If the election campaign lasted another month, LaFollette would not have enough labor-fakers behind him to make a decent dinner party.

Send in that new "sub" today

POISONING THE YOUTHFUL MIND AGAINST LABOR

Gompers in Alliance with the Fascists

By KARL REEVE.

The American Federation of Labor is co-operating with the American Legion and the National Security League in attempting to make labor haters and red-baiters out of the school children of America, it was learned at Sunday's meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

A communication was received from Mathew Woll, as member of the educational committee of the A. F. of L., asking the Chicago Federation of Labor to co-operate to make American Educational Week a success.

The American Federation of Labor officials have thus formed an alliance with the capitalists by trying to get LaFollette elected on the political field, and are aiding the National Security League and the American Legion to permeate the educational with anti-labor propaganda.

The program is proof that the A. F. of L. official family is supporting a purely anti-labor program. "Revolutionists, Communists, and extreme pacifists are a menace to the constitutional guarantees," says the program which suggests subjects for lectures by teachers to the school children.

"The school as a productive institution" is another subject which the bankers and open shoppers, assisted by the A. F. of L. officials, advise teachers to lecture on. "Religion, morality and education are necessary to good government," says the program.

Now that the election is over, and Gompers has taken all he could get from the capitalist bankers backing LaFollette, Gompers and his clique of officials are endorsing a movement emanating from Calvin Coolidge and Charles G. Dawes, with a program made up by Coolidge's department of interior, and tons of literature against labor being distributed to the children by the National Security League.

What is an American? is the query fired at the immature minds of the school children by the literature which the open shoppers are going to circulate in co-operation with the A. F. of L. officials.

They Prefer Fascism. The propaganda to be spread broadcast by the Coolidge men urges "maintaining, at whatever cost, the rights of property." Even "democracy" is considered too radical by the backers of "education week."

But the Gompers' machine, Coolidge and the American Legion have good company in their fight to make open shoppers out of the school children. William English Walling, official prostitute of the employers, is circulating a leaflet during this week entitled, "What Bolshevism Really Is."

French President Signs Decree. PARIS.—President Doumergue today signed a decree authorizing the issue of the 10-year treasury bonds for an internal loan of indefinite amount November 12.

"To Action!" for The Daily Worker

Editorial in The Workers' Tribune, Polish Communist Weekly.

Do you fare badly brother! Do you fare badly sister! You work like an ox, or perhaps even harder, and what have you? The bitter worry over what you will put into your mouth tomorrow, what you will feed your children with, and what you shall cover your nakedness with.

You are worse off than the ox. He does not think of the morrow, does not dream that things could be better. He chews his cud and carries his yoke until the time comes when he will be driven off to be butchered.

You fare badly brother and sister! You know that it is not a necessity of nature, but human wrong, terrible injustice, the vile social system that divides the abundance of riches available to humanity so that the rogue who produces nothing takes as much as he wants, while the man of all-creating toil receives barely enough to keep him from dying of hunger as long as he is of use to the exploiters.

You know that there are countless millions of such as you, of workingmen and workingwomen, wives of the workers. You know that we are in the great majority; that if we rose to action together we would crush completely the parasitic vermin that suck our blood, that the only thing needed is the awakening of our sleeping power, organizing it and throwing it into the struggle!

The first wedge which crumples the prison walls of our present miserable existence is the word of working class truth, the workers' paper. Tell us, how many readers did you get for our "Workers' Tribune?"

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WAR AGAINST WAR—ACTION NOT PRAYER. Dick Orenden in "Labor Call" (MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA)

its steady publication our "Workers' Tribune" should have at least twice the number of readers that it has at present; that today it is constantly in danger of suspension due to the lack of money for printing and paper, which with the present number of readers costs almost twice as much as is received from the sale of the paper?

You say that you do not understand English, that you cannot read this paper yourself. That's bad. You should know not only enough English to understand the orders and insults of the boss, but also to be able to speak to your fellow worker.

The first step on this road of action is the circulation of the revolutionary workers' press, our "Workers' Tribune" among the Polish workers, and—which is still more important—the circulation of the English language paper, the DAILY WORKER.

should do so, because it is working class matters that you have to speak about.

But even now, when you cannot read English, your younger brother and sister, or your child can. Did you ever hand them a DAILY WORKER? You do not know how to agitate your American fellow-worker, because you do not speak English.

One way or another, but act! Emancipation will not come of itself. You must do everything that you can afford to, you must do more than you can afford to do to spread the light of revolutionary workers' thought, you must build the mass Workers Party.

To action, those who do not want to humbly die in slavery! The first step on this road of action is the circulation of the revolutionary workers' press, our "Workers' Tribune" among the Polish workers, and—which is still more important—the circulation of the English language paper, the DAILY WORKER.

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Labor Defends Its Journalists

By M. A. SKROMNY.

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These are some of the murderers. In the center is Andrew Malinovsky, who fired the fatal shot that killed his own brother. The others are some of the instigators.

that fatal shot at the instigation of the village grafters. They made him so drunk with moonshine that he heard the shot fired and fell to the ground. The gun was given to him by one of the village officials after they made him drunk. He returned the gun and was promised immunity.

Some of the instigators "have seen the world." One of them lived for a while in Bulgaria, another—in the United States, a third was living under a false name for many years, since he participated in a criminal affair.

When the case was first reported in the DAILY WORKER the Chicago group of the Novy Mir correspondents passed a resolution demanding a "just sentence which should be a lesson and warning to the enemies of the

revolution within Russia and the white guards in other countries." The resolution together with many other resolutions from groups of correspondents from many parts of Russia was printed in the Moscow Pravda, a few days before the trial started in Nikolaiev.

Hundreds of peasants from nearby villages attended the trial and eagerly awaited the sentence. Now the sentence has been passed. Six of them will pay with their lives for the brutal murder, for their crimes against the workers and peasants of Russia, for their crimes against the Soviet government.

The sentence will meet with approval in every village and every factory of the Socialist Soviet Republics.

PHILADELPHIA, NOTICE! Celebration 7th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution Labor Lyceum, 6th and Brown Sts. C. E. RUTHENBERG is the main speaker Splendid Musical Program International Orchestra Vocal Solos Admission 25 cents Auspices: Workers Party and Young Workers League.