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180 NEW BEDFORD PICKETS SENTENCED TO 60 DAYS

ANTI-WAR MEET TO EXPOSE FAKE KELLOGG 'PEACE'

Workers to Rally in Union Sq. Saturday

At the same time that Secretary Kellogg's "anti-war" pact is being paraded around Europe and America to blind the eyes of workers...

Thousands of New York workers, not taken in by the so-called anti-war pact promulgated by a government...

Prominent Speakers. The meeting, to be held under the auspices of the Workers (Communist) Party, District 2, and the Young Workers (Communist) League...

NABISCO PLANTS CONDITIONS BAD

Workers Victims of Many Lay-offs

We workers in the National Biscuit Company are very glad that meetings are being held every Friday in front of the company gates...

Many Lay-offs. In the shop where I'm working conditions are very bad. If they are as bad in other departments...

Anita Whitney Aids Party Election Drive; Sends Check for \$100

Anita Whitney of Oakland, California, member of the Workers (Communist) Party and militant fighter against brutal capitalist rule...

Communist Election Drive Opens in Chicago



The picture shows workers selling literature at the opening of the presidential campaign in Chicago. The group pictured is the Russian branch of the American Association for the Advancement of Atheism.

L' MOTORMAN FRAMED ON HOMICIDE CHARGE

Arraigned on a charge of manslaughter in one of the most astonishingly brazen frame-ups yet attempted, Stanley Zellig, motorman of the Sixth Ave. Interborough train...

The full meaning of the vicious frame-up of the innocent motorman became apparent immediately after the court proceedings yesterday...

Zellig Still Dazed. Zellig, with his head swathed in bandages, hardly able to stand or to speak coherently, appeared in court to answer the charge...

In what was obviously a prearranged plan between the district attorney's office and the Interborough legal department, headed by "Rough Stuff" Quackenbush...

IMPERIALISTS TO PARLEY IN PARIS

Chamberlain to Meet Kellogg

PARIS, July 31 (UP).—Secret negotiations, which have been conducted for the past two months, have resulted in a naval agreement between France and Great Britain...

LONDON, July 31.—Austen Chamberlain accepted today the invitation extended to him by the French government to meet Kellogg and representatives of the other powers to sign the "Kellogg" pact in Paris on August 27...

Lloyd George, commenting on the Kellogg plan, said that unless it were followed by disarmament on the part of the powers the people would understand that they had been tricked and that the whole thing was "hum-bug"...

A. F. L. COUNCIL OPENS SESSION

Political Betrayal Is on Program

(Special to the Daily Worker) ATLANTIC CITY, July 31.—Discussion on the presidential situation, it is understood, will form the chief topic on the program before the executive council of the American Federation of Labor...

It has been rumored that because of the division among the labor bureaucrats over the endorsement of Smith or Hoover, no choice will be announced for president. Matthew Woll is known to have had several secret conferences with Hoover recently...

William Green, president of the Federation, on the other hand, has intimated that he would favor Smith following a secret conference held with the Tammany governor about two weeks ago...

BERRY ACCUSED IN GANG ATTACK

N. Y. American Foreman Is Dying

Following a murderous attack believed to have been carried out by the Berry-Armstrong gang in the Printing Pressmen's Union, a foreman named Brown, employed on the New York American, is today lying unconscious in a New York hospital...

This was the story, details of which were revealed last night following certain rumors which have been verified by the Daily Worker.

Brown. Monday night the Berry gang had a "drunk party," it was declared. Yesterday Brown was found lying in a pool of blood. He was rushed to a hospital.

NEW EVIDENCE EXPOSES CENTRALIA FRAME-UP

Two Jurors, In Affidavits, Swear They Believed Jailed Militants Innocent

New evidence, in the form of additional affidavits made by two other jurors in the case of the Centralia I. W. W. who are now serving terms in the Walla Walla, Washington, penitentiary, was yesterday produced to show the manner in which the frame-up against these lumber workers was carried through...

World Congress Unanimous for Bukharin Theses

FACTIONALISM IN U. S. IS 'WITHOUT POLITICAL BASIS'

Bukharin Stresses War, Trade Union Work

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., July 31.—Nicolai Bukharin, Chairman of Executive Committee of the Communist International, was greeted with protracted applause when he arose in the fifteenth session to begin his closing speech...

Bukharin declared that the discussion had been rather positive and had produced criticism and self-criticism. He remarked that almost all of the Communist parties in the International had participated in the discussion.

The negative side of the discussion, however, lay in the fact that the speakers had limited themselves to their own lands instead of dealing with international questions.

Change Estimation. Many comrades opposed the division of the post-war period into three parts in my speech, the speaker said, "and particularly denied the necessity of differentiation between the gradual, partial stabilization period of 1915 and the following period of rapid technical progress and reorganization together with the strong development of world economic difficulties."

World War Danger. The chief factor in the world situation is the war danger. My remarks concerning the war danger hit home, as is proved by the imperialist and social-democratic fury at these parts of my speech.

"We do not say that war must come within a few months," he continued, "but that the whole world situation proves that war must come. The imperialist and the social democrats are trying to hide this fact, we must proclaim it."

"Any attempt to balance internal contradictions of the capitalist states with their external contradictions means an underestimation of the war danger which would be opportunist."

Industrial peace, the growth of the social democracy with the bourgeois state, etc. are inexplicable except as a result of the war.

Switzer, clearly expose the facts of the frame-up. They read as follows: "W. E. Innon and E. E. Sweitzer of Grays Harbor County, Washington, each for himself upon his oath says: "That he was one of the jurors in the case of the State of Washington vs. Britt Smith et al, tried in Grays Harbor County, at Montesano, Washington, during the first three months of the year 1920, as an out-

New Bedford Strikers' Children With Pails for Food



The bayonets of the Massachusetts National Guard have been used by the textile barons and their allies, the authorities, to hold at bay thousands of men and women textile strikers. Hundreds have been jailed. Every form of police violence is being tried to crush the great strike.

WORKING WOMEN TO FIGHT WAR

Scott Nearing Will Speak at Meeting

England and France have signed a naval treaty, which adds to the smoke screen concealing the preparations for war, according to the statement issued by the New York Working Women's Federation. The Federation has arranged for Scott Nearing to speak on the War Danger, tomorrow evening, August 2, at Labor Temple, 14th Street and Second Avenue at 7:30.

According to Ray Ragozin, secretary of the Working Women's Federation, the support of unorganized women is of primary significance.

20,000 CALCUTTA WORKERS STRIKE

(Cable to the Daily Worker)

CALCUTTA, India, July 31.—Twenty thousand workers employed at the jute spinning mills in Bouri went on strike today in protest against the brutality of the police in wounding 23 of their fellow-workers. When workers in the Bouri jute-spinning mills held a meeting among themselves near the factory recently, the owners of the plant called the police to break it up.

growth of the Armistice day tragedy at Centralia, Washington, November 11, 1919; that during the consideration of said case by the jury, one Harry Sellers, one of said jurors, stated in the jury room in substance: "Every one of them is guilty and ought to be hung no matter what the evidence shows; that the evidence showed, as affidavits verily believe that all the defendants were in-

CHINESE RED ARMY MAKES BIG ADVANCE

HONGKONG, July 31.—The Chinese Red army of 10,000 workers and peasants today was within 40 miles southeast of Changsha, with the capture of the city of Li Long. The worker-peasant army has been steadily advancing for the past twenty-four hours.

Stirred by the steady success of the Red troops the workers of Canton are said to be on the verge of a revolt against the Kuomintang war lords. Additional reinforcements have been rushed against the workers by the Kuomintang war lords to no avail.

Fear of the Red troops has resulted in a continuation of the executions of workers on a large scale by the Cantonese authorities.

ENGLISH TORY SPLIT LIKELY

LONDON, July 31.—A disagreement in policy on the protective tariff threatens to split the Conservative Party at the meeting of the cabinet tomorrow as the two factions led respectively by Baldwin and Winston Churchill on one side and William Joynson Hicks on the other refuse to concede their position. The Baldwin-Churchill faction are opponents of a protective tariff and Joynson-Hicks, who has a considerable tally following in the parliament, calls for the use of the tariff to "safeguard" the iron and steel industry and repair the depressing economic condition of the country.

Membership Meet of Party for Tonight

John J. Ballam, acting district organizer of the Workers (Communist) Party yesterday announced that an important membership meeting of the Workers (Communist) Party has been called for tonight, at 8 p. m. at the Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E. 4th St. All Members have been asked to postpone all other engagements and to attend this meeting.

Wretched Conditions

Pointing out the unbearable conditions that now prevail in the cloak and dress industry, the statement appeals to every cloak and dressmaker to attend this historic gathering and to arouse his co-workers to join in the struggle for a union. The statement follows: "To all cloak and dressmakers! "Brothers and sisters: "Unite your ranks. Stand ready for the great work. The end to the domination of the clique in our union is approaching. Their false campaign has been broken by your resistance. The international and the bosses can no longer save their company union from annihilation. "Get to Work!" "Let us get to work. Let us mobilize. The hour has struck for the building of a union of the workers of our industry. Mobilize for

CALL WORKERS TO CLOAK MEET

To Launch Campaign to Build Union Aug. 8

"The hour has struck for the building of a union of the workers in our industry."

With this as a keynote, a statement has been issued by the National Organization Committee, calling upon all cloak and dressmakers to attend en masse the great mass meeting in Bronx Stadium Wednesday, August 8, which will launch a huge drive to organize the industry and build up a strong union of the workers.

Two important preliminary meetings will be held today and tomorrow for the purpose of mobilizing the workers for the mass meetings and for the organization drive. Tonight a meeting of all the units of the rank and file organization committee of 500 will be held in Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E. 4th St. This meeting is of the greatest importance, it is pointed out by the National Organization Committee, as upon the members of this rank and file committee will fall the brunt of the preparatory work necessary for launching the great drive.

Tomorrow night at 6 o'clock a meeting of all active cloak and dressmakers will be held in Manhattan Lyceum. This meeting will mobilize the active workers for the Aug. 8 meeting and for the other important tasks that lie ahead of the fight to build a union.

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CHARGE LABOR TRUST STEAL

PITTSBURGH, July 31.—After a delay of two years officials of the alleged labor bank, the Brotherhood Savings and Trust Company, will be brought to trial this fall, charged with embezzlement of \$320,000 of workers' savings.

ALBERT WEISBORD ARRESTED, DENIED RELEASE ON BAIL

Strikers Defy Court, Refuse Bond

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 31.—Following an open revolt in the ranks of the small picket line of William Batty, president of the textile council, the police began preparations for mass arrests on the New Bedford Textile Union's line this evening.

Strikers drowned out McMahon, president of the U. T. W. with cries of "No Arbitration" when he attempted to put across a sell-out at a meeting yesterday.

The local jail is reported to be seriously overcrowded, with eight prisoners occupying a cell intended for one.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 31.—Albert Weisbord, national secretary of the Textile Mills Committee, was arrested here this afternoon, after speaking at a mass meeting at Saunier's lot on the South Side. The police arrested Weisbord on a charge of "trespassing in Fall River eight weeks ago." He is being held in jail here without bail, the local authorities claiming that they are "waiting to hear from Fall River" altho Chief of Police Feeney of that city is at the police station in New Bedford.

Other speakers at the mass meetings were Alex Bail, of Boston, Harry Cantor of the Typographical Union of Boston, Fred Beidenkapp, Marry Correina, Arthur Daiz, Sam Weisman of the Fall River textile mills, and Nat Kay, district organizer of the Young Workers (Communist) League.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 31. Arrested as a result of last night's picketing demonstration, 256 textile strikers were hustled into court by armed guards this morning. Of this number 180 waived examination and were immediately sentenced, the majority of them receiving sentences of two months' each. A number of the defendants were juveniles, and received smaller sentences. All the pickets appealed and their bail was fixed at \$500, pending hearing before a superior court. All refused bail.

Fred E. Beale and Jack Rubinstein, strike leaders, received six month sentences at once and were placed in bail of \$1,500 each. Beale was recently released after serving a month's sentence for activities on the picket line. Polczar and Boshak Dawson, Marion Batelho and Maris Silvia, received sentences of three months and are held in \$1,000 bail each.

Cheered On Way. The strikers arrested yesterday were brought from the jail to the court in trucks in batches of thirty. Cheering crowds, assembled early in the morning to listen to the singing of the pickets in their cells, accompanied the trucks and were held back at the courthouse by the bayonets of the Massachusetts National Guard who are still patrolling the city.

All the arrested strikers pleaded not guilty and received their sentences in an atmosphere tense with excitement.

Parents Jailed. In many cases both parents of a family are in jail. One family of six small children walking miles to the jail, the oldest carried a two months old baby in her arms.

While the sentences were being handed down in the court room, a line of pickets larger than yesterday undaunted by the previous night's arrests resumed picketing at the Whitman Mill. The police did not interfere, altho the resumption of picketing is in direct defiance of police orders.

The Textile Mills Committee yesterday issued a statement pointing out that the hysteria and desperation of the mill owners was never better seen than when mayor called in the national guard. "By this time," the statement continued on Page Five

To Hold Big Miners' Relief Solidarity Affair on Sunday at Pleasant Bay Park

ANNOUNCE BIG PROGRAM FOR STRIKERS' FAIR

Many Features at the Affair Sunday

Details of the program of the big Miners' Solidarity Fair, to be held in Pleasant Bay Park Sunday, which were announced last night by the National Miners Relief Committee, indicate that this fair will be a red-letter day on the proletarian social calendar of the year.

One of the features of the musical part of the program will be the Russian Balalaika Orchestra, which will play some of the best-known Russian folk-songs as well as music of the new Soviet Russia. Two Lithuanian choruses, the Aida Chorus and the Liras Chorus, which have been rehearsing faithfully during the past few weeks, will present a program of great interest. Both the balalaika orchestra and the Lithuanian choruses will appear in native costumes, adding color and picturesque to the scene.

Children Dancers. Also appearing in native folk costume will be the Polish children dancers, who will present a series of folk dances.

An important part in the program will be played by the Workers' Relief Scouts, organized by the Children's Committee for Miners Relief, who will appear in tableaux and many other interesting numbers.

Sports. The sports program, which is being arranged by the Youth Committee for Miners Relief, will include gymnastics and athletics of all sorts, as well as soccer, baseball, boxing and many other sports. The Freheit Soccer Club and a number of teams of the Metropolitan Workers Soccer League will participate.

Two of the biggest features of the program will be the first showing of the miners' strike film, a vivid depiction of the miners' struggles, and the taking of moving pictures of the Solidarity Parade in which a large number of working class organizations will take part. In addition, there will be open-air dancing, with music furnished by a jazz orchestra, and liberal refreshments.

Tickets for the Miners Solidarity Fair are 35 cents and are on sale at the National Miners Relief Committee, 799 Broadway, Room 237.

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ance for this delegate conference, as a stepping stone for the all-important drive for trade union organization which is to open in the fall. Every woman worker who is interested is welcomed to attend the delegate conference on Thursday to hear Scott Nearing's expose of the Imperialist peace treaties and war plans.

Many nationalities will be represented at the great outing of the New York Section of the International Labor Defense, to be held Saturday, August 11, at Pleasant Bay Park. Several thousand militant New York workers are expected to be present at this annual left wing affair, the proceeds of which will go to aid class war prisoners and their families.

Beginning at noon, a program including athletics, games, open air dancing, a torch light parade, a mass scene and refreshments, will last far into the night. An outstanding feature will be the taking of moving pictures of the outing.

Tickets are 35 cents and are now on sale at the office of the I. L. D., 799 Broadway, room 422, and at the Workers' Center, 26-28 Union Square.

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How Crash of Steel and Wooden Elevated Cars Injured 60 Passengers



Sixty persons were injured when a steel car rammed a wooden car on the Ninth Avenue Elevated structure at Columbus Avenue and 69th St., New York City. Some of those injured were hurt so severely that it is questionable whether they will live. The picture shows the crushed mass of debris where the cars collided. It is for this privilege that the traction barons are demanding a seven cent fare.

FIND COAL SMOKE CREATES CANCER

People in Factories and Slums Affected

Acting under pressure of the thousands of people living within the smoke-infested areas of New York City, the Division of Industrial Hygiene and the Department of Health is trying to discover the effect of smoke fumes on the human body, in an attempt to correlate the presence of the smoke with the growth of cancer. In a survey made of the deaths resulting from cancer during the last seven years, sufficient evidence exists, it is thought, to establish definitely the fact that coal smoke and fumes create a condition conducive to the growth and spread of the deadly disease.

Workers Have Bad Conditions.

One of the places where this condition was found was in the poor sections of the city, where the workers can not afford modern lighting and heating facilities, and therefore must resort to the burning of coal for heat and gas for light. Another instance was found in the existence of badly-constructed heating equipment in factories, where, through the negligence of employers, thousands of workers contract and die of the deadly disease every year.

The condition in the slums, where the light and heat is favorable to cancer, is further aggravated by the presence in the vicinity of factories, from whose chimneys the smoke pours throughout the day.

THREE WORKERS KILLED IN BLAST

Boiler Explosion On Steam Derrick

Search was continued today for the bodies of three men believed to have been drowned or blown to pieces in the explosion of a boiler on a steam derrick of the Merritt Chapman and Scott Corporation at Staten Island.

Tony Larsen, an Engineer who was injured in the explosion, said he believed the men were hurled through the roof when the boiler exploded. The steam derrick sank immediately after the explosion and divers and wreckers were enlisted to search for the men.

Larsen said the boiler had been giving trouble and the men had been working last night repairing it. Early today they were resting when there was a terrific roar. He could not remember how he reached shore.

Give Lie to Mellon; Negro Segregation in Treasury, Charge

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The recent denial by Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon that segregation of Negroes prevails in the thirty-odd bureaus under the treasury department was given the lie today.

In an open letter to Mellon, Neval H. Thomas, president of the Washington branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People bitterly charged that segregation is rampant in the department.

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it's worse than at any other time.

I'm not blaming the company for these bad conditions, but the company is making us suffer only because it gets more profit out of our sweat. I think that we workers are more to blame, for not organizing to fight these terrible conditions. I think when it comes to organizing, we can help ourselves a lot through the Daily Worker, where we can write to exchange opinions about conditions in the various departments.

I used to read the Daily Worker every Wednesday, when I got it free, but since a week ago I buy it every day at a news-stand. Believe me, it's worth many times more than any other paper because it gives all the news from the viewpoint of the worker.

Before I finish, I want to suggest that perhaps a better day than Friday could be picked for holding open-air meetings at lunch time. On Friday a good many workers remain inside the factory as it is pay day. Tuesday might be tried. If it is too late to change the day this week, I think it should be changed next week.

I have just finished reading a pamphlet which I bought at your last meeting. It is called "The Workers' (Communist) Party, and What It Stands For." It is a great pamphlet, and has opened my eyes to a lot of things I used to wonder about. I wish every worker in the National Biscuit Company could read it.

—W. C.

DEATH MINE LAYS MEN OFF.
TIMMINS, Ont., July 31.—The Hollinger gold mine, scene of the death of 20 workers in an explosion early this year, has laid off over half its men, it is reported. A drastic wage slash is about to go into effect, it is said.

BRUTAL ATTACK ON PRISONERS

One Killed As Result of Uprising

MIAMI, Fla., July 31.—Despite rigid censorship by the authorities, details of a brutal attack on inmates of the Nassau Prison are just seeping thru.

One prisoner was killed and four policemen and two wardens were wounded in an all-day riot which resulted in an unprovoked attack upon one of the prisoners by a keeper.

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ANTI-IMPERIALIST RALLY SATURDAY

New York League Will Hold Demonstration

On the occasion of the 14th anniversary of the World War a demonstration against war will be held next Saturday, August 4th, at noon, Battery Park, under the auspices of the New York branch of the All-American Anti-Imperialist League, according to a statement issued by this organization at its headquarters, 799 Broadway, Room 536.

Workers' leaders, editors of prominent labor and liberal periodicals, and others opposed to world imperialism and imperialist wars have been invited to participate in this demonstration. Among those invited are Louis F. Budenz, of the Full-Fashioned Hosiery Workers' Union, John Haynes Holmes, of the Community Church, William Pickens of the American Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Bishop Paul Jones, Arthur Warner of the Nation, Edmund B. Chaffee, director of the Labor Temple.

The Kellogg "peace pact" will be exposed, it was declared, as another maneuver of the imperialist powers of the U. S. for preferred position in the present economic rivalries among the imperialist nations of the world. "We maintain that the tremendous expenditures for military purposes of the U. S. as well as the other imperialist countries contradicts this alleged intention to outlaw war," the statement declared.

Australia Government Forces Longer Week On Lumber Workers

MELBOURNE, Australia, July 31.—The federal "arbitration court" ordered a reduction in wages and the lengthening of the working hours of lumber workers here. The lumber workers have been working 44 hours per week when this order was made and raised the hours to 48 per week.

NEW BEDFORD RELIEF DRIVE

Weisbord to Speak at WIR Meeting

New Jersey workers are rallying to the support of the New Bedford Textile workers now out on strike for five weeks against the wage slash of 10 per cent which the mill owners forced on them. Reduced to the starvation level by irregular employment and low wages, this was the last straw. Twenty-six thousand workers answered the wage-cut by walking out. The mills have stood still and the ranks of the textile workers have grown stronger and larger, according to a statement issued by the local New York Workers International Relief, which has just started a special drive for funds in support of the New Bedford strikers.

The campaign for relief opens Thursday night in Passaic, N. J., with A. Weisbord as speaker. The Passaic textile leader, coming from the strike zone of New Bedford, will relate the facts of the struggle and make the appeal for relief. Every textile center in New Jersey is lining up for solidarity with the New Bedford strikers.

The Workers International Relief is confident that the returns in contributions will be convincing and overwhelming proofs that the New Jersey textile workers are 100 per cent with the New Bedford textile strikers, realizing that a victory for every other textile worker in the country. The meeting for A. Weisbord will be held at 7:30 August 2, at Ukrainian Hall, President St., Passaic, under the auspices of local New York Workers International Relief, whose offices are at 1 Union Square, N. Y.

"OPPONENTS" IN PANAMA NABBED

PANAMA, July 31.—Nine more arrests of members of the Ferras Coalition Party has brought the total of political arrests to fifteen.

The prisoners are charged with inciting revolution and threatening the existing government, the same charge brought against the five men arrested Monday.

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cept in connection with the analysis of the international situation, because they represent methods of war preparation. We must therefore subordinate all other questions to the question of the war danger.

"Communist activity must be Marxistly coordinated, for example the Communist must point out that the trade union bill in Great Britain has not only an internal significance, but also an international significance as part of the war preparations.

Trade Unions. "In expectation of war, the chief task of the Communists is to win the masses, but this is impossible without increased trade union work. The Red International of Trade Unions must be especially supported therefore. The opposition shown the decisions of the R. I. L. U. in consequence of the difficulty of work in the reformist trade unions, points to a tendency present to restore the old slogan, 'Away from the trade unions.'

No Neglect of Old Unions. "The organization of the unorganized is extremely important, but work in the reformist trade unions must not be neglected. "It is not impossible to win the trade unions. Every replacement of reformists by revolutionary workers means a reorganization of the trade unions in question. The opposition to the decisions of the Red International of Trade Unions must be fought, as also the slogan of production control.

"The growing contradiction between the political influence of the Communist Parties and their organizational strength must be overcome. Mass organizations must not be regarded as a substitute for Communist Parties, but only as points of support.

"Greater attention must be paid to the problem of unemployment. Unemployment in the United States is fundamentally different from, say unemployment in Great Britain. Unemployment results on one hand from rationalization, and on the other, from depression.

U. S. Imperialism Not Exhausted. "The forces of American capitalism are not exhausted, but at present large investments in industry are not profitable and hence the large capital export.

Land Workers and Peasants. "The question of the land workers can hardly be discussed here although this question is very important, for example in China and the Balkan countries where the peasants and the land workers are in ferment.

"The peasant question in the Latin American countries is particularly important. With regard to the organizational forms for the peasantry, we must maintain our former decisions. Proposals for the revision of the former decisions and the formation of political peasant parties is absolutely incorrect.

Negro Question. "The parties have not paid enough attention to the Negro question. This is important not only for the United States but also for Latin America and Africa.

"The Indian situation is altered by the fact that British imperialism is investing less capital thus retarding the process of the industrial development. This worsens the condition of the peasants who are unable to fly to the towns and explains the front of the native bourgeoisie against Great Britain. The revolutionary crisis will strengthen and express itself in the agrarian revolution and struggle for the independence of India.

"The Vienna insurrection was a real insurrection and the slogan for the formation of soviets might have been issued.

"Now that the Trotskyist opposition is settled, the chief danger is in the right wing.

"The impossible has happened in Great Britain. The British Party has now adopted a slogan against

Bosses Fight Six Day Week for Food Workers

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., July 31.—Restaurant bosses in this city are fighting the six-day week for culinary workers and have asked the State Industrial Commission to uphold the seven-day week.

Colorado law prohibits strikes until the commission reports on the issue.

Baldwin and against MacDonald simultaneously. This seemed impossible a little while back.

Change in France. "There is a great change in France, too. The French Party fights on the slogan of class and no longer votes for social democratic candidates.

"These changes are a blow against the right wing. The right wing danger must be beaten everywhere. Breaches of discipline will not be tolerated, but the parties must not fail to use the weapon of conviction. Supports German Party Leadership

"The delegation from the All-Union Communist Party opposed the removal of Evert from the leadership of the German Party. The consolidation of the German Party is necessary on the basis of a severe struggle against the right and the carrying out of the Essen Party decisions. The Executive Committee of the Communist International completely supports the present leadership of the German Communist Party.

U. S. Factionalism Without Political Differences. "In Poland and the United States factional struggles are proceeding without serious political differences. The Executive Committee of the Comintern must pay particular attention to the Czech Party where the Red Day error is most serious. The greatest task is ideological clarification of all the parties.

Preparation Against War Danger. "We have a little time to prepare against war and must use the pause with revolutionary energy in order to bring the majority of the workers and decisive sections of the peasantry over to our side.

"The Congress must demand from the Executive and from the parties increased mental production, increased recruiting power, improvement of the party apparatus, improved youth work, better colonial work, better anti-imperialist work and thorough preparations for illegality. It is illusory to believe that we can always work as now and everything must be done to prevent a repetition of the Red Day error

in Czechoslovakia.

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ANTI-WAR MEET TO EXPOSE FAKE KELLOGG 'PEACE'

Workers to Rally in Union Sq. Saturday

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alism. These speakers will elaborate the platform of the Workers (Communist) Party in its election campaign, touching on imperialism and the war danger.

The role played by the socialist party, eagerly dogging the footsteps of the major capitalist parties in this country, is clearly brought out by the statement of its chief exponent, the Rev. Norman Thomas, in an address at Columbia University, in which he praised the Kellogg anti-war pact. The mass demonstration against the war danger to be held at Union Square next Saturday will be turned by the workers into a huge protest against capitalism, the breeder of imperialist wars, and against the socialists who are the props of capitalism.

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American Manager of Nicaraguan Mine Wants U. S. Troops to Leave the Country

WELL TREATED BY SANDINO'S MEN, HE SAYS

Charges Wall St. Is Cause of Invasion

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Through the Anti-Imperialist League the following letter was sent to the White House:

"Mr. Calvin Coolidge:
"President of the United States.
"Esteemed Sir:
"At the present time, I, along with 18 other American citizens am a prisoner of General Sandino! We request that you withdraw the American troops from Nicaragua permitting that country to administer its affairs as an independent government. While American troops remain in Nicaragua, neither our lives nor our property are safe. During the recent disturbances American lives and property were safe. Our present difficulties are a result of the maintenance of American troops in Nicaragua. All that General Sandino asks is that American troops be withdrawn and that Nicaragua be permitted to solve its political questions without foreign interference.

Treated with Respect.
"I left the mine of La Luz on the 13th of April, and I am glad to report that I have been treated with consideration and respect, I do not consider my life in danger on account of the forces of Sandino. Nevertheless, I am exposed to the same risk as he and his soldiers, in case of an armed attack or in case American airplanes bomb Sandino's troops. I am certain that if the American people were given a chance to decide that they would be in complete agreement with me, that it is a mistake to send troops to this country. And furthermore, I am convinced that the American people are not in favor with the policy towards Latin America of the present administration.

"There exist certain Wall Street interests who wish to obtain advantageous concessions and raw materials and want their interests protected by armed forces of the American government. Foreign capital not backed by marines, is well received here. I understand that the mine of La Luz has been worked here for over twenty years by an American company, and has passed through many revolutions, without the Americans being disturbed in any way. This is the first time that the Americans are being bothered.

"Trusting that you will give this letter the attention it deserves, I remain,
"Signed) GEORGE MARSHALL,
"Administrator of the La Luz and
"Los Angeles Mining Company."

PORTUGAL LAW EXILES 'REBELS'

To Apply to All Anti-Government Actions

LISBON, Portugal, July 31.—The law passed by the Council of Ministers that metes out punishment to all those who attempt or "conspire to overthrow the government," decrees that deportation shall be the penalty.
Workers here regard this new law with much apprehension since it can be turned against them in strikes and mass demonstrations as well as against those participating in the armed revolt of last week.
The participants in the uprising in Lisbon will be exiled to the island of Timor, in the Malay archipelago off Australia. The soldiers of the garrison will be sent to the African colonial service for three years.

Mexican Troops Rout Counter-Revolutionists

MEXICO CITY, July 31.—Federal soldiers dispersed 450 counter-revolutionaries near Los Volcanes Ranch, a Guadalupe dispatch to the Excelsior said today. No report of casualties was made. Five priests were said to be among the rebels.
Seventeen counter-revolutionaries and five federal soldiers were killed in a smaller fight near Atenguillo.

They Will See That "Fair" Nicaraguan Election Turns Out Right



From left to right in the picture are Brigadier-General Logan Feland, commander of the United States marines in Nicaragua, Adolfo Diaz, hand-picked American president during the inter-regnum, and Frank F. McCoy, president Coolidge's special envoy to supervise the Nicaraguan vote. Preparations for the marine-controlled elections, in which it is alleged that the American state department has picked General Moncada as the successful candidate, are practically completed.

EXPENSES FOR SOVIET STUDENT

Special Courses for Home Industry

By CLARINA MICHELSON.
LENINGRAD, July 11 (By Mail).—Although home industry in the U. S. S. R. is necessarily affected by the increased industrialization there are still many workers engaged in it, mostly in addition to their other work. There are even whole villages which engage only in home industry. This work commands good prices and is in great demand outside the U. S. S. R.
In Leningrad a large building houses a School for Home Industry, started in 1924, where 300 students, from 16 to 30 years, study linen making, lace making, wood carving, metal work, tapestry making, etc. The four-year course brings workers from all over the U. S. S. R. They are given food, clothing, some money each month and are lodged in a special dormitory near the school. In connection with the school is a museum where are shown specimens of all the home industries from the time of Peter the Great to the present day.

CHICAGO PICNIC TO HEAR GITLOW

Election Drive Now in Full Swing

CHICAGO, Ill., July 31.—Labor and fraternal organizations from all parts of the city of Chicago met last night at a big conference to arrange plans whereby they could all cooperate in making the coming Illinois Campaign Picnic a huge success. Representatives and the membership of the Workers (Communist) Party, the Young Workers (Communist) League, the various trade organizations and sports organizations in the city, all sympathetic to the Workers (Communist) Party election campaign, attended the meeting.
After the meeting, at which all the organizations present pledged their support to the Campaign Picnic and to the party election campaign, a proposal to invite Benjamin Gitlow, candidate for vice-president of the United States, on the Workers (Communist) Party ticket, to address the workers at the Campaign Picnic was made.
The invitation will be forwarded to Gitlow immediately. It is almost certain that Gitlow will accept.
Gitlow has already arranged to speak at the Connecticut State Picnic for the election campaign which will be held at Hartford on August 19.
According to all present indications, the Chicago workers have thrown themselves heart and soul into the fight to place the names of the Workers (Communist) Party candidates on the state ballot in the fall. Petitions and circulars calling upon the workers of Illinois to vote for a ticket of the workers are now being circulated throughout the state. Illinois workers are also preparing for active participation in the Indiana and Missouri state election campaign drives.

Police Raid Offices of Irish Revolutionaries

DUBLIN, July 31.—A group of detectives carried out a raid on the editorial offices of the Irish national revolutionaries' newspaper "The Republic," which lasted for hours. They searched for material on the activities of the national revolutionaries.
When the raid brought no results the detective squad searched the entire building of the newspaper's press for manuscripts that they wished to withhold from publication. This likewise had no result.
The homes of many national revolutionaries have also been raided and a number arrested.

5 MORE INDICTED IN CHASER CRAFT

Legalized Intimidation Aim of "Inquiry"

The New York County Grand Jury yesterday returned indictments against four more attorneys involved in the so-called ambulance-chasing inquiry, which is drawing to a close now.
Those indicted are Morris Cohen of 132 Nassau St.; Abraham Oberstein of 119 Nassau St., and a former clerk of his, now being sought for his connection with the ambulance-chasing activities; and Louis M. Phillips and Nathan Gordon, both of 299 Broadway.
The charges against the men are forgery and grand and petty larceny. The inquiry, held originally at the instigation of several corporations of the city in an effort to effect a decrease in the number of suits continually filed against them by workers injured through their negligence, has succeeded in intimidating the workers to such an extent that the suits, according to a statement of the big corporations, have fallen off by more than 50 per cent. since the so-called investigation was begun.

THIRTY JAPANESE FOUND ENSLAVED

'Owner' Seeks Kidnaped Workers

HOQUIAM, Wash., July 31.—Thirty Japanese laborers, employed here by Donald W. Lyle, wood pulp contractor, were attacked last night by a group of over forty men, who broke into the bunkhouses which the contractor had given them as sleeping quarters, loaded the Japanese workers forcibly into trucks and started in the direction of Tacoma. One of the trucks went into a ditch near Tacoma, and the workers who had been imprisoned in it escaped. They are believed to be in hiding somewhere in the vicinity of the accident, frightened not only by this last act of intimidation and oppression, but also by many other similar acts perpetrated on their race by white bosses in the past.
Lyle, the owner of the plant at which they were employed, has left for Tacoma to claim the Japanese as his property.
Statements from several Japanese organizations in the vicinity brand the act as an attempt to create a virtual system of ownership over the Japanese workers. Acts of this sort have been frequent occurrences in the region, and the white owners of factories and plantations are treating the Japanese laborers as slaves.

Machado Delegates to Go to Kellogg's Parley

HAVANA, Cuba, July 31.—President Machado of Cuba has sent a formal acceptance of the invitation to the western hemisphere "peace" conference that is to be held on December 10 to Kellogg.

DEATH LOOMS IN ITALIAN PRISON

Torture Brings Serious Illness

GENEVA, (By Mail).—Immediately after sentence was passed on the Communists in the recent trial before the special tribunal in Rome they were transferred to various prisons. Until now it was not known where the prisoners were sent.
According to latest reports, however, it is known that Terracini, who had been sentenced to 22 years in prison, was transferred to "Santo Stefano." This prison, in which the worst criminals are placed, is the worst prison hole in Italy. Terracini, who has been behind bars since the spring of 1925, became seriously ill.
At the trial in Rome he already showed that he had suffered from mishandling that led to his illness. In the hell-hole of Santo Stefano, Terracini's condition grows worse every day. It is feared that in a short time the same will happen to him as happened to many others imprisoned by Mussolini.

CALL WORKERS TO CLOAK MEET

To Launch Campaign to Build Union Aug. 8

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The decisive struggle for a union of the rank and file, under the leadership of the National Organization Committee.
"The unbearable sweat-shop system which destroys our lives must be fought against. The organization campaign must be carried through immediately. The union of cloak and dressmakers must once more establish its control in the cloak and dress industry. Enough suffering. Enough fear. Enough sighing under the whip of the triple alliance of the bosses, the underworld and the union traitors. Get to work to organize the union. Let us begin to establish union conditions.

Spread Message.
"This is the great task before us. You cannot permit yourselves to be stifled in the sweat-shops like mice in a trap. You must take up the struggle in defense of your life interest. You must organize your union. Spread this call of the National Organization Committee in every shop, in every sweat-shop, everywhere where cloak and dressmakers slave. Tell them that the signal for organizing a union of the workers has been sounded. Awaken them! Rally them to the organization meeting at the Bronx Stadium right after work on August 8, which will mark the beginning of the campaign to build the union.
"Bring your complaints about the open shops you work in, or the so-called union shops where conditions have been wiped out to our office at 16 W. 21st St. Call your fellow-workers to join with you in the struggle to establish a union. Arouse them from their indifference. Root out submission and fear from the hearts of your co-workers and shopmates. Make clear to every worker, young or old, that he has nothing to lose, but has a union to gain that will fight for the improvement of your conditions.
"Forward to the meeting at the Bronx Stadium!
"Forward to a union of the workers!
"NATIONAL ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE.
"Louis Hyman, Chairman."

200 Weavers Strike Against \$5 Wage Cut

HARTFORD, CONN., July 31 (F P).—Two hundred Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. weavers walked out of the Thompsonville plant when wages were cut \$5 a week.
SOFIA, July 31.—The worker deputy, Abraham Sloyanoff, who spoke against the abuse of justice by the Bulgarian courts and its use against the workers was ousted from the senate for a period of three sessions.

PRISON MURDERS ROUSE ITALIAN WORKING CLASS

Anti-Fascist Is Found Hanging in Field

GENEVA, (By Mail).—The latest deaths in the Florence prison, Murate, have roused the Italian working class to tremendous protest.
The Communists Alfredo Marenelli, Shorsi, Poli and an unknown Polish prisoner died following fearful mistreatment. In the same prison the Italian Communist Targioni is now a raving maniac, having lost his reason after being tortured. In the Santo Stefano prison the sick Communist leader Terracini is slowly collapsing.

News of another murder has also leaked past the Italian frontier. A few weeks ago the body of a man was found hanging from a tree in an open field. It was the body of an anti-fascist from Fiume, who was first choked and then hanged to create the impression that he had committed suicide. The officials naturally kept this strictly secret. The relatives of the murdered Serdos were not even permitted to know the details of his burial or where he was buried. Urged on by the relatives of Serdos, the city officials of Fiume, attempted to have the body transferred to the native city for reburial but the request still remains unanswered.

The officials have made no investigations into the murder of Serdos. Under the rule of Mussolini the death of an anti-fascist is not worthy of investigation, on the contrary it is hailed as a "patriotic and heroic deed."
News of the murder of Serdos has aroused the protest of the anti-fascists of Fiume and Trieste, where he had many friends and followers.

U. S. STEEL PAYS RECORD DIVIDEND

Declares \$2.75 or 11% On Stock

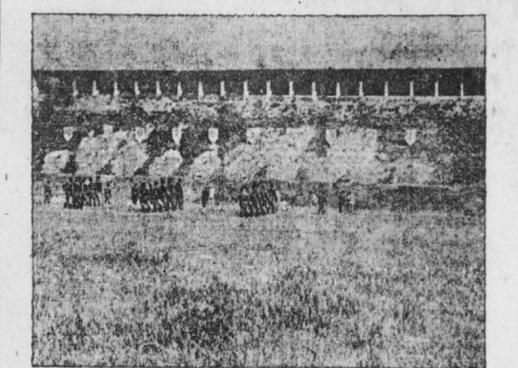
A dividend of \$2.75 per share for the second quarter of the year, or at the rate of about 11 per cent, was yesterday announced by the United States Steel Corporation in a report showing earnings for the quarter of \$46,932,986.

Higher prices for its steel products coupled with a larger volume of business, probably resulting from its recent merger with the Bethlehem Steel Corporation and the consequent monopolization of the market and the rising of its prices, were responsible for its record earnings.

The net earnings for the first quarter of the year were \$40,934,032. These net returns are available for dividends on common stock and represent the surplus after salaries are paid to officials and dividends are paid on preferred stock, interest is paid on bonds and large sums are set aside for depreciation and sinking funds.

The workers of the large open-shop steel corporation, which is a Morgan-controlled concern, are among the lowest paid in the country and work under the most taxing and dangerous conditions.

Where Chinese Reactionaries Murder Workers



The picture shows the execution grounds at Canton. Here hundreds of workers, men and women, have been executed by the war-lords. The latest murders were those of seventeen workers arrested in the recent terrorism.

BARE FACTS IN CENTRALIA CASE

Victims Innocent, Two Jurors Swear

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Innocent and not guilty and that not one of said defendants, Loren Roberts, Bert Bland, O. C. Bland, Eugene Barnett, John Lamb, James McInerney, Ray Becker and Britt Smith, killed, injured, wounded or harmed anyone; that these affiants and each of them, believed that in the event of a hung jury, a new jury would have been called and in the face of the hysteria that then existed, innocent men might have been hung; that rather than have this happen these affiants believed that it was to have a second degree verdict against seven defendants and acquit two, thus leaving the two free to work for the release of the others and leaving an opportunity to spread the truth; that in the event of another trial and these affiants were to sit as jurors in this case, and were permitted to receive in evidence what they now know, their verdict for each and all said defendants would be "Not Guilty" and no power or influence could induce them to return a verdict of Guilty in any degree.
(Signed) "W. E. Inmon.
(Signed) "E. E. Sweitzer."

The Centralia Liberation Committee, a body representing varied elements in the movement for the prisoners' release and in which the International Labor Defense is one of the most active forces, is continuing a vigorous agitation for the incarcerated men.

WOMEN STRIKERS JAILED

CHENGAIL, India, (By Mail).—At the beginning of July a number of women strikers at the Ludlow jute mill were asked to see the manager. A number of their comrades followed them.

These women refused to accept soothing verbal assurances from the manager, who thereupon became threatening. When the women started to talk to him they were hustled out of the room by mill officials and the police.

Seven were arrested; a number were dragged by their hair out of the mill. Some sustained serious injuries; an old woman of 60 was carried unconscious to hospital.

MACHADO TERROR AGAINST LABOR GROWS IN CUBA

Communists Sought as "Conspirators"

HAVANA, July 31.—A campaign to persecute Communists and militant workers was started here today when Cuban secret service men raided working class districts and radical centers in a search for Communists, whom, they allege, are implicated in the plot to assassinate Gen. Gerardo Machado, president of Cuba.

According to reports released from the police headquarters one "suspect" has already been arrested, Miguel Gonzales, who is alleged to have in his possession documents implicating a number of Communists. It is generally believed here that the Machado regime will take this opportunity to arrest and persecute as many Communists as possible, under the pretext of discovering those implicated in a plot to assassinate the president.
Those having already had experience with Machado justice, do not think that any of the Communist "suspects" will escape unscathed.

WORKERS ON CITY DAM IN WALKOUT

Strike Against 10-Hour Day, Low Wages

FITCHBURG, Mass. (By Mail).—Unable longer to endure the long hours, low pay and unbearable working conditions, workers on the city's new reservoir dam have walked out in a body. The strikers demand a reduction of hours from ten to nine and a pay increase from 40 to 50 cents an hour.

The strikers' ranks are holding firm despite the threats of coercion being made by the city government. Efforts to resume work on the reservoir dam with the aid of scabs have thus far met with little success.

Production of Color Films to Start Soon

ROCHESTER, July 31 (UP).—The new Kodak color films which will make colored motion pictures available for Cinekodak users will be offered to the public immediately, according to officials of the Eastman Kodak Company.
Production of the film is not yet in full swing, it was said. A limited number of deliveries will be made within the next few days.

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Rank and File Union Demanded at Pittston Meet, Mine Correspondent Writes

HANDOUTS

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McGarry 'Victory' Will Be His Destruction

(By a Worker Correspondent)
PITTSSTON, Pa. (By Mail)—Pittston, in District No. 1 of the United Mine Workers of America, has been known as the center of militancy, where miners and mine workers put up a fight against the coal companies, contractors and their servants, the reactionary union officials. Cappellini came from Pittston. He came to power as district president by giving lip service to the mine workers who fought for elimination of the contractor system and for establishment of union conditions in the mines of the Pennsylvania coal companies. Cappellini betrayed the miners during his period as district president. He served the contractor system and the Cappanies. The miners of Pittston once more came to the fight against the contractor system and the Cappellini-Lewis machine. McGarry became a president of the district, elected by the insurgent convention, which declared for the elimination of the contractor system, elimination of the coal companies' influence and corruption in the union, and for equalization of work.

Rare Byrd



Above is Commander Richard E. Byrd being handed a gold medal by Captain Andre La Fond for the recent flight which he attended between the U. S. and France. There are birds and birds. This one has far more of the prudence of the hen than the daring of the eagle. Whenever he gets a new plane he has workers test it for him for a few weeks and then when it's proved as safe as a goat cart with four wheel brakes he calls up the newspaper photographers and is seen to climb in. The capitalist class does everything it can to encourage aviation and spectacular flights so that every boy in the U. S. will want to be an aviator and, when the war comes, go out and get shot through the B. V. D.'s with a piece of shrapnel and become a hero. Byrd's field is the Arctic. He flies into the cold, discovers some new kinds of snow and returns and tells everybody he cut his initials in the North Pole and if you don't believe him you can go out and ask the icebergs.

Queen Marie of Rumania was reported last week to be planning another tour of the United States next winter. Prime Minister Bratianu had a short conversation with her after which she announced in the press "Certain premature reports of her majesty's plans are totally unfounded." The Rumanian government doesn't believe that the kind of publicity the queen received on her last trip will either add to her reputation or aid the Rumanian government in its torture or exploitation of the workers.

Gems of Learning

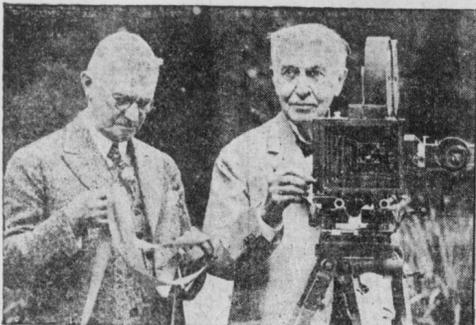
Rev. Norman Thomas, archbishop of the Socialist Party—"In contrast with the old parties and their leaders we have a definite program on all... progressive issues. We mean to bring about an integrated system of power development and distribution by public authorities, federal, state and municipal, for the use of farmers and city dwellers and not for the profit of bankers and trust magnates who have successfully made regulation a joke." This proposal successfully makes a joke out of a well known preacher.

John Wanamaker, "From the Founder's Writings—"There are many men and more women than men who are obliged to work too hard. But they are not to be pitied as much as the women and men who do not work at all." If the boss offers to pay you your wages and let you work not at all, organize a strike and demand twelve hours a day.

Judge Sidney Ballou, Executive Secretary of the Sugar Institute—"The only comment the sugar institute desires to make... is in reference to the statements that price changes have been made by refiners 'virtually as a body,' 'acting in unison' or as a 'joint action.' These statements are wholly unwarranted. Neither the sugar institute nor the members acting jointly exercise any control over the price of sugar. That price was made exactly as it was made before the formation of the institute, by some one refiner taking the lead, either in an advance or a decline, and the other members following or not following, according to their individual judgment." Its just great good luck for the sugar refiners that the price happens to be uniformly the same and uniformly high.

14 KILLED IN CRASH. AUGSBURG, Germany, July 31 (UP)—At least fourteen persons were reported killed and 20 seriously injured today, when an express train collided with a freight train on Dinkelscherben and Swabia.

Call New Colored Movies Practicable



Thomas A. Edison, aged inventor, at left in picture is shown with George Eastman, owner of the kodak company which bears his name, examining the new colored movies. The colored movie is now declared practicable for home use. Edison and Eastman hope to add to their already immense fortunes thru the exploitation of the new films.

AUTO COMBINE GOES THROUGH

Chrysler Absorbs the Dodge Car

BALTIMORE, July 31 (UP)—The proposed merger of the Chrysler Motor Corporation and the Dodge Brothers Corporation was approved at a meeting of Dodge Brothers stockholders here today. Over 90 per cent. of all classes of outstanding stock was deposited with the committee under the merger plan. At the same time, Walter P. Chrysler, chairman of the Chrysler Corporation, announced his intention of assuming the position of president of the newly organized Dodge Brothers Corporation. Under plans of the merger, the Chrysler Corporation will continue to manufacture the present lines of Dodge cars in their newly-acquired properties, the cars to be sold by Dodge Brothers Corporation, a division of the Chrysler Corporation.

INDIAN PRINCES BACK ENGLAND

LONDON, July 31—The Indian princes who have collected in London to gain the favor of the British ruler against the Indian people, have adjourned their conference until October. They had been conferring with the Indian States Committee in order to work out a government favorable both to themselves and England. The Indian nobility feel that their position would be threatened if more power were given to the people and they have expressed their willingness to support the imperial protector rather than to permit control by the Indian peasants.

ate Anthracite Union. Stanley Figlock is put to the front to speak for it. But there is no question that the coal companies and some reactionary officials are behind the move. Thomas Kennedy, secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America, came out with a statement against a separate union, but it is the Lewis-Kennedy machine that is responsible for dividing the anthracite and the bituminous miners by signing a separate agreement of the national strike of 1922, and at the present time, during the strike of the soft coal miners no attempt was made to support the strike by sympathy strike of anthracite miners, and relief raised from assessments did not go to strikers, but to the Lewis machine. Lewis betrayed and sold out the soft coal miners, broke the union and accepted the wage cut. This will have an effect on the anthracite miners who are today already under the fire of the guns of the coal operators, who are worsening working conditions, cutting down wages, and increasing unemployment to 40 per cent. Many mines are shut down completely, and both administrations, McGarry and Boylan-Lewis, are not doing anything to remedy the situation. The Save-the-Union movement is fighting the idea of the separated anthracite union, warning of its danger coming not only from Figlock, but also from the McGarry faction, and pledge their solidarity toward the soft coal miners.

The McGarry administration, at the meeting held Saturday, July 28, passed the resolution in favor of a general strike "if that is necessary" to get recognition from Lewis and the coal companies. The miners cannot permit themselves to be fooled. The miners are not interested in recognition of McGarry by Lewis. They must mobilize their strength in every local union for election of delegates to the National Miners' Convention which will unite soft coal and anthracite under the banner of a new rank and file miners' union.

The McGarry's talk about a general strike for his recognition shall be converted into a strike for interests of the miners, by putting up show that he is trying to do something for the miners, but in reality he is preparing the betrayal and sell-out of the anthracite miners. There is also agitation for a separ-

TRY TO BLAME STRIKERS FOR FOREMAN DEATH

Paid Press Aids Cohen Bosses

(By a Worker Correspondent)
PHILADELPHIA. (By Mail)—The usual tactics of vicious propaganda thru an all too willing, even anxious press, and no newspapers anywhere can "better" the local ones as journalistic prostitutes, are being employed by the bosses against the strikers in the campaign now going on to organize the clothing workers in this city.

The foreman of the S. J. Cohen and Bros. clothing factory, at 13th and Callowhill Sts., Ermino Mattea, was killed by a speeding sedan as he was running for a trolley to go to work. Immediately the lawyers for the concern, at which nearly all the workers are out on strike, asked Assistant Director of Safety Hearn to investigate the case, charging that Mattea was deliberately run over by gangsters hired by the striking clothing workers of the plant.

In fact David Felix, one of the attorneys said, "While we have no definite proof, the tragedy has all the earmarks of a deliberate murder. We believe gangsters, hired by the strikers, killed Mattea."

The police of course obligingly supported the "murder" theory, and the newspapers of the city picked up all possible material, including pictures, and presented sensational stories of the strike. The reason for the avidity with which this incident was handled by the press was to show the public what "bad" people the strikers are.

The only recourse remaining to the strikers and to all other workers wanting to know the workers' side of this strike as well as all other news of interest to workers is to read daily **THE DAILY WORKER**.

Incidentally the papers make much of the police statements about pickets at the plant, and about how well the public guard net only the clothing factories where the strike is now in progress, but also the homes of the bosses.

Police details have been guarding the home of Cohen for two weeks. No workers' homes are being guarded by the police, nor is their any likelihood for any such protection for the workers under capitalist rule. —C. RABIN.

BACK ROSARIO- TELEPHONE CO.

Officials Fine Firm for Every Day Idle

ROSARIO, Argentina, July 31—The city government today openly attempted to shift to the telephone company the burden of ending the strike of the operators by force by informing the company officials that the corporation will be fined 500 pesos a day until service is resumed.

In reply the company stated that it is impossible to resume service immediately due to the fact that strikers refuse to permit strike-breakers to repair the lines.

All attempts of the telephone company to resume service have failed to date, due to the united resistance of the strikers of Rosario. Scabs attempting to repair the telephone wires have been effectively stopped by groups of strikers who have employed all means effectively.

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St. John Irvine Comedy to Be Seen on Broadway This Season

ALEXANDER McKAIG announces the following plays for next season: "The First Mr. Fraser," a new comedy by St. John Irvine. The play will also be done in London next season. Mr. Irvine's last play to be done here was "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary," which Mrs. Fiske did for Mr. Belasco. Before that the Theatre Guild produced two of his plays, "John Ferguson" and "Jane Clegg." Mr. Irvine is coming to America in the autumn to do special dramatic criticism for the World.

"Best Man," by Eva Flint and Martha Madison, two new playwrights, who are the authors of "My Public," which has been announced by Brady and Wiman for next season. A play by Arthur Richman temporarily titled, "Dim Turning." Mr. Richman will also have another play on next season, "The Hungry Wife," which will be produced by Gilbert Miller with Mary Boland in the leading role. "The Racket," which was produced by Mr. McKaig last year just finished a successful run on the Pacific coast.

Bernard Shaw's "Misalliance" is announced as the first production for the Washington Square Players' summer season.

The Garrick Theatre will house the productions of Charles L. Wagner this season. He will open October 1 with a presentation of the old English play, "When the Cruminals Played."

"Jarnegan," the dramatization by Garret Fort and Charles Beahan of Jim Tully's novel, is set for the Longacre Theatre, September 24, with Richard Bennett in the principal role.

David Belasco has a new Molnar play ready for showing. The title of the Hungarian opera is "Mima" and will have Lenora Ulric playing the leading role. Another play Belasco has in mind is one written for Beth Merrill by William Hurlbut and himself.

"Revolt," a new play by Harry Wagstaff Gribble, will come to Broadway early in October. The play was recently tried out in Brooklyn under the title of "The Gambler."

Leningrad Children Have Own Theatre

By CLARINA MICHELSON
LENINGRAD, July 11, (By Mail)—The season of the Childrens Theatre in Leningrad is just ending. Six hundred children come from their schools six days a week, nine months a year, to see the performances which are given only for children. Four new plays and about twelve former ones are put on each year. Among the favorites are some based on stories American children know, such as "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and "The Prince and the Pauper." However, practically all the plays are realistic except for a few dealing with folk-lore and some historical.

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FARMERS' CROPS BURN UP; WATER RATES TOO HIGH

Cotton Mortgaged to Banks and Gins

(By a Worker Correspondent)
RIPLEY, Calif. (By Mail)—While the capitalist class as a whole in these United States is a bloody lot, the petty capitalists of California are by far the most thieving blood-sucking set of pirates heard of since Captain Kidd was hung.

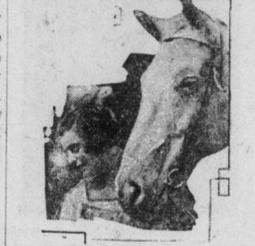
In the Palo Verde Valley, which is the chief cotton area of the state a water famine has set in. This area is farmed by irrigation methods, the source of water supply being the Colorado River.

The crops are standing up in the field burning with drought, and many a poor farmer and tenant sees absolute ruin and starvation staring him in the face. Before one can plant his crop he must pay costly water rates and assessments to a water combine whose engines have all winter to perfect the best methods for raising water out of the river during the summer.

The farmers are being constantly taxed for costly hydraulic machinery, dredges, suction pumps, etc. Yet here in July, when water is needed most, and the temperature ranges from 117 to 120 degrees Fahrenheit in the shade, very little water is to be had.

Most of the farmers are tenants on market holding firm and De- and share-croppers. With the cotton quotations running from 21 to 24 cents, many had planned to migrate in the event of a good crop. It may be (this is purely a supposition) that there is some design in the present water-shortage tending toward keeping these poor farmers and tenants in continued slavery another year.

AT LUNA PARK CIRCUS.



One of the chief features at the Luna Park free circus is the famous Wirth family, including May Wirth and her brother, Phil. Picture shows May and her trained horse.

cal plays about the French revolution, etc. The plays are appropriate for children of three different age groups, from 8 to 11 years, from 11 to 14 years and for children over 14. The reaction of the children is carefully tested throughout each performance to guide the future productions at the Childrens Theatre. Besides this all the children are given lists of the plays, with questions, asking which ones they like best and why, which the children fill out at school.

"At Uncle Tom's Cabin," the director of the theatre said, "there was a real deluge of crying. And all the performance the children are most responsive. Their answers to our questions are also honest and spontaneous." There are eight such theatres in the U. S. S. R. In Leningrad there are also two Marionette Shows and two Punch and Judy Shows for workers' children. The Childrens Theatres are subsidized by the government.

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MANY OPEN AIR PARTY MEETINGS IN NEW YORK

Workers Will Rally in Campaign

Many open air meetings will be held this week by the Workers (Communist) Party.

The following are the meetings announced:

Tonight: Myrtle and Prince, B'klyn.—Padmore, Suskin, Napoli and M. Stone. Eagle Pencil Co. (noon)—P. Crouch and J. Gordon.

Thursday, August 2: Hendrix and Sutter Ave., B'klyn.—Padgug, Silber, Pasternack and S. Flakelstein.

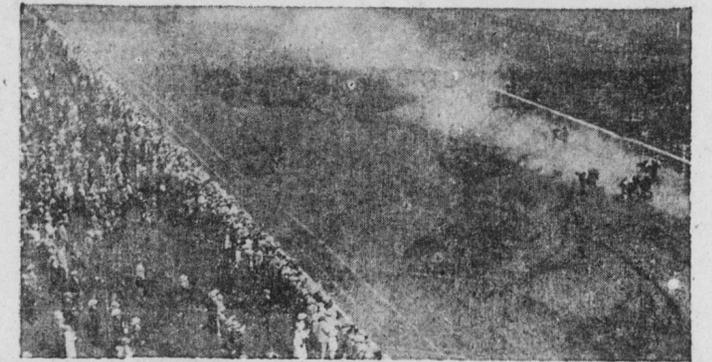
Friday, August 3: National Biscuit Co. (noon)—Grecht, Ross and Stein.

Saturday, August 4: First Ave. and 79th St.—Bentall, Auerbach, Blake, Lillenstein and M. Himoff.

Sunday, August 5: 13th Ave. and 42nd St., B'klyn.—Padgug, Suskin, Lustig, Magliacano and Chalupski.

West N.Y., N. J., 14th St. and Bergenline—Wright and Schalk.

Wealthy Parasites and Gamblers Throng Saratoga Race Track



Horse racing is one of the sports which the wealthy bourgeoisie has reserved chiefly for its own amusement. "The sport of kings," as it is traditionally called, is in this country the sport of parasitic capitalists. Photo shows a scene at the Saratoga race track, where thousands of dollars exchange hands with the victory or defeat of certain horses.

U. S. INCREASES ITS LEAD IN OLYMPICS

AMSTERDAM STADIUM, July 31 (UP).—The United States moved farther ahead of the field today in the track and field contests of the ninth Olympiad, taking two first places in the day's four final events.

Two world's records and two Olympic records were broken. Under the 800-meter race, which was won by D. G. A. Lowe, of England, who showed a brilliant burst of speed at the end of the race.

Byhlen of Sweden, was second; Engelhard, of Germany, third; Edwards, Canadian Negro, fourth; Lloyd Hahn, of America, fifth, and Martin, France, sixth.

Lowie won by five meters. His time was 1 minute, 51.8 seconds breaking the former Olympic record of 1:51.9 made by Ted Meredith of the United States at the 1912 games.

Spectacular Finish. Eddie Hamm of Georgia Tech, won the broad jump, setting a new Olympic record.

Hamm's distance was 7.73 meters (twenty-five feet, 4.329 inches), made on his first attempt of the day.

Gene Tunney is through with boxing forever. This statement was made by the heavyweight champion yesterday afternoon at a luncheon in the Biltmore Hotel, attended by fifty of his friends and newspaper men.

The champion's friends attempted to dissuade him from announcing his retirement, it being reported that Rickard and his Garden associates wanted Tunney to meet Sharkey in September as a means of eliminating the \$155,000 deficit suffered last Thursday night at the Tunney-Haas fight. Tunney refused, stating his retirement would permit no return to the ring for any engagement whatsoever.

MEXICO CITY, July 31.—Reiterated denial by Jose de Leon Toral, slayer of Obregon, that anyone but himself was responsible for the assassination marked today's developments. At the same time the police in a formal statement declared that both Sister Concepcion Acevedo de la Lata, a nun under arrest, and Manuel Trejo, a member of the Mexican Federation of Labor, were indirectly involved, in spite of the fact that the statement contains almost specific evidence that Obregon's death was due to a clerical plot.

There is some reason to believe that the police, under the pressure of reactionary forces, are seeking to implicate some weak-kneed labor leaders in the crime in order to provide the basis for an attack upon the working class itself and the trade unions.

The nun declared that she had no part in influencing the young slayer, although it was in the convent of which she is mother superior that the plot was hatched to kill Obregon.

Police headquarters have offered a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest of Trejo, who is said to be in hiding. Trejo is named as the man who gave Toral the pistol. Whether this is true or not has not been ascertained. Toral himself swears that no labor leader is involved and that Trejo gave him the pistol with no knowledge of the use to which it was to be put.

The police statement further declares that the nun has admitted that she may have "told Toral that religious difficulties would end with the death of Obregon, Calles" and others.

Notwithstanding this apparently clear confirmation of the first reports of clerical guilt, the police are still hesitant about making a formal report on the killings, the reason being, it is believed, that the pressure of reaction is weighing heavily on the Calles government.

TAXI DRIVERS WIN. VANCOUVER, B. C. (By Mail).—Taxi drivers working for the Yellow Cab Company have won wage increases. The taxi workers won at the same time the continuance of the union shop.

POLISH FLIER KILLED. BAGDAD, July 31 (UP).—Lieut. Kasimir Szalas, Polish army aviator, was killed when his Fokker monoplane crashed at the local air-drome today after a non-stop flight from Warsaw.

TROOPS SHOOT INDIA STUDENTS. BANGALORE, India, July 31.—Fifty-five Hindus were seriously wounded and many others hurt here today when a regiment of lancers charged a crowd of 10,000 which was demonstrating before the British government offices.

Three thousand students refused to attend the educational institutions in the city marched in a body to the foreign office. There they were joined by 7,000 of the inhabitants,

STRIKERS DEFLY BOSS COURT BY BAIL REFUSALS

Larger Line Forms at Whitman Mill

Continued from Page One says, "it has become plain to everyone in the city that the mayor at the request of the mill owners is anxious for bloodshed. Last Saturday he issued a call to the police from other cities all over the state to come to New Bedford.

"At that time the stage was all set for shooting down the strikers and the mayor and the police were very disappointed that nothing had happened.

"Yesterday the mayor saw to it that something 'did happen,' rushing masses of police against the picket line. The unreasonable arrest and the calling out of the national guards shows to what extent the mill owners are willing to go to provoke a situation where they can club and shoot down the workers and get away with it.

"The New Bedford Textile Workers' Union will not be deterred by these actions. We fight for our right to picket and to picket in numbers which will ensure that our picket lines will not be broken up by the police and other gangsters called into the city by the employers. We must have large picket lines, in spite of the strikebreaking actions of the authorities who are elected by our votes but who obey the wishes of Mr. Sullivan.

"We call upon the whole city of New Bedford to protest against the outrageous actions of the police and city authorities. We call upon the citizens defense and relief and civil rights committee immediately to start a drive for the impeachment of the city officials.

"Of one thing we are certain, that is that the same firm policy of the Union will be carried on as before."

Labor and Fraternal Organizations. Labor and fraternal organizations in New York City and vicinity are asked to send notices of their activities to this column. There is no charge. All notices must arrive one day in advance to ensure publication.

Working Women's Federation. On the eve of the anniversary of the World War, the New York Working Women's Federation is calling a delegate meeting of shop representatives and delegates of its affiliated organizations at Labor Temple 14th and 2nd Ave. at 7:30 sharp tomorrow. At this conference the causes of war, and the methods to be used for the prevention of war, are to be discussed by women prominent in the labor movement. Women's organizations are invited to send delegates, and girls working in shops are invited to represent their shops at this conference.

Spanish-Speaking Workers. A meeting of all Spanish-speaking workers is being held at the Center Obrero 85 W. 113th St. An outing will be held at Pleasant Bay Park Saturday, Aug. 11, at 12 noon under the auspices of the New York section of the International Labor Defense. Take Bronx Park subway or "L" to 177th St. Take Unionport car to end of line. Free buses to park.

Rumanian Workers' Club. An educational meeting will be held tonight at 101 W. 27th Street at 8:30 p. m. All Rumanian speaking workers are welcome.

OPEN AIR FESTIVAL. T. I. E. L. The local New York Trade Union Educational League and the Jewish Workers Open Air Festival at Umler Park for Saturday, August 25th. All friendly organizations are urged to request a table for any affair on this day and cooperate to make this affair a success.

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Workers Party Activities

Note For Literature Agents.

The National Party platform is out. All section literature agents are urged to procure hundreds of them at the Workers Book Shop, 245 Union Square. Additional copies of the "Communist" for July are also available.

Section 7 Drive. The concentration week of the signature drive of Section 7 to place the names of the Workers (Communist) Party candidates on the ballot in New York State is now on, and will continue throughout the week including Sunday. All functionaries are especially instructed to lead this drive by reporting to the headquarters, 137 43rd St., Brooklyn, at 10 a. m. The section executive committee is at present preparing a prize award for the member who succeeds in collecting the greatest amount of signatures. Members of Section 2 and 3 are also instructed to report at the Section 7 headquarters.

Unit 6F, Subsection 2B. Unit 6F, Subsection 2B will hold a special industrial meeting to 4 way at 101 West 27th St. All members must attend.

Night Workers Notice. The Night Workers International Branch 1 of the Workers (Communist) Party will hold an important meeting today at 2:30 p. m. at 24-28 Union Square, sixth floor. The platform of the Workers (Communist) Party in the present election campaign will be discussed.

Esperantists Help. The "Esperanto Laorularo," a workers Esperanto society in New York and a section of a world-wide organization has announced that the workers Esperanto movement will cooperate actively in the fight for the release of John Porter.

Yorkville I. L. D. The Yorkville Branch of the International Labor Defense will meet on Tuesday, August 7th at its regular meeting rooms, 347 E. 72nd Street, the Czechoslovakian Workers Home at 8 p. m.

Section 5. Section 5, Bronx will hold a conference tomorrow at 2075 Clinton Ave. The subject: "Election Campaign in the Bronx." All campaign committees, literature, Daily Worker agents and agitprop must attend.

Section 3 Agitprop. Agitprop directors and organizers of units and subsections of section No. 3 must be present at the special conference, which will be held tomorrow at 101 W. 27th St. The conference will start promptly at 8:30 p. m.

Campaign Committee, Sec. 5. There will be a meeting of the campaign committee, Section 5, tomorrow at 2075 Clinton Ave. at 8:30 p. m. All members of the campaign committee, all literature, agitprop directors, and Daily Worker agents should be present.

"Fight War Danger." "Fight the War Danger" leaflets and accompanying election campaign literature are now ready in the district office. Every campaign director must call for these at once for distribution at open-air meetings. They must be used at every meeting up to August 4th.

Party Days! All comrades, including all functionaries, are instructed to attend unit meetings held during this period. To set up important tasks in connection with the election campaign standing. Section and unit executives and to place themselves in good order of business for the meetings to be held on the Party Days.

Party Membership Meeting. The comrades in the units are asked to take note of the fact that there will be a Party membership meeting today at Manhattan Lyceum, 68 E. 4th St. No other meetings are to be arranged to conflict with this date.

Note is also to be taken of the fact that on Saturday afternoon, August 4, the anniversary of the World War opening, there will be an open air demonstration at Union Square under the auspices of the Workers Party. All units are to make arrangements for mobilizing masses of workers to attend.

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CANADA NEEDLE MILITANTS MEET

Score Right Wing Record of Betrayal

TORONTO, July 31.—Disgusted with the several Internationals holding jurisdiction over the Canadian needle trades, and charging that in many cases they amount to company unions, the militant needle workers in Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg have commenced efforts to organize the thousands of unorganized workers into militant rank and file unions.

The Canadian Cloak and Dress-makers' Union, taking the lead to unify the work of organization has issued a call for a conference of new organizations and groups in the Canadian needle trades, to be held in Toronto on August 4 and 5. The call scores the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union for its policy of collaboration with the bosses, and for its long record of labor betrayal.

FIND ANCIENT SKELETON. BELOIT, Wis., July 31.—What is believed to be the first complete skeleton of ancient man ever found in North Africa is being brought to Beloit by Paul Nesbitt, who lately finished a series of excavations in Algeria.

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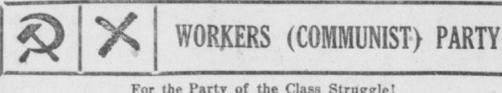
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For the Workers! Against the Capitalists!

The Textile Strikers Fight.

New Bedford textile workers are adding a new chapter to the history of the working class. Undaunted by the armed power of the slave-driving bosses in police uniform, withstanding bayonets and virtual cavalry charges of mounted thugs, facing loaded guns and standing up under club and blackjack, these brave men and women hold firm on the picket line.

Now it is mass jailing, and they go singing to jail in such numbers that the "black Marias" are overtaxed. The picturesque daredevil spirit with which these men and women defy the police to break their ranks, go to jail by the hundreds and refill every gap in the great mass picket line, is not the final test to which they will be put, but it indicates their courage to go ahead to meet harder experiences. These harder tests await them, and they must be steeled to their finest courage. The textile mill barons are not going to give up without trying every fighting weapon.

The outrageous sentence of hundreds of pickets to two months in jail will doubtless stir the New Bedford workers to fight all the harder against the monstrous tyranny. But it must also stir their minds to a realization of the big issues that are at stake.

One thing that must be impressed upon the textile workers of New Bedford is that the heroic struggle in which they are engaged is not an isolated incident. New Bedford is part of a great national textile situation, which is in turn a part of a world situation. The fight of the textile workers of that city cannot be understood by those participating in the fight unless they understand this.

New Bedford is today the front line of the textile workers of the United States in a contest in which all textile workers of all sections stand to win or lose tremendously. The fight has already shown that the so-called textile unions up to the present have in general served more to keep the workers unorganized than to organize them. The trade union bureaucrats of New Bedford proved themselves in this latest test to be what the Communists always said they were—simply agents of the mill barons, interested only in petty sell-outs of a small group of skilled workers, feebly organized, to employers who could afford to

toss a few bones to such elements to keep them quiet, and above all to keep the masses of the textile workers from any real action or any real organization.

When the spirit of the workers was moved to picketing and to struggle, these misleaders sought to dampen their ardor: "Go back home to bed," was their instruction. When it was necessary to offer a vigorous and unwavering front to the "peace" gestures of the state officials, really acting at the behest of the bosses, these labor officials entered into these treacherous maneuvers. In short they both directly and indirectly carried out the desires and furthered the plans of the mill barons.

Thus it is perfectly accurate to say that "labor leaders" such as Batty and Binns are simply an adjunct to the bosses' clerical staffs.

In their extreme need, however, the textile workers found their own real leadership from among uncorrupted workers in the mills and among the militant figures of the left section of the labor movement, including, of course, the Communists. Throwing aside the cowardly policies which Batty and Binns tried to impose upon them; the textile workers of New Bedford have begun to learn and to show the world how class-conscious workers can conduct a strike.

But this is not enough. The finest fighting line can be crumpled up if it is isolated. This is the fight of the whole of the textile workers of the country, and all other workers as well.

The militant workers already see that they must broaden their line. They must solidify their line with the construction of a big, nationwide textile union. The beginning of this tremendous undertaking has already been planned in the calling of the national Textile Convention of September 22.

That date is a long way ahead, and much has to be done before then. A big victory on the New Bedford fighting front must be made to inspire the textile workers of the entire United States with the will and confidence that will help to draw the whole forces of the industry into the great organization movement.

Hold the picket line, New Bedford workers! Keep the scab mills closed! Neither bosses nor police thugs can run the looms. Keep your line solid and the mills idle; and you and your whole class will gain by your courage.

SIMON LEGREE



By Jacob Burck

Told You So

How lightly the imperialists take their political "convictions"! And there is a reason. There is no more difference between Al Smith and Hoover as far as their attitude towards Big Capital is concerned than there is between the two gentlemen known as Messrs. Tweedledum and Tweedledee. Wall Street's job is to keep the heads of both parties informed and to see to it that they do the right thing by big biz. Cochran will probably be attached to the Hoover wing of the House of Morgan, while some other member will park himself at Smith's elbow. As a matter of fact, Raskob is a House of Morgan man, since the "House" is back of General Motors. In this election toss-up its tails the working class loses and heads the capitalists win.

This will be the case as long as the workers support the capitalist parties or any other party except the Workers (Communist) Party. And we do not mean "support" in the socialist sense of merely voting the Communist ticket. We mean in the sense of organizing around the program of the Workers (Communist) Party, which deals with every phase of the class struggle and purposes to mobilize the masses against capitalism. It makes no difference whether Al Smith smokes cigars or wears a brown derby or whether Hoover's face looks like a miniature of Stone Mountain; both are servants of the enemies of the working class, and the only relief the workers will ever get from either of them is probably the letting of a little fresh air into their skulls by means of policemen's clubs when they go on strike.

Chairman John J. Raskob of the Democratic National Committee declared that, even the no bootleggers' money would be contributed to the Smith campaign. Al would not run short of funds. The ward captains will take good care that the bootleggers will not have much money to give anybody between now and November. The ward captains will take it from the bootleggers, with the understanding that after Al is elected the money will come back like bread cast upon the waters. And then, the bootlegging industry, prosperous and flourishing, it is, cannot yet hold a candle to the automobile industry.

Chairman Raskob informs us that the executive committee of the Democratic campaign committee has not yet got down to final consideration of a plan for the appeal to the "disgruntled" farmers in the Corn Belt. This means that the best minds in the Democratic Party are sweating over a plan to fool the farmers. The farmers can howl their heads off between elections and are given the deaf ear by the capitalist politicians. But they have votes, and when these votes are needed the capitalist politicians are willing to go to the trouble of giving them some encouragement to keep them in the traces until after the elections are over.

The program of the Workers (Communist) Party offers the farmers the only solution for the problems that confront them. This solution is contained in the National Platform now ready for distribution. Besides the demands for a moratorium on farm debts, protection against exploitation by railroads, meat packers, milk trusts and grain elevator combines, abolition of all federal and local taxes on working and tenant farmers, and other demands, the poor farmers are urged to unite with the exploited industrial workers and with the agricultural workers in a struggle against the common enemies of both; against big business, against the trusts, and against the capitalist government. A copy of the National Platform of the Workers (Communist) Party should be in the hands of every poor farmer and industrial worker. It sells for ten cents, and can be secured at the National Election Campaign Headquarters, 43 E. 125th St. New York City.

Tom O'Flaherty

New Trial of Soltan Szanto Is Under Way

BUDAPEST, Hungary. (By Mail).—On July 9 the new trial of Soltan Szanto and nine of his comrades, who are charged with attempting to overthrow the political and social order, began. The defendants, who in the previous trial had been sentenced to long terms (Szanto to eight and one half years), are now charged with urging forceful measures against the government by revolutionary statements during the trial. Altho they had already been punished for those statements the government charges them with it again.

For the new process the police are preparing for many arrests and many heavily armed soldiers guard the courtroom. It is filled with secret police and only very few observers can find places in the courtroom.

fight against American imperialism.

"Particularly, efforts must be made to enlist into the party factory workers so that out of the election campaign a broad network of Communist factory nuclei shall have been established in the industrial centers. Similarly, energetic steps must be taken to draw into the Party the native American workers and exploited farmers and Negroes."

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Our Party's Election Campaign

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By JAY LOVESTONE Placing the Party on the Ballot; the Bolshevik Use of Election

We have seen the numerous difficulties placed in the way of our party's getting on the ballot in the presidential elections. This year there is a likelihood that we will be on the ballot in at least thirty states or double the number of states we were on in 1924. Already our candidates are on the ballot in such states as Michigan, Delaware, Oklahoma, Georgia, Virginia and West Virginia. In none of these states did we have candidates on the ticket in the 1924 elections.

Bolshevik Use of Election.
Our party is utilizing the campaign to get on the ballot as an opportunity to spread Communist propaganda, to bring the Communist program before greater masses and to introduce our party to thousands of workers hitherto unreached.

House to house canvass, factory and factory gate agitation, open-air meetings, canvassing workers' fraternal and educational organizations, drives in the trade unions, are among the ways employed by our party organizers for securing the sufficient legal requirements prerequisite to our being on the ballot.

The entire membership is being drawn into this campaign. This drive also serves to bring life to some of our lagging nuclei.

The campaign to get the party on the ballot is an integral part of the campaign we are now waging to increase the party's membership and vitalize its units.

Then, in our efforts to put the party on the ballot in the south, we are establishing new contacts, developing our work particularly amongst the Negro masses. This is very significant for the entire working class because there is practically no labor movement in the south and even the few weak conservative trade unions that exist there lead a precarious semi-legal existence in many instances.

Some Serious Errors.
Of course the campaign for securing signatures to get on the ballot is fraught with certain serious dangers faced in the effort to overcome the difficulties set up by the American bourgeoisie. Some comrades may drift into dangerous opportunistic errors.

For instance, an example of such gross errors is to be found in a circular prepared by a technical worker in our election campaign giving suggestions for securing signatures. These suggestions were completely disregarded and were in utter violation of the basic policy of the party that the signature campaign must be used for developing Communist propaganda and agitation and for winning new adherents to the party. This document reflected a gross reformist concept of parliamentary activity. The author of this document had no authority to draw it up. Before distribution of these suggestions got well under way it was immediately prohibited from circulation by the secretary of the party.

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other prominent speakers. Tons of literature must be printed and distributed, and this costs money. Send in your contribution at once to the National Election Campaign Committee, Workers (Communist) Party, 43 East 125th St., New York City.

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est non-Communist suggestions aiming to get signatures to place the party on the ballot through "tricks" instead of through Communist propaganda, was never the policy of our party or any section of it and was prepared by an office clerk without permission and in violation of instructions and decisions of the Political Committee of the party. It was drawn up before the Election Campaign Committee had been organized. Condemned by Central Committee. Detailed official instructions were

PALACES ARE TURNED INTO WORKERS' HOMES

By CLARINA MICHELSON

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Mansions for Workers.
One rest house we visited, a huge mansion, flanked by gardens, formerly owned by a rich engineer, is directly on the river where boats are available for the workers. The enormous "drawing room," with its satin-covered chairs and oil paintings, is used as a reading and chess room, while one corner is cut off for ping-pong enthusiasts. Four meals a day are served in the imposing dining room—breakfast, lunch at 1 o'clock of 3 courses, supper at 7 of 3 courses and at 11 a buffet supper. Nearby is a library of 50,000 books. Magazines and newspapers are also available.

There is one central club for the rest houses on the island—a marble structure, formerly the home of a friend of Rasputin, where doubtless the czarina used to come and drink tea on the terraced roof-garden. Here there are reading rooms, smoking rooms, 2 theatres—outdoor and indoor, chess and checker rooms, and a buffet, where we got an excellent meal of soup, meat, vegetables, bread and tea for 20 cents. A large bronze statue of Lenin stands on the marble stairway.

Vacation Houses.
There are three kinds of vacation houses for the workers throughout the U. S. R.—first, the rest houses for those who are well; second, the Zdravnitsa for workers who are run down, nervous or slightly sick; and, third, the sanatoria for sick workers. In 1920 in the Leningrad district 14,402 workers went to rest houses and Sdravnitsa. In 1927 this number jumped to 43,431. In 1923, 2,783 books were read; in 1927, 70,896 books, 21,870 newspapers and 1,328 maga-

zines. In 1923 there were 286 plays, lectures or concerts, while in 1927, 6,806 plays, lectures or concerts were given. These figures give some idea of one phase of the cultural revolution going on in the U. S. R.

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CAMPAIGN CORNER

WITH a mass meeting in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., on July 23, the election campaign in the anthracite got going. H. Benjamin, district organizer of District 3, with headquarters in Philadelphia, was the principal speaker. Other mass meetings with Benjamin as the speaker are being held throughout the hard coal region. On September 1 a big campaign rally and picnic will be held in one of the largest amusement parks in the anthracite. Benjamin Gitlow, vice-presidential candidate, will speak. Comrade Emil Gardos, sub-district organizer, sent in an order for 1,000 Vote Communist buttons, 57 blocks of Vote Communist stamps, 100 National Platforms and 5,000 Communist Campaign leaflets.

Max Hankin, district organizer for Buffalo (District 4), sent in an order for 500 National Platforms and 10,000 Communist Campaign leaflets.

July 24 is a holiday in Utah. Why we don't know, but perhaps Brigham Young was born on that date. Be that as it may, our comrades in the Mormon state were inconvenienced by the holiday, since the legal machinery stopped running long enough to give the Mormons a chance to commune with nature. Nevertheless the campaign work is being pushed energetically. Street meetings are being held, Communist electors secured and an order sent to the National Election Campaign Committee for 200 National Platforms, 200 buttons, 1,000 Communist Campaign leaflets and ten Vote Communist stamp books.

Senator Smoot, one of the snottiest reactionaries in the Senate, hails from Utah.

Tex Rickard, the boxing impresario, is slipping mentally. The wily promoter should know enough not to stage a chin-tapping circus in competition with the sham battle waged by the republican and democratic parties for the presidency. Gullible though the American people are, one fake at a time is about all they can stomach. Tex hoped

for a million-dollar gate for the Tunney-Heeney fight. He didn't get it. The big money is in capitalist politics now. Tex should be permitted to stage the Hoover-Smith fight. A ten-million-dollar gate would give even the seasoned Rickard a thrill.

The Workers (Communist) Party stands for the organization of the unorganized.

Ain't the Constitution grand!
Two federal judges in Texas have upheld the right of the democratic party to limit the franchise to whites only. The ground on which the federal court refused to interfere with the democratic party's latest assault on the rights of the Negroes is that a political party is a purely voluntary association, whose composition is not a matter of government concern. Can you imagine what the federal courts would say to the Workers (Communist) Party, should a violation on its part of the federal constitution be brought to its attention?

Another big capitalist has come out for Al Smith. He is William H. Woodin, president of the American Car and Foundry Company and the American Locomotive Company, and is a director in more corporations than you could shake a stick at. Against this, the Republicans set the distinction of former Senator Owen are down in both parties, there being no fundamental difference between their policies. The Smith wing of the democratic party and the dominating elements in the republican party could kiss and make up but for the friendly competition for the spoils of office. Just like the gangsters of the underworld, whose hearts beat with a single thought but who shoot each other nevertheless, because it's a dog-eat-dog society, and the rule is every man for himself and the devil take the hindmost.

Mayor Thompson of Chicago may get in office on an "America

First" platform. He insisted that Coolidge should choose to run for re-election. Thompson was a patriot of patriots. But a suit brought against the mayor and some of his aides in a former administration by the Chicago Tribune hit him in the solar plexus to the tune of \$2,500,000. That took some of the patriotism out of him. In the battle between Thompson and the Tribune there is no altruism on either side. Both want to loot the city.

Elections in Chicago, as in every other large American city, are a farce. Victory is on the side of the strongest army of gangsters, and it takes money to hire those fellows. Citizens vote as many times as is necessary, and the hardy wight who refuses to do as the ward captain tells him may experience unpleasant sensations, such as being lifted through the roof of his home at night by a "pineapple," alias a bomb, or see stars after the club of some thug is connected with his dome. This is the way democracy works in Chicago, yet the United States government has the gall to send marines to Nicaragua to insure "free" elections in that country.

The Workers (Communist) Party has qualified for the official ballot in ten states of the union. This is a splendid showing so early in the campaign. The party expects to be on the ballot in at least thirty states. At the rate the party membership is working this should be easy of accomplishment. The number of signatures required to place a working-class party on the ballot in most states imposes a heavy burden on the membership, but the job must be done.

Funds to wage an intensive campaign are sorely needed by the National Election Campaign Committee. The \$100,000 Communist Campaign Fund must be raised in order to enable the committee to execute its program. This program includes the touring of scores of speakers, including the heads of the national ticket, Foster and Gitlow, and Scott Nearing and