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POST OFFICE STOPS DAILY WORKER ELECTION EDITION; ADMITS ATTEMPT TO CRIPPLE COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN

LABOR FAKERS OF CHICAGO REFUSE RADIO TO GITLOW

Revoke Contract to Permit Talk of Red Nominee

Greet Gitlow Tonight

Will Speak at Huge Rally Tomorrow

(Special to the Daily Worker) CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 24.—The Chicago Federation of Labor, once the stronghold of the progressives in the labor movement, has joined the pack of Red-baiters and jingoes who have launched wholesale attacks on the Workers (Communist) Party in a frantic effort to keep its election campaign message from reaching the American workers.

The Federation, after contracting to turn over its radio station for the use of Benjamin Gitlow, Communist candidate for vice-president, on Friday night, has revoked its contract and barred the Red nominee.

Join Reactionaries. By this action the labor fakery of the Chicago Federation align themselves openly with every reactionary agency that has been persecuting Workers Party in this city. It is significant that socialist party speakers, as well as speakers for the two big capitalist parties, have been welcomed at the Federation radio station.

Despite this action by the labor betrayers, the workers of Chicago are determined to hear Gitlow and are making elaborate preparations for a huge mass meeting Friday night. As a prelude to this meeting one of the greatest workingclass demonstrations ever held in this city has been arranged to greet the Communist standard-bearer when he arrives tomorrow night at Northwestern Station, Canal and Madison Sts.

100 Autos. More than 100 automobiles and trucks, filled with workers and displaying election slogans, will conduct Gitlow in a parade and demonstration thru the city's principal streets. Two Red bands playing revolutionary songs will lead the march.

The mass meeting on Friday night will be a joint Red election rally and celebration of the 11th anniversary of the Russian Revolution. It will be held at 8 o'clock at Ashland Auditorium, Ashland and Van Buren Sts. In addition, to Gitlow, other candidates of the Workers Party will speak at this huge rally.

Fifty thousand leaflets announcing the meeting have been distributed and 2,000 posters hung up in various parts of the city. In addition, 18,000 copies of four shop bulletins are carrying advertisements of the meeting. A capacity crowd is expected to jam Ashland Auditorium, which seats 4,500.

Vote for Foster for president and Gitlow for vice-president. Support the Workers (Communist) Party.

On October 27

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will issue a special edition of 300,000 copies of the Daily Worker. This is part of the election campaign program. It will be enlarged in size, with special articles and features by leading members of the Political Committee. It is absolutely necessary to give this edition the widest possible circulation.

Send in your bundle order immediately, attaching a remittance for same at the rate of \$6 per thousand. Have your unit and organization send in a greeting to the Daily Worker on the occasion of the 11th Anniversary of the Russian Revolution.

Workers are reminded that Thursday is the last day when orders and greetings for this special edition can be accepted.

Slug Militant



L. Himmelfarb, left wing progressive worker of the Delicatessen Counterman's Union, local 302, who was brutally beaten up at a meeting of the same body when right wing gangsters, acting in collusion with police, attacked a group of left wing workers. This was a continuation of the policy of gangsterism against the left wing workers recently inaugurated by the reactionary Central Trades and Labor Council.

FOSTER ATTACKS BOSSES' PARTIES

Communists Alone Lead Workers, He Shows

(Special to the Daily Worker) AKRON, Ohio, Oct. 24.—In one of the most stirring speeches delivered in the present election campaign, William Z. Foster, presidential candidate on the Workers (Communist) Party ticket, last night launched an attack on the deceptive programs and tactics of the democratic, republican and socialist parties.

Over five hundred workers, many of them from the rubber mills of the city in which the excessive speed-up and low wages are driving the workers to action, listened attentively to Foster's talk and applauded enthusiastically throughout.

War Danger Immediate. "Here in this city with its rubber factories, you have one of the immediate factors making for the coming ruthless imperialist war which is even now in preparation," the Communist candidate declared. "Rubber, oil, raw materials, increasing production and the vicious struggle for world markets, these are the forces which make the war danger not a thing of some far off moment but an issue of the immediate present."

Touching upon the excessive speed-up and the lowering wage scales, unemployment which is now permanent, and the resulting suffering of the lower strata of workers, Foster predicted that great struggles were ahead of the working class. "Just as in the past few years, so in the future the worker will find in the Communist Party its only leadership with the only correct and adequate program to fight capitalist imperialism," he said.

Foster showed that it was necessary for the Negro and white workers to join in their common cause. The socialist party has abandoned all pretense to leading the struggle of the workers and is now making its appeal to the so-called liberals and progressives, he showed.

In the future, Foster declared, the workers will find that only the Communists will take the lead in the battles now beginning. The basic industries, he said, can be organized through the initiative and help of the organized Communist and left wing forces.

Considerable enthusiasm was shown at the meeting. Young workers present sang Pioneer songs and a spirit of militancy was manifest throughout.

From here Foster leaves to fill a scheduled engagement at Columbus.

SEIZE LIQUOR CARGO. (By United Press)

Two hundred bottles, alleged to contain liquor, were seized by prohibition agents today aboard the steamer France of the French Lines.

Denounce Arrest of Whole Silk Picket Line by Paterson Police

JUDGE IS FORCED TO FREE DUNLOP MILL PICKETS

Speakers at Mass Meet Urge Full Power to Strike Committee

Must Control Funds Spread of Walkout Is Vital to Success

PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 24.—With the frightened silk bosses beginning to fight the imminent spread of the strike here thru their tools, the police, the authorities today arrested the entire line of workers mass picketing the Dunlop Mill, at 220 Straight Street.

Arrest Whole Line. The workers had been peacefully picketing in front of the mill when the police seized them and hauled 17 to the station house where they were charged with disorderly conduct.

The arrests were so obviously a frame-up that even the judge admitted there was no disorder while the mass picketing was going on. He was compelled to free fifteen of the workers, but not until they had suffered the discomforts of the station house. Two of the pickets were given suspended sentences by the court, apparently to show that it was serving its masters as much as it could in so bad a case.

Union Attacks Arrests. The Associated Silk Workers' Union has issued a statement attacking the action of the police. Charges of brutality, which have been made from time to time by the pickets against individual officers, are being enlarged to cover the whole police department, as the workers gradually see that they are fighting the entire police, acting for the bosses, and not individuals.

Denunciation of the police and appeals for the gradual spread of the strike were also heard at this

COURT EDICT HITS AT RED FIGHTERS

Bar Australia Militant Organization

(Special Cable to the Daily Worker) VIENNA, Oct. 24.—The constitutional court today issued a decree ordering that the Red Front Fighters be disbanded. The decree came as a result of an appeal by the militant workers organization against a decision previously made by the Federal Court.

In rejecting the appeal the court declared that the Red Front Fighters had "exceeded their statutes by demonstrations calculated to disturb the public peace."

The Red Front Fighters point out that the decision of the court violates the Austrian constitution and that semi-military fascist organizations are permitted to operate in spite of the fact that they have called numerous provocative demonstrations.

Membership Meet of Sections 2, 3 Tomorrow

A special membership meeting of the combined membership of Sections 2 and 3 of the Workers (Communist) Party, originally called for tonight, will be held tomorrow evening by decision of the district executive committee on account of conflicting meetings on the original date.

The meeting will therefore be held Friday, 8:30 p. m. at the Workers Center, 28-28 Union Square. All members of sections 2 and 3 must attend.

Trust Leaders Brag of Slave Made Profits

Naked account of prodigious wealth accumulated for American capitalism by the crushing toil of millions of slaves featured the fifth annual conference of representatives of American major industries at Columbia University today.

Convened thru the initiative of Nicholas Murray Butler, president of the University, and the Institute of American Meat Packers, the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York and the Merchants Association, the gathering was indicative of the close association between higher education and big business in the United States, as well as of the part which Butler essays to play in the politics of big business.

Roll Call of Trusts. The conference will assemble such leading capitalists as Myron C. Taylor, chairman of the finance committee of the United States Steel Corporation, Harold H. Swift, vice-president of the Swift Packing Co., C. F. Kettering, president of the General Motors Research Corporation, Walter S. Gifford, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., Charles E. Mitchell of the National City Bank of New York

SMITH SOCIALISM IS "SOCIALISTIC"

Which Explains Denials in Both Camps

Considerable anxiety if not consternation is noticeable here within the ranks of the Al Smith forces as a result of the Hoover charge that the Tammany governor's program is "socialistic." No less consternation is conspicuous within the ranks of the so-called socialist party itself in spite of the uniform chorus of denial now being sung by both camps.

In a campaign such as the present in which the republican, the democratic and the socialist forces have been conducting merely vote-catching maneuvers, it is pointed out, any such charge would be meaningless in a campaign fought on real issues and principles, is likely to prove more harmful than the politicians care to admit.

Careful inquiries reveal that the socialists are extremely fearful that with their abandonment of real socialist principles and with many of the party members already on the

SEIZE DE TORAL'S FAMILY MEXICO CITY, Oct. 24 (UP).—The relatives and family of Jose De Leon Toral, assassin of President-elect Alvaro Obregon, have been arrested for investigation, but no charges have been placed against them, police said today. Toral's mother and father were not among those arrested.

WHAT TO DO DURING LAST 2 WEEKS OF THE CAMPAIGN

- Immediate tasks for all Party members: 1. Cut out the contribution blank printed in the Daily Worker today. 2. Send immediately your contribution, of not less than one dollar, to the COMMUNIST ELECTION DRIVE ANTI-TERROR EMERGENCY FUND. 3. Send the money without any delay DIRECT to the National Election Campaign Committee, 43 East 125th St., New York City. 4. It is the duty of every Party unit to take up a collection for the Emergency Fund at once and to send the money DIRECT to the National Election Campaign Committee. 5. Every unit must assign comrades to take up collections in the trade unions, fraternal organizations and factories. 6. It is the duty of every Party member to collect as much money as possible in the shops, trade unions and fraternal organizations. 7. The Red Election Sundays and the house-to-house canvassing should be utilized to establish the Communist Election Drive Anti-Terror Emergency Fund.

NATIONAL ELECTION EMERGENCY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, Workers (Communist) Party 43 E. 125th St., New York, N. Y.

ANTI-WAR MEET IN UNION SQUARE THIS SATURDAY

Workers Will Answer Militarists on "Navy Day"

Lovestone Will Speak Thousands of Leaflets Being Distributed

Saturday, October 27, set aside as "Navy Day" by proclamation of the militarist rulers of this country, will be observed by militant workers of this city in a huge protest meeting and demonstration against the imperialist war danger at Union Square at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

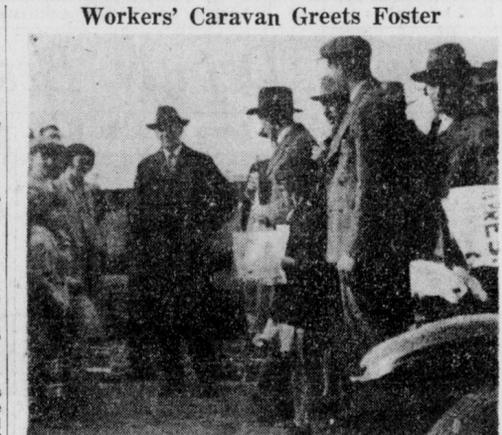
Many Small Meetings. Before the Union Square meeting begins, smaller protest meetings will be held indoors and outdoors in various sections of the city. These meetings will adjourn at a given time and all participants will mount trucks and automobiles and with placards announcing the nature of the procession will proceed to the Union Square demonstration.

Thousands of leaflets are being distributed throughout the city by the Workers (Communist) Party, under whose auspices the demonstration will be held, calling on all class-conscious workers to participate in the meeting. "Down with the Navy Day Pay-triots and War Mongers!" is the rallying cry of the leaflet, to which slogan workers of the city will respond with a rousing demonstration.

Lovestone to Speak. The demonstration will be addressed by leading members of the Workers (Communist) Party, including Jay Lovestone, executive secretary. Other speakers will include J. P. Neuringer, red candidate for governor of New Jersey; Robert Minor, editor of the Daily Worker and Communist candidate for U. S. senate from New York; Albert Weisbord, running for U. S. senate in New Jersey; William W. Weinstein, district organizer of the Workers (Communist) Party; Bert Miller, organizational secretary of the Party; and Rebecca Grecht, state manager of the Red election campaign, and many other well-known figures in the militant party of class struggle.

The Workers (Communist) Party, District 2, in sending out the call for the demonstration, sounds the warning that "the next world slaughter is now being prepared!" and calls on every militant worker to fight the war danger and prepare to defend the Soviet Union against attack by imperialist nations.

AUTO CRASH FATAL WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Oct. 24 (U.P.).—Lawrence Keegan, New York City, was killed and six other persons were injured early today in an automobile accident near here.



In the center of the group is William Z. Foster, candidate for president of the United States on the Workers (Communist) Party ticket, receiving the greetings of the workers of Cleveland. The working population of Cleveland turned out in large numbers to meet their candidate when he arrived, and large posters, carried by an automobile and truck caravan, announced the Communist election slogans.

"HANDS OFF DAILY WORKER!" IS DEMAND

The following telegram to the Postmaster General at Washington was sent yesterday by the Daily Worker as the first move in the fight to protect the paper in the new attack which the government and the capitalists have launched.

"Postmaster General, Washington, D. C. 'Daily worker being held up in New York post office and denied second class mailing privileges. Reasons given that it is special California edition and is printed purposely to support political organization, viz, Workers (Communist) Party of America. We gladly admit Daily Worker supports Workers Party of America and its candidates, William Z. Foster and Benjamin Gitlow. Nevertheless we protest denial of mailing privileges and demand order be rescinded and California edition forwarded immediately. Advise intentions.

"DAILY WORKER." The following letter was sent to the officials of the New York post office: "October 24, 1928. Post Office Department, Classification Section, 33rd Street and Eighth Avenue, New York City. Gentlemen: We have been advised by Mr. Mulkrer of your department that the California edition of our news-

Long Island Red Meeting Tonight Candidates of Workers Party Will Speak

The Red Night to be held in Long Island tonight under the auspices of the Workers (Communist) Party of America, will be doubly important in view of the fact that the jingo organization, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, has arranged as indoor meeting against the Soviet Union with Silas B. Axtell as the speaker.

The Long Island Red Night meeting of the Workers Party, will, therefore, be a demonstration for the recognition and defense of the Soviet Union, will give a correct picture of the development in the Soviet Union and will call the attention of the Long Island workers to the growing war danger with special reference to the Navy Day arrangements being made for Saturday, Oct. 27.

All speakers scheduled for the Red Night in Long Island, and all members of the Long Island Section report at Steiway and Jamaica Aves., Long Island at 7:30 p. m. sharp.

MOVE IS CLIMAX OF REACTIONARY DRIVE ON PARTY

Part of Terror Wave Now Sweeping Over Many States

Party Will Fight Back Immediate Aid Needed to Save Paper

With an arbitrary order issued yesterday by authorities of the Post Office at New York, the United States government took the first step in a plan to exclude from the second class mails the special election editions of 300,000 copies of the Daily Worker, attempting thereby to cripple the election campaign of the Workers (Communist) Party in the presidential election. After holding many thousands of copies of the special California edition mailed the night before, the Post Office authorities yesterday afternoon notified the Daily Worker that none of these papers would be sent to their destination.

In the discussion which followed, the authorities admitted the fact that the Daily Worker is acting as the organ of "a political party." Making no attempt to conceal their real purposes, post office officials openly admitted that the reasons for the new order was that the Daily Worker is the official organ of a political party. As a further technical pretext, should this effort be defeated by the organized protesters of the working class which is expected to result, post office authorities gave the excuse that the issue in question was not the regular national edition but a special California edition.

Thus the post office officials who are believed to be carrying out the orders of those higher up in the capitalist government expect to be able to strangle the only really working class daily paper in the English language at a time when its efforts in the election campaign of the Workers (Communist) Party are beginning to be of the greatest influence.

As the first move in the nationwide fight which will undoubtedly have to be made, the Daily Worker yesterday wired to the postmaster general at Washington its protest at this obvious political persecution of the official organ of the working class party.

Working Class Character. Admitting gladly that the paper supports the Workers (Communist) Party of America and its candidates, William Z. Foster for president and Benjamin Gitlow for vice-president, the wire demands that the order be rescinded and that the California edition be forwarded.

At the same time a letter exposing in greater detail the real nature of this new attack was sent to the local postal authorities in which it is pointed out that other newspapers are supporting their particular parties with immunity and are "in fact receiving support from those political parties." None of these papers are being interfered with, the letter shows.

The new attack against the central organ of the Communist Party which, with its national circulation in every state of the union is indispensable for the conduct of the present election campaign and for the organization activity of the Party, comes as the climax to the campaign of discrimination and terror which have been waged in a dozen states and in a hundred cities within the past few months in a concerted attempt by the capitalist

FURRIERS RED RALLY TONIGHT

Help Workers Party, Says Statement

The Joint Board of the Furriers' Union yesterday issued a fiery call to all fur workers to rally around the Communist ticket tonight at the "Fur Union" meeting at Stuyvesant Casino, immediately after work.

"The Fur Union was destroyed by the brutality of the police and the persecution of the courts," the call states. "They all worked hand in hand with the bosses and the reactionaries of the A. F. of L., Green, Woll, McGrady, together with the underworld and the socialist traitors, Hillquit, Cahan and Co.

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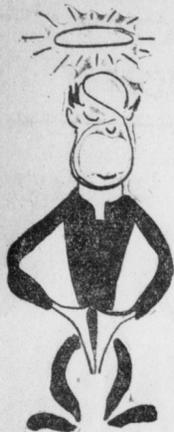
MORE DETAILS OF NEBRASKA EDICT

Attack on Communist Slate Long Planned

Further details of the events leading up to the action by the Nebraska Supreme Court, acting upon orders from the American Legion, ruled the Workers (Communist) Party off the ballot in that state were received yesterday at the National Election Campaign Headquarters of the Party.

By Jacob Burck

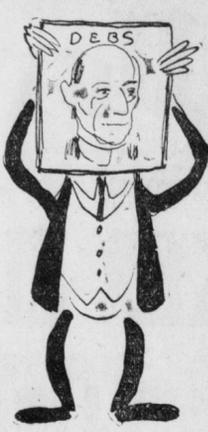
THE ALL-STAR PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE



No. 1



No. 2



No. 3



No. 4



No. 5



No. 6

Al Smith's bid for the liberals has played havoc with the characteristic placidity of the "socialist" party. Political biologists are at a loss to catalog the breed the S. P. has reared for the present presidential campaign.

Tammany's clever steal, by going Tammany one better. This off-spring of the S. P. (now under the glass) clearly shows the bewildered state of mind of a drowning person who will even grasp at a straw to save himself from oblivion.

2. The Al Smith pose—to hide all real issues with the fake issue of prohibition. 3. The Eugene V. Debs pose—to make the workers believe that the S. P. stands for the revolutionary principles of the late working class champion.

5. The proletarian pose—intended to illusion the worker that the S. P. is a workers' organization with a program for the interests of the workers. 6. Splash!—Our Communist analysis proved too much for the exponent of the "socialist" party.

Remember this experiment on Election Day! Vote Communist! Join the Workers (Communist) Party!

Polish Communist Deputy Beaten with Sabre as Cossacks Attack Lodz Meeting

STRIKE BETRAYAL BY "SOCIALISTS" SCORED AT MEETS

Terms Even Worse Than Indicated

Special Cable to The Daily Worker WARSAW, Oct. 24. — Rossiak, Communist deputy in the Sejm was severely injured Sunday when police viciously attacked a huge meeting in Lodz held to protest the sellout of the textile strike by the leaders of the socialist party.

Numerous workers have been arrested in connection with the vigorous agitation campaign being conducted by the Communist Party.

Special Cable to The Daily Worker WARSAW, Oct. 24.—The agreement which the Polish socialist party leaders signed which resulted in the end of the giant textile strike is even more unfavorable to the workers than the promises of the reformist leaders indicated, it was authoritatively learned today.

The agreement contains no provision whatever for the reinstatement of active strikers, no guarantee for works delegations and no plans for the loss of two weeks wages to workers.

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Help Workers Party, Says Statement

Continued from Page One to us for our vote. The Greens, McGrady and Cahans are asking the furriers to vote for their candidates.

Condemn Reactionaries. "The Joint Board condemns the murderous persecutions of the democratic and republican parties against the fur workers, cloak and dressmakers and all other organized and unorganized workers.

"No fur worker or any other worker can vote for either republican, democratic or socialist party. They are all enemies of the workers! They are the servants of the bosses.

"The Workers (Communist) Party has helped us win the 1926 strike. It has helped us fight the traitors and is helping us now to build our new union. The Communist Party helps the workers build their unions, conduct their strikes and win their demands.

"The Joint Board of the Furriers' Union endorses the Communist Party as the only working class party in America, and calls upon every furrier and every other worker to help build the Communist Party.

The speakers at tonight's meeting will be: Ben Gold, S. Liebowitz, I. Potash, and the candidates on the Communist ticket

Victim of Immigration Laws Back In U. S.



A victim of the immigration law, Martine Ginal, a Hungarian building trades worker, shown above, was forced to leave this country five months ago after living here for six years on the charge that his entry into this country by way of Canada had not conformed to the petty restrictions devised by the immigration authorities to catch unsuspecting workers.

Trust Leaders Brag of Slaves

Boast of Huge Profits at Confab

Continued from Page One York City, and other capitalists of national prominence.

Lord Melchett, formerly Alfred Mond, the author of the Mond Plan, the notorious scheme of class collaboration recently foisted on the British working class with the connivance of the misleaders of the Trade Union Congress, is also assisting at these sessions.

Side by side with accounts of immense profits for the owners and shareholders in the vast corporations represented, went undisguised accounts of the most inhuman speed-up, told by the bosses as an open boast.

Myron Taylor of the steel trust led the speakers in the insolence of his assertions of wealth and slavery.

Pointing to the output of a steel worker in 1902, which was 65.45 tons of steel products per worker, Taylor bragged that in 1927 the slaves of the steel corporation have been speeded-up to the point where they produce 80.91 tons per worker.

Fifteen and forty-five hundredths tons extra burden has been shifted to their shoulders, with a profit to the steel manufacturers which the speakers did not choose to mention.

The steel magnate boasted that this increase has been effected thru the introduction of labor saving machinery, an immediate cause of widespread unemployment, and to improvement in operating methods.

It is also due, he asserted, to the attitude of American workmen "who more and more have realized the vital relationship between volume and quality of production and higher wages."

Harold H. Swift then discussed the tricks by which the packers forced consumers to purchase three pounds of beef this month instead of the two used in March.

Walter S. Gifford, of the American Telegraph and Telephone Co., closed today's early session with a panegyric on the communications

JUDGE FREES MILL PICKETS

Urged Spread of Walkout Is

Continued from Page One morning's mass meeting of the strikers at the Turn Hall.

Describes New Bedford Terror. Jack Rubinstein, militant leader of the textile strikers at New Bedford and Fall River, described how the police of these cities had served the bosses in their effort to smash the heroic struggle of the mill workers.

Rubinstein declared that the silk strikers must have a national, as well as a local, outlook and urged them to aid the National Textile Workers' Union.

Ben Lifschitz, member of the Central Committee of the Workers (Communist) Party, told of the struggle which the textile workers of Lodz, Poland, have been making against the Polish bosses and of the betrayal of their strike by the socialists.

Lifschitz emphasized that the success of the silk workers' strike depends in part on their determination to include other ranks of the trade.

He appealed to the workers to make the present strike a general strike and to build the National Textile Workers' Union.

The necessity for the Strike Committee to have full power to act in the present situation was also stressed by the speaker. He declared that all union funds must be placed at the disposal of the Strike Committee and that the committee must have full authority to act for the whole union in any emergency.

The silk workers responded with great enthusiasm to Lifschitz's and Rubinstein's speeches.

Further evidence of the increased police offensive was given today by the arrest of Irving Dans, a young worker, who was seized while distributing handbills advertising the meeting of jaquard workers at Turn Hall tonight.

Dans was taken to the police station and fined two dollars.

Michael Gold Will Be Judge at Autumn Revel of the Labor Defense

Michael Gold, editor of the New Masses, will be one of the judges at the annual Proletarian Autumn Revel of the New York Section of the International Labor Defense, which is being held this Saturday evening at Webster Hall, 119 East 11th St.

POST OFFICE IN NEW ATTACK ON DAILY WORKER

Post Office Holds Up California Issue

Continued from Page One class to drive the Party of the workers from the field of struggle.

Meetings almost without number have been broken up, in West Virginia, in Pennsylvania, in central Ohio, in Arizona, in the south, in the west, in New York City where Tammany Hall rules, in Philadelphia where the black republican machine of Andrew Mellon is in control.

In many states the Communist ticket has been forced off the ballot, the most recent being that in Nebraska and the Party has been able to regain its place, if at all, only after the most bitter and heroic fight of the workers in the particular section.

In practically every instance the forces of reaction, the American Legion, the Ku Klux Klan, the patriotic societies, the chambers of commerce have carried out the orders of the big capitalists in control of the particular section, the coal barons, the steel kings, the lumber or copper combines.

One of the most critical periods in the history of not alone the Daily Worker but of the Workers Party itself is now developing. The forces of capitalist reaction, challenged by the growing power and militancy of the Communists, the advance guard of the victorious American proletariat that is to be, are striking back relentlessly, mercilessly. They believe that they can at this moment by attacking the Party at many points, exhaust its energy and resources.

The present attack on the Daily Worker is the climax of the attack. The working class and particularly the members of the Workers (Communist) Party must not and will not permit this challenge to go unanswered.

Rush contributions at once, by wire, by special delivery, by mail to the Daily Worker, 26 Union Square, New York. One more period of renewed sacrifices for our paper and our Party!

7,000 Communists in Berlin Parade; Social Democrats March Fails

(Wireless to the Daily Worker) BERLIN, Oct. 24.—Enthusiastically welcomed by the proletarian populace of Berlin on the sidewalks, 7,000 workers participated in the Communist demonstration Sunday celebrating the 50th anniversary of the annulment of the socialist law.

The parade was a splendid demonstration, pre-ved by a fighting spirit. Many banners carried the slogans of the class struggle and of the revolutionary workers.

The social-democrat demonstration was poor and was more like a family promenade on a peaceful Sunday afternoon.

"HANDS OFF" IS CALL ISSUED BY DAILY WORKER

Demands Post Office Rescind Order

Continued from Page One the Daily Worker, is being held by the Post Office Department in New York.

"The only reasons advanced why our newspaper is being denied second class mailing privileges is that it is marked 'California Edition' and that it was issued in the interest of a political organization.

"The Daily Worker has been published for the past four and one-half years, enjoying second-class mailing privileges during the entire period of its existence. It is a newspaper within the full meaning of the Post Office Law; the present edition, which is held up by you, is a regular edition of the newspaper containing all the regular news and features and also containing special California items, and for that reason is called California edition.

"It is true, however, that the Daily Worker is devoted entirely to the interests of the working class, and it is likewise true that in this campaign it is supporting a particular political party, namely, the Workers (Communist) Party of America, whose standard-bearers are William Z. Foster for president and Benjamin Gitlow for vice president.

"No doubt you are aware that other newspapers throughout the United States of America are likewise supporting particular political parties, and in fact, receiving support from those political parties, and it has not yet come to our knowledge that any newspaper has been denied second-class mailing privileges because it supports either the republican, democratic or socialist party, and we must assume that if the Post Office Department order stands, that an exception is being made in the case of the Daily Worker because it is a workers' newspaper supporting a workers' party, namely, the Workers (Communist) Party of America.

"The issues which you hold have all been subscribed for; if they are to serve their purpose and are not to entail a total loss, they must be forwarded immediately.

"We ask you, therefore, to rescind your stop order immediately so that the papers now held up may go forward at once.

"Very truly yours, 'DAILY WORKER.'"

Imperialist Messenger Boy



Even princes sometimes work—for the capitalists who permit them to wear their fancy titles and pretend to "rule." Above is Prince Albert de Ligne who arrived in this country with members of his family as envoy plenipotentiary of Belgian imperialism.

NOV. 4 RALLY WILL DEFY OPEN-SHOPPERS

"The National Association of Manufacturers has made the first open move in its campaign to completely exterminate every vestige of the American labor movement."

This statement was made yesterday by William F. Dunne, New York gubernatorial candidate of the Workers (Communist) Party, in commenting on the bitter open-shop speech made Tuesday by Staunton B. Peck, chairman of the open-shop committee of the Manufacturers Association, attacking the American Federation of Labor.

Dunne said that thousands of New York militant workers will demonstrate their approval of a policy of attack on the open-shoppers at the 11th anniversary of the Russian Revolution commemorative exercises at Madison Square Garden, Sunday, Nov. 4.

Dunne's statement follows:

"The attack on the American Federation of Labor made yesterday by Staunton B. Peck should be a warning to the labor movement of this country that a nation-wide drive to exterminate every vestige of labor organization in the country is on foot.

"Mr. Peck attacks in the sharpest terms even the mild form of unionism for which the A. F. of L. stands. This is indicated by the bankruptcy of the policies advocated by the chiefs of the A. F. of L., who close the eyes of the workers to the dangers confronting them.

"The Communists are utilizing the present election campaign to mobilize the forces of labor not only to resist the attacks made on

SYMPOSIUM IN WILLIAMSBURG TOMORROW EVE

Red Candidates Will Present Program

Candidates of the Workers (Communist) Party, republican party and democratic party will answer questions on their respective parties' view on labor and workers' problems at the symposium to be held at Miller's Grand Assembly, corner of Havemeyer and Grand Sts., tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, according to the Brooklyn Citizen's Committee, under whose auspices the symposium will be held.

Will Ask Questions. After the three candidates have finished speaking several questions will be put to each of them. Subjects of these questions will be the use of injunctions in strikes; child labor, woman labor, discrimination against Negroes, against foreign-born workers, unemployment, and similar questions affecting vitally the welfare of workers in the shops and at home.

Plan Straw Vote. At the end of the symposium a straw vote will be taken among the workers present.

Anthony Binba, Red candidate in the Eighteenth Assembly District, will present the Workers (Communist) Party platform. The republican and democratic representatives will be A. de Piano and P. Nathanson, respectively, both of them running in the Fourteenth Assembly District.

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FOREIGN NEWS AND FEATURES --- BY CABLE AND MAIL FROM SPECIAL CORRESPONDENTS

ANGLO-FRENCH PACT 'OUTRAGES' LLOYD GEORGE

Sheds Crocodile Tears for Europe's "Peace"

LONDON, Oct. 24. — Impotent rage in the face of the superior advantages beguiled from the British foreign office by their French colleagues and revealed in the recently published blue books containing the written sections of the Anglo-French naval agreement, was disclosed in the charges of Lloyd George today that the naval document is a blundering piece of work, giving away every advantage of Britain on the continent. "It is a complete betrayal of the cause of world peace," said the politician who had the greatest share in carrying the British armies thru the World War and in looting Germany after the Versailles negotiations.

Frustrate Imperialism. Frustrated imperialism and personal political maneuvering are bound up in Lloyd George's attack on the revealed terms of the so-called naval pact. The former motive is the lesser, but is clearly expressed in such statements as that made by the liberal ex-premier that "the pact has given away the whole position with regards to the im-

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mense reserves of the Continental armies."

He added that "under this arrangement, with our support, France can maintain an army of 5,000,000 men, Poland an army of 2,000,000, Czechoslovakia 1,500,000 and Italy and other European countries armies of 5,000,000."

War Inevitable. "A clash is inevitable sooner or later," he asserted, "if these gigantic armies are to be maintained."

So long as the liberal leader hopes to ride into power on this issue against the conservative government, provided sufficient British voters become used to him in his unusual guise of an exponent of peace, to build him up a necessary liberal majority, he is not averse to disclosing facts which he can expect to ignore while in office. "The naval pact means that any disarmament conference must be a sham," he admits.

See New Conference.

PARIS, Oct. 24 (U.P.).—A conference of the five powers who signed the Washington disarmament treaty was suggested in diplomatic circles today as the next prospective move for world disarmament.

Germany also might be invited to the conference, which would be between England, France, Japan, Italy and the United States.

It would be necessary first to reconcile the Franco-British stand with the view of the United States, Italy and Japan. The first two rejected the compromise while Japan, although agreeing "in principle," suggested modifications.

For the workers—against the bosses! Vote Communist!

"King of Kings" of French Imperialists



Here is a portrait of Ras Tafari, whom the French business men in Abyssinia have recently crowned king, with the title of Nogus, or the "King of Kings". The French imperialists virtually control the country with the aid of the British. They have enslaved the natives in their gold, silver, iron and coal mines, and on cotton and coffee plantations. Complete military control is assured by the French-Ethiopian railroad which traverses the country.

OUTBREAKS IN NORTH PERSIA ARE SPREADING

Government Mobilizes Troops Near Tabriz

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 24.—Dispatches from the northern city of Urumiah today confirmed yesterday's reports that open fighting was proceeding in the streets of Tabriz, the principal city in northwestern Persia. The reports add that the outbreak has spread throughout the province of Azerbaijan.

The reports further state that the disturbances have a widespread popular support, owing to the government's attempt to enforce recent legislation calling for increased taxation.

The policy of suppressing local sheiks and limiting the autonomy of pastoral tribes is also said to play a part in the outbreak.

More than 180,000 persons in the province are involved in the disturbances.

The government today ordered all possible troops concentrated in the province on a line running east and west of the city and has advanced patrols into the disaffected area.

We demand the abolition of the right of eviction by landlords against wage earning tenants.

EXCAVATIONS IN USSR Soviet Scientists Uncover Greek Site

KHARKOV, Oct. 23.—Amongst other highly precious objects obtained by the archaeological excavations in Olvia (near Nikolaiev) there were found 75 artistic gold objects, including gold tissues, ornaments for diadem and dress, also gold massive earrings with the lioness' head—excellent Greek work of the IVth century before our era.

The expedition also found continuation of that part of the town which was discovered in 1926—streets were opened with the footpaths and pavements, and the fortress wall was dug out and cleaned from earth.

About 6,000 various objects obtained by the expedition have been transferred to the Nikolaiev Museum which is going to organize a great exhibition in the near future.

Professors Dlojewsky and Boltenko—members of the expedition—are invited by the German Archaeological Institute and Berlin Museum to attend the All-German Archaeological Conference to read papers on the Olvian excavation.

The works of the Olvian expedition for 1926-27 are being printed, and the materials of the present year will be published in the spring of 1929.

CHARGE HORTHY INCITES ANTI-SEMITIC RIOTS

Hungarian Workers, Students Arrested

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Oct. 24.—Four Hungarian universities were closed by the government today, following riots in which workers and students defended themselves against an anti-Semitic mob.

One hundred and forty arrests, mostly among the students and workers, were made in Budapest alone. There were also numerous casualties inflicted by the police and incurred during the attack.

A stormy session of parliament followed the outbreaks of race hatred, and charges are rife that the Horthy government has chosen this method of securing a pretext for closing the universities where students were believed to be planning moves against the existing regime.

or republican nor socialist parties pay the least attention to the problems of vital importance to the workers, to say nothing of women workers, and that only the Workers (Communist) Party has embodied in its program definite demands around which all working women should rally. In a resolution the conference endorsed the program and candidates of the Workers Party.

WORKING WOMEN IN CONFERENCE

Chicago Meet Handles Vital Questions

CHICAGO, (By Mail).—The second conference of the Chicago Federation of Working Women's Organizations held, on Sunday, Oct. 21, was very successful. More than 25 working women's organizations, and 15 shops and trade unions sent delegates, and there were many unattached working women also present. Report of the work for the

past six months was presented by the organizer, Comrade Edith Rudquist, after which the conference went to work considering future activity.

The question of organizing the unorganized women in industry was thoroughly analyzed by Comrade Ida Rothstein, who presented a resolution from the Dressmakers' Union which summed up the problem and gave recommendations for beginning the task. The problem of the organization of proletarian housewives and working class children brought on an interesting discussion.

Endorse Communist Party. The election campaign and the roll of the working women voters was considered in a talk by Comrade Anna David. She clearly showed that neither the democratic

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# Farmers Resent Treachery of "Progressives" in North Dakota, Writes Correspondent

## FARMERS RESENT TREACHERY OF "PROGRESSIVES"

### Crops Prove Poor at End of Harvest

(By a Worker Correspondent)  
BISMARCK, N. D., (By Mail).—Quite a number of farmers in North Dakota are surprised and many are incensed at the endorsement of Hoover by Senators Frazier and Nye and Congressman Sinclair. This was something they did not expect and the farmers are non-plussed.

Of course, this endorsement is in line with the agreement which the so-called progressives in congress have made with the old guard in both parties. They have long ago decided to bury the hatchet of "progressivism" and line up on the side of big business.

Some of the farmers here also cannot understand why Governor Maddock, who is supposed to be a "progressive" republican is now running on the democratic ticket for governor and has endorsed Smith for president—Smith who is no better than Hoover.

This political mix-up in the old parties and the cheapness of this year's fairly large wheat crop are setting the farmer to thinking. The bottom has also fallen out of the potato market and the farmer does not know whether it will pay him or not to dig them out of the ground. The only thing there is a good price for now is cattle.

Speaking further of policies, the farmer also notices that the non-partisan league candidates, who formerly held mass meetings in the small towns and rural communities in North Dakota, now mainly devote their attention to the larger towns and cities. They speak in the biggest halls available and cooperate directly with the bankers and businessmen. —K. N.

## Heroine of "3 Comrades" A Graduate of Red Army

### SHAW'S "MAJOR BARBARA" TO BE REVIEWED

Following the run of "Faust," which is now playing at the Guild Theatre, the Theatre Guild, by a sudden shift in their production plans, will bring Shaw's "Major Barbara" back to its original place on the current season's program. The play goes into rehearsal next week as the second offering of the year. "Wings Over Europe," upon which preparations had already been made, now goes back to be the third play of the year.

OLGA TRETIAKOV, who plays the leading female part in the first Soviet comedy of "3 Comrades and 1 Invention," a Sovkino production, which is now enjoying a successful engagement in its second week at the Cameo Theatre, has been associated with the Russian motion picture studio for four and a half years. However, during this comparatively short period she has played the leading female character in no less than sixteen Soviet films.

She is twenty-five years of age and was born in Ukraine, where she attended high school in the city of Kharkov. She was a student at the Commercial Institute, but left before graduating to join the Cavalry Corps (Gaya) of the Red Army, and she saw service in the women's battalion for a year and a half at the front. At the end of her army life, she went to Moscow to prepare for an artistic career. Her talents soon attracted the attention of the leading Sovkino directors.

Her experiences at the front helped her a great deal in creating her roles for the screen. The characters she portrays are not artificial. She is representative of the new Soviet artistic group which brings to the screen forceful character views of present-day Soviet life. She plays all her roles in three dimensions.

In appearance she is the typical Soviet woman of today, a large commanding face with pronounced character lines, and traces of the gypsy influence by definite characteristics of the Ukraine. The fundamental trait in her face is sincerity and it reflects all of the impulses of healthy femininity which is such a significant factor in the contemporary Russian screen. Tretiakova is first and always a woman, whether she plays the part of a peasant girl, a woman, a sister, mother or wife, and her most attractive feature is her contagious laugh, which is healthy and simple.

In her screen manner she is direct and vivid and acts naturally in her roles. She does not explain her actions, simply performs them. Her reactions are not psychological but physiological, no hysterics, no strained attitudes but the splendid emotions suggested by a glowing vitality. She is expert in all forms of athletic life, a splendid horsewoman, an expert motorist and swimmer.



In Eugene Walter's play, "Jealousy," which opened at the Maxine Elliott Theatre on Monday night.

## STUDENTS HEAR BEDACHT, EARLY AT WISCONSIN

### Betrayal by Socialists Is Scored

(By a Worker Correspondent)  
MADISON, Wis., (By Mail).—D. E. Early, former organizer of the Pittsburgh coal miners and Chicago food workers, spoke here Friday night on the Workers (Communist) Party in the election campaign, in place of Max Bedacht, candidate for United States senator in Illinois, under the auspices of the Foster-for-President Club of the University of Wisconsin.

The meeting was attended not only by students of the university but by a number of workers from town.

In his speech Early proved that the democratic and republican parties are parties of big business. He showed that it does not matter to the working class whether or not Hoover or Smith is elected. He cleared the confusion among the students regarding the difference between the socialist party and the Workers (Communist) Party. He showed that the socialists are betraying the workers by saying in effect that they can win better conditions from the capitalist class by sending the socialist candidates to office, ignoring entirely the strike and the revolutionary action of the working class. Because they lose sight of the final goal, of the struggle between the capitalist class until the latter and its form of ruling is crushed and a new workers' government is set up. The socialists set up false goals for the workers and, in reality, betray their interests in favor of the bosses. In this country, Early said, the socialists are not so strong or important as in other countries, for here they have no mass following while in other countries they have a mass following. They no longer pretend, even, to be a party of the class struggle, having given up that clause officially at their last convention.

He proved to the students that education, as religion, the cinema, the theatre, libraries, etc., are instruments in the hands of the capitalist class for the further exploitation of the workers. He showed that the profession man is used for the interests of furthering the oppressive rule of the capitalist class in relatively the same way that the worker is exploited and used in the factory. The difference lies chiefly in that one is paid more and can wear a white collar at work and that he is supposed to know a little more than to blindly accept the existing order.

In speaking of the Party he gave a resume of its platform and showed that because it is the platform of the class struggle and because it engages in these struggles hand in hand with the workers and because it understands their needs, that the Workers (Communist) Party is the only party which truly represents the working class of this country.

Before the meeting ended Early answered a number of questions which workers, students and even a college professor present asked him. A number of copies of the Party platform and of the acceptance speeches of the Party presidential candidates were sold.

—DAVID GORDON.  
Vote Communist.

## BOLD PATRIOTS BEAT UP A BOY IN CALIFORNIA

### Infamous "Red Squad" of L. A. Runs Riot

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—The "red squad" of the Los Angeles police department has again gone on a rampage and arrested a number of members of the Young Workers (Communist) League for anti-militarist activities. Four members of the League were arrested for distributing anti-militarist leaflets to sailors of the Pacific Fleet in San Pedro Harbor. Two girls were released, one member, A. Zimmerman, was held for deportation charges by the U. S. department of labor, and finally released on \$1,000 bail, and the fourth, Louis Schneiderman, was held for twenty-four hours before being released.

The following day, Sol Erenberg, sub-district organizer of the League, was arrested, his record confiscated, and after being held one week incommunicado, was released on \$3,000 bail, and faces possible deportation.

A few days later, Ed Marshall, anti-militarist director of the League, was arrested and badly beaten up, and from latest reports is still being held in jail.

Frank Spector, sub-district organizer of the Workers (Communist) Party, and other members of the International Labor Defense is handling all these cases. Arrangements are being made for a big protest demonstration against these arrests.

The District Executive Committee of the Young Workers (Communist) League, at San Francisco, has issued the following statement in connection with the arrests:

"The arrests and beating received by members of the Young Workers (Communist) League is an attempt on the part of the authorities to prevent us from continuing the successful campaign we are carrying on among the soldiers, sailors and marines against capitalist militarism and the danger of imperialist war. The sailors have shown great sympathy to the program of the League, and this has thrown the militarist and naval authorities into a panic, as evidenced by this campaign of terror on one hand, and threats made on all the battleships of the Pacific Fleet that if any sailor would be found with Communist literature in his possession, it would go hard with him.

"The League will continue its efforts to win over these 'workers in uniform' to the Communist program of combating American imperialist war plans, and to use their knowledge in the interests of the working class against capitalist rule."

## CALL FOR CZECH PROTEST DRIVE

### Confiscate Workers' Paper

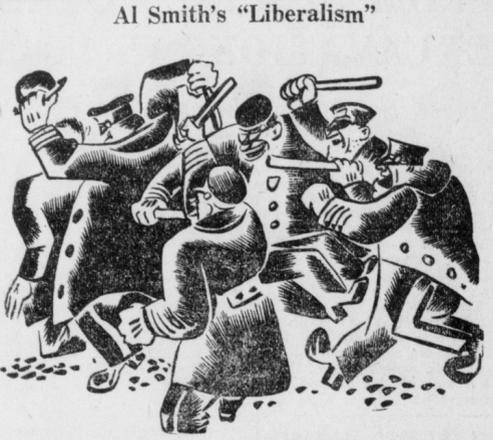
(Wireless to the Daily Worker)  
PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Oct. 24.—For appealing to the joint committee of the Prague factories to continue the fight against capitalist nationalization which resulted in the death of workers recently and calling for a convention of the factory committee, the whole edition of the "Rude Pravo" was confiscated by the police.

The appeal referred to the great revolutionary demonstration at the mass funeral of the victims of the recent building catastrophe, and called upon the workers to continue their united front of protest. It calls for a convention of the workers in Prague to consider ways and means of fighting capitalist nationalization.

## Communists Hold Open Air Meeting at Eagle Company Plant

Nearly two hundred workers of the open shop Eagle Pencil Company employed at the East 14th St. and Avenue C plant attended an open air Communist election campaign meeting held before the plant yesterday noon and listened to several of the Workers (Communist) Party speakers, who exposed the anti-labor role of both old parties. Although previous meetings held here have been hindered by the Tammany police, no interference was met with yesterday until after a meeting had been adjourned. A former disciple of Tammany, evidently riled at the exposure of his master, then tried to pick an argument over the "right" to hold meetings, but was considerably rebuffed himself as to just what were the "rights" of Communists. He freed when questioned that he would never interfere with a democratic or republican meeting.

The first issue of the newly-released Eagle Pencil Company Bulletin put out by a group of Communist workers in the plant were distributed and well received by the workers. The Bulletin exposes conditions in the plant.



Workers of New York, particularly those in the needle trades, have for long enjoyed the benefits of Al Smith's "liberalism" in the shape of police clubs on their heads, jailings, injunctions and similar favors. The drawing above by William Gronper is a graphic illustration of the Smith brand of "liberalism."

## Ford-Chevrolet Battle Brings War on Workers

By PHIL RAYMOND.

The Chevrolet Motor Company has maintained the undisputed lead in the cheap car field during the present year. The millionth Chevrolet car rolled off the production line early in September. Only after great difficulty is Henry Ford approaching the schedule of production announced for the early part of the year. In September the sale of Ford cars in the United States is not more than half the sale of Chevrolets.

Gradual Increase of Ford Production.  
While a million Chevrolets was rolling off the lines, Henry Ford was busy overcoming one obstacle after another. The redesigning of the brake system involved a change in 200 mechanical operations alone. Of the total production in the low-priced class of cars, the Ford percentage was 12 per cent in February, 17 in March, 21 in April and May, 26 in June and 32 in July.

Chevrolet Strategy.  
Just as Ford competition is beginning to become serious, Chevrolet is prepared to deliver another tremendous blow against Henry Ford as they did in 1927. In a short time will come the announcement of the New Chevrolet "6."

With the slogan of "A Six Is Better Than a Four," Chevrolet will launch a struggle to the bitter end to maintain its domination of the cheap car field.

Specifications of the Chevrolet "6."  
The Auto Workers News has thus far obtained the following information about the specifications of the new motor: the cylinder bore is 3 5/16 inches with a stroke of 3 1/2 inches. There is a three-bearing crank shaft, the dimensions of the three main bearings being 2 1/4 inches with a variation between the three of about 2-16 of an inch. The three are not all the same size.

The pistons are of gray iron with a ring groove of 3/4 of an inch. The crank pins or connecting rod bearings are two inches in diameter. The wrist pins are approximately one inch or .0893 to be exact, with wrist pin locks in connecting rod.

## Scott Nearing Speaks at Election Campaign Meeting in Buffalo

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Scott Nearing, Communist candidate for governor of New Jersey, addressed several hundred workers here last night at a campaign meeting arranged by members of the Party. He stressed the issues of the present election campaign, showing why all workers should support the platform of the party of the class struggle.

The workers here are intensifying their campaign activities. A distribution of 100,000 Communist leaflets will be held soon. All sections of the city will be covered.

Another campaign meeting will take place Oct. 28 at Cairo Hall when William Montgomery Brown will speak.

## School Fire Endangers Lives of 1,800 Pupils

A fire on the top floor of the five-story Morris High School, 166th St. and Jackson Ave., the Bronx, yesterday afternoon endangered the lives of 1,800 pupils attending classes in session.

Firemen called to the scene immediately after the discovery of the fire managed to confine the blaze to two class rooms.

PLAY TO AID STRIKERS.  
In an effort to raise funds for the defense of workers convicted in the New Bedford textile strike, the American Civil Liberties Union, 100 Fifth Ave., has taken over the whole house of the Little Theatre for the play, "Gods of the Lightning," by Maxwell Anderson and Harold Hickerson which is said to be based on Sacco-Vanzetti frame-up, for Friday night.

The Delco-Remy ignition will be used.

Keener Competition Means Greater Exploitation.

With the coming announcement of the new Chevrolet "6," this company will be the pioneers in introducing the six cylinder car into the low-price field. Undoubtedly this will place the Chevrolet Motor Car Co. in the advantageous position once held by Henry Ford.

In order to do this it will be absolutely necessary to intensify the exploitation of labor. More wage-cuts, greater speeding up and a worsening of conditions will be the part that automobile workers will play in the coming price war between these two giants.

What Will Be Henry's Next Move?  
The fact that it took Henry Ford more than a year to make the adjustments made necessary by the change from Model T to Model A, makes it almost certain that he will not attempt to make the change to a six-cylinder car at this time. He will probably endeavor to keep the four cylinder car in the low price field by a radical reduction in the price of Model A.

To do this, he will have to intensify what is now believed to be the very limit of the speed-up system. Workers are now goaded to the limit of human endurance. Children are now being exploited in the plants of Henry Ford. Women and children are exploited at incredibly low wages in factories now making parts for Henry Ford. Can Henry Ford squeeze more out of flesh and blood of automobile workers?

Automobile Workers Must Organize!  
Like wars fought on the battle field, workers will bear the brunt of this price-war between the giant automobile corporations. Their bodies will be used up quicker in the process of production. Their families will be forced to do with less of the necessities of life.

No matter who wins this war the workers will pay the price—unless they build an organization of automobile workers able to fight in protection of their interests. Automobile workers must organize! The sooner they do so the better for all. Join the Auto Workers Union!

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## To Announce Revised Charges Against 14 in Obregon Murder

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 23 (U.P.)—Announcement of the revised charges against Jose De Leon and 15 others still held with him for complicity in the Obregon assassination is expected to be made in a few days.

Three of those held were released last week and the prosecution is studying the superior court decision with a view to re-aligning the charges. The burden of the charges probably will rest on Toral and Mother Superior Concepcion. She probably will be accused both of complicity in the crime and as an instigator of it.

## Utilities Official Reverses Stand After Charging Fire Graft

A statement by J. S. Kaplan, an officer of the Preferred Utilities Company of 33 W. 60th St., that "many inspectors of the Fire Department are taking graft every day of the week" may cause an investigation by the New York Court Grand Jury, it was learned today.

Kaplan made this assertion Friday before the board of standards and appeals, while protesting against the installation of a new "safety" measure of the fire department. He refused, however, to give specific details in support of his charge at the time.

Since he made the charge, Kaplan has completely reversed his stand, refusing to elaborate on his statement.



COMMUNIST ELECTION CAMPAIGN MEETING

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# Second Red Rally Will Mobilize the Workers of the Bronx Tomorrow Evening

## WORKERS PARTY CANDIDATES TO ADDRESS MEETS

### Huge Wind-Up Meet at Longwood Ave.

Hundreds of workers are expected to gather at the open-air meetings which will be a part of the Red Night in the Bronx tomorrow evening, when candidates of the Workers (Communist) Party will mobilize the entire section for the Communist election campaign. The rally tomorrow evening is expected to double and even triple in proportion the one which was held last week, when, in spite of rain, hundreds of workers attended the open-air meetings and the final wind-up meeting. The meetings tomorrow night will be held on the same corners, with the final wind-up meeting scheduled for the corners of Longwood and Prospect Aves.

#### Prominent Speakers.

Among the speakers will be Jay Lovestone, executive secretary of the Workers (Communist) Party; William W. Weinstein, secretary of the New York District of the Party; Robert Minor, candidate for U. S. senate; Ben Gold, candidate for congress in the Twenty-third Congressional District; S. Zimmerman, candidate for assembly in the Fourth Assembly District; Rebecca Grecht, candidate for assembly in the Fifth Assembly District; Sam Nassin, candidate for assembly in the Sixth Assembly District; Philip Frankfeld, candidate for assembly in the Third Assembly District, as well as other candidates running in the various assembly and congressional and state senatorial districts in the Bronx.

The Needle Trades Red Campaign Committee, the United Council of Working Women and the Young Workers (Communist) League and the Young Pioneers of New York are co-operating with the Workers (Communist) Party to make this Red Night a memorable one in the history of the Bronx Workers.

Automobiles with the state candidates will tour the Bronx section, speaking at the various street corner meetings that will be held, enabling the workers gathering at those corners to hear candidates present the important issues of the present election campaign. Trucks, bearing the emblems of the Party, with placards containing the fighting slogans of the party of the working class, loaded with Young Pioneers, who will sing revolutionary songs, will parade from the various street corners until the meetings will be adjourned at 9:30 p. m. to the wind-up corner, which is Longwood and Prospect.

All speakers should report at 1400 Boston Road at 7:30 p. m., where the committees in charge will assign them to their corners. The following is a list of the corners: Longwood and Prospect, Wilkins and Intervale, 163rd St. and Prospect, 174th St. and Wyse, 180th St. and Daly, Aldus and So. Blvd., Washington and Claremont, 169th and Washington.

**List of Speakers.**  
The following is the list of speakers: Lovestone, Minor, Weinstein, Gold, Zimmerman, Worts, Grecht, Zam, Frankfeld, Nissen, Stachel, Huswood, Zewbon, Schiller, N. Wilks, Winogradsky, Rose Rubin, Eli Jacobson, S. LeRoy, A. Mershon, S. Nassin, Potash, Silkowitz, E. Shafran, Liebowitz, A. Wise, Vern Smith, A. Levine, J. Doroshkin, Jos. Padgug, Zukowsky, Skolnik, Cibulsky, Koretz, L. Chernenko, A. Grossfeld, Bleiman, I. Horwitz, Taft, S. Blecker, J. Goretzky, Sazar, Pincchsky, G. Schechter, Cooper, L. Rosenthal, Kagan, S. Freeman, S. Solomon, Wisniefsky, B. Rosenfeld, I. Zimmerman, Jos. Cohen, Sam Saffoff, Weisberg, Fraides, S. Hertz, Swetsky, I. Cohen, Lawrence Ross, L. Baum and M. Green.

**NICARAGUA PUPPETS DANCE**  
MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Oct. 24 (UP)—General Jose Maria Moncada's suggestion that a letter be sent to President Coolidge asking for United States supervision of elections here in 1932 was accepted today by the conservative candidate for president, Adolfo Benard.

## General Membership Meeting

of the

### United Workers Co-Operative Ass'n

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at

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## Workers Party Activities

In preparation for the Madison Square Garden meeting Sunday, Nov. 4, tickets and posters are on hand at the district office.

Also Vote Communist posters and pictures of Foster and Giffow for free distribution.

**Williamsburg Red Meet.**  
The Young Workers League of Williamsburg will hold a Youth Election Campaign mass meeting on Sunday, Oct. 28 at 56 Manhattan Ave., Bklyn., at 2 p. m. Herbert Zam, candidate in the 14th assembly district of the Workers (Communist) Party will speak. A minstrel show will follow the meeting.

**Workers Party Notice.**  
All units are instructed to meet regularly and promptly every week until the election campaign is over and take up as the main order of business the immediate tasks of the election campaign.

**District Literature Conference.**  
A district literature conference will be held tomorrow at 6:30 p. m. at the Workers Center, 26-28 Union Square. Bert Miller and Rebecca Grecht will address the conference. All literature agents and members of the literature squads of the Workers (Communist) Party and Young Workers (Communist) League must attend promptly.

**Section 1 Organizational Meet.**  
An organizational conference of Section 1 will be held today at 6:30 p. m. at 60 St. Marks Place. All unit organizers and members of the organizational committee must be present.

**Section 2 and 3 Notice.**  
A special membership meeting that was originally called for Thursday, Oct. 25, will be held tomorrow by decision of the district executive committee, on account of conflicting meetings today. Do not fail to attend: 26 Union Square, 4th floor.

**Lower Bronx Y. W. L.**  
Today an open air meeting will be held at 138th St. and Wilkins Ave. Speakers: B. Cohen, Adler, Menbisky, Schifano.

**N. J. Attention.**  
The City Central Committee of Elizabeth will hold tomorrow a Quaker Ball and Bazaar for Saturday evening, Dec. 1st. All units and workers are requested to arrange any conflicting affairs for that day.

**Bronx Y. W. L.**  
The Bronx section of the Y. W. L. will hold a youth election campaign rally on Sunday, Nov. 4, at 1400 Boston Road. Phil Frankfeld, candidate in 3rd Assembly District for the Workers Party, will speak.

**Unity Camp Workers Party Members.**  
Workers Party members of Unity Camp are requested to attend an important meeting today at 7:30 p. m. at 26 Union Square.

**Section 3, Women's Work Directors.**  
An educational meeting will be held tomorrow at 6:30 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St.

**New Bulletins.**  
Attention candidates on the Workers Party ticket, open air speakers, and all agitprop directors: The bulletins have been issued by the district agitprop department on:  
(1) Smith, New Tammany and Wall Street. (Dealing with the stand of the democratic party on all the important issues in the present campaigns.)  
(2) Needle Trades Struggle and the present election campaign. (Dealing with the political issues that can be learned from the needle trades struggle in the past few years.)  
(3) A speaker's outline that can be used in unit discussions on Hoover and the republican party in the present election campaign will be ready soon. Those desiring copies should call at the district agitprop department office, at 26-28 Union Square, 4th floor.

**3E International Branch 1.**  
The International Branch 1 will hold an educational meeting on Monday, Oct. 29 at 9 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. Comrade Anthony Gombach will lead the discussion on the subject: "Social-Democracy." Every comrade must be present.

**Subsection 3E Membership Meeting.**  
Subsection 3E will hold an important membership meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 30, at 6:15 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. For the importance of this meeting it is requested that every member be present and on time. The names of all comrades who are not present at this meeting will be given to the District Discipline Committee.

**Unit 3E, Subsection 2A.**  
An educational meeting of the unit will be held today at 6:30 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. The topic for discussion will be "The War Danger." All members are urged to come and bring sympathizers.

**Branch 3, Section 4 Meet.**  
A business and educational meeting of Branch 3, Section 4 will be held Monday, 8 p. m. at 764 4th St., Brooklyn. All members must attend.

**Young Pioneers Notice.**  
A Pioneer group has just been organized in Yorkville. A meeting was held last week with 10 Pioneers present. The next meeting will be held at the Hungarian Workers Home, 35 E. 81st St. Sunday at 11 a. m. All Yorkville Pioneers should attend this meeting and bring friends.

**Unit 3F, Subsection 3D.**  
An educational meeting of the unit will be held Monday, 6:30 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. All members must attend.

**Harlem Y. W. L. Notice.**  
A regular membership meeting of the Harlem unit of the Young Workers (Communist) League will be held today, 8:30 p. m. at 143 E. 103rd St. The question of the Red Night will be taken up and discussed. All members must be present.

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### Labor and Fraernal Organizations

**I. L. D. Autumn Revel.**  
A Proletarian Autumn Revel will be held at Webster Hall, Saturday, October 27, at 8:30 p. m. under the auspices of the New York section of the International Labor Defense. Prizes will be awarded to participants wearing the oldest and shabbiest clothes.

**Jewelers Concert and Ball.**  
The first concert and ball of the Jewelers Workers Welfare Club will be held Saturday, Nov. 3, at the New Webster Manor, 11th St. between 3d and 4th Aves.

**N. Y. Progressive Club Meet.**  
A regular semi-annual meeting of the New York Progressive Club will be held Sunday, Oct. 28, 2 p. m. at the Stuyvesant High School, 15th St. and 1st Ave. All members of the Typographical Union who are in sympathy with the progressive principles are invited to attend.

**Relief Society For the Tubercular Children in U.S.A.**  
The above society is arranging a Vetcherinka at the Carlton Hall on Saturday, Nov. 3 and asks all fraternal organizations and sympathizers not to arrange any of their entertainments on that day.

**To Hold Ball.**  
A ball will be held by the Knit Goods Welfare and Culture Club Thanksgiving Eve, Nov. 28, in Webster Hall, 119 E. 11th St.

**Downtown Workers Club.**  
The Downtown Workers Club has arranged a ratification meeting at their club rooms, 35 E. 2nd St. on 2d floor on Sunday at 8 p. m.

The following will address the meeting: Wattenberg, Endin, Work-Saturday, Nov. 3 and asks all fraternal organizations and sympathizers not to arrange any of their entertainments on that day.

**Finland Workers.**  
The Finnish Workers Club co-operating with Local New York Workers International Relief, has arranged a benefit performance of "The Crow," proceeds go to the struggling textile workers. The motion picture performance will be given with a message and Jay Lovestone are to speak. The meeting will be held at the Finnish Labor Temple, 15 West 126th St. today at 8 p. m. All comrades are urged to attend.

**Boro Park Workers Club.**  
A ratification meeting for the candidates and delegates of the Workers Party will be held tomorrow evening, Oct. 26, at 1373 42nd St., Brooklyn under the auspices of the Jewish Workers Club and Branch 71 W. C.

**Downtown Workers Club.**  
Open air meeting tomorrow at 8 p. m. at 2nd Ave. between 7th and 8th Sts. Speakers: Adolph Wolf, Horowitz, Perlow, Klingoffer.

**Young Workers Social Club.**  
Special membership meeting tomorrow at 8 p. m. at 115 Bristol St.

**Williamsburgh I. L. D.**  
Mass meeting Monday, Nov. 12, at 54 Manhattan Ave. Cases of Moon, Billings, Shifrin and other class war prisoners will be discussed.

**Williamsburgh Progressive Jewish Club.**  
Open air meet, Graham Ave. corner Varot, tonight at 8 p. m.

**Dr. Liber at Co-operative Colony.**  
At the Co-operative Colony, Bronx Park East, 243rd St., New York, every Sunday morning a talk on health from the workers' viewpoint will be delivered by Dr. B. Liber, alternately for children and adults, in English and Yiddish. He will speak for adults in Yiddish "Whooping-Cough" and other health matters. Outdoors if weather permits; otherwise in the auditorium.

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### Italian Unions Issue World Appeal

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MILAN, Oct. 24.—Trade unions the world over are asked to call an international congress against Italian fascism and protest the death penalty inflicted on the Communist Maggiore, in an appeal issued by the Central Committee of the Italian Trade Union Federation.  
The appeal points out that Maggiore's death was illegal. Although the charge was murder, the death penalty was inflicted for a crime against the state, the statement declares. If the emergency court, created by Mussolini, is not abolished, his death will be the signal for more killings, it says.

## MORE DETAILS OF NEBRASKA EDICT

### Attack on Communist Slate Long Planned

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Aug. 20, the following was the result as told by Stephens:  
"I came down here to file our ticket today. The Secretary of State was very much excited about the fact that we got the signatures and held the convention. He tried to bluff me and make me think that we had not complied with the law. Some of his statements were very silly indeed.  
"Finally I demanded that we see the attorney general, and it is the attorney general's opinion that we have complied with the law in every way. But our good friend the secretary of state is determined that the Communist ticket will not be on in Nebraska."  
Foster Exposes Race Discrimination  
The second nominating convention was held on Sept. 28 with William Z. Foster, Communist candidate for president, speaking to the electors. Many Negroes were present at the meeting and Foster emphasized the extent to which the Communist Party was championing the rights of the Negroes, showing how the Communists were sending speakers into the South to expose Jim Crowism and lynching and to call upon the Negroes to support and join the Communist Party.  
A letter from Stephens after the second nominating convention shows

just how the mechanism of capitalist "democracy" works, giving an intimate picture of how grafters and corruptionists treat a working class party, and violate even their own laws wholesale. When Stephens came to file the election petitions with Marsh, the latter shouted:  
"You can't get your Party on the ballot. I decided once that you were not organized properly and I want no more to do with the Workers Party."  
Upon Stephens protesting that he was now presenting additional signatures, collected at a second nominating convention, Marsh picked up the petitions and nervously glanced over them. He then threw them down violently and said:  
"Well, I am through. I've had enough of you fellows trying to get on the ballot. I won't touch those petitions," Stephens answered, "I am going to sit right here until you accept them."  
"You can sit here, I won't take them here," shouted Marsh as he left the room.  
He went into the adjoining room

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## Unable to Find Work, Leaves Family; Gets Jail But No Job



Larry Mittico, a Brooklyn worker, after months of fruitless search for work, finally in despair left his wife and seven children. Mittico was found in Detroit and instead of a job was given a jail term. Photo shows Mrs. Mittico and four of the children in the dingy kitchen of their "home" over a garage in Brooklyn. The Workers (Communist) Party is the only party that fights for a system of unemployment insurance, the funds to be contributed by the bosses and the state. Vote Communist!

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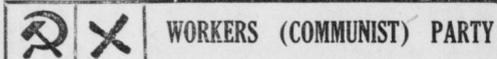
## VOTE COMMUNIST!

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### Hoover Crowns Himself World-Emperor

Herbert Hoover's speech Monday night at Madison Square Garden, New York, was campaign bunk of the most dishonest sort. But it would be a mistake to pass it off as nothing more than that. For it is evident that Hoover and his managers look upon that speech as a sort of program of empire for a whole decade. Hoover, direct heir of the Coolidge dynasty, speaks with the assurance of an emperor already secure in his throne—for is not Wall Street already betting odds on his election as against Wall Street's alternative candidate, Al Smith, and is not even the little "socialist" preacher Norman Thomas spending half his time shouting that Hoover is already as good as elected? At any rate Hoover speaks with the air of a monarch; and the meaning of his speech is the proclamation of an empire.

This is not precisely new in American politics. During the past six or eight years the American bourgeoisie has been convincing itself that the building of a world-empire permanently holding the entire world in bondage is its mission. Writers in financial papers long ago began to write of the United States as the "modern Roman Empire" and to speak openly of "tribute" to be paid in endless golden streams from "all nations of the earth" to the cosmic sovereign—the capitalist class of the United States.

There is something of this delirium in Hoover's speech. He has gathered all of the wild dreams of Wall Street "idealists" into his engineer's notebook, has built with it an imperialist Utopia and has crowned himself king of this Utopia, emperor of the world.

But even the Wall Street "Roman Empire" fanciers cannot but know that there is such a thing as a working class, such a thing as the depressions and crises in industry which are generated by the very same "prosperity" itself, such a thing as unemployment, such a thing as wars for redivision of the world between rival imperialists and—such a thing as Revolution. But those who spin the web of fancy of permanent capitalism tell themselves they have an answer to this, too. And in the recent years of the "New Roman Empire" theory there has been an accompanying flood of "discoveries" by bourgeois professors and economists to prove that "America has solved the class struggle," that "the workers are all becoming capitalists," that there "will be no proletariat in the United States pretty soon." Hoover makes himself the political voice of all this medley of hallucination.

And none other than Herbert Hoover himself has come forth as the man whose "engineer's head" has solved the problem of economic crisis. First the Federal Reserve Bank had brought the elements of crisis under control; and then, when this proved not to be true, Hoover becomes the New Messiah whose wizard hand alone could guard the "delicate web" of capitalist social organization for the safe sucking of the blood of the world.

But there is a working class, and there is sharp, unendurable poverty growing side by side with the most colossal accumulation of and concentration of wealth ever known in all history. This dark cloud must also be dispelled so that the fat American bourgeois can peacefully sleep to dream of his "Roman Empire."

Hoover, again, is the one who volunteers to dispel the cloud.

Hoover announces his messianic mission—"to abolish poverty."

Never before has so much pure "cheek" been combined as in this creed of the fat engineer messiah of capitalism. Hoover will "abolish poverty" under the capitalist system which presupposes and cannot exist without poverty on the part of millions who must be driven by that poverty to submit to exploitation. Of course the republican candidate reaches the point of insane gibberish at this point. But this servant of finance-capital is no fool and is not insane; there is method in his madness. He is teaching the doctrine of imperialism to the unconscious American proletariat and petty-bourgeoisie. \*It is not an accident that he quotes the slavish formulas of Samuel Gompers.

Hoover is fat, but no fool. Hoover has been, in the territory of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics—a fact which he tries now to use by making a false and hypo-

critical slur at the economic conditions of the Soviet Union, counting on the misinformed masses' ignorance of the phenomenal accomplishments of socialist industry there. Hoover participated—and successfully—in the bloody overthrow of the workers' government of Soviet Hungary; he knows that the forces of proletarian revolution are real. Through Hoover's speech glimmers the understanding of one elemental thing—that there exist two poles of social forces in the world: the capitalist imperialism of the United States constitutes one pole, and the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics constitutes the opposite pole.

Hoover shows that he regards the coming administration (to head which he assumes he will be elected) as one in which the presidency of the United States will be the office of leadership of a world struggle between international capitalism, organized, coerced and led by the gigantic Wall Street autocracy, and the working class and "inferior" nationalities of the entire world. His talk of "abolishing poverty," his machaevelian lies about the supposed possibilities of "happiness" and permanent "prosperity" to the American working class—are merely efforts to bribe the aristocracy of labor as a permanent accomplice of the bloody world imperialism he hopes to lead.

He dreams of easy mobilization for war against the rival empire, Britain, and the seizure of the right to re-enslave his colonial slaves; he schemes for "labor-imperialist" allies for war for the conquest of Asia.

Hoover has been in China, too. He understands the colossal natural resources of that immense country, and the super-profits that can be had by enslaving 400,000,000 people at wages ranging from 10 cents for a fourteen-hour day of the labor of an eight-year-old child, to 40 or 50 cents for the sixteen-hour day of an adult. Hoover knows that the heroic Chinese workers and peasants are the natural allies of the proletariat in the world-struggle that is coming; he hopes with a few crumbs of super-profits of colonial exploitation to buy the support of the venal "labor leaders" with direct personal reward and the upper strata of labor aristocracy with the radio-and-automobile standard of living.

Why does Hoover attack his fellow Wall Street candidate as putting forward a program of "state socialism." Of course this is only the small-change of demagoguery. The three points at issue under the head of "state socialism" are: Agriculture, in which Smith's program is precisely the same as that of Hoover and specifically endorsed by Hoover's running-mate, Curtis; Hydro-electric power, in which Smith's program even in words differs from Hoover's not in any essential point and not to the displeasure of the finance-capitalists kings, and in which again Curtis, the republican candidate, has endorsed Smith's proposal; and prohibition, in which Smith's proposal of the right of individual states to handle the question subject to certain limitations is no more "state socialistic" than prohibition itself. None of the hideous projects of capitalist state control of a section of industry for the better enslavement and defeat of the working class, of course, has anything to do with socialism.

But Hoover's voice when he expresses the consciousness of the American bourgeoisie, replete as it is with lies, boasts and inanities, is nevertheless to be taken as a serious expression. Is the blood-thirsty project of American world-empire an idle fancy? Is the ghastly plan of world-war a hallucination? Absolutely no! The nightmare capitalist Utopia of blood and iron and world-slavery is not a hallucination at all—except insofar as the revolutionary forces of the working class, the exploited farmers and the exploited and suppressed colonial peoples make it so by fighting against this capitalist nightmare with all the strength of their hundreds of millions.

Only to the extent that the workers rally to their own cause as a still more active force than the bourgeoisie itself, more steadfast and aggressive in the struggle—can the world-slavery of which Hoover prattles (or the complete destruction of the civilization itself) be defeated.

Hoover throws his program into the election campaign.

We throw our program into the election campaign as the only alternative.

Vote Communist.

### THE THREE-HEADED PARTY OF CAPITALISM



By Fred Ellis

### Youth's Tasks In the National Miners' Union

By DAVE MATES.

In the recent struggle of the miners, which lasted over 17 months, the young miners played a most prominent part. Not only did the young miners show their militancy by heading picket lines, etc., but were in the front ranks in the fight against the reactionary Lewis machine, which eventually betrayed the interests of the miners by accepting the proposals of the coal operators for a wage cut, as the first step towards the complete destruction of trade unionism in the coal mining industry.

Though at the outbreak of the strike there was practically no League organization in the mining regions, the Young Workers (Communist) League set before it as its main task the mobilization of the young miners for the struggle, and building up the League, by active participation in the strike. As a result of the League's activity the young miners became the most militant section of the battling coal diggers.

Tasks of League.

Through the energetic effort and work of the Young Workers (Communist) League, a young miners' conference was held in Pittsburgh on March 18 which mapped out plans for drawing the young miners into a more intense fight against the coal operators, who were trying to smash the United Mine Workers of America, and lower the standard of living of the miners and their families, and against the agents of the coal operators within their own ranks, the Lewis administration. In this the League met with great success for in the period that followed, with the progressive movement constantly growing, the young miners were not only the staunchest supporters of the Save-the-Union movement, but also supplied to a large extent a fighting leadership for this movement.

At the National Conference held in Pittsburgh on April 1, many of the delegates were young miners, coming from all parts of the country, and elected because of their fighting spirit. In all the District Conferences that followed upon the close of the April 1 Conference, the youth continued to play its active role as a fighting section for a progressive union under rank and file control.

Young Workers Aid Union.

After the betrayal of Lewis, resulting in the complete destruction of the union, the young miners were not slow in realizing the necessity of building a new miners' union, which would really fight for the interests of the coal diggers, and organize the large masses of unorganized miners and also give the young miners an opportunity of voicing their demands and needs. The Young Workers (Communist) League pointed out that there were no hopes for building up the wrecked U. M. W. A., and that the only hope for the miners, young and old, was the building of a new miners' union, under the direct control of, and fighting for, the rank and file of the miners. The National Convention held in Pittsburgh on Sept. 9 showed very clearly that the young miners were against in the fight. Of the 120 arrested on the day of the Convention, a large number were young miners, mainly from Pennsylvania and Ohio. Those who were fortunate enough to be at the Convention showed that they were determined, despite all difficulties, to build this new miner's union.

Many Join League.

The League in Western Pennsylvania has won many of the best militant young miners into its ranks. The youth in the coal mining industry needed no further proof that the Y. W. C. L. was the only youth organization that helped them in their long period of struggle. In many mining camps League units were established and the League made great progress in the organization of the young miners into the Y. W. C. L.

The Y. W. C. L. has shown great activity in the present election campaign. At all election meetings the League was represented with its own speakers. The League speakers also addressed the young workers at factory gates meetings, as in the case of Westinghouse plants, Jones and Laughlin Steel Works, etc. The units arranged wide distribution of leaflets and other election matter printed by the Party. This activity shows that the new League membership understands the necessity of participating in the every day struggles of the workers, and to utilize the election campaign to mobilize the young workers for struggle.

Pioneer Groups.

During this period the Pioneers were also built up and at present there are over a dozen Pioneer groups in the mining camps of Western Pennsylvania. The miners children were for the first time drawn into the struggle against the coal operators and in support of their fathers by the leadership given to them by the Young Pioneers of America. The Pioneers also managed to send their young comrades to schools and thus provide for a better district leadership for the Communist children's movement in the district.

The main task of the League is the present period is to get the young miners into the ranks of the National Miners' Union, help in the creation of a youth section of the union and prepare the mining youth for the coming struggles which face all the coal miners of this country.

## Smith Connected with the Power Trust

By EVE DORF.

(Continued.)

Tammany's partnership with traction was evident in its attitude in the recent subway wrecks with their toll of life and serious injuries. The responsibility for these wrecks lies directly with the companies. The failure of the company to give decent working conditions to motormen and other employees who do such nerve wracking work, the failure of the company to provide adequate service and to install necessary and adequate safety devices, the company's policy of deliberately allowing service to constantly deteriorate in order to force a fare increase—these are the primary factors which are responsible for the terrible Times Square wreck and the several other wrecks which followed immediately after it. Nothing has been done by Tammany to remedy the transit situation or to penalize the officials of the I. R. T. who are basically responsible. As a matter of fact, Mayor Walker even condoned the accident by stating that it was not for the splendid subway construction, more lives would have been lost. Tammany has helped the I. R. T. officials to fasten the blame for the wreck on an employee. Nothing has been done to compel the companies to pay adequate compensation to the families of the victims or to place the officials of the company on trial; or to increase the safety equipment and better the service of the subways.

William F. Kenny, the traction millionaire, gave \$70,000 to the Smith campaign. Gerald Dahl, of the B.-M. T., is a Smith supporter. T. F. Ryan's traction interests are well known. All these facts point inevitably to the conclusion that Smith and the democratic party are working and will work in the interests of the traction companies, and not in the interest of the masses of workers.

### Tammany Corruption.

The "honest government" slogan of the democratic party is a joke. The corruption of Tammany is so well known as to be undisputed. The new Tammany record of corruption is different from the black record of the old Tammany only in that it is on a bigger scale, less crude dealing with large scale real estate and business interests, speculation on the stock market, shady deals with big business of real magnitude. The New York Times, before it pledged itself to support Smith, correctly estimated the record of Tammany in New York. In its issue of April 26, 1924, it says editorially, "Tammany Hall has a long record. It professes to cherish the people, but at heart it always intends to exploit and debauch them. Richard Croker with his brazen cynicism said that as leader of Tammany Hall he was working for his own pocket all the time. His successors were less discreet, not so boldly defiant, but the motive of the organization has not changed. It has greatly refined its methods. There are no longer crude Tweed stealings. But by subtler means, usually within the form of the law, Tammany is still able to enrich its masters and managers. For New York State, it is as such a disgrace as it was fifty years ago that it is so often ruled by this secret and self-appointed oligarchy which does not publish its accounts, does not dare to submit its chief members directly to the test of the popular vote and yet presumes to direct the public administration and political fortunes of this great city. Mr.

### Tammany and Traction; Guilt in the Subway Wreck; Kenny, Al's "Friend"

Murphy's rule was comparatively mild. He did not openly affront the moral sense of the citizens. But nothing of this should make us forget that he was the exemplar and beneficiary of a system which, without official responsibility, degrades our official life, and which condemns New York City to suffer from maladministration and lowers moral standards in public office.

Democratic leaders of the government's own party have labeled the organization of which he is Chief Schemer as a menace to the nation. Former United States Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma, democrat, in a letter published on August 20, 1928, calls public attention to the unanimity of informed newspapers in declaring emphatically that Tammany has not reformed and that graft and corruption today are as

bad or worse than ever. (From republican state committee leaflet on "Smith vs. Smith.")

Street Cleaning Graft. The pay-roll padding scandal in the street cleaning department is also a matter of public record. Many officials were placed on trial for grand larceny and forgery. The milk scandal disclosed a general corruption of corruption in the milk inspection department. Graft in the milk scandal was estimated by Commissioner Harris at \$34,000,000 annually. Graft in the gas-cut-off devices in case of fire scandal amounted to \$28,000,000. An investigation of the activity of city marshals disclosed a striking abuse of power and brutality. The faulty construction of school buildings cost the city many millions of dollars and endangered the lives of the school

children. In Rockaway, private companies were using and selling city water illegally, etc.

Governor Smith does not even care to mention this record of Tammany rule in his speaking for "honest government" as a democratic platform.

### A Well Paid Lot.

Democratic leaders are holding city and county jobs and drawing city and county salaries for doing political work for their party. (James Foley, \$22,500 as surrogate; F. Donahue, treasurer of Tammany Hall, \$12,000 as Commissioner of Water Supply; James Egan, Public Administrator, \$10,000; D. Ryan, Transportation Commissioner, \$15,000; John Voorhis, Grand Schemer of Tammany; Thomas Crain, Gurry, Fin, Holly, all have jobs and are drawing city or county salaries. The ward workers' "personal service" bill paid by the city amounts to \$242,252,059, according to the budget for this year. This is "honest rule" by Tammany! Tammany Hall and the republican party of Teapot Dome fame both serve the capitalist class of this country which in its wild quest for more and more profits uses all means for the attainment of its ends—force, propaganda, corruption, etc.

### Smith as "Liberal."

Smith's liberalism is a myth. He is a Tammany machine man, leader of the New Tammany, party of the big bourgeoisie, tied up with the largest and most powerful corporations in the United States. Smith stands for more power to the financial interests through stronger, more autocratic, more militarist government, far removed from the presence of the masses and more efficient in oppressing labor. Smith stands for fake ownership of certain public utilities whereby the state spends the money and the private interests reap the profits. He stands for the reduction of taxes on big business; for the vicious system of compulsory arbitration against the workers, for militarism, for fake concessions to the labor bureaucracy and the iron heel against the workers in their struggles. Smith is an agent of the finance capitalists who control the democratic party. The New Tammany is an instrument of Wall Street.

### Both Parties for Capitalism.

The republican and democratic parties are the parties of the capitalist class. Big business fears neither party. Owen D. Young, in the New York Times, says that both candidates, Hoover and Smith, are fine American specimens; that whether republicans or democrats win we will have prosperity, tariff, etc.; that America is safe with both parties, but he prefers the more "liberal" individual, Smith. American capitalism is safe with both parties; and the working class will suffer from both parties.

### What the Workers Must Do.

The workers have nothing to hope for from either capitalist party. The workers must support the only party in the United States that represents the interests of the workers and fights in their daily struggles; that is fighting to abolish the system which breeds poverty, unemployment and war for the working class and to establish a workers' society. Vote Communist. Join the Party of the class struggle—the Workers (Communist) Party of America.

Needle worker! Has your shop contributed to the election fund of the Workers (Communist) Party? Collect funds! Get a collection list at the headquarters of the Needle Trades Campaign Committee, 25 Union Square, Room 202.

## COMMUNISTS CONDEMN STATE AMENDMENTS

The following is a statement of the Workers (Communist) Party of District 5 on the proposed amendments of the constitution of Pennsylvania:

A number of amendments to the constitution of the state of Pennsylvania have been submitted for a vote on November 6. These amendments are not aimed at the improvement of the conditions of the workers. The workers in this state will continue to be suppressed and exploited whether or not the state government is authorized to secure money for various appropriations, or whether the Metropolitan Plan is adopted or not.

The workers in New York and Chicago, for example, are not enjoying any better conditions than the workers of Pittsburgh or the smaller towns at present. The workers have nothing to say in government affairs in this or in any other state in this country and have no way of controlling the various appropriations and expenditures.

Some of the amendments are directly anti-labor, strike-breaking, militarist proposals, such as proposed amendment No. 4 to issue bonds to the amount of five million dollars for the purpose of erecting armories and equipping the state national guard; the proposed amendment No. 9 to authorize a loan of one million dollars "to suppress insurrections, to defend the state against war," etc., etc. Also proposed amendment No. 1-A aiming to increase the appointive power of the governor.

### Party Fights Anti-Labor Laws.

The Workers (Communist) Party is absolutely opposed to all these dangerous anti-labor amendments and calls upon the workers of Pennsylvania to fight vigorously against their enactment into law. The state national guard is an instrument of the bosses to break strikes and to drive the workers into submission at the point of the bayonet whenever they dare to fight for their interests. The national guard broke the steel strike in 1919, the coal strike in 1922, it broke the strike of the Westinghouse workers. At the same time, the national guard is kept up for the purposes of war, for which the imperialists are ener-

getically preparing.

Likewise the measure against "insurrections" is an open challenge to the workers. The bosses know that the time is bound to come when the workers of this state will find themselves in such a miserable condition that they will be compelled to rise against their exploiters and oppressors. They are therefore preparing for this occasion. The governmental agents of big business are in addition in a position to declare any strike an insurrection and will use their power to crush the resistance of the workers. Even now they are using injunctions, jails and clubs against the strikers whenever they see fit.

### New War Plans.

The bosses want more power, more state cossacks to club, trample and shoot down the workers any time they find it necessary. Proposal No. 9 is at the same time also part of the general mobilization of the ruling class for new bloody wars, which the workers must oppose by all means at their disposal. Any workers voting for those amendments votes for another bloody war and for approval of the strike-breaking role of the government.

The workers must organize and fight against wage cuts, for shorter work hours, for better sanitary conditions, adequate compensation in case of injury, for their rights of assembly, against injunctions, for complete emancipation from capitalist exploitation.

### Support Workers Candidates.

The workers must oppose any attempt to give more power to the coal operators, steel magnates, bankers and their government agencies. We call upon the workers of this state to vote for the candidates and platform of the Workers (Communist) Party, as the only party that fights against the exploiters and for the workers.

We also call upon the workers to sever their connections with the old boss parties and who stand for the principle of the class struggle.

WORKERS (COMMUNIST) PARTY  
District 5,  
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