

- 1. Unemployment and Social Insurance at the expense of the state and employers.
- 2. Against Hoover's wage-cutting policy.
- 3. Emergency relief for the poor farmers without restrictions by the government and banks; exemption of poor farmers from taxes, and no forced collection of rents or debts.

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- 4. Equal rights for the Negroes and self-determination for the Black Belt.
- 5. Against capitalist terror; against all forms of suppression of the political rights of workers.
- 6. Against imperialist war; for the defense of the Chinese people and of the Soviet Union.

Police Provocation Against the Veterans

THE great movement of the ex-servicemen for relief from hunger by the immediate payment of the bonus has thrown the capitalists into fits of rage and terror. These decisive sections of the working class that have looked in vain for months for relief at the hands of the Hoover government are fighting for their demands in a way entirely distasteful to the master class. The worker ex-servicemen are resorting to mass action. Their numbers swell from day to day. And they are defending their claims with a directness and forcefulness characteristic of the American workers.

The movement of the ex-servicemen to Washington arose spontaneously. It was given a powerful impetus, more definite organization and consciousness by the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League and the Communists who play an important part in the movement but do not entirely lead it. The rapid spread of the movement at first caught the government unawares. But they have now decided to resort to their usual tactics of trying to behead the movement of any militant leadership and divide it in order the more effectively to crush and defeat the movement. The government henchmen in Washington are falling back upon their usual weapons of demagoguery, provocation and terror to accomplish their end.

In a statement issued yesterday General Glassford, chief of the Washington police, made the assertion that the Communists have organized to provoke bloodshed and have secretly formed groups to break up the parade called for today by a set of reactionary leaders whom the police are pushing forward. This statement is not only brazen lying, but is intended as a cover for the terror being conducted by the police against the militant veterans. The Communists among the marchers are working for the unification of the ranks of the veterans and are striving to marshal the forces of the ex-servicemen coming from various parts of the country into one front for a common struggle for the bonus.

The great need of the moment in the ranks of the ex-servicemen is unity and capable leadership. This cannot be provided by leadership handpicked by the police. This leadership can be given only by the rank and file electing capable fighters and by eliminating all leaders who echo the disorganizing propaganda of the police. The rank and file should associate themselves with the Chicago delegation of the marchers who will not be deceived by the boss class and bonus-enemy propaganda, and surrender to the tricks of the government tools.

The worker ex-servicemen must put up an iron front against the attempts to divide them. Divide and destroy the movement—that is the policy of the Hoover government and the Washington police. Unite under militant leadership and win—that must be the policy of the ex-servicemen.

Negroes, Beware of Japanese Imperialist Agents!

NEGRO workers and farmers! Be on your guard against the secret agents of murderous Japanese imperialism who are coming among you seeking your support for their war against the Chinese people and against the Soviet Union.

In every large center of Negro population the agents of the Mikado are agitating with the slogan "Japan is the champion of the colored races against white domination." They are appealing to the well-founded hatred of the Negro masses against the American imperialist Jim-Crow system in an effort to secure a base of support among the American masses for Japanese imperialism.

The lying demagoguery of Japanese imperialism's pretensions to champion "the colored races" should be sufficiently exposed by the fact that the Japanese war machine has thrown itself first of all upon the bodies of Chinese men, women and children, upon another "colored race." The dead bodies of tens of thousands of Chinese men, women and children in Shanghai and Manchuria cry out their mute protest against the shameful hypocrisy of "Japan as the champion of the colored races."

Unfortunately, however, considerable numbers of honest and sincere Negro workers have fallen victims to this imperialist lie. All over the country large meetings of Negroes are listening to and even applauding this false slogan. They are being deceived by corrupt leaders who are in the pay of the Japanese political secret service.

The secret agents of Japanese imperialism, operating a highly developed organization that covers the United States with a close network, directed by the Japanese Embassy in Washington and the Japanese Consulates throughout the country, are working with the tolerant approval of the United States government in Washington and even with the active collaboration of branches of the American governmental apparatus. On May 11, the Daily Worker exposed the open boasts of the Japanese newspaper, "New World" of San Francisco, to the effect that the Japanese government secret service agents, "the cleverest in Japan," have been sent to the United States, and are obtaining "excellent co-operation from the American police authorities."

It is also well known that the Washington police gathered in the basement of the Japanese Embassy in Washington, and as an ambush from which to fall upon a few hundred working men and women who were demonstrating in protest against the crimes of Japanese imperialism, attacking them with tear gas and clubs and throwing a number of them into jail.

Negro workers! Do not be deceived by the demagogues who come among you telling you that the hopes for your liberation lie in supporting murderous Japanese imperialism. Like American imperialism, and like every other imperialist power, the Japanese government is the hangman, the oppressor, the exploiter of all peoples over whom it can extend its over. The only road to the emancipation of the Negroes from the American imperialist Jim-Crow system is the road of united struggle together with the revolutionary white workers. This is the road of struggle against all imperialist governments, white and yellow. The complete emancipation of the toiling masses of all races can come only with the overthrow of all the imperialist powers.

Join hands with your white brothers for the common struggle now for the immediate demands of all toilers, white and black, as outlined in the election platform of the Communist Party, which includes the demand for complete and unconditional equality for the Negroes and self-determination for the black belt. Join your forces with the white workers behind the Communist standard-bearers in the election struggle, Comrade Foster, the white worker, and Comrade Ford, the Negro worker, candidates for President and Vice-President. Throw out of your ranks the treacherous paid agents of Japanese imperialism! Defend the Chinese people! Defend the only fatherland of the oppressed peoples of the whole world, the Soviet Union!

NEWS FLASHES

BERLIN, June 7.—The recount of the Mecklenburg Diet elections give the Communists five seats instead of two, thus destroying the fascist absolute majority. The fascists have 10 seats against 30. The other parties must therefore rely on the German Nationalists to form a government.

Sunday, following upon a fascist demonstration, the Brunswick fascists attacked the workers' quarters. Well organized united front demonstrators repulsed the fascists with great energy. The police arrived with three trunks, arresting many workers and marching houses.

The Communist "Arbeiterzeitung," published in Leipzig, was suppressed today for a period of eight days by the socialist Police Chief Fleissner.

SPANISH GUARDS FIRE ON WORKERS
(By Inprecor Cable)

MADRID, June 7.—Civil Guards fired on a workers' demonstration at Medina Sidonia, killing two and wounding many.

FRENCH RHONE RIVER DOCKERS STRIKE
(By Inprecor Cable)

PARIS, June 7.—The dockers of Portdeboch, at the mouth of the Rhone River, went on strike against a wage-cut. The owners are trying to unload ships with scab labor. Fierce collisions occurred when scabs attempted to unload four ships. The police fired, killing two strikers, wounding many and arresting seven workers.

4,500 HEAR FOSTER IN MILWAUKEE; OVER 100 JOIN COMMUNIST PARTY

Presidential Candidate Proves Socialist Party Cuts Relief and Votes Forced Labor

Sheriff Benson Evicts Jobless at Night; Negroes Jim-Crowed, Barred from Office

BULLETIN

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 7.—Fifteen hundred workers jammed two halls Monday night to hear Foster speak at the biggest mass meetings ever held here by the Communist Party. An overflow crowd heard the speeches in the street through amplifiers. Today at 6:30 Foster broadcast a Communist election campaign speech over the radio station WRHM. Tonight he speaks in St. Paul, and tomorrow in Duluth.

MILWAUKEE, Wisc., June 7.—With Socialist Party Mayor Hoan still hiding his face from the Milwaukee workers he has betrayed, thousands of the latter came out and heard William Z. Foster, Communist Candidate for President, open the campaign in this city, in two mass meetings, Sunday.

The Socialist Party was exposed thoroughly by description of a whole series of starvation and forced labor stunts it has pulled off in Milwaukee. Particularly did Foster lay bare the attack on the worker veterans of the last war by the Socialist Party, exactly the same stand against the payment of the bonus being taken by Norman Thomas as is taken by Hoan.

Hoan wasn't there, but as usual he saw to it that an army of police and detectives surrounded the meeting in an attempt to terrorize and keep workers away.

Veterans Join League

Hundreds of ex-servicemen present among the 3,000 at the afternoon meeting in Kosciusko Park on the South Side, cheered Foster when he showed that the Communist Party is the only one that represents the interests of the workers and poor farmers and supports the ex-soldiers in their struggle for the cash bonus. Foster exposed the attempts organized by the Republican, Democratic, and Socialist politicians to head off the movement of the veterans and prevent their getting the bonus. He pointed out to other workers that not all veterans are fascists, they may belong to fascist organizations like the World War Veterans and American Legion.

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DEMAND LEAGUE HEAR PROTEST ON SCOTTSBORO

I.L.D. Supports Delegation of Swiss Workers

BULLETIN

LONDON, June 7.—British officials today refused a visa to Mrs. Ada Wright, mother of two of the framed-up Scottsboro boys, who is now on a tour of Europe.

NEW YORK.—In connection with the world-wide mass fight for the release of the Scottsboro boys, the national office of the International Labor Defense has sent the following cable to the chairman of the American delegation at the Geneva "disarmament" conference:

"The International Labor Defense, in the name of 10,000 members and 200,000 affiliated members, demands that you receive delegation of twenty Geneva workers, grant them floor before League of Nations disarmament conference to protest Scottsboro lynch verdicts and to demand freedom for the Scottsboro boys."

Unemployed Worker Lives on Crumbs Thrown to Birds

NEW YORK.—Down on the East River, near the New York Yacht Club, where J. P. Morgan lands his power launch which takes him from his estate in Long Island to the city, an unemployed worker is struggling to survive.

He sleeps in a packing crate, and he combs the lawn of a nearby Catholic institution for the bread to "Good Sisters" throw out every day for the birds to eat.

An example of the "Block-Aid" system so enthusiastically hailed by Morgan?

Foster and Ford, Communist Candidates



William Z. Foster (seated left), Communist candidate for President of the United States, is swinging westward through the Dakotas on his nation-wide tour. James W. Ford (right) Communist candidate for vice-president, is touring through Ohio and points eastward on his nation-wide election campaign.

White Guardist Paper Sees Early Attack on USSR

"Russkaya Gazetta" Boasts of Information From "Most Authentic Source;" Indicates Time Within 3 or 4 Weeks

BULLETIN

SHANGHAI, June 7.—The United States gunboat Oahu fired on Chinese regular soldiers forty miles below Chungking killing many of them, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch stated today.

Expecting an early attack on the Soviet Union by the Japanese war mongers, foreign newspapers have dispatched their special military correspondents to Moscow and Tokio.

The Russkaya Gazetta, white guard-monarchist paper, published in New York, joyfully predicts an early attack on the Soviet Union in a front page article in its issue of June 5.

This organ of the white guardist war-plotters declare that its editorial board has information from "most authentic sources" that war between the U.S.S.R. and Japan is a question of the very near future. The time is indicated as within three or four weeks.

The Russkaya Gazetta is one of the white guardist papers busily engaged collecting war funds in this country for Gen. Dietrichs, white guardist butcher who has set up his headquarters in Shanghai, South China, under the protection of the United States, British and French imperialists. In its appeal for funds, the Russkaya Gazetta openly states the hostility of the white guardists to workers' rule in the Soviet Union. It speaks of "the organization of armed struggles against the Bolsheviks" and threatens a bloody terror against the Soviet Union, and especially against the Jewish and other minorities who were formerly bitterly oppressed under the Tsarist feudal-capitalist regime. American bankers are helping the white guardist to collect funds. The Wall Street government, and various municipal governments, especially that of San Francisco, are helping the Japanese to recruit white guardists in this country for use against the Soviet Union.

19-YEAR-OLD GIRL KILLS SELF
NEW YORK.—A young girl, nineteen years of age, unemployed, jumped out of a second story window at 7 St. Mark's Place, New York, yesterday, landed on an iron cellar door and was instantly killed.

Senate Adds Furlough to 10 Per Cent Slash

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—An attempt to further reduce the wages of federal employes through a furlough of 30 days without pay is being made in the senate. Senate Wadsworth proposed that the 10 per cent reduction of wages already voted be supplemented by a furlough which would increase the reduction from 10 to over 16 per cent.

Senator LaFollette declared that he is ready to accept the proposal, provided it is amended so that no federal employe could be compelled to take more than five of his thirty days' furlough without pay at a stated time.

It is becoming ever clearer that the economy bill, just as the revenue bill, will be so changed before it is finally adopted as to further increase the misery to be imposed upon the federal employes.

Fight On Against Anti-Alien Bill!

Workers Move to Bar Passage of Fish-Supported Act

Warning the American workers of the sinister character of the Dies Bill passed Monday by the House of Representatives, the International Labor Defense and the Committee for the Protection of the Foreign-Born took the lead yesterday in calling for a nation-wide campaign to prevent its passage in the Senate where it is to come up shortly.

Meetings of protest throughout the country, resolutions by all trade unions, fraternal and other working class organizations are urged by both

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POLICE TRY TO PROVOKE HYSTERIA AS EXCUSE TO ATTACK BONUS MARCHERS

Glassford's Charge of "Communist Plot" Is Attempt to Divide Vets' Ranks

4,000 Now in Washington; Demand for Rank and File Control Grows

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—The statement of General P. T. Glassford, Washington's police chief, in all morning papers charging a Communist plot to start a riot and bring about bloodshed in tonight's bonus parade marks the culmination of the whole plan of the bonus enemies to provoke a panic situation in the Capitol, divide the ranks of the bonus marchers and establish stronger police control in alliance with definitely fascist groups.

BONUS NEWS FLASHES

NEW YORK GROUP IN BALTIMORE
BALTIMORE, Md., June 7.—The first division of the New York delegation of the National Bonus March arrived here tonight. They will demand transportation to carry them into Washington.

8,000 VETS IN CAPITOL
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—With thousands of veterans on the road and some barely starting from their homes, it was estimated here today that over 8,000 ex-soldiers are now in the Capitol.

100 LEAVE EASTON
EASTON, Pa., June 7.—About a hundred veterans left here today bound for Washington in trucks.

NEGRO VET FOUND DEAD
BEACON, N. Y., June 7.—Jesse Porter, Negro ex-serviceman, was found dead at 11:30 today near the railroad station at Dutchess Junction. At nine o'clock this morning Porter was trying to organize a group of veterans to join the march to Washington. The cause of Porter's death has not yet been determined.

COLORADO VETS IN CHICAGO
CHICAGO, June 7.—Sixty-seven war veterans camped here last night along the banks of the canal. They arrived here from Denver, Col., and started out for Washington today.

MORE LEAVE PHILA.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 7.—Another group of veterans numbering 150 left here today for Washington.

SENATOR TELLS VETS TO GO TO HELL

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—J. Hamilton Lewis, democratic senator from Illinois, met a group of veterans in the Senate corridors today and when they approached him on the question of the bonus the senator said: "I'm going to the senate—you can go to hell."

CHICAGO GROUP FIGHTS JIM CROWISM

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—A sharp struggle against Jim Crowism is being led in the bonus army camp by the Chicago contingent. Negro and white vets are splitting from their fascist leaders and are rallying around the Chicago group which has put forward the demands for no Jim Crowism and against police supervision and control of the marchers.

The fascist leaders have seen to it that no Negro sarc on the leading committees.

A delegation of two Negro veterans went to Congressman DePriest. He refused to endorse the bonus demand and said that he would continue to fight it; that it is unpatriotic at this time and that the vets have no right to ask for the bonus.

The Hearst Herald carried the following seven column headline this morning: "Reds plan vet riot, says Glassford." Glassford accuses Reds of "plan to provoke bloodshed," says the Post.

A typical example of the bonus enemies' use of all forces of shameless provocation against the bonus marchers is a statement issued this morning by E. C. Babcock, commander of the Disabled American War Veterans, which says: "Remember that if a riot starts you will be worse than the Hessians who fought with the British because you will have

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2,000 PARADE IN SOLIDARITY TO SHOE STRIKE

Shouting, Cheering; Led by W.I.R. Band; Score Co. Unions

BULLETIN

NEW YORK.—The Shoe and Leather Workers Industrial Union calls all shoe workers to a meeting Thursday, at 7 p.m. at Irving Plaza Hall, 15th St. and Irving Plaza in support of the strike and to prepare for tag days for strike relief and prepare for the shop delegates conference coming the last of June.

2,000 Parade
NEW YORK.—Two thousand shoe workers, led by a section of the Workers International Relief Brass Band marched yesterday noon in solidarity with the striking shoe workers of the Andrew Geller shop.

The parade started from the Geller strike headquarters, where they were joined by the striking crew of the Paris shoe shop and by about 200 strikers from the L. Miller shoe shop, as well as hundreds of other shoe workers. Slogans and placards denouncing the company unions of Geller and Miller, raising the demands of the shoe strikers, and calling upon the workers to support these strikes and their leadership, the Shoe and Leather Workers Industrial Union, were carried by the marchers.

As the marchers passed the Paris Shoe Shop the workers raised their voices in a mighty "boo" for the scabs on the inside. For once the police forgot to display their clubs and were visibly nervous in face of the militant display.

When the marchers returned to the starting point, an open air meeting was held in a lot opposite the Geller shop, which was addressed by I. Rosenberg and Magliacana, organizers of the Shoe and Leather Workers Industrial Union, as well as many times of the strikers.

Tag Days
Tag Days have been arranged by the Workers International Relief and the Shoe and Leather Workers Industrial Union to raise funds for the striking shoe workers, some of whom have been out now for more than 10 weeks.

The Tag Days have been set for Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 10, 11 and 12. All workers of New York are urged to show their solidarity with the striking shoe workers and support these Tag Days. Report to the headquarters of your club or Council for boxes and material. All shoe workers are to report to the Union headquarters for their boxes.

BRIGGS HUNGER MARCH
PHOTOGRAPHS ON PAGE 2
On page 2 there are photographs of Mayor Murphy's police attacking the hunger march of the unemployed automobile workers on the Briggs plant at Detroit, also more details of the march.



A group of over a thousand veterans having their supper in the Cleveland Auditorium. This group was attacked twice by the police when they attempted to board a train in the Pennsylvania yards bound for Washington to demand immediate payment of the "lombstone" bonus.

400 STRIKERS MARCH ON MINE RUN BY MELLON

Miners Take Control Of Terminal Strike; Begin Spreading It

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 7.—Four hundred strikers in the Pittsburgh Terminal Coal Co. mine in Coverdale marched this morning on the Pittsburgh Co. Mine No. 10 (Montour No. 10) and although not pulling the mine on strike, roused an excellent sentiment for strike struggle there. There are indications that this decisive mine will be pulled out this week.

The march was led by the Rank and File Strike Committee of Pittsburgh Terminal Mine No. 8 at Coverdale, elected at meetings called by the National Miners Union.

Miners Lead Strike.
The No. 8 strike committee is in full charge of the strike there in this largest of the Terminal mines.

Pittsburgh Terminal miners struck June 1 against a ten per cent wage cut ordered by the employers in agreement with the United Mine Workers of America. The U. M. W. A. then pretended to be leading the strike, and called a series of local meetings to take a vote on going back to work. It was at a U. M. W. A. meeting Saturday that the Coverdale strikers brushed aside the U. M. W. A. official protests and voted to march on Montour No. 10.

Sunday Frank Borich spoke to a mass meeting of Coverdale miners, and Pat Fagan, district president of the U. M. W. A., dared not appear to debate with Borich, who had challenged him.

More Mass Meetings.
There will be a series of mass meetings today and tomorrow in three other struck Terminal mines, and it is expected they will result in election of rank and file strike committees to take leadership in the struggle and shove out Fagan's henchmen.

The National Miners Union declares the U. M. W. A. incapable and unwilling to spread the strike, and announces mass meetings this week in three of the largest Pittsburgh Coal Co. mines to prepare grounds for rapid spreading of the strike in the Terminal mines.

Pittsburgh Coal Co., a Mellon institution, is the largest mining company in Western Pennsylvania.

Pittsburgh Terminal Coal Co. is second largest, and is owned by the same interests as the Purselove mines in West Va. and Ohio.

Potash Elected Sec'y of Needle Workers; Other Officers Chosen

NEW YORK.—The shop delegates council of the Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union met Wednesday and elected the following general officers of the union: Secretary, Irving Potash; Assistant Secretary, Rose Worlig; Treasurer, Louis Wise; Italian organizer, Oswaldo Eusepi; Youth organizer, Ben Frum; Negro organizer, Richard Follops; Educational director, Emma Yaminski; Chairman, J. Winogradsky; Vice-chairman, A. Jackson.

The shop delegates council endorsed the campaign to the release of Weisberg, denounced his conviction and sentence, and took steps to assist the cloakmakers in a real strike for union conditions.

Shelter For F.S.U. Delegation

Accommodations are needed for returning American delegation to the U.S.S.R. which arrives June 12. Notify F.E.U., 799 Broadway, Room 350, New York.

What's On—

WEDNESDAY
An open-air meeting will be held at 8 and Graham Aves., Williamsburg, at 8 p. m., under the auspices of the I.L.D.
A very important membership meeting will be held at the I.L.D., 2099 10th St., Brooklyn, at 8:30 p. m.
Comrade Richard Sullivan will report on the Chicago Nominating Convention of the Communist Party at Roskaway Mansion, Roskaway and Livonia Aves., Brooklyn, at 8 p. m.
The Sacco-Vanzetti Branch, I.L.D., will have a membership meeting at 732 Tremont Ave., Bronx, at 8 p. m.
A new branch of the I.L.D. will be formed at 257 Schenectady Ave., Brooklyn, at 8 p. m. All workers in the neighborhood are urged to come.
Volunteer typists are needed by the District I.L.D., Room 410, 799 Broadway, every day this week.

A class in Marxism will be held at the Lawrence Bremer Branch, I.L.D., at 242 14th St., Brooklyn, at 8:30 p. m. Everybody is invited. No admission.

A general membership meeting of the I.L.D. will be held at 147th St. and Willis St., Bronx, at 7 p. m.
The Irish Workers' Club will hold an open-air meeting at 147th St. and Willis St., Bronx, at 7 p. m.

THURSDAY
A regular meeting of the Bronx Iron Lads Branch will be held at 125th St. and 125th Ave., at 8:30 p. m.
A mass protest meeting against the Panton frame-up will be held at 3159 Coney Island Ave. at 8:30 p. m.

The International Labor Defense asks all fraternal organizations not to arrange for affairs for Aug. 26th, when their annual picnic will be held.
The newly organized English section of the Prolet-Bureau will meet at the Hungarian Workers' Home, 35 E. 81st St., at 126 p. m. All workers are invited.
All fraternal organizations are asked not to arrange any affairs for July 14, when a district picnic will be held.

Police Participate in Assault on NY Negro

NEW YORK.—Sunday afternoon, a Negro and white worker got into a quarrel in Hester Street Park. A gang appeared and started to beat up the Negro, who got away. They then attacked another Negro, James Ray, the first one.

Who was accused of being a friend of Ray escaped, ran down the street, and into a house. The policeman on the beat followed him, dragged him out and slugged him. Then he started with Ray down the street.

Word was passed along that the policeman would give up the Negro to the gang, but not while they followed him. The cop took the Negro to Rutgers Square, beat him up, then released him. The crowd of white ruffians got him, and Ray ran to the policeman for protection. The cop beat him into insensibility and left him there.

Someone called an ambulance, and the semi-conscious Negro was taken to the Gouverneur Hospital. Yesterday his condition was reported as "good," that is, he has a chance of surviving.

Hungarian Delegates to U.S.S.R. Greeted on Return to New York

NEW YORK.—The delegation representing 80,000 Hungarian workers which toured the Soviet Union returned to New York Sunday on the Bremen. At the pier an enthusiastic demonstration of greeting was held and the same evening a mass meeting at which members of the delegation elected by mass organizations, unions and even reactionary Hungarian societies spoke, was held in the Labor Temple. The speakers included Colman Kate, John Holok, Anna Preda, Chulay, Zvara, Tomko, Hilbert, Katharine Tomanicka, Henczel, Hranchar.

The delegation was greeted by Aurel Leitner in the name of the Hungarian bureau of the Communist Party.

The delegation visited Leningrad, Moscow, Dnepropetrov, Sebastopol, Baku, the Don Basin and a number of the collective farms.

Open Air Meetings to Protest Jailing of Four Needle Workers

NEW YORK.—The United Front Defense Committee of needle trades workers has called a series of noon-day open air protest meetings against the conviction and sentence of Weisberg and three other needle workers. The meetings will take place in the garment center at 36th St. and at 36th St. Speakers will expose the frame-up of these militant workers by the bosses of Needleman & Bremner, and the officials of the International Ladies Garment Workers. The framers were assisted by the Lovestone clique.

Unemployed Teachers in Protest Tonight

On behalf of 10,000 unemployed school teachers of New York City, the Teachers' Union and the New York Association of Unappointed Teachers has called a mass meeting for tonight (Wednesday) at Stuyvesant High School, 18th St., near Second Ave., to protest against the so-called "economy" program adopted by the Board of Education.

This program calls for increasing classes to 50-55 students and over, which means that more than 300 teachers will lose their licenses and that more than 700 permanent substitutes who now have jobs will lose their classes at the end of this term.

Picket Kaplan Paint Shop

NEW YORK.—Williamsburg Section of the Alteration Painters Union calls to come help picket every morning at the Kaplan shop, 285 Rodney Street. The boss hired three workers to put over a wage cut. Two men he got to work on one of his jobs yesterday were persuaded to quit and join the strike.

"END OF ST. PETERSBURG" AND COMMUNIST CONVENTION AT ACME

Beginning today the Acme Theatre will present for one week the Soviet masterpiece, "The End of St. Petersburg," a dramatic production of the capture of the old czarist capital by the revolutionary forces. Some 5,000 thousand people take part in the picture, which was produced in the USSR. The film has been highly praised both here and on the Continent.

The Acme is also presenting a lengthy film of the Communist Convention in Chicago. All important events at the convention are brought out in the film, including the chief delegates and the final demonstration which took place following the nomination. Another W.I.R. presentation is the Worker's Ex-Servicemen's Bonus Demonstration at City Hall and in Union Square.

As an added feature the Acme has booked a special Soviet Newsreel, which contains some very important scenes of recent events which took place in the Soviet Union.

The Acme is planning to show, beginning June 15, a lengthy film of the Fifteenth May Day Celebration held in Moscow.

The Trans-Lux Theatre, on Broadway, is presenting this week the following short subjects: A Grandland Rice sportfilm, "Fairway Favorites"; "Toy Times" an Aesop fable; "Empire of the Sun," a travel film; "Old Songs for New," a musical feature, and "The Grand Parade," a comedy featuring Roscoe Ates.

Unemployed Auto Workers Attacked by Detroit Police When They Marched on Briggs Plant



The "liberal" Mayor Murphy's uniformed thugs in action. See the cop at the left swinging at the head of a woman with a pair of steel handcuffs. See the bulky, well-fed sergeant reaching out to grab the girl by the throat. See the double-chinned officer in the back directing the slugging of hungry men and women from the door of a barber shop named "Liberty."

DETROIT POLICE CLUB MARCHERS Briggs Auto Workers Cheer Jobless

DETROIT, Mich., June 7.—Hundreds of Mayor Murphy's police attacked the march of Briggs Auto discharged employees on the gates of the plant here yesterday. In spite of an official permit for the march, tear gas and clubs met the marchers, and scores were arrested or injured.

Seven hundred marched in the parade to the plant gates, where they were met, welcomed and cheered by 1,500 more. Workers in the plant shouted support for the marchers, and cheered them.

The committee of nine was denied admittance when it went up to the gate to present demands of the demonstrators for:

"1. Unemployment relief for unemployed Briggs workers equal to 50 per cent of our wages and not less than \$15 a week.

"2. No discrimination against Negro workers, young or women workers. No paying back for our welfare.

"3. Ten per cent increase in wages for Briggs workers.

"4. No insurance money out of workers pay. All insurance paid by Briggs.

"5. Slow down the line.

"6. The right to organize."

The police were massed inside the plant with machine guns, and police outside launched a terrific attack. The workers fought back for half an hour.

Among those arrested was Jessie Negoltza. Others seized by the police were Jessie's husband, Nester Negoltza; Joseph Maroz, Roy Bennieusis, Max Taster and Roland Galin. The crowd was charged not only by club-swinging patrolmen, but by mounted police and cops in cars.

LABOR UNION MEETINGS

Food Workers
All members of the Cafeteria and Hotel & Restaurant trade sections of the Food Workers' Industrial Union meet Monday, June 13, at 8 p. m. at 5 E. 19th St. to hear the report of the committee of 15 elected at the previous meeting.

Carpenters
A meeting to which all carpenters in the Bronx are invited will be held Wednesday (tonight) at 8 o'clock at 1130 Southern Blvd.

Shoe Workers
All shoe workers of Brooklyn and New York are called by the Shoe & Leather Workers' Industrial Union to a mass meeting Thursday at Irving Plaza Hall, 15th St. and Irving Place, at 7 p. m.

Needle Trades
The United Front Committee of Dressmakers calls all dressmakers working on 27th St. to a meeting Thursday night after work at Greek Workers' Center, 301 W. 29th St.

The Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union calls all members of the union employed on 28th St. to a meeting Thursday, night after work, at 131 W. 28th St.

THE SOVIET PICTURE THAT THRILLED THE WORLD
'THE END OF ST. PETERSBURG'
A THRILLING AND SENSATIONAL FILM OF THE FALL OF THE TZARIST CAPITAL—SCREENED IN THE U.S.S.R.—CAST OF 5,000.
Also: Worker's Ex-Servicemen's Bonus Demonstration PRESENTED BY W.I.R.

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1,000 DENOUNCE FUR JOINTBOARD Mass Meeting Shouts for Fakers to Quit

NEW YORK.—The Committee of 15 elected at a meeting in Irving Plaza to demand the resignation of the International Fur Workers' Joint Council carried through an open-air meeting in the fur market yesterday afternoon and called on the furriers to come to the Joint Council, where an open forum was to be held to discuss the question of how the fur workers can unite their ranks and build on class struggle union.

The Joint Council, which is maintained with the help of the bosses and the police, immediately called on the police and detective squad, who tore up the signs and banners and attempted to disperse the demonstration. The fur workers refused to be terrorized and carried through a huge demonstration in which several thousand participated. After the demonstration they came to the office of the Industrial Union, where they conducted an open forum and decided to intensify the struggle against the racketeers and through their unity of action to build one class struggle union of all fur workers.

Called by the landlord's agent, two policemen tried to break the rally, but had to send out a call for reinforcements in order to accomplish this. As soon as the reinforcements arrived they attacked the workers, beating up and wounding several of them.

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Remington Strikers Joining Printing Workers Ind. League
NEW YORK.—Twenty picketed the Remington-Rand plant at 7:30 a. m. yesterday, where about the same number of young printers are striking against a 10 per cent wage-cut, the fourth slash in a year. Strikers marched with members of the Printing Workers' Industrial League, bearing signs such as: "Bosses' Profits \$7,000,000 In One Year; Average Printer's Wages \$14." Picketing was repeated at 4:30 p. m. Another picket line will form this morning. A few of the office workers are scabbing. Come and help picket. Report at 73 Myrtle Ave. Take B.M.T. Brighton Line to Myrtle Ave.
Eleven strikers have joined the Printing Workers' Industrial League. Greetings of solidarity and some food were brought yesterday from a food worker whose shop, the California Produce Market in Brooklyn, goes on strike today.

BANQUET HONORS ROSE BARON.
Rose Baron will be honored by a banquet, given to her by the N. Y. District of the International Labor Defense on Saturday evening, June 11th, at 216 E. 14th St., at Sollis Restaurant.
The occasion is the repatriate for the Soviet Union of Comrade Baron who has been called to work for the M.O.P.R., the International Red Aid.

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FORD MEETING IN SCHENECTADY

Preparation for State Convention, June 19

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., June 7.—The mass meeting arranged here June 16 for James W. Ford, Communist candidate for president of the United States, is attracting much attention.

Ford's meeting will mobilize workers and call attention to the state convention of the Communist Election Campaign which comes on June 19. Both the meeting and the convention are in a city where thousands of workers of the General Electric Company and other firms are unemployed, and the Communist Party's main election platform plank of "unemployment insurance at the expense of the employers and the state" is drawing support of the discharged G. E. workers.

Mass demonstration of these workers and a committee to the General Electric recently wrung promises of

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French Workers Greet Scottsboro Mother on Tour for Framed Son
(Cable to Daily Worker.)
PARIS, June 7.—A large demonstration of French workers, headed by leading functionaries of the French Red Aid, greeted Mrs. Ada Wright, Scottsboro mother, and J. Louis Engdahl, general secretary of the International Labor Defense upon their arrival in Paris.
Meetings had previously been held in Germany and Czecho-Slovakia, despite the refusal of the authorities to allow Mrs. Wright and Engdahl to address these meetings.
some concession.

Collect Signatures.
NEW YORK.—The United Front Election Campaign Committee continues to call attention to the week of mass signature collections, in which all workers organizations are expected to take part. The "Red Week" begins June 11 and lasts to June 18. During this period all organizations which have not already chosen their delegates to the state convention at Schenectady should do so.

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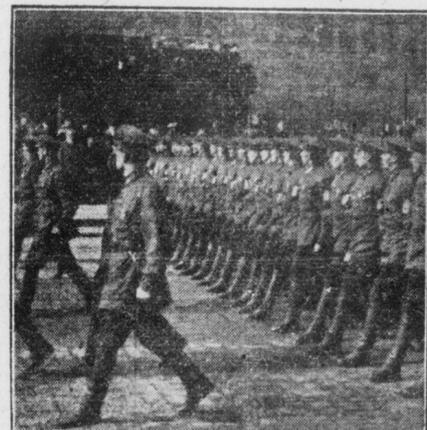
Moscow workers, former Red Guards and participants in the Civil War, at the head of the armed factory groups in the May 1st demonstration.



Dneprostroi, largest power plant in Europe—gigantic achievement of first Five-Year Plan. Picture shows Soviet workers looking at one of the powerful turbines.



Joseph Stalin, secretary of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union and Kaimin, president of the Central Committee of the Soviet Union, during the mass parade and demonstration in Moscow, May 1.



Section of the Red Army in the May 1st demonstration, Moscow. These and similar scenes were viewed by the American workers' delegation which is returning to the U. S. on June 12.

U. S. Army Journal Exposes War Mobilization Plans

RECRUITING NEWS

RECRUITING INFORMATION ISSUED BY DIRECTION OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

(By a Worker Correspondent)
NEW YORK.—The "U. S. Army Recruiting News," a bulletin issued under the direction of the Adjutant General of the army, exposes in the January, 1931 edition war preparations that were being made at that time.
An article in this issue of the bulletin deals with the Watervliet Arsenal, which is located in New York and is known as the Army Gun Factory. The article in the "Recruiting News" states:
"The Watervliet Arsenal is principally concerned with the plans for industrial preparedness. . . . Under the new plan, however, the total war requirements in the way of cannon have been determined, and of this amount the Watervliet Arsenal has been assigned as many guns, of various calibers as its existing plant can produce. Plans for operating at full capacity should an emergency arise, have been worked out in minute detail and with material on hand work can be

started on a day's notice.
"The arsenal is also assisting other plants in the commercial field, which have been allocated assignments in cannon manufacture, to prepare their own factory plans so that they will be ready to start production on short notice, should the occasion arise.
"The small number of skilled mechanics now employed in the gun plant can be used as a nucleus for expanding this establishment and training its largely increased personnel if necessary. In case of an emergency, the arsenal, no doubt, would also be called upon to supply a certain number of experienced employees to be used for the same purpose at those private plants where cannon would be manufactured in case of war."
This plant is one of the most important of the six manufacturing arsenals maintained by the U. S. government. It was established in the year 1812. It is valued at \$15,000,000 and covers 108 acres.

FIGHT IS BEGUN AGAINST "DIES" ANTI-ALIEN ACT

Bill Passed By House Backed by Fish

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The I. L. D. and the Council for the Protection of the Foreign-Born are immediate steps to prevent the passage of the bill in the senate.
Fish Is Sponsor.
Introduced by a reactionary democratic congressman from Texas, the Dies Bill is aimed not only to prevent the entrance of militant workers into the United States from other countries, but provides for their deportation on a variety of grounds.
A direct outgrowth of the Dies Committee "investigations," the Dies Bill was put through with the active support of Hamilton Fish of New York and his associate on the notorious committee, Congressman Bachmann, of West Virginia, tool of the West Virginia open-shop coal operators and member of a family which has grown on the underworld.
The character of the Bill is indicated by one of its provisions which defines a Communist as one who teaches among other things, "the duty, necessity, or propriety of the unlawful assaulting or killing of any officer or officers (whether of specific individual or officers generally) of the Government of the United States or of any other organized government, because of his or their social character."
Vilify Militants.
Fish and Bachmann were among the congressmen who took the floor to speak for the bill before it was passed. Fake gesture of opposition to the bill was made by LaGuardia of New York, who in a demagogic speech, said that existing legislation was sufficient to deal with the situation.
The discussion on the bill brought forward frenzied and lying speeches by various congressmen, chiefly Fish and Bachmann, the latter quoting mythical figures that "90 per cent of the Communists in the country are either aliens or unnaturalized citizens."
More than 20,000 foreign-born workers were deported from the U. S. during the past year as a result of the activities of the Department of Labor, the strikebreaking branch of the government. With the passage of this bill, however, it is hoped to facilitate the deportation of militant workers.
Trap for Workers.
That the purpose of the bill is to intimidate workers from joining revolutionary organizations is clear from a provision which declares that "no alien shall be held to be a Communist under the provisions of this Act if he shall prove that he became a member of such organization on account of fear, duress, compulsion, misrepresentation, or fraud."
Workingclass organizations and individual workers are urged to flood the senate with demands that the Dies bill be defeated when it comes up for consideration.

Delegates to USSR Greeted on June 12

Mass Demonstration, Auto Parade for Returning Workers
Arrive on "International Solidarity Day"; Report at Starlight Park

Arriving Sunday afternoon, June 12, International Solidarity Day, 16 workers' delegates to the Soviet Union will be met at the pier by thousands of workers. They will proceed from the pier in busses and trucks to Starlight Park, 177th St. and West Farms Road. Rallying behind the slogan "For Defense of the Soviet Union and Against Imperialist War," workers will hold a mass demonstration and reception.
Realizing the immediate danger of an open armed attack upon the Workers' Fatherland, the Friends of the Soviet Union, International Labor Defense and Workers International Relief have combined their forces to make the reception to the delegates an outstanding event.
All workers, regardless of affiliations should be at the pier on Sunday afternoon. The delegates will give eye-witness reports of the tremendous advances made in the land ruled by workers. Instead of breadlines, mass misery, poverty, wage cuts, police and National Guard brutality that workers are confronted with here, they will describe conditions where the workers' standard of living is constantly being raised.
All 'out June 12th to the Workers' Delegates reception!
Defend the Soviet Union!
Defend the Chinese toilers! Down with imperialism!
Stop munitions shipments against the U.S.S.R!

CHILEAN REDS FIGHT FASCIST DICTATORSHIP

Workers Fight Police; Seize Church Properties

Chilean Communists are actively opposing the new fascist military dictatorship established by the military clique headed by Carlos Davila, Wall Street agent and former Ambassador to the United States, and General Puga and Colonel Grove, Chilean militarists. The Communists are reported in the leadership of the revolutionary outbreak which began in Southern Chile and is spreading to other sections of the country.
Mass demonstrations against the dictatorship have occurred in Santiago and several other cities in the north. Large crowds of workers gathered in front of the Government House and shouted their hostility to Col. Marmaduke Grove, the junta's minister of defense. A Santiago dispatch reports that "rioting" developed when police made unsuccessful efforts to clear the streets. Similar disorderly scenes occurred in Valparaiso.
A strong anti-religious movement is taking form. Church properties have been seized by the starving workers in many cities. In Santiago, nuns were turned out of the convents yesterday.
In an effort to placate the workers, the dictatorship is promising to release the Communist leaders of the recent naval revolt. It has reinstated numerous school teachers who were suspended under the Montero regime for Communist activities. It has also ordered the government pawnshops to disgorge all pledge clothing and other possessions which starving workers were forced to pawn to stave off death by starvation.
The New York Times yesterday stated that American imperialists, who were at first alarmed by the demagogic utterances of Davila, are now reported to be confident that the new government will not molest their loot in Chile.

Police Try to Provoke Bonus Marchers

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caused bloodshed of brother Americans in order to get money."
The Hearst job sister Patterson ends a feature story with the words, "These men are fixed on a fanatical purpose. Let's not fool ourselves, gentlemen of Congress and citizens of Washington. Here is a keg of dynamite. The lid is off. The keg is open."
The atmosphere is more tense here than during the days of the great hunger march last December. Vicious hatred of the worker-vets who have invaded the Capitol is expressed in all of the political headquarters of the ruling class.
Although Communists are not leading an overwhelming majority of the bonus marchers, the movement represents a gigantic rank and file demand which police agents have the greatest difficulty in controlling.
This is shown by the fact that after Almon, a fascist leader, was dispersed yesterday by a committee after an altercation in which the committee protested police methods of registration, he was reinstated only after two new rank and file members were added to the committee.
Vets Denounce Provocation.
The Workers Ex-Servicemen's League issued a statement to the press today denouncing the Glassford provocation and emphasizing the need of unity of the rank and file against all efforts of their enemies to divide their ranks.
The Dies bill barring alien Com-

munist, which was passed by the House here yesterday and is part of the Wall Street government's attempt force further starvation on the American workers and is also in line with the police provocations divide the ranks of the veterans. It is now an established fact that Secretary of Labor Doak brought agents here from all over the country to spy on the vets, despite the fact that service in the military forces automatically fixes citizenship.
Rope Off March Line.
The line of march of the veterans' parade tonight is being roped off by police to prevent marchers from fraternizing with spectators and to facilitate police control.
Almon, the fascist leader, stated that his forces would help the police against "agitators."
Police and reactionary agents are trying to point out that members of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League are not bonafide vets, but are having difficulty in putting the lie across, for the vets marching under W.E.S.L. leadership are all carrying their army papers with them.
Many Vets Sick.
There are many cases of flu, sore throat and fever among the marchers now as a result of lack of shelter. Large numbers of veterans were forced to sleep in the rain at Anacosta, the internment camp which the Washington officials have set up for the marchers.
Over 150 veterans were ejected from the Capitol yesterday by police who said that their attitude was "threatening."

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4500 WORKERS HEAR FOSTER IN MILWAUKEE

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It is the task of the militant workers to win their fellows who fought in the world war over to the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League demands, against the opposition to the officer caste in soldiers' organizations.
Many ex-servicemen filed applications to join the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League right at the meeting. They are making arrangements to leave for Washington and present their demands for the bonus within a day or so. Fifty-six workers at the Kosciuszko Park meeting turned in their applications to join the Communist Party.
Over 100 Join the Party.
An equal number turned in applications to join the Party at the meeting addressed by Foster in German hall in the evening.
German House was packed with 1,500 workers. This was the meeting to which Mayor Hoan was invited to come and debate with Foster and defend himself, his administration and the Socialist Party from charges flung at them by the Communists. Hoan evaded this hearing with a hypocritical statement that he "had neither time nor inclination to fight other workers' organizations."
Foster was able to show the Milwaukee workers, among whom were hundreds of rank and file socialists disgusted with the actions of the Socialist Party, that Hoan never stopped fighting the workers.
Socialists Cut Relief.
Foster reminded Milwaukee workers that the Socialist Party administration here was worse than many Republican and Democratic administrations in other cities. The Socialist Party leaders, for example, voted for the Groves fake insurance bill. City of Milwaukee Socialist Party alderman and Mayor Hoan supported all measures to cut down relief notwithstanding that the unemployed in the country receive only \$2.60 every two weeks for a family of five, amounting to four cents a day to live on for each person.
Foster reminded the workers that lately a drive, with the Socialist Party behind it, has started here to cut down the rent appropriations \$5 a month. Besides this the Socialist Party is helping an army of snoopers and stool-pigeons to spy on the workers and prevent them from getting relief; the Socialist Party is trying to still more reduce them to the level of starvation.
Evicted In the Night.
The Socialist Party sheriff, Al Benson, who recently bought new riot guns to oppress workers' dem-

REVENUE ACT NOW IN OPERATION

Taxes Almost Every Man, Child in U.S.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—Additional indirect taxes were placed on almost every man and child in the United States through a series of exises and miscellaneous levies as the revenue bill adopted by Congress was signed at 5 p.m. on Monday by President Hoover.
The revenue bill which is now a legislative Act, adds millions of taxpayers to the United States' roll in compliance with the principle expounded by former Secretary of the Treasury, Mellon, in his book entitled "Taxation, the people's business." The gist of this "principle" is that taxation, to be effective, must not fall on the few rich men of the United States but must transform into taxpayers the largest number of toilers.
The taxes which the new revenue act imposes upon the workers increased as the bill was being drafted and redrafted, discussed and discussed in Congress. At a bipartisan parley of senators and representatives the 3 per cent tax on electricity was shifted on the consumer whereas originally it was placed on the producer.
3,000 RAILROAD WORKERS TO BE FIRED
(By a Worker Correspondent)
NEW YORK.—It was announced that 3,000 workers will be laid off on the New York Central Railroad between New York and Buffalo within the next few weeks.—C. F.

BEEF STRIKE IN DECISIVE STAGE; AID NEEDED

Hunger, 250 Arrests, in Colorado Beet Fields Now

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dors from sheriffs and state agents to shoot pickets on sight.
More striking, however, is the firm solidarity displayed by the strikers in face of the widespread starvation sweeping the entire beet fields from end to end.
Instances have been reported to the strike committee where entire towns are living on a soup made from wild cactus and grass. Despite this, on the whole, the ranks have held solid with the exception of several outlying districts where the starvation has been too great and where, as a consequence, the workers have been driven back into the fields.
Expect Solidarity.
The bond which creates such determination in the ranks of the workers is the expectation prevailing among the strikers that "the workers will help us, wait just a little longer."
All winter long these thousands of workers have been given a crumb of charity by the County relief agencies and various charitable institutions, until such time as they would commence work in the fields, thereupon the grower would "carry" them by small credits at country stores based upon their seasons earnings. It is clear, then, that at the beginning of the strike the workers had no reserve and that food was imperative because when the workers struck, all County aid was stopped and no "credits" certainly could be expected from the growers.
The "thinning" and weeding season lasts about a month, and is the most strategic of all seasons to strike for better conditions, inasmuch as this thinning of the rows and weeding must be done by hand on bended knees, whereas the other seasons of the crop can be done by machines

Japanese Cavalry Ordered to Manchuria As Crisis Deepens

Mass Misery Grows With Thousands Forced to Eat Cattle Feed; Silk Workers Robbed of \$700,000 in Wages, Girls Sold for \$200

Japanese cavalry units are being sent into Manchuria. The Japanese War Office in making this announcement yesterday gave the usual "explanation" that the new troops were being sent as "replacements" for troops that were being withdrawn.
At no time since the beginning of the Japanese aggressions against the Manchurian masses and war moves against the Soviet Union have Japanese troops been withdrawn from Manchuria, with the exception of units which have refused to fight against their Chinese fellow workers.
An indication of the terrific crisis and increasing mass misery in Japan is given in a Tokyo dispatch to the New York Times. It is this catastrophic crisis which is driving the Japanese fascist imperialist circles to war in an effort to find a capitalist way out of the crisis. The Times dispatch says that investigators of the Department of Agriculture report "poverty unparalleled in the history of modern Japan" in the four largest prefectures: Niigata, Iwate, Nitigata and Hyogo.
"The people are reduced to eating rough grain usually reserved for chicken feed and are cooking up, and eating the dried fish used for fertilizer and beancake customarily fed to cattle."
The investigators report that girls "as young as 15 are being sold for \$200 each."
Japanese silk workers in the Niigata Prefecture have been robbed of wages amounting to over \$700,000 following the closing of the silk filature plants.
The Times dispatch further reports:
"An investigation being conducted by the newspaper Asahi shows that Prefectures, villages, banks and individuals are feterlogged by debt. The debts in one district are estimated to average \$700 a family. Collection of taxes in many districts elementary schools are said to be receiving payments of \$2.50 to \$5 (such as "tipping").
Must Come from Outside.
Strike relief on the whole must come from the outside for the reason that with the exception of Denver and perhaps one or two other smaller towns at other towns and cities of any size in Colorado are deeply involved in the beet strike, are beet centers and owe their existence to the condition of the beet market. The strikers cannot collect food or relief from the landowners. In these territories because it is against these that the strike is directed.
Win Or Lose Now.
The situation is such that relief must arrive in substantial amounts immediately or else we must categorically state that because of the lack of this relief, the lines will break.
Send everything to the United Front Relief Committee, 1134 Eleventh St., Denver, Colo.

FORD CAMPAIGNS THROUGH OHIO

Gordon, Negro Writer, Urges to "Vote Communist"

NEW YORK.—The Communist Election Campaign Committee calls particular attention to the tour of James W. Ford, Negro worker and ex-serviceman, and Communist candidate for Vice-President of the United States. Ford is winning eastward from Indiana, through the principal of Ohio, and will come into Northern Pennsylvania and down through New York.
In connection with Ford's campaign, the National Campaign Committee of the Communist Party has published a statement by Eugene Gordon, a Negro journalist, who points out that the Republican Party thinks it has the Negro vote sewed up forever by merely claiming loyalty to "those who set the race free"—free to be oppressed as wage slaves instead of being oppressed as chattel slaves.
The democrats claim the Negro's vote in the name of "radicalism," "cutting loose from old loyalties" and becoming "a sort of dare-devil, a reckless, devil-may-care son-of-a-gun thumping his nose at convention" and getting office so that the unemployed Negro worker can stay in the slums "bathed in a golden glory" because Tammany has got a political position for some "Colored Gentleman."
"The Negro voter," says Gordon, "begins at last to see that the Republican Party is not going to keep any of the lush promises it makes to him. He knows that the Democratic Party is not going to keep its promises. The two parties themselves know that the Negroes know it, but they trust to his 'stupidity' to keep him voting for them."
"The Negro worker is thinking about all these things now. He is thinking of them both as worker and as voter. One of the results of his thinking is going to be the swelling Communist vote in Negro held this year."

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WHY ARE NOT THE MURDERERS OF PRESIDENT DOUMER ARRESTED?

The Daily Worker publishes herewith the leading article of the *Isvestia*, organ of the Soviet Government, published on May 23.

THE "investigation" in the matter of the assassination of the French President, Doumer, has been going on now for over two weeks with unusual "energy." The French papers are full of news concerning the statements made by Gorguloff and various witnesses, concerning the results of the inquiries of the French police in Czechoslovakia, Poland and Rumania.

The police and boulevard Press in France has sent its representatives out into all parts of the world and they report regularly the results of their inquiries by telegraph. And yet the result of all this investigation equals nil.

The investigation which set out to prove that Gorguloff was "a Bolshevik agent" began to doubt whether Gorguloff was Gorguloff, because the White Guard Gorguloff, a bitter enemy of the Soviet power, was personally known to thousands. Witnesses came forward one after another and all wanted to recognize Gorguloff as Kamarenev, Solotarev, etc., who, according to the statements of these witnesses, were Bolsheviks.

However, when the weaving is done too fine the fabric tears. Characteristics which were to prove that Gorguloff was in reality Solotarev, were missing—for instance, a characteristic scar on the hand.

The statements made by Gorguloff in the presence of the Cossack, Colonel Yeliseyev, according to which he had been a doctor's assistant and later on a doctor, proved to be correct. In the end the investigators were compelled to admit that Gorguloff was Gorguloff and no other.

However, even granting this point, Gorguloff might be a camouflaged Red. The investigation, therefore, set itself to inquire into Gorguloff's past.



Kerensky

Gorguloff has been known in the White-Guardist emigration since 1921, but all the efforts of the investigators did not succeed in discovering the least trace of any relations between this arch-White and the Communists.

This new failure then compelled the investigation to put forward another theory, namely, that the murder of President Doumer was the act of a madman. The police immediately began to inquire whether Gorguloff had spent the night before the murder in the company of a prostitute, whether he had drunk stiff doses of Hennessy or Martell's brandy before the murder, and, finally, in order to give their new suggestion some trace of scientific credibility they ordered a medical examination of Gorguloff's blood.

Should it now transpire that Gorguloff was syphilitic then naturally that will be taken as proof that he is insane.

However, if all those emigrants who occasionally spend the night with a prostitute, drink stiff doses of Hennessy or Martell, and react positively to a Wassermann test, are to be certified as insane, then the lunatic asylums of Europe would not be able to hold them all. But the French police must declare Gorguloff

French Police Knew White Guard Plans to Assassinate Diplomats as Signal for War Against the Soviet Union

to be insane, and Gorguloff, when he realized that a confirmation of this theory might save him from a great deal of unpleasantness, immediately began to suffer from "hallucinations." At one time the devil had driven him to commit his crime, and at another time it was God himself.

THE whole farce of this "investigation" would be laughable if it were not for the fact that it represents a direct support for the organizations of political murderers who are doing their utmost to provoke war. French public opinion must itself decide whether it is prepared to tolerate such an attempt to hide the traces of the organization which was behind the assassination of the President of the French Republic.

The French government must decide whether it is prepared to tolerate its police witch-doctors protecting a group of persons who are the political organizers of the assassination.

What the French choose to do in this question has nothing to do with us, but it is our business to point out to world public opinion that the attempts to cover up the tracks of those who organized the assassination of Doumer is at the same time an attempt to cover up the tracks of the provocateurs who are threatening the peace of the world.

All criminal codes provide punishment not only for the murderer, but also for those who instigated the murder, those who persuaded the murderer that his crime was necessary. For the sake of formality the French investigators asked the murderer whether he had had accomplices. Naturally, he denied having had any.

Agents of French Police. Those persons with whom he was in constant contact, his secretary and the editor of the newspaper, "Nabat," were not put under suspicion, for they are all agents of the French police.

However, Gorguloff was not only in connection with the little fish of the French Surete Generale; he was also in connection with the political organizations of the emigration and its organs.

We are in possession of the number of the "Vozrozhdenie" of December 21, 1931. This newspaper appears in Paris and the number in question contains the following appeal by Gorguloff:

"The slogan of the Green Nationalists is: The welfare of the Fatherland is the highest ideal! All-Russia National Peasants' Green Party. On Sunday, December 27, the leader of the Green Nationalists, Paul Gorguloff, will address a meeting in the Cafe Boulevard de la Tour-Mauberge on the subject: 'Who are the Greens? What are they fighting for? The coming National Russia.' Entrance free. Party discipline permits neither debates nor protests. The program of the Green Fascists, which can be obtained free of charge, answers all questions.

"Tremendous events are approaching. We, Green Nationalists, sons of the hundred million headed enslaved Russians and Cossacks, appeal to you to attend this meeting, to you all who know Russia and feel its terrible sufferings, to all of you, irrespective of opinions and nationalities, for all of you love and revere your country, it is dearer to you than your life, for without a country there is no life!

"Let our enemies slander the Green Nationalists! The Green Nationalists are not Fascists, but they are the enemies of Socialism, for the peasant is a property owner and will never be a Socialist. The Green Nationalists are Russian peasants, Nationalists, Democrats.

"Paul Gorguloff, the leader of the Green Nationalists. Having read this appeal in a newspaper appearing in Paris, the French police ought to have asked themselves what the 'Vozrozhdenie' actually represents and whether the murder committed by Gorguloff had anything to do with the circle of political ideas represented by this newspaper.

THE French police ought to know whose semi-official newspaper the "Vozrozhdenie" is. The

French police ought to be aware of the close relations of this newspaper with General Miller, the leader of the "Military Alliance," with the "Russian Central Association" and with all the 78 Russian organizations whose representatives were called together by the "Vozrozhdenie" in its editorial offices immediately after the assassination of Doumer in order to express "the general indignation of the emigration."

The French police know as the whole world knows what sort of organizations they are and why they enjoy unexampled privileges and unlimited protection on the territory of the French Republic.

The French police are aware that these elements take part in the parades of the French Army as "troop units of the Russian Army," that they maintain their own military academy and their own military schools, which are kept up with the funds provided by the French taxpayer.

The "Military Alliance." The French police know better than anyone else that the "Military Alliance" of General Miller, the "Russian Central Association," the "Supreme Monarchist Council," the "Trade and Industrial Party," and a series of other White Guardist organizations belong to this group, whose semi-official organization is the "Vozrozhdenie" and which propagates war against the Soviet Union.

Logical deduction and common sense would have demanded that the French police asked themselves immediately what connection there was between the murder of Doumer and the appeals for terror against foreign statesmen which were distributed almost on the eve of the assassination in a meeting of the "Russian Central Association" and published in the "Vozrozhdenie."

If the French police were prepared to abandon their extraordinary blindness for a moment they could read about this meeting in the "Vozrozhdenie." In the number of April 26, 1932, containing a report of the meeting of the "Russian Central Association" in Paris, the following can be read:

"In all the speeches a new tone in the temper of the emigration could be heard, in all probability caused by the new development which

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"Stern's shots have shown us that only a detonation is necessary in order to produce an explosion. It is necessary that this explosion should take place. It can only take place through an unfortunate war for the Bolsheviks. Stern's shots are of historic importance. Now is the time to act, and the emigrants must be the advance guard."

One of the pillars of the editorial board of the "Vozrozhdenie," Yablonovskii, comes into the open quite frankly in an article in the "Sevodnia," which is published in Riga. He supports "the new ideology" with fiery zeal in order that there should be no doubt about the character and the intentions of the White Guardist appeal. He writes:

"Stern's shots have made a deep impression. At the same time these shots represent a new departure in the tactics of the Russian terrorists, and the political significance of this change is very simple: Don't shoot at Bolshevik sparrows. It is more favorable for us, in every respect more favorable, to change our target and to aim at foreigners.

"The use of this is clear. A shot at a well-known foreigner can cause the Bolsheviks great and serious unpleasantness, and even cause political complications. Such a shot would cause Europe, which is not accustomed to think much about Russian affairs, to think deeply. . . ."

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"PEACEFUL AIMS"

By BARD



"We have repeatedly assured the Soviet as to the true motive of our advance, which does not extend beyond the protection of Japanese life and property," Admiral Saito, head of the military dictatorship in Japan.

DRAFT RESOLUTION FOR THE NEW YORK DISTRICT CONVENTION

The following is the second and final installment of a digest of the draft resolution of the New York District Committee for the District Convention.

The War Danger

THE danger of war against the Soviet Union grows every day. It is necessary not only to bring forward the situation in a propaganda and agitational form, comparing the developments of building socialism in the Soviet Union on the basis of the Five-Year Plan with conditions in the United States, but also to proceed to action in order to establish the Party and the revolutionary unions in the shops as a powerful factor in postponing war. It is necessary to organize in the shops and on the docks for the stopping of production and shipment of war supplies. It is also necessary to carry on this work among the unemployed, young and women workers, and particularly the Negro and Latin-American workers, who are powerful anti-imperialist forces, if lined up under revolutionary leadership.

The Election Campaign is not a separate campaign of the Party, but is the unifier of all the campaigns of the Party. The center of this campaign must be the shops, and the campaign must be linked up with every struggle of the Party. We mustn't wait for struggles, but organize struggles, so that the Election Campaign becomes a real election struggle on the basis of the demands of the workers for unemployment relief and insurance, against wage-cuts, for Negro rights, etc.

The District Resolution calls upon the entire Party membership to make a serious study of the situation in the units, sections and district, not merely to engage in self-criticism, but to make concrete suggestions for the change of work and for a decisive change in our practices.

In order that there may be a complete reorganization of the unit bureaus, section committees and district committee, the District Resolution proposes that there shall be a thorough discussion of every candidate for membership in the Unit Bureau, Section Committee and District Committee. Likewise, there shall be a thorough discussion of the delegates to the Section conferences and District Convention. Only in this way, will the Unit Bureaus, Section and District Committees be composed of workers from the shop and doing mass work, and thus give an organizational guarantee that the Party will get out of the groove in which it is at the present time.

Only thus will we see the Party in the shops and among the unemployed, win over the Negro and young workers. Only thus, will be able to rally the masses against imperialist war, for the defense of the Soviet Union and the Chinese people. Only thus will the election campaign be a real Communist campaign. This is the tremendous task before the district

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by the "Village Clearance Association" which is led and dominated by the militarists of Hupeh. This body decided on April 19 to impose a salt surtax of \$3 per picul and to collect not less than \$3,000,000 from the wealthy in the province to swell the funds for "Red suppression."

at the present time.

In order to provide guarantees that the resolution of the District will be realized, the following organizational steps shall be taken:

1. The District shall concentrate on the waterfront in Sections 1 and 7 and on Upper Harlem, and shall assign to the sections proper forces to concentrate on shops of basic war industries.

- a) It shall concentrate on building shop nuclei, strengthening the existing nuclei and building shop organization.
- b) It shall take steps immediately to train the comrades working in war industries.
- c) It shall carry on an energetic drive for the TUUC recruiting campaign.
- d) It shall make the building of the Unemployed Council a central task of the District and sections. To this end, the further concretizing of the last TUUL National Board meeting resolution must be made at once.
- e) It shall make preparations for the coming strikes in shoe, needle and longshore.

2. The District shall see to it that in the TUUC and revolutionary unions demands for the Negro workers and struggle around these demands are initiated.

3. The District shall initiate a broad campaign among the Latin-American masses in the District who are militant and anti-imperialist forces.

4. The District shall find a method of connecting up the shop nuclei, street units, sections and the unions of the respective industries.

5. The District shall check up on the assignments for mass organizations and add to or withdraw such Party members as are not needed in the mass organizations.

a) Leading comrades of the mass organizations shall be connected with the shop nuclei or the units concentrating upon these shops.

6. The District must assume the responsibility of pulling the YCL out of its isolation by:

- a) Having close contact in the District, Sections and Units.
- b) Training YCL members for mass work and conducting systematic educational work.
- c) Seeing that YCL members are assigned for factory and unemployed work, and checking up on their work.
- d) Intensifying the anti-war and anti-militarist work.

ist work.

7. The District shall take the organizational steps necessary in the war situation and also intensifying its anti-militarist work in conjunction with the YCL.

8. The District Negro and Women's departments shall be abolished, the work on these two fields becoming the direct responsibility of the District Committee.

a) The same shall be done in the Sections.

9. The District shall select a few street units in important sections concentrating on a shop or area and assign proper forces to work with these units, in order to gain experience in changing the inner life of the units by:

- a) Teaching the unit bureau members how to conduct the work of the unit.
- b) See that the proper assignments are made and checked up.
- c) Drawing to the front and promoting promising workers and giving them training.
- d) Discussing the campaigns of the Party on the basis of the work of the Unit.
- e) Working with the unit at the point of concentration.

10. There shall be a discussion of shop nucleus and of a selected street Unit at the meeting of the District Bureau every two weeks.

11. The District shall work out a system of cutting down the number of inner meetings, so that the members are released for mass work.

12. Immediately after the District Committee meeting, the Sections shall make a searching review of their work in the light of the resolutions.

b) They shall not only engage in self-criticism, but work out concretely how to apply the Central and District Committee resolutions to the work of the Section. In this they must be assisted by the District Committee.

13. The District bureau shall assign comrades leading in mass work, particularly shop workers, to discuss their problems in the Party press and the District bulletin to be issued in the pre-convention period.

The Election campaign must be taken into the shops, unions, mass organizations, neighborhoods. It must not be an agitational campaign, but be closely related to all the struggles, which in view of the deepening crisis and the war situation, must be intensified manifold. On our ability to bring the Election campaign into all struggles will depend the success of the campaign.

How We Sent Our Delegation to Chicago

By RAE GREEN

ON MONDAY, May 23rd, 16 delegates left Denver for the National Nominating Convention of the Communist Party at Chicago, Ill. They came from the striking beet fields of Colorado, from Wyoming and Utah, and from various trade unions in Denver proper. Most of them were crowded into an open truck, and protected only by the blankets which were loaned by sympathizers.

Four days later we received a letter, which read, in part: "Hello, Comrades. Well, we are getting there. Drove continuously since left Pueblo (a place where they were to pick up two steel workers—R. G.). Everybody in good spirits, but very tired; but all is well. From everybody in the delegation. (Signed) Carl Mickelson."

This was the spirit of the delegates from the very start. When, about three o'clock from the Party headquarters, the truck was stopped by police on the charge that it was a parade, and the driver, together with one of the leading comrades in the District, taken under arrest, the delegates (75% non-party) did not budge from the truck, but sang revolutionary songs for about an hour, until the police captain decided that it was not wise to try to keep the delegation from going off, and released the arrested comrades. The truck then went on its way.

All the delegates were elected at United Front Workers Election Conferences held throughout the district. At the conference in Greeley, Colo., where two best strikers (one man and one woman) were elected as delegates, the other women present pledged to take care of woman delegates three children. Workers and college student present as visitors then contributed as high as a dollar apiece to help provide for these children while their mother was gone to the convention. In spite of terror, denial of halls, and absolutely no money in entire communities, conferences were held and delegates elected.

From all these conferences came reports that worker after worker rose and expressed his indignation and disgust with the capitalist parties and determination to support the Communist Party in the coming elections. The Negro woman delegate (formerly member of the Republican Party) elected as delegate to Chicago at the Denver Conference, expressed the spirit of all the delegates when she said: "As a Negro member of the Communist Party, I am proud to be a member of the only Party which stands and fights for the rights of all laboring people." Everyone of them was fired with the same desire, as they went off to the Convention—to learn something about the Communist Party, and then to bring it back to the workers in his town and section.

WITH THE CHINESE RED ARMY

(Chinese Workers Correspondence)

THE recent victories of the Chinese Red Army in northeastern Kiangsi Province have resulted not only in the recapture of Loping and Wanlin, which were lost to the Kuomintang in 1930, but in the additional capture of many other small districts. Red Army activities have lately extended to the borders of Anhwei and Chekiang, and on April 16 Hwaphuchen, a large commercial town on the western border of Chekiang, was taken. The Peace Preservation Corps, an armed organization of the landlords, was crushed into submission.

Although the province of Hupeh maintains and feeds 15 divisions and 6 brigades of troops for the purpose of "Red suppression," the Red Armies of the province have repeatedly threatened Wuhan during recent months. On March 8, the Third Red Army, led by Ho Lung, defeated a whole brigade of Hsu Yuen-chuen's troops and part of the 40th Division in a pitched battle that took place between Tienmen and Chienkiang. The Chief of Staff of the Kuomintang troops was captured, also 22 howitzers, 26 machine guns and over 1,000 rifles.

An interesting light was thrown on the military situation in the Wpnan area by C. D. Dixon, chairman of the Hankow British Chamber of Commerce, at the annual meeting of that body held recently. Describing the "Communist-banded" situation, Dixon said:

"In February, when the Shanghai conflict was at its height, the Communist threat to Hankow was, as you all know, a very real one, and it was partly due to the collection by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of some eight lakhs of dollars, for the payment of arrears to the local garrison, that a disaster was averted."

Further: "To the north-east of Hankow there is a large group, known as the First Red Army, operating between Macheng and the Ping Han Railway. In January of this year this group threatened Kuangpei and entered into negotiations with the garrison for its surrender. The government rush-

ed troops from Hankow, surrounded the city and disarmed the garrison. Subsequently the Communists withdrew to the north and a number of them moved across the Ping Han railway to Yingcheng, which was being attacked at the time by Ho Lung's horde.

"... Hankow is in fact on island, upon whose shores the waves of Communism are encroaching like an ever rising tide. If Nanking can do nothing to lessen the danger the presence of additional naval protection in the high season will do much to postpone the threat of attacks to the Wuhan cities."

Dixon calls for more extensive intervention by the imperialists against the revolutionary struggles of the Chinese toilers.

When the Third Red Army took Siaoshih in Central Hupeh in the middle of March, it administered a crushing defeat to two regiments of well-armed Kuomintang troops. The general of the 41st Division (Kuomintang) was wounded in the action and the Red Army captured the brigadier-general of the 144th Brigade. The Shanghai Times on April 16 reported "severe fighting between the Communist forces and Government troops in the districts of Siaokan, Tingchen and Yummeng on the Peiping-Hankow Railway. The 48th Division, a crack unit of the Government expeditionary forces, suffered heavy losses and was compelled to make a general retreat. The 40th and 41st Divisions have been badly defeated by the Communist forces which frequently destroyed the Hupeh section of the Peiping-Hankow Railway for strategic reasons."

Ho Chien, Kuomintang chairman of the Hunan provincial government, permits no news to be sent out from that province concerning the Red Army. Nor does he permit it to be published in the newspapers of the province. Nevertheless, in the Shanghai "Shunpao" of April 19, tucked away in a corner, was a brief message from the Hunan capital, Changsha, wherein it was reported that "the Yoochow River is again blocked by the 19th Division engaged in suppressing the Red Army." According to an official statement issued by the headquarters of the 4th Route Army, the Kuomintang troops in Hunan have not received a single penny for their wages for the past 13 months.

However, Ho Chien is reported to have decided on a "Five-Year Air Force Plan" for his province, which is to have 160 fighting planes and four anti-aircraft guns by the end of that period.

On the Honan-Anhwei borders, Red troops, following the occupation of Hsiangchen, Kwangshu, Wangchuen and Koochi in mid-February, are now advancing in the direction of Chingyangkwan to the east of the Peiping-Hankow Railway.

The Red Armies of Kiangsu, Shensi and Kansu have been recently organized. Each of these armies consists of several hundred men with rifles. The Red Army of Kiangsu has occupied a small district east of Haichow, while the Shensi and Kansu Red Armies have succeeded in disarming 100 Kuomintang troops on the frontier of the two provinces.

In the desperate efforts to maintain its position as a lackey of foreign imperialism, the Kuomintang has begun a new drive against the Chinese Soviet districts and against the Chinese Soviet districts and against the Chinese Red Armies. Ho Ying-ching, War Minister in the Nanking government, who refused to take up arms against the Japanese invaders, has been appointed commander-in-chief of the "Red Suppression forces in Kwangtung, Kiangsi and Fukien provinces. On April 30 he called for Kanchangto personally direct the next "Red Suppression" campaign.

The artillery units and airplane squadrons which Chiang Kai-shek would not send to aid in the defense of Shanghai against the Japanese imperialist invaders are now being sent into the heart of Central China for war against the Chinese masses. The Nanking government has guaranteed a monthly sum of \$500,000 to defray the cost of the "Red suppression" campaign in the Yangtze regions. This is to be supplemented