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THANKFUL FOR WHAT?
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The light fist of charity is being prepared in the attempt to stifle the voice of misery and starvation tomorrow. Private charity, and church organizations will feed and warm a few on that one day, to hide the year long hunger and misery of millions.

HONDURAN REBELS CONTINUE FIGHT
TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Nov. 23.—Fighting between the revolutionaries and the federal troops is still going on in a number of districts. The Federal Government continues to report victories, claiming the occupation of Tela.

A KILLED IN BANK HOLDUP
BOLEY, Okla., Nov. 23.—Three bank robbers fought a desperate duel to death with the officials of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank and the police of this little community. The bank president was shot to death for sounding the alarm.

PREPARE NEW CHACO BATTLE
With the Gran Chaco battle grounds strewn with thousands of buried dead, preparations are being made for a new major battle in the undeclared war between Bolivia and Paraguay. Over 20,000 troops are lined up in the Fort Saavedra area for the new battle.

PRINCE MOCKS JOBLESS
BOLTON, England, Nov. 23.—Mocking with parasitic splendor the 150,000 unemployed and destitute men and women of this region, the Prince of Wales stepped out of his luxurious private sleeping car to begin a two day visit. Through his visit the prince hopes to nourish the illusion that British Royalty is interested in the welfare of the workers.

100 FARMERS DROWN IN FLOOD
BOGOTA, Columbia, Nov. 23.—Reports of a disastrous flood in the upper Andean regions of the Magdalena River Valley, told of 100 native farmers being swept to their death. Many were made homeless and destitute, their crops being ruined by the flood.

MOTHER MOONEY TO SEE STALIN
MOSCOW, U.S.S.R.—Mother Mooney, whose son has been framed into life long imprisonment by the ruling class of California, is making arrangements to see Joseph Stalin. She will bring to the leader of the victorious Russian workers a letter from her son, Tom Mooney.

SOVIET CO-OPS SHOW RAPID GROWTH
MOSCOW, USSR, Nov. 23.—Organization of the masses and co-operative efforts which overshadow anything of the kind in human history is reflected in the figures on the Consumers' Co-operatives in the Soviet Union. The co-operative membership now counts 71,898,000 or three fourths of the country's adult population.

PRISON RIOT IN NORWAY
OSLO, Norway, Nov. 23.—Inhuman prison conditions which drive prisoners to risk death in protest riots, today resulted in mutiny at the Askervek prison. Troops were called out to subvert the prisoners.

Engdahl Funeral Held in Moscow

Leaders of World's Workers Pay Tribute

By NATHANIEL BUCHWALD (European Correspondent Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, U.S.S.R., Nov. 23. (By Radio).—The imposing revolutionary mass funeral of J. Louis Engdahl today in the House of the Press here was attended by the delegates to the World Congress of the International Red Aid, by many American workers in Moscow, by hundreds of Soviet Union workers who knew Engdahl. The International Red Aid is the international organization of which the International Labor Defense is the American section. Engdahl, chairman of the executive board of the I.L.D., died largely as a result of wearing himself out in the terrific strain of the world wide struggle of the I.L.D. and International Red Aid to free the Scottsboro boys and Tom Mooney.

So many wished to attend Engdahl's funeral and pay their last respects to this leader of workers' struggles that the hall was crowded and hundreds stood outside. Engdahl's coffin was covered with flowers, and the orchestra played revolutionary funeral airs after each speech.

Leaders of the international revolutionary movement, including Katayama of Japan, Pieck of Germany, Marty of France, a representative of the American section of the Red International of Labor Unions; Harry Eisman, militant leader of the working youth of New York and now deported to the Soviet Union, and others paid high tribute to Engdahl's unstinting service to working class victims of capitalist courts. Speaking for the Executive Committee of the International Red Aid, was Fliegel-

A.F.L. HEARS DAVIS BOOST SALES TAX ON MASSES; PRELATE HITS COMMUNISM

Low Wage Station of Women Workers Revealed in Report

Salaries of Green, Morrison Remain at \$12,000 and \$10,000 Yearly

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 23.—The second day's session of the American Federation of Labor Convention here was featured by speeches from Senator James J. Davis, former secretary of labor, and Archbishop John T. McNicholas of the Roman Catholic church, rumored to be in line for a cardinalship.

Davis cautiously favored a sales tax. The archbishop denounced Communism, radicalism in the colleges, and birth control.

A.F. of L. COUNCIL GETS CHALLENGE ON JOBLESS AID
100 Union Delegates Hold Conference

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 23.—The A. F. of L. Convention today refused to admit a rank and file delegation of members of various A. F. of L. unions who had asked for permission to speak to the convention in favor of federal unemployment insurance and immediate relief at the expense of the government and employers. In spite of the presence of a large number of police, requested by President Green, Weinstock, New York spoke to the workers who had crowded into Netherland Plaza lobby in support of the delegation.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 22.—The American Federation of Labor Rank and File Committee for Unemployment Insurance and Relief opened its first session this morning at Labor Temple, 1318 Walnut Street, with close to a hundred delegates in attendance from New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota and other states.

A large delegation, over twenty, were elected by the Cincinnati locals. Tom Mooney sent a personal representative from Los Angeles to attend the convention. More delegates were elected but could not attend because the locals lacked funds to send them.

The delegates present came not alone from local unions but from local conferences and represent many hundreds of locals who have affiliated to the movement for unemployment insurance as organized through the initiative of the New York A. F. of L. Committee for Unemployment Insurance and Relief.

The Unemployment Insurance Bill which is being supported by the New York A. F. of L. and A. F. of L. Rank and File Committee for Unemployment Insurance and Relief in other cities calls for federal unemployment insurance equal to average wages but no less than \$10 a week and \$3 for each dependent. It calls for insurance to all unemployed without discrimination for the entire period of unemployment without any waiting period. The funds to pay unemployment insurance are to be secured through taxing the rich, through taxing big profits and all incomes above five thousand a year.

Walter Frank delivered the keynote speech in which he exposed the strike-breaking, starvation policy of the officialdom. He exposed the proposals of the A. F. of L. Council on Unemployment Insurance as a fraud.

Weinstock Makes Report.
Weinstock, secretary of the New York A. F. of L. Committee gave the main report which was the last point on agenda of the first session. Weinstock traced the history and development of the rank and file movement for unemployment insurance and showed how at each stage the A. F. of L. officials carried on a struggle against unemployment insurance.

Weinstock outlined the proposals for the continuation and intensification of the fight for the program of the rank and file and referred to the resolutions which are being proposed for consideration of the conference.

These resolutions are in support of the Workers' Unemployment Insurance Bill, against wage cuts, against injunctions, against imperialist war; for the unconditional release of the Scottsboro boys and Tom Mooney, in support of the National Hunger March, in defense of the Soviet Union and for the exemption from dues payments of unemployed union members.

Challenge to Green.
The conference condemned the A. F. of L. convention and the conference also voted to inform the A. F. of L. Convention that a committee of 25 will present the demands of the conference to the A. F. of L. convention at 2:30 P. M. Wednesday,

Force City to Provide Hall for Marchers



Boston jobless demonstration on the Common, Anna Bloch, speaking. These workers extracted a promise from Mayor Curley to grant the use of a large hall for the National Hunger Marchers Column 8, starting from Boston, Nov. 27.

Drive for War Sharpens Over Debts, China Loot

France Supports Japan Against U. S.; U. S. Tries to Get Lead of Anti-Soviet Front

Hoover Rejects Bids for Postponing War Debts, Proposes Bargaining

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Hoover today issued a statement insisting on the payments of the intergovernmental war debts due for war for a re-division of the world. This was further emphasized by the extension to the Central and South American puppet states of U. S. imperialism of Japan's ideological war with the United States.

Large numbers of pamphlets are being distributed by the Japanese imperialists in those semi-colonial countries. The pamphlets attack the forcible annexation by the United States of Mexican and Hawaiian territories and denounce the imperialist policy of the United States in Cuba, Panama, Nicaragua and the Philippines.

U. S. Ambassador to Japan, Joseph C. Crew, yesterday warned a group of Japanese business men of the disastrous effects a war with the United States would have on the already shattered Japanese economy and threatened trade reprisals against Japan.

For Looting China.
Side by side with these developments, the imperialists increased their efforts to divert the increasing war danger into anti-Soviet channels on the basis of a united front against the rising Soviet World of working-class power.

The suggestion of the United States, the League Council asked the Nanking government to name a representative to discuss with the League the proposals of the Lytton Commission for the "reconstruction" of China. These proposals aim at strengthening international control over China, speeding up the partition and looting of China, and at the same time strengthening the hands of the butcher Nanking government against the Chinese masses.

Use War Debts Club.
In the League discussions, Japan has so far successfully barred U. S. participation, while the United States is using the war debts question, with varying success, to bludgeon France, Britain and the smaller powers into line against Japan and to establish U. S. leadership in the anti-Soviet front.

This was behind the Hoover-Roosevelt secret conference in Washington. Both the United States and Britain are trying to get France to concede Germany "arms equality" with

and especially the rank and file of the B. E. F. American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars, against a letter sent out to the posts of these organizations by W. W. Waters, arch-betrayer of the last bonus march to Washington, in which he makes a dastardly attack on the second bonus march, the Veterans' National Rank and File Committee, in a statement issued here today, calls for a mass march of thousands of ex-servicemen to Washington for the opening of Congress Dec. 5.

The statement, after exposing the traitorous role of Waters during and since the last march, warns against tendencies that have appeared in some cities to confine the bonus marchers to elected delegates only. "The bonus march is a mass noun," the statement says. "Every Vet who wants to go to Washington must be welcome. Where groups of ex-servicemen are unable to go in a body, they

can elect delegates but the aim should be to recruit large masses of vets wherever possible."

This statement also points out that while police and federal agents threaten the country are cooperating with Waters and other misleaders in further betraying the vets, the out-and-out rank and file leader, John Pace, who fought so staunchly for the vets in Washington on the last bonus march, is kept in jail in Detroit, serving a 65-day sentence for leading a demonstration during the election campaign. The National Rank and File Committee calls on ex-servicemen throughout the country to demand the immediate release of Pace so that he can take his place at the head of the fight for the bonus.

Many Soldiers Back Vet's Fight.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(Information from Veterans' National Rank and File Committee.)

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 23.—The final sendoff for the big Minneapolis contingent of the National Bonus March will take place here Friday. Bonus marchers are still arriving here from the West.

Call for Mass March.
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Warning all ex-servicemen throughout the country

Hamtramck Jobless Win Food, Lodging for Marchers

City Council of Part of Detroit Appropriates \$100 for Expenses; Shows It Can Be Done in Face of Washington's Orders to "Discourage"

National Marchers Beaten Up in Minneapolis Jail; Whole City Seethes With Indignation of Workers; Mass Protest Meeting Yesterday

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 23.—Daily visits to the mayor by ever larger delegations of the jobless here have finally gotten from mayor a pledge to provide two meals and housing for the National Hunger Marchers of Column 7 when they stop over here the night of Nov. 28.

The Baltimore city administration gave a permit for tag days for the National Hunger March, Saturday and Sunday this week. It has granted the 10th Medical Regiment Army of Column 7 when they stop over the night of Dec. 3 for a reception to Columns 7 and 8 of the National Hunger March.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 23.—Continuing pressure on the city council of Hamtramck by the jobless, led by the Unemployed Council, has caused the council to vote \$100 appropriation for feeding and housing of the hundreds of National Hunger Marchers of Column 1 when it comes through here and stops over the night of Nov. 27. Hamtramck is a separate administration, but is really a part of Detroit.

The Hamtramck City Council has elected a committee of three to work with the Unemployed Council and make all practical arrangements for the meals and sleeping quarters of the marchers.

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Children Leave to Demand Relief

Elected in 10 Cities to See Hoover

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—In spite of Washington police threats, twenty children left New York last night as part of the delegation from several Eastern states which will see President Hoover to demand immediate relief for the adult workers and children.

In this group there are five Negro children and five Latin-American children from Connecticut, four from Boston, a number from Patterson, Newark, Trenton, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and probably Pittsburgh.

The delegation from New York will be met at the capital by five children from Connecticut, four from Boston, a number from Patterson, Newark, Trenton, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and probably Pittsburgh.

The children will demand: 1. Immediate relief for the winter months in the form of \$50 for parents and \$10 extra for every child. 2. The setting aside of money to establish federal relief stations all over the country. These to provide a quart of milk daily, one hot meal daily, free medical aid, carefare and school books. 3. No child labor under 14 years of age. The government to support all children who are forced to work under that age. 4. No discrimination against any Negroes, foreign born or youth in the giving of relief. 5. Against the closing of public schools and for immediate establishment of a fund by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for the building of new schools in working-class neighborhoods. 6. Abolition of state vagrancy laws. That the federal government shall provide funds to feed, clothe and house the 500,000 homeless youths and children now roaming the country.

Communist deputies in the French Chamber yesterday forced the government to admit that its secret war alliance treaty with Japan was still in effect, and that the French and Japanese general staffs were in close contact and communication.

These war developments within a single day must serve to warn the working-class of the United States of the head-long plunge of the imperialists toward a new slaughter.

The fight against capitalist war for the defense of the Chinese revolution and the U.S.S.R. is the fight of the working class for its fundamental interests, for the protection of the lives of workers and their families, for defense of their rights to organize and fight against hunger and starvation, rights which would be ruthlessly attacked in the event of war.

8 PHOENIX B. E. F. VETS JOIN BONUS MARCH

Disabled Ex-Servicemen, Kicked Out of Home, Also Leave for Washington

PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 23.—Eight members of the Bonus Expeditionary Forces, which is led by the fascist, Father who betrayed the last bonus march, have repudiated this organization, and joined the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League and started on the National Bonus March to Washington. These vets represent many other rank and file BEF members. They are speeding to overtake the Southern California and Arizona contingents which left Phoenix on Nov. 17th.

Disabled Vets Join March.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 23.—A number of disabled veterans who have been kicked out of the Federal Veterans' Home at Leavenworth, Kan., are on their way to Washington where they will join with other bonus marchers in the demand for immediate payment of the bonus and no cuts in the disability allowances, ac-

CORDING to reports received here by the Veterans' Rank and File Committee. The perverts state that the Veterans' Home is throwing out disabled ex-servicemen and their families for defense of their rights to organize and fight against hunger and starvation, rights which would be ruthlessly attacked in the event of war.

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Rally Behind the Hunger Marchers

COLLECT FUNDS AND FOOD FOR THE MARCHERS

By WM. Z. FOSTER.
The National Hunger March has reached big dimensions and is gaining momentum all over the country. The determination of the toiling masses to refuse to submit to another winter of starvation is seen in the enthusiastic backing the Hunger March is receiving. The plea of the Washington authorities to the state and local governments to "discourage" the National Hunger March was met with defiance by the radicalized masses.

The manner in which the workers of Minneapolis and Cleveland rallied to the defense of the Hunger Marchers when the police of these two cities made their attacks shows that this movement cannot be destroyed by police outrages. After fighting side by side with the workers of these cities for their local demands the ranks and of the Hunger Marchers went on stronger than ever.

Many Concessions Won
How successfully this national march is strengthening the local struggles against hunger and for immediate relief can be seen in a number of concessions gained from various city governments—for instance, Bos-

ton and La Crosse, Wisconsin. Such victories are possible because of the rapidly growing mass support for the Hunger March.

But at this critical time, when masses of workers are rallying to the standard of the Hunger March, the National Committee announces that there is no money with which to carry on. Nothing could be more deplorable than that, at a time when the radicalized workers are showing an increased willingness to fight against hunger, there should not be available sufficient funds to meet the expenses of continuing the struggle.

At such a time we cannot let this question of money stand in the way of this march which is sweeping through the country and that is destined to write brilliant pages of working class history.

Decisive Week
This week is decisively in the development of this great movement. Every effort must be put forth to overcome this serious condition. There must be provided the means to carry on this drive toward Washington, which must force the authorities to provide \$50 winter relief to every jobless worker and unemployment insurance at the expense of the employers and the government.

There must be the greatest mass support everywhere for this march. The workers of every city, of every locality, should organize and stage great mass demonstrations everywhere on December 6 when the columns of the National Hunger March converge upon Washington in support of the national demands and to fight for local demands. Let the hunger government at Washington know that the Hunger Marchers speak for millions of workers and their families who are determined not a single man, woman or child shall go hungry this winter, who demand that the capitalists who are responsible for this crisis come through with unemployment insurance.

Let all workers, all sympathizers, rally to the support of the National Hunger March and rush funds immediately to the Hunger March Committee, 146 5th Ave., New York City.

Continue the tag days for the hunger march this Saturday and Sunday. All out to raise a fighting fund for the Hunger March!

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1,000 TAKE CASES DENIED RELIEF AND WIN DEMANDS

Demonstration Before Home Relief Grew Out of Hearing

NEW YORK.—The exposure through the Open Hearings on Hunger, now going on in New York, has resulted already in one of the most determined efforts to force relief from the Home Relief Bureau for hungry families whose pleas for food they have rejected. It will lead to more such struggles within the next few days, and all these demonstrations will be recruiting grounds for the Unemployed Councils, and the leaders present will be asked to enforce the demands of the National Hunger March and place their delegates to go with it to Washington.

About one thousand workers stormed the doors of the Home Relief Bureau at 231 Elizabeth St. yesterday and forced it to grant relief for six families.

The demonstration grew out of an Open Hearing held Tuesday evening at Stuyvesant Casino, where about 350 were present. Five delegates to the National Hunger March were elected at the hearing and three additional ones right at the Relief Bureau yesterday afternoon.

The workers paraded down to the Home Relief Bureau, escorting six families which had been refused relief. They found 100 cops barricaded inside the place.

Go Ahead Anyway. The demonstrators set up their platform and speaking began. Two hundred and fifty more police surrounded the crowd menacingly, but they stood their ground and elected a delegation to take the destitute families inside.

The delegation and the families practically had to force their way inside, but once in they put their demands firmly to the Relief authorities, and the latter quickly agreed to come through.

At the Open Hearing a homeless worker, who had attempted to earn some money by shining shoes but had been stopped by the police, testified and recommended that a delegation visit Commissioner of Welfare Taylor and demand that an empty house or hospital of which there are several be set aside for the homeless unemployed. This was accepted and the delegation will visit Taylor on Monday, Nov. 28, at 11 a. m. "Guiltily."

Tuesday 300 workers, unemployed or part-time mostly, gathered at Boro Park Casino and found that Miss Mann of the Home Relief, Alexander Toney and Assemblyman McManara were disinclined to appear and face the hungry jobless of their precincts. All had been invited.

De Santos was elected prosecutor and a jury of 12 also elected, comprising both native and foreign born, both Negro and white workers.

Many jobless were eager to testify, but there was time for only eight. They told how they went again and again to the Home Relief, to be put off with promises that were never fulfilled, and meanwhile to be allowed to slowly starve. They told how the Unemployed Council called out the workers of the neighborhood and saved them from eviction. They told how the Home Relief tried to discriminate against foreign born and Negro families.

All gave specific and concrete instances and told how the police forced them to stand with the Home Relief to bulldoze and starve them. The jury rendered a verdict of "Guiltily as Hell" against the Home Relief Bureau on charges of starving the workers.

Four delegates were elected to go to Washington on the National Hunger March and all present pledged its full support.

A resolution was passed calling all workers of this section to the demonstration for more relief and no evictions, at Brooklyn Boro Hall, November 28 at noon, and to go to the Collector the evening of November 29 to support the demands of the National Marchers.

Another Hearing. Friday at 8 p. m. there will be an Open Hearing on Hunger conditions. All in the neighborhood are invited to 197 Humboldt St., Brooklyn, to take part. Assemblyman Brietenback and Mrs. Feinstein of the Home Relief Bureau are requested to come and say anything they wish in defense against charges that will be brought.

This meeting will also elect delegates to the National Hunger March.

Imprisoned in a Flop House. Tuesday morning there were speakers from the Unemployed Council on the corner outside of the Gold Dust Lodge, the Salvation Army Flop House, and the authorities, instead of forcing the inmates out into the cold morning as they usually do, refused to let them go out at all until the speakers had gone.

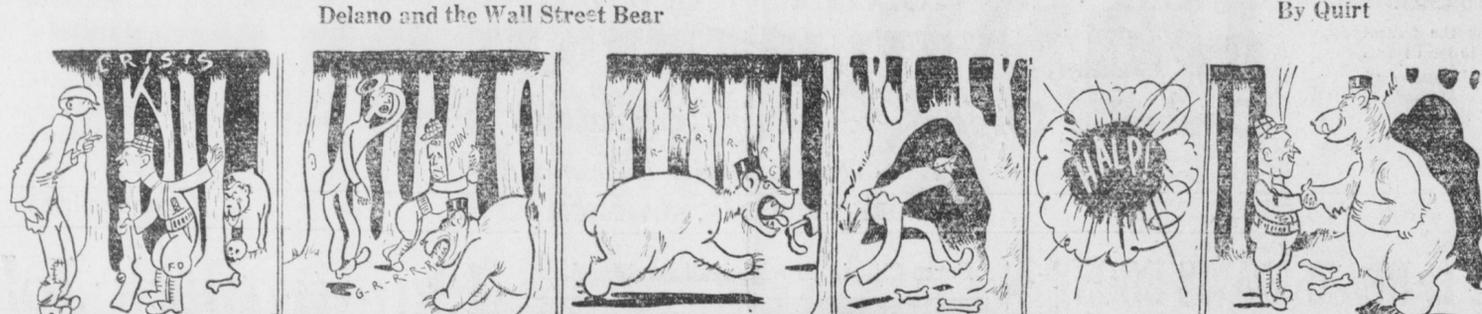
A Committee of Action is being formed among the residents of Gold Dust Lodge.

Workers School To Celebrate 10th Year. The Workers School is preparing to celebrate its tenth anniversary on three gala nights, December 9, 10 and 11, at Irving Plaza Hall, Irving Place and East 15th Street.

A mass meeting with prominent speakers and a program of entertainment will mark the opening on Friday night, December 9. On Saturday night, December 10, an elaborate concert and dance is being arranged.

The closing night, Sunday, December 11, will be the occasion of a large banquet and entertainment, to which all unions, shop groups, fraternal, women's and other mass organizations have been especially invited to send representatives.

Tickets for the mass meeting are 25 cents for the concert and dance 50c, and for the banquet 90c, and may be bought at the Workers School office, 35 East 12th Street, third floor, or from the students of the Workers School.



ROOSEVELT: THIS IS A DARK AND EVIL FOREST FRAUGHT WITH DANGER. I'LL LEAD YOU OUT!

ROOSEVELT: IN HERE QUICK! WE'LL FIGHT HIM OFF!

SAM WEINSTEIN TRIAL DEC. 6th

I.L.D. Dinner Tonight to Build Defense

NEW YORK.—The trial of Sam Weinstein, the framed-up furniture worker who is facing a manslaughter charge, has been postponed until Dec. 6th. This will be the final postponement and the case will definitely go on at the date specified.

All the defense witnesses are lined up and are ready to expose the vicious frame-up. The Weinstein Defense Committee and the International Labor Defense are mobilizing the workers to rouse mass pressure to force Weinstein's release and to raise funds for the immense cost of Weinstein's defense.

The Brownsville Branch of the International Labor Defense is arranging a turkey dinner today for the Weinstein defense. At this meeting William Patterson, national secretary of the I. L. D., will speak. All workers are urged to attend this dinner, which will be held at 1440 E. New York Ave., at 8 p. m. today.

GREET MARCHERS AT COLISEUM

3 Columns Join Here; Give Them Support

NEW YORK.—In demonstration of their support of the National Hunger March thousands of New York workers will crowd the Bronx Coliseum on Tuesday, November 29 to greet the New England and New York delegations bound for Washington.

The meeting will also ratify officially the demands of the National Hunger Marchers for unemployment insurance and for \$50 winter relief for every unemployed worker in addition to local relief, and \$10 for each dependent.

The New England and New York delegations, reinforced by auxiliary delegations from Long Island and the Hudson River Valley, will enter the Coliseum in a body.

Speakers at the meeting will be Sam Weinstein, who was spokesman for the New York State Hunger Marchers in Albany last week; Carl Winter, of the Unemployed Council of Greater New York; Israel Amter, district organizer of the Communist Party; Ben Gold, national secretary of the New York Workers Industrial Union; Harry Jackson, of the Waterfront Unemployed Council; Maud White, of the T. U. C.; and Alexander W. Mills, organizer of the National Committee of Unemployed Councils.

Brownsville Meeting. Friday, at 8 p. m., the workers of Brownsville are invited to a meeting at 105 Thadford Ave. to ratify their delegates to the National Hunger March. The meeting will be addressed by Richard Sullivan, one of the delegation to Governor Roosevelt last week.

EARL BROWDER SPEAKS SUNDAY. Earl Browder, member of the Secretariat of the Communist Party, will lecture on "Fascism and Social Fascism" Sunday night at 8 o'clock, Nov. 27, at the Workers School Forum, 35 East 12th Street, second floor.

Rehearsal of Fretwell Mandolin Orchestra at 105 E. 14th St. at 8 p. m.

Dance and entertainment National Students League at Central Opera House, 67th St. and Third Ave., from 9 p. m. to 3 a. m.

Party and entertainment for Sam Weinstein Defense Fund at Workers' Culture Club, 1450 East New York Ave. Ample Brownsville I.L.D.

Thanksgiving Dinner given by Unemployed Council No. 50 at 3308 Crystal St. Proceeds National Hunger March. Tickets 25c. Dinner 1 to 6 p. m.

Mass Meeting of Bath Beach Workers Club at 273 Bath Ave. Admission free. All welcome.

Mass Rally of American Youth Club at 407 Rockaway Ave., Brooklyn. Election of youth delegates to Hunger March.

Meeting film section Workers' Film and Photo League, 13 W. 17th St. at 8 p. m. Also class in film editing. All invited.

Membership meeting Prospect Workers' Center, 1137 S. Boulevard, Bronx. Hunger March will be discussed and election delegates.

Meeting Hill Hayswood E. L.L.D. at 3150 Coney Island Ave., Brighton Beach, at 8:30 p. m.

Committee will answer all questions pertaining to Hospital Workers and Hunger March all week at 114 W. 21st St. from 9 to 9 p. m.

All rank and file veterans report to 124 W. 29th St. at 10 a. m. today for "Thanksgiving Day" collection. All posts at W. E. S. L. meeting at 8 p. m. promptly. All musicians who are unemployed asked to help out veterans, especially bugle and drum men. Bonus parade Friday. Report above address.

GERMAN BOSSES SEEK COALITION

Fear Rapid Growth of Communist Party

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—Hitler, the fascist leader, proposed today that he would join a government, like Von Papen's, responsible only to the president.

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—This ruling class of Germany is suffering serious inner-convulsions in its attempts to avoid a dissolution of the Reichstag and new elections which will unquestionably register a further swing of the toiling masses toward the revolutionary standard of the Communist Party, which was the one Party in the recent elections that increased its vote.

Hitler Gets Ultimatum. Since the resignation of the Von Papen cabinet, President Von Hindenburg has been trying to patch up a coalition of the parties of the Right, with Adolf Hitler, the national socialist (fascist) leader as chancellor, to carry further the fascist attacks upon the workers. Hitler's own party is on the verge of a crisis, a situation that became sharper since the decline in the fascist vote at the recent election, and its failure to split the ranks of the Berlin work-

John Reed Opera and Leading Speakers at Reed Memorial Friday

For the first time in this country selections from the Soviet John Reed opera, "Ten Days That Shook the World," will be presented at the John Reed Memorial tomorrow night, Nov. 25, at 8:15 p. m., at the New School for Social Research, 65 W. 12th St. The memorial, which is in observance of the 12th anniversary of the great American revolutionist and writer who died in Moscow, will be held under the auspices of the John Reed Club.

Michael Gold, author of "Jews Without Money"; Joseph Freeman, author of "The Soviet Worker" and one of the editors of the New Masses; Prof. Oakley Johnson, recently expelled from City College for revolutionary activities; Earl Browder, secretary of the Communist Party, and Granville Hicks, noted left-wing literary critic, will speak.

Speed Collections of Hunger March Funds

NEW YORK.—The Joint Committee for the National Hunger March has announced today that only \$600 has been received so far from the collections made last Saturday and Sunday. This is a negligible amount and it creates a real serious situation in the preparations for the National Hunger March. The National Hunger March Committee calls upon the workers to make special efforts to collect more money during the coming Monday and Sunday, Nov. 26 and 27.

In the meantime do not keep any money on hand. Turn in all funds to 146 Fifth Avenue, which office is open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Hold Engdahl Rites in Red Square

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man, who delivered the resolution of the I. R. A. congress, concluding with the statement: "Comrade Engdahl will always remain for us the living symbol of a revolutionary fighter for our cause and of world wide proletarian solidarity, against race hatred and against white terror and fascism."

Engdahl's coffin had a guard of honor in which outstanding comrades took turn and turn about. The last group guarding the coffin was composed of: Manuilsky, Stassova, Marty and Pleck.

After the funeral speeches in the hall, the coffin was drawn in a red hearse with six black horses, their harnesses ornamented in red and followed by a carriage filled with flowers leading two thousand workers in procession to the crematorium.

There a last tribute was paid. J. Louis Engdahl as a leader of the American workers and as a fearless revolutionary.

It has been verified that Engdahl's fatal attack of influenza, followed by pneumonia and heart failure, was brought on because he overworked himself in the strenuous Scotsboro-Mooney tour of all Europe, and in his active participation in the International Red Aid Congress here.

Engdahl Memorial Dec. 15th. A. J. Louis Engdahl Memorial Meeting will be held Dec. 15th at the Bronx Coliseum.

The speakers at this meeting will be Earl Browder, who will speak in the name of the Central Committee of the Communist Party; William Patterson, National Secretary of the I. L. D.; Carl Hacker, Ada Wright, and Mother Mooney.

REDUCE OFFICIALS' PAY. NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The aroused unemployed membership of the Bricklayers Local No. 9, of the B. M. & P. I. U. of A., won no mean victory at their last meeting when they voted to reduce the salaries of officials to equal the wages of the workers on the job. Heretofore, such officials as the business agent and financial secretary were getting \$100 a week and \$30 a week expenses. Other salaries were also considerably reduced.

Stage and Screen

"ROAD TO NORTH" AND RUSSIAN TALKING NEWSREEL AT ACME THEATRE

In connection with the American premiere presentation of the newest Russian talking film, "Road to North" which presents a graphic and engrossing picture of life and conditions in the Soviet North—especially in Soviet Karelia, with its lumber industries, its mining, fishing and canning industries, the Acme Theatre, 14th Street and Union Square, is also showing the latest Russian Newsreel, one of the longest ever shown—some two thousand feet—which presents many important scenes and events from the U.S.S.R.

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TOSCANINI TO CONDUCT BEETHOVEN'S "EROICA" SYMPHONY SUNDAY

Toscanini will direct three more concerts of the Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra, on Thursday night and Friday afternoon at Carnegie Hall and on Sunday afternoon at Metropolitan Opera House. The program at Carnegie includes the Symphony No. 4 in E-flat major ("Romantic"), Bruckner: Violin Concerto in A minor, or Violin, with Michel Piatek as soloist and the Overture to "Leopoldo" No. 3, Beethoven. The Sunday afternoon concert will include Beethoven's Symphony No. 3 in E-flat major ("Eroica"); Scene III, Act I, from "Die Walkure"; Wagner, with Elsa Allen, soprano, and Paul Althouse, tenor, as soloists and the Prelude and Finale from "Tristan and Isolde" by Wagner. Toscanini will return in February to direct the final eight weeks of the Philharmonic.

WOMEN MMET TOMORROW

The Secretariat of the District Committee urges all women comrades, members of the Communist Party and sympathizers, to report to the District Office of the Communist Party on Friday, Nov. 25, at 9:30 a. m. for special work. The women comrades shall report on the second floor of the Workers' Center, 35 E. 12th St.

Beat Up Workers on "Relief" Jobs

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—One of the workers doing street work at Bear Mountains writes to the Daily Worker describing forced labor conditions imposed upon thousands of workers by the Emergency Work and Relief Administration.

"Today, at Bear Mountains, 15 men were laid off because they had their coats on. The foreman told them to remove their coats, but it was very cold, so they refused. The foreman, Johnson, No. 236, picked up an ax and his one ex-serviceman over the head, discharged 14 other men, took them to the police station where they were beaten up." The worker then lists a number of names of those who were discharged and beaten up.

Bath Beach Jobless Demonstrate on Fri.

The Bath Beach, Brooklyn, Unemployed Council will hold a demonstration for immediate relief at 12 noon, Nov. 25, in front of the local home relief bureau, 25th St. and Benson Ave., the council announced yesterday, after winning relief on Tuesday for two needy workers by a similar demonstration.

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VETS TAG DAYS START-ALL OUT!

Relief, Bonus Parade to City Hall Tomorrow

All out today, tomorrow and Saturday for the city-wide tag days that will help raise funds to provide food and trucks for the New York contingent of the National Bonus March to Washington! The New York marchers leave Tuesday, Nov. 29. All veterans and their wives are urged to get collection boxes at the headquarters of the Veterans' Rank and File Committee, 154 W. 20th St., and spend these three days getting the contributions that are absolutely essential if the New York contingent is to be sent off.

The Rank and File Committee is also busy making final preparations for the big Relief and Bonus Parade to City Hall tomorrow. Assembling in Union Square at 10 a. m., the vets will march to City Hall, arriving there at 1 p. m., where a delegation of 50 Negro and white ex-servicemen will present their demands for adequate cash relief for all of the 100,000 jobless New York veterans and their families, for the free use of armories for single unemployed vets, for trucks for the bonus marchers, for endorsement by the city government of immediate payment of the bonus, and other demands.

Send Wire to Estimate Board. Though Mayor McKee has promised to be present, the Board of Estimate, in order to dodge the starving ex-servicemen, has postponed its meeting till the following Friday. The Veterans' Rank and File Committee has sent a telegram to the Board of Estimate demanding that it be there at the appointed time.

Garment District

Garment Section Workers Patronize Navarr Cafeteria 333 7th AVENUE Corner 25th St.

International Barber Shop

123 WEST 28th STREET Near N.Y.U.U. Building

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OUR ANSWER IS

City-wide Food Collections from now until December 3rd! When you shop for your own family, remember the Hunger Marchers. Ask your grocer to contribute to the Hunger March commissary—canned beans, milk, fruit, apples, lemons, cheese, meat, anything that will keep. Rush your contributions immediately to one of the following stations: Concoops Store, 2700 Bronx Park East. Food Workers Industrial Union, 4 W. 18th St. Workers International Relief, 145 Fifth Ave. Workers Center, 35 E. 12th St. (in store on street level).

HUNGER MUSTN'T STOP THEM!

9TH DAILY WORKER ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION December 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE. Concert—Ball BRONX COLISEUM, E. 177th STREET 9TH

Automobiles, Trucks Urgently Needed to Transport Marchers

An urgent call for automobiles and trucks for use by the National Hunger Marchers has been issued by the national office of the Unemployed Councils of America. All those who find it possible to lend such trucks or cars are urged to communicate at once with the hunger march committee at 10 East 17th Street, New York City. Phone IS Algonquin 4-5320.

Daily Worker City Committee Outlines Wide Plan of Work

NEW YORK.—The City Committee of the Daily Worker met and outlined a plan for establishing Daily Worker representatives in all workers' organizations, for building the Daily Worker circulation, for establishing a sustaining fund and for promoting Daily Worker affairs, particularly the Daily Worker Anniversary event to take place New Year's Eve at the Bronx Coliseum.

The next meeting of the City Committee was set for Dec. 17.

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MASS SEND-OFF AND RATIFICATION MEETING for the National Hunger March BRONX COLISEUM 177th STREET, THE BRONX TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 7:30 P. M.

ORGET THE NEW ENGLAND HUNGER MARCHERS at this Mass Demonstration: JOIN IN RATIFYING THE DEMANDS of the Hunger Marchers for \$50 Winter Relief and Federal Unemployment Insurance.

TICKETS 25 CENTS PROMINENT SPEAKERS Auspices: Joint Committee for Support of the National Hunger March

RED CROSS CLOTH CASE COMES TO A HEAD, FRIDAY

Ready to Demonstrate Against Trickery of Gibson Committee

NEW YORK.—Needle trades unemployed held a demonstration yesterday in the dress market, and then delegates marched to the Gibson Committee office to demand jobs which had been promised through the Red Cross.

The delegation was given no satisfaction, and left, saying it would be back for a final answer Friday. If the answer is not favorable, a mass demonstration will be organized right at the Gibson Committee office. The workers say they are "fired of this dilly-dallying."

While the delegation was in the Gibson Committee office, a woman who had come for work fainted and fell down the stairs. On Friday at 1 p. m. there will be a mass meeting at St. Luke's Hall, 127-130th Street at which the committee is to see the Gibson Committee will give its report. Negro and white workers are urged to come. On Friday, at 11 a. m. all needle trade Hunger Marchers will meet at the union office.

N. Y. Jurists Protest Gallagher Expulsion

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—The International Juridical Assn. is holding a protest meeting, Friday night, Nov. 25, at Webster Hall, 119 East 11th St., 8:30 p. m., against the expulsion of Prof. Leo Gallagher from the S. U. University. Gallagher was expelled for his activities in behalf of the International Labor Delana, in defending workers in court.

Among the speakers will be, Oakley Johnson, Donald Henderson, Sol Aurbach, Corlies Lemon, Fred Hayswood, and Gropper will give a check talk.

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CHILDREN OF JOBLESS WORKERS ARE FIGHTING HUNGER; DEMANDS GO TO HOOVER TODAY



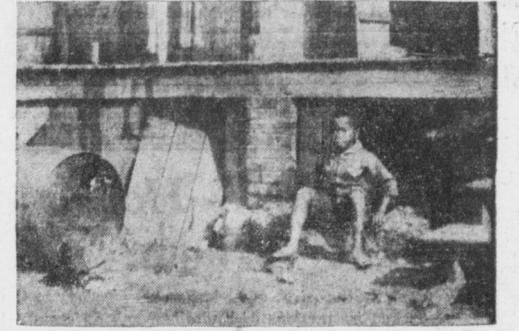
Out of work, no relief, evicted—mother and child sleep in doorway. There are 300,000 such children wandering homeless around the country.



Children's Breadline. They wait for food before Salvation Army soup kitchen. Even charity shop is frequently denied them. Demand free hot lunches at school!



A group of bootblacks in a parade of a thousand East Side New York children. The fight for local relief must go on while pressure is brought on Hoover.



Three children of unemployed Negro worker in Chattanooga forced to live in something like a kennel. The fight for relief is also a fight against anti-Negro discrimination.

International Notes

By PETER HENRY

MORE FIGURES ON THE GERMAN ELECTIONS

We are now in possession of detailed figures for the Communist vote in the November 6th Reichstag elections, giving the Party's strength in the major industrial districts. The Communist vote in Hamburg rose 25 per cent to 165,000, while the Socialists dropped nearly 10 per cent to 218,000 and the Nazis (Fascists) dropped 19 per cent to 206,000. In the Wandsbek district, scene of the famous Hamburg uprising of 1923, the Party's vote rose more than 55 per cent over the July, 1932, figures. The figures for the Westphalia and Dusseldorf districts, which include the Rhine-Ruhr heavy industry regions, are as follows:

Westphalia	Gain or Loss
C. P.	551,000 + 57,000
S. P.	473,000 - 107,000
Nazis	669,000 - 110,000
Center	771,000 - 51,000

Dusseldorf

C. P.	567,000 + 28,000
S. P.	235,000 - 25,000
Nazis	568,000 - 115,000
Center	577,000 - 40,000

STRIKES IN GREECE

ATHENS, Nov. 1 (By Mail).—Longshoremen have been out on strike in Kalamata (Peoponessus), and their strike was supported by a solidarity strike of workers in other trades, who also set up demands of their own. As a result the employers caved in and all the workers have won their demands. The custom tailors are on strike in Athens, demanding wage increases. Endeavors to bring in strikebreakers broke down completely owing to efficient picketing and a shortage of scabs. The boot and shoe workers are also on strike for wage increases in Athens. The current packers in Piræus, the port of Athens, lost their strike. The strike of the canal workers on the Corinth Canal, which has been going on for a week, has now ended with a partial victory. The working class is at last beginning to meet the capitalist "depression" challenge—waves of strikes are spreading over one country after another. Germany, Belgium, Sweden, Spain, England, and now far-off Greece. The proletarian answer to wage-cut and starvation must be mass action—the strike.

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Minneapolis Group to Leave Tomorrow

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COMMUNIST SAILOR SENTENCED

BERLIN, Nov. 2 (By Mail).—Petty Officer Kurt Spital of the German navy was tried yesterday by the German Supreme Court in Leipzig on charges of high treason, supporting an organization hostile to the state, refusing to obey orders of his superior officers, and a long list of similar offenses. The trial was held secretly. Spital is said to have been in touch with the Communist Party and to have organized Communist propaganda in the German navy. He was found guilty, sentenced to three years at hard labor, dismissal from the service and the loss of all civic rights for a period of six years. The imprisonment of this courageous anti-militarist will not dampen the Communist faith against imperialist war, even in the armed forces of the capitalist nations, where work is fraught with danger. It is in the exposed positions that danger is met, and there always will be Communists ready to meet it.

AMNESTY CAMPAIGN WINS PARTIAL VICTORY

ATHENS, Nov. 1 (By Mail).—The amnesty campaign waged by the workers and peasants of Greece under the leadership of the Communist Party and the Greek section of the International Red Aid has succeeded in securing the release of three imprisoned workers who were elected to parliament while still in jail. Two other workers who have been on the run for months, and who were also

COMPANY THUGS FRAME ORLOFF

Way-Laid by Drunken Guards; Defense Show

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Nov. 23.—Before a hostile court which refused the defense to examine each juror separately, and before a jury which for this reason, was picked within a half hour, Attorney Shullman, defense counsel made his opening statement in defense of Joe Orloff. Paid company thugs have already testified in the attempt to convict Orloff on charges of murder of a company guard, Shullman, in his opening speech, tore to shreds the case of the prosecution and told how Orloff was forced to fight for his very life in the face of continuous persecution and attacks by company guards. Orloff's freedom will be demanded on the grounds of the rights of an attacked man to defend himself.

Tells Story of Frame-Up

Shullman made a brief review of the circumstances leading to the framing of Orloff by the Mine Companies. Orloff went on strike together with other miners last summer. Since that time the company guards never ceased harassing and threatening Orloff and other miners. The attack on Orloff was engineered by the coal company. Orloff was ordered to move from the company house a day before the fight which led to the death of Jackson.

Guards Attacks Orloff and Opeck

Opeck, another miner, offered to help Orloff, and together they secured money and went to the superintendent to pay the rent. The superintendent was not in, but on the way back from his office, Orloff and Opeck were way-laid by guards who attacked them with clubs. Evidence will be presented that the guards were drunk. Opeck and Orloff tried to find refuge in the house of a neighbor, but the house was locked. Jackson followed them to the porch and attacked with his club. The two miners did their best to defend themselves on this deadly assault. In the cause of the struggle the mine guard was stabbed.

Quick Action Necessary

Mass meetings and telegrams of protest must flood the Court of Judge Baker in Morgantown, if Orloff's life is to be saved.

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Demand Roosevelt Act

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The Veterans' National Bank and File Company has sent a letter to Governor Roosevelt making the following demands: (1) that all tax-exempt institutions in the state be opened for the bonus marchers to sleep in; (2) that Roosevelt, who, as assistant secretary of the navy in Wilson's cabinet, helped send the veterans across, to the bosses' war, endorse the immediate payment of the bonus; (3) that he communicate with the mayors of cities throughout the state asking them to make all possible arrangements for the bonus marchers passing through.

Hold an Open Hearing on Hunger in your neighborhood; Invite all jobless and part time workers and keep a record of their evidence against the starvation system.

elected to parliament, have had the charges against them quashed. Two revolutionary workers serving long terms have been promised speedy release. This preliminary success will spur the amnesty campaign to secure complete and unconditional amnesty for all proletarian political prisoners. Mass pressure for the release of political prisoners is effective—in Greece, as well as in the Scottsboro case, in France as well as in England—and it will free Tom Mooney from San Quentin Prison!

WORKER CORRESPONDENCE

JOBLESS STRUGGLES PREPARES HUNGER MARCH

Hammond Workers Know Employment Is Not Increasing

But Cost of Living Rises Fifty Percent

HAMMOND, Ind.—In the last three months, the capitalist newspapers have been heralding throughout the country that more jobs are being had here. Here in Hammond and the Calumet Region the Township trustees inform us that the budget for relief of the unemployed must be increased, as more are appearing daily for relief. This is mounting from month to month. Where are all these jobs for the unemployed in face of this fact!

Increase in employment—such is not the case! But I notice something which has increased about 50 per cent—the cost of living! Eggs sold in Hammond three months ago at 12 cents per dozen. Now they cost 35 cents; meats have increased in price 30 to 40 per cent, etc. This is the prosperity for the workers which is always being predicted.

The National Hunger March will herald to the world what conditions in this country really are for the workers. Forward to the hunger marchers to Washington!

—A. M.

IOWA WORKERS FIGHT SLAVERY

Sioux City Officials Are for Forced Labor

SIoux CITY, Ia.—Last week the city and county officials brought forward a plan to lay off city laborers and replace them with unemployed workers. These workers are to receive the city "wage" but not in money. They are to receive grocery orders ranging from \$2.25 to \$3.25, depending on the size of the family. All relief received in the past year or two is to be charged up against the worker and the bosses' plan is to get forced labor out of the workers.

If this plan goes through, all the city workers now receiving wages will be added to the army of unemployed workers. A demonstration was held last week and the county commissioners promised to hold up on the plan until a joint committee of the Unemployed Council, city and county officials could meet on it. A date was set for the meeting and the board members failed to appear and sent a plea for postponement of the meeting. Another protest meeting will be held. At the demonstration last week, Comrade Kreiger was arrested but mass protest forced McBride, head of public safety to release him. Both employed and unemployed workers are aroused over the forced labor threat and mass demonstrations of militant nature will continue until the officials back down on their plan.

Jobless Baltimore Steel Workers Fight Eviction

BALTIMORE, Md.—After working seven years for the Bethlehem Steel Co. as an opener in the tin mill, Tom Kostas is facing an eviction from his house because he is unable to pay rent. His wife and baby have been living on \$3.60 per week for the last half year. This is the amount of wages Kostas received from the "Family Welfare" for the forced labor job they scraped up for him.

The rich Jasper real estate company ordered his eviction through the so-called Peoples Court. Steel and Metal Workers Industrial Union Unemployed Council of Highlandtown (Baltimore) are preparing to help fight the evictions, by organizing the neighborhood in that area for a struggle against evictions.

The council is doing everything possible to gain unity in struggle between the employed and unemployed workers, and mobilizing for the national hunger march.

—Steel Worker.

RESTAURANT BARS HUNGER MARCH COLLECTION

NEW YORK.—I was trying to collect money with my box for the Hunger March in the Willow Cafeteria, corner of 14th St. and Irving Pl. The manager came over to me and told me to stop it or he would call the police. So I had to go out and appeal to the workers not to patronize the place any more.

—Chester Unemployed Council.

The National Hunger March demands \$50 Federal winter relief and ten dollars additional for each dependent.

Direct Hunger March News

COLUMN 1 NORTHWEST

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 23.—Column 1 of the National Hunger March, from the Northwest, is to reach Milwaukee tonight and spend the night here. Big delegations of Milwaukee workers will meet the marchers this afternoon in West Allis and conduct them on into Milwaukee.

Win Relief, Build March

ROCKFORD, Ill., Nov. 23.—A successful united front conference here Friday and a series of local struggles has resulted in winning from the city government flour from the welfare station and much better treatment.

They have mobilized many workers organizations to collect for the National March, and ten delegates are elected to join Column 1. Tomorrow at 10 a. m. there will be a city-wide demonstration to send them off. They have instructions to ask Hoover: "How many workers have a chicken in the pot this year on Thanksgiving Day?"

The basis of this movement is the Unemployed Council which is growing at the rate of 50 a week lately. The single unemployed men held a meeting at the Blake School soup kitchen and floor shops Friday, threw out an official of the "Relief" who demanded the meeting be stopped, and elected a delegate to go to Washington.

Forced Labor on Roads Win Free Transportation

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Nov. 23.—Dan Jackson, militant Negro worker, resident of Hoover City was elected by a group of workers as a delegate to the National Hunger March. Dan Jackson will represent the entire Hoover City, which has a population of over 150 steel workers driven to this garbage dump to live because of unemployment.

A great mass reception has been planned in Youngstown to greet the National Hunger marchers when they arrive in the city on Wednesday, Nov. 30th. The demonstration takes place at Watt and Federal St. at 5 P. M. on Wednesday.

Three feeding stations have been set up to feed the delegates. The stations are located at: The Zora Club Room, 525 West Raven Ave.; The Iron Center, 307 North Walnut St.; and the Workers Center, 334 E. Federal St.

Preparing in Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 23.—Unemployed Councils and block committees of Pittsburgh have been holding mass meetings to elect the delegates for the National Hunger March that comes through on Dec. 1 on the way to Washington, D. C. Column 1 and 4 join here on that date.

Thursday morning a delegation of 75 from one of the Block Committees on the Hill went to the local Welfare Department with a list of 42 cases of families and single men needing relief, facing evictions, or having their gas disconnected, and the meeting was held anyway. The column left on schedule, with recruits from Des Moines, this morning for Davenport.

What Has Been Done in Waukegan

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Nov. 23.—The Unemployed Council here is growing and is busy collecting funds, food and blankets for the National Hunger Marchers. Column 1 goes through here tomorrow at 1:30 p. m., and will be welcomed at a mass meeting outdoors if the weather permits, otherwise in the Workers Hall. The city council heard a delegation demanding gasoline and oil for the March, but refused to vote on it.

MIDWEST COLUMNS 2, 3, 5

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 23.—The first detachment of Column 2 of the National Hunger March came into Denver last night, a whole day ahead of schedule. It was a car with delegates from Oakland, Cal. Other cars are strung out along the road an hour or so apart and will all be here by this morning.

There are now 38 delegates in this column, and Denver workers are rushing cartloads of food and extra drivers to the cars at the end of the procession.

The southwestern Column, from the Southwest, left Colorado Springs at 2:30 p. m. yesterday under the leadership of Charles Gunn, who joined there with 15 delegates from all delegates then in town were given a rousing mass welcome at the Carpenter's Hall by the Denver workers.

As soon as late arrivals get in and cars are repaired, the consolidated Columns 2 and 3 start eastward, to make their first stop at Burlington. In Kansas City, Nov. 26, these two columns will be joined by Column 5 from Texas and Oklahoma. There are now 38 delegates in this group, which forms Column 3 of the National March.

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HAMTRAMCK JOBLESS WIN FOOD

Hunger March Secures New Support

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

The Unemployed Council delegations to the Hamtramck City Council were headed by Kristalski, who was Communist candidate for mayor in the last city elections.

A Good Struggle

This splendid victory of the jobless here shows what can be done by proper organization and determination of unemployed and employed workers ready to back up the demands of the National March. The city of Detroit was one of those to which the District of Columbia commissioners recently sent telegrams urging the National Hunger March be "discouraged." A real mass movement in support of the National Hunger Marchers can't be "discouraged" and even when facing such savage police attacks as were launched in Minneapolis Monday, the workers give a good account of themselves.

Last Monday another delegation to the city council with 300 workers demonstrating to back them up, went to the Hamtramck city council and brushed past police set at the entrance to the Welfare Department's offices and filled the building with workers shouting: "We want food," "We want clothing." The delegation presented the cases of 14 unemployed workers who were not getting relief and the city council promised food, clothing and coal for them.

Large forces of police had meanwhile assembled, and menaced the demonstrators with tear gas and clubs, but they weren't scared and finally marched out after their victory and paraded down the streets, which were lined with cheering crowds.

Detroit Welcomes Marchers. The National Hunger Marchers will be met in Detroit by a mass meeting in one of the largest halls in the city, Arena Garden, Woodward Ave. and Hendrick St., at 7:30 p. m. Sunday. The Detroit delegates to the march will be ratified there. Employed and unemployed workers will march in columns from all parts of the city to this reception.

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"Restoration"—How and For Whom?

How promptly the A. F. of L. leadership responds to the needs and instructions of capitalism and its captains! In Cincinnati Green preaches "restoration" of the damaged capitalist system.

The order of the day from Wall Street and its government to President Green and the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor is to split the militant mass movement for federal unemployment insurance led by the Communist Party and the Unemployed Councils (within the A. F. of L. itself there is the rank and file Committee for Unemployment Insurance and Relief) into 48 separate state movements of a purely lobbying character—and thereby castrate it. The mass support for the National Hunger March has alarmed the rulers of America. The capitalist leaders understand very well the revolutionary implications of the mass struggle for federal unemployment insurance.

We must acquaint the masses of A. F. of L. members with the full meaning of the proposal for unemployment insurance on a state basis and for some vague future time and organize them to defeat this new flank attack on them and the working class as a whole.

The opening speech of President Green to the convention of the American Federation of Labor now in session in Cincinnati has made still clearer the calculated character of the perfidy which prompted the Executive Council to shift from a position of open opposition to all forms of compulsory government unemployment insurance to a proposal for compulsory unemployment insurance enacted by the state legislatures.

On the surface this appears to be an advance and undoubtedly will be hailed as such by the liberals and the Socialist Party. Actually it is a peculiarly cunning and contemptible piece of treachery to the 15-16 million unemployed, the part time workers now being forced to "share the work" still more under the Teague plan, and to the whole working class.

Green's promise to call on state legislature "to enact this form of social legislation into law" and create public opinion for it, immediately after the convention, confirms our previous statement that the main intention of the whole scheme is to divert the mass struggle for federal unemployment insurance, which hundreds of A. F. of L. local unions have endorsed, into the shallow channels of state legislation where the whole movement would be stranded.

This maneuver of the bureaucracy is designed to check and demoralize the growing demand for federal unemployment insurance at the expense of the bosses and their government especially among members of A. F. of L. unions where, as in the building trades, unemployment runs as high as 85 per cent. Undoubtedly it has the endorsement of both the Hoover administration and President-elect Roosevelt, since it has the object of condemning the unemployment insurance movement to futility, of freeing the federal government from further embarrassment.

All principal policies of the A. F. of L. bureaucracy carry the open or secret endorsement of Wall Street and its government and in the present acute crisis this one has received a special blessing. President Green himself described its purpose ("expressed," as the New York Times says, "after his discussion of unemployment insurance"), when he breathed the desire that the convention program would "make a valuable contribution toward the restoration of our impaired capitalist structure."

In this manner Green and the rest of the A. F. of L. executive council combine demagoguery with open reaction in support of a system, a class and a government which has in three years lowered the living standard of the entire American working class by at least 70 per cent and which continues to assail the working class on all fronts.

This maneuver of the bureaucracy confronts the militant workers in the A. F. of L. unions with the special and serious task of quickly explaining the political content of it to the membership as a whole. Especially is this true of those Communist working in the A. F. of L. Committee for Unemployment Insurance and Relief whose program has been endorsed by hundreds of local unions. Its conference in Cincinnati furnishes the concrete contrast between the needs and will to struggle of the membership and the opposition to and sabotage of compulsory federal unemployment insurance by the bureaucracy.

The need of the moment is the exposure of the reactionary political content of this sabotage and its consequent defeat. The bureaucrats must not be allowed to hide their treachery behind the slogan of "compulsory unemployment insurance enacted into law by state legislature." They must not be allowed to split the movement. A. F. of L. members must be won for the nation-wide struggle for federal unemployment insurance.

It is not "restoration" of the "capitalist structure" as advocated by Green that the American working class needs. It needs what the Communist Party advocates and fights for: Militant mass struggle on all fronts against the capitalist offensive—not restoration but the overthrow of capitalism and the establishment of a Workers' and Farmers' Government.

Support the National Hunger March!
Join the mass fight for immediate relief and for unemployment insurance for those millions now unemployed!

COPPER TRUST TRIES TO DISRUPT MASS FIGHT FOR 9

Wants Scottsboro Case Handled by Reformist Groups

HANCOCK, Mich., Nov. 21.—The tremendous partial victory won by mass pressure in the Scottsboro Case and its possible effects on the miners are worrying the local copper trust newspaper, the Evening Copper Journal.

In an article in its Nov. 15 issue, the Journal tries to make it appear that the International Labor Defense had nothing to do with the Scottsboro case. It peddles the fantastic lie that "the Civil Liberties Union took up the Scottsboro Negroes' fight," further declaring that "the Civil Liberties Union having carried an appeal to the Alabama supreme bench and lost, turned to the federal tribunal of last resort."

Ridiculous lie. The Journal indulges in such a ridiculous lie when all the world knows that the Scottsboro boys and their parents rejected the policy of the white and Negro reformists of dependence on the "integrity" and "fairness" of the bosses' lynch courts and turned instead to the I. L. D. and its militant policy of mass defense. It knows that the I. L. D. policy won the reversal of the lynch verdicts in the U. S. Supreme Court.

The writer of the article in the Journal admits that the State Department attempted to disrupt the mass defense campaign in Europe. He refers insultingly to Mrs. Ada Wright as "the old Negro mammy" in speaking of her defense tour of Europe, and states:

"The State Department, taking a hand, succeeded in getting her deported successfully from Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Austria and Bulgaria. This advertised her crusade to such an extent that the expected septuple electrocution promised to cause repercussions throughout the world."

New Pamphlet on 'Fifteen Years of the Soviet Union'

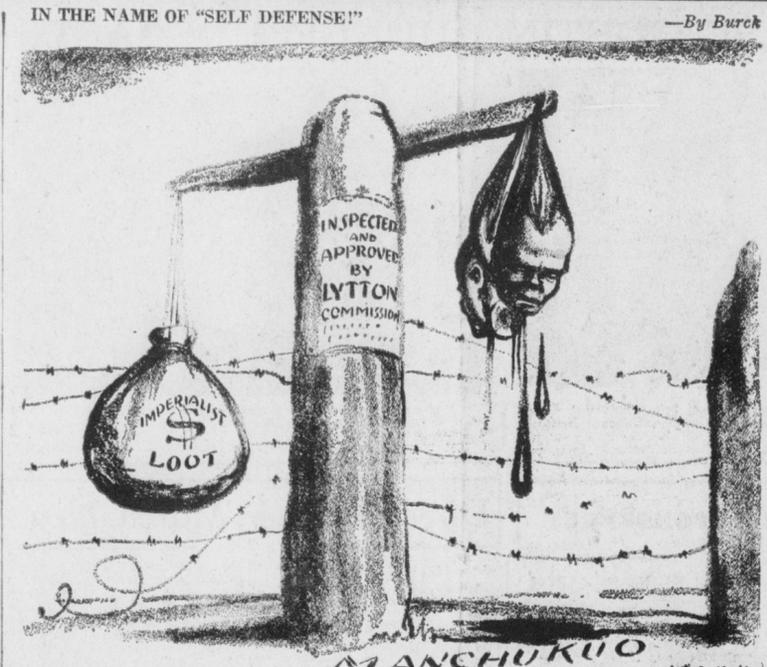
FIFTEEN YEARS OF THE SOVIET UNION. A new pamphlet published by the Friends of the Soviet Union. Price 5 cents.

This pamphlet gives an excellent picture of November 7, 1917, and the events following this memorable date up to the present time; the seizure of power by the Bolsheviks, the fight against counter-revolution, the imperialist armies of invasion and the White Guards are briefly and dramatically described. Then follows an account of the restoration period and the inauguration of the Five-Year Plan in 1928. The highlights of the achievements of socialist construction, the improvement in the living conditions of the workers and peasants, the liberation of the formerly oppressed minor nationalities, the vast improvement in the position of women, and great care given to children in the Soviet Union are clearly demonstrated by facts and figures.

The pamphlet is well illustrated with photographs from the Soviet Union covering the entire period, and tables are given of the industrial, agricultural and cultural advance.

This is the only pamphlet which has appeared in English of a popular nature covering the period since the Revolution. It is 32 pages and sells for 5 cents, with discount to organizations. It can be had from the Friends of the Soviet Union, 80 E. 11th St., New York City. Order from the Workers' Library Publishers, Box 148, Station O, New York, N. Y.

role of mass pressure on the lynch courts in forcing a reversal of the lynch verdicts, the writer unwittingly admits that it was this mass pressure and the fear of the capitalists of "repercussions throughout the world" that forced the U. S. Supreme Court to order a new trial for the innocent Scottsboro boys, even while at the same time pointing out to the Alabama courts how best to carry out the legal lynchings.



To Prove Anti-Soviet Writer Is Racketeer

A. A. Heller and Liston M. Oak, editors of "Soviet Russia Today," announced yesterday that the law firm of Hays, St. John, Abramson & Schulman, engaged to defend the magazine libel suit instituted by Isaac Don Levine, have obtained an extension of time in which to file answer to Levine's complaint.

Isaac Don Levine is the author of a series of books and articles which slander the Soviet Government, the Soviet workers and peasants and the Communist Party, which leads them in the building of Socialism. "Soviet Russia Today" in a review of Levine's latest book of slander called "Red Smoke," stated that Levine is a literary racketeer, a pen prostitute and an unscrupulous anti-Soviet propagandist.

SLANDERS U. S. S. R. Interviewed yesterday, Liston M. Oak declared: "Levine's writings are an amazing network of inaccuracies, misstatements, misquotations, distortions of fact and exaggerations, calculated to give an entirely false picture of the Soviet Union. He draws freely for his material upon the White Guard, Trotskyite and Social Democratic press. It will be a simple matter to prove that Levine's statements are flatly contradicted not only by statistics and other facts from Soviet sources, but from investigations made by prominent conservative American scientists and engineers."

"Levine's thesis in 'Red Smoke' is that the natural resources of the Soviet Union are among the lowest in the world and inadequate for an important industrial power and that 'Stalin's regime brought the Russian standard of living below that of China and India.' Levine marshals arguments in a futile attempt to prove that the Five-Year Plan is a failure. 'Soviet Russia Today' has already collected bulky documentary proof that Levine's argument about the poverty of natural resources in the Soviet Union is ridiculous and untrue. We can easily prove the truth of Col. Hugh L. Cooper's statement that Russia and the U. S. has today more natural resources upon which to build and maintain a high standard of living than is to be found elsewhere in the world . . . the greatest immediately available undeveloped natural resources in the world today are located within the Soviet Union." Col. Cooper might have added that only in the Soviet Union is the standard of living steadily rising. In the United States, as in all capitalist countries, wages are being cut, workers are being reduced to a bare subsistence level if they are lucky enough to have jobs at all."

MISSTATES FACTS "Isaac Don Levine deliberately misstates facts not only in his statement about the natural resources in the U. S. S. R., but his whole collection of charges against the Soviet Union are base slanders of an unscrupulous literary racketeer. We will welcome a chance to prove this in court and before the working class of America. To do this Soviet Russia Today has started a campaign to raise a \$5,000 defense fund to be used not only in legal defense, but in exposing Isaac Don Levine."

"Soviet Russia Today" announced that the proceeds from the Emma Redell concert at Carnegie Hall on Nov. 29 will go to the benefit of the defense fund.

"China Express" Will Be Shown Thruout U.S.

NEW YORK.—At the office of the Garrison Film Distributors, (729-7th Ave.) it was learned that 100 showings of "China Express" have been arranged with the International Workers Order. The I.W.O., by arrangement with the Garrison Film Co., will tour this world-famous film thruout at least 100 cities, towns and villages during the next four months.

This tour will mark the first extensive use of 16mm (small size for small portable projectors) by workers organizations.

FOR SOLIDARITY OF NEGRO AND WHITE

"Long live the solidarity of Negro and white workers which the self-sacrificing activities of revolutionaries like Comrade Engdahl have helped to cement. Long live the memory of Comrade Engdahl enshrined in the hearts of the whole working-class! Long live the Communist International and our Com-

Death of Engdahl A Loss to Workers

James W. Ford, Recent Communist Candidate, Pays Tribute to Revolutionary Leader

THE news of the death in Moscow of J. Louis Engdahl, one of the outstanding revolutionary leaders of the American working-class, has caused a profound feeling of loss among the workers of this city and throughout the whole country. Engdahl died Monday afternoon after several days illness of pneumonia, following a strenuous six months tour in 16 European countries for the building of the Scottsboro Defense campaign in Europe.

Engdahl's ashes, according to word received today from Moscow, will be brought back to the United States, and a series of memorial meetings will be held in various parts of the country.

Engdahl was accompanied on the European tour by Mrs. Ada Wright, mother of two of the nine innocent Scottsboro Negro boys facing legal lynching in Alabama. He was in Moscow attending the World Congress of the International Red Aid, whose sections in many countries are leading the fight for the Scottsboro boys.

Engdahl had been active for many years in the revolutionary movement. He was formerly editor of the Daily Worker and up to a few weeks ago General Secretary of the International Labor Defense.

James W. Ford, Communist vice-presidential candidate in the recent elections, yesterday paid the following tribute to the dead revolutionary fighter:

"J. Louis Engdahl was a staunch supporter of the Communist International, a leader of the Communist Party of the United States, a fearless fighter in the struggles of the workers, white and black.

"We can only have the greatest proletarian admiration for the courage and fearlessness with which Comrade Engdahl plunged into the struggle for the release of the Scottsboro boys, the fight for Tom Mooney and all class war prisoners.

DEATH FOLLOWED TOUR "Without doubt, the strenuous tour throughout Europe with Mrs. Wright, mother of two of the Scottsboro boys, crystallizing mass sentiment in the fight for the release of the Scottsboro boys, lowered his physical resistance.

"At the direction of the United States government both Engdahl and Mrs. Wright were rounded and imprisoned by social-fascist governments of Europe, attacked by Socialist officials of Europe and slandered by socialist leaders in the United States.

FOUGHT SOCIALIST MISLEADERS "Comrade Engdahl carried on a relentless exposure of the traitorous collaboration of the Socialist leaders with the American imperialists in their monstrous oppression of the Negro masses of this country and their hideous frame-up of the innocent Scottsboro children. The experiences of Comrade Engdahl and Mrs. Wright with the Socialist misleaders are confirmed by my own experiences when in 1931 at Graz, Austria, I was arrested by socialist police for speaking in defense of the Scottsboro victims, and deported from Austria by the socialist Chief of police at Graz who rifled my pockets to pay the expenses of police to escort me to the border.

"I last saw Comrade Engdahl at Hamburg, Germany, in 1930, while I was Secretary of the International Trade Union Committee of Negro Workers. He came to me to extend fraternal greetings and solidarity through our committee to the Negro toilers throughout the world and to weld together the solidarity of the African workers with the white workers for the fight to free Tom Mooney.

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munist Party in the United States, the defender of the rights of the Negro masses, the leader of the working-class in the struggles against hunger and imperialist war."

OAKLEY JOHNSON, Secretary of the American Committee Against War, and recently fired from the College of the City of New York for revolutionary activities, issued the following statement:

"You have a right to refuse to starve, said J. Louis Engdahl on the occasion of that great demonstration against hunger that took place in Union Square on March 6, 1930. You have a right to defend yourself from the attack of the bosses. The workers have a right to fight for their lives."

My Man Is in Jail; Please Do Send Me Money for Eat'

Dear Friends: "Please give me some money to eat while my husband is in jail, please have a heart to send some money. Got two children, the baby is small and nobody comes to see her, my husband is in jail and see my husband I haven't got no money to go and see my husband."

This is a letter from Mrs. Sam Benito, wife of a prisoner framed on a charge of manslaughter while defending himself against the attack of a body guard of one of the leaders of the United Mine Workers of America. Arrested in 1929, Benito was only sentenced in 1932. For from Texas to twelve years, Benito, locked up in the Pennsylvania Eastern State Penitentiary will be unable to help his wife and their two children, Micael and Jennie. Again and again Mrs. Benito writes in to say that she can find no work, and that the International Labor Defense stands alone in helping her.

We must carry on in this work. You will not let this family of a class war prisoner starve. Give to the Prisoners' Winter Relief Campaign, tell your friends about this case! Send all contributions to the International Labor Defense, 80 E. 11th St., Room 430, New York, N. Y.

BEN GOLD TO TOUR COUNTRY

In accordance with the decisions of the National Convention of the Negro Workers Industrial Union to strengthen the districts and help them prepare struggles of thousands of needle trades workers for better conditions, and against betrayals of the Socialist and A. F. of L. trade union bureaucrats, the National Secretariat of the union at its last meeting decided that Ben Gold is to begin a tour in the early part of December. He is to visit the Coast, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore and other centers.

Comrade Gold will bring the message of the New York furriers, their achievements, and gains recently made.

NEGRO SLAVERY TODAY

John L. Spivak's Stirring Novel "GEORGIA NIGGER"

NOTE:—"Georgia Nigger" is a scathing exposure of the hideous persecution and national oppression of the Negro masses. The Daily Worker is reluctantly opposed to the white ruling class term, "nigger," and to the specious, contemptuous treatment of Negroes which it symbolizes. The author shares this view, but, in order to please a large picture of these horrible conditions, he considered it necessary to use this term as otherwise he would have put into the mouths of the boss lynchers terms of respect for Negroes which they do not use.—EDITOR.

INSTALLMENT 21

THE STORY SO FAR: After escaping from the slave farm of the powerful white planter, Jim Deering, where Negroes are tortured and sometimes murdered, David Jackson, a Negro lad, is being driven to the next county by Ramsey, a planter who has come to his aid, when they are overtaken by Sheriff Dan Nichols, a Deering hireling, and forced to turn back to the courthouse. While Nichols tries to persuade Ramsey to give up the boy, he summons Deering and Shay Pearson, the white planter on whose farm David's father, Dee Jackson, is a share-cropper. Now read on:

DEERING'S jaws were clenched when he appeared. He nodded to the planters and greeted Nichols with, "Glad you got my nigger, Sheriff."

"There he is, Mr. Deerin', but, as I said, there's a 'll difficulty."

"That's alright. I don't expect he'll give me any more trouble."

"Not that way. He's got some kind of complaint—"

"Oh, hell! What nigger hasn't?"

"MURDER!" Ramsey took the cigar from his mouth.

"In this case," he said gravely, "it's rather serious. This nigger charges you with having committed murder."

Deering's face flushed a brick red. He glanced at David with a hard glint in his eyes.

"Well!" he exclaimed. "These niggers will certainly go a long way to avoid paying their debts! Why, Mr. Ramsey, I saved that little bastard from the chain gang and now he says I committed murder. I'll be damned!"

"I do not believe that is his sole reason—"

DEERING'S jaws showed white against his skin.

"Are you implying—"

"I am implying nothing. This nigger is making a grave charge. He tells me he and other niggers are kept locked up under a guard of armed men, that they are terrorized, beaten, and that he saw you shoot a nigger named Limpie Rivers and heard you issue orders to bury the body in a swamp."

"Yes?"

THE CLASH SHARPENS "I was taking him to Atlanta to see the Governor," Ramsey continued blandly. "When the sheriff stopped me with a demand that this boy be kept in the county until he was bailed on the runaway charge. I don't know why he called you or Mr. Pearson, but I am here to go home."

"I am sure you investigated the charges first?"

"That is up to the authorities."

"And may I ask, sir," Deering said softly, "what business it is of the Governor's unless the machinery of the law has broken down here? Have you complained to the sheriff and has he refused to act?"

"I prefer to deal directly with the Governor, sir," Ramsey returned quietly.

DEERING smiled.

"As a taxpayer and a citizen, may I ask why you do not press such charges with the sheriff? If he is remiss in his duties I certainly want to know it. We will have him removed from office."

"I prefer to deal directly with the Governor," Ramsey repeated.

"So. And may I ask," Deering enunciated the words slowly, "what in hell business this is of yours?"

THE MASTER DEMANDS Ramsey rose to his feet and glared at the planter.

"The business of any decent man tired of seeing niggers robbed, beaten and murdered!"

"I'll see you and this nigger in hell first!" Deering shouted furiously. "I'm sick of this playing anyway! Sheriff, have you any charges against me?"

"No, sir, I have not," Nichols said quickly.

"Then I see no reason to continue this farce. I have work to do if Mr. Ramsey hasn't. This nigger has not worked out the advance I gave for him and I'll take him."

Turning to David he called: "Come on, you!"

"Just sit where you are, David," Ramsey said quietly.

DEERING turned on the white man.

"Ramsey—" he shouted.

"Mr. Ramsey, sir," the old man reminded him sharply.

"To hell with your misters! Sheriff, that's my nigger and by God! I'm taking him!"

Nichols jumped to his feet.

"Jim! Please! We'll never get anywhere with all this shouting. Mr. Ramsey gave his word to see this nigger out of the county—"

"I'll see them both in hell first! I'm not going to stand here and see my nigger taken away because he charges me with some cock and bull story! He's a lazy bastard who's already done time on the chain gang and will probably end up by being lynched! I've got his signature to a contract—"

DEERING LIES "That boy is not of age and his signature is not worth the paper it's written on," Ramsey interrupted. "But that is not the point. You did not kill a nigger on your farm last week?"

"That's my business! But since you seem to be unhappy without sticking your nose into my affairs, permit me to inform you that I did! And permit me also to add that I'd kill any nigger who comes at me with a knife!"

"You should have reported it, Mr. Deerin'," Nichols said solemnly.

"I called you up, but you were not in. Then I became busy. I had him buried because the body

would stink in that heat. I had planned to notify you the first chance I got and have the coroner hold an inquest. I am ready with my witnesses any time it suits you."

PEARSON stirred uneasily in his chair.

Deering glanced at him and smiled.

"Well, now that I've reported it, I must be on my way. Will you be good enough to give me my nigger?"

"This nigger, who you say is lazy," Ramsey said mildly, "cannot be of much use to you. I imagine he would not be very happy going back to your farm now. Would it not be better if you released him?"

"I'm not releasing him! That nigger's going to work out his advance!"

"Then I must insist, Sheriff, that you hold this nigger as a material witness in the charges against Mr. Deering."

Nichols shook his head in bewilderment and pulled Deering aside, whispering to him with emphatic shakes of the head.

Ramsey turned to Pearson.

ols smiled.

David looked up pleadingly.

"Please, Mist' Ramsey, I doan want tuh mek no charges. I'd hah tuh go wid you, sub, please."

"That's alright, David," he smiled. "I'll take you with me."

OFF FOR THE CITY Ramsey brought the boy to the bus station in the adjoining county seat and gave him ten one-dollar bills.

"The American bus leaves this afternoon. Take it and transfer there for Macon," he advised. "It has a large nigger population and you can work there. There's pretty rich niggers there, too, who'd be good to help you. Maybe he'll help you. I'll see Dee and tell him I saw you out of the county."

(Continued Tomorrow.)

FREE AT LAST—SO HE THINKS—WITH MONEY IN HIS POCKET, WILL DAVID SUCCEED IN REACHING THE CITY? OR WILL HE AGAIN FALL INTO ONE OF THE NUMEROUS TRAPS THAT THE SOUTHERN WHITE RULING CLASS SETS FOR NEGROES ALONE ON THE ROADS? DON'T MISS TOMORROW'S INSTALLMENT!

August 7th, 1931.

Mr. S. W. Thornton, Millidgeville, Ga.

Dear Sir:

You will go to the State Highway Camp in Union County, near Blairsville, Ga., and investigate the shooting of a convict by a "T. Archer, brother of the farden."

It has been reported to the Commission that Mr. Archer, the farden, is drinking to excess and is frequently intoxicated. Also make a full investigation of this.

The Commission desires that both of these matters be fully investigated and that a full and impartial report be made by you.

Very truly,
THE PRISON COMMISSION OF GEORGIA.

Secretary.

HOW THE SYSTEM WORKS—Inspector S. W. Thornton, of Georgia, knows his business, which is whitewashing the murderous chain gang system that his masters, the white capitalists and planters, maintain as part and parcel of the national oppression of the Negro people. To stifle mass protest so-called investigations of conditions on chain gangs are sometimes ordered by the Georgia Prison Commission. Above is a carbon copy of a letter ordering such an investigation in a Georgia prison camp. The kind of "full and impartial reports" which Inspector Thornton supplies is indicated by the letter below, a report on another prison camp which is a complete whitewash, ending up with an attack on two Negro prisoners who had complained about unbearable conditions. These barbarous chain gangs symbolize the whole system of ruling class oppression, which can be overthrown only by united struggle of Negro and white toilers.

Judge W. L. Reiney, Chairman, Prison Commission of Ga., Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Judge:—

I am glad to report that conditions in this county have been greatly improved and I have the promise that the improvement suggested will all be made this month.

They have ordered a new pump for the water supply, new covers for the bed and the old building had been cleaned when I was there, also new toilets had been installed in place of the old leaky ones that they formerly had.

Now in regard to the prisoners. They have two very bad negroes at this camp and they are likely to give trouble at any time. They stayed in sick several days ago and when they started to the road the next morning the warden found that they had out their shackles. If I were you I don't think that I would pay any attention to their complaints. One of these negroes is named McCall and the other named Blue.

Yours truly,
S. W. Thornton, Inspector.

Get Special Bundles of "Daily" to Spread on Hunger March Line

Workers in all cities and towns through which the Hunger Marchers will pass are urged to order special bundles of the Daily Worker, to see among the crowds which gather along the line of march and at demonstrations.

Find out when the Hunger Marchers are expected in your town, and order a special bundle of the Daily for that day. Show the workers what the Daily stands for!

KENT, O.—The Unemployed Councils have been quiet here but we are now reorganizing on a block basis and we are sure that we will go forward. We are making collections for the Hunger March and are pretty sure of having our quota by the end of the month.

Comradely,