

HARLEM REFORMISTS IN FAKE UNEMPLOYMENT PARADE TODAY

Using Slogan of Unemployed Relief to Trap
Negro Workers and Divert Them from
Struggle Against Starvation

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Using the slogan of unemployment protest as a bait by which to trap the tens of thousands of starving unemployed Negro workers of Harlem into support of the class interests of the Negro landlords and business men, a gang of treacherous Negro reformists are staging a parade in Harlem this noon.

The sponsors of the parade are attempting to deceive the Negro masses with the ridiculous argument that the solution of mass unemployment and misery is to be achieved by the starving unemployed and part time Negro workers digging up their last penny for support of Negro rent-gouging landlords, parasitic preachers and other business men.

Being themselves business men and having a stake in the bosses' hunger system which has sentenced 10,000,000 Negro and white workers in this country to starvation, the Ne-

gro reformists are opposed to the Negro workers joining the mass revolutionary struggle against starvation and for unemployment relief and insurance, to be paid by the bosses and their government and distributed by committees of Negro and white workers.

These treacherous reformists are also opposed to the struggle against lynching and persecution of Negro and foreign-born workers. They are at present in open co-operation with the slave-driving boss lynchers of Alabama, who are railroading eight Negro youths to the electric chair on a framed-up charge of raping two white prostitutes. At their mass meeting last Sunday in Abyssinia Baptist Church they raised not a single protest against this latest outrage of the Southern bosses against the Negro workers. In none of the leaflets and papers they have issued have they uttered the slightest protest. Their newspaper organs, the Amsterdam News, the New York Age, the Negro World, etc., have either maintained absolute silence on this murderous frame-up or have expressed the views of the Southern bosses. The Negro World has ignored altogether this case involving the lives of eight Negro youths, all under 20 years of age, and of the ninth, a 14-year-old lad, whose trial has been postponed.

Negro workers! Repudiate the traitors! Do not be deceived by their slogans of "race loyalty," of which their conception is loyalty of the masses to the rent gougers and parasites. Join hands with the revolutionary Negro and white workers in militant demonstrations on May First in Union Square against starvation, wage-cuts, persecutions, for defense of the Soviet Union, the fatherland of ALL workers, and for the right of the Negro majorities of Africa, the West Indies and the Southern Black Belt to determine and control their own form of government. Down with imperialism! Down with the white and Negro agents! On with the struggle for Negro liberation!

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NEW YORK.—May 1 of this year will be the day when Il Lavoratore, the Italian Communist paper, will once again be published.

Sunday, April 26, at 5 p. m., a banquet to greet the re-birth of the paper will be held at 35 E. 12th St.

Working-class organizations, trade unions are called upon by the Il Lavoratore to elect delegates to this banquet.

In one of the appeals sent to the organizations by Il Lavoratore it stated: "Three months ago Il Lavoratore was forced to discontinue its publication. Its suspension has more than ever brought to the attention of the entire working class