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Sun's Army Collapsed; His Capital Taken

SHANGHAI, Oct. 17-This city, the "Paris of the Orient," may soon become the prize of the Cantonese armles, if developments of yesterday are any measure of what is to come. The forces of General Sun Chuan-fang, in Kiangsi province have been beaten and routed, Nanking, His capital, is reported taken, and, in addition, the governor of Chekiang province has gone over to the Cantonese and is thought to be preparing to attack Shanghai from the south.

Had to Run for His Life.

So complete was the debacle in Kiangsi, that General Sun was compelled with his staff to make a personal flight, hiding himself on a forelgn gunboat at Kiukiang, as his deserting troops turned the city over are fleeing to Nanking, above Shanghai about 150 miles in Kiangsu prov-

General Uprising Against Him. Two of Sun's strongest supporters troops and civilians who had been vention. He continued: murdering of his command.

the Canton forces en masse.

Nanking, Sun's Capital, Taken. result in his capture there, as it is ion came back stronger than ever." reported that Cantonese detachments, disguised as civilians but bearing arms, have entered hearing by the aid of sympathetic Chekiang provin-

cial troops. As Sun's flight took place, about 1,200 of his troops who had not gone over to the Cantonese were killed when the Kuang Yuang, a British ship of the China Merchant Navigation company and loaded with arms, took fire in Kiukiang harbor. The munitions exploded, discharging shells 1,500 soldiers aboard before burning

lown to the water. Loses Chekiang Province.

south of Shanghai, yesterday declared his province independent of Sun Chaun-fang's rule and is reported to be ready to aid the Cantonese march on Shanghai.

In Shanghai the foreign police reserves have been called out to guard the foreign concessions, while ten miles south of Shanghai the troops of Sun have torn up the railway and are placing artillery hoping to block the expected attack from Chekian province, the capital of which, Hangchow, is only 157 miles south.

Little Hope for Reaction. The only hope of stopping the advancing Canton armies from capture of Shanghai, is the forlorn one that Chang Tso-lin, Manchurian reactionary, may send some reinforcements But as Sun never helped Chang when asked, it is not expected that Chang will worry much about

getting help to Sun. Of course, there is the other hope of foreign intervention on a large scale, a movement that is being organized by the British.

Polish Bandit Slain. WARSAW, Oct. 17 .- Zeilinsky, a notorious Polish bandit, was slain by police here in a raid on a "bandit party" staged by the robber. In the last few months. Zeilinsky is said to have committed numerous murders thefts, and burglaries in and near Warsaw. His romantic inclinations caused him to give a ball, and the place was discovered by the police. Several of his guests were also seriously wounded.

Austrian Cabinet Resigns.

VIENNA, Oct. 17.-The Ramek ministry has resigned, it is announced. President Haenisch has ac cepted the resignation, but requested that the members of the ministry maintain their posts until a new cabinet could be formed.

"Hands off China!"

Special "Hands off China" edition next Saturday. Pictures of and articles by noted Chinese leaders.

KELLOGG DOESN'T LIKE YERCISING OF POWER CHINESE RADICALS

(NGTON, Oct. 17. - (FP) ry Kellogg has instructed the Am. can consul in Canton to protest the laying of an additional tax on imports and exports-above the customs rates permitted by the foreign powers-in those parts of China controlled by the Canton national government.

Other powers have made similar protest, but the new taxes are being collected by the radical government in its ports. Canton takes the position that it is a sovereign Chinese government with which the powers will have to negotiate.

BE CERTAIN

to the Cantonesse. It is believed they So Says Editor of Gas Makers' Journal

(Special to The Daily Worker) ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 17 .- "It can went over to the Canton armies and be said with reasonable certainty that the reactionary general, who is one a soft coal strike will take place next I. L. D. to Protest Show imperialist agents, of the "Constitu- W. Parsons, of New York, editorial tional Defense League," financed by director of the Gas Age Record, to the British, had to flee from his own the American Gas Association con-

angered by continuous looting and "The operators insist that they will be able to break the strike before it Cantonese troops are in full pos- causes any considerable inconvenisession of Kinagsi province and their ence to the consuming public. Howcommander, General Chang Kai-shih, ever it is never safe to predict what has already started to reorganize the may happen in a labor controversy leaderless soldiers who are joining of this nature. Several times when the miners' union appeared to be on its last legs diligent efforts of the la-Sun's flight to Nanking, his capital bor leaders succeeded so well in conin Kiangsu province, is liable only to solidating their forces that the un-

ver the city and killing most of the here today against three officials of demonstration in Union Square on archist. Weiss concludes his letter the Brotherhood Savings and Trust company, a labor bank, and two others before Alderman A. M. Maloney in connection with the disappearance of Chekiang, the rich province lying of between \$320,000 and \$425,000, part of which belonged to the bank.

R. A. McCrady, president of the bank, Charles E. Knapp, a bond salesman, accused by McCrady of disappearing with the money; William Kelly, vice-president; J. L. Nelson, Treasurer, and Frank Redman, who introduced McCrady to Knapp, were nam-

ed in the information Bankers Grillea.

Meanwhile, the men named, with the exception of Knapp, for whom a nationwide search has been launched, resentatives of the state banking desought to learn more about the trans- queen. action thru which the men under arrest said they were to receive \$800,000 worth of bonds for \$425,000. The bank's doors are closed.

SECRECY SURROUNDING QUEEN'S ITINERARY IS

(Special to The Daily Worker) NEW YORK, Oct. 17-A great deal of secrecy surrounds the arrangement of plans for Queen Marie's visit in the United States. There appears to be much confusion caused by reason of the fact that itineraries are being made up for the royal party by several different agencies. But since it is quite definitely known that the Queen is coming to the United States largely to effect an arrangement for the floatation of large loans for Roumania, it is likely that much of her time will be spent in the East, chiefly in New York. The United States Lines is already preparing to embark the queen on the Leviathan for the return trip, which, it is announced, will not occur until Christmas, giving the royal consort three months time in which to transact her business.

Banker Sentenced.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Oct. 17 .- Ramsey Bauchamp who embezzled and mis- the Workers (Communist) Party thru ger but slower districts to speed up. done so far. There is every reson applied two million dollars from the October, 14th Examine this table Union and Planter's bank, was sentenced to five years in Atlanta prison done your futy or failed to respond WORKER campaign has not gotten THE DAILY WORKER. vice-president of the bank,

Guthrie Is Named House of Commons



The opposition party in the Canadian house of commons will be led by Hugh Guthrie next year. He was elected temporary house leader at a caucus of the elected conservative members of parliament.

of Royalism

NEW YORK, Oct. 17 .-- In the mad frenzy to do homage to royalty, even forced to play a part.

In New York City, five thousand youngsters are to be taken from school on the morning of October 23 and made to do honor to Princess Ileana who is being given a reception at the Capitol Theater by a women's civic committee, headed by the society matron, Mrs. Ira Nelson Mor-

If the visits of European royalty cratic country will be well instructed port them as radicals. in the proper way to treat a mon-

I. L. D. Will Protest.

It is to protest against this sort ti arrest and trial but had been pre- all wages. Roumania's fascist government that tioned in the west. PITTSBURGH, Oct. 17 .- Informa- the New York section of the Interna- He writes to the Globe that he told tion charging conspiracy were filed tional Labor Defense has arranged a Katzmann he knew Sacco was an an-

onday the 18, at 5:30. There will be a number of promin-W. Dunn, Forrest Bailey, McAllister ternational reds the world over by and Carlo Tresca.

Tell of Persecution. They will tell the stories that never reach the ears of our American people about the horrible persecution of workers and peasants in Roumania who dare to speak against the rule of oppression there, and who try to organize for better conditions in factories and on the farms.

Thousands of New York workers will join in this expression of solidarwere subjected to a grilling by rep- ity with their Roumanian fellow-workers, and in a mighty protest against partment and city detectives who Roumania's government and its

No Scopes Decision.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 17 .- The November 20 without indicating what of the John T. Scopes evolution case.

Leader in Canada REVEALS PLOT AGAINST SACCO

But Boston Globe Did Not Publish Letter

(Special to The Daily Worker) DEDHAM, Mass., Oct. 17 (FP)-Although the hearing of Sacco and Vanzetti's last motion for a new trial has already passed and Judge Webster Thayer is supposedly considering the evidence prior to glving his decision for or against the two Italian workers, another affidavlt bearing on the motion has been filed by defense attorney William G. Thompson.

A letter of Peri Felixus Weiss, deconsidered in connection with the Workers' Union, frame-up of Sacco and Vanzetti on the payroll robbery and murder

Reveals Plot Against Law. Weiss confirms the affidavit of John Ruzzamenti (secured by defense attorney Fred Moore four years ago but not used until Thompson entered it in support of the last motion.) Ruzzamenti was an under-cover man whom Weiss proposed to the then district attorney Frederick G. Katz- Conditions are Menace, mann, as one who could be put in a cell next to Sacco to get evidence.

the children of America are being letter to the Globe that he explained Weiss claims in his unpublished in their code."

> was asserted at the recent hearing ganizations affiliated. that Sacco and Vanzetti were framed

A. D. of J. Man Now.

of welcome to the representatives of viously and is now again, though sta-

with charges that Katzmann is trying to clear himself of the "Ruzzamenti ent speakers including Elizabeth Gur- fiasco" and that Ruzzamenti "deliverley Flynn, Bishop Paul Jones, Robert ed my life into the hands of the in-Coleman, Paxten, Hibben, Ben Gitlow, his treachery" in giving the defense an affidavit.

Three Killed in Fight in Monterey Legislature tions

MONTEREY, Mex., Oct. 17 .- Three persons were killed and several per- said Fitzpatrick in closing. sons were injured in a revolver battle between opposing factions in the state legislature here.

The battle occurred outside of the dressed the meeting by invitation. legislative palace and followed a heated debate during which charges sassinate two deputies.

supreme court has adjourned until and a bootblack were killed. A news- than unionists. The questions of decision is to be made in the appeal cover the story was seriously workers, and the speeches on Russia

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By JAY LOVESTONE.

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Editor of B. of L. E. Journal Assailed by Pres. John L. Lewis



Albert F. Coyle, editor of the Broth-Boston Globe-which that paper did nal, who was made the target of an of the Republic of Mexico." ot print-is incorporated into Thomp acrimonious speech by John L. Lewis Mahon reported in detail the varison's affidavit. Weiss was named at the Detroit convention of the A. F. ous activities of the Mexican labor in other affidavits supporting the of L. in connection with the elections movement, it's war against fascism, new trial motion as one of the men now going on in the United Mine establishing a college to train labor

NEGRO STRIKE

says Fitzpatrick

to Katzmann "that anarchists do not gro women date stuffers here was the commit crimes for money, but for a main topic at the meeting of the Chiprinciple, and that banditry was not cago Federation of Labor Sunday afternoon.

intended to put a spy next to Sacco to the Negro women and voted unanias much to clear him of the murder mously to give them credentials to the A. F. of L. Mahon declared: charge as to convict him, although it solicit strike funds from all labor or

continue as frequently as they have on the capital sterge in order to disoccurred during the past few years, pose of them called demothe children of our so-called democontained as frequently as they have pose of them called agents strike has a great significance to the experienced in my 40 years of work, the children of our so-called democontained as frequently as they have pose of them called agents strike has a great significance to the experienced in my 40 years of work, the children of our so-called democontained as frequently as they have pose of them called agents strike has a great significance to the experienced in my 40 years of work, the children of our so-called democontained as frequently as they have pose of them called agents strike has a great significance to the experienced in my 40 years of work, the children of our so-called democontained as frequently as they have pose of them called agents strike has a great significance to the experienced in my 40 years of work, the children of our so-called democontained as frequently as they have pose of them called agents strike has a great significance to the experienced in my 40 years of work, the children of our so-called democontained agents are contained agents. Weiss was not in the federal ser- ers, as the bosses use their power vice at the time of the Sacco Vanzet. over unorganized Negroes to decrease

"This strike opens a little corner

pealed to the U.S. department of labor to investigate, and that the Maras company, where the women were

Whiteman Speaks. "We've got to fight to go forward,"

Warnettas, president of the union, ad-

A written report on the A. F. of L. were made that the agents of Gov- convention was read at the meeting. ernor Siller had made attempts to as It contained very little of importance. and emphasized mainly the question Oscar Spulveda, chief clerk of the of whether open shoppers of Detroit chamber of deputies, a policeman were more loyal during the world war paper reporter who hurried out to Passaic aid, organization of auto



Discussion of the strike of the Ne-Weiss further claims that he had The federation pledged its support

exploitation of the Negro workers, he many conventions and mass meetings gates said, which is a menace to all work- of workers."

Horrible Conditions.

of the terrible conditions under which Negroes must work," he said. "These factories form a reservoir of cheap and exploited in such a manner."

Lovett Fort-Whiteman of the Amer-A. F. of L. Report Weak.

were omitted.

cue parties, and entertainments have

been arranged. All of these will

BUT we must hurry up. WE MUST GET SOME BIG CONTRIBU-

weeks are our most critical and try-

There certainly must be thousands

of workers-friends and sympathizers

-in every section of the party who

have not yet been approached for a

direct immediate contribution to

If your district has made a poor

up. Do better. You can do it. You

KEEP THE DAILY WORKER.

surely bring the necessary relief.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON MEXICAN UNIONS HIDDEN BY THE A. F. OF L.; **WON'T GO TO LABOR CONFERENCE**

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL (Special to The Daily Worker)

DETROIT, Mich., October 17. - It developed today that reports by William D. Mahon, fraternal delegate to the Mexican Federation of Labor convention at Mexico City, in March, and of James B. Conners, delegate to the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress at Montreal in September, were slipped into the last day's proceedings. They were not read to the convention.

Mahon's report was pretty well loaded with dynamite. Mahon declared that, "The first action of the convention was to send a telegram to Plutarco Elias Calles, president of Mexico pledging the undivided support of the 'C. R. O. M.' (the Confederacion Regional Obrera Mexicana, or Mexican Federation of Labor) in

his attitude towards the church + and endorsing his conduct of A letter of Feri Felixus Weiss, department of justice agent, to the erhood of Locomotive Engineers' Journal and endorsing his conduct of administrating the government of the Republic of Mexico."

officials, the founding of an institute of social science, developing the cooperative societies, these matters coming before the gathering in 400 different resolutions. Only 83 resolutions came before the A. F. of L. convention here.

It Was "Some Sight."

Mahon reported there were 1,525 delegates at the Mexican congress, compared to the less than 500 here. Mahon told of President Calles coming before the gathering, asking for the floor, not as president of the republic, but as "a comrade and fellow worker." Mahon reported, "To me this was some sight."

ago the Mexican Federation of Labor ment arrived. had only 7,000 members, whereas it now has 1,500,000, not much more

What Catholics Don't Like. "The cheering that followed the President Fitzpatrick introduced close of President Calles' address was

This is what Delegate James W. Fitzpatrick in his attack on the Mexican labor movement referred to as 'the foul alliance between Calles and the C. R. O. M."

Trevino Conceals Truth.

of the Mexican Federation of Labor, latives were too extreme who was fraternal delegate to the A. Conditions under which they work F. of L. convention, declared that he are horrible, it was related, and such was satisfied with the action of the the questions of the Citizens' Military that the stuffed dates produced there convention in its closing session on are unfit for human consumption, the Mexican church war. He declared Fitzpatrick declared that he had ap- that Delegate Fitzpatrick was merely stating his own personal opinion. Of course, this is not true, since Fitzpatrick was speaking for a strong employed, refused to remedy condi- part of the catholic bloc in the convention.

There was nothing unusual in Connors' report. He declared that Frederick G. Roberts, fraternal delegate of the British Trades Union Congress ican Negro congress, and Mrs. Fannie at Montreal, in his speech, "appeared to be strong for the Labor Party of Great Britain."

> Dodge International Conference. No delegation of the American Federation of Labor will attend the international labor conference to be held at Mexico City, Oct. 21-26, at which t is expected that most of the countries affiliated with the International Federation of Trade Unions (Amsterdam) will have representatives.

> Ricardo Trevino, secretary-general of the Mexican Federation of Labor. waited in vain for a favorable answer here in the lobby of the Tuller Hotel while the executive council discussed the matter in secret session. The attitude of the A. F. of L. exe cutive council on this subject was characteristics of many of its actions. A Left-Handed Slam.

It did not turn down the invitation extended to it by the Mexican Federation of Labor. In fact, it was real-TIONS AT ONCE. The next few ly accepted. But it was decided that either President William Green, or elections in the United States and the some member or members of the French senatorial elections in Januexecutive council must go, if anybody went. President Green, however, in common with every member of the executive council found that they found that there is little chance of would be too busy to make the trip, the present parliament ratifying the that they had other more important agreements. engagements.

Trevino announces that delegates from 13 countries will attend the gathering, including many of the South American countries, with the engine mail car, club car, and spokesmen present for Great Britain, three sleepers on the Pennsylvania Germany, France, Italy, Spain and road were derailed. The clerks were other European countries. It is ex- not seriously injured, it is believed. showing. Districts, far stronger or record to date, it shows that you are pected that Edo Fimmen, president of the International Federation of Transport Workers and former secretary of the International Federation of Laws, a young worker in the paper Trades Unions, will attend. Perhaps

(Continued on page 2.)

FOR REACTION

Loud Attack on Soviet Workers' Republic

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

(Special to The Daily Worker) DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 17.-Bitter hostility on the part of Detroit's open ahoppers toward the American Federation of Labor changed to amiable approval of many of the convention's ac-Mahon reported that seven years tions here before the hour of adjourn-

This change of attitude was most clearly apparent in the local "Amerithan a million less than there are in can Plan" press, that spewed forth its poisonous "open shop" venom as greeting to the arriving delegates, but later learned how to take the A. F. of L. officials to its editorial bosom and coo soft acquiescence of the administration's policies so overwhelmingly endorsed by the assembled dele-

Open Shoppers Have Reason.

This was especially true of the Detroit Free Press. Its editorial greeting to the convention was a demand that no efforts be made to organize workers locally, especially in the auto industry, charging that the workers were better off under the local open Ricardo Trevino, secretary-general shop regime. No denunciatory superat the heads of the A. F. of L.

But the action of the convention on Training Camps, its opposition to the recognition of and the sending of a delegation to the Union of Soviet Republics changed all that. Thunderous salvos of editorial applause greeted the convention's approval of these schools of militarism and of the imperialist opposition to the workers' and peasants' government.

Open Shop Finds an Affinity. Thus the Free Press entitles its leading editorial, "Two Bumps For Communism," and hails, "the scorching condemnation of Communism and all its works, particularly as they are represented by Soviet Russia, which the American Federation of Labor convention embodied in a unanimously adopted resolution."

The 100 per cent capitalist Free Press is happy to note that the A. F. of L. is "standing against radicalism. and particularly against radicalism of the Moscow brand," which it claims is 'a bad blow to the Soviet crowd, but (Continued on page 6)

French Cabinet Fears to Open Debt Question

PARIS, Oct. 17 .- The French government will not ask for ratification of the British and American debt settlements before February, it was learned authoritatively today.

The delay has been decided upon in the hopes that the November ary may change the situation.

The government, it is learned, has made a canvas of the situation and

DENNISON, Ohio, Oct. 17 .- Four mail clerks were injured here when

Mail Clerks Injured.

Young Worker Killed. QUINCY, Ill., Oct. 17 .- Orville

mill here, was scalded to death when the A. F. of L. council took the action an explosion occurred in la rotary it did, feeling that it did not desire cooker. Several other workers were and fined \$140,000. Bauchamp was to the orgent call to KEEP THE into full swing wet. Mass meetings, LET US ALL FORGE AHEAD TO so quickly to develop this close con- seriously burned. No reason for the explosion is given.

EMPLOYERS TRY TO SPLIT PAPER **BOX STRIKERS**

Spread Lies to Bring About Dissension

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Employers in the paper box industry yesterday took a new tack in their efforts to break down the morale of the 4,000 striking box workers. Anonymous circulars were distributed to workers early in the morning, purporting to come from dissatisfied union workers and criticizing the leaders for their conduct of the strike.

Charge Disloyalty.

The familiar lies resorted to by bosses who have their backs to the wall were spread across the page. The leaders were charged with being in the pay of the bosses, of selling out and of disloyalty to the rank and file of the strikers.

Manager Fred Caiola and other officials of the union were cheered at a mass meeting of workers when they branded the circulars as a trick of the employers to break the strike. Caiola declared that one manufacturer on Wooster Street had been seen distributing these circulars in person.

Anthony Capraro, special organizer for the union, praised the officials for their fine work throughout the past 16 months. He maintained that the former corrupt officials of the union had connived with the manufacturers to get out the circulars.

Bosses Afraid.

"Why didn't those responsible for issuing these circulars have the nerve to sign them?" shouted Manager Caiola. "When the union makes accusations against anyone our offito sign them?" shouted Manager cusations against anyone our officials always sign the statement. The bosses are showing by their tactics that their backs are to the wall. The wall is bound to fall very soon and

bosses will go down with it!" William Pickens, field organizer of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, praised the union for admitting Negroes into its ranks on the same basis as white workers. "The unity of labor is better than any consideration of race or language. The owners of your factories hang together, but they want to divide you. Every white man who sets himself against a Negro the bosses. Every black man who shops taking sides with Ward. sets himself against a white worker is undermining his own chances of advancement."

Mooney Branch of I. L. D. Meets Tues., Workers Are Invited

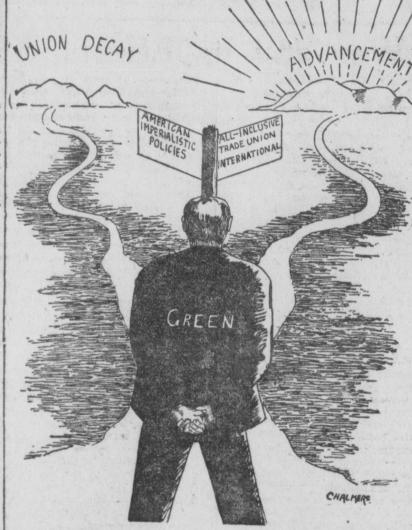
D. will meet Tuesday evening, Oot. girl strikers are also held for a hear-19, at 3209 W. Roosevelt Road, work- ing. Executive Committee will give a Philadelphia shop, is now sought by short talk.

Wednesday evening, Oct. 20th, the Irving Park Branch will meet at 4021 N. Drake; the Cicero "International" branch at Liberty Hall, 14th and 49th Ct., and the Boosters and Organization Committees at 768 W. Van Buren St.

Lowden Against Reductions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17 .- Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, she is later brought up for perjury and possible presidential timber, has they will desert her and she may land announced himself as opposed to a in fail for a year or two. "competitive tariff" which would lower the standard of prices of manufactured goods to that of farm goods. He believes the solution is in bring- more expensive to keep up appearing the farm prices up.

CHOOSE!



IS BOOMERANG,

(Special to The Daily Worker) By J. O. BENTALL.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 17 .-The arrest of Richard Ward on a trumped-up charge that he beat Helen Fairbanks, a scab in the Philadelphia Carpet Company shop which is now on strike, is reacting as a boomerang against the bosses of the "struck" worker is playing into the hands of shop, the workers in all the other

Not Even There. Ward was working in the Cochran shop and was not present at the time the scab girl was supposed to have been beaten. She assused two girl strikers, as well as Ward, of having beaten her, but the girls were working in another shop at the very time when the alleged beating was

said to have taken place. The "Mooney" branch of the I. L. | Ward is held in \$500 bail and the

ers of that neighborhood being in- The story is so thin that the Fair-Fred Mann, of the National banks woman, who is scabbing in the an officer with a warrant for her arrest on a charge of perjury.

Lies on Age.

When she first came as a scab she claimed that she was 21 years old. But in order to make a better impression on the court she says the bosses told her to say she is only 16. The bosses are now quite uncertain about the testimony of this weak girl and if they cannot use her and if

The strike is still 100 per cent strong and the picketing is kept up every day, while the bosses find it

Cleveland Traction Company Head, Who Fought Labor, Dead

CLEVELAND, Oct. 17. - John J. Stanley, head of the Cleveland Street co-operatively grown and marketed Railway company, and well-known in apples of the Wenatchee District Co-American traction circles, died here operative Association, the selling end last week. Stanley has been known of the Washington State Farmers in recent times for the brutal refusal Union. The Farmer-Labor exchange to concede the street railway men a of Chicago is handling 150,000,000 apdecent wage. Several months ago the ples for the co-operative farmers, street railway men demanded an in each case bearing the farmer's union crease in wages, but it was promptly trades council. refused by Mr. Stanley. The street car men then proposed that as the street railway company had to get a new charter, the so-called Taylor grant, which granted them the charter, should be amended to include a clause providing that the street car men might belong to a union affiliated to the American Federation of Labor.

Officials of the Cleveland Federation of Labor and of the street car men, lobbied in the municipal council, the assurance being given to the delegates of the Cleveland Federation of Labor that the amendment would pass. Just as everywhere, labor's influence is so great among its "friends" that the amendment was defeated by

vote of 18 to 6. A few weeks ago it was announced that street car fares in Cleveland will be raised from 6c to 7c. But there has been no announcement that the street car men's wages will be raised. In view of these facts, it is therefore astonishing to read in the Cleveland Citizen of October 9, a statement by the street car men that: "We know that many of our members will feel that they have lost a friend."

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CHICAGO RADIO

Delegates Return from **Detroit Meet**

By CARL HAESSLER, Federated Press.

Delegates to the American Federation of Labor convention, which closed in Detroit, Oct. 14, have returned to Chicago. Delegate John Mangan, representing the Chicago Federation of Labor, had his resolution for endorsement of WCFL, the labor-owned and labor-operated Chicago radio-station, unanimously carried, with instructions to the execu tive council to further study radio developments and their bearing on labor. His resolution to force a straightening out of the snarl between the International Horeshoers union and the Chicago local did not pass but it brought about a negotiated agreement.

Gets Resolution..

Delegate Christian Madsen of the painters accomplished his purpose also when his resolution to aid in see ing justice done to a small number of Hindus long resident in this country was referred to the executive council for active support if it is found not to violate the immigration policy of the federation.

Will Broadcast Passaic.

"We'll tell the whole Chicago area of the need for Passaic relief and so put our labor radio to good labor use," declared Charles F. Wills, a machinist delegate and business man ager of the Chicago Federation News, to the convention at Detroit.

While he was uttering those words another labor project was going out over the ether from the municipal pier broadcasting station WCFL in Chicago. This was the talk on the

Ohioan Officials Doubt Validity of U. S. Constitution

AKRON, Ohio, Ohy, 17.—According to the "Rubber Worker," official organ of the Rubber Workers' Union of this city, the mayor of a city in Ohio re-cently stated that he did not know whether the constitution would hold good in the courts today." According to the Rubber Worker, evidently the question of free speech was under discussion, when this mayor delivered himself of this bit of wisdom.

When one considers the other things transpiring in this town, as for instance, that company police use company ambulances at night to death with a fractured skull, and search the homes of the men without three others are suffering from injura warrant, and are allowed to do this ies, as a result of a Milwaukee pasbecause the company police at the senger train striking their car at a same time have city police authority, grade crossing in the downtown secthen one cannot wonder that those tion here early today. in authority do have doubts as to the constitution of the United States.

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Tell-Tale Records Are Shrouded in Secrecy in the Sacco-Vanzetti Case

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

TT is one full month today since 1 Judge Webster Thayer, in the Norfolk County Court at Dedham, Massachusetts, "took under advisement" the demand for a new trial for Nick Sacco and Bartolomeo Vangetti. But still no decision.

The American Federation of Labor has held its convention during the last two weeks in Detroit, Mich., and called for an investigation of the activities of the department of justice in the Sacco-Vanzetti case. But no desire was shown to really fight the case and rouse all American labor to the doom that threatens two courageous workers in the dungeons of New England. These are onimous developments.

The confession of the former department of justice agent Fred J. Weyand, that no one believed Sacco and Vanzetti guilty, has already been reviewed in these columns.

The confession of Lawrence Letherman, for 25 years a post office inspector, and for three years local agent of the department of justice in Massachusetts, supports the startling revelations made public by Weyand.

Letherman says that while he was post office inspector be collaborated with the agents of the department of justice in matters of joint concern, including the Sacco-Vanzetti case. The man under him in direct charge of that case was William J. West, who is still attached to the department in Boston. Letherman says that before, during and after the trial, Mr. West had a number of "under-cover men" assigned to this case, including Ruzzamenti and Carbone; a number of men assigned to watch the Sacco-Vanzetti Defense Committee, all under-cover men, and one or two of them employed by the committee.

Letherman states that the department of justice was anxious to get sufficient evidence against Sacco and Vanzetti to deport them, but never succeeded in getting the kind and amount of evidence required.

IT WAS THE OPINION OF DEPARTMENT A GENTS HERE THAT CONVICTION OF SACCO AND VANZETTI FOR MURDER WOULD BE ONE WAY OF DISPOSING OF THESE TWO MEN.

It was also the general opinion of such of the agents in Boston as

3 Die in Crossing Crash.

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 17 .- "Ma" OWATONNA, Minn., Oct. 17 .- Two Ferguson has pardoned three prison- did not come before the convention. persons are dead, a child is near ers and granted furloughs to four And now the members of the execuothers. Among them was a wealthy tive council have scattered for son of a Dallas manufacturer, who another three months without even killed a policeman in a Dallas post- considering this matter. office robbery in 1921.

he dead: Mrs. S. S. Peters. Pepin. Fourteen Wis., Mrs. William Wendlandt, Owa-

had any actual knowledge of the Sacco-Vanzetti case, that Sacco and Vanzetti, altho anarchists and agitators, were not highway robbers and had nothing to do with the South Braintree crime.

Letherman says there is or was a great deal of correspondence on file in the Boston office between Mr. West and Mr. Katzman, the district attorney, and that these letters and documents on file in the Boston office would throw a great deal of light upon the preparation of the Socco-Vanzetti case for trial, and upon the real opinion of the Boston office of the department of justice as to the guilt of Sacco and Vanzetti of the particular crime with which they were charged.

It is pointed out that records still held in secret, and which the present attorney general, Sargent, in Coolidge's cabinet, refuses to reveal, will show that the department of justice at no time considered Sacco and Vanzetti guilty of the holdup and murders at South Brain-

They will show, however, the actual collusion between the department of justice at Washington, under the thumb of the New England mill owner, Senator Butler, and the local prosecutors in Massachusetts who owe their power and tenure in office to the multi-millionaire shoe factory and textile mill owners.

This is the shoe-and-textile tyranny that placed Anthony Bimba on trial for blasphemy and sedition at Brockton, Mass., that refuses permission for workers' meetings practically thruout its entire domain, building every possible bulwark for its class rule against the rising power of the workers. Victory in the Sacco-Vanzetti case for the mill owners, will mean the strengthening of this tyranny. Victory for the workers thru the saving of the lives of Sacco and Vanzetti will help open the way for the organization of the New England mill workers into trade unions and the strengthening of the political power of labor. The Sacco-Vanzetti case is a crucial struggle for the whole American labor movement.

Tomorrow:-Nick Sacco and his lawyer, William G. Thompson, meet Celestino Madeiros, who confessed that he played a part in the South Braintree crime, face to face in the Dedham jail.

Pardons Rich Murderer.

charged with conspiracy to bring A. F. of L. convention, which in turn about the restoration of the Grand sent it to the executive council, Duke Nikolai Nikolaievitch, went to which in its turn has made no plans

CONBOY PRAISES METHOD USED IN PASSAIC STRIKE

Best Conducted She's Seen, says Leader

DETROIT; Oct. 17 .- (FP) - "The nost splendid piece of organization work I have ever seen." That's what Sara Conboy, secretary of the United Textile Workers, thinks about the Passaic strike relief work.

Mrs. Conboy, in direct touch with the 9-months' strike for union recognition and decent pay since the thousands of Passaic textile workers joined the A. F. of M., is emphatic n her praise of the efficient machine which has furnished the financial sinews of war in the long struggle.

"We have a man, Wagenknecht," he added, "who is a financial genius. To him I attribute a large measure of praise for maintaining the spirit of the men and women out on strike, thru keeping up a steady flow of relief funds from all parts of the coun-

"Never have I seen such splendid spirit after so many weeks and months of privation," she declared. 'It is a triumph of union relief organization.'

Favorable Report on Mexican Unions Hidden by A. F. L. Convention

(Continued from page 1)

tact with the Amsterdam International.

In view of the fact that the next meeting of the executive council will not meet again until in January, at St. Petersburgh, Florida, great interest centers about what the council did not do, rather than what it did at its meeting here.

No steps were taken to carry into effect the demand for an investigation of the struggle between the Mexcan church and government. This will therefore be delayed for at least three months. This question may also have had something to do with the failure to send a delegation to the proposed conference at Mexico City. Such a delegation would of necessity be compelled to report on the Mexcan religious war.

So far as could be learned no action as taken, nor even a report received on the so-called investigation of the recent successful strike of the Furriers' Union in New York City. In a letter mailed several months ago by President William Green to Ben Gold, nead of the Joint Board of the New York Furriers' Union, it was stated hat the "investigation" was nearly

ompleted at that time. There were indications that the executive council would make some recommendations to the convention that has just adjourned here. But no

Similarly with the much advertised organization drive in the automobile MHARKOV, Ukraine, Oct. 17. - industry, this matter was referred by counter - revolutionists the Metal Trades Department to the for immediate action.

Challenge to the A. F. of L. Leadership

munists at the A. F. of L. Conven-

THE convention of the American I Federation of Labor has been in-Communists. Because the Communists insist that the trade unions must be militant fighting organizations for the workers' interests, and criticize the inactivity, compromises, weaknesses and deals with the bosses of the leaders denounced as disrupters of the labor

and action speak louder than words. and while the A. F. of L. denounced lief funds which has enabled them A Challenge to the A. F. of L. the Communists in relation to one of

ers, took an immediate collection in battles on every field.

trade union organization and resist of the workers. ance to the attacks of the employers. Because the Comunists stood for a they will organize the unorganized, rupters of the labor movement.

The American Federation of Labor, who organized the Passaic workers, about such a unity of labor for a milwho organized the movement for re- bosses.

tion the A. F. of L. went on record aided them to organize their strength unanimously to, make an appeal for thru forming a union. It was the Com-

Passaic as one of the most important, Workers' Union, the Communists ized workers in the great industries militancy, with the same uncompro struggles American workers, aided in bringing this about. The Com- of this country? Why has it not mising attitude, which has been

Statement by the Central Committee and give support to a strike which it of Alfred Weisbord, who had for all bring these workers into the A. F. of of the Workers (Communist) Party has previously denounced. It has been these months been the leader of the L.? These workers are waiting for their part, we know. They have in Answer to the Attack on the Com- compelled to come to the support of strike, and who had won the con- the A. F. of L. to set. The Commun- shown thru long months that they can the first great movement in several fidence and loyalty of every striker in ists are doing their part toward or fight, that in spite of sacrifices and ears of unorganized workers for Passaic by his devotion to the cause ganizing them. They will in the future suffering demanded of them, they will

dulging in its annual attack on the Who Organized the Passalo Workers? united labor movement they exerted highly exploited workers wherever THE A. F. of L. is compelled to recog- all their influence to have the Passaic possible, nize and take up the struggle of strikers join the A. F. of L. The Comthe Passaic workers, but at the same munists are for all the workers of the L. leaders denounce as the disrupters trial before the American workers. time it denounces Communists as dis- United States organizing in labor of the labor movement are showing Can it do what the Communists have unions and uniting their strength in by facts and action that they are the Will the A. F. of L., now that it one all-inclusive American Federation builders of the labor movement. of the A. F. of L., the Communists are has declared that it stands behind the of Labor. They are for international Passaic strike and recognizes its im- unity of the labor movement. They The Communists because the Comportance, tell the American workers are fighting on every front to bring in this convention, has answered its who aided them in carrying on their itant class struggle in the interest of own attack on the Communists. Facts fight during the past eight months, the workers and against the capitalist

the Communists in words, in action it to carry on their heroic struggle durTHE Passaic workers were organized with the aid of the Workers THE A. F. of L. knows that this con- (Communist) Party. The Passaic the biggest constructive achievements I structive achievement for the workers fight has been carried on thru for the American labor movement in American labor movement was carried the past eight months because of the thru by the initiative and support of support of the workers who gave re-THREE months ago the executive the Workers (Communist) Party. It lief funds to the Passaic workers, and thorn in the side of the reactionary Council of the A. F. of L. sent out knows that it was the Communists this relief was organized with the leaders of the A. F. of L. because a statement to the local unions warn- who came to aid of the bitterly op- aid of the Workers (Communist) Pare they insist the A. F. of L. shall fight ing them against giving relief funds pressed Passaic workers when the ty. Thru the activities and efforts of for the workers interests. Their into the Passaic strike and denouncing bosses tried to make their exploita- the Workers (Communist) Party 10, sistence on a fight for the workers the Communists in connection with tion even greater thru enforcing a 000 formerly unorganized workers interests disturbs the peace and comthis strike. At the Detroit conven- wage cut. It was the Communists who have been added to the A. F. of L.

bring the A. F. of L. more Passaics- not accept defeat.

The Communists, whom the A. F. of THE A. F. of L. leaders denounce

munists insist upon action, upon work. They insist upon policies which will strengthen the labor movement. They demand the organization of the THE workers at Passaic must not unorganized, they demand the amal- I permit any compromise of their gamation of the trade unions into industrial unions in order to strengthen for the workers, a victory for the the workers in their fights, they demand the organization of a labor party, they demand a militant fight in labor's interest industrially and fort of the jobholders at the head of

The A. F. of L. and Passaic. relief for the striking Passaic work- munists who aided in fighting their munists as disrupters, to place a THE A. F. of L. is now officially similar achievement thru their effort I committed to the support of the their behalf of over a thousand dol-lars, and ordered a conference of in- A ND when after eight long months in building the American labor move-passaic strikers. The workers at lars, and ordered a conference of international presidents for the purpose Passaic strikers by the A. F. of L. Their own records show a decline in unions over the country must see to of securing other funds immediately. the way was found to have the Passaic the membership of the A. F. of L. it that it actually gives that support. By this action the American Feder strikers enter the A. F. of L. thru Why has not the A. F. of L. acted to In order to be won the Passaic ation of Labor recognizes the strike at becoming a local of the United Textile organize the twenty million unorgan- strike must be fought with the same

That the Passaic workers will do

The A. F. of L. must not be permitted to alter this spirit and compromise the struggle.

done at Passaic?

Every worker must watch closely the actions of the A. F. of L. bureaucrats in the Passaic situation. The workers must demand the mobilization of all the resources of the labor

movement to win the Passaic strike. interests. Passaic must be a victory

American labor movement. The A. F. of L. may denounce the Communists, but the Communists will continue their work to build the labor movement. They will continue their work in support of those measures which will win victories for the American workers in the struggle against the capitalist employers.

The answer of the Communists to the denunciation of the A. F. of L. will be more work to build a stronger, more effective fighting organization of

the workers thru Organization of the unorganized; Amalgamation of the trade unions; Formation of a labor party; A class struggle by the workers against the capitalists.

> Central Committee. Workers (Communist) Party. C. E. RUTHENBERG. General Secretary

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Inhuman Treatment of Workers Exposed

BOURNEMOUTH, Eng.-(FP)- "I to bring you a message from the Indian workers," said D. Chaman Lall to the recent British Trades Union Congress at Bournemouth. "We Indian trade unionists followed closely your general strike and were inspired by this splendid working class demonstration. The same British capitalists who exploit you, exploit us. Because the Indian worker's standard of living is so low, your standard of living is being forced down.

"In the Bombay textile mills the avorago monthly wage for a man is \$9.60 and for a woman \$5.70. These are government figures. A Calcutta jute mill worker earns \$6.90 a month. A worker on the tea plantations earns from \$1.20 to \$1.50 a week. As for the British empire. I say if it means such slavery for millions of people, let it die!"

Lall's speech, the one note of revolt sounded from the congress platform, was received enthusiastically by the delegates. The general council received it in silence. Lall got no his wife, as did the fraternal delegate from America, Pres. Hutcheson of the

Interviewed Lall said, "The Indian Labor movement is still weak. We have only 500,000 of the 20,000,000 possants are barely organized at all. for fear of Zeppelin raids. workers organized. The 200,000,000

"While the Indian people have been kept in great ignorance (only 1 in every 17 can read or write), and the British government has used every means of coercion and cajolery, the By TOM BARKER, Federated Press. by the billions of tons, iron ore, gold, spirit of the workers is good. They NOVO SIBIRSK, Siberia-(FP)- rivers, forests teeming with fur-bearhave revolted in many great strikes "Soviet Siberia is now at the point ing animals, fish. Richest country in against the ruthless exploitation of where American middle west was the world. tish capital controls the export trade Kietes of the Siberian executive po-

middle class, the workers and peas credit." ants being prohibited from voting by through the organized workers. The ments at the chemical plant, Non-Cooperative Movement failed be-

rerely practicing his profession, is a tiful, commanding the lordy Ob river. has deserted his caste and Oxford Kuzbas group in 1921. training for the Indian Labor movestrikes in andis of the radiway workcre, textile workers, jute workers and Siberia we have the largest single Then the 19-year residence in the

Reluctantly Turn to Revolutionary China

WASHINGTON - (FP) - Radical China is providing the only safeguards to American and other foreigners in the midst of the bitterest civil war the country has yet known, while reactionary and militarist China is turnfing a savage face toward its foreign aflies. That is the peoplexing fact which American state department ofsicials gather from dispatches from Peking, Hankow, Shanghai and Canton. It is confirmed by special press dispatches from China and is now digmified by a reluctant oditorial in the New York Times which always has influence with diplomatic Washington.

Frank Lockhart was sent to Hankow as American consul-general to watch over American commercial interests in central China and to report on the dangerous spread of the nationalist doctrine of the "red" government at Canton. Now Lockhart reports the Cantonese forces as respecting the rights of Chinese and foreigners, while the militarist Sun Chuanfang is marking his campaign against the radicals by indiscriminate massaere and looting.

Reluctantly the American authorities in touch with China, who feel responsible for the safety of American lives in that country, are turning to the Cantonese "radicals," friendly to the Soviet Union, as the one element which may restore order and a hope of progress in the nation.

Coal Production in

the amount of 1,327,000 tons will be stopped by order of Coolidge on this sum for the support of your strugproduced in the fiscal year beginning | Sept. 15. Oct. 1, 1926, according to plans of the Autonomous Industrial Company of guns and was sent to the tyrant Cha. prison bars we shake hands with you this conflict. Kuzbas, announced by the official morro, who is a tool of Wall Street and wish you a quick victory. Tass news agency. For the year just imperialism that seized and keeps ended the production was 773,600 tons.

It was in this field that many Amerithis open favoring of the tyrant by cans, led by W. D. Haywood, under-the United States violation of its own took some years ago to restore pro- decrees. duction of coal and steel. Many of The conference between the liberal these recruits left the region before and reactionary forces is to take place the mines and mills had returned to on the United States cruiser Tulsa at radical Kuomintang, together with his anything near their pre-war level of Corinto on Tuesday. The United entire army of 200,000.

ly to take to your trade union meeting? | perialism.

Five Months Fight Leaves Miners United

holding their ranks solid in all important coal fields. The few thousands There is bound to be less eagerness returning to work are in less important coal fields producing only for future. Stricken as the miners are, local consumption.

Starvation and lack of sufficient relief put the miners in a hopeless position in spite of their heroism throughhave come all the way from India ternal friction, the British Labor out the strugglo. After adjusting in-Party is launching a national camthroughout the country and the gov- of the spirit prevailing there. ernment is asked to resign and go to the country on the mining lockout.

united, although they keep up a better Churchill was minded to bring the diswin was forced by his party chiefs to overrule Churchill. It is understood that banking interests inhad enough power to force the mine owners' point of view.

Dusiness interests realize that if the miners are defeated it will be at the cost of hopelessly injurying British industry. According to government figalready been lost in coal output alone. Some of the coal markets have been lost permanently.

Other industries tried to keep going gold watch and silver necklace for costs have been prohibitive and the coal inferior. Industry is shutting down again or further restricting production. Supply of gas is being restricted. Only a fraction of street in the U.S., and there will be a trelamps are being used. The darkened streets remind the inhabitants of the of the union to secure a continuation

LONDON-(FP)-After 5 months of | If the miners are temporarily de he mining lockout British miners are feated, the lessons they taught their enemies will long be remembered. to force the miners into a fight in the there is plenty of life left in them.

Whatever humiliation is forced on some of the districts, the two impor tant districts of South Wales and Yorkshire will hold out a few months longer. Most of the British coal is mined in these two areas. A. J. Cook, paign in conjunction with the Trade Seev., and Herbert Smith, Pres. of in his address as first delegate from Union Congress to rouse public opin- the Miners Federation, come from ion for the miners. Meetings are held these district and are representative

That only severe privation forced Government forces are by no means given way is quite evident. They into rely on. The Federated Press also ernment of South Africa, pute to an end, prime minister Bald- found that the areas which weakened were those where the poor law com-\$5 a week for months.

Mine owners who got miners to return to work say that these men are weakened after weeks of privation and unable to do the required work. ures, about one billion dollars has They produce much less than usual Joynson-Hicks," notorious red-baiter, and break down easily.

That the fate of the British miners' struggle will have an important bearing on the mining situation in Amerby importing foreign coal, but the ica is suggested in the following statement of a London financial paper: "If the policy of union control should triumph in England, this is bound to have a repercussion in labor politics mendous drive next spring on the part war days, when streets were dimmed and strict enforcement of the Jacksonville agreement."

Progress in Siberia Under the Soviets

and oil, coal, tea and jute. Indian litical committee, whose 74 members

Kietes is to represent the industrial property qualifications. India will district of Kemerovo, controlled by and we will take half a billion dollars never win her freedom except "Kusbas." He is in charge of ship of equipment a year in place of the

We talked in the recently opened cause the leaders refused to see this." House of the Soviets in the Siberian

on him year after year. There is coal wound up.

Government Aims to

Protect Bankers

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17. - The

American government will never

consent to the marketing of Ger-

man railway bonds held by the rep-

arations commission in the United

States until the Mellon-Berenger

debt settlement with France is rati-

fied, it was indicated in official cir-

The position of the Washington

government is understood to be that

private investors would not be ready

to purchase the bonds with the debt

situation unsettled, and it would be

unwise for the government to per-

mit them to be thrown on the mar-

U. S. Violates Its Own

Decrees to Aid Tyrant

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Oct. 17 .-

The liberal revolutionaries have pro-

States, which does not hope to save

Chamorro, hopes to replace him with

cles today.

the British and Hindu capitalists, Bri- right after the civil war," says Peter | We here are planning everything, ognized as British up to April the 6th, every step of the way. We are a gov- 1925, (when this order came into ernment that is operating industry, force), are now classed as of no or ers. The following year an attempt capital controls the steel works and govern an area larger than the United and we know where we're going and the cotton industry, the main manu- States. We are tremendously rich in what for Everything is provided for men who served in the imperial army the board of trade (Mr. J. Chamber and the acquisition of factories. The notes that it is considered not to be natural resources, but otherwise we in our state budget: Loans extended and navy during the great war as Brit-On the political situation, Lall said, are poor, although we are making to Siberia are not backed by individ-"The electorate is composed of the progress. We need machinery on ual firms, but by the resources of the soviet state.

"Let the United States recognize us \$100,000,000 we are buying today." Then the farmer asserted himself

"I was out camping last year near a Chamda Lall, a young lawyer but capital, a building attractive and beau- village. About 100 yards away there were two beehives. Do you know, we or of the educated class who Kietes came to Siberia with the first never saw a bee near our camp all the time. The flowers were so plenti-"Before coming here I lived in the ful that the bees just hopped off the ment. He has been active as a labor state of Washington for 19 years as hive right on to them. They did all ther since 1920. He has led big lumberjack and farmer," he said. "I their honey hunting within a 20-yard

CAN SIGN TREATY WITH SOVIETS WITHOUT ANY SANCTION SALE FORMAL RECOGNITION OF TEUT, BONDS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17 .- Seoretary Kellogg says that the United States, Britain and apan can meet the Soviet Union in a discussion of their Joint fur-seal treaty without involving American recognition of the Moscow government. He has not yet agreed to any meeting.

Polish Political Prisoners Give Aid to the British Miners

POLAND, Oct. 17 .- In the bulletin of the Non-Party Committee for Am- Lloyd George Forces at Beacon nesty in Poland the following letter is contained:

"To the Striking Miners of Great Britain: Dear Comrades:

"We, the political prisoners sent to the bourgeoisie, watch with ever increasing attention the course of your struggle, which lasts already three Chamorro of Nicaragua months.

"Knowing from our own experience how difficult it is for a worker to fight against capital, which is in power, we tested to the United States consul wish to assist you in your struggle, against the open landing of arms from despite the fact that we, ourselves. Kuzbas District Grows the steamer Venezuela, sent from New live under extremely bad conditions. York on Sept. 18, when such ship- For this reason we renounce half of MOSCOW, Oct. 17.-Kuzbas coal to ments were supposed to have been our material assistance and send you gle. Your struggle is also our strug-

> "Wronki, Hard Labor Prison." "August, 1926."

(Seventy-six signatures.)

CANTON, China-(FP)-The Canton Republican Daily News reports that Gen. Fong has agreed to join the

That worker next door to you that the two are innocent and that Why not a small bundle of The another of the same type, Adolfo Diaz, may not have anything to do totheir so-called; "confessions" in 1921
DAILY WORKER sent to you regular who is friendly to United States imnight. Hand him this copy of the were enforced by means of inhuman DAILY WORKER

Police Card Has Their Nationality "Doubtful"

(Special to The Daily Worker) front than the labor movement. After any poor relief and with no families tionalistic spirit of the present gov- ment led to a reluctant entry into poli-

fluenced Churchill, but the de-hards tirely. Families of five and six found tention on South Africa the example the advent of the Co-operative Party. it impossible to go on with less than of "British liberty and fair play" in 'tha mother country" (of the Hottentots?) goes unheeded.

A Joynson-Hicks Decree.

"The Special Restriction (colored alien seamen) Order 1925" signed "W. s not less unjust because of its camouflaged phraseology. This order is or as is the South African Color Bar application.

an identification card bearing photo and description, and must be stamped the police whenever the bearer signs on and pays off a vessel in the United Kingdom. Failure to comply with this police registration may mean deportation. Its scope of application puts a new phase on the word 'alien"-making it practically synonymous with the world color.

Nationality""Doubtful." Colored seamen born within the empire who have made their homes in the United Kingdom for 30 years or

To obtain a passport, which is evidently the only evidence of British na- mentary committee. tionality accepted to exempt the individual from this "alien" registration by citing a case:

A Case in Point.

from the United Kingdom on British Siberia we have the largost single area of agricultural land in the world.

Then the 19-year residence in the wessels ever since. He has a British the tide of indignation has largely ing figures give a comparison between the distributive and productive capital the distributive capital the distributive and productive capital the distributive capital the distributive capital the distributive capital the d The peasant dumps the stable manure est country in the world, I'm telling photo and description and declaring into the ersek and the soil still smiles you, is our Soviet Siberia," Kiotes his nationality to be a British-born subject. Also, he has a board of trade seaman's discharge book as corroborating evidence.

He applied for a passport presenting these as evidence of nationality and was informed that he must produce his birth certificate. When he obtained his birth certificate he again applied for a passport and then reseaman in following his occupation. Press.

No Nationality After All. But, in order to follow his occupation he had to register as an ealien, and his registration card gives his nationality as "doubtful."

Colored seamen who have British passports are exempt from the ruling is being invested to provide new erative apartments at 4 per cent, to of this order, but the position of those buildings, adequate sewage system, workers and their unions or other who are not so fortunate cannot be justly classified as other than diserimination because of color.

Lord Oxford (Asquith) From Liberal Control

LONDON, Oct. 17 .- Lord Oxford, better known as ex-Premier Asquith, the prison of Wronki by the courts of in a letter to liberal party leaders states that he is resigning from leadership of the party. This is a by-product of the British

general strike, as Lord Oxford, as then leader of the liberty party, condemned the strike as illegal, but found that David Lloyd George opposed that view. which George said did not differ from that of the tory party in power.

The fight between George and Lord Oxford grew bitter and ended by the roomer invests \$200 just as each parliamentary group of the liberal party voting 20 to 12 to support Lloyd George. The resignation of Lord Ox-The shipment included machine gle, and beyond the walls and the ford is now the latest development of

Jailed Five Years. Is Proved Innocent

WARSAW, Oct. 17 .- The appeal court of Warsaw treated once more the case of the workers, Schucht and Kowalczik, who have been in hard labor already for five years.

The court came to the conclusion torture.

Co-operative Section

COMMENT

This department will appear in every Monday's issue of the The DAILY WORKER.

War and Its Effects---1914 To Date

By John Hamilton.

spicable "Color Bar Act" recently en- ing the war, despite the govern- support the party, preferring to retain being made up thus (on the generous acted in the Union of South Africa, ment's generally unfair treatment of allegiance, as individuals, to the lib-side); -- share, £73,000,000; loan, which is an outrage on the most the co-operative movement as regards eral and conservative parties. Others, £12,000,000; reserves, £5,000,000; rudimentary principles of justice, has food distribution, military service, and desirous of seeing only one Workers' owing for goods, £3,000,000; total, led to considerable adverse criticism taxation. The taxation of co-operative Party, are directly affiliated with the £93,000,000. in the British press. This criticism, dividends formed the subject of much labor party. About fifty societies are thus: - productive (share and loan) the return of the miners who have however, is evidently, not so much—discussion before the royal commisthus affiliated, tho some of these are equals £3,000,000; wholesale (share If at all—due to the injustice of this sion on income tax. These grievances also members of the Co-operative and loan) equals £32,000,000; total, clude many single men not entitled to act as it is to the fear of the na- of co-operators against the govern- Party. The Co-operative Party claim- £35,000,000. The estimated aggretics. Opposition was expressed by the izations representing 2,500,000 co-op- societies for 1923 is 4,580,623. In general it is implied that this C. W. S. and others to affiliation to erators in 1922. Many societies, act is a reversal of the empire's pol- the labor party or an alliance with therefore, have refrained from taking missioners brought down relief to an icy, but the reversal, if such, is in that body, and the decision of the line of independent political ac-fluences is wielded by the press, and impossible minimum or cut it out en- method only. While focusing the at- Swansea Congress (1917) resulted in tion.

The decision for independent politents of the co-operative movement in tions. parliament, and on local administrative bodies, this congress is of opinas much a discrimination against colion that the time has arrived when cooperators should secure direct repre-Act: it is only more subtle in its sentation in parliament and on all losteps as may be necessary to put into operation the terms of the above resolution." This, despite the C. W. S. amendment, aiming at delay, was carried by the big majority of 1,979 for; 201 against.

Party politics up to this time had in an unfavorable report to the tradish-born subjects and seamen of color taking part in the management of coborn in England of English mothers operative stores. Pressure from the are not exempt, unless they have a Co-operative Union resulted in the employes being left alone. In 1892 it was found necessary to establish a parlia-

Many of the more progressive so-

The Growth of the Co-operative Party. tals of the movement: distributive, establishing its own daily in the dim As was the case with the labor £93,000,000; wholesale and product and distant future.

Co-operative Party today, many pro- 000,000. The figures in round terms, LONDON-(By Mail.) - The de- THERE was a steady expansion dur- fessing co-operative principles do not are for 1922, the "distributive capital ed the affiliation of nearly 450 organ- gate membership of the distributive

In the general election of Novem- co-operative movements in this coun ber, 1918, ten Co-operative candidates try has never had an efficient daily went to the poll, only one-Mr. Wat- newspaper. Very few of the general erson (Kettering)-being returned. In public have ever heard of the Co-opcal action was embodied in the fol- the present parliament there are six erative News. As a matter of fact lowing resolution: "That in view of Co-operative Party members. A con- the News reaches only a fraction of the persistent attacks and mis-sidrable amount of success has been the Co-operative membership (circula representations made by the oppon- achieved in local and municipal election in 1921, 120,000 copies weekly;

Prolonged negotiations to establish theless, an agitation has gone on for an alliance between the Co-operative the publication of a co-operative and the labor parties culminated in daily. definite proposals for such an alliance 1922 declared in favor of this proposal being submitted to the Scarborough A section of the movement has been cal administrative bodies. It there- Congress of 1921. The resolutions in pressing for the financing and con-It compels colored seament to carry fore calls upon the central board of favor of the scheme, as also one sup- trolling a common daily paper by all the Co-operative Union to take such porting a direct affiliation to the labor sections of the labor movement, party were defeated.

Farming and Manufacturing Developments.

of land purchase which, strictly speak- co-operating with the general council mentioned, but war difficulties expe- on the basis of the three bodies be ben avoided by the movement, altho dited the policy. Farming operations coming responsible for the Daily Herpolitical action had to be taken from are conducted by many distributive ald. This was taken as an amendment time to time to promote or defend co- societies as well, the total area owned to the central board's resolution, and operative interests. The hostility of by the movement in the United King- list by 1,514 votes to 2,108. The cenprivate traders led, in 1879, to the dom being 63,255 acres, and in addi- tral board's resolution was as follows: appointment of a parliamentary com- tion 11,003 acres are rented. The gen- "That this Congress receives the remore and who have been officially recco-operation. This, however, resulted ment are anything but encouraging. | ceived from 352 societies* re the

Effects of the Trade Slump. This man was born in the British to effect by capitalist control of poliment of same for some time. They bark upon this necessary enterprise at West Indies. He was married in Eng- tics, pushed the movement into the have again resumed payment of 2d. the earliest possible moment. acceptance of political activity. It in the pound, altho at the expense Thus a narrow view of its interests must be admitted that the receding of mainly of depreciation. The follow- prevailed, and the movement is com-

One of the most potent public in

it is remarkable that the labor and 1923, 90,000 copies weekly). Never The Brighton Congress of

For the 1924 Congress the London Co-operative Society tabled a resolution, instructing the Co-operative The C. W. S. entered into a policy Union to "explore ways and means of ing, ante-dated the war as previously of the T. U. C. and the labor party Other developments including the scheme for the establishment of purchase of a coal mine by the C. W. daily paper prepared by the National "doubtful" nationality; colored sea- was made to induce the president of S., numerous manufacturing extensions Co-operative Publishing Society, and lain), to forbid government employes C. W. S. has decided recently, how- a practical proposal at the present ever, not to reopen its house building time. It re-affirms its belief that the interests of the movement would be served by a daily newspaper owned The slump in trade and unemploy- and controlled by itself. As a means ment has inevitably had the effect of to that end, it calls upon all societies reducing membership and capital in in membership with the Co-operative the movement. Industrial disputes, Union to make every effort to incieties had linked up with or were as in the mining industry, 1921, have crease the sale of the Co-operative has its unique features in this case. working in conjunction with local also contributed to this end. But the News and other co-operative publicatrades councils and labor parties. reduction has been surprisingly small. tions, and to prepare the National Co-When the war came, the "Business as Dividends, generally, have been greatly operative Publishing Society by the Usual" slogan of capitalism carried in- reduced, the C. W. S. suspending pay- gradual accumulation of capital to em-

WORKERS CO-OPERATIVE APARTMENT BUILT TO ACCOMODATE 11 HUNDRED

By ESTHER LOWELL, Federated Press.

NEW YORK-(FP)-A co-operative apartment house ready for 1,100 peoceived the information that as a sea- ple to move in is not the only achievement of the United Workers Co-operman his discharge book was quite suf- ative. Camp Nitgedaiget-No Worry-is another substantial material asset ficient; that a passport was unneces- owned by this group of 2,000 co-operators whose new apartment house, first sary and is not therefore, issued to a unit of a planned co-operative colony, was described previously by Federated

> now a third sum of \$50,000 to \$60,000 operative camp has profited enuf for these expansions—in only four years

Camp Has Tough Name.

Camp Nitgedaiget is owned and operative. This organization of wage of speculation the United finds, Buildworkers has grown in nine years from ing loans are more easily obtainable owner of a camp and apartment ganization. The most efficient busiinstitution, and ambitious builder of the United's projects in addition to a co-operative colony and co-operative the purpose of training their own comovement in the United States.

Loan and Borrow. The new apartment house has 100

when one has the room alone. Each Stock is non-dividend paying. An iniroom as sort of building loan. Fifty borrow half the \$200 at exceedingly easy terms from the Workers Cooperative Finance Institution owned by the United Workers Co-operative. When he removes, he gets back his \$200, since he has no more individual ownership of the rooms than apartment dwellers. All belongs to the co-operative organization and residents cannot make private profit as in some so-called co-operatives by sell- ment house a typographical error ing their apartments.

To Build Labor Bank. Out of the Co-operative Finance Institution the United Workers Co-op-

Seven workers united in the first co- erative expects to build a real labor operative camp at Belmore, N. J. Lat- bank, not one selling bonds and shares er the Beacon site was rented and loaning chiefly to business enterstill later the first \$5,000 was invested prises. The co-operators' bank will in this land. Then \$10,000 more and take workers' money in accounts and give loans to workers for the co-opcasino, etc. At the moderate charge organizations otherwise at 5 per cent. of \$15 per week per worker, this co- It will get credits and finance further co-operative work. Workers' savings should be used for co-operative and labor enterprises, the United Workers Co-operative believes. Co-operative enterprises

managed by the United Workers Co- sounder than those with the element small beginnings to the successful therefore by a truly co-operative orhouse, sponsor of a workers' finance ness methods are held standard for operative workers in administration.

Co-operative is based on ownership of held the British miners. American cotwo shares of stock at \$5 each, but rooms for rent to single workers at no member has more than one vote \$15 a month when two share, \$23 no matter how much stock he takes. and translate the great idea of cotiation fee of \$1.50 is charged. Every hasten to the financial and moral aid apartment resident pays in \$200 per member must be a worker and memof the furnished room renter's \$200 trade. From its modest start the ately a relief campaign in your co-United Workers Co-operative has ex- operatives. Have a collection box in panded by winning the confidence of your stores. Circulate collections ever-larger circles of workers in its lists. Arrange dances and entertainsoundness and advantages. It is set ments for this purpose. Ask your ting a model that intelligent workers membership meetings and board of elsewhere will find worth studying directors to donate. and following.

United Workers Co-operative apart- with the miners. gave 250 instead of 350 apartments as the total in this first unit.

BUILD THE DAILY WITH A SUB

URGE CO-OPS TO ASSIST BRITISH MINE STRIKERS

Appeal Is Sent to All Stores for Aid

The Co-operative Central Exchange of Superior, Wis., has sent the follow ng appeal for aid to the British miners to some 500 co-operative stores

thruout the country: "The British coal miners are fighting against a 10 per cent reduction and a one-hour increase in the working day. Since May 1 they have fought with courage and self-sacrifice.

"This struggle is of great importance to the workers of all countries. A defeat would mean an increase of exploitation in every capitalist country. The profiteers would use this defeat as a club against the workers and farmers in their respective countries. This struggle must, therefore, call forth the aid and solidarity of the workers of all countries.

"In England, Germany, Soviet Russia and other European countries the labor and co-operative organizations Membership in the United Workers labor in America has taken steps to are already giving aid. The organized operatives should follow the example of the co-operatives in other countries operative solidarity into action and of their British class brothers.

"Co-operators! Organize immedi-

"These heroic miners with their families are facing starvation. The NOTE: In a previous story on the co-operative movement should stand

> "You may send your donations thru the Co-operative Central Exchange, or thru the International Workers' Aid. 1553 West Madison street, Chicago, Ill. "Yours for Co-operation,

"Co-operative Central Exchange."

Workers (Communist) Party

W. P. ELECTION **CAMPAIGN TOURS**

C. E. Ruthenberg

meeting at Buffalo on October 14. The meeting will be held at Workers' Hall, 36 West Huron street. Comrade Ruthenberg will speak on: "What a Workers' and Farmers' Government Will Do For the Workers and Farmers." The tour will touch the largest and most important cities of the eastern part of the country and the readers of The DAILY WORKER should make a note of the time and place of the meeting in their town and be sure to come to the meeting themselves and bring their fellow workers. The complete tour follows:

Monday, Oct. 18, New Haven, Conn., Labor Auditorium, 38 North St., 8 p. m. Tuesday, Oct. 19, Brooklyn, N. Y., Amalgamated Labor Temple, 11 Arion Wednesday, Oct. 20, New York City, Workers (Communist) Party member-ship meeting, Webster Hall 119 E. 11th

St., 8 p. m.
Thursday, October 31, Philadelphia, Pa.,
New Traymore Hall, Franklin and Columbia avenues, 8 p. m.
Friday, Oct. 22, Baltimore, Md., Conservatory Hall, 1929 Baltimore St., 8

p. m.
Saturday, October 23, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
N. S. Carnegie Music Hall, Federal and
Ohio Sts. 8 p. m.
Sunday, Oct. 24, Cleveland, Ohio Insurance Center Bldg., Hall A, 783 East 11th street.

11th street.
to be announced later.
Monday, Oct. 25, Toledo, Ohio, Fota
Hall, Grant Hotel, 716 Jefferson, 8 p. m.
Tuesday, Oct. 26, Chicago, Ill., Northwest Hall, cor. North and Western Aves.
Wednesday, Oct. 27, Detroit, Mich.,
House of the Masses 2101 Gratiot Ave.,
8 p. m.

p. m. Sunday, Oct. 31, Minneapolis, Minn., abor Temple, 2 p. m. Inform your shopmates, neighbors, and friends about these meetings. Bring them to the meeting to hear a presentation of the issues of the election campaign from the standpoint of labor.

Rebecca Grecht.

Rebecca Grecht, who has just completed a tour in Ohio, will cover a number of cities in Minnesota and Michigan this October in connection with the election campaign of the Workers (Communist) Party. Com-

Chisholm, Minn., Thursday, Oct. 21, Karis Hall.
Virginia, Minn., Friday Oct. 22,
Superior, Wis., Saturday, Oct. 23,
Workers' Hall.
Duluth, Minn., Sunday, Oct. 24, Workers' Hall.
Ironwood, Mich.

Ironwood, Mich., Monday, Oct. 25, Fin-nish Hall. Hancock Mich. nish Hall.

Hancock Mich., Tuesday, Oct. 26,

Kausankote Hall.

Ishpeming, Mich., Wednesday, Oct. 27.

Filnt, Mich., Friday, Oct. 29.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Saturday, Oct. 30.

Muskegon, Mich., Sunday, Oct. 31.

. . . H. M. Wicks.

H. M. Wicks, labor speaker and candidate for governor of Pennsylvania on the Workers (Communist) Party ticket, is now engaged in an election campaign tour covering a large number of cities in Pennsylvania. His subject is: "What Do the Elections Mean to the Worksers?"

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The rest of his tour follows: AVELLA, Pa., Sunday, Oct. 17, 2:30 p. m, Branton Granish Hall. m, Branton Granish Hall.

MONONGAHELA CITY, Pa., Tuesday,
Oct. 19, 8 p. m., Markel Hall.

CHARLEROI, Pa., Wednesday, Oct. 20.
Italian Hall, cor. 2nd and Lockout.

BENTLEYVILLE, Pa., Thursday, Oct.
21, 7:30 p. m., Union Hall.
EAST PITTSBURGH, Sat., Oct. 23.

NEW BRIGHTON, Pa., Tuesday, Oct.
25.

25.
NEW KENSINGTON, Thurs., Oct. 28, 7:30 p. m., Ukrainian Hall, 14th St. and 4th Ave.
HARMERVILLE, Pa., Friday, Oct. 28, 7:30, Union Hail.
NEW CASTLE, Pa., Saturday, Oct. 30, 7 p. m., Knights of Malta Hall.
PITTSBURGH. Pa., Sunday, Oct. 30, 8 p. m. Labor Lyceum, 35 Miller St.

We will send sample copies of The DAILY WORKER to your friendssend us name and address.

Novy Mir Dance to be Held Sat., Oct. 23 at Workers' House

Next Saturday, October 23, at the Workers' House, 1902 W. Division St., nist paper in the United States, the local banks-enuf to operate the Novy Mir. Some of the best talents schools for the balance of the year. to boil the workers has not been for in the colony will participate. Details | Two weeks ago, when the school gotten. Three speakers will reveal will be announced later. Reserve the board prepared its September pay. some startling facts that you will want date, Saturday, October 23.

WORKERS PARTY ENTERS CANDIDATES IN STATE **ELECTIONS THIS YEAR**

C. E. Ruthenberg

General Secretary of the Workers
(Communist) Party, is starting off his big election campaign tour with a massing of Party of Party candidates officially on the ballots.

Nominations officially filed:

Michigan.

The following canidates will appear fficially on the ballot in the Fall lections to be held Tuesday, Nov. 2: Governor, William Reynolds. Congress, 1st Dist., Harry Kishner. Congress, 19h Dist., Daniel C. Holder. Congress, 13th District, William Hollenauer.

auer! Secretary of State, Sarah Victor, State Treasurer, Arnold Zeigler. Attorney General, Cyril Lambkin, Auditor General, Aaron M. Katz.

Pennsylvania.

The following were the candidates Governor, H. M. Wicks.
Lieutenant-Governor, Parthenia Hills.
Secretary of Internal Affairs, Max Jen-

Celia Paransky.

For Congress. Seventh District, Maragaret Yeager. Eighth District, Susie Kendra and eter Skrtic. Ninth District, William P. Mikades. Thirty-fourth District, Sam Shore. State Senator, William Schmidt.

Colorado.

Governor, William Dietrich.
United States Senator, James A. Ayers.
Secretary of State, Nelson Dewey,
State Treasurer, Leonard Forschler.
Superintendent of Public Instruction, lelena Dietrich. State Auditor, O. McSwain.

Massachusetts.

Governor, Lewis Marks.
Lieut. Governor, Albert Oddie.
U. S. Senator, John J. Ballam.
Treasurer, Winfield A. Dwyer.
Auditor, Emma F. Hutchins.
Attorney General, Max Lerner.
Secretary of State, Harry J. Canter.

Ohio.

Canton, Stark County State Senator, 41st District, Carl Guil-lod. State Assemblyman, 21st District, Peter Pichler. . . .

FARMER-LABOR PARTY CANDI-DATES SUPPORTED BY THE WORKERS PARTY:

OHIO

Allen County rade Grecht will speak on: "What Do the Elections Mean to the Workers?"
Her tour follows:
St. Paul. Minn., Tuesday Oct. 19, 435 Rice St. Minneapolis, Minn., Wednesday, Oct. 20, Finnish Hall.
Chisholm, Minn., Thursday, Oct. 21, Karls Hall.

WASHINGTON

PETITION CAMPAIGNS IN PROGRESS TO PUT THESE CAN-DIDATES ON THE BALLOTS:

Illinois.

States Senator from Illinois. Mathilda Kalousek, congresswoman for th congressional district. Elizabeth Griffin, congresswoman for

New York.

(Manhattan)
Assembly, 6th District, Benjamin Lifschitz. Assembly, 8th District, Rebecca Grecht. Essembly, 17th District, Julius Codkind. Asembly, 18th District, Abraham Markoff. Congress, 18th District, Charles Krumbein. Congress, 14th District, Alexander Trachtenberg. Congress, 20th District, William W. Weinstone. Senate, 14th District, Elmer T. Allison.

(Bronx)

Asembly, 3rd Dist., Elias Marks. Assembly, 4th District, Isidore Steinzer. Assembly, 5th District, Charles Zimmerman. Assembly, 7th District. Joseph Boruchowitz. Congress, 23rd District, Boruchowitz. Con Moissaye J. Olgin. (Brooklyn)

(Brooklyn)

Assembly, 6th District, George Primoff.
Assembly, 23rd District, Fannie Warshafsky. Congress, 10th District, Bertram
D. Woffe. Senate, 7th District, Morris
Rosen.

Connecticut.

School Board Must Borrow Money for Maintaining Schools

the Novy Mir worker correspondents the schools, the board of education listen to a searching analysis of the will give a concert and dance for the today sought the aid of business men political situation in Philadelphia and benefit of the only Russian Commu- in their plan to borrow \$500,000 from Pennsylvania.

roll, it found its money box empty.

W. W. REL

Instructions to N. Y. Party Sections

- 1. Every unit or sub-section not yet supplied with the five-dollar coupon books for The DAILY WORKER campaign must immediately have DAILY WORKER agent or campaign manager call on Katterfeld to get a supply of these coupon books. They will not be
- 2. Units, sub-sections and sections that have no DAILY WORKER agent or campaign manager yet must elect same at the next meeting. The most capable comrade must be put in charge of this work. If necessary, put your organizer on this job and elect another comrade as organizer.
- 4. Volunteers are needed every day this week to write addresses for DAILY WORKER campaign Issue. Report at DAILY WORKER office, Room 32, 108 East 14th Street.

W. P. Ticket is Only Independent One in Colorado Election

DENVER, Oct. 17 .- The Workers Party is the only party in the state of Colorado which stands for independent political action. Altho there are three parties in the field besides the republican and democratic parties, almost all radicals realize that the socialist ticket and the so-called farmer-labor ticket, which has been recently filed, are not interested in getting the workers awakened to inde pendent political action. The writer has approached many of the former members of the socialist party here, and all claim they have had nothing to do with the filing of this ticket which has been filed not by a socialist, but by a single taxer who makes a living circulating petitions and would just as well circulate a petition for the republican or democratic party as he would for the socialist party. Furthermore, there are candidates United States Senator, E. J. Cary.
State Legislature, 1st district, Ernest
Careathers and Anna Weisman.
Second District, Mike Blaskovitz and
Second District, Mike Blaskovitz and the Workers Party ticket is a member of the Workers Party.

Three candidates of the six on the state ticket of the Workers Party are members of A. F. of L. unions.

We are ready to withdraw our candidates and support any bona-fide representative party which puts up a straight labor, or farmer-labor ticket, independent of either the republican or democratic party.

William Dietrich, Candidate for Governor of the Workers (Communist) Party.

Coolidge Program to Be Challenged By Ruthenberg in Penn.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 17.-C. E. Ruthenberg, general secretary of the Workers (Communist) Party, who is also a member of the executive committee of the Communist International with headquarters at Moscow will speak at the Carnegie Music Hall, corner Federal and Ohio streets N. S., here on Saturday, Oct. 23, at 8 p. m. in an attack on what the Communists charge is Coolidge's capitalist program

Milton Poulos R. Rainer

Morris Roth Sam Salat ...

Marcel Scherer
Paul Scherer
Richard Schraml
Chas. Schwartz
J. Schwartzberg
Meyer Siegel
Louis Siselman
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Samuel Wiels Harry Wohl ... Annie Wolf

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Louis Marshall

The subject announced for Ruthenberg is, "What a Workers' and Farmers' Government Could Do for the Workers and Farmers" and will present a contrast to what the Coolidge administration has done for the cap

Baltimore Begins Drive to Keep Daily Worker

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 17-A mem-J. Louis Engdahl, candidate for United bership meeting was held here last Hammersmark, for congressman night with Comrades Bail and Spivack of Philadelphia as speckers downpour of rain considerably cut Elizabeth Griffin, congresswoman for down the number of attendants at the meeting, but it was felt that the work of raising funds to save the daily must

M. Samorodin
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J. Dilney
Dr. R. H. Isaacs
M. Freistat
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J. Seltzer
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H. Kostinsky

made. These will be collected within a few days and sent over. Comrade Governor, William MacKenzie. Lleut. Governor, Edward Mrasko. Comptroller, John Gombos. Secretary of State, Jane H. Feldman. Treasurer, H. Wolfson.

"What Price Vare?" Asked at Philly Meet

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 17. 'What price Senator Vare?" will be ATLANTA, Oct 17 .- Faced with no the general topic at the mass meeting other alternative except closing of next Thursday, when the workers will

The \$3,000,000 political pot in which to hear. C. E. Ruthenberg, general secretary of the Workers' Party; A. J. Carey, Workers' party candidate for CALIFORNIA-United States senator; J. O. Bentall, new organizer of District 3.

The meeting will be held at New Traymore Hall, Franklin street and Columbia avenue, Thursday at 8 p. m.. October 21. Let every worker come and bring others.

World Sexology Congress.

BERLIN, Oct. 17.-Scientists from all over the world are assembling here for the first International Congress of Sexology ever held. The congress will discuss all important sex problems which are intertwined with modern life.

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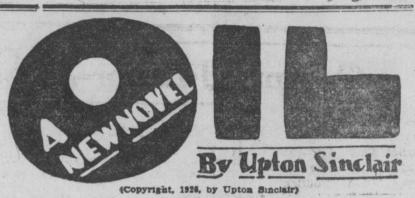
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So, promptly at eight-thirty next morning, the campus in front of the Assembly building, beheld a sight, the like of which had never thrilled the student-body of S. P. U. since the first days of the Methodist Sunday-school. The discoverer and heir-apparent of the Ross Junior oil field turned into a newsboy! Standing on a bench, with an armful of papers, shouting gaily, "The Investigator! First issue of the Investigator! Five cents a copy!"

Did they buy them? Oh ask! They crowded around Bunny three deep, he couldn't make the change fast enough; as the excitement spread, they crowded six deep, ten deep-it was a mob, a riot. Everywhere, all over the campus, men and women, seeing the throng, came running. An accident? A fight? What was the matter? People who got their copies and drew out of the crowd became centers of minor disturbances, others trying to

see over their shoulders, asking questions. For just about ten minutes this went on; until from the Administration building there emerged, portly and dignified, with gold nose-glasses and a roll of fat around his neck-just such a personage as you would meet in any big real estate office or bank in the city-Reginald T. Squirge, Ph., D., Dean of Men. Quietly and masterfully he penetrated the throng, and quietly and masterfully he took charge of the millionaire newsboy, and conducted him into his private office, still clutching his armful of papers. "Wait here," he commanded, and again went out, and returned with Peter Nagle; a third time he went out, and his prey was 25.00 Gregor Nikolaieff; while at his heels came deputy deans, appoint-

5.00 ed ad hoc, escorting the other criminals. How many copies had been sold no one could say; the unsold copies were stacked in a corner of the Dean's office, and if they were ever counted the result was not made known. But enough had been distributed to set the campus ablaze. "Have you read it?" 'Have you got a copy?"—that was all anybody heard that day. The price of "The Investigator" leaped to one dollar, and before night-fall some had sold for two or three times that price.

One reason was that a copy had reached the Angel City "Evening Booster," most popular of newspapers, printed in green, five editions per day. The second edition, on the streets about noon, carried a "streamer head" across the front page:

RED NEST AT UNIVERSITY! Bolshevik Propaganda at S. P. U.

There followed a two-column story, carried over to page fourteen, giving a lurid account of "The Investigator's" contents, including the most startling of the facts about the hiring of athletes for the university, and the whole text of the satiric poem about God-but alas, only a very brief hint as to what Harry Seager had told about Siberia. A little later in the day came the rivals of the "Evening Booster," the "Evening Roarer" and the "Evening Howler"; they had been scooped one whole edition, but they made up for it by a mass of new details, some collected by telephone, the rest made up in the editorial offices. Said the "Evening Roarer":

who had made use of Southern Pacific students to get their propaganda into print. The "Evening Howler," which went in especially for "human interest stuff," featured the ring-leader of the MILLIONAIRE RED IN COVE RED COLLEGE PLOT UNEARTHED and it went on to tell how the police were seeking Russian agents

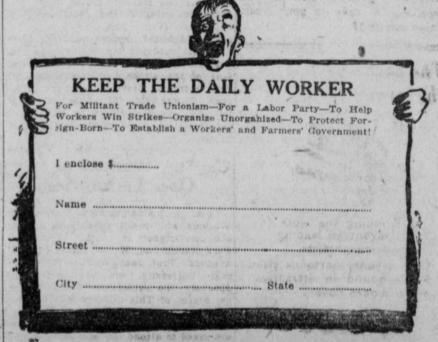
Son of Oil Magnate Backs Soviets! And it scooped its rivals by having a photograph of Bunny, which it had got by rushing a man to the Ross home and informing 5.00 Aunt Emma that Bunny had just been awarded a prize for the 5.00 best scholarship record in ten years. The good lady was so excited, she sent the butler out to the corner drug store three times to see if the "Evening Howler" had arrived with the story of that prize!

In the ordinary course of events this newspaper excitement would have lasted thirty-two hours. Next afternoon's papers would have recorded the fact that the university authorities had banned "The Investigator," and on the following day their stream-10.75 er-heads would have proclaimed, "Film Star Divorces Champ," 5.00 or "Magnate's Wife Elopes with Cop."

But fate had prepared a fantastic torment for the "parlor chanced that a wagon loaded with blasting material, making its reds" of S. P. U. On the morning after their flyer in publicity, it way through Wall Street with customary indifference to municipal ordinances, met with a collision and exploded. The acci-dent happened in front of the banking offices of Morgan and Company, and about a dozen people were killed. A few minutes after the accident, the bankers called in America's sleuth-celebrity to solve the mystery; and this able business man, facing the situation that if it was an accident it was nothing, while if it was a Bolshevik plot it was several hundred thousand dollars, took three minutes to look about him, and then pronounced it a plot.

And forthwith throughout the world a horde of spies and informers went to work, knowing that if he or she could find or invent a clue, it was fame and fortune for him or her. A wave of witch-hunting swept the country, and other countries-for two or three years thereafter new discoveries would be made, and 5.00 new "revelations" promised, and poor devils in Polish and Roumanian dungeons would have their arms twisted out of joint and their testicles macerated, while eager newspaper readers in New York and Chicago and Angel City waited ravenously for promised

(To be continued.)



Organized Labor-Trade Union Activities

News and Comment Labor Education Labor and Government Trade Union Politics

BUILDING TOILERS

Won't Work Beside Scab Glaziers

contractor in charge of the building refused to discharge them.

Result of Former Strike. The whole controversy arises out of the strike of the painters and glaziers which began on March 1 and lasted for several months, ending in the return of the men on the conditions that they had when they went out. The strike was broken by the chamber of commerce, manufacturers and building contractors of the city, forming a "citizens' committee," backed up by a fund of \$5,000,000 to introduce the open shop in Cleveland. As it was obvious that the painters and glaziers and slide along and make the "best" had lost their strike, since the strike of a bad job. When asked to organize committee advised the men to return on the old terms, the contractors, backed up by the citizens' committee, decided to retain their non-union help despite any protests of the union.

Contempt of Court, Charge. On September 18, therefore, 600 men working on the Ohio Bell Tele- tell us that they are capable of fightphone building walked out. Four of ing their own battles. That is just the union officials were ordered by the exactly the way the employing class court to have the men return to the want them to think. The employer job. In court, however, they declared has no fear of an individual worker. they had not ordered the men off the He has him where he wants him so job. As under such circumstances the court order was not being respected, the four officials were cited for contempt of court.

A meeting took place today, at which it was decided that the men will not go back as long as the four non-union glaziers are employed. The men declared that they would defy their own leaders if they should attempt to carry out the court order.

Will Maintain Rights.

tutional right of men to work or to you want?" A tongue-lashing is often refuse to work will be upheld by the 600 building trades workers, and no forts. When the workers go as an court can order them back to work. organized body to demand an increase Chief Justice Homer G. Powell of com- or better working conditions, they go Correspondent, it's only 5 cents. mon pleas court is of the opinion that if the union is to be regarded as union with responsible leadership the men must obey their orders. NUUTLOILN Should the judge succeed in his intention it will be a most dangerous decision for the workers, for instead of taking action against a union all that will be necessary will be to take action against a few leaders in the hope of thereby paralyzing the union. The Cleveland building trades workers are Is Stirred by Slur at Tragic Relation Between resolved to stand by their rights.

Los Angeles Workers Demand New Trial for

operative hall, 2706 Brooklyn avenue, and passed a resolution demanding that a new trial be given Sacco and Vanzetti by the state of Massachusetts.

The resolution pointed out that should be given the Massachusetts nal organizations and place before rate for factory mothers is given by expensive establishments. comrades.

mony of two former department of the demands of the 16,000 textile per thousand for non-working moth- Fifth Ave. and 57th St. shops. justice operatives, telling of how strikers, now out eight months, for ers. Sacco and Vanzetti were "framed." A copy of the resolutions was sent their own union. to the governor of Massachusetts.

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An Appeal to Working Women-By One

By FRANCES RIBARDO, A Textile Striker.

he mill and then has to come home week. and do more work, take care of the Women must organize themselves children and do all the washing and and come out of the kitchen and learn

We women in Passaic, Clifton, Garfield, and Lodi have started to organknow and feel that they are workers
field, and Lodi have started to organknow and feel that they are workers
Police Chief Puts Ban Wolfe Finds Interested affiliated with the United Council of who produce nothing and take every-Working class Housewives. Already thing. We that do everything have CLEVELAND, Oct. 14.—Since Sept. we have five or six hundred members. nothing. It is up to us to show them 13, 600 building trades workers have The United Council has done every- that we will fight, women and men tobeen on strike, refusing to work with thing for the children during the gether until we win all that belongs four non-union glaziers. These glaziers strike. They opened the kitchens for to us. You know, as we all know, that this tion and victory.

strike brought out the women to fight along side of the men. Men and wons en were exploited. The bosses gave WOMEN are the most exploited starvation wages. A home with five ones. You know life is not very to eight children could not be suppleasant for any one that works in ported on twelve to twenty dollars a

nousework at night. I know from ex what the class struggle is about. If perience that it is a dreadful life and there is a strike they must come out we women can make it better if we on the picket line and support the men and women on strike.

We women in Passaic, Clifton, Gar- The women in our organization

were working on the Ohio Bell Tele-phone Building for some time, and the there and at Victory Playground. Women, wake up and stay awake for we are on the road to emancipa-

"INDIVIDUALIST"—OR ORGANIZED?

By FRED BOLAN.

DETROIT, Oct. 13.-What is to be done? Many workers know their condition while others have an instinctive feeling that they are getting the worst of it. The question those workers may ask is, "What are we going to do about it?" Some prefer to take what they think is the easiest way in the struggle of their class they want to know why they should pay to keep labor leaders and union build-

Are "Individualists."

They prefer to "spend their own long as he is unorganized.

Some individual workers get in ahead by allowing themselves to be used as tools against the others. The individual worker, however, who becomes militant and goes to the boss with his demands, if he is able to reach the boss at all, usually gets turned down and sometimes fired from the job altogether. When the workers go individually to the employer, hat in hand, trembling, they are met It is clear that the so-called consti- with the sharp language: "What do their reward for their individual ef-

the job or a tongue-lashing.

Turn Tables. when the representatives of the workers enter the inner office of the capido you want?" The Ford Motor Co. understands the power of organization. That is why they fight the union so hard. That is why they have to hire stoolpigeons like they have in Ford's factory in the Highland Park plant service department and struggle They are individualists and to obtain or maintain the open shop. When the representatives of the work ers approach, the capitalists, aware of the thousands standing behind the leaders in the union, use different tactics. Their attitude is, "Well, what can I do for you? Sit down, Let's talk it over." Negotiate, temporize, arbirate, compromise. These are the weapons the capitalists are obliged to resort to. They know that the workers have one thing that they cannot take away from them-that is their numbers.

Organization is the greatest weapon that the workers have at their disposal. All that the workers have ever gained has been thru the power of organization.

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PASSAIC RELIEF

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 17 .- Or-Sacco and Vanzetti ed the struggle of the Passalo strikers n New Jersey textile industry with a determination to resist to the bitter than 1,000 workers gathered at Co- end the employers' refusal to recog- ter met in a two-day conference at nize the American Federation of La- Brookwood Labor College on the probbor, so it was declared at a meeting lems affecting women in industry. of the Rochester Relief Conference last night in Carpenters' Hall.

> Will Present Facts. them the autocratic attitude of the the women's bureau survey as 227 per better wages and the right to have

Relief Conference Augmented. tions, who came together at the con- for mothers and children the death Association were carried on for a ference call, were augmented last rate was far lower. night by the Bakers' Union, Joseph Stenglein, delegate, the Metal Pol- welfare movement and its effect on but all without avail. The total numishers, A. Heaphy and George Scott, trade unionism. Rose Schneiderman ber of workers expected to join the and the Arbeiter Saenger bund. No presided. Stenglein reported the bakers had adopted a weekly assessment in support of the strikers. Reports by John Flynn, M. Hartnett, Samuel Esman, George Malcolm, Belle Rudin and Sol Horowitz showed a live interest in the relief work by many

Clothing Workers to

Workers, will open its educational sea- Oct. 25. son on October 19 at the Douglas Park Auditorium, Kedzie and Ogden at the Columbia theater, Eleventh union officers and the cutters' union cities. If they cannot meet the payavenues. Prof. Jacob Weiner of Chi- and Walnut streets. There will be from efforts to picket and persuade ments on their land when they come cago University, will be the first two shows, 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock in workers at the factory. speaker. His subject is "The Politi- the evening. The admission is 25 cal Status of This Country With Re-

Pay and Death Rate

KATONAH, N. Y., Oct. 17 .- (FP)ganized labor in Rochester has enter- Women's Trade Union League delegates from New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Jersey City and Worces-

Maud Schwartz, of New York point- ing.

but in other towns where wages are 10 per cent to 25 per cent wage inhigher and there is purer milk, bet- crease, and restriction of overtime. The representatives of 26 organizater housing nurseries and better care Negotiations with the Couturiers'

Milwaukee Workers Await Showing of Passaic Picture

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 17. -Members of the Milwaukee labor

Policies and Programs The Trade Union Press Strikes-Injunctions Labor and Imperialism

on Discussion

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 17.-The reactionary regime in Massachusetts is typified most strongly by the situation in Fall River where Chief of Police Martin Feeney has declared that the streets may not be used for public meetings.

The situation in Fall River developed thru a series of letters exchanged by the city authorities and the Workers Party of America. In 1 response to a letter addressed by Bert

in the employ of the master, but in Miller, district organizer, to Edmund the employ of the workers themselves. P. Talgot, mayor of Fall River, the They do not have to fear the boss of latter replied: "That there is no ordinance against speaking in the public streets and the right of free speech is It is more often the other way about guaranteed under the constitution of when the workers bargain collectively, the United States." However, police regulations in Fall River are in charge of the chief of police and untalist they are not met with "what der the control of a state appointed commission.

Appeal to Governor.

Organizer Miller then addressed a corporations." letter to the chief of police. The lathigh-handed authority to prohibit free driven off the land or before starting the Canton "Red" army, when Russia

Control All Meetings.

The chief of police said that there is no objection to holding meetings in buildings, "Unless things are said which ought not to be said." When asked what things ought not be said the chief of police replied, "Anarchistic statements advocating the overthrow of government or indecent, profane or insulting language."

According to the chief, common sense should dictate as to what things such meetings.

Every effort will be made to break down the free speech barriers existing in Fall River, which are undoubtedly instituted on behalf of the mill owners of that city.

Fine Ladies Wait for Fine Clothes Because Working Girls Strike

NEW YORK, Oct. 17 .- (FP)-New York's "400"-or whatever figure ning for the United States senate more adequately represents the fashionable patrons of custom tailoring establishments-must wait for their fine clothes because the 600 tailors, members of Local 38, Intl. Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, are strik-

ed to the 60 per cent increase of mar- The tailors are winning additional ried women in the textile industry numbers to the strike from the ranks Chairman W. A. Denison, delegate from 1910 to 1920, and the results of of poorly paid girls who assist in the whereas the real perpetrators of the of the Central Trades and Labor this. In the town of Manchester, N. fine dressmaking and from the unorcrime for which the two radicals were Council, appointed committees to H., dominated by the Amoskeag Man-ganized trimmers, furriers and millincharged had confessed, a new trial reach all the local unions and frater- ufacturing company, the infant death ers employed in these exclusive and

More than 40 pickets were arrested The resolution also cites the testi- mill barons in refusing to consider thousand, as compared with but 133 the morning of the walk-out from the

The workers demand a 40-hour Wages are very low in Manchester | week, 44 weeks per year guaranteed, number of weeks and the first strike A. J. Muste discussed the industrial order delayed to continue discussions, strike is about 1500.

Finkelstein Suing the

NEW YORK, Oct. 17 .- (FP)-Dam-

All proceeds go direct to the Passaic which the pickets deny emare urged to attend this and following ed by the Milwaukee Relief Commiton one occasion



Farmer Audience

By BERTRAM D. WOLFE.

MT. VERNON, Wash .- (By Mail.) The farmers of Skagit county. Washington, that gathered in this little town, which is the county seat, last Sunday afternoon provided one of the best and, certainly the most interesting of the audiences that I have addressed in my national tour for the Workers Party electoral campaign. They came from all over the surrounding country and promptly on the stroke of 2, the very minute advertised, Chairman Elbe opened the meeting. Yeoman's hall was wellfilled and very few farmers drifted in late. It was the first meeting I ever addressed that started on time.

"100 Per Cent American." The audience was as near to "100 per cent American" as any I have ever seen gathered anywhere for any purpose, farmers with generations of American farming blood behind them. A letter was then addressed to nurtured in the traditions of "old-Governor Fuller of Massachusetts, fashioned Americanism" and keenly who is running for re-election, as to awake to the fact that ours has behis attitude on the question, and no come "a government of the corporadefinite reply was received. District tions, for the corporations and by the

The Workers Party is surprisingly ter quotes Section 20, Page 196 of the strong in this rural district. It has a city ordinances as the necessary central core of industrial workers authority to stop street meetings. from the big canning factory and a This section reads, "No person shall few miscellaneous industries of the stand with, or near to, two or more county seat, casual laborers, etc., and persons upon any sidewalk or public the rest of its membership consists place so as to obstruct or inconveni- of small farmers, struggling under ence traffic thereon." This section the handicap of mortgage and tenantcan be interpreted as to place in the ry and with manifold experiences as hands of the city authorities the most workers in industry acquired when work. They asked questions about

their farming its total vote in the last elections ing news more friendly to Russia Many of them raised cotton on the for the Washington Farmer-Labor now, who would get Muscle Shoals, halves and now, as the prices have Party in spite of the rival LaFollette how soon our ruling class would dropped so low that only a very small candidacy, and the state of Washington as a whole, thanks chiefly to the ku klux klan was weakening in the pick their crops. Why? Just listen. rural districts cast over 40,000 votes country as a whole (it is fairly strong To pick a bale of cotton costs \$18; for the Farmer-Labor Party in the in Skagit county) and many similar hauling costs, \$4.50; ginning costs, same election. The Workers Party questions. They also asked me my \$9.75, making a total of \$36.25 for proforms the backbone of the Farmer-Labor Party in Skagit county.

Expect Large Vote. This year they expect to poll much larger vote than they did two years ago. If their expectations are needless to say, without their authorof practical possibility. They have Workers Party "in destroying the infor state senator; G. R. Bever of Se- and clearing the ground for the world fields, unpicked, next winter. dro-Wooley, Hollis Abbott of Mt. Ver- to come" whereas the single taxer, non, and William Fisher of Mt. Vernon, all farmers, for representatives Party, professed himself satisfied in the state legislature.

The head of the state ticket is J. L. Freeman, a farmer who formerly members, joined the Workers Party. was active in the Western Federation of Miners, of Tonaskat. He is runagainst Jones, republican, and Bullitt, democrat.

Farmers Are Workers. There is a constant interchange of

ter and in the summer between plantning factories, on state roads, on construction work and as casuals. Their farms range in size from about 5 or 6 acres to 160 acres altho the average farm runs from 30 to 40 acres. Their land is the old timber land after the lumber companies have gotten thru with it and they have a hard and bitter battle with the stumps a higher price because of the cleartheir "clearings."

Have Hard Struggle.

A hundred or two hundred dollars down gives them possession of the land and then the long weary tussle begins. Stumps are dynamited and plowed at and tugged on by teams and a bit of the land is slowly and painfully cleared for planting. In the meanwhile payments fall due on the A. C. W. for \$250,000 purchase price, capital is needed for the long waits from spring to fall and Damages for Striking for the implements and seeds. If they do dairying the big canning factory (in Skagit county it is the Carnation ages of \$250,000 are sought from the Condensed Milk company) dictates movement will be given a chance to Amalgamated Clothing Workers the terms and if it is apple raising see a vivid portrayal of the events union by Sam Finkelstein and com- (this is rich apple country) then they Open Lecture Series in the great Passaic textile strike, pany, a large men's clothing manusell apples to the big fruit packing when the seven-reel movie, of the facturing shop which the union has companies often for less than the Local 39, Amalgamated Clothing same name, will be shown here on struck in an endeavor to bring it into cost of growing them only to learn contractural relations. The firm se- later that they are selling for five The thrilling film is to be shown cured a temporary injunction barring cents apiece and more in the big due the land is taken from them The employer charges union mem- partly cleared, they get nothing for bers with assaults and various ille- their long uphill battle but a few

I found that an audience made up

Political Program

The Farmers' Section will appear regularly in every Monday morning's Issue of The DAILY WORKER. Watch for it.

1. Relief from the evils of the mortgage and tenantry evil thru the appropriate of a land tenure system which will secure the land to the

2. The nationalization of the railroads, the meat packing plants, grain elevator combines and the control and management of these marketing organizations by the organizations of working farmers in co-operation with the organizations of city industrial workers who are employed in these industries.

3. The control and operation of the farm credit system by the organizations of working farmers, in place of thru capitalist banking institutions which now use this, the farm credit system, for their enrichment.

4. Relief for the farmers from the excessive burden of taxation thru levying higher income taxes, and inheritance taxes on the swollen fortunes of great capitalist exploiters and higher taxes on the profits of the railroads and great industrial combines. Against the expenditures for a

other purpose than to support the imperialist adventures of the great financial houses of Wall Street in other countries.

other countries.

6. Fight against Wall Street Dollar Diplomacy" and expenditure of the wealth produced by the farmers and industrial wokers to support the capitalist exploiters in their effort to make profits out of the people of Cuba, the South American countries, China and the Philippines. Freedom for the Philippines. Self-determination for Porto Rico, Hawaii. Withdrawal of all American soldiers and marines from the Central and South American countries. No intervention in China. in China.

7. Against the Dawes plan, thru which the American banking houses are securing control of European industries and paving the way for a new

war.

Solution of the countries and particularly the farmers of Russia, who are so important a factor in the world market. The recognition and establishment of economic relations with the first workers' and farmers' government—the Union of Socialist Sovert Enublies.

ernment—the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics.

9. The alliance of the working farmers and city industrial workers to establish a workers' and farmers' government of the United States. Only a united struggle of all working farmers, together with the city industrial workers, in support of this program will win relief for the farmers from the conditions under which they now suffer.

of such farmers has a wide range of interest extending far beyond the liment of the International Bible students remained with his organization but, long prominent in the Farmer-Labor with my criticism of the single tax philosophy and, when I appealed for

Armour's "Castile" Soap Fake, Says U. S.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17 .- So-called 'castile' soaps made by Armour & worker and farmer here so that the Co. of Delaware, owned by Armour small farmers are forever being driv- & Co. of Chicago, are in fact not casen off their land and back into industry or getting odd jobs for the win- ing tallow are used in place of olive oil in their manufacture, says a coming and harvest time. They have plaint made public by the Federal been miners, loggers, worked in can- Trade Commission. It quotes their advertisements as false statements.



U. S. FARM PRICES Wheat and Cotton Both

The British coal strike is having ts effect even upon the American farmers, according to grain exporters of Chicago. The demand for ocean tonnage to carry scab coal-to Great Britain and the markets previously supplied by British coal, is a part of

the reason grain exportation is slump-

Affected by Strike

Prices for grain are much lower and cotton is eff more than 50 per cent, causing a depression to some degree in many lines of capitalist speculation. The closing for lack of coal of the British cotton mills is hitting cotton prices severely.

The prohibitive rates asked for ocean shipping, due to the coal carrying to break the British strike, has made it impossible for grain exporters to get shipping and on the other hand made it possible for the Soviet Union to market its 72,000,000 bushels of surplus wheat to advantage in European markets.

If the strike of the miners continues much longer, the South American wheat exporters will also be involved in the same trouble, and in both North and South America the accumulation of supplies and a restricted demand will further affect the prices.

Cotton Growers of Texas Forced to Stop Producing

FORT WORTH, Tex., Oct. 17. -There are plenty of long-faced people would be recognized, why the P. I. in Texas. Why? Because the cotton Skagit county cast 25 per cent of (Seattle Post-Intelligencer) was print- growers got hit very bad this year. plunge us into a new war, whether the margin is left, many will not stay and opinion of single tax, and what I that duction. The farmer gets \$74 for the of the internationalism of the Inter. bale and seed, but he must give the national Bible Students. The adher- landlord half of that, leaving him a profit of 75 cents.

Those conditions are causing the farmers to quit, move off their land fulfilled election is within the realm ization, pledged their support to the and leave their year's work behind them. And it is beginning to look as nominated S. C. Garrison, a teacher, iquitous powers that be in this world if much cotton will be left in the



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Piece-Work and the A. C. W. in Montreal

Some time ago, following the Montreal strike of the Amal gamated Clothing Workers, THE DAILY WORKER published a news article by Victor Frank, charging, at least by inference, that the A. C. W. officials were trying to compel the members to agree to piece-work.

H. Schneid, a general organizer of the A. C. W., resented the charge and sent us a very lengthy letter challenging us for proof. He cited Maurice Spector, editor of the Worker of Canada, as one who would vouch for his claims. In conclusion he said:

"Yes-piece-work, week-work, standard of production maximum and minimum, are the problems that is facing us and we cannot by mere resolution do away with it. It must be faced and will be faced; not thru high-handed manners to choke down the rank and file, but thru consulting and soliciting the opinions of the membership. We will install a system that will safeguard the jobs of the workers for which they have and are now and will in the future have to struggle.—H. Schneid."

From Maurice Spector we received a letter from which we quote the following essential paragraphs:

"This strike in Montreal was an organization strike. Its demands were for the recognition of the union. The outcome was that the union signed up between twenty and thirty new shops. It goes without saying that the left wing fought valiantly for the organization objectives of the strike.

"Immediately following the strike, however, there were rumors among the membership that piece-work was under discussion by the 'higher-ups' of the Amalgamated. And the presence in Montreal of Weinstein of Chicago, the Amalgamated's production expert who surveyed one shop, Kellerts, seemed to give countenance to these rumors.

"While no official openly urged the members to accept piece-work, neither did the general officers deny that there was a danger of the introduction of piece-work.

"Finally the pressers' local adopted a strongly worded resolution denouncing the piece-work idea and those who were silent' about it, which resolution was published in the Freiheit. Since then the talk of piece-work died down and there is apparently no suggestion of introducing this system into shops organized previous to the strike.

"I SAY 'APPARENTLY,' BECAUSE NOWHERE IN SCHNEID'S OPEN LETTER IS THERE A CATEGORIC REJECTION OF THE IDEA OF PIECE-WORK, AND WHAT DOES HE REALLY MEAN BY HIS PERORATION THAT WE WILL INSTALL A SYSTEM THAT WILL SAFEGUARD THE JOBS OF THE WORKERS, ETC.? WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?" (Emphasis ours.)

We, too, are in the dark as to Brother Schneid's enigmatic utterance, and we, too, cannot see why, if he is opposed to piece-work considered the fault of the manageas a settlement of the problem, he does not come out and say so in ment! That's a typical strike in a plain words. This would assure the workers that his indignation private establishment. at the charge of Victor Frank was not founded upon a post-mortem expediency, but upon principle.

Why the Open Shop Changed its Tune

The American Federation of Labor opened with a blast from It is a pretty bad situation: on the the "open shop" organization of Detroit, telling the A. F. of L. to Asia, a railroad is being built across keep its hands off that city and its huge auto industry.

The convention closed with the same open shoppers singing peans old caravan route by many days. "It of praise of the Green-Woll bureaucracy of the A. F. of L. Partic- is hard, very hard," writes the soviet ularly do the open shoppers show their affinity with the reactionary officials of the A. F. of L. in the latter's attack on the Soviet Union, on a waterless waste, with temperaand their refusal even to investigate the first workers' and farmers' tures from 120 to 140 degrees. One republic.

But this is not all.

While the open shop organs, which savagely attacked the tention to their needs. labor movement when the convention began, voicing a bitter opposition to even a suggestion that the 700,000 workers in the auto industry should be unionized, their silence on this particular subject as the convention closes, together with their enthusiastic busy" Of human dwellings Trade Unions—the legal prosecution ful method of the strike. If union the Soviet Union. Here is its argulaudation of the Green administration on the attack against the not a trace. Under canvas tents on of the technical and administrative officials can't satisfy the workers- ment: Soviet Union, proves that the Detroit open shoppers feel assured the glowing sands, hot enough to cook personnel, who engaged and sent out that so far as Green and the A. F. of L. officials are concerned, they were mistaken in fearing any serious drive to unionize the auto industry of Detroit.

The Green officialdom has, by its evasion of the challenge of

the open shoppers, given this assurance.

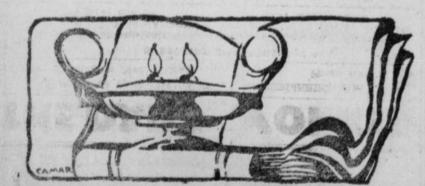
The organization of the workers of the auto industry was taken up by the convention of the Metal Trades Department. But it re- ply.' ferred the matter to the A. F. of L. convention.

The A. F. of L. convention, in turn, referred the matter to the

The executive council met directly after the convention, but water, the 'regime of economy' was took no action. The council will not meet again until January in strictly observed. St. Petersburg, Florida-far from the disturbing roar of the machines in the open shop auto factories of Detroit where 700,000 workers still await organization.

The Detroit open shoppers quite naturally feel assured that the cal bosses in their attitude towards nearby local union there will be cartail talk at the convention was merely for public consumption, that the workers revived all the mean it don't mean anything.

It is up to the left wing in the A. F. of L., particularly in the did not know what pay they were getmetal trades, to force the organization of the auto industry.



ADMINISTRATION STANDS CHANCE OF LOSING BOTH HOUSES IN CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS "NOW Showing--All-Star Cast"



G. O. P. leaders are becoming worried over the progress of the party's fortunes in a number of states in ch the outcome of the elections is doubtful so far as the re-election of White House stand-patters is concerned. Map (with key at lower left) shows political situation in various states. Below are the campaign leaders. Left to right: Chairman Lawrence Phipps of Republican senatorial campaign committee; Rep. Wm. R. Wood of the republican congressional committee; Chairman Peter G. Gerry of the democratic senate committee, and Wm.

How the Soviet Union Deals With Strikes

By ANNA LOUISE STRONG.

Soviet Union,-that these are sup- struck, to the number of 700 newspapers

refused to grant the demands of the union for increase of pay. The central committee of the boot makers' union sanctioned the strike, which was completely successful. The undertaking signed a collective agreenent granting the demands, and the strike-days were paid wages like ordinary work-days, since the strike was

More Serious Affair

BUT here is a more serious strike, on a government railroad, under conditions which sound like an I. W. W. description of construction work in the Imperial Valley of California. far borders of Afghanistan in central a hot, sandy desert, shortening the journalist describing the strike, "to lay steel rails across shifting sands, would think that the knights of spade this desert, might count on some at-

"But the affair proceeded thus: They sent the workers to the desert, gave them some tools, and some dozens of technical bosses and said, "Get the Asiatic section of the Central eggs, the building workers must workers under such conditions.

Private Manager.

tract to a private manager. This fel- have failed to carry out the orders of low greased his hands at the cost the party regarding work among cas- Speed-Up System of the workers' bellies . . . A bit- ual construction workers . ter complaint was the water 'sup- call attention also to the absence of to supply the workers with water, ers on the part of the construction And they 'supplied' it, muddy and workers' union warm, in old kerosene and oll barrels. In the matter of wood for boiling this

"From dirty unboiled water and a doctor on the pay roll but no real ers, form grounds for a special re- being abolished and a system as bad practices of the old regime

For a long time the diggers actually ting. There was a collective agreement, all right-two of them; one signed by the administration of the top there will take place a thoro construction with the representatives of the artel (working gang) without knowledge of the union, and the other signed by the officials of the build- strike, is herewith dismissed, and its ug workers' union, without knowlout, consulting the workers on the clear to many of the workers when having failed in their duty of proon casting up accounts for provisions tecting the workers.") and other conveniences, they were told they owed the railroad money.

"THE district attorney came down and the workers complained to colution two or three times to get its will, no doubt, him. He made many promises but layor and meaning so utterly differ and larger road

less they occur; in the past two days to come to the construction camp, to So far, perhaps, you can imagine, un- ing audience. They were packed into tribute to the intelligence with which

Like Wobbly Incident. So far, except perhaps for the last conceivably happen.

tribes of central Asia, probably largely illiterate, peculiarly unprotected. As for the problems of the managetechnical and financial, no iet journalist does not mention them.

CO far, then, it might have been anywhere. But now comes the differ-Who was punished for this strike? The Soviet placing of responsibility, and the various relations between various organizations-governadopted by the Central Asiatic Bureau of the Communist Party:

"The bureau entrusts to the depart-

"We remind the Communist Party of Usbekistan (the minor nationality "The food provision was let on con- under which this occurred) that they The administrator was obliged any kind of work among these work-

Drastic Action.

"The facts of such neglect towards workers' conditions, the facts of such a criminally bureaucratic attitude by nedical attention . . . The technic election. In the organizations of the ried out new elections of the controlling committees. Thereafter, in responsible for this new speed-up systhe nearest future there will be held tem are not directly connected with a special regional congress of con- the railroads, but are selling their

> shake-up. munist Party in this region of the lows:

U. S. Compared.

went away and did nothing. Many ent is the approach to a strike in the the owners' side all the signs of de- to technical historical details, but other little bureaucrats behaved like- Soviet Union. Imagine a strike of un- moralization and collapse, on the strik- much greater accuracy in the spirit of RIMEA, Oct. 11—Some folks think wise. Finally the workers lost all organized construction workers, most ers' a movie audience of ten thousand. there are never any strikes in the faith in the local authorities, and ly Mexicans in the Mojave desert. . And imagine a high commission from T HAVE seen more interesting movies pressed with an iron hand. It is From Samarcand and Tashkent there Los Angeles and Stockton setting true that there are infinitely fewer came down a highly authoritative forth to the scene of the trouble, hear- minute I can't remember where or thru seven long reels, and would, I than in most places. But none the commission. It was enough for them ing complaints, satisfying them . . . when, but I never saw a more interest-

there have been two of them in the hear the complaints of the workers, der some reform administration. Belmont Park, the same park that was to satisfy them within reason, to set Even, perhaps, might be imagined, closed by an officious sheriff months was good, but not always perfect-it The first was a little strike of up a court of arbitration—and literal- under some remarkably liberal state ago, and had to be reopened because poot and shoe workers in eight work. ly within a few hours the strike was department of labor, a prosecution of even the courts decided this was too specialists were employed. The titles shops in the town of Seezeran, which over and the workers resumed work the employment agencies and manage raw a violation of the law, and as far were excellent, pointed, colloquial, full ment which sent workers to such con- as I could see the only reason there of propaganda, and with excellent comditions. It would be rare, but it might weren't sixteen thousand instead of prehension of what a movie title

sentence, one might be reading the But then imagine,-no, you can'tcomplaint of an I. W. W. construct a meeting of the republican party strikers' local, came out on the screen, tion gang in the sands of the Mohave committee for the southwest-orderdesert. Construction gangs reclaim- ing its county committee disbanded ing wildernesses are much alike and and held to account and a new electextile workers were shown. "Gera propaganda, to the methods of conhave much the same problems. Even tion held, for failure to care for the workers," said a woman beside me. ducting strike relief, and to the creathe race problem recurs; just as a needs of Mexican workers in its vicin- "There's Bessie," shouted someone tive development of the newest and construction gang on the Rio Grande ity, Imagine furthermore, a re-election down in front. "Hello, Rosie!" some- most American of the arts. would have a large majority of Mexifrom top to bottom in the appropriate cans, unorganized, ignorant of the district union of the A. F. of L. on laws of America, so this gang of the ground that they had criminally casual laborers on the edge of Af- failed in their duty towards these cas ghanistan was not Russian, but made ual unorganized workers-had failed up of the backward unorganized to send organizers among them or to protect them in any way.

HOW simple it would be for an anti-Soviet propagandist, using ninedoubt these also existed, but the Sov- tenths of the above facts, to point out that when an unauthorized strike occurred in Russia because of rotten conditions, the trade union officials were punished for allowing the strike Quite true. Strikes in Soviet government undertakings are considered a terrible disgrace to somebody. Not ing," when not one delegate showed only to the bosses who have disre- in any discussion on this subject that for re-election, and mattock, called upon to conquer ment, unions, Communist Party— is garded the needs of the workers, but he had done any thinking on the quesstrikingly shown by the resolution to the appropriate trade union offi- tion at all. cers, who were asleep at their posts and allowed workers' conditions to municipal ownership sheet, also apreach such a disgraceful state that plauds the Green regime, claiming ment of labor (government) and to there was left as recourse to the that "the federation was exercising workers on the job only the waste- only common sense" when it attacked ers and for the people generally. He even the casual unorganized workers -enough to prevent unauthorized strikes, then let them make way for in Detroit did endorse the Russian opposition to legislation that would somebody who can.

Being Inaugurated By Railroads Now

By a Worker Correspondent

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 17 .- There is a plan on foot at the present time to bring about a different system of rotten food many got sick. There was wards the needs of these casual work steel railroad shops. Piece work is or worse is being substituted.

I am made to believe that the men its own statistics. rom the bottom and up thru to the are sent out to supervise this work.

workers have been put on what is ment. "The county committee of the Com- called standard of performance, as fol-

members called to account before the per hour, based upon a schedule re-Faithful men have and are being discharged and demoted because they are A NY worker used to American con-not able to hit it up at this terrific cutive council will probably deliver a Candidates of the Workers (Com-ditions will have to read this re-pace. This new system of working few speeches during the closing weeks munist) Party in New York state are olution two or three times to get its will, no doubt, be extended to other

By ROBERT WOLF.

LIOUGES SE

I have seen a lot of movie first nights. They are always interestingusually there are a good many film actors and actresses present. Friday there were several thousand of them at the performance. For interest and ten thousand amateurs played Valentino and Bebe Daniels off the screen. The movie was the Passaic Strike.

the Passaic strikers.

They Haven't Forgotten.

ANYTHING is a nine days' wonder in New York for the metropolitan press, and the papers and some of the liberals who were so active in their support the first few months seem to have forgotten that the strike exists. But the strikers have not forgotten, and the strike has lasted eight months. The mill owners have not forgotten either.

In the thirty-odd weeks of the strike | The movie man has a great advantage the strikers' ranks have been little depleted-sometimes one, sometimes two, in sections of thirty or fifty have gone back to work. Out of sixteen the privacy of his studio. But what thousand perhaps two or three hundred altogether.

Hire Outside Scabs.

cent, in some places fifteen per cent are claimed. They are a fine bunch take a few photographs of strikes. of brass check scabs. They walk in Park Too Small.

ten was that there wasn't room. Gustave Deak, the young chairman of the

"THERE'S Deak," yelled the crowd, ture is a promising contribution to hugely delighted. Half a dozen American history, to working-class

one else called. Looms in full ac-Last Friday I saw the first night of tion—taken before the strike—flashed on. "Weavers—wiehers' in half a dozen accents, ran thru the crowd.

First-Class Production. The movie itself was a first-class professional production, even to the usual amount of hokum. Before the strike drama there was a prologue. dynamics and sheer excitement, these which, as far as hokum was concerned, was just a little bit bigger and better hokum than almost anything I have ever seen on the screen before. I supand the audience and the actors were pose the producers wanted to make us feel at home. It was just as well. Before the stark realism of the mass drama, something was needed to put us into a movie mood.

THE mass drama was a grand affair. I have seen three mass dramas on the screen-"Grass," "Potemkin" and "The Passaic Textile Strike" - and they make most individual dramas look sick. No commercial producer dares touch them, but they hold the future of a large part of the screen. over other dealers in realistic arthe can take his material as it comes, then rearrange, cut and select it in he works with is the raw material of life. According to my theory of art, rearranging, cutting and editing is all So the owners have had to hire out the artist does anyway, so I recommend a few of our young artists to learn the technique of the camera and

An Artistic Work. the mill doors, then they sit and CCENARIO of "The Passaic Textile smoke. The other day half a dozen Strike" was excellently arranged. of them got into a fight and had to This is the most difficult - in fact, the be arrested. Actually, scabs arrested! decisive job. If I did not know that And as the American Legion says, this "Potemkin" was not shown here till isn't Russia yet. You can imagine after the Passaic movie had been prowhat sort of scabs. Some of them duced, I should suspect its continuity have gone out on strike. The mill writer of having been influenced by chimneys smoke a little-but no tex- "Potemkin." The scenes came one, tiles go to the station in trucks. And two, three-bang-bang-bang-bang bombs explode that hurt nobody, with |-with that dynamic quality that we the police conveniently planted near have learned to associate with all good the scene. That is the present state movies. Scenes were torn out of their of warfare on the Passaic front. On chronological order and slight violence the strike-in other words, instead of a news-reel, we have a movie. The fact that it held the interest of a -perhaps one or two-tho for the very uncomfortably standing audience think, hold the interest of any, is it was arranged. The camera work was the only place where technical should be.

A Promising Contribution.

Altogether, the Passaic Strike pic-

OPEN SHOPPERS PRAISE GREEN

(Continued from rage 1) a reassurance to organized society and be all.

civilization." Open Shop Praises Green-Woll Administration.

This "American Plan" Free Press lauds the Green-Woll administration in the A. F. of L. for having taken after being sent to J. M. O'Hanlon. "its attitude of uncompromising opposition to Communism, its works and eration of Labor, denounces James W. its agencies, as a result of clear think- Wadsworth, Jr., United States senator

The Detroit News, heralded as

Well, Why Doesn't It Grow Then? "Suppose these delegates assembled government? What would happen protect women and minors by voting then? Nothing but the loss of so great a proportion of the membership District of Columbia. of the labor unions of the United States that the American Federation of Labor would pass out of existence exploitation was registered June 2, as naturally and inevitably as any other structure falls when its foundations give way."

Of course, the Detroit News makes no mention of the many countries where not organized labor, but the the construction workers' union to- working of the men in all wood and governments as well, have recognized the Soviet Union, and where the trade

Approves Endorsement of Militarism. The approval of the convention's bor. resolution on the Citizens' Military struction workers. In the trade union plan. Men receiving large salaries Training Camps was no less laudatory, commending the patriotism of the dele- employes and the same number of Wherever these men have appeared gates and their loyalty to the govern-

have left here, not to assemble again until in January, without outlining any plans to be carried into effect during edge of the first agreement and with party; and there is ordered a special cently worked out, he gets a bonus of the present congressional campaign. party conference for the election of 1 per cent; 77 cents, a bonus of 2 per It is declared that the campaigns have candidate, while the democratic party job. The actual situation first became a new county committee . . . (for cent, and so on. The Wheeling Rail- been left exclusively in the hands of in the New York City, for instance, road is among the first to try this out. the various state federations of labor, daily carries on its war against the

other members of the A. F. of L.'s exe- Ladies' Garment Workers' Union.

also be written, but that will probably Thus President Green, who is also

chairman of the so-called National Non-Partisan Political Campaign Committee of the American Federation of Labor, in a letter just made public secretary of the New York State Fedfrom New York, who is a candidate

It is declared that Senator Wadsworth has a "practically unbroken record of opposition to forward-looking legislation. He has been persistently antagonistic to legislation for women and children, for labor, for the farmsuffrage.

What Did the Demands Do? "On October 13, 1918, he showed his against a minimum wage law for the

"His opposition to the protection of the nation's children from industrial 1924, when he cast his vote against the proposed anti-child labor amend-

Did He Vote for the Watson-Parker Bill?

"The attitude of Senator Wadsworth toward al trailroad bills in the in terest of railroad employes was deunions continue to flourish instead of cidedly hostile. He voted against the decline, as the American Federation railroad eight-hour bill; he voted three of Labor has declined, according to times in favor of the Esch-Cummins railroad bill, the laffor sections of which were most objectionable to la-

"He voted twice to increase the daily working hours of government times in favor of introducing the stopwatch and other time measuring de-Members of the executive council vices in the navy yards and arsenals." Green Supports Enemies of Unions.

Thus the letter goes on enumerat ng Wadsworth's crimes, but recommends the support of the democratic President Green and several of the striking members of the International

of the campaign. A few letters of en- William F. Dunne, for senator, and dorsement of various candidates will Ben Gitlow, for governor.