

VIOLENT REACTION NOW THREATENS MEXICAN WORKERS

World Congress of Communist International Discusses Bucharin's Thesis

NEGRO DELEGATE SAYS SOCIALIST PARTY BETRAYS

French Delegates Tell of Work in Army

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., July 24.—Under the chairmanship of Carlton, the sixth session of the World Congress of the Communist International opened here today with the continuance of Nikolai Bukharin's discussion.

French Imperialism. Semard declared that the French delegation was in agreement with Bukharin's report and thesis but would like to see more emphasis placed on the role of French imperialism. He pointed out that the main aim of French imperialism is to extend its colonial possessions...

The French social democracy is supporting colonial oppression abroad and capitalist rationalization at home. Semard drew attention to the successful anti-war propaganda which the French Communist Party is conducting among the troops and in the factories so that, when war comes, the imperialist conflict can be turned into a civil war and proletarian revolution.

De Visser of Holland, next declared that the Executive Committee of the Communist International had in several instances failed to act quickly enough. He cited as examples, the British General Strike the Sacco-Vanzetti campaign, etc.

Rogitch, of Yugo-Slavia, declared that his delegation was completely in agreement with Bukharin and was very thankful for the liquidation of anti-Party factional struggles.

Negro Work. Ford, the Negro delegate of the American delegation, asserted that the American Party was not yet paying sufficient attention to work among the Negroes. In spite of the intolerable exploitation of millions of Negroes, he pointed out that nothing had been done to bring these workers closer to the Party.

KEEP UP SEARCH, FASCISTS PLEAD

No Ban on Krassin Visit, U. S. Says

MOSCOW, July 24 (UP).—A request that Russia continue her search for the six men who disappeared with the wrecked gas bag of the dirigible Italia was received from the Italian government today, along with an offer of two big seaplanes to assist in the search.

U. S. Not to Welcome

WASHINGTON, July 24 (UP).—The federal government will not stand in the way of the contemplated visit to the United States of Prof. Samoilovich, head of the Russian relief expedition aboard the Krassin, and Chukhnovsky, Russian air pilot, who assisted in the rescue work following the dirigible Italia's polar flight, it was said in official circles here today.

They must, however, comply with all immigration regulations concerning Russian visitors to this country before they will be granted visas.

Authorities displayed little interest in dispatches saying that arrangements were being made in New York to fetter the Russians there. Federal officials can take no part in the welcoming program.

Start New Search For Amundsen

OSLO, July 24.—A new search for Roald Amundsen and his five companions, who have been lost since they set out to seek the fascist Noble expedition June 18, is being organized.

Helped to Make Workingclass History



A group of delegates to the National Nominating Convention of the Workers (Communist) Party, standing in front of the Workers Center, 26-28 Union Square, New York City, and displaying a copy of the Daily Worker announcing the nomination of William Z. Foster and Benjamin Gitlow as the standard-bearers of the workers in the coming elections.

CLAIM OF SANDINO'S 'DEFEAT' NOW EXPOSED

SUPERIOR, Wis., July 24.—The recent claims of Secretary of Navy Wilbur that Sandino has been "defeated" were exposed today by the admission of Wilbur himself that the thousands of marines now in Nicaragua will remain there. This information was given to Coolidge today by the Secretary of the Navy.

Some time ago, the Navy Department denied that Sandino had an army of more than 200 soldiers. Recently, they have reported the "surrender" of about 600 Nicaraguans. These claims were shown to be false by the re-enforcements of marines.

When Wilbur announced the "defeat" of Sandino, he refused to give any details. It is evident that serious consideration is being given to the real situation in Nicaragua, which is not revealed to the public.

Of considerable significance is the fact that Thomas Cochran, partner of J. P. Morgan, was present at the conference of Wilbur and President Coolidge.

REPORT POLISH BORDER CLASH

WARSAW, Poland, July 24.—Newspaper accounts report that one Polish soldier was killed and another wounded in a struggle with Lithuanians near the frontier today. The engagement is said to have taken place at Neutroki.

Coming immediately after marshal Pilsudski's review and overt encouragement of his legion during the anniversary exercises at Vilna, the rumored clash on the border is causing intense excitement here, and confirmation of the report is eagerly being awaited.

The government has not as yet issued an official statement and will not until the receipt of further details from the border. It is expected, however, in view of the present administration's attitude towards Lithuania, that relations between the two governments may be seriously strained within the next forty-eight hours.

Lithuania Afoused

KOENIGSBERG, East Prussia, July 24.—A wholly unconfirmed rumor from Kowno states that a clash between Polish and Lithuanian detachments took place near the frontier today.

Details are lacking but reports of tremendous excitement throughout the country have been received.

TO PROTEST SENTENCE

Meetings to Demand Porter's Release

Superior, Wis., July 24.—A large number of mass meetings protesting against the two and a half year court-martial sentence of John Porter, textile strike leader of New Bedford, will be held in Wisconsin and Minnesota during the next two weeks.

MILL BOSSES IN NEW FAKE MOVE

State Board, Boss Tool, Calls "Peace Meet"

(Special To The Daily Worker.) NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 24.—Warrants were issued by the local police against seven of the striking textile workers for their part in a mass picketing demonstration today on the charge of parading without a permit. Over two thousand pickets and spectators answered the attempt of the mill bosses' association to prevent picketing by threats of a new reign of terror. All are held on \$300 bail.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 24.

Announcement that Edward Fisher, chairman of the State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, is addressing letters to the mill owners' association and to the heads of the Textile Council for a conference Friday, July 27, indicate that new steps are being taken by that instrument of the mill barons to end the strike of the 28,000 textile workers whose walkout more than 15 weeks ago completely silenced 70,000 looms.

As before the steps being taken by them, show that they are making another effort to pave the way for a betrayal of the tens of thousands of workers by refusing to call to the proposed negotiations the real representatives of the workers, the Textile Workers Union of the Textile Mill Companies.

Edward Fisher, chairman of the State Board said that letters were being addressed to the mill owners' association and to the heads of the Textile Council for a conference Friday, July 27, 11 a. m. in the forenoon in the New Bedford City Hall.

No Replies Yet

Neither the employers nor Batty's union have as yet given official replies to the conference invitation but it is almost a certainty that they will both accept. The Textile Mill Companies, it is believed, will again follow the same procedure of demanding representation on the grounds of safeguarding against a betrayal of the workers interests.

The discussion at the last conference was entirely around the question of rescinding the 10 per cent wage cut,—the textile council fakers completely disregarding the demands of the workers for a wage increase and a lessening of hours, as are the

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WORKERS PARTY HAILS TRIUMPH OF USSR RESCUE SHIP

Central Executive Committee Contrasts Fascist Cowardice With Communist Courage

Pointing to the wide political significance of the achievements of the Arctic rescue expedition of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics in saving many members of the lost crew of the Fascist polar junket, the Workers (Communist) Party of America issued yesterday from its national office at New York a statement contrasting these achievements with the miserable failure of the fascist "exploration" gesture with its exposure of cowardice on the part of Mussolini's agents.

As the importance of events concerning the ill-fated fascist gesture at polar exploration are not diminishing, but promise to increase from day to day because of remarkable social significance the statement published here is of much importance. The American masses will have their opportunity, in all probability, to greet the heroic Soviet aviators, Chukhnovsky and his comrades, in the near future, since Foreign Minister Chicherin has stated that the invitation to the aviators to visit the United States will be accepted.

The statement of the Workers (Communist) Party follows:

A Triumph of the Soviet Union.

Fascism, the militant dictatorship of the bourgeoisie, and Sovietism, the militant workers' rule under Communist leadership, have shown their mettle in the Arctic ice-fields.

For years the American bourgeoisie has worshiped at the shrine of fascism. Not only capitalists and their newspaper henchmen, but even a section of the so-called liberal intelligentsia were captivated by the spectacle of the "strong arm" that knew how to keep the workers and the poor peasants downtrodden and deprived of the most elementary rights. In Mussolini's white terror the ruling classes and their satellites admired what they called "efficiency," "discipline," "order." On the other hand, while forced on the whole to admit the gigantic successes of the Soviet Union, the same classes and groups kept on denouncing the workers' rule as "tyrannical," "corrupt" and "morally degrading."

Imperialism and Communism—A Contrast.

The outstanding facts of the Noble expedition and the rescue activities of the Soviet ice-breaker Krassin's crew have manifested even to the bourgeoisie the true nature of Fascism on the one hand, Communism on the other.

Noble's expedition was a link in the chain of imperialist ventures. Even when the representatives of finance capital are not engaged in direct plunder, they have to keep the annexationist-militarist spirit alive. Even when they cannot send troops to occupy foreign lands, they at least undertake actions symbolizing military occupation. Such a symbol was the Italia's flight to the pole, accompanied by all the bombastic phrase-mongering and flamboyant self-aggrandizement of which the blood-reeking demagogue Mussolini is past master.

The Noble expedition pursued no scientific aims; it was not intended to make new discoveries; it used exploration as a convenient pretext; it was to remind the powers engaged in a frantic race for air domination that Italy was a great aerial power; it was to plant a cross blessed by the Pope and a flag consecrated by Mussolini on the "roof of the world"; it was to divert the attention of the masses at home from their intolerable conditions and from the sentencing of large numbers of Communist and other militant workers to long years of prison; it was to convey to an astounded world the glory of Fascism.

Failure of Expedition.

The expedition, like war, like any other severe crisis, only proved the inner decay of the system of which it is an expression. The fate of the Italia and its crew is by no means an accident, as there is no accident in the collapse of a disease-corroded body. The expedition was ill-organized, ill-equipped. Its commander, "General" Noble, was not fit to lead. He had no scientific standing. He knew more about champagne parties than about polar flights. Like his lord and master Mussolini he knew only how to throw dust in the eyes of the world without gaining the confidence of his fellow fliers, and without establishing between himself and the crew a spirit of co-operation so essential in hazardous undertakings.

Noble's Cowardly Desertion.

When the dirigible collapsed and rescue came in the person of the Swedish flier Lundborg, Mussolini's "air ambassador" committed an act of cowardice and treachery. He left his five companions on the ice pack. He flew to safety alone, abandoning his co-workers to their bitter fate. His superiors in Rome hastened to explain his action as prompted by a desire to lead rescue activities; but empty words could not cover up the shame of the Fascist. The Fascist "General" has not led any rescue activities. He saved his own skin. He stands revealed as a dastardly coward in the eyes of even his own class. He reveals the moral fibre of the regime of which he is the exponent.

In trying to white-wash Noble's cowardice, Mussolini and his Fascist government identify themselves with the coward and traitor. No more lurid light could have been thrown on the blood-stained dictatorship of the bourgeoisie.

Deserted Malmgren to Die.

Like master, like man. Even the capitalist world shuddered on hearing that two Fascist officers, Captain Mariano and Captain Zoppi, left the young Swedish scientist, Dr. Malmgren, to die in the frozen wastes. Malmgren was one of those heroic men who attempted to rescue the stranded Fascists. Malmgren was trying to lead the two captains to firm land. When his wound and exhaustion made it impossible for him to proceed, the men he tried to rescue left him to die, taking with them all the provisions. The example of the chief was repeated by his subordinates in a more hideous manner.

By ordering Mariano and Zoppi to keep quiet about Malmgren, Mussolini identified himself also with this blood-curdling crime.

The Soviet Rescue Ship.

Into this picture of inefficiency, corruption, cowardice and treachery come, like a refreshing breeze, the activities of our comrades of the Soviet ice-breaker Krassin. The Soviet rescue mission had no political aims in view. Moreover, it was not animated by particular love for the personnel of the Italian dirigible, who it knew to be Fascists. It plowed its difficult way to the ice-bound Arctic because it deemed it its duty to rescue fellow human beings. But what a revelation was its appearance on the frozen scene to a breathless world!

A Triumph of Soviet Science.

Unlike the Italia, the Krassin proved excellently equipped with all that modern science can offer, thus bearing witness not only to the economic strength of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics, but also to the eagerness of the ruling proletariat to make science its greatest weapon in the construction of socialism. Unlike the Italia, the Krassin was headed not by bluffing "Generals," but by an earnest scientist, Professor Samoilovich. And unlike the crew of the Italia, the Russian flier, Comrade Chukhnovsky, when forced down on the ice, thought first of the Italians who he had sighted, and although in peril himself, radioed to the Krassin the position of the stranded

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Ammunition to Fight Mine Bosses, Betrayers



Photo shows a truck of food, sent by the Chicago branch of the National Miners' Relief Committee, ready to leave for the Illinois mine fields. It is the food and clothing contributed by workers thruout the country that is keeping the striking miners fighting against the united front of the bosses and the bureaucrats. Send more ammunition to the heroic miners by contributing thru the National Miners' Relief Committee, 611 Penn. Ave., Pittsburgh.

GREATER GRAFT MEETING OUSTS INQUIRY LOOMS NEGRO DELEGATE

Queens Workers Are Burdened

A new Queens graft investigation of wider scope than the recent sewer scandal inquiry loomed as a possibility yesterday, as a result of an interview given by William L. Leonard, foreman of the Brooklyn Federal Grand Jury, which is probing the income tax status of the late John L. Phillips, head Tammany crafter who swindled millions of dollars in his city contracts.

Critiques Officials

Implied criticism was aimed at Buckner and his associates when Leonard expressed regret that the grand jury, to which the sewer pipe evidence had been presented, voted only misdemeanor indictments against former Borough President Maurice E. Conolly.

The declaration was made after the Federal Grand Jury had heard the testimony of Mrs. Thompson, mother-in-law of Frances Phillips, co-hair to the missing millions of the dead sewer contractor.

Workers Hit

It was revealed that workers who purchased homes in Queens, paying from \$500 to \$750 down, face the loss of their little homes because they cannot pay the huge taxes and the exorbitant sewer levies there.

WOMEN WORKERS WILL MEET SOON

Federation to Mobilize Against War Danger

The New York Working Women's Federation call to the Second Delegate Conference scheduled for Thursday, August 2, has been sent to unions, fraternal bodies, and working class organizations thruout the city in an effort to arouse women to the need for combating war propaganda.

A special appeal has been made to women who are working in industries, factories and shops where there is no union organization.

The conference, which is to be held Thursday evening, August 4th at Labor Temple, 14th Street and Second Ave. at 7:30, is another step in the direction of organizing the fighting spirit of working women to struggle against the war menace which threatens the world. The call to the delegate conference urges that every effort be made at this time to bring unorganized women into the Federation.

MORE PHOTOS WANTED

"Daily" Makes Appeal for Pictures

On pages 1 and 4 of today's Daily Worker appear two interesting pictures taken by George Elson, a worker-photographer of Cleveland. These two photos are excellent illustrations of the type of pictures that the "Daily" wants to receive from its readers.

Republicans Would Not "Embarrass Leaders"

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Mrs. Mary C. Booze, a Negro delegate to the Republican National Committee from Mississippi, was today ousted from the meeting place in which sixteen other women delegates had met, all on invitation, in order that her removal might "save republican leaders and especially Dr. Hubert Work, chairman of the Republican National Committee, embarrassment."

Work, now the official manipulator for the Hoover candidacy, was scheduled as the principal speaker at the meeting.

Moral issues are involved in the campaign to elect Hoover, Work told the conference. Immediately following the speech Mrs. Booze was tricked with the help of a photographer from attending a luncheon which the women had arranged.

Republicans have at times pretended to be the friends of the Negroes.

1,350 U.S. MARINES TO LEAVE CHINA

Use "New Diplomacy" for Chinese Masses

WASHINGTON, July 24 (UP).—Acting Secretary of Navy Theodore D. Robinson, approved today immediate withdrawal of 1,350 officers and men of the marine corps and 13 airplanes from the Tientsin area in China.

The exact date of the sailing from China of the transport Henderson, which will convey the marines to San Diego, will be determined by Admiral Bristol, commander in chief of the Asiatic fleet. The withdrawal was recommended by Admiral Bristol and occurred in by the state department.

The departure of the 1,350 marines will leave 48 American officers and 2,467 men in China.

WASHINGTON, July 24. — The withdrawal of some of the American marines from China, following close upon Kellogg's call for a Sino-American conference, is looked upon here as a definite step towards the recognition of the Nanking regime.

Although government officials here would not commit themselves definitely on the recognition of the counter-revolutionary government, they indicated that recognition would be very likely to follow the proposed conference.

CHURCH TO SAVE KILLER; SMASH LABORMOVEMENT

Congressmen May Be Expelled

MEXICO CITY, July 24.—Indications that the hold of the church hierarchy over the Calles government may save Jose De Leon Toral, assassin of General Obregon, and that the whole force of the government may be employed against the labor movement, was revealed in a statement today by Aurelio Manrique, spokesman for the reactionary land owners who now dominate the political situation.

"We regard Obregon's assassin as a personage who was controlled by superior outside forces," said Manrique. "We do not demand his death, but we do demand justice and we believe this can be achieved most quickly by removal from the government of those labor leaders whose anti-Obregon activities created the atmosphere for the mad act of the assassin. The influence wielded by those labor leaders must be wiped out of Mexican public affairs."

The assassin of Obregon recently confessed that he killed Obregon for religious motives. It appears that pressure is being made by the church, in alliance with the "Agrarians," to save Toral.

It is expected that an official statement will be issued by the government withdrawing the assertion that the church is responsible for the assassination.

The new "confession" of Toral is being kept secret. It is possible that he may repudiate his statement that the crime is due to religious influence, on account of the dominance of the church in the political situation and the fact that his life might be spared.

MEXICO CITY, July 24 (UP).—Demand for removal of labor party men from all government offices throughout the country was made today by the powerful union of revolutionary parties.

The union has accused the labor party of "psychological authoritarianism" of the assassination of President-elect Alvaro Obregon.

Luis N. Morones, head of the labor party, already had resigned his post of minister of commerce, industry and labor in the cabinet, along with two fellow-officials, at the demand of the party. The demand now would mean removal of labor men from posts as governors of states, municipal officials and as senators and deputies in the legislature—a complete political ouster.

[Editor's Note: The term "revolutionary parties" really means "reactionary parties."]

MEXICO CITY, July 24.—Following the forced resignation of Luis N. Morones and other so-called "labor" leaders from the cabinet, the reactionary "Agrarians" and the Catholic clergy took steps today to restore the power of the church and to crush all workers' organizations.

The reactionary parties today announced that they will not be satisfied with the resignation of Morones, Gasca and Moneda and made demands upon the government for the expulsion of every member of the "Labor Party" from both houses of congress.

"We do not counsel disorder," Manrique, reactionary leader of the "Agrarians," stated today. "We see no cause to seek war until all other resources have been exhausted." This is regarded as a threat at civil war unless the supremacy of the wealthy landlords, clergy and American capitalists is accepted submissively.

In spite of the fact that the assassin of Obregon has confessed that the killing was caused by the church, the Catholic clergy, in alliance with the rich land owners of the "Agrarian" party, is using the opportunity to return to power and charge the "Labor" party, which has been anti-church on account of the pressure of the masses, with "responsibility" for the assassination.

It is evident that the clergy and reactionaries are preparing a persecution of the militant workers of Mexico, with new attacks against the peasantry and reaction in the land question.

FIND ROMAN COINS

BENEVENTO, July 24 (UP).—Gold and silver coins, believed to belong to the Roman age, were discovered at the Commune of Pannarano when an old building was demolished.

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Communist Party Issues Call to National Biscuit Workers to Fight Speed-Up

HUGE PROFITS FOR FIRM; WAGES OF WORKERS ARE LOW

Participation in Party Campaign Urged

At the same time that workers in the National Biscuit Company plants are fighting for a wage sufficient for the bare necessities of life, and for better conditions in their work, an issue of the Wall Street Journal carries the following statement:

"National Biscuit Company continues to expand its operations and consequently its earnings, and for the quarter ended June 30 showed a net profit of \$4,559,941. Net profit for the first six months of this year aggregated \$8,355,972."

Another Statement Issued

Parallel in time with the statement in the Wall Street Journal concerning the welfare of the owners of the National Biscuit Company comes the statement of the Workers (Communist) Party, addressed to the workers in the huge open-shop plants. The statement reads, in part, as follows:

"Fellow workers of the National Biscuit Company: For about 4 weeks now we have been distributing the Daily Worker free to thousands of you. In the Daily Worker, the paper of the Workers (Communist) Party, there have been articles written by workers in your factory about your problems; about the speed-up, the bad conditions of work, the low wages, the lay-offs, etc. The articles point out that we workers in the factory must become conscious of the problems we face in the shop, the necessity of organization and other steps that must be taken if we are to improve our conditions."

Old Parties Against Workers

"As you know, this year is a presidential election campaign year. The republican and democratic parties—the parties of Wall Street and Big Business—will ask you for your votes and support. The Workers (Communist) Party of America, the only party that fights for the interests of the workers in this country, that is battling for the striking miners of Pennsylvania and Ohio

Unemployed Worker and Family of Five Facing Starvation



This picture tells an old story that is being repeated every day in every city of the richest country in the world. Raymond Bland, 1280 Greene Ave., Brooklyn, fought in the war that was supposed to make the world sweet and pure. His share of the sweetness and purity came in the shape of a wound that disabled him for life. In addition, the bosses for whom he risked his life have decided that they no longer need his services. Bland and his family are starving. Photo shows him with his wife and four children eating the last crumbs in the house.

and the striking textile workers of New Bedford, that is fighting against unemployment and for unemployment relief, that is mobilizing the workers against the war danger—this party is in the present election campaign, not on the side of the bosses, but against the bosses and for the workers. Just as it is with you in your factory, so the Workers (Communist) Party raises the standard of the working class throughout the entire country.

Plan Open-Air Meetings

During the election campaign, the Workers (Communist) Party will hold open-air meetings one day a week (now on Fridays) during the noon hour, at 15th St. and Tenth Ave. At these meetings the issues of the election campaign will be explained. The problems of the workers of the National Biscuit Company and of the whole country will be analyzed. Come to these meetings. Buy the pamphlets that will be sold there for 5 and 10 cents and read them carefully.

Will Distribute "Daily"

"The Daily Worker will be distributed on Wednesdays, as usual. Write to the Daily Worker, 26-28 Union Square, about your problems. Your name will not be published. Buy the Daily Worker at the news stands every day and read the paper that fights the battles of the workers."

"On election day show your boss that you intend fighting for better conditions and for the abolition of this capitalist system that gives you only slavery, oppression, pov-

CLOAK MEET IN PASSAIC TONIGHT

To Begin Drive for a Jersey Union

As a climax to the preliminary organization work done in New Jersey by the National Organization Committee of the Cloak and Dressmakers, a mass meeting of all workers in Passaic, Garfield and Lodi factories is to be held tonight at the Workers' Hall, 781 Main Ave., Passaic.

This meeting will be the first official step taken to organize a union for the workers in the ladies garment manufacturing industry there. There will be speakers in Yiddish, Italian and English.

A circular distributed among the workers in the shops of the three towns, declares that the meeting is part of the N. O. C. to build a union throughout the entire country. Over-

erty, unemployment and wars, and that you will help in building up a powerful working-class movement that will drive out the bosses, by voting the Workers (Communist) Party ticket for William Z. Foster for president and for Benjamin Gitlow for vice-president.

"Join the Workers (Communist) Party!"

the signature of Louis Hyman, chairman of the N. O. C. and Rose Wortis, secretary, the call declares:

"Through all the years that the clique of the International has maintained the out of town department with its offices and staffs in all centers where ladies garments are produced, they have accomplished nothing save the draining of money from the workers. [This they squandered for their personal use. They did not organize the trade; they did not improve working conditions in the least.

"Instead of organizing the unions in the small towns they have broken up the union in such centers as Boston and Chicago. They have united with the bosses and are serving as their agents. Your misery is of no concern to them. All they are interested in is to maintain themselves in ease and comfort at the expense of the workers.

Must organize.

"You must not endure these conditions any longer. You cannot permit yourselves to be at the mercy of the bosses. You must organize! You must have a union that will defend your interests and fight for better conditions. Everyone of you knows how miserable your situation is. Everyone of you is dissatisfied. But thus far you have done little to remedy and improve conditions and to see to it that you work shorter hours and receive better wages.

"It is the duty of every worker to come to this meeting without fail and to tell your fellow workers about it," the leaflet concludes.

MINE STRIKERS ARRIVE FOR BIG RELIEF MEETING

Shop Workers Urged to Send Delegates

Arrangements for the huge Shop Delegates Conference for Miners' Relief to be held at Bryant Hall at 6 p. m. tomorrow are now completed with the arrival of Alex Weary, a striking miner from Washington County, Pennsylvania, to attend as an emissary from the strike fields.

Weary, one of the unorganized miners who responded to the strike call of the Save-the-Union Committee on April 16th, will make an appeal for solidarity between New York workers and their striking brothers at the conference, stressing the miners' surge toward the formation of a new union, which will fight militantly for the rights of the progressives and repudiate the backward policies of the decaying United Mine Workers and its misleaders.

Conference calls have been widely distributed between 14th and 59th Streets, addressed to all shop and factory workers employed in that district, urging them to attend the conference as a means of self-protection. In a statement issued last night by Rina Epstein, Secretary of the provisional committee, the sharpening need for relief now was emphasized. The statement read in part as follows:

"The formation of a new union in the mine fields, a union of and for progressive miners, would mean the advancement of the standing of workers in this country. Will they form that union? That question can

CUT TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION WITH ROSARIO

Tie-up of Argentine City Complete

ROSARIO, Argentina, July 24.—Traffic isolation of this city was complete today with every means of communication in control of the strikers. The attempts of the owners and city authorities to import strikebreakers have met a decisive defeat.

The severance of telephone communication following the walk-out of the telephone operators has virtually created a general strike here. Attempts of the owners to run strikebreaking trains into the city have been easily frustrated by the strikers in the suburbs. A number of cars are reported to have been overturned across the tracks, completely blocking communication.

Cordons of pickets continue to surround the wharves and the sacks of grain, part of the annual Argentine export to Europe, are lying piled up on the wharves, where they have been for weeks.

Feeling that some action must be taken immediately to crush the power of the unions, the owners are continuing their efforts to implore the government to crush the strike by force. The municipal authorities, after the first few days of attempted police action, have shown no disposition to interfere in the strike.

best be answered by workers in other industries, for it is up to them.

Drastic Injunction—Not Against Strikers!

MARION, Ill., July 23 (UP).—Miss Ruth Aikman, whose unwelcome lover, Edward Fosse, was restrained by injunctions last fall from making love to her, was married yesterday to Rev. O. H. Swetzer, pastor of the Methodist Church here.

The injunction against Fosse was granted after 16 years unrewarded attentions to Miss Aikman. Since the injunction he has refrained from any love-making.

"If I can do without her thirty days," he said, "I can do without her all my life."

Health Restaurant Helps Election Funds

Unit 1, Section 4 of the Workers (Communist) Party has devised a method of raising money for the \$100,000 election campaign fund for the coming elections. It has procured the Health Food Restaurant at 1800 Madison Ave., between 107th and 108th Sts., for Thursday and Friday of this week.

The owner of this restaurant, who recently contributed 25 per cent of his total income of two days to the striking miners, will contribute 20 per cent of these two days to the election campaign fund of the Workers (Communist) Party.

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Terrorism Sweeps Over Egypt as Fuad Government Is Afraid of Strength of Protest

CALL OUTBREAKS LIKELY; POLICE PATROL HARBOR

Act to Crush Youth by Drastic Measures

CAIRO, Egypt, July 24.—All the forces of the present Egyptian administration were being brought in to play yesterday against the growing power of a nationwide protest movement resulting from King Fuad's dissolution of parliament for three years.

Police Massed.
The return of Mme. Gaghul from Europe was made the occasion for a show of strength by the administration who massed police and troops along the quays and streets of Alexandria in an effort to overawe the crowds who filled the city to see the widow of the former leader.

Following the Wafdist manifesto denouncing Fuad's action, the speech of Nahas Pasha threatening civil war has rung thru Egypt. The possibilities of an outbreak are openly conjectured.

Alarmed by the impending struggle, the administration has acted to crush the three-day strike of lawyers in Alexandria by an order from the ministry of justice forbidding any court adjournments. The strike was in protest against Fuad's action

Terrorize Youth.

Participation of the youth in political agitation, which has repeatedly proved embarrassing to the government, has been met by proposal of the ministry of education that all youths indulging in political activities be suspended from their educational institutions and excluded from examinations for one year. Leaders are to be expelled from schools and colleges for an indefinite period.

Foreseeing that the majority of students will in this way be banished from the schools, the administration has made plans for reducing the teaching staffs in the same ratio.

Thruout the country the feeling that the action of Fuad in dissolving parliament was effected at the bidding of the British government is growing. Determination to be free of foreign interference in Egyptian affairs is freely voiced in spite of the system of secret agents which the government is developing in the Nile towns and villages. Threats of revolt are constantly heard.

Chamberlain Knows Nothing.

LONDON, July 24.—Denying that the British government has taken any part in the suspension of the Egyptian parliament by King Fuad, Sir Austen Chamberlain, secretary of state for foreign affairs, yesterday told the house of commons that his majesty's government has not received any advice concerning the present situation said to exist in Egypt.

ROSARIO PICKETS AT POWER PLANT

Argentine Strike Grows as Demands Refused

ROSARIO, Argentina, July 24.—New developments in the Rosario strike indicate that a general strike is maturing. Strikers picketed the power station here today, threatening to shut off the power and were only disbanded when the police force was called out.

The strike which started with the strike of the dock workers and succeeded in closing the two main ports of Argentina, was soon followed by a strike of transportation workers and teamsters.

The strikers' ranks are holding steadily. The cooperative spirit of the strikers is indicated by the action of the workers in attempting to shut off the power to prevent the few scab-manned trolleys from running.

Canadians Hold Liquor Parleys From Public

TORONTO, Ont., July 24 (UP).—Investigations are being made by the liquor control board into the situation regarding the liquor docks on the Ontario-United States border, Sir Henry Drayton, chairman, told the United Press today. He would not reveal whether any steps are being taken, saying: "If there were any, I could not say anything about them."

General V. A. S. Williams, commissioner of provincial police, had a conference with Drayton but would

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glossy finish type. Above all, all worker-photographers should remember to give the necessary data with each picture.

More worker-photographers are wanted by the Daily Worker. Here is an opportunity for all workers who own cameras to help in improving their "Daily."

Sent Workers to Slaughter—Gets Monument



Government officials from several countries, including the United States, attended the unveiling in Prague, Czechoslovakia, of a monument to Woodrow Wilson, favorite saint of Big Business, who made millions for his masters in addition to sending thousands of workers to the slaughter in the last war to end war.

CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF WORKERS PARTY HAILS "KRASSIN"

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and gave directions for their rescue. Where everybody failed, the Amundsen party, the Swedish and Norwegian fliers, the Italian Alpinists—the Krassin succeeded.

Calmly, but irresistibly, with that doggedness that characterizes the activities of the proletariat, with that perfectly comradely discipline which makes everybody feel the responsibility for the whole and each work in harmony with the others, the Soviet ice-breaker has rescued all whom science, combined with brave effort, could discover in the bleak Northern wilderness. It rescued not only the Italians, but also many rescuers from other countries (whose governments had rejected the Soviet proposal concerning a joint rescue expedition.)

Vitality and Decay Contrasted.

The Italia and Krassin expeditions, while directly having to do with the geographical explorations and humanitarian activities, have tremendous political implications.

Fascism stands demasked through the very undertaking that was to add to its glory.

Proletarian dictatorship is revealed in all its strength and moral power through circumstances which, to the Soviet Union, were purely accidental.

Fascism proved its organizational weakness. Communism proved its organizational strength. Fascism, so beloved by the bourgeoisie for its show of discipline, is exposed as breeding meanness, cowardice and treachery. Communism, derided by the capitalist class as ruthless and inhuman, is revealed as a great force elevating the workers to a high level of generous self-denial and self-sacrifice. Fascism, in capitalist eyes, the symbol of efficiency, has been shown as criminally negligent and barbarously ill-prepared for emergencies. Communism, which the bourgeois theoreticians of the world in unison with all the "practical" business men assert, without the initiative of private property, is doomed to failure—Communism whose collapse has been heralded innumerable times in the capitalist and social-democratic press of the world, has through the Krassin activities impressed itself even upon the bourgeoisie, in a language the bourgeoisie can understand, as an economic and social entity of gigantic might.

Here, a class that has just ascended to power, full of indomitable energy and creative endeavor. There, a class that has outlived its usefulness and leads a parasitic life of decay. Here, a picture of what the world will be when the proletariat will have established its rule everywhere. There, a picture of what the workers must overthrow and destroy, of what they must rid the world, if humanity is to progress economically, politically, socially and culturally.

Lessons of the Event.

The Noble and Krassin enterprises have a tremendous political significance vastly exceeding those of the conferences of the League of Nations and other international talk-fests about which the bourgeoisie makes so much ado. The Noble disaster is a shameful defeat of imperialism. The Krassin successes are a great victory for the Soviet peace proposals. The Noble indignities could grow only out of a soil sown with the seed of imperialist oppression, lust and greed. The real nobility of the Krassin comrades is the spirit of a social revolution that does away with oppression of nations, exploitation of man by man, private property and private accumulation.

The workers of this country must learn the lesson of those great events. They must remember that while the dictatorship of the capitalists in this country differs from the Italian form, it is practically of the same substance. The workers of America must remember that the "great" air conquests, the daring aerial expeditions of the capitalists of the United States, while more efficient and more successful, due to the greater wealth and technique of this country, are nevertheless imperialist ventures of the same kind as Mussolini's. And not for one moment must the workers forget that while sections of the bourgeoisie are so impressed with the Soviet rescue work that they sing the praise of the "Russians." Nevertheless, the great powers of the world, including the United States, are planning and preparing war against the Soviet Union as the stronghold of proletarian power and the beacon light of world proletarian hope.

Defend Soviet Union!

In sending, therefore, our brotherly greetings to the proletariat of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics on the occasion of the Krassin activities, and in expressing our pride in those activities, the workers must redouble their struggle against American imperialism, against American Fascism, against Italian Fascism, against Fascist rule in every other country and for the recognition of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics.

Now, while a part of the bourgeoisie is paying lip service to the Soviet achievements, the time is particularly opportune for advancing the slogans:

- Down with Fascism in Italy and everywhere!
- Release the political prisoners captured by Fascism!
- Long live the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics!
- Long live Workers' rule the world over!
- We demand the recognition of the Soviet Union!

CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE WORKERS (COMMUNIST) PARTY.

New York, July 21, 1923.

NEW PEACE MOVE IN MILL STRIKE

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slogans raised by the T. M. C. An official statement from the T. M. C. denouncing the conference as a fake and calling on the workers to disregard it, is expected momentarily.

Police reports made public almost daily of the number of people entering the 56 factories tied up by the strike stated yesterday that only 384 entered which is about 100 less than last week. Last week's police count was the largest.

Remarkable as is the insignificant ratio of strikebreakers after 14

weeks of struggle, it becomes more so when it is shown that most of those entering as scabs are petty foremen and other mill officials. The statement declares that New Bedford will see the greatest labor demonstration ever staged here when the workers begin to march. Yesterday's appeal to the U. T. W. members to participate in the parade is being received with the greatest enthusiasm. Fraternization between the adherents of the two organizations is increasing at a tremendous rate, it is reported.

DISCUSS THESIS OF BUKHARIN AT WORLD CONGRESS

Ask More Attention to Negro Work

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Executive Committee of the Communist International.

Vassilyev, of the Soviet Union then declared that in spite of the leftward swing of the masses the disproportion was growing between the political and organizational influence of sections of the Communist International. The reasons for this are not only of an objective nature. The Communist Parties have neglected many things, he asserted. In spite of the great electoral successes of the French and German Communist Parties there has not increased membership.

Young Communist International.
The Young Communist International is one of the best sections of the Comintern, but outside of the Soviet Union it has made no numerical progress in the last few years. The important task before all sections therefore is to work to win the youth.

Murphy, of Great Britain, declared that in describing the first post-war period, Bukharin stated that it had ended with defeats but had failed to mention that in this same period the Communist International had developed and the Communist Parties had won ground everywhere.

In describing the second period Bukharin had also failed to set off the development of the revolutionary movement in the colonies and the growth of the Communist Party of China against the stabilization of capitalism.

Further, he said, it is impossible to generalize about the development of technique which marked the third period. The transformation of capitalism from the second to the third period was not uniform, for example the British coal and steel industries are declining and rationalization means limiting production, not developing productive forces.

War Danger.

The British delegation regrets that Bukharin's theses fail to treat the League of Nations question sufficiently since it is today the central question in capitalist war preparations and for creating pacifist illusions. The Kellogg peace treaties which is part of the war preparations is not sufficiently stressed.

Furthermore, the speaker pointed out, the theses do not mention the co-operative question and treat the trade union question insufficiently although this is an important question today, owing to the strong left wing movement which is fighting war preparations against the Soviet Union.

The theses also fail to mention Ireland despite its important role in the fight against British imperialism. The Communist International must finally, treat the Irish question and the tasks of the Irish Communists.

Approve Attack.

The British delegation approves Bukharin's attack on fractionalism and demands that the Communist International finally liquidate fractionalism in the American Party.

Moreover, the question of the leadership of the Communist International must be carefully examined in order to form a strong leadership, uniform and capable of leading all sections.

MacDonald, of Canada, declared that Canada was playing an important part in Anglo-American antagonism and demanded that the Communist International treat the Canadian question because the Canadian bourgeoisie would support war against the Soviet Union.

The Communist Party of Canada would organize trade union delegations to the Soviet Union and had founded the committees of friends of the Soviet Union.

Bunting, of South America, demanded that the Communist International pay more attention to South Africa. He asserted that recently the connection between the Executive Committee of the Communist International and the South African Party had been very bad.

Continuation of the discussion was then adjourned until tomorrow.

Raskob, Open-Shopper 'Resigns' From Firm

John J. Raskob, Morgan controlled open-shopper and chairman of the Democratic National Committee has resigned his position as chairman of the finance committee and as a member of the executive committee of the General Motors Corporation, it was announced today. The reactor of Wall Street was a slight decline in General Motors stock.

The reasons given for his resignation were the stress of campaign duties and the fact that "it is desirable for the public to know that the corporation is not and in the nature of things cannot be put in the light of taking sides for or against political parties, personages or questions." Raskob will however retain his post as vice-president of the corporation. Edward P. Sloan, president of the corporation admits that the resignation is regarded as but temporary.

British Unemployed Urged to "Exertion"

LONDON, July 24.—The unemployment situation in England is so bad that the Industrial Transference Board was forced into a statement that declared that 200,000 of the unemployed workers will die of starvation and privation unless drastic action is immediately taken.

The Board suggested that these 200,000 be removed from the area in which they live and be placed in other areas where their services are needed more. It further calls upon the unemployed to exert themselves more in looking for jobs.

With over a million and a half unemployed in all industries and in all sections, and in view of the general economic depression in England, it is hardly likely that these 200,000 will be able to find jobs no matter how much they "exert" themselves

DIPLOMATS HOLD SECRET PARLEY

Soviet Union Said to Be Subject

BERLIN, July 24.—Under the pretext of building their health about a dozen European diplomats, including Stresemann, Benes, the Czechoslovakian premier, Rumanian foreign minister Titulescu and representatives from the other Balkan countries, have collected at Karlsbad, the watering place in Czechoslovakia.

They are expected to settle some minor questions between themselves that would build up a stronger little entente and form stronger alliances under cover of the Kellogg "peace" plan and strengthen the bloc against the Soviet Union.

W. G. Klasgrye, Dead

CLEVELAND, July 24.—On Wednesday William G. Klasgrye, local secretary of the Workers (Communist) Party, of East Liverpool, Ohio, was drowned in an effort to save his step-daughter.

Comrade Klasgrye was a tireless, devoted member of the Party. His work for relief and support of the miners in the vicinity of East Liverpool, showed that Comrade Klasgrye was made of the stuff that builds up the movement and the Party.

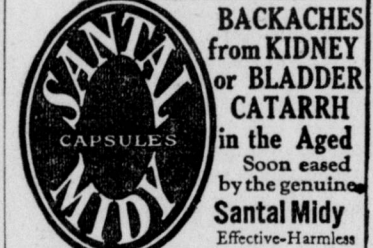
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INT'L FOOD AND DRINK WORKERS MEET IN VIENNA

USSR Delegates Score Traitorous Policy

VIENNA, (By Mail).—Today the congress of the International Food and Drink Workers' Unions was opened here. The international represents almost 700,000 food and drink workers in various countries including the Soviet Union. The international secretary, Schifferstein made a detailed report in which he also dealt with the question of night-baking and declared that in all countries where an official prohibition of night-baking existed, the employers were conducting a furious campaign to secure the withdrawal of the prohibition.

Russians Condemn IFTU.

Today's session of the congress of the International Food Workers' Unions was characterized by sharp disagreements between the Russian delegates and the executive of the union. A Russian delegate made a speech in which he sharply condemned the policy of the International Federation of Trades Unions and declared that the IFTU was disrupting the labor movement in all countries and sabotaging the labor struggles of the organized workers.

Another Russian delegate, Spotnikov, made a speech in which he proved on the basis of facts and figures that the increase in wages in the food and drink industry was limping far behind the increase in the cost of living. He accused the International Union of having no fighting policy and pointed out in corroboration his accusation that of 96,000 Swiss francs which had been expended by the international union in the past year, 2,000 only had been expended for fighting purposes and the rest for administrative expenses, salaries, etc.

Forest Fire Raging in Pacific Northwest

PORTLAND, Ore., July 24 (UP).—A serious forest fire hazard today was added to the heat wave now gripping the Pacific Northwest.

Eight hundred men were fighting a blaze that threatened valuable timber land. The fire was burning unchecked east of Castle Rock.

Lumber, grain, a lumber mill, and farm buildings already have been consumed by the fire.

More than 200,000 feet of lumber was destroyed and damage estimated at \$50,000 was done when the mill of the Maple Creek Lumber Co., near White Salmon, Wash., was swept by forest fire.

Three hundred acres of standing timber and a logging camp east of Moclips, Wash., also was destroyed.

A. F. OF L. LABOR MISLEADER DIES

Evans, Member of Green Machine "Ousted"

CHICAGO, Ill., July 24.—Edward J. Evans, 57, a member of the Green machine and a leader in the railway employment division of the American Federation of Labor, died suddenly at his home here today of a heart attack.

Evans before serving as vice-president of the railroad employment division, was a member of the Civil Service Commission in Chicago. A relationship between the labor officials and government bodies is now common.

He attended every meeting of the federation during the last few years and was planning on attending the coming meeting at Atlantic City July 31.

Evans also was called upon to attend hearings of various disputes of railway men in the United States and Canada. He was a member of the electrical workers union in Chicago. He was connected with the notorious "Umbrella" Mike Boyle gang in that city.

POLISH MINERS TO WALK OUT ON GENERAL STRIKE

Starvation Wages are Immediate Cause

WARSAW, Poland, July 24.—Thousands of Polish coal miners will tie up the entire mining industry thruout the country when a one day general strike set for July 25 goes into effect.

Striking against starvation wages the miners announce that they intend the general walk-out as a threat of what they will do unless the intolerable conditions existing in the industry at present are immediately corrected.

The immediate demands of the striking men are a wholesale increase in the existing starvation wages. It is impossible to sustain life longer on the present wage scale of the Polish miners, their leaders declare.

The owners who have announced their intention of shutting down the mines for the summer are using the strike to demand a subsidy from the government. The coal owners are representing the strike as a danger to the Pilsudski government and are urging the use of force if the general strike is declared for a longer period than one day.

Sixth Victim of Sewer Pipe Explosion Dead

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 24 (UP).—The second victim of a sewer explosion here yesterday which injured five workmen died today in a hospital.

The death of Tony Zolar, 25, followed by a few hours that of John Poliacsek, 17. The other three injured men were reported in a critical condition.

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BLACKLISTING FINE ART IN POUGHKEEPSIE

Telephone Plays Part In System

(By a Worker Correspondent) POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 24.—The article exposing the conditions in the De Laval Separator Company, which was published a few weeks ago in the Daily Worker, has been the principal object of conversation among us ever since.

Conditions Miserable While conditions of labor in our town are on the lowest level, our daily press and the so-called labor paper, Truth, published weekly by our labor fakers, never give much thought to real labor conditions here. It was the Daily Worker that made us think. We are going to continue to read it and tell others to read it.

Things here are really worse than one certain correspondent mentioned. I am working in the De Laval for four years and here is what I make for 12 months: \$1,093.30. How can a man keep up his family with that miserable pay? The U. S. labor statistics say that \$2,800 is the minimum.

Wife Must Work My wife has to neglect our children and go to work in a factory for \$12 a week. Working conditions for her are no better, if not worse, than in the De Laval plant. She works in a clothing factory.

The average earnings of an operator or a presser is about \$20 a week. There are quite a number of clothing factories in our town where a few thousand workers are employed, as Cohn and Goldman (called "Garter"), Regerts Coat Company, Rosenthal, etc. There are also many cloak, dress, shirt and necktie factories, in which many young girls—many under age—and women are employed.

Many Sweat Shops The sweat-shop system is in full bloom here. After a day's work clothing is brought home, where little children help their mothers. In some of these houses the sanitary conditions are awful.

Blacklist Widspread To cap all this, we have a system of blacklisting in this town. If one gives up his job in one of these hell-holes the telephone begins to ring in a special office kept up by the local manufacturers, informing them that employment must not be given to so-and-so and in this way shut off all avenues of work in this town for that worker.

Lately the mayor of the town, who happens to be a sort of decent fellow, brought the matter before the grand jury. But nothing came out of this, as the telephone receiver cannot tell and the guilty party denied his guilt. I will write next time about how the Italian Roman Catholic "padre" helps the Jewish manufacturers and Free Mason managers to exploit the Italian workers.

Lady 'Liberal' Leaves Millions to Family

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., July 24. (UP)—The will of the late Mrs. Fanny Garrison Villard, wife of Henry Villard, railroad magnate, who died at her home at Dobbs Ferry, July 5, was filed for probate in Surrogate's Court today.

The entire estate, thought to approximate several million dollars was left to two relatives and friends, four servants and four institutions. The residuary estate goes to two sons, Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the Nation, and Harold G. Villard, of New York.

"AGAINST" WHITE SLAVERS. GENEVA, July 24.—The League of Nations has declared that by September it will be ready to issue a statement calling on the nations of the world to suppress the white slave traffic.

Last year the League of Nations suppressed the report of the white slavery commission and accomplished nothing in spite of all its promises. Now it again promises to pass a "model law" which it will urge all nations to adopt.

For Glory of Imperialism and MacFadden



Bernarr MacFadden, tabloid publisher and physical culture faker, has decided that he ought not to be left out in the cold in this flight publicity. So he has bought himself a monoplane and dispatched it with "good-will" letters from himself to President Calles of Mexico. In addition, Bernarr has the satisfaction of doing a good service to American imperialism.

PROTESTS GROW COMMUNISTS IN I. W. W. CASE GAS RATE FIGHT

Plan Big Conference in Washington

Protests against the continued imprisonment of the Centralia prisoners in Walla Walla, Wash., and demands for their unconditional pardon continue to pour in upon Governor Roland H. Hartley and H. B. Clausen, chairman of the Parole Board, from labor organizations and prominent individuals. Robert Whitaker, author and formerly a minister of the First Baptist Church of Seattle, and Professor David Starr Jordan, president emeritus of Leland Stanford University, California, are among those who have added their protests, according to letters received by the national office of International Labor Defense, 80 East 11th St., New York.

Whitaker's Letter Whitaker, in his letter to Governor Hartley, declares:

"The continued imprisonment in Walla Walla of the eight members of the I. W. W., by reason of the hysteria of the after-war period is a heavy handicap upon the reputation of Washington. . . . Particularly at this time the United States is in a special need of every possible exhibit of the spirit of tolerance and good will. . . . May I urge that your boards release these men immediately and unconditionally."

Professor David Starr Jordan writes: "I understand that the eight members of the I. W. W., sent to the penitentiary from Centralia are applying for pardon. It is certain that the treatment of the Centralia affair has come as a disgrace to the State of Washington. I sincerely hope that the proper authorities of the State of Washington can see their way to grant an unconditional pardon to these people. I am not personally acquainted with any of them."

International Labor Defense points out that the actions on the part of Professor Jordan and Robert Whitaker are evidences of the depth of the mass pressure exerted by the workers against the continued imprisonment of the framed-up Centralia workers. Only organized mass protest of the workers in the unions, the shops and factories will, however, bring the necessary pressure on the lumber-trust owned State of Washington to free Eugene Barnett, McInerney and the others, the organization declares.

A state-wide conference of labor unions, farm organizations and other bodies in the State of Washington is planned in the near future to crystallize the protest of the workers, writes Charlotte Todes, Seattle I. L. D. secretary, and also secretary of the Centralia Liberation Committee.

MAYOR NEAR DEATH

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 24 (UP)—L. D. Taylor, 72-year-old mayor of Vancouver, was reported near death in a hospital here today from a fractured skull sustained by an airplane propeller yesterday.

Mayor Taylor was knocked unconscious when he walked into the whirling propeller which had just carried him on the initial trip of a passenger plane between Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver.

SPIES EXPELLED BY MORE UNIONS IN NEW CLEANUP

Much of 'Information' Is Not Secret

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Chauncey Peterson, one of the labor spies employed by the steel trust and exposed by Frank L. Palmer in his book "Spies in Steel," has been expelled from the Intl. Brotherhood of Electrical Workers by President Noonan of that organization. Peterson operated in Duluth. He was not only active in the Electrical Workers but he had been elected to the state legislature by the Farmer-Labor Party, when Palmer's investigation led to his being thrown out of the union and suspended from the party.

Did Not Appeal.

Noonan, at I. B. E. W. headquarters in Washington, told a representative of the press on July 23 that he had received copies of reports made in handwriting by Peterson to the Silver Mining Co., a subsidiary of U. S. Steel, showing beyond doubt that the man was regularly reporting the names of men attending building trades meetings, names of union members and alleged acting taken in meetings. Upon getting evidence, he ordered "permanent suspension" of Peterson's card notifying him that he would have the right to appeal before formal expulsion was made. Peterson did not appeal. Inquiry in Duluth showed that he had gone into the meat business.

"This is merely one of many such cases, occurring at intervals in many industries," said an electrical official. "The industrial concern pays an agency so much per day—about a journeyman's wage—to be paid extra to the man on the job who is to do the spying. In point of fact, the company was gyped of the money it paid Peterson, because none of the information he supplied was really secret. And that is true of most of this spying—the information could be had for the asking. We do not know whether he caused any union men to be dismissed."

Another of Same Breed.

Cletus L. McMillan, formerly recording secretary of Machinists' Lodge No. 274, who played spy while in that job, has been expelled by his lodge since the expose appeared. McMillan had been a foreman after getting out of his job as union secretary, but he kept his union card and watched the men who came into the organization.

Another member of the machinists recently caught red-handed as a betrayer of his fellow-unionists was a man named Meary, operating in Wisconsin. He was expelled. Davison stated, without loss of time Palmer, in his book—published at 50c by the Labor Press, 312 Interstate Trust Bldg., Denver, Colo.—mentions Vergilio Bertone, president of the Chishelm Musicians' Union as drawing \$125 a month as a spy for steel. Luke Healy, clerk of the Hibbing Hotel at Hibbing, Minn., is described as one of the busy members of the sneaking-and-eaves-dropping squad. Others include a barber, a letter carrier, etc.

Who furnished Palmer with the documents from the safe of the steel trust secret service in Duluth, thereby upsetting the spy system for a while, has not been disclosed. As the leak occurred several months ago, it is assumed by the Electrical Workers and the Machinists that a new spying staff has been employed with new code numbers, new methods of approach and new humbug as to trade union secrets.

Huge Profits. According to his figures and analysis, the East Ohio Co. has more than duplicated its investment in its dividends, and has applied \$8,000,000 of the profits to the extension of its plant.

The fight is now on between the city manager and the manager of the East Ohio Gas Co. But it is to be noted that the position taken by the Communists has become a basis for the "negotiations."

Three Divorce Lawyers Suspended In Paris

PARIS, July 24.—Suspension from practice for terms of two to eight months was decreed today against three of the seven French lawyers tried last week on charges of irregularities in the foreign divorce mill in Paris. Three other lawyers and one process server were "scolded severely." The seventh lawyer and a second process server were acquitted.

THREE DROWNED IN HEAT

TURIN, July 24 (UP)—Three persons were drowned in the River Po today while seeking relief from intense heat.

Chicago I. L. D. to Aid Relief for Coal Miners

CHICAGO, Ill., July 24.—General mobilization order has been issued to all International Labor Defense branches by the local office for active participation in the week's drive for miners' relief and defense, July 23-August 5.

All arrangements have already been made between I. L. D. and Miners' Relief for the joint drive. The I. L. D. expects to mobilize every member to take part in the drive.

NEW JERSEY AIDS IN MINE RELIEF

Meetings Being Held in Many Cities

A mass meeting which crowded the Workers Hall at 308 Elm St., Perth Amboy, gave Miners Relief and Defense Week a flying start in the state of New Jersey last Saturday night. A. Weary, a striking miner, told of the heroic struggle the miners are making in the face of tremendous obstacles. He stressed the necessity of supporting their struggle now that Lewis and the United Mine Workers of America bureaucracy have come out in the open as betrayers of the miners' strike.

All the workers present pledged their active support in helping the miners build a rank and file union. They showed their pledge was not an empty one by contributing generously to a collection. Edward S. Stanley, relief organizer of New Jersey, said that American workers must answer Lewis. They must support the Save-the-Union Committee until the new miners' union is organized and Lewis is thrown out.

New Brunswick followed close on the heels of Perth Amboy. Stanley also spoke at an outing of the Hungarian Workers Club Sunday. Similar pledges were made and a large collection was taken. Workers all over New Jersey are mobilizing this week for house to house collections and other activities to support the miners. Newark plans a mass meeting on Friday.

To Pass Kellogg Pact

WASHINGTON, July 24.—That the Kellogg multilateral peace pact will pass congress with only the minimum of political opposition is confidently promised here by representatives of both the big powers.

Both parties see in the much-heralded peace treaty the opportunity for the United States to arm at a rate never dreamed of before and under an undreamed of cloak of peace.

It is believed that the treaty will be accepted shortly after it is submitted to congress.

GREAT INCREASE OF UNEMPLOYED IN GREAT BRITAIN

Permanent Crisis is Gov't. Report

LONDON, July 24 (UP)—An official report on the British unemployment situation, in which the flat statement is made that there is a labor surplus and groups of workers must be transferred in mass to other labor fields, was returned yesterday by the government's industrial transference board.

There are about 1,200,000 unemployed persons in Great Britain, and the figure is growing larger. Many of them have dependents.

Growing Surplus. In some heavy industries, and particularly in coal mining, there was a real surplus of labor, the board reported.

"The urgent and sympathetic attention of the entire country is needed to deal with the problem," it was said.

St. Warren Fisher is head of the board. It was appointed by the minister of labor to facilitate the transfer of workers, particularly miners, to areas where employment could be obtained for them.

"It is no longer a question merely of tidying over unemployment in these areas until a crisis passes," the report said. "A new policy is needed, directed at the permanent removal of as many workers as possible away from depressed industries and areas to other areas where the prospect of employment is more favorable."

"It is a hard thing," the report states, "to tell numbers of men—whole communities—that unless they leave all their familiar surroundings they will not be able to earn a living."

"But we should be shirking every inference from the facts if we did not emphasize this as the first and strongest of the lessons our work has provided."

The report expressed astonishment at the "disappointing slowness" of the rate of settlement of British workers in Canada and Australia. It urged radical simplification of the government's migrating policy, and reduction of steamship passage rates to a point nearer the pre-war level to facilitate overseas settlement, in addition to the existing empire settlement schemes.

2 RESCUED ON ATLANTIC

Two men who had been adrift in the Atlantic Ocean without food or water for a week were rescued by a boat crew of the Panama-Pacific liner Manchuria and will be brought to New York today, according to a radio message received here today by the line's offices, at 1 Broadway, from the captain of the Manchuria.

Rural Theatres Popular With Peasants in the Soviet Union

By S. Malinovsky.

ONE of the distinctive features of the village in the USSR is its extreme remoteness from the cultural centers owing to the weak development of railways in the country, in comparison with other countries. In many parts of the Soviet Union, particularly in the north, the village is cut off from the rest of the world during the winter and autumn seasons.

Hence the great importance attached to the penetration of culture among the masses of rural inhabitants, and to the organization of the peasants' theatre in the U. S. S. R. In this article we deal only with the development of the village theatre in the rural districts of the province of Moscow. In other parts of the Soviet Union, particularly in the Ukraine, there is also constant development in the activity of organizing rural theatrical performances. But this will form the subject of another article.

In the province of Moscow at the present time, with a population of 2,300,000, there are over 5,000 dramatic circles in the villages. On the money realized from the performances the circles purchase newspapers for the villages, organize reading rooms, etc. There were cases when the rural dramatic circles were among the first promoters and investors of rural societies for the purpose of purchasing agricultural machinery.

Needless to say the circles are as yet poorly equipped in regard to theatrical means. The majority of them have no special stage, the scenery is mostly home made and the performances are generally got up without any expert professional guidance.

In localities with an experienced guide, the activity of the dramatic circles is conducted upon a proper plan: the play is chosen, a general study is made of the characters in the play, and only then the production is undertaken.

The preparations for the production of a play in a rural locality are more in the nature of educational work, in which part is taken both by the producers of the play and by their prospective patrons. The great drawback in art activity in the rural districts is the lack of experienced leadership, and in recent years there were steps taken to raise a sufficient body of experienced rural leaders in the pursuit of the arts. Great work in this direction is being accomplished by the "Polenov Memorial Association" attached to the Peasants' Home of Moscow.

The essential aim in the activity of the Peasants' Home is to supply art instruction to the village. For this purpose it maintains a model theatre and a body of experienced theatrical instructors. It also undertakes to select suitable plays for production by village amateurs. The Peasants' Home arranges also from time to time special training courses for rural theatrical workers.

Considerable activity is also carried on by the Puppet Theatre to villages in the province of Moscow were everywhere welcomed with intense enthusiasm, contributing to the general activity for the spreading of culture in the outlying villages.

The theatrical activity in the rural districts is considered by the Soviet authorities as an essential item in the great Cultural Revolution which is going on through the length and breadth of the Soviet Union.

OLIVE BERTRAND



Plays an important part in "The Connecticut Yankee," the musical show based on Mark Twain's clever satire at the Vanderbilt Theatre.

ried on by the journal "The Rural Theatre," which enjoys popularity among rural dramatic circles throughout the Soviet Union. Written in plain and popular language, it deals with various problems of interest to rural dramatic circles and publishes articles on various practical aspects of theatrical activity, hints as to scenery, make up, the study of dramatic characters and types, and so on.

An experiment in the direction of affording the means of visual training to rural dramatic circles was made by the organization of the Rural Itinerant Theatre in 1927 by the Moscow Theatrical Administration. Before establishing this Itinerant Theatre the actors who promoted this experiment had given over 50 performances in 40 villages in the various districts of the province of Moscow. The performances of the Itinerant Theatre are usually associated with educational work. Before the raising of the curtain an address is delivered giving an analysis of the play, and after the conclusion of the performance an address is given on the rendering of the play. Usually a lively discussion ensues, in the course of which the actors take stock of the views and opinions expressed by the audience. The actors then acquaint themselves with the activity of the local dramatic circle, imparting their experiences to the members, advising them on technical matters, and so on. Sometimes the actors rehearse with the rural amateurs the play which they have in hand, for presentation by the circle.

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New Bedford Youth Demands \$15 Minimum for Young Workers, No Child Labor

HANDOUTS WILL FIGHT FOR SEVEN-HOUR DAY, FIVE-DAY WEEK

One thousand million dollars, familiarly known as a billion was represented by four men who recently left on the Majestic to do a little grouse shooting in Normandy. They were J. P. Morgan, Charles Stead, partner of Morgan, Andy Mellon and Wm. L. Mellon. The workers who produced this billion were left in the United States where they will probably remain during the summer.

Odd Job



The above is a recent photograph of D. Bird of King's Oak, England, who is working at his trade. He's a motorcycle racer. Under capitalism any number of workers are willing to risk their lives to win a few extra pennies to support their families. The so-called cultured classes attend the races for the thrill and go home quite irritated if some poor worker isn't killed.

Gems of Learning

Thomas B. Love, candidate for lieutenant-governor of Texas: "As a democrat, I do not believe in booting the party." If the democratic reform maintained that the moon was made of Philadelphia cream cheese, Governor Moody wouldn't boot. He's a booter.

Gov. Stanley Baldwin, wife of British prime minister: "A woman labor leader at Bourne-mouth declared, the other day, that the socialist party is out for power. I fancy that we conservative women were something which is higher than power. We want peace and good will, and we shall never get it from a party that preaches power and warfare." Good-will such as that displayed toward the Germans in the great war. Imperialist peace frat to millions of workers each year.

Lord Birkenhead: "Even a feminist must be aware that the reason, and the sole reason, why women have retained any hold on such posts is economic. They are permitted to do a man's work because they do it more cheaply." Frank capitalist. Most capitalists maintain they hire women for purely philanthropic reasons. To allow them to earn a little money to better support their families.

Prominent Valet



The decay of capitalist society can sometimes best be studied by an examination of the mold. Above is a large green chunk named Cal. At the present time he is sojourning, on income muled from the working class, at Brule, Wisconsin, where he is studying science at the church of John Taylor (right). Cal has just learned that Jonah spent three days in the whale's belly and was then expectorated before mastication set in. Cal regards the story as quite probable. Cal, who for several years has been emptying spittoons for Wall Street as president of the United States, has spread the belief that his silence indicates intellectual depth. Inside his unique head his brain was supposed to be too busy to bother with speech. Today practically everybody admits the great head is silent for the same reason a head of lettuce is.

Textile Mill Committee to Back Them

The New Bedford Textile Workers' Union (Textile Mill Committee) in recognition of the importance of the young workers, has adopted a list of special youth demands as follows:

1. Minimum wage of \$15 a week for all young workers.
2. Equal pay for equal work.
3. Complete abolition of child labor, state maintenance for those now working.
4. No night work for young workers under 21.
5. No overtime for young workers under 18.
6. Two 15 minute rest periods a day for all young workers.
7. 7-hour day, 5-day week for young workers under 18.
7. One hour for lunch and washing up on company time.
8. Work schools for young workers under 15 and 18 on working time under union and young worker control.

PLAN SERIES OF YOUTH SCHOOLS

Industrial Centers to be Pivots

Preparations for a series of League Summer Schools thruout the country this summer are going ahead full speed. The Waino School (Wisconsin)—which has an elementary and an advanced course—has already opened. There are twenty-five students from important sections of the district—from the Iron Range, the Michigan copper country from the Twin Cities, and from the Head of the Lakes section. The elementary school will take place somewhat later.

The Northwest School covering the northwest region (Washington, Oregon) as well as California has already started. The New England School opened immediately after July 4. The students include a number of young strikers from New Bedford.

The Ohio School, at Ashtabula, is opening in August. Young workers from the mining regions of Pennsylvania and Ohio, young steel workers, and the youth of other industries will be represented among the students.

Definite information is not yet forthcoming as to the New York and the Chicago schools but they are expected to take place in August.

All of the above schools are full-time schools covering a period from four to six weeks. The value of such schools in developing new forces for youth work and new frontiers for the League has been proven by the schools of last year and the year before and we expect that this year's schools will be even more successful.

Contributions From Workers Wanted

This section will appear regularly in the Saturday and Wednesday issues of the Daily Worker. All young workers are invited to contribute. Send all articles about your shop, your league, etc., to Editor Young Worker Section, care of Young Workers League, 43 E. 125th St. New York City, N. Y.

EVANSTON, Ill., (UP) July 24.—Officers of the Women's Christian Temperance Union have issued a call for a national convention of the organization to be held in Boston Mass., November 14, to 22, it was announced today.

Advertise your union meetings here. For information write to The DAILY WORKER Advertising Dept. 26-28 Union Sq., New York City

ARBEITER BUND, Manhattan & Bronx; German Workers' Club. Meets every 4th Thursday in the month at Labor Temple, 248 E. 84th St. New members accepted at regular meetings. German and English library. Sunday lectures. Social entertainments. All German speaking workers are welcome.

BUTCHERS' UNION Local 174, A.M.C. & B.W. of N.A. Office and Headquarters: Labor Temple, 248 E. 84th St., Room 12. Regular meetings every first and third Sundays 10 A.M. Employment Bureau open every day at 6 P.M.

Window Cleaners' Protective Union—Local 8 Affiliated with the A. F. of L. 15 E. 3rd St., New York. Meets each 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month at 7 P.M. at Manhattan Lyceum. Window Cleaners, Join Your Union!

AMALGAMATED FOOD WORKERS Bakers' Local 184 Meets 1st Saturday in the month at 846 Third Ave. Bronx, N. Y. Ask for Union Label Bread

Wall St. Field-Marshal Takes Up Duties



Hubert Work has resigned as secretary of the interior in order to hunt bigger game—votes in large enough numbers to put Herbert Hoover into Wall Street's White House. Hubert is now secretary of the republican national committee, and if Hoover is elected, he will probably reap a fat reward. Photo shows Work at right, talking it over with his successor in the cabinet, Roy O. West, Chicago businessman, an ardent Coolidge supporter.

DISTRICTS HOLD LEAGUE MEETS

New Members Active in Conferences

By MORRIS YUSEM. All the districts of the Young Workers Communist League are holding conferences, entirely devoted to the consideration of the steps necessary to build the league in the factories. At no time in the history of the league has so much attention been given to the building of the league on the basis of shop groups. Practically all districts have already set the dates for the conferences, four have already been held and by Aug. 5 every district will have had its conference.

In the course of the preparations for the conferences the league membership is going thru an intense education on the building of shop nuclei, factory activity, the issuing of factory papers and the recruiting of members in the factories.

Enthusiastic Response. The conferences already held give evidence that they will affect the league's activity in the period following. The Pittsburgh, New York and Philadelphia conferences show that the membership is responding very enthusiastically. New York had almost 100 delegates, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia each had about 40, representing all units of the league.

An outstanding fact in the composition of the delegates is that the most active participants were the members that came into the league recently during the miners' struggle and such others in which the league took an active part. A majority of the Pittsburgh delegates, for instance, were such new members. It was clearly demonstrated that our league is making good headway in penetrating into the basic industries and large factories.

I. L. D. Outing. An outing will be held on Saturday, Aug. 11, at 12 noon, at Pleasant Bay Park, Brooklyn, under the auspices of the New York Section, International Labor Defense. Take Bronx Park Subway to 177th St. when take Unionport car to end of line. Free busses to park.

PROTECTS OWN WIFE BERLIN, July 24 (UP).—Martin Van Halder, 28, a Milwaukee mechanic, was critically injured today in a gallant and successful fight to protect his wife from her former husband, a criminal just escaped from Brandenburg prison.

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Party Activities

Section 7 Drive. The concentration week of the signature drive of Section 7 to place the names of the Workers (Communist) Party candidates on the ballot in New York State will begin on Sunday and last throughout the week until the following Sunday. All functionaries are especially instructed to lead this drive by reporting at the headquarters, 1373 43rd St., Brooklyn, at 10 a. m. The section executive committee is at present preparing a prize award for the member who succeeds in collecting the greatest amount of signatures. Members of Section 2 and 3 are also instructed to report at the Section 7 headquarters.

Section 7 Meeting. The campaign committee of Section 7 will meet tomorrow at 8 p. m. at campaign headquarters, 1373 43rd St., Brooklyn. All chairmen of committees representing organizations in the campaign should not fail to attend.

Unit 4 Section 7. Unit 4, Section 7 meets today at 8 p. m. at 1940 Benson Ave. The election campaign will be discussed.

International Branch 1. International Branch 1 will hold an educational meeting tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. at 60 St. Marks Place, N. Y. All members are urged to be present.

Executive Subsection 3C. The executive committee of Sub-Section 3C will hold a meeting today at 101 West 27th Street at 6:30 p. m.

Unit 3E 2P. The Unit 3E 2P will have a very important meeting today at 6:15 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. All comrades must be present and on time. Roll call will be taken.

Party Day. All comrades, including all functionaries, are instructed to attend meetings held during this period, to take up important tasks in connection with the election campaign and to place themselves in good order for the coming year. All are instructed to prepare a special report of business for the meetings to be held on the Party Days.

Party Membership Meeting. The comrades in the units are asked to take note of the fact that there will be a Party membership meeting Wednesday, August 1st at 8 p. m. at 177th St. No other meetings are to be arranged to conflict with this date.

Note is also to be taken of the fact that on Saturday afternoon, August 4, the anniversary of the World War opening, there will be an open air demonstration in Union Square under the auspices of the Workers Party. All units are to make arrangements for mobilizing masses of workers to attend. District Executive Committee, District 2, John J. Ballam, Acting District Organizer.

Young Pioneers Hold Important Meet Thurs.

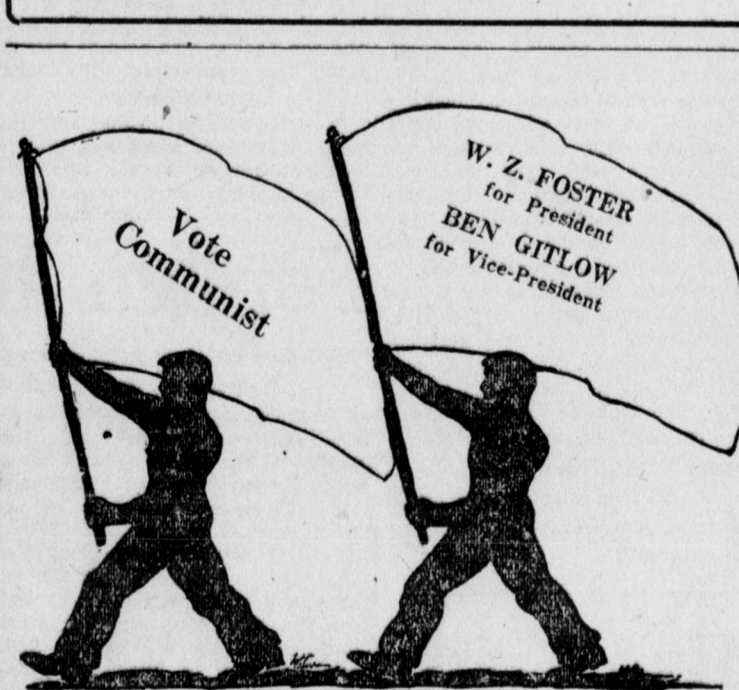
All Young Pioneer agit-prop directors, organizers, and members of the District Executive Committee have been called to a meeting which will be held at the Workers' Center, 26-28 Union Square, Room 205, on Thursday.

The present election campaign of the Workers (Communist) Party and the anti-war campaign will be fully discussed.

Put the Party on the Ballot

All Party members and all sympathizers are asked to report for duty to collect signatures to put the Party on the ballot at the following headquarters which are open every evening:

- Section 1—Downtown Manhattan—60 St. Marks Place
- Section 4—Harlem—43 East 103rd St.
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A home run by Mel Ott helped the New York Giants defeat Pittsburgh, 6 to 3. Larry Benton was hit hard by the Pirates, but was never in danger, except in the eighth inning, when Pittsburgh scored two runs.

Willie Sherdel had the better of Jess Petty in a pitching duel and the St. Louis Cardinals defeated Brooklyn, 2 to 1. Sherdel gave six hits and Petty seven.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES
National League
New York, 6; Pittsburgh, 3.
St. Louis, 2; Brooklyn, 1.
Cincinnati, 5; Philadelphia, 1.
American League
New York, 5; Boston, 3.

GENARO AND ROCCO MAY BE REMATCHED

TORONTO, Ont., July 24 (UP).—Frankie Genaro and Steve Rocco, who fought a draw here last night, are likely to be rematched for the world's flyweight championship here shortly.

NURMI TO COMPETE IN ONLY 2 OLYMPIC EVENTS

AMSTERDAM, July 24 (UP).—Paavo Nurmi of Finland will compete only in the 5,000 and 10,000 metres, it was announced today, because two other Finns can better his time in the 1,500.

ELKINS TO CHALLENGE DECATHLON WINNER

PARIS, July 24 (UP).—Major William Kennelly of the New York Athletic Club, said today that Frit Elkins, American decathlon star who was left off the Olympic team, would challenge the winner of the decathlon at the Olympic games.

Worker Badly Burned In Yacht Explosion

GREENWICH, Conn., July 23.—Sydney R. Coles, a worker on the yacht Ariona III, owned by Arthur T. Murray of Greenwich, Conn., was badly burned on the face and hands yesterday when gas exploded in the boat, which was anchored off the Indian Harbor Yacht Club.

Baker, Scab Coal Operator, Resigns

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 23.—Horace F. Baker, open shop banker and scab coal operator, resigned as president and chairman of the Board of Directors of the Pittsburgh Terminal Coal Corporation, it was announced from his office here today. The announcement said ill health had caused Baker's resignation. He has been away from Pittsburgh for several days.

WILHELM HAS HOPES.

AMSTERDAM, July 23.—According to a newspaper here, "Het Volk," the German government has complained to the Netherlands government against former emperor Wilhelm's "abuse of Dutch hospitality... by publicly voicing designs for the restoration of the German monarchy."

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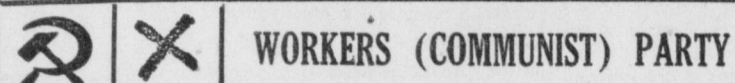
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Against the Capitalists!

Take Your Whelps, Mussolini!

As the facts come out, one by one, the almost unbelievable cowardliness and general vileness of the crew that Mussolini sent to drop a fascist flag and the pope's cross at the North Pole astonishes even those who thought they knew the foulness of fascism.

It is established that the commander of the expedition whiningly deserted his crew to save himself. Then that two of his subordinate officers deserted the scientist Malmgren to die, leaving him alive inside of a grave they had dug for him in the ice, after taking all of his share of food and even taking off his pants so as to give added warmth to the fascists' legs.

Startling as is this picture, it is nevertheless not in the least out of keeping with general facts well known to men and women of the labor movement who have experienced in less dramatic setting the habitual ways of those reactionary social elements typified by the three fascist officers, Nobile, Zappi and Mariano.

The difference is in the setting. Numberless workers who have gone through the class struggle, not only in such severe form as the civil war in the old czarist empire, but even in the plainest strike in an American coal field, are fully aware that the beastly cruelty, greed and cowardice of a Zappi stealing the food and clothes off the body of a dying comrade is the normal spirit of the class of Zappi whenever put to the test.

But the situation of men in a world-heralded polar expedition—fixed in universal view "at the top of the world"—would usually put men, however mean, into at least the pretense of social behavior and comradeship. However, the dirty fascist arrogance which has become a systematic culture seems to have motivated these scoundrels even when the spot-light of the world attention was upon them.

Let Mussolini defend his breed. Let us agree with Mussolini that Nobile, Zappi and Mariano are well within the rules of fascist "honor" in stealing the food and clothing of a dying comrade. Didn't they do him the kindness of digging a grave for him in the ice?

Take your whelps, Mussolini, as they crawl back to you. You may be proud of them.

But you and your kind are now better known to the millions of the working class of the world that must settle accounts once and for all with

the Nobles, Zappis and Marianos, not as Arctic explorers, but as the fascist thugs defending capitalism in the suppression and exploitation of the working class.

Take your whelps, Mussolini.

Flnkeys Pose as Peace Angels

The "socialist" government of Germany has decided that the annual maneuvers of the army and navy of the German bourgeoisie shall be omitted this year.

But wait a minute. The German social-democratic party has not suddenly begun to disarm the capitalist state. The purpose of omitting the maneuvers is—to save money for the capitalist state this year, so that there will be more money with which to strengthen the armed forces later. And also to kid the German working class along with pacifist illusions while the party of social treason puts on the guise of the "peace maker."

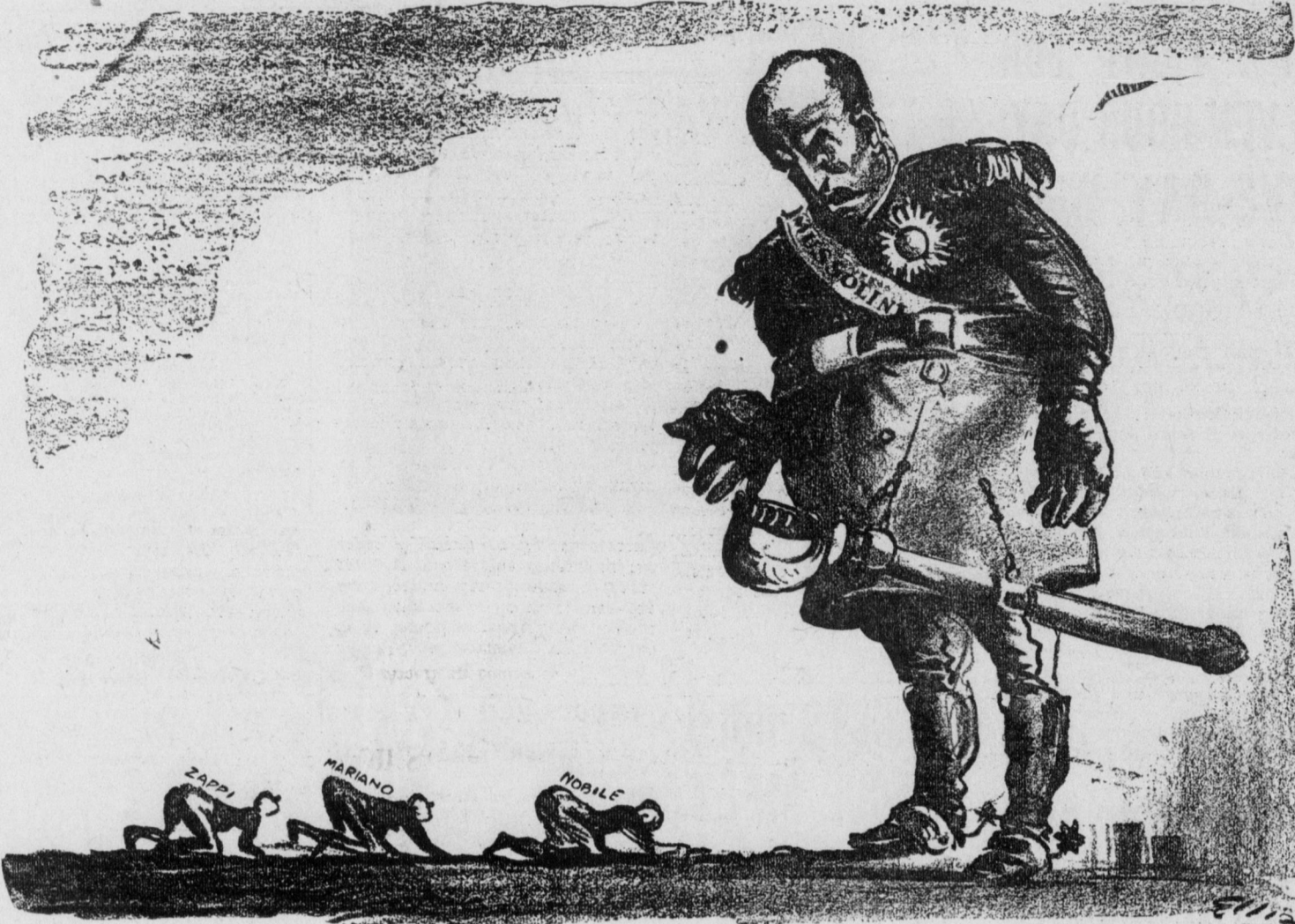
The workers must not forget that on every occasion in which the workers have come into conflict with the capitalist state the social-democratic party has defeated the working class by throwing against it the full armed power of the state and by mobilizing all extra-legal fascist organizations of murder against the workers. The "socialist" party of Germany is the enemy of the German workers' splendid organization, the "Red Front Fighters." The party of Noske, Scheidemann and Mueller does everything in its power to keep the working class disarmed and the capitalist class armed to the teeth, and the omission of army and navy maneuvers this year fits in with that policy.

In the United States the Reverend Norman Thomas' socialist party stands for the same thing, but hasn't had its chance yet. If the working class is sufficiently vigilant, it never will.

The working class party in all countries is the Communist Party, whose program will make the working class the ruling class. The Communist Party is busy everywhere strengthening the fighting power of the workers and opposing everything that strengthens the capitalist state.

You should vote Communist this year. And join the Workers (Communist) Party, American section of the Communist International.

MUSSOLINI'S BREED



By Fred Ellis

Told You So

IN view of the Tammany candidate's association with the Knights of Columbus and his high standing with the Vatican it would be quite inconceivable of Calles to proceed with the cleaning up process during an election year. Millions of normally democratic voters would not have much interest in aiding the Catholic church in its assassination policy in Mexico. It is feared, however, that Calles is so tied to the money strings of Wall Street that he will do as Ambassador Morrow tells him. Since the House of Morgan is the financial agent for the Vatican in the United States and since Morrow is a member of the House of Morgan, Morrow is not only the American representative in Mexico, but the agent of the Vatican as well.

HOW many of our readers noticed the item in at least one of last week's New York papers that Calvin Coolidge appointed William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, to some commission or other? Of course, Coolidge sometimes appoints democrats on important commissions, but since this election campaign in many respects is a factional fight within the ranks of the capitalists and since during factional fights both sides fight for every point of vantage, it is not outside the bounds of possibility that Green, the former democrat, has decided to throw in his lot in the elections with Herbert Hoover. And if I remember correctly there are only two on the commission, it is also possible that there is a salary attached.

AT the rate the industrial magnates are taking the management of election campaigns out of the hands of the old politicians, it is possible that the good old days when a president of a fictitious organization could get away with a bluff and a bunch of money in return for the promise to "throw" his organization to a candidate are gone forever. The same fellow may in the near future have to don overalls and go from house to house distributing photographs.

THE powers will sign the Kellogg "anti-war" treaty in August, according to a news dispatch. The Soviet Union was not invited, which we dare say causes little worry in the Kremlin. In the meantime, Kellogg continues Wall Street's war against Nicaragua. Should the powers sign Kellogg's treaty it will only mean that the danger of war is more imminent than ever.

THE New York World deftly wares President Calles of Mexico that a resumption of the struggle against the feudal Catholic church in that country as a result of the assassination of President-elect Obregon would be looked at askance by the American people. Calles declared that the clerical reactionaries were back of the deed. There is no doubt about that. For every American who takes the viewpoint of Al Smith's official organ, there are ten thousand who will wish the Mexican government luck provided it goes ahead with the task of cleaning out the reactionary clerical elements.

The task of organizing the exploited workers and farmers for the final struggle is reserved by history for the Workers (Communist) Party under the leadership of the Communist International. There is no solution of the social evils that grow in capitalist soil, for the slavery and misery of the workers short of the complete overthrow of the capitalist system and the establishment of a Workers' and Farmers' Government, a Soviet Government, that would set about to reconstruct society on a socialist basis, the producers only reaping the fruits of the products of the industrial machines and the farms.

In this election campaign the Workers (Communist) Party will be the only one that will indicate the correct road the workers must follow in order to fight for the best possible living conditions now and for their ultimate emancipation. The socialist party candidates will chiefly confine themselves to attacking capitalist functionaries for non-attention to duty and because of their predilection for graft. They will hang around the manholes and wait about the odors. While anything that will help to show up the political agents of the enemy is our meat, we are mostly concerned with the capitalist politicians as strikebreakers and policemen used to crush the workers under the slogan of "Law and Order."

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the declaration of "neutral zones," embargoes on arms, violation of the rights of foreign peoples, seizures of customs houses, the support of revolutions in one country, or at one period, and their suppression in another country or at another period in the same country, depending solely upon the extent to which American economic interests were advanced by the action.

(To Be Continued.)

Working Youth Conference

By PHILIP FRANKFELD.

In the past six months, we have witnessed the coming and going of two musty youth conferences. These conferences did not even cause a ripple on the surface of the labor movement; not to say on the masses of exploited unorganized young workers. Like postum—there's a reason.

The Musty Mr. Muste. The Muste youth conferences, those arranged by Brookwood, did nothing more than discuss and re-discuss the question of the young workers. All talk and no action was bound to end in failure as regards the efforts of Brookwood to take a part in the organization of the unorganized youth.

The Brookwooders exposed their complete bankruptcy to do anything along the lines of organization. Mr. Muste and his friends showed themselves in their true role at this conference—that of being more interested in the "friendship" of the representative of the A. F. of L. than in the practical proposals made by the delegates from the Young Workers (Communist) League, who incidentally were not seated.

Youth conferences are no longer a novelty in the labor movement. The first working class youth conferences were organized, and pushed by the Communist youth organization. The first youth conference in New York took place 2 years ago June. That conference was a real step forward insofar as quite a number of large factories were actually represented by young workers, and insofar as the message of unionization was actually brought to hundreds of young workers. The League profited from this campaign in the sense that the Young Workers Communist League was popularized among the masses of youth, and the League was able to recruit many new members into its ranks.

Lacked Publicity. The shortcoming of that attempt to do organization work was that it was not brought to the attention of the entire labor movement, that

The Talkfest at Brookwood and Plans in Action by Young Workers League

the left wing and progressives were not sufficiently drawn into the work of the conference.

Since that time the work amongst the young workers has not ceased. The League has made several attempts to organize the young workers, and in some instances, like the International Handkerchief Co., a shop committee of 40 young workers was organized. The League continued to issue leaflets and bulletins in Sunshine Biscuit, in Auto-Strop, in Eagle Pencil, in Park & Tilford, and in many more factories in New York. But the one big shortcoming was that there was no central campaign, no intensified drive, no mobilization of the left wing forces, for a general drive to help organize the young workers.

June Conference. On June 22nd, in the Labor Temple, a group of 11 organizations gathered to hold a provisional conference. Eight of these were local unions, two were working youth organizations, and one a shop committee of young workers. This provisional conference was not a hot air fest.

It was a business meeting of a group of serious minded organizations interested in organizing the unorganized young workers. It comprised organizations that knew what they wanted, and came together for the purpose of mapping out concrete plans of how to do it.

The president of the Plumbers' Helpers' Union gave the main report. He spoke on the purposes of the provisional conference. He outlined briefly the conditions of the young workers; he spoke briefly on the role of the youth in industry today; he pointed out and illustrated (his own union's case as an example) on the necessity of solidarity between the young and adult workers. He gave simple, direct, reasons for the need of organizing

for the work of the working youth conference.

The following unions and youth organizations were represented at the Provisional Conference: the Plumbers' Helpers' Union; the Bakers' Union Local 164, of the Amalgamated Food Workers; the Brownsville Working Youth Center; the Independent Shoe Workers of Greater New York; the Knitgoods Workers' Union, Local 55, United Textile Workers of America; Local 41, Hemstitchers and Tuckers; Local 43, Millinery Workers' Union; the Office Workers' Union; the Phillip-Jones Shop Committee; the United Umbrella and Handle Makers' Union; and the Young Workers (Communist) League. This group of local unions and youth organizations has succeeded in establishing a base of operations among the unorganized young workers.

It is easily discernible that most of the unions on the Provisional Conference are from trades and industries which include a large number of young workers in them.

Good Beginning Made. The General Working Youth Conference has received a very good start. It is entirely free from those elements who persist in talking about their good intentions but in reality cover up the labor fakirs on whose good graces they are dependent for the continued existence of their institution. It is free from those elements who hesitate and delay before they get down to the actual work of organizing.

The Working Youth Conference has the perspective of being able to lead the young workers into struggle for the betterment of their conditions and for unionization. The Working Youth Conference has organized all of the unorganized young workers in the city. But some start will be made; many contacts will be developed; the message of militant unionism will be brought to the attention of tens of thousands of young workers.

Coast Furriers Demand Conference

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 24.—A special meeting of the recently organized Furriers' Union here, held July 18, unanimously endorsed the resolution proposed by the Boston Local 30 of the International Fur Workers' Union. This resolution demands that the general executive board of the International to call a conference of all locals for the purpose of halting the internal union fight in New York.

The membership here decided without a dissenting vote to notify Boston, which initiated the movement for a conference, that they too agree that all the other locals have been destroyed or are being destroyed by the bosses as long as the struggle against the New York Joint Board continues. Even though they are not chartered by the International, the local joins in the movement.

In the letter drafted for Boston the Los Angeles unionists tell of their own experiences with the G. E. B. and of their struggle to build an organization in this open shop city. They describe them as follows: "We have tried our utmost since November 26th, 1926, to organize a union in this city. There are about three hundred fur workers, that can and want to be organized; but this brings us to the main question in this organization and that is the charter from the International."

"On July 1, 1927, we sought the help of the Needle Trades Council and sent \$25.00 to the International Fur Workers' Union as the initial payment on the charter. Several months have passed without word, then we requested the Needle Trades Council to intercede for us. After

a few more months of waiting they finally replied that there was some technical error in filing the application and asked us through the Needle Trades Council to make a correction of these mistakes. After complying with this request we waited some more. The delay was getting rather lengthy, then after 12 months of agitating them, they finally returned the money to the Trades and Labor Council giving no satisfactory explanation, so far as we know, even going so far as to ignore these fur workers and not wanting to deal with us. It was only because we threatened to expose them that the Trades and Labor Council, through the Needle Trades Council, was forced to act and it was then a question of either returning the money or granting the charter."

Workers' clubs are busily preparing the various signs and slogans they will use in the Solidarity Parade, of which movies will be taken, after the showing of the strike film.

Many Features at Big Mine Affair

Among the many features that will contribute to make the Miners Solidarity Fair unique among picnics will be the athletic contests led by members of the proletarian Prehit Sports Club, among which will be wrestling, high jump, short dashes and longer runs. The keen rivalry between contesting teams will add much to the enjoyment of the affair.

A huge platform is under process of construction, which will furnish ample room for dancers to the symphonic tunes of a first-rate jazz band. Besides the popular dancing there will be special features of native dance on the program, done in costume by a mass of chorists. In none of the various contests and events on the program of the evening will the rivalry between contestants be more keen than that

between the makers of "schaschlik," the favorite American diet, and those of spaghetti, a long favorite with Italians. It is rumored that some Chinese workers will enter the arena, armed with chop suey and various brands of chow mein.

Tickets may be obtained at the National Miners Relief Committee, Room 237, 793 Broadway. The

Labor M. P.'s Think Kellogg Sincere

LONDON, July 24.—The labor members in the House of Commons today sharply criticized Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Home Secretary, for declaring in a speech that the United States was enlarging its navy while urging other nations to join in outlawing war.

Labor M. P. Commander Kenworthy informed the Commons that the United States was in fact "reducing" its navy and that Sir Joynson-Hicks did not know what he was talking about.

Premier Baldwin, while not censuring the Home Secretary for the contents of his remarks said that he might have used "a better choice of words in expressing his opinion."

Foreign Investments and Foreign Policy

Wall Street Dollars Bring Slavery to Natives of Many Countries

Latin American countries. What has driven the United States into this relationship toward these countries? Is it, to use the words of the late President Harding, "the lure of the waters, or the march of empire, or the call of commerce, or inscrutable destiny?" Perhaps a little of each, if you will. But I should be inclined to lay much the greater emphasis on such tangible factors as the investments of American bankers and industrialists in the securities and properties of these countries. Military and diplomatic reasons have always had their roots firmly gripping economic soil although this fact has not always been too apparent to the average citizen.

No Loan for U. S. S. R. It should be noted, incidentally, that American dollars will go anywhere they can discern a prospect of profit no matter what type of native government may be involved, so long as the borrowing country is essentially capitalistic in its economic system. To be sure the Soviet Union, which operated a system alien to the rulers of the United States will not be the recipient of long-term loans until she consents to mend her ways to comply with the standards of Mr. Kellogg. But all other countries will be able to secure capital from Wall Street no matter what their political forms.

Our bankers, with the aid of the state department, and the state department, assisted by the bankers—the relationship is generally reciprocal—will continue to lend dollars to such dictatorships as those now prevailing in Italy, Hungary, Haiti, Chile, Venezuela and Peru. Indeed it is now to the advantage of the American investors to see that these dictatorships are maintained; otherwise American loans and investments might be placed in jeopardy. United States foreign policy will continue to be shaped not by any reference to the essential democracy or lack of democracy of the borrowing state but purely by the ability of the native government and the native industry to function along normal capitalistic lines.

Capital and Foreign Policy. HOW does this export of capital, this financial penetration, effect American foreign policy? In various ways, depending upon the strength of the borrowing country, the form in which the capital is invested, the influence of the capital exporter and a number of other factors. But basically the policy of the United States is, to use the words of President Coolidge, that "the person and property of a citizen are a part of the general domain of a nation, even when abroad." Its policy is to use whatever force is necessary to protect that person and that property. This policy has already led your government into wars, interventions, the extortion of treaties, the occupation of territory,