

TERROR AGAINST GITLOW

FOSTER BRINGS RED PROGRAM TO "SOLID SOUTH"

Communist Candidate
Has Big Audience
in Atlanta
For Rights of Negroes
Southern Workers Join
Communist Party

(Special to the Daily Worker)
ATLANTA, Georgia, (By Mail).
The largest audience that ever
listened to a revolutionary leader in
this city gathered here last night to
hear William Z. Foster, candidate
for the presidency on the Workers
(Communist) Party ticket discuss
the issues confronting the workers
in this election campaign, the pro-
gram of action and the ultimate
aims of the Communist Party.

Foster was met at the railway
station on his arrival by a large
automobile parade carrying Commu-
nist signs. The autos paraded thru
the most thickly populated streets
of the city and the white and colored
workers showed much interest in the
slogans printed on the posters.
At least five hundred workers at-
tended the Foster meeting, and his
speech was punctuated with ap-
plause as he drove home telling
points against the capitalist system
and the political parties of Wall
Street who are appealing for the
votes of the workers and farmers to
elect the capitalist candidates who
are pledged to serve the interests of
the capitalists and use the powers of
government to suppress the workers.
Foster declared that the prosper-
ity claim of the Republican Party
was bunk and that neither the dem-
ocrats nor the republicans could, even
if they wanted, bring prosperity to
the masses under the capitalist sys-
tem. The 4,000,000 unemployed
workers in the United States, he de-
clared, gave the lie to the Hoover
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TRENTON TO HOLD HUGE RED RALLY

Foster Scheduled for
October 18

William Z. Foster, candidate for
president on the Workers (Commu-
nist) Party ticket, will wind up
his middle-west and western trip, in
which he has been greeted by thou-
sands of workers in the principal
cities of a dozen states, with a stir-
ring mass meeting at Trenton on
October 18, it was announced yester-
day at national headquarters of the
Party.

The Newark mass meeting, next
to the culmination demonstration to
be staged at Madison Square Gar-
den, November 4, is the most im-
portant rally to be held by the Party
in the present campaign. On ac-
count of its many industries, large
masses of unorganized workers and
because it has been the vantage
point of the boss-parties for cap-
italist propaganda, Newark is con-
sidered a strategic city in the cam-
paign.

For the first time the Workers
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LAST DAY TO REGISTER!

Today is the last day in which
all militant and revolutionary
workers can register in order to
be able to vote on Tuesday, Nov.
6th for the candidates and plat-
form of the Workers (Communist)
Party of America. Registration
places will be open from
7 a. m. to 10:30 p. m. Any work-
er who neglects this important
matter will not be able to vote.
When given the enrollment
blank go into the registration
booth, but don't mark any sign
on it, as there is enumerated on
the enrollment blank for enroll-
ment purposes only three parties,
republican, democrat, and so-
cialist—parties of the capitalist
class in the U. S. Simply fold
the enrollment blank and drop it
into the box set aside for that
purpose.
Don't fail to register!

Real Estate Bosses Profit by Race Hatred



Real estate magnates in Elmhurst, L. I., foster race hatred in an effort to drive out Negro residents and obtain possession of the Negroes' homes for themselves. One of the white women who have lent themselves to the real estate bosses' services is shown above.

FUR DRESSERS DEFY SCAB UNION CHIEFS

To the letter of the defunct In-
ternational Fur Workers Union of
the A. F. of L., which summoned
him to face charges of insubordina-
tion, Julius Weil, president of the
Brooklyn Rabbit Dressers Local 58,
sent a scathing denunciation as an
answer. The answer speaks for the
almost unanimous sentiment of the
local's membership, and was made
public yesterday.

It is signed by Weil for the ex-
ecutive board of Local 58, and shows
clearly the complete bankruptcy of
the impotent clique which owns the
corpus of what was an international
union. The letter of the A. F. of L.
officialdom, reprinted after the re-
ply, was signed by W. Begoon, so-
called secretary-treasurer. The de-
fiant reply states:
"Mr. H. Begoon,
"9 Jackson Ave.,
"Long Island City, N. Y.
"Dear Sir and Brother:
"I received your communication of
Oct. 6 and presented same to the
executive board of our local for con-
sideration. The executive board
directs me to make the following
reply:
"The workers of our local, as well
as the workers of Local 25, have
suffered long enough from the of-
ficials calling themselves the I. F.
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NEGRO TELLS OF DISCRIMINATION

Given Worst Jobs in
Trenton

(By a Worker Correspondent)
TRENTON, N. J. (By Mail).—
The most exploited and imposed-on
workers of Trenton are the Negro
workers. Trenton has quite a large
colony of Negro workers. The
great majority of these are new-
comers. Most of them were in-
duced to come north during the war
and shortly after. The most de-
ceiving schemes were used to de-
ceive these Negro workers. Through
the agents of the manufacturers, great
things were promised to these
southern Negro workers. The North
was painted as a great paradise with
big wages and unknown luxuries.
Under such conditions a great many
Negro workers have been dumped
in Trenton. Once here, nothing has
been done to help them in their
strange surroundings. Once here,
however, their bubble of prosperity
quickly exploded. Some went back
but the great majority have been
forced to remain by sheer circum-
stances. Not knowing the existing
conditions and being destitute, they
have been employed at a smaller
wage than their white fellow-work-
ers. They are today employed at
the most deadly and unhealthy
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MILL UNION CALL FREES STRIKERS FROM MORE DUTY

New Bedford Union
to Stay; Begins Fight
Against Jailings

Strike Halted Cut Wave

Workers Begin to Build
Factory Committees

(Special to the Daily Worker)
NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 12.
A statement releasing its members
and adherents in the big textile
strike here from further strike ob-
ligations, has been issued by the New
Bedford Textile Workers Union of
the National Textile Workers Union
of America. The statement consists
of instructions to the New Bedford
organization from its parent body's
National Council.

Thousands of workers here again
rallied to the mass meeting called
by the Textile Workers Union, de-
spite the continued storm of arrests
and beatings. The meeting was
highly successful, Albert Weisbord,
secretary-treasurer of the national
organization being one of the speak-
ers at the meeting. At this meeting
the statement of release from fur-
ther duty was read to the workers.

Heroic Fight.
Weisbord, in a speech that re-
ceived a tremendous ovation, de-
clared that the strike has by no
means been a failure. The heroic
fight of the workers under the lead-
ership of their militant union, has
succeeded in halting the terrific
wave of wage cuts that was sweep-
ing the country at the time. Not
only are many thousands of textile
workers pressing for a five percent
increase now, but the New Bedford
workers have succeeded in estab-
lishing a powerful union free from
the corruptionists of the A. F. of L.
He then urged them to build dili-
gently the factory units of the union.

Several arrests were made even
yesterday by the police, who seem
to be working under instructions to
involve every active trade unionist
here in a criminal case.
Many Arrests.
Although all cases of arrests,
fines and sentences have been ap-
pealed by the legal representatives
of the strikers, provided them by
the International Labor Defense, the
time is fast approaching when the
cases come up for the new rulings.
Including the latest and most brutal
wave of arrests, approximately 800
textile strikers and their union lead-
ers are to come before the superior
court at its November sessions, for
decisions on their appeals.
The New Bedford Textile Work-
ers Union leaders and their national
parent body are already planning
a huge campaign of mass protest
to prevent the capitalist courts here
from incarcerating hundreds of
workers, many of whom are the sole
support of families.
The statement freeing the strikers
from their obligations to strike
further, follows:
"The National Council of the Na-
tional Textile Workers' Union of
America advises the strike commit-
tee in New Bedford to release all
our members and followers from
outside strike obligations. The work-
ers must sever forget the treachery
of the labor officials of the A. F.
T. O. U. T. W. The actions of these
officials were first to last, actions
of labor foremen for the bosses. One
of the main achievements of the
New Bedford local of the National
Textile Workers' Union of America
was to expose these officials and
their "socialist" friends so that to-
day, stripped of all influence with
the great mass of workers, they can
be pushed aside entirely.
"Nor must the workers forget the
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All speakers scheduled for
Downtown East Side Red Night
must report at 60 St. Marks Pl.
at 7:30 p. m. sharp.

All speakers scheduled for Boro
Park Red Night must report at
1373 43rd St., Brooklyn, at 7:30
p. m. sharp.

All members of the Downtown
Section (Section 1) and all mem-
bers of the Boro Park Section
should report at their headquar-
ters, 60 St. Marks Place, Manhat-
tan and 1373 43rd St., Brooklyn,
to help carry out the arrangement
for the open air meetings.

These sections. All meetings will
begin at 8 p. m. and at 9:30 p. m.
the workers present at all the meet-
ings will be asked to march to the
big wind-up rally that will be held
on the corner of Second Ave. and
Tenth St., and the wind-up corner
in Boro Park, at which all the can-
didates running on the Communist
ticket in these sections will speak.
Red torch parades, cheering and
singing will feature the meetings to-
night. Fifty parading will be dis-
played—all carrying fighting slo-
gans.
All speakers are instructed to re-
port at 60 St. Marks Place and 1373
43rd St., Brooklyn, at 7:30 p. m.
sharp, where they will be assigned
to the various street meetings. The
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Election Meet Today at Workers Center

An important conference, to ar-
range for an election campaign Red
demonstration, will be held today at
2 p. m. at the Workers Center.
All Party functionaries, fraction
secretaries, bureau secretaries,
language and trade union fraction
representatives and other active
Party workers are urged to attend
without fail, in a call issued
by William W. Weinstein, or-
ganizer of District 2 of the Workers
(Communist) Party.

U. S. General Admits Plans for New War

By PAUL CROUCH.
The purpose of the military shows
being held all over the country, with
the simultaneous talk of "disarma-
ment" and "peace pacts" was clearly
revealed by Gen. Hanson B. Ely,
Commander of the Second Corps
area of the army, in a speech to
capitalists at the Hotel McAlpin
Wednesday night.

Gen. Ely practically confessed
that "disarma-
ment" means the
substitution
of modern meth-
ods of warfare,
the use of aircraft
and "mechanized
industry," with
mobilization of the
entire population,
instead of the an-
tique and slow
moving battalions. In his speech
Gen. Ely declared:
"We can get around these disar-
mament pacts and be prepared for
this next war only if we adopt some
sort of program to maintain indus-
trial preparedness."

Millions For War.
"I suggest," he said, "that we
do this by getting congress to ap-
propriate several millions of dolla-
r yearly so that the war and navy de-
partments can let additional
orders to the larger factories of the
country for the latest models of air-
planes, tanks and munition, so that
it will be possible for these com-
mercial organizations to maintain a
war material plant in nucleus the
year round and not lose money by
the process."

Knows There Will Be War.
Gen. Ely gave his audience of
capitalists to understand that the
talk of "peace" and "disarmament"
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TO SHOW MINERS' FILM TOMORROW

Picture Will Depict the
Militant Struggle

The "Miners Strike," a seven reel
motion picture of the 16 month
strike in the bituminous fields, will
be shown at the Manhattan Lyceum,
66 East 4th St., tomorrow at 2 p. m.
This picture of the recent strike
of the miners constitutes a fairly
complete study of the coal industry
and the part which the employers
and workers played in it. It de-
picts the dreary life in the mining
camps, the machine production in
the coal mines and the daily
dangers of the workers in this in-
dustry.
A mine accident is graphically
shown and there are scenes from the
Mather explosion in which 167
miners lost their lives.
The infamous role the senate in-
vestigating committee played in the
strike, the collaboration between the
officials of the United Mine Work-
ers of America and the government
and coal operators, injunctions, pic-
keting, the state troopers and coal
and iron police in action, picket lines
of men, women and children, ar-
rested strikers—all these things help
to make up a film which every work-
er must see.

Important Speakers Conference Today

An important speakers' confer-
ence on the question of the "Needle
Trades and the Lessons of the
Struggle for the Election Cam-
paign," which will be led by Rose
Wortis, well-known leader of the
needle trades workers, will take
place today at 2 p. m. at 26-28
Union Square, fifth floor.
The conference will begin promptly
and will adjourn early to enable the
speakers, agitprop directors, and
election campaign committees, to
attend the Election Campaign Con-
ference of Functionaries called to
take place immediately after the
speakers' conference. Speakers, by
coming on time, will help the meet-
ing organize without delay, so that
all attending will be able to also
participate in the Functionaries and
General Campaign Conference.
A bulletin on "Smith, New Tam-
many and Wall Street" will be dis-
tributed at the conference to all the
candidates present.

Needle Workers Red Meet Today at 4 p. m.

The Needle Trades Campaign
Committee of the Workers (Communist)
Party, and all needle trades
workers who are members of the
Party, will meet at 4 p. m. today,
immediately after the election cam-
paign conference, at the Workers
Center, 26 Union Square.
An intensive wind-up election
drive among the needle trades work-
ers will be outlined. All Commu-
nist needle trades workers are urged
to attend.

AMERICAN LEGION, KU KLUX KLAN AND PHOENIX, ARIZONA CITY COMMISSION JOIN IN PLOT

Vice Presidential Candidate Last Heard
from Tuesday Night in San Diego

Candidate for Governor of Arizona Arrested for
Attempting to Hold Meeting

Benjamin Gitlow, candidate for vice-president of the United
States on the Workers (Communist) Party ticket has been prevented
from addressing any meetings in the state of Arizona. Booked for
Phoenix and Tucson, no meetings have been held.



BEN GITLOW

HOLD SHIFRIN MASS RALLIES

Call Meet in Bronx for
Tomorrow

A mass meeting for Bronx work-
ers has been called by the William
Schiffirin Defense Committee for to-
morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock in
Rose Garden, 1347 Boston Road,
Bronx. Prominent speakers will
address the meeting there and will
tell the workers how the vilifica-
tion organs of the socialist trade
union bureaucracy are trying to
frame the heroic Schiffirin because
he successfully defended his life
against six armed thugs.
The grand jury hearing on the
case has been postponed until Tues-
day, Oct. 16. Schiffirin's hearing
before the grand jury has already
been postponed a few times.
In an appeal to all labor organ-
izations and individual workers, the
Schiffirin Defense Committee, over
the signature of Sam Lipin, man-
ager, yesterday called on the work-
ers to contribute toward a fund to
fight for his freedom. All contribu-
tions should be sent to the com-
mittee headquarters, 28 Union Square,
Room 503, New York City.
Lipin also announced a meeting
of members of the Defense Commit-
tee for Monday evening, 7:30 o'clock,
in their office at 28 Union Square.
Very important business arrange-
ments are to be taken up, the letter
says, and every member is called on
to attend.

Crowd Clinton Hall to Hear Red Candidates

Over 500 workers crowded Clin-
ton Hall, 151 Clinton St., last night
in an election campaign meeting, ar-
ranged by Section 1 of the Workers
(Communist) Party. The enthusias-
m of the workers was so great
that several hundred workers who
came to attend had to remain out-
side the hall for lack of space.
Among the speakers who ad-
dressed the workers were Moisvay
Olgin, Robert Minor, Louis Hendin
and Alexander Trachtenberg. The
meeting, according to S. Milgrom,
section campaign manager, is only
one of a series that is planned.

ORGANIZED TERROR.
The American Legion and the Ku Klux
Klan have been actively organizing to prevent
the meetings for more than a month—ever
since the meetings were advertised. In this
they have been assisted by the City Commis-
sion of Phoenix and the authorities of Tucson.

Gitlow, Communist vice-presidential candidate was booked
to speak at Phoenix on the night of October 10, but did not
appear. There had been forewarnings that every effort would
be made to prevent these meetings. William F. O'Brien, Com-
munist candidate for governor of Arizona, had hired a hall
a month before the meeting. A week or more ago the Ameri-
can Legion brought pressure to bear upon the hall owner to
prevent the meeting being held, with the result that the hall
was refused.

**SILK WORKERS'
STRIKE GROWS**
Approximately 5,000
Already in Fight

Five thousand men and women
silk workers are now out of Pater-
son's silk manufacturing mills in a
strike for higher pay, shorter hours
and recognition of the union.
A total approximating this figure
was reached yesterday evening after
those employed in many more shops
had joined the strike, which was
called by the Associated Silk Work-
ers' Union of Paterson.
Caught at a moment when they
are busy with orders for work,
many manufacturers are known to
be anxious to have their forces back
on the job. Union leaders state
that they have already received ap-
plications for settlement from a
number of independent manufactur-
ers, whose requests will be consid-
ered by the union's settlement com-
mittee Monday.
The strikers, however, understand
that the employers organized into
the Manufacturers' Association are
out to fight the union bitterly, they
therefore intend to organize mass
picket lines for next week against
all bosses, independent or associa-
tion, who refuse to grant their de-
mands.
Mass strike meetings are held
twice daily in Turn Hall, the strike
headquarters. Special appeals are
being made to the unorganized
crafts to join the union.

Weisbord to Speak at Hudson County Meet

The Hudson County Convention
of the Workers (Communist) Party
will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m., in
Jersey City at Fraternity Hall, 256
Central Ave.
Albert Weisbord, Communist can-
didate for the U. S. Senate from
New Jersey will address the conven-
tion. Delegates are expected from
at least 60 organizations.

LaFollette Forces Complete Betrayal of "Progressives" by Endorsement of Al Smith

OFFICIAL ORGAN OUT TO SUPPORT TAMMANY CHIEF

Norris Also Joins in Betrayal

(Special to the Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Completing the last step in the political deal between Wisconsin "progressives" and the party of Tammany Hall, LaFollette forces today announced their endorsement of Tammany Al Smith for the presidency.

In a bulletin issued today from LaFollette National Headquarters through the People's Legislative Service, a propaganda agency established by the father of the present Senator from Wisconsin, the virtual endorsement of Smith was made. That LaFollette himself will soon come out in favor of Smith is taken for granted.

The bulletin quotes Senator Norris as having been convinced of the greatness of Al Smith. Under the terms of the deal, the democratic party withdrew its local candidates from the race in Wisconsin in return for which the so-called progressives agreed to vote for Al Smith in final betrayal of all their previously proclaimed principles.

Al Smith Hails 'Great' Columbus; Mean Critics Hint Ulterior Motives

Alfred E. Smith, in a message which he said he was asked to send to the Italian people (read "voters"), yesterday hailed the "great" Christopher Columbus, well-known Italian explorer who several hundred years ago discovered America and whose birthday was yesterday commemorated. The message read, in part:

"Columbus day is merely symbolic of what the Italians have meant to our country. They have given to America its discoverer, and following him have come an army of men and women of Italian blood to develop the land on which the great Columbus first set foot."

Unkind critics pointed out that last year both Smith and Hoover forgot entirely who discovered America. A number of years ago, when the movement to make Columbus day a legal holiday first was launched, Al Smith, then in the state legislature, is reported to have asked: "What ward does this here 'wop' Columbus control?"

New Report by Labor 'Fat Boys' Plays Game of Both Boss Parties

A "good" report on the labor record of a candidate for office, like a "good" political platform of one of the boss-parties, should be like a stained glass window—whenever looks through it may see whatever color he desires.

This is the maxim undoubtedly followed by the group of A. F. of L. misleaders who have just issued their "study" of the records of Albert Ottinger and Franklin D. Roosevelt, candidates for governor on the republican and the democratic tickets, respectively.

As a result of the "study," both parties will now use parts of the report to further the candidacy of their favorite, it was stated yesterday. The report is signed by John Sullivan, president. John M. O'Hanlon, secretary-treasurer of the so-called non-partisan campaign committee of the New York State Federation of Labor, labor fakery of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen also signed the document, which attempts to show that Ottinger, the tool of the power trust, was at times favorable to labor, while at others the aristocratic Roosevelt was also "favorable."

Religious Faker Dies

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Mrs. Augusta B. Stetson, so-called "mother" of the Christian Science Church, died today at a hotel here. Mrs. Stetson, after a break with officials of the church, had not been recognized as "mother" of the Christian Scientists since 1919. Christian Science is another of the numerous fake religious fads, which, while drawing its chief support from wealthy capitalists, is used to defraud ignorant workers.

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Photo shows interior of one of huge hangars at Lakehurst, N. J., the center of the aircraft preparations of Wall Street for coming imperialist slaughter.

FUR DRESSERS DEFY MISLEADERS

Men Refuse to Deal With A. F. L. Heads

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W. U. We have suffered enough from the destructive politics played by your clique during the past few years. "We do not intend in this letter to enumerate all the wrongs you caused our workers. It is sufficient to call to your attention that you and your so-called vice-president, Moe Harris, are responsible for the existence of so many open shops, for the slashing of our workers' wages more than 50 per cent and for the misery and starvation our workers lived through in the past few years."

Did Not Help Workers. "You did not help us. But on the contrary you even stood in the way of our organization work. You sabotaged the decision of our locals to amalgamate which could have helped us to stand up stronger against our enemies. You purposely appointed Moe Harris as director in Local 25, in order to prevent the members of Local 25 from amalgamating with Local 58. Moreover, we have definite proof that you forced Brother Langer out of his office because he wanted to uphold the decision of his local for amalgamation, and because he wanted united and stronger locals in the rabbit industry."

"Three times the rabbit dressing workers were forced into disastrous strikes because of your irresponsible politics at the expense of the workers' bread and butter. You have nothing to offer to our workers except to collect per capita payments and sabotage our work in return."

Refused Support. "Time and again committees from Locals 25 and 58 came to you pleading for assistance and support. But you always gave us a cold shoulder. Our pleadings fell upon deaf ears, because you were never interested in the conditions of the rabbit workers."

"We were on the verge of ruin. Your favored officers in our locals, those who are still your vice-presidents and who still carry out your orders for destructive work, distinguished themselves with irresponsibility, dishonesty and incompetency. You were aware of these facts, but still you have been working with them hand in glove against the interests of our workers. You are responsible for the ruin of our locals and for the destruction of the entire international."

Must Have Real Union. "The result is that our workers, as well as the other thousands of workers in the dressing and in the manufacturing industry all over the country, are obliged to organize a real international union which should embrace and consolidate all local unions and solidify the ranks of the workers, to protect us against the open shops and against reductions in our wages."

"You have lost the confidence of the workers. You have lost almost all the locals. You stopped functioning as an international. You no longer have anything in common with the workers. Our local voted to terminate our connections with you. We do not recognize your rules and your so-called constitution, which you have manufactured to suit your own purposes. We do not recognize your ruinous policies of expulsion, reorganization and injunction. We do not recognize your authority over our local."

"We hope that you will leave us alone and give us an opportunity to repair the damage you have caused us."

Begoon, in the letter demanding Weil's appearance before the General Executive Board, says: "Mr. Julius Weil, President, Local 58, 947 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y."

"Dear Sir and Brother: "At the meeting of the sub-committee of the General Executive Board, held Friday, Oct. 5, the sub-committee decided to place you, as

Young Militant Fined for Giving Leaflets Out to Negro Workers

Nathan Adler, member of the Young Workers (Communist) League, who was arrested Thursday evening after having been beaten up by a thug official of the Northern New York and Mott Haven Laundries for distributing shop bulletins to the young Negro employes, was yesterday fined \$10 by Magistrate Goodman for "disorderly conduct."

He was taken to court at 54th St. and 8th Ave. after his arrest. He was defended by the New York section of the International Labor Defense.

ANTI-WAR MEET IN MADISON SQ.

To Stress War Danger on Soviet Anniversary

The eleventh anniversary of the Bolshevik Revolution, to be held at Madison Square Garden on Nov. 4, will be a counter-demonstration to the much-advertised Military Show which will be held at the Garden for a week, starting Oct. 15. The annual celebration of the birth of the Soviet Union has become for class-conscious workers of New York the one dramatic event which symbolizes their struggles, achievements and goal, and, as such, anti-military propaganda will have a prominent place on the program.

One of the procession of floats to be shown at the Nov. 4 celebration, which will treat every angle of working class activity and struggle in this country, will be an anti-imperialist float, designed and built by Adolph Wolf, who in this, as in former celebrations, will be responsible for the dramatic aspects of the affair. The float will be an elaborate affair, with imperialist soldiers of all countries and workers of semi-colonial and colonial countries participating.

William Z. Foster and Benjamin Gitlow, the presidential and vice-presidential Communist candidates, in stressing the importance of this and coming election campaigns, will point out the necessity for workers of the world uniting against imperialist wars and for the defense of the Soviet Union.

Youth Culture Club to Give Dance on Oct. 20

The Young Workers Social Culture Club will give a dance Oct. 20 at the Brownsville Labor Lyceum, 219 Sackman St., Brooklyn. Part of the proceeds of this dance will be donated to the election campaign fund of the Workers (Communist) Party.

All workers in Brooklyn have been invited by the club to attend this dance.

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president, under charges for the following reason: "That on Sept. 6, 1928, at a meeting of the Rabbit Workers Union, Local 58, you, together with other members, voted to join an organization that is hostile to our union. This act is a violation of Article XXI, Section VII, which describes such conduct as tending to undermine the solidarity of the members."

"You are hereby summoned to appear at the next meeting of the sub-committee, to be held on Thursday, Oct. 11, at 7 p. m., in the office of the international, 9 Jackson Ave., Long Island City, N. Y., to answer to this charge."

RED MEETS WILL BE HELD TONIGHT

75 Speakers to Talk Thruout City

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Following is a list of the speakers for the Red Night in the downtown East Side district, Manhattan: Minor, Trachtenberg, Weinstein, Lifshitz, Bert Miller, D. Benjamin, M. Epstein, Rose Wortis, Liebowitz, Wattenberg, Hendin, Aronberg, Frankfeld, Schachtman, Biedenkapp, A. Gussakoff, Milgrom, Sumner, Yusem, Winter, Costrell, Taft, Vera Bush, M. Pasternak, Almazov, D. Siegel, Sultan, Nostos, Doran, Radzi, Zukowsky, Sazar, Sisselman, Sender Garlin, Joe Cohen, I. Cohen, Rose Rubin, Glazin, Silber, Goliger, H. Blum, Ackerman, E. Gussakoff, Bydarian, Peer, Nathan Kaplan, Martin, Weich, Lillienstein, Koppel.

For Boro Park. Wicks, Lena Chernenko, Liptzin, Zimmerman, Williams, Frank, Hy Gordon, B. Rubin, Lawrence Ross, Weitz, Bimba, Nessin, Chalupski, Baum, Wright, Julius Cohen, Kate Gitlow, David, Grave Lamb, Rock, Spiro, Markoff, Primoff, Rosemond, Leroy, Midolla, McDonald, Arthur Stein, Eva Shafran, Deleon.

House to House Red Canvass on Monday

Thousands of New York workers will be reached in their homes by the house to house canvass which Communist campaigners will make beginning Monday. Daily Workers, Communist campaign literature and Party platforms will be sold and distributed during the canvass, and for the first time in the history of a Red election campaign workers will be approached in their homes and the issues of the campaign explained to them.

With the recently completed signature drive as a basis, hundreds of members of the Workers (Communist) Party in all sections of the city will organize into campaign squads and bring the campaign right into workers' homes, as they have been bringing it into their shops and factories.

Bronx Young Workers Red Sunday Tomorrow

All members of Bronx units of the Young Workers (Communist) League must report at headquarters for Red Sunday work tomorrow. Units 1 and 2 will report at 2075 Clinton Ave.; the Lower Bronx unit at 715 E. 138th St. and the Cooperative unit at 2700 Bronx Park East.

All members must report promptly at 10 a. m. Members will be held responsible for attendance.

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REPORT REVOLT IN VENEZUELA AGAINST GOMEZ

Inflict Cruel Torture on Opponents

CUCUTA, Colombian-Venezuelan Frontier, Oct. 12 (U.P.).—The Venezuelan government has sentenced 200 students at Caracas University to labor on the national highways after the discovery of another plot against President Gomez, according to reports reaching here today.

BOGOTA, Colombia, Oct. 12 (U.P.).—Reports from Cucuta of the sentencing of Caracas University students to highway work after the discovery of a new revolutionary plot against President Gomez of Venezuela, have been confirmed by dispatches received by Venezuelan students here from the Dutch island possession of Curacao off the Venezuelan coast.

Mat Woll Goes Founder of 'Mondism' One Better on Collaboration Bunk

Lord Melchett, formerly Sir Alfred Mond, fresh from his London victories in which "Mondism" became the official policy of the British labor misleaders, has arrived in the United States to propagate his new class-collaboration program before the American labor fakery, only to find his doctrines tame and his methods obsolete.

Speaking at the Bankers' Club as the guest of honor before the open shop National Civic Federation Thursday night, Lord Melchett declared that the British workers were against revolution, but hastened to make it clear that industrial "co-operation" was necessary to make this condition secure. He explained what he meant by his program.

Big Crowd Expected at Negro Workers Aid Dance Tonight

A big crowd is expected to turn out tonight for the dance of the Negro Workers Relief Committee at Harlem Labor Center, 461 Lenox Ave., near 133rd St. The dance is given for the benefit of the Negro sufferers in the recent Florida-West Indies hurricane. It is part of the big campaign of the Negro relief body to raise funds for immediate relief and ultimate rehabilitation of the many thousands of Negro sufferers, who are suffering discrimination in the distribution of relief by the Red Cross and other white bodies.

A snappy jazz orchestra has been engaged for the occasion, and an enjoyable time is assured all who attend. Workers are especially urged to give their support to this dance.

To "Probe" Epidemic

OLEAN, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Dr. Mathias Nichol, New York state health commissioner, will be requested tomorrow to direct an investigation to fix responsibility for the typhoid fever epidemic raging here, it was revealed today by members of the investigating committee appointed by the city council. The city authorities, blamed for the epidemic, will be whitewashed, it is indicated.

The request, it was said, would be made at a special meeting tomorrow night of the city council.

Whitewash Probable for Queens Sewer Grafters



Two counts against Maurice Connolly, who made a fortune out of sewer contracts when he was Borough President of Queens, have already been dismissed by the judge in the mock trial of the sewer grafter now proceeding in Long Island City. The arch-grafter himself is shown on the witness stand.

Proletarian Autumn Revel at Webster Hall on October 27

One of the most unique social events of the year is being arranged by the New York Section of the International Labor Defense, 799 Broadway. The I. L. D.'s annual Proletarian Autumn Revel, which will be held Saturday evening, Oct. 27, in Webster Hall, 119 East 11th St., promises to differ from any similar event ever held by a working class organization.

The entire tone of the revel will be the very reverse of what usually prevails at such affairs. Instead of every person trying to outdo every other in splendor or picturesqueness of costume, a premium will be put on rags. Proletarians will be real proletarians at the I. L. D. Autumn Revel and prizes will be awarded to those wearing the oldest and shabbiest clothes. Other special features are being planned that will help make this affair decidedly out of the ordinary.

The proceeds of the affair will go to help workers who cannot attend such revels, who at times cannot even wear rags of their own choosing—workers who have fallen into the clutches of the capitalist courts. A number of important cases are now in the hands of the New York Section of the I. L. D. and the Autumn Revel is being looked to as the chief source of funds for their defense.

Harlem Tenant League to Hear Red Nominees

The Harlem Tenants League will devote its next regular meeting, Monday, Oct. 15, to a "candidate's night," where candidates representing several parties will place the programs of their respective parties before the Negro workers. The meeting will be held in the Public Library Auditorium, 103 W. 135th St.

The candidates who have already promised to appear are Edward Welsh, Workers (Communist) Party candidate for Assembly; Richard Moore, candidate for congress of the Workers (Communist) Party and John W. Remer, republican candidate for assembly.

Defense Ends Evidence in Queens Graft Case

The defense in the trial of Maurice E. Connolly, former Queens Borough president, rested its case abruptly yesterday, twenty minutes after the opening of the session. As a result the jury will get the case next Tuesday. The evidence in the \$300,000 Tammany graft scandal which the politicians and the Tammany judge have about succeeded in throwing out of court, will be given to the jury next Tuesday.

Between now and next Tuesday the attorneys for both sides will sum up their cases.

Who wins when you read your bosses' paper?

FOUR ADVANCED CLASSES AT THE WORKERS SCHOOL

Announce Registration Still Open

Registration is now completely open for four of the advanced political courses to be given by the Workers School this term: "History of the American Communist Movement," Jay Lovestone, instructor, Tuesday from 8:30 to 9:50 p. m.; "Program of the Communist International," William W. Weinstein, Friday from 8:30 to 9:50 p. m.; "Historical Materialism," Bertram D. Wolfe, instructor, Thursday from 8:30 to 9:50 p. m.; "Marxism-Leninism," Max Bedacht, instructor, Tuesday from 8:30 to 9:50 p. m. These courses will begin the first week of November.

Only those who have taken the elementary and intermediate Economic and Political courses, or who can prove that they have done an equivalent amount of study and reading will be permitted to take these courses. Functionaries and active members are especially urged to attend.

Two Special Courses. Two of these courses, "History of the Communist Movement" and the "Program of the Communist International" are special courses offered by the Workers School in connection with the coming tenth anniversary of the Communist International and its American Section, the Workers (Communist) Party of America.

The Program of the Communist International which was recently issued at the sixth congress of the Communist International, as well as various theses, reports, discussion on the main problems facing that congress will furnish the main text for the course of the "Program of the Communist International."

In Marxism-Leninism, most of the important works of Marx and Lenin will be studied thoroughly in order to learn the lessons taught by these great leaders of the working class, as well as to analyze how Marxist-Leninist analysis should be applied to present-day problems. In the class "Historical Materialism," the basic text book to be used will be Bukharin's Historical Materialism, Thalheimer's Dialectic Materialism, Plechanoff's Basic Problems of Marxism, Lenin's Materialism and Empirio-Criticism, as well as the more important works of Marx and Engels on the subject.

The "History of the American Communist Movement" will trace the various problems that the Workers Party has faced, controversies concerning them and their solution, present-day problems and future perspectives.

Only a limited number of workers will be admitted to these advanced courses. All workers are therefore urged to register immediately. For more details concerning these courses read the descriptions in the catalog of the Workers School, which can be secured at the office of the school, 26-28, Union Sq.

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Colombia Workers Plan National Strike to Protest Proposed Anti-Communist Bill

MILL UNION CALL FREES STRIKERS FROM MORE DUTY

Workers Begin to Build Factory Committees

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terrible starvation policy of the employers which coupled with the atrocious terror of the police and strike-breaking actions of the government helped to break the strike. The workers must revive again the wholesale arrests, searches and seizures without warrant, the torture of prisoners in the cells, the excessive bail, the vicious heavy sentences on innocent victims, the complete use of the criminal law to force the workers back to work, the clubbing and terroristic tactics of the police, the calling in of police from the outside, the bringing in of the militia, the reading of riot acts by the sheriffs and their deputies, the strike-breaking tactics of the governor's "arbitration" committee, the action of the governor in Boston, in short the enormous pressure by the governmental forces from Washington to the wards of New Bedford, to break the strike. The workers must carry on an unmitigated fight against this capitalist government and bind themselves in a political party independent of the bosses that will carry on a class fight so that strike-breaking no longer becomes the characteristic of government.

"Helping the labor officials, the bosses, and the government to break the strike were the ministers, the larger store-keepers, the chamber of commerce, some of the landlords, the newspapers and the schools throughout the city that at the critical moment "helped" the employers put over successfully their drive to force the wage slaves back to work in the mills.

A Great Struggle.

"Despite all these enormous forces against them, the textile workers in New Bedford conducted themselves with heroism that will make the New Bedford strike live forever in the memory of the workingclass in America. Under the banner of the New Bedford Textile Workers Union, new local of the National Textile Workers Union, the textile workers of New Bedford by their great struggle stopped the wage cutting campaign of the employers throughout the entire country. Everywhere the New Bedford strike was a demonstration that helped to stiffen the resistance of the workers everywhere. The strike in Fall River, the resistance elsewhere were all results of the strike in New Bedford. Further the New Bedford strike helped to found the new national textile union, the National Textile Workers Union of America and in doing this forged a great instrument that is destined to organize the million or so textile workers throughout the entire country in a fighting organization that will wipe out the labor fakery from the entire industry and will help to emancipate completely the textile workers from their oppressors.

Power of Union.

"The five percent that has been returned, has been won by the workers only due to the struggle conducted by the New Bedford Textile Workers Union. There is no doubt but that it was the formation of the New Bedford Textile Workers Union and the militant fight conducted by it that really forced the employers to return the five percent taken from their wages last April. It will be the same in Fall River. If the manufacturers in Fall River return part of the wages cut last spring it will be due only to the fact that the National Textile Workers Union has been in the field conducting a fight and organizing the masses for future struggle.

"The present position of the textile workers in New Bedford is very strong. The main task is to build the union, the New Bedford local of the National Textile Workers Union, to organize more solidly textile workers for the new struggles that are

One of Main Reliances of Wall Street in the Next Imperialist War

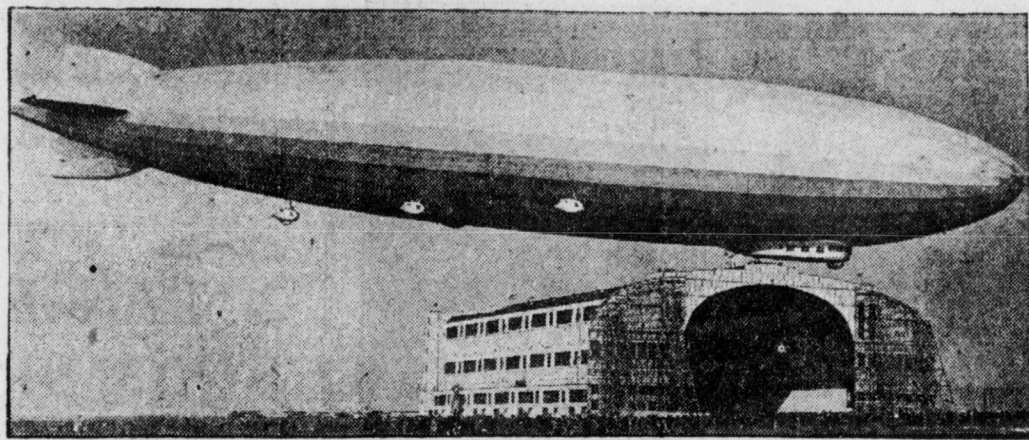


Photo shows Los Angeles, giant U. S. navy dirigible, leaving her hangar at Lakehurst. Wall Street is hastening the construction of these weapons of destruction, in preparation for imperialist warfare.

U. S. GENERAL ADMITS PREPARATIONS FOR WAR

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is only intended for the working class, and is not expected to deceive the bosses, who are expected to intensify their war preparations. He continued:

"There is no necessity for this country to be unprepared for the next war. We all know there will be a next war, despite talk of peace. "But the next war, as was the last one, will be won by the country or countries which can manufacture at the most rapid rate the equipment and munitions of war. War nowadays is a mechanized thing. Material has become supreme on the battlefield."

The material and psychological preparations of the government confirms Gen. Ely's statements that there is certain to be a "next war" and reveals that preparations are being made for the greatest bloodiest war in history within the near future. During the past two days, the National Guardsmen have been engaged in parades thru the streets of New York and this evening they

will be moved into Madison Square Garden to do the heavy work of preparing for the big military shows there next week.

"Private Robot," Thursday, the most modern method of modern warfare were exhibited at the Aberdeen Proving Ground in Maryland, with the military Secretary of War Davis, Adjutant General Wahl, and other prominent agents of Wall Street present. One of the inventions exhibited was the "private Robot," a device for training an entire battery of anti-aircraft artillery continuously upon rapidly moving planes. Another new instrument for the next imperialist war exhibited is a gun capable of throwing 2,100 pound projectiles a distance of 30 miles.

Labor Fakery Aid War Plans.

Fascist organizations and labor fakery are participating actively in the war preparations. The National Commander of the American Legion demands a law drafting the entire population during the next war, and in turn President Green of the A. F. of L. informed the Legion convention that the A. F. of L. "stands in the way of the Communist," who are fighting capitalist militarism.

Even Gene Tunney, hero of the capitalist sport world, is being actively utilized in the war preparations, and is writing articles on the "glories of patriotism" and praising the military forces of American imperialism.

World Revolution is Answer.

All the forces of American imperialism are being mobilized for war. There is but one weak spot in their preparations—the determination of the militant class conscious workers to convert the next world war into civil wars against the bosses.

WATT, TOOHEY, AT CONVENTIONS

Three Mine Districts Meet Tomorrow

(Special to the Daily Worker)

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 12.—John Watt, president of the National Miners' Union, left for Portage today to attend the district 2 convention which opens there Sunday. Three hundred are delegated to attend the convention which will establish the district apparatus, elect local officers, formulate a constitution which will be submitted to the rank and file of the district for amendment and ratification, and lay plans for an intensive organizational campaign in Central Pennsylvania.

Pat Toohey, national secretary of the new union, and Thomas Myerscough, secretary-treasurer of the Pittsburgh district, will attend the West Virginia convention in Morgantown on the same day. Although the discredited United Mine Workers of America organizers, who were recently sent into West Virginia, boast that they and the police will not permit the convention, representatives from mines throughout West Virginia have sent in credentials, and declare their determination to unionize the coal mines in that state.

Anthony Minerich and Freeman Thompson, who have been touring Illinois for the past two weeks, speaking at mass meetings and organizing locals for the National Miners' Union, will be present at another state-wide conference which will also be held this Sunday in Belleville, Ill.

U. S. AMBASSADOR PRAISES CHILE, INT'L FASCISM

Amnesty Decree is Farcical

On his return from Chile, the retiring American Ambassador William Collier made a speech in praise of fascism at a luncheon presided over by the vice president of the Anaconda Copper Company and chairman of the Chile-American Association. (Anaconda Copper Co. has large holdings in Chile.)

Collier assured his audience that the "Chilean government is friendly toward foreign capital and especially United States capital." "I have great confidence in the country and the present regime," he said, "because it is fair toward foreign investors and enterprise. I predict a great future for Chile." He compared the fascist regime of Chile with that of the United States and was pleased to find similarities.

During Collier's speech a news cable message from Chile was delivered to him, which he interpreted as meaning that amnesty had been decreed for all exiles from Chile and all deported men may return.

NEGRO TELLS OF DISCRIMINATION

Given Worst Jobs in Trenton

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jobs in the flint mills, the smelting plants, and other such places were native workers will not work. A few years at this work means a cruel and painful death.

Terribly Exploited.

They are employed at miserable wages, and exploited more than their white fellow-workers. The rents are much higher for the Negroes than for the whites and only the shacks are rented to them. A home that could be rented by a white family for twenty dollars is rented to a Negro for 25 or 30 dollars. This forces them to live under the most unsatisfactory and unsanitary crowded conditions. Two and three families are forced into a single dwelling and they are forced to sleep wherever room permits.

Overcharged at Stores.

Not only are the Negroes exploited by the landlords, but by all the shop-keepers as well. A Negro is asked to pay much more for the necessities of life than a white. Being under-paid, everything must be bought on credit and the terms ar-

On Start of German Militarist Hop

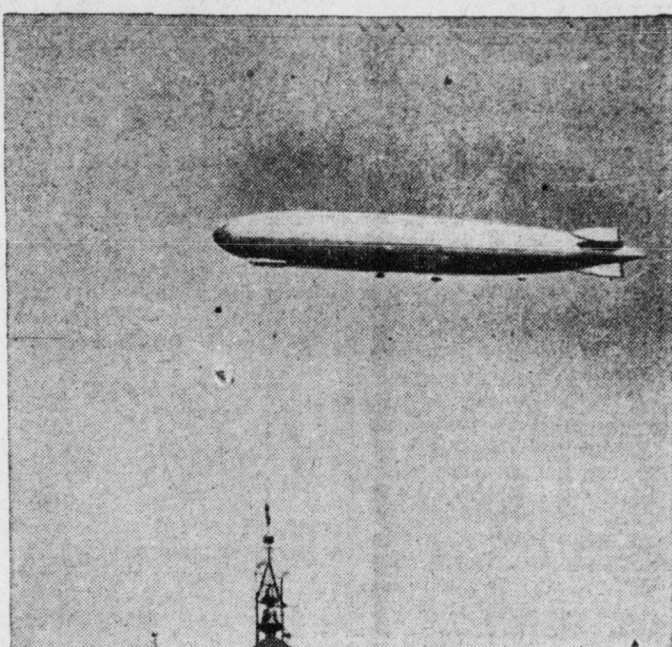


Photo shows the giant dirigible Graf Zeppelin, German militarists' hope, on trial flight over Friedrichshafen, preparatory to trans-Atlantic flight to glorify German militarism.

THOUSANDS IN PARADE SCORE TERROR DRIVE

Measure Aims to Bar Walk-Outs

BOGOTA, Colombia, Oct. 12.—Workers throughout the country are planning to strike as a protest against the government's proposal before congress for extraordinary powers to suppress Communism, under which head is included military strikes and movements favorable to Sandino's cause in Nicaragua, authoritative union headquarters announced today.

Several thousand workers marched through the streets of Bogota as a protest against the bill and many open-air meetings were held.

Both liberals and socialists are opposing the bill in an effort to win the support of the workers for political purposes, and claim that no "Communist menace," such as the government declares present, exists.

Communist leaders point out that the bill is aimed especially at strike activities and at the fight against American imperialism, which has taken on great impetus due to the military intervention of the United States in Nicaragua and in Honduras, and to the recent intervention of Kellogg in Colombia to protect the American oil interests.

Hungary Appeals to Kellogg for His Aid

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.

The bloody Hungarian government expressed its willingness to adhere to the Kellogg pact in a note made public today, but hoped that the United States government would provide means for settling disputes such as over the war treaty Hungary had to sign without force.

The note stated that the pact to outlaw war would be entirely ineffective unless some new way were provided to settle international disputes.

Only the Workers (Communist) Party fights the exploitation of the Negro workers. Only the Workers (Communist) Party holds the Negro worker as an equal. The Negro workers can better themselves by joining the Workers (Communist) Party. —A NEGRO WORKER.

to come. Mill organizations must be built up as soon as possible. The strike committee must be transformed to the city executive committee of the local union, every step must be taken to build a sound stable structure that will be able to carry on the obligations resting on the new union. For this purpose all workers should report to the union headquarters at once just where they are working so that the mill units can be established and organization work begun.

"Build Union."

"That National Council calls on the workers to build the union as the only guarantee that the employers will not cut wages again. Indeed there is every indication that this is the understanding between the labor officials of the textile council and the bosses, that wages will be cut again and a great speed-up introduced. Only the New Bedford Textile Workers Union, strong and well established will be able to guarantee that the bosses will not again worsen conditions and that the workers will be able to improve their standards.

"We also wish to point out that the ruling class means to jail and imprison all of the active workers and organizers of the new union. On November their trial takes place. We call on all the workers to rally to the defence of the workers imprisoned during the strike, to build a powerful movement that will free our best fighters for union work.

"The relief must also be maintained. After the strike there will be hundreds if not thousands of workers in great need of relief. The union must do all in its power to see to it that the relief stores are maintained and that all workers in need are provided with the necessities of life.

"The New Bedford strike has shown to the textile workers again the powerful enemies that the workers have to overcome. The National Textile Workers Union pledges its utmost to carry on this class struggle to the end, until the whole capitalist system of exploitation and oppression is finally ended. Textile Workers of New Bedford unite!"

Earthquake Causes Big Damage in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 12 (U.P.)—Reports from the state of Oaxaca today said the earthquake of several days ago had destroyed half the town of Tuepec and caused heavy damage also at Putla and Jamiltepec.

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5123 Battle Symphony	3082 Nails-Intermezzo
2017 Blue Danube Waltz	2204 Old Folks at Home
3209 Boheme (La)	3206 Old Refrain (The)
3203 Caprice Viennois	5122 Parsifal
5128 Cavalleria-Rusticana	3200 Peasant Girl's Dream
5135 Danse Macabre	3211 Raymond-Overture
3139 Dear Eyes	3217 Rigoletto
3201 Dear old Munich	
5131 Don Juan-Overture	3198 Serenade (La) Metra
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Thurs., Oct. 18, Trenton, N. J., Workmen's Circle Lyceum, 159 Mercer St.

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Sun., Oct. 21, Minneapolis, Minn., Yeoman Hall, 703 2nd Ave.

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ESTHER: CAMEO OF A WHITE-COLLAR SLAVE

By SHIRLEY ETLIN
ESTHER is a typist in the office of a large clothing factory. She works in an office with eight other typists. She sits at her desk pounding out endless rows of figures and words on long slips of paper. Figures and words . . . words and figures on long slips of paper. A number of sheets must be completed till the hands on the clock creep to five-thirty. . . no time to laugh or talk. If she is slow, there are other girls faster than Esther waiting for her job.

In the morning it is not so bad, but when the hands of the clock are beginning to stretch to three o'clock stabs of pain pierce her back . . . words and figures run into one another . . . just a blurred jumble of ink before her eyes. Esther's eyes strain and strain to catch the words, and copy them on the typewriter . . . it is hard, oh, so hard, and if only that pain wouldn't persist in playing "tag" up and down her spine. Esther visits the doctor now and then, but it is such a useless trip . . . always telling her to take a rest, when she can't afford it. (Isn't that enough to make a person go mad?)

It happens that at certain intervals the door marked "Private" is left open. Grown permeate the office—it is the voice of her boss . . . he is talking, no, he is growling . . . his voice is like the roar of a jungle beast when aroused to anger. Vague ideas of what he is saying: "All right—make them work longer hours!" . . . "speed, man—can't you understand, speed, faster!" . . . "You

say they grumble . . . all right, throw them out!" Esther's mind is a blank . . . the words leave no impression on her mind. My God, will she never untangle the jumble of words and figures before her . . . how they torture her. The hands of the clock turn so slowly . . . her mind rushes from the hands of the clock to the words and the figures on the long sheets of paper. Will she never get her work completed and go home. . . Home? What is that word? In books you read about plush-covered furniture and roses climbing on a stucco wall . . . cooling green drinks in tall slim glasses . . . sparkling like a handful of jewels . . . to quench the thirst which is parching her throat. Oh! what's the matter; what is she thinking about?

A faint smile plays around her mouth . . . memories of her mother's hopes and dreams. If she worked in an office she would meet such nice respectable people . . . she won't have to get lung trouble in a fur factory, like her father. Maybe she would marry an auditor and settle down . . . or maybe . . . maybe the boss. Oh! then they would all be rich. Fifth Ave. and the beautiful gowns . . . soft pastel gowns like fresh spring flowers in a Chinese vase . . . a chauffeur in a cream-colored uniform . . . a soft furry dog on a velvet cushion. Oh, what was she thinking about . . . she must concentrate . . . get the words and figures untangled . . . straighten out the jumble. Will the hands of the clock always creep at such a monotonous pace?

THE HOLY ALLIANCE IN ELECTION CAMPAIGN

By SIDNEY BLOOMFIELD
(New England Election Campaign Manager)

DESPITE the talk of "religious tolerance," the churches are steeped in capitalist politics this year more than ever in the history of the country. This applies to practically every denomination. Almost every clergyman has been utilizing his pulpit in the last few months solely for election campaign propaganda.

While the Rev. John Roach Straton, pastor of the Calvary Church in New York, goes about the country raving against Al Smith and whooping it up for Hoover, the Catholic Church is feverishly at work lining up the faithful for the Tammany tier. Particularly in the church-infested cities and towns of New England does the political activities of the churches manifest itself in the most brazen forms.

Nuns and priests who have not voted in previous elections and those who are supposedly occupied with spiritual and heavenly affairs have suddenly become so interested in purely terrestrial affairs that nuns and priests are literally flocking in droves from the convents and cloisters into the offices of the registrars of voters, in order that they may be eligible to cast their ballots for the Tammany tiger.

Clericals Flock to Al.
Catholic club-rooms are plastered with pictures of Smith and democratic party propaganda. One of the most imposing demonstrations for the democratic party was staged in the city of Providence, R. I., last Sunday, when 32,000 members of the Union of Holy Name Societies marched through the streets of that city. It was the largest procession that has been witnessed there since the war. For more than two hours they marched in 25 divisions, led by 50 bands.

The parade started with the roaring of bombs, and was reviewed by Bishop Hickey and a host of politicians, from Governor Case and Mayor Dunne down to the official democratic dog-catcher of the smallest town in Rhode Island. This parade was ostensibly a religious one, but in reality it was a counter demonstration to the affairs that were staged in Rhode Island on several occasions for the republican vice-presidential candidate, Charles Curtis, whose daughter is the wife of one of the members of the Knight family, which dominates the textile industry in the Pawtucket Valley.

When the parade came to an end at the Dexter training grounds a throng of about 100,000 people gathered to listen to the address of Bishop Hickey, who made the speech for Tammany Hall in a very subtle manner, yet the meaning was well understood to almost everyone. "This great outpouring of Catholic men takes place this year in the midst of a national presidential campaign," said Hickey after he had complimented the marchers. "One of the candidates for the most sublime political offices in our nation is one of the same religious faith as yourselves."

Feeding Opium.
In an equally demagogic and vulgar manner, the Catholic hierarchy, suggesting that the great bulk of the vote should come out and vote for Smith saying, "If this parade had been organized in the interest of politicians or aspiring statesmen, I am sure, and you may be sure, that the women who have the vote would have demanded their place in line." This demonstration more than anything else is convincing proof of

the alliance of religion with capitalism. Truly did Marx say that "Religion is the opium of the people." In this respect, as well as all others, in putting forth as its standard-bearer a fashionable Fifth Avenue minister the socialist party is doing its part in enslaving the minds of the workers.

Boston Tories Sniff at Book on Oil, Bar It

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Boston has suppressed another book.

Ludwell Denny's volume, "We Fight for Oil," has fallen afoul of Boston's "sense" of what is decent and fit to print and be read in this "Center of Culture," revolutionary mementoes, monuments and graves. Whilst in the past Boston censors for the most part have contented themselves with suppressing editions that seem to tread the border of morality, this time they choose a book that rubs the rotten economic system of this country. The book deals with oil and its significance as a factor in international relations.

When asked why the book could not be bought or sold in their lily white city, the book store clerks profess profound and complete ignorance. "We do not know why we can't sell it, but we can't," was the book store reply to a request for a copy. The author, Ludwell Denny, is a staff writer for the Scripps-Howard newspapers.

Music Notes

Rita Neve, English pianist, at her Town Hall recital Thursday evening, will play the Bach-Tausig Tocata and Fugue in D minor, Borowski's Grande Russian Sonata, the Schubert Wanderer Fantasia, a new composition by Josef Holbrooke, and Liszt's Legend "St. Francis."

Ernest Davis, tenor and Ivan Steschenko, basso, at their joint Town Hall recital Saturday afternoon, Oct. 20, will present three groups of solos each, including Russian, English, German and Welsh compositions, and the duet from Faust.

Guy Maier, the pianist, will give a program for children of all ages at Steinway Hall, Friday afternoon, Oct. 26.

Doris Humphrey, with Charles Weidman, assisted by their student group of dancers, will give a program of dances at the Civic Repertory Theatre, Sunday evening, Oct. 28.

Gina Pinnera makes her appearance in recital at Carnegie Hall Monday evening, Oct. 22.

Luella Melius, coloratura soprano, will appear in recital at Carnegie Hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 30.

The next local concert by the Beethoven Symphony Orchestra will be on Thursday, Oct. 25th, and will be followed by the Friday afternoon repetition of that program.

James Friskin, pianist, will appear in recital at Town Hall Monday evening.

Louis Kaufman will give a violin recital on Monday evening, Oct. 29, at Town Hall.

The Russians Go in for Laughter



A scene from the newest and latest Sovkino film, "3 Comrades and 1 Invention," the first screen comedy made and released by the Soviet film makers. The picture will have its first American showing at the Cameo Theatre today.

Foster, New Mine, Textile Unions in Oct. 'Labor Unity'

"Organization of the unorganized is the basic task confronting the left wing. It must be tackled with far greater energy and directness than ever before. The great key industries of the country, the vast armies of semiskilled and unskilled, are almost totally unorganized. The reactionary leaders of the A. F. of L. will not organize these masses; they are opposed to it. More and more they base themselves upon skilled workers and sacrifice the interests of the unskilled. The organization of the great mass of unorganized is the task of the left wing."

This is the keynote of the leading article in the October issue of Labor Unity, and it is written by Wm. Z. Foster, national secretary of the Trade Union Educational League. He promises further that the T. U. E. L. will devote greater energy to the organization of Negroes, women and youth, that it will intensify the struggle to oust the misleaders of labor from the old unions that have mass following still, that greater attention will be paid to the struggles of labor in other countries, and closer connections with the propaganda bureaus of the Red International of Labor Unions will be established, as also with the Pan-Pacific Secretariat of Trade Unions and the Latin American Secretariat.

The October issue of Labor Unity has some unique first hand stories of the organization of the two great new unions last month, the National Miners Union, after the battle of Pittsburgh, and the National Textile Workers Union. The miners' convention is reported by none other than the president of the union, John Watt, and is illustrated with "action photos" taken by a delegate in the hall of the gangsters out in front, trying to break up the convention. In two of the pictures, the striking down of Anthony Calamari is clearly shown. Calamari is now in the hospital in Pittsburgh, with concussion of the brain.

The struggle of the Australian workers against the Bruce government's anti-strike law will be a useful lesson and an inspiration to the workers of America, faced with the imminent danger of a federal anti-strike law. The article gives a comprehensive survey of the whole Australian labor movement, with copious quotations from documentary sources.

Biro-Bidjan

By MARTIN FEINSTEIN

Here, I know
Will grow green things and after-
glow
Of laughter on the river.
Earth the giver,
Man the taker,
Man the maker,
Man the breaker of his need,
Man the sower of his seed.
Turn over, earth, man is upon you,
Turn over, earth, man has won you,
With hardened hand
Proving his love for land.
With sweat and pain,
Who says he labors in vain?
Begotten again and again,
What is earth but the making of men?

*Biro-Bidjan is the territory in the far eastern part of the Soviet Union which has been set aside for Jewish colonization.

Who wins when you read your bosses' paper?

evidence. It is by one of the brilliant young leaders of the movement, who writes in the left wing and Communist press of Australia under the name of "Essess."

Among other articles are the eye-witness report of recent developments in the New Bedford strike; a report by I. Anter on the Canton Ohio steel strike, with an indication of its great significance at the present time; the Mineola Case, by one of the defendants, the situation in the Millinery Workers' Union, the very important Shoreditch Conference of the British National Minority Movement, reported by Wm. Z. Foster, who attended as a delegate from the Red International of Labor Unions; the Plumbers Convention, which was the scene of a bitter struggle by the right wing, and not a very successful struggle, to smother a few progressive delegates; the last installment of the main thesis of the R. I. L. U., which has been running serially, and the usual features, including a clever cartoon by Fred Ellis. The cover carries the picture of George Moran, miners' union delegate who gave his life for the cause on the eve of the convention, being shot down by a Lewis spy in a union meeting.

Screen Notes

The Film Arts Guild has obtained the rights of the French film "Le Bossu" (The Hunchback), which was produced by Jacques Haik, the producer of "The Soul of France" which is to be distributed by Paramount.

"The Air Circus" will be at the Roxy Theatre beginning today. Sue Carol and David Rollins have the principal roles.

"Our Dancing Daughters" is continuing at the Capitol Theatre for a second week.

"Lonesome," Universal's first talking picture, is proving very popular at the Colony Theatre. Ben Bernie and his orchestra appear at the theatre as the chief stage ofering.

Conrad Veidt's last European film, "The Man Who Cheated Life," will be released here by the Affiliated European Producers. This picture was known on the continent as "The Student of Prague." It was directed by Henrik Galeen, who also made "Unholy Love," another forthcoming Affiliated release.

IN "KIDUSH HASHEM"



Max Rosenthal, who is appearing in Sholem Ash's historical drama, "Kidush Hashem," at the Yiddish Art Theatre.

New Plays

"THE CHERRY ORCHARD," by Tchekhov, Monday night at the Civic Repertory Theatre, with Alla Nazimova, Eva Le Gallienne, Donald Cameron and Josephine Hutchinson in the principal roles.

"THE COMMON SIN," by Willard Mack, comes to the Forrest Theatre Monday evening. Heading the cast are Lee Patrick, Frederic Worlock, Millicent Hanley, Thurston Hall and Harold Elliott.

"THE K GUY," a comedy by Walter De Leon and Alethea Luce, will open at the Biltmore Theatre Monday night. The play deals with Hollywood life.

"THREE CHEERS," a musical comedy, will be presented Monday night at the Globe Theatre. Will Rogers, Dorothy Stone, Andrew Tomber, Alan Edwards, Janet Velie and Edward Alan head the cast. The book is by Anne Caldwell and R. H. Burnside and music by Raymond Hubbard.

"OLYMPIA," by Ferenc Molnar, will open Tuesday at the Empire Theatre. The players include Fay Compton, Ian Hunter, Laura Hope Crews, Arnold Korff and Grant Stuart.

"THE GREY FOX," a play by Lemist Esler dealing with certain incidents in the life of Niccolò Machiavelli, is to be presented Wednesday night at the Playhouse, with Henry Hull, Chrystal Hume and J. M. Kerrigan in the leading roles.

"MR. MONEYPENNY," Channing Pollock's new play, will open Wednesday night at the Liberty Theatre.

Theatre Guild Opens New Season with Goethe's 'Faust'

HELEN WESTLEY



THE Theatre Guild takes a long philosophical poem, Goethe's "Faust," breaks it up into seventeen scenes, puts some scenery in the Rheinhardt style on the stage, and forces 23 good actors and a mob to wade through it.

Then, I suppose, they wonder why people yawn. Goethe's "Faust" is good poetry, even if it isn't much but an incongruous mixture as philosophy. It is a ladder the man Goethe, child of his century, climbed, stopping now and then for a lyrical fling, a jig or two, but most of the time peering down over the world and stating his opinion of it. His opinion seems to have been heavily influenced by a kind of transcendentalism, by the metaphysics of the period, though he dabbled with even more harmful poisons, in that famous line in which he foreshadows Pragmatism—"In the beginning was the deed." Engels, making medicine of snake venom, later used this quotation, it will be remembered, to illustrate a point.

Well, anyway, you can read a philosophical poem, you can recite it, suitably translated into Italian you can sing it, if you are a Chailapin. But you can't make a play of it. Let us hope the Theatre Guild will learn from the experience.

The theme of Faust is too slight. God wagers with the devil that the good man Faust can not be permanently enticed away from him. But Faust is something of a merchant at heart. He will sell anything, even his soul, for riches, and the youth to enjoy them. In most versions of the theme, he does what every good merchant wants to do, he swindles his opponent in the end. The end is left in doubt in the present production.

Grafted on the Faust story, as one of the temptations the devil offers, is the seduction by Faust of the little idiot, Margaret. Just what he saw in her is hard to understand, when he could have had his pick of the very much more interesting witches. Anyway, it is an essentially undramatic and unheroic love affair, and the girl goes crazy with fear in the end, and kills her baby.

The arrangement of the play the Theatre Guild is using boasts of following Goethe closely, which I suppose is the excuse for making six scenes pass before the devil does what you know all along he is going to do anyway, what the opera usually get through with in one scene, the restoration of Faust to youth. This takes too much time for a machine age.

The acting is good, considering how little of it there can be in an affair of this sort. Helen Chandler, whom we last saw in Creole, vamping a pirate, has just the sort of transparent beauty and stupid expression that a Margaret should have. Dudley Digges is Mephistopheles; he isn't very devilish, but Goethe made the character too much of a Ph. D. to give him much latitude. The most enjoyable is the fat Martha, acted by Helen Westley. Her single minded pursuit of the next husband is made human, and understandable by some talented acting, that rescues the part from the ridiculous to which even Goethe

evidently intended to consign it. The costuming is funny stuff. Some of it, for example, Valentine's uniform, is absolutely of the present, even to the puttees and Sam Brown belt. Faust's gown is medieval, the Devil's worldly clothes seem to be eighteenth century. The imported technician, Friedrich Holl, who is probably responsible for all this, says that it conveys the idea of the timelessness of Goethe's thought. It's a bum idea.

The scenery is great. Ray for Rheinhardt. But may the Theatre Guild, if it follows in that tradition, get plays of more worth to go with such scenery.

—V. S.

Course in Workers Correspondence Will Start on Wednesday

A new course in Workers Correspondence opens at the Workers School, 26-28 Union Square, Wednesday night. The course will be given every Wednesday evening from 8:30 to 9:50 and the instructors will be Whittaker Chambers and Sender Garlin, both of the Daily Worker staff.

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Sovkino Film Comedy Opens Today at Cameo

THE Amkino will present the first Sovkino screen comedy entitled, "3 Comrades and 1 Invention" (formerly titled "The Three Moscow-Teers") at the Cameo Theatre today. This Sovkino production is the first attempt at cinema humor by the Russian studios and has been acclaimed by the European public and press for its delightful humor.

"3 Comrades and 1 Invention" deals with the hilarious adventures of two "young geniuses" anxious to help Russia out of its industrial dilemmas. Their ambition is to invent an automatic packing box maker which will give, as they term it, the death blow to local capitalism. "3 Comrades and 1 Invention" was directed by Alexis Popoff, who also wrote the scenario.

On the same program with the Soviet comedy will be presented for its first showing in America, "A Shanghai Document," which is a psycho-cinematic travelogue of that unique metropolis under the stress of its recent revolutionary uprising. "A Shanghai Document" is also a Sovkino production taken by two enterprising directors and cameramen, Jakob Blokh and Leo Stepanov, who imperilled their lives obtaining the extraordinary shots of Shanghai during its recent disturbances. This film gives a vivid insight into the life of a Chinese native as well as the foreign concessionaire and the conflicting cross-currents of their existence.

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Southern Workers Join Communist Party

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claim that there was no unemployment problem. He said that unemployment is an evil that cannot be eliminated as long as the industrial machinery is in the hands of the capitalists who operate it for their own profit and only pay the workers necessary to operate it at an average bare existence.

Only the overthrow of the capitalist system and the establishment of a Workers' and Farmers' Government would pave the way for the abolition of poverty and all the other by-products of capitalism, he said.

For Rights of Negroes.
Speaking on the Negro question, the speaker declared that only the Workers (Communist) Party had a program that demanded full social, racial, economic and political equality for the colored masses. Both the republican and democratic parties are equally guilty of the crimes perpetrated in the southern states against the Negroes, Foster said. He called on the white workers to wage a militant struggle in behalf of their black brothers and shoulder to shoulder with them put a stop to lynching and other crimes committed against the Negroes.

The living conditions of the workers in the south, white as well as black are extremely bad, but the wage scales and living standards of the Negroes are uniformly lower than those of the white workers. The Negroes are discriminated against economically as well as socially. The lowest scale of wages and the longest hours of any section of the United States prevail in the South.

The South is being rapidly industrialized, with the whites from the hills and the Negroes from the farms moving into the industrial centers. In most of the southern cities, practically all workers are native-born Americans, either white or black. Foreigners are confined to a few of the commercial and industrial centers.

INDIA DEMANDS SIMON BOYCOTT

Protest Demonstration on Arrival

POONA, Bombay, British India, Oct. 12.—A city draped in black and with a general aspect of mourning, and a demonstration of workers and students carrying black flags and shouting "Simon, go back!" greeted the Royal Indian Reform Commission when it arrived here. The commission is just as unpopular now as it was when it once before tried to reach a compromise with those demanding independence for India, and was forced to depart for fear of serious uprisings aroused by their arrival. The situation seems to be no quieter now, and judging from the mass demonstration and the crowds along the line of march demanding that the commission return to England, it is very unlikely that it will succeed now.

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Fraternal Organizations

L. L. D. Autumn Revel.
A Fraternal Autumn Revel will be held at Webster Hall, Saturday, October 27, at 8:30 p. m. under the auspices of the New York section of the International Labor Defense. Prizes will be awarded to participants wearing the oldest and shabbiest clothes.

Co-operative Red Rally.
The Election Campaign Committee of the U. S. Co-operative House has arranged a red rally for Friday, October 19th at the Park View Palace, 5th Ave. and 110th St., and concert and dance on Friday, October 26th at the same place. The ball process of these affairs will go towards the Election Campaign of the Workers (Communist) Party.

Local 22 T. U. E. L.
Local 22 of the Trade Union Educational League will hold its annual Dance today at the Park Palace.

Dressmakers' Dance.
Today the Dressmakers' Local 22, T. U. E. L. will hold its annual dance at the Park Palace.

Banquet at Brighton Beach.
Today at 8:30 p. m., a Chinese supper and an interesting concert will be given by the Workers' Club, Brighton Beach.

Brownsville Color Light Dance.
A Color Light Dance will be held at the Brownsville Labor Lyceum, 219 Sackman St., under the auspices of the Young Workers Social Culture Club.

Jewelers Concert and Ball.
The first concert and ball of the Jewelers Workers' Welfare Club will be held Saturday, Nov. 3, at the New Webster Manor, 11th St. between 3d and 4th Aves.

Millinery Workers.
Millinery and Workers Social and Educational Club of Local 43 will give a grand Halloween festival Saturday, Oct. 20, at the Claridge Hotel. Admission 75 cents. Tickets may be obtained at the office, 640 Broadway, and 4 West 37th St.

Brownsville Banquet.
A banquet to open the Workers Center in Brownsville will be held Saturday evening, Oct. 20. All workers of Brownsville are invited to attend.

T. U. E. L. Ball Saturday.
Locals 2, 9, 22 and 35 of the Trade Union Educational League will hold a ball today beginning at 8 p. m., at the Park Palace, 110th St. and 5th Ave. There will be dancing and refreshments. All workers are invited to attend.

Freiheit Symphony Orchestra.
The Freiheit Symphony Orchestra, with Lenox Weiner as conductor, needs new members in the orchestra. Meetings are held every Tuesday, 8 p. m., at 1472 Broadway. Those interested should communicate with Nathan H. Alterman, 841 Jennings St., the organizer.

Dr. Liber Lecture.
Dr. Liber will lecture in the Boro Park Workers Club, 1313 43rd St., Oct. 20, at 8:30 p. m.

Yugoslav I. L. D. Dance.
Comrade Isabel Waldner, winner of the 1928 beauty contest held last May, will dance at the Grand Annual Concert and Ball given by the Yugoslav Defense of the International Labor Defense to be held Sunday, Oct. 21, at Sokol Hall, 525 East 72nd St. Band, "Progragmetnik's" Union Jazz Band. Program begins at 2:30, dance 7 p. m.

Working Women, Register!
Working women, working women's councils, secretaries, and all members do your duty as working women. Register to be able to cast your vote on election day. You can register the whole week, the last day is today. Don't wait till the last day. Register today.—Kate Gitlow, secretary. United Council of Working Women.

Boro Park I. L. D. Meet.
The first meeting of the Boro Park branch of the International Labor Defense will be held Tuesday, Oct. 16, 8 p. m., at Finnish Hall, 764 40th St. All members and those interested should attend.

Dental Union.
The business meeting of the Dental Laboratory Workers' Union will be held on Tuesday evening, Oct. 16, at Labor Temple, 14th St. and Second Ave., at 8 p. m. sharp.

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WORKERS IN TRENTON WILL HOLD RED RALLY

the Negro Workers' Relief Committee, affiliated with the W. I. R., tonight at 461 Lenox Ave., between 122nd and 133rd Sts. A musical program will feature.

Co-operative Lecture.
Council of the United Workers Co-operative House will hear a lecture by Comrade Leo Roy on Monday, Oct. 15 at the auditorium, Topic: The Women and Workers Education."

Women's Election Meet.
Council 8, Working Class Women will hold an open-air election meeting today at 2:30 p. m. at the Belmont Parkway and Washington Ave.

Oriental Night.
A dance and entertainment, "Oriental Night," will be held at Manhattan Lyceum, 63 E. 4th St., Friday, Oct. 19, under the co-auspices of Japanese Workers Association, New York Branch and Japanese Branch, I. L. D. To Michio, famous Japanese dancer, will entertain. Jujitsu exhibition, native chorus are some other features.

All the proceeds will go to aid the Chinese trade unions and to aid the white terror victims in Japan. Tickets 50 cents in advance and 75 cents at the door.

Dr. Liber Talk.
Tomorrow morning at 11 a. m., Dr. B. Liber will speak at the Co-operative Colony, Bronx Park East and Allerton Ave. in the auditorium, in English, for adults, on "Interesting Health Questions for Workers" and other matters.

N. Y. Progressive Club Meet.
A regular semi-annual meeting of the New York Progressive Club will be held Sunday, Oct. 23, 2 p. m. at the Stuyvesant High School, 15th St. and 58th St. All members of the Typographical Union who are in sympathy with the progressive principles are invited to attend.

Shifrin Defense Meet.
A mass meeting in Williamsburgh will be held Wednesday, 8 p. m. at 58 Manhattan Ave. All workers of Williamsburgh are urged to attend.

Workers Theatre.
The Workers Theatre will meet Monday, 8 p. m., at its temporary headquarters, 315 E. 10th St., in the auditorium on the first floor. All who wish to take an active part in the work of the theatre are welcome.

Heights Progressive Club Meet.
Workers of Washington Heights and Inwood are urged to come to the meeting of the newly formed "Heights Progressive Culture Club." The meeting will be held Tuesday evening, Oct. 15, at 174th and Amsterdam Aves. This section is in need of a radical center, and the members of the club are trying to establish one. On Saturday, Oct. 27, there will be a literary evening and a social dance.

Relief Society for the Tubercular Children in U.S.S.R.
The above society is arranging a Vetcherinka at the Carlton Hall on Sunday, Nov. 3 and asks all fraternal organizations and sympathizers not to arrange any of their entertainments on that day.

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Workers Party Activities

Subsection 3E.
Subsection Enlarged Executive will hold an important meeting on Monday, Oct. 15 at 6:15 p. m. sharp, at 101 W. 27th St.

Brownsville Red Sunday.
Members of the Workers (Communist) Party in Brownsville will mobilize at 9 a. m. tomorrow in a membership meeting at 154 Watkins St. All members must attend.

Newark Workers Dance.
The workers of Newark, Paterson, Passaic, Elizabeth and other nearby towns in New Jersey are planning to attend a dance to be held in the Workers Center, 93 Mercer St., Newark, today. Many features have been prepared.

Unit 3E 1F.
A meeting will be held by Unit 3E 1F on Tuesday, Oct. 16, at 6:15 p. m. sharp, at 101 W. 27th St.

Unit 3E 2F.
Unit 3E 2F will hold a meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 17, at 6:15 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St.

N. J. Campaign Meet.
An election campaign mass meeting will be held under the auspices of the Russian, Polish and Ukrainian Fractions of the Workers (Communist) Party at 2 p. m. Sunday, Oct. 21, in the Russian Labor Lyceum, 150 Court St., Newark, N. J.

Prominent speakers will discuss the platform of the Workers (Communist) Party. All those understanding these languages are invited. Admission free.

German Campaign Conference.
The second conference of German labor organizations for the support of the Communist campaign will be held today at the New York Labor Temple, 24 E. 84th St., at 8 p. m. sharp. All delegates are urged to be there without fail.

Lower Bronx Open Air Meet.
A Lower Bronx open air meeting will be held this evening, corner of 14th St. and 3rd Ave. Louis A. Baum, candidate for assembly in the 1st Bronx District, will speak.

International Branch 1.
International Branch 1 will hold an educational meeting on the War Danger, Disarmament and Social Democracy Monday, 9 p. m. at 101 W. 27th St. A Zombreck will be the speaker.

Unit 3F, Section 1 Meet.
A regular meeting will be held Tuesday, Oct. 16, at 60 St. Marks Pl. A roll call will be taken. Every member must attend.

Branch 2, Section 8 Meet.
A meeting of the unit will be held Monday, 8 p. m., 154 Watkins St. It is imperative that all members attend.

Unit 3F, Sub-section 2C.
Unit 3F, Sub-section 2C, will meet Monday, October 15, 6:30 p. m., at 108 E. 14th St. Special order of business discussed and planning for further industrial work.

Branch 4, Section 5.
Branch 4, Section 5, will meet Monday, Oct. 15, 8:30 p. m. at 2075 Clinton Ave.

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Two Battles Reported Near Egypt

ATHENS, Greece, Oct. 12.—Reports of serious uprisings by Libyans and Cyrenaicans against the Italian regime in Tripoli, Northern Africa, have been received here via Cairo.
The report states that Italian troops in a whole day's battle with the revolutionary forces failed to disperse them, and that the Italian casualties were nine dead and eleven wounded.

Another battle occurred when an Italian column attacked a party of Cyrenaicans near the Egyptian border, killing ten and suffering three soldiers killed.

2,000 Chinese Workers Homeless Due to Huge Portuguese Port Fire
LISBON, Portugal, Oct. 12 (U.P.).—A destructive fire in Macao, Portuguese seaport in China, near Hong Kong, destroyed 600 houses yesterday, a dispatch to the newspaper Povo said today. The dispatch added that 2,000 laborers were homeless and destitute.

WORKERS PARTY OPEN AIR MEETS THROUGHT THE CITY

Speakers Will Cover Entire City

Speakers of the Workers (Communist) Party will cover the entire city at open-air meetings this week, to bring the platform of the class struggle before the workers in all five boroughs. Many meetings have also been arranged for smaller towns and cities outside of New York.

A complete list of the meetings and speakers follows:
Today.

West New York, N. J.—Stanley Perlman.

Elizabeth, N. J.—George Powers, R. Duke.
Perth Amboy, N. J.—Joe Padgug.
Paterson, N. J.—Lloyd, Freiman. (Red Nights will be announced later.)

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Paterson Strikers—Eliminate the Bunglers!

Thus far the response of the silk workers of Paterson to the strike call has been good. It is a tradition of Paterson that the workers will not remain in the shops when a picket line is established. But in order to make the strike completely effective it is essential that incompetents, cowards and bunglers have no voice in the organization and conduct of the struggle.

These observations are prompted by the report that one Herman Clevens, a member of that rapidly dwindling and futile sect, the socialist labor party, is hampering the work of spreading the strike by idiotic mechanical rules. A so-called strike leader who quibbles with workers in a mood to join the union and the strike over whether they pay \$1.50 or \$1.00 initiation fee acts in a manner that objectively aids the mill owners, no matter what his intentions may be. It is not intentions, but results, that count in the first decisive days of a labor struggle.

But then anyone who expects a socialist labor party to approach a situation from a realistic angle reveals a pitiful lack of understanding of the needs of the struggle. The whole philosophy of the S. L. P. is one of defeatism for the workers in their every-day struggle. They openly proclaim from their election platforms that it is a waste of time to try to improve the condition of labor by resisting the encroachments of the capitalist class and by putting forward immediate elementary demands. They believe in waiting until the workers spontaneously, under pressure of capitalism and by education, organize the groundwork of the industrial republic (?); then the S. L. P. will appear and consent to become their leaders. A more non-Marxian, anti-revolutionary outfit would be hard to find.

Yet from the platform of labor struggles they have the audacity to warn the masses against "mob hysteria," etc., in the patronizing manner of some insipid minister of the gospel of abject surrender of the working class to the capitalist class.

If the officials of the Associated Silk Workers do not remove this bungler the strikers should take the matter into their own hands and see that no one be permitted to stand in the way of all workers in the broadsilk industry joining the struggle.

Only traditional Paterson militancy will avail against the forces bent upon exploiting the mill slaves to the limit. Let there be no pussyfooting, no class collaboration, no half-measures, but a strike on the old lines—mass picketing and a defiant struggle that will lead to victory.

His Lordship Among Friends

So completely of one mind as agents of British imperialism are the right-wing leaders of the English labor unions and the heads of the banks and big industrial establishments that Lord Melchett, formerly Sir Alfred Mond of London, chairman of the Imperial Chemicals, Ltd., can appear in the United States and speak in the name of British labor.

To be sure this apostle of "cooperation between capital and labor," which means cooperation of the industrialists with the traitors of the British general council of trade unions against labor, does not represent the sentiments of the industrial workers who are victims of Mondism. But as far as J. H. Thomas, Ben Tillet, A. A. Purcell and the balance of the general council are concerned, his lordship may speak for them even more effectively than they can speak for themselves.

Mond, in an address before the national civic federation luncheon, repeated the old wheeze that British labor desires no revolt, that it is opposed to Communism and that the general strike was the result of a deplorable misunderstanding. His sentiments were greeted with loud huzzahs from John W. Davis, lawyer for the House of Morgan, formerly democratic candidate for president and now a valiant supporter of Al Smith; Haley Fiske, president of the labor-hating Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and that eminent strike-breaker and scab herder, Matthew Woll, whose vocation is that of acting president of the Civic Federation and

whose avocation is that of president of the Photo Engravers Union and a vice-president of the American Federation of Labor.

While the labor fakery and their capitalist masters of England and the United States unite in a verbal assault upon labor at a civic federation luncheon, the class conscious workers of both England and the United States are united by unbreakable bonds in their respective Communist Parties under the leadership of the general staff of the world revolution, the Communist International. Under the crimson emblem of the proletarian revolution we will in action answer their slanders that the working class has succumbed to their treachery.

American Intrigue in France

The incident of the expulsion from France of the representative of the Hearst chain of papers, Harold J. T. Horan, by the Poincare-Briand government, while trivial in itself, emphasizes a gigantic clash of imperialist interests on French soil, and, at the same time, exposes another phase of the notorious double-dealing of the state department of the United States government at Washington.

Horan was expelled from France because he obtained, through bribery of employees of the foreign office under Briand, the copy of the secret memorandum containing the text of the Anglo-French naval accord. That covenant between the tory government of England and the renegade, Briand of France, was so obviously a move against Yankee imperialism that its contents were intended to remain a secret. Briefly it was a pact whereby England and France agreed to support, in future conferences on naval armaments, the proposition that battle cruisers be limited to 8,000 tons, whereas the United States government insists upon cruisers of not less than 10,000 tons. It is essential to American imperialism to have cruisers of a higher tonnage than Britain because of the great distance between American bases of naval supplies. If the light cruisers of the United States were limited to 8,000 tons it would be impossible for them to travel around the world, for the simple reason that they could not carry sufficient fuel and auxiliaries to enable them to travel between bases.

If the United States were not an imperialist power, holding in subjection far-flung possessions, a power with an aggressive policy looking toward a new war for a new re-division of the world so it can acquire still more colonies, it would not need to demand larger cruisers. The very fact that it does demand larger cruisers proves that Coolidge's and Hoover's talk about "defensive armaments" is merely so much deceptive twaddle. Cruisers that range the seven seas are not required for defensive purposes only.

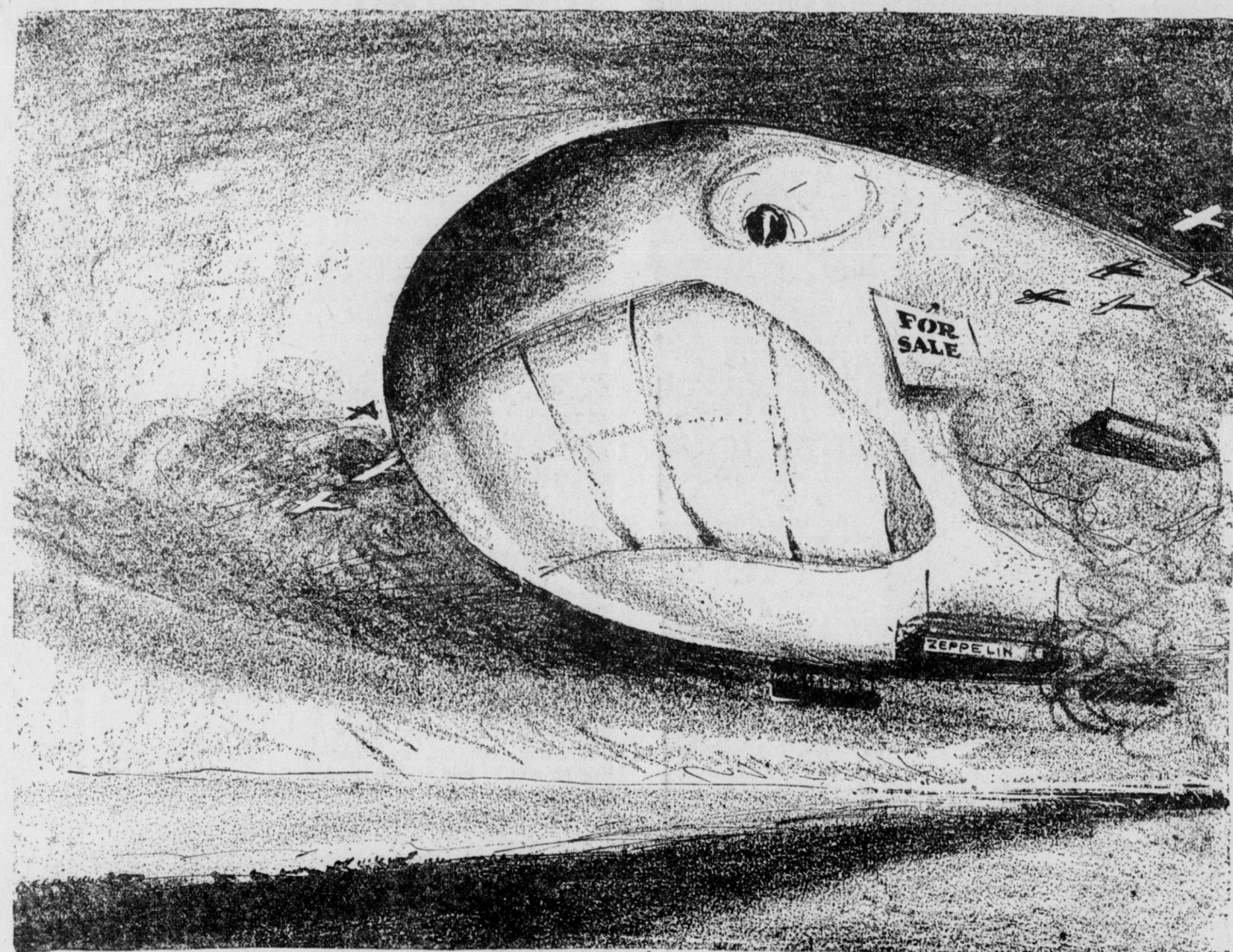
But the United States also demands eight-inch guns, instead of the six-inch guns proposed by Britain and France for 8,000 ton light cruisers. This would enable the light American cruisers to attain greater firing range and thus place the smaller cruisers at a disadvantage in warfare.

The fact, however, that Hearst's pen valet, Horan, was able to secure the document from the French state department has tremendous political implications. It is no ordinary case of bribery. It emphasizes the well-known fact that there are very influential politicians in France who are playing the game of American imperialism to the extent of trying to discredit and defeat the present Poincare-Briand government that favors a close alliance with British imperialism and replace it with a government that favors an alliance with the Wall Street imperialists. Hence the world-wide struggle between the United States imperialists and the British imperialists has its reflex in bitter internal political struggles in France. They who revealed the secret naval accord memorandum to Hearst's Paris correspondent were agents of American imperialism in the French foreign office.

The expulsion of Horan by no means closes the incident. That it will play an important role in French political life is indicated by the comment of the French press. The Liberte, in particular, urges the French government to find the real culprit and adds:

"For some time a rumor has been going the rounds in political circles that this famous document which has caused such deep emotion in diplomatic quarters was communicated by a functionary of the Foreign Office to em-

BOO!



By Fred Ellis

Told You So

KING ZOGU THE FIRST of Albania, and we hope also the Last, is reported to have embraced the Catholic faith as a preliminary to marrying the daughter of some king whose throne is not about to be offered to the pawnbroker. Zogu was a Mohammedan, which was an obstacle in the way of his marriage to a christian princess. The king in true royal fashion put the interests of his kingdom above that of his spooky deity, so he shed his religious shirt and had a change, which may be as good for the shirt as for Zogu's skin.

PRIOR to his change of religious raiment Zogu celebrated his conversion to the Catholic belief by slaughtering a number of workers and peasants who wanted a republic instead of a monarchy. This deed should get him in good with the Catholic god right at the start. Jehovah who used to advise the children of Israel to slaughter all the men folk and the old women of the beaten foe, but to save the virgins, was a kindly god compared to the christian deity, who sanctions the dropping of bombs on non-combatant areas in time of war and blesses the efforts of his imperialist proteges to put whole peoples to the sword who insist on defending their countries against the capitalist brigands.

HERE is a chance for some big-hearted multi-millionaire to come to the assistance of a suffering scion of the Hohenzollern family, Ernst August, former Duke of Brunswick, by name. August is not exactly down but he is out of money. Being a gentleman, he refuses to glut the labor market with his presence so he has decided to sell his art treasure to America for \$10,000,000. The duke was darned lucky his mother did not drop him in Czarist Russia instead of in the former kaiser's Germany. His art treasure would now be adorning a Soviet museum and the duke would be massaging nags in a stable for a living or otherwise trying to make ends meet.

THE social-democrats of Germany were rather nice to the Hohenzollerns. Unlike the Russian Bolsheviks they did not strip the fallen monarchists. They stripped the working class instead. This was magnanimity indeed. They earned the economies of the capitalist world who saw in their action a precedent which might save their own hides later on. But the German workers who are now slaving under the Dawes Plan to pay the reparations saddled on Germany by the victorious nations, have learned a lesson and the next time the tocsin of revolution is sounded in Teutonia the capitalists will not be left with art treasures to peddle. They will be lucky if they get away with their necks.

JOHN J. RASKOB, the general utility man of the democratic campaign committee has decided to settle the Queens scandal. This is a hurculean task but not beyond the power of the demon financier of General Motors. There are five warring factions in the democratic organization of Queens. Open sewers are as conducive to factionalism as to typhoid. Raskob's job is to devise some way of dividing the spoils so that each political sewer digger may enjoy his share in peace. If the christian democrats are well advised they will cover up the catacombs, otherwise the pagan republicans may throw them to the lions.

NOW that the supreme court of the United States has rendered a decision sustaining the right of Canadians to cross over to the United States for daily employment there is no reason why United States citizens should not have the right to cross over into Canada for their daily enjoyment. It is said that Canada is very hospitable to our visiting firemen who migrate to quench a thirst, but U. S. customs officials are not so considerate to the returning "smoke-eaters" who would bring back some of the extinguisher for the benefit of smoldering thirsts on this side of the border.

THE Rev. Dr. George Reed Andrews, secretary of the Church and Drama Association, is of the opinion that if all the clergymen in the city opened fired simultaneously on a given Sunday against immoral plays and vile language, offensive drama and profanity would be driven into the speakies. This would merely make matters worse. It would exalt the bootlegging industry to a place in society from which not even the most affluent booze magnate would care to elevate it.

IF my memory serves me right, which it usually doesn't, there are about half a million words in the English vocabulary, in addition to new, if rather incomprehensible ones that are turned out daily in our composing room. What a field for the enterprising wordlegger! Hideaways where words with a profanity content of more than one half of one per cent would be peddled for a quarter a shot, would spring up like histories of Tammany Hall since Al Smith's nomination and our poor policemen, already hard put to maintain law and order since Gene Tunney took to Shakespeare and the Andy Carnegie library family, would be at their witless end to enforce the profanity provisions of the constitution without running the risk of being sued for false arrest.

Tom O'Flaherty

Putting Ohio Ticket on Ballot

By I. AMTER

It was no mean task to get 19,000 signatures to put the Party on the ballot in Ohio. Fourteen thousand signatures were required, but the District Executive Committee of the Party decided that it would not rely upon the exact number, but would procure a surplus. This became necessary, since the secretary of state informed us that it would be judicious to have the surplus.

At first the signatures came in slowly. It is true some of the comrades went on the job without further ado, but, in the main, the members had not got into the swing. More energy was necessary—an alarm call went out, and by August 15, 11,000 signatures were in. Two weeks more to go—a second alarm; was the Party to fail to get on the ballot for a few thousand signatures, or would the membership dig in and put it across? The membership dug in, and by August 29, 19,000 signatures were ready for filing. Cleveland, Youngstown, Toledo, Canton, East Liverpool and the coal-fields especially excelled.

19,000 Signatures.

The next step—filing. This was done by the campaign manager, C. N. Shaffer, going to the state capital, Columbus. He received a receipt for the 19,000 signatures, specifying the number of petitions for the state and national ticket, the number for the three U. S. congressional districts. Everything looked rosy; the membership was pleased—the job had been completed. What had not been done in 1924 had more than been accomplished in 1928, and we could go into the electoral campaign with full vim.

The atmosphere was clear, until September 10, when the secretary of state informed the district office that in all probability the emblem could not be put on the ticket; a technicality. Negotiations were entered into, and he promised to do everything possible to favor us, giving us the same consideration as the other minority parties, the S. P. and the S. L. P.

Upon his request, we sent him the emblem—and one more step forward was taken—the Party, the name and the emblem would appear on the ballot.

But everything was not to move

Strange Disappearance of 12,000 Signatures; Officials' Tricks to Bar Party

so smoothly. On September 18, twelve days after the final date for filing, word came from the secretary of state that the Party had filed only 7,000 signatures and therefore would not go on the ballot. The newspapers carried a big headline: "Communists Not to Appear on the Ballot." What had happened to 12,000 signatures?

Very strangely, these 12,000 signatures were sent via American Express Company to Cleveland for verification, and, very strangely, these were lost on the way. The District Executive Committee im-

mediately became active, went to their lawyers, who got into touch with Columbus, and established that everybody was looking for the signatures in Columbus and Cleveland. And, once more strangely, five minutes after the lawyer communicated with Columbus, the signatures were found in Cleveland.

Shaffer immediately got into touch with the secretary of state, who informed him that he had issued a statement to the Associated Press and the Columbus papers to the effect that the Communists were on the ballot. We looked in vain

for the dispatch in the Cleveland papers, we bought Columbus papers; nothing was to be found. Finally we got in touch with the editor of a local paper who discovered that in the morning there was a dispatch from Columbus stating that the Party had "not quite enough signatures." Although the Party was not yet on the ballot, it was picking up. This, however, would not put us on the ballot.

Once more a letter and wires, and then appeared in the papers an announcement that "at the last moment the Communists filed 17,000 signatures" and the Communists would go on the ballot.

A Little Trick.

Seventeen thousand plus 7,000 signatures: 24,000 signatures! True, quite a compliment to the Party membership and their efforts in behalf of the Party—but too much of a compliment! The trick of the secretary of state was so obvious, so transparent. A child could see through it, and yet the secretary of state was guilty of it. It is true that he did not perform this little trick on his own initiative. The secretary of state represented the big capitalists of the state, who did not want the Communists on the ballot. For 19,000 signatures represented 19,000 potential Communists. The capitalists of this state remember the Red Socialists of the time of the leadership of Charles E. Ruthenberg. They remember the large number of socialist mayors—at a time when the socialist party of Ohio, was a fighting party. Now come the Communists.

Well, the Communists were safely on the ballot—and a letter on the following Monday confirmed it. Then remained the emblem; would it be printed on the ballot? No, it will not. The secretary of state has discovered that minority parties may place their emblems on the ballot only at the discretion of the supervisor of elections; but, if he does not choose to put it on, he cannot be compelled to do so. He does not choose—and, therefore, the emblem will not appear on the ballot.

The name of the Party, the names of the county, state and national candidates will appear; the Workers (Communist) Party goes into the campaign handicapped to this extent, but all the more determined to put across a good campaign, which is under way.

Women's Federation of Detroit Will Hold an Election Rally Oct. 21

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 12.—At the last meeting of the Detroit Federation of Working Class Women the working women of Detroit unanimously passed a motion to endorse the candidates of the Workers (Communist) Party.

In addition to the Executive Committee, a campaign committee was elected to work out plans how the Federation can best raise funds to help the political campaign. The first effort will be a big political campaign rally Sunday afternoon, Oct. 21. Juliet Stuart Poyntz, candidate for attorney general in the state of New York on the Workers Party ticket, will be the main speaker.

A Red Banquet is being prepared for Benjamin Gitlow, Communist vice presidential candidate, on Sunday evening, Oct. 28. Details of the banquet will be announced later.

GERMAN REFORMISTS BELIEVE IN PRISON

(Red Aid Press Service)

BERLIN. (By Mail).—In April of this year a Stahlhelm celebration and a Red Front Fighters' recruiting demonstration took place on the same day. A member of the Red Fighters was attacked by a band of fascists and received severe knife wounds in the head. His comrades sought to avert further bloodshed.

The police arrived, but arrested a number of workers at random, including the injured Maiwald, letting the fascists go free. The arrestees were kept in prison for months awaiting trial. Six of them have now been brought up for trial. Members of the Stahlhelm organization were called as witnesses. These entangled themselves in endless contradictions, but the court thought fit to believe their assertions, and passed unheard of sentences on four of the accused—terms of hard labor and prison ranging from two years to four months.

Maiwald was acquitted, but had to pay a fine for carrying a weapon without permission. One of the accused only was completely acquitted. In pronouncing the verdict, the judge denied the political convictions of the accused, and designated them as rowdies. This unheard of terror sentence raised loud cries of protest from the public in the court.

"Danger" to State.

A common method of chicane against political prisoners is to refuse to let them have the literature they desire. The governor of the Wolfenbuttel (Brunswick) prison has even found a pretext for refusing Bellamy's "Looking Backward" to the political prisoner Ernst Haberlander. In reply to a complaint, the governor states that prisoners in the second division are only permitted to obtain books for themselves when these serve the exclusive purpose of vocational education.

100 Marks Granted.

The district council of the Schwelm district has granted 100 marks for amnestied prisoners, on the motion of the Communist Councillor Sachs. The sole vote against the motion was that given by the social democratic leader Octinghaus.

barrass the action of the responsible minister and the government of France itself. We have a right to know if these reports are well founded."

It is no accident that a representative of Hearst was chosen for this work. It is quite evident that the state department of the United States government, under Kellogg, has a deliberate policy of using the thoroughly venal, lying, hypocritical and utterly unscrupulous organs of William Randolph Hearst and his mendacious crew of forgers and bribers to carry out some of its policies. This Paris incident recalls the notorious Mexican forgeries of last year, wherein the state department assaults upon the Calles government and the Soviet Union were reinforced by the publication in the Hearst papers of a series of forged documents purporting to reveal conspiracies against the United States. At that time the Daily Worker proved by unimpeachable documentary evidence that some of the Hearst "exposures" were forged right here in New York City in the office of the New York American. Later on, all documents were proved to have been forged. Such are some of the weapons in the arsenal of American imperialist diplomacy, of Coolidge-Hoover honesty.

It is precisely this sort of foreign policy, a policy leading directly to another imperialist war, that the voters of this country are asked to endorse by supporting Hoover at the November elections. To support Smith is equally stupid, for Smith and the democratic party are pledged to carry out the same identical imperialist policies, which, to be historically accurate, received their greatest impetus under the administration of J. P. Morgan's war-lord president of the United States, the late Woodrow Wilson.

As to the Rev. Dr. Norman Thomas and the socialist party, aspiring to become a third capitalist party, he serves the war-mongers not less than Smith and Hoover by fostering pacifist illusions among the masses, so they will be helpless and at the mercy of the assassins on the eve of the imperialist war now in preparation.

The one party relentlessly fighting against imperialist intrigue, against the government of bribery, forgery and every variety of corruption and murder, is the revolutionary party of the working class, the Workers (Communist) Party.

To cast your vote against the war-mongers you must vote Communist!