

# CAROLINA OUTLAWS TEXTILE UNION, COMMUNIST PARTY; CHARGE EIGHT GASTONIA UNIONISTS WITH SEDITION

## Disarming Workers Is But a Preparation for a Blood Bath in Gastonia Today

The raiding of private houses and disarming of the strikers and strike leaders in Gastonia and vicinity have but one meaning. The mill owners and their murderous vassals, the police and private thugs and gunmen, are preparing one of the most monstrous blood-baths for the workers in the history of the country. The strategy pursued in arresting workers and seizing their weapons with which they have prepared to defend themselves, their wives and children from fiendish tortures and violent death, is precisely that which was tried on the night of June 7th when the workers defended themselves against a murderous attack. On that night the police were chosen to clear the path for the entrance of the posse called "the committee of one hundred," whose leaders had boasted that they would "wipe out" the tent colony. That every man, woman and child in the colony was not killed by the agents of the mill owners, is due solely to the fact that the workers defended themselves.

The arrests by the police and the seizure of arms on Friday is calculated to prepare the way for a massacre against defenseless workers. The whole capitalist class of North Carolina, and the bankers of Wall Street, who hold stocks in the newly industrialized South, are the instigators of these murder plots. Governor Max Gardner, himself a mill owner and hence an exploiter of men, women and children, is the chief conspirator in the murder plots. With the most depraved cynicism this political agent of the capitalist class insists upon Prosecutor Carpenter heading a committee to "investigate" a fascist raid in which Carpenter himself played a leading, in fact the leading, part. Governor Gardner does not even indulge in the formalities of Governor Fuller, one of the vilest instruments of the capitalist class of this country, in the murder of Sacco and Vanzetti. Fuller appointed associate murderers, Lowell, Grant and Stratton, to pretend to pass upon the procedure of Judge Thayer. Not even the blood-streaked Fuller appointed Thayer to pass upon his own acts.

The appointment of Carpenter to investigate the mob that he led amounts to a public announcement that Governor Gardner has set his official seal of approval upon any and all murderous attacks that may be made against the workers. Developments of the past forty-eight hours in Gastonia and vicinity mean that all pretense to capitalist legality has been abolished and that a wholesale orgy of murder is being openly and brazenly prepared, with the governor of the state as the chief instigator.

The nature of the preparations for the next murder attack is of great historical significance. It proves that the ruling class that has, through its relentless exploitation of every member of thousands upon thousands of working class families, brought about conditions where the workers would fether face terror and death than longer endure the slavery of the mills. In spite of the blood-thirsty yelping of the "workers" press, the Gastonia (Gazette, the Charlotte News and other such journals, the masses cannot be led to take mob action against the strikers and strike leaders. The ruling class itself has to bribe special corps of gunmen and personally lead them in attacks upon their own working class. Carpenter, representative of Governor Gardner, has charged with direction of the attack upon strike leaders immediately after the mistrial and the dismissal of the jury.

The disarming of the workers comes on the eve of the mass meeting that is to be held today at South Gastonia. At the same time, the police raise all the arms and munitions of workers they can lay their hands on, they themselves openly establish a veritable arsenal in the tent colony behind the Workers International Relief tent colony where the meeting is to be held. In order to prepare further the massacre the press vigorously strive to incite a lynch mob against the Communist Party of the United States.

The Communist Party has announced determination to hold a rally in South Gastonia next Saturday they do it at their own risk. That in the mind from the good people of the community who have been complaining about as long as they can stand it.

There is but one power at this moment that stands between the workers of Gastonia and a sanguinary massacre and that is their own power to defend themselves. It is to be hoped that thousands of workers will mobilize in such numbers and, if attacked, defend themselves with such determination, that fascism in North Carolina will receive a staggering blow from which it will not soon recover.

Every class conscious worker, every revolutionary will today bravely await the news from the battle front at Gastonia, and will stand by the police and workers until they have defeated the mill owners and their fascist bands.

While these workers, men, women and children are daily facing death on the firing line, the very least that workers elsewhere can do is to see that they have funds with which to carry on the fight. Every dollar collected goes to be taken for the joint drive of the International Labor Defense and Workers International Relief for funds to enable the fight to be carried on to a victorious conclusion.

## Mitten Green Office Workers Start at Wall Speakers at Union Activities at the Education Meet Roof Dance This Eve

The New England Labor Congress to be held in October in Worcester under the auspices of the A. F. of L. Bureaucracy's Workers' Educational Bureau, receives the support of the mayor, the chamber of commerce, and has as chief speaker was D. Young, author of the county plan for German reparations, head of the General Electrical, and partner of Morgan. T. F. Litten, owner of the bus blacklist in Philadelphia and the capitalist drive to unionize the carmen, is another speaker.

President Green and Vice-President Matthew Wolf will be there.

The first of the organizational activities which the Office Workers' Union is planning for the coming season, the Fall Roof Garden Dance, will take place at the Heckscher Foundation, 104th St. and Fifth Ave., this evening. John C. Smith's Negro Orchestra will furnish the music and the union girls will furnish the refreshments. One-tenth of the proceeds go to the Gastonia defense.

**2,500 Leather Workers  
in Lower Austria Strike**

(Wireless by "Inprocor")  
VIENNA, Sept. 13.—Two thousand five hundred leather workers are striking here and in lower Austria for wage increases. The employers are threatening an all-Austria leather lockout.

**U.S.R. ORDERS 7 SHIPS**  
LONDON, Sept. 12.—The Soviet Government is reported to have contracted a contract of \$300,000 to an American firm to build seven ships, including two experimental trawlers.

## Gastonia Strikers, Organizer, Victims of Thugs



Left to right are C. M. Zell, Ben Wells, and C. Saylor, who the Manville-Jencks mill thugs, led by Carpenter and Bulwinkle, leaders of the prosecution attempting to railroad 16 strikers and organizers to death, kidnaped in the reign of terror in which they planned to murder all organizers of the National Textile Workers Union in Gastonia.

## FLAY TERRORISM ASKS POWER FOR OF THE NEGROES STRIKE BREAKING

### Call for Mass Protest Against Hoover Act at Harlem Red Nights

Declaring that the breaking up of Communist Party meetings in Harlem by the police is part of the policy of the capitalist class to keep the Negro masses in subjection, Comrade William W. Weinstone, Communist candidate for mayor, in a statement issued last night, calls upon the Negro and white workers to fight against race discrimination under the leadership of the Communist Party. The statement reads as follows:

The violence of the New York police in breaking up election rallies of the Communist Party of the U. S. A. in the Negro sections of Harlem, going even to the point of threatening to shoot the Negro workers who defended their right to freedom of speech, is not a casual incident of arbitrary action by the police. It is part of the systematic attempt by the capitalist class to intimidate and suppress the Negro workers that are beginning to understand in ever greater numbers the necessity for following the Communist leadership in order to secure full economic, political and social equality. It is part of the settled policy of the exploiting class to perpetuate race discrimination, dividing the ranks of the working class, and to prevent the development of class solidarity among the black and white workers for a united

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## 3,000 WORKERS DEFEND MEETING

### Broken by Police After Zionist Attack Fails.

After several hundred Jewish fascists and socialists were unable to break up a Communist Party open air meeting at Stone and Pitkin Aves., Brooklyn, Thursday night which was defended by an iron ring of members of the Workers Guard, the police were called upon to attack the demonstration against British imperialism and its Zionist ally. The meeting was attended by more than 3,000 workers.

The police charged, brutally hitting left and right. More than a score of workers were severely beaten, one having his head cut open and another left lying unconscious. The police refused him any medical attention. Six workers were arrested including Harold Williams, Negro District Organizer of the Communist Party.

**Reign of Terror.**  
For several hours afterward a reign of terror prevailed in the working class section of Brownsville.

The fascists attempted to break up the meeting until 10:45 without success, when they called upon the

**HOW THE PROFITS GO.**  
PARIS, Sept. 13.—Jean Weber, French barber who has clipped the heads of thousands of Americans, has just returned from London, where he curled the hair of a wealthy American woman who telephoned him to fly over.

## ANGLO-AMERICAN NAVAL PACT OFF STIMSON STATES

### Will Call Conference of Five Powers on Armaments

### New Pacifist Drive MacDonald Visit Here Empty Gesture

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The pacifist offensive of the United States government to conceal its preparations for another world war, entered a new stage today when Secretary of State Stimson announced that Anglo-American naval armaments is ready for consideration at a conference of all interested powers.

The expectation is that the United States government will invite four other powers, France, Italy, Japan and Great Britain, to participate in the conference.

At the same time it was announced that no agreement would be concluded between the two chief imperialist rivals, Great Britain and the United States. The long "conversations" between Charles G. Dawes, American ambassador to England, and Premier Ramsay MacDonald, of the labor imperialist government, "cannot lead" to any

## SOVIET FLIERS ON COAST OF SIBERIA

### FSU Plans Receptions in 4 U. S. Cities

NIKOLAYEVSK-ON-AMUR, U. S. S. R., Sept. 12.—The monoplane Land of the Soviets, en route from Moscow via Siberia and Alaska, arrived here today from Khabarovsk, from which it placed it departed this morning.

The four Soviet airmen headed by A. Shestakof, crack flyer of the Red Army, who are bringing greetings and expressions of solidarity from the workers and peasants of the U. S. S. R. to the workers and farmers of the United States, have covered more than one-third of their 13,000 mile flight.

The Friends of the Soviet Union are planning working class receptions for the Land of the Soviets crew in Seattle, San Francisco, Chicago and New York, at all of which points the fliers are scheduled to stop.

In addition, workers from Boston, Detroit, Philadelphia, speaking at the final conference of the reception committee on Sept. 9, made requests to have the Soviet emissaries visit their cities before returning to the first workers' republic.

At the conference the ways and means committee reported that the tractor campaign was proceeding very favorably, many organizations having pledged themselves to collect funds.

## Utilize the Chicago Trial to Spread Gaston Defense Drive

### On Way to Judge Lyle's Court Defendants Rally Workers for Aid

"Workers throughout the nation are responding instinctively and in increasing numbers to the support of the textile strikers and organizers facing death in the electric chair in North Carolina. This is the direct result of the attempted lynching and the beatings of strike organizers by the fascist 'Black Hundred,' as well as the utter failure of the mill barons' prosecution to support their murder charges with the least tangible evidence."

## Millmen's Aid



Governor O. Max Gardner, of North Carolina, who insists that Solicitor Carpenter, definitely identified as a leader of the recent bloody attacks of the mill houses' thugs in Charlotte, Bessemer City, Gastonia and Dallas, will now make an "impartial" investigation of these attacks.

## REPORT CHINESE WARLORDS RAID

### Nanking Puts It, 'Hard Fighting on Border'

The Kuomin news agency, which is a propaganda organ of Chiang Kai-shek's Nanking government, reported today that there was again "severe fighting on the Pogranichnaya front." Unless this is a sheer invention it indicates that the mercenaries of the Mukden government have tried another raid over the border.

It is doubted, however, because the latest announcements from the Chinese war lords admitted that their troops at Pogranichnaya were so shattered by their decisive defeat during their last attempts to raid into the U. S. S. R. Sunday and Monday, that the lines had been withdrawn 40 miles from the border town to the vicinity of Mullin.

## SOPHIE MELVIN VISITS NEW YORK

Sophie Melvin, 19-year-old member of the Young Communist League and one of the 16 defendants in the Gastonia murder trial, who arrived in New York yesterday will be welcomed at a banquet to be held at the Workers Center, 26-23 Union Square, tomorrow at 8 p. m.

The program in addition to speeches by members of the Communist Party and the Young Communist League will include dancing and other features.

This will be the first time that Melvin has been in New York since she was charged with murder after the police attack on the Workers International Relief tent colony in Gastonia, June 7, and a large turnout to welcome her is expected. Tickets for the banquet are 50 cents.

## Cross for Schneider Racer; Another Set to Bomb Arab Rebels

LONDON, Sept. 13.—King George will confer the air force cross on flying officer Waghorn, who won the imperialist Schneider cup races for Britain last Saturday. Another of the jingo pilots who participated in the competition with fascist Italy, Lieutenant Greig, will be ordered to Palestine for bombing the Arab revolutionists, according to reports.

The total cost of Schneider races for Britain, Italy, France and the United States—the latter two powers withdrew because of inability to prepare seaplanes in time—is estimated at \$15,000,000 or more.

## POLICE PREDICT LYNCHING AT GASTONIA RALLY TODAY; DISARM WORKERS IN RAIDS

### N. T. W. Determined to Hold Meeting Today; Caroline Drew Framed on Liquor Charge

### Arrest Witnesses Before Hearing on Lynch Leaders; ILD Prepares Habeas Corpus Writs

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 13.—Interpretation placed on the warrant issued today for the arrest of eight union and I. L. D. organizers outlaws completely the National Textile Workers' Union, the Communist Party and the International Labor Defense.

Membership in these organizations is a crime, according to this "impartial" court's interpretation, and any meeting held by them is a crime. Similar warrants are to be issued for the arrest of all other union organizers.

The warrant charges that the eight arrested, "and divers other evilly disposed persons to the affiants unknown unlawfully and feloniously combined to conspire and agreed together to hold public meetings in places in Mecklinberg and Gaston County and in the town of Gastonia, on Saturday, Sept. 14, and at diverse other times and places for the purpose of disseminating the doctrines of Communism in order to overthrow by force the government in the counties aforesaid and to that end, and in furtherance of said unlawful and felonious combination, etc., heavily armed themselves with a number of deadly weapons . . . and with large quantities of ammunition for the purpose of feloniously assaulting and killing any and all persons who might be assembled at any of said meetings and more particularly in the meetings advertised by them . . . to be held in South Gastonia on Saturday, for the purpose of opposing the above mentioned conspirators assembled to carry out their unlawful conspiracy and agreement to disseminate . . . at said meetings, the said doctrine of Communism for the purpose of overthrowing the government.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 13.—Returning from a successful union meeting in North Charlotte where a powerful workers' defense corps was on guard, R. M. Lell and C. D. Saylor, whose kidnaping is being investigated "impartially" by Solicitor Carpenter, one of the ringleaders of the attack, were arrested together with six other union and International Labor Defense organizers and charged with "meeting and conspiring for the purpose of publicly disseminating the doctrine of Communism, in order to overthrow by force the existing government of the state of North Carolina."

## PRESS JOINS IN FASCIST TRAIN

(Special to the Daily Worker.)  
CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 13.—That the latest murderous attack upon the National Textile Workers' Union and the International Labor Defense was deliberately planned by the prosecution in the Gastonia case who are demanding the lives of 13 organizers, is proved by the fact that they tipped off all reporters of the most reactionary capitalist newspapers.

The first edition of the Charlotte Observer printed before the raid was finished, told the story as though it were a spontaneous uprising of the "anti-red" workers.

The reporters were familiar with all details of the vicious attack before it took place.

Joseph Shaplen of the New York Times, and John Leary, of the World, had made reservations to leave early last evening but canceled their reservations obviously to await the outcome of the raid which they must have been told about in the afternoon by the prosecution.

This afternoon they refused to listen to Wells' story of how he was beaten into insensibility, saying, "We don't want to hear a movie thriller," and walked out. The Charlotte Observer reporters and photographers were taken along on the raid.

The Charlotte News this afternoon published an editorial giving its approval of the vicious attack of the fascist mill gang. It says that the "Anti-red" demonstration represents the breaking point of the patience and forbearance of those who have been outraged by the spread of the Communist gospel. Speeches by the leaders of this miserable company intended to maliciously stir up trouble.

"Speeches which are leveled not only against capitalist interests, but having to do with social equality between the whites and blacks, inflammatory with derision against the institutions held sacred by Anglo-Saxons, have been made in Gastonia and Charlotte and have produced naught. The outbreak last night was the delayed reaction from these speeches of the Communists spreading their vile and vicious breath among us.

Build Up the United Front of the Working Class From the Bottom Up—at the Enterprises!

# FLAY TERRORISM OF THE NEGROES BY THE POLICE

## Call for Mass Protest at Harlem Red Nights

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In recent months we have seen a systematic policy of terror being waged against Negro workers in various sections of the city. The police, following the dictates of their capitalist masters, upon the slightest pretext are giving to the Negro workers a full dose of white chauvinism, as shown by the outrageous shooting of a Negro taxicab driver, the manhandling of a Negro woman who dared to take a seat on the sidewalk in Coney Island, the shooting of a Negro in Brooklyn because he asserted his right to a seat on an elevated train, the unprovoked systematic raids on Negro homes in Harlem which have become established police practice in recent weeks.

The responsibility for the interferences with the election mass meetings in Negro Harlem, the terrorism, segregation, high rents, must be laid at the door of the democratic and republican parties and their socialist henchmen, who treat the Negroes as outlaws who are to be violently mishandled on every occasion when the Negro masses assert their right to be treated as human beings.

The violence in Harlem, the fear expressed by the capitalist parties that control the police department, is due to the growing discontent among the Negro masses with the oppressive conditions under which they live. The discontent springs from the fact that Negro Harlem with its 200,000 population is one of the worst slum centers in the entire country. The Negro workers are compelled to live in vile tenements at rents that cut deeply into their meagre wages. The death rate in Negro Harlem is 55 per cent higher than in any other section of the city. They are denied opportunities to secure proper employment as a living wage for the first time, and the Negro workers are in addition subjected to Jim Crowism and to all gross and petty tyrannies of the slavering capitalist system.

The Negro masses of Harlem are growing conscious to the fact that this situation is due to the capitalist system and to the political parties, Democrat, republican and socialist, which are supporters of the present system. By means of violence, by breaking up meetings, by arrests, by terrorism, the capitalists hope to intimidate the Negro workers into silence. In this the capitalist parties will not be successful.

The Communist Party in the present election addresses itself to the Negro masses and declares that now more than ever before must they organize themselves under the banner of the Communist Party to fight for full economic, political and social equality. The Communist Party calls upon Negro and white workers for a united struggle against race discrimination and for the overthrow of the capitalist system.

We call upon the Negro and white workers not to yield one single inch in maintaining their rights of freedom of speech, assembly and organization for the defense of their interests. We call upon them to come in masses to the Communist rallies tonight in Harlem to protest against the police brutality and terrorism; to assert their right to the use of the streets for public meetings; and to declare their support of the Communist Party.

The Communist Party will unflinchingly conduct a struggle for the rights of the Negro masses as it fights for the rights of all oppressed against the Wallers and LaGuardias of the parties of big business, against the Thomases, the capitalist traitors, that have forsaken the struggle for the Negro masses and that are tools of the imperialism to deceive the Negro and white working masses in regard to their interests, to destroy their organizations, to leave them in the lurch in the decisive moment.

Only the Communist Party, Section of the Communist International can conduct a struggle determinedly and under all conditions for the rights of the oppressed peoples, for the self-determination of the Negro masses where they are a majority, for the liberation of the peoples living under the iron heel of imperialism in India, China, Egypt, Palestine, Africa, for the common struggle of the white and Negro masses for their liberation from imperialist oppression and slavery.

The open Communist Campaign rallies will be held at the following street corners: 140th St. and Seventh Ave.; 142 St. and Lenox Ave.; 137th St. and Seventh Ave.; 132nd St. and Seventh Ave.; and 128th St. and Lenox Ave.

Among the speakers will be William Z. Foster; Otto Hall, candidate for Comptroller; Abraham Markoff; Harold Williams; Fanny Austin, candidate from 21st Aldermanic District; Richard B. Moore, candidate for State Congressman; Rebecca Green, candidate for Assemblyman; Gilbert Green; Robert Minor; Juliet Stuart-Porter; candidate for president, Borough of Bronx; William W. Weinstein, candidate for Mayor; J. Louis Engdahl, candidate President, Borough of Manhattan.

# Gastonia Defendants to Speak Despite Terror



The Gastonia mill strikers will hold their huge mass meeting Saturday despite the fascist terror on the part of the Manville-Jencks mill thugs and officials who are carrying out a reign of terror. Vera Bush, Amy Schechter and Sophie Melvin (left to right, above), three of the organizers whom the mill bosses would like to send to electrocution. Schechter and Bush will speak.

## Labor Notes

**ANOTHER A. F. L. SELLOUT.** Bus drivers, who struck last week when 22 of their number were fired for joining the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and Chauffeurs, were ordered back to work yesterday by Joseph P. Ryan, president of the Central Trade and Labor Council of the A. F. of L.

The veteran labor faker notified the Tompkins Bus Corporation of Staten Island that the demands for a nine-hour day, six-day week, double pay for overtime and a wage of \$45 a week, were completely relinquished. At present drivers work seven days a week at from 67 to 73 cents an hour.

**MORE STRIKEBREAKING.** LAWRENCE, Mass.—An injunction against ostentatious rank and filers who fight the defeatist policies of the reactionary Shoe Workers Protective Union, was demanded by Thomas M. Downing, president of District Council 1.

The injunction sought, would restrain anybody but Norman J. Ware, the business agent who agrees so thoroughly with the union's policies, "from inducing or attempting to induce any members of the sticher local to leave employment or go on strike against any shoe manufacturer." The hearing comes up next Tuesday.

**DEMAND FIVE-DAY WEEK.** SEATTLE, Wash.—Forced by rank and file pressure, the national convention of the International Typographical Union went on record yesterday, as demanding the five-day week. No plans for struggle, however, were mentioned.

**3000 Workers Defend Communist Party Meet** (Continued from Page One)

police for assistance. The worker who was knocked unconscious by the policemen's clubs is Sam Cohen.

**Big Bronx Meeting.** A successful exposure of British imperialism and its Zionist allies took place at a meeting held at Ohlville and Allerton Ave., the Bronx, at which more than 1,000 workers demonstrated their solidarity with the Arabian masses in their fight against British imperialism.

Police and Zionist fascists last night smashed a Communist Party open air meeting at 10th St. and Second Ave., attended by over 500 workers.

When B. Lewis, a Negro Communist was speaking at the 10th St. and Second Ave. meeting, Jewish fascists and socialists attempted time after time to break up the working class rally. Although they got reinforcements several times, until their numbers were more than 200, they also sent in a call for the police reserves, who with clubs upraised, surrounded the platform where Lewis was speaking.

One of the Zionists shouted to the police, "Stop the meeting." The police, following the orders of the fascists, pushed Lewis off the platform and dispersed the workers.

**DRESS WORKERS COLLECT FOR GASTONIA DEFENSE.** Workers in the Fancy Dress Shop, of 307 West Thirty-eighth St., New York City, held a shop collection for Gastonia, in view of the new attempt to lynch the organizers and kill the National Textile Workers' Union in the South, collected \$35.30 yesterday.

**WORKERS CALENDAR**

- PENNSYLVANIA** Benefit of Section 3. Hedgeway Players will stage "Lullaby" on Saturday, Sept. 21, for the benefit of Section 3, District 3, Communist Party of U.S.A.
- Phila. Anti-Fascist Aid Strikers.** An entertainment arranged by the Anti-Fascist Alliance to help the strikers of Gastonia, N. C. will be held Saturday evening, Sept. 14, at the University Theatre, 130 1/2 Center St. All comrades invited.
- Show "Visit to U.S.S.R."** "A Visit to U.S.S.R." a film showing the life of the workers and peasants under Soviet rule, will be shown at the New Rivolt Theatre, Forth St., Pa., under the auspices of the Workers' International Relief for the benefit of the Gastonia strikers and the blacklisted miners. E. F. Cuth, member of the United States rank and file delegation to the U.S.S.R., will speak.
- Illinois** Chicago Banana Stalk Ball. The Joint Defense and Relief Committee of the International Labor Defense and the Workers' International Relief will hold a banana-stalk ball Sept. 14 at the University Theatre, 130 1/2 Center St., Chicago. A feature of which will be a display of costly banana stalks used on workers' heads by police at the August First demonstration.
- MARYLAND** Gastonia Tag Day. A tag day to aid the Gastonia defense will be held by the Philadelphia Gastonia Defense and Relief Committee in Baltimore Sept. 14.
- OHIO** Celebrate Soviet Anniversary. The Tenth Anniversary of the Communist Party of the U. S. A. will be celebrated Sept. 14 at 8 p. m. at the University Theatre, Forth St., Pa., under the auspices of Section Two of the Communist Party and Branch Two of the Young Communist League.
- Cleveland Picnic Winners.** Winners of picnic at the District

# UTILIZE CHICAGO TRIAL TO SPREAD GASTON DEFENSE

## Workers Responding Thruout Country

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bers of the International Labor Defense, in the court of Judge John H. Lyle. This trial was utilized to strengthen the Gastonia defense in the principal centers between New York and Chicago, thru mass meetings, I. L. D. membership meetings and consultation with local I. L. D. officials.

"It was the utter collapse of the mill owners' prosecution and the desperate resort to mob action by the fascist lynching party of the mill bosses, superintendents and hired thugs, that the capitalist press could not hide, that has finally aroused labor throughout the nation to a real fighting pitch," says Engdahl, who was in Chicago on the day of the attack by the Manville-Jencks "Black Hundred" on the strike organizers, Wells, Saylor and Lell.

"Up to the opening of the Gastonia case at Charlotte the capitalist press had tried to hide or misrepresent the news from the South," he said. "The workers generally were not clear as to what the issues really were. The trial has made these crystal clear. The blood-thirsty 'Black Hundred' of the Manville-Jencks Corporation, with its resort to lynch law, has helped to spread the fighting spirit of the Southern textile workers, shown on the night of June 7th, to wide sections of the whole working class."

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**Fired for Not Paying Hauge Graft in N. J.** JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 13.—Refusing to canvass voters and pay three cents annual "tribute" to the Hauge democratic organization, Otto Uhl was dismissed as electrician at City Hospital. Uhl testified at the New Jersey Civil Service Commission today.

Illness had made it impossible for him to continue the graft after four years, he explained.

Uhl's case is typical throughout New Jersey, where the lowest paid laborer to the highest salaried bureaucrat is forced to support the graft-ridden regime exposed at the McAllister legislative commission.

**"Daily" Freiheit Push Plans for Huge Bazaar** At the Daily Worker-Freiheit Bazaar Conference, which was held Tuesday, almost 100 delegates were present, representing trade unions, Workers' Circle branches, Work-200, also sent in a call for the police reserves, who with clubs upraised, surrounded the platform where Lewis was speaking.

In all the centers visited there is increasing activity among the Negro workers. This was especially encouraging in the steel mills of the Gary and Buffalo districts.

**PROBE PLANE CRASH.** ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Sept. 13.—A senatorial investigation of the fatal crash of the T. A. T. plane, City of San Francisco, on Mount Taylor will be demanded by Senator Sam G. Bratton of New Mexico, he announced here today.

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**INDIANA** Gary Picnic. A joint picnic of the International Labor Defense and the Trade Union Unity League of the Calumet District will be held Sept. 15 at the Workers' Platform, East Gary. Delegates from the steel mills to the Cleveland convention will speak.

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA** Collect for Gastonia Strikers. A house-to-house collection will be held in Washington by the Joint Gastonia Defense and Relief Committee, September 14.

**NEW JERSEY** Paterson Textile Dance. The first annual concert and dance of the National Textile Workers Union will be held at the Union Hall, 305 Paterson St., 8 p. m., September 14. The concert program will include piano selections and a play by the Paterson Pioneers.

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**PHILADELPHIA** ALL ORGANIZATIONS ARE ASKED TO TAKE NOTE THAT THANKSGIVING EVE IS TAKEN FOR THE DAILY WORKER BALL AT LULU TEMPLE

# Arabs Here Join Revolt Against Imperialist Oppression



Tiberias, Palestine, where the Arabs have joined their oppressed fellow-workers in the revolt against the British imperialists and Zionists who oppress them.

## Foster to Speak at Tailors Conference Here Tomorrow Morn

William Z. Foster, general secretary of the Trade Union Unity League, will be the principle speaker at the shop delegate conference called by the Amalgamated Section, T. U. U. L. which will be held tomorrow at 11 a. m. at Stuyvesant Casino, Second Ave. and Ninth St. The conference will discuss and act on the question of mobilizing the rank and file members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union against the Sidney Hillman clique which now controls the organization.

Other speakers at the conference will be Ben Gold, secretary, Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union; Sam Lipzitz, S. Weisman and A. Oswald.

**Grafting Exposed.** The amount of graft and corruption within the Amalgamated has been disclosed as the result of a fight between two right wing groups in the organization. A Yanofsky, business agent of the Vestmokers' Trade Board was accused of accepting graft from contractors. An investigating committee was elected, but Yanofsky did not appear before it. In fact, he even stopped coming to the union office at 35 W. 15th St. The committee then went to his home, where Yanofsky stated that he is a "sick man" and does not know anything about graft. In the next breath he admitted that his son-in-law "borrowed" \$1,000 from a contractor 11 years ago, adding that he had nothing to do with the transaction. The Yanofsky group in the union headed by Peter Montat, secretary of the Vestmokers' Trade Board, appointed another of their henchmen named Weinstein as business agent in place of Yanofsky. Then B. Margolis, leader of an opposition right wing group in the union, charged that the entire Montat-Yanofsky administration is a group of graft, and has been for more than 11 years. The investigating committee, then "investigated" the charges and whitewashed Montat and his associates. The committee were all members of the Montat administration.

**Petty Swindlers Found in Mail-Selling Again** Both under heavy bail on charges of using the mails to defraud by selling Airvia Transportation Company stock through a Broadway firm, Arthur H. Montgomery and Gerald Tiffany were found to have new brokerage offices under the names of the Merritt H. Gray Company of 68 William St. yesterday. They were again using the offices to get rich by mail methods, federal agents said.

The raid forms part of the alleged federal "clean-up" organized against petty swindlers largely to ally popular disgust of the graft-ridden city administration exposed in the City Trust Company crash.

**Ontario Lignite Find Will Affect US Miners** TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 12.—Discovery of a coal deposit containing from 7,000,000 to 10,000,000 tons of lignite at Blacksmith Rapids on the Abitibi River by the Ontario Department of Mines is reported today by Premier Ferguson.

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Toronto Police Suppress Organ of Canadian Communist Party; Threaten Printer

FACE CHARGES FOR 'SEDITION'; SMASH MEETINGS

Brutal Police Terror Rages Against Labor

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 13.—A violent campaign of government repression against the Communist Party of Canada reached a climax when police raided a local printing plant and confiscated every current issue of the Worker, official Party organ, as it came off the press.

The raid followed stubborn resistance of the Party to police terror organized to smash its fight for free speech and freedom of the streets. Five workers face sedition charges arising from their participation in the campaign.

Ruthless Suppression. The charge, a sharp instrument of class suppression in Canada, was invoked against the workers in the Winnipeg General Strike in 1919.

Six workers face jail terms following their arrest at mass demonstrations. Meyer Klig is serving a two months' sentence for the customary charge of "obstructing the police."

The sedition charge is also being used against a local printer for printing a leaflet demanding free speech and free assembly.

Savage brutality marks every demonstration organized in Queens Park, where most of the arrests occurred under the direct supervision of the loyalist Police Chief Draper, who systematically breaks every demonstration with mounted and foot police.

The struggle was intensified with the jailing early this year of Arov Vaara, editor of "Vaara," Finnish Communist paper in Sudbury, center of the Wood nickel mines. Vaara was recently released after serving six months for sedition. He was also forced to pay \$21,000 fine.

Deposition is threatened against non-Canadian active in the fight. Only the mass protest of the Canadian Labor Defense in conjunction with the Communist Party saved the British workers Joe Farby and Sam Langley from immediate deportation, although they are out only on the sufferance of the Dominion Government.

Refrainists Aid Suppression. Following the lead of the liberal press, social democrats in trade unions wildly plead for "greater" treatment of the Communists on the grounds that they should be allowed "let off steam."

The Tory press demands rigid application of the 1918 sedition laws—as in the case of the Montreal Gazette and the Toronto Globe, which editorially campaigned for "deportation—a simply remedy" to "quell the troublemakers."

British Steel Merger First Unit in Trust; Snowden Aids Owners

A great merger of British iron and steel firms has been completed in the Northwest coast district of the industry, say capitalist press correspondents. It is under the leadership of Sir Arthur Dorman.

The chief firms in the amalgamation are Dorman, Long & Co., and Bolckow, Vaughan & Co., both of Middlesbrough, who, together with a number of other firms between the Tyne and the Tees, will bring the greater part of the steel and iron production of the district under one control.

Dorman issued a statement yesterday to the press, saying this is the first of a contemplated four-unit trust to monopolize the industry. The other units will cover South Wales, Midland and Scotland.

Use Labor Party. He stated that the prospects of re-conquering foreign markets due to the assistance of the labor party finance minister Snowden at the Hague conference, would be good this year.

Snowden served British iron and steel owners by combating German reparations in kind as a payment of the tribute levied under the Young Plan.

British steel workers wages are not to be raised, however.

Austro-Reich Fascists Mobilize for Field Day

VIENNA, Sept. 13.—The so-called Austrian Front Soldiers' Day occurred Sept. 13-15. Great detachments of the German Stahlhelm (black) organizations preparing to attack.

The day will see a great fratricidal war of Austro-German fascists. The German fascist member of the Reichstag, Dr. Goebbels, spoke yesterday in a Heilmwehr meeting.

With regard to Goebbels' threat to send the Reich's banner to Austria should the Heilmwehr become too insolent, he declared that Stahlhelm wouldn't permit such action.

Hold Up the United Front of the Working Class From the Bottom Up—at the Enterprises!

Wall St. and Death Stalk Hand in Hand Here



Wall Street has appointed Theodore Roosevelt as governor of Porto Rico—to continue the enslavement of the Porto Rican workers and peasants and to starve more tens of thousands of them to death. A typical home of a Porto Rican worker—a thatched hut of reeds and mud.

ARREST EIGHT IN CHARLOTTE

Disarm Workers, Prepare for Lynching

(Continued from Page One) Hugo Oehler, southern organizer of the National Textile Workers' Union declared, adding that the "people" whom Sheriff Lineberger declares he will be unable to restrain, are none other than the mill owners' hirelings, and not at all the working population.

The six organizers arrested together with Lell and Saylor are Dewey Martin, John Gibson, Taylor Shytle, Edward Ritch, Paul Shepard and George Saul, an International Labor Defense organizer.

Preliminary to Massacre. The arrested organizers as well as other active unionists kept arms in their houses to protect themselves against the bosses' gang who have repeatedly threatened to lynch them.

Frank Fortner when he fired a volley of shots drove off a lynching party which stormed his house in Dallas.

The raid to disarm the workers is similar to the plan of the June 7th attack upon the tent colony in Gastonia, when police led by Chief Aderholt served as legal shock troops to take away the guards' arms as a preliminary to the arrival of the Manville-Jencks Committee of 100, which was to have followed from the Lory mill to wreck the headquarters and massacre the organizers and members. Only the heroism of the strikers' guard prevented this slaughter.

Charges Piled Up. The eight arrested organizers were arraigned this morning before Judge Shaw who is presiding at the "investigation" and charged with "arming themselves with the purpose of feloniously assaulting and killing authorities who interfere with their meetings Saturday at South Gastonia and combining against the peace and dignity of the state." The sedition charge was later added. International Labor Defense attorneys are preparing habeas corpus writs to try to release them.

The raid last night was flagrant in the investigation to intimidate witnesses in the attempt of the leaders of the bosses' black hundred. Fourteen Gastonia mill superintendents, hirelings and police officers, were among those warrants had been sworn against on the basis of testimony presented by Saylor, Lell, Mrs. Lodge and scores of other witnesses of the atrocities committed by the millmen's gang.

Proceedings Stop. Of course there was no need for habeas corpus proceedings, and the millmen's lackeys were immediately released on bond. They appeared before Judge Shaw this morning, but the proceedings were stopped because Saylor and Lell, principal witnesses had been jailed. Obviously, this was one purpose of last night's raid and arrests. Needless to say, two of the ringleaders identified by Saylor and other witnesses, namely Carpenter and Bulwinkle, head of the prosecution attorneys demanding the chair for the Gastonia defendants, were not arrested. At best, only a few of the lesser lights among the bosses' forces may be made the goats as a gesture of "impartiality" but the real leaders will be un molested.

Organizers here point out that the legal offensive of the bosses, inaugurated yesterday, will be to arrest active unionists on framed up liquor charges, and then add charges of conspiracy to overthrow the government, to kill police, interfering with the law, etc., etc., to hold them inactive in jail and if possible send them to prison.

The same charge of "constructive murder" will be framed against them as is used against the 16 now facing electrocution or long imprisonment. Thus the authorities are preparing a case against the union organizers in expectation that there will be casualties or fatalities when the meeting is attacked tomorrow—or at other meetings in the future.

FASCISM SEEKS TO EXTEND SWAY OVER EGYPTIANS

Would Replace Britain As Official Exploiter

Counting their chickens before they hatch, Italian fascist papers are beginning to speculate on an increase in Italian political and commercial power in North Africa, with the "withdrawal of English imperialism from Egypt." There is some doubt in Italy as to whether the labor party government of Britain really means to withdraw. Cooler heads point to the practical certainty that the MacDonald gestures merely mean riveting British rule under other forms.

But assuming that there will be "Egyptian independence, and campaigning for its vigorous, apparently ready to contest English dominance, even, the Rome press in general points out that Italy now has third place in the Egyptian trade: with 21,190,000 exports from Italy to Egypt which is second place for exports. Strong fascist organizations exist among and terrorize the 70,000 Italians in Egypt. Tripoli lies on one side of Egypt, and Eritrea on the other, both Italian colonies. With a political sphere of influence in Egypt, these could be consolidated, and the dream of conquering Abyssinia, from which earlier Italian imperialism was rudely awakened years ago by the successful resistance of the Abyssinians, could go on again.

ANGLO-AMERICAN NAVAL PACT OFF

(Continued from Page One) agreement between the two powers.

These merely are negotiations between the two powers and will be subject to action of a conference in which others will participate.

This announcement comes as a surprise to the pacifists who pretended to see in the conversations between the spokesmen of the two imperialist powers a step toward limitation of naval arms. The question is now raised regarding the nature of the conversations between Dawes and MacDonald that were heralded as disarmament talks. It is pointed out here that these conversations occurred simultaneously with the opening of the imperialist offensive against the Soviet Union and probably dealt with joint action in support of the attacks of the Kuomintang government against the workers' and peasants' state.

Strive for Advantage. The limitation of armaments gestures are merely attempts, on the part of the conflicting imperialist powers, to impose arms cuts upon their rivals while they build greater forces of destruction for the next world war they are preparing. The fact that the state department is to invite France, Italy and Japan indicates that American imperialism will endeavor to bring these powers closer to its own policies and attempt to align them against British imperialist policy.

The discussions between Great Britain and the United States, have, according to Secretary of State Stimson, been on the basis of total naval tonnage.

It was assumed from the manner in which Stimson stated the proposition that efforts to obtain material reduction in cruiser tonnage have failed and that the United States must build all of the vessels recently authorized by congress.

It would be a great mistake, Stimson said, to be led along by the fact that the greatest difficulties occurred on details, into believing those details were the most important part of the Negotiations. He was referring to the prominence given the discussion of cruiser tonnage.

Because the difficulties have been greatest in a single class of ships, Stimson continued, the papers have

FAKERS DON'T WORRY STICK TOGETHER AND WIN AT THE THOMPSON STEEL

Carpenter Misleaders Ignore Workers

(By a Worker Correspondent) The Daily Worker is doing great work for the workers and one who knows the difficulties of running a stand it. The splendid fight you are making for the Southern workers is truly wonderful, and who one knows the South and the backward condition of labor below the Mason and Dixie Line.

Have just passed through that section on the way north from Florida and words cannot describe the conditions under which working men and women and children are driven. It is as bad as before the Civil War. Slaves were better off, as the boss had to feed them and was sure to keep them in working condition. Now he don't have to worry over how they are, for there are more in the hills ready to earn more money, as many in the South don't know what real money looks like.

In Philadelphia I gathered some pretty good suits of clothes and sent them on to Gastonia, and will do the same thing here, but if that bum, Hutchinson, or any of his tools should get word of it, it would cost me my card, so we American workers have to sneak to do what we should be proud of in helping fellow-workers.

There are a few plants running in Detroit. Go out to Chevrolet and they may give you a job—1½ hours a night. The Kelsey Wheel Co. will give you the same privilege. Or take a turn down by Terstedt and they'll honor you with a 13-hour shift!

This is but one answer to this wholesale unemployment and speed-up. Cut the working day to seven hours and the week to five days. Cut down production so that the workers have enough energy left at the day's end to take in a show or play baseball. Spread the output through the year, instead of having a burst for a month or two and then a long, long period of unemployment. How can we get this? Only by the way in which the miners, railroadmen and textile workers get it—join the union! Divided, we are sped up, thrown out of jobs, have our wages cut; united we can work like men, play like men, live like men. Join the union!

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Down the street we hear that Hudson has laid off 7,000. Morgan and Wright tells us that we don't need to apply there for a job. They also are laying off. Chrysler is just getting along with a few workers. No job there.

Out at the Ford Rouge plant a great mob of men stands inside the fence. It is a strong storm fence, used in the stock yards to keep cattle in check. Henry uses it to keep the unemployed in check. But there are no jobs there. Mr. Wilson, former employment manager of the plant, says that there were 2,000 less on the payroll at the end of the spring than there were during the winter. Production engineers in the same period were able to increase Ford production daily from 6,000 to 7,500! And that, auto workers, is the open shop! That—unemployment and increased production—is "prosperity!"

Reports from Pontiac tell of 2,000 would be obtained by replacement. Stimson could not predict when the forthcoming five-power conference would take place but said further progress awaited that conference's action.

Premier MacDonald, he said, will not attempt to carry the Anglo-American understanding further when he visits here next month. The premier's purpose in coming here is merely to call on President Hoover, he said.

Build Up the United Front of the Working Class.

Hold Up the United Front of the Working Class From the Bottom Up—at the Enterprises!

(By a Worker Correspondent) CLEVELAND (By Mail).—I am a worker in the Thomson Steel Co. here. I want to write an incident here.

On Wednesday, July 17, the girls in Dept. 18 went on strike! They got a wage-cut. Instead of their regular 37½ per cent bonus they were going to get 19 per cent bonus. Instead of the 30 cents an hour the girls were going to get 27½ cents an hour, etc.

At noon, instead of going back to work when the bell rang they stayed downstairs. The superintendent came in to speak to them and locked the door. He was afraid the sentiment would spread. The girls would not hear of anything until they were promised their old rates. They stuck together and won! The rest of the day everyone of the workers in the shop were all smiles.

They were promised their old rates! But fellow workers, this is only to keep them quiet. This walk out must be a lesson and a warning to the rest of us. Each department will be cut, but not all at once. This keeps the workers divided and each department thinks it is only their affair!

Wage cuts is the affair of all of us. We all will be cut soon. Don't let them get away with promised! We want results. Now is the time for us to form our shop committee.

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The Fascination of the Bourgeois Class Regime. The Right deny that a general fasciation process of the bourgeois class regime is going on. They tell us that bourgeois democracy is in reality capitalist class dictatorship.

Kautskyite flying of the bourgeois state into "socialism" which is, in reality, nothing but transition to fascism? Another question is, if fasciation is to be estimated as strength or weakness of the bourgeois class rule.

Party Life

In Support of the Comintern and the C. E. C. and Against the Renegades, Splitters, and Conciliators. Adopted by Unit A, Section 4, District 2, August 29, 1929.

The Trade Union Unity Convention and the Lovestone Opposition

By JACK STACHEL

Convention Confirms Line of Party

The Trade Union Unity Convention confirmed the correctness of the line of the Communist International and the application of this line by the leadership of the CPSUA not only in the trade union work but in general.

try. It shows that in spite of the shortcomings in the work there has been a decided improvement in the orientation towards heavy industry and the organization of the unorganized. The new industrial unions though shown to enjoy a tremendous influence among the workers in their industry are still numerically small and have revealed the fact that they have not yet learned how to carry on their work in line with the requirements of the present period.

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FURTHER DISINTEGRATION OF THE TROTSKYIST OPPOSITION.

M. L. Malkin, now in Great Meadows State Prison, who was an active Trotskyite prior to his being sent to jail, has recognized his error in joining the Trotskyite oppositions and fighting against the Communist International, renounces his association to the Trotskyite opposition and requests reinstatement in the Communist Party and the Communist International.

THEN we started the hunger strike, automatically almost. In other words, we had had enough of it, and now we took to saying so, out loud. After all, nothing could be worse than our condition at the time. And if we had to chuck up the sponge, better chuck it up of our own free will than by theirs; at least we could rob them of that satisfaction.