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—JOSEPH STALIN.

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CALL FOR GENERAL STRIKE AGAINST HITLER RULE

Briggs Strikers in Biggest Picket Demonstration of 15,000

RENT STRIKE PICKETS BATTLE MASSES POLICE; PICKET AGAIN TODAY!

Some Evictions Carried Out But Many Stopped; Struggle in Bronx, Brownsville, East Side

Unemployed Council Leaders Singled Out and Slugged; Furniture Carried Back

NEW YORK.—The landlords' association call to Mayor O'Brien and the police department for clubs with which to crack the heads of unemployed tenants bore fruit yesterday, but did not break the rent strikers. Great mobilizations of police, 50 in Brownsville, 75 in the Lower East Side, and about 100 at Bronx Park east, with whole streets blocked off, and riot wagons, mounted police and club swinging, managed some evictions, over the stiff resistance of the workers.

CONFERENCE HITS ELY'S PROPOSALS

Mass. Toilers Unite; For Real Labor Laws

NEW YORK.—The movement for unemployment insurance and labor legislation initiated by the A. F. of L. rank and file committee and endorsed by the preliminary conference of 62 organizations in Irving Plaza Hall, Sunday, Jan. 22, has been given powerful impetus by similar action of working class organizations in Massachusetts. While a conference in Boston issued the call for a State-wide conference in Massachusetts for labor legislation, preparations are being intensified in the state of New York for the New York state-wide conference to take place Feb. 25, 26 and 27 in Albany.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 29.—Meeting in United Front Conference against Governor Ely's proposals for a "moratorium" on labor laws, delegates of 62 working class organizations voiced their determined opposition to the proposed attack on labor and at the same time worked out a program of action calculated to force better conditions for the workers.

CONGRESS BANS HUNGER HEARING

12 Hunger Marches Prepare March 4th

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30.—The present "jammed" session of Congress will take no steps to relieve the misery of the millions of unemployed. The demands of the National Hunger March for immediate federal cash relief and unemployment insurance have been refused a hearing by the House Committee on Ways and Means according to a letter signed by J. W. Collier, chairman and sent to the National Committee of the Unemployed Councils. Collier's letter states that "no further hearings will be held during the short session of Congress, with the exception of one that had already been promised."

Jobless Answer To this brazen indifference to the mass starvation of the unemployed millions, the National Unemployed Councils has answered with the demand that the plans presented by the unemployed at the opening of Congress receive priority over all other issues which will come before the U. S. Congress and that the House Committee inform the workers regarding the nature of the hearing which is being treated as an "exception."

Demonstrate March 4 The National Committee is demanding that Congress hold an open hearing on the Hunger Marchers' petition and calls upon the employed and unemployed workers to back up this demand by more determined mass actions and by letters of protest and resolutions to Roosevelt and the House Committee on Ways and Means. State Hunger Marches backing up this demand and in support of mass demonstrations throughout the country on March 4th have already been held in Oregon, California, Utah, Colorado, Arizona, Washington, Oregon, California, Connecticut, New Mexico, Montana and Minnesota.

Support Feb. 4 Demonstration Against War!

The New York district of the Communist Party greets the call issued a few days ago by the American Committee of Struggle Against Imperialist War for an anti-war demonstration on Saturday, Feb. 4, 12 noon, at Wall and South Sts., and calls upon the workers of New York to rally in thousands to this demonstration.

At the same time, while American imperialism supports Japanese imperialism's drive on the Soviet Union, it sees in Japan's robber war on China a danger to its own imperialist interests. This factor sharpens the antagonism between the United States and Japan, and accelerates the danger of war between these two imperialist countries. Already, extensive war maneuvers of American imperialism are taking place in the Pacific.

Simultaneously, and part of the conflict among the imperialists in the Far East, are the wars now raging in Latin-America, between Bolivia and Paraguay, and Colombia and Peru, which are the direct results of the intensification of the sharpened rivalries between British and American imperialists for the domination of Latin-American markets.

Defend Soviet Union! The danger of war against the Soviet Union grows greater daily. The determination of world imperialism to solve its contradictions by destroying the Soviet Union, thereby bringing back the proletarian fatherland into the sphere of capitalist exploitation, looms greater daily. Through these wars of plunder, American and world imperialism aim to effect the capitalist way out of the crisis, by slaughtering millions of workers, crushing the colonial peoples and enslaving the workers at home.

These war plans of world imperialism are supported by International Social Democracy, including its American section, the Socialist Party of the United States. The Socialist Party leadership, while spitting phrases about fight against war, tacitly supports every war move of American imperialism. Together with the A. F. of L. bureaucracy, it exerts every effort to prevent any effective struggle of the masses against war, thereby objectively aiding the war plans of the American imperialist bandits.

Rally Now! The New York district of the Communist Party appeals to all New York workers, Negro and white, to demonstrate on Feb. 4, at South and Wall Sts., and to rally NOW in a determined and relentless struggle against American imperialism's war preparations, against the Japanese robber war on the Chinese peoples, and in defense of the Latin-American masses, and the Soviet Union. The struggle against imperialism war must be conducted as an integral part of the struggle against unemployment, hunger, evictions and capitalist terror. Only the united mighty struggles of the toilers can stay the hands of the imperialist brigands, defeat the war mongers and achieve the victory of the working class.

Workers, rally to the fight against imperialist war! Demonstrate Feb. 4 at 12 noon!

STUDENTS JOIN ANTI-WAR DRIVE

NEW YORK.—Heeding the urgent appeal for mass anti-war protest, Saturday, the New York District of the National Students League notified the American Committee for Struggle Against War it would participate in a body. The student body in its decision will temporarily adjourn its own convention Saturday so that it may participate, at the scheduled hour—12 noon. The demonstrators will meet at South and Wall Sts. Similarly answering the appeal for strong protest against the imperialist butchery in the Far East and Latin America by the American and Japanese and British imperialists, prominent artists and writers, professional workers and other intellectuals, have notified the American Committee for Struggle Against War they would join in the demonstration.

Margaret Schlauch, professor of English at New York University, who was a delegate to the Amsterdam World Congress Against War, will be

General Political Strike. The Appeal calls upon the workers

At the first session of the Hitler Cabinet, called for 5 p.m. today, the first point on the agenda will be the consideration of repressive measures against the working class, including suppression of the Communist Party. An edict for the suppression of the Communist Party is expected within the next 24 hours. The attitude of the Catholics is indicated by the Center Party, which is prepared to tolerate Hitler, who apparently desires a parliamentary cloak, at least at the outset, in order not unduly to provoke the resistance and in defense of the tactic. This evening's "Vorwarts" uses a variety of radical phrases, but indicated the intention of the socialist party to do nothing, by writing "any drive on the part of a single workers' organization might easily result in exactly the opposite aimed at."

HITLER IN POWER; PLAN NEW TERROR

German Masses in Furious Protest Meetings

ANSWER WITH STRIKES Socialist Leaders Try to Block Resistance

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—It was decided to conduct the fifth annual festival of the German Communist paper, "Der Arbeiter," on Saturday, Feb. 4, in the Labor Temple, 243 E. 84th St., as a mass demonstration against the fascist Hitler government in Germany. Speaker: Max Bedacht of the Central Committee of the Communist Party. All workers are called to come to this meeting to voice their protest against the bloody Hitler government and their solidarity with the fighting working class of Germany.

BERLIN, Jan. 30.—Adolph Hitler, fascist leader, was appointed chancellor of Germany by President von Hindenburg today. Hitler's cabinet was immediately sworn in by the Junkers president. The appointment has caused tremendous excitement among the working-class masses. The first protest strike resolutions are reported from Hamburg, where workers of three docks of the Hamburg-American Line went on strike against the Hitler Cabinet.

The appointment of Hitler reflects the extreme sharp repressing class contradictions and the complete failure of the von Schleicher social maneuverers to alleviate the acute economic crisis of the nation, fighting for one common set of demands—unemployment relief and insurance.

Herndon is jailed in Atlanta, Ga., and every city carries through protest meetings demanding his release. Japan advances in the Far East; U. S. imperialism becomes more aggressive, and in city after city demonstrations are carried through against these sharpening war manifestations.

The Scottsboro case, originating in a previously unheard of town in Alabama, becomes national and even international.

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New York workers: Into Action! Speed up the drive for funds! Extend the Daily's circulation! Let the other districts keep up if they can.

Mass Picketing—Answer of Briggs Strikers



Women workers leading the picket line in the Briggs auto strike in Detroit. The women, whose working conditions were even worse than the men's, are playing an important part in the struggle and are among the most militant fighters.

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THE campaign contributions took a rise, with \$636.46 sent in. This is, however, for two days, Sunday and yesterday. Nevertheless, it shows that a great deal more money can be raised, not once in a while, but every day if work for the drive is carried through properly. For this it is necessary that the leadership in the districts, and every Party member, every reader, every member of a mass organization realize that the danger is real and unless they act immediately, the Daily Worker will be wiped out. This means that TODAY, NOW, COLLECT, CONTRIBUTE AND RUSH EVERY CENT TO THE DAILY WORKER, 50 E. 13th ST., NEW YORK CITY.

DEMONSTRATION AT UNION SQUARE FOR SCOTTSBORO RELEASE; MARCH

NEW YORK.—Nearly 1,000 workers responded to the call of the International Labor Defense and participated in the demonstration last night in Union Sq. to arouse support and exert the utmost pressure on the infamous southern court for an acquittal of the nine innocent Negro Scottsboro boys.

Despite the cold winds enthusiastic audience listened to ten speakers including three Pioneers who told the story of the frame-up and the winning of a new trial, and the meaning of the case to both Negro and white workers in the South as well as throughout the country.

Led by the Red Front Band playing revolutionary songs the workers marched four abreast. In the procession was a wagon carrying an electric chair in which sat a Negro boy. Above him was a sign declaring the world-famous slogan, "The Scottsboro Boys Shall Not Die!" Marched along the sidewalks and marching on the streets with the column were hundreds of other workers. Echoing through the streets was heard the above slogan and "Free Tom Mooney."

"Our Answer to Dreiser" "Enclosed you will find money order of \$50 for the Daily Worker. That is our answer to Theodore Dreiser's appeal from the working class of Springfield. We will support our press, which is the only one that fights our battles." JAMES KRASNOFF, Springfield, Mass.

COPS FAIL TO SMASH LINES AS WORKERS ANSWER THE EFFORTS TO BREAK STRIKE

Ten Jailed; Call on Ford Men to Join Fight Against Wage-Cuts, Slave Conditions

Win Concessions at Fisher Body in Cleveland; Advances of Soviet Auto Workers

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 30.—Over 15,000 Briggs strikers, Ford workers and unemployed participated in the mass picketing today which cost the Briggs Plants closed. Strikers wives and children participated. 130 delegates from Ford's met yesterday and voted full support to Briggs strikers. Father Coughlin has joined strikebreaking forces, calling men to return to work.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 30.—The biggest mass picketing demonstration since the strike started was the answer of the more than 10,000 strikers at the four Briggs Body plants this morning to the attempts to smash their struggle for higher wages, against "dead time" (unpaid time) and other demands.

CRY OF "LYNCH!" RAISED IN N. Y. AGAINST TOILERS

NEW YORK.—"Lynch the nigger!"—infamous call of the bosses. Not only in the South, but in the North, in the "civilized" city of New York! Lloyd Price, 22-year-old Negro victim of capitalism, is 3rd degree, and charged with murdering a white child. Headlines in the bosses' papers particularly the gutter sheets, the "News" and "Mirror," shriek "Mob Storms Jail to Get Child Slayer" etc.—direct incentives to lynch terror. Southern landlords poison fanned down the throats of the white workers of the North to kill their increasing sympathy and unity with the Negro masses.

In yesterday's "Mirror" the story of Price's arrest is repeated in an account of the arrest of a white laborer, Harry Hampton, who is charged with a crime similar to that Price is supposed to have committed. With the article goes a photograph of not Hampton, but Price, smoking a cigar and looking keen-eyed. The vicious description of the supposed attack does not mention that Hampton is white but craftily led the impression that again the "rapist" is a Negro.

What happened to Lloyd Price in those hours between 8 in the evening and 3 in the morning when he was being "grilled" by the police? When his aged mother was made to "confess" the ownership of a pencil used as proof of the crime? Orphan Jones was also 3rd degree if the "confessing" Willie Brown of Philadelphia (called a half-wit by the police) was likewise 3rd degree. The sheriff at Scottsboro also issued lies to the capitalist press that "the boys had confessed."

It is not unlikely that the Brooklyn police were trying to cover up their own inability to get the real slayers by pinning it on a Negro, and are now trying to cover up their deed with lynch hysteria to rush their victim to the chair.

Today's demonstration was particularly significant in view of the fact that the Briggs company had announced that it would give the workers till noon to return to work. Though the company's employment offices were kept open all day yesterday, the management had to admit that not a single worker applied for a job. This is a wonderful demonstration not only of the fighting spirit of the Briggs workers, but of the solidarity of employed and unemployed.

The strikers remain firm in their demand that all settlement offers be made through their elected negotiations committee of 25, representing

CITY EVENTS

MASS MEETING AGAINST HAITIAN TERROR Mass meeting to protest Haitian terror, St. Luke's Hall, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m. Speakers: James W. Ford, Robert Dunn, John Ballam and G. Glassford.

DEMONSTRATE AGAINST IMPERIALIST WAR! American Committee for Struggle Against War calls all to mass anti-war demonstration at noon, Feb. 4, on Wall St., then to march to South and Whitehall Sts. where a big mass meeting will be held.

MASS PROTEST MEETING FEB. 5 AGAINST TERROR IN JAPAN I. Amter and Fred Biedenbach, principal speakers at mass protest meeting against wholesale arrests, torture and murder of Japanese workers' leaders. Meeting at Stuyvesant, Casino, 2 p.m., Feb. 5.

ELECT DELEGATES TO LABOR DEFENDER CONFERENCE, FEB. 5 All workers' organizations are urged to elect delegates to the "Labor Defender District Conference" on Feb. 5, 10 a.m., in Manhattan Lyceum, 66 East Fourth Street, to help devise means for enabling this revolutionary pictorial publication to continue in existence. Robert Minor, Frank Spector and William Patterson will address the Conference.

DEMONSTRATE FOR RELEASE OF TOM MOONEY Mass demonstration Feb. 10 in Union Square at 5 p.m. to demand that the Mooney case be reopened on the remaining indictment when it comes before Judge Ward Feb. 11. Speakers: Ben Gold, Louis B. Scott, personal representative of Tom Mooney; William L. Patterson and John Ballam of the I.L.D.

GEORGE POWERS ON TRIAL TOMORROW Workers are urged to attend the trial of George Powers, charged with "inciting to riot" for acting as spokesman for 20,000 demonstrating at City Hall for relief. Trial is in General Sessions court, Center and Franklin Streets, tomorrow.

SOCIALIST AND CAPITALIST PRESS UNITE TO LIE ABOUT WORKERS WHO OUSTED DEMOCRAT BOSS TAILOR

The "Forward" Plays House With Tammany in Bronx Co-operative and 11th St. and Ave. A

NEW YORK.—Two news reports in the socialist Jewish Daily Forward Saturday, show how the socialists are fighting rent strikes. The first in big headlines is a lying account of how the Cooperative Colony in the Bronx evicted a poor tenant. The second, much shorter, and just as lopsided with lies, describes the evictions of six tenants from "Paradise Alley" on 11th St. and Avenue A.

A Weir Tale The ally of Tammany sheds onto tears in an article of several thousand words on how Sam Silverberg and his two sick children and wife were "thrown out of the Cooperative Colony" by Communists. "According to the 'Forward,'" Sam Silverberg is a poor worker, a member of I. O. O. F., active in left wing organizations. One of his children had had pneumonia three times in one year. Unable to pay rent for three rooms, he and his wife had gone down time and again to the office of the Communist management to plead with the hard hearts. All their reasoning and tears were wasted. They had asked for two-rooms, then for one, as they were at the end of their rope and could not afford to pay the rent for their old flat. The management, hard as hammers, refused to listen.

The Forward goes on to say: "The Communist management of the house wanted to slaughter their sacrifice quietly, finish their villainous piece of work in secret so that not even a rooster would be aroused to crow." "The piece of villainy which the Communist management was set on doing was to get the furniture of the evicted tenant down to the cellar so as to keep hidden from the workers in the neighborhood the fact that even Communists evict poor workers out on the cold streets!"

Sam Silverberg, the evicted tenant, was too clever for those tactics. The Forward hastens to add. He compelled the marshal to put his furniture out into the street so that all the world could see in full daylight what hypocrites and tricksters

LABOR UNION MEETINGS

- Metal Workers general membership meeting, Feb. 3 at 8 p. m. District Organizer Lustig of the Metal Workers Industrial Union to make detailed report.
NEEDLE TRADER: I. L. G. W. U. opposition group calls all needle workers to meet at 130 West 28th St. for support of Wednesday demonstration against racketeering.
MILLINERY WORKERS: Millinery workers mass meeting today at noon at 27th St. and 5th Ave. for support of dressmakers.
MEN'S CLOTHING WORKERS: Open forum of men's clothing workers at noon at 126 University Place. Unemployed urged to come.

WHAT'S ON-

- TUESDAY: OPEN FORUM of Alteration Painters' Union, Bronx Local No. 1 every Tuesday morning at 11 a. m. at 4215 Third Ave. cor. Tremont Ave. Free admission program. All workers invited. Admission free.
CLAS in Dramatics at Concourse Workers Club, 1349 Jerome Ave. All invited, 8 p. m.
CLAS in Ballet and Dances tonight at 8:30 p. m. at Tremont Workers Club, 2075 Concourse Ave. Bro. Wed. night at 8:30 p. m.—open forum.

Stage and Screen

"BAD MANNERS" OPENS AT THE PLAYHOUSE "Bad Manners," a comedy by Dana Burnett and William B. Jette, had its premier last night at the Playhouse. The players include Bert Lytell, Margaret Sullivan, Leona Mariele and Harold Vermilyea.
Ferdinand Bruckner's play, "Sickness of Youth," recently tried out at the Cherry Lane, will have its Broadway premiere this evening at the Bijou Theatre.
"Alice in Wonderland," Eva Le Gallienne's production, which has been playing on 14th St., moved up town last night to the New Amsterdam Theatre. Josephine Hutchinson, Eva Le Gallienne and Joseph Schildkraut and other Civic Repertory players continue in their original roles.
"Evansong," a dramatization by Beverly Nichols and Edward Knoblock of the Nichols novel, will open at the Selwyn Theatre this evening. The British player, Edith Evans, heads the large company.
Chamberlain Brown's subscription season will have its delayed opening this evening with "The Hope of a Tree," a new play by Leopold Atlas, with Helene Millard, Rex Thomas, John Griggs and Iris Whitney in the cast.

Dressmakers Unity Committee Increases Strength of Drive

NEW YORK.—While the number of strikes is increasing, many of these shops are settling daily. Among the important shops that settled yesterday, is the Clide Dress Co. employing about 70 workers. The workers received an increase ranging from 10 per cent to 15 per cent and a reduction of four hours.

The Dressmakers Unity Committee calls on all active dressmakers to support the strikers on the picketline and help bring their strikes to victory. The following shops must be supported on the picketline in the morning: Cornelias Dress, 370 W. 35th St., Topaz Dress, 225 W. 37th St., Merchille, 250 W. 39th St., Sonny Dress, 122 W. 27th St.; Schneider & Selsker, 123 W. 25th St., Perfect Negligee whitegoods shop, 18 W. 24th St.

Starlight Laundry Is On Strike; Demand Reinstatement of 2

NEW YORK.—Starlight Laundry, (2075 Washington Ave.) workers are on strike against wages of \$5 and \$8 a week less than the average in the industry and against firing of two belonging to the Laundry Workers Industrial Union, 260 East 138th St., Bronx. All are asked to show solidarity with these strikers.

A year ago when a drive was made to organize the laundry workers, the bosses of the Starlight laundry weeded out all the old workers and hired new ones. They refused to hire any Jews, although the bosses are themselves Jews, on the theory that Jews are prone to organize. They also refused to hire anyone who had any experience or acquaintance in the laundry industry.

Rent Strikers In Mass Picket Lines In Sharp Struggle

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) supporting the strike. Four more houses on the same block nos. 3010, 3014, 3031 and 3021 are preparing to strike and their demands for lower rents are not met by the landlord.

The block committee has arranged a lecture for Wednesday, Feb. 1st at the National Workers Alliance, 808 Adde Ave., by Carl Winter, leader of the Hunger March on Washington, who will speak on workers' problems.

Battle on East Side

More than 400 workers defied police bluegons and mounted police yesterday afternoon in a battle against the eviction of striking tenants from 418, 418 1-2, 420 East 6th St., and succeeded in taking the furniture which the marshal carried into the street back into the apartments.

The evictions took place early in the morning when there was only a handful of workers present. Mounted police and 75 cops on foot were strategically placed around the building to form a protective cordon around the Tammany marshal and his helpers.

Workers Fight

Instantly the police swung their clubs on the speakers and on the massed audience. The workers fought back.

Plot To Cut Off Relief

Four of the I.R.T. directors are also directors of the Gibson Relief Committee which raised over 15 million dollars for its "relief" work and in spite of the fact that only close to four million of this money has been used, registration is closed.

Students Endorse Demonstration

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) one of the principal speakers, as will be William Simons, secretary of the Anti-Imperialist League.

47 Face Eviction

Seventeen were evicted yesterday at 2420 Bronx Park East and 47 more have dispossession notices.

Fight in Hallways

Police were forced to battle tenants in the halls before they were able to evict two families at 226 Berret St. in Brooklyn yesterday, 50 police and riot squads swarmed the block.

UNEMPLOYED FUR RABBIT WORKER FRAMED

NEW YORK.—Yaeger, a fur rabbit manufacturer succeeded in framing an unemployed worker, John Inge, The Tammany court disregarded facts proving the innocence of the worker and sentenced him to an indefinite term in the Elmira Reformatory.

Bakery Workers Union Wins Trubia Strike; Third Victory in Week

NEW YORK.—A third victory marked the organizational drive of the Bakery Workers Industrial Union this week.

The boss of the Trubia Bakery, 480 Ninth Ave., Manhattan, was forced to grant every demand presented by the militant committee of workers and union representatives.

PAINTERS REFUTE COUNCIL CHARGES Demand Rank and File Trial Committee

NEW YORK.—The eight suspended members, including Louis Weinstein, of painters District Council 9, put forward a signed statement demanding that the charges being made against them by the Council officials be dropped, and stating that, if the trial takes place they would demand an impartial trial committee to be selected from local unions.

Lehman Proposes to Slash Public Works and School Finances

NEW YORK.—Governor Lehman's message yesterday accompanying his proposed budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1933, makes recommendation for a reduction of \$60,000,000. This is a 21.7 per cent cut.

POWERS CASE ON TRIAL TOMORROW Try to Railroad for Leading Jobless

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PROTEST HAITI TERROR, FRIDAY Mass Meeting in St. Luke's Hall

NEW YORK.—Cultural organizations, including the John Reed Club, the National Student League, and numerous labor bodies, the Trade Union Unity Council, the League of Struggle for Negro Rights, the International Labor Defense and the Anti-Imperialist League have endorsed the mass meeting to be held in St. Luke's Hall, 125 West 130th St., Friday, Dec. 3, 8 p. m. in protest against the persecution of revolutionary writers and workers by the Haitian government.

Tries to Hire Bottle Throwers Landlord Rebuffed by Ex-Serviceman

NEW YORK.—Further revelations of what is coming to be known as "landlord technique" were made yesterday by an ex-serviceman who is picketing in the Franklin Ave. rent strike. Kaplan, one of the most ruthless of the landlords in this vicinity, approached this ex-serviceman, offering to pay him \$25 if he would remove the sign he was carrying which said that the strike was supported by the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League.

Railroad Rutopsky for Strike Activity

NEW YORK.—Felix Rutopsky, a militant member of the Broom Makers Section of the Furniture Workers Industrial Union was convicted of malicious mischief and unlawful entry charges yesterday in Special Sessions court.

LABOR DEFENDER CONFERENCE SOON Elect Delegates from Mass Organizations

NEW YORK.—The New York District, International Labor Defense, will hold a "Labor Defender Conference" Sunday, Feb. 5, at 10 a. m. at the Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E. 4th St. The purpose of this conference is to devise means for increasing the circulation of the Labor Defender and to aid the International Defense Committee in the publication of this powerful worker-publication.

FORMING NEW FRENCH CABINET

PARIS, Jan. 30.—On the request of President Lebrun, attempts at the formation of a new French cabinet have been begun by Edouard Daladier, Minister of War in the former cabinet. In his efforts at solving the mounting difficulties of French capitalism, Daladier indicated that his first approach for assistance will be made to the Socialists.

Do You Know of the Reduction in Rates at CAMP NITGEDAIGET

BEACON, N. Y. \$12.50 Includes Tax to members of I. W. O. and Co-operative \$10.50 per week with a letter from your Branch or Co-op. Office

200 Knitgoods Workers Strike Against Wage Cut; Call N.T.W.I.U.

NEW YORK.—Saturday the bosses of the Atlantic Knitting Mills, 2897 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn shop informed the girls that their wages would be cut. Inspired by the other struggles conducted under the leadership of the industrial union these workers struck and immediately got in touch with the Industrial Union. The shop is paralyzed.

STEINMAN STRIKE WON; WAGE RAISE

Many Important Gains in Contract

NEW YORK.—Thirty-one workers of the Steinman Co. at 20 W. 34th St., under the leadership of the Metal Workers Industrial Union, won their strike after two and a half days' battle.

The agreement made has 12 points. The union was recognized. No firing or hiring can be done without consulting the union. No wage-cut can take place for the duration of the agreement. All young and unskilled workers get \$1 per week increase. Piece work was abolished in the girls' department. Time and one-half for overtime and other important gains were made.

This victory was achieved not only against the bosses, but also against the officials of the Pocketbook Workers Union. The business agent, Weiss and manager, Stein of the Pocketbook Workers Union instructed their members to continue work while the strike was going on. The members of the A. F. of L. who are working in the same shop in another department were sympathetic to the strike and made preparation to walk out in sympathy with the strikers against the wish of their reactionary leaders.

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NEW YORK.—Cultural organizations, including the John Reed Club, the National Student League, and numerous labor bodies, the Trade Union Unity Council, the League of Struggle for Negro Rights, the International Labor Defense and the Anti-Imperialist League have endorsed the mass meeting to be held in St. Luke's Hall, 125 West 130th St., Friday, Dec. 3, 8 p. m. in protest against the persecution of revolutionary writers and workers by the Haitian government.

WEINSTEIN TRIAL TO BE STARTED TOMORROW

NEW YORK.—The Weinstein case was called in Bronx County court yesterday and was postponed again to tomorrow, to allow for subpoenaing of witnesses. It seems very likely to actually come to trial Wednesday.

AMUSEMENTS

Last 4 Days! AMKINO presents "Victory March of the Soviets" SEE AND HEAR 1,000,000 Soviet soldiers, sailors and workers celebrate the 15th Anniversary of Bolshevik rule in Lenin Square.

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THE THEATRE GUILD Presents BIOGRAPHY A comedy by S. N. BERMAN GUILD THEATRE, 234 St. West of W'way Eves. 8:30. Mats. Thurs. & Sat. at 2:30

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ARREST TEN IN BRIGGS STRIKE Hold Biggest Picket Demonstration

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all four Briggs plants, and that any... The fact that the Briggs strike has forced Henry Ford to close down his...

Victimized for Pay Cut Fight



EDITH BERKMAN (in bed) textile strike leader, who has contracted tuberculosis in the immigration pens of the U. S. government...

"DOWN HITLER" CALL OF MASSES

General Strike Call Issued by C. P.

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

to defend themselves against the creation of a bloody fascist counter-revolution, and to pour into the streets, leave the factories, and declare a general political strike...

ment of a bloody terror against the revolutionary German workers as part of the socialist effort to save capitalism. He attempted to cover up the consistent betrayal of the working class since carried out by the Socialist leaders...

"Let Schleicher go to work! We are not interested in the overthrow of the Schleicher government. The Appeal declares that before the eyes of the entire working class, the Communist Party again approaches the German Trade Federation and the Social Democratic Party...

For Unity of Toilers. But the united front of the socialist leaders have in mind is a bloc of leaders, the abandonment of the struggle for Communism by the Communists, the salvation of capitalism under the flag of "saving the Republic"...

Socialist Heads Maneuver. The mass upsurge is forcing the social-democrat (socialist) leaders to head the anti-fascist movement in order to behead it. The line of the socialist leaders, who paved the way for the fascist dictatorship...

Warned Against Deceptions. The German social-fascist press, while admitting its own losses in the elections, utilized the Communist victory to declaim with great energy of the "victory of the proletarian Marxist front"...

Supported Boss War. This support is openly admitted in the testimony of Otto Wels, national chairman of the German Socialist Party, in defense of charges raised by the bourgeoisie that he was contractor to the bourgeois government during the World War...

'DAILY' CAMPAIGN FUND DONATIONS DROP

Saturday's contributions dropped to \$170.93 from \$197.23 the day before. At this point of the drive, hundreds of dollars in contributions should be flooding the "Daily" office every day...

Districts in the South have responded very feebly so far. Scottsboro, Sharecroppers, Angelo Hernandez—these words are symbols of mighty struggles taking place in the South today, struggles in which the leadership of the Daily Worker is absent...

Table listing names and amounts of donations to the 'Daily' Campaign Fund. Includes names like J. Chervak, F. T., M. M., etc.

Bill Green, chief misleader of the American Federation of Labor, who is supporting the Black 30-hour week bill, a "share-the-work" scheme, which will mean wages cut for hundreds of thousands of workers...

olutely essential. Southern workers even though it means great sacrifices, you must not fail in the drive to save your "Daily"!

Table titled 'Total Received Saturday' showing district totals and individual names with amounts.

WORKER CORRESPONDENCE

DRIVEN LIKE SLAVES IN BROOKLYN CITY PARK. BROOKLYN, N. Y.—I am one of 400 city workers at Oak Park in Bay Ridge in Brooklyn. Our work is leveling out the grounds. In order to keep us slaving all day without rest, Mr. Stokes, the chief foreman, has devised a new scheme...

All Set for Successful Struggle, Says ILD Call

Conference Will Draw in New Forces, on Broad Irresistible United Front, Patterson States

Declares No Differences on Politics or Religion Must Stand in Way of Fight to Liberate Mooney

By WILLIAM L. PATTERSON, National Secretary of International Labor Defense.

The Tom Mooney Defense Committee has issued a call for a gigantic Free Tom Mooney Congress. This historic meeting is to take place in Chicago from April 30 to May 2, 1933. The call comes at a most timely moment. The savage imprisonment of Mooney is an inseparable part of the oppression of the masses by the ruling class of U. S. A.

The impoverishment of the masses was never greater. Misery and starvation stalk the working class. Mortgage debts and ruinous market prices are deepening the enslavement of those remaining on the land. The last pennies of the nest egg laid aside by the middle class for the rainy day have been reached. War again is in the air.

Struggle Grows Sharper. As illusions fade the mass struggle against unemployment and starvation grows with increasing sharpness. Hunger marches, bonus marches, farmers demonstrating against foreclosures, city dwellers organizing in mass struggles against evictions and for food supplies for the starving unemployed, simultaneously Negro liberation struggles developing among the debt-enslaved black sharecroppers and tolling masses at once supporting and strengthening the struggles of the working class...

Pen & Hammer Raises \$20.54 for the Daily

NEW YORK.—At a meeting addressed by Samuel Ornitz, author of the "Haunch, Paunch and Jowl," at the Pen and Hammer Club, 114 W. 21st St., a collection of \$20.54 was taken for the Daily Worker. The club also pledged \$1 a week to the Daily Worker's sustaining fund.

Finnish Workers Federation Calls to Support "The Daily"

The Executive Committee of the Finnish Workers' Federation has issued the following appeal to its members: "The Finnish workers' organizations have always sided and supported the central organ of the Communist Party, the Daily Worker. Now that the Daily Worker has again turned to us for assistance, it isn't doing this without cause."

Donate \$10 in Honor of Departing Comrade

NEW YORK.—The following letter, received by the Daily Worker yesterday, is from the members of the New York City "Iron" Committee: "On the occasion of Comrade A. Maurice's departure to the Soviet Union, we express through the Daily Worker our appreciation for his devoted work in the Iron, and instead of a bouquet of flowers, contribute the collected sum of \$10 to the Daily's campaign."

Yonkers Workers Win Demands for Jobless Carpenter and Family

YONKERS, N. Y., Jan. 27.—Immediate results were won for Carl Peterson, an unemployed carpenter, when a committee of workers under the leadership of Yonkers Unemployed Council, called on Relief Commissioner Ebbitt. Demands for more food for Peterson's family of eight, for an increased milk allowance, shoes, and payment of gas and light bills were won.

Mass Demonstration Forces Release of 7 Arrested Unemployed

PHOENIX, Arizona. (By Mail).—Following a large mass demonstration of protesting workers and farmers at the city court, the city authorities released seven militant workers who were arrested in a demonstration for adequate relief before the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. The arrested workers included Wilburn Risley, state organizer of the Unemployed Councils, and Charles Latall, of the Workers Ex-Servicemen's League, both candidates on the Communist ticket for city commissioners in the municipal elections set for March 4. The others were William Broome, Ralph Duncan, Henry Brown, Ray Wilson and David Wallace, all unemployed workers. The International Labor Defense defended them.

PROTEST GOES TO TURKISH CONSUL

NEW YORK.—A committee of the Turkish Workers Club and International Labor Defense, endorsed by other worker organizations, went to the Turkish Consulate General on Broadway near 57th St. Saturday and lodged a message of protest against the killing and torture in prison of Turkish Communists. The vice-consul tried to argue that the Turkish government is not a capitalist government, and the committee retorted that it was a fascist dictatorship. The protest which the consulate agrees to forward to the government in Stamboul points out that Emin Shorer, Sadika Hanim, Mehmet Lufti and Sureyya Beverle, now in prison, are leaders in a fight for better conditions on the state rail yards where the wages are 30 to 40 cents for an eight to twelve hour day, and in the struggle against fascist American, British and French tobacco companies' similar exploitation. The newly formed Turkish Workers Club will have a meeting Sunday at 2 p.m. at 36 Rivington St., and on Feb. 5 there will be a mass protest meeting at 1 p.m. at 289 W. 57th St. against the terror in Turkey.

I recognize the necessity of the Daily Worker as a mighty weapon in the day-to-day struggles of the working class and wish to contribute to its maintenance. I contribute \$..... to the Daily Worker Fund. Name Address Wire, air Mail, rush funds to the Daily Worker, 50 East 13th St., New York City.

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Support German Toilers Against Hitler Rule!

In the face of the tremendously sharpening class antagonisms in Germany, which has passed into a revolutionary upsurge, the bourgeoisie, in its desperation to stem the tide that threatens to engulf it, has set up an open fascist Hitler cabinet.

The Communist Party of Germany, steeled in a series of revolutionary struggles since 1918-19, has been able correctly to gauge the precise moment for the widest possible mobilization of the toiling masses to challenge the capitalist class and its government based upon the "bayonets of the Reichswehr and the revolvers of the Hitler murder bands."

Even as Hitler is called to head the government the treacherous leadership of the German social-democracy strives to aid the capitalist class and defeat the mighty advance of the revolutionary masses. Hitler's open fascist government is the final fruit of the policies consistently pursued by the social-democratic leadership.

"Let Schleicher go to work. We are not interested in the overthrow of the Schleicher government. Schleicher has gotten in touch with the great socialist labor front, and we should not hinder him in making this experiment, especially since this is the only road leading anywhere at this time."

Where the Schleicher road was leading is seen today. The social-democratic leaders and the Hitlerites were unanimous in approving the goal of the Schleicher government. But hundreds of thousands of social-democratic workers repudiated in action this shamless treachery and plunged into the mass struggle against fascism.

Yesterday's news dispatches reported, at the very moment Hitler was called into conference with Hindenburg, that the "socialists, who have been relegated to the opposition benches, are actually keen for a Hitler regime."

With their decreasing influence among the masses, these social-democratic leaders become more and more fascist. As their influence over the masses wanes, they will become still more fascist until in the final struggle they will be found openly fighting on the counter-revolutionary side of the barricades.

In the light of the thunderous advance of the forces of revolution in Germany, the toiling masses of the world can see more plainly than ever how exact is the Communist characterization of the socialist leaders as social-fascists and as the main social support of the capitalist class.

American workers! Support the struggle of the German masses led by the Communist Party! Under the blows of the crisis and the revolutionary upsurge, the capitalist world is being shaken to its very foundations.

N. A. A. C. P. and Harlem Hospital Investigation

Over the heads of the Jim-crowning city administration, over the heads of the misleaders of the N.A.A.C.P., the people of Harlem, led by the League of Struggle for Negro Rights and the International Labor Defense, are undertaking an investigation into the shameful conditions of Harlem Hospital.

For years Harlem Hospital has been under fire. Jim-Crowism is rampant there. Although 80 percent of the patients are Negro, 80 percent of the personnel of the hospital are whites. Capable Negro doctors are denied promotion and opportunities; incapable and inexperienced white doctors, nurses and internes are permitted to get their training at the expense of the Negro patients.

In a brazen attempt to whitewash these conditions, the N.A.A.C.P. misleaders have appointed a secret investigating committee of 18. Only four of the 18 are Negroes. Of these, only one is a practicing physician. Not one Negro doctor of Harlem is included. There are no Negro women and no nurses. There are no Negro patients. There is no representative of any Negro medical association, national or local.

But the secret committee of the N.A.A.C.P. does include doctors of hospitals and medical colleges which rigidity bar Negro students and doctors. The investigation, according to the boast of the N.A.A.C.P. is supported by Greiff, Commissioner of hospitals, who has already denied that there is segregation and discrimination in the hospital system.

And at the same time that the N. A. A. C. P. appoints this "investigating" committee, it publishes in its official organ, the Crisis, an editorial completely exonerating Harlem Hospital of all charges against it!

These misleaders and traitors, the people of Harlem demand: "Are we who are cut up in Harlem Hospital, we who suffer from its overcrowding and its vicious discrimination—are we patients to have no say about Harlem Hospital? Are the Negro doctors, who have fought the inefficiency and discrimination on the part of the inexperienced white appointees in the hospital,—are they to have no say? The Negro nurses, Jim-crowed, segregated and abused in the hospital—are they to have no say?"

And because the N.A.A.C.P. misleaders attempt to stifle the protests from the patients, the Negro doctors, the Negro nurses—from any of those most closely concerned—the people of Harlem denounce the treachery and duplicity of the misleaders of that organization. They are calling upon the rank and file workers, enrolled in the N.A.A.C.P., upon the honest Negro and white professionals in that organization, to denounce the treachery of the misleadership and to join with the masses of Harlem in an investigation made by the people.

The people of Harlem are the victims of the situation in Harlem Hospital. They and they alone should have the say. They and they alone should investigate and report the conditions. First steps for such an investigation by the people of Harlem, into the Harlem Hospital, have already been taken. We call upon all Harlem workers, all sincere Harlem professional people, to back this people's investigation!

'Every Factory Our Fortress'

Establish Intimate, Permanent Contacts With the Workers.

"The successful accomplishment of this task (winning the majority of the working class) requires that every Communist Party shall establish, extend and strengthen permanent and intimate contacts with the majority of the workers, wherever workers may be found."

NEED PERSPECTIVE IN WORK IN THE SHOPS

It is clear that the report on the steel concentration plant (just published) was based on a close knowledge of the conditions in the plant, of the working conditions, the general conditions in the plant. Moreover, the report reflects close, intimate contact with the workers in the plant.

First, I would say the report suffered from a certain lack of perspective, that is, narrowness. In the valuable experiences and tactics carried out in making contacts, drawing in workers, etc., in other words, developing a solid personal contact which, it seems to me, was the keynote of the report. It was not pointed out that this is only a means to an end and not an end in itself. It is necessary that we, as quickly as possible, pass over to developing struggles on the basis of the issues we sense, the issues we unearth among the workers, and not only department issues, and fit them into a perspective for the entire plant.

MUST KNOW DIRECTION. The Communist leadership and Communist nuclei must know where they are going in regard to the plant and not work on the basis of making three or four contacts here and there. All these small streams of revolutionary discontent and class-consciousness must be merged into a broad stream directed against the outstanding three or four grievances from which the workers in that plant suffer generally—lay-offs, demand for no more wage-cuts, against speed-up, etc.

I THINK the report did not sufficiently stress this, also it did not sufficiently bring out the role of the Communist Party nucleus in politicalizing the work in the shop, in connecting up the various small issues with the larger issues which we must bring forward in order to raise the political level of the workers and level of our struggle.

While there has been no fundamental change in the work, there has been an improvement in the work, the composition of the unit has been improved. New members have been brought in, the sphere of contact broadened out.

But the report did not clearly enough bring out the fact that we do not have any union organization in the plant. While it is true the shop nucleus has strengthened itself, the union as such has not been strengthened. The union simply grew willy-nilly; we simply make more contacts and add their names, but we do not function as the leaders in the various departments. The union members do not pay dues, have no union conferences, do not take up problems as union members. This is a very serious weakness.

THE comrade reporting also did not tell us why 150 workers can be brought down from one department (in fact the entire department) to a "Red hall," a hall which everybody knows is a Communist hall. These workers are boiling with indignation, and then what happens? They slip through our fingers. Why? Evidently some serious mistakes were made.

Also, the comrade says three wage-cuts were made and there is not even a word on how we reacted. What were the reactions of the Party and union to these wage-cuts? Evidently we were passive or confined ourselves to weak agitation. The loss of members, the firing of many, was not touched upon.

THE development of small issues on the basis of daily constant, definite interests of the workers—that is the thing to stress.

The idea that only constant, daily struggle will result in the building of the organization should have been more deeply interwoven in the report. We can go ahead and make contacts, whether directly in the shop or through the business councils, but these contacts will disappear unless they are welded together by the constant pulse of struggle.

More than that, the sectarian approach flows from not having contact with the masses. Not only do we often not know conditions in the shop, but we do not know the mood of the masses. There is more firing and there is increased fear of espionage, but, on the other hand, who would dare to say or to compare the militancy of the workers today with the militancy and discontent of the workers two or three years ago? It is much easier today to recruit a member for the Party from the shop, and this also goes for the union.

The comrade who last reported referred to the fact that I went out with a Comrade H. and when I went into these Negro workers' homes, I was a little bit reserved in speaking to them. I thought the worker would get scared. I was very much surprised when he said, "I know what you want. You want to get a union. Our backs are up against the wall, anyhow. We are not afraid." And everyone of the four contacts that I visited was quite outspoken, determined that some action must be taken, that their status is getting to be

OFFICIALLY MARRIED!



Some Experiences in the Briggs Auto Strike in Detroit

Yesterday's "Daily" gave some of the lessons and experiences during the course of our activities, but there are also other experiences we gained. First and foremost, we saw sharply how we were lagging behind, and the strong tendency which existed of lack of confidence in the perspective for successful strike struggles.

Another outstanding lesson of the role of the I. W. W. was at the end of the strike. Their position was that we should not accept the withdrawal of the wage-cut but should continue until we succeeded in winning an increase in wages. This was clearly expressed by one of the strikers—an I.W.W. member—who indicated that within the next week or two we might all be out on the streets—and why not force the company to give us a raise in order to get more out of it?

It would not mean anything and it would look to the workers as if the Auto Workers Union sold out the strike. Of course, we are not opposed to written agreements. However, what the comrades did not see is that the establishment of shop organization—the workers knowing that they have won their demands—creates the best guarantee for enforcing the conditions gained.

It is the task of the Party and the union immediately to consolidate the organizational gains (250 workers have already joined the union at this writing) and to utilize this victory to intensify this work in preparations for struggle among the plants in Ford's and in other plants, as well as to demonstrate in practical action the growing unity of employed and unemployed workers in the struggle against wage-cuts and for relief and Unemployment Insurance.

The conduct of this strike demanded a considerable change in many ways, in how to work and to orientate activities of the Party in the shop work. It raised sharply the responsibility of the leadership as well as of individual leading comrades for shop work and strike activities, and the consciousness that it must be the Party that builds the union and that leads the workers in building a united fighting movement.

THE strike shows clearly that in the course of building this united front movement, we must strengthen the Party; we must build shop nuclei. We must promote leading rank and file members into leading positions and increase the iron discipline of the members of the district leadership in responsible bodies. It further demands from us the further building of the union leadership and to give a business-like tone to all activities of the union. It remains with us to show the workers how to organize—how to fight—and lead them in these activities, and how to create initiative from below. It is urgent that the union, without delay, issue its official organ, "The Auto Workers News" regularly, conduct organizational work in a systematic fashion, issue membership books with the proper dues system, and present a militant fighting front so that the auto workers can look to the union and its leadership as their own.

THE line of the Central Committee of our Party, if correctly applied, is correct, as was demonstrated in this strike. We must go forward and we must definitely root the Party and the Auto Workers Union in the shops and among the unemployed.

THIS is of decisive importance in the auto industry; which contains all elements for new struggles involving greater masses of auto workers and leading towards a general struggle of the auto workers in the struggle against the wage cut.

That our perspective is correct is seen in the fact that as this is written, over 1,600 Motor Products workers are now out on strike since Friday, January 20th, to force the company to take back the wage cut which was put over on January 1.

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them what are their actual tasks in leading and conducting a strike). The chairman of the Strike Committee, together with another member of the committee negotiated with the company over the heads of the strike committee and the negotiations committee. Our fraction did not sufficiently pave the way for the placing at the head of the important committees workers who were not at the moment dominated by social-fascist ideology.

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There were other cases of catering to the legalistic illusions of these workers within our fraction. Here the need of being right on the spot, being in contact with every little move, listening to all rumors and whispering campaigns, kept sufficiently in touch with the general feeling and atmosphere, was of decisive importance.

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The Revolutionary Press and the Scottsboro Case

By CYRIL BRIGGS

THE Scottsboro case presents one of the most dramatic proofs of the absolute indispensability of the Daily Worker in the development of the struggles of the toiling Negro and white masses against the misery and hopelessness of the capitalist system and its increasingly murderous terror.

It was the Daily Worker that sounded the alarm when in March, 1931, the landlord court at Scottsboro, Alabama, attempted to rush eight of the nine innocent Scottsboro Negro lads to the electric chair, at the same time paying the way for a living death of life imprisonment for the ninth boy, 14-year-old Roy Wright. It was the Daily Worker that smashed through the conspiracy of silence of the capitalist press and the Negro reformist leaders of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. It was the Daily Worker that rallied the white and Negro masses behind the International Labor Defense and the League of Struggle for Negro Rights for a vigorous mass defense of the nine child-victims of capitalist justice, framed up on a lying charge of "rape."

The Scottsboro fight has won several tremendous partial victories. The Negro and white workers, in joint struggle, have four times forced back the outstretched murderous claws of the Alabama ruling class, have four times forced the lynch courts of the United States to set back the date of execution. The mass fight forced the U.S. Supreme Court to reverse the lynch verdicts last November and order new trials for the boys. These great partial victories could not have been achieved without the daily leadership, agitation and constant vigilance of the Daily Worker, expressing in its news articles and editorials the clear line of the Communist Party in the fight to free the Scottsboro boys, in the fight against ruling class terror, against national oppression of the Negro people and against all attempts to split and divide the working class and disrupt the mass fight which, life itself teaches, alone can free the Scottsboro lads and other Negro and white victims of capitalist class justice.

THE Scottsboro boys are still in danger. The U.S. Supreme Court verdict returned them for new trials to the Scottsboro court which originally rendered the lynch verdicts. The mass fight must be intensified and broadened out to draw in new sections of the working class, new sections of intellectuals and all elements opposed to the brutal persecution of the whole working class and of the Negro people in the fight against the rapidly worsening conditions of the toiling masses, in the fight against starvation and national oppression. Rally to the support of the Daily Worker! The Daily Worker must be saved from suspension! Rush funds at once! Mobilize your organizations, your clubs, etc., for immediate aid to the Daily Worker!

THIS explains the vicious attacks by the authorities of the State of Georgia and the bosses and their agents throughout the country on the growing unity of the white and Negro workers, which is being forged under the leadership of the Communist Party in the Scottsboro struggle, as well as in the mounting resistance of the toiling masses to the bosses' program of hunger, fascist terror and imperialism.

Revolutionary Propaganda—Popular and Concrete

By ROBERT FRANKLIN

COMRADE Gusev in his article in the Communist International, No. 19 and in the January issue of the Communist lays before comrades of the American Party four tasks that must be fulfilled before we can as a Party become the requisite force to cope with the capitalist system in this period "At the end of the stabilization of capitalism."

"(Page 49) "To direct the basic strategic blows against social democracy, to win the masses away from it, to isolate it from the masses."

To show the correctness of Comrade Gusev's analysis of the underestimation of the danger of social democracy, we can cite our weak blows against the Socialist Party in New York City, the weakness of the Party to arise to the situation in the last part of the Election Campaign. The New York District has printed pamphlets by Comrade Ames and the National Office, pamphlets by Comrade Gusev exposing the Socialist Party. The response of the membership was very weak. So far, in a period of over two months, there has been approximately 15,000 distributed. The wide distribution of these one-cent pamphlets exposing the anti-working class role of the Socialist Party among workers wherever contacted, the factory, the shop or the block—would certainly go a long way to undermine the influence of the S. P. among these workers. The comrades in the New York district felt it seems that "the election campaign is over, we do not hear the Socialist Party on direct corners any more, therefore we shall wait till next year when there is a new election. Then we will come out with our broadside against the Socialist Party."

WE HAVE at hand at present the knowledge of where the socialists got their strongest vote in the city. It would be no mean blow against social-fascism if the Party in those sections would systematically organize a house-to-house campaign with these pamphlets exposing the Socialist Party and try to win these workers away from the Socialist Party influence. In these unions controlled by the Socialist Party, our comrades working there can approach these individual workers with socialist leanings or sympathies, talk to them, become friendly with them, not assuming a deadly air of enmity; get these workers on the basis of your talk, to read these pamphlets and the results obtained will soon be apparent.

THIS is of decisive importance in the auto industry; which contains all elements for new struggles involving greater masses of auto workers and leading towards a general struggle of the auto workers in the struggle against the wage cut.

That our perspective is correct is seen in the fact that as this is written, over 1,600 Motor Products workers are now out on strike since Friday, January 20th, to force the company to take back the wage cut which was put over on January 1.

It is a thrilling narrative of the experiences of thousands of young Negro and white workers, and a sharp expose of chain gang conditions in the South.

"A Job That Only McAdoo Could Do," an incisively written review of W. G. McAdoo's book, Crowded Years, by Bill Dunne. "The War Cabinet of the Wilson regime is being reconstituted by the Roosevelt administration" meet the new imperialist world war situation," writes Dunne. "The personalities may not correspond, name for name, but one thing is certain—William Gibbs McAdoo will be a member—officially or unofficially."

THIS explains the vicious attacks by the authorities of the State of Georgia and the bosses and their agents throughout the country on the growing unity of the white and Negro workers, which is being forged under the leadership of the Communist Party in the Scottsboro struggle, as well as in the mounting resistance of the toiling masses to the bosses' program of hunger, fascist terror and imperialism.

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