

# ARMY SET TO GRAB DANZIG, SAY NAZIS

## Dairy Union Head, Mayor, Companies, Meet Here Today

Wright Declares Farmers Can Supply 10¢ Milk At a Profit

'INFORMAL' PARLEY Scores Legislation As Favorable to Milk Trust

Archie Wright, president of the striking Dairy Farmers Union and leader of the farmer delegation which will confer with Mayor LaGuardia today, said in an interview yesterday that the D.F.U. was prepared and able to supply New York City with milk at ten cents a quart.

The farmers can supply the city with its full quota, Wright said, and still make a profit at the ten cent price.

Wright said he would tell Mayor LaGuardia that the strike must be settled on a basis of the \$2.35 a hundred price for their product which the farmers are demanding.

The price will not interfere with the payment of union wages to teamsters or other workers handling the milk in the distribution centers, Wright declared.

Wright assailed the milk marketing orders under which it is possible for the trusts to regulate the prices to the disadvantage of the farmers.

Asked about the classification system of marketing the milk, Wright said that this method also operated to the disadvantage of the farmer. He pointed out that under this system the trusts pay a higher price for what is called "class 1" milk.

In 1936, however, he showed, the farmers actually received a higher price for the milk they sold to cheese manufacturers than that which they sold the trusts as "class 1" milk.

Wright, a farmer himself, has 250 acres near Ogdensburg. On his land he has a herd of 35 cows.

Scheduled to take part in the conference called at the Summer City Hall this morning at 11 A. M. are spokesmen for the striking dairymen, representatives of the Borden and Sheffield companies, and the distributors.

Also invited to take part were Clifford M. Harmon, administrator of the Federal-State Marketing agreement and Holton V. Noyes, State Agricultural Commissioner.

## Teachers Open Convention In Buffalo Today

Gird Their Strength to Defeat Tory Onslaught on School System

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Teachers from all sections of the country open the 23rd annual convention of the American Federation of Teachers, here tomorrow at Hotel Buffalo, keenly alert to the fact that the educational system of the country is under virtual unprecedented attack from reactionaries.

Nearly 700 delegates are expected to be on hand when the convention swings into action, under the slogan of "Equal Educational Opportunities To Save Democracy."

Highpoints of the convention's agenda will deal with financing the schools; the fight for educational freedom during the past year; economic security for teachers as a prerequisite to a working democracy; the role of higher education in a democracy, and the organization of teachers.

Scheduled to speak to the delegates were:

Sen. James M. Mead; Dr. George Chipperfield, president of the National Union of Teachers of England; welcome addresses by Norbert Berger and George Sturgis, president and secretary respectively of the Buffalo Federation of Labor, and Mayor Holling of Buffalo.

Invocation will be made by Rev. Father J. Kelly, chaplain of the Buffalo Federation of Labor.

### Conference Head



MAYOR LA GUARDIA

## Milk Strike Spreads As Talks Near

Union Urges Farmers Hold Lines Firm Against Scabs

(Special to the Daily Worker)

UTICA, N. Y., Aug. 20.—In preparation for conference in New York City between Dairy Farmers Union officials and representatives of Borden and Sheffield, strike leaders here are calling on dairy farmers to hold their lines firm against attempts to break the strike.

Southern and mid-state counties, in which little Dairy Farmers Union organization existed before the strike, are increasing strike activity for what most farmers consider will be a "show-down" with the trusts.

Booneville, following a unanimous strike vote by members of the union and the Brotherhood of Dairy Farmers, put upwards of 400 front of the picket line in front of the Dairy League and Farmers Co-Operative this morning. Only six trucks were reported entering the League plant, while the Co-Operative closed its doors this morning.

Zygmunt Gerosko, 25, R. D. Rome, N. Y., who was arrested at his home on a charge of "unlawful assemblage," employed by the General Cable Corporation in Rome, is also charged with being one of a group of 75 pickets who surrounded a truck bringing milk from Lewis County.

Other arrests are reported from Herkimer, Lewis, Madison, and other counties.

### PROSECUTION HITS MONOPOLIES

Throughout the state, commenting on the wave of arrests, Royal D. Woolsey, Madison County prosecutor, said the unbearable conditions leading to the disorders should never have been allowed to occur. Middlemen and monopolies, he added, "have been allowed to take the very bread from farmers and their children."

Meanwhile, with reports reaching this section that the big milk companies are importing large numbers of professional strike breakers and provocateurs, Dairy Farmers Union leaders have warned farmers to stand firmly on their right of peaceful picketing, and to guard against being drawn into violence by imported strike-breakers.

With strike votes taken in Remsen, Clinton, Little Falls and elsewhere in the Mid-state area, and the northern counties reported by the distributors, to be "particularly bad" dairy farmers here are predicting the victory of farmer-labor cooperation against the milk trust.

Union leaders, pointing out that the strength of farmers, organization will be the only guarantee of permanent farmer control of the price of milk, are urging that every effort be made to build the organization in mid-state and southern counties during the strike.

Increased contributions coming in from CIO and A. F. of L. unions, as well as from private individuals, and the beginning of house to house

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## 'Big 6' Hits Suspension By AFL for Anti-CIO Tax

Wires ITU Convention to Stand Firm on Autonomy Rights

The suspension of the powerful International Typographical Union from the American Federation of Labor, by the AFL Executive Council in Atlantic City on Friday for refusing to pay the special assessment in to the labor-splitting "war-chest" against the CIO brought the Big Six out of its corner in a fighting mood yesterday.

An overflow meeting of the Big Six, held at the Manhattan Opera House, at 34th St. and Eighth Ave., voted to issue a resolution to convention of the ITU which opened Saturday at Ft. Worth, Texas, to stand firmly in the union's refusal to pay the A. F. of L. tax for its "war" on the CIO.

The decision of the A. F. of L. Executive Council to suspend the ITU resulted from the consistent refusal of the printing trades unions to pay the special assessment following a referendum vote taken among the membership over a year ago. The referendum showed the membership of 79,000 to be overwhelmingly against the tory tactics of the A. F. of L. executive clique.

Speaking to the Manhattan Opera House meeting here yesterday, Elmer Brown, local president, was heartily applauded when he condemned the suspension of the ITU, and declared that the membership would never allow itself to be used in the A. F. of L. Executive Council's reactionary fight against the CIO and labor unity.

Meanwhile, the Big Six meeting also voted unanimously to withhold dues to the A. F. of L. Central Trades and Labor Council of Greater New York, which has refused to seat delegates of the Big Six. Dues will also be withheld from the State A. F. of L.

During the period of the anti-unity assessment levied by the Green-Woll-Pry group of the A. F. of L. executive council on all big A. F. of L. unions, the ITU has withheld over \$200,000 in payments.

The resolution sent to the Port Worth convention from the Big Six here yesterday urged the ITU to stand by its oft-repeated declaration that the union would refuse to be dominated or dictated to by anyone, and that it would fight to maintain its independence.

Mr. Brown presented the progressive stand of the Big Six and the parent international when he declared that the printing trades would be willing at any time to contribute money to the A. F. of L. Executive Council for "the organization of the unorganized" or for other constructive purposes.

## Clipper Flying On With 31 Passengers

SHELIAC, N. B., Aug. 20 (UP).—The Yankee Clipper, carrying a record load of 31 passengers and mail, took off at 1:10 P.M. (New York time) today on the second leg of its transatlantic flight to Southampton, England.

## British R.R. Workers May Strike for \$11 Minimum

LONDON, Aug. 20 (UP).—An estimated 600,000 railroad workers today threatened to call an immediate strike, tying up railroad transportation throughout Great Britain, unless the companies accede to their demand for a 50-shilling (\$11.70) minimum weekly wage.

Negotiations leading to the present deadlock have been underway since last February but the railroad operators have refused to increase the present minimum weekly wage of 45 shillings (\$10.53).

The two largest unions, the National Union of Railwaymen and the Associated Society of Engineers and Firemen, will meet Tuesday to discuss issuing a strike call.

If the deadlock is not overcome it is expected that Minister of Labor Ernest Brown will intervene and urge both sides to avoid a

### Assails Poll



DAVID LASSER

## Gallup Poll Challenged By Alliance Head

Charges Survey-Taker With Misrepresenting WPA Facts

By Adam Lapin

Daily Worker Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 20.—

David Lasser, president of the Workers Alliance charged today that Dr. George Gallup, director of the nationally known poll on public questions had by his own admission misrepresented the facts about the new 130 hour month WPA law.

Lasser called on Gallup to make public his admission of error and to conduct a new poll on the 130 hour issue based on the real facts.

He based his request on Dr. Gallup's statement in a letter to the Alliance head that the question asked the public in his poll assumed that the 130 hour provision applied only to skilled workers. This, Lasser pointed out, was false, since the law applied to the far larger number of unskilled workers, as well as skilled. Lasser termed Gallup's ignorance of the law "inexcusable."

"We believe this issue is important enough to press," Lasser continued in his letter, "since your poll carries on, innocently or otherwise, an important misrepresentation to the public. All through the great turmoil over the prevailing wage question a deliberate campaign was unleashed to weaken our cause by convincing the public that the only issue was whether skilled workers should continue to get \$1 or \$1.50 an hour on WPA."

"The fact that the new 30 hour law reduced the pay of millions of unskilled workers deliberately was hidden. Although we favor the prevailing rate for all workers, we recognize it makes a great deal of difference to public sentiment whether you argue for sustaining the rate only of the \$1.50 man, or whether you are arguing also for the poor fellow getting 50 cents an hour who is having his pay cut to 35 cents an hour."

"We press this issue now, since your poll seeks to continue the fiction, that the whole issue is over the pay of the skilled workers."

The Gallup poll in question was published on August 6 and showed a large majority of the public, including WPA workers, in favor of the 130 hour month provision.

## USSR Signs Trade Credit Agreement With Germany

(By Cable to the Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, Aug. 21.—On Aug. 19, after prolonged negotiations which terminated successfully, a trade credit agreement between the U. S. S. R. and Germany was signed in Berlin.

The agreement provides for Germany granting the U. S. S. R. credits of 200,000,000 marks for a term of seven years at five per cent for the purchase of German goods within two years following date of signing of the agreement. The agreement also provides for the sale of goods by the U. S. S. R. to Germany within the same period, that is, during the two years, to the amount of 180,000,000 marks.

## Soviet Observatory Holds Celebration

(By Cable to the Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, Aug. 20.—The world-famous Pulkovo Astronomical Observatory began celebration of its 100th anniversary yesterday.

The main astronomical observatory of the Academy of Sciences of the U. S. S. R., the one at Pulkovo leads all others in the Soviet Union and is one of the biggest in Europe. In connection with its jubilee the observatory is receiving numerous letters, telegrams and cablegrams from scientific organizations of other countries asking for material relating to the work of Pulkovo astronomers.

## Vatican Envoy Sent To Warsaw In Crisis

Berlin Hails Move; Says it Recognizes 'Just Demands'

VATICAN CITY, Aug. 20 (UP).—Well-informed Vatican prelates reported tonight that Pope Pius XII had dispatched a special envoy to Warsaw during the day with instructions to confer with Polish leaders on Danzig.

The emissary, whose identity was not revealed, was expected by Vatican informants to return to Italy before the end of the week and report personally to the Pontiff.

In Berlin the Pope's appeal to European governments was warmly supported in an officially inspired statement which contended that the Pope had, in effect, recognized the "justice" of Hitler's demands against Poland.

The reported new move by Pope Pius followed his conference Friday at Castle Gandolfo with Casimir Papee, Polish ambassador to the Holy See who was understood to have given him a detailed account of Poland's attitude toward Hitler's claims on Danzig and to a route across the Polish Corridor.

Earlier Papee had conferred with Vatican Secretary of State Cardinal Maglione.

It was believed that the Pope's emissary to Warsaw would return Thursday.

## Battered by Storm, Vessels Limp Into Port

15 Saved From Death When Forced to Leave Boats

At least 100 vessels, small and large, were in distress from the beating they took in Saturday night's storm along the New Jersey coast. Guardsmen estimated yesterday.

All day long they limped into port after riding out the tempest which brought much-needed relief to thousands of farms on the eastern seaboard.

Fifteen persons narrowly escaped death when their boats became lost or they were forced to abandon them.

Long Island escaped the full force of the big blow; but a cabin cruiser was lost four miles off Far Rockaway, near Debs Inlet, at 6:30 P. M. Saturday.

Four persons leaped overboard from the Arabian, a 46-foot yawl a few minutes before it pounded against the rocks of an inlet at Deal.

### DISABLED

The motor cruiser Ideal was disabled when a huge wave broke over her stern and flooded her fuel lines as she tried to enter Manasquan Inlet. Seven men aboard donned lifebelts and went over the side. They struggled to shore near the inlet. The boat was beached but was refloated yesterday by the Coast Guard.

## Chinese Hills Look Like Mountains to Japanese

(Special to the Daily Worker)

CHUNGKING, Aug. 20.—Japanese troops in their two-year operations in various parts of China, have suffered so bitterly in hilly regions that, it is said, their commanders have developed a marked phobia toward any place that bears as a suffix to its name the word "shan," Chinese equivalent for mountain or hill.

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## Britain Seen Ready To Aid Japan and Scuttle 9-Power Pact

Other Treaties Applying to China Reported in Danger of Remission—Halifax in London Hints at Concessions

LONDON, Aug. 20 (UP).—The British government tonight sought to avert complete collapse of its negotiations with Japan by announcing that it is ready to consider revision of the Washington Nine-Power and other existing treaties applying to China.

A Foreign Office announcement, issued after Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax interrupted a Yorkshire vacation and returned to London, spoke of the possibility of treaty revisions.

THREATEN HONG KONG Japanese army spokesmen have threatened to blockade British Hong Kong. The situation has become tense in Shanghai, where Japanese military, naval and diplomatic officials were reported tonight to have decided in a conference aboard the warship Idzumo to take "drastic measures" against Britain's alleged hostile attitude in Shanghai.

The fact that Britain's notification to Tokyo has greatly strengthened the hand of the Japanese generals demanding a full military alliance with Italy and Germany was believed to have had a bearing on tonight's announcement.

The Foreign Office statement said that, in a note to Japan on July 14, the British government "made it clear to the Japanese government that it does not regard treaties as eternal and is prepared to consider any constructive proposals the Japanese government may make regarding a modification of existing treaties."

## Tokio Foreign Office Assails 'British Position'

TOKIO, Monday, Aug. 21 (UP).—The Japanese Foreign Office announced today that it is awaiting a statement as to "the exact British position" on the questions of Chinese nationalist currency and silver deposits before deciding definitely whether to bring about complete collapse of the Anglo-Japanese talks.

Actually, the talks were in a state of suspension and British Ambassador Sir Robert Leslie Craigie was at the summer embassy at Nikko after an interview with Somatsu Kato, Japanese Minister-at-Large for China and chief negotiator, in which Kato was said to have threatened an imminent breakdown of the conversations.

Answering Britain's request that the questions of currency and silver be taken up in conference or consultation with other signatories of the Nine-Power Washington treaty upholding China's integrity, the newspaper Asahi asserted that the treaty no longer is operative.

Conditions have changed, the newspaper said, and if there are to be any discussions with other interested powers Japan will conduct them on a bilateral basis.

TALKS SUSPENDED Although the Tokio talks are suspended indefinitely it was said that there might be further contacts on "routine topics" including matters already discussed by the negotiators. The talks were suspended on the

## Chamberlain Meets Cabinet on Tuesday

LONDON, Aug. 20 (UP).—Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain tonight started back to London for a special meeting of his Cabinet ministers Tuesday.

That the special Cabinet meeting had been called was known yesterday but the formal announcement issued today at 10 Downing St. served to emphasize the event and possibly indicated the importance which the government attaches to the meeting.

## Flier Crashes

William Subbage, 19, Middletown, N. J., escaped injury when his plane crashed yesterday in an open field near Keyport. The wing of the plane struck a tree at the edge of the field.

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## Hitler Coming, Foerster Tells Danzig Nazis

Local Fuehrer Declares At Rally Situation Cannot Endure

## WAR SIGNS RISE

Reich Legal Experts to Hold 5-Day Conference

DANZIG, Aug. 20 (UP).—Nazi leader Albert Foerster today told 4,000 cheering Danzig Nazis that "the storm is coming" and that Hitler will be greeted in the Free City soon.

"All of us must feel that the storm is coming, because the present situation cannot endure," he said.

"The situation is critical," Foerster said. "Come what may we shall see our Fuehrer in Danzig."

"The hour is approaching when Danzig will return to the Reich."

The "Danzig Fuehrer," who is Hitler's chief lieutenant in the Free City and who has been flying back and forth between the Reich and Danzig for consultation with the Fuehrer, spoke at a Nazi party district rally in the suburb of Lanfuhur.

### LEADS DELEGATION

Dr. Arthur K. Gresler, President of the Danzig Nazi Senate, today led a group of Free City officials across the boundary into East Prussia at Koelnberg for the opening of a German agricultural fair at which strident boasts were made of Germany's readiness for war. Both economically and militarily.

The rally was marked by the biggest display of armed and uniformed men since the development of the Danzig dispute and the Free City's organization of a defense force estimated at close to 8,000 men.

Uniformed Nazis—members of the S. S. Heimwehr (Home Guards) and the armed police—outnumbered civilians three to one.

All party and police formations, being increased daily by additional conscription of reservists, were among 10 different uniformed groups that paraded onto Jaesthental Meadow at Lanfuhur.

Foerster assailed Polish "Terrorism" and what he called the "mediating" of British and French "war mongers" in the Danzig dispute and announced flatly that Hitler no longer demands the mere return of Danzig but insists upon the sur-

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## Sunday Fair Gate Jumps To 234,894

A.P.C.A. Officials Pass On 'Bulldodging' Act As Humane

Yesterday's weather and reduced admission prices brought a jump in World's Fair attendance to 234,894, a tremendous increase over last Sunday's figures.

The figure was given for the number of entrants by 7 o'clock. At three in the afternoon the gate total had reached 137,167.

Sidney Franklin, Brooklyn's most famous matador, received permission yesterday at a "Bulldodging" act there daily.

Officials of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Fair executives and other invited guests attended Franklin's demonstration and afterwards held an hour-long conference on its acceptability.

### STATEMENT

Following the conference a statement was issued which said in part:

"Following the demonstration today at the New York World's Fair of Sidney Franklin's 'Bulldodging' performances, representatives of the A.S.P.C.A. met with World's Fair officials to discuss the question as to whether there was any objection to its being put on as a regular spectacle at the Fair.

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# Chinese Leaders Score Traitor Wang in Wire

### Commanders Declare Firm Adherence to Nation's Determination to Drive Out the Invader

(By Cable to the Daily Worker)

CHUNGKING, China, Aug. 20.—The Japanese government is learning that its efforts to use the Chinese traitor Wang Ching-wei to confuse and break the morale of the Chinese commanders and troops are not working according to Japanese plan.

In a joint telegram addressed to the Chinese government, General Yu Han-mou and 31 commanders of the northern sector of the front in the Kwantung province leave no doubt as to where they stand with regard to the Japanese agent Wang Ching-wei.

General Yu Han-mou and his commanders declare themselves in the telegram to be firmly and unqualifiedly behind the Chinese government in its determination to purge the country of the last vestige of the Japanese invaders.

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Meanwhile, 148 commanders of Chinese troops stationed in the Kwantung and Kwangsi provinces have dispatched a joint telegram to the Chinese government in reply to the ignoble proposal of the Japanese for the shameful "peace" as conveyed by the Japanese staff through its agent, Wang Ching-wei. The telegram read in part as follows:

"The ignominious traitor Wang Ching-wei voluntarily fulfills his treacherous role of trying to conquer China with the hands of the Chinese themselves. In our eyes and in the eyes of the entire Chinese people Wang Ching-wei is a corrupt traitor. We fully support the policy of the national government.

"According to information from Shanghai, Wang Ching-wei's attempt to get outstanding figures of China to support the Japanese side has also failed. The biggest Shanghai magnate, Yu Yat-sing, refused to receive Wang Ching-wei when the latter came to him with proposals from the Japanese."

INVADER CHECKED

The chairman of the Szechwan Province government, General Wang Tseung-su, has called upon the population to come out energetically against the treacherous activity of Wang Ching-wei.

The Japanese invaders are being checked in other places and by various other methods. A few days ago 14 Chinese partisan detachments numbering about 1,000 made a surprise raid on Chung Ming Island, at the mouth of the Yangtze River, destroying the Japanese garrison.

In south China on the evening of August 13th a Chinese partisan detachment on Hainan Island, under the command of General Ping Pai-chu, carried out a surprise attack on the city of Tsun. Partisans set fire to Japanese barracks in the western part of Shansi province. In the district of Tsechow heavy fighting has been going on during the past few days. Highways in this district are in Chinese hands.

In the southern part of Shansi Japanese troops attempted recently, without success, to attack Chinese positions in the districts of Icheng and Foushan. In the Paotow district Chinese troops, after capturing Shulinghe, encircled Klivan.

The Japanese military clique in Canton has meanwhile been demanding permission of English and French authorities of foreign concessions in the Shaming district of Canton to search for and arrest anti-Japanese elements taking refuge there. Denied this permission, the Japanese have attempted to enter the territory of the concessions. They have been repulsed by French guards.

## Swiss Labor Head Backs Soviet Policy

ZURICH, Aug. 20 (ICN).—Tribute to the Soviet peace policy is paid by Deputy Leon Nicole, head of the Geneva Labor Party, writing in its paper "Travail."

Commenting on the present world tension and Berlin's belief in a new Munich, he says:

"But times have changed. The Europe of August 1939 is no longer that of August 1938. What is new is that the Soviet Union has come in, giving Berlin something to think about and to hesitate over."

"Obviously mistaken, the 'Fuehrer' and his advisors thought that through their anti-Communist stories, they had dealt the cards in Western Europe so that they could go on maneuvering without London and Paris arriving at the idea that they should appeal to Moscow."

"The 'Fuehrer' and his advisors deceived themselves. In vain he tried at the last moment to suspend anti-Communist propaganda and to start trade negotiations with Moscow for diplomatic and military aims. In Moscow they let him know that trade relations are one thing, diplomacy and military pacts quite another."

"Since October 1917 the Soviet Government has followed a fixed line: it wants peace, and will only conclude political and military pacts with those countries who are honestly pursuing the same aim: this has still to be confirmed in London."

"It seems that in Paris and London they have at least realized and recognized this, that is why the Governments of these capitals have now sent military missions to Moscow."

# Tientsin Flood Hampers Blockading by Japanese

### Barricades Around Concessions Submerged—Waters Steadily Rising—Power Is Cut Off As River Dyke Bursts

TIENTSIN, China, Monday, Aug. 21 (UP).—Flood waters of the Hai River sweeping over the foreign concessions of Tientsin, throwing light and water services out of operation, today hindered the Japanese army's attempt to maintain its two-months-old blockade of the British concession.

The army's electrified wire barricades around the concession were almost completely submerged. The Japanese military road along the fringe of the Concession was eight inches under water in many places and the flood waters were rising steadily.

Japanese sentries on the Race Course Road, where a series of incidents including the stripping of British men and women have occurred, were compelled to abandon their posts in the face of the advancing waters.

The flood, worst since 1927, was caused when mounting waters of the Hai Ho burst a dyke above the former German concession—now occupied by the Japanese—and flowed through streets of the British, French and Japanese areas and flooded the Chinese part of the city shoulder-deep.

The British concession's power plant went out of commission when flood waters reached it, cutting off electricity and water service.

Water RESTORED

Water supplies were restored late Sunday night, however, and authorities hoped to restore electric service by connecting their lines to the French concession's plant.

Lower streets in the center of the British concession were inundated knee-deep, compelling business firms to move or evacuate basements and ground floors.

The flood waters were more than two feet deep along a mile long stretch of the race course road bordering the former German concession.

The situation was growing steadily worse.

Chinese refugees from the native areas were permitted to enter the blockaded British concession by Japanese army commanders and were put to work throwing up sandbag protective walls. Similar measures were taken in the French concession.

Communists will continue their support of President Quezon and will line up behind his candidacy for re-election, Party leaders said.

# Solution to Palestine Question Explained in New Pamphlet

### Paul Novick In Marxist Brochure, Urges Unity of Arabs and Jews

By Herbert Rosen  
A clear and convincing explanation of how peace can be brought to strife-torn Palestine by an Arab-Jewish understanding and collaboration with the democracies against fascist penetration and aggression, is given by Paul Novick in his pamphlet "Solution For Palestine: The Chamberlain White Paper" (5 cents).

Novick sets the theme of his 32-page brochure with a quotation from Prof. Albert Einstein, one of the greatest and most respected living scientists and Jews. In a radio broadcast on May 27, 1939, Einstein said:

"There could be no greater calamity than a permanent discord between us and the Arab people. Despite the great wrong that has been done us, we must strive for a just and last compromise with the Arab people. In face of the common foe that confronts us both, this goal must be accessible. Let us recall that in former times no people lived in greater friendship with us than the ancestors of these same Arabs."

GROWING DISCORD  
British imperialism, playing upon the aspirations of both Jews and Arabs, has inspired discord between the two peoples; but the fascist aggressor states, Germany and Italy, are fishing in the troubled waters of Palestine in order to strengthen their positions against both the peoples of the Near East and against Britain. But Chamberlain, whose policy as expressed in his recent "White Paper" follows the Tory



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doctrine of "divide and rule," endangers both British safety and the peace and security of the peoples of Palestine by a policy of opposing Arab-Jewish collaboration by all means in order to maintain Britain's own imperialist domination.

THE COMMUNIST SOLUTION  
Novick shows how the Communist Party of Palestine has fought for a genuine understanding between the Arabs and Jews against fascist penetration, including the fascist elements within their own camp (the "Mufti" of Jerusalem among the Arabs and the Revisionist Zionists among the Jews). He shows how the possibility of such an understanding has been increased by the rise of sentiment for unity with the Arabs in the Jewish camp. The importance of peace in Palestine is heightened by the role of the country as one of the countries to which Jewish refugees from fascist persecution are seeking haven. The position of the Communists:

## The Navy Goes Into Action



BLUEJACKETS FROM THE NAVAL Training Station at San Diego, Calif., charge through a smoke screen as they train for the Navy's relief carnival in that city. Sailors and Marines will stage sham battles on a miniature battle field as a spectacular carnival feature.

# Philippine C.P. Urges Breakup Of Huge Estates for Peasants

### Province Meetings of Communists Review Issues Before Philippine Masses; Press Drive for Japanese Boycott

By Armando G. Dayrit  
(Special to the Daily Worker)

MANILA, Aug. 20.—Expropriation of all privately-owned big landed estates for distribution to landless peasants has just been urged upon the Commonwealth Government by the Communist Party of the Philippines as a measure to relieve the centuries-old misery of the agrarian workers. This was one of a number of fundamental Party policies to which support was given by workers and peasants at the first of a series of

provincial meetings of the Party held last week in San Fernando, capital of the province of Pampanga.

Party leaders who addressed the convention voiced approval of the hope expressed by President Manuel L. Quezon that the farm tenancy system might be ended in 15 to 20 years, and suggested a plan whereby a bond issue of \$50,000,000 would be floated by the government for the acquisition of the big private estates, which would be subdivided into lots and sold to landless peasants on easy long-term payments.

At its Pampanga meeting, the Communist Party also defined its stand on contemporary national issues, including the proposed amendment of the Philippine Constitution for presidential re-election (the Constitution provides for a six-year term without re-election) and for the re-creation of the two-chamber legislature in place of the present one-house National Assembly.

A boycott of Japanese goods was urged as a contribution of Filipinos to China's great struggle for democracy and against fascism in the Far East. The Communists demanded jobs and relief for unemployed workers and those in the cultural field, advocated trial by jury and voted to oppose and fight fascist tendencies and activities within and without the government.

Communists will continue their support of President Quezon and will line up behind his candidacy for re-election, Party leaders said.

only if he takes steps to realize his social program. Guillermo Capadocia, General Secretary of the Party, outlined the Communist position at the meeting, affirming that the Party is not dogmatic. It is essentially neither pro-Quezon nor anti-Quezon, it is neither for nor against the amendment of the four-year-old Constitution, but is for the re-election of Quezon and the amendment of the Constitution if these mean the improvement of the conditions of the masses, the broadening of democracy, and the attainment of collective security.

ASK QUEZON SPEAK UP  
At the same time, the Communists decided to request President Quezon to define openly and clearly his stand on the labor question, and protested a recent act of the chief executive in endorsing the Knights of Peace, a strikebreaking and fascist group, which is virtually a government labor union, as it was organized by the reactionary gov-



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nor of the province of Pampanga.

President Quezon's endorsement of this group, which he made in a speech on the occasion of a Rice Planting Festival in Pampanga province two weeks ago, has greatly disheartened progressive labor, which has hitherto been fully in accord with his social justice program, and as a result have threatened to bolt the newly organized National Commission of Peasants, a national federation of all agrarian unions and other peasant groups.

"Let the President define clearly his stand on the issue between labor and capital, so the workers can act accordingly," said Pedro Abad Santos, national vice-chairman of the Party.

On this particular controversy, the Communists passed resolutions emphasizing that labor unions must be absolutely independent from government control, that the President of the Philippines should not endorse any particular labor organization and that the right to strike must be kept unimpaired as the most effective weapon of the working class.

Constabulary and police agents watched the meeting, which was attended by approximately 5,000 workers, but the gathering passed without incident.

General Secretary Capadocia took occasion to explain that the Communist Party has never advocated and does not advocate today, the use of terrorism and violence as a method of Party procedure.

"We repudiate the 'reckless resolve to seize power' by any minority," he said. "The Communist Party represents a strong and growing force, it supports and helps every progressive tendency in Philippine political life and in no case distracts the progressively democratic front from its fight against the enemy, the reactionaries and fascists."

# Anti-Fascist Printers From 15 Countries Strength Grows Against Il Duce

### Rome Holds Mass Trials In Effort to Stop Growing Movement

(Special to the Sunday Worker)

PARIS, Aug. 19.—That the underground anti-fascist movement in Italy is still very much alive and very active, notwithstanding the boasts to the contrary of the junior partner of the Rome-Berlin Axis, can be attested to by the recent series of mass trials which have taken place in Rome. The arrests were not only confined to Communists and Socialists. Many workers, peasants and professional men with no party affiliations have also been dragged before the Special Tribunal in Rome and sentenced to long years in the fascist dungeons.

After the conviction of a group of anti-fascists from Verona, another group of peasants, artisans and workers from the city of Pola—40 of them—were brought before the Special Tribunal on the charge of anti-fascist activity. A strong tradition of resistance to fascism has always existed in Pola, which is near the port city of Trieste. When the forty anti-fascists were being taken to the station to entrain for Rome, a large section of the populace accompanied them to the station in a warm demonstration of solidarity, defying the authorities who sought to prevent them.

These 38 men have pledged themselves to do everything in their power to defend freedom of speech and of the press, and to remain in close contact with the IPTU.

They have also mandated the Secretariat of their International to call a joint conference with the Lithographers and Bookbinders Internationals for the purpose of establishing one unified body. All national printers organizations, including those of the U.S.S.R., are to be invited to affiliate.

# Oil Monopoly Asks State Dep't Help in Despoiling Mexico

### Issue Becoming So Sharp Below Rio Grande That Even Reactionaries Forced to Urge Support for Cardenas

By Alfred Miller  
(Special to the Daily Worker)

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 20.—Showing their real face as rapacious imperialists, the American oil monopolies have adopted an attitude of open and insolent aggression against Mexico. This is proved by the text of the letter which the President of the Standard Oil, one Farish, has sent to the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull.

"El Popular," progressive daily here, commented this morning on the latest developments in the oil negotiations.

Comments of a similar nature are running through practically the entire press of Mexico and a movement of equal dimensions as the one at the time of the actual expropriation of the oil companies, supporting Cardenas and condemning the present attitude of the companies is fast developing.

Even General Andreu Almazan, the fascist candidate for President, saw himself forced to issue a statement today, calling upon all Mexicans to support President Cardenas.

EXCUSES SELF

Excusing himself that he made no reference to the oil problem in his manifesto of July 25, the candidate of reaction declares now:

"Today, when the national interests are passing into the sphere of discussion between the two governments, I comply with my duty as a citizen to express clearly that it is the duty of every Mexican to support the Government of the Nation, as is done by all the patriotic and civilized peoples in similar cases and principally because it is the Supreme Court of Justice, which is to say the Law that has definitely decided the question."

It appears that General Almazan, who has been reported to receive support of the oil companies in his election campaign, is a bit late in making this statement. Undoubtedly, he found it expedient to support Cardenas now because all of Mexico is doing it. Election issues are being put aside for the moment and the closed front of the entire Mexican people fighting for "economic independence" against the imperialist oil companies is complete once more.

"El Popular" sharply condemns

## Retreating Japanese Post Militant Slogans

(By Cable to the Daily Worker)

CHUNGKING, China, Aug. 20. — Slogans and posters left by retreating Japanese troops in Sinti, a town in the southern part of the Hopei province, indicate to what extent the Japanese militarists are hated by their men.

Posters read: "More than 800,000 Japanese soldiers and officers have been killed and wounded at the fronts in China. The Japanese government is doing nothing to render assistance to the 2,000,000 unemployed. We should all revolt against the militarists and demand that we be sent home, where we shall finally settle accounts with them."

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SHAPELY 17-YEAR-OLD Helen Schifano, New Jersey school girl bends herself into a pretzel while training for the 1940 Olympics to be held in Finland. She is rated one of the country's best gymnasts.

State Loans Ready for New Public Housing Units

Superintendent Weinfeld Notifies Towns And Cities

The State's new slum-clearance and low-rent housing program got under way yesterday when State Superintendent Edward Weinfeld, head of the reorganized Division of Housing, advised local housing authorities and municipal officers of cities, towns and villages that application forms for State loans and subsidy grants for housing projects will be completed and issued within the next few weeks.

Meanwhile, Mr. Weinfeld urged the local authorities to furnish the Division with estimates of their housing needs and to undertake immediately such initial steps as may be feasible in preparation for the submission of formal applications.

At the same time, announcement was made of the appointment of Ira S. Robbins of New York as counsel for the Division and George D. Brown, Jr., of New York City as executive secretary.

Both served in these capacities under the predecessor State Board of Housing.

PROGRESS MADE

Mr. Weinfeld's letter indicated that substantial progress has been made in setting up the administrative organization of the Division of Housing to carry on the greatly increased activities provided for under the Desmond-Moffatt-Mitchell Housing Bills enacted at the last session of the Legislature and approved by Gov. Lehman to implement the Housing Amendment to the State Constitution.

The Public Housing Law makes available a total of \$150,000,000 for housing loans to municipalities and \$1,000,000 in annual subsidies but only \$50,000,000 of the loan fund and \$250,000 in subsidies actually may be expended during the present fiscal year.

The Division of Housing is responsible for the administration and supervision of the entire program.

Architects to Have Day at World Fair

The Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists and Technicians will sponsor Federation Day at the Fair on Saturday, September 16, at the World's Fair Grounds.

A luncheon and symposium on the "Contributions of Technical Men to the World of Tomorrow" will highlight the day's activities.

Outstanding authorities on architecture, engineering, chemistry, labor, education and public health will participate in the symposium.

Arrangements were made immediately for mass picketing of the shops, located chiefly in the district centering around 23rd St. and Fourth Ave. Picketing is scheduled to start at 8 o'clock today.

Luggage Strike Parley Ends In Deadlock

Union Votes to Start Mass Picketing Monday

Negotiations to settle the general strike of more than 1,000 A. F. of L. luggage workers in New York City failed over the week-end when a conference at the Hotel Pennsylvania broke up in a deadlock.

Elias Lieberman, counsel for the striking Luggage Workers' Union, stated that the conferences were still as far apart as they had been when negotiations for a new collective bargaining contract began three weeks ago.

"The union's demands for a continuation of the present 37 1/2 hour week are simple and entirely reasonable," Lieberman said.

"The employers forced the union into this strike by insisting upon a return to the 40 hour week. We have done everything possible to prevent this, but until they are ready to give way on this question of longer hours, further negotiations will be useless. The moral responsibility for ending the strike rests with the employers."

A mass meeting of 750 strikers was held at Irving Plaza, Fifteenth St. and Irving Place, to receive the report of the conference committee.

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Latvia Arrests Patriots for 'Friendliness' to USSR

RIGA, Aug. 20 (ICN)—Continuing its persecution of patriots and democrats, the Latvian Government has just arrested 14 persons for "friendliness to Moscow."

WPA Teachers Union Orders Volunteer Classes Halted

Dismissed Instructors Forced to Seek Home Relief

Beginning today, there will be no more volunteer classes by dismissed WPA teachers. The WPA Teachers Union, an A. F. of L. affiliate had ordered its dismissed members to continue their teaching until the scheduled termination of the summer program.

In calling off the classes, William Leuner, President of the Union, said:

"We have done our best to maintain classes so as not to leave stranded thousands of adults and children who depended on the WPA program for cultural enrichment and recreation during the hot summer months.

"Despite innumerable difficulties, and with great personal sacrifice, on the part of our teachers, we succeeded to a large extent. Our teachers are in dire straits now, and slowly but surely are being forced to apply for home relief."

Leuner emphasized the success of the union efforts by making public a statement of Abraham Cohen, Director of the Adult Education Program. In a final memorandum entitled "Tribute to the Staff and Student Body of the Adult Education Program," Mr. Cohen wrote:

"During this short session, more than 50,000 students enrolled in our classes and more than 35,000 men and women daily attended our classes during the week-end.

"Despite the loss of hundreds of our best teachers, tens of thousands of our students, devotedly served by the steadily diminishing staff, successfully terminated their studies and activities in 300 schools and teaching centers throughout the city."

Arab Newspaper Warns Against Nazi Propaganda

BELGRADE, Aug. 20 (ICN)—A significant warning against Nazi and fascist propaganda has been given to the Mohammedan world, especially the Arabs, by "Snana," organ of the 1,600,000 Moslems living in Yugoslavia.

Pointing out that Dr. Goebbels is vainly spending gigantic sums of money in Egypt and Iraq to incite the local population against the Jews, the paper reminds the Arabs of Italy's attacks on Albanian and Libyan Moslems, saying that this is all one can expect from fascism.

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"It is an expression of our American principles of government applied to industrial relations."

Hutchinson River Pky. Tolls Begin Today

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Aug. 20 (UP)—Collection of tolls on the Hutchinson River Parkway Westchester County will begin at 8 A. M. tomorrow it was announced today by George S. Haight, superintendent of the Westchester County Park Commission.

Three toll booths will be located at Scarsdale, between Old Mamaroneck Road and Mamaroneck Av., Haight said. Their construction is being rushed toward completion for installation and use Monday.

Exiled Prince



SKANDER, THE INFANT SON OF the refugee King Zog and Queen Geraldine of Albania, who was born two days before the Italian Fascist army drove his parents from their home in Tirana, is shown in the arms of his nurse in France where they have taken refuge.

Church Pamphlet Lauds Trade Unions

Council for Social Action Publishes Pamphlet 'Labor and Democracy' by Rev. James Myers; Part of Larger Study

Emphasizing the new dignity which the modern trade union movement is seeking for working people in modern society, the Council for Social Action of the Congregational and Christian Churches of America has released today 'Labor and Democracy,' part of a larger study to be published in a forthcoming volume by Rev. James Myers.

Mr. Myers is Industrial Secretary of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America. Earlier he was for seven years personal director in a factory where he had charge of labor relations.

He presents his personal findings, based on many years of study, investigation and first hand contacts with employers and labor in many industries.

"Through labor unions," Mr. Myers declares, "workers have found an opportunity not enjoyed by unorganized workers to participate in American democracy.

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DEALS WITH AGREEMENTS

Mr. Myers deals with the question of keeping agreements and finds as a rule both employers and the A. F. of L. and CIO unions have lived up to their agreements.

He cites the case of the U. S. Steel Corporation and the Steel

Big 'Battle' Nears As War Games Enter New Stage

Blue and Black Armies Face Each Other Along Mythical Border; Receive Orders to Cross Into and Hold 'Enemy' Territory

By Ernest Mooror (Daily Worker Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE FIRST ARMY IN THE FIELD, PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 20.—At daybreak tomorrow, troop columns will move along Clinton County Roads on missions which will ultimately bring the First Corps, consisting of the 26th and 43rd divisions of New England National Guard under command

of Major General Morris B. Payne, into head-on encounter with the second corps, troops of the 27th and 44th divisions of the New York and New Jersey National Guard commanded by Major General Wm. N. Haskell of New York.

While the National Guard divisions are engaged in the eastern part of the Plattsburg maneuver area, regular army units of the provisional corps, which is commanded by Major General James A. Woodruff of Boston, will also be busy in the area between the Salmon and Saranac Rivers east of Redford.

Here the First Division commanded by Brigadier Gen. Walter C. Short will oppose a force under command of Brigadier General Joseph M. Cummins of Boston, consisting of the 18th Infantry brigade and units of the Seventh Cavalry brigade, mechanized.

DRUM IN COMMAND The maneuvers will be directed by Lieutenant Gen. Hugh A. Drum, maneuver Commander.

For the First Corps and Second Corps problem, it is assumed that the Saranac River from Moffitsville to its mouth at Cumberland Bay forms part of the boundary between two states, black (south) and blue (north).

General Payne's First Corps will be the northern, or blue force. General Haskell's Second Corps the southern, or black.

Attached to the First Corps will be the 3rd battalion 66th infantry (light tanks) less one company; 1st squadron, 101st cavalry; 197th coast artillery and the 101st and 118th observation squadrons, one of which may be given attack or bombing missions.

General Haskell's command will be reinforced by mechanized cavalry, the 101st cavalry, horse, lesson squadron; 212th coast artillery, (AA) and the 102nd and 119th observation squadron, one of which maybe given attack or bombing missions.

Into this afternoon both black and blue "Governments" decided that the time for action had come and each decided on a lightning stroke against the other without the formality of declaring war, the maneuver umpires said.

The blue corps (first) was directed to cross the "border" at 5 A.M. August 21 between Kent Falls and Plattsburg and seize, hold a

Million in Soviet See Agricultural Fair

(By Cable to the Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, Aug. 20.—Opening in a Moscow suburb on the first day of this month, the All-Union Agricultural Exhibition had been viewed by 1,000,000 persons by midnight of August 18th, figures released today disclosed.

As was originally planned, out-of-town excursionists—collective farmers, workers of machine and tractor stations, state farm agronomists, and other specialists in agriculture—predominate among the visitors at the exhibition, there having been already some 125,000 such people.

The number of visits of this category reaches more than half a million, as each excursionist spends at least four days at the exhibition.

Bakers Appeal to Olsen in Price War

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 20.—Los Angeles independent bakers, faced with a price cutting war that already has lowered bread prices in some cases to three loaves for 10 cents waited today for Gov. Culbert L. Olson to intervene on their plea to prevent ruin of the small companies.

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Union Leader Sues Employer On False Arrest

Takes Damage Action Against Boss of Struck Restaurant

A \$10,000 damage action for false arrest was instituted yesterday by Fred Taylor, manager of the Welfare Department of the Cafeteria Employes Union, Local 302, AFL, against an employer of a restaurant where a strike is in progress.

The employer, Martin Mordkoff, operates the Shack, at 41st Street and Lexington Avenue, where 30 workers have been on strike since Aug. 1. A second restaurant with the same name, run by Mordkoff, at 51st St. and Lexington Ave., is also being picketed.

Taylor was arrested last week for allegedly making false statements. He had charged that the waitresses who only earn \$3 a week are compelled to contribute 10 cents a day to the wages of the service girl who serves food over the counter to them.

The case against Taylor was thrown out of court after Mordkoff, according to the union, admitted that such a contribution was being made. Mordkoff further said, Taylor reported, that the tips which the waitresses made were pooled and a certain percentage taken by the management.

The strike resulted from the management's refusal to negotiate union demands for wage increases, reduction in hours and improved working conditions. The union leader said that the waitresses now average only \$2.37 a week.

Baby Brought Back to Life by Mother's Breath

WAYNESBURG, Pa., Aug. 20 (U P)—When Mrs. Thomas McCullough of near Aleppo entered the room where her baby daughter, Beverly, was sleeping yesterday, she found the child apparently dead, smothered by a rubber sheet which had been pulled across the infant's face. The child's face had turned blue.

Without a moment's hesitation, the mother snatched the four months old baby from her crib and breather air into her daughter's lungs until the child was revived.

"I don't know how long I breathed into her mouth," Mrs. McCullough said happily. "I just breathed and breathed and said prayers in between until Beverly began to come to."

Beverly today was seemingly none the worse for her experience.

Belgium Bans Printing of Defense Information

BRUSSELS, Aug. 20 (UP)—The Cabinet has decided to prohibit publication of any information regarding Belgium's defenses, it was made known today. The prohibition covers positions, composition and commands of military units and plans for construction or demolition of defense works.

Nazis Bar Polish Athletes at Border

WARSAW, Poland, Aug. 20 (UP)—A team of Polish student athletes, en route to the International Students' Championship games in Monte Carlo, were detained at the German frontiers today on the grounds that their passports did not entitle them to pass through the Moravian "protectorate."

Short 'Pushes' to Take Fund Drive Burden Off Branches in Final Weeks

With the start of the 100-day campaign for \$250,000 two days off, the New York State Committee of the Communist Party announced yesterday that preparations are completed and enthusiasm is high.

County organizations have accepted their quotas and are ready to swing into action. Meetings of branch and section executives throughout the State have discussed the drive

during the past two weeks and collection material has been distributed among the 25,000 members of the Party.

An extensive advertising campaign, including a public "drive thermometer," has been mapped out for what promises to be the most publicized financial drive the Party has yet conducted.

The campaign will consist of a series of short "pushes" rather than one drawn-out drive period. To this end, branches will estimate on the basis of their 100-day quota the amount of money they must raise between meetings. Section and county quotas will be broken down on a weekly basis. Their ratings will be determined by bi-weekly and weekly periods.

WANTS MEMBERSHIP The main feature of the campaign, as explained by the State Committee, is that it seeks to involve the entire Party membership.

A plan of "cooperation" being vigorously pressed provides that individuals and Party divisions that have fulfilled their quotas—or are well on their way—assist those who are encountering difficulties.

"Instead of the strong competing with the strong and the weak with the weak in fund raising—the strong will help the weak," the explanation continued.

Assistance will take the form of instruction, exchange of "star" fund raisers, dime for dime matching, joint consultation of branch and section executives etc. The plan is expected to raise norms of fund raising sky high, it was asserted.



I. AMTER

ing \$10 or more. The minimum figure is based on the central slogan of the campaign which is "a dime a day for 100 days."

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

The drive will be brought into fraternal and mass organizations by Party members who will be assigned to organize the necessary committees. Those members of the Young Communist League who are also members of the Party will be responsible for fund raising in the YCL, it was explained.

Responsibility for, and direction of, the fund campaign is placed on the political leadership of the various Party divisions, doing away with the former practice of electing drive directors.

County, section and branch executive committees will conduct the campaign in their territories.

The State Fund Drive Commission is composed of I. Amter, State chairman, Charles Krumbeltz, State secretary, Max Steinberg, organization secretary, James Ford, chairman of the New York County Committee, Rose Woods, trade union director, David Leeds, finance secretary, Alex Leith, and organization secretaries of Manhattan, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Harlem.

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# Milk Farmers Are Fighting for People

## 'No Scab Milk' Is Mass Slogan in Embattled Upstate Communities; Strike Is a Grim Battle for Existence

By Lawrence Emery  
(Special to the Daily Worker)  
LIBERTY, N. Y., Aug. 20.—One of the first things seen on entering this town in the middle of a rich dairy farm area is a huge sign in the windows of a large downtown retail store: "We sympathize with striking dairy farmers. WE WILL NOT SELL SCAB MILK!"

"It is this type of response from the most unexpected sources, together with the solid determination of the strikers themselves to unite their ranks and win, that makes this general milk strike more effective and more widespread than any even conducted before.

Travelling through these three counties—Orange, Ulster and Sullivan—and talking with striking farmers shows clearly why this is so. These men are fighting with a quiet desperation. If they lose, they have nothing left.

Milk is one of nature's greatest sources of life, but the men who produce it are literally starving. The milk trust has drained them dry, and during this terrible summer of drought with operating costs up and the yield lower than ever, they have had to accept a price as low as 77 cents a hundredweight, which is a fraction more than one and one-half cents per quart.

### ANXIOUS TO TELL STORY

In the little town of Accord a group of strikers gathered in a bare room after a session on the picket line. They felt good, because they had dried up the big Kysyerke plant, and many members of the Dairy-men's League, the leadership of which is opposing the strike, had joined their ranks and withheld their milk.

They were eager to talk to the Daily Worker. They are confident that if the people know their true conditions, there will be unlimited support for their strike.

Tra Deyo is the county chairman. He is a tall, rangy man and his name is one of the oldest in this part of New York, going back to revolutionary days. He's been a dairy farmer for two years, and he has less now than when he started. "A man can't live when his expenses run to \$200 a month, and his income is \$120, can he?" he asked.

Charles Freedman takes up from there. He and his father have been dairy farmers here for 20 years. Added up, their total investment in land and herd amounts to \$20,000.

He showed me the last monthly check he received before the strike. payments, it amounted to \$25. "Can I keep up a farm and hire a man to help me with 25 cows on that?"

### QUESTION COMPLICATED

The "milk question" has always seemed complicated beyond understanding by most people. But these men, by their strike, have reduced it to its simplest terms: the consumer pays too much, the farmer gets too little, and the trust robs them both.

"Look at the way they handle Grade A milk," they say. "Grade A milk is made Grade A by the farmer. After it leaves his hands, all the processing in the world won't improve its quality. Yet the farmer gets a half cent extra for Grade A, and the consumer pays three cents extra. When you figure that out, you've got the answer."

The answer, to them, is a price of 5 cents a quart.

"And even if we get five cents a quart," they tell you, "a government survey has shown that with a price like that, all other things being equal, the return to the farmer will work out equal to wages of 25 cents an hour for the work he puts in."

"In 1937 government figures showed that the dairy farmer actually received a 'profit' amounting to 2 cents an hour for his labor."

### "WIN-OR QUIT"

And here some one else spoke up to recite a long list of names of men who have been forced off their land and out of business in the past two years. "The outcome of the dairy industry depends on this strike; we either have to win or quit."

"And when men get down to those terms, you know that a fight is being waged."

All over this region men are gathering to discuss these problems and to work out the answers. Some hundreds of them collected the other night in front of the High School in Liberty, and they stood in little clusters on the lawn waiting for the meeting to start inside.

The women were with them, and many brought their kids. Their deadly earnestness was clear from the quiet way they spoke. None talked loud, and many didn't talk at all; theirs is a seriousness past the point of words.

This is the center of Sullivan County, which has three independent plants and five run by the Dairy-men's League. One independent was already gone dry, the other two were rapidly drying up. And the Dairy-men's League farmers were joining the strike in

greater proportions than anywhere else in this region.

### EXPLANATION SIMPLE

The explanation of that was simple to Raymond Knack, county chairman of the Dairy Farmers Union.

"They're completely dissatisfied with the League price," he said. "This summer it was 20 cents lower than the independents. The leaders of the League can't fool the farmers forever with promises. Today they can no longer stand up before us and tell us the truth, and if they lie, we know it."

"Now the League is threatening the farmers with legal action for violation of contract—but no farmer has ever seen that contract, and nobody can get a copy of it. The League leaders are losing their hold over the farmer..."

Knack is more than satisfied with progress of the strike to date. One of the League plants is almost dry, the others seriously affected. More than 100 pickets are turning out mornings in Liberty, and farm women from Callicoon and other towns are going from plant to plant in trucks for picket duty.

Similar stories of virtual starvation are told by men here. Vincent Tremper has been on a farm all his life. We sat down on the school steps to talk, and he introduced his wife as "a woman who works like a man."

Twelve years ago they started working a farm in Sullivan County on shares; later they bought five cows. And through years of labor and deprivation they built up their holdings till now they have 171 acres and 28 cows. "But I can't remember 10 months in the past 10 years when I received what my milk is worth."

### CANT PAY TAXES

"With prices as they are now I can't pay taxes; I can't meet my bills; and I can't hire help. We work the farm alone, and we put in an average of 15 hours a day. And when we get down to dollar milk it means skimming along from hand to mouth and if we didn't raise some of our own meat we wouldn't have enough to eat."

This couple has been to one movie in 12 years. Mrs. Tremper has bought 2 dresses since she was married. And this week of the strike was the first time either of them had been in the town of Liberty on a Saturday night in that time.

These are the stories and these are the human issues behind the milk strike. When men and women are pushed to this point, they have nothing to lose, and they fight to win.

And many truths are coming clear for the first time—the public response to their struggle has warmed their hearts, and the splendid action of the CIO and some A. F. of L. unions in giving material assistance is swiftly breaking down the long and studied campaign of reactionaries to keep the farmer divided from organized labor.

And in this strike the farmer has one thing clear that has never been quite so clear before: this is not just a farmers' fight—it is a peoples' fight against big business monopoly, and it is going to take every possible measure of unity to win.

## Grand Street Holds Last Dance Tonight

The Grand Street Settlement holds its final Street dance of the season tonight at Cannon and Rivington Sts. and it is expected that more than 500 East Siders will attend. The dances are conducted as part of the Settlement's Play-Street program.

The Settlement's Rhythm Band, composed of harmonica, haircomb, penny whistles and drum players will furnish the music for the participants in the dancing.

There will be jitterbug contests and grandparents of the jitterbugs are scheduled to exhibit some of their old country folk dances. Children in the settlement sewing classes have been busy recently preparing authentic costumes for the folk dances.

No prizes will be given in any of the events. Dancing will end promptly at 9:30.

## Hitler Builds War Port in Baltic Near Pomerania

BERLIN, Aug. 20 (ICN).—As part of its war preparations, Nazi Germany is feverishly constructing a new war port, Stolpmuende, on the Baltic close to Danzig. At the mouth of the River Stelpe, this port is in immediate proximity to the Pomeranian frontier. Its strategic importance, as relief for Swinemuende, third German naval base situated much further westwards in the Bay of Pomerania, will be enormous. The Nazis are spending 40 million marks in its construction.

At the same time a direct railroad from Berlin to Stolpmuende is being built, reducing the 21-hour run between Berlin and Pillau, naval base in the Bay of Danzig, to 13 hours.

## Milk Strike Spreads As Talks Near

### Union Urges Farmers Hold Lines Firm Against Scabs

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LIBERTY, N. Y., Aug. 20.—One of the first things seen on entering this town in the middle of a rich dairy farm area is a huge sign in the windows of a large downtown retail store: "We sympathize with striking dairy farmers. WE WILL NOT SELL SCAB MILK!"

"It is this type of response from the most unexpected sources, together with the solid determination of the strikers themselves to unite their ranks and win, that makes this general milk strike more effective and more widespread than any even conducted before.

Travelling through these three counties—Orange, Ulster and Sullivan—and talking with striking farmers shows clearly why this is so. These men are fighting with a quiet desperation. If they lose, they have nothing left.

Milk is one of nature's greatest sources of life, but the men who produce it are literally starving. The milk trust has drained them dry, and during this terrible summer of drought with operating costs up and the yield lower than ever, they have had to accept a price as low as 77 cents a hundredweight, which is a fraction more than one and one-half cents per quart.

### ANXIOUS TO TELL STORY

In the little town of Accord a group of strikers gathered in a bare room after a session on the picket line. They felt good, because they had dried up the big Kysyerke plant, and many members of the Dairy-men's League, the leadership of which is opposing the strike, had joined their ranks and withheld their milk.

They were eager to talk to the Daily Worker. They are confident that if the people know their true conditions, there will be unlimited support for their strike.

Tra Deyo is the county chairman. He is a tall, rangy man and his name is one of the oldest in this part of New York, going back to revolutionary days. He's been a dairy farmer for two years, and he has less now than when he started. "A man can't live when his expenses run to \$200 a month, and his income is \$120, can he?" he asked.

Charles Freedman takes up from there. He and his father have been dairy farmers here for 20 years. Added up, their total investment in land and herd amounts to \$20,000.

He showed me the last monthly check he received before the strike. payments, it amounted to \$25. "Can I keep up a farm and hire a man to help me with 25 cows on that?"

### QUESTION COMPLICATED

The "milk question" has always seemed complicated beyond understanding by most people. But these men, by their strike, have reduced it to its simplest terms: the consumer pays too much, the farmer gets too little, and the trust robs them both.

"Look at the way they handle Grade A milk," they say. "Grade A milk is made Grade A by the farmer. After it leaves his hands, all the processing in the world won't improve its quality. Yet the farmer gets a half cent extra for Grade A, and the consumer pays three cents extra. When you figure that out, you've got the answer."

The answer, to them, is a price of 5 cents a quart.

"And even if we get five cents a quart," they tell you, "a government survey has shown that with a price like that, all other things being equal, the return to the farmer will work out equal to wages of 25 cents an hour for the work he puts in."

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And here some one else spoke up to recite a long list of names of men who have been forced off their land and out of business in the past two years. "The outcome of the dairy industry depends on this strike; we either have to win or quit."

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All over this region men are gathering to discuss these problems and to work out the answers. Some hundreds of them collected the other night in front of the High School in Liberty, and they stood in little clusters on the lawn waiting for the meeting to start inside.

The women were with them, and many brought their kids. Their deadly earnestness was clear from the quiet way they spoke. None talked loud, and many didn't talk at all; theirs is a seriousness past the point of words.

This is the center of Sullivan County, which has three independent plants and five run by the Dairy-men's League. One independent was already gone dry, the other two were rapidly drying up. And the Dairy-men's League farmers were joining the strike in

greater proportions than anywhere else in this region.

### EXPLANATION SIMPLE

The explanation of that was simple to Raymond Knack, county chairman of the Dairy Farmers Union.

"They're completely dissatisfied with the League price," he said. "This summer it was 20 cents lower than the independents. The leaders of the League can't fool the farmers forever with promises. Today they can no longer stand up before us and tell us the truth, and if they lie, we know it."

"Now the League is threatening the farmers with legal action for violation of contract—but no farmer has ever seen that contract, and nobody can get a copy of it. The League leaders are losing their hold over the farmer..."

Knack is more than satisfied with progress of the strike to date. One of the League plants is almost dry, the others seriously affected. More than 100 pickets are turning out mornings in Liberty, and farm women from Callicoon and other towns are going from plant to plant in trucks for picket duty.

Similar stories of virtual starvation are told by men here. Vincent Tremper has been on a farm all his life. We sat down on the school steps to talk, and he introduced his wife as "a woman who works like a man."

Twelve years ago they started working a farm in Sullivan County on shares; later they bought five cows. And through years of labor and deprivation they built up their holdings till now they have 171 acres and 28 cows. "But I can't remember 10 months in the past 10 years when I received what my milk is worth."

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This couple has been to one movie in 12 years. Mrs. Tremper has bought 2 dresses since she was married. And this week of the strike was the first time either of them had been in the town of Liberty on a Saturday night in that time.

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Labor-Baiter Pegler Shows His Hand

Like other Tory scribes, Westbrook Pegler generally plays up to the AFL when he wants to attack John L. Lewis and the CIO. But every once in a while something happens which reveals what is really going on inside the heads of the reactionaries.

Such a "something" happened the other day when President George Meany warned the State AFL against the reactionary drive upon labor. Meany's speech threw Pegler into such a paroxysm of rage that he devoted an entire column in the World-Telegram to as villainous a red-baiting attack upon Meany and the AFL as he had ever launched against the CIO.

Traitors to Democracy

The Social-Democratic leaders in Germany helped make Hitler's rise to power possible, when they used to issue such statements as this:

"We must always keep an eye on the Communists because the danger begins there. The danger at the present moment does not lie in the street meetings of the fascists but in the United Front maneuvers of the Communists."

Millions of people have learned from the tragic fate of Germany how to fight fascism. But not reactionary Social-Democratic leaders.

For the paragraph just quoted, came right out of an article in Thursday's Jewish Daily Forward by H. Rogoff, one of the editors and a leader of the Social-Democratic Federation. It is an open invitation to Coughlin to increase his fascist provocations in this city and a rejection of the only means of successfully checking fascism, namely, the united struggle of all defenders of democracy.

The Jewish people will not accept the red-baiting of Rogoff and other Social-Democratic Federation leaders. On the contrary, they will reply with still more united front struggles against the common enemy, fascism.

Another Threat to the U. S. in the Pacific

The British Tory government yesterday held out the promise to the Tokio aggressor that it would scrap the Washington Nine-Power Treaty. This is a blow aimed directly at the United States.

Under Japanese pressure, the Chamberlain government is preparing the ground for a Far Eastern Munich while it is scheming to appease fascism in Europe.

By considering revision of the Nine-Power Treaty, the British Tories are actually preparing to assist Japan in dismembering China. The Nine-Power Treaty, signed in 1922, provided that its signatories respect the national integrity of China.

We are now witnessing further obvious submission of the British Munichites to the Far Eastern ally of the Rome-Berlin Axis. And this at a time when Hitler and Mussolini are threatening to blow up the peace of Europe.

Here we have evidence of the threat against American peace growing out of the world war plans of the fascist trio.

Moreover, the Nine-Power Treaty "revision" report augurs ill for the United States in view of the situation around Danzig.

Nothing more keenly could have hit home to the American people that they are directly involved in the Nazi drive on Danzig than the further capitulation of Chamberlain, at this time, to the Japanese in the Pacific.

The Japanese are making the most of Hitler's war threats in Europe, in order to attack American interests in the Pacific.

The folly and peril of "isolation" are again exposed to the American people.

In response to Chamberlain's willingness to aid Japan in tearing up the Nine-Power Treaty, the United States should answer forthwith with an embargo on all American war supplies to Tokio.

For the defense of American security in the Pacific an embargo is called for by the latest events.

By clamping down an embargo on all war materials to the Japanese invaders in China this country can now best contribute to the peace of the world.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Splendid Work in Exposing Criminal Agents of Fascism

I have been reading in the Daily Worker the expose of the concocted forgeries called "The Protocols of Zion" by the Czarist agent and provocateur Brazol and utilities by the upholy alliance of Henry Ford and Charles E. Coughlin.

I wish to congratulate Art Shields and the Daily Worker upon this splendid work in exposing these criminal agents of fascism. We must uproot this monstrous evil, which has been spreading its poison not only against the Jews, but against the entire human race and threatens our very lives, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Although the Daily Worker is doing a great deal in helping wipe out the plague of fascism in the United States, it is not enough. We must redouble our efforts and exterminate these poisonous activities. This can be accomplished by exposing them in the liberal and progressive press among the masses of workers, farmers and the middle class; and with leaflets, pamphlets, mass meetings, and open air meetings. It can be done, with the help of the Daily Worker.

We must be on the look-out here in the United States of America and not allow it to "happen here."

The Immediate Dangers Around Us

The following is a copy of a letter to Mayor LaGuardia:

"Honorible Mayor LaGuardia: Last night an outdoor meeting was held by the 'Christian Mobilizers' in front of my home.

"I live in a predominantly Jewish section and when a speaker starts shouting 'Buy Christian,' 'Down with international Jewry and Bankers,' refers to our Mayor and President in foul language, and states 'that the police are our friends,' it aroused me as well as my friends and neighbors to the immediate dangers around us. Several of the audience wished to ask questions but were told that no questions would be answered.

"It was necessary to have at least 24 policemen and quite a few plain clothesmen and a police wagon there all evening.

"There are thousands of people like myself, sigilarly of Jewish descent who have never done anything to deserve this slander and be the target for this abuse. We want peace and good-will, and, since you yourself want the same, will you please take steps to stop these people? Is it really freedom of speech to cause rioting and come into a Jewish neighborhood yelling 'We want you, to, and demand that you buy Christian.' One more thing. As the speaker finished talking, he ended thus: 'We shall meet at this corner next week at the same time.'

"Can't you, Mayor LaGuardia, do anything to stop this and similar meetings? They warned the audience that they are going to march this Saturday and dared anyone stop them.

"We hope for your help.

"MILDRED BERNSTEIN,"

Wants Loan of Reading Material For Circulating Library

Editor, Daily Worker:

The reactionary forces in New York City are conducting an intensive campaign to befuddle the minds of the people so that they would be able to continue their diabolical destruction of all progressive legislation. Every medium under capitalist control, especially the press, is daily disseminating all sorts of vicious propaganda designed to confuse the voter.

We, the members of a new Young Communist League branch in the Bronx, can particularly see the inroads that reaction has made among the young people of our neighborhood. So that we can combat this menace, we are inaugurating a circulating library at our headquarters in order to bring forth more extensively the writings of the leaders of our movement and the invaluable teachings of Marx, Engels, Lenin and Stalin. Therefore, we are making an appeal to the readers of the Daily Worker to loan us pamphlets and books for our library. A bookcase is also needed and would be greatly appreciated; transportation will be provided if a card is dropped to the address below.

SAUL WEISSER, Frederick Douglass Club, Y. C. L., 1063 Morris Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.

Fight to Make Country Safe For Working Class!

Editor, Daily Worker:

As you know, the tenant farmers that were evicted from their lands in this part of the country, have been camping in groups along the countryside.

The bosses have been determined to whip up race hatred and we have cases of some of the colored residents being shot at. One colored man had a jumper on and a bullet went right through the jumper. One colored boy, about sixteen years of age got shot by a pistol through the leg, and another bullet struck him just above the right eye. This was done by a deputy.

Are people allowed to shoot at people just because they have no home or anything to eat and no way to work for something that they are entitled to?

I was told when I went to the World War, that I was fighting to make this country safe for democracy. Now I am going to fight to make this country safe for the working class.

I do hope we will win. Then we will have a country that the world will be proud of.

WILLIAM R. FISCHER, President, Missouri Agriculture Workers Council.

'It's Our Fight, Too'

Editor, Daily Worker:

China! The former scenes in China are no more. Now, only the sounds of airplanes overhead—nothers with babies in their arms looking with anxious faces for shelter from the fascist bombs. Shattered homes of a once peaceful settlement litter the street. Havoc and tumult prevail.

You can help the victims of fascist aggression by writing to your Congressman to embargo the Japanese aggressor.

Do not patronize their merchandize. We must help China—remember, it is our fight, too.

DORIS WOLCHFF.



South German Manifesto Scores Hitler Over Betrayal of Tyroleans

PARIS, Aug. 20 (ICN).—In the towns and villages of Southern Germany the people are reading a new indictment of Hitler, occasioned by the uprooting of 250,000 Tyroleans from their centuries-old homes.

Smuggled into the country, this manifesto is headed: "Germans, Hitler Sells You!" Its author is Heinrich Mann, chairman of the Committee of Action of German Opposition.

More than a thousand years ago, the manifesto begins. German peasant families settled in the South Tyrol, and though their country became Italian 20 years ago, they remained Germans.

Today Hitler has sold them, they are being forced to leave their mountain homes, "all have to leave, young and old, the old peasants with faces like those Albrecht Duerer drew. Men and things, Hitler has sold them." Not for money—this time his reward is a free port at Trieste.

"It is not true," the manifesto declares, "that, as the Nazis say, Hitler needs a Mediterranean outlet at Trieste for the trade of his new Bohemian-Moravian 'Protectorate.' Hitler himself has destroyed that trade. He needs it as a base for further adventures in the Mediterranean.

"This traffic in human souls is to help him with his spies and provocations to stir up war in those distant parts of the world which do not really vitally interest the German people but only such adventures as Hitler.

"The outcome of the Trieste-South Tyrol deal will be to make Germany hated all the more... to plunge Germany into a war she will lose..."

Mann recalls Schiller's account of how earlier rulers of Germany bartered human beings. Hitler has stooped even lower than that. "Now he deals in babies and old men and women," he says. "He uproots a whole people from the land which is their own.

"Mussolini keeps the land, but the people who lived there for over a thousand years are given notice to quit... Yet Hitler is clamoring for 'vital space' and this 'vital space' for his excess population turns out to be a port.

"The South Tyrolean Germans can go and hang themselves. If they want nothing to do with Hitler and his regime, which is perfectly understandable now that they have been sold out, well and good, Hitler will not bother himself about them although they are Germans. They can become Mussolini's cannon-fodder in Africa. "We Germans see a symbol in the fate of those 250,000 Tyroleans. We mean just as little to the 'German Fuehrer' as they do. Sooner or later he will sell us all.

"We must get rid of him while there is still time."

French People Are Aroused Over Official 'Hush-Up' of Nazi Spy Scandal

(Special to Inter-Continent News) PARIS, Aug. 20.—Public opinion is becoming more and more anxious at the continued silence and inaction of the Government in the Abetz affair and the spy scandal.

In the newspaper L'Epoque, Henri de Kerillis writes: "We complied with the decree law invoked by the Prime Minister in his communique on the affair, in the hope that this silence of the newspapers, so suddenly demanded, would not hide the hushing up of the affair, but would assist the inquiry."

Colonel G. K. Guillaume, former member of the French General Staff and of the Deuxieme Bureau, writing in the reactionary weekly Choc, is much more emphatic in his condemnation of the Government.

Contrasting the attitude of the French Government in the Abetz affair and the firmness of the language used by the Polish Marshal Smigly-Rydz in his last speech,

Colonel Guillaume states that the French Government has done "all that it should not do."

SAFETY NOTHING "What should not be done, is when a pitiless inquiry into the activity of traitors, spies or imbeciles is announced by the arrest of two of the culprits, it be followed by a prolonged silence, calculated to cause the greatest uneasiness in the minds of all.

"This is not counting the questions which everyone is forced to ask. Why was there no order of expulsion against the Hitlerite agent and propagandist, Abetz? Why has the Comite Franco-Allemagne, of which he was the admitted chief, not been dissolved?"

"Why has there been no enlightenment on the German and French accomplices that he had here? Why was there no reply from the Government following receipt of the news that Abetz with the support of Herr von Rib-

ben trop and the German Ambassador in Paris, had brought action for defamation against a French journalist?"

"How is it that such a case has not been declared untenable, morally and according to law? Since when has Hitler been permitted, perhaps on the eve of a conflict let loose by his imperialism, to bring Frenchmen before French Justice.

"We do not know whether M. Daladier realizes this, but both he and M. Bonnet have received the greatest smack in the face from the Reich. But if the Premier and the Foreign Minister have not sensitive skins, the country has.

"Let an end be put then, to this silence. A decision must be taken to expose the truth, however high it may reach. It is much more dangerous that the country has to ask itself the meaning of this indulgence, and to wonder what secret fears can thus impede official action."

Mikhail Vodopyanov Proposes Soviet Non-Stop Flight Around the World

(By Cable to the Daily Worker) MOSCOW, Aug. 20.—A proposal by Hero of the Soviet Union, Mikhail Vodopyanov, for a non-stop flight around the world heads the list of plans for the future announced by Soviet airmen in the Aviation Day issue of the Soviet government newspaper Izvestia today.

"A non-stop flight around the world has become feasible for Soviet flyers," Vodopyanov declared. Vodopyanov has a reputation for making his predictions come true, for he published a novel, "The Pilot's Dream," which told of his flight to the North Pole before it was made.

"The Pilot's Dream" was run in serial form in the Sunday Worker.

Hero of the Soviet Union Andrey Yumashev, who took part in the record-making trans-polar flight to the United States, said: "Our next task is to increase the power of aviation engines to 2,000 or 2,500 horsepower and the altitude ceiling to 20,000 meters (12.4 miles)."

SPEED NEEDED Said aircraft designer J. A. Yakovlev: "Our immediate task is to accomplish flights of 900 to 1,000 kilometers (560 to 620 miles) per hour. We hope to attain this in the not too distant future, when planes will fly at an altitude of 10 to 15,000 meters (6.2 to 9.3 miles)."

Mednikova, who has established five world women's records, intends to surpass the women's speed record in the near future.

Glider pilots, who played an important part in today's celebrations, also have bright plans for the future. The prominent glider pilot Ichenko, said: "This year or next at the very latest, I hope to make a non-stop glider flight from Moscow to the Black Sea coast with a passenger. This is a distance of 1,200 kilometers (745 miles) along a straight course."

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World Front



By HARRY GANNES

World Peace Is Perched On a Stick of Appeasement Dynamite at No. 10 Downing Street

Not Danzig but No. 10 Downing Street is at this moment the most hazardous spot for world peace.

On Tuesday the chief authors of the first Munich will meet at that address under the chairmanship of fascism's ardent friend and encourager, Neville Chamberlain.

Among the gang who will gather at the Prime Minister's residence—where the last Munich was plotted—will be:

Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, chief strategist and trickster of Czechoslovakia's national destruction. Sir John, the famous strikebreaker of 1926, will cudgel his slyster brain to devise new ways of appeasing Hitler this time.

Sir Samuel Hoar, Secretary of Home Affairs, is always at home doing his bit of treachery. Students of fascist aggression will never forget the Hoar-Laval proposed deal with Mussolini at Ethiopia's expense. That piece of devilry brought to the surface the hypocrisy of Britain's feined objection to Italian fascism's African conquest.

Viscount Halifax, Secretary of Foreign Affairs is actually presented to us by the N. Y. Times' London correspondent, Ferdinand Kuhn, Jr., as "the heart and soul of resistance to German aggression." A more tragically ludicrous description of this gangly tool of Mr. Chamberlain could hardly be manufactured. While it is true that the Viscount on essentials has bickered with his boss, Chamberlain, he has fallen out with the Prime Minister only over how, not whether, to appease fascism.

It is by spreading such fairy stories about individuals in Chamberlain's cabinet that the reactionary press here fosters illusions about the real character of the case-hardened lot responsible for the Rome-Berlin Axis' increased provocativeness.

Viscount Halifax is Chamberlain's man to the last. Finally, the remaining cabinet members who may be at Tuesday's historical session will include perhaps Leslie Hore-Bellisha, Secretary of War, Kingsley Wood, Secretary of State Earl Stanhope, First Lord of the Admiralty, etc.

All of the latter are abject creatures of Chamberlain. Earl Stanhope, it will be recalled, was given the uniform of First Lord of the Admiralty when Alfred Duff-Cooper resigned that post in violent protest over the Munich betrayals. You can count on it that nefarious Neville then picked a figurehead.

Now, Mr. Kuhn, Jr., does concede us that "the only speaker left in the cabinet is said to be Sir John Simon."

What has Mr. Chamberlain done to clear himself of the suspicion of being the main appeaser? And isn't it a fact that since last Munich only the opponents of appeasement have been fired off the cabinet?

But the most convincing and ominous proof that the Chamberlain cabinet is nearly 100 per cent for appeasement of fascism is their criminal and deliberate tactic of avoiding a peace front with the Soviet Union when they knew the Rome-Berlin Axis had planned a war crisis for this period.

All else that may sound like "a strong stand" against the fascist aggressors will remain window dressing to conceal even worse treachery than was committed last year until the British Munichmen change their ways in regard to a pact with the U.S.S.R.

Those who argue that the Chamberlain crowd will not, dare not, repeat appeasement overlook the agility of the Munichmen.

They may not get away with, and therefore may not try to appease fascism in the Munich manner. Although that is not at all excluded. They will try other ways in an effort to throw the burden on some one else, though arriving at the same objective—the strengthening of fascism. In other words, the British Tories, noted for their tactic of getting others to pull chestnuts out of the fire are scheming to find somebody that will take the Munich rap for them now.

Nothing has yet occurred to clear Mr. Chamberlain and his Anglo-French coterie of the charge that they are still plotting to bolster up Hitler by Central and Eastern European territorial concessions in order to push the fascist warmakers in an exclusively eastern direction, that is, against the Soviet Union.

Knowing that Hitler (as the last Munich aftermath proved) is entirely too weak to undertake the task of butting his head into the granite wall of Soviet defense, the Chamberlain cabal is not at all averse to feeding him pieces of Poland hoping this will add courage to the Nazi warmakers to hurl themselves eastward.

That is still the chief reason why Mr. Chamberlain and his cabinet stooges have engineered matters so that Hitler would attempt to assault Poland with no peace front obstacle in his path.

Nevertheless, Poland can still upset Mr. Chamberlain's rotten apple cart.

Meanwhile, the set-up in the U. S. State Department during this war crisis is not the happiest one. Acting as Secretary of State is Mr. Sumner Welles, one of the warmest admirers in this country of the Anglo-French appeasement crowd generally, and of Mr. Chamberlain in particular.

Mr. Welles is putting on an air of calm over the present situation. That, we venture to say, he adopted from the British Foreign Office which is trying to ease up the alarm of the British people.

With the Chamberlain sang meeting at 10 Downing Street and with Mr. Welles at the head of the State Department these days the outlook for world peace is very slippery, indeed.

Letters From Readers

Thank Donors for D. W. Subscriptions—

Clondyke, Arizona

Editor, Daily Worker: Am writing to acknowledge letter we received telling us a friend had paid for our subscription to the Daily and Sunday Worker for one year. It sure was good news, as we were about to give up raising another dollar.

No work and about to get kicked off the place we worked so hard to build. All the relief we get is a few federal commodities once a month. We sure thank these friends a million times, as giving up the paper now would be a crime.

We were visiting some very interesting people here in the canyon yesterday. The father is Indian and Mexican. He pioneered this canyon sixty years ago. He came in here when there were only Indians and cleared off this land and developed it for farming. Of course, not wanting to be a hog, he sold it out for small farms. Now, one or two big cattle men are trying to buy the land for a song so they can kick the farmers out.

MR. AND MRS. EDWIN B. HILL.

# Change the World



What Is All This Loud Talk About 'Racial Superiority?'

By MIKE GOLD

CITIZENS of the Anglo-Saxon stock may occasionally feel superior to all the other racial mixtures that contribute to the grand and unfinished experiment that is America.

But there is no evidence that this superior feeling makes Anglo-Saxon capitalists any kinder to their "racial brothers" than to the rest of the human symphony, as the massacres of union men in the South has so often attested. The purest Anglo-Saxon strain in this country runs in the veins of the miners of Harlan, Kentucky, for example, but their "racial brothers who are company gunmen have assassinated them as mercilessly as though they were Negroes or Irish Catholics (your Southern chauvinist lumps the two).

Not many years ago, one saw the spectacle of such Southern Anglo-Saxon gun thugs, sheriffs and judges murdering fine Anglo-Saxon women like Ella May Wiggins in Gastonia, North Carolina, at the orders of unnaturalized German capitalists who owned the textile mills there. Here one found a horrible demonstration of the truth that class cuts across all racial affinités.

Your capitalist has no true loyalties to any race or nation. He is loyal only to profit and will follow it wherever it leads. If for the sake of profit he finds it necessary to betray his nation or his race, he will do so without a flicker like Chamberlain or Coughlin. And he will find enough scoundrels among what Marx called the "degenerate fringe of the proletariat" to kill their own mothers and brothers for his daily pay.

When it seems to his profit, however, the capitalist can become very "race conscious." He will play Negro against white, as in the South, because that is the most effective way of keeping the wages of both at the lowest levels. Or, in New York, he will play Irish against Jew, for the same ultimate reason.

TRADE unionism in New York was pioneered by the Irish and the Jews. I wonder how many good Irish-American trade unionists in this city realize that if Father Coughlin could ever succeed in his persecution of the Jews, it would break down the whole structure of trade unionism in New York, cut every worker's wage in half and rob him of all social security.

That is the real object of Coughlinism, which is a movement financed by Wall Street and Berlin. Coughlin tried to bust the auto workers' unions in Detroit by setting up phony unions that were working in collusion with the corporations and were nothing but company unions. The attempt failed, even though Henry Ford and Homer Martin aided Coughlin's treason to the working man.

In New York, the attack is different and less direct. The Coughlinites try to split the unions from within. The core of their strategy is the same old Hitler-Coughlin demagoguery of "fighting Communism and Jews." What they are really fighting under this mask is just honest trade unionism, but it is A. F. of L. or C. I. O.

This setting up of racial hatred in America for the sake of Wall Street profit is about the worst crime against humanity one can think of. It is beginning to have some effect in New York. Already one can find Jewish workers who distrust the Irish, and Irish workers who distrust the Jews. If this split goes far enough, it will finally divide and wreck the trade unions of New York, which is what Coughlin wants.

The Irish trade unionists of New York could destroy Coughlinism in a month, if they could only see the subtle serpent in its true guise. But the serpent is lulling them to sleep. Many of them think they can be neutral on the question of anti-Semitism. In New York, however, the Jews are a solid core of the trade union movement. If Coughlin can destroy them, it will be easier for him to destroy the trade unions of the Irish-American workers, and who can deny that this is his goal?

# The Artef Is Back on Broadway

## 'Clinton Street' To Be Staged at Mercury Theatre

When theatre-lovers scanned their newspapers some weeks ago, they found one item that made particularly good news. It was the announcement that the noted Artef Players, under the sponsorship of the Dramatic Art Theatrical Association, had signed a lease for the Mercury Theatre, and would there launch their twelfth playing season during the first week of October.

The news was so good because the Artef, one of our outstanding social theatres, has been absent from the theatrical scene for more than a year, and has been sorely missed, not only by Yiddish-speaking playgoers but by all those who love and appreciate a vigorous social theatre that expresses itself in the finest terms of theatre art.

The interim year was spent in a struggle for the reorganization of this much-loved theatre. Indeed for a time some skeptics wondered sadly if it would ever function again—though not the Players themselves. They, in fact, had enough faith in their future for each member to take \$50 from his or her own pocket to make a cornerstone fund for their coming work. Organizations and individuals who felt the Artef an integral part of their life also stepped up with funds and other aid. The result is an exciting step forward in the history of this theatre group.

It now has the best permanent home it ever achieved. The Mercury Theatre possesses a splendidly equipped stage, an auditorium that allows full visibility of it, and is conveniently located in the theatre district. The Artef band of players who have created some of the finest ensemble acting, and some of the most lovable and memorable characters seen on our stage, remains for the most part intact.

### Plan Long Series Of New Productions

Benno Schneider, who staged most of its productions, continues to be its chief artistic director. Its schedule of plays for the season will begin with "Clinton Street," adapted by Louis Miller from the well-known Jewish novel by Chaver Paver, a full-blooded social saga of the East Side, and will include such plays as "The Bewitched Little Tailor," the Sholom Aleichem classic recently done with great success in Paris, and "Ezal Shem," based on Chassidic history, promising a colorful and well-rounded program for those who care about ideas and beauty in the theatre.

Best of all, a good part of its former devoted audience has joyfully rallied round, as evidenced by the fact that theatre-parties are already being booked for "Clinton Street" through the month of November. Individual subscriptions also come in daily to the office in the Mercury Theatre, where one may see the actors and staff these warm days busily at work. Indeed, only the other day one "fan" dropped into the office to inquire whether he could now engage a date for a theatre-party for the second production!

Though the Artef launched its first production in 1928, it really began three years before that when a group of young actors, dissatisfied with the state of the Jewish theatre of that time, banded together to make a new sort of theatre, one that would express the significant social ideas of its time through the medium of the best theatre art.

These actors formed a study group. For three years, supporting themselves by doing any sort of work during the daytime, they devoted their evenings to intensive training in diction, body movement, and other fundamentals of theatre craft. They were, in fact, pioneers in this sort of serious preparation for launching a theatre. Their first play was "At The Gates," and it was presented, modestly enough, on Sunday evenings only, at the Forty-eighth Street theatre. The audiences were small, but word began to get around that here was something worth going to see.

By the time the third play was shown, "Aristocrats," not only Yiddish-speaking, but a number of non-Yiddish patrons had become the group's adherents. That play was directed by Benno Schneider, who had been one of the Habimah Players, and remained in this country first as an instructor with the Artef, then, as his forceful and brilliant ideas flowered, as director of almost all its productions in the next years.

### Devoted Full Time to Theatre Work

"Aristocrats" was an undoubted success artistically and, it seemed at first, financially as well. It is still keenly remembered by those who saw it. The company took on the Princess Theatre for a year, the players dropped their daytime jobs and devoted all their time to their theatre. But they could not be self-supporting; the theatre was in an unaccustomed neighborhood for its



Scenes from the "200,000" popular Artef production of the poor Jewish tailor who wins a lot of money in the sweepstakes but loses it all in the end.

patrons, and though its training artistically was first-rate, the company had not mastered the technique of promoting itself financially. So it returned to the program of jobs-by-day and producing fine plays by night, playing its repertory at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, the Heckscher Theatre uptown, at innumerable benefits, rallies, meetings, memorials; a theatre, in the best sense of the phrase, and for the people. Its reputation grew, and so did the love of its audiences for its plays and plays, which during this period included such great productions as "Yegor Bulitchev," "Chains," and "The Outlaw."

## USSR Films Win Acclaim Throughout the World

MOSCOW.—During the last few years, Soviet films have gained for themselves a leading place among the international films shown abroad. In Europe and Asia, in America and Australia, everywhere where Soviet films are shown, they awaken general interest and enjoy universal success.

Commenting on the reasons for this success, the French weekly "Lumiere" writes: "In the Russian films we encounter human feeling, simplicity, the poetical and lyrical spirit which only real art can throw upon the screen."

The film "Lenin in October" has been shown everywhere to crowded houses. Where only one week's run was announced, the film was run two or three weeks longer. The public everywhere has given an enthusiastic reception to the Lenin appearing on the screen, innumerable comments on the film have been published in French, English, American, Swedish, Chinese, and many other newspapers. Many articles and critiques have been written about it. The Paris "Humanité" calls the film a living lesson in Party history, and emphasizes the mastery touch of the producer M. Romm, who has created this work of art.

In China, the newspaper Szechwan Shihao refers to the film Lenin in October as an "extraordinary success both from the standpoint of its subject matter and from the standpoint of the arts of production and acting." The paper is of the opinion that the artistic value of the film is so great that it "may claim a first place on the international screen."

The Chicago Tribune writes that the acting is superb. Schukin's representation of Lenin is one of the greatest achievements of the cinema. The English Conservative Morning Post cannot but admit that the film shows wonderful mastery of detail, and that Schukin's rendering of Lenin is a conspicuously vivid representation.

The film "Youth of Maxim Gorky" has made a great impression abroad. The Norwegian press shows appreciation of this film as a great work of art. Ny Tid (Oslo) writes: "Often this or that film will be designated in our commentary as a 'great picture.' In this case these words are truly applicable in their best sense. . . . It is only Soviet cinematography which can describe life in such a social cross section. And it does this so well that its films have become an art sweeping everything victoriously before it. The problem of society and of human beings, in their actual reciprocal relations, cannot be put and answered with the truth which art requires by anyone but the Russians. The Soviet film finds the

source of its power in the new Socialist life which has no need to fear the truth."

The Swedish newspaper Stockholms Tidningen stresses that there are no exaggerations in this film, and that it possesses "extraordinary truthfulness, power, and artistic conviction." Stockholms Tidningen is of the opinion that "this is one of the best films which has been shown in Sweden for some years." Special tributes are paid to the acting of Massalinnova in the role of Gorky's grandmother. The remarkable performance of this actress is further emphasized by Ny Dag.

The anti-fascist film Professor Mamlock caused a sensation in England. The film was shown in clubs and associations, and met with most favorable comment by the press. The attempts of the censor to prohibit the public showing of the film have aroused resistance among the English public, and have actually increased its popularity.

The Manchester Guardian, stressing the great interest shown by the public in this film, points out that British critics always complain that "our films do not venture to touch profound and important subjects." The Soviet producers have taken up such a subject, it points out.

The London News Chronicle writes that the enormous power of this film is incontestable. The types shown are real, the mass scenes really natural.

The English press comments extremely favorably on the acting in this film. The actors Mezhlinsk, Chesnokov, Shaternikov, and Merkuriev, are accorded special praise. The Times writes that the film appeals directly and eloquently to our feelings with all the art and truthfulness peculiar to Soviet cinematography.

The foreign press, when judging Soviet films, invariably makes comparisons between the acting of the Soviet actors and that of the leading theatre and film actors of Europe and America. From this viewpoint special praise always falls to the actors Simonov, Tarasova, and Cherkassov. The French Swedish, Norwegian, and Swiss press has high praise for the Soviet actors. The Geneva La Suisse writes "The part of Peter the Great is played by the outstanding Soviet actor Simonov. The film is a magnificent epic."

The foreign press is already discussing forthcoming Soviet films, which are awaited with great interest.

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In 1935 it again achieved a permanent home, on West Forty-eighth Street, and there first presented "Recruits." Herman Shumlin, the well-known Broadway producer, was one of those who saw "Recruits." He went out and told whomever he met that unless they saw it too they would be missing one of the finest productions this country had ever had. Some of those he told included the city's leading drama critics. After viewing the play, they in turn told their readers about in "rave notices," and the Artef had become an important part of the general theatrical scene. Its early supporters had the satisfaction of seeing their judgment enthusiastically confirmed by the most discriminating playgoers and theatre professionals in the land.

"200,000" and other notable productions followed, in the same tiny playhouse. The theatre's tenth anniversary celebration had to be held at the Hippodrome, and was an occasion for rejoicing and participation by many of the best theatre artists.

Artel is Non-Profit-Making Group

The next move of the Artef, however, to a distant and over-sized house, coupled with a dearth of good scripts—an ailment generally afflicting the serious theatre—proved, for the time, disastrous to its fortunes. After a brief season on 63rd Street, the Players were forced to retire from the lists of active production, to work on plans for financial reorganization and to search for plays worthy of their audiences and their talents.

"Clinton Street" is one of the prize-winning plays of a contest held during that time in conjunction with Icor. It will be directed by Lem Ward, the young man who staged " . . . one-third of a nation . . ." for the Federal Theatre, one of its best productions, and "Marching Song" for the Theatre Union. It promises to be an exciting social document of an important problem of our time.

Because the Artef is a non-profit-making, non-commercial group, its financing essentially depends upon advance audience support, though subscriptions and chiefly through theatre-party bookings. To insure carrying through its program, and its permanence as an active theatre, it is necessary, therefore, that the many groups and organizations who wish to see its first play arrange to do so immediately—and they will also insure getting the dates and seats they most desire.

In other words, if you are glad the Artef is back—show it by calling its office at the Mercury Theatre now and telling it now when you wish to see its first play at this season.

# First Production Issued By Motion Picture Guild

LOS ANGELES.—With the world premiere of its first born, a short entitled "A Musical Message from Hollywood," by Jay Garney and Henry Meyers, the Motion Picture Guild Inc. has been definitely launched in the field of independent producers. So far the U. S. government is the only producer of documentary films for Hollywood has rarely entered this field. As long as the studios could get audiences for pictures like "The Lady and the Cowboy" and "Blondie Meets the Boss," and make profits, they were complacently satisfied. Any suggestion to make pictures that truly depict life has been pushed aside.

## HOW DO YOU FEEL?

HEALTH ADVICE—By MEDICAL ADVISORY BOARD. Readers' questions will be referred to a doctor for reply. However, diagnosis of individual cases and prescription will not be attempted. When writing, please enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope.

### Be Careful With Crab-Meat

From Baltimore, home-town of the crab, comes a warning against indiscriminate indulgence in this food. Several small outbreaks of food poisoning have been traced by the Baltimore health department to lack of refrigeration of crab meat. This product is particularly perishable and liable to contamination unless constantly refrigerated until it reaches the consumer, or until it is cooked.

The following precautionary measures are urged to avoid food poisoning from crab-meat:

1. The best safeguard is always to cook crab-meat thoroughly before serving it.
2. With imperial crabs, crab salad or cocktails, be sure the meat is fresh, has not been in any retail store more than a day or two, and has been on ice at all times.
3. Imperial crabs should be heated so that all the crab meat is made hot, even in the center of the filling.
4. Crab salad, crab cocktails or imperial crabs should be served not more than four hours after preparation and handling, and should be refrigerated almost to the freezing point during this storage period.

And remember, if you buy canned crab-meat, be sure it is the Russian and not the Japanese variety!

These remarks about crab-meat preparations apply to the home. There are no such guarantees possible for crab-meat eaten outside the home.

## Film Notes

SOUNDS IN THE NIGHT: Shouts of "Arriba Espana" and loud applause for General Francisco Franco shattered the usual suburban stillness one evening last week following the showing of a pro-Fascist pic at the home of a top-flight director in Hollywood. Film entitled "Defender of the Faith" was brought here by Russell Palmer who is responsible for the flood of Franco-boasting pamphlets which appeared here during the war in Spain. Palmer has the backing of Martin Quigley, publisher of Motion Picture Herald and other trade papers, who evidently has no trouble at all reconciling his membership on the newly-formed Catholic Committee Against Anti-Semitism with his love for the Spanish adjunct to the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo axis.

ABE LINCOLN IN OREGON: From Eugene, Oregon, where RKO is filming "Abe Lincoln in Illinois," comes news that the entire acting company, headed by Raymond Massey in the title role, has signed petitions authorizing a strike call in the event producers give the actors' organization the finger.

FOG OVER 'FRISCO: A group of unnamed ladies up there in the City of the Bridges have just popped off to the effect that they would attempt to effect a boycott of any, all, pictures in which there appear performers "with Communistic leanings."

Those kids in the "Labor Pains" show have more than enough guts to go around. And that, plus their earnestness and abilities should win them support from all quarters.

Neighborhood Theatres

MANHATTAN  
ARCADIA—Mon. "Clouds Over Europe," "Zenobia." Tues. "History Is Made at Night," "The Great Guy." Wed. Thurs. "The Mikado," "Blind Alley." Fri. Sat. "Second Fiddle," "Spirit of Culver."  
ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Mon. to Wed. "The Day I Die," "U. S. Expected to Father." Thurs. to Mon. "Frontier March," "I Stole a Million."  
GRAMERCY PARK CINEMA—Mon. Tues. "Tarzan Finds a Son," "Clouds Over Europe." Wed. Thurs. "Rose Marie," "6,000 Enemies." Fri. Sat. "White Banners," "Bridal Suite."  
GREENWICH—Mon. Tues. "Daughters Courageous," "Mr. Moto Takes a Vacation." Wed. Thurs. "The Captains of the Range," "Racketeers of the Range." Fri. Sat. "Second Fiddle" plus "Café."  
8TH ST. PLAYHOUSE—Mon. Tues. Wed. "Five Came Back" & Novelties, "Peaceful-Neighbors," "Ski Girl," "Money to Loan."  
RKO JEFFERSON—Mon. "This Is My Affair," "All Back Goes to Town." Tues. Wed. "They Asked for It," "Racketeers of the Range." Thurs. to Sun. "Captain Fury," "Good Girls Go to Paris."

BROOKLYN  
JEWEL—Mon. "Gilded Lily," "Crack-Up." Tues. Wed. "Kid Galahad." "Can't Have Everything." Thurs. Fri. "Shanghai," "Day at the Races." Sat. Sun. "Swing High, Swing Low," "On Trial."

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## On the Radio

- Shortwave Band  
Radio Center, Moscow, 4 A.M. 15.175  
Megacycles, 8 P.M. 9.600, 15.080, 15.175  
Megacycles.
- MEKA, Mexico City, 6.172 Megacycles, 12  
Midnight, "Golden Neighbor Hour."
- MORNING  
7:00 A.M.—WNYC—Smirne Symphony.  
WABC—Phyllis Cook's Almanac.  
7:30—WQXR—Breakfast Symphony.  
7:45—WABC—Morning News Report.  
8:00—WOR—Trans-Radio News.  
8:10—WNYC—World Fair Calendar.  
8:15—WNYC—New York State Employment Service and Consumers Guide.  
8:30—WHN—U.P. News. WNYC Robert Jones Organ Recital. WOR World Fair Reporter. WABC Woman's Page of the Air.  
8:45—WMA—News and Around New York Today.  
9:00—WAP-WJZ—Associated Press News. WJZ—Composers Hour. WNYC—Masterwork Hour.  
9:30—WOR—World of the News. WJZ—Woman of Tomorrow.  
9:30—WOR—Women Make the News. WJZ—Breakfast Club.  
9:45—WHN—U.P. News.  
10:00—WMA—News.  
WNYC—Mark D'Albert, Piano Recital.  
11:00—WNYC—News.  
11:15—WNYC—NYA Program, "Youth and Music."  
11:30—WOR—"Keep Fit to Music."  
11:45—WOR—Radio Garden Club.  
WNYC—"You and Your Health."
- AFTERNOON  
12:00—WHN—U.P. News. WNYC Organ Recital from Temple of Religion.  
12:15 P.M.—WNEW—David Low, News of Stage and Screen.  
WHN—World's Fair News.  
12:30—WOR—Trans-Radio News. WNYC Midday Symphony. WHN "Microphone in the Sky" Interview from atop the Empire State Building. WJZ National Farm and Home Hour.  
12:45—WOR—Consumers Quiz Club.  
1:30—WNYC—American Recreation News.  
1:45—WMA—News and Around New York Today.  
2:00—WJZ—Adventures in Reading. WNYC—Opera Hour.  
2:15—WHN—U.P. News.  
WOM (14th St.) American Citizenship Court. WPA Program.  
2:45—WMA—News.  
3:00—WOR—WHN—Dodgers vs. St. Louis Cardinals. WJZ Band Concert.  
WABC—"According to Hoyte."  
1:45—WABC—Giants vs. Chicago Cubs.  
3:15—WNYC—Concert Orchestra.  
3:45—WNYC—News.  
4:00—WNYC—Four Strings at 4.  
WJZ—Club Matinee.  
WQXR—Music to Remember.  
4:30—WQXR—Hour of Symphonic Music.  
WABC—"Vic and Sade."  
WMA—Movieband Review.  
5:00—WMA—News. WJZ Dance Music.  
WNYC—Music to Swim By.  
5:15—WABC—Pop Concert.  
5:30—WQXR—Gilbert and Sullivan Hour.  
5:45—WHN—U.P. News.  
WABC—Adventures in Science.  
WGNW—"Talking Over the News."
- EVENING  
6:00—WABC—Science in the News.  
WOR—Uncle Don.  
WNYC—HomeTown Newspapers.  
WQXR—Music to Remember.  
6:15—WABC—Associated Press News and News with Ford Bond.  
WABC—Sport Chat.  
WNYC—World Fair Reporter.  
6:30—WNYC—"The Voice of the Theatre." WABC—Stamp Talk by Capt. Tim Healey. WOR Trans-Radio News.  
WMA—Sport Talk.  
WABC—"Uncle Jonathan."  
6:45—WABC—Bill Stearn's Scrapbook.  
WNYC—News. WHN Dick Fashell, Sports Resumes.  
WQXR—Violin Recital.  
7:00—WNYC—Repeat of Masterwork Hour. WJZ—"Orpheus and Eurydice," Starring Margaret Anglu.  
WABC—Pleasureville with Fred Waring's Orchestra. WOR Stan Lomax. Sports Review.  
WQXR—Quality Music.  
7:15—WMA—"Five-Star Final."  
WABC—Luther-Lehman Singers.

## DOCTOR



Edward Ellis and Anne Shirley in "A Man to Remember" playing at the Dover Theatre, East Bronx, today and tomorrow. The film is based on the story of a small town doctor.

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# PRESS BOX

By CHARLES E. DEXTER

Chatting with the old-timers: Arlie Latham says Rolfe and DiMaggio are the two greatest players he has seen in his 69 years of watching baseball. He puts Red over all third basemen and Joe far ahead of all outfielders. Lou Criger, Cy Young's catcher, worked with Cy without signals. They knew batters so well that Lou didn't have to call for pitches. Eddie Plank was probably the greatest student of batters who ever toed the mound. The old Athletic star left-hander would stop the game whenever a new batsman appeared at the plate. If the batter was up from the minors he tried to find out what kind of balls he didn't like before he would pitch. Bresnahan, Giants' old star catcher and Matty's battery mate, introduced shin-guards into catching, after they had been experimented with by college teams. John McGraw once contested an umpire's decision in the Havana baseball park during a Giant training season down there. The fans didn't like McGraw's pugnaciousness and began to riot. The Cuban police arrived on the field on horseback, with cavalry sabres drawn and saved Mac's life.

From Havana comes this story: A decade ago the Cincinnati team was in the midst of a slump. Just about that time the American imperialist interests in Cuba decided they needed a "strong man" in the presidency. They decided upon Menocal and sent a delegation to see him. The chairman of the delegation lived several hundred miles inland. The reactionaries of the delegation stopped at the field of his rancho and called him out of the fields where he had been riding on horseback with a servant. The proposal was made to Menocal who hesitated.

"We are asking you," said the chairman, "to respond to the call of your country, as Cincinnati did in ancient Rome."

Finally Menocal agreed to go to Havana to discuss the matter. As the delegates rode away, the servant turned to the next president of Cuba and said: "What you want to manage the Cincinnati team for? They just lost eight straight games."

There is much talk of night baseball in Manhattan next year. Bill Terry visited Ebbets Field recently during a night game where 27,000 people were in attendance. The next afternoon less than 5,000 fans were at the Polo Grounds to see his Giants.

Another rumor is that sooner or later the Giants and the Yankees will get together again and use the Yankee Stadium for all New York games in both leagues. There is room on the mezzanine level for New York Giants offices. Population shifts have made it difficult for fans to get to the Polo Grounds without transferring from train to train, if they happen to live on the East Side or, in the case of West Siders who live more than a block or two from the Independent Subway, to walk nearly a mile.

But nothing will help bring back the crowds to the Polo Grounds, say the experts, except a good Giant team. Prospects for such a team look dim right now. Giant farm material is poor and the management has spent little or no money on players.

Bucky Harris at 39 is the youngest manager in the American League, but with the exception of Connie Mack, the oldest in point of service. He managed the Washington Senators to a world's championship in 1924, 15 years ago. Bucky is popular with fans and team. He hasn't many good players, several indeed are out of low rank minor leagues, but he makes them click, play speedy ball and intelligently. Harris, a great little second baseman himself, is an indulgent manager, quiet, efficient, with a smile for everyone. He has an able assistant in Clyde Milan, who is credited with teaching George Washington Case how to steal bases.

Baseball is suffering from a monopoly of good teams by a few cities. In recent years no teams from Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Pittsburgh have won pennants. Boston gets crowds thanks to expert management. The A's have been drawing well this season. Cincinnati, with a team setting the pace, has been going good at the box-office. But Cleveland, Washington and Pittsburgh have been off. Winning streaks have helped at Washington. The Pirates' last-minute loss of the pennant last year soured the fans on their team.

The Giants have taken a tumble in attendance chiefly because they cannot compete in baseball with the Yankees, nor in showmanship with Larry MacPhail's Dodgers.

Night baseball will bring records up to good figures this season. But, as an old timer said the other day, after a while you've got to give them good baseball instead of lights.

A well-known New York sports writer says that the question of Negro players in the big leagues is on the order of the day. Do not be surprised if it is taken up at the December meetings of the magnates this year. The Young Communist League campaign has helped.

The magnates, who are businessmen, will respond to pressure which proves that they will make money by permitting Negro stars to play. Most of the owners are northern businessmen, who are not necessarily affected by the southern bourbon tricks of pitting poor white workers against their Negro brothers in order to smash unified action for better working conditions.

One argument against Negroes offered by certain magnates, says this writer, is that there is nothing to gain financially by the move. They say that all the Negroes who can afford a grand-stand seat will go regardless of the fact that none of their fellow Negroes are on the teams. And the magnates believe that bleacher sales will not amount to enough to offset the possible reactionary attacks which they believe would follow such a move.

The answer to such a mercenary argument are the thousands upon thousands of petitions urging the owners to act like 100 per cent Americans by removing racial discrimination and chauvinism from the national game. In this connection, it is interesting to note that the National League, which with the exception of Wrigley's Cubs and Crosley's Reds, is a poorer league than the American, finds more supporters for the removal of the ban than its rival.

## Young Communist League Sports Slants

By Dave Sloane

We asked Johnny Little, our New York State Executive Secretary, to write a few words on the League's Field Day and Picnic which will be held Sept. 10 in the Rice Stadium (Pelham Bay Park).

"Who's Who" as well as What? In the Y. C. L. will be demonstrated when our organization stages its first Field Day and Picnic with all its color and variety. We'll see ourselves as we are; our enthusiasm and verve, our comradeship and, running throughout all, our awareness of the problems that beset our youth.

The enthusiasm with which the event has been planned has surpassed only by the enthusiasm of the response. Our members, girls as well as boys, are raring to burn up the cinders in the sprints, to get the feel of the diamond, to play volleyball, to sing and cheer.

Invitation is hereby extended to our friends and sympathizers to enter the events. You, thousands of people who will meet the League for the first time will see how Americanism, progress and a good time can be combined. The State Office has set a quota of a thrill a second. I think we can surpass this quota.

Just as Indian Summer marks the transition from summer to fall, so the Field Day and Picnic will be the culmination of the Summer Plan and the inauguration of the Fall Program, in

which election work will play an important part. You can't afford to miss this swell time.

Sincerely,  
JOHN LITTLE.

I'm mad. Dawgone my branch sports director and his "training rules." (We athletes (?) in my branch are gonna trim the shorts of everybody comes Field Day) When he forbid cigar smoking, whipped cream and staying out late with Ruth Aaronson we were peeved. We've been partial to whipped cream. But we gave in to the unfair list. And when the police received a complaint that a pipe organ was waking the neighborhood every 6 A. M., and having investigated found out it was only me wheezing, groaning and flat-footing my way around the block, they warned me against Kings County with its padded cells. But I knew it was the good cause. But—Then he decided to take ten years from my middle-aged appearance, to make me as young looking as the four sets of twins Kings' Dave Doran has (Laura Rosenblum vows that two pair actually look alike). And he did. And it's horrible, and too late. He—he took off my mustache. That was the last "straw,"

# Yanks Split; Giants Divide; Cards Rout Reds Twice

## DAILY WORKER SPORTS

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### Henry, Lou Spike Phony 'Fix' Talk

Both Fighters and Managers Cold to Hokey Slung by 'Wise Money' Boys—Champ and Challenger Go Through Final Drills—Light Work Today

By Stan Kurman

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Lou's last-minute prediction at his Carmel camp also discounted the whispers. Said Lou:

"I'll not only regain my lightweight crown, but when I meet Armstrong 60 days later I'll take his welterweight crown as well. I've been in action and I'm sharp. I can lick him fair and square."

Manager Eddie Mead, Armstrong's pilot, who is always ready to raise a beef for publicity's sake laughed off the "wise money" dope.

"The New York Commission will appoint fair officials and see to it both fighters live up to the rules of the game," said Mead.

"All I want is the same square deal that I've always gotten before. There's utterly no reason to think that Armstrong won't be treated right."

All Well, manager of Ambers, lashed out at the hangers-on who'll have the inside dope Wednesday no matter what happens.

"Ambers will carry his 'fix' into the ring, but with his two fists and nothing else. Armstrong will know he's been in a fight when Lou gets through with him," said Well.

Meanwhile with all the junk tossed aside, Lou and Henry finished heavy training yesterday and will go through light workouts tomorrow. Lou boxed two rounds at Carmel and will do a stretch of roadwork in the morning and take it easy all day. He'll be in town late tonight. Henry boxed six rounds at Pompton. The double-champ will do nothing more than limbering-up exercises today and will be in town for the weigh-in tomorrow morning.

### All-Stars Get Goldberg

Marshall Goldberg, former Pittsburgh ace, will play for the college All-Stars in their game here with the New York Giants.

### Scores

| AMERICAN LEAGUE   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| (First Game)  | Philadelphia . . . . . 5 2   |
| NEW YORK . . . . . 4 8 0  |                              |
| Ross and Hayes; Gomez, Hadley (6), Hildebrand (7) and Dickey.   |                              |
| (Second Game)   | Philadelphia . . . . . 1 5 1 |
| NEW YORK . . . . . 5 10 1   |                              |
| Nelson, Potter (7) and Brucker; Sundra and Rosar.   |                              |
| (First Game)  | Boston . . . . . 7 2         |
| Washington . . . . . 2 7 1  |                              |
| Wilson and Berg; Leonard and Ferreri.   |                              |
| (Second Game)   | Boston . . . . . 10 12 0     |
| Washington . . . . . 5 11 1   |                              |
| Wagner, Dickman (8), Heving (8) and Peacock; Krakuskas, Masterson (6), Carrasquel (8), Appleton (9) and Giuliano. |                              |
| (First Game)  | St. Louis . . . . . 2 5 3    |
| Detroit . . . . . 6 9 2   |                              |
| Newsum and Tebbets; York (8); Kennedy and Harsheny.   |                              |
| (10 Innings)  | Cleveland . . . . . 5 14 1   |
| Chicago . . . . . 2 6 13 0  |                              |
| Harder, Dobson (9) and Hemsley; Rigney, Brown (9) and Schuster.   |                              |
| Detroit at St. Louis, Second Game Postponed, Rain.  |                              |

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"I'll not only regain my lightweight crown, but when I meet Armstrong 60 days later I'll take his welterweight crown as well. I've been in action and I'm sharp. I can lick him fair and square."

Manager Eddie Mead, Armstrong's pilot, who is always ready to raise a beef for publicity's sake laughed off the "wise money" dope.

"The New York Commission will appoint fair officials and see to it both fighters live up to the rules of the game," said Mead.

"All I want is the same square deal that I've always gotten before. There's utterly no reason to think that Armstrong won't be treated right."

All Well, manager of Ambers, lashed out at the hangers-on who'll have the inside dope Wednesday no matter what happens.

"Ambers will carry his 'fix' into the ring, but with his two fists and nothing else. Armstrong will know he's been in a fight when Lou gets through with him," said Well.

Meanwhile with all the junk tossed aside, Lou and Henry finished heavy training yesterday and will go through light workouts tomorrow. Lou boxed two rounds at Carmel and will do a stretch of roadwork in the morning and take it easy all day. He'll be in town late tonight. Henry boxed six rounds at Pompton. The double-champ will do nothing more than limbering-up exercises today and will be in town for the weigh-in tomorrow morning.

### Cleaners Mop Up In Labor Track Meet

With Ralph Hammond, former Ohio State Negro ace, showing the way, the Cleaners and Dyers won the Trade Union A.A. track and field meet with a score of 19 points at McCoombs Dam Park yesterday. Hammond scored two individual wins, taking the 70-yard and the 220-yard sprints, to cop the Mayor LaGuardia trophy for his team.

Right on the heels of the Cleaners, was the Building Service team with 14 points. Bloomingdale's Local Three outfit was next with 11. The National Maritime Union, the Pocketbook Local and the International Workers Order were tied for fourth place with eight points each.

The other individual winners beside Hammond were: 440—Fleible, Local 6, Hotel and Restaurant Workers. 880—Faffer, Local 6.

12-Mile—Bolz, Transport Workers Union. 12-Lb. Shot-Put—Rosenbluh, Furrers Joint Council. High-Jump—Collins, Building Service. Running Broad—Naruth, Sign Writers Union.

The IWO won the 880-relay.

Reds Get Shaffner CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 19 (UP).—The Cincinnati Reds, seeking pitching reinforcements for the "stretch" drive in the National League pennant race, today obtained Milburn Shoffner, 33-year-old southpaw, from the Boston Bees via the waiver route.

### ROOKIE OF THE YEAR



TED WILLIAMS OF THE BOSTON RED SOX OUGHT TO CONNECT FOR ROOKIE IF HONORS IF HE KEEPS UP HIS PRESENT SLUGGING PACE!

TED RECENTLY GOT 6 HITS IN ONE DAY TO RUN HIS CONSECUTIVE HIT STREAK.

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### Manhattan Grid Outlook Brighter

Coach Kopf Optimistic Despite Graduation, Tough Schedule; Good Sophs Figure to Aid Streamlined Jaspers

(This is the third in a series of pre-season size-ups of the local eleven. Next—COLUMBIA.)

Manhattan College may not be the team of the year but when Herb Kopf gets to work on a bunch of raw gridders you can bet that the Jaspers are going to put out a clever, fighting outfit.

Going into his second season as Jasper coach, Kopf has an inexperienced group with six of last year's regulars missing. But this heavy loss isn't as bad as might be expected for most of the graduated players, brought up on the Chick Meelhan power system, couldn't switch to a brand-new type of football.

But the roster of graduates included these regulars: Al Caruso and Tubby Savage, backs; Bill Dorsey and Homer Farabaugh, ends; Pete Shulha, tackle and Ed Teller, guard. Such stand-out reserves as George Gerec and Jim Grandi, backs, have also departed.

That leaves Kopf with 11 seniors, eight juniors and 24 sophs to build a team from. The big weakness is in the line, especially at the ends.

Ace passer John Supulski, blocker John Spleak, fancy booter Ted Mazur, climax runner Ed Wysocki and reserves John Koplecki, and Joe Migdal are the only returning backs. Sophs Eddie Pay and Lorenzo Castiglione look like varsity stuff. The versatile Frank Gnuip will double at center and blocking back as needed.

The probable starting ends are last year's reserves, Dave Farabaugh and all-around athlete Socker Sarullo. They'll be crowded for regular jobs by sophs Chete Smolenski and Horace Gausepohl. Smolenski, in particular, is the boy to watch. A fine pass-grabber, he'll fit well. Captain Jerry Fall, last year's regular will probably team with reserve Herb Gorman at the guard posts with Sal Marone, Pat Donlan and Walter Baran likely soph candidates for starting slots.

Reliable Len Pomietter is back for the center post while Art Jocher is set to go again at tack and will team with reserve Frank Czeksalski.

Meanwhile, as Kopf gets things set for the training grind at Okadale, L. I., which opens September 2, his big worry is the Green schedule. Starting off with traditional rival and always an Eastern top-notch Holy Cross, the Jaspers have a wov of a schedule right through mighty Villanova, Duquesne, Auburn, Detroit and West Virginia are all menacing afternoon dates.

But Kopf, former assistant to Columbia coach Lou Little, is one of

the stand-out master-minds of the game. His outfit might not be the most powerful around but like last year, it'll probably be a brainy outfit, taking advantage of every opportunity.

Unbeaten Maxie Shapiro figures to add another win to his impressive record when he faces Harold Valan in the feature eight-rounder at Dexter Park tonight. Maxie's big edge in punching power earns him the nod.

In sixes Marty Marino takes on Sigsy Lander and Johnny Horstman faces Ettore Penn.

Miami Miss Wins Allowing her rival only three games, Miss Marta Barnett, comely Miami left hander, won the National Public Parks Tennis Women's singles Championship at Randall's Island yesterday. Miss Barnett conquered Mrs. Marjorie Blair.

St. Louis . . . . . 100 000 045— 7 8 0 Cincinnati . . . . . 080 081 000— 1 4 1 Walland, Davis (8) and Padgett, Owen (8); Walters, Shoffner (8), Thompson (9) and Lombardi.

Chicago . . . . . 023 000 400— 0 11 3 Pittsburgh . . . . . 080 110 102— 3 11 1 Bassano and Hartnell, Garbark (9); Klinger, Swift (3), Brown (7), Clemensen (7), Heinzelman (9) and Mueller.

BROOKLYN AT BOSTON, BOTH GAMES POSTPONED, RAIN.

### Down A's, 5-1, After Losing First, 5-4

Rosar, Rolfe Slug As Sundra Records 7th Straight In Nightcap; Athletic Homers Beat Yanks In First

Another fine pitching effort by Steve Sundra, who chalked up his seventh win against no losses, enabled the Yanks to gain an even split with the Athletics at the Stadium yesterday afternoon.

Sundra was supremely effective in the nightcap, allowing only five hits, and breezed into the 5-1 victory aided by the timely clouting of Red Rolfe and Buddy Rosar. Rolfe, who hit his 10th homer in a lost cause in the opener, slammed his 11th in the second game. Buddy Rosar, whose pinch hit preceded Rolfe's shot in the first game, came through with four more blows in the nightcap.

Homers by Dick Siebert and Bob Johnson won the opener for the A's, 5-4.

In the opener, the A's started off on Lefty Gomez with two in the second when Hayes doubled and came in on Siebert's four-bagger.

Johnson walked, stole second and came in on Siebert's single for another Athletic run in the fourth.

Dahlgren singled to open the fifth and much to everybody's surprise Gomez whacked a terrific double. Crossett's infield out was good for one run and Rolfe's single counted for another.

In the sixth Gomez issued a free pass and made the mistake of tossing a home run ball to Johnson, who immediately came through with the pay-off shot. Then came the futile Yank ninth with Rosar's single and Rolfe's homer.

DiMaggio cut off a run at the plate with a brilliant throw in the sixth but it made no dif as the Yanks couldn't get going until too late.

In the finale, the Yanks were gifted with three walks in the first that had Connie Mack furiously signalling for bull-pen action but they couldn't capitalize.

Siebert's ground-rule double—first Athletic hit of the game—started off the A's in the fifth. Nagler singled Siebert to third and the run came in on a sacrifice fly.

DiMaggio singled to open the sixth, Selick singled and when Moses uncorked a bad throw, DiMaggio crossed. Gordon's single scored Selk to put the Yanks ahead.

Rolfe started the Yank seventh with his second homer of the afternoon. Keller singled, advanced to third on two infield outs and crossed on a wild pitch. Gordon singled, stole second and came in when the amazing Rosar slashed out his straight hit of the afternoon.

And that's all we'll see of the Yanks until September 6.

(First Game) . . . . . 020 102 000— 8 5 3 Philadelphia . . . . . 200 000 002— 4 9 2 Schumacker and Danning; Beck and Miller, V. Davis (8).

(Second Game) . . . . . 020 000 000— 2 5 2 Philadelphia . . . . . 000 019 023— 3 1 1 Hubbell and O'Dea; Mulcahy and Miller, Davies (9).

CINCINNATI, Aug. 20.—The Cincinnati Reds, whose hopes of winning their first National League pennant in 20 years have been sinking faster than a roller-coaster on the downgrade, suffered another setback today when they dropped the first game of a double header to the rising St. Louis Cardinals, 7-1.

Bob Weiland and Curt Davis combined to hold the Reds to four hits. Weiland, who allowed only two hits in seven innings, gained his eighth win.

A four-run rally and some loose defensive play on the part of the Reds handed the Cards the game in the eighth inning. A walk, a late throw by McCormick and Pepper Martin's single loaded the bases. Jimmy Brown then singled across two. Werber's error let in another and then two walks forced across the fourth.

Johnny Mize drove in five runs with a pair of homers as the Cardinals jolted the Reds in the nightcap, 7-5 and moved within 3½ games of first place.

(Second Game) . . . . . 103 001 020— 7 12 0 Cincinnati . . . . . 004 000— 5 15 0 McGee, Shoun (6), Bowman (6), Andrews (7) and Padgett, Owen (7); Moore, Shoffner (4), Grissom (7), Johnson (9) and Herberberger.

Negro All Stars at Stadium, Sunday

The first Negro East-West All-Star game ever to be played in New York will be held at Yankee Stadium Aug. 27. Since the inauguration of the contest seven years ago, all games have been played in the west. The outstanding players of the Negro National League, representing the East, will be matched against the stars of the Negro American League.

NEW YORK . . . . . 300 000 035— 8 15 2 Philadelphia . . . . . 200 000 002— 4 9 2 Schumacker and Danning; Beck and Miller, V. Davis (8).

NEW YORK . . . . . 020 000 000— 2 5 2 Philadelphia . . . . . 000 019 023— 3 1 1 Hubbell and O'Dea; Mulcahy and Miller, Davies (9).

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