FOSTER URGES A STRONG FINISH TO ELECTION

Calls Upon Workers to Put Over \$10,000 Campaign Fund in Last Five Days

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With the greatest Communist election campaign the Party has so far conducted, entering upon its last few days, members of the Workers Party and workers sympathizing with it must gird their loins for a final spurt. The workers I have spoken to thruout the country have listened eagerly to the message of class struggle our Party has brought to them. Our meetings have in the main been splendidly attended, and our election campaign literature has reached larger numbers of workers who never before came in contact with Communist propaganda.

PARTY DEFIED TERROR.

We have defied the systematic terror directed against us. Despite arrests of our speakers and campaign workers, the closing of meetings halls to us, the denial of the radio, press and other means of publicity at the disposal of the party of small business men, the respectable socialist party, and of the two parties of big business, we have gone ahead with our campaign.

One hundred thousand signatures were secured from qualified voters, a very difficult task when one considers that so many of the workers who follow our Party have been unable to become citizens. The Party is on the ballot in 34 states, two and one-half times as many as in the election of 1924. A million copies of the Party press have been printed and distributed and millions of pieces of election literature put out.

PERMIT NO LET-UP!

The campaign has been a great success from every angle so far, and there must be no let-up at the last moment. The Party needs the money necessary to carry it thru these last few days. As yet only one-third of the \$10,000 Election Emergency Fund has been raised. The failure to raise the minimum necessary to carry the campaign thru to a successful conclusion is handicapping our work at a time when nothing should prevent a whirl-wind finish. We realize that the workers who support the Communist ticket have done a great deal to carry the campaign so far, but we must urge them to strain every resourse during these last few days to raise the money which the campaign committee must absolutely have.

Workers, do your bit to bring this campaign to a successful conclusion. Contribute to the \$10,000 fund as your blow at the capitalist terror, which has tried to cripple the Communist election campaign. You have only five more days before election day—send in your contribution at once, and the campaign will go over the top.