

# RED TRADE UNION CONGRESS CLOSES

## Launch Intense Drive on Reactionaries

(Special Cable to The Daily Worker)

MOSCOW, April 4.—Resolutions regarding the work of revolutionary trade unions in France, India, Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and other countries and an appeal to the workers of all countries for a determined struggle against the white terror of fascist reaction were adopted at the final session of the fourth world congress of the Red International of Labor Unions.

The Congress decided to alter the existing system and to elect not an executive bureau but a Central Council which shall be the plenipotentiary organ of the R. I. L. U. between con-

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# Red Labor International Meeting Closes; Central Committee Is Elected

## LAUNCH INTENSE DRIVE AGAINST REACTIONARIES

Next World Congress to Be Held in 1930

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gresses and which shall meet once every year. The Central Council shall select from among its members an executive bureau—the working organ of the Red International of Labor Unions.

### Elect Central Council.

The Congress elected a central council of ninety-five members and eighteen candidates, which in turn elected an executive bureau of nineteen members and thirteen candidates. Lozovsky was elected general secretary.

The next congress of the R. I. L. U. will be called on the tenth anniversary of the organization, July 15, 1930, it was decided.

Lozovsky in his concluding speech summarized the results of work of the congress which, he said, inspired the following slogans:

"Close the ranks of the world revolutionary trade union movement! Get closer to the working masses! Launch a more intense struggle against fascism! Fight for the broader penetration of revolutionary ideas among the toiling masses!"

## KUOMINTANG MURDERS MORE AS WORKER-PEASANT TROOPS GAIN



With the worker-peasant troops from Hunan pushing south toward Canton, the Kuomintang white terrorists are conducting their mass murders on a larger scale than ever. Two hundred and thirty workers were executed by the Kuomintang authorities (who have the support of the United States Government) several days ago. Photo on left shows labor leader murdered by the white guardists; photo on right shows ceremony in honor of a militant worker killed by the Kuomintang leaders.

## GENERAL PROTEST STRIKE LOOMS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Workers Fight Against "Social Welfare" Law

PRAGUE, April 4.—Unless the government withdraws its new "social welfare" law, left wing unions and the Communist Party will issue a general strike call for April 11, it was announced yesterday.

Huge protest meetings, in which more than 50,000 workers participated were held here yesterday to protest against the measure. Seven persons were injured and eight demonstrators arrested when police attempted to break up the huge meeting in Havlick Square.

Banners and placards displayed at the demonstrations carried the threat of a general strike on April 11th unless the measure is killed.

PRAGUE, April 4.—Ten men were under arrest today following a clash between demonstrating workers and the police. The workers made the demonstration against the new social welfare bill.

## POINCARÉ PLOTS TO CRUSH PARTY

L'Humanité Sees Drive Against Communists

PARIS (By mail).—The suppres-

## OIL BARONS INVOLVED IN VENEZUELA FIGHT

CARACAS (By mail).—The recent bloody encounters in Venezuela between the students and workers and the police, in which about 30 students and six gendarmes were killed in the midst of the carnival celebrations, were another episode in the world war for oil.

Juan Vicente Gomez, dictator of

## RUBBER WAR TO

## NEW TORY NOTE SENT TO EGYPT

Repeat Demands Made in First Message

LONDON, April 4. — Friction be-

## Soviet Union Converts Czar's Torture Chamber Into Museum for Masses

LENINGRAD, U.S.S.R., April 4.—The notorious 250-year-old prison fortress of Shlisselburg, which under Czarism had only Devil's Island as a rival for brutality within its walls, has been closed as a prison and will be opened to the public as a museum. Thousands of revolutionists now

## INDIAN RAILWAY STRIKE SPREADS

Tories Use Troops in Fight on Walk-out

LONDON. (By Mail).—With the