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# DEMONSTRATE 'JOBLESS DAY', SEPT. 1st!

#### Lying As a Fine Art

THE Bureau of Census, cornered in its attempt to get away with the outrageous falsehood that there are only 2,508,151 jobless in America, has come out with some fancy alibis.

This figure, they (Hoover's appointees) now claim, is only one "category" of a list of seven. This is astonishing in its downright gall at trying to make anyone believe that the census takers took cognizance of any kind of unemployed, let alone seven varieties.

The writer of these lines, for example, was encountered in his home in mid-day by the census taker, who none the less did not ask whether he was working at other hours, or at all, nor any other question which might make a person think that the census taker was even interested in finding out about unemployment. Nor can we find anyone to whom other census takers put such questions.

The obvious fraud of "unemployment statistics" gathered in such a way is clear to a blind man. But here comes the Census Bureau, recently exposed by one of its own high assistants, Prof. Persons, as trying to conceal the extent of unemployment, with the statement that it has seven different categories of jobless, and that the 2,508,151 are only one of the seven. It is interesting to note these seven in detail.

"Class A"-to which the Bureau now admits 2,508,151 belong, is said to be: "Persons out of a job, able to work, and looking for a job." "Class B-Persons having jobs but on lay-off without pay, excluding those sick or voluntarily idle.

"Class C-Persons out of a job and unable to work.

"Class D-Persons having jobs, but idle on account of sickness

"Class E-Persons out of a job and not looking for a job. "Class F-Persons having jobs but voluntarily idle, without pay.

"Class G-Persons having jobs and drawing pay, though not at work, on vacation, etc."

We submit that any such classification is pure moonshine, since unless all census takers were mind-readers and entered answers on their books which they never asked, can the Census Bureau put over any such claim as saying that it has recorded all these categories.

Probably it will come out with a heavy number of those "out of a job and not looking for work," in order to justify Hoover's spokesman, Senator Fess, in his refusal last winter to "subsidize lazy people who won't look for work." Certainly the census takers would not get away with such a question to the 8,000,000 starving jobless, vainly searching for the means to live.

The census takers, to our view, were instructed to be blind on unemployment, and might well have come within the category which the Bureau calls "Class G-Persons having jobs and drawing pay,

In any case, it is no butter on the bread of millions of unemployed to know exactly how many are in the same fix. But it is a matter of importance that they understand that the government is lying about it. Because this shows that the government means to do nothing about it, to give them nothing.

While Hoover, at the instructions of "the 59" rulers of this country, assures the rich that he will see that they get a tax rebate, the government prepares to continue refusing aid to the jobless.

Workers, only the sternest mass struggle can force these dictators to hand over a little of their billions of profits to save you and your loved ones from hunger and cold this winter.

Out on the streets September First! Show them you insist on the bill proposed by the Communist Party providing not less than \$25 a week for the unemployed, the disabled and the aged workers!

An old hen will fight for her chickens, and the workers must fight for food and shelter and clothing for their children!

#### Lagging Behind

A NEWS item in the N. Y. World of August 22 says, in part: A "Crandon, Wisc .- Farmers take their taxes seriously in the town of Nashville. Their assessor, F. M. Sparks, was badly beaten and disabled recently while in performance of his duties."

This, and the news recently noted in this column, that in Arkansas, the poorer tenants, ruined by drouth and starving without credit to buy food, had "already"--note the anticipation of such action on the part of government authority-begun "wholesale stealing of food."

Again, only recently, Carl Williams, secretary of the Farm Board, speaking in Virginia, said that unless the Farm Board's Marketing Act or something like it succeeds, American tarmers would "slip down" to the position of the European peasantry, and the end would be "battle, bloodshed and civil war."

In view of all this, it seems rather amazing that in the districts of our Party, there is little or no sign of life on making contacts with and developing organization among the poor farmers.

Repeatedly, the districts have been asked to do such a simple thing as appoint an Agrarian Director. To date only Boston has seen fit to comply. Evidently, the decision of our Seventh Convention to commence real organization work among the farming population has been blithely forgotten soon afterward. Doubtless the burden of current work among the proletariat of the cities is and must remain the foremost consideration.

But this is far from meaning that nothing can be or should be done to reach the masses of intensely discontented poor farmers who are showing signs of beginning to act, blindly, isolated and without

Repeatedly the line of action has been set forth in these columns. Repeatedly the importance of the agricultural crisis has been accented. The Daily Worker again repeats and emphasizes that it is one of the important tasks of all Communists to aid the organization of the United Farmers' League of Bismarck. North Dakota, and the urgency of spreading its official organ, "The Unite! Farmer," among the poor farmers of all districts.

A failure to respond at all signifies more than technical difficulties, lack of cadres, and so on. It means a political under estimation of the scope and effect of the crisis and no appreciation whatever of Leninism in its careful attention to build an alliance of workers and poor farmers. It means a failure to understand the prerequisites for

Everywhere that Communist sponkers go, the poor farmers respond eagerly to our message, everywhere they are intensely anxious to hear how under the proletarian dietatership their Russian brothers are solving problems for which capitalism has no solution. But only in a few places of the grain area are they being reache !.

The C ntral Committee is putting out a leaflet for the farmers. This and every other means must be used to reach them. They must be urged to join and become active in the United Farmers' League, to get its paper and program and organize themselves for revolutionary, action. Let us fall no further behind our task in this. It is time to build a "smi.chka" here, for revolution, between poor farmers and revolutionary wage workers.

Now the draft code is about to be considered. The Ford Motor Co. and many other British and Amerian concerns threaten to withdraw amount of wor! if not more. CODE IS DITCHED from Mexico if the draft code is characted into law. Of course, this salary cut 5 per cent and you should threat is merely a gesture.

Each department head has his countless millions, want us to suffer because their industry breaks there are all lined up in the National lear them grumble. It was nother them grumbles the countless millions, want us to suffer because their industry breaks.

These parasites know that their MEXICO CITY, Aug. 24.—Under American lackeys will modify the they cut our pay three times. the pressure of the workers, the draft code to suit their needs. These Don't talk about speed-up. Why, September Mexican chamber of deputies made imperial parasites are in Mexico for this is the worst hell-hole to work the unemployed workers in demandthe gesture of drafting a labor code the purpose of exploiting the Mex- in of any place I ever witnessed. ing that the bosses and their gov- the south, to avenge her murder by

### TUUL ORGANIZES MASS STRIKES ON WAGE CUTS

Expose Boss Plans For Bigger Wage Slashes

Against Workers

A. F. of L. Heads Lead in Wage-Cut Campaign

A. F. of L., particularly by Wm. F. tions. There were 30 delegates volving 117 years' imprisonment Green and Matthew Woll, is gaining from the United States. momentum.

made in the shade. "That a point in the business depression is drawing near," states the Annalist in be wider reductions of wage rates 000 as compared to 13,000,000 in the Wednesday. pointedly suggested by current dividends reduced or passed."

It is this fact that Hoover, with the trojan-like aid of the A. F. of L. officialdom has been trying to hide from the workers. The Daily Worker has already published the facts of hundreds of huge wagecuts, amounting to from 5 to 40 per cent. The latest wage-cut to be reported to the Daily Worker is a ten per cent slash in pay of 500 workers in the Wisconsin Motor Co. plant of Milwaukee, Wis.

The A. F. of L. have made a scab, no-strike agreement with the bosses. But this does not mean that the workers are not fighting. Under the leadership of the T.U.U.L., and its slogan of "Organize and Strike Against Wage-Cuts and Speed-up" a nation-wide campaign is being carried on to mobilize the workers for struggle ag' 'st the present wage promised by the bosses.

against wage-cuts. task of fighting and straing against wage-cuts is one for all workers,

The latest scheme is that advanced

### Arrest Organizers

announcement of a 20 to 50 per cent wage-cut at Briggs, the Auto Workers' Union increased their activity at those plants. At a shop-gate meeting in front of the Briggs Mack Avenue Plant held Tuesday, August 19, four organizers of the Auto Among them are George Powers, of the T.U.U.L., Leo Thompson and Phil Raymond of the Auto Workers'

The Briggs Plan is one of the few auto concerns which increased its by demonstrating September 1, for net income this year. An increase of about 25 per cent in profits can only be gotten at this time out of the speed-up and lay-offs of many

are beginning to grumble.

and decreased our time by half an weeks.

# Closes; Stress Unity of Aims

(Wireless By Inprecorr) MOSCOW, Aug. 24.-Seventy-one participated in the discussion at the Fifth Congress of the Red International of Labor Unions, now in session here.

The closing speeches of Comrades unanimity of the Congress on all political and organizational ques-

NEW YORK .- The R.I.L.U. Con-The wage-cutting campaign of the gress opened Aug. 15. Over 55

## R.I.L.U. Meet ASK STAY IN **GASTONIA CASE** COURT RULING

speakers, representing 45 countries, Defendants Have the Right to Leave Country

Push \$100,000 Drive Losovsky and Heckert stressed the Hit Court's Trickery

Will Fight Attempt to Forfeit Bail Bonds

Following conferences held in bosses, aided to the highest degree countries were represented by dele- New York City with attorneys inby the fascist leadership of the gates from trade union organiza- terested in the Gastonia case, inmeted out to seven strikers and or-General Secretary Losovsky, in ganizers of the National Textile One of the leading boss Wall opening the Congress, pointed out Workers' Union, J. Louis Engdahl, Street organs admits that the wagecuts to come will put those already R.I.L.U. is to prepare the path for tional Labor Defense, announced the proletarian economic struggles. that steps would be taken immedi-He declared that the R.I.L.U. was ately to secure a stay of execution becoming a powerful organization; of the decision of the North Caroits latest issue, "at which there will that it had a membership of 24,000,- lina Supreme Court rendered last;

than have hitherto been made is International Federation of Trade "Our Southern attorney, Mr. J. Unions (the Amsterdam Yellow In- Frank Flowers, came to our confernewspaper reports of corporation ternational). Losovsky analyzed the ence from Charlotte, North Caropresent world economic crisis; point- lina, and it was not until his arrival ed out the rapid development of in New York City that he secured socialist upbuilding in the Soviet his first copy of the North Carolina Union. He said that one of the Supreme Court decision," declared main tasks of the revolutionary Engdahl. "Between Friday afterunions was to mobilize against war noon and Monday morning it is oband for the defense of the Soviet viously impossible to thoroughly (Continued on Page Three)

#### Tammany Grafters Work Over-Time Creating Fake Schemes; Workers to Demonstrate Sept. 1 spoke for Hoover, said that the government would not "subsidize

Rybicki Admits Union Jobless Alone Numbers More Than 250,000 in New York

NEW YORK .- Tammany grafters slashes, and those to come, as are trying to work up all sorts of schemes to fool the unemployed. To further this campaign, the The "Free" Unemployment Agency T.U.U.L. is now in the process of fell flat, because there are more collecting a \$100,000 "Organize and than 30,000 applications on file, and Strike" fund to strengthen its revo- the handful of "jobs" have disaplutionary unions, and to spread peared. Commissioner Rybicke who Labor Unity, official organ of the heads the joint, after loking over T.U.U.L. as a weapon in this fight the huge waiting lines declared that the government figures couldn't be Every worker, unemployed and right because there were at least employed, is directly involved in the 250,000 unemployed union men alone wage - cutting campaign. The in New York City. The unorganized

under the leadership of the T.U.U.L. by Aldermanic President, Joseph V. McKee, one of dancing mayor Walkers' sidekicks. In a letter to At Briggs Plant 2,000 jobs, McKee admits that "it DETROIT, Aug. 24 .- With the is very evident that the present unemployment in our city is becoming more acute each day."

But McKee is a member of the Board of Estimates, which last March rejected the demands of the delegation of the unemployed, Foster, Minor, Amter and Raymond Workers' Union were arrested, that immediate relief be given the unemployed. Instead, McKee, Walker and Whalen ordered that the leaders of the unemployed be jailed for three years. All workers should answer these fake schemes the Workers' Social Insurance Bill.

> Demand the release of Foster, Minor, Amter and Ray for unemployment insurance.

NEW HAWTHORNE CUT

Ou. o i Sept. 1st for Relief!

the Hawthorne Works has become caused their illness.

#### Fills His Pocket



mediate relief.

# workers, and Briggs' profits is taken out of the hides of the work. mond, in prison for fighting FOR BESSEMER

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 24.-At a (By a Worker Correspondent) day from the food. Some workers City was taken up and favorably so bad the even the straw bosses I heard a after September 1 the whole plant down for three of the union upon receipt of news of hour, but you have to do the same the face and wages being cut right and left, the bosses, who have made

# BOSS GOVERNMENT RULED BY "59" BIG **EXPLOITERS LIES ABOUT UNEMPLOYMENT;** SPREAD FIGHT FOR SOCIAL INSURANCE

F. S. Du Pont

## "THE 59" SPEAK AND HOOVER IS **QUICK TO OBEY**

Changes Tax Cut Plan; Refuses Jobless Aid

NEW YORK .- While the capitalist press was piping up in chorus to deny the statement of Ex-Ambassador Gerard that 59 big capitalists rule America, the very news columns of the same capitalist press were refuting the denial and making it clear as day that Hoover is only the office boy for the handful of rich thieves who run the country. This is revealed in the boner pulled by the treasury department n stating last Thursday that government receipts had fallen iff so much that the government had 'practically abandoned hope of recommending for next year a con-

tinuared of the 1 per cent tax re

duction" given to the big corpora-

tions and totalling, it is rumore

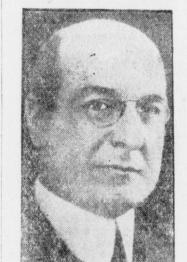
nearly \$370,000,000. While congress refused e cent to the unemployed, and ator Fest Ohio, now chair man of the republican party, announcing in the senate that he azy people who don't even look for work," it voted the tax reduction, in December 1: "as a temporary measure in the emergency coated by the stock market collapse" (New dreds of millions of dollars.

But no soone: had "the 59" heard make them pay taxes than they jump 1 all over their fat-header ofthe New York World of Saturday the next war. tells us tha "the White House was displeased and dismayed by Thursday's treasure manations of rloomy foreboding. "

Why? The World says that "Overnight the party leaders in various parts of the country had registered consternation at the effect (on the 59 rulers-Editor Faily Worker) of the treasury's outgivings." Therefore, the office boy-"Mr. Hoover lost no time in naving Mr. Mellon sound a more cheerful note and in following it with one from the White House."

Though bound by journalistic the most responsible treasury mothers.

(Continued on Page Three) persons with the crime.



Munition baron of the Delaware Principality is one of the "64 who behind the sham of capitalist democracy really rule America, according to Ex-Ambassador J. W. Gerard, whose dead give-away has aroused the indignation of the bourgeoisie and their social fascist lackeys.

#### Make Contracts tor Next War; spoke for Poover, said that the Bosses Profit

NEW YORK .- War preparations of American imperialism are not Bill lays down the demand that a restricted alone to the billion dollar appropriation for naval armaments. all unemploy I workers. It points They have gone much further than out that billions are being spent for York Time: last Friday), to return that. According to Forrest Revere to "the 59 rulers of America" hun-Black, a petty bourgeois writer for the Nation, in the Aug. 27 issue of that paper, says that from inforthat the government was go ; to mation given him by Major Mars of y in the White House. And ufacturers for supplies to be used in have already been made with man-

Mr. Black examined official memorandum including agreements and contracts for huge war munition expenditures, to be under the control of the War Department. All (Continued on Page Three)

#### Known Lynchers Walk Streets Freely

MARION, Ind., Aug. 24.-Known members of the mob that lynched suppress this militant union. two Negro young workers, here on the night of August 7, are going Harkoff, 35, the murdered men. "honor" not to reveal that it was Mellon himself who had made the first gloomy announcement he N. "the word is the capitalist state which the communist Party. Petrella first gloomy announcement the N. ished by the capitalist state which Y. Times having stated that "high itself fosters race prejudice and kept his hand on his gun during the Y. Times have restated that "high treasury "(ficials" had said it), the hatred as so clearly brought out in entire period that he was there. He World insisted that the bad news the jim-crowing by the Federal announced from the beginning that for "the 59 rulers" was "based upon Government of the Negro Gold Star he would break up the demonstra-

Never mind that! Hoover got his thing in their power to prevent the shot Mina through the heart. He orders and, as the World says, "With arrest of members of the mob, most then turned his gun on Comrade a tone of some asperity" read a of whom are prominent business Harkoff, and fired the remaining statement to the press which said men. Under the pretext that the shots, and then ran away. hat the treatury department was arrest of known mob leades now Petrella, at one time, was a mem eck-eye', and that Hoover as go- would interfere with the "investi- ber of the M.O. & S.W.I.U. He ng to see that "the 59 rulers of gation" by the county grand jury, made many r empts to destroy it, America" get another tax rebate Judge Clawson has refused to sign in which he was not successful. Deof some hundreds of millions of dol- papers which woould approve the spite the repeated attempts of the lars. He said that "there is no filing of an affidavit charging six anarchists to smash the union, it

### COMMUNIST BILL DEMANDS RELIEF FOR ALL JOBLESS

"Turn Over War Funds For Social Insurance!'

By an avalanche of lies the boss government hopes to cover up the drastic extent of unemployment Nearly 9,000,000 workers face starvation. Hoover issues figures claiming only 2,508,151 are out of work. Every worker knows this is an outright boss lie. Even one of the leading jugglers of the crisis recently came out in an article in that the government was faking the figures. He said there were at least 5,000,000 out of work. This lying by the imperialist government is not just to put up a "prosperity" front. It is a fight against the un-

employed and employed workers. The starving unemployed workrs are being mobilized for a fight demand the passage of the Workby the Communist Party. Throughout the country, on September 1st, "Unemployment Day," there will be huge demonstrations to organize a determined fight for social insur-

What the \_ill Provides. The Workers' Social Insurance

minimum of \$25 weekly be paid to (Continued on Page Three)

Were Shot At Sacco-Vanzetti Meet

AVELLA, Pa., Aug. 24.-Following the murder of two members of the Mine, Oil and Smelter Workers Industrial Union here at the Sacco-Vanzetti memorial meeting, by Pietro Petrella, an anarchist, the police are n 'ing intensive efforts to

Steve Mina, 40, and George Officials here are doing every- him. Petrella pulled his gun and

# Unemployed Meet At

unable to hold its regular open-air CHICAGO, III.—The situation in the Hood. Some workers do not know up to this day what acted upon. The bureau voted to reinforce the straw bosses are beginning to grumble.

City was taken up and favorably acted upon. The bureau voted to reinforce the call for aid to the strikers sent by the National Secretary, W. Murdoch, to all districts the whole plant down for three the call for three the call for aid to the strikers sent by the National Secretary, W. Murdoch, to all districts and as pamphlets were sold and the workers demanded more literature after all those available were sold and the workers demanded more literature after all those available were sold ment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are taken up and favorably acted upon. The bureau voted to reinforce the call for aid to the waukee, employing 500 men, and as pamphlets were sold and the workers demanded more literature after all those available were sold and the workers demanded more literature after all those available were sold and the workers demanded more literature after all those available were sold and the workers are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency. The following works are the city's "free" Employment agency and the city and the city and the city and the city agency and the city and th out. The second meeting was held ment agency. The following work-

hear them grumble. It was noth-down. ing to these straw bosses when they cut 3. r pay three times.

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Jazzy Mayor Walker saw to it that his own salary was raised to \$40,000 a year, when millions of workers were losing their jobs. Tammany grafters get a big chunk of the \$1,500,000,000 New York City income. The T.U.U.L. is demanding that some of this income be turned over to the 800,-000 New York unemployed for im-

# MURDOCH LEAVES

N.T.W.U. Votes Full Support For Strike

special meeting of the Bureau of the National Textile Workers' Union held here yesterday, the question of the strike. A statement issued by the National Secretary today de-

## 500 MEN GET PAY CUT

Workers Rallying to Communist Party Downtown Unemployed Council of the Trade Union Unity League was MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 24.- success. Over 200 workers were meeting Saturday morning on ac

and the neighboring towns. For workers even gave 50 cents each gre marine worker; Fred Rohde, an Textile Workers' Union or not, the strike taking place in the home city small industrial town 12 miles from National Vaudeville Artists' Assoplant, employing over a thousand of workers were so enthusiastic that unemployed office worker; Sam men, producing steam shovels and they took the speakers out for a Nesin, secretary of the N. Y. Un-

There are distinct signs of the masses moving closer to the Communist Party here in Milwaukee masses moving closer to the Communist Party here in Milwaukee pamphlets available were sold. Two left was need to the Seventy-four copies of the Daily Worker and all the pamphlets available were sold. Two left will speak:

Herbert Roberts, an unemployed chauffeur, mer bei of the A. F. of L.; H. Williams, an unemployed Ne

last year. But the new draft was can workers. They will never get quickly tabled owing to the "protests" (or rather orders) from the bosses.

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#### MANY BANK FAILURES **BUT BOSS PRESS HIDES** THEM FROM WORKERS

Four Gary Banks Shut; "Labor Bank" Goes Under As A.F.L. Fascists Gamble in Stocks

Negro Banks in Chicago Close; Workers Are Soviet Union to excuse him for his Hard Hit By Failures

NEW YORK .- That the N. Y. stocks. gerous condition," is proven by the Washington had been playing the themselves to be influenced by the wave of bank failures which is be- stock market with their trade union imperialist ideology. ing deliberately concealed by the funds. Up to now they have man- The Negro press in the United

collapse.

serve Board was not published in ones first. the capitalist press at all. The boss | Wednesday's N. Y. Times also adpress wants to hide the full extent mits that the Brownsville, Pa., of the crisis from the workers, and Trust Company bank was closed on the fact that millions in savings de- Tuesday, with deposits of over \$500. posits have been lost.

The news of the failures, when The Negro workers of Chicago regiven, is published in small type in cently lost their savings when banks obscure pages so as not to alarm the known as "Negro banks" went bankdepositors. On Wednesday for ex- rupt. The suffering that follows ample, the N. Y. Times on page 25, this new development of the crisis, publishes under a headline or one showing that even in the habit of line in no larger type than that saving there is no security for workused in which this article is written, ers under capitalism, again emphathe news that the fourth bank to sizes the great need for Workers' fail in Gary, Indiana, has just Social Insurance, to be paid for by

This Gary bank, the fourth to pensation for all unemployed, disgo bankrupt within a week, was the abled and aged workers. "Labor" Bank, one those wonderful In view of the suffering caused of L. reactionary bureaucrats, was sweeping away the workers' little going to make all the workers capi- savings, the workers should rally talists. The result is that thou- to the demonstrations in all parts sands of workers are losing their of the country on Sept. 1st around life savings, while the labor fakers the demand for unemployment and became bankers and dabbled in other social insurance.

demonstration. Similar demonstra- place.

In Montevideo 7,000 workers took place.

nist Party is calling for a general

Workers' Wages

workers, the leather workers and strations in the provinces.

Urge Ceneral Strike in Toulon, France

tation is being carried on in the Twelve workers were arrested.

4.000 workers demonstrated.

Hold Anti-War Meets in Latin America

American worker, Lemuel Lewis, saulting the Negro worker, Robinson, declares that he is sorry for what has happened. In a petition to the trade union committee of the factory he asks the workers of the act, declaring "I now understand my crude mistake." He severely criticizes himself for being under the influence of the imperialist Journal of Commerce was correct in When last October's crash came, ideology of race hatred and prejustating recently that the banks of it was reported that many high of- dice, and says he now understands the United States were in "a dan- ficials of the A. F. of L. unions in the mistake of workers permitting

ity." Hence the banks with "frozen" workers in denouncing race preju-This report by the Federal Re- assets are going under, the little dice and holding Lewis for trial.

### TELLS MAN WHO FRAMED MOONEY

Maxwell McNutt, attorney for Tom exposed, and plans made to fight Mooney and Warren K. Billings, con- for something for the workers tional law and the fact that the fronted the California supreme themselves. Mike Obermeir, gencourt with the story of who fas- eral organizer of the F. W. I. U., gists for the boss class are clearly tened the Preparedness Day bomb recently come from Cleveland, will revealed in a recent discussion on explosion on his clients. The court tell of the International officials' the question of intervention in inschemes which, according to A. F. by this wave of bank failures, is conducting hearings on Billings' corrupt alliance with the bosses ternational law in the Williamstown new season with "The 9th Guest," application for a pardon.

A day or two after the bomb explosion, McNutt met the late Martin The leaflet distributed calling from Princeton University by the Manning. The play is described as Swanson, Pacific Gas and Electric this meeting tells of the disappear-name of Phillip Marshall Brown a mystery-melodrama. In the cast detective. Swanson as good as told ance of \$7,000 from the local treas- pronounced a theory of intervention are Allan Dinehart, Berton Churhim they were framing Mooney and ury in the last two months, with no in international law which would chill, Brenda Dahlen, Grace Kern, Billings for it and intended to hang organizing done on which it could consider Latin America as an im- Thais Lawton, Frank Shannon, Berkman, too. Swanson had threat- have been spent. According to the plied mandate under the control of William Courtleigh, Owen Davis, ened to get Mooney after the Mar- fakers it seems to have cost \$1,000 Yankee imperialism and would also Jr., Edwin Stanley, and Robert tinez dynamiting episode, when two a block to move the office from give full legal sanction to imperial- Vivian. BUENOS AIRES (By Mail) .- | the printers, so that no newspapers juries disagreed Twenty thousand workers in Buenos appeared. In the province of Uru-Mooney and a third freed him. Mc- The Rank and File Committee Aires took part in the anti-war guay demonstrations also took tions also took place in the prov- The anti-war demonstrations in inces in the Argentine, for instance Brazil were prohibited, but demonthe P. G. and E. was closely asso- ance. in Rosario, where 8,000 workers strations and meetings took place

ciated, he would get into trouble. fied, that he had both Mooney and Billings under surveillance all of There was a strike of the building tion in La Paz and other demon- July 22, except that he lost Billings for a few minutes in the morning; so if Swanson were alive and could be forced to tell the truth, he could prove Billings' alibi. Tom Mooney and his wife Rena had gone to Mc-Our Candidate May A United Press report from French arsenal urging the workers Nutt to complain of Swanson's con-Toulon, France, states that the rev- to strike. The report also states stant surveillance of them, telephonolutionary unions and the Commu- that several Communist meetings ing to them, etc. This testimony of McNutt's was given in the original trials of Mooney and Billings, but ganized silence of all the capitalist even a small number could not reach play. the jury chose to disregard it in sheets here and the intimidations an agreement to act together.

DETROIT BOSSES WORKERS EXTEND record. Police lieutenant Reavis showed tions for mayor on September 9, the law, is not only intended to justify by the book of the Richmond police Party has succeeded in getting American interventions in Latin SLASH WAGES 5-YR, PLAN AIMS only prisoner in the station when ing. The law requires that 15,000 McDonald, degenerate and self-constation that Billings had been the 10,000 signatures by Saturday mornfessed liar, was brought out to This must be done in the short "identify" him. Officer Smith of the period of 14 days. Leading Campaign On Revise Estimates of city station testified to a camera Although faced with tremendous having been found in Mooney's studifficulties through interference of die and another in Mooney's pos- police who took away signed petisession when he was arrested. The tions and the demagogy of Judge DETROIT, Aug. 24.—The Detroit MOSCOW, (IPS).—The workers prosecution claims that Billings Murphy who with fake promises for auto magnates are in the lead in of the Leningrad engineering works called on Mooney just before July "unemployed relief" has succeeded the national wage-cutting campaign. "Karl Marx" have evolved a new 22, not to deliver a borrowed cam- in temporarily fooling many workera, as he and Mooney both assert, ers, the bosses were unsuccessful to

be resumed the eafter.

# PARTY NOMINATES

DETROIT, Aug. 24.-In announcing the candidates put forward by tures. We must still get 3,000 to ership of the Briggs and Chrysler Leningrad works "Karl Marx" was able to increase its program from the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the Communist Party in the November state and national elections, New the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state and national elections are not provided by the November state a cutting on a national scale, in addition to the constant lay-of is and makers delared that their departer, has been nominated as candidate sympathizers t ocome to the headof the bosses to put the burden of ization of its equipment, labor powthe present conomic crisis on the er, etc., to produce 100 per cent ticket. This is the first time that nearest to your home and get petimore than provided in the experts' a Negro has been nominated for tions. All workers having signed The Detroit capitalist press speaks openly of "readjustment to made on the basis of their practical speaks openly of "readjustment to made on the basis of their practical Nowell, an auto worker, has been Tuesday night. a new scale of prices being inevit- experience by the workers of the nominated for candidate for Con- A committee of 50 is now being able" and that many industrialists other departments, the net result of gress in the second congressional organized to file the petitions at "are faced with the alternative of all these proposals was that the district. Haywood Maben, a Negro City Hall, on Wednesday, at 2 p. m. reducing wages or leaving their em- original plan of production was in- worker, has been nominated as cancreased by 120 per cent for the didate for the state senate in the ers' Union and other sections of the s

Such an action on the part of one rade Maben is running the bosses munist Party, will comprise the lief will hold a Seashore Dance on have already accepted the challenge race discrimination, and lynching. ballot.

FOR MORE EFFICIENT KILLING Ward workers . , being laid off, the door and children free. Tickets "pleasure ship" cost \$1,500,000. government will replace them with first wife the sum of \$150,000! can be secured at the district office The workers struck because they more powerful engines of destruction with which to shoot down workers in the looming imperialist war.

Strike Agains: Wage-Cuts!

Demand Unemployment Insurance:

Workers Laboratory Theatre
Will meet tonight at 8 p. m. at 339
E. 11th St., apt. 12 to take up work
of Summer.

American Worker WAITERS ROUSED NANKING ASKS OVER SELL OUT INTERVENTION

to intervene in China!

INTERVENTION

Latin America Called

U. S. Mandate

24.-The class nature of interna-

so-called jurists are tools and apolo-

Institute of Politics.

ist interventions.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Aug.

In regard to Latin America, he

ties, an implied practical mandate

In regard to the question of in-

tervention in general he upheld the

right of intervention in the affairs

of a nation whose sovereignty has

been impaired. His definition for a

also maintained that a single state

tervention," formulated as a ge-

Academic utterances such as the

nificance. As unofficial theoreti-

cians and propagandists of the boss

class, professors of the type of

Brown usually make utterances that

clearly reflects the stand of the boss

class. It is Wall Street talking through the mouth of Prof. Brown.

BOSSES EXPLOIT THE BLIND.

VANCOUVER, B. C .-- Blind

workers in the broom factory of the

National Institute of the Blind here

have been subjected to severe wage

slashes and greater speed-up. Their

week has recently been increased

from five to five and one-half days.

Communist Activities

Unit Organizers, Section 4 Il meet Monday, Aug. 25 at 7 at 308 Lenox Ave.

Unit 7. Section 5. special meeting will take place ight at 8 p. m. at headquarters.

Will meet tonight at 8 p. m. instead of Tuesday. Everyone must attend.

Unit 14, Section 5.
Meets tonight instead of Tuesday
all must attend.

Units 1 and 3. Section 4
Meet tonight at 8 p. m. at 1800
venth Ave.

Unit 14, Section 1

Meets tonight at 27 E. Fourth St.
Discussion will be held.

Hotel and Restaurant Workers Of the F.W.I.U. meet tonight at 8 m. at Bryant Hall. All members ust attend.

Workers Ex-Servicemen
Will hold a meeting tonight at corof Tenth St. and Second Ave.

Units 6 and 7, Section 4

Meets tonight at 8 p. m. a

Lenox Ave.

Vote Communist!

in the Western Hemisphere."

works here and is charged with as- Rank and File Calls Twenty Communists workers' International Relief Chil- Nothing For Labor in Mass Meet Monday Arrested At Nanking

> NEW YORK .- The members of Local 1 of the A. F. L. waiters and "Nation" carries an article from its waitresses' union held on Thursday Shanghai correspondent, Mr. Maxthe first meeting in a year, and got well Stewart, which definitely states their first chance to pin some of that the Nanking Government has their reactionary officials to the "invited" imperialist powers to "co-

The local has been "under re- suppress the Workers' and Peasceivership" by the International, ants' Red Armies. This report and one of the demands of the mem- clearly exposes the role of the bers was for autonomy.

Some questions asked Lehman, Nanking's role as the tool of the secretary of the local, were:

"Why does the new contract made ing the first six months of 1930, 471 as "security" to just go along, al- have carried articles on the incident at the demand of the bosses allow that twenty Communists have been banks failed. Deposits involved though the stocks have become and on the reaction of the workers the bosses to control the conditions arrested recently, it can be seen amounted to over \$210,881,000. worthless so far as being sold for and press of the Soviet Union of the workers and the workers have that the revolution is not only

He "Lost" the Books.

Lehman wouldn't answer because, cities. The occupation by 2,000 The workers know that Lehman, eral President Flore have sold out is spreading to the North, the workers, and that the waiters and waitresses will have trouble until they throw out all of these and their clerks from the United Hebrew Trades and bring the waiters into the Food Workers' Industrial

The Rank and File Committee of Local 1 is calling a meeting of all waiters and waitresses, both memized, to a meeting Monday, Aug. 25, at 8 p. m., in Bryant Hall, where the facts of the whole sell-out and SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.— the making of the contract will be

there. Where Is the Money?

on convicting 23rd St. to 28th St.

Nutt had told Mooney that if he proposes demands for the eight did not lay off the strike against hour day and five-day week, wage States is in the curious situation of new drama by Kenyon Nicholson, the street car company, with which increases, and unemployment insur-

Soon Be On Ballot

DETROIT, Mich.—Despite the orview of Mooney's radical pro-labor and tricks to keep the Party from It is clear that the "theory of inparticipating in the special elec-

above has considerable political siglowed immediately with a new supplementary plan" and is oper-wage-cut of 20 per cent and in ated as follows: and the San Francisco hearings will Ave. and severely beaten. However, the gang did not succeed in grabbing the petitions from him.

Final Drive-All Workers Must Bring in Petitions Latest Tuesday Night.

The last three days it is necessary for us to intensify the drive to get the required number of signa-

T.U.U.L., also of the A. F. of L., In the same district where Com- besides representatives of the Com-

\$150,000 FOR EX-WIFE. CHICAGO. - While Montgomery-

iance between the church and the public school authorities against the dren's Camp has been exposed here. The Methodist Episcopal Church Union attempted to bribe a member A recent issue of the New York of the Young Pioneers to attend its

the Young Pioneers. operate" with government troops to me. In the W. I. R. camp I had a carry out its treason. Nanking Government in China. good time. There was no race dis- Yesterday the government emisimperialists has become so obvious crimination, white children and Ne- saries who attended the conference "Why did the officials take a re- that it does not even hesitate in gro children play together. I will assembled under the protection of From the report from Nanking it tried to bribe me."

Funds for the development of the W. I. R. camp in the Pittsburgh dis- Nehrus, Patel and Mrs. Saironji trict, the camp at Van Etten, N. Y., Naidu. The letter is not made pubrecently attacked by the Ku Klux lic, but the declaration Wednesday spreading far and wide in the country but also inside the major Klan and the American Legion and of the boycott committee of the Inothers throughout the country armed peasants of Hanchengchen shou'd be sent to the national ofin western Honan province is anfice, W. I. R., 949 Breadway, New

> The "socialists" work hand in glove with the Tammany judges. The grafter, Ewald, has sent hundreds of left-wing furriers to prison at the instigation of the "socialist" company union-vote Communist!

This evening at the Eltinge

Theatre, A. H. Woods will open his

by Owen Davis, from an unpublished

Arthur Hopkins announces the

opening of his first production of

Moore, Henriett Kay, June Clay-

worth, Aphie James, Pearl Hight,

Reed Brown, Jr., and Guy Kibee. The settings for "Torch Song" were

designed by Cleon Throcmorton.

A third production announced for

Hopkins is staging the play.

During the discussion a professor novel of Gwen Bristow and Bruce

says shamelessly: "The United the new season, "Torch Song," a

of its long experience, peculiar in- Wednesday evening. The cast is

terests and immediate responsibili- headed by Mayo Methot, Dennie

nation having impaired sovereignty is a state which is not able to ful-

fill its international obligations. He sents "Cafe." This is a comedy by

has the right to uphold international the Ritz Theatre. Some twenty-five road tour.

having virtually assumed, because at the Plymouth

"The 9th Guest" Opens

Tonight--Hobkins Play Wed.

Church Authorities
Try to Bribe Children GANDHI SELLOUT Away From WIR Camp ENRICHES BOSSES

Price For Treason

Capitalist press services continue to give bits of details about the could have intensified. so-called Espworth Fresh Air Farm bargain evidently struck between the on condition that she would leave Gandhi leaders in India for the call-"After attending the W. I. R. ing off of the independence camcamp and learning of the class paign and the betrayal of the Instruggle," said Anna B. Charnay, dian workers and peasants-insothat it is the best organization for National Congress clique is able to

from being bribed by the Methodist fortress delivered to Viceroy Lord Episcopal Church of Pittsburgh like Erwin a letter from Gandhi, Gandhi wrote the letter at the conference, which was attended by the two lic, but the declaration Wednesday dian National Congress can be considered to be in line with it. It is entirely for the gain of the Indian bourgeoisie that the price of Gan- 7 East 42nd Street, New York dhi's treachery is paid.

Nothing For Workers.

There is not one word about any improvement of the condition of the workers. What is asked by the Congress Committee is that firms doing business in India have on their board of directors two thirds Indian capitalists, and that the managers

BRENDA DAHLEN

In "The 9th Guest," a new melo-

drama by Owen Davis, which will

have its initial showing at the El-

Jay C. Flippen has been added to

TAMEO Broadway and

"RAIN or SHINE"

JOE COOK

the cast of the Second Little Show

tinge Theatre this evening.

per cent controlled by Indian capital.

From London comes an admission in the speech to the Conservative fete by Winston Churchill, that at Peshawar, "What happened has shown we have reached the lowest ebb in British authority and prestige in India." Churchill blames the labor party government, but there is nothing in the way of mass murder and brutal suppression that

MacDonald has omitted or Churchill The fighting has quieted in the Peshawar vicinity in the last few days, the tribes holding meetings to decide internal difficulties and recruit. The followers of the Haii of "I am more than ever convinced far as the now partially discredited Turangzai have won over for the attack on the British sections of the Baszai and Kwaesai Mohmand

> WORKERS' EX-SERVICEMEN'S LEAGUE.

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#### evening. It will then depart for New York premiere will take place Boston, opening at the Plymouth Tuesday, September 2, at the Royale Theatre on Labor Day. Jefferson Theatre. America, but also provides a ready excuse and legal justification in imperialist interventions against the · AMUSEMENTS · Soviet Union and the Chinese Revo-

Mary Mannes, and will be seen at he Angelis will be starred on the

"Apron Strings" will wind up its which has been held over for a third

Eighth Street Theatre Saturday still being added to this revue. The

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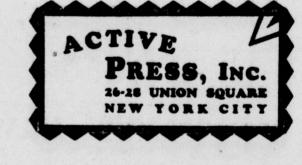
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ers Industrial League will meet aften
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work. October 2, 3, 4, 5

R., announced last night. The feature of the program will be a Chilstrike at the Fisher Body Co. was Wyoming, Utah and Florida will be a chilstrike at the Fisher Body Co. was Wyoming, Utah and Florida will be a chilstrike at the Fisher Body Co. was Wyoming, Utah and Florida will be a chilstrike at the Fisher Body Co. dren's Pageant, in which 100 chil- in progress Frederick Fisher, one scrapped this year. Under the cloak son of one of the founders of Montdren will participate. Admission of the owners, purchased a new will be 50 cents in advance, 75 at steam yacht, the Nakhoda. The scrapping these ships, the bosses' divorce entanglements by paying his

W.I.R. HOLDS DANCE.

The workers of Detroit feel how-

same time, lay-offs and unemploy-

shoulders of the workers.

ployees without work."

lief will hold a Seashore Dance on Sunday evening, Aug. 31, at Casa and other works are following suit.

On the contrary, he, as a bosses' friend, tried to justify the present W. 31st St., Coney Island, Beatrice Carlin, local secretary of the W. I.

Experts

The Chrysler Automobile Company form of volustry effort on the part has officially announced a wage-cut of the masses of the factory work-leged bomb.

form of volu: 7 / effort on the part of the allowed both assets, the bosses were unsuccessful to the masses of the factory work-leged bomb.

This new form is known as "the leged bomb.

The entire court has now gone to attacked by hoodlums, connected by the court has now gone to attacked by hoodlums. ated as follows:

the capitalists only and used as com-

some departments the wages have been reduced as much as 50 per cent. experts for the particular factory the plans of the economic In speaking about the wage-cuts, or works are put forward, the workthe Detroit capitalist papers do not ers examine the proposals, each demake a secret of the fact that this partment dealing with the provicampaign of the bosses to reduce sions which affect it, and then on the wages of the workers is only the basis of their own experience in its early stages and that other they correct it. For instance, in manufacturers will follow the lead- this fashion the iron foundry of the whole undertaking by the workers third district.

themselves. .er, that both things occur at the ment increase which have affected large undertaking of course in- have put forward the candidacy of committee, 150,000 workers, and their dependents already at the same time as creases the demands placed on other factories. The Karl Marx" works

Mr. Roxborough, an agent of the Communist Party calls upon all its wage-cuts for these who are still works calling upon them to work working.

Mr. Roxborough, an agent of the bosses, to drive the Negroes into submission. Mr. Roxborough, in speaking to the Negroe workers on the originals.

Mr. Roxborough, an agent of the sympathizers to be at the city hall at the time of the demonstration. This is the first time in Detroit bers must attend.

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> BOSS GETS YACHT; WORKERS STARVE.

of the W. I. R., 10 E. 17th St., New were unable to exist on the pay tion with which to shoot down workthey received!

Now Regrets His Act

STALINGRAD, Aug. 24.-The who is employed in the tractor

aged to get away with it, because of States is showing the greatest in-The Federal Reserve Board on the general policy of the banks to terest in this case. Within the past place? Aug. 21 published the fact that dur- allow borrowers against stocks held ten days hundreds of Negro papers Mainly workers and poor farmers enough money to repay the loan. against the expression of white nothing to say?" were hit. This places thousands The banks do this in hopes that the chauvinism involved in the attack. more closer to the starvation line. stock prices will go up again. But In addition to news articles several There are thousands of other banks with the crisis getting worse there papers have published editorials ap- he said, he had "lost the records." that are weak and on the brink of had to be an end of this "generos- plauding the action of the Soviet

More Proof Of Bosses bers of Local 1 and the unorgan-Persecutions

demonstrated, and Cordoba, where in Rio de Janeiro, as a result of which collisions with the police took part in the anti-war demonstration. Bolivia reports & fine demonstrastrike in the Toulon district. Agi-

NEGRO FOR GOVERNOR

and improve on the originals. The the issues in the campaign did not that the Communist Party is placing The Workers' International Re- workers of the Kertsch iron foundry mention a word on unemployment, its candidate for mayor on the lave already accorded the shallows.

# NEGRO WORKER "LEGALLY" LYNCHED IN WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

# LETTERS BEOPS

#### LEVY PAINTERS. 85 P. C. JOBLESS

Misleaders Graft

Chicago, Ill.

aily Worker:\_\_ ainters' Union, Local 521, held on for one, will not starve.

uesday, August 12, the secretary knocked out. Cannot do all kinds of ad a communication from the gen-work. al office. It stated that in view the fact that the payments of elow that of last summer, the leads, or misleaders, decided to regisr all the members who work and ho are unemployed for the purpose collecting \$1 a day from those cted will go not to help the unorking. The unemployed will be this world's goods. ranted the benefit of not paying ues, for now even the starving uninployed are forced to pay dues, so

ery paint store and in other places sites. here the painters congregate the

To the Daily Worker: Painters Enraged At Dear Comrades:—If I may so express myself I am getting sick of this grand old U. S. A. form of Ross Agency

I have been out of work just one year the 24th of this month. I have nothing in sight. What in h—l are

To the Daily Worker:— At the regular meeting of the the common people going to do? I,

I now owe about \$150 for grocerles in our local alone fell to \$11,000 I have even my life insured. How much further can I go?

Come on, men and women Communists, and let's get together and mentioned operation, but as soon rip this goddam thing up by the as the tailors receive their passes roots and cast it into the sea. For ho work. The money thus col- God's sake, let's rise up and take this country by storm and set up a nployed, but into the coffers of government of, for and set up a government of, for and by the people (Communist) or anything that will be considered will be unemployed will be will give us all an equal share of

-JUST ANOTHER.

hat the grafters may live in lux- question is discussed. Everybody is The report stated that 85 per disgusted with the leadership. Now ent of the painters are unemployed. is the time to organize and protest uring the busy season, if it will against this new outrage of the ver come, about 25 per cent of the fakers against the rank and file. nemployed will obtain temporary We should demand social insurance for the unemployed workers and re-The painters are enraged by this fuse to pay from our meager earnecision of the labor fakers. In ings for the upkeep of the para-

#### Sheriff of Horseheads, N. Y., Saves Town From the "Reds"

The guardians of law and order | "Look out for that box," said the om the scene of action.

group of workers for about 30 with excitement. inutes when the sheriff arrived. Then the whole population of

Speaker-"This is a meeting."

ice in a lifetime, while the busi- one else. ss man who owns the town, and "This is what you get, said the lice took the speaker by the arm the truth."

threw it against the building.

I. Y., from a bloody revolution on best citizens. He has to get his he evening of August 2, when busi-property back again." Here she ess men called the sheriff and had handed out all the copies she had Worker, which the workers grabbed Van Veen had been speaking to eagerly, while the crowd swelled determined to get rid of the so-

he following conversation ensued: Horseheads followed the procession were better (if in the market, where Sheriff (old, irritable grandpa in to the lock-up and watched through hirt-sleeves)-"What's all this, the windows and doors and climbed stead of being sent to accept jobs fences for a better view. The pris- under the worst slave conditions. oner's name was taken and she was Sheriff-"What kind of a meet- released and told to leave the town. Speaker-"A political meeting." she and May Fields, Y. C. L. mem- dustrial Union of the Trade Union Sheriff-"Well, what's all the ber, would spend the night in Unity League.

Horseheads. Speaker—"No trouble till now." As she came out she said to the

Here, the sheriff, with a grand speech," yelled one of the workers. sture, had the thrill that comes "And democracy," called out some-

e one police looked on approvingly. speaker. "I told you the business pulled back his vest and showed men and the politicians own the glittering badge of authority. The town and don't want you to hear Two Communists Take

nd the sheriff, quite red with ef- Here the guardians of law and rt, took the big box on which the order dispersed the crowd, who left peaker had been standing and reluctantly.

#### COMMUNIST BILL DEMANDS RELIEF

(Continued From Page One.) It calls on the workers to nsist these billions be turned over a social insurance fund, to be pervised by workers. Despite the risis, the big bosses are still coinng millions. During the past five r six years they reaped huge forunes by exploiting the workers who

his hits the capitalists. The capialists are responsible for unemloyment and starvation among the alists and their rotten system.

annot find jobs are included in the Vorkers' Social Insurance Bill, but pass it.

Jobless and Employed Unite.

join the September 1st demon- ernment. ations not only demanding the

from a capitalist sheet, the Annalist (Aug 22) ,that wage cuts will soon descend on the workers in a wave which will make the past and present wage cuts, great as they are, seem small in comparison. The

boss sheet says: "That a point in the business depression is drawing near at which t'ere will be wider reductions of wage rates than have hitherto been made is pointedly suggested by current newspaper reports of corporation dividends reduced or passed."

Bosses and Their Tools. Against the Workers' Social Inow starve by the millions.

The Communist Bill goes on to bosses and their government, but as rovide that all fortunes of \$25,000 well the fascist leadership of the A. and over be levied against for so- F. of L. and the "socialist" tools of ial insurance funds; and that a the exploiters. Every worker by eavy, graduated income tax be put reading the Bill can see the tre- the Mesana from Mange. On occ. for instance, it reads upon them," worker who reads the Bill will approve it. But more than that is orkers. The Bill is based on the to give the bill the widest popularnecessary. It not only necessary eeds and demands of all workers, ity in the fac ries, mines and mills, nd is directed against the capi-

Vorkers' Social Insurance Bill, but swell the old workers, who have cen cast the scrap heap and amount work, even if there were specific the scrap heap and amount work, even if there were specific to the scrap heap and specific to the scrap heap an annot work, even if there were shops, mines and factories, but in obs; the sick and mutilated—men the election campaigns being con- pathizers with the Party as well as file his motion demanding the stay the demands that the appearance of the election campaigns being conounded in creating wealth for the ducted by the Communist Party Party members are being mobilized of execution making it possible to the seven defendants be delayed throughout the country one of the to put the Communist Party on the prepare the demand for a rehear- until the October term of the court, main demands is the passage of the The September 1st demonstra- Workers' Social Insurance Bill. All if the Party is to succeed in this court. ns are just as vital to the em- the candidates on the Communist task. loyed as they are to the unem- ticket are campaigning for Social

oyed. The Trade Union Unity Insurance. This is linked up with eague, which is leading the dem- all the other demands of the Comstrati as, points out that with munist Party-the fight against imowing unemployment the bosses perialist war; defense of the Soviet re more and more cutting wages. Union, and the mobilization against their swellin profits. hey call on the employed workers the capitalist system and its gov-

Sept. 1st will be the first step in Demand the passage of the Workassage by ongress of the Work- this gigantic fight for social insur- ers' Social Insurance Bill! rs' Social Insurance Bill.

rs' Social Insurance Bill.

rs' Social Insurance Bill.

Organize and Fight Against Wage

gust 20, and then quickly adjourned sine die, reporting its decision immediately to the Mecklenberg Here is some unmistakable proof the millions of unemployed out of ployed!

## Jobless, He Will Not Starve Quietly But TAILORS SEARCH Is Ready to Fight IN VAIN FOR WORK

Boss Agency

Brooklyn, N. Y.

there are calls for tailors on this the Board of Appeals. for the jobs they are immediately turned back. Miserable earnings and piece-work are the causes.

Bosses Cutting Prices. From 7 to 10 cents a pair of arm-From 7 to 10 cents a pair of arm-holes is the price for this work, and Negro masses. This is Delaware's the bosses demanding the quality work. The tailors have to rush their lives out in order to earn 40 cents an hour. The workers who know of these places refuse to accept these jobs.

The tailors are discontented with Hillman's company union and condemn the whole Amalgamated machine. They further argue that in 1910, when they used to stay in market in Hester St., a sleeve sewer used to get from 6 to 61/2 cents for sewing a pair of sleeves, while now they get only 5 cents or less.

Play Off Nationalities.

Prejudice against the Italians is

workers isolated, in order to rule made an appeal for a new trial. the better. He knows how to utilize aved the little town of Horseheads, prisoner, "it belongs to one of the the weak spots for this purpose and publicity by various Negro organi- Last night a debate took place in against the workers.

A. C. W. Company Union. The tailors are aware of the fact company union, and are therefore called labor bureau which serves the bosses instead of the workers. They

In order to abolish the bosses' unions the tailors must join and She told them she wouldn't and that help to build the Needle Trades In-

A TAILOR-A. C. W.

# Speaker—"No trouble till now." Sheriff—"Well, get out. You crowd: "Well, boys, the meeting an't hold a meeting in Horseheads!" seems to be over for tonight." Speaker—"Who are you?" As sne came out she said to the crowd: "Well, boys, the meeting seems to be over for tonight." "This is what they call free

Field Sept. 5

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 24.-The munist Party candidate for U. S. ership. Senator in Minneapolis, has been announced by the District Office of the Communist Party, District 9, room 425, Kasota Building. The

tour will cover the following places: Friday, Sept. 5, Mesaba Park Sept. 21, Martham (hall meeting); Friday, Sept. 26, Wanina (hall meet-

Sunday, Sept. 28, Bemidji. Karl Reeve, district organizer of United States. the Communist Party and candidate the range will be made by Comrade lotte, North Carolina, in time to Reeve. Meetings will be held in obey the order of the court demand- fort will be made to fight any at-Duluth and on the Cayuna Iron ing their appearance on Monday," tempt to forfeit the bail which was Range at which Comrade Reeve will declared Engdahl.

speak on Oct. 8, 9, 10, 11.

Write as you fight! Become a worker correspondent.

All workers must join in the fight!

## HANG WORKER ON PERJURED TESTIMONY

Appeal Refused Tho State Witness Recants

WILMINGTON, Dela., Aug. 24.-On the flimsiest of perjured evidence, with the state witness twice was murdered here on the scaffold by Hammerstein, Hindenburg's con-This is the daily talk of the tail- at noon Friday-third anniversary fidant. This is one of the signs of ors in the labor bureau, where hun- of the murder of Sacco and Van- the preparation for a fascist coup. dreds of workers are waiting for zetti. Russ was pronounced dead The bloc of right wing parties has at 11:24 o'clock by officials who just issued a joint election appeal As now is the height of the sea- strangled him in a nice, quiet way on the basis of the continuation of son, the telephone is ringing for and by "due process" of capitalist Hindenberg's financial, social and ies and have mortgaged everything. help, that is, for tailors, operators, law, after he was three times denied economic state reform program. etc. Recently there was a lack of an appeal by the court which tried armhole basters. Almost every day him and twice denied a pardon by Delaware's lynching was carried

through not by a mob with the tacit approval of the state as is customary, but by the state and differs from a mob lynching in that it is "legal," according to the code of contribution to the wave of lynching terror against the Negro workers now raging throughout the being thrown on the streets by the is much higher. bosses to starve.

there. Mr. Capitzy, one of the Ital- swore at the trial that he saw Russ tion of the firms in question. The ian labor clerks who is a screw of break into Mrs. Reed's home and careful formulation of this minis-Hillman's schemes are to have the of this affidavit, Russ's attorney the government? In any case, the

if they kept out of the case. the hundreds of workers who showed above all. up for the meeting, arresting several workers. Negro workers, how- Gary I.L.D. Picnic ever, are more convinced than ever that reformist, petitionist methods will get them nowhere and are learning that only the revolutionary

#### Ask Stay in Gastonia Case Court Ruling

(Continued From Page One.) (near Hibbing); Saturday, Sept. 6. study the decision, get in touch with Gilbert-open air meeting; Sunday, all the defendants who have been grounds and back. Sept. 7, Mesaba Park (Youth Day); out of jail and active in various or-Saturday, Sept. 13, Ely-open air ganizations for nearly a year and meeting; Sunday, Sept. 14, Virginia then decide on the best policies to -street meeting; Saturday, Sept. adopt in this situation involving the 20, Cook (hall meeting); Sunday, imprisonment of seven workers for more than 100 years.'

Engdahl declared there was nothing); Saturday, Sept. 27, Hibbing; ing in the bail bond stipulating that the defendants must not leave the

The first move to secure a stay in all sections of the country. The Communist Party in Minne- of execution, which involves the ballot. Intensive work is required ing of the case before the state starting September 29.

national Labor Defense was in- to appear Monday." formed, on July 2.

"It suddenly came to life again," declared Engdahl, "on Monday, August 18, rendered its decision in the Gastonia case on Wednesday, Au-County Superior Court at Charlotte,

# INTERNATIONAL ONEWSO

#### Hindenburg Aid in Lead ot Fascists

(Wireless By Inprecorr) BERLIN, Aug. 24 .- General confessing to perjury, Theodore Heye, commander of the Reichs-Russ, 25-year-old Negro worker, wehr, has setired. He is replaced

#### 4,000 GERMAN **WORKERS FIRED**

Big Firms Lay Off 10 Per Cent

BERLIN (I.P.S.) .- No less than country as part of the general terror 4,000 employes of Berlin metalluragainst the working-class in the gical firms have received notice up former director general of the Per- tion for granting credit to the bouralism, with millions of workers some cases, however, the proportion general plicy of American imper- not too great for them.

Russ was charged with criminal given instructions that no govern- bility is demonstrated commercial and strengthen a certain faction in assault on a white woman, a Mrs. ment orders are to be given to firms credits for railway supplies will be the country to power, in this case Reed, living near Woodside, below which dismiss employes or cause come available for considerable the Nanking government, and to se-Dover. He was convicted on the overtime to be worked when the amounts," according to reports to cure control of the government, partestimony of Linwood Gray, who same is not justified by the situa- the Journal of Commerce. ating his testimony. On the basis missals in a fashion satisfactory to dismissals offensive is proceeding Make Contracts For The case has been given wide merrily all along the line.

zations, most of them petty bour- the Berlin wireless between a repgeoisie and intent upon confining resentative of the Berlin metallurtheir protest to "nice, respectable" gists and a representative of the he speaker, Van Veen, removed of the Daily Worker and Young that Local 63 is the backbone of the methods of protest, such as petitions employes' union concerning the disto the governor, petitions to the missals. Of course the debate was court which convicted him, etc. fought, if that word is in place at These organizations turned the ris- all, with kid gloves on and as pering anger of the Negro masses into feet gentlemen. The employers ineffective, legalistic and petition- representative, with an eye on the ist channels. Class struggle organ- instructions of the labor minister, izations like the American Negro tried to prove the "economic neces-Labor Congress, the International sity" of the dismissals. The rep-Labor Defense etc., who tried to get resentative of the union put up a information on the case in order to poor show and revealed, inter alia, mobilize the masses to the defense the fact that the union had offered of Russ were told by the reformists to accept a 10 per cent wage-aut if and fakers that it would be better the employers would agree not to make dismissals. As the subse-In spite of this attitude of the quent attitude of the employers reformists, the American Negro showed, there was no limit to their Labor Congress called a mass meet- greed; they want to dismiss 10 per ing but at the last minute the police cent of their employes, make the of Wilmington intervened to force remaining 90 per cent do the work the hall owner to close his hall to of them all with overtime and agree the A.N.L.C. Police then attacked to a 10 per cent wage-cut over and

# Sunday, August 31

second tour of Rudolph Harju, Com- organizations can furnish real lead- the International Labor Defense has already with the War Department that war funds be turned over to arranged for a picnic and all day for the next war, we need cite only the unemployed. outing Sunday, August 31, at 63rd | the following:

and Broadway, Gary. games all day. Every worker in were reported by twenty-two large the leading slogans will be: "Not Gary and vicinity is invited to attend. Free transportation from 45th earning of \$10,000,000 annual profunds to the unemployed." Avenue and Broadway to the picnic its, the Standard Oil Co. during the

Demand the release of Foster, Minor, Amter and Raymond, in prison for fighting for unemployment insurance.

From Sept. 17 to 21 inclusive, country, or go to any part of the the seven defendants appear in making it possible to demand that Court on Monday, August 25, ready "Even if the defendants were in to surrender themselves and go to for governor of Minnesota, will tour the country, on the Pacific Coast, prison for the long sentences, some the Mesaba Iron Range. On Oct. for instance, it would have been im- of them up to 20 years, imposed

> Engdahl declares that every efraised in large part by the workers

"It is interesting," declared Engsota is now in the final drive to se- struggle against the forfeiture of dahl, "to note the fact that the court Not only the unemployed who it to force the bosses' Congress to nist candidates on the ballet. The recurse the release of the seven des resident to called to called the seven des resident to called nist candidates on the ballot. The secure the release of the seven de- privileged to collect 5 per cent of throughout the state and all sym- lina Supreme Court at Raleigh and tional Labor Defense and refuses

> "The second chapter in the fight Engdahl attacked the unusual against this very peculiar procedure manner in which the supreme court will be written with the struggle made its decision. He declared the planned before Judge Walter E. spring term of the court was sup- Moore, at Charlotte, before whom posed to have ended, as the Inter- the defendants have been ordered

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#### Soviet Scientists Report Success of Five-Year Plan

ITHACA, N. Y., Aug. 24.-The Soviet delegation of agricultural scientists, headed by Dr. A. J. Gayster, arrived in Ithaca yesterday after suffering the outrageous insult of the immigration authorities, who detained them at Ellis Island for some time without any reason-

Immediately after their arrival, the delegation attended the sessions of the International Conference of Agricultural Economists, and made a triumphant report of the successes of the Five-Year Plan in Agriculture, in direct contrast to the gloomy report of Professor Hibbard of the University of Wisconsin, who spoke upon the agrarian crisis in

In 1927, according to the report of Dr. Gayster of the Academy of Agricultural Sciences in Moscow, large agricultural units only comprise 8 per cent of the total acreage, while in 1930 this figure has grown 30 per cent. The total are under cultivation has also increased tremendously and is now the largest in Russian history. There were \$1,400,000,000 worth of agricultural machinery in opera-

tion in the Soviet Union last year. There are orders outstanding at the present time of about \$1,000,000,000 for such equipment; 80,000 tractors are now in use in the Soviet Union. In regard to the Five-Year Plan, Dr. Kritsman of the Soviet delega-

tion, says: "If we can keep ahead of schedule at the ratio at which we

#### have been going, the Five-Year Plan will be completed next year." Bankers Want China Revolt Crushed

In discussing the "Far Eastern | Amsterdam. Lamont also laid down situation" recently, Mr. Poland, the governmental stability as a condi-

almost an echo of what Lamont, the mission to China. Yes, to create Hillman's machine, tries to provide that peeping through the key hole terial ukase shows it to be nothing Morgan partner, said last summer a narket for American finance capbetter jobs to his patriots, while he saw Russ assault the woman. but an electoral move. What firm at the World Congress of the Inter- ital; this is one of the basic objecothers have to accept the rotten Gray later made an affidavit repudi- would be unable to "justify" its dis- national Chamber of Commerce in tives of American policy in China.

campaign of the bosses to shift onto to the present. On an average, 10 sian railroads and a member of the Wall Street tankers will not lend the workers the full burden of the per cent of the employes have been Kemmerer financial commission to money to China unless they are sure present deep-going crisis of capit- given notice by the big firms. In China, gives us an inkling of the that the risk of such investment is ialism in China. He said that "it is How to reduce risks for such an The Reich's labor minister has believed that if governmental sta- investment? Naturally to support

ticularly its finances! This is the This scatement of Mr. Poland is real mission ( the Kemmerer Com-

(Continued From Page One.) the industries have been included ready for immediate war transformation on the order of the War

Department. "The aim of the War Departin case of war. No outsider can ing for war. say how many signed contracts in pursuance of this aim are now filed Communist Party, in exposing this ply branches of the army."

Furthermore, the contracts preparations.

world markets, as a result of the But the bosses have not one cent economic crisis, the war prepara- for the unemployed. tions are speeded up tremendously.

last war increased this to \$25,000 --000 annually. The first year of the war, the United States Steel Cor-908, an increase of nearly fifty per cent over pre-war days. Armour & Co., the leading packing company of

from \$13,707,000 in 1914 to \$30, Coming Bosses War 628,000, in 1917 when the United States entered the war.

There are thousands of other big companies who coined fortunes out into certain war districts, and are all have contracts for still greater of the imperialist slaughter. They fortunes already signed with the War Department, in preparation for the next world war. These companies, headed by the 59 big imperment," writes Black, "is to contract ialists mentioned by ex-Ambassador in advance for thousands of articles Gerard as the real rulers of the either directly or indirectly useful country, are agitating and prepar-One of the first demnds of the

in the vaults of the War Depart- war preparation, and in mobilizing ment at Washington. It is known the workers to fight against it, is that the whole country has been that all war funds be turned over districted and that contracts have to the 9,000,000 unemployed, in the been made to furnish the seven sup- form of unemployment insurance. Hoover and the other imperialist executives, who fight so vigorously the big bosses and bankers provide against unemployment insurance, for huge profits for the bosses when can find billions for war purposes. the next war breaks out. This is Hoover can find \$300,000,000 easily an incentive for them to rush war to turn back to the big corporations, who make huge profits out of war, With the growing struggle for in the form of income tax refunds.

In the Workers' Social Insurance To mention just a few who made Bill, advocated by the Communist millions out of the last World War, Party, these war preparations are GARY, Ind.—The local branch of and who undoubtedly have contracts exposed and the demand stressed

In the September 1st demonstra-Between 1912 and 1918 total net tions, organized by the T. U. U. L. Music, dancing, speaking and profits of more than \$800,000,000 on "Unemployment Day," one of

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### "THE 59" SPEAK AND HOOVER IS QUICK TO OBEY

Changes Tax Cut Plan: Refuses Jobless Aid

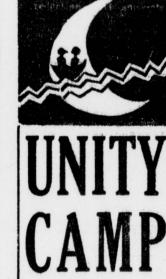
(Continued from Page One) ground for the statement in the press" that "the 59" were not going to be so favored.

The N. Y. Times is willing to be called a liar if its owner, Mr. Ochs, one of "the 59," can get another tax reduction, and suggests that Hoover's idea in saving money by firing some 75,000 government employes is a bright idea, but expresses fear that congress won't

While Hoover issued his own statement, complaining that because of increased tariff the tariff income had fallen off, thus mournfully admitting the difficulty in eating your cake and having it, Mellon, who is chronically mournful about taxes, since he is one of "the 59," had to show some hope that another tax gift to the whole 59 is not entirely lost. But the clever old skinflint got off for a good one by saying that nobody can tell, "until just prior to the meeting of congress in December, at which time the treasury will be in a much better position to determine the budget situation." That is, after the November elections!

Workers have an interest in this game. The handful of rich men who are dictators of America, as Gerard admits, insist on being helped by the government in a stock market "emergency" to the tune of hundreds of millions of dollars. And Hoover has pledged that they will get it. But he refuses to give a cent to nearly 9,000,000 jobless workers starving with their fam-

It is in protest against this that workers throughout the country are preparing to demonstrate in masses on September 1, to demand full social insurance, including unemployment insurance; and to vote for Communists for congress in November, to bring the fight right to Hoover's own doorstep.



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#### Salty Be the Way.

Matthew of the Beatitudes likely didn't figure that America would have 8,000,000 jobless in 1930, but a certain Negro preacher, Rev. R. M. Bolden, of the First Emanuel Baptist church in Harlem says he did. Taking the text: "Ye are the salt of the earth; but if the salt has lost its savor, wherewith shall it be salted?" he began a salt selling campaign "to decrease unemployment." The holy man buys salt from the manufacturer, understand, and "disposes of it through agents." This, he says, "puts numbers of jobless men to work and"incidentally-"increases the revenue of the church." Since Gandhi started out to sell salt in order to get independence for India, holy men seem to be getting holier than ever. But why jobless workers who have nothing to eat should be given a dose of salts is beyond us.

#### A Wise Fool.

Ex-Ambassador Gerard, who is such a lunkhead that he doesn't know enough to keep quiet on things that shouldn't be mentioned in mixed company, has blurted out the truth that 59 big capitalists rule the United States. Not that he's against it. Oh, no! He's for it. As ambassador to Germany before America entered the war to rescue Morgan's loans to the Allies, he got cocky with Von Jagow, a sabre rattler for the Kaiser, who cautioned Gerard that there were 2,000,000 Germans in America. "Yes," said Gerard, "and we, thank God, have 2,000,000 lamp posts to hang them on!" Which shows Gerard's kindly mission as an ambassador of "peace and good will." Incidentally, the British papers take a poke at his notion that if Britain puts on a high tariff and could have these 59 "great minds," it would be even "more prosperous" than the U. S. A. and England would be rid of its 2,000,000 unemployed.

They say that "the argument might be more effective if not put forward at a time when unemployment in the United States is a good deal higher than in England itself."

#### Quick! A Young Man For Uncle Sam!

It now appears that the 100 per cent Americans who get epileptic over their claim (which is not true) that Soviet Russia "don't pay its debts," have some glass houses right at home. The "Weekly Bond Buyer," published at 67 Pearl St., New York, reveals that 25 Florida cities have defaulted on the bonds-refused to pay back the money they borrowed; more, that many others are going to do the same; and still more, that "this is not limited to Florida" but that Texas cities are beginning to default on their bonds, also county sub-divisions in New Jersey, and the city of Cohoes, N. Y. Besides this, the paper says that many large sized cities in the farm area "will have difficulties this winter." Millions of corporation bonds are in default, millions more of building and apartment bonds, but this idea of cities and counties, and big cities refusing to pay their debts, is something that even Lovestone will have a hard time explaining as "a sign of strength of American capitalism." Soviet Russia has no liking to pay debts the Czar made to get money to shoot the workers, but it pays its way, thank you.

By M. H. POWERS.

THE North Carolina State Federation of La-

bury. This is the first after the betrayal of

the Marion workers a d after the bitter at-

tacks of the A. F. of L. misleaders against the

Gastonia strike, and the many other "victories"

which the A. F. of L. may claim to its credit.

It is important to note that this convention

took place at a time when the crisis in industry

in this state is at its sharpest. At no other

time were the conditions of the workers so

miserable. Unemployment, terrorism, lynch-

A brief analysis of the composition and the

size of the convention will show clearly the

absolute degeneracy of the A. F. of L. in this

state, and prove that by no means did the

convention represent any important section of

the working class of North Carolina. The cap-

italist papers have played up the convention

big. They have claimed between eighty and

one hundred delegates. There were not more

than about fifty or sixty delegates, the rest

being professional fakers, visitors, etc. There

were only eight or ten textile delegates. The

rest represented central labor bodies, small

locals of blacksmiths, plasterers, bricklayers,

and the railroad brotherhoods. The A. F. of L.

claimed they have 2000 members in the Greens-

borough mills. Where then was the textile dele-

the representatives of the Chamber of Com-

merce, the mayor, the American Legion, preach-

ers, etc. Each one spoke a lot of the wonderful

State of North Carolina, "prosperity," the "gol-

The convention delegates were welcomed by

ings, are the order of the day.

bor held a three days' convention in Salis-

September 1 and the Elections

By J. L. P.

"6,000 Workers Swamp Job Bureau for

"1,500 Textile Workers Strike Against Wage Cuts in Bessamer City, near Gastonia."

**DUBLICITY** stories are printed daily about the return of prosperity, increase of employment and of "Hooverian" promises of relief. Nothing is further from the earth. It seems almost axiomatic that as the stories of relief appear, unemployment increases. The index of production in the major industries and the car loadings (or its lowest point since crisis) are indicative of the exact opposite of the press reports. The economists of the capitalist class when speaking directly to their masters and not for "public" consumption see nothing but increased unemployment and decline of production, which means more misery for the working class.

This ballyhoo that is being printed in the capitalist press is part of the election campaign material being put out by the bosses' parties. Each party blames the other for the economic situation but none offer relief for the unemployed. The incident the other day at the state unemployment office where 6.000 workers demanded jobs is not an exception but is symptomic of the growing unemployment and the deepening of the crisis.

An attempt is being made to utilize the unemployment situation as a club over the heads of the employed workers. This accounts for the offensive that is being made in the form of wage cuts in all industries. The strugglein Bessemer City, scene of the famous Gastonia struggle, is one of the whole series of strikes against wage cuts that are breaking out in all sections of the country. This is the workers' answer to the attempt of the bosses to lower their already low standard of living. Unity between the unemployed and employed workers must become a living reality.

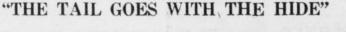
September First, the day set aside for demonstration against unemployment, is an integral part of the election campaign. The struggle against unemployment and for the Social Insurance Bill is the very center of the Communist Party campaign. In the state of New York we have a "Social Insurance Bill" but this is so openly a fraud that even the capitalist parties do not dare trot it forward. The Insurance Bill demands genuine maintenance. The workers will fight-not starve!

The building of the unemployment councils must be intensified, as a means of organizing the unemployed for struggle. The capitalist parties are making the fake issue of prohibition the ma' issue in the election campaign Wet or dry, the workers will still face starvation. The socialist party, capitalist party with a fake cloak, makes graft and corruption its central issue and endorses the (Hooverian) bosses! plans for the "solution" (wage cuts and speed-up) of the unemployment question It is only the Communist Party that is utilizing the election campaign as a means of mobilizing workers, both employed and unemployed in a struggle against unemployment.

September First must be the means of centering the attention of the workers in all setions of the country on the election platform of the Communist Party.

The State Convention of the A. F.

of L. ot North Carolina





Realizing a bit late that his exposure of the fact that "59 men rule America," all capitalists, would awaken many workers who have been foolishly thinking that it was a "democracy," Ex-Ambassador Gerard has added Bill Green and Mattie Woll, the two fascist labor bureaucrats, to his list. But they are merely servants of "the 59."

## Garvey Detends Imperialism

MARCUS GARVEY has heralded himself far and wide as the Moses who is to deliver the Negro peoples from oppression, the liberator who is to free Africa and other Negro

The calibre of this "liberator" is vividly exposed in an article in "The Blackman," Garvey's Jamaica paper, of June 28, in which Garvey gives to the frightfully oppressed Negro masses of Jamaica the treacherous and slavish advice that, in their struggle against oppression, they must do nothing that would offend their oppressors.

Native Bourgeoisie in Fear.

At this moment the spectre of Communism is haunting the white and native bourgeoisie of Jamaica, the principal slave pen of British imperialism in the West Indies. The bourgeois press of that British colony has made the fearsome discovery that the island has been visited by a Communist.

Scareheads, triple column front page articles and arduous editorials are used to whip the population to a frenzy of red hysteria. Communism is blatantly denounced. The bitterly exploited laboring masses of the island, who are forced to exist on the verge of starvation, under semi-feudal conditions of exploitation, are painted as a care-free, happy and contented lot, who, with the coming of Communist influences, must be guarded against the realization that 12 and 14 hours a day slaving in the broiling tropic sun at stevedoring or on the banana and cane plantations, isn't just paradise, and that 75 cents a day wages for such labor ain't just grand and magnificent.

And particularly exasperating to the Jamaica bosses is the success realized by Comrade Huiswood in organizing several unions in the island with a membership, credited by the bourgeoisie, at six hundred.

Bosses Call on Garvey. In their predicament the bosses call upon Marcus Garvey. Perfervid orator, spectacular clown and peddler of illusions that he is, the osses of Jamaica have already learned that Garvey can be trusted to help in diverting the masses from militant methods of struggle and that he is adept in covering up his treachery with a generous use of struggle-phrases. Was it not Marcus Garvey who saved the city of Kingston, Jamaica, from a longshoremen's strike? Did not Garvey advise a delegation of longshoremen who called upon him for leadership, to buy new overalls and go back to work? Did he not lecture these rebels to the effect that the bosses had to have their profits? Moreover, does he not ceaselessly peddle illusions of escape to Africa, escape through capitalism, escape through supernatural intervention, to the Negro masses groaning under oppression and seeking a way out? So the bourgeois press gleefully records that Marcus Garvey opposed the efforts of Huiswood to induce the U. N. I. A. convention to take up the struggle against imperialism and describes how Garvey prevented the convention from even putting itself on record as in the slightest degree opposed to that very system by which the Negro peoples of the world are subjugated and oppressed, and against which any real struggle for Negro liberation must be waged.

And, like the traditional faithful hound responding to his master's voice, Marcus Gar-

years. The A. I L. is truly the fascist agent of the southern capitalist slave drivers.

Workers Organiz for Strike. This convention of the A. F. of L., more so than any previous convention, was most reactionary and openly fascist. The workers are learning of the role of the A. F. of L. in the South. Especially do the workers of Greensborough and Danville, where the A. F. of L. has succeeded in temporarily mislealing sections of the working class, know this.

On September First, National Unemployment Day, the day of struggle for social insurance, the workers will answer the A. F. of L. misleaders by rallying around the Trade Union Unity League and the Communist Party for the struggle for social insurance for the unemployed, aged and the sick. The struggle against the Paul Smiths and all the rest of the A. F. L. crowd is a part of this struggle.

Workers! Organize and strike against wage B ild strong militant, industrial unions! Frit the A. F. of L.!

Vo's Communist in the fall election cam-

vey answers the call of the brutal exploiters of the Jamaican masses and shamelessly comes forward with the treacherous and slavish principle that the oppressed colonial masses 'would not dare to accept nad foster something that was tabooed by the mother country." This is the same as telling the masses they cannot struggle against oppression, cannot strive to better their conditions, cannot wage the struggle to liberate their class and race from imperialist slavery. Such struggles are tabooed by the "Mother Country." It was in this same spirit of treachery that Marcus Garvey a few years ago told the Negro masses that, "Negroes must be loyal to all flags under which they live!"

Oppressors His Friends.

To Marcus Garvey the oppressing imperialism is the "Mother Country"! To Marcus Garvey the imperialist oppressors are, in his own words, "friends who have treated him (the Negro), if not fairly, with some kind of consideration"! British imperialism, with its long record of fraud and punitive expeditions against the African peoples, of native states ruined by missionary intrigue and imperialist treachery, of native cultures savagely ground under foot, is the adored motherland of Marcus Garvey! The British imperialists, their hands dripping with the blood of countless Negroes murdered outright or driven by robbery off their lands and brutal economic exploitation to

starvation, are the friends of Marcus Garvey! Sees Struggles as Disrepute

Further serving to expose the treacherous role of Marcus Garvey as the friend and defender of imperialism are his additional remarks in the article in question. Referring to the unions organized by Huiswood, and held in deadly fear by the local native and white bourgeoisie, because organized on lines of militant struggle against the dreadful conditions existing in the island of Jamaica, Marcus Garvey says, "We feel sure that after the expose (that is, the red hysteria in the bourgeois press-C. B.) the people who innocently linked themselves up with the gentleman in question, will forego any future attempt which might bring them into greater disrepute.' Disrepute with whom? With the toiling masses struggling against terrific colonial exploitation? No! Disrepute with the exploiters, with the imperialist oppressors! That is the disrepute that Garvey fears! And he goes on to make yet another self-revealing statement: "It may be right to create the alarm to prevent innocent and ignorant people embracing this militant political danger, but to accuse directly anyone of being wholly Communistic, seems far-fetched. We believe that if anybody has been reached it is only ignorant people who play with fire, without knowing it. Communism, Garvey here admits, is a militant political danger to imperialism, and as such, a threat to the very existence of that system responsible for the subjugation and enslavement of millions of Negroes throughout the world, to that system which in recent months has drowned in blood the liberation struggles of the revolutionary masses of South Africa, Nigeria, East Africa, Haiti, etc., and is at this very moment engaged in shooting down the heroic workers and peasants of India and in open and deliberate intervention in the struggle of the Chinese masses against the native tools of imperialism.

Communism threatens the existence of this system of rapine and murder, of subjugation and enslavement of the colonial masses, this system which has built up an elaborate ideology of white superiority and supremacy and race hatred and Negro inferiority whereby to justify its slaughter of the colonial peoples and its super-exploitation of the American Negro masses. So, Marcus Garvey attacks Communism! And hastens to assure his imperialist masters that the Universal Negro Improvement Association has nothing in common with Communism.

"To show the great gulf between us and Communism," whines Marcus Garvey for the ears of the imperialists, "not many weeks agthe sail Communist agent sent to the island a batch of newspapers, in which Marcus Garvey and the Universal Negro Improvement Association were attacked as being bourgeois. and that the organization was capitalistic in its tendency." And does Garvey deny the indictment that his organization tends to support the system under which Negroes are exploited. and that its leadership, from Marcus Garvey down to his most obedient rubber stamp, seeks only a larger participation in that exploitation? On the contrary, he uses the inlict-

ment to furnish proof to the imperialist oppressors of his solidarity with the oppressing class! In effect, he tells the imperialists: Look, we are attacked as being on your side in the struggle between the exploited masses and their exploiters. Now, you know where we stand, so don't be alarmed if at times we indulge in militant phrases; such phrases are used simply to deceive the masses into the belief that we are waging a struggle against you, their oppressors." But the Negro masses are no longer being fooled by Garvey's left phrases. This is clearly demonstrated in the weakened state of the Universal Negro Improvement Association which today cannot boast one-half its former membership.

However, Garvey and the rest of the U. N. I. A. leadership still constitute a very sinister danger to the Negro masses and their struggle for liberation. This was shown in the alliance of the Garvey leadership with the police of New York in the murder of Alfred Levy, Negro revolutionary worker, and again in this latest treacherous alignment of Garvey with the native and foreign exploiters of the black masses of Jamaica.

It is the task of the Communist Party to ruthlessly unmask this treacherous and reactionary leadership, and to win the Negro masses for the revolutionary struggle against imperialism and for the overthrow of all race and class oppression, at the same time rallying the white masses to support of the struggles of the Negro masses.

#### Who Bears the Burden of the Crisis?

By WILLIAM Z. FOSTER.

Communist Candidate for Governor of New York State.

LET me say at the outset I shall do whatever I can in spite of my present position, to be worthy of the confidence reposed on me by the Party by nominating me to head its New York state ticket in the fall elections.

The worsening economic situation in the U. S. rapidly radicalizing vast millions of workers in spite of growing boss terror, the capitalist class can't succeed in crushing militant fighting spirit of the American workers. The jailing of militant workers can't halt the determination of the masses to resist the bosses' wage cuts, increasing speed up and exploitation.

On the contrary, the coming elections offer a splendid opportunity to organize the masses of discontented workers, to awaken their class consciousness, to unite them under the leadership of the Communist Party for struggle against capitalism. For the first time our Party must enter the present election campaign with the utmost vigor.

American and world capitalism today, is in a deep crisis which capitalism can't solve. Over 7,000,000 workers are now unemployed and the number is increasing. Millions of men, women and children are forced to starve. New York State has its full share of these-over one million. The lies of Hoover and his agents can't conceal this crisis. With the approach o next fall and the shutting down of outsid work undoubtedly industry will drop into a far deeper sag than that of last winter.

The bosses are putting the burden of the crisis on the workers. Unemployed are led to starve, speed up is increasing, wages are slashed. The tax burden is more and more shifted by direct and indirect means upon the backs of the workers and poor farmers. To break the resistance and militancy of the work ers, to destroy their spirit of struggle for better conditions, the bosses are resorting more and more to fascist means of terror and suppression. A wide campaign of terror and lynching was initiated by the bosses against the Negro workers. To the demands of the millions of unemployed fighting under the leadership of the Communist Party and the revolutionary trade unions for work or wages and social insurance, the bosses have answered with an "investigation" of the Communist activities in the United States. This is only a part of the general campaign of the bosses to defeat the workers by crushing the revolutionary leader of the working class, the Trade Union Unity League and particularly the Communist Party.

(From Foster's Acceptance Speech delivered at New York County Penitentiary, Hart's

#### Several Towns in New England and the T. U. U. L.

By JOSEPH NORTH.

N many of the industrial towns of New England one out of every two men is out of a job. The most common sight in entering a Massachusetts city is to come upon the public square, invariably decorated with the statue of a world war soldier-"To the Glorious Dead"and find the square dotted with dozens of unemployed sitting and sleeping on the benches.

To take for an example the three towns: Fitchburg, Gardner and Maynard. According to statistics in the August 19 Worcester Telegram, out of 17 factories in Fitchburg, with a normal number of employed fixed at 2,755, 1,485 are "on full time." The Finnish comrades say the figures are undoubtedly colored, that those on the job, are working two, three days a week

In Gardner, "The Chair City of the World," where the entire economy is given over to the manufacture of chairs, the Telegram records 1.053 on full time" out of 20 factories reporting normally 2,401 employes. Wages have been slashed as high as 25 per cent. Workers formerly drawing \$30 a week are bringing home \$18 on pay-day when they work a full week. Thirty cents an hour is the best price the bosses will give for help today.

In Maynard, a town built up around a huge plant of the American Woolen Company, 2,000 out of the 3,000 employes of this corporation, are walking the streets.

Speed-up has reached unbelievable heights. Four men now work on the table in the dryfinishing department where 16 workers for merly labored. In the card room the rippers have been speeded-up so that one man does the work for three.

"We work only two, three days a week," one of the workers told me, "and if we pull down \$40 a month at the average, it's pretty good." "Seasonal!"

The State Department of Labor and Inlustries of Massachusetts calls this picture "seasonal unemployment." In a report issued in Boston, August 19, this bosses' statistical agency admitted the following: "A seasonal decrease in employment and payrolls in manufacturing in Massachusetts in July compared with June was noted today in a survey recased by the State Department. The number of wage earners decreased 5.4 per cent, the aggregate weekly earnings decreased 6.5 per cent and average weekly earnings 1.2 per cent."

Conditions have reache! such a stage that the status of Worcester, a city of 200,000 is considered "excellent" in the report. It was admitted of 66 factories in Worcester employing 17,206 normally, 8,452 are on full time. "Excellent!?"

To meet these conditions and not submerge in the growing industrial crisis, two leading banks of Worcester, the County National Bank with its chain in Barre, North Bookfield, Spen-

cer, Clinton, Webster and Fitchburg, affiliated with the Bank and Trust Company. Where Is the T.U.U.L.?

In the face of this bitter depression what do we find of the T.U.U.L.? So far, absolutely nothing. Despite the fact that each of these towns namel so far have a strong Finnish workers' club, belonging to the Finnish Federation, we find not a one T.U.U.L. group.

"We cannot speak English," is the chief excuse given for not having drawn other workers, non-Fins, into their movement. It appears that too zealously the Fins hug their party principles to themselves, maintaining a closed corporation in the face of all responsible workers

Use Labor Unity! The use of Labor Unity, for instance, to acquaint American workers, or those of other nationalities, with revolutionary trade unionism is absolutely unknown. Not one Labor Unity was being taken in any of the above towns, outside of Worcester. Outside of the Finnish papers, Eteenpain, etc., no English workingclass paper is seen.

Despite the fact that young Finns are English speaking, and many of them have formed active Labor Sports Union clubs, the Young Communist League is non-existent, practically, in this district.

It is no credit to the Finnish comrades that no stronger movement in these New England industrial towns is observable. They have buried themselves so deeply in activity in their own clannish groups, some of them sunk so deeply in debt to maintain expensive halls, that they cannot lift their heads up long enough to organize even those Fins not belonging to their

The reaction of the New England workers, as judged by the response at out-door meetings in Worcester, where several hundred workers show up eagerly at the City Hall steps every Sunday evening, is extremely favorable.

It is high time real organization is begun in these towns, consisting 100 per cent, practically, of workers and their families. Will it be possible for them to break through the nishness of our organizations?

The prospects are not so dark, however, as might be imagined from the foregoing. Talk of organization into the T.U.U.L. is heard aple-ty among the Finnish comrades. In Worcerter Labor Unity is to be distributed regularly at the shop-gates and the Party membership is to take part in these distributions while

the T.U.U.L. groups are being formed. However, at precent, ' re is nobody in the position of " secre' y for the section secre' y for the section described. The Fins of Fitchburg, Gardner and Maynard expressed a willingness to form T. U.U.I. groups but the speed with which their intentions and plans are growing into reality is impossible " 's with objective conditions being what they are.

importance. Mr. Smith speaks of 1917, "When world demorracy was threatened, the president

den rule," "peace and cooperation," and the fat delegates enthusiastically applauded. Agents of the War Department.

The key speech of the convention was de livered by Paul Smith, well known red-baiter and chairman of the so-called Southern Organization Committee of the A. F. of L. He first assured everyboly that the American Federation of Labor is an "American Institution. that there is more "Americanism" in the A. F. L. than in any other organization he knows of.

The boast of "Americanism" is often made by the K.K.K., the "Caucasian Crusaders," and other gangster organizations of the bosses, who when referring to "Americanism" mean the lynching of Negro workers, the shooting of white workers when on strike, and the conducting of general terror against the working class. The A. F. of L. is also a part of this "Americanism." insists Mr. Smith. He strongly resents any charge to the contrary.

#### For Imperialist War.

One passage of his speech was of special

ident of the A. F. of L. to consult with him on labor's stand. And after that a conference of 118 international unions was held, and Samuel Gompers, in the name of our great labor movement informed the president of the United States that organized labor will stand behind our government in the fight to save the world for democracy. Let me tell those who call us foreign agitators, that labor always stood and will stand in the future behind the government of the United States.'

This statement, viewed in the light of the recent developments, of the feverish preparations for war, the expenditures of billions of dollars for armaments, the sharp attack of the state department on the Soviet Union, the Fish Investigation Committee, and especially the attack of Matthew Woll and the A. F. of L. in general against the Communist Party and the Soviet Union, makes it clear that the A. F. of L. is working as the direct agent of the U. S. War Department. Bill Green will do exactly the same that Samuel Gompers did: sell the American working class to the next Wall Street

#### For Class Peace and Profits.

In speaking of the aims of the A. F. of L. in the South, Smith said, "We're in the South to make industry more profitable by establishing greater efficiency and elimination of waste. We're against unnecessary strikes. We will accomplish these aims through peaceful means." Not a word was said about the vicious campaign of terrorism, the eviction of hundreds of families from company houses, the murder of the six Marion strikers, responsibility for which falls upon the fat fakers of the A. F. of L. Needless to say that such questions as unemployment insurance, old age pension, were entirely out of order in this "labor convention."

There was only one Negro worker in the whole so-called convention. He was sitting all by himself, way in the back, and did not dare to ask for the floor. The A. F. of L. is openly advocating and practising the policy of the bosses, segregation and Jim Crowism. The dozens of cases of lynchings and mob violence against Negro workers which is a part of the terror campaign of the bosses against all the workers in general, were not even mentioned because most of the A. F. of L. fakers present naturally support lynchings and would them-

#### selves gladly participate in lynching mobs. A. F. of L. Supports Bulwinkle.

The whole line of Paul Smith's speech was that of attack against the "reactionary republican adminis ration" and full of praise for the "democratic democrats." This means that in the fall elections the A. F. of L. will support the Cardners, En'win'des, and the rest of the of the rall on the who have preven to

of the United States called in the great pres- I done so it the tex its stake a during the past