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CHICAGO POLICE MURDER UNEMPLOYED NEGRO WORKER

Losovsky Said It

In his report to the Fifth World Congress of the Red International of Labor Unions last month, General Secretary A. Losovsky said:

"The international bourgeoisie hopes to surmount all these difficulties (colonial uprisings, intensified class struggles at home) by putting the blame on the Soviet Union."

In the ludicrous yowls of Secretary Hyde (after his conference with Hoover) about Russians selling wheat "short" on the Chicago market, there can be no doubt but that Losovsky's words were correct.

It is interesting to note the reactions of the American capitalist press on the subject. The N. Y. Times, which openly plays the counter-revolutionary game to the limit, did not venture an opinion editorially until yesterday, but it featured the ravings of Hyde to the utmost, and "played down" all statements which puncture Hyde's bombast.

The statements of Senators Dill, Frazier and Brookhart characterizing Hyde's accusations as an "alibi," the Times belittles as coming from those "who have leanings toward the recognition of the Soviet regime." As if these thoroughly capitalistic political fakery were bearded Bolsheviks of the deepest dye.

It is, for the capitalists, an unhappy coincidence of the capitalist crisis, that it provokes the bitterest kind of family quarrels among them, with every wolf trying to eat the other and all scrambling ferociously over the profit bone. It isn't our fault, however, nor "Moscow's." So we can afford to be a bit amused at the exhibition of clamorous criminations and recriminations—meanwhile, of course, not forgetting that the substance of their ravings finally crystallizes in a genuine threat of war against the fatherland of all workers, the Soviet Union.

Among the capitalist press which is not so interested in hysterical lying as the Times, and especially the papers which the capitalists publish for themselves and not for the masses, the response to Hyde's anti-Soviet blather receives the deepest scorn. The "Journal of Commerce" for example, treats Hoover and Hyde to a sarcastic lashing that is worth a few quotations. In part it says:

"Government authorities in Washington must feel hard pressed indeed to explain the failure of the farm relief program to hold wheat prices in line. Or else they must feel urgent need of justifying some of the anti-Russian agitation that has recently been occurring."

Of course, this "either, or" is wrong. The Hoover administration is trying to kill two birds with one stone, both "explain" its own failure, also to give something to chew on to the counter-revolutionary jackass, Mr. Fish, so that he may brag convincingly when he comes back to the Augean stables of Congress for repressive legislation against the Communist Party and anti-Soviet war propaganda.

The "Journal of Commerce" cynically remarks that: "It certainly would be impossible to find any rational reason for the recent utterance of the Secretary of Agriculture . . . calling upon the Board of Trade authorities to make provision for the protection of our American farmers from such activity."

The "protection" of American farmers is farthest from the mind of Hyde and Hoover, as the poorest farmers have themselves certainly found out by now, though they may not perceive yet that the "farm relief" program of Hoover was not only deliberately designed against them, but was meant to aid the rich farmers, the marketing monopolies, and bankers interested in them, in a definite and positive way.

"It is difficult to see," says the Journal of Commerce, "how well-informed government officials can keep their faces straight when they mention the amount of wheat that has allegedly been sold in the form of future contracts by the Russians. One must also wonder if these same authorities do not have their tongues in their cheeks when they say that they find themselves utterly unable to explain such sales on grounds other than a desire on the part of Russian iconoclasts to increase the misery of our farmers and thus to spread revolutionary Communist doctrine."

The theory, weird as it is, of Hyde and Hoover, is that the Soviet Union is "an economic vacuum," and has no business selling wheat or anything else. If fact interferes with this fancy, so much the worse for fact, is their idea. Hyde tries to bolster up this thin yarn by another one. Beginning with the statement that—"It is not my province to pass judgment upon policies of foreign governments"—he promptly goes over into passing such judgments. And among other things he says:

"If they elect to sell wheat abroad at a time when they find it necessary to ration their own people, and to shoot men for forging food cards, that is their business."

It is their business, exactly. But Mr. Hyde "forgets" to add that if the United States only would "find it necessary" to have such a ration card system as the Soviet Union has at present, there would be millions of workers starving, tens of thousands of them desperately culling the garbage of the rich for fragments of food, while such worthless parasites as Mr. Hyde are living on the fat of the land.

The ration card system of the Soviet Union is precisely designed to see that the workers get enough to eat, and to stop, and stop effectively all the gambling and speculation that remains under the New Economic Policy from taking a robber's toll of the toiling masses!

The ration card system in the Soviet Union does not permit the gigantic crime that we see here before our eyes in the fact that while millions of jobless workers are starving, begging pennies to buy bread, stealing crusts from garbage, the farmers are told to "reduce production."

It does not permit all the monopolies, from the grain elevator where the farmer sells his wheat for around 65 cents a bushel, to the chain store grocery, to take a monopoly price and keep the price of a pound of bread over twice as high as it is in Moscow.

Under Soviet rule there is no Borden's milk trust, paying the farmer four cents a quart for milk which it sells for sixteen.

Under the Soviet ration card the workers eat and speculators are shot. Under Hoover's "beautiful" capitalism, the workers starve and the speculators live on the fat of the land.

Under Soviet rule, as Senator Wheeler (who says he hates the Soviet Government) admits, the Russian peasants are getting more to eat than they ever did before, while under capitalism with Hoover and Hyde, the vast majority of American farmers are being either driven off the land or into the same sort of desperate poverty that the Russian peasantry put an end to when they overthrew the government of landlords and capitalists.

And soon or late, the American farmers, united with the workers, will put an end to the rule of landlords, bankers and capitalists of this country, establishing a Workers' and Farmers' Government, which will see that all who toil may eat, and those who don't may not.

When that time comes we would advise Mr. Hyde that forgers of food cards will be shot and all grafters come to a similar sad end. That's what workers' and farmers' rule means.

ATTEMPT LEGAL LYNCHING OF NEWTON, STOREY

Two Negro Defendants In Atlanta Separated From Others for Trial

Trial Date Sept. 30th
Defense Calls World Wide Protest

NEW YORK.—Judicial lynch law swings into action again in Atlanta with the announcement yesterday from Solicitor General Boynton's office that Herbert Newton and Henry Storey, two Negro workers, will be the first of the six Atlanta "insurrection" defendants to go on trial for their lives, and that they will be tried together on Tuesday, September 30.

The separation of the cases of the two Negro defendants from those of the two white girls, Ann Burlak and Mary Dalton indicted together with them and the two white men, Joseph Carr and H. M. Powers, also charged with "insurrection" is a flagrant attempt to carry a legal lynching, and the International Labor Defense is today conferring with its three attorneys to prepare its defense struggle against the threat to the lives of the Negro defendants.

The International Labor Defense is demanding that all six of the defendants be tried together.

Lynchers Organize
Charging that the lynching atmosphere of Atlanta, which has been excited to higher pitch by the recent organization of the American Fascists, the Order of the Black Shirts, the Caucasian Crusade and the recent lynchings, makes any attempt at holding a trial of Negroes in that city purely farcical, the International Labor Defense attorneys will demand a postponement of the trials of all six defendants.

Should postponement be denied, Attorney O. C. Hancock, of Atlanta, Attorney A. McClelland of Macon, and Attorney Joseph Blosky of New York, will move for a complete dismissal of the cases of these six workers who are facing death because they attempted to hold meetings protesting unemployment.

World Protest
Today the International Labor Defense is calling every European country to organize international demonstrations against this attempt at a new judicial lynching of six young workers.

A National Protest Day, date of which will be announced shortly, will see demonstrations in every city in the United States.

WILL HOLD SEC. MEETS THIS WEEK

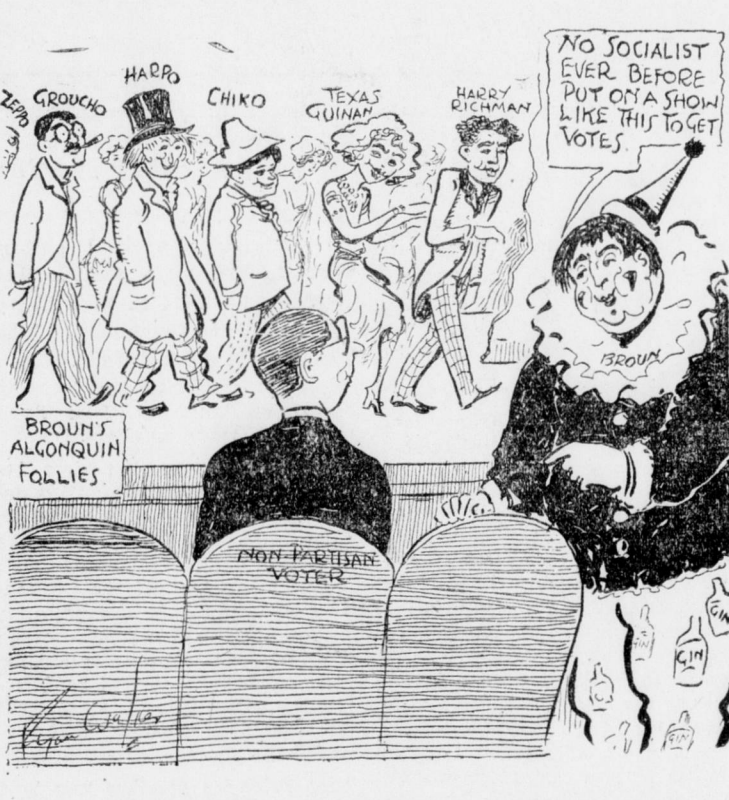
To Mobilize District for Election Campaign

While the Party membership of sections in Brooklyn and Long Island are making their final drives to complete the signature campaign the Party membership in Manhattan, Harlem and Bronx are being mobilized through a special section membership meeting to intensify the election campaign activities throughout the entire city.

Representatives of the Central Committee and the District Bureau will be present at the membership meetings of Sections 1, 2, 4 and 5, this week to outline the significance of revolutionary parliamentarism and the plan of activity for the remaining period of the campaign.

Improved and new methods of conducting our election campaign will be outlined and discussed in detail as preliminary to the discussions in all the Party units on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 29, 30.

The next great objective in the election campaign activities will be the mass mobilization for the huge Madison Square Garden demonstration to greet Foster, Minor, Amter and Raymond who are being released from jail on Tuesday, Oct. 21. All Party members in Sections 1, 2, 4, and 5 shall get in touch with their functionaries to find out the time, date and place of their section membership meetings.



Huge Mass Meet at Madison Square Garden Oct. 21 to Greet March 6 Delegation

Workers to Rally By Thousands to Hear Red Candidates On Release From Jail

NEW YORK.—With a huge demonstration at Madison Square Garden, the workers of New York will greet their candidates, Foster, Minor, and Amter, on October 21st, the day of their release from Hart's Island Penitentiary.

Foster, Minor, Amter and Raymond were arrested and sentenced to prison for leading the demonstration of over 100,000 unemployed and employed workers on Union Square, March 6th, when they appeared at City Hall with a resolution adopted by that demonstration putting forward the demands of the unemployed workers to the Tammany administration.

The delegation of the unemployed was refused bail and later sentenced to a maximum term of three years at Hart's Island Penitentiary, the Tammany Parole Commission changing it to a term of six months for Foster, Minor and Amter, and ten months for Harry Raymond.

The Parole Commission, in handing out a term of six and ten months for the "crime" of "unlawful assembly", is at the same time trying to hamper the activity of the four comrades by having them report to the Parole Commission in the course of three years time.

Workers Demand Release of Delegation

Ever since the arrest of the March 6 unemployed delegation, the workers all over the United States, through numerous mass meetings and demonstrations have demanded the release of Foster, Minor, Amter and Raymond and all other political prisoners. It was because of these demands that the Tammany Parole Commission had changed the term from three years

to six and ten months, leaving the three years "parole" hanging over the heads of the four comrades.

On October 21st, the thousands of workers of New York at Madison Square Garden will demonstrate against Tammany which is arresting revolutionary workers while the crook judges go free. The workers will greet Foster, Minor and Amter and will show solidarity with Harry Raymond who will still be left at Hart's Island Penitentiary, as well as all other political prisoners. The demonstration at Madison Square Garden will be one of the high spots of the Red campaign in New York. Comrade Foster, candidate for Governor of New York State on the Communist ticket, will leave for a statewide tour in a day or two after. Comrades Minor, candidates in the 20th Congressional District, Bronx, will Congressional District, Manhattan, and Amter, candidate in the 23rd Congressional District, Bronx, will address many Communist rallies in their district and in other sections of Greater New York and New York State.

Hold Bazaar Conf. Tonight

All delegates to the Communist Press Bazaar Conference are urged to attend the last and most important meeting of the conference tonight, Sept. 24, at Manhattan Lyceum.

At this meeting the final plans for the bazaar which is to raise money for the support of the Communist press will be taken up.

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HYDE PART OF UNITED BOSSES' ATTACK ON USSR

Rumanian Minister Leads Landlords' Embargo Plot

Would Starve Workers Friends of Soviet Union Calls Mass Protest

Capitalist press reports from abroad indicate that Secretary of Agriculture Hyde in his attack on the Soviet Union over "short" sales of wheat in Chicago timed his blow to coincide with a demand from the big wheat monopolists of Europe for embargo and high tariffs through the League of Nations, resulting in a united movement of landlord and capitalist countries against the first workers' republic.

Monday, while Hyde and Fish were being ridiculed even by capitalist authorities in U. S. for their absurd charges that the routine "short" sale of even 7,500,000 bushels of wheat by the All-Russian Textile Syndicate in Chicago could affect the already collapsing wheat prices here, Virgile Madgearu, minister of commerce of Roumania, spoke in the League of Nations Assembly second commission for the embargo of all European countries against Soviet wheat, on the grounds that the landlords and rich peasants of Roumania, the dukes of England's great estates, the Hungarian landlords and wheat producing landlords in Europe in general could not compete with the efficient state and collective farms in the Soviet Union.

Cheaper Bread.
It is known that the U.S.S.R. has contracted with British owners for (Continued On Page 3.)

BRUENING GOV'T PLANS NEXT STEP

Communists Call Halt On Young Plan

(Wireless by Inprecor)

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—Cabinet consultations, under Bruening, discuss the government program. The new proposals have not yet been published.

The Communist Party motion for the immediate cessation of the Young Plan payments is influencing the proceedings.

In the re-election for shop committee of the machine compositors union in Berlin, The Red Trade Union supporters gained an absolute majority of 672 votes against the Socialist-democrats 627.

SUPPORTING LYNCHING TERROR, BOSSES' TOOLS KILL ANOTHER VICTIM

Plan Protest March and Demonstration Friday On City Hall

Workers Aroused Over Latest Outrage, the Third In Recent Months

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Continuing their open support of the bosses' lynching terror against the Negro masses of this country, Chicago police Saturday mortally wounded Mitchell Gray, 29-year-old unemployed Negro worker.

Gray, who was a member of the Communist Party and the Unemployed Councils, was shot down in cold blood by a Negro policeman in a vacant building at 2596 Indiana Avenue, where because he was without funds and worn out by hunger and long tramping of streets seeking non-existent jobs he had sought to get some sleep. He died the following day. He is the third worker to be murdered in this city within recent months by the police thugs of the bosses and their racketeer allies of gangdom. The other two working-class victims of murderous attacks by the police are Albert Weizenberg, and Lee Mason, Negro Communist candidate for Congress whose funeral held here a few short weeks ago was attended by thousands of workers in the Odd Fellows Home and with over 500 Negro and white workers marching behind his body.

The workers of Chicago are thoroughly aroused over this latest murder by the minions of the bosses and plan to march to City Hall on Friday of this week to protest against these murders of working-class fighters and to demand social insurance for the hundreds of thousands of Negro and white unemployed workers in this city. Negro and white working-class organizations are mobilizing their membership for this march.

A statement issued today by the district office of the American Negro Labor Congress denounces the murder of Gray, points out that the Negro tools of the bosses are no better than the white tools but will shoot down Negro workers just as quickly.

3,000 AT JOBLESS COUNCIL MEET

Macy's Are Laying Off Many Workers.

NEW YORK.—Turning from the line that led to the Tammany "Job" Bureau to hear the speakers of the Downtown Unemployed Council, a crowd, estimated at 3,000 jobless workers, showed their determination to fight for the Workers Unemployment Insurance Bill. More than 200 workers followed the speakers—Chas. Alexander and Sam Nessin, to Manhattan Lyceum where Jack Johnstone spoke on the unemployment situation.

Many of the jobless workers told of the increasing brutalities of the police, in beating and slugging and maltreating in all ways possible, jobless workers.

Bryant Park.

In Bryant Park where over 300 jobless workers are wont to sleep each night, the police chased those that were sleeping in back of the library. They were driven into the park and the sadist police made it a point to prod any worker that dozed off.

About midnight the jobless are awakened by the cries of a man in agony. Through the darkness they could hear the thick brutish voice of the cop. "If you got up the first time I hit I wouldn't have to hit you again." The man groaned in great pain, and soon an ambulance drew up. He was taken away.

Boss Press Lies.

The slimy tricks of the Tammany "Free" Bureau and its role as a wage cutting agency were further exposed when a worker told that the Koch's Department Store had closed down. Ten days ago the capitalist papers had grown lyrical when the "Free" Employment Agency sent 50 women to Koch's.

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Tammany had secured its basis among the gunmen that makes it wealthy and powerful today. The first notable manifestation of this occurred in 1834. Ninety-three per cent of the known criminals arrested were always freed at once. Tammany had formed an organization of gunmen called the "O'Connell Guards" to overawe voters at the polls.

"Democracy" in Action.
The same thing goes on today. For example only last year, when La Guardia was running for mayor against Walker, gangsters and cops united in the districts where La Guardia's Italian following was strongest, to beat up and even murder the republican's election workers. And the capitalist press said not a word about it. Nor did the republican party itself or La Guardia expose it. Why? Because the republican party is as much a part

would vote all day for a dollar. Already before the Civil War,

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THE ADVENTURES OF BILL WORKER

—Facts Talk—

By RYAN WALKER.

CHATTANOOGA JOBLESS COUNCIL PRESENTS ITS DEMANDS TO CITY GOV'T

Shows Over 18,000 Out of Work In That City; Layoffs In All Plants

Hits Vagrancy Laws and Showing Unemployed Onto Chain Gangs

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 19.—The Unemployed Council, comprising Negro and white jobless workers, has presented its demands to Mayor Bass of this city. Pointing out that there are over 18,000 out of work in Chattanooga, that thousands are being evicted and face starvation, the Unemployed council demands immediate relief measures. The letter to the Mayor says: "Crane Enamel, usually employing 3,500 men and more now has 150. The Southern Railroad Shop cut its force from 300 to about 50. Casey Hedges has reduced its force from 900 to about 250."

"The city government," says the letter accompanying the demands, "is cynically throwing unemployed workers into jail and on chain gangs for vagrancy, for periods averaging from three months to a year. "We, of the Unemployed Council, demand that the City Council no longer hypocritically evade the question of unemployment, and take the following steps for relief: "1. Prohibition of eviction of unemployed workers from their homes for non-payment of rent. "2. Prohibition of cutting off lights and water by power company. "3. Immediate listing of all vacant homes to be improved by the city and to be turned over to un-

employed workers thru the Unemployment Council, the city to pay fixed minimum rent to owners. "4. Free hospital service to unemployed workers and their families. "5. Free street car fare and meals for school children. "6. Seven hour day, five day week for municipal workers on all public jobs. These workers to have the right to organize. "7. Abolition of all city support to Community Fund, Association Charities, Red Cross, Salvation Army, etc., and prohibition of collections by these organizations in shops, factories, homes and schools. The funds of these organizations to be turned over to the committee elected by unemployed workers at mass meetings, called by the Unemployed Council and these funds to be administered by this committee. "8. Immediately putting all public buildings, such as armories, at the disposal of the unemployed. "9. Free use of schools and other public buildings by unemployed for mass meetings, etc. "10. Immediate repeal of all vagrancy, loitering and fee grabbing laws and chain gang system. The Unemployed Council is electing a committee to take this matter and their entire program up with the City Council.



GILLMAN POCKET MAKERS STRIKE

Hillman Official Is One of the Scabs

NEW YORK.—One of the scabs sent by the Amalgamated Clothing Workers (the company union) to try and break the strike of the Gillman Brand clothing workers and drive them back with a wage-cut, is Ortava, a member of the executive in Local 68 and a member of the Hillman outfit's joint board. The pocket makers of the Gillman Brand Clothing Co., at 84 Fifth Ave. struck Monday in spite of the threats of Catalanotti, manager of the Italian Local 63 of the Amalgamated, and of Rissman, manager of Hillman's joint board. They demand that a recent wage-cut be rescinded, that the speed-up be lessened and that better treatment be given. Under Hillman control, piece-work has been foisted on them and the bosses dock a worker half a day for being a few minutes late. Rissman for the Boss. Rissman spoke to the workers and threatened to send scabs from the Amalgamated company union if

Office Workers to Hold Educ. Meeting

"Why th Office Workers' Union endorses the Communist Party" will be the subject of the discussion at the next educational meeting of the Office Workers' Union today at Labor Temple, 14th St. and 2nd Ave., at 7 p. m. Jack Perilla, district election campaign manager of the Communist Party, who will be principal speaker, will point out that office workers, like workers in every other industry, are suffering from the increasing economic depression; are fired by the thousands when new labor-saving office machinery is installed; and that only by active participation in the Unemployment Councils, and fighting for the enactment of the Social Insurance Bill as proposed by the Communist Party, will office workers be assured of either work or compensation during unemployment. Every office worker is urged to attend this important meeting and to bring others with them. they did not surrender to the boss. "The wheels of industry must never stop," said Rissman to the workers. The strikers are standing fast. The Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union calls on the other workers in Gillman's to come out in solidarity. It calls on the workers of Gillman's to repudiate the company union, to demand recognition for the shops committee and to elect a shop strike committee to lead the strike.

Workers of Yonkers Hold Big Mass Meeting

YONKERS, N. Y.—Over one thousand enthusiastic workers gathered at Larkin Plaza and Market Street on Sept. 14 to hear Harry Shaw, Section Organizer of the Communist Party, Richard B. Moore, Communist candidate for Attorney General on the New York State ticket, and other speakers. After having placed notices before the hand in the Yonkers papers denouncing Communism, the American Legion mobilized its forces. The police also objected to the sale of the Daily Worker and the Communist Party Platform. Nevertheless the meeting went on and when the social fascists' organization, the American Legion, started to interrupt the speakers, the workers promptly quieted them and applauded the speakers. Last Friday a meeting was held before the gates of the Alexander Smith Carpet Co. at which 1,500 of the 2,000 workers attended. The bosses not caring to have their employees listening so attentively to Communists blew the whistle five minutes ahead of time. Another meeting will be held at noon, Friday, Sept. 19, before the Alex. Smith Carpet Co.

Pudovkin Uses Allegory and Realism in "Storm Over Asia"

Pudovkin began composing in a style of realistic prose. The opening sequences of his film based on Gorky's "Mother," he "rewrote" in the language of Tolstoi. The village in the opening passage of "The End of St. Petersburg" is rendered on the screen with a power of realistic speech not to be found in the works of any literary poet. But then Pudovkin stopped speaking and began declaiming. Both "Mother" and "The End of St. Petersburg" end in artificial verses, so to speak, in a style of ornaments, coloratura, symbolism. Pudovkin's romantic inclination transfers his attention from reality to imaginary "legends in process of creation." In this, Pudovkin is not at peace with himself. There are two basic and opposite forces actuating his talent. One is an incomparable emotional concentration upon the human being with his real living expression; the other is rhythm, abstract lyricism, pathos expressed not in realistic images but

France-Italy Driving to War! Boss Writer Admits This, But Overlooks War Moves in U.S.

Bonds Drop As In 1913-14, Just Before Last World War; Workers Must Give Answer

NEW YORK.—Again from a boss source we get the admission that the imperialist powers of the world are driving to war. It is M. W. Fodor, special Vienna correspondent of the N. Y. Evening Post who this time comes out with facts on the growing war danger. Fodor's series of articles do not mince words. He bluntly gives fact after fact about the inevitable war. Like big-navy Britten, however, Fodor leaves out the overpowering fact that the United States is arming just as fast, if not faster, than any of the European boss powers for the "inevitable war." "To everyone here a war in south-

Communist Activities

Paterson Y. C. L.—A Dance will be given Saturday, Sept. 27 at 8 p. m., at Union Hall, 205 Paterson St. Music by the Venetan Gondoliers. Admission 25 cents. The Membership Meeting. Of Section 1, 2 and 3 will be held at Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E. 4th St., Thursday, Sept. 25, at 7 p. m. sharp. Disregard the previous announcement concerning Irving Plaza.

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Labor and Fraternal

The Needle Trades Workers Industrial Union is taking over Camp Niznediget, Beacon, N. Y., for 10 days. Friday, Sept. 19, to Sunday, Sept. 28. The entire income will go to the \$50,000 strike fund. Young Defenders Hike to Alpine. The Young Defenders will open their activities this Sunday with a hike to the Alpines. All comrades meet at 8:30 p. m. at West Farms (177th St.) Post Office. Come early. Bring lunch. Autumn Dance and Revel. Given by the South Brooklyn Unit of the Y. C. L. at 134 15th St., Brooklyn, Saturday, Sept. 27, 8 p. m. Complete program: dance, music, refreshments, sketches, etc. Admission, 25 cents. The Build the Labor Defender Conference will be held on Friday, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p. m., at the District Office of the I. L. D., Room 419, 799 Broadway. The Labor Defender agents of all branches must attend. Workers Defense Corps, Marine Section. Thursday, Sept. 25, meeting at 63 Whipple St., Brooklyn. Members assemble at union headquarters at 10:30 a. m. At 7:30 p. m. on the same day membership meeting at 27 E. 4th St. Attend both meetings. A General I. L. D. Party Fraction. Will take place tonight at 8 p. m. at the Irving Plaza, Irving Place and 15th St. All Party members who are members of the I. L. D. must attend this important meeting.

Vote Communist!

eastern Europe," writes Fodor, "appears almost inevitable and views only differ whether it will come very shortly or whether we will have to wait another three, four or five years to witness another great conflagration in southern Europe." The war danger in southeastern Europe, which Fodor thinks in itself is sufficient to drive the imperialist powers into another World War, however, is just one rotten spot on (Continued On Page 3.)

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FOOD WORKERS INDUSTRIAL UNION OF NEW YORK 16 W. 21st St. Chelsea 2274 Bronx Headquarters, 2994 Third Avenue, Melrose 0138; Brooklyn Headquarters, 16 Graham Avenue, Flatbush 0634 The Shop Delegates Council meets the first Tuesday of every month at 8 P. M., at 16 West 21st St. The Shop is the Basic Unit.

BROOKLYN THEATRES BLUE BIRD THEATRE Cor. Saratoga and Livonia Aves. This Week—Thur., Fri. and Sat. AMKINO SPECIAL CHINA EXPRESS Midnight Show—Tomorrow Night

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UNION SQUARE THEATRES NOW PLAYING! RASPUTIN THE HOLY DEVIL A chronicle film dealing with the debauchery and downfall of the Romanoffs. NICOLAI MALIKOFF as Rasputin —and on the same program— "THE GREAT UNKNOWN" Based on Edgar Wallace's mystery "THE SINISTER MAN" UNION SQUARE Popular Prices

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CIVIC REPERTORY TO DO NEW SUSAN GLASPELL PLAY

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LETTERS FROM THE SHOPS

LEGGÉ CALLS ON ROBBERS TO 'HELP' THE MORTGAGED FARMERS OF U. S. A.

Wants More and More Rationalization of Farms Which Means Ruin to Tens of Thousands

To the Daily Worker:
I note Leggé is inviting the robbers to "help" the robbed. He calls upon the mortgage bankers to "improve farming practices." We can be sure such "improvement" will not be for the benefit of the poor farmers but almost purely to help the bankers.

Leggé also says wheat farms should be made larger in size by "consolidating small farms," a very difficult matter, I think, because of the way land is owned and occupied under capitalism. The capitalist system is not, and never can be, so efficiently organized that corporation farming will be a success to any appreciable extent. Easily half of the nine or ten thousand corporation farms in the country accumulate deficits every year.

Appeals also to Bankers.
That Leggé himself is extremely skeptical concerning the small farmer ever being able to make a go of it, is shown when he says "that growers raising less than 300 acres are 'hopelessly handicapped' by high production costs." And therefore Leggé appeals to the bankers to organize bigger farms, the fundamental purpose of which is to place the bankers—finance capital—in a more favorable position to continue to rob the poor farmers.

Farmers, neither the bankers nor Leggé are going to do anything for us. We must do our own fighting. Conditions are tough and nothing but open struggles will help us now. Farmers, let us accept the militant program of the United Farmers League and spread the United Farmer!—FARMER.

Boss Only Interested in Profit
(By a Worker Correspondent)
Chattanooga, Ten.
My husband worked in the U. S. Pipe Shops five years. He would get off at 5 a. m., go back at 7 a. m. and then get off when he could. He did two men's work and got a salary of \$18 a week. He took ill July 29, but continued work until Friday night, August 1. He was confined to his bed August 2, taken to the hospital on August 3 at 6 a. m. and died at 10 a. m. on the same day.

His boss never helped him at all, or aided his people with funeral expenses after five years labor in the shop. I want the people to know there is no benevolence in the boss.
—A WOMAN WORKER.

TAMMANY IS ANTI-LABOR

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of capitalism as "democratic" Tammany is.

But envious capitalist politicians, hungry for graft, organized another gang in those old days to fight the "O'Connell Guards." In the summer of 1835 the two gangs waged a regular battle all over the East Side and every cop in town was out—naturally to help Tammany. So the Tammany gangsters won the battle and since then the boast: "democratic forms of changing administrations" have prevailed—but left Tammany rule unchallenged by armed revolt.

When the Tiger Plays Possum.
Reform parties have occasionally swept the town. But on such occasions the Tammany tiger simply played dead until the "reform" administration itself got angled up in graft, when Tammany summoned the "Honest citizenry" to raise in its might to uphold "righteousness"—and Tammany.

By the middle of the last century the sources of graft had all been systemized. Every cop paid \$200 for his job. All other positions were sold at comparable rates. There were about 10,000 saloons in New York City, about 3,000 houses of prostitution and around 7,000 gambling dens. The places not owned outright by Tammany leaders paid a fixed amount weekly.

The brothels, though not "illegal" at that time were under police jurisdiction for extracting graft. The same thing applies today, the "illegal" prostitutes being a monopoly for police graft. Then, the regular patrolmen had the privilege of grafting from street-walkers, much as at present. The gambling halls were the big source of graft, however, and none could hope to get far in Tammany politics if he didn't own at least one.

Walker Fears Bolshevism.
It is interesting to note here, Tammany's attitude toward Negro slavery. With the same fear against a rising of present day wage slaves which caused Mayor Walker in a recent speech to say that "something had to be done" about unemployment, or we would "have Bolshevism and an end of us all," Tammany in the days of Negro slavery was viciously against the abolition movement.

One of Tammany's leaders issued a manifesto in which he declared that slavery was a divine institution. Tammany Hall produced a learned doctor who "proved" that Negroes were not men, because, he said, the Negro's facial line was not at a right angle with the ground, but like that of animals, at a smaller angle.

This was the time, incidentally, that New York City was run by a Board of Aldermen which became famous under the name of "The Forty Thieves."

Mayor Wood who, like Walker, sold offices to the highest bidder, and about whom a pamphlet of the time wrote a tract entitled: "A Biography of Fernando Wood; a History of the Forgeries, Perjuries and Other Crimes of Our Own 'Model' Mayor," on 3 declared in an address he made concerning Negro slavery:

"Profits Justify Slavery. 'What will become of our great commercial interests that are so closely interwoven with southern prosperity, if slavery is abolished? What will become of the men looking for jobs and it looks as if a great many won't get them, but they will get a lot of education on the rottenness of capitalist society and the need of a new and better system of society laborers for \$2.00 a day and the employment bureaus are swarming

Postal Workers Insecure in Job

Editor Daily Worker:
I read your article on Postal Workers and will say it's true. The speed the men are worked at results in many accidents. The men are then charged with negligence and forced to pay for any property which may be damaged. The workers do not kick because every man can be fired, as they get more mail than they can deliver on one trip and must carry some over for the next trip.

If an inspector finds some mail in their bag on the return trip it is a breaking charge. To obtain a certain amount of security the men must join the republican party, and then charges against them are dropped when they obtain influence. The men are kept under close surveillance and are discharged if they give any information to newspapers on the grounds. Post office business is not to be given out to the public.

Many workers are expressing themselves and no longer give a damn if they get fired or not and to conclude, boys, it's no use going to the fat boy Heywood Brown for help. Write in the Daily Worker which is fighting for us.
—POSTAL WORKER.

Trainmen Now On Short Time

Dear Editor:
Prosperity has come now with the speed of a tornado and struck the New York Central right between the eyes.

Our bunch of extra trainmen are now on two and sometimes three days work a week. I advised them to vote Communist.
—TRAINMAN.

Many Jobless in Vancouver, B. C.

Joyce P. O.
Vancouver, B. C.
Daily Worker:
Dear Comrade:
Enclosed find money order for \$2.00 for my renewal to the Daily. I am sorry I cannot send more money but conditions in Vancouver are worse today than pre-war and the job I happen to be on is pretty precarious like all jobs under this system. There are contractors in Vancouver who have been getting laborers for \$2.00 a day and the employment bureaus are swarming

Elton Laundry Boss Has Many Tricky Schemes

Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Daily Worker:
The Elton Steam Laundry, Brooklyn, employs about 100 workers, mostly Negro women. I want to tell you some of the schemes of the boss to make us work for nothing.

We are supposed to get \$12 to \$15 for the more skilled work, but we never get that much. The boss takes off for every hour when we do not work, but he does not pay us for overtime. For instance, Monday, when we do not work a full day, which is 10 hours, he pays us only \$1.20 for half a day, though we work much more than half a day. The same for Saturday, though we work until late in the afternoon.

On the other hand, when he makes us come in half an hour or an hour earlier and makes stay an hour or more late, we get nothing for that. At the same time he has a clock which is in the habit of getting about 15 minutes slow towards the end of the day. At the end of the week, when it gets a little slow, one of the mangles is shut down and the workers laid off, while the others are made to work double quick.

Besides working such long hours and getting paid almost next to nothing, there are many other evils in the laundry. For instance, the wash room is not separated from the rest of the workers, and when the machines are opened all the steam and strong corroding odor hits us all in the face. We are always choking and coughing all day. There is no safety means at all. The belts keep on breaking and we have to jump to get out of the way of being killed or injured. The mangles are not covered with hoods to draw the heat out. The heat from the open mangles is terrible, so much that in the summer some faint on the job. There is no wash room, no place to put our clothes, no place to eat. The toilet is simply shocking. We have to throw our things around. We have to eat amidst the stacks of laundry, which is full of chemicals.

The cleaners & Laundry Workers League has been speaking to the workers in the laundry through meetings and leaflets. Some workers are enthusiastic for organization and are ready to join the League. If all the workers join in the movement, we will soon be able to force the boss to give us a living wage and lessen the terrible exploitation.—A LAUNDRY WORKER.

FRANCE-ITALY WAR NEARING

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15 Executed in Nanking for Being 'Communists'

SHANGHAI (I.P.S.).—Fifteen persons have been executed in Nanking including 2 women, 5 soldiers and one officer. They were charged with having been members of the Chinese Communist Party. The soldiers and the officer were also charged with having conspired to cause mutiny amongst the government troops.

A severe collision occurred in the Chinese quarter of Shanghai between

Children of the New Day - A Story of Soviet Youth

A Written Version of the Russian Movie For American Working Class Children

(Continued.) By MYRA PAGE.

And what happened to Anna and Mishka, you ask? Contrary to what happens in the old fairy tales. Fatima's aunt who had mistreated her so badly, was not eaten up by a tiger or struck by lightning. Neither was she sent to prison, which in the Soviet Union are not really prisons but Labor Communes, for the comrade inspector, Vanya, and her teacher at the club, all agreed that the best way to change Anna lay in another direction. And in the Soviet Union, the idea is not to punish working people when they do wrong but to make them good citizens. Since Anna had gone to work, was taking a great interest in learning to read and write, and began to realize what a great wrong she had done the two children, who were now quite safe, the Soviet authorities agreed that Anna should continue her present life, under the supervision and encouragement of her new friends.

As for Mishka, he turned out to be a bright lad, who learned quickly, once he set himself to it. The last news of him was that he was making good progress as an apprentice at the Putilov works,

getting ahead in his studies and joining in the young workers' sports.

Think how differently everything would have turned out if Fatima, Anna, Mishka had lived under a government like the one we have in the United States. The reformatories and prisons of this country are filled with poor working people like these, who have never had a chance. Only under a working people's government where everyone is earnestly working to build a socialist society, would Fatima, Anna and Mishka get the opportunities they are getting now, to begin a new life of cooperation and knowledge and genuine democracy of all those who live by their labor. Doesn't it make you want to help bring about such a government in this country also?

THE END.

UNITED BOSSES' ATTACK ON USSR

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500,000 tons of shipping to transport the huge U.S.S.R. wheat export surplus to European markets. It is stated that sales of excellent Soviet Union wheat on the Liverpool exchange have already reduced the price of bread to the starving and exploited workers of England to 13 cents per quarter loaf, the lowest price in 16 years.

Holland, a largely industrial country, fears so much the reaction of the workers if an attempt is made to cut their standard of living that its delegate at the League Assembly frankly told the Roumanian landlord agent that Holland would not bar or interfere with the sales. England is silent so far at the League Assembly but the head of the National Farmers Union (big titled landlords) calls for embargo or protective tariff.

Hits Others Too.
France is non-committal. The Roumanian spokesman further weakened his chances for immediate united action by including in his tirade the overseas grain exporters, Canada, U. S., Australia, and South Africa. Australia and South Africa immediately attacked his position and demanded the right to export wheat to Europe. Presumably, however, they, and U. S. and Canada, would not object to keeping out Soviet wheat which competes successfully with theirs. Premier Bennett has already, Monday, come out with a statement that his government will represent the Canadian wheat pool in the forthcoming imperial conference which he will attend as representative for Canada.

The European proposal for united tariffs against Soviet Wheat is clearly a move of big landlords to make money in a period of depression by raising the price of bread for the industrial workers.

But the U.S.S.R. has not tried to lower wheat prices in U. S. Hyde's proposition for interference with the sales of Russian wheat on the Chicago market is further exposed by capitalists talking among themselves, in their own journals, and by the liberal bourgeoisie as a giant "red herring" stunt, entirely hypocritical, and intended, aside from its war mongering use, as an excuse for the farm board.

Legge Admits Fake.
Alexander Legge who was placed by Hoover as head of the farm board because Legge is head of the International Harvester Co., the monopoly on farm machinery which more than any other capitalist institution fleeces the farmers, tries to use the "short selling" at Chicago to excuse the failure of his board to prevent the collapse of wheat prices. He issued yesterday

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Great Lack of Skilled Labor in Soviet Union

MOSCOW.—The Soviet press devotes much space to the question of the scarcity of labor and the importance of speeding up the supply of trained labor power and trained engineers and technicians. Comrade Kallinin, the chairman of the Central Executive Committee of the Soviet Union publishes an article in which he writes the following:

"This year there is a shortage of labor power in literally all branches of industry. Even the bureau and administrative undertakings are short of qualified workers. Our labor exchanges are practically empty. The problem of unemployment in the Soviet Union has been solved before the Five Year Plan has been carried out on any field, and this is in advance of our expectations."

Comrade Kallinin recommends all factories and undertakings to pay special attention to the question of training new labor cadres and appeals to the workers to raise the level of the productivity of labor still higher than it already is.

That is, Leggé is just bluffing, and among business men, admits it. The papers for mass consumption in general suppress this last sentence of Leggé's.

"Too Silly to Be Funny."
T. H. Wall St. Journal states editorially yesterday:

"The Agricultural Marketing Act, administered by the Farm Board and financed by the Government of the United States, has been important to reverse economic laws. Notwithstanding the outlay of vast sums for loans on wheat, buying wheat, loans on cotton and later relieving co-operatives of their speculative transactions in the futures market, wheat and cotton have followed the world situation and declined. Two courses were open: one was to admit the failure of the new law and the other was to find some other explanation.

"The alleged discovery that Russia had sold some wheat short on the Chicago Board of Trade should have been neither surprising nor alarming. Chicago is a free market in which all the world trades. American interests also trade in wheat on the Winnipeg exchange, and in cotton on Liverpool. If Russia sold wheat in Chicago it would have to make delivery there by buying a corresponding amount of American wheat delivered at Chicago. The allegation that such Russian sales aggregated 5,000,000 bushels, later revised to 7,500,000, was too silly to be funny. If that amount seriously depressed prices, why did not the Board's purchases of about 70,000,000 bushels raise prices, or why does it not buy more now if prices can be so easily influenced?"

Fear "A Boomerang."
The New York Telegram, Scripps-Howard chain, in a front page feature article yesterday declares:

"Leading grain brokers here not only believe Soviet Russia has the right to sell wheat short on the Chicago Board of Trade, but would not hesitate to take such orders, they said today.

"Most of the brokers said the 7,765,000 bushels involved in the All-Russian Textile Syndicate's transaction was so small in proportion to world production that it could have little or no effect on the price. Whatever effect it might have would be counterbalanced by the purchase to cover the short commitment, they contended.

"Even orthodox Republican editorial writers are pointing out that short sales of 7,500,000 bushels could hardly affect the market adversely in view of the fact that the purchase of more than 50,000,000 bushels by the Federal Farm Board failed to improve conditions. Republican politicians not 'in' on the program to make the Soviet an issue on November 4 openly express fear the strategy will prove a boomerang."

The Fish Committee announces

Briefs From All Lands

VIENNA.—The execution of the four Slovenian workers by the fascists in Trieste has caused a wave of protest throughout Venezia-Julia. Open demonstrations against the fascist regime have taken place at a number of points. The peasants left the fields and went into the woods were illegal protest meetings were held. Every night arrests of anti-fascists take place in Trieste.

AMSTERDAM.—A mass meeting organized by the Communist Party of Holland took place recently here against the new naval draft. Thousands of workers attended the meeting. Representatives of the Communist Parties of Belgium and Germany were present. Comrade Palme Dutt spoke for the Communist Party of Great Britain.

BERLIN.—Comrade Heinz Neumann was arrested at a meeting of the workers of the Bochum Verein. The meeting was dispersed by police cars.

BERLIN.—At a meeting in Plauen in Vogtland, 56 workers joined the Communist Party. Among them was a worker who had been a member of the social democratic party of Germany for 26 years. Eleven young workers joined the Young Communist League.

Canada White Guards Form a Military Unit

TORONTO, Canada.—The recently formed counter-revolutionary "League of British Ukrainians for the Emancipation of Ukraina" in Canada is developing rapidly and conducting feverish activity. The League aims at building a white army in the United States and in Canada. The basis of this army is to be the Ukrainian nationalist sport organizations affiliated to the "Sitch." The present membership of this organization is 30,000 but wire-pullers hope with the necessary propaganda and support on the part of the authorities to bring the membership up to 80,000. The government of Great Britain is supplying these counter-revolutionaries with arms and the Sitch is being steadily turned into a modern army, well trained and armed with field service rifles, modern machine guns, artillery and aeroplanes.

A school for Ukrainian officers has been founded. The general staff of this white army is under British control. In case of a war of intervention this army is to be landed in Odessa or at some other convenient point under cover of the guns of the British fleet and from there it aims at penetrating into the Soviet Union.

United States imperialism is also keenly interested in this plan, and the United States military authorities have provided rifles, hand grenades, machine-guns and two batteries of field artillery for the Sitch manoeuvres which took place recently near Detroit.

The Ukrainian sections of the Canadian and American Communist Parties are extremely active amongst the ranks of Ukrainian toilers in the two countries in order to counter the imperialist plans of British and American imperialisms.

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A deep crisis is crushing the working masses in Poland. The Polish bourgeoisie, as well as the bourgeoisie of the entire world, have nothing for the workers and poor peasants but hunger and clubs.

Fascist Poland brings out forcibly the results brought about by the present system, which is based on exploitation and slavery. Fascist Poland is a country in which every other worker either is entirely unemployed or works but a few days a week.

Fascist Poland is a country in which the greatest part of the land is in the hands of big landlords and rich peasants, and where millions of the masses of working peasants are sentenced to death by starvation.

Fascist Poland occupied White Russia and Western Ukraine by force and uses every method to crush the tendency of the White Russian and Ukrainian workers and peasants to unite with Soviet White Russia and Ukraine, carrying out a ruthless policy of destruction of the wealth of the countries and people.

The workers and peasants of Poland are struggling stubbornly against these base plans of Polish fascists. The battalions of fighters for factories for the workers' land for the peasants and for the separation of Western White Russia and Ukraine from fascist Poland are growing steadily.

The economic and political crisis is developing in Poland, bringing nearer the moment of the proletarian revolution. Because of this, Pilsudski, the representative of the bankers, manufacturers and landlords of Poland, as well as agent of world imperialism, must train the guns and rifles, forged from the sweat and blood of the workers and peasants of Poland, on the fatherland of the proletariat, of the whole world. He seeks in this way to crush the fortress of international revolution, gain new markets and at the same time draw the workers' attention away from the struggle for power.

In the whole anti-Soviet front the fascist dictatorship in Poland is in the forefront as the most dangerous provocateur attempting at all costs to hasten the war against the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics. The possessing class can see war as the only solution for the crisis. A new march on Kiev, a repetition of Pilsudski's war on the Soviets is a real danger. Therefore, the unheard of terror raging throughout Poland. Therefore, the physical extermination of Polish, Ukrainian, White Russian, Jewish, German and Lithuanian workers and peasants. Therefore, the 7,000 political prisoners—mass shootings of the struggling workers and peasants and murder of the prisoners—the best revolutionary fighters.

The workers of the United States must help

our struggling brothers in Poland. Our bourgeoisie is at the forefront of the anti-Soviet front. Our bourgeoisie takes an active part in suppressing and crushing the workers and peasants in Poland, having in its hands jointly with the Polish bourgeoisie the most basic industries and the banks in Poland.

We, the workers of the United States, must give expression to our international solidarity. Carrying on a struggle against the war danger, fascism and proposed legislation against foreign-born workers as preventative means of the bourgeoisie in its attempts to crush the labor movement in order to enable it to more easily throw the burden of the crisis on the backs of the workers, we must, together with the entire international working class, come out especially sharp against the fascist dictatorship in Poland, which is the most threatening point in event of war against the Soviets.

Our struggle against the fascist dictatorship must be an integral part of our struggle against the war danger, fascism and proposed legislation against the foreign-born. We appeal especially to you, Polish, Ukrainian, White Russian and Jewish workers. Polish fascism, with the aid of the American government and its own apparatus, is attempting, under the mask of patriotic phraseology, to tie you to the clerical-fascist camp. Polish fascism, through its Polish, Ukrainian, White Russian and Jewish agents, wants you to docilely serve American capitalism and wants to drag you away from the struggle for bettering your conditions.

Let your answer to these attempts to deceive you be a determined struggle against American capitalists and their agents, Polish fascism and its agents. Repulse all the fascist and social-fascist lackeys of Hoover and Pilsudski. At your meetings, conferences and demonstrations, protest against the bloody fascist dictatorship.

In order to carry on a great mass struggle against the fascist dictatorship in Poland, there was organized a Committee for Struggle against Fascism in Poland. It was organized by American, Polish, Ukrainian, White Russian and Jewish workers, with the active help of Finnish, Rumanian and Lithuanian workers.

We call upon you to support the activity of this committee! Let the workers' slogan go forth!

Down with the fascist dictatorship in Poland!

Defend the U. S. S. R!
Struggle against capitalist oppression in America!

Everyone to the aid of the working masses of Poland!

COMMITTEE FOR STRUGGLE AGAINST FASCISM IN POLAND.

"WHEN I PUT THESE FALSE WHISKERS ON THEY'LL THINK I'M A BOLSHEVIK"



BY BURCK.



By JORGE

ROSH HA-SHANAH

Our delicatessen shop has shut up for two days and if we want pork chops we have to buy 'em from a 'goy.' All because the Jews got their dates mixed some centuries ago, or perhaps the Romans did, and think that it's New Year's Day. Bye 'em bye, the Chinese will come along with another New Year's Day, so we'll have to do without our Egg-fou-yung with cumquats on the side. This religious business is terribly hard on a well-trained diet.

Anyway, somebody tells us that a girl in the business office of the Daily Worker of semitic descent or ascent, suddenly "got sick" and we suspect that she is taking the fast cure.

But what we wanted to say all along when you interrupted, was that the N. Y. Times tells us that Rosh ha-Shanah services "will be marked by the 'shofar' or ram's horn, which is symbolically to reawaken every Jew within himself to his loyalty to the teachings of Judaism and the principal of Brotherhood of Man and Fatherhood of God."

Excepting, of course, those heathen Arabs of Palestine, who have too much good land to be let in on the "Brotherhood" until the "Fatherhood" of British imperialism has been able to steal it and the rabbis have put the kosher sign on the deal.

A SUGGESTION FOR INDIA.

One of those queer fish from the Indian nationalist movement is wandering around this country in a perfect fog of ideas as to how India is to gain independence. His name is Mahendra Pratap, and after it he signs himself "Servant of mankind."

From California he sends us a little paper he got out, and the naive it expresses is astounding. It comes to this "servant of mankind" as an absolute astonishing thing that, for example—"British officers perpetrated the worst kind of revolting cruelties on non-resisting folk!"

What in the dickens he thinks the normal business of British officers is, we don't know. Probably to play pinochle. Anyway, he is vastly indignant about it, and makes the following recommendation.

"Some great leader is needed to arouse the people to action. They should immediately replace the British police and the British troops by the true lovers of peace and order."

That sounds good, but doesn't mean a blessed thing. For as long as the British have the rifles, they will not be "replaced" by "lovers of peace and order" who are unarmed and non-resistant.

The funny thing is that Mahendra goes on in the next item to talk about the border tribes in Northwest India without the slightest perception that what he says about them upsets all his non-violent nonsense. He says: "They have no faith in the non-violent warfare. They have also been very successful in the very face of the British airplanes, tanks and guns."

If the "servant of mankind" would stop star-gazing long enough to see that two and two make four, he might get the idea that those Northwestern tribes who are "very successful" with guns, are worth a dozen million of ninnies like himself wandering around gabbling non-resistance when it comes to "replacing British police."

ANOTHER "SOCIALIST" CANDIDATE.

We have discovered a chap that can substitute for Heywood Broun in case the latter takes on too much wood alcohol some night in the midst of his campaign. The man is in Australia but then he's no farther off than Broun anyhow, so it don't matter. Here's what the papers say about his eligibility as a "socialist":

"Sydney, Australia (AP).—A human chameleon, a patient in the Lewisham Hospital in Sydney, has aroused much interest among Australian doctors. Fifty physicians and specialists visited the man recently, but could assign no reason for his peculiar disease. He changes color daily. His skin changes from its normal hue to a mottled red, to a dark blue, to black, to pink, and finally resumes its natural shade."

Now we think that such a fellow as that is right in line for Heywood Broun's job. True, he has to change fast to keep up with Broun, though Broun hasn't been able yet to look even a mottled red. But then that's probably because he keeps himself preserved, or better said, in pickle.

THE BEST PEOPLE ON EARTH.

The Grand Associated Order of the Elks is one of those societies that invites only the "best people," their B.P.O.E. initials being said to stand for the "best people on earth."

Anyhow, a fur merchant of New York named Flachman Margolis, can spend Rash ha-Shanah thanking the stars at among burglars, the Elks select only the best. It seems that a couple of loodies blew into his shop on Sunday to purchase furs, supposedly, but really to let in a couple of gents with big Colts revolvers, which they poked none too gently in his porcine ribs and proceeded to make away with his choicest furs.

They were going to lock him up in the vault, which, being air tight, would have left Flachman Margolis a subject for the undertaker. But in showing him around one of the stick-up men said:

"I see you are an Elk. I am an Elk, too. So I'm not going to put you in the vault. In recognition that we are brother Elks, I'll only stick you in the closet and walk off with about \$50,000 worth of your furs."

And he did. Thus it came about that the papers report that when his brother Elk got through and away, somebody heard an Elk-like moaning, and found Margolis "so hysterical that he was unable to tell a coherent story." The benefits of belonging to such fraternal orders are now clear to him.

Winter is coming. More unemployment. Bread lines. Evictions. The Communist Party alone is mobilizing the unemployed and employed workers in a fight against speed-up, payment insurance relief. Vote Communist! wage cuts and evictions, in a fight for unem-

Conference for the Protection of Foreign-Born

According to the report of the Provisional Committee for the Protection of Foreign Born, conferences are prepared already.

The threatening registration, finger-printing and deportation campaign of the American bourgeoisie, will not find the foreign and native workers unprepared. The National Provisional Committee for the Protection of Foreign Born worked out a plan for organizing conferences in different parts of the country to mobilize the workers, white, Negro, foreign-born and native, for struggle against class terror of the capitalists. The workers understand that the bills proposed by Senator Bliss, Congressmen Cable and Aswell, providing for compulsory registration and finger-printing of the foreign-born, demanding that the foreign-born shall spy on their fellow-workers, providing for mass deportation, are aimed not only against the foreign-born workers, but against the entire working class. Senator Heflin, the Southern fascist senator, is also prepared to propose legislation for mass deportation to remedy Communism and unemployment. Heflin clearly exposed himself and his bosses when he stated that his proposal is connected with the growing unemployment and misery of the millions of workers and that the threat of mass deportation is to frighten a large part of the working class into submission, so that they should not struggle for the Workers' Unemployment Insurance Bill.

All through the election campaign, the terror against the workers, talking the form of lynching of Negroes, jailing the nominees of the Communist Party, clubbing the demonstrating unemployed and threatening with deportation Serio, Vikukel, Radekovich, etc., is intensified in order to terrorize the workers

into support of the capitalist parties. The chambers of commerce, the leaders of the A. F. of L., the so-called veteran organizations, are all demanding mass deportation of foreign-born workers.

Millions of foreign-born workers and the rest of the working class must unite for struggle against finger-printing, registration and deportation; against the class terror of the bourgeoisie; for the release of political prisoners, for the right of asylum for the political refugees.

Conferences Prepared.

To organize this unity of the struggle for the protection of the foreign-born, a district conference in New York took place on Sept. 21 in the Manhattan Lyceum, 66 E. Fourth St. Similar conferences will be held in Pittsburgh on Sunday, Oct. 19; in Chicago, Oct. 26; in other industrial centers district conferences are prepared. Later on, conferences will be organized on local scale all over the country and the whole nation-wide movement will be centralized through a national conference to be held in Washington, D. C., to build a mass resistance to these terrorist measures of the ruling class and to lead the struggle against them.

Every organization is entitled to two delegates. The central office of the Provisional Committee is in Room 603, 32 Union Square, New York City.

The bosses are trying to divide the workers by discriminating against the foreign born and the colored workers. The Communist Party fights against these discriminations. Vote Communist!

On the Negro Question

(From a Speech Delivered at the Seventh Convention of the C. P. U. S. A.)
By TOM JOHNSON.

The Communists support nationalist movements when they fulfill two conditions. First when they weaken the power of imperialism, and certainly we must realize that the struggle of the Negro masses in the South against the white bourgeoisie will be a factor in weakening the power of the bourgeoisie. Secondly, when in the struggles of this character we can draw in the vast sections of the oppressed nationality. It must be apparent, after Comrade Hathaway's report that around this slogan there exists the possibility of making a united front with wider populations of Negro sections in this country. And for these two reasons, comrades, our answer must be, "Yes, we will support this struggle of the Negro masses. Yes, we will support this nationalist movement."

With this whole question of self-determination, the question of our Election Campaign assumes the greatest importance, for here we have an opportunity to bring before the workers in the South in a more or less concrete form the fact that we are putting into practice what we say when we fight for full social and political equality and that we support the demand of the Negro workers for self-determination. In our Election Campaign,

we will be able to reach the widest possible masses, provided we have the forces and are properly organized.

Just one final point in regard to the question raised by Comrade Patterson that seems to agitate many comrades, that there is a contradiction in terms between the demand for self-determination and between class solidarity of Negro workers and white workers. Comrade Lenin, in his speech on this question at the Party conference in Russia in 1917, dealt with this in his reply to the comrades who raised this question very thoroughly, in which he said that you cannot have class solidarity until you have a free and fraternal feeling among the workers. It is necessary to remove all restrictive bonds insofar as these bonds prevent nationalities from working out their own destiny.

Not on the basis of oppression can we unite the Negro workers with white workers, but only on the basis of the fight for the fullest right of the Negroes to self-determination can we draw them into one united front of solidarity with white workers, and, therefore, there is no contradiction of terms, and, therefore, our struggle for the right of the Negro masses for self-determination is a part of our struggle to unify the ranks of the working class to draw them into one solid front of workers against the capitalist class.

CAMPAIGN NOTES

By PAUL NOVIC.

Mr. James O'Neal, editor of the "socialist" New Leader, had an entertaining debate with Mr. Hamilton Fish at the Bronx "Free" Fellowship Forum. There, as if by arrangement, a representative of the Tammany police bomb squad asked Mr. O'Neal whether Communism was a "racket." Mr. O'Neal promptly answered his friend that it was, and has elaborated on his answer in the following way: The Communists, Mr. Neal said, according to the New York Times of Sept. 15, "seize upon the case of every working man who gets into trouble on one charge or another, appeal for funds for his defense, as a victim of class 'persecution,' and then use the money for their salaries." So, in addition to gold from Moscow, the Communists get money through the ingenuity of appealing for workers "who get in trouble."

We shall not discuss the matter of the so-called salaries. The revolutionary workers know something about that, just as they know about the fortunes the Hillquits, the Cahans and their underlings are making, by speculating on Wall Street, by serving big corporations, by drawing salaries of \$10,000, \$15,000 and \$20,000 a year, or graft and corruption, as in the case of the "socialists" of the needle trade company unions. The thing that hurts Mr. O'Neal most is the fact that the Communists are really doing something for the workers "who get into trouble." By this the Communists are undoing, are trying to undo, the work of O'Neal and his friends, Fish, Woll, Ewald and other luminaries. Didn't the "socialists" try hard, with the aid of Mr. Ewald, to send hundreds of pickets of the 1927 fur strike to prison? Didn't their lawyer, the Tammanyist, Markowitz, act as prompter for that scoundrel and grafter who was handing out "justice" to the strikers? Wasn't Markowitz hired by the gang now led by Mr. Kaufman of the underworld and the company union in the fur trade who is on the honorary list of Mr. Broun's supporters?

That's what is really hurting Mr. O'Neal and his colleagues. The Communists are trying to save the workers framed at Mineola, the Gastonia victims, the comrades facing the death chair in Atlanta, the comrades sentenced to 48 years of prison in California, etc. Which is absolutely contrary to the morale of the Tammany bomb squad and Mr. O'Neal's party.

Notice of Central Control Commission

While the Party has exercised due caution in dealing with pleas for readmission coming from those who had been expelled from the Party for alignment with and support to the renegades or continuation of unprincipled factionalism after the Comintern Address, certain of these readmissions have been subsequently found unwarranted.

Two such cases have recently come before the Central Control Commission for final action; namely, those of Gerry Allard, from Southern Illinois, and of James Manus, from San Francisco.

Gerry Allard, who was expelled for alignment with the Trotsky-Cannon opportunists, and later, upon his verbal and written statements repudiating Trotskyism, was readmitted, has now openly shown that his statements were not sincere and that he never really reoriented himself from the opportunist counter-revolutionary line of Trotskyism to the correct Bolshevik line of the Party.

He fought against independent mine committees, defended the right winger Corbushy and

THE HEATHEN LEGION

The infidels are not all Bolsheviks, we gather from the press report that the Wisconsin and Missouri Lutheran synods have condemned the American Legion as having "rituals that are Christless, addressed to idols and abominable to the sight of a Christian."

It seems that the Legion's "prayer" is not kosher, though it mentions "God and country" in the style best approved by all the Kaiser-lovers and Czarists. Undoubtedly it should be clarified and we suggest the following revision:

"For God and Boss, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes: To uphold wage slavery and the orders of the Chamber of Commerce; to maintain capitalist law and fascist order; to foster and perpetuate 100 per cent chauvinism; to preserve only such memories and incidents of our association in Morgan's last war as help to inculcate among workers a boot-licking and knee-bending slave psychology toward the bosses are the interests of the "community and the nation"; to break strikes under the slogan that forcing the boss to pay decent wages is "autocracy"; to make exploitation and oppression appear righteous; to promote peace and good will by lynching Negroes and deporting aliens; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of electric chair justice or agitators, freedom for scabs, and democracy for Al Capone; to consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by periodic conventions in which we all take on the same prostitute and get gloriously stewed in mutual degeneration."

The capitalists are plotting war against the Soviet Union. This Fish Committee, Easley, Mathew Woll and other fakers of the A. F. of L. the socialist party are slandering the Soviet Union. The Communist Party is mobilizing all workers for the defense of the Soviet Union. Vote Communist!

The socialist party, the party of petty bourgeois real estate speculators, professionals, liberals, clergymen and labor fakers, is the third capitalist party. The workers of Germany, England and other countries learned that they can get nothing from the socialist party. Vote against the capitalist parties. Vote Communist!

The Daily Worker is the Party's best instrument to make contacts among the masses of workers, to build a mass Communist Party.

attacked the Party line of sharp determined struggle against the Lovestonites and Trotskyites.

James Manus, one of the leaders of the faction which carried on a struggle in California against the Party after the Comintern Address, was re-instated upon his statement containing recognition of his errors, pledge to discontinue all factional activities and acceptance of certain specific conditions. Subsequent actions of Manus, however, have proved that his statement was a subterfuge; he continued to carry on underhanded campaign among the membership, attacking the district and national leadership of the Party; in his union he supported the line of the fakers; he never carried out the conditions of his readmission in any respect.

Upon the recommendations of the respective District Committees, therefore, Gerry Allard and James Manus stand finally expelled from the Communist Party of the U. S. A. and branded as enemies of the Party and of the revolutionary working class struggle.

CENTRAL CONTROL COMMISSION COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE U.S.A.

THAT CHINESE WAR.

Nanking is again asserting that the war is over for the 57th time, and that Chiang Kai-shek has won. This is getting to be so usual that we have it set up in type and just run it every time the claim is made.

The fact is, that the war in China is "over" just as much as British and American and Japanese imperialisms have ceased being rivals—which is not at all.

Chang Hsueh-liang, the Manchurian Kid, has sent an army south in Chili (which is a province and not a kind of gravy) and neither the Nanking "government" nor that of Peking is sure which side Chang is with or whether he is just for himself—and Japan.

Nanking claims that Chang will "receive decorations as Northern commander," while the Peking government, which has taken no chances and moved off into Shansi, declares Chang is with it as one of its "most trusted" collaborators.

To our mind, Chiang Kai-shek is wasting his time. He ought to be appointed by Hoover to give out opinions on the vanishing of unemployment and how the Soviet Government is having its propaganda printed on the ticker of the Chicago Board of Trade.

Meantime, the only fellow in China who is not fighting is the one they have dug out of a clay bank about 1,100,000 year old. The one they call "The Peking Man."

THE MURLOONEY ADVERTISING AGENCY.

Every week now there is some show raided by the cops. And we are beginning to wonder how much the police get out of it. Certainly they, meaning of course the "inspectors" and "commissioners" and not the regular flatfoots who have to get theirs from the speakies, get a commission, or, as the Chinese say, "cumshaw."

First, it was some show of the Heywood Broun type up on Broadway, then last week "Frankie and Johnnie," playing over in Brooklyn, got the benefit of the cops arresting the actors and actresses for "indecentcy." Then, Saturday, another show got advertised.

We suppose that it's the crisis again. The show business is hit hard, and the only way to fill the house is to get raided for running an indecent performance, get an injunction from one of the judges who is not yet indicted, and rake in the shekels at the box office for weeks.

It's a great game and sure fire. Only we think that the Murlooney Advertising Agency ought to pay income tax accordingly.

The "labor" government in England is helping the bosses speed-up the workers. Since McDonald entered into office, in one year, the army of unemployed in Great Britain, has doubled. In Germany, unemployment is rising. The socialists are doing the work for the bosses. Fight the bosses and their servants. Vote Communist!

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