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WORKERS

OF THE WORLD,

UNITE!

**300,000 WORKERS ARE HARDEST HIT IN BANK FAILURE** 

## Emergency ARMY POST Bank Will Be Closed for Months; MASS DEMONSTRATION TO IN SPAIN IN Money Tied Up in Frozen Assets PROTEST WAR PLOTTING Call! UPRISING Bankers Lied About Workers Desperate at Loss Condition; Was Bad Workers Desperate at Loss **AGAINST SOVIET UNION**

We are forced to get out only a tour page paper today too late for deliv-Indicates the Spread of ery and mailing.

Workers! Report im- the revolt of the garrinear the French border. the revolt of the garrison at Jaco The fascist government is rushing mediately to the DAILY troops to the scene of the soldiers prising and fire was opened upor Jaco. A complete radio and telegraph WORKER representative Censorship has been clamped down on Spain. Martial law will probably fol-low. Although the dispatch throws in your city! Help to get the revolt, it is obviously part of the bourgeois republican movement against the fascist Berenguer regime. funds! Rush them to the DAILY WORKER, 35 E. utionary struggle. At the same time, t is fighting against the efforts of 12th St., New York, N. Y the socialists to betray the revolutionary trend of the



Troops Are Rushed to Quell Uprising of BULLETIN. Jaco Soldiers Four More Banks Fail. CHRISTOPHER, Ill., Dec. 12 .-The Christopher State Bank, capi-**Censorship** Invoked talized at \$100,000, failed to open for business today.

TIRONE, Pa., Dec. 12 .- The doors Workers' Revolution of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank here were closed to-NEW YORK .- An Associated Press day. dispatch from Madrid states that

ASHEVILLE, N. C. Dec. 12 .active civil war has broken out with The Bank of West Asheville failed to open today.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 12 .- The Mechanics Savings Bank of Raleigh today invoked the thirty-day rule on withdrawal of deposits.

ensorship has been clamped down on NEW YORK .- The 400,000 depositors of the Bank of the United always takin' from th' poor, what's low. Although the dispatch throws States, which closed its doors Thursno light on the immediate cause of day morning, remain without one cent of their money being paid out. The capitalist press has deliberately against the fascist Berenguer regime. been playing down this important General strikes took place recently piece of news. Bank examiners are all large industrial centers. The going over the books, and all sorts Communist Party has been strengthof promises are being made, but they ened in these recent strikes and is are on a par with the promise of the low actively fighting to win the vice-president of the bank that the nasses for a real independent revo-

doors would be open on Thursday. This turned out to be a lie. The seriousness of the crash can S. Bank's failed. I near failed me be realized when it is known that self. I cum ova soon as I cud. All working and

York City have been working to save cud put aside is in thar,--put aside the Bank of the United States. All by him woikin' all night, 'n all day,

Reports published in the capitalist bank? Thin the government shud be (Continued on Page Three) responsible . . . Gee, wait til me hoos-

lar?"

thet."

bin' hears th' bank failed He'll fail

too", and she hurried off. Down at the Delancey street his way in among the small crowd branch of the bank, several thousand still clinging around the glass winworking men and women from the down of the Fifth Avenue and 14th lower Eastside crowded around the Street branch of the Bank of the entrance, and vainly tried to get in-United States. "Ain't I tole you ofside, cops and plainclothes men cirten enough," the blue coat demanded, culated among them, carrying out "to go on home? There ain't nutten bank orders. "Everything is allright. doin' tonight, but tomorrow marnin', Don't worry. Don't worry", and "Go cartain, th' bank'll open, 'n ye kin on home, and come back tomorrow.' git your money, thin." "What do ya think? Everything all-

"Who wants fifty cents on th' dol-"We'll be darn lucky to git "What right they got to take as to believe that!' half of what we saved?" "Well, move on, now, move on."

As we started away a girl with a in' to?" warn looking face murmured half to herself, "That's the way with th' rich,

got so little. "Did you see them guys inside

bank officials, or somethin'. A lot they care what's happenin'." A little man pointed with his tumb over his shoulder. "They're smokin' 'n jokin' 'n one was readin' some kind banks, waiting to get their last few of a magazine with a pitcher on it." "Mv The black-eyed woman spoke with a broad Irish accent. "I was workin' this af- around three corners of the block,

anoon, whin they tole me. "The U for weeks the leading bankers of New the spare dollars me'n me hoosbin

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right! ! Is it! We may be poor woikin' people, but we ain't such fools PLANE WORKERS to-every

"What's things comin' nungry'n behind in rent, now our last dollars took too? What's it com

"A revolution, maybe!" "Hey, move on, you!" And the nounted police drove their horses up on the sidewalks, pushing the crowds oughly before them.

All night long, in the cold and occasional rain, long, shabby lines of worried men and women stood in front of many East-side and Bronx dollars out in the morning-if possigle. By 6 a. m. the lines had grown until in many cases they stretched In practice it amounts

DOAK STARTS NEW DRIVE ON TOILERS Workers Must Answer workers to go back, promising them Hoover Tool

of Funds, Wait All Night Call on All Workers to Rally at 40th Street and Fifth Avenue, to Give Answer to Poincare, Briand and Co.

> E...ah Frears Smashing of Trade With Soviets Will Increase Unemployment Here

> But War Preparations Go Right Ahead With Aid of American Imperialism; Workers Must Give Their Answer Today!

> FIGHT WAGE CUT Refuse to Follow Scab sulate, 40th St. and 5th Ave., the A.F.L. Policy

PATERSON, N. J., Dec. 12 .- Six Co. whose part in the vicious war hundred workers struck Wednesday plot against the "group system" which the trial recently concluded in Moscow bosses of the Wright Airplane Co. tried to put into effect. The "group system" is a method of forcing a group of workers to get out a set amount of work under speed-up, and if this is not done they are docked. cent wage cut.

Not long ago all workers in Wright plant were given a 10 per

ent wage cut strike, Connolly, general organizer of to interfere with the tremendous adan A. F. of L. local, tried to get the

them, if they went out-as the work-

NEW YORK .- Today at 1 p. m. the militant workers of New York will give their answer to the war plotters against the Soviet mass demonstration will be held at that time in front of the French Con-

agents of the imperialists of France in the United States, and the representatives of Briand, Poincare and

was exposed at the wreckers Despite the fact that the exact plans for intervention and the bloody attempt at destruction of the workers' republic were publicly exposed French imperialism, together with the rulers of the other capitalist lands are still continuing their war prep arations

This demonstration will be the answer of the militant workers in this city to the robber powers in their at-When the workers went out on tempt to smash the Soviet Union, and

Give your answer to the war plot-

ers! All out today! Smash the

threatened war against the Union of

NEW YORK .-- William E. Borah,

chairman of the Senate Foreign Re-

lations Committee, fearful that the

recent action of the U.S. Treasury

Department will wreck trade with the

Soviet Union and further intensify

the crisis in the United States, re-

peated his request for recognition in

an interview with the United Press

"Everything possible is being done

in these days," said Borah, "to

break down our trade with Russia-

agitation and attacks and treasury

regulations all calculated to inter-

fere with and embarrass trade with

Russia, at a time when, above all

The Idaho Senator deliberately left

out of his remarks the fact that this

against the workers' republic. He put

his demand that trade be continued

"Russia has purchased of our

people in the last few years nearly

eight hundred million dollars worth

of goods. That gave employment

to a great many American work-

men. But the extent of our trade

with Russia in the past, unless the

wreckers have their way, will be

greatly increased in the next few

He also added that "for every dol-

Borah, in line with Hoover, is

things, we need foreign markets."

the Int'l. Association of Machinists, vance of socialist construction under the Five Year Plan. Every worker should rally to this he would "talk to the boss." He urged demonstration. Show your solidarity

with the workers in th

on Friday.

## pends upon you!

## **CHINA RED ARMY** SWEEPS AHEAD

#### Capture All Important Towns in Industrial Provinces

NEW YORK .- Dec. 12 .-- All the most important places along the border of Kwantung and Kiangsi Provinces are reported to have been captured by a Chinese Red Army of 10,000, according to an Associated Press despatch from Canton yesterday. Four regiments of Chiang Kaishek's troops were rushed off to Shiuchow last Thursday in a despere effort to stem the advance of the Red Army.

The great unreliability and instability of the Nanking Government troops whenever they come in contact with the Red forces was further revealed by the same A. P. despatch which states:

"Twenty-seven officers and men of three other Cantonese regiments stationed at Shiuchow were reported executed by provincial authorities in consequence of their regiments' yielding to Communist bribery. Four civilians were executed.

Meanwhile Chiang Kai - shek's hangmen are continuing to execute workers suspected of being Communists. In Hankow, five have been executed on the pretext that they were plotting to assassinate Chiang Kai-shek on his arrival in that city.

"Daily Worker" and "Freiheit" Ball Held in Cleveland Jan. 10 tion out.

CLEVELAND, Ohio .-- A Daily 1931, at 8 p. m., at Oak Pythian

.Catch the dirt on Theodor Brandel, A. F. of L. official in New Jersey who publicly points to himself as a "labor leader and banker." He ladelled \$25,000 a year out of the open shop bosses white he czared it over the Iron Workers Union.

Don't miss this startling series. Rivals the Tammany rip-ups by the same Allen Johnson. Soon!

Wherever A. F. L. officials prowl, wherever graft blosms, this series will be a sensation. Latest on 60,000 circulation, page 5.

# CONN. T.U.U.L.

**ARRANGES MEETS** 

series of unemployment mass meet ings in the district for the purpose of unemployment mass meetings in the district for the purpose of elect-

ment Councils. The unemployed in Hartford

delegation and presented their demands to the Common Council, where Mayor Batterson and the

Unemployment mass meetings wi be held in Waterbury, Danbury, New Timber and Morning Freiheit Ball is Haven, Bridgeport, Stamford, South being aranged for Saturday, Jan. 10, Norwalk and Springfield, Mass. The signature campaign for the Temple, located at 706 E. 105th St. Workers' Unemployment Insurance The ball is held annually to collect Bill is in full swing. Over a thou money for the revolutionary press. sand petitions have been sent out to All workers are urged to attend. The cover fifteen different cities. Over admission is 50 cents. A large crowd 600 signatures were turned in immediately after the campaign started.

"Thor" Co. Cuts Wages Up to Bombers 50 P. C. As "Christmas Gift" TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 12 .- The Keystone Aircraft Corporation speeding up its activities, producing Series Puts AFL war materials on a large scale. Seven bombing planes are being sent to the Philippine Islands as part of the war Officials On Spot preparations. Later there will be another shipment. Each of these planes carries two tons of dynamite, five men, three machine guns, 20 bombs

horse power motors. The United ordered by the United States government from the Keystone Aircraft

Corporation. Meanwhile, the workers on the job

tem against the workers.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.-The Trade Union Unity League is arranging a

ing delegations to the respective city councils and to build up Unemploy-

Conn., have already elected their

board of aldermen refused to hear the demands and ejected the delega-

**STRUGGLES!** 

Bosses Are Optimistic About Their Profits for Next Year; But Workers Get Slash From 10 to 50 Per Cent

The Hurley Machine Co., manufac- This is just one of a whole series turers of "Thor" washing machines, of wage-slashes that are being handand one radio. They have two 525 has cut the wages of all its workers ed the workers still left on the job from 10 to 50 per cent. On Decem- as "Christmas gifts" by the bosses. States government has ordered 72 of ber 6th, a letter was handed to all With the huge wave of wage cuts these bombing planes and 18 big navy the workers announcing the wage cut descending on the workers, not a and union-smashing role, the underflying boats. This is the biggest ship- as a "Christmas present." The letter single shop in the country will be world will not be molested one whit ment of these twin-motored planes says that salary reductions would be left untouched. Only by organization Workers on strike, workers who dare necessary "as the Holiday Season is and striking can the workers resist protect themselves from the vicious approaching." wage cuts. One wage cut does not assaults of the thug police in dem-

While the wages of all the workers mean the end. It is now the policy onstrations for bread, for defense of were cut the bosses say they look to of the bosses to hand out a 10 per the Soviet Union, will be singled out are speeded up frightfully. The "the new year with optimism," and months follow it up with another. in this new terror drive of the bosses. bosses have instituted a big spy syshope that their profits will be kept The process can be stopped only by Deportation will be the chief weapon up no matter what the workers suffer. the militant action of the workers. used, declared Doak.

WASHINGTON, D. C .- Appropri- et, but to merely go out on "proately enough, the new secretary of test." labor, Wm. Doak, has made his debut

as a member of the Hoover cabinet by moving t ointensify the persecution of the foreign-born workers. The drive is to be disguised as one ostensibly to rid the large industrial centers of gunmen and gangsters. Funds are to beappropriated for this pur-

As the chief allies and even leadper cent wage-cut as well. ers of the three capitalist parties and of the government itself, as the chief prop of the fascist A. F. of L. bureaucrats rule in its strike-breaking

Workers! It's Up to You!

Come to the Help of the

"Daily"! Don't Delay!

WE WERE FORCED TO PRINT ONLY ONE EDITION IN A LIM-ITED NUMBER OF COPIES. WORKERS! THE DAILY WORKER MUST BE SAVED! WE NEED FUNDS, AND WE NEED THEM IMMEDIATELY TO OVERCOME THIS SITUATION. WE DEPEND ON YOU TO RUSH TO THE HELP OF THE DAILY. WORKERS! DO NOT WAIT! HELP SAVE THE DAILY AS THE VOICE OF YOUR ers insisted on striking-not to pick-The next day, Thursday, the Metal Socialist Soviet Republics.

Workers' Industrial League, of the Trade Union Unity League, issued a leaflet to the strikers, urging them to carry on mass picketing, eo elect a rank and file strike committee to cary on a militant strike and to demand not only the revokation of the 'group system" but the previous 10

> Friday the 600 strikers met and elected a strike committee, carrying out mass picketing and generally following the line of the Metal Workers' Industrial League. They refused to obey the scab orders of Connolley At a meeting of the strikers held Friday the strikers took up the questions put to them by the Metal Workers' Industrial League and adopted this method of real struggle against the wage-cut. Another leaflet was issued by the M. W. I. L., showing is all part of the war preparations up the role of Connolly, who is constantly meeting with the bosses in an effort to wreck the strike. The on the ground that a great number leaflet was enthusiastically received of American workers will lose their

by the strikers. jobs if trade is stopped. Borah is really interested in the profits his fel-Wash. Supreme Court low-bosses will lose. He said: **Bars** Organization of School Teachers

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 12 .- The State Supreme Court has declared that the eSattle School Board has the right to prevent teachers from belonging to a union. This is the latest act in the fight between the teachers and the Board since the us we sell five dollars worth of goods Russia sells to us we sell five dollars worth of goods

board put a "Yellow Dog Clause" in us we sen five donars worth of goods to Russia. And most of the commothe teachers' contract and started dities sent to this country from Rusto suppress the union in the Spring sia are not produced here." of 1928

The teachers, especially those in the against giving unemployment insurhigh schools, put up a fight for the ance to the unemployed workers. He right to organize, but the School fears if trade is stopped with the U. They claimed that though the union was affiliated with the A. F. of L. it was un-American nad radical and would interfere with the conduct of the heat pace. In the United States resentatives of the people."

Board threatened to dismiss any S. S. R. that the unemployed army teacher who belonged to the union. will grow to greater proportions. In the meantime, the war prepar-

the schools by themselves, the "rep- the bosses are taking a more and more active part. To combat this the militant work-

This decision is in line with the policy of the Supreme Court to fight ers in this country are calling a serevery effort toward organization of ies of meetings in all parts of the

years.'

Fight for Immediate Relief! Collect Signatures for Unemployment Insurance!

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DAILY WORKER, NEW YORK, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1930

## **MILWAUKEE JOBLESS DEMONSTRATE** FOR RELIEF DEMANDS OF T.U.U.L.

Bosses Jail Two Delegates, But Are Forced to Hear Workers Denounce Their Fake **Promises and Maneuvers** 

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 12 .- One thou- , floor to speak for the jobless deand workers demonstrated in zero mands. The council ordered their weather here in front of the City arrest, and they were dragged out of the room, but not before they had Hall in support of a committee of the unemployed which was present- told the aldermen that they were a ing the demands of the city's jobless bunch of fakers and grafters who thousands to the Common Council. did not give a damn about the mis-These demands were for the im- ery of the workers. In court they

mediate establishment of a \$25,000,000 were sentenced to 20 days by anfund, to be raised by taxation of the other faker for telling the truth wealthy exploiters and parasites; about the aldermen, one of whom is this fund to provide \$25 weekly for a "socialist" upholding the interests every unemployed worker and to be of the bosses against the working administered by a committee of class. workers. The committee also demanded no eviction of unemployed workers and free gas and electricity.

When the council refused to hear these demands of the starving job- ing. Ross told the councill that the less workers, Donald Burke and William Clarke, secretary of the Trade excuses and buncomb much longer. Union Unity League, demanded the

## **EAGLE PENCIL** WORKERS RETURN

Must Organize to Resist Boss Attacks

NEW YORK .- The strike of the Eagle Pencil workers is over, but the workers are called upon to organize in the factory and to form depart- the "socialist" Mayor Hoan down), unemployed workers of this city, and ment committees to cary on the struggle against wage-cuts and to resist any efforts on the part of the leaders of the strike.

For a wek the factory was practically closed. The workers came out tant struggle for the right to ex- the Trade Union Unity League deon strike splendidly, in spite of their inexperience in conducting a strug-With more organization and real militancy and larger participation on the picket line, the workers could have stopped anyone from going into the factory.

Because of the situation, the workers gave in to the promise of the boss that there would be no discrimination if the workers returned, To Rally Fight for So- killed. thereby giving up the fight against the wage-cut at this time.

The Trade Union Unity League pointed out to the workers that the them back, and would soon fire the best fighters and leaders of the strike. The Trade Union Unity League is opposed to wage-cuts and is in favor of fighting these wagecuts by continued struggle.

Although the strike is now lost the fight against wage-cuts and rotten working conditions must continue. ther attempts of the bosses to worsen | workers in the United States. Bosconditions





Charles Green and Frank Zaye, other **REJECT JOBLESS** members of the delegation, told how workers' families were actually starving while the bosses and their char-**RELIEF DEMANDS** ity organizations were faking them with promises or with sloppy coffee and stale bread, for which they force

the workers to crawl on their bellies. Dietz, the "socialist" member of the council, ridiculed the demands of the unemployed, calling them "impossible, confiscatory and unconstitutional.

In summing up for the unemployed a motion to adjourn, the boss poli-Ross told the council, and, in par-ticular, the slimy "socialists" (from fused the flor to spokesmen of the that the committee would again come called police thugs to eject Nat Rich- at 50.8 hours. before the Common Council with the ards, an organizer of the Trade demands of the unemployed, and that the workers were getting wise to the would answer these fake maneuvers the whole question of relief for the and police hounding of workers, stagger system and lay-offs by mili- lative committee a resolution from

# **MEET DEC. 14TH**

cial Insurance tions by the Boston Campaign Coma greater Boston Unemployed Conference on Dec. 14 at 11 a. m. at 22 states, in part:

phenomenon

The experience gained by the work- Massachusetts, as well as all over ers in the strike will enable them to the United States. There are at organize to successfully combat fur- present nearly 9,000,000 unemployed Demonstrate to Defend the U.S.S.R. Workers realize that the bosses' employed workers and more than PITTSBURGH, Pa.-A that number working part time. In Wages are being cut every dustries are slowing down produc- demonstrate for the defense of the day. Mr. William Green and the tion, which means putting out eddi- Soviet Union, as well as to expose American Federation of Labor are tional thousands of workers to the the attempts of the capitalist class to workers. Only the Trade Union currence, and the murderous speed- be held here under the auspices of Unity League and its affiliated unions up intensified. With a severe winter the "Friends of the Soviet Union" at here and no prospective work, sui- the Labor Lyceum, 35 Miller St., on cides, insanity, collapses and death Sunday, Dec. 21, at 8 p. m.



Statistics Revealed

of cotton workers thrown out of work because of rationalization and the Mayor Patterson and the board of bosses to discriminate against the capitalist red tape and bunk, and aldermen attempted to push aside introduction of new and improved machinery. In reality the workers are putting out more work in the unemployed by referring to the legissame number of hours with less pay.

manding adequate relief and unemmanding adequate relief and unem-ployment insurance. Patterson had 200 WORKERS JOIN first tried to ignore the resolution altogether on the pretext that it was U.C. IN PASSAIC

not introduced by an alderman. He thought it better, however, to attempt to fool the jobless workers by and then referring it to the legislaof Negro and White tive committee where it would be

Delegate

A meting of unemployed workers, held later at 27 Albany Ave., denounced the action of the mayor and

Union Unity League.

BOSTON, Dec. 11 .- A call has been the board of aldermen and made 10, at the Workers Center, 287 Monboss was only lying in order to get sent out to working-class organiza- plans for a mass demonstration at roe St., where over 200 workers atthe meting of the legislative commitmittee for Unemployed Insurance for tee when the demands of the unemployed are promised "consideration."



The boss came out and ordered the worker to move his car, but he refused.

plan the work further.

By A. HEDER. NEW HAVEN, Conn. — Wages of To Continue Fight to Workers Club, a resolution was un-Free Organizers

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Dec. 11.-The police attacked a big demonstration of workers here who were protesting the imprisonment of eight militant California workers who are serving sentences of up to 42 years for organizing agricultural workers The statistics leave out the number in the Imperial (death) Valley. The

police arrested three of the leaders, including Ida Rothstein, district or-Defense. After the police had arrested the

Wages Have Decreased SMASH IMPERIAL

three workers, a large crowd, estimated in the many hundreds, followed the police for many blocks and

cheered the arrested trio. The demonstration was combined for the Imperial Valley prisoners and in commemoration of the 1.500 Colombian workers who were murdered

by the police of that South Ameria pretense of acepting the resolution Executive Committee can country two years ago in the banana strike. The large planta-

tions down there are owned by the United Fruit Co., a Yankee mon-PASSAIC. N. J .- The Unemployed opoly. Council of this city held a very suc-

The meeting here broken up by the cessful meeting on Wednesday, Dec. police is part of the Imperial Valley week campaign carried on by the International Labor Defense. tended. An executive committee was

elected, composed of white and Ne-

The meeting was the outcome of a shop gate meeting held in front of on a nation-wide scale. Most cities the New Belting and Packing Co., throughout the United States as well were trying to obtain work. Out of ticipated in mass demonstrations these 800 only 3 were hired. Our against the boss class persecutions. speakers were not able to obtain a platform, so one of the workers who

Chi. Needle Trades was employed volunteered his car. Cabaret, Dec. 24, to **Help Fight Piecework** 

#### Chicago Workers Club Denounce Attacks On RAPS BUS LINE FRISCO PROTEST the Foreign - Born **JIMCROW POLICY** CHICAGO, Dec. 11.-At a meeting

of the North Side Scandinavian Fishwick - Greyhound animously adopted denouncing the

bosses' attack on the foreign born workers and calling upon all workers particularly the Scandinavian workers, to rally to defeat the efforts of the bosses and their agents to rush

through the Congress bills antagonistic to the foreign born workers. The resolution points out that the the buses operated by the Pickwichtie teh hands of the foreign born of some of the subtle methods the 59 ganizer of the International Labor tion to protect their kages and con-

ditions, thus opening the way for fur- gro and white-workers. ther intensified attacks on the living conditions of the working class as a whole.



#### Delegation Presents Demand for Relief

HARTFORD, Conn.-Three hundred workers unanimously passed a ing on this line. We were told we resolution condemning the city government for its cynical rejection and outside.

criminal evasion of the emergency needs of the jobless, and in its complicity in the latest Communist Chest out the bosses' policy of treating Campaign Swindle which compelled Negro workers like a caste of unworekrs to contribute to a number touchables, was made evident several resolution also included a number of places took my orders and served me, demands for further relief, and a delegation to the City Council was elected

The meeting was very successful the spot.

organizationally, as many workers joined the T. U. U. L.

### **Big Lumber Merger** in Northwest Add to Unemployment

SEATTLE, Dec. 12.-The announce ment was made recently that the Weyerhauser Timber Company will be combined with three smaller Northwest Lumber Companies, the merger involving many millions of

By HENRY SHEPARD. dollars. This merger, it is announced (Field Organizer of the L. S. N. R.)

Insults Negroes

will make possible great savings in SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.-After running expenses, including labor. paying \$35.10 for the doubtful privi-The Weverhauser interests control lege of being a passenger on one of directly, or indirectly by interlocking directorates, a tremendous part real purpose behind these bills is to Greyhound lines, I had a good taste of the lumber output, not only in the Northwest but in the Middlewest. workers and prevent their organiza- rulers of the United States use to This will mean for the workers infoster race hatred between the Necreasing unemployment, increasing speed-up. It shows the increasingly open growth of the trust and how

If you are a Negro worker, in addition to being robbed right and left large capital is swallowing smaller by the bosses, you are met with the firms. added affront of jim-crowism after paying your hard-earned dollars for transportation. Negro workers are told they must sit in the rear of the buses, even in states where the boss

class has not yet "legalized" jimcrowism. The drivers of the buses are instructed to carry out this Jim Crow policy.

and restaurants owned or controlled sent its demands before the various by the Pickwick-Greyhound Bus Line attempt to Jim Crow Negroes travel- legislature.

would have to eat in the kitchen or New Haven at the Workers Center take our food in a paper and eat it Hall, 12 Temple Street.

That the white workers in these places are not over anxious to carry times when the waitresses in these Street

Street.

this happened and quit the job or

Jim Crow system everywhere, i

PITTSBURGH



**Calls Jobless Meets** In Conn. District NEW HAVEN, Dec. 12. - The

Trade Union Unity League has arranged a number of unemployed mass meetings to form unemployed coun-Also, all of the comfort stations cils and to elect a delegation to pre-

> city administrations and the state On Monday evening, Dec. 15, in

On Friday evening, Dec. 19, in Springfield at the Liberty Hall, 592 Dwight Street

On Monday, Dec. 22, in Bridgeport. On Monday, Dec. 29, in South Norwalk, at the Arion Hall, 10 Madison

On Tuesday, Dec. 30, in Stamford at the Workers Center, 49 Pacific





promise to Hoover not to cut wages is bunk. and betray every movement of the struggle against the bosses-against wage-cuts, layoffs and for better conditions.

#### **Cop Arrests Worker** at Party Center Mr. Hoover, that he will releive the

unemployment situation, is nothing ROCKFORD, Ill.-Sunday, Dec. 7, but a fake. All so-called unemploythe Communist Party of Rockford ment committees, beginning with had aranged a lecture, "The Work- Governor Allen's Committee, down to the Central Labor Union uneming Class Press," by Becktold from Chicago. The speaker did not show ployment committee, are nothing more than to further fool the workup and the meeting had to be called

out the advertisement for the lec- vided only through Social Insurance. ture One of the comrades. Axel Peterson, was distributing the handbills on the streets, and one cop tried several times to arrest him, but he got away.

Finally the cop saw Comrade Peterson walk up to the Party headquarters at 615 Seventh St. The cop went after and arrested him in the headquarters. He did not have a warrant. Comrade Peterson was bailed out immediately after on \$100 bail.

#### Workers Calendar YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

Workers Forum held, regularly every Sunday night, 7:30 o'clock, at 334 E. Federal Street. . .

#### PENNSYLVANIA

An Interracial Masquerade Ball is being arranged by the C.P., Pittsburg District, to be held New Year's Eve at 25 Miller St. We call upon all fraternal organizations to leave this date open and cooperate in making this affair a success.

#### ILLINOIS

The Y.C.L. will hold a moonlight danse renear, Dec. 19. p. m. at Peo-ples Auditorium, 2457 W. Chicago Ave. Benefit of Young Worker, Ad-mission 25 cents at door-25 cent in advance. . . .

#### MICHIGAN

MICHIGAN Detroit Will hold its bazaar Dec. 25, 26, 27, 28 at 3014 Yemans Ave.

OHIO Cleveland Daily Worker and Morning Frei-heit Annual Ball. Saturday, Jan. 10. 1931. 8 p. m. Oak Pythian Temple. 705 E. 105th St., (near St. Clair Ave.). Good union orchestra. Admission 50 cents, pya at door. Control of the time of the classes will be de-voted to the development of worker contexpandence of the classes of the working class

Red students rally, Dec. 20, 8 p. m. 14101 iKnsman Rd. Auspices Cleve-and Workers School. Lantern slide

through starvation become a daily

All workers are urged to attend. Admission is free. "It is now clear to all workers that the promises of Wall Street puppet, Atlanta I.L.D. Will



ATLANTA, Dec. 12. - Due to the error facing the entire working class in the South, the activities of the Atlanta Branch of the International

ers. They are opposed to real un-Labor Defense are somewhat limited The police were very active in or- employment relief for the millions of nevertheless the branch is making der to prevent the comrades to put starving workers, which can be pro- every effort to participate in all the campaigns of the national I. L. D. In connection with the 8 months "The Boston Campaign Committee for Unemployment Insurance is plan of the I. L. D., the Atlanta branch has started a membership therefore calling upon all workers' organizations to send delegates to drive and is meeting with notable this conference. This conference will success. Several new members were decide upon concrete measures for recently recruited, and the prospects

immediate relief for the unemployed are very good. The branch has arranged a concert of Boston and vicinity, and will also elect delegates to the National Un- for December 28, which will be held employment Conference to be held in in the Workers Center. One of the Washington, D. C., on or about Jan. features of the affair will be a one 15, 1931, to demand from congress act proletarian play. A well-known Social Insurance for the unemployed artist will also draw pictures of those

present. workers."

#### and its Women's section are actively **Class on the Negro** Problem Opens Chi. defense of the Atlanta defendants

and other class war prisoners of CHICAGO, Dec. 12 .- Section 2 of whom there are hundreds throughthe Communist Party has organized out the country whose defense is be-

a weekly class which will deal with ing conducted by the I. L. D. problems of general Communist theory and especially with the social and 2 Phila. Negro Workeconomic problems surrounding the

position of Negro workers in the United States. The discussion will deal primarily with the various forms of discrimination and terrorization practiced against workers in general,

notably in the lynching of workers five days. John Moody, 45, owes \$5.50 of all races. In view of the necessity for increased clarity on these matters, the

section urges all workers, Party members or non-Party, to attend these evenings at 3335 S. State Street, at the job of evicting these unemployed

press

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 .-- The Chicago L.S.N.R. Orders Meets company union in the cloak trade opposed to strikes against wage-cuts unemployed army. Wage-cuts of attack the Soviet Union as shown to Hear Report of the has legalized piece work, reorganizathose still employed are a daily oc-currence, and the murderous speed-be held here under the auspices of St. Louis Convention it. To pull the wool over the eyes of the cloakmakers, this legalization NEW YORK .- At its second meetof piece work was done-via "refer-

ing since the St. Louis Convention endum." The clique in charge knew the Board of Directors of the League the results before the count was of Struggle for Negro Rights formade, they are old time experts on mulated a plan of immediate activireferendums and balloting in general. ties which include the calling of meetings of American Negro Labor Congress locals for the purpose of hearing reports on the convention and they gave out such as, less unemployment, etc., they will soon see for Health. This place is getting convoting on affiliation with the League of Struggle for Negro Rights. themselves.

It was also decided to call meet-The Needle Trades Workers' Industrial Union has warned the cloak- Council speakers. Milton Stone ings throughout the country of the makers of this situation and is today pointed out fake agency send workdelegates who attended the various anti-lynching conferences for the making a fight for work, against reorganization and for real union con- day. And most of the time when purpose of hearing reports on the convention so that the delegates can ditions and union control. report to their respective organiza-

tions on the decisions of the convention and on the aims and proby the N. T. W. I. U. will help to a carfare on wild goose chase. grams of the League of Struggle for great measure in organizing the Nee-Negro Rights which was created at dle Workers for this fight and as marched down to 27 E. 4th Street the convention. part of this campaign the Chicago where an indoor meeting was held

The board decided that the main Union will hold a Russian Cabaret and many workers joined the counquestion to be stressed at these meet- and Dance (a real Russian Cabaret) cil. Hundreds of signatures were ings must be support for the Libera- on Wednesday, Dec. 24, Christmas secured for workers bill. tor, with the question of affiliation eve, at the People's Auditorium, 2457

**Under Way:** 

to the League as secondary. This, W. Chicago Ave., to which all workthe board points out, does not mean ers are invited.

that affiliation is unimportant, but that the question of support for the Liberator is most important and at **Ex-Servicemen** Drive

the same time opening the way for for New Members Is the question of affiliation. The International Workers Order

helping to make this affair a suc-**Chi. Jobless Must** cess. All proceeds will go for the **Crawl to Get Cast off Rags and "Coffee"** 

(By a Worker Correspondent.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 .- With the cold Taking their place as real fighters days here the unemployed workers in the ranks of labor the ex-serviceare suffering much abuse from the men are fraternizing with the workpolice and the bosses' stool-pigeons. ers in shops, mills, mines, offices and Down on Wacker Drive, where more in every field of labor where the

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12. - Two it is cold and damp and the workers unemployed Negro workers face evichave to sleep on a cement floor like tion if both fail to pay \$14 within

The capitalist press comes out every day with appeals to the public and Joseph Harvey, owes \$8.50; both have been unemployed two months. to supply these unemployed workers Anna Brody, landlady, claims she is who sleep here with clothing, and in need; however she owns half row they received a large amout of clothof houses and a clothing store. Cooning which fills a room which is 100 stable Rudenstein is assigned to do by 30 feet large. The only ones who receive any clothing from this supply



ers Facing Eviction

boundsé and now the proposition of securing enlarged headquarters is being considered.

than 2,000 unemployed workers stay, rats in a hole.

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struggle against this vicious attemp NEW YORK. - The Downtown Unemployed Council held a meeting of the bosses to split the ranks of the working class by isolating the Negro before the fake city job agency where workers. On with the fight for com thousands of workers were rushed If any cloakmakers were still in out because it was overcrowded and plete equality of the Negroes with all doubt about the bunk that the clique no jobs on hand. One of the clerks other nationalities, for the right of handed out in the propaganda that said to the workers: "You must leave self-determination of the Negro mathis place by orders of the Board of jorities in the Black Belt, for the confiscation of the land for the Negroes who work the land, for the gested." death penalty for all lynchers!

About 2,500 listened to Unemployed 1500 SHIP WORKERS LAID OFF. (By a Worker Correspondent.) ers to jobs paying as low as \$1 a NORFOLK, Va. - Just a few lines to inform you that there were 1500 workers apply for these jobs they workers laid off indefinitely in the The \$50,000 Organize and Strike are told there are no jobs after be-Fund Campaign conducted nationally ing forced to spend last penny for Newport News Shipbuilding Co. of







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MAN ALONE on a farm can give that in several towns where I was refused service in the Pickwick-Greyhound places, I was able to go ing woman who is left with right next door and get service in a place owned by local bosses. Negro and white workers must organize to carry on a more intensified

children to support. Those in the Lower insula of Michigan preferred. HOWARD HARRIS, R. 7, Allegan, Mich. BOSTON, MASS. NEW INTERNATIONAL HALL AND DAILY WORKER

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#### "Gradual Revival Is Seen By Ayres" Is A. P. Fake Dispatch

WORSENING OF CRISIS IS HIDDEN BY

NEW YORK .-- A lesson in outright | end of the year," meaning the end lying by the capitalist papers, and of 1931. He goes on to emphasize an exposure of the slippery tactics this still further, showing that the of the boss economists when talking about the economic crisis, is strik- ture: "An analysis of prospects by ingly illustrated in the much-adver- individual lines of productive industised speech recently delivered by try does not lead to optimistic con-Col. Avres, vice-president of the clusions concerning 1931." Cleveland Trust Co., at the Cleve-

land Chamber of Commerce Tuesday. and the capitalist press grabbed it up lower for 1931 than for 1930." with headlines about "revival." The New York World (Dec. 10) ran the vival Is Seen By Ayres," and the tic wage-cuts next year than the gan as follows:

pected, Col. Leonard P. Ayres, vicepresident of the Cleveland Trust Co. will happen. and internationally prominene business forecaster, said today"

vealed exactly the opposite. Namely, spokesmen, that the 9,000,000 unemthere will not be recovery in 1931. ployed face starvation not only this Ayres' exact words are business "is winter, but at least for the entire not getting back to normal by the next year!

uncertain future day. There was an

angry move forward. Once more

again, to their hopeless vigil, outside

Second Attempt to

**Hide Jobless Growth** 

WASHINGTON, D. C. - Fearing

that the first census taken during

April of this year has geen given

the lie by the growth of the jobless

army to 9,000,000 the Census Bureau

is preparing another census begin-

Comparison of the official govern-

unemployed with the swelling bread-

lines in all large cities and the ad-

mission by local boss politicians has

driven the Hoover administration to

ment figures of 2 and a half million | could not give her no help.

the bank did not open.

WORKERS DESPERATE AT LOSS



Furthermore, the slippery colonel The Associated Press sent out a promises the workers more wagedistorted version of this interesting cuts, saying, "The average levels for analysis of the course of the crisis, industrial wages . . . will probably be Then, after all this, namely, at least one year of continued crisis in story with the head: "Gradual Re- all basic industries, with more dras-

Associated Pres snews dispatch be- present year, the colonel goes on to say that "the next development will "The bottom of the business de- be recovery." Rather than predictpression it at hand, according to all ing "recovery" at the end of 1931, or the 'old signs and symptoms,' and the beginning of 1932, he simply says recovery next year should be ex- if history repeats itself, and capitalism goes on its usual fashion this The capitalist papers do not dare

to come out with the truth, that is A full report of Ayres' speech re- beginning to strike some of the boss

extremely slow process. The big Workers containing special stories and pictures and then the Daily Worker talk about millions being rushed to Red Brigades will turn out for a real Red Sunday.

for 60,000 circulation.

ilize the entire Party to the last man for a special 4 day drive. The objective of this drive is to secure a minimum of 50 new subscribers for the Daily on these four days, which are Dec. 18, 19, 20 and 21.

A large number of banks are try-"We are putting every ounce of ing to make profit out of the misery strength into this to effect a mobof the hundreds of thousands of workers who had deposits in the ilization such as this district never Bank of the United States. They before put through. The drive will offer loans up to 50 per cent of the be carried on simultaneously in five deposits at 5 per cent interest. The cities: .Sioux City, Iowa; Omaha, depositors are supposed to present Neb.; Kansas City, Mo.; Kansas City, "authenticated" proof of their ac-Kans.; and Oklahoma City." Special orders of 1,000 copies have counts. But since the banks are

closed "authenticated" proof is imbeen placed for issues dated Dec. possible to obtain. Furthermore, the 16, 17 and 18. fact that they will not lend more A wide and practically virgin than 50 per cent means they do not territory is being opened through

get more than half of what they put the militant efforts of the comrades into the bank. The idea of charging in this district. 5 per cent is a good racket for the Use these premiums in the cam-

paign for 60,000 readers: "The Five Editorially most of the capitalist Year Plan of the Soviet Union," by papers are silent on this bank clos- Gregory T. Grinko, a \$2 Internaing. At first they tried to kill the tional Publishers book, free with one news completely, but this was im- year's subscription. A 12 page Daily possible as the bank had 400,000 de- Worker calendar for 1931 free with positors and the reports of the clos- a six months' subscription or re-

#### FREIHEIT AND DAILY

**RED BUILDERS NEWS** 

JAMBOREE SUNDAY P. M.

will be held Sunday afternoon at

3 o'clock at 27 East Fourth Street.

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will be awarded to prize winners

A combination Daily Worker and Freiheit Red Sunday will be held to-

In fact, the Journal of Commerce rewell as sympathizers will report at section headquarters of the Communist Party. House to house canvassing will be carried on in all "The bank won't be allowed to fail. working class sections to obtain

A bank suspension in New York is subscriptions and renewals and make individual sales. an impossibility and would be pre-Revolutionary workers being called out by the Freiheit will report at the

In short, the present economic following -- 'ected stations where they crisis in the United States is so sewill be given copies of both the Daily vere and drastic that what leading Worker and the Freiheit: bankers thought an "impossibility" is

That there will be considerable delaying in clearing up the wreck is admitted in a story by the N.Y.

"Many of its assets cannot be converted into cash without considerable delay, and liquidation therefore

BROOKLYN, N. Y .-- Raymond Sa-This means that the 400,000 decirston of 40 Pacific Street was refused help from a charity fakers longer. joint at 140 Union Street. His wife waited from 5 a. m. until 5 p. m. known until this time.

merely to find out that the "nice" That almost every other bank in people of the above organization The Boro Hall Unemployment Council knows the treatment which per, very close to banking circles, workers receive from the capitalist says:

courts and their charity agents. The

For three days the Kansas City district will be saturated with Daily

ACTORY GATE

This is the news in a letter from Paul Cline, district organizer, which indicates careful planning and real energy behind the Daily Worker drive

Cline says the district will "mob-

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be lynched for selling this thing on the streets?'

> "I told him the workers were preparing to take care of themselves. He told me he had seen the Communists beaten by police and wanted to know who their leader was. I showed him the Daily Worker and said, 'This is our leader. Whenever the Daily Worker calls on us we will be ready.' He went away mumbling."

M. Silver, Daily Worker representative in Philadelphia, sends in the folowing: "Please send us 500 additional Daily Workers of Saturday's edition. Beginning Monday, Nov. 8, increase our bundle order to 350."

Frank Sellman of Spokane, Washington, writes, "We distributed 100 copies of the Daily Worker from house to house. Obtained 3 subs."

From Wm. Kammer, D. W. Agent for Wheeling, W. Va., we hear: "We have three newsstands in Wheeling at present. We will establish a newsstand near every big steel mill and mine before this winter is over.

Bronx: Cooperative, 2700 Bronx Park East; Bronx Workers Club, 1472 Boston Rd.; Middle Bronx Club, 1622 Bathgate Ave.; Prospect Workers Club, 830 Westchester Ave. Chil-dren's School, 2061 Bryant Ave. Harlem: Harlem Progressive Youth Club, 1492 Madison Ave. Downtown: East Side Workers Club, 196 East Broadway. Williamsburg: Boro Park Workers Club, 1973 43rd St.; Children's School, 4312 New Utrecht Ave. Bath Beach: Bath Beach Center, 48 Bay 28th St. Brighton: Brighton Center, 140 Neutune Ave. Coney Island: Coney Island Work-ers Club, 2901-Mermaid Ave. Brownsville and East New York: 122 Osborne St.; 1844 Pitkin Ave. RED BUILDERS NEWS Airy, Large Meeting Rooms and Hall TO HIRE Suitable for tings. Lectures and Dances in the Czechoslovak

Workers House, Inc. 347 E. 72nd St. New York What is expected to be the big-Telephone: Rhinelander 6097 gest hot dog jamboree of the Red Builders News Club of New York



#### **Italian Imperialists Slaughter Africans**

CUFRA, Tripoli, Dec. 11.-Continung their murderous campaign to exterminate the tribesmen who are defending their country against imperial exploitation, Italian troops yesterday attacked a band of native tribesmen, slaughtering forty and taking a number prisoners. One of the dead was the son of the desert chieftain, Salah El Ateusc.

## PLAN AIRWAY FOR THE **ARCTIC SIBERIAN TOWNS**

MOSCOW .- Chukhnovsky, famous Soviet aviator, will lead the attempt to establish airway service in the frozen towns and trading posts of the northern Siberia. The plan was outlined in an article in the Youth Pravda.

For at least five months during the year these towns in the Arctic circle are cut off because of lack of railroad or any other communicative facilities, and the furs the hunters secure must wait until spring to be shipped out. The new airway will make possible the immediate trans- were defeated. The strike was calportation of the furs and shipping led in opposition to an arbitration de-

of supplies to the villages. Scientists will accompany Chukhnovsky and plans were made to de- decision will be declared binding by velop the region on a modern scale.

Every Party member,

every Young Communist

must sell 25 copies of the

Daily Worker before fac-



Kill One: Injure Others Dairy Workers Strike of the Soviet Union.

BERLIN, Dec. 12. - Thousands of unemployed workers yesterday held world. Six hundred and forty-four hunger demonstrations in Hamburg yards long and one hundred and in defiance of the police.

In a vicious attack on the starving jobless workers, the police fired bly hall could contain twenty-one over fifty shots point blank into masses. An 18-year old worker was kiland many others seriously led, wounded.

Last night unemployed demonstrations in Duesseldorf heroically withstood baton charges by the police, defending their right to fight against starvation and to demand adequate relief, One hundred and sixty-five workers were arrested.

Today 1800 employees in the largunder the Five Year Plan. est Berlin dairy company, Bolle,

went out on strike. The reformists tried in vain to protect the bosses against this strike but influence of revolutionary leadership was too strong and their treacherous tactics Paid in advance? Pay for six cision for a five per cent wage cut.

The reformists are hoping that the the government and the workers forced to call off the strike.



In the World Built at

The largest tractor plant in the

vorld has been constructed at Chel-

iabinsk, which is in the Ural section

The assembly building is the larg-

est building in point of area in the

ninety-six yards wide, covering an

area of twenty-six acres, the assem-

American football fields with room

enough left over to provide dressing

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hat are being built in the Urals,

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fields, while the forge, 295 yards by

184 yards, would harbor nine.

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rooms for the players. The foundry,





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not even the fifty-cent-on-the-dollar also snatched from them, they are offer was to materialize until some frantic. "What kin I do?" one little Italian woman kept asking each one near vented. the mounted police rode up on the her, "All but one dollar I got is in sidewalks and shoved the workers that bank. I got no work, a little

down the streets. The throng broke baby'n the landlord will turn me slowly, unwillingly, only to return out. What can I do? Where's the joostice in this country? We work the bank windows. For their plight hard, save our pennies where the now a fact. was desperate. Many told stories of rich can save thousands,'n thin it threatening eviction, no work for goes like this. Where's the joostice?"

Telegram, which says: Hoover's New Census | Brooklyn Charities Refuse Help to a

banks.

try.

**Starving Worker** would be a matter of months."

> ositors will not get a cent of their money for months, and perhaps What proportion of their deposits they will get will not be

the United States is worried over this happening is admitted by the Journal of Commerce. This Wall Street pa-

this second attempt to hide the ex- council exposes them right and left, closing of the Bank of the United "Because of the possibility that the

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ing spread like wildfire throughout newal. the city and throughout the coun-WORKER RED SUNDAY The closing of the bank took place in the face of the tremendous efforts of the leading Wall Street bankers to prevent it. Many of them had morrow. worked for three days and nights to Communist Party and Young Communist League members as bolster up the tottering institution.



ning Jan. 15.

beating the toms-toms of promises of circular letters urging construction reaches their notice. building which has fallen off tremendously and which will never be started.



A statement by "The National Mooney-Billings Committee" on the occasion of the refusal of pardon by announced plan is to continue the the Supreme Court of California in- same tactics that so signally failed dicates that liberals learn nothing, and that the masses of workers must take over the task of freeing Mooney sow more illusions about the justice and Billings by general protest, dem- of capitalist states in the minds of onstrations and organization of con- the workers, and, if nothing more is done. Mooney and Billings will die tinual pressure on the authorities. in prison. The statement of the committee is

signed by Henry T. Hunt, chairman, and Roger Baldwin, secretary. It pledges to continue the "fight," but contains such a wild statement as this:

"There is nothing more that can be expected from Governor C. C. Young, who goes out of office the ena of this montin. He can be thanked for giving the case the first real examination it has had in the thirteen years since the trial judge and the jury in Mooney's case both condemned the convictions." imis "real investigation" through the Supreme Court, as ordered by the governor, was the most deliberate and brazen trickery, amounting to a retrial in which the judges broke their every promise to release if certain named proofs were of the

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going into court, following up evic- States might have impaired the con-The Federal Unemployment Com- tion cases, rousing the Women's fidence of some of the depositors of mission headed by Col. Woods is still councils and the members of the other banks, particularly in the sec-Boro Hall Unemployed Council for construction building. The Commis- the purpose of building a Tenants' sion has settled down to sending out League about each eviction case that

> was furnished, and then the court brought in a new host of liars and a rotten condition months ago. It whipped some of the old ones in line again, and "framed" Mooney and Billings all over again. From a committee of liberals which can describe the performance save it. of the Supreme Court of California and the governor as a "real investigation," nothing can be hoped. Their

of whom have not over \$200 in the bank-their entire life's savingsmust be organized on the demand of with Governor Young, only now with posits. the millionaire ship owner, Rolph, as governor. This is only a plan to

LYNCHING THREAT SCORNED BY WORKER SELLING DAILY tions of the city having many for-

"I was selling the Daily Worker on eign residents, the banks prepared for possible emergencies by heavy ship-125th Street when I was approached by a well-dressed 'gentleman,'" says Paul Raymonds. "'Listen, my good ments of currency to the branches.' Those on the inside knew that the man, aren't you afraid to sell this Bank of the United States was in paper on the streets?' I asked him what I had to be afraid of. He anwas this that led to the attempted swered. 'Don't you know that the merger. The bank was too unsound

time will come soon when you will to permit of the merger, and it was in too shaky a condition for the en- ALL YEAR VACATION place-\$10 per wk. tire host of Wall Street bankers to Write Avanta Farm, Ulster Park, N. Y

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Worker Tells How Contractor Closes Up Owing Workers Hundreds of Dollars

#### (By a Worker Correspondent)

NEW YORK .--- I have been working all summer in Middletown, about sighty miles from this city, on a state road job, for which I paid five dollars to the Commercial Labor Agency at 171 Bowery. Now I am penniless, as the contractor closed up and did not pay off the men. The company, Homestead Paving, of 72 Fulton Street, Homestead, Long Island, owes me \$150, and some of the men are as much as \$400 short.

I waited three weeks in Middletown while the contractor was in court. The town paper made a lot of noise about it (the New York papers didn't say a word), but we got nothing but starvation. Nothing will be done to the contractor, and nobody will punish the crooked politicians who gave him the job in exchange for some

#### JOBLESS MISERY. graft. Investigations Bunk The state labor bureau in New WORK BUT NO PAY York City is now "investigating" my case. After two weeks of "investigation" I am now told that the IS "SELF-RESPECT" contractor is willing to pay at the rate of fifty per cent. As my wages contractor is willing to pay at the were only forty cents an hour, you

Fight This Boss Trick let them know that I will not be satto Make Jobless Pay

(By a Worker Correspondent) Spokane, Wash.

Now in addition to stealing my miserable wages the, are trying to We have seen a whole lot of bologna and bunk in the newspapers throw me out of my hou . I received lately and we are by now getting an eviction notice the other day for non-payment of rent. I do not know used to the hokum they peddle, but of all the bunk that has been print- the landlord's name, but the agent ed so far, what I saw in the Spokes- is Chas. J. F. Bohlen, who reported man Review of Dec. 1 is surely the to the landlord and got the disposprize story of them all. Listen to sess from him. The bosses' courts who let crooked contractors, emthis and be convinced: ployment agencies, and politicians go

"Jobless Keep Self-Respect. Plenty free, are always ready to throw a of Work at Coordination Home Helps Men Hold Heads Up." And then follows a long tirade tem into the cold.

of how nicely the men at the home are treated and so forth. You all have been reading that kind of bunk 43,000 VA. JOBLESS so let's forget it.

No Pay Slavery But doesn't it seem kind of funny IS BOSSES FIGURE that the Coordination Home has lots of work - and brags about it in the papers, when a fellow looking Thousands On Verge for a job can't find a day's work in the whole darn town. Is it because the Coordination Home sends the men out to do the work for al-

most "nothing"? Well anyhow, according to the Home has plenty of work. But here is another story from the same article in the same paper:

Sick Man Begs for Aid The race preservation trait is conspicuous in the group, any sick man

order for medicine on a county of- of West Virginia."

ficer. After waiting in the officer's office for two hours he was told that he would be seen on Mon- state. That is not one fifth though that one is and how good his own is. been a hat salesman in a hat com- profits must be kept up. day.

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**Tammany Fools Hundreds** 

This is a reproduction of a card given to more than a thousand unem ployed workers that have applied for a job at the fake city employment agency. The workers are sent to the Police Hack Bureau to apply for taxi driver's license and wait weeks before getting it. And this at a time when 40,000 regular taxi men are working 2 or 3 days a week.

## LANDLORDS TERRORIZE AND SEIZE **NEGRO FARMERS' CROPS IN OKLA.**

United Farmers League Out to Expose This haps by this time they have been Brutal Crime Against Tenants

(By a Farmer Correspondent)

was the toughest road job I have BLANCHARD, Okla .- There has been very little, if anything, at all said in the capitalist press about the terrible act which took place at Erick, Beckham county, in the early fall of this year.

A white woman was found with her head crushed and stuck into the wall of a cave. Immediately the word went out that she had been raped and killed by a Negro. A general lynching terror was instituted, and though no individual Negro was accused, the black population became frightened and made haste to leave the section as rapidly as possible.

It is estimated that from two hundred to three hundred families emigrated from the county. They left |

behind all their belongings and the crops which were appropriated by the landlords without compensation. I have talked with some of the refu-

gees and they told me the story. The United Farmers League is now here to expose all such misdeeds and is organizing the Negroes to

the rights of all farmers.

**STARVED YOUTH BEGS FOR MEAL** Young Workers Must hunger and cold. Fight for Relief (By a Worker Correspondent.)

despondent.

the haven of thugs. He compared of about 24 years sidled up between Texas with Chicago and said that in us and not only asked but demanded his appearence that he was suffering horribly from starvation and I did not hesitate to give him 10 cents, He said that they would be treated which, as I am very poor myself, was very severely in his state. Like all half of my monetary possessions. We other governors and executives asked him how long he had been out hour week, and a reduction in wages

throughout the U. S., he points to done, if he had a family, etc. He is promised us because you see the these figures were given out by the However, he does not mention how pany. About nine months ago the



#### unemployed, more than I have ever Scare Landlord Into there are 43,000 out of work in the some other states to show how bad answered these queries thus: I had high standard of the bloodsuckers' seen here before, the cotton picking is still going on here but there isn't

anything in it, only 75 cents per hun-

## PALL OF UNEMPLOYMENT HANGS **OVER PAPER MILL WORKERS OF NEW ENGLAND AND NEW JERSEY**

Charity Means Slow Starvation; Fight for the \$25 a Week Jobless Relief!

(By a Worker Correspondent) MOUNT VERNON, N. Y.—Conditions for the workers in the paper ndustry are rapidly getting worse. The workers were forced to accept more or less willingly all sorts of schemes to make possible the meeting of more and more competition among the paper bosses. But in spite of all, unemployment is overtaking them more and more.

The big paper mill at Milford, New Jersey has been down for a week already and part time was in force for a long while. Wages have always been low, around forty cents an hour. In many places one man is running two machines, like winders, or helping on two calendars.

No Safeguards Many accidents occur. Last week Alec Bobrosky lost his hand in an unguarded gear. N. Godcwn was sent

up a ladder all alone, near a revolvnp a ladder all alone, near a revolv-ng shaft. He was found later on SHEEP HERDERS the ground badly hurt with nothing on but his shoes. As it costs money to stop a paper machine, his rags revolved up there for the rest of the week. The irony of the thing was a booklet on safety in one of his pockets, which is put out by the company in the pay envelope to make it look fatter.

The paper mill where the writer vorked in Elizabeth, N. J., having shut down, he took a trip throughout New England. He found many plants

(By a Worker Correspondent) shut down and practically all the PLANDA, Cal.—I am working for rest on part time. In some places the California Packing Corp. near the plant runs for a few days and Merced, Calif.; after not being suc- then shuts down for over a week; in

cessful in obtaining a job in Oakland other places only part capacity of I came down to Merced, as I had the plant is utilized and the workers worked here before, and I find that are staggered in their working time. things on the ranch is about as Preference is shown to certain ones, usual; we are working nine hours this being another way to divide the per day, six days a week if it doesn't workers and keep them from uniting

so we can't get in but nine hours, but **Conditions Worsened** in the spring when the days get long In Monroe Bridge, Mass., where the company adds another hour to the day without adding anything to its prosperity with its loyal em- us by telling us that Santa Claus is the pay, the wages are \$3.60 per day, ployees" after breaking a strike just around the corner. I would not and \$1.10 per day for board, is let against wage cuts and speed-up, it be writing this letter now unless I out to the Andersons boarding house is not known from day to day if was one of the many unemployed. I Co: and of course they are trying to the place will run or shut down. wouldn't have time. economize with the cost of produc- While in the company store no credit

**Displace Workers** by Jobless With

((By a Worker Correspondent) PHILADELPHIA.—The jobless

workers wishing to flop and get "coffee and" at the city flop

No Wages Paid

-J. S.

is extended, and full rent is collected tion and for labor as they are employing Chinese cooks and help ex- from much diminished envelopes. boss sold out to a bank that held a clusively. They can get a Chinese Hiring and firing goes on indiscrimi- mortgage, the band was consolidated cook for much less than they can nately, hammering down the stand- and I was let out. The harvest hands get a white cook for, and they don't ard of working conditions continu- took a dollar a day wage reduction have to be experts to hold down the ously. The so-called privileged kind this year and we sheepherders were job, the bunk houses are kept pretty of work, like that in the office or cut \$15 per month, thanks to Hoover well, but every one has to furnish foreman, is not better treated in the prosperity.

their own blanket, towels and soap desperate attempts to reduce cost. It can be summed up that over all They only pay once a month, the workers alike, unemployment hangs wage, it was the sheep-herder. There

state law says that to pay twice a like a pall. Uncertainty and doubt month, but they get away with it by of things as they are is taking hold him to support a family on his earnletting any one draw a little money of all. It is very necessary to be ings, not even on the lowest standard once or twice but if he thinks he is able to direct this trend in the proper of living. He is on the job twentygoing to make a practice of it he channels of working class struggle. And one of the best mediums to do

They just started pruning the trees this is the Daily Worker. a few days ago and they haven't

started to speed the boys up so much yet but after they get started they

They are employing approximately 400 workers at present on the foun hours from a 44 hour week to a 37 largest peach orchard in the world. Merced has quite a number o

Working Up Steam

TENANTS DEMAND

HEAT IN ROOMS

-L. A.

**GET \$15 A MONTH PAY REDUCTION** Work Long Hours and Suffer Much

(By a Worker Correspondent) LEWISTOWN, Idaho .-- I have from time to time read letters in your paper from other workers, they have all tended to confirm what I have in recent years begun to suspect, namely that their problem is a worldwide and world old one, that of resisting the selfish ambitions of a depraved ruling class. Their charities are but a narcotic to dull and stupify

our senses. Everywhere in this part of the great West, the question is asked, "When are times going to get betthe management promised "to share ter." The capitalist press comforts

#### Was Sheep Herder.

I had a job herding sheep, but the

If there was a worker in the first place who was paid a starvation was never a chance in the world for four hours a day, sleeps out at night in the rain and snow, in the summer out with the rattle snakes, cooks his own food, has to run off the bears and wolves, wears out a pair of shoes a week, trailing bands up and down rocky hillsides.

The boys all got pretty blue when they had to take the wage cut. Since the wage cut and unemployment. many of them are beginning to see a little Red. They know that as a reward for their loyalty to the bosses interest, they have been stabbed in the back. The seasonal migratory worker is in an even more pitiful con-



**Threatens Jobless** 

(By a Worker Correspondent)

of Starvation

(By a Worker Correspondent) CHARLESTON, W. Va. - I am

can see how much I will receive. I

isfied with twenty cents an hour for

months of back-breaking labor - it

penniless victim of their robber sys-

ver known in my life.

sending you a clipping from the Spokesman Review, the Coordination Charleston Gazette and I do not tell the story. "Thousands of people in West Vir-

getting liberal attention from his fellows. Many of the residents are tain life. Men and women and chil- with as much as they do in Packing-

Last Saturday morning a former unless those of us who are a little taxpayer and voter appealed for a more fortunate help them. These poison. He could stand the torture facts are not exaggerated. They can of pain no longer. He was given an be verified right in your own section

ginia today are in acute actual want.

Many of our comrades, their wives and children, their orphans, face tomorrow without knowing whether they will have a single meal to sus-

in need of a doctor. Now, get this: dren will starve to death this winter And I see by the same paper that



AUSTIN, Texas. - Governor Dan Moody, in an address here recently called attention to the situation in Chicago, which has a reputation as

his state vagrants would not get away 'own under the "Public Eenemies' ect a "vagrant" gets 6 months, the

vagrants usually being the jobless.



NEW YORK .- It was on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 4, that I was plodding my way down the city's longest street in search of that essential but elu-

With Boss Brutality sive job. At my side was my friend, who is of a less flexible character than myself and not yet absolutely

We were passing comments on our own sordid experiences when a youth that we give him 10 cents for some thing warm to eat. I could see by

But comrades the day is fast com-

will find himself out of a job.

