

teracting their influence. The anniversary of the founding of the Young Communist International on September 8, 1919, is a fitting time to sharply point out the shortcomings of the whole revolutionary movement in neglecting the task of winning the working class youth to their own class side of the class struggle, and to initiate an energetic correction of this remnant of op-

portunist blindness toward youth problems. It is absolutely the duty of adult workers to inspire all young workers, first of all their own children-to unite under the banner of the Young Communist League. It is their duty likewise to initiate and guide the Youth in struggle for special youth demands-equal pay for equal work, no discrimination, the right to vote for youth of 18 or over who are engaged in industry, etc.

Immediately, today, all forces should be rallied to support the demonstrations against imperialist war and for the Youth Program of the Young Communist League on International Youth Day, September 8. Make the millions of young workers part of the struggle against wage cuts, imperialist war and for unemployment relief! All support to International Youth Day!



SECRETARY OF WAR HURLEY landed yesterday in the Philippines as an omissary of the same capitalist imperialism which exploits and starves American workers.

His mission has more than one aim, but all fit in with the interests of Wall Street. Only the foolish believe that Hurley was sent by Hoover merely to offset the demagogy of Senator Hawes of Missouri who recently did himself proud by posing before the Filipino masses as a "friend of freedom", while in his own state police club starving unemployed workers and the small farmers suffer hunger unrelieved by the state they are taxed to support.

What worries Washington is that the Filipino masses, led by the Communist Party of the P. I., showed by the tremendous demonstrations at the time of Hawes' visit, that they are increasingly in the mood to themselves physically enter the fight for independence. And it becomes more and more difficult to explain to the Filipinos the "benefits" of American domination when, in America itself, millions of jobless are starving and their protests are met by empty promises and blackjacks.

The demonstrations for independence arranged to greet Hurley are taken seriously by the Filipino masses, who have been tricked for decades by imperialist promises of independence being "granted", promises upon hich the native bourgeois politicians have induced the masses to rely.

Road, seven left wing unions yesterday voted their support to wage cut drive now going on. He the demonstration.

in the September issue of the "Amer-The demonstration for Mooney is being held Monday in ican Federationist" in which he tries connection with the 'Solidarity Festival" arranged by the to prove that wage cuts are not so Workers International Relief for the relief of the striking min- important and are nowhere near as ers of Pennsylvania. Ohio and West big as in 1921. This is in line with

bor Day.

M. U: APPEALS Virginia. The N Green's protection of the U.S. Steel The Needle Trades Workers Indus-Corporation, which he says will not trial Union, the National Textile cut wages.

Workers Union, the Shoe and Lea-That Green is merely following the ther Workers' Industrial Union, the policy of attempting to ward off Building Trades League, the Marine strikes while wages are slashed whole-Workers' Industrial Union, the Food sale is shown by the fact that wage Workers' Industrial Union and the cuts have been going on in nearly Office Workers Union, were among all industries and are now pending the militant organizations to go on in the basic industries, particularly record favoring the immediate libersteel and railroads. The leading capation of Mooney as well as all other italist newspapers declare wage cuts class-war-prisoners and pledging the are coming soon in the steel industry. support of the thousands of mem-The New York Times of Aug. 21 bers of their unions who will partisavs cipate in the demonstration on La-

deliberately does this in an article

"Salaries of officers and office clerks have been lowered, and other The movement for complete and operating costs cut (in the steel inunconditional amnesty for all classdustry) while there have been ruwar prisoners being pushed forward mors of imminent reduction of wage by the International Labor Defense among the mill workers." received a sharp impetus with the

release from San Quentin penitenti-In the Journal of Commerce of Aug. ary of Frank Spector, one of the Im-31 is even more definite in declaring perial Valley defendants, who was wage cuts in the steel industry will originally sentenced to serve three to come soon. Julius I. Bogen, financia 42 years for activity in preparation editor, writes.

employes."

for the strike of the Southern California agricultural workers in May, indicated now that it is only a mat-1930. The I.L.D. had carried on a ter of weeks before the steel industireless campaign for his release as try will launch a determined effort well as the other seven Imperial Valley defendants. to get back on a profit making basis through a downward revision of

"These masses are starving. They "The textile workers, who themare being evicted. Women and chilselves are encountering the vicious dren are hungry. The need for relief terror of the boss class, will enerfor food, clothing, tents shoes-and getically support the renewed drive for funds to buy these necessitiesfor the release of Tom Mooney and

the other class-war prisoners," declared James P. Reid, president of Colton Shoe Shop "A great new, broader strike is coming soon, and this will increase the National Textile Workers Union. the need for relief, for the men who The same frame-up machinery which railroaded Mooney is being used to hound and jail militant workers who are fighting the bosses in their drive to slash the wages and intensify the killing speed-up of the textile workers."

Jessie London Wakefield, International Labor Defense organizer in Harlan, Ky., has been informed that her trial on the charge of criminal syndicalism comes up Wednesday. The prosecutor is demanding that she be tried first in an effort to cripple the entire work of defense by railroading to jail the International Labor Defense representative in Harlan. With the terror and repeated jailings on criminal syndicalist charges, the coal operators, their courts and sheriffs are doing all they can to hamper defense work. Funds are desperately needed. Aid must be given to the families of the jailed miners. All workers should respond immediately. Send your contribution to International Labor Defense, 799 Broadway, New York City. Organize protests and send protest telegrams to Gov. Flem Sampson, Frankfort, Ky., demanding the freedom of Jessie Wakefield and the imprisoned miners.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 1.—Bill Duncan, passing through Pittsburgh, on his way to New York to speak at Starlight Park on Solidarity Day, September 7, said that the two strikers who were assassinated by deputies were guards at the Penn-Ohio Relief Kitchen in Harlan. The shooting occurred after he left, but Duncan said it looked to him that a score or more of armed thugs surrounded and attacked the kitchen at night. These thugs travel in big groups with machine guns on rumble seats, raiding, dynamiting and terrorizing.

One drunken deputy careening from side to side on the road killed PUTNAM PICKETS a child who was standing at the side of the road last week He went unpunished. The deputies broke into IN COURT TODAY another striker's home and tore up the garden and ran the whole family out of town. The striker was con-Int'l Labor Defense Defends Strikers PUTNAM, Conn., Sept. 1 .- The relief work and starving out the miliour strikers arrested last week, and tant fighters. More food is needed

the Putnam city court.

trikers will meet today.

nill here.

Conn., will represent the strikers.

To Resume Picketing

Penny . at . Lansing

nected with the relief work. The deputies are especially directing their terror towards destroying the nine strikers arrested yesterday there desperately as the flux starvawill be tried tomorrow morning in tion disease is infecting scores more of children. It means sure death un-The International Labor Defense less they are given some nourishattorney Watstein of New Haven, ment. Today's relief funds allowed foor only for Pennsylvania and Virginia. Food must be sent to Ken-

All are charged with loitering, a tucky immediately.

Plan Fake Opposition. the Central Rank and File Strike Committee The New York Times' dispatch "Workers of New York: the strikfrom London, confirming this fact, ing miners ask you for food! "The strike of the miners is going (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE) forward. The form of the strike has been changed; the fight is now for Y. UPHOLSTERY local demands; it is now a struggle of the men in the mines in unity with those who never stopped pick-STRIKE ENTERS eting-but it is as it was in the beginning a strike against starvation by the masses of miners and by their

ITS THIRD DAY

work. This is an increase of 14,406

over last week. For the past few

months there has been a tremen-

dous rise in the number of jobless

That MacDonald deliberately ad-

vised the creation of a so-called op-

position of the Labor Party, to put

up a smoke screen against the action

of the entire Socialist leadership in

helping the bosses' attacks against

the workers, as well as to keep the

workers from putting up a sharp re-

sistance and going over to the Com-

munists, is definitely shown in the

from London. Ramsay MacDonald.

head of the new national coalition

against the working class, met with

the present leaders of the "opposi-

tion" and advised them to take the

step they are now taking in putting

up a sham opposition.

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latest capitalist cable dispatches New Stille Is Coming

TO N. Y. WORKERS

TO SPEED RELIEF

Soon; Increases Need

for Relief

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 1 .- The

following statement was issued today

by the National Miners Union and

vomen folks and their children.

is greater than ever before.

. .

in Britain.

Nine Shops Already Out As Pickets Mass Solidly

Four additional upholstery shops

These bourgeois misleaders, some of them now pretending to be very "left", are still seeking to sidetrack the masses from entering on a path of mass struggle that will attain independence in the only way it can be attained-by armed revolt and an expulsion of every imperialist force together with those native traitors who as capitalists and landlords are openly or cocretly in alliance with the oppressors of the Filipino nation.

Hurley, the U. S. Secretary of War, may have some "sweet words" for such traitors, but the interests of American imperialism in the Far East, against not only England and Japan, but against the Soviet Union and the Chinese Revolution, indicate that the net result of his mission can only be a more brutal persecution of all who stand unflinchingly for independence and thereby undermine American war preparations at U.S. imperialism's strongest war base in the Far East.

It was for this reason that the Czaristic rule of the American governor-general has recently broken through all "democratic" pretense and outlawed the Communist Party of the P. I., arresting and jailing its leaders by the hundreds.

The Communist Party of the Philippines looks to the revolutionary workers of the United States and first of all to our own Communist Party, to rouse the American masses to mass anger at the common oppressors of both the Filipino and American masses.

Particularly have the Communist Party organizations along the Pacific Coast of the U.S., a primary duty of building a revolutionary link between the Filipino immigrant workers and the revolutionary movement in their homeland. Further, they have the duty, just as all Communists have concerning the Negro, in springing at the throat of American chauvinists who seek to discriminate against and terrorize these Filipino workers who have immigrated to America.

The lessons of class solidarity of both American and Filipino workers against the bosses who exploit both must be sharply brought forward to enlighten those native American workers who have been filled with chauvinist race prejudice in the interests of the bosses by such traitors to the working class as the A. F. of L. leadership with its immigration restriction program and discrimination against the darker races.

Each case of chauvinist terror against the Filipino workers must be the immediate object of mass protest and enlightenment led by our Party, as only by such action can our revolutionary duty be done and the oppressed masses in Philippine Islands be brought to understand that they have allies in the American working class-thus raising the influence of the Communist Party of the Philippines and defeating the Filipino bourgeois "nationalists" who try to get the masses to depend upon such hypocrites as Borah, Hawes, et al.

Build the unity of the oppressed Filipino masses and the American workers! Fight the bosses who exploit both the immigrant and native workers! Aid the struggle for Philippine independence!

RED SHIRTS IN INDIA GROWING

Tribesmen Against British Imperialism

The growth of the Red Shirts, an organization of young tribesmen in the north of India, sympathetic to the Soviet Union and opposed to British imperialist rule in India is of 'Long live revolution!' This has causing worry in imperialist quarters an excessively irritating effect on according to a cabled report to the the men, especially on Indian sol-New York Times from Simla, India. | diers

yesterday joined the first five that work are starving as they work walked out Monday in a strike called "We are sending William Duncan by the Furniture and Upholstery a miner straight from Harlan County, Workers Industrial League, against Ky., to speak to the workers of New the worsening conditions in the trade York. He will tell you at the great and the series of wage cuts instituted Solidarity Day mass meeting at Starin the shops. light Park, September 7, of the heroic

All shops were picketed and the battle waged by the Kentucky miners against such organized terror and destrikers manifested a good spirit. The policy of the league and the proliberate starvation as was never visional strike committee is to spread known before. The Kentucky miners the strike, especially in the bigger are joining the National Miners Union by thousands while gunmer

raid and murder and the courts plan Strike headquarters have been esmass slaughter of 36 miners in the ablished at Ten Eyck and Lorimer electric chair. The miners of Harlan Sts., Brooklyn. county carry on their struggle while

The Women's Council has already children die daily of starvation dicome involved in the upholsterers seases strike by serving sandwiches to the "Workers of New York! This fight pickets in the morning.

is your fight, the first battle against An appeal for assistance on the the wage cutting campaign of the picket line from all workers was made bosses. Fill Starlight Park with thousby the provisional strike committees. ands of New York workers on Sep

tember 7, and show your solidarity **TWO MORE SHOPS JOIN** with the starving, fighting miners! STRIKING BATHROBE WORKERS. Mobilize all your fellow workers to support the Workers International

Two new shops came down on Relief and the campaign for food strike yesterday making the total for the striking miners! number of shops 21. A meeting of Secretary National Miners Union

strikers was held this afternoon FRANK BORICH. which was addressed by Ben Gold. VINCEN'T KEMENOVICH. In his remarks Gold spoke of the Sec'y Rank and File Strike Co. conditions in the bathrobe trade, the

need of spreading the strike, especially to the Brooklyn section. Soviet "Forced Labor"-Bedacht All bathrobe workers are called to series in pamphlet form at 10 cents the picket line tomorrow morning. per copy. Read it-Spread it!

Try to Shelve Soviet Union's Economic Plan at Geneva

The coordinating committee of the | for immediate discussion and action Pan-European Commission of the The German representative "pre-League of Nations, which met yesferred the slower course" of referring terday, with all European countries it to a special committee, while the participating, took as the sole topic French representative urged the "still slower course" of leaving it to of discussion the economic non-aggression pact which Comrade Litthe League's Economic Committee. vinov. representing the Soviet Union, Due to the great prestige which had proposed in the May meeting of the Soviet Union enjoys among the European Union Commission. working masses of the entire world. The Soviet proposal provides that who recognize in the Soviet propoeconomic discrimination against any sals a real attempt to better the one or few countries be definitely conditions of the working masses, the prohibited. The immediate reaction statesmen had to give the proposals of the various countries was to posta "favorable reception in principle." pone discussion on this point again The proposals were referred to a subuntil the distant future. The Italian committee, which may include them, representative recommended that it be referred back to the commission

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Statements issued by the heads of the other militant industrial unions. all affiliated to the Trade Union Unity League, urged mass support for the campaign to free Mooney and urged all New York workers to at-

tend the demonstration at Starlight Park on Labor Day. A varied program is promised, including games under the direction of

the Labor Sports Union, indoor and outdoor dancing, continuous entertainment on a huge open-air stage. a concert by a five-piece orchestra and a pageant staged by the Work-

ers' Laboratory Theatre. the strike.

AFL Refuses Hear NTWU Rank, File Unity Delegation

PATERSON, N. J., Sept. 2. - The, tee refused to allow the entire del A. F. of L. leaders have again re- gation of fifteen to enter. buffed the attempt on the part of Refuse to Hear Delegation The UTW insisted that only five of the National Textile Workers Union o bring about unity among all of the delegation should enter the hall. he workers in order to win the They did this in order to be able to strike. Last night the UTW strike

committee refused to hear the delegation which they had invited to their meeting. This committee went Ala. Bosses Delay Scottsboro to the membership meeting of the A. F. of L. unions last Thursday to bring to these workers the need for

ned the leaders of the A. F. of L leaders refused to let the delegation from the NTW appear before the strikers but told them to come in-

ing Monday night. chance to make their appeal for rank and file unity to the strikers under the leadership of the A. F. of L. unions. When the delegation appeared ing last night they found the com- ence, proving a frame-up filed by the "trial.

mittee, which is composed salely of International Labor Defense in its officials of the unions and contains appeal against the death sentence of not a single rank and file member, the eight boys convicted in the orig- on the foolish hope that the working surrounded by heavily armed police inal farcical "trial" at Scottsboro. and plain clothes men. These thugs This definite policy of delay is also the nine boys, but are continuing were used to try to intimidate the being carried out in relation to the

Strikes at Pay Cut

"In well informed quarters it is

wages, arranged in such a way as

to work a minimum hardship on

(Special to the Daily Worker) PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 1.

Mass picketing before the struck One hundred shoe workers at the Salzberg mill will be resumed. Colton shop went out on strike to-A short demonstration occurred day against a ten per cent wage cut and for the reinstatement of two around the court house vesterday after the arrest of the nine strikers. discharged workers, one a Negro.

A successful picket line was im-3.000 Berry Pickers mediately thrown around the shop and no scabs got in. The militant Stranded Without a action of the workers is forcing the boss to consider withdrawal of the wage cut.

LANSING, Mich .-- More than 3000 The strike is under the leadership berry pickers were stranded in Michof the Shoe Workers Industrial Un- igan without a penny to go on with ion. Only a few members of the at the end of the season. Although union worked in the shop prior to they had put in the season working they were left here without a place to go to next. They are accused of

starting fires so as to get jobs fightng them as this is their only chance for a job. The city pays fire fighters the grand sum of 30 cents per hour

MINER KILLED BY TROLLEY

COVERDALE, Pa.-Paul Paulitch nember of the National Miners Union at Mollenauer was killed Monday morning by an interurban car He was walking down the track to Coverdale to join the picket line at Pittsburgh Terminal Mine No. 8. He ney for fare. (CONTINUED ON PAGE TWO)

nical charge for the picketing, Rush funds to the Penn.-Ohio he strikers conduct before the struck Striking Miners Relief Committee, 611 Penn Avenue Pitsburgh, Pa.

The International Labor Defens . . . and the Defense Committee of the WIERTON, Pa., Sept. 1 .- A relief ommittee from Colliers local No. 13 of the N.M.U. while soliciting food

from farmers were shot at and charged with stealing peaches. A girl and a man are held in jail. . . .

(Special to the Daily Worker)

Word comes from Harlan that Joe Moore, a miner, was shot through the heart and killed instantly vesterday by a coal company gunman who had been deputized as a sheriff Julius Baldwin, another miner, was shot through the head and his brain splattered on the door-frame He leaned on his brother Jeff Baldwin who was shot twice in the arm at the Harlem Relief Kitchen of the International Workers Relief Denuty Sheriff Lee Fleenor walks the street and claims "self-defense." The leaning position of Julius Baldwin is proof of no provocation

Relief Work Goes On!

The Relief Kitchen will continue despite the terror. Julius was telling Moore and his wife of the general committee meeting attended vesterday when a fusilade started. Sullet holes indicate more than one sheriff was shooting, while Fleenor claims was walking because he had no mo- he was alone in order to cover up the part in this massacre of some higher authority.

Out on "Bond"

An Associated Press dispatch from Harlan, Ky., states that Deputy Sheriff Lee Fleenor who killed Joe Moore was arrested (for appearance sake) and then immediately released on \$5,000 bonds. Undoubtedly the bond was supplied through the intermediary of the coal bosses

FIFTY COMRADES NEEDED TODAY

Volunteers wanted to help in the lection campaign work. Report at 35 East 12th Street, 5th floor in the afternoon.



Solidarity Day for Miners Relief, September 7th, at Starlight Park!

of the working class will subside if in Scottsboro when eleven jurors the attempt to legally murder the stood for the death sentence with nine innocent Scottsboro Negro boys only one juror supporting the fake courts of the Alabama bosses are merciful" because of Roy's age. That marking time in the Scotsboro care. this was a hypocritical gesture is It is understood here that the Su- shown by the fact that of the eight



The Alabama bosses, however, are not placing their entire dependence class will abandon the fight to free

delegation. The A. F. of L. commit- ninth boy, 14-year old Roy Wright, CONTINUED ON PAGE TRACE

Action Hoping Workers Forget unity among all the strikers. At this meeting where the sell-out was plan-CHATTANOOGA Ala., Sept. 1. $-_1$ in whose case a mistrial resulted fol-In the hope that the stormy protests lowing the disagreement of the jury

stead to the strike committee meet. The NTWU did not reject even this is not pushed for the present, the gesture of the prosecutor of "being

at the A. F. of L. committee meet- view before next January the evid- other only 13 at the time of the



That the Red Shirts have passed to active work against British im-

perialism is indicated in the following report. the "The Red Shirts recently have confined themselves mainly to passive obstruction of the police and taunting troops on the march by sneers, insults and concerted shouts

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By RYAN WALKER

Chicago Paper Reports Wave "HE ADVENTURES OF BILL WORKER of Suicides on South Side

Reformist "Whip" Admits That Boss Denial of Relief Is Driving Starving Negro Workers to Desperation

take notice of an increase in suicides sheet. and crime on the South Side, arisment relief by the bosses and their this connection, the Whip says: city government.

A front page article in this reformist organ carries the head "Big Suicide Wave Hits South Side." The article deals with several cases of suicide and attempted suicide. In several of these cases, the Whip admits the cause to be "lack of work and money." In most cases, however, the Whip deliberately tries to cover up this basic cause and tries

CHICAGO, Sept. 1 .- In its current | to peddle other "causes" more in ssue, the Chicago Whip is forced to line with its policy of a scandal

Another front-page article deals ing directly out of the terrible con- with the increase in crime, also additions of the unemployed Negro mittedly due to the desperation of masses and the denial of unemploy- the starving unemployed workers. In

> "While city, county, state and organized charity delay in the work of providing emergency relief for the thousands of unemployed men and women on the South Side, these evil conditions of idleness, privation and despair bear fruit in an alarming increase

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AFL REFUSES HEAR NTWU RANK AND FILE UNITY DELEGATION PATERSON YOUTH

provoke a fight and thus prevent the of the Needle Trades Union and has demand of the delegation for unity from being placed before the workers. The NTWU delegation refused to let only five of their members be 205 Paterson Avenue at 8 P. M. The provoked at the meeting which was Italian workers will meet at 101 State illed with thugs and police in adlition to the A. F. of L. bureaucrats. the leaders among the militant Ita-The delegation was forced to go back lian workers in the United States, without being able to present their will speak at this meeting. demand for unity, to present their program calling for a united general strike committee elected by the rank and file of both unions, for a united front settlement committee, united the scabs out of the mills, united action against fake settlements, discrimination and secret agreements between the bosses and the officials.

Demagogue AFL Statement

The AFL this morning issued a de- members should strive to get delethe workers that there are no chantwo conditions for their brand of ence Friday. publicly concrete proposals for un- and the wives of the strikers are ity and that the NTWU stop their also rallying for the conference. They campaign of "willification" of the will elect delegates for the confer-AFL leaders. The NTWU has stated ence at the special meeting which is This part of the AFL deagain.

he workers.

JTW-Associated are going forward ing for betttr conditions. nergetically. The N.T.W.U. and the

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) | Industrial Union will speak at this meeting. Gold is general secretary

> been one of the leaders of the needle trades workers in all of their struggles. The Polish workers will meet at Street at 8 P. M. Guido Serio, one of

N.T.W. Membership Meeting Thursday

A special membership meeting of the N.T.W.U. will take place Thursday at the Turn Hall at 7:30 P. M. picket line and united action to get This meeting will make final preparations for the conference. Admission to the meeting will be by membership book only. At this membership meeting a new executive of the union will be elected. Every union

magogic statement trying to convince gates from his shop or from the shops in which he has contacts both ces of winning unity. They laid down U.T.W. and N.T.W.U. for the conferunity. These are that the NTW state The women workers in the industry

Relief Is Being Intensified

dancing.

Unionists: Put Your Party on the Ballot Needle Trades Workers, Food

Conference Puts Out Need for Winning

the Silk Strike PATERSON, N. J.-At a conference of working class youth organizations and shops, held Friday night August 28th, at 208 Paterson St., in preparation for the International Youth Day Demonstration on Tuesday, September 6th, the significance of International[®] Youth Day was thoroughly discussed. It was pointed out that on this day, the young workers in all the capitalist countries of the world wil lcome out in mighty demonstrations to protest against the miserable conditions they are forced to live under and against the preparations for the coming imperialist war.

A young striker from one of the textile shops said: "It is necessary for us especially, here in Paterson, with thousands of workers out on strike, among whom there are hundreds of young workers to come out and demonstrate our determination to bring this strike to a successful conclusion under the leadership of the National Textile Workers Union. -as well as against the coming im-

It was decided at this conference private lot on Mill and Grand Sts. on Tuesday, September 8th, at 7 p. m. where a meeting with prominent speakers will be held for about an hour and a half. From there, the



once.

Volunteers are needed for at

PREPARE MEETING INT'L YOUTH DAY Workers and Members of all other Revolutionary Unions!

> Communist Party on the ballot. Go to the headquarters nearest to your home:

142 East 3rd St., New York, 301 West 29th St., New York, 132 East 26th St., New York, 19 West 129th St., New York, 118 Bristol St., Brooklyn, 105 Thatford Ave., Brooklyn, 313 Hinsdale Ave., Brooklyn, 412 Sutter Ave., Brooklyn, 261 Utica Ave., Brooklyn, 2700 Bronx Park East, Bronx, 569 Prospect Ave., Bronx, 61 Graham Ave., Brooklyn, 136 15th St., Brooklyn, 140 Neptune Ave., Brooklyn, 799 Flushing Ave., Brooklyn, 46 Ten Eyck St., Brooklyn, 118 Cook St., Brooklyn.

DRESSMAKERS TO **MEET TOMORROW**

Revolutionary Trade EDWIN CO. CIGAR **MAKERS STRIKE** IN THIRD WEEK Collect signatures to place the

Four Other Shops in Trade Won Strike for Better Pay

once for clerical work. Also need comrades with experience in com-NEW YORK .-- More than fifty cigarmakers of the Edwin Cigar Co., 430, 80 E. 11th St., or Call STUy-127th Street and Third Avenue, envesant 9-4552. tering their third week of strike against low wages and bad condi- Farmer Burns 75tions, successfully strengthened their picket line yesterday and spike the bosses lies about moving the shop

out of town. ing all spring and summer to plant The strike, declared two weeks ago, a crop of 75-acres of oats, Edward is against the conditions prevailing Herbert, a farmer near here set fire in the trade. Cigarmakers, family to his field because it would "cost people with dependents, average \$9.50 too much" to reap the crop. Hera week working ten and eleven hours bert figured he spent 40 cents a day amid the worse possible sanibushel for planting, and that it would tary conditions. Recently the boss cast him 4 cents a bushel more for laid off those workers making as reaping. Since the highest price he high as \$12 and hired new ones for

Other Shops Won Strike

CALL TAILORS TO Volunteers Nedded to Aid in Defense FIGHT 2 CLIQUES Drives Thousands of letters, leaflets and other material in connection Mass Meeting Thurswith the defense campaigns in

day, Sept. 3 Harlan, Ky., Pennsylvania-Ohio, Scottsboro, etc., must be sent from NEW YORK .- Calling Cutters and the national office of the I.L.D. at

tailors to a mass meeting, Thursday, September 3 at Stuyvesant Casino, Second Avenue, corner of 9th St. the Amalgamated Rank and File piling records. Report to Room Committee issued a leaflet branding the internal fight in the Amalgamatd as a struggle of two racketeering cliques for control of the spoils of office.

"The members of the Amalga-Acre Crop of Oats mated today are confronted with a very serious and critical situation, JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 1.-After workespecially the cutters who are faced with the danger of having the last vestige of their union conditions wiped out as a result of the struggle between the two unscrupulous cliques, each of which will be ready to sell out the conditions of the workers in order to get the bosses to support their side," the leaflet stated.

Outlining the course of action the utters and tailors are to take in the intra-clique fracas the leaflet calls



and file struggle. "Tailors and Cutters-Unite in the shops! Do not permit in this turmoil of the combat between the cliques to get the aid of the aid of the bosses against the workers that your conditions should be reduced. Organize shop committees! Do not permit any new reductions! Demand that the old wage reductions should be returned to you.

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GIRLS IN CANONSBURG Need of Militancy **CAN FACTORY BEGIN TO BUILD METAL LEAGUE**

Speed-up Increases Manyfold; Pay Slashed All Along the Line; Factory Unclean

Dissatisfaction Spreads Through Factory; Organization Started On the Job

Cannonsburg, Pa.

Forced Buying

-A Woman Worker.

F. S.

break up our demonstration. Fortun-

Daily Worker:

We girls in the Continental Can Factory in Cannonsburg have to work like regular slaves. The bosses give us more work than we can do and always tell us to hurry up.

It used to be that one girl worked one press. Now we have to operate money on us that it does nothing two or three apiece. The coater girls to improving the sanitary conditions used to sort out of one coater. Now of the factory. The rest rooms and they have to sort out of two. The toilets are filthy and unsanitary just packers used to pack off of four ma- because the company is too greedy chines. Now they have six. We used to hire an extra girl to keep the to get one extra helper and now we place clean.

have no extra helpers. We have to It is not enough that we are forced work faster and faster all the time.

to work for low wages, but the com-The woman labor law is a joke in pany finds ways to take our wages our factory. We are not supposed to away from us. We are forced to work over ten hours at the most, buy the goods for our uniforms from according to the law. We are sup- the company at 38 cents a yard when posed to get 15 minutes rest in the in the other stores one can get even morning and 15 minutes in the aft- better goods for 19 cents a ward. The ernon. But most of the time we bosses cheat us mercilessly and if don't get it and we work all kinds we refuse to buy from the company of hours. we are as good as fired.

Wage Cuts We girls are dissatisfied here. But The company is cutting our wages we realize that the only way to get very cleverly. Girls who used to better conditions in the factory is work here last year for \$14 a week for us to stick together. We are buildwere hired this year for \$13. And ing the Metal Workers Industrial now they have to work twice as hard League in the factory and no matter and many times faster than last what the bosses do to scare us away, we will go on organizing and put up vear. a fight for better conditions.

Unsanitary The company is so busy making

Grafters Loot Detroit Welfare Fund

Detroit, Mich. Dear Comrades!

The City of Detroit has spent many millions of dollars for welfare relief, but who is getting it?

Two weeks ago one grafter by the name of Lewis was sent to the penitentiary for having stolen \$200,000; later on another bird was caught with a few thousands in his pockets ately our speaker could not be bothand now along comes he case of ered. And when these maniacs saw George Asmar, whose cousin the Rev. that their idea did not work, they Elias P. Asmar recommended this decided to go around the park, stopthief for a leading position on the ping all traffic with the assistance of welfare. It is now being traced the cops, and kept on playing; the whether this priest of the St. Marion crowds began to jeer and boo them,

Roman Catholic church was not while the police rushed to make a splitting up his cousin's loot. cordon so as to block the onrushing Of course this priest as long as he and maddened workers. It was the is wearing his collar with the front appeal of the speakers that only pinned backwards does not have to helped to avoid a bloodshed.

be shadowed by the police; it is the

. Tampa Workers Respond to T. U. U. L. Call.

form, but the workers protested and Tampa, Fla. they had to let him speak until he Daily Worker: The workers are responding to the was thru. The meeting proceeded call here in Tampa. Last night the for a while. Then when another selectors were holding a meeting in comrade got up and tried to speak, the Spanish Labor Temple about the selectors did not let him finish, their rights to have jobs in the fac- but threw him off the platform. At tories. Since they are on strike they | that the workers got up and chased have held minor meetings, but this the selectors off the platform. The night they were holding a mass selectors took their mike with them, but that didn't make any difference meeting without any leadership.

One of our leading comrades of the workers crowded into the Labor the Trade Union Unity League, a Temple. The streets were blocked Latin speaking comrade, got up on and automobiles couldn't pass. The the platform and spoke thru the meeting lasted until 11:30 p.m.

Seen Among Small **Cotton Farmers** HILLSBORO, Texas, Aug. 27.-

Cotton is selling at \$5.50 a hundred pounds at the gins; cotton pickers work for 35 cents a hundred. It is

a very good picker who can gather 250 to 300 pounds a day. Many children from six years and up work in the cotton fields. They are small,

thin, undersized kids. Riding with a farmer along the highway I asked him about conditions and he said they were bad.

"What is the trouble, anyhow?" I inquired. "Well, I tell you." he said. "the big fellows hve all the money and they hold down the poor.' "When will the crisis end?" was the

next question. "You mean what this will end up in?" "There is only one way in which this will be settled. There will be a war between the rich and the poor." He was emphatic on this point .

The idea among the farmers that a war is coming between the classes is not at all new, but rather widespread.



(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) and giving MacDonald and the "op-

position" credit for their wiley tactics in attempting to fool the work-

ers, says: "When the late (Labor) govern ment went to smash the Prime Minister advised all his younger followers in subordinate posts to

, Communists that have to be watched. futures."

And our great Mayor Murphy had hundreds of police in the Grand Circus Park last Saturday night, when 20,000 workers honored Sacco and Vanzetti. Not only that, but the Salism best within the "opposition," exvation Army had there two brass bands in one corner of the park, who receive his reward now with an "unwere playing constantly so as to

dersecretaryship.' Oust Thomas.

That it is becoming more difficult for the Labor Party swindlers to fool workers, despite their glib the phrases or their "opposition" fakery, is shown by the comment of the New York Times on what the workers in England think of J. H. Thomas, one of MacDonald's cronies in the present government. The Times reports:

"For many years Mr. Thomas has been too successful in associating with employers to suit British workmen. The union men thought Mr. Thomas wore his evening clothes too often, although he always told them his sole purpose in going to big dinners was to con-

vert his fellow diners to the gospel of big wages for railway men." The social-fascist role of the entire Labor party, and the sham split, designed consciously between Mac-Donald and the members of the "opposition" to mislead the workers, is fore and more revealing the role of the Socialists in aiding capitalism, when necessary, to establish its open dictatorship in order to save the capitalist structure. That the new gov

imposed.

CHICAGO PAPER REPORTS WAVE **OF SUICIDES ON SOUTH SIDE**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

of crime in the community. Over eighteen cases of robbery, burglary and hold-ups have been reported during the past week in the three police stations located in the district. . . .

"All of these crimes of violence, plus many others which occur on the streets, in the parks and in homes, and which are not reported, are by many held to be the direct result of desperation on the part of men who are unable to find jobs, who are not eligible for charity under the present conditions. and who turn to crime rather than starve or sleep in the parks."

The Whip admits that the flood of fake promises of relief made by the city government and the social have led to no "practical agencies plan of immediate relief for the widespread suffering." This organ of the Negro petty-bourgeois has, however, no word of condemnation for the capitalist system, responsible for this mass suffering, nor any word of support for the struggle led by the Communist Party and the Unemployed Council, for immediate relief and the payment of social insurance by the bosses and their government. The Whip was one of the Negro reformist papers which bra-

I'the police massacre of unemployed workers on Aug. 3, when three Negro workers were killed and scores of

white and Negro workers wounded. The Negro workers must realize that neither suicides nor individual acts of terrorism will overcome the frightful conditions of mass starvation and misery. Only by the most militant and relentless mass strug-

gle against the bosses' starvation system and for unemployed insurance will the working class force relief from the bosses and their government. This fight the workers of Chicago, Negro and white, have already begun under the leadership of the Communist Party and the Unemployed Council. Already certain concessions have been wrested from the bosses. The fight must be con-

tinued with ever-increasing energy and determination. The workers of Chicago, Negro and white, employed and unemployed, must rally to the call for the Cook County Conference on Unemployment, which is to be held

on Sept. 13, at 10 a.m., at the People's Auditorium, 2457 West Chicago Ave. Elect your delegates from the shops, from the trade unions, from the branches of the Unemployed Councils, from other working-class organizations. On with the fight against starvation, for unemployed relief, for equal zenly attempted to excuse and justify rights for the Negro people!

TRY TO SHELVE THE SOVIET ECONOMIC PLAN AT GENEVA

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) the Soviet Union makes these proposals the capitalist powers are

forced to take acocunt of them, even with modifications, in the draft prothough they do delay action on them, gram for the relief of the European crisis which will be submitted to the and though they may be determined to prevent any of them ever being full European Union Commission on realized.

The proposals of the Soviet Union The proposals of Litvinov were indicate to the masses of the world similar in substance to the general that the Soviet Union is the only recommendations of a committee of power which can sincerely make proeconomic experts which were also posals for non-aggression, both econsubmitted yesterday. So long as the omic and military, and be prepared economists of the capitalist powers to carry them out. Every such promake recommendations for the "wid- posal on the part of one of the capest possible collaboration of the na- italist powers, however, is an attempt tions of Europe in the sense of mak- to hide the true character of the ing Europe a single market for the present imperialist rivalries and anproducts of any and every nation" tagonisms from the working class these powers can ignore it. But when through hypocritical phrases



(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) [the working class movement, this be-

trayer of the struggles of the Negro their attempts to disrupt the mass masses conceals the fact that the defense movement which alone has money for the publication of "The blocked their murderous intentions to Colored Employee" has been furdate. In this direction they are benished by the white boss lynchers. ing supported by the white ruling

class of the entire country, and by white labor fakers and Negro Uncle Tom reformists north and south. The SOVIET STEEL terror campaign of the bosses against

PLANT NEARS the Negro masses and the Communist Party is accompanied by ever widening attacks by the labor fakers and

International Youth All North Africa Reported in Day Meetings **Revolt Against Imperialism** Under the leadership of the oung Communist League and

Strict Censorship Covers Murderous Attacks By Italian, French, Spanish Imperialists

robbers and oppressors.

The revolutionary movement is not

confined to North Africa, but is

spreading throughout the entire con-

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NEW YORK .-- A vast revolution- | native forces in the Tadla region. ary movement aimed at smashing All North Africa is under a strict imperialist control and oppression is censorship, with the French, Spanweeping all North Africa, according ish and Italian imperialists trying to to a dispatch from London to the cover up their crimes against the Chicago Tribune. The dispatch deheroic North African natives who are fighting for national independence clares and freedom from the imperialist

"An extraordinary and circumstantial report has reached London that the entire North African littoral is in a state of ferment, and that French. Italian and Spanish troops are busy putting down revolts."

tinent. In the Belgian Congo sev-The dispatch further states that eral uprisings have occurred. News the Italian fascist government is of these uprisings, seeping through a using airplanes, tanks and heavy ar- strict censorship, show that the natillery against the African revolu- tives, although poorly armed, are tionaries. The British imperialists putting up a heroic struggle. in Egypt are co-operating with their The crew of the DO-X, which refellow imperialist murderers and are cently arrived in New York, brought holding as prisoners whole tribes news of a revolt in Portuguese West which retreated across the Sudan- Africa, where a censorship prevented

Amboy, N. J.; Linden, N. J.; Jersuch news from getting out before. Cyrenaica/border before the Italian attack. According to the report of the crew District 3-Philadelphia, Pa. In Tunisia, which is held by the of the DO-X, martial law had been Tigo, Pa.; Trenton, N. J.; Balti-French imperialists, there have been established at Bohama and in the more, Md.; Washington, D. C. fierce attacks against the European Bubaque Islands, Portuguese West Chester, Pa.; Reading, Pa.; Alsettlements. Morocco is again in Africa. open revolt, with the native tribes Because of the feared effect on District 4-Buffalo, N.Y., Broad-

repudiating the treacherous agree- the Negro populations groaning unment with the French imperialists der the oppression of the various made by Abd-el-Krim at the time he imperialist governments, the imperbetrayed the struggles of the natives ialists are frantically trying to supand surrendered to the French. The press the news of these revolutionary Spanish Foreign Legion is attacking events in Africa.

PHILA. HOLDING OUTING AT WIR CAMP, LUMBERVILLE, PA. LABOR DAY WEEKEND SEPT. 5, 6, 7! ALL INVITED!

field, Ohio, Scandinavian Hall Massilon, Ohio, City Hall; Cleveland, Ohio; Collinwood, Ohio, Waterloo, 156th. District 7-Detroit, Mich.; Grand Rapids, Mich.; Battle Creek District 8-Chicago, Ill., Washington Park; Milwaukee, Wis.; St. Louis, Mo., City Hall; Gary, Ind.;

Collinsville, Ill.; Cicero, Ill.; Benton, Ill.; Hammond, Ind.; Rac'ine Wis.; Kenosha, Wis.; Granite City, Ill.: Chicago Heights, Ill. West Allis, Wis.: Rock Island, Ill. Waukegan, Ill.; Indianapolis, Ind. Indiana Harbor, Ind.; Bennile

he Communist Party many or-

anizations will take part in the

nobilization of the youth and

adults to demonstrate against

bosses' militarism and war prep-

arations on Sept. 8. So far the

districts have reported the meet-

ings in the following places

Many of these will be with pa-

rades through working-class sec-

tions. All of these demonstra-

tions will take place in the eve

District 1-Boston, Mass. Bos

ton Commons: Providence, R. I.

City Hall; Worcester, Mass.

Lynn, Mass., Peabody, Mass.

Gardner, Mass.; New Bedford

Mass.; Pawtucket, Mass.; May

nard, Mass.; Fitchburgh, Mass.

Norwood, Mass.; Lawrence, Mass.

District 2-New York City: Pat

erson, N. J.; Passaic, N. J.; Eliza-

beth, N. J.; Newark, N. J.; Perth

way Auditorium; Rochester, N

Y., Washington Square: Syracuse

N. Y., Hanover Square; Niagara

District 5-Pittsburgh, Pa., Hill

Section; Allegheny Valley, New

Kensington; Avella, So. Burgetts-

town, Pa.; Bentleyville, Mononga-

hela City, Pa.; Brownsville; East

Ohio, Wheeling Riverside Park;

McKeesport, Versailles, Pa.; Can-

onsburg. Washington, Pa.; Li-

brary, Bridgeville, Pa.; Ambridge.

District 6-Youngstown, Ohio

East Federal and Basin: Mans-

ning

Lowell. Mass.

sey City, N. J.

lentown, Pa.

N. Y., Welch St.

Mich.

District 9-Minneapolis, Minn. St. Paul, Minn.; Duluth, Minn. International Falls, Minn.; Ely Minn.; Bemidju, Minn.; Cook Minn.; Virginia, Minn.; New York Mill, Minn.; Superior Wis.; Oven, Wis.; Iron River, Wis.; Hancock Mich.; Ontonagan. Mich; Iron River, Mich.; Ironwood, Mich. Negaunee, Mich.; Soult Ste. Marie, Mich. (border demonstration) District 11-Columbus, N. D. Williston, N. D.; Belden, N. D. Frederick, S. D.

District 12-Seattle, Wash. ortland, Ore. District 13-San Francisco, Cal. Post and Fillmore; Berkeley, Cal. University and San Pablo; Stockton, Cal., Hunters Square; Los Angeles, Cal.; Oakland, Cal., 7th and Peralta; Sacramento, Cal., Plaza Park. District 15-Hartford, Conn.

Philadelphia is holding a great | this collective work the Daily Worker Camp Outing on Sept. 5, 6 and 7, cannot become a real paper of the Labor Day week-end, at the Workers' International Relief Camp at Lumberville, Pa., for the benefit of the this collective co-operation between Daily Worker and Morning Freiheit. A splendid program has been arranged, including Bill Gropper, Red Cartoonist; the Freiheit Chorus; a Small groups of workers in shops or five-piece dance orchestra; a Camp those working close together can Fire, and many other attractions. form themselves into clubs and send The cost to workers for the three days, including seven meals and two nights' sleep is only \$5 per person. Round trip transportation on Nevin busses will be \$1. Busses will leave 929 Arch St. Saturday at 3 p.m. and Sunday at 9 a.m. All workers in the

ville are urged to take advantage of the above occasion and spend a real country week-end with plenty of rest, relaxation and fun. Remember the dates: Sept. 5, 6 and 7, next Saturday, Sunday and Monday. "Please start sending me a bundle of 10 Daily Workers every day," writes S. E. K., Elgin, Ill. "I believe I can increase this soon. Please tell me how to remit money. I fought in the World War for

Wall St. last time, but I am going to fight for the Soviet Union next time. Be sure that I get the papers so I can get started. I expect to have Elgin red hot before Christmas.'

Bundle order for above comrade has been sent. These will cost 1 cent each and remittances can be every week after papers are

workers. The Daily Worker Club is the chief instrument for building up those in the field and the central office of the Daily Worker. These clubs do not have to be very large. in criticism and suggestions, as well as correspondence, to the Daily Worker. Groups of readers living nearby in any neighborhood can do likewise. These clubs are not to be large mass organizations, nor are meetings to be very stiff and formal. vicinity of Philadelphia and Lumber-Arrange a little entertainment, home talent, etc.

From the advice, suggestions, correspondence, etc., of these small groups, the central office of the Daily Worker will be able to feel the pulse of the opinions of the workers, every day. Without this assistance, all the editorials, leading articles and political direction will not give life to the paper. We should make the Daily Worker the paper of the workers!

Don't wait for someone to organize a club. Reach six or seven readers or more in your neighborhood yourself! Send a simple report of meetings to the Daily Worker Club Department, 50 E. 13th St., N. Y. C. Subscriptions are the basic contact makers for drawing in masses



Then our comrades got out on the "mike" demanding that the workers give him the support, that he might streets and went parading two blocks speak. The selectors got up and singing the International. tried to get him down off the plat--V. R.

Mass Pressure Wins in Terre Haute

Daily Worker: homes. The unemployed should learn In Terre Haute the constables from this that when mass pressure working for the big furniture dealers is brought to bear these petty minded and the landlords are just putting constables can do nothing. Build the Unemplyoed Council and up a big bluff. They threaten and try to scare the poor people who the Trdae Union Unity League and have no jobs. support these fights against evic-

Some of the people fall for their tions.

line, but we wish to tell everyone- In Terre Haute we also made a we are waiting for an eviction case restaurant man at 19th and Mape so we can handle it. The fact is take his jim-crow sign down. These that the constables are scared and struggles must go on. We have made all they can do is to bluff their way a good start now. Let's build up a strong League of Struggle for Nethrough. One constable has quit, saying that gro Rights. -L. M.

he is not putting anyone out of their

N. Y. Luggage Workers Start Rank and File Movement

(By a Farmer Correspondent.) lagainst the worsening conditions. surance slashes. NEW YORK .- The rank and file Two Lovestonites who were on the workers of the suitcase, bag and platform agreed with the socialists portfolio trades, at a meeting at the against any rank and file committee Manhattan Lyceum on August 26, outside the right wing unions. The discussed the intolerable conditions workers, however, did not listen to of the workers in the shops. them and a committee of 15 rank sorts of promises to vote for it, de-One after the other the workers and file workers was elected. clared:

took the floor and pointed out how The rank and file committee will the bosses have a free hand to bring have its first meeting in a few days down the wage standards to ever to work out a program of action. The lower levels. The workers discuss- workers from the trade should poping the situation pointed out the ularize the rank and file committee necessity of electing a committee of and make it a real force for the rank and file workers for struggle bosses to reckon with.

Boss Beats Workers On Job; Organize and **Fight Back**

HAYWARD, Cal.-Robertino, an unconscious. He was confined to his owner of a large apricot grove as bed for many days.

well as owner of other property here, The worker after getting his money knocked down and cruelly beat up one of the twenty men picking apri-the lawyer readily agreed to sue, cots in one of his groves near Hay- but after a visit from Robertino exward. It came about as a result of plained to the worker that nothing an attempt on the part of he boss could be done and that he had betto speed up the pickers who are ter try to forget the matter.

mostly Spanish and Mexicans. Many Hayward workers know this boss and it is rumored that this is the workers. The boss who is of large and powerful build threatened the men tell- only one of the many cases of bruing them they must speed up faster tality to his credit.

or they would get their time. One Workers, organize to fight back said, "In that case, give me my such bosses. Organize into the Agricheck." Whereupon the boss met him cultural Workers Industrial Union, patches. Promises of new elections and beating him until he was almost in a militant way.

Negro reformists on the mass moverected exclusively against the workment to free the boys. ers, and that all the talk of Mac-

In this city, the boss newspapers Donald about "equal burdens" was have just given a great send-off to so much camouflage under which a smashing drive would be undertaken a new Negro publication, "The Colored Employee," whose announced by the new government, is further program is to "combat the inroads of shown by the fact that the only def-Communism in the race." This painite proposal yet made by the combined forces of British capitalism is per is edited by Milton S. Hampton a notorious tool of the local bosses. that a 10 per cent cut in unemploy-In its first issue, "The Colored Emment insurance should take place. ployee" speaks sneeringly of "the They find it difficult to work out fancied grievances" of the oppressed plans to make it appear that the Negro people, and openly declares in to the New York Times correspon-

capitalists are to be taxed, without any actual increase in taxes being the white ruling class: "We believe in the South and Promises and Deeds.

don't give a hang who knows it." How the Labor party, with its So-

cialist leaders, fooled the workers into voting for them by the promise uniting white and Negro workers for that unemployment insurance not only would not be cut, but would be the necessary fight against starvaincreased, and then later agreed to tion and against Negro oppression. cuts in unemployment insurance, is The white boss press gleefully quotes now clearly exposed. It is significant his attack, as follows:

that the present "opposition" is try-"There are sinister persons, moveing to cover up its role as conspiraments, and organizations stalking tor in agreeing to unemployment inthrough the South spreading a loctrine of hate, unrest and dissatisfaction, holding up fancies griev-The Election Program of the Laances and promising any and everybor Party of 1929, when it bid for thing to the Negro if he only 'joins' power and offered the workers all Fortunately the Negro is awake and refuses to be 'shooed' into the new fangled doole-lum-bums by the "The Labor Party's plan for unprofessional pocket pickers and hat employment is to provide work; passers." but pending the absorption of the

While peddling his slander against unemployed in regular occupations

it will take steps to relieve the girding itself for a whole series of atpresent distress. It will also tacks against the workers in the amend the Unemployed Insurance guise of "keeping the credit saved." Act so as to afford more generous Concerning these facts, the New maintenance of the unemployed, York Times' cable from London reand will remove those qualifications which deprive them of pay-

"Under the circumstances the ments to which they are entitled." predictions of a brief interval of So much for the promise. What office for the new government, folare the facts? Unemployment insurlowed by an early general election, ance is now being cut, with the full have become decidedly premature. There may arise the problem not agreement of the entire Labor party only of saving the nation's credit leadership. Unemployment has increased beyond all previous records, but of keeping it saved."

despite the promise of more work. And, further still, the Socialists in and out of the government are preparing the fascist distatorship against the rising resentment and action of

That the new government will take on more fascist forms and does

What They Promised.

not intend to dissolve so quickly is again confirmed by latest news dis-

_ fact, the new government is now promised hi-

COMPLETION Bolsheviki Lead As 5

Year Plan Pushes Forward

The structural work on the giant Magnitogorsk steel works will in all probability be completed by October 1 as originally scheduled, according

Green Objects to Chi. the following words its allegiance to dent, Walter Duranty. He points out that no matter what the diffi- for Convention of AFL culties have been, the building of the Magnitogorsk works will succeed just Fat Boys; Picks Canada

Hampton then goes on to attack as the construction of the Stalingrad the revolutionary movement which is tractor plant and the Kuznets steel plant have succeeded.

that the A. F. of L. convention shall The tractors produced in the Stal- be held in Vancouver, Canada, as ingrad tractor plant "compare fav- planned. The Chicago Federation of orably with the American Interna- Labor had asked Mr. Green to transtional Harvester model," according fer the meeting to Chicago, so as to to foreign experts. Duranty in re- deal with the problem of unemploy-

calling the history of the construc- ment "on the ground." tion of the Kuznets plant states that But Green does not recognize the the speed of the construction, taking problem anyway and besides hotel, the situation into consideration, "can and auditorium reservations in Canchallenge Gary itself," and Gary has ada have already been made, so it been the supreme effort of capitalist would really be too inconvenient to upset all these arrangements just be-America.

The success of the Five Year Plan cause some ten million men and wohas been due first and foremost, men are unemployed here, thinks Duranty states, to "the hardness of Mr. Green. So the Chicago Federawill and clearness of purpose-and tion will go on with its own plans self confidence" of the Bolsheviki, to "solve" the unemployment situthe leaders of the Russian workers ation to offset the prestige of the and peasants. in the fulfillment of Unemployed Councils and Trade the Five Year Plan.

Union-Unity League.

In the construction of these plants is rising on the hillside for Russia's the Soviets have taken advantage of new Gary." all the capitalist countries had to

The capitalists have tried to prove offer in the way of technical pro- on the basis of the difficulties which gress, including foreign advisers. have arisen from time to time in the Duranty sums up the construction gigantic construction that the Soviet of the Magnitogorsk plant in the Union is engaged in that the Five following words: "The sum and Year Plan would not succeed. The moral of the whole episode is that unparalleled steps forward in the high Soviet executives know what Five Year Plan have given the lie to

they want and go after it hard and all of these capitalist lies. Duranty fearless of the word "impossible." It sums this up when he says that MacDonald refuses t oresign from may be the steel work will be a few despite all of the difficulties "they the Labor party, declaring he is days late, but not many. It may be get things done, and gradually, little carrying out "Socialist" policy in the workers are badly housed and by little, order begins to appear out helping the bankers and other ex- fed, it may be the quality of some of chaos."

ploiters save their profits at the ex- of, their work is faulty, it may be In the Soviet Union the planned pense of the workers. However, if critics think Magnitogorsk too big to economy brings forth greater and the labor party finds it necessary to chew. But there are hundreds of greater achievements, while in the ditch him in order to keep up its ap- thousands of men working like capitalist countries the chaos bepearance of "opposition," the capi- beavers where two years ago there comes ever greater, the crisis deepens talists will give MacDonald a peer- was a barren steppe, and the plant ever more and millions of additional age and a seat in the House of is being built and 3,000,000 tons of workers and peasants are left to half way down the ladder, kicking which will take care of such matters are gradually being withdrawn. In Lords, which they have already ore with 60 per cent content already starve as the third winter of hunger

have been proved, and a stone town approaches.

New Haven, Conn.: Stamford, Conn : Springfield, Conn.; Bridgeport, Conn.; Plainfield, Conn.; New London, Conn. District 17-Charlotte, N. C. District 17-Atlanta, Ga.; Tam pa, Fl.; New Orleans, La.; Chat-National Office must have sugges-

District 19-Denver, Colo.; Salt Lake City, Utah.

sold. Elgin red hot by Christmas. sounds good to us. What about bundle orders from other workers in the United States. We are ready to send a bundle at above rate to any address in the country. Build Workers' Correspondence. If the Daily Worker is to become : very effective mass organ, we in the

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spondence from the field. Without

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By BURCK

Significance of Int'l Youth Day

SEPTEMBER 8 of this year will mark the 17th anniversary of International Youth Day. This fighting day of the youth against imperialist war comes at a time when the young workers of all capitalist countries will soon be rushed to the battlefield to fight in another imperialist war. Therefore, International Youth Day of this year must play a very important role in mobilizing the very forces which capitalism will use to fight its war, the youth, into a struggle against capitalist war and for defense of the Soviet Union.

Origin of International Youth Day.

International Youth Day was the result of the struggle of the revolutionary youth against the last imperialist war of 1914-1918. During the last war, at a time when millions of the working youth were being brutally murdered for capitalist profits, the "socialist" parties and the leadership of the youth movements in the various countries aided the imperialists by calling on the youth to die for "their fatherland." The revolutionary youth found it necessary to call a conference of the European youth movements, to map out an extensive program for struggle against the raging capitalist war. This conference met in Berne, Switzerland, in April, 1915. At this conference were represented the revolu tionary youth movements and oppositions within the socialist youth movements of ten countries The conference, in the spirit of the numerous fighters against the imperialist war, such as Lenin and Liebknecht, declared "War Against War", and called for a struggle against the betrayers of the working class, the socialist leadership. As part of the struggle against the imperialist war, the conference set aside a day on which the youth of the world would be called to demonstrate against the imperialist war. This day was called International Youth Day. This day stands out as one of the best traditions of the youth in the struggle against imperialist war

Today, the militant traditions of the Berne conference and International Youth Day have been inherited by the leader of the world toiling youth, the Young Communist International. International Youth Day has become a day of militant struggle for millions of young workers throughout the world.

Capitalists Prepare Youth for Cannon-Fodder More than at any time since the war the young workers are face to face with the immediate danger of war. Eight hundred millions of doldars are being spent for war preparations in the U. S. All agencies for militarizing the youth are being rapidly enlarged (army, navy, national guard, C.M.T.C.). The largest dirigible in the world, the Akron, has been launched by the U.S. The capitalist youth organizations are carrying on large-scale recruiting campaigns for winning over the youth. The 4-H Clubs are giving prizes in many localities for the best essay against the Soviet Union. The recent "Y" Congress tried to cover up its role under a cloak of pacifism. They endorsed the stand of Hoover on "disarmament" which in plain words means a support of the American capitalist war preparations. Kameka one of the German delegates to the "Y" Congress left for Germany with instructions from

the "Y" leadership and the National Civic Federation for the formation of a world-wide organization "to fight the Reds"—an organization which will work with the various governments in preparing for the attack on the Soviet Union. The capitalist sports organizations are militarizing the various sports. Larger and larger numbers of young workers are realizing that the capitalists are carrying on a war-preparation program which is directed mainly against the Soviet Union.

Conditions of Youth Growing Worse.

The conditions of the young workers are growing from bad to worse daily. Over 3,000,000 young workers are unemployed. No relief is being given to them by the government. Not even a few pennies out of what little is being given out by welfare boards and charity institutions are being given the unemployed youth. In certain places (for example, the copper mines of Northern Michigan), the bosses have introduced a system whereby under the guise of "helping the family men" they are refusing the least bit of work to young workers. In the shops, wage-cuts are reducing the already very low wages of the young workers. Discriminations and lynchings of Negro youth are spreading like wild fire throughout North and South. Struggles of the young workers against these intolerable conditions are mounting, showing themselves in the presence of large numbers of youth in the mining and textile strikes taking place, in the ever-increasing participation of the youth in demonstrations and struggles against unemployment and for Negro rights. The bosses in order to prevent militant struggles of the youth against starvation and in an attempt to create a docile working class for use in war, have let loose a most vicious terror campaign against the youth (Scottsboro, murder of young miner, Wm. Simons, holding of Keith on charge of criminal syndicalism; Minerich facing 15 year sentence for activity in mining strike. etc.)

Demonstrate on International Youth Day! International Youth Day of this year will un furl the banner of struggle against imperialist war and for defense of the Soviet Union, against wage-cuts, for immediate unemployment relief, against any and all forms of oppression of the Negro youth. This day of struggle will demand "Not a cent for imperialist war-all war funds for relief of the unemployed!" This day will ring out throughout the length and breadth of the country, will reach into 120 cities, into the heart of the most important industries and farming localities. In 1915 there was a very small revolutionary youth movement functioning very weakly. Today there is the powerful Communist International and Young Communist International leading the struggles of the world toiling youth against capitalism. At the time of the Berne conference the working class had no fatherland. Today the working class rules victoriously in one-sixth of the world, the Soviet Union, and is threatening the rule of capitalism in the other five-sixths of the world. These two mportant factors will add tremendous strength o International Youth Day of this year. Hail International Youth Day! All out to the demonstrations

International Youth Day--Some Important Tasks

By JOS. ROBERTS

This year for the seventeenth International Youth Day meetings have been arranged in 122 different cities in the country. This was due to the increased activity of the Y.C.L. and made possible by the co-operation from the Party in certain districts where meetings were arranged by the Party even though no Y.C.L. existed there. This should pave the way for the rooting of the Y.C.L. wherever the Party is established. of unemployed free. This event was connected up with the mobilization for International Youth Day. The Y.C.L. issued 20,000 open letters to the membership in the Y.M.C.A. exposing their recent congress, its objective being to capture and win the youth for capitalism and away from struggle. In Worcester the New England Y.C.E. district organizer is held for criminal anarchy for speaking at a Sacco-Vanzetti demonstration. The campaign for his unconditional freedom will



A Young Miner Writes of Conditions in the Mines

A^T the time of the strike I was employed at the Duquesne mine of the Duquesne Coal Co. and was getting 30 cents for loading a ton of coal.

I think it best to describe the conditions as they existed before and at the time of the strike. We were continually receiving wage cuts, at an average of three weeks after the first cut from 52 cents to 45 cents then to 40 cents then again to 30 and 10 cents in a single cut.

Of course the day men were cut in proportion from \$5 to \$3 a day for skilled labor.

The highest I was ever able to make in two weeks was something like \$50, that was when we were getting 52 cents per ton and my last pay was less than \$20 for the same amount of work.

The cutters on this mine worked night shift so when I cleaned up early I had to walk through mud knee deep and over stones and under loose rock along the main way.

The cars at this mine are three ton cars and if we received 40 hundred weight per car we were doing good. I managed to do it but it was rare. So then in one day I would load five of these cars and the next day all I did was to load from two to four cars of slate for nothing. I had to shoot this slate down several times before it could be loaded so then my powder expense ran high on that work and I had to work in smoke caused by the blasting due to improper ventilation.

So then it is evident that if I loaded five cars

Prepare tor International Youth Day

working class.

By MAX BEDACHT

September 8 is International Youth Day. eventeen years ago this day arose out of the struggles of the proletarian youth against the imperialist war. The revolutionary youth then witnessed the treacherous support which the parties of the Second International gave to their respective imperialist governments. Lead and inspired by the militant actions of Karl Liebknecht, the revolutionary workers youth organized its own struggle against the war. To demonstrate the international solidarity of the militant cadres of proletarian youth everywhere the International Youth Day was established. International Youth Day is a monument to the best traditions of the revolutionary proletarian youth of the world.

Today we again face a war. Capitalism is arming; it is building war ships; it is constructing bombing planes; it is developing new poison gases and liquid fire; it is preparing for war. Hand in hand with these physical preparations goes an ideological recruiting for war. A campaign of lies and slander against the Soviet Union is designed to prepare the desired war mania. American capitalism is more and more energetically taking the leadership in this campaign against the Soviet Union. The different capitalist organizations are exerting every effort to win the youth, the cannon fodder of the im-

Red Sparks

Save Us From Our Saviors!

"Dawes Says Crisis Will Aid the World," said a headline in the N. Y. Times of August 28, but in spite of it being good for us, we find the following "remedy" in the next day's Times, suggested by the Amsterdam Economic Congress: "Professor Palyis said inflation may cure unemployment. Dr. Benham of London doubted whether international action identical to national inflation was possible. A little prudent inflation, a sort of 'world intoxication,' he said, might deliver prices from their absurd depen-

dence upon metal." So! Just a wee, tiny bit of inflation—just "one drink," might give capitalist economy a sort of "high mass" feeling! But if a little inflation is good, why not go on a regular bat?

And this, workers, is the "superior brains" of capitalist rule which you are taught to respect!

One Poor Woman

"Mrs. James J. Walker, wife of the Mayor, was to be the guest of Police Commissioner Mulrooney today on the seventeenth and last excursion of the season arranged by the New York Police Department for poor women and children."--N. Y. Post August 31.

The Mayor's "Sober" Tastes

Sometimes we feel so sorry for the editor of the N. Y. Times that we wish he were put out of his misery, but when we read the edition of August 29th, we were compelled to envy him for his attainment of those heights of stupidity where asininity becomes genius.

In an effort to put a false color of dignity and decorum on the didoes Mayor Walker is cutting around Europe, the Times must have gotten a writer even more sycophantic than Heywood Broun to cook up an editorial which opened up by saying:—"Somehow Mayor Walker seems out of place in the gay resorts of the Riviera." From that opening sentence it got worse and worse. After stating that an Associated Press correspondent travels with the Mayor's "party." the scribe gives the following St. James version of what that correspondent actually said was going on at Cannes, France:

"The women wear beach pajamas of every hue, with sandals on their feet (A very unusual place for women to wear sandals, it appears to the Times scribe!—Jorge). Men appear in flannels of red, white, blue and green. To a man of the Mayor's sober tastes this vulgar display must have seemed shocking."

O, yeah! Turrible shocking! But that was on the editorial page, while over on page 15 of the same paper, the A. P. correspondent mentioned gave the following account of how New York City's mayor expressed his disgust at such "vulgar display:"

"He was dressed in a flashy blue ensemble, which created a mild sensation. Everything worn by Mr. Walker except his sport shoes and Panama hat was blue. His trousers were turquoise blue, while his hose were sky blue." And as for his "sober tastes," the dispatch relates that when Deputy Mayor Picaud of Cannes proposed a drink to Mayor Walker as "the

greatest wet in America"→ "Seizing a champagne gfass, Mayor Walker

responded:—'If any proof is needed I'll furnish it forthwith.' Thereupon he put the glass to his lips."

It's mighty hard to write "sober taste" editorials against a story like that, but the chap on the Times is a glutton for punishment. So along toward the last of his Tammany-ordered song of praise, he got off the following, which is enough to make the Pulitzer prize:

"If ever anywhere a man deserved and might

These demonstrations will be widely popularized through thousands of leaflets, that have been issued to the unemployed youth, the young workers in the shops, to those on the farms and special appeals to the workers children all of whom together with the adults are feeling the bitter effects of the starvation program of the bosses, the speedup and wage cuts.

This year's campaign for I.Y.D. has been bound up with the everyday struggles of the youth, for instance in Chicago the Y.C.L. and the youth in an unemployed branch held an effective demonstration of 500 in front of a Y.M.C.A. that evicted jobless young workers for non-payment of rent. The officials had to use clever demagogy and were at least forced to open the swimming pool and gym for the use

Bosses Prepare New Horrors for Young Workers

WALTER TRUMBULL

THE War Department recently demonstrated I its latest weapon, the phosphorus bomb, which beats anything before devised for the murder of workers. The new bomb, upon exploding, releases burning phosphorus over a wide area and immediately sets afire anything within that area. The liquid fire used during the last Imperialist slaughter was a plaything as compared to the new weapon. Workers in the next war may escape shells and bullets and may even escape the poison gas and disease germs that are to be used against them but will still have to face the prospects of being burned to death. The Young Communist League calls upon all young workers to make this International Youth Day a challenge to the war mongers and a defiance of the plans for new imperialist wars in which the youth are to provide from their ranks, the sacrifices in blood, agony and horrible death. Added to the starvation that follows unemployment, the fake Hoover Relief and the lowered wages for those who are still working, we are to be called upon to murder young workers of other countries for the profit of Wall Street. We are to burn and be burned. We are to fill the ranks of imperialism's armies that profits may go for the owning class.

Young workers everywhere are called upon to make this International Youth Day definitely record the unwillingness of the youth to fight another imperialist war and to record our determination to convert any imperialist war that the war mongers start into a civil war for the overthrow of the capitalist system and the establishment of a Workers' and Farmers' Soviet Government.

Turn the imperialist war into a civil war for the overthrow of the capitalist system and the establishment of a workers' and farmers' Soviet government in the United States.

Defend the Soviet Union. the workers' fatherland against imperialist attack be also used to popularize International Youth Day.

In the mining strike many militant young strikers were jailed and now face long jail terms, Tony Minerich, Leo Thompson, Stella Rasefsky and others. The killing of Wm. Simon, 16 yearold miner and the struggle for existence among the miners are the issues around which the young workers in the mining area will be mobilized for International Youth Day. In the textile strike the young workers are being mobilized for International Youth Day as a day of struggle against the wage cuts and speedup.

Another feature of this year's International Youth Day will be the children's demonstration of unemployed workers where together with the backing of the parents and unemployed branches demands will be presented to the local boards of education. These demands will be from the children themselves for clothes to wear to school, free food to the children of unemployed, free school supplies, free car fare and other immediate demands of the children. Thse demonstrations will be organized and led by the Young Pioneers, but they need the active support of the Party, the parents, the unions and Workers International Relief and especially the inemployed councils should be the backbone of these demonstrations for children's relief. The demonstrations are called for Tuesday, September 8 during the day time and should be made a big issue in the city or town.

Some International Youth Day meetings are being well prepared for, still it is in place to emphasize the need for impressive meetings. That means that all necessary arrangements to have rallies from different sections of the city to the main demonstration and from there an organized parade through a good workingclass section. This being in the evening there should be plenty of special torchlights, carricatures of the local politicians and fakers and using this demonstration as a strong election rally for the Communist Party. The children should be a section and a big one at that, with all possible organizations and clubs marching in groups and under their own banners. These demonstrations should not take on any forms as some of our meetings do-loose and disorganized-as these will not appeal to those that we want to reach.

Finally the whole organization of the meetings and parades must net organizational results. Squads of comrades must be assigned for the sole task of making connections and getting recruits for the Y.C.L. There should be many adults taking part and this should be done for the Party. These meetings should be a good means to sell literature and especially populariz our Young Worker getting those 25 cent trial subs, selling pamphlet literature, etc. The seventeenth International Youth Day should mobilize larger sections of the working class and its youth to struggle against war, hunger, wage cuts and speed up. At the same time strengthen the Y.C.L. organization and its influence amongst the south Y'm and the south of the every second day and they gave me 40 hundred weight I made \$3 every second day, then of course came my expenses such as carbide, powder, etc.

I think that I wasn't doing bad since other loaders were making less, hardly more. We who are on strike are determined to fight to a finish but we can't fight if other workers don't help us out by collecting food, clothing and money and sending it to the Penn-Ohio Relief Committee at 511 Penn Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Comradely,

A Young Striker.

The Pennsylvania National Guard Prepares for Strike Duty

SOMETIME ago an article appeared in the Erie Dispatch-Herald stating that one of the most important problems to be studied by the National Guard at their summer training camp in Mt. Gretna, Pa. will be the defense of the southern border of the Penna. state line. At this time the Young Communist League issued a leaflet to the Pa. Nat. Guard, 112th infantry exposing this statement. It explained to the Nat. Guard that it is in Southern Pa. that the miners are on strike against starvation and that the government is planning to mobilize them for strike duty. The Young Communist League called upon the Nat. Guard to refuse to be strikebreakers, that instead they should help win the strike by sending down to the strike stricken area money, food and clothing.

This call to the Pa. Nat. Guard has been substantiated by a news article which appeared in the August 4 issue of the Erie Dispatchc-Herald. One of its subheadlines was: "Warns Guards May Be Called For Strike Duty."

"Addressing about 200 officers last night, the governor said he would not hesitate to call out the guard if any disturbances in the mining areas of Pennsylvania warranted such action," is Pinchot's statement.

The Young Communist League of Erie has issued a leaflet to the 112th Infantry, one of the troops reviewed by Governor Pinchot, again calling upon them not to use their guns upon the working class, not to be strikebreakers.

Fellow National Guardsmen! The strike of the miners is your strike. It is a strike against starvation. Many of you are unemployed and you are forced to wait three months for your drill pay.

The whole working class is being forced into starvation. We must support the miners' strike! Organize yourselves as a body and refuse to do duty in the mining section for strike duty! Do not be scabs! Don't use your guns upon the working class! Refuse to be strikebreakers! Help win the miners' strike against starvation! Demonstrate on IYD, September 8th against bosses' militarism! Demand all military funds pending war, for its support. The catholic church in Detroit recently organized mass prayers for the "poor souls of the persecuted youth" in the Soviet Union. The recent congress of the Y. M. C.A. planned campaigns among the American workers' youth. Military training is being introduced universally into all the schools of the country.

The Socialist Party and the Socialist youth movement are covertly and openly supporting the capitalist war program. They are following the lead of Karl Kautsky who lays special emphasis on the winning of the youth for the overthrowing of the Soviets. The official German socialist youth press openly calls for war on the Soviet Union.

The American socialist youth movement is playing a demagogic game. The American young socialists talk of the introduction of militarism into the school as being "contrary to the principles of our government." With such phrases they wish to cover the obvious fact that "our" government is the government of the capitalists. With such phrases they wish to fool the workers into the idea that the existing capitalist government, the workers' government, and that the workers therefore should not fight against it. For the same reason they support that capitalist pacifist cover for the preparations of a new war, the Kellogg Peace Pact.

The war preparations of American capitalism against the Soviet Union are accompanied by a war against the living standards of the American workers and especially the young workers. The young workers are forced to set the pace in the most vicious speed-up campaign in all industries. At the same time they are paid the lowest wages, even lower than the already inadequate wages of the adult workers. But even these wages are being cut. The unemployed youth are being barred from getting even those few crumbs of relief which are handed out by various welfare boards and charitable organizations. The young workers are being run out of the cities.

Against the Negro sections of the young workers there has been initiated on top of all a campaign of intimidation through terrorism. The Scottsboro frame-up is a typical example of this campaign.

At this moment, just as seventeen years ago the problem and duty of the young workers is to organize and to fight against imperialist war. The masses of young workers are increasingly recognizing this. This was shown in the successful National Youth Day; it is also demonstrated in the participation of the young workers in the miners' and textile workers strikes at the present moment. The coming International Youth Day shall serve as a signal and inspiration for a unified mass striggle for the proletarian youth of the world against capitalism and against the capitalist war now in the process of preparation against the Soviet Union The workers throughout the country and especially the young workers must prepare for huge tional Xouth Day and an Intern

A Radio Magnate Spends Millions on His Wedding and Gives Ten Per Cent Pay Cut to Young Workers

The 8th of September must become a mobiliza-

tion day of the proletarian anti-war forces. It

must become an occasion for the American work-

ers to demonstrate their determination to de-

fend the Soviet Union. The militant workers

throughout the country must make the coming

International Youth Day an occasion to arouse

the masses of the as yet indifferent workers to

the realization of the impending capitalist at-

tack against the Soviet Union. The proletarian

youth whom capitalism tries to recruit for its

army must be recruited for the army of the

International Youth Day must raise demands

throughout the country embodying the needs of

the young workers-against wage cuts! Same

wages for same work. Not a cent for war pre-

parations. All war appropriations for relief of

the unemployed and for social insurance funds.

No discrimination against young workers in un-

employment relief. For the six-hour day and

five-day week for the young workers under eigh-

teen years of age with pay equal to the pay of

the adult worker doing the same work. For the

immediate and unconditional release of the nine

Negro youth in Scottsboro. For the right to vote

for all young workers at eighteen years of age.

LAST week there was a lot of noise made about the wedding of the daughter of Atwater Kent. This wealthy manufacturer spent a million dollars on this wedding with a million dollar yacht given the couple as a gift. At the same time the papers were silent about the wage cut of 10 per cent and the big layoff that affected twothirds of the workers when the season started three weeks ago.

After nine months of layoff, a small percentage of workers, mostly youth, were called back under a 10 per cent wage-cut, with increased speed-up, and in some cases young workers spending from 7:30 in the morning to 10 o'clock at night at the factory (testers and repair men). Men have been replaced by girls; former petty bosses put on the belt, depriving other workers of the jobs and in most cases one worker doing the work of two and three operations being combined in one, allowing workers to make half of the previous wage-

Young workers are used mostly, with the idea in mind that we will work harder and not kick about the wage. The employment manager at Kent's was heard to remark to an older worker in the factory applying for a job for her niece. "Is she strong?"

On time work, last year the girls received 35 cents an hour, at present they are receiving 30. On time work men who were receiving 45 and 50 cents an hour on an average, are now getting 35 and 40 cents an hour. Some married men, with children to support, are making on an average of \$17 a week including overtime. The average wage of the young workers, and the majority are young workers, is from \$14 to \$16 a week at a neck-breaking speed.

Now, the bosses are again initiating their layoff program. Workers are laid off daily in various departments, with the usual promise of being called back. We are working under the constant fear of being laid off, afraid to work too fast, because there is danger of another wage-cut, and as one worker expressed it, "We'll work ourselves out of a job." The workers have paid for a million dollar wedding of a parasite. we have given her a million dollar yacht, out of the 10 per cent wage cut. Our reward in the near future will be, no work with starvation. The only solution for these wage cuts and speed-up with layoffs will be through union organization that will organize the fight for better conditions. The Metal Workers Industrial League is the organization to which the workers should join for an organized fight in this shop. There are many demands for the workers and young workers which should get the response from all workers in this shop. Form a grievance committee right in the shop or department and get in touch with the Metal Workers League which is located at 2802 Kensington Aye., in Philadelphi 1.9 1 H

attain surcease from the cares of office and the vicissitudes of public life, that man was Mayor Walker and that place Carlsbad in the Summer of 1931. Yet our Chief Magistrate spent only a few days there cutting short his pleasant stay to resume in the line of duty, what must have been to him the distasteful round of resorts like Cannes and Monte Carlo."

After that, we can only stand in open-mouthed awe! As for Mayor Walker, we understood that he was going to Europe to "inspect sewers" for one thing, but it seems he's jumped into them. And at a pretty cost to somebody not unrelated to the 1,000,000 unemployed in New York City.

The Mid-West Workers' Track Meet in Chicago

WORKER sportsmen from Chicago, St. Louis, Gary, Waukeegan, Kenosha and other cities of the Illinois District will compete in a Championship Track and Field meet in Chicago on September 6, 1931. This meet will be held by the Illinois District of the Labor Sports Union of America welcoming back the Spartaklad Delegation of the United States, recently returned from Berlin after a successful campaign against the worker athletes representing the other countries throughout the world.

Comrade Lehtinen, a member of the Waukegan Sports Club, Waukegan, Illinois, and the athlete representing the Illinois District on the United States team, will compete in some special events, among them being the 100 metre run, the running broadjump and the high-jump. Lehtinn will also speak on the experiences of the Spartakiad team and on Workers' Sports in the Soviet Union.

The meet is especially significant, since it will be the starting point of an extensive campaign against the bosses' Olympics, which will be held in Los Angeles next year. The workers are already on the job in smashing the Olympics which is only another means of the bosses' war preparations.

The result of their work is shown in that many crack athletes of St. Louis, Gary, Waukeegan, Kenosha, Milwaukee and other cities who formerly ran for the Amateur Athletic Union, the fake bosses amateur organization, have left those ran's and will compete in the Labor Sports Union Championship meet at Chicago.

Similar meets are being arranged, but will be held on a local scale. These meets will take place in Waukeegan. Illinois and Milwaukee, Wisconsin and other cities of the Illinois District.

The Labor Soprts Union will actively participate in the International Youth Day demonstrations. All worker sportsmen should be at these meetings on Tuesday. September 8th. that are organized in all parts of the Chicage District.